

# OECD experience with strenghthening fiscal capacities for subnational public investment

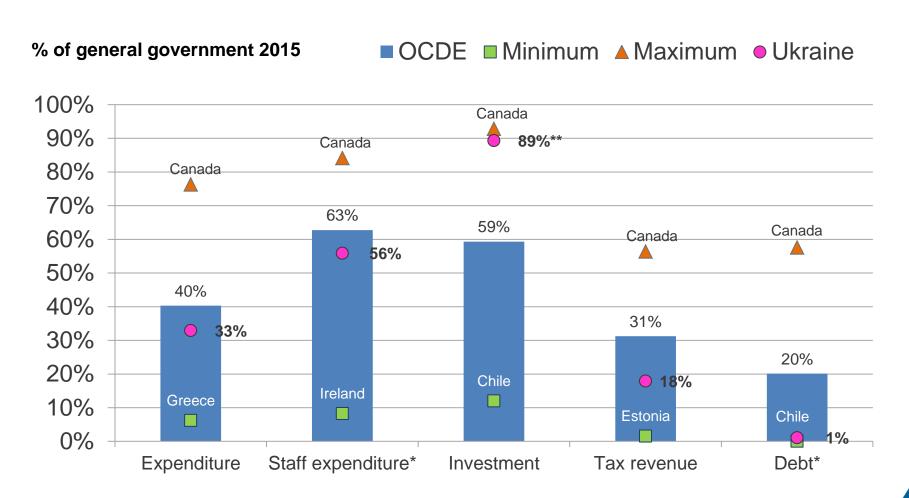
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### Subnational governments are key economic and social actors in the OECD

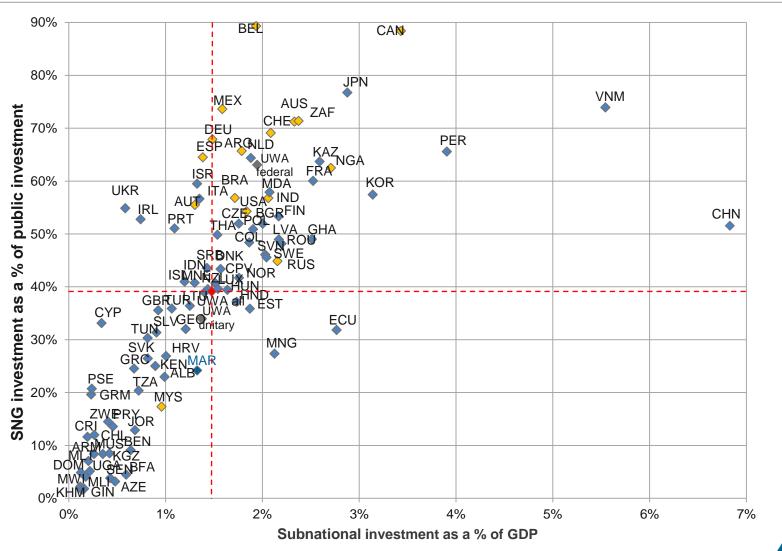


<sup>\*\*\*:</sup> Debt OECD definition ie including, in addition to "financial debt", insurance reserves and other accounts payable.

Source: OECD (2017) Subnational governments in OECD countries: key data for OECD countries and IMF for Ukraine



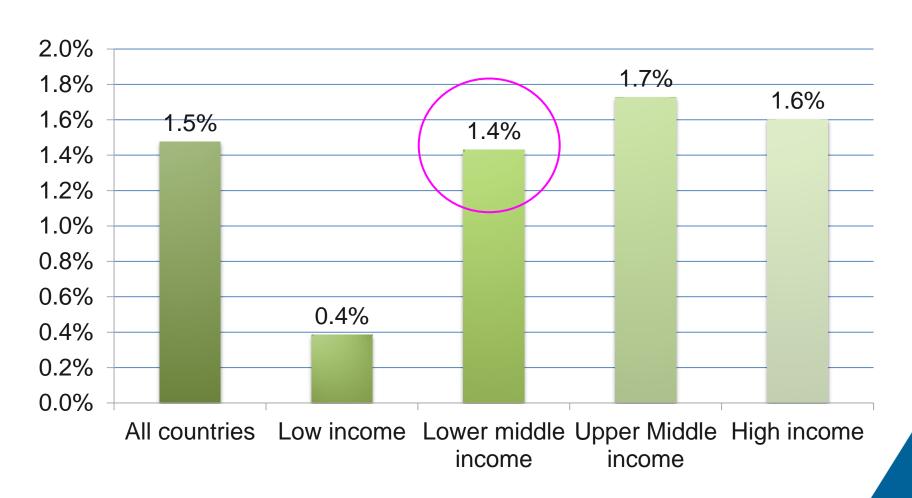
### On average, SNGs account for 40% of public investment worldwide (2013)





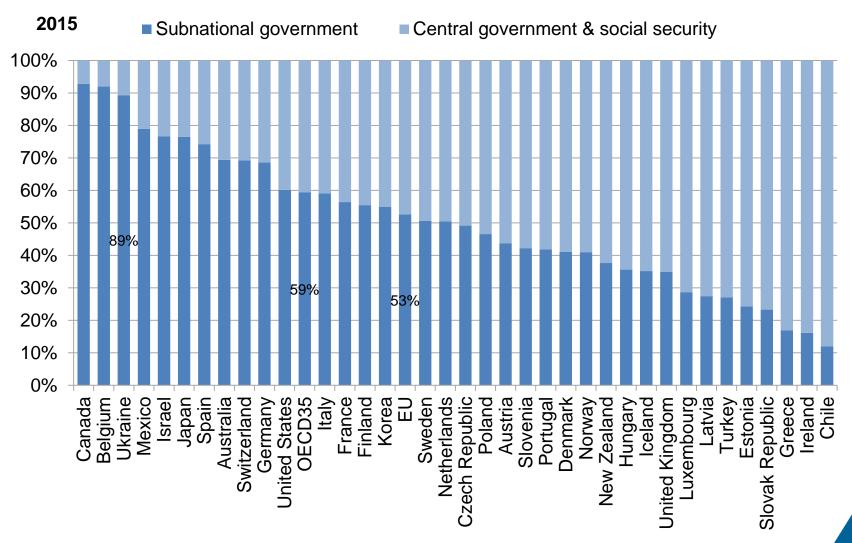
### SNG investment as a % of GDP is higher in upper middle income countries (2013)

#### SNG investment as a % of GDP by income groups



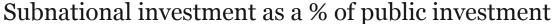


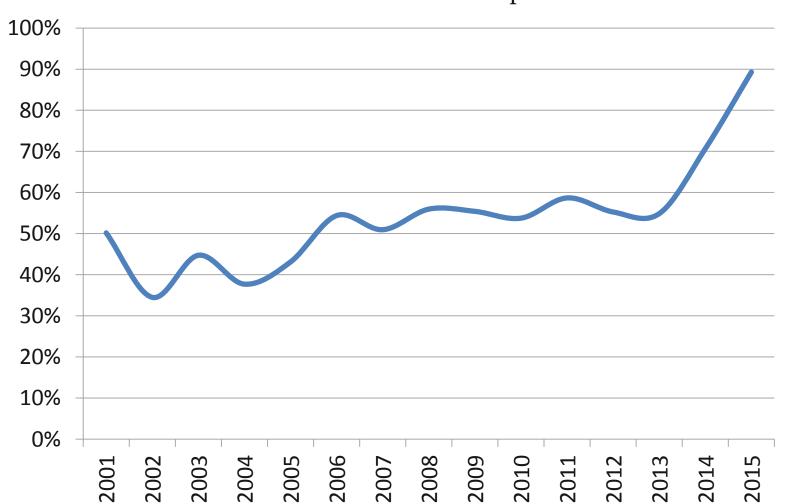
#### Subnational governments account for almost 60% of public invesment in the OECD on average and 89% in Ukraine





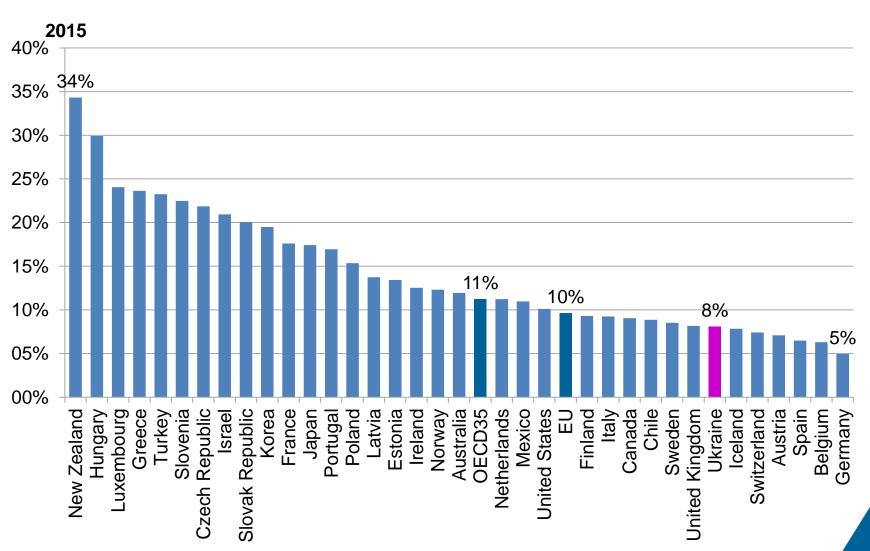
### Strong fluctuations of subnational investment in Ukraine over 2001-2015







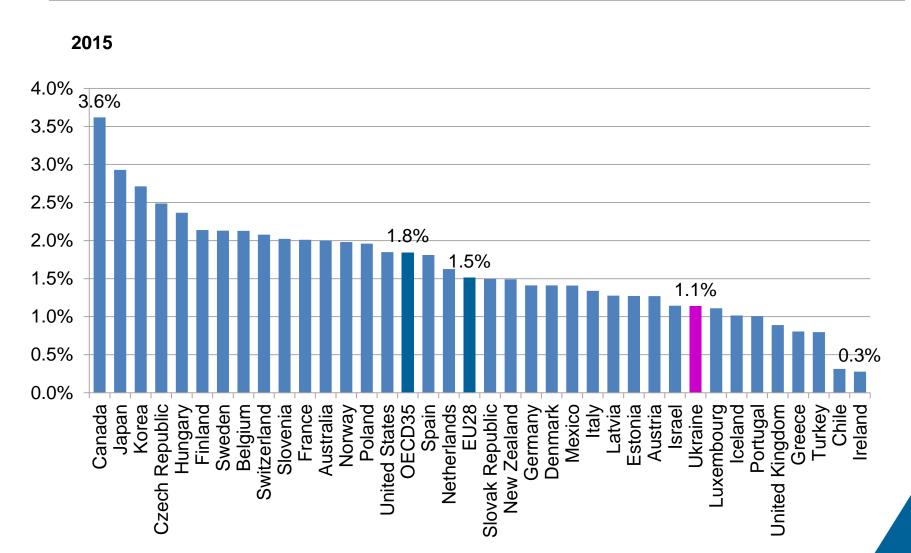
## Subnational investment represents 11% of subnational expenditure in the OECD on average and 8% in Ukraine



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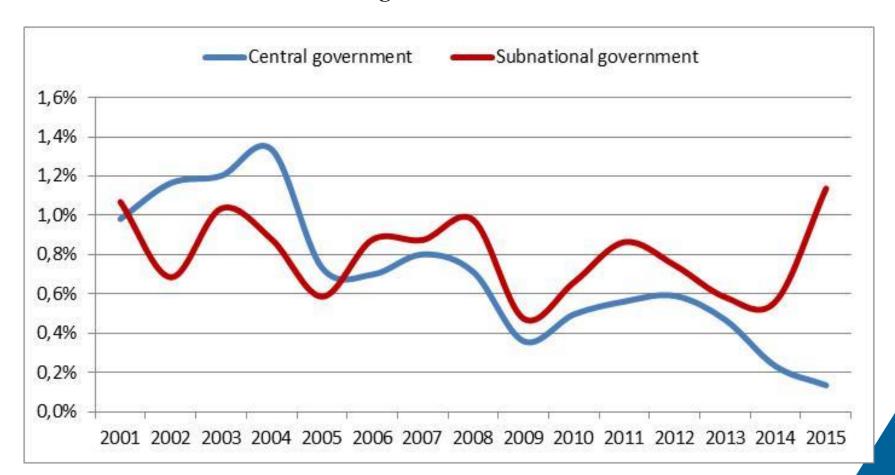
### Subnational investment accounts for 1.5% of GDP in the OECD on average and 1.1% in Ukraine





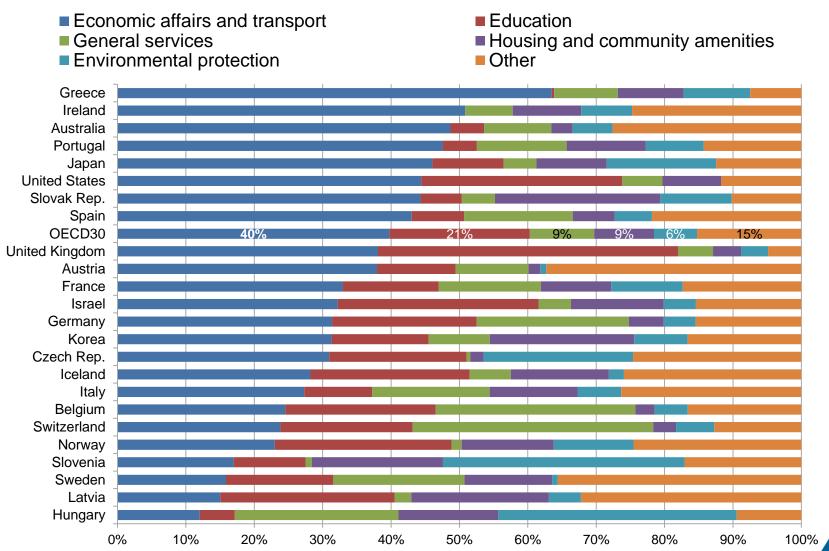
### In Ukraine, strong fluctuations of subnational investment which is highly volatile (2001-2015)

Central and subnational government investment as a % of GDP





#### Priority sectors for subnational investment in the OECD in 2015



Source: OECD (2017) Subnational governments in OECD countries: key data



**Gross savings** 



Depends on subnational government capacities to:

- Generate room for manouver in terms of operating expenses relative to operating revenue (self-financing capacity): make the most of taxes, user charges and income from subnational assets.
- Having an liquid cash position.

Investment grants & susbsidies



Subnational government can apply for grants from central government, other subnational governments and international organisations (e.g. European Union, donors)

**Borrowing** 



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Total or partial outsourcing of investment



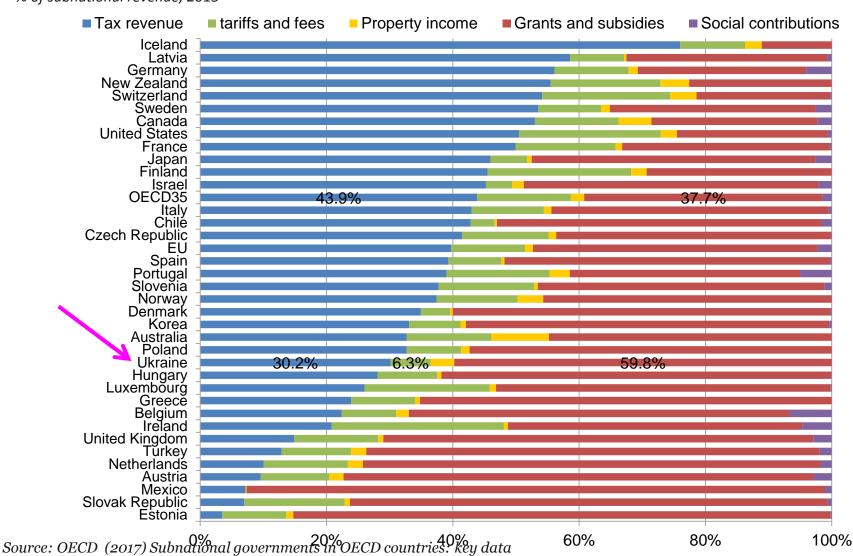
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- Project's bearing by another public entity:
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#### Revenue sources vary across countries in the OECD and Ukraine

% of subnational revenue, 2015





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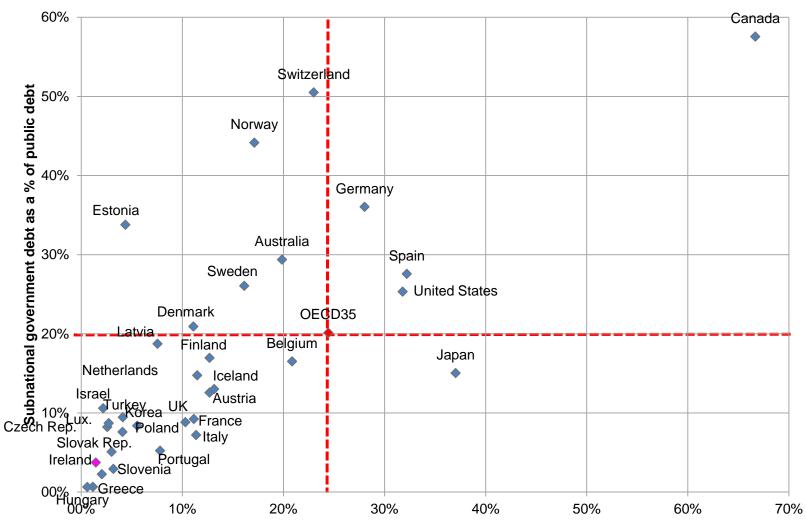
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#### Subnational government debt in the OCDE

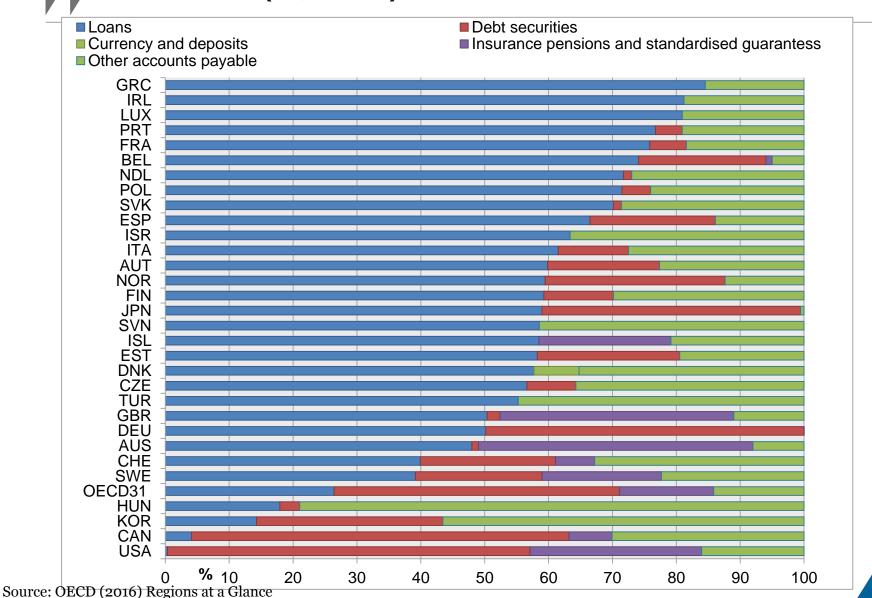
20% of public debt, ie 24% of GDP (2015)

December 2015





### Composition of subnational debt by type of liabilities (%, 2014)





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