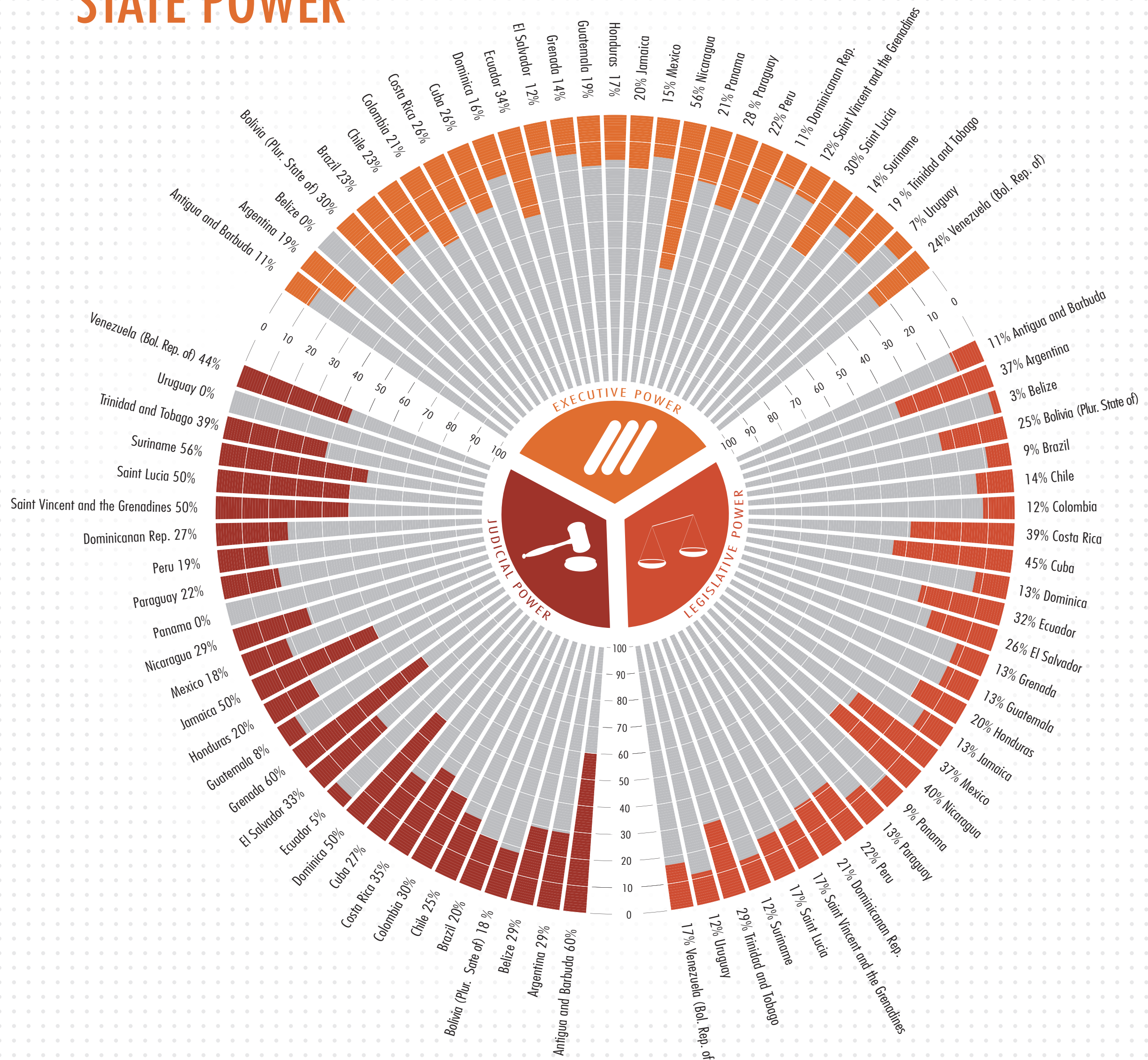


# In Latin America and the Caribbean **WOMEN** hold **LESS** **THAN 25%** of positions in the **BRANCHES OF STATE POWER**



WOMEN HOLDING POSITIONS IN THE THREE BRANCHES OF STATE POWER (PERCENTAGES)	1 - EXECUTIVE POWER	2 - LEGISLATIVE POWER	3 - JUDICIAL POWER
	Percentage of women in ministerial cabinet positions, last reported presidential term, 2013	Proportion of seats held by women in national parliaments, 2013	Percentage of women judges in the highest court or supreme court, 2011

Women in decision making positions. Source: Gender Equality Observatory for Latin America and the Caribbean, on the basis of national machineries for the advancement of women, failing which, on the basis of official information published online by the governments [date of reference: October 2013].  
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