



OECD National Territorial Reviews

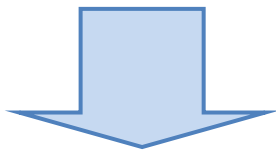
An analysis of regional performance, key policies for regional competitiveness, and the multi-level governance framework.

Policy recommendations for governments.

Key Facts

- Globalisation is increasingly testing the ability of regional economies to adapt and to maintain their competitive edge.
- The focus of regional policy has been shifting from short term income redistribution towards long-term investment in regional comparative advantages.
- Reviews point to successful experiences and possible ways to make the best of regional assets.

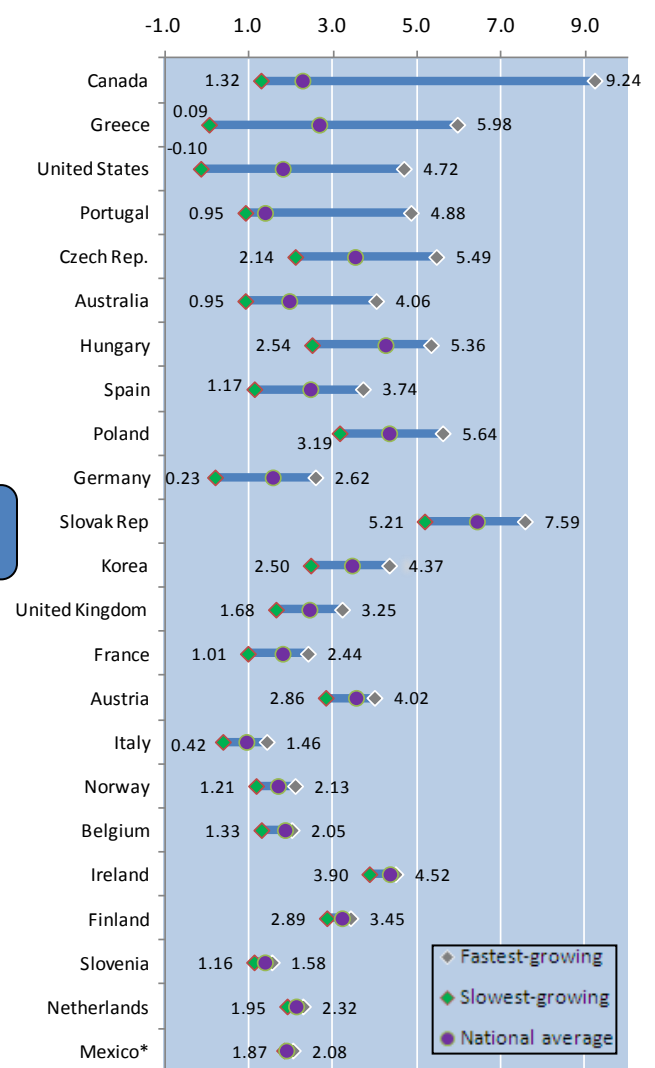
What OECD Territorial Reviews do



- Identify the nature and scale of regional challenges, using a common analytical framework across countries
- Assist governments in improving their regional policy
- Disseminate good practices

Growth rates vary significantly among OECD countries, but the variation is even larger among regions within countries.

Average annual growth of real GDP per capita
OECD TL-2 Regions, 1997-2007



Source: OECD Regional Database.

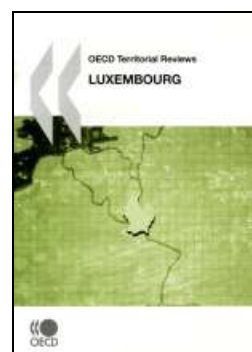
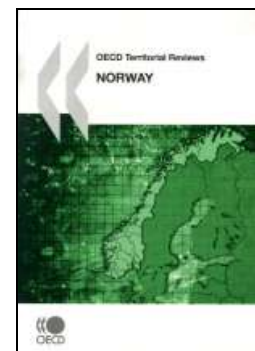
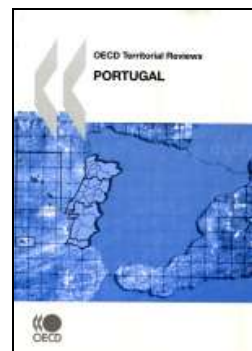


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- *Switzerland*
- *Sweden*
- *Chile*
- *Poland*
- *Portugal*
- *Norway*
- *Luxembourg*
- *France*
- *Finland*
- *Japan*
- *Czech Republic*
- *Mexico*
- *Canada*
- *Switzerland*
- *Korea*
- *Hungary*
- *Italy*

Forthcoming

- *Slovenia (2011)*
- *Netherlands (2011)*
- *Brazil (2011)*



About the OECD

The Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development is a unique forum where the governments of 34 market democracies work together to address the economic, social and governance challenges of globalisation as well as to exploit its opportunities. The Organisation provides a setting where governments can compare policy experiences, seek answers to common problems, identify good practice and co-ordinate domestic and international policies.