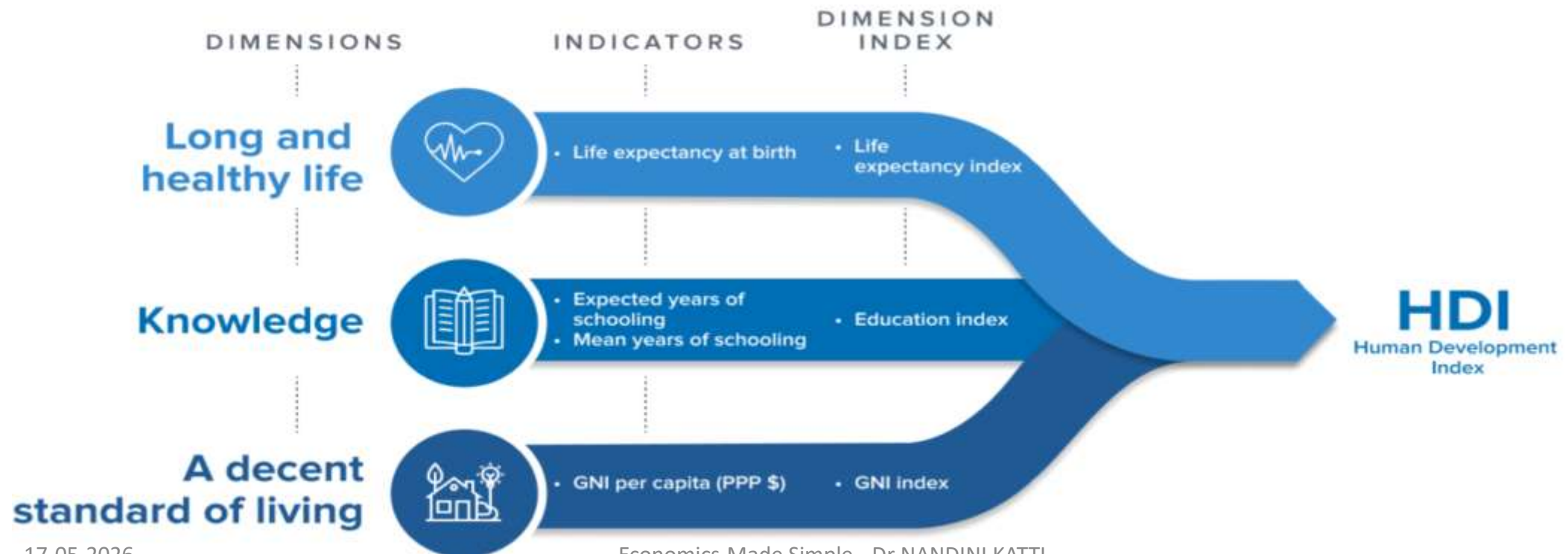


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HDI Dimensions and Indicators

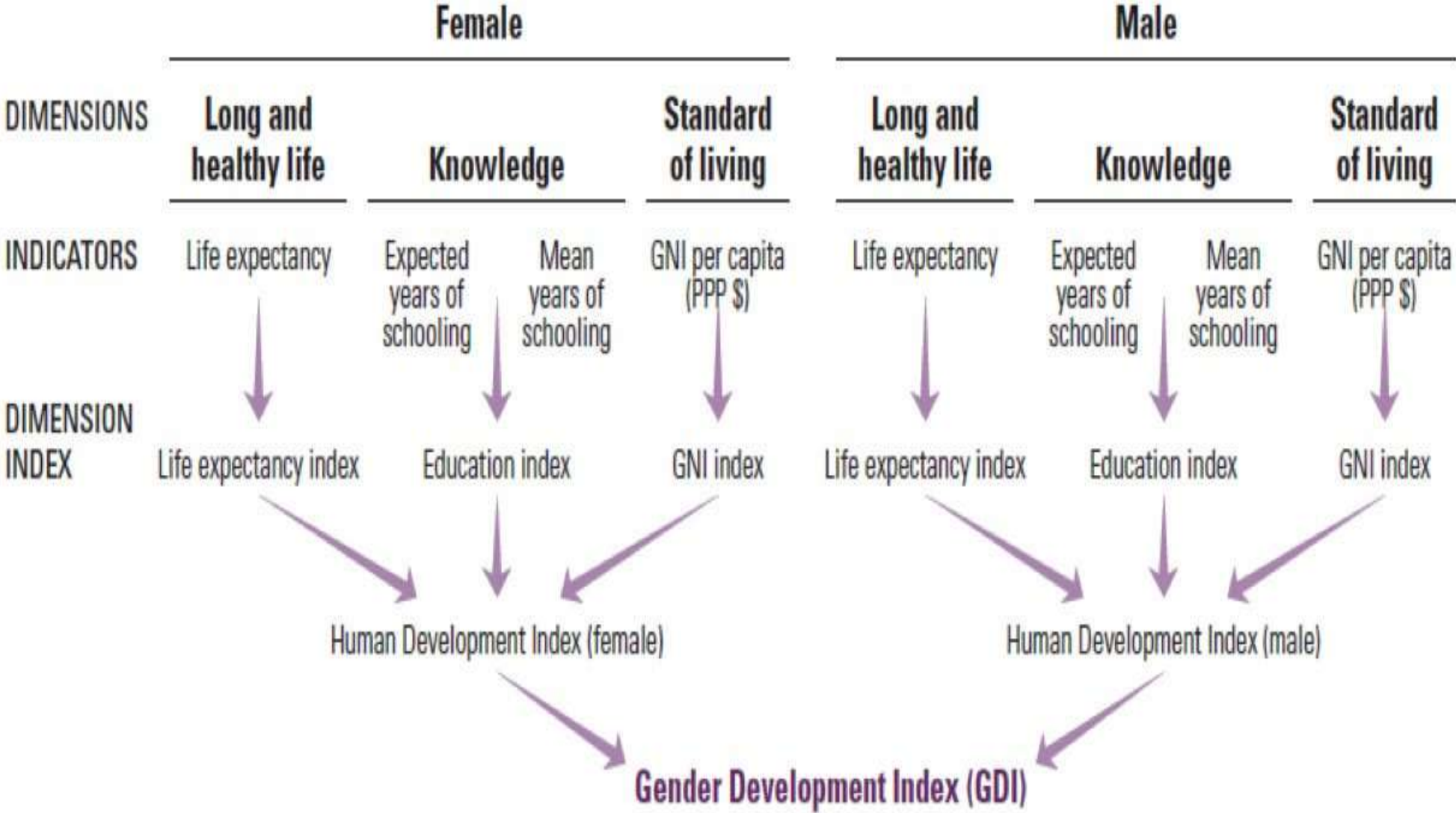


Human Development Index (HDI)

- Health dimension is assessed by life expectancy at birth,
- Education dimension is measured by mean of years of schooling for adults aged 25 years.
- Standard of living dimension is measured by gross national income per capita.
- HDI uses the logarithm of income, to reflect the diminishing importance of income with increasing GNI.
- Scores for the three HDI dimension indices are then aggregated into a composite index

Dimension	Indicator
HDI	
Long and Healthy Life	Life Expectancy (years)
Knowledge	Expected Years of Schooling (years)
	Mean Years of Schooling (years)
A Decent Standard of Living	Per Capita Gross State Domestic Product(GSDP) (Rs.)
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	Mean Years of Schooling (years)
A Decent Standard of Living	Estimated Earned Income (Male and Female) Per Capita Per Annum(Rs.) (See the Note below)
GII	
Health	Maternal Mortality Ratio (Maternal Death per 100000 live birth)
	Adolescent Birth Rate (Birth per 1000 women ages 15-19 years)
Empowerment	Women's share of seats in Parliament (%)
	Population with at least some secondary education age 25+ years (%)
Labour Market	Labour Force Participation Rate (%)

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(according to the UNDP's Human Development Report 2023/2024, published in March 2024)
 - This represents a significant improvement from its 122nd rank in 2021

Gender Empowerment Measure (GEM)

composite index developed by the

[United Nations Development Programme \(UNDP\)](#)

to assess gender inequality in a country

Key Areas Measured by GEM:

•**Political Participation and Decision-Making:** Measured by the percentage of parliamentary seats held by women and men.

•**Economic Participation and Decision-Making:** Measured by the percentage of women and men in professional positions

•**Power over Economic Resources:** Measured by the estimated earned income of women and men, often at purchasing power parity (PPP) in US dollars