OECD NATIONAL URBAN POLICY REVIEW OF MYANMAR

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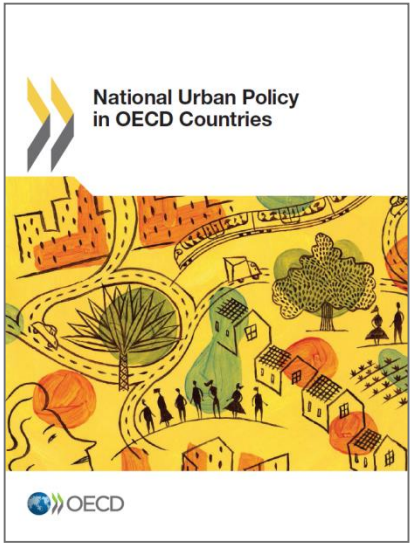
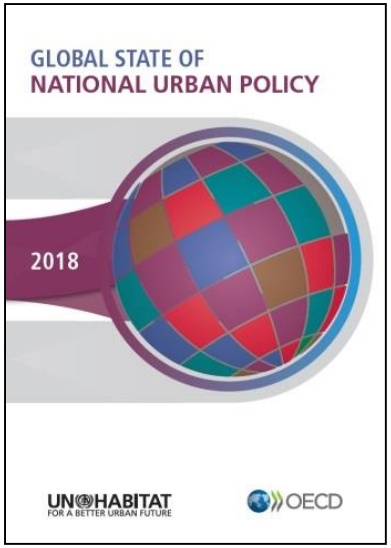
OECD work on National Urban Policies



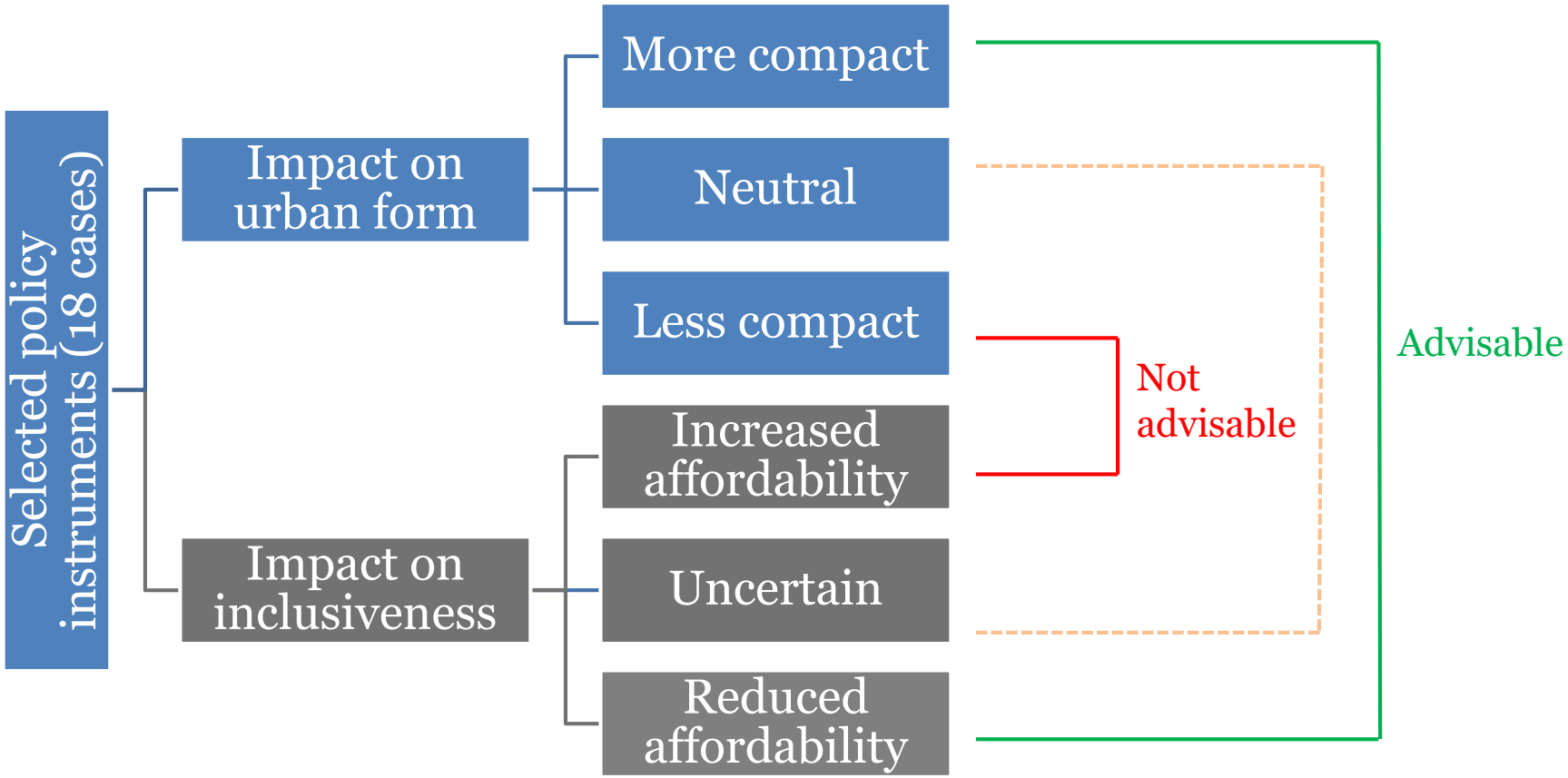


Areas of focus – to support successful NUP implementation

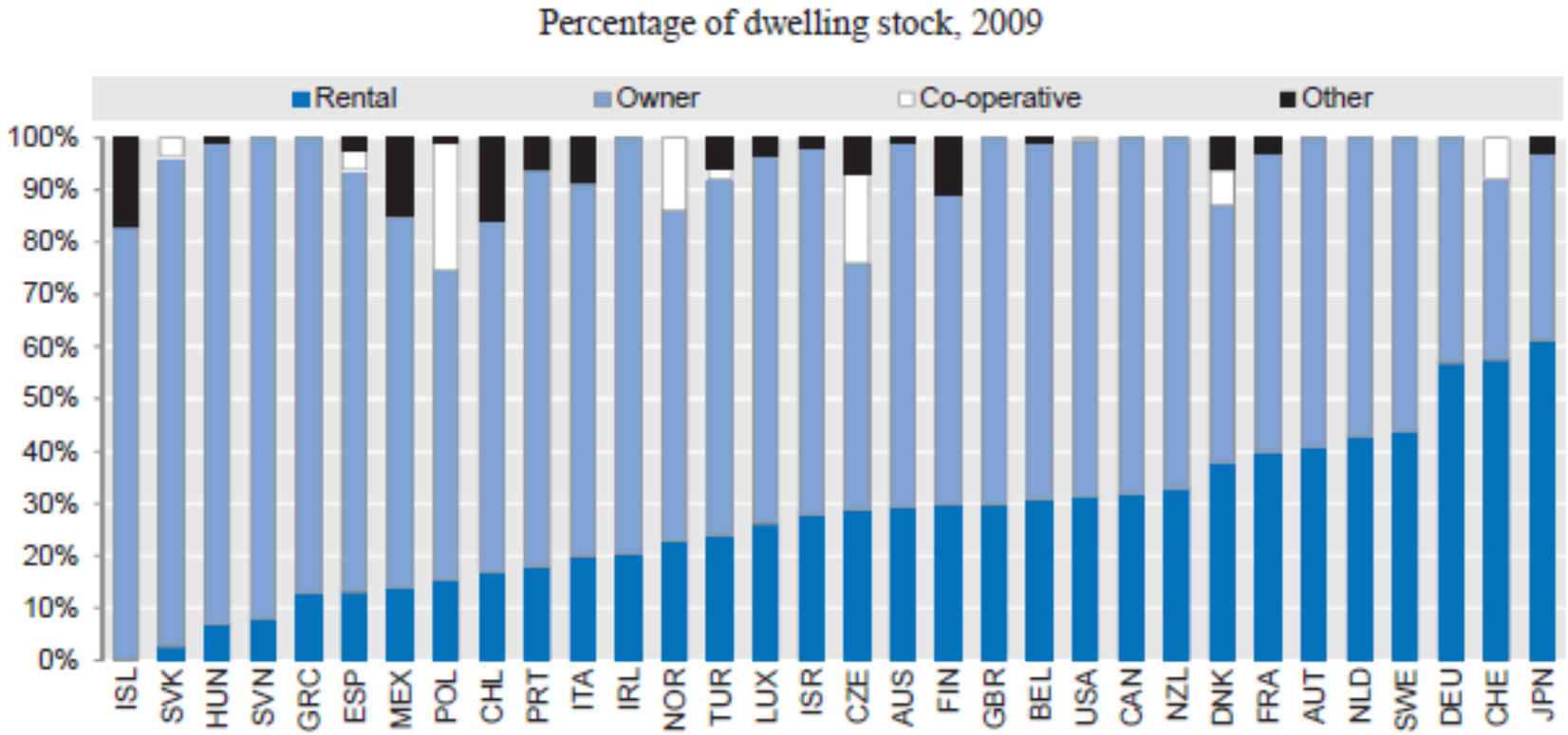
OECD NUP Review will provide **in-depth analysis** and **policy evidence** of key priority areas:

1. Economic development in cities of all sizes
2. Affordable housing in cities
3. Low-carbon urban transition and urban climate resilience
4. Capacity of subnational governments

What are the policy tools which have positive impacts both on compactness and inclusiveness?



Rental housing can provide housing affordability and residential mobility for low-income households



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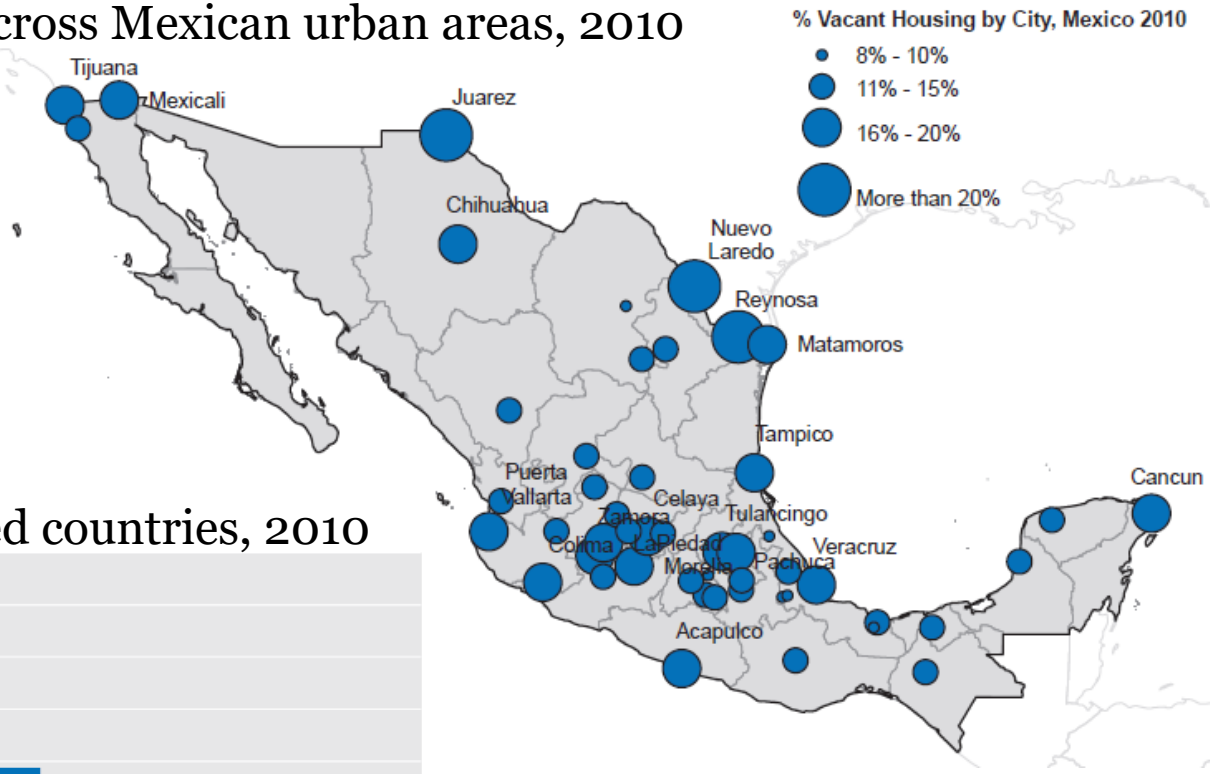
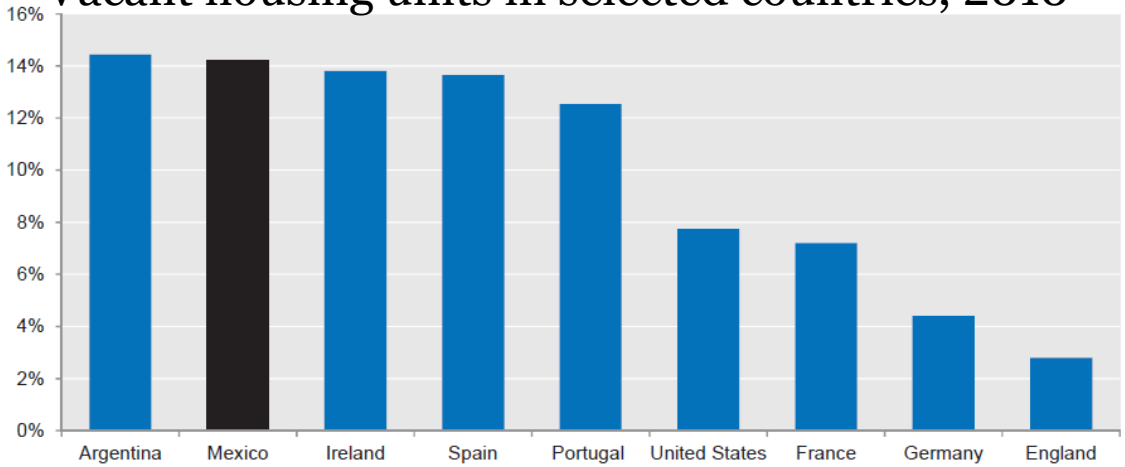
Source: OECD Housing Market questionnaire, in: OECD (2012c), *OECD Economic Surveys: Chile 2012*, OECD Publishing, Paris, http://dx.doi.org/10.1787/eco_surveys-chl-2012-en.

“Space-blind” policies can lead to inefficient housing investment

Share of vacancy rates across Mexican urban areas, 2010



Vacant housing units in selected countries, 2010



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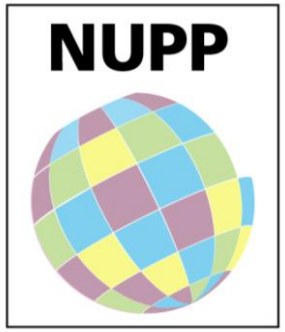
Source: Housing data from LEA collated by the Empty Houses Campaign (England); 2011 Census (Germany, Ireland, Portugal, Spain); INSEE Government Research Bureau (France); INEGI 2010 Population and Housing Census, Mexico; INE 2010 Population and Housing Census, Argentina.

National Urban Policy Programme (NUPP)

- Launched during the Habitat III Conference in Quito, Ecuador, UN-Habitat, OECD, and Cities Alliance. It draws from history of partnership on National Urban Policy (NUP) between three organisations.
- The joint initiative aims to contribute to the implementation of the NUA and other global urban agendas and to achieving sustainable human settlements for all, leaving no one behind, through the development of NUP.



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