# Panel Session I: Cross Border Issues— Systemically Important Where, and For Whom?

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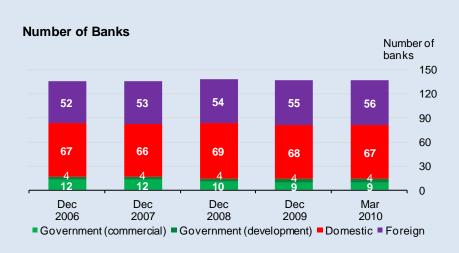


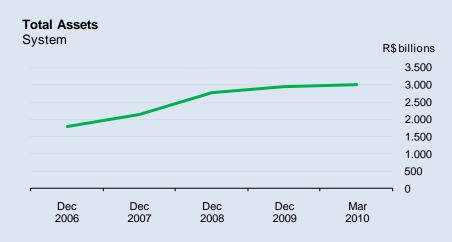
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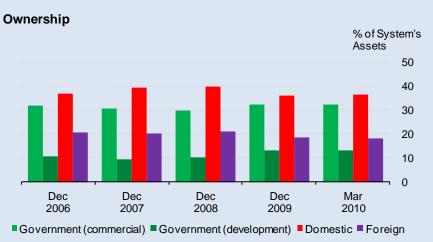
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# Brazilian Financial System Overview











Source: Central Bank of Brazil

# Brazilian Financial System Overview

#### Host

- 20% of total assets in the country.
- 3 foreign banks among top 10.
- Only subsidiaries are authorized (operation by branches are not allowed)

#### Home

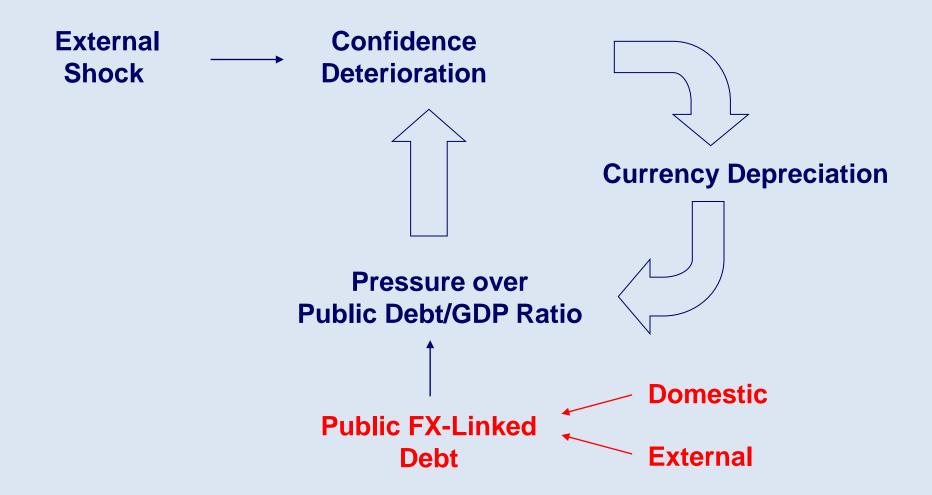
- Basically on Latin America (subsidiaries)
- Among local top 10 in 5 countries
- 15% of total assets abroad.

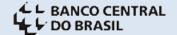


- In recent years, Brazil has successfully addressed historical vulnerabilities, giving room to a sustainable economic growth:
  - Inflation Targeting
  - Floating Exchange Rate regime
  - Fiscal Responsibility
  - External Sector Equilibrium
  - Soundness of the Financial System

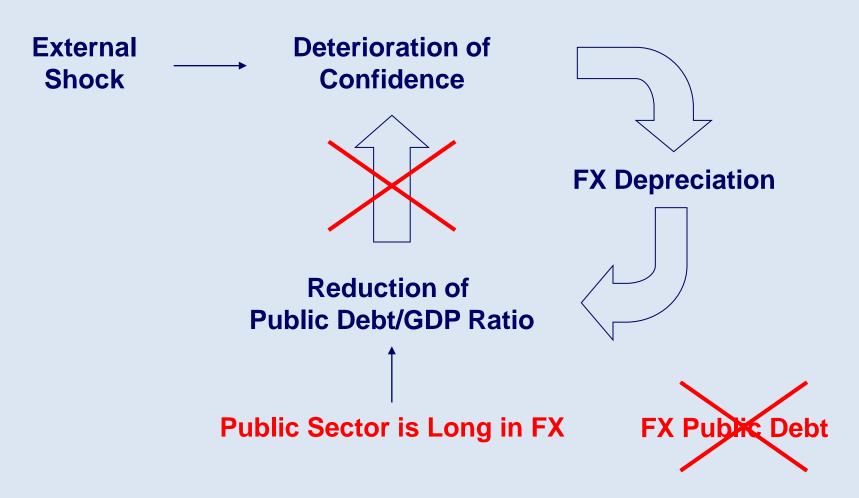


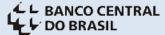
# **Effects of Confidence Crises on the Brazilian Economy - Past**





### **External Shock Feedback Loop: Currently**





 Measures pre-crisis that improved the soundness of the Financial System and helped avoid contagious by international crisis:

#### Strict prudential regulation

- Minimum capital ratio (CAR) of 11% (Basel ratio is 8%)
- Credit ratings are not used to determine credit risk weights under the standardized approach
- It is requested one BRL on capital for each one BRL on Net Foreign Currency Exposition (short or long). It can not be more that 30% of Capital.
- Forward-looking credit provision schemes, considering expected losses as well as past due.

#### New Brazilian Payment System



- Large umbrella of prudential regulation and banking supervision: the supervision process also covers nonfinancial entities controlled by financial companies – local and abroad –, including those which are controlled by shareholders' agreement, those sharing the same managers, and those under the same brand name
  - CAR is required in the consolidated basis for the economic group.
- High liquidity assets level: besides the voluntaries liquidity levels, large banks also need to comply whit reserve requirements.
- Most of the changes in the financial system rules do not need a special law approved by Congress.



- Only Subsidiaries of Foreign Bank are authorized. The required capital by our regulation to support the subsidiary operations need to be internalized in Brazil, in local currency.
  - in financial and economic terms the default of the parental bank or another foreign unit do not affect directly the Brazilian operation.
  - They are under the same rules and prudential regulations that other banks. Including deposit insurance.
  - The subsidiary need to have sufficient capital and liquidity in local currency to support the local operations.
  - The local regulation forbids transfer deposits collected in Brazil to other countries.



# Cross Border arrangements

#### MoU

 With all countries that Brazil has some kind of relevant relations.

# Colleges of Supervisors

- Host Santander and HSBC
- Home Banco Itau

#### Observation:

- In general, exchanged of information on a regular basis.
- All cross-border flows are registered on BCB, allowing the identification of any kind of operation, including those between subsidiary and parent bank.



# Perspectives

- Regulation of large financial institution
  - We support the proposal for additional capital and high liquidity levels charge for SIFIs.
    - For ALL systemically important institution in the local market (Controlled by Private Sector, Government or Foreign Subsidiaries)
  - To a certain extent, the liquidity measures are already in place.



# Thanks!



Soccer World Cup



Olympic Games

Hope to see you in Brazil!

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