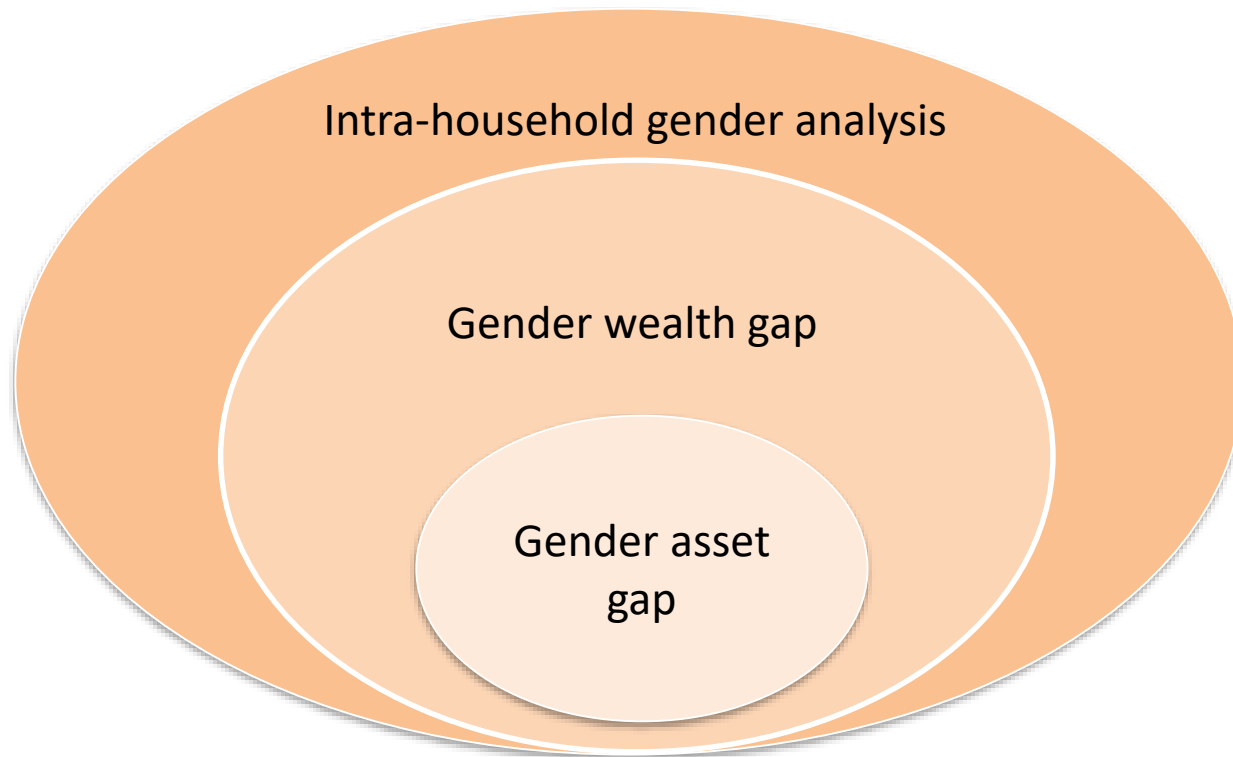


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Recommended indicators and analysis

Objectives: again!



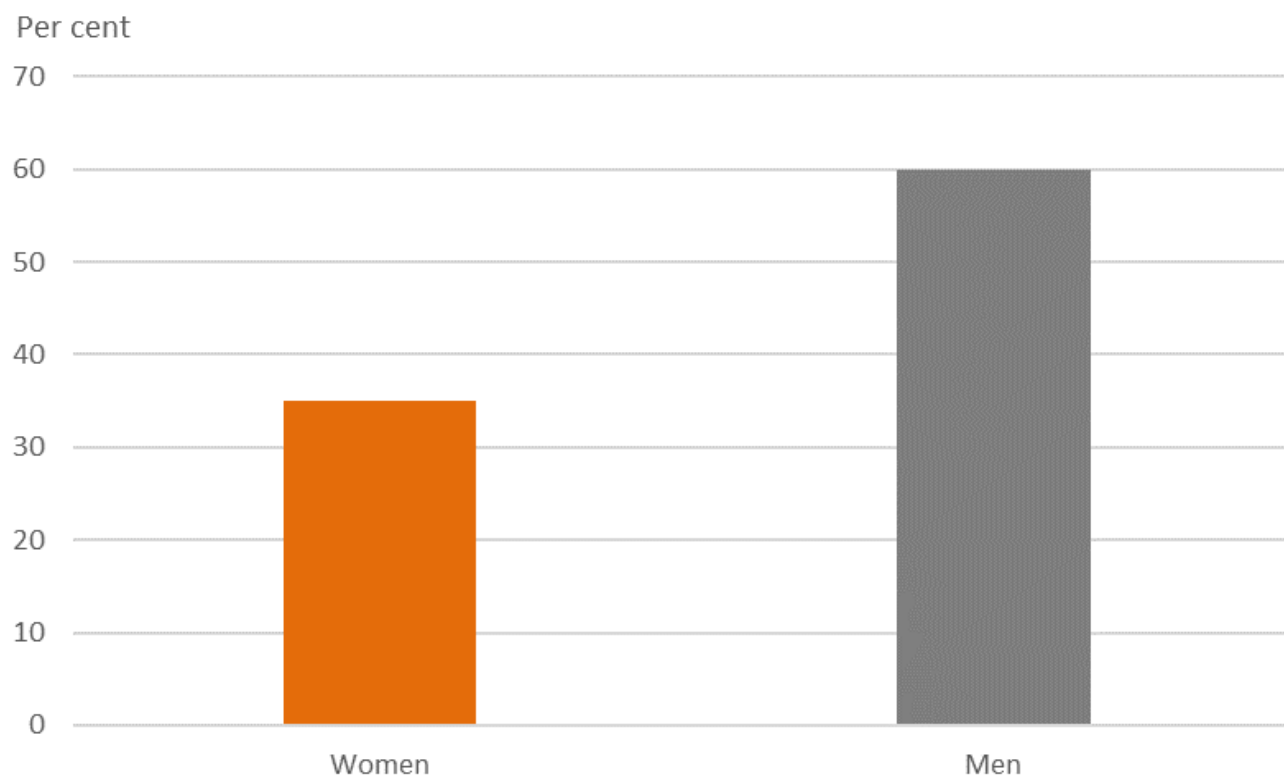
Recommended national indicators (1)

| Indicators | Rationale | Asset coverage |
|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Proportion of individuals with [type of ownership rights] of [asset], by sex | Different types of ownership rights | All assets |
| 2. Share of women with [type of ownership rights] of [asset] | Different types of ownership rights | All assets |

Contextualize!!

Prevalence of ownership

Prevalence of reported ownership of the principal dwelling among the adult population, by sex, Uganda, 2014

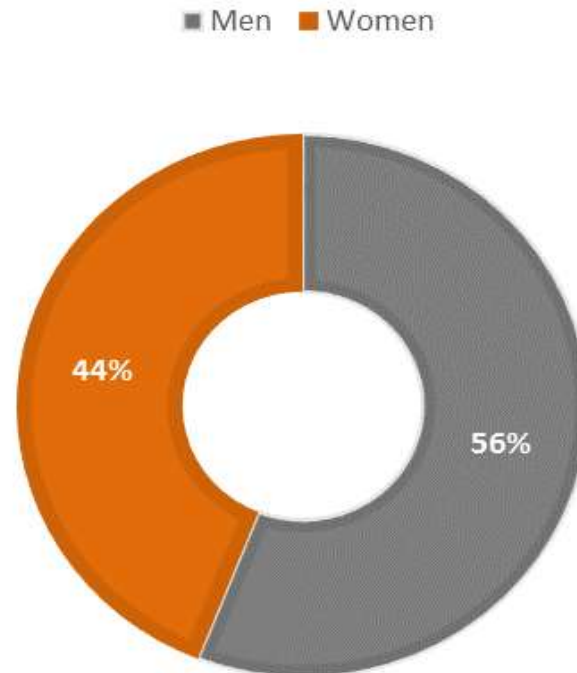


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Share of women among owners

Distribution of reported principal dwelling owners, by sex of owners, Uganda, 2014



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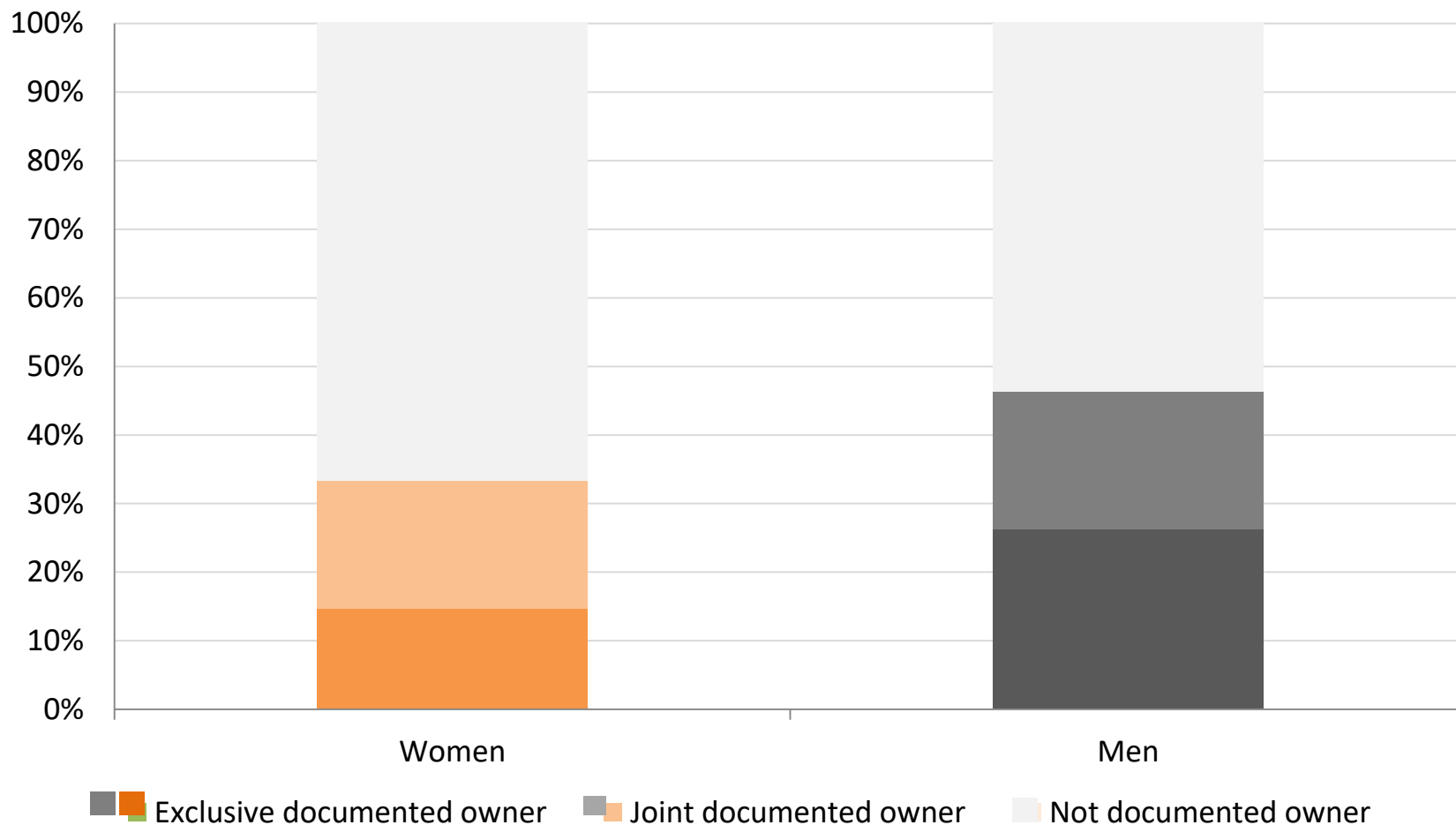
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Recommended national indicators (2)

| Indicators | Rationale | Asset coverage |
|--|--|---|
| 2. Distribution of individuals by forms of ownership (do not own, own exclusively, own jointly) and sex | <ul style="list-style-type: none">Useful for monitoring national policies and programs to increase women's ownership of land and housing through joint titling | Principal dwellings, agricultural land, other real-estate |

Forms of ownership

Population by forms of documented ownership and sex, Georgia, 2015



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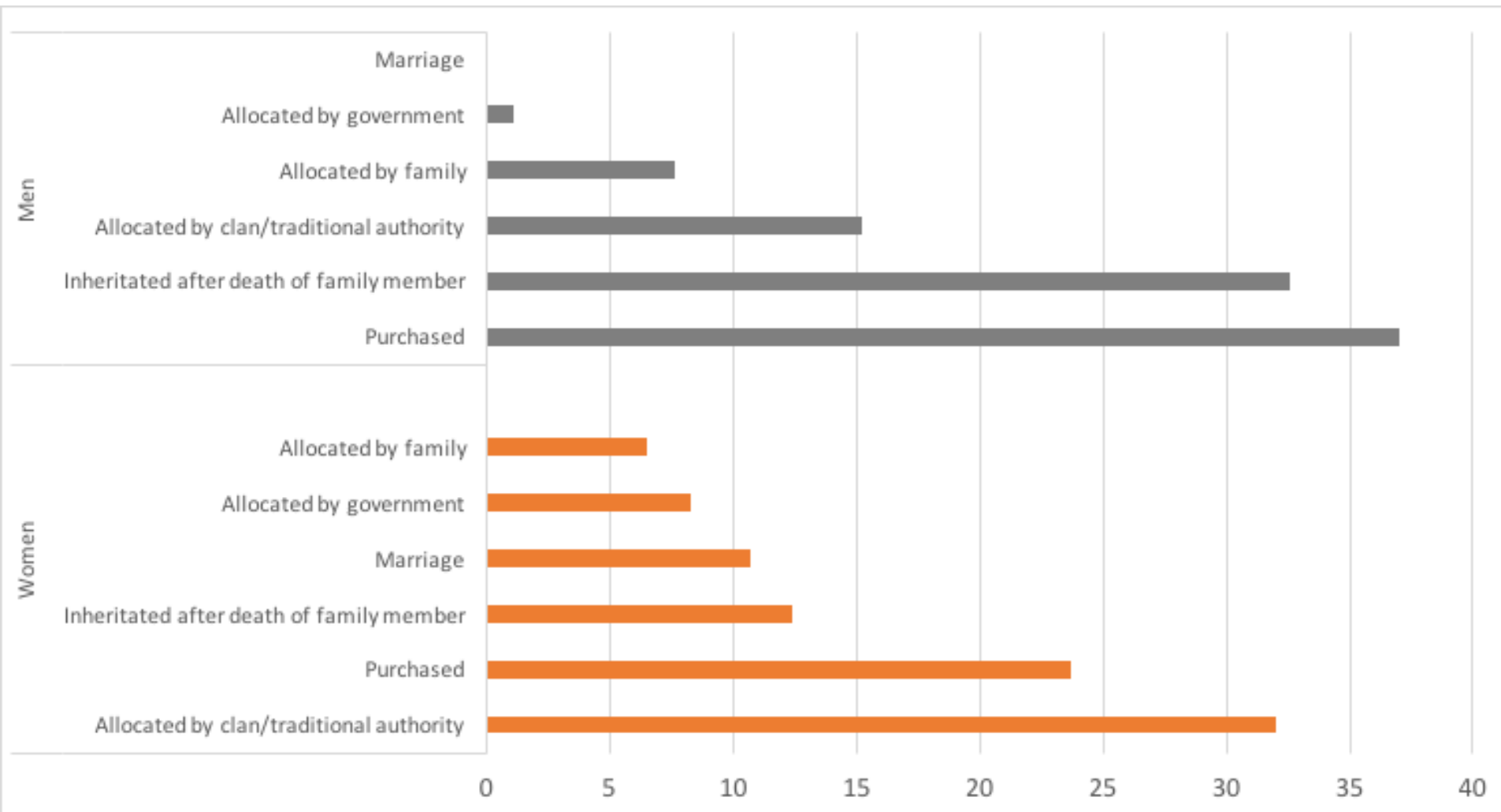
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Recommended national indicators

| Indicators | Rationale | Asset coverage |
|--|--|--|
| 3. Proportion of individuals who acquired ownership of [asset] through [specific mode of acquisition], by sex of individuals. | <ul style="list-style-type: none">Useful for developing policies and programs promoting women's and men's accumulation of assets | Principal dwelling, agricultural land, non-agricultural land |

Acquisition of assets: example

Main methods of acquisition of agricultural land (percent), by sex, South Africa (KZN), 2016



Source: EDGE pilot surveys

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Recommended national indicators

| Indicators | Rationale | Asset coverage |
|-----------------------------|--|---|
| 4. Gender wealth gap | <ul style="list-style-type: none">Accounts for gender differentials in quantity and characteristics of assets owned by women and men | Principal dwelling, agricultural land, non-agricultural land and other real estate, non-agricultural enterprise assets, financial assets, OR ALL TOGETHER |

Gender wealth gap (1)

Prevalence of reported ownership and mean value of individual-level wealth among owners (in million Uganda shillings), by sex, Uganda (2014) and Mongolia (2015)

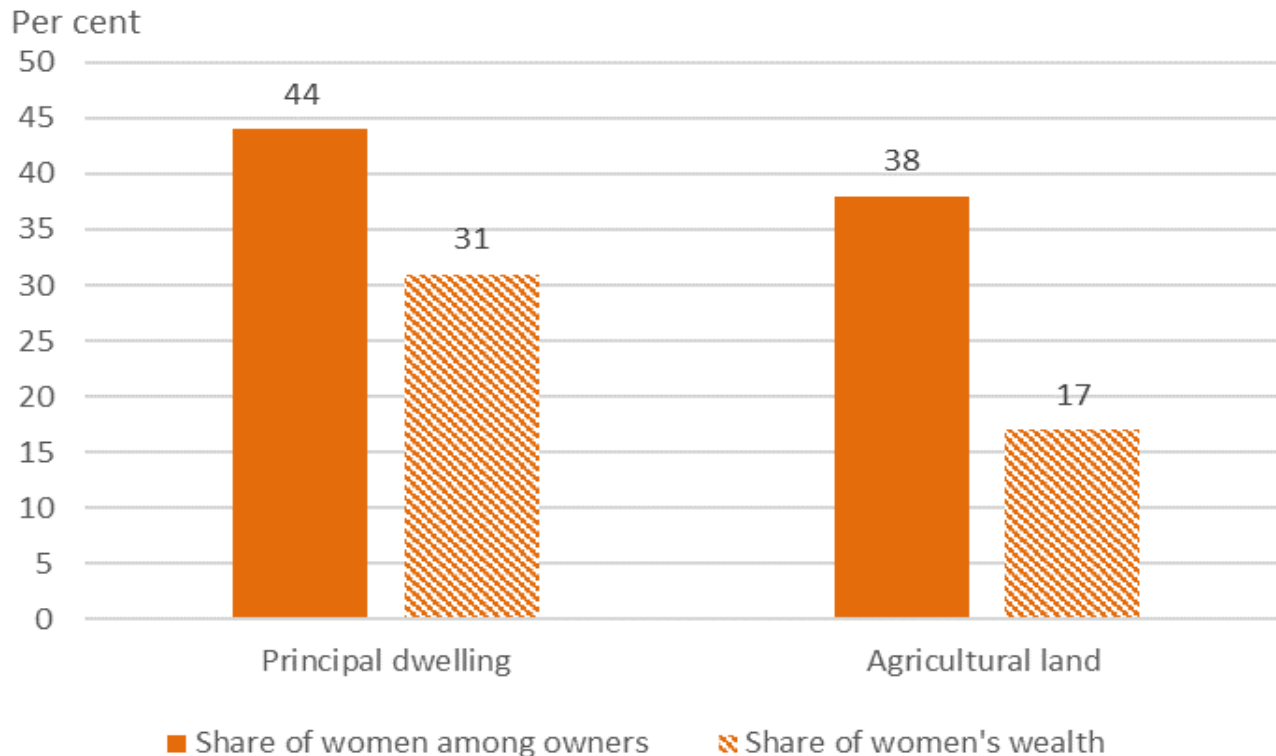
| Principal dwelling | Prevalence of reported ownership (per cent) | | Mean values of wealth among owners with 95% confidence interval | |
|--------------------|---|-----|---|------|
| | Women | Men | Women | Men |
| Uganda | 35 | 60 | 7.7 | 13.1 |
| Mongolia | 30 | 53 | 33.5 | 32.9 |

Source: EDGE pilot surveys

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Gender wealth gap (2)

Women's share of owners and women's share of wealth, Uganda, 2014



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Gender wealth gap (3)

Individual wealth by household type for major assets (principal dwelling, agricultural land, financial assets and non-farm enterprise assets), Uganda (2014)

| Type of household | Number of respondents | | Average wealth among respondents (in million Uganda Shillings) | | Share of women's wealth |
|--|-----------------------|-----|--|------|-------------------------|
| | Women | Men | Women | Men | |
| Single adult households (with or without children) | 106 | 77 | 3.5 | 5.4 | 0.394 |
| Couple households with no other adult (with or without children) | 301 | 253 | 1.4 | 10.3 | 0.118*** |

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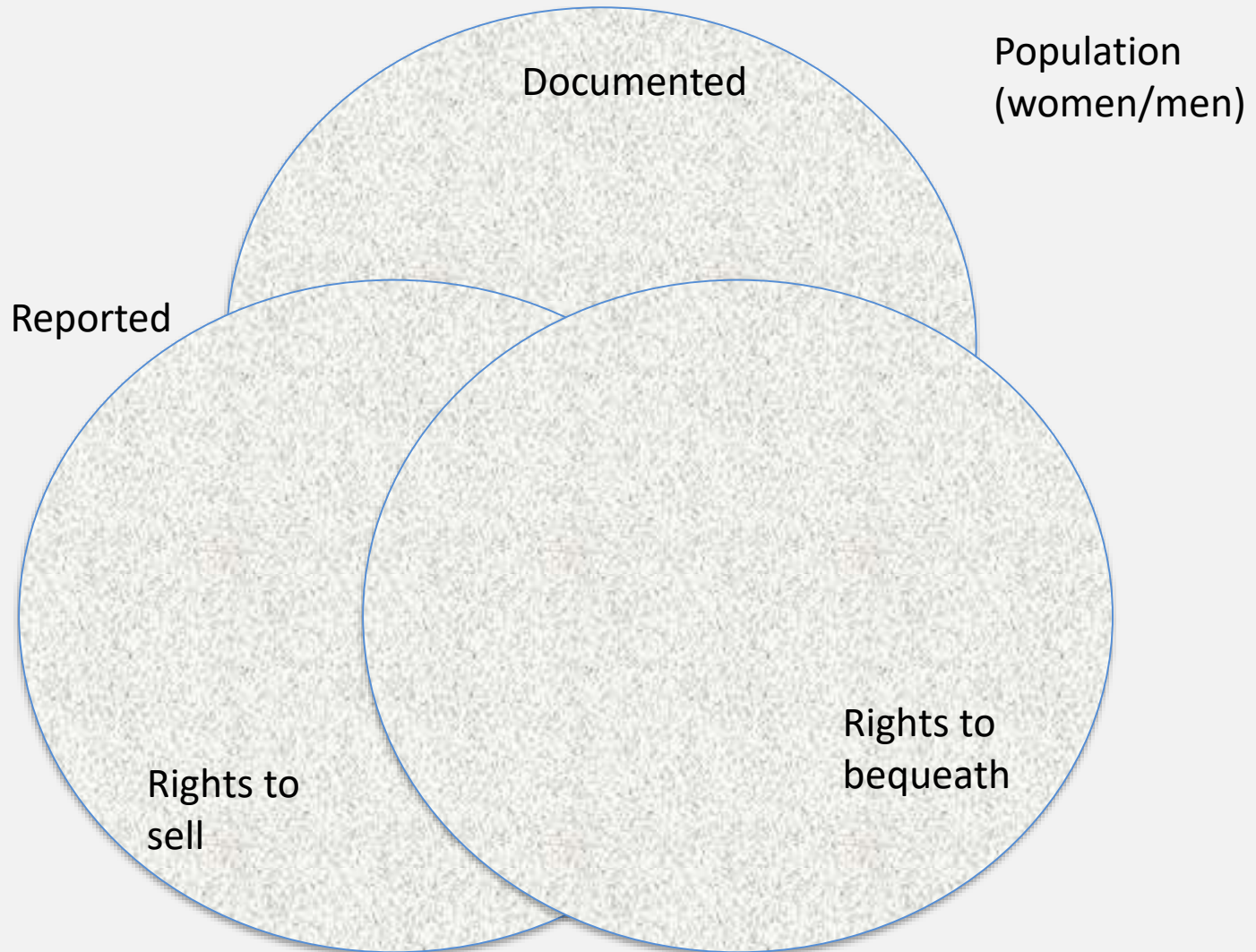
Key recommendations (1)

- ✓ At the national level, countries will need to assess the legal frameworks and social norms governing access to assets
 - ✓ Countries may want to measure the full set of ownership rights depending on policy objective
 - ✓ Countries may want to address all issues that are of policy relevant (joint/exclusive ownership, asset acquisition)

Recommended global indicators

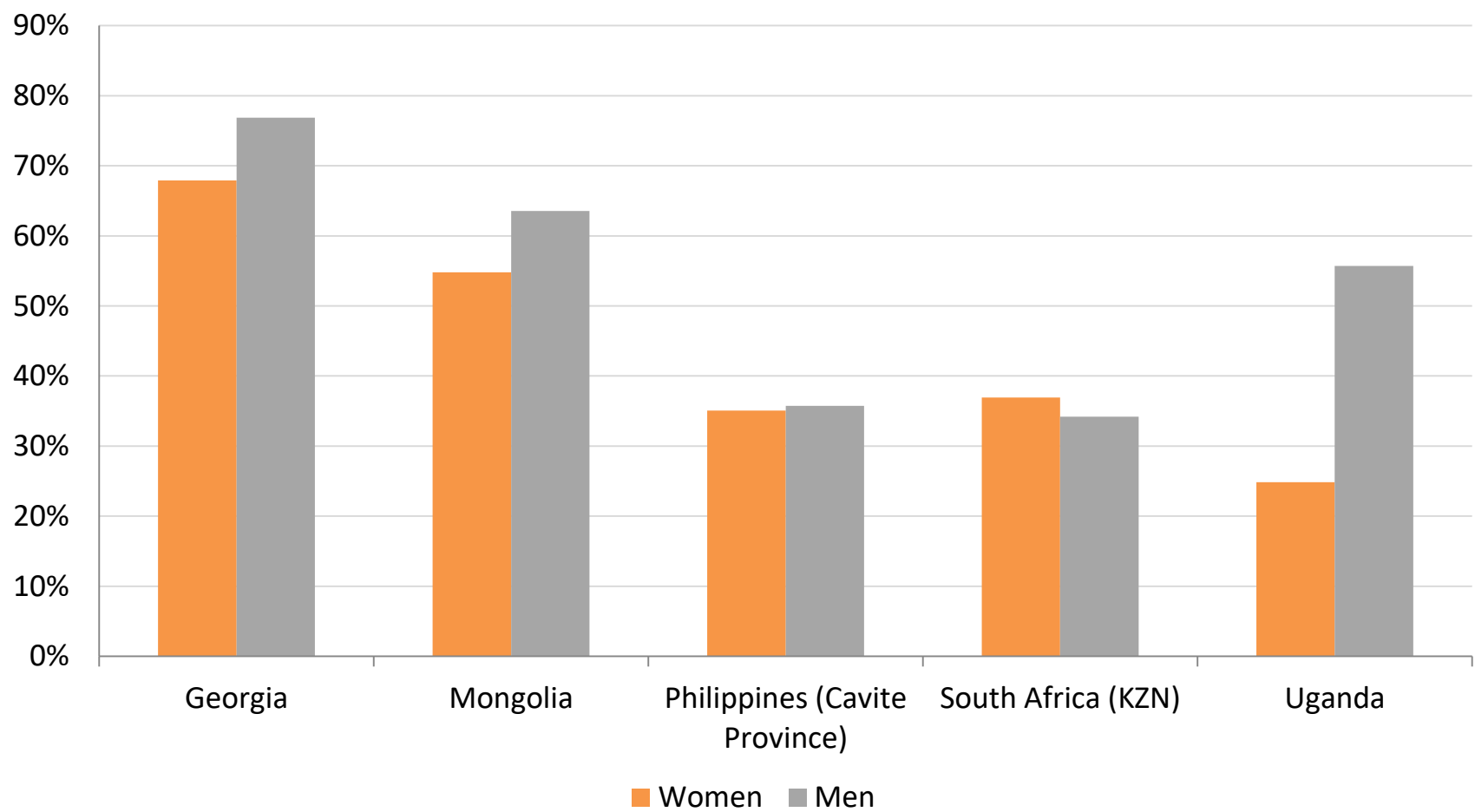
| Global Indicator | Rationale | Asset coverage |
|---|--|---|
| Proportion of total population with documented ownership of [asset] or the right to sell or bequeath the [asset], by sex | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Measures ability to claim ownership rights in law over an asset as well as right to sell or bequeath asset in absence of documentation• Comparable across countries with disparate rates of documentation | Principal dwelling, agricultural land, other real estate, financial asset*, mobile phone* |
| Share of women among individuals with documented ownership of [asset] or with the right to sell or to bequeath [asset] | | |

Global indicator construct



Global indicator on dwelling ownership

Proportion of total population with documented ownership of principal dwellings or the right to sell or bequeath the dwelling, by sex



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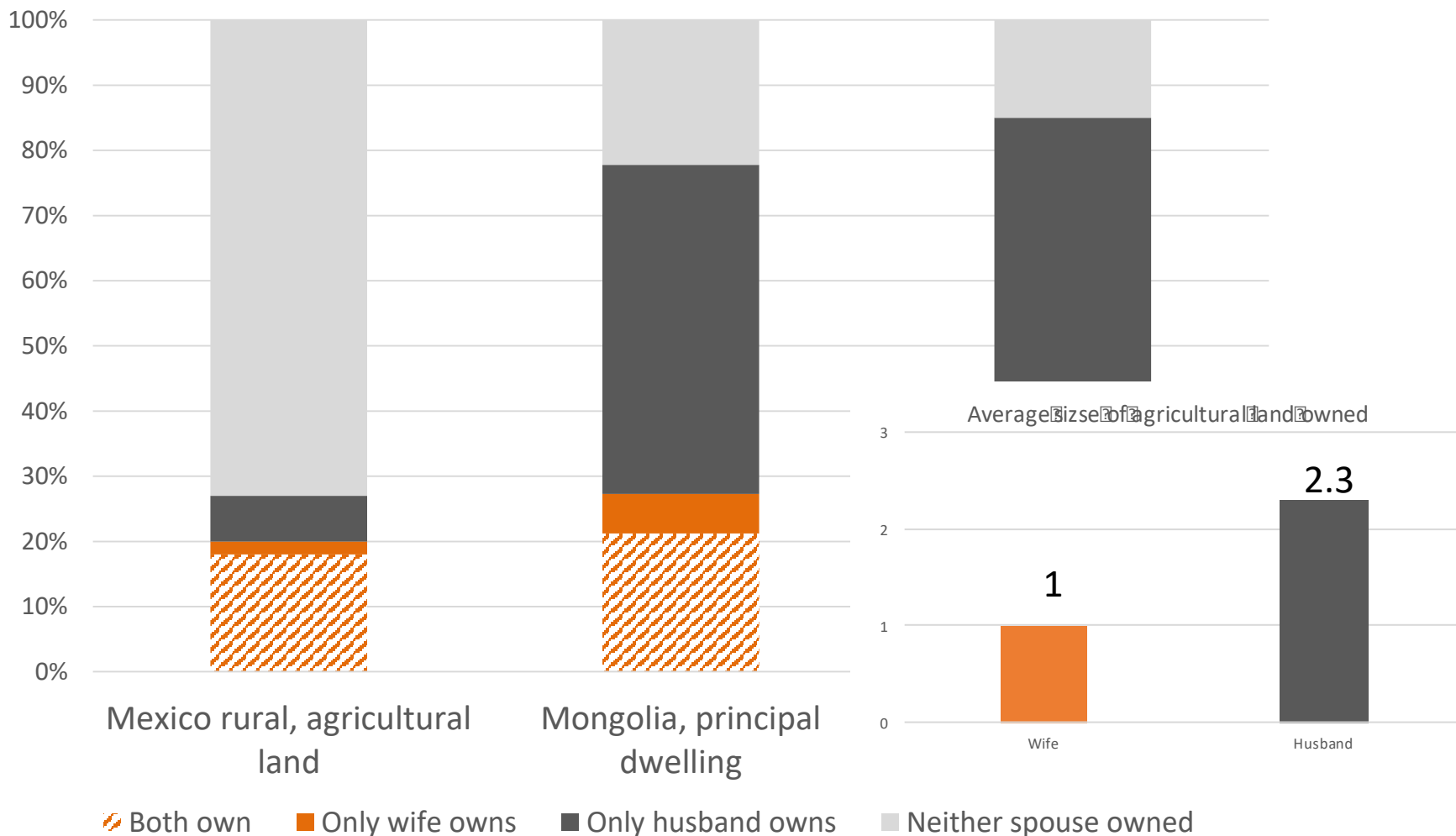
Key recommendations (2)

- ✓ For comparability at the international level, ownership of priority assets is best defined as documented ownership or the rights to alienate the asset

Intra-household analysis??

Intra-household analysis (1)

Ownership of assets within a couple

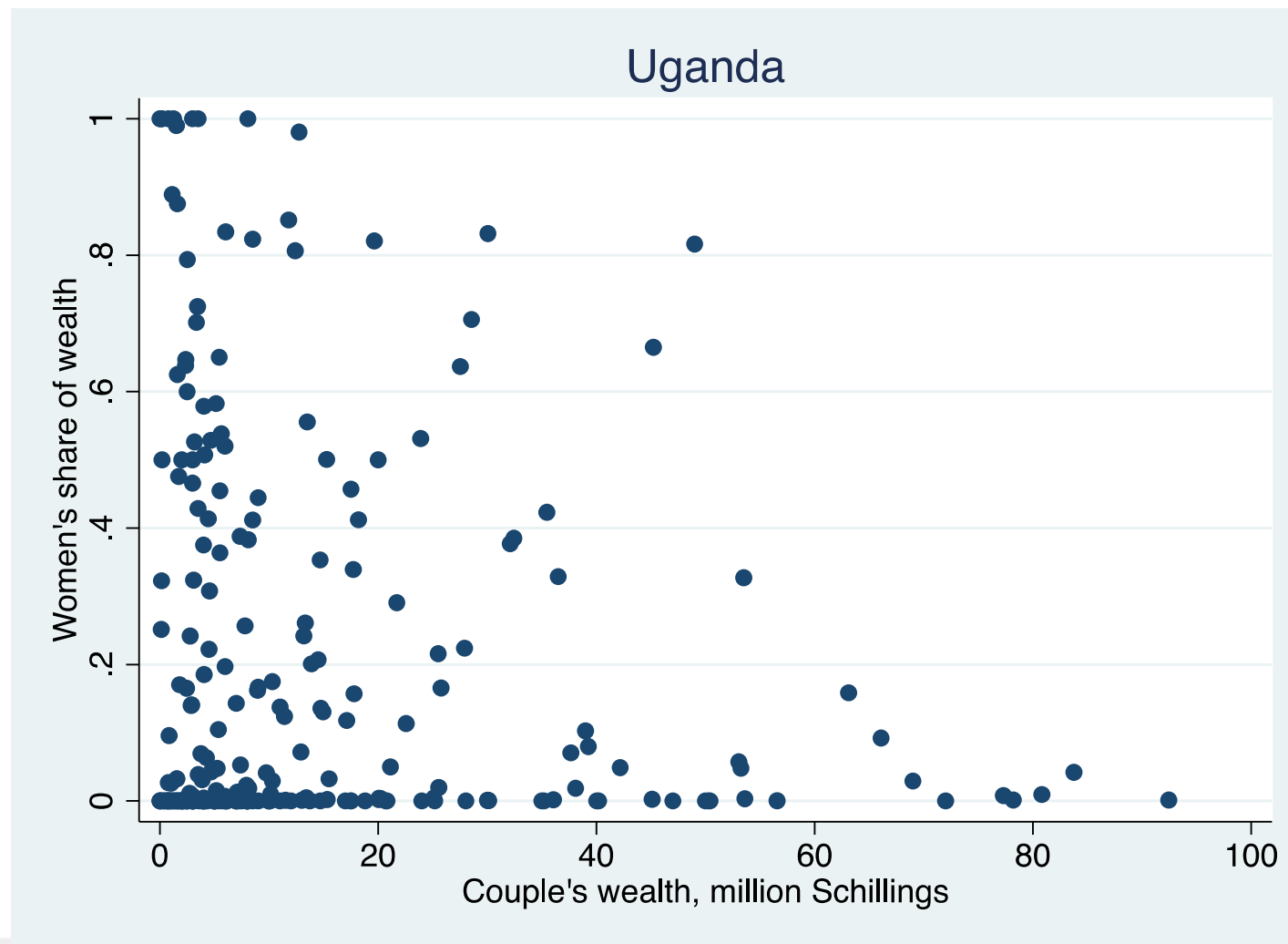


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Intra-household analysis (2)

Women's share of wealth by couple's wealth, Uganda, 2014



Intra-household analysis (3)

Reporting discrepancies within couples, Georgia, 2015

| Type of households based on respondents self-reporting | Distribution of households (%) | Discrepancies in ownership status? | Men underestimating women's ownership status? |
|--|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|---|
| 1) Man non-owner, woman non-owner | 11.8 | No | No |
| 2) Man non-owner, woman exclusive owner | 0.6 | No | No |
| 3) Man non-owner, woman joint owner with man | 2.4 | Yes | No |
| 4) Man non-owner, woman joint owner with someone else | 0.3 | No | No |
| 5) Man joint owner with woman, woman non-owner | 6.4 | Yes | No |
| 6) Man joint owner with woman, woman exclusive owner | 0.3 | Yes | Yes |
| 7) Man joint owner with woman, woman joint owner with man | 66.1 | No | No |
| 8) Man joint owner with woman, woman joint owner with someone else | 0.2 | Yes | No |
| 9) Man joint owner with someone else, woman non-owner | 0.6 | No | No |
| 10) Man joint owner with someone else, woman exclusive owner | 0 | Yes | Yes |
| 11) Man joint owner with someone else, woman joint owner with man | 1.2 | Yes | Yes |
| 12) Man joint owner with someone else, woman joint owner with someone else | 0 | Yes | Yes |
| 13) Man exclusive owner, woman non-owner | 3.7 | No | No |
| 14) Man exclusive owner, woman exclusive owner | 0 | Yes | Yes |
| 15) Man exclusive owner, woman joint owner with man | 6.3 | Yes | Yes |
| 16) Man exclusive owner, woman joint owner with Someone else | 0 | Yes | Yes |
| Total # of households with couples | 1,545 | | |
| Percentage households with discrepancies | 17% | | |
| Percentage households where men underestimate women's ownership | 8% | | |

Thank you

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