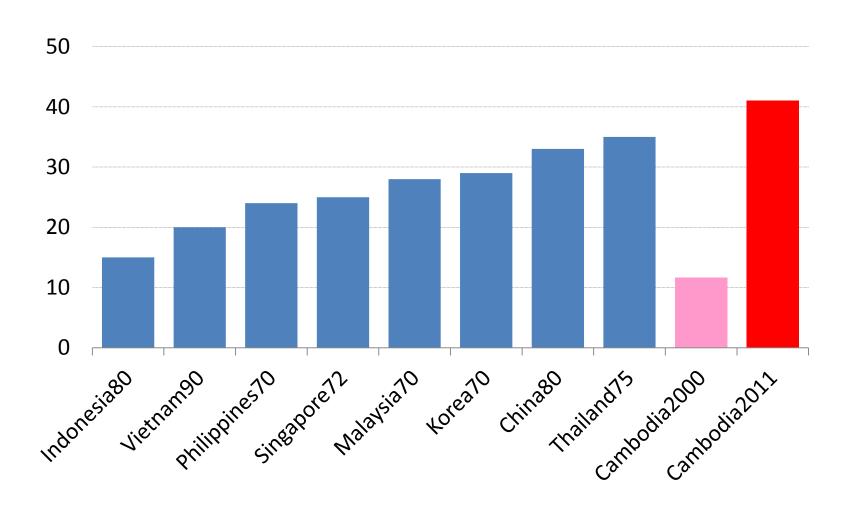
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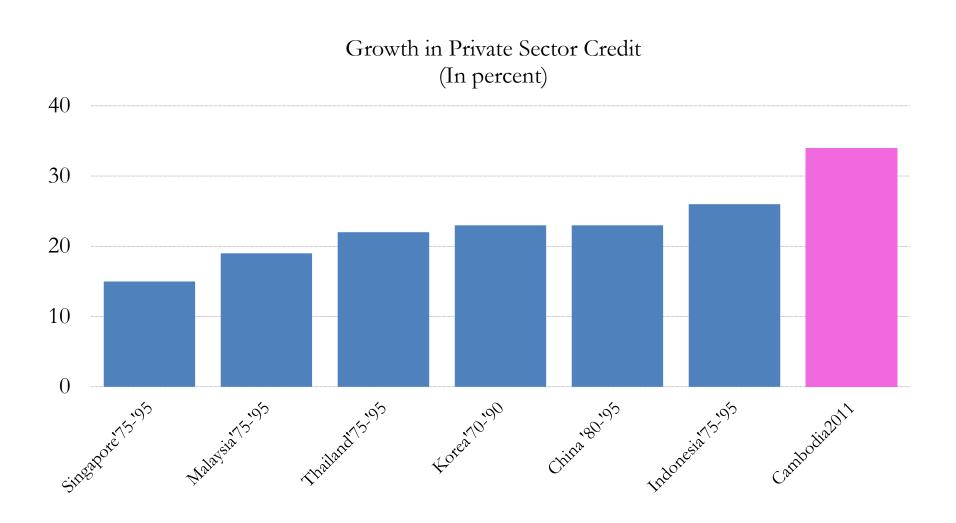
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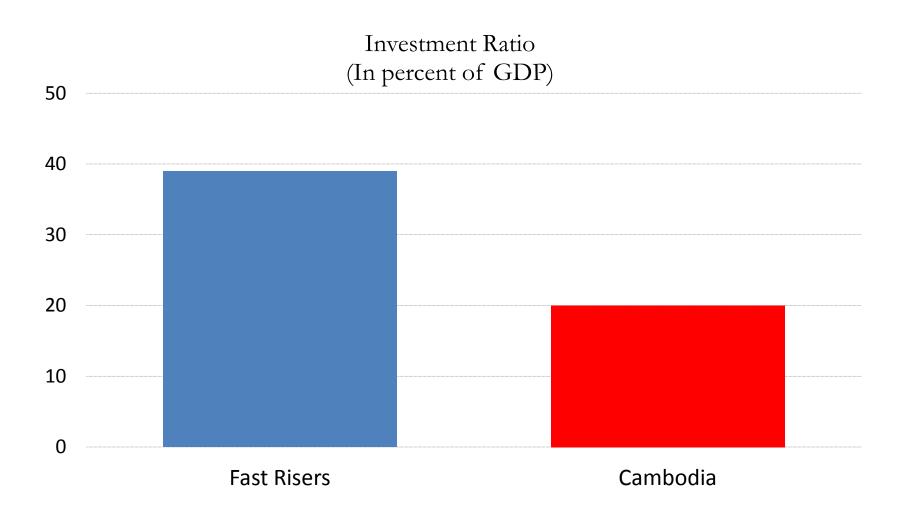
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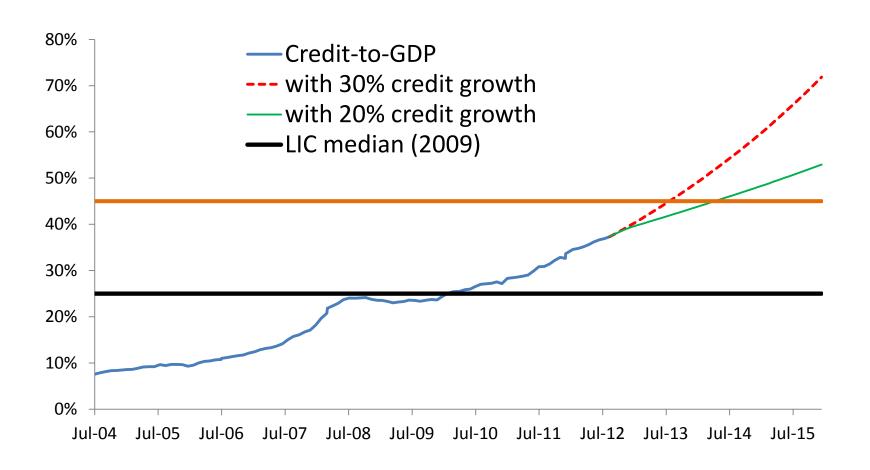
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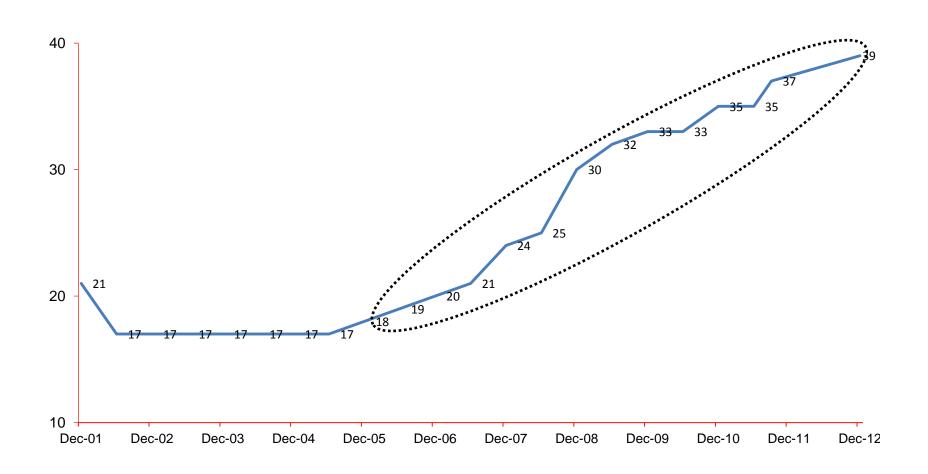
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# Relative to the economy, financial system has reached a respectable size, highlighting the need for vigilance



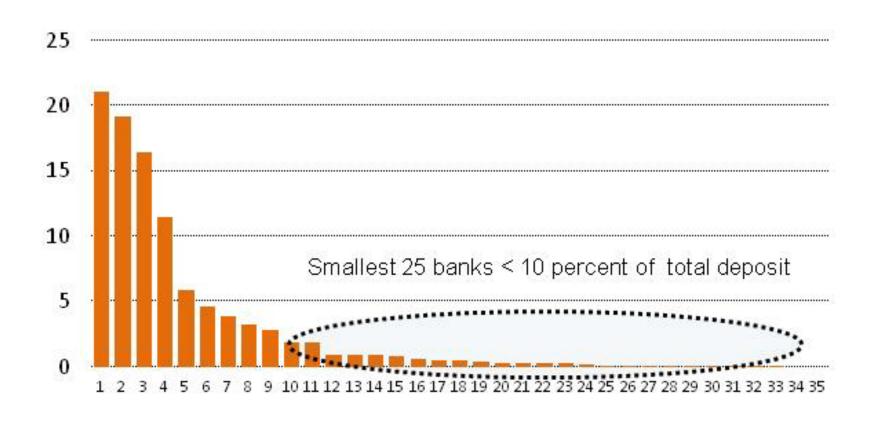
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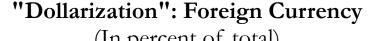
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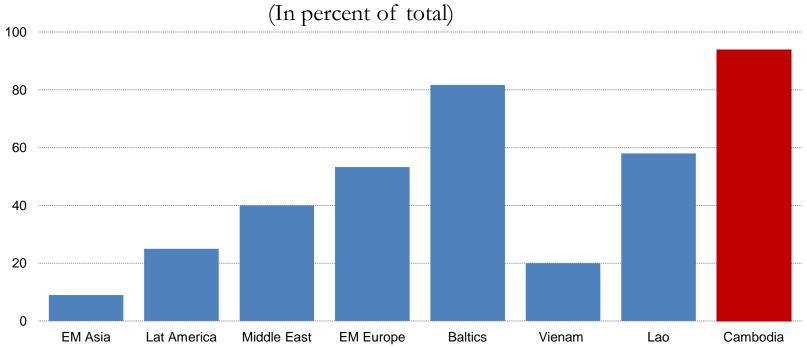
#### Share of Deposits by Banks

(In percent of total deposits)



### High dollarization can bring some stability but limits monetary policy and the lender of last resort role





### Challenges

- Rapid credit growth credit boom and underwriting cycle;
- Increasing amount of foreign liability funded credit growth;
- Structure and openness of the banking system;
- Growing interconnectedness and sectoral exposure (real estate);
- Dollarization constrained lender of the last resort role
- Growing supervisory burden
- Human resource constraints