

The 100 Most Powerful Women
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<u>Rank</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Country</u>
1	Angela Merkel	Chancellor	Germany
2	Condoleezza Rice	Secretary of State	US
3	Wu Yi	Vice Premier	China
4	Indra Nooyi	Chief Executive-Designate, PepsiCo	US
5	Anne Mulcahy	Chairman and Chief Executive, Xerox	US
6	Sallie Krawcheck	Chief Financial Officer, Citigroup	US
7	Patricia Woertz	Chief Executive, Archer Daniels Midland	US
8	Anne Lauvergeon	Chairman, Areva	France
9	Brenda Barnes	Chairman and Chief Executive, Sara Lee	US
10	Zoe Cruz	Copresident, Morgan Stanley	US
11	Irene Rosenfeld	Chief Executive, Kraft Foods	US
12	Melinda Gates	Cofounder, Director, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	US
13	Sonia Gandhi	President, National Congress Party	India
14	Oprah Winfrey	Chairman, Harpo	US
15	Anne Sweeney	Cochairman, Disney Media Networks	US
16	Mary Sammons	Chief Executive, President, Rite Aid	US
17	Michelle Bachelet	President	Chile
18	Hillary Rodham Clinton	Senator, New York	US
19	Ann Livermore	Executive Vice President, Hewlett-Packard	US
20	Helen Clark	Prime Minister	New Zealand
21	Safra Catz	President and Chief Financial Officer, Oracle	US
22	Margaret Whitman	Chief Executive, President, eBay	US
23	Julie Gerberding	Director, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	US
24	Susan Arnold	VChairman, Beauty & Health, Procter & Gamble	US
25	Patricia Russo	Chairman and CEO, Lucent Technologies	US
26	Christine Poon	Vice Chairman, Johnson & Johnson	US
27	Renetta McCann	Chief Executive, Starcom MediaVest Group	US
28	Sima Samar	Chairman, Afghanistan Independent Human Rights Commission	Afghanistan
29	Margaret Beckett	Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs	UK
30	Christine Lagarde	Minister of Trade	France
31	Marjorie Scardino	Chief Executive, Pearson	UK
32	Ruth Bader Ginsburg	Supreme Court Justice	US
33	Khaleda Zia	Prime Minister	Bangladesh

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34	Suzanne Nora Johnson	Vice Chairman, Goldman Sachs	US
35	Wu Xiaoling	Deputy Governor, People's Bank of China	China
36	Ho Ching	Chief Executive, Temasek Holdings	Singapore
37	Andrea Jung	Chairman and Chief Executive, Avon Products	US
38	Neelie Kroes	European Commissioner for Competition	Netherlands
39	Fumiko Hayashi	Chief Executive, Daiei	Japan
40	Tzipora Livni	Foreign Minister, Vice Prime Minister	Israel
41	Beth Brooke	Global Vice Chairman, Ernst & Young	US
42	Marina Berlusconi	Chairman, Fininvest	Italy
43	Laura Bush	First Lady	US
44	Tarja Halonen	President	Finland
45	Gloria Arroyo	President	Philippines
46	Queen Elizabeth II	NA	UK
47	Aung San Suu Kyi	Nobel Peace Laureate	Myanmar
48	Nancy Pelosi	Minority Leader, House of Representatives	US
49	Theresa Gattung	Chief Executive, Telecom New Zealand Group	New Zealand
50	Clara Furse	Chief Executive, London Stock Exchange	UK
51	Ellen Johnson-Sirleaf	President	Liberia
52	Judy McGrath	Chairman and Chief Executive, MTV Networks	US
53	Ann Moore	Chairman and Chief Executive, Time Inc.	US
54	Katie Couric	Anchor, The CBS Evening News	US
55	Mary McAleese	President	Ireland
56	Linda Cook	Executive Director, Gas and Power, Royal Dutch Shell Group	US
57	Michele Alliot-Marie	Minister of Defense	France
58	Paula Rosput Reynolds	Chief Executive, Safeco	US
59	Amy Pascal	Chairman, Sony Pictures Entertainment Motion Picture Group	US
60	Diane Sawyer	Co-Anchor, ABC's Good Morning America	US
61	Susan Ivey	Chairman and Chief Executive, Reynolds American	US
62	Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala	Minster of Foreign Affairs	Nigeria
63	Vaira Vike-Freiberga	President	Latvia
64	Marilyn Carlson Nelson	Chairman and Chief Executive, Carlson Cos.	US
65	Guler Sabanci	Chairman, Sabanci Holding	Turkey
66	Dora Bakoyannis	Foreign Minister	Greece
67	Nancy McKinstry	Chief Executive, Wolters Kluwer	Netherlands
68	Han Myung-sook	Prime Minister	South Korea
69	Meredith Vieira	Co-anchor, <i>The Today Show</i>	US

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70	Mian Mian Yang	Chairman, Haier Group	China
71	Antonia Ax:son Johnson	Chairman, Axel Johnson Group	Sweden
72	Nahed Taher	Founder and Chief Executive, Gulf One Investment Bank	Saudi Arabia
73	Ana Patricia Botin	Executive Chairman, Banesto	Spain
74	Janet Robinson	Chief Executive, The New York Times Co.	US
75	Nancy Tellem	President, CBS Paramount Television Entertainment Group	US
76	Angela Ahrendts	Chief Executive, Burberry	UK
77	Susan Berresford	President, Ford Foundation	US
78	Dawn Hudson	President and Chief Executive, Pepsi-Cola North America	US
79	Christiane Amanpour	Chief International Correspondent, CNN	US
80	Christie Hefner	Chairman and Chief Executive, Playboy Enterprises	US
81	Queen Rania	NA	Jordan
82	Colleen Barrett	President, Southwest Airlines	US
83	Luisa Diogo	Prime Minister	Mozambique
84	Stephanie Burns	Chairman and Chief Executive, Dow Corning	US
85	Marie Ehrling	President, TeliaSonera Sweden	Sweden
86	Vivian Banta	Vice Chairman, Prudential Financial	US
87	Rochelle Lazarus	Chairman and Chief Executive, Ogilvy & Mather Worldwide	US
88	Galia Maor	Chief Executive, Bank Leumi	Israel
89	Portia Simpson Miller	Prime Minister	Jamaica
90	Gail Berman	President, Paramount Pictures	US
91	Maha Al-Ghunaim	Founder, Vice Chairman and Managing Director, Global	Kuwait
92	Cathleen Black	President, Hearst Magazines	US
93	Lalita Gupte & Kalpana Morparia	Joint Managing Directors, ICICI Bank	India
94	Stacey Snider	Chief Executive and Co-Chairman, DreamWorks	US
95	Vidya Chhabria	Chairman, Jumbo Group	Dubai
96	Sharon Allen	Chairman, Deloitte & Touche USA	US
97	Lubna Olayan	Chief Executive, Olayan Financing	Saudi Arabia
98	Martha Nelson	Editor, The People Group	US
99	Orit Gadiesh	Chairman, Bain & Co.	US
100	Imre Barmanbek	Deputy Chairman, Dogan Holding	Turkey