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FOR A BETTER URBAN FUTURE

*A better quality of life for
all in an urbanizing world*

Egypt Programme



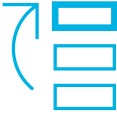



Regional Office of Arab States

Outline

- Establishing a UN-Habitat Office
- Case of Egypt
- UN-Habitat Egypt Programme
- Egypt Alignment to the Domains of Change (DoCs)
- UN-Habitat as a Centre of Excellence in Egypt

Establishing a UN-Habitat Office

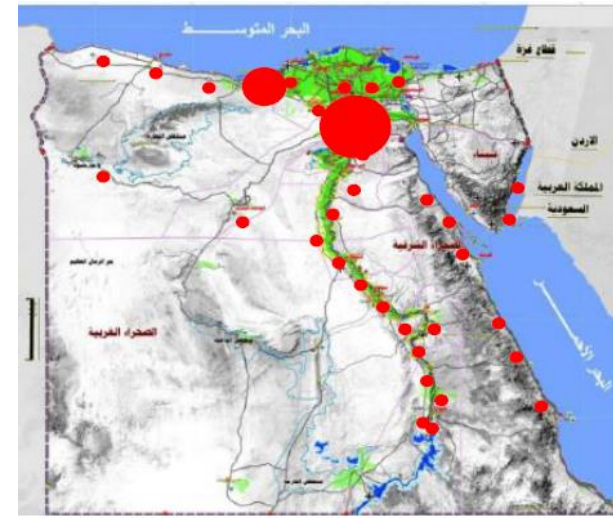
- Host Country Agreement 
- Hiring of staff and establishing an office
- Analysis of the urban context and challenges within the country 
- Definition of Government priorities 
- Formulation of relevant UN-Habitat programmes (in agreement with the government and in alignment with national and international frameworks and strategies) 
- Alignment with the existing UN Country Team and UNPDF

Case of Egypt

- Office was established in 2008
- Signed the Host Country Agreement in 2010
- Analysis of the Egyptian urban context and key challenges
- Analysis of relevant national priorities and strategies along with international frameworks
- Formulation of the UN-Habitat Egypt Vision and Programme

Urban Context in Egypt

- High population growth rate
- Spatial inequalities
- Unbalanced investments distribution between new and existing areas
 - ❖ Deteriorated basic services in many existing areas
 - ❖ High vacancy rates in new cities
- Unbalanced system of cities and population distribution among 219 Egyptian cities
- Informality and poverty
- Challenging land management mechanisms



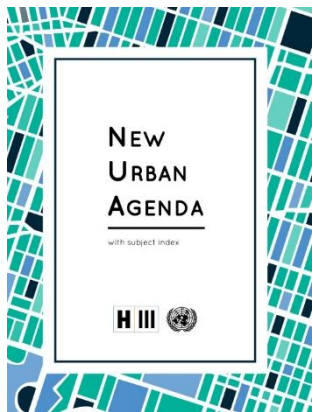
National and International Frameworks

Egypt New Constitution 2014



Egypt Long-term vision and sustainable development strategy (SDS) 2030

“Creating a modern, open, democratic, productive, and happy society”



Egypt's National Strategic Plan for Urban Development 2052

Balanced population distribution

Optimum utilization of geographical location & resources

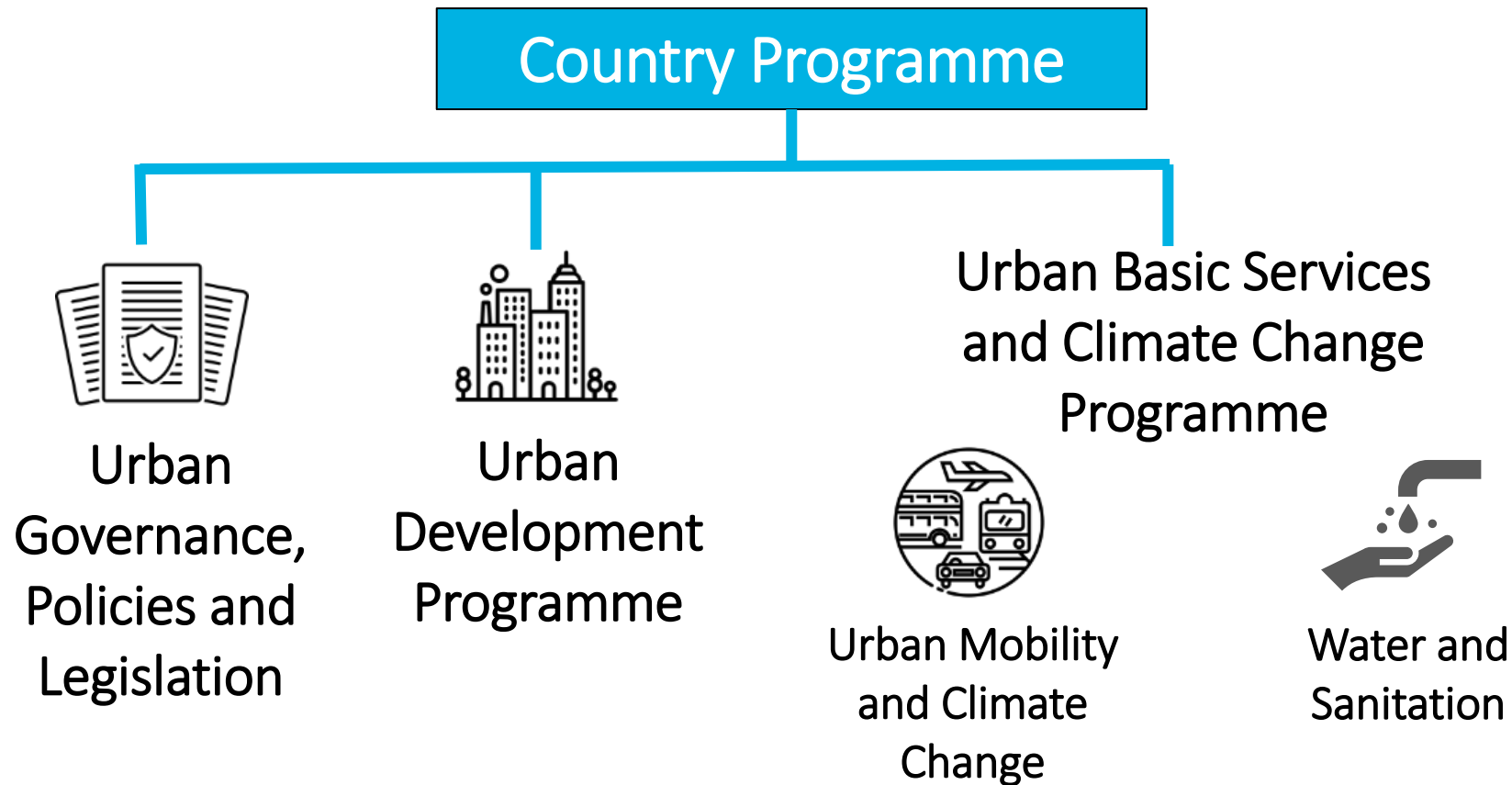
Environmental risks/ Internal & external threats

UN-Habitat Egypt Vision

Urbanization as a driver of development, equity and improved living conditions for all



Egypt Office Programme Thematic Areas



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- National Urban Policy
- National Housing Strategy
- Land management
- PFM and Value capturing



- Sustainable urban management
- Strategic urban planning for new and existing cities
- Participatory urban upgrading and development



- Innovative and low-cost solutions
- Bus Rapid Transit
- Bike-sharing
- Clean water provision
- River-bank Filtration

UN-Habitat Theory of Change



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VISION

UN-Habitat promotes transformative change in cities and human settlements through knowledge, policy advice, technical assistance and collaborative action to leave no one and no place behind

MISSION

Sustainable urbanization is advanced as a driver of development and peace, to improve living conditions for all in line with the SDGs

Objective

Organizational performance enablers

1. Monitoring & knowledge
2. Innovation
3. Advocacy, communication and outreach
4. Partnerships
5. Capacity building
6. Systems and processes

Drivers of change

1. Policy & Legislation
2. Urban Planning and Design
3. Governance
4. Financing Mechanisms



Domains of Change

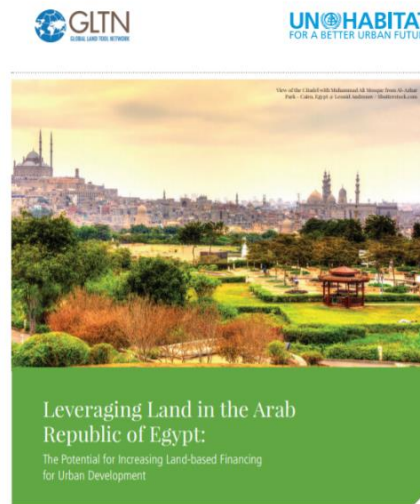
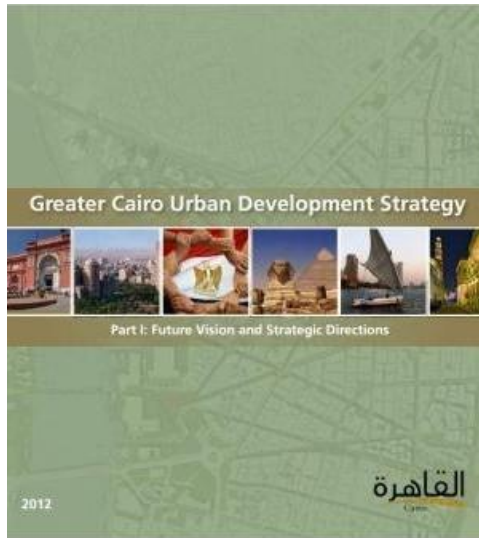
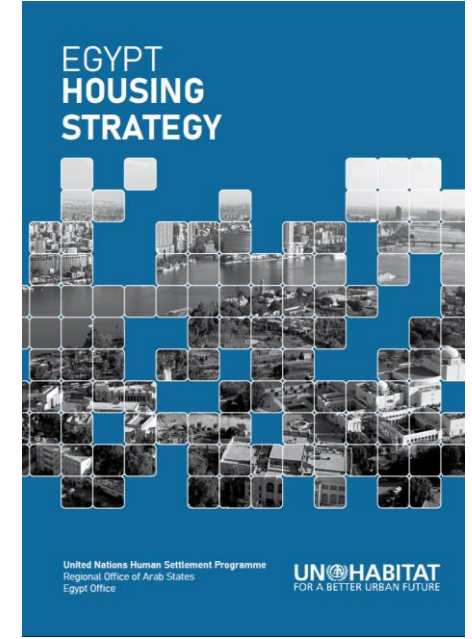
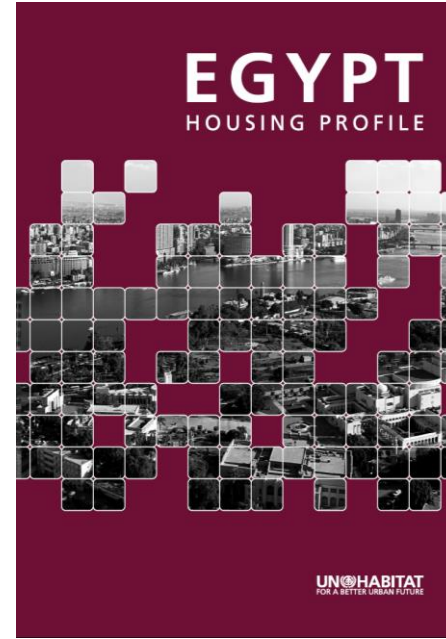
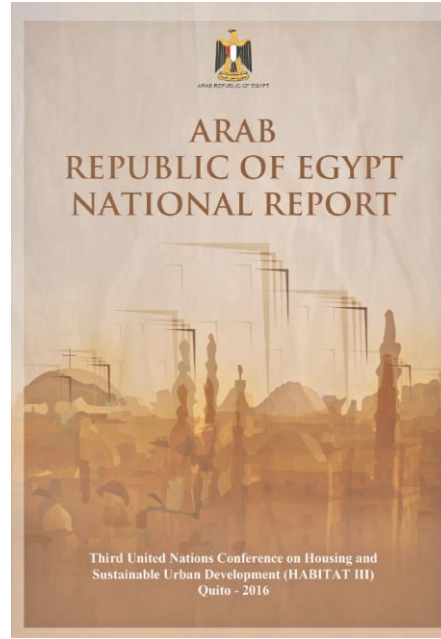
Outcomes

Social inclusion issues: (1) Human rights; (2) Gender; (3) Children, youth and Older Persons; (4) Disability

Crosscutting thematic areas: (1) Resilience; (2) Safety

Egypt Programme Performance Enablers: Monitoring and Knowledge

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Egypt Programme Performance Enablers: Advocacy, Communication, and Capacity Building

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القاهرة 8 - 10 أبريل 2019

Egypt Programme Performance Enablers: Advocacy, Communication, and Partnerships

Universities and Research Institutes



National and Local Government



Land Survey Authority,
Real Estate Publicity Department

UNCT and international organizations



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Egypt Programme Drivers of Change



Supported National Policies and Legislation

- National Urban Policy
- National Housing strategy
- Supported new/revised laws

Urban Planning and Design

- New cities
- Land use planning
- Expansion areas and inner upgrading areas

Drivers of Change

Governance

- Involvement of local authorities in strategic development plans
- Improving alignment and coordination among various urban actors

Promoting Innovative Financing Mechanisms

- Impact-based finance
- Land-based finance
- Innovative business models

UN-Habitat as a Centre of Excellence in Egypt



NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS IN SUPPORT OF SUSTAINABLE URBANIZATION

In an increasingly urbanized world, it is key to ensure that national development projects are part and parcel of national and regional long-term visions of sustainable urbanization.

Egypt's official delegation to Habitat III invite you to join their networking event to meet and exchange ideas with representatives from Iraq, Sudan, Mexico and Malaysia.

19 October 2016, from 02:00p.m. – 04:00p.m., Room MR3 at the official Habitat III venue, Quito, Ecuador.



Egypt Urban Future 4th session
مستقبل مصر الحضري الجلسة الرابعة

"Urban Mobility in Egypt: Planning, Lived Realities and Innovative Approaches"
التحدي الحضري في مصر: التخطيط والحقائق الواقعية والمقاربات الابتكارية

29th May 2016 9-4:00 pm
French Institute Cairo 1, Madresnet
El Haraq El Fransiya Street, Maadia,
Cairo

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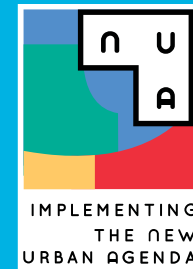


The First Arab Ministerial Forum for Housing and Urban Development
Arab Urbanization ... Present Challenges and Future Prospects
20-22 December 2015 Cairo / Arab Republic of Egypt

Housing & Development Bank
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Thank you

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