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# I. From Financial sector to Shadow Banking

## ➤ General concepts



### Financial sector

- institutional units which are independent legal entities and market producers, and whose principal activity is the production of financial services, such as financial intermediation and auxiliary financial activities;

### MUNFI

- non-bank financial intermediation, comprising insurance corporations, pension funds, non-MMF investment funds, other financial intermediaries and financial auxiliaries;

*Source: Global Shadow Banking Monitoring Report 2018, FSB*

### OFIFA

- consist of the non-MMF investment funds, other financial intermediaries, except insurance corporations and pension funds, financial auxiliaries and captive financial institution and money lenders subsectors;

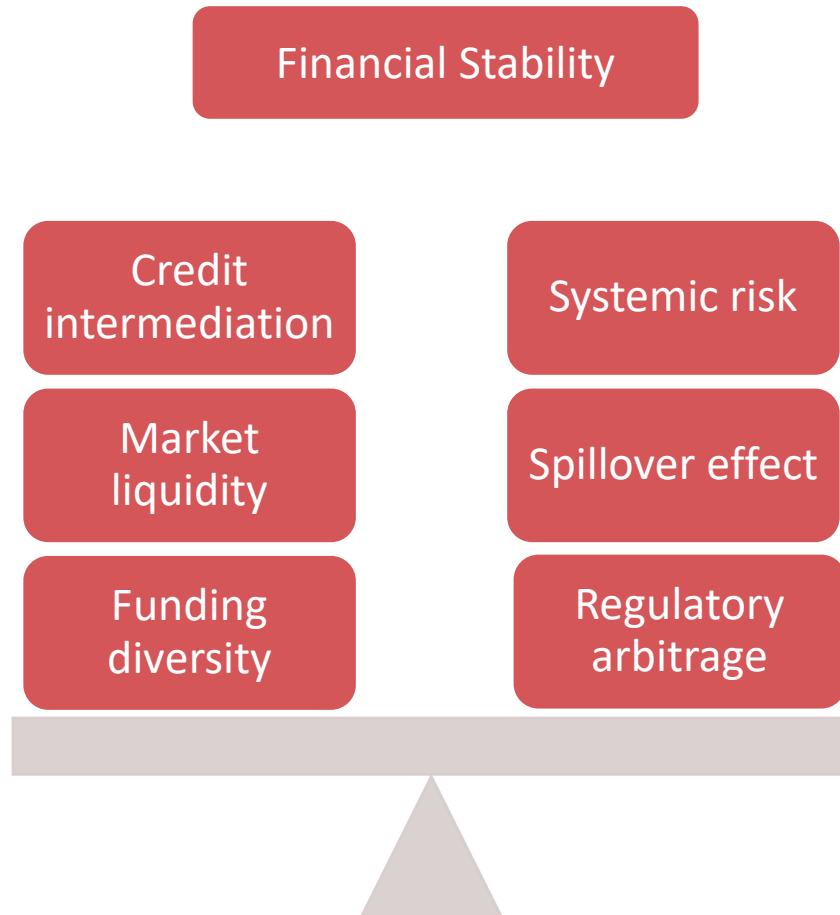
### Shadow banking

- “credit intermediation involving entities and activities (fully or partially) outside the regular banking system” or non-bank credit intermediation in short.



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## ➤ Overview



### G20 recommendation

The Financial Stability Board assessed the evolution of shadow banking activities and related financial stability risks since the 2007-09 global financial crisis, and whether the post-crisis policies and monitoring efforts were adequate to identify and contain these risks.



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European Systemic Risk Board  
European System of Financial Supervision

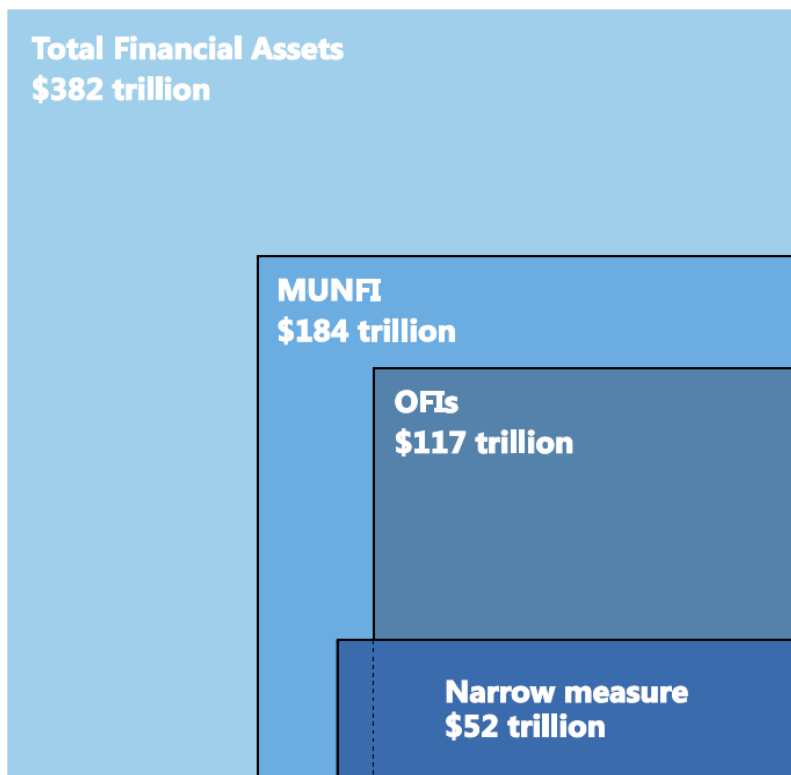


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### ➤ Latest developments



Monitoring aggregates 2017 (USD trillion)



Source: Global Shadow Banking Monitoring Report 2018, FSB

Note: Total financial assets, MUNFI and OFIs are based on the 21+EA-Group, due to its broader sample. The narrow measure is based on data from the 29-Group, as the data from eight participating euro area jurisdictions are more granular than the aggregate euro area data from the European Central Bank (ECB).

“MUNFI’s share of total global financial assets increased for the sixth consecutive year (reaching 48.2%)”

“OFI assets grew faster than the assets of banks, insurance corporations and pension funds. OFI assets represent 30.5% of total global financial assets, the largest share OFIs have had on record”

“Investment funds continue to be the largest OFI sub-sector”

“The narrow measure of NBFIs grew by 8.5%, to 51.6 USD trillion in 2017”

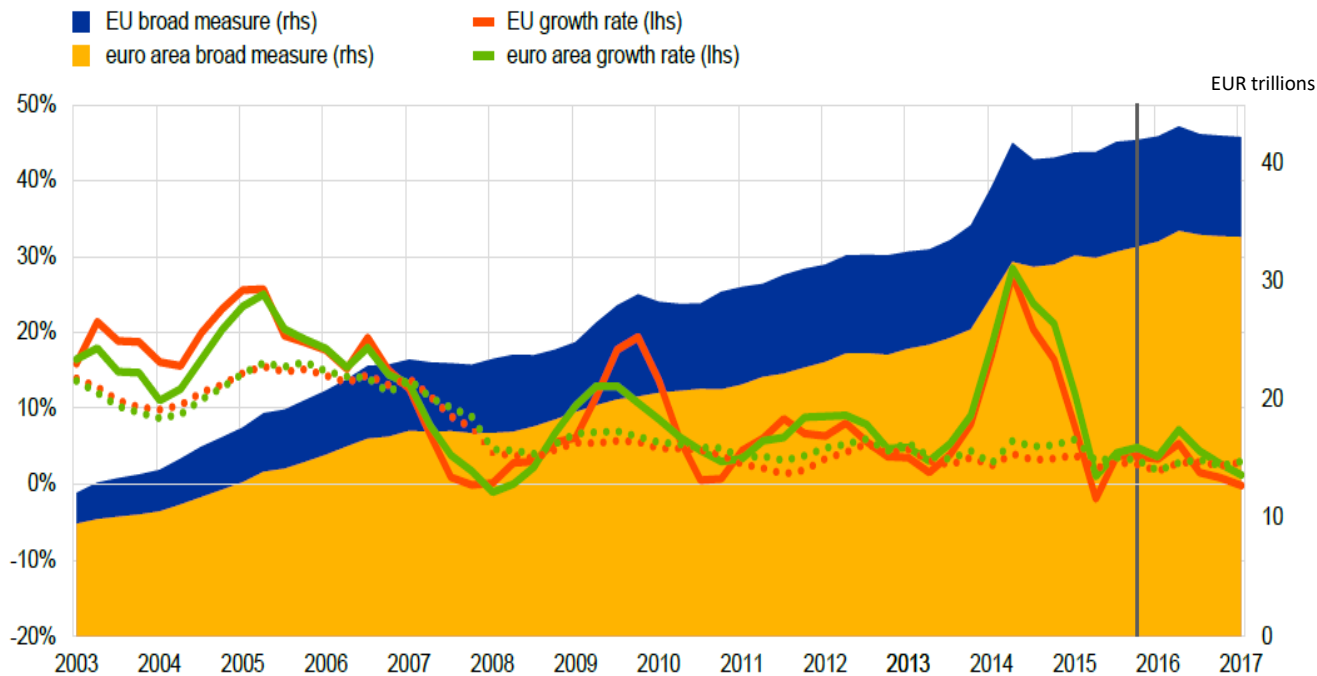


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## ➤ Latest developments



Size of EU and euro area shadow banking system (investment funds and other financial institutions)



Source: ECB and ECB calculations (EU Shadow Banking Monitor, September 2018)

Notes: The continuous lines indicate annual growth rates based on changes in outstanding amounts. The dotted lines indicate annual growth rates based on transactions – i.e. excluding the impact of FX or other revaluations and statistical reclassifications.

“A significant portion of assets held within the EU shadow banking system is concentrated in a few countries that function as international financial centers. These centers account for a larger share than those countries with a more domestically focused financial sector”

“Investment funds represent about one-third of the total assets of the shadow banking system, while entities that come under the category of OFIs account for the remainder”





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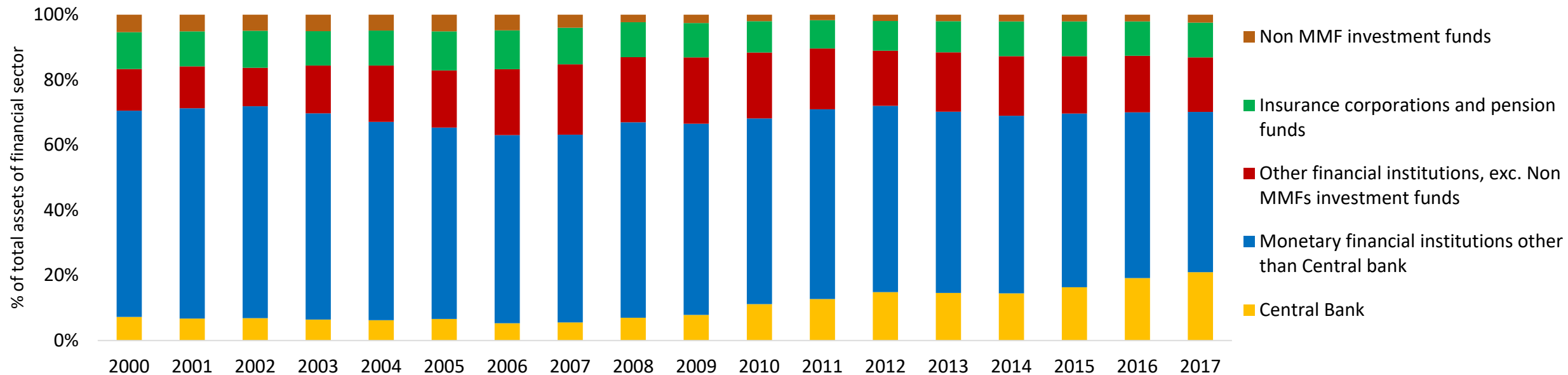
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## II. MUNFI and Shadow Banking

### ➤ Portugal: Development of the financial sector



Source: OECD Financial accounts data;

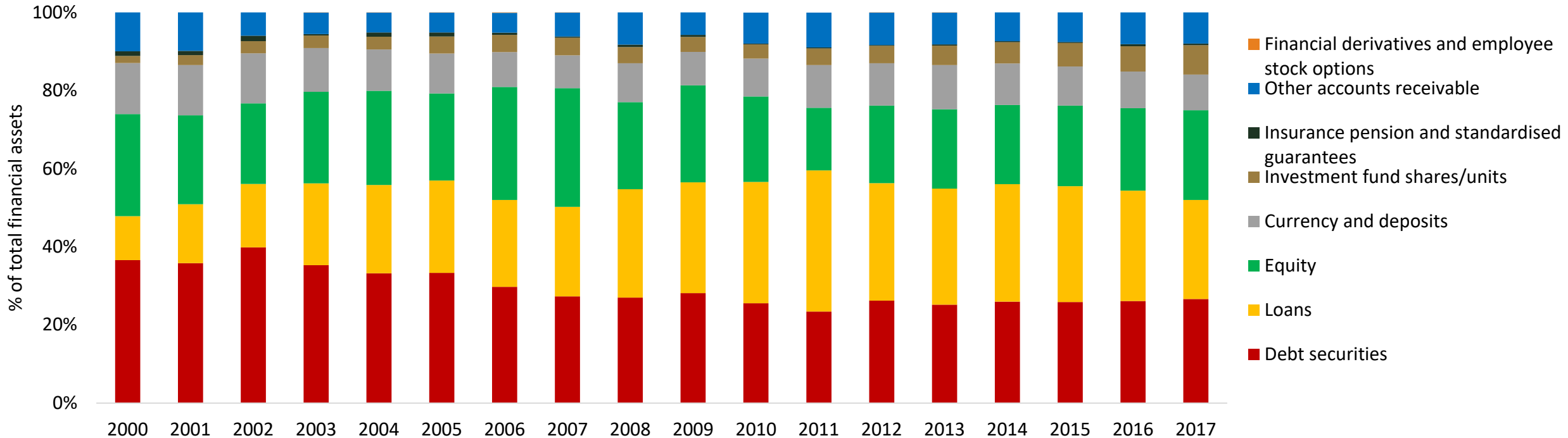
Notes: Consolidated total financial assets for each sector. MFIs includes MMFs investment funds.

- Monetary financial institutions other than Central bank has kept his relative importance in the Portuguese financial structure
- Non-bank financial institutions have kept their weight around 30% over the years
- Central Bank has been increasing his relative importance in the last few years due to the Asset Purchase Program led by ESCB



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### ➤ Portugal: Breakdown of financial assets of MUNFI institutions



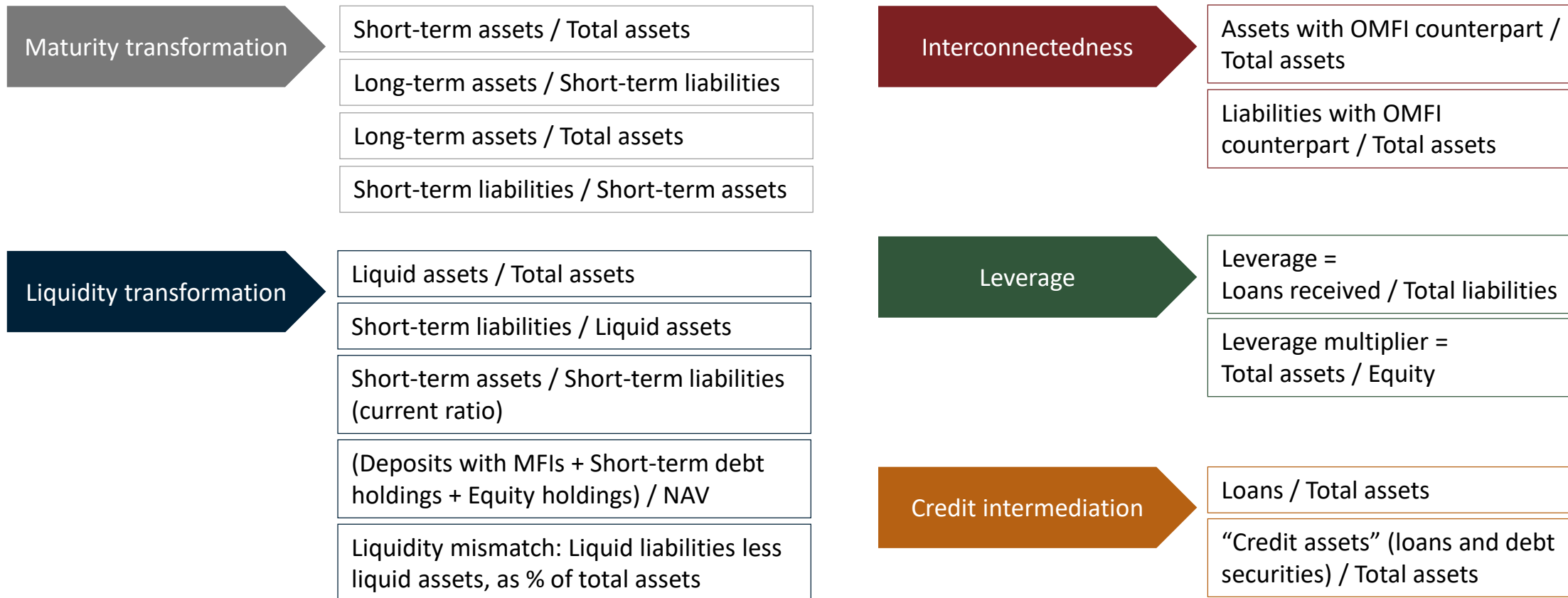
Source: OECD Financial accounts data;

- The expansion of loans in the MUNFI portfolio is justified by FVC engaged in securitisation operations, SPE and Holdings engaged in intragroup and external financing
- Debt securities is the financial asset with more relative weight in the MUNFI portfolio, mainly supported by Insurance Corporations and Pension Funds



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### ➤ Risk measures – ESRB indicators

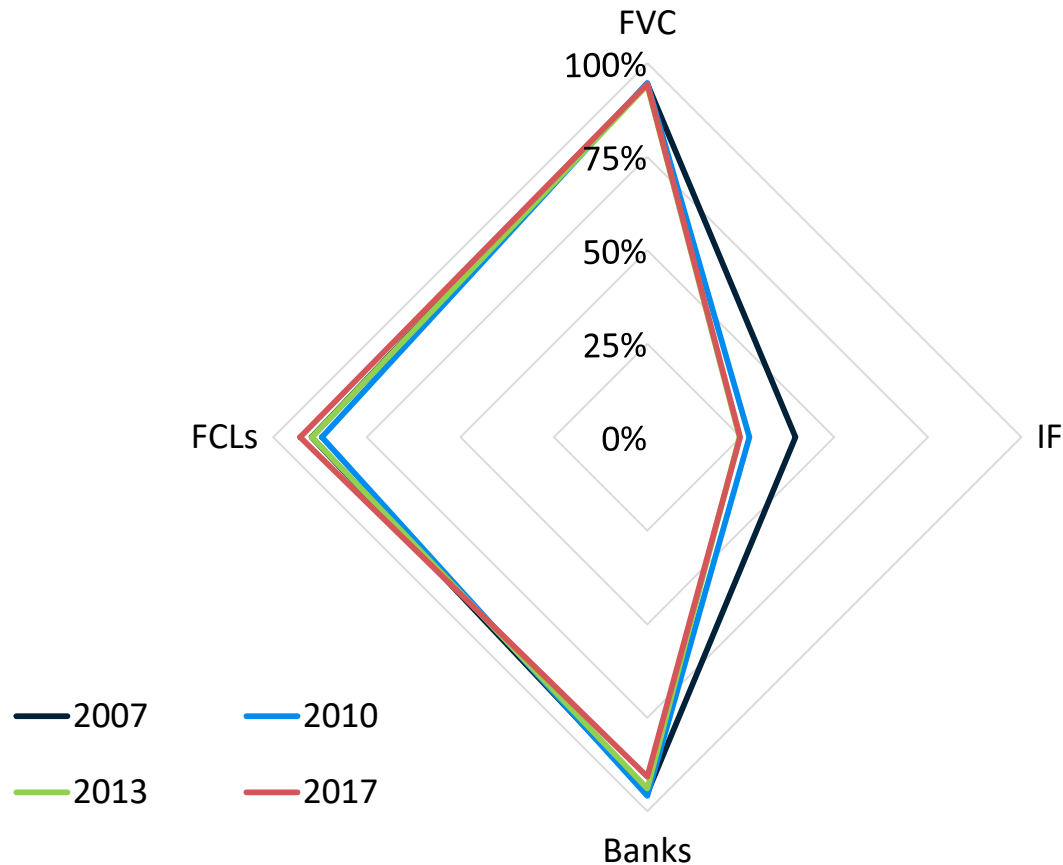


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Credit intermediation

### ➤ Comparing credit intermediation<sup>1</sup> in Portugal

“Credit assets” (loans and debt securities) / Total assets



Banks, FVC and FCLs have a very stable situation over time, with credit intermediation having an important weight in their activity



The decreasing of credit intermediation ratio of IF over time is justified by disinvestment of bond IF in debt securities, mainly in the course of 2008 crisis

Source: OECD Financial accounts data; FVC, IF and FCLs primary statistics data (Banco de Portugal)

Note: 1) Credit intermediation was measured as the ratio of credit assets over total assets. Credit assets comprise loans granted and holdings of debt securities.

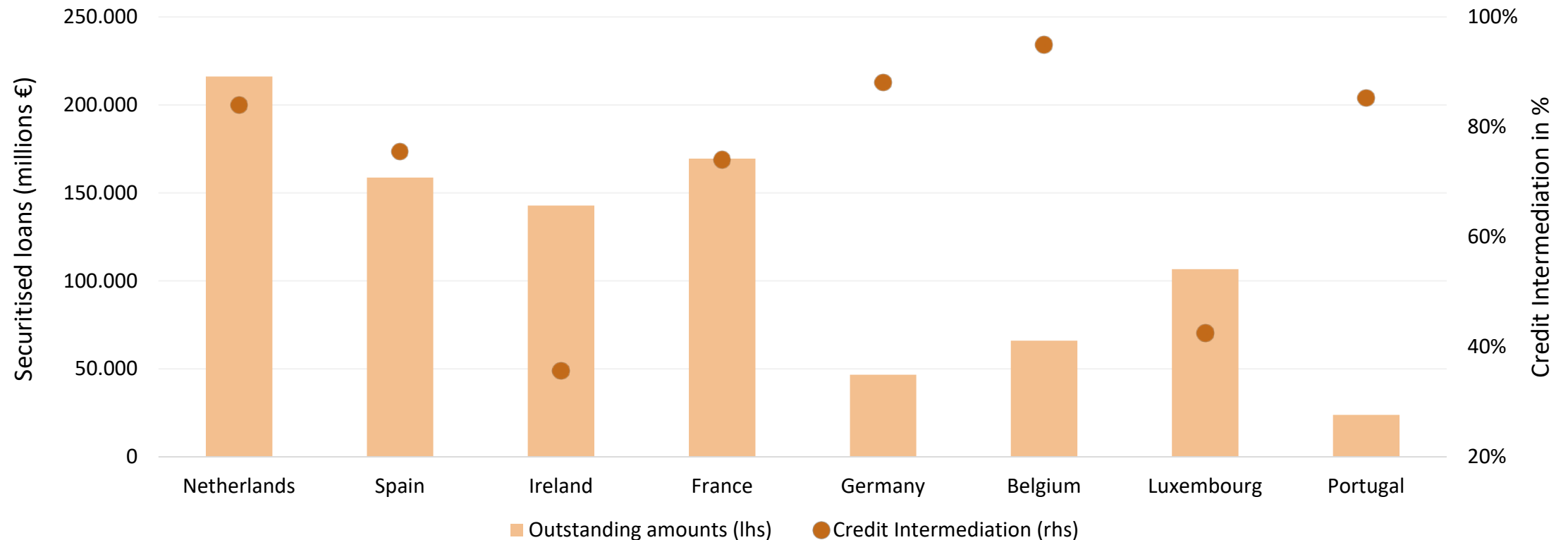


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Credit intermediation

### ➤ Securitised loans and credit intermediation (FVC at end 2017)

Loans / Total assets

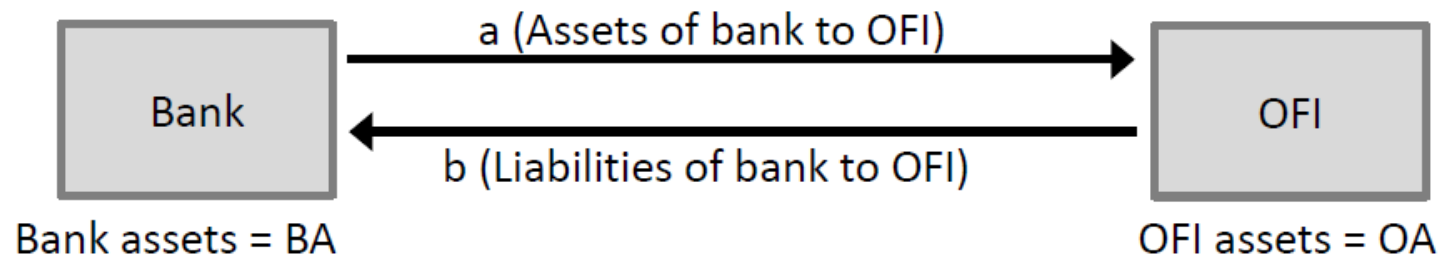


Source: ECB

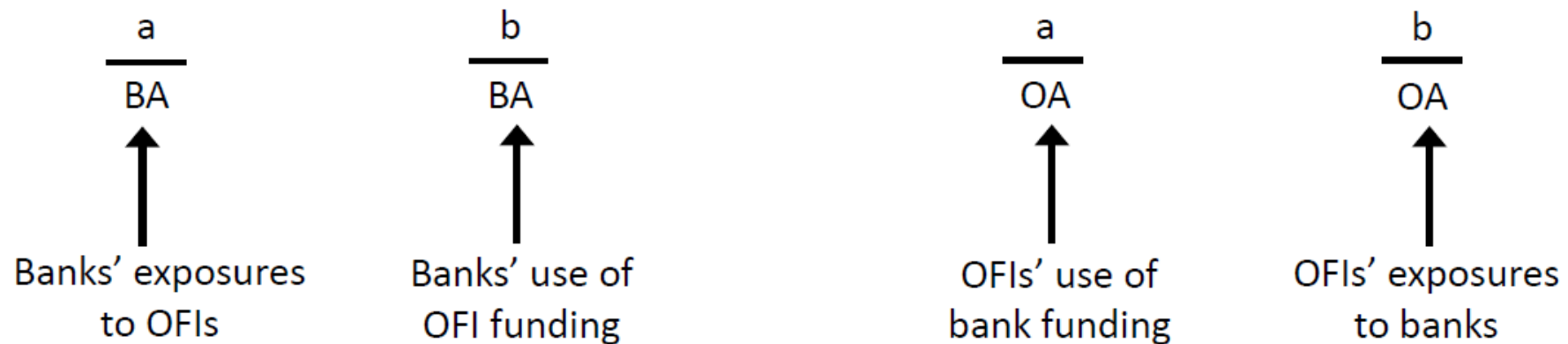
- Most of the countries under analysis have a loans to total assets ratio above 70% in 2017
- Ireland's FVC are increasing diversity in business models, including nursing home receipts, royalties and life settlements



➤ **Interlinkages: A risk analysis framework of interconnectedness between banks and OFIFA**



**High-level interconnectedness measures:**



Source: Global Shadow Banking Monitoring Report 2017, FSB

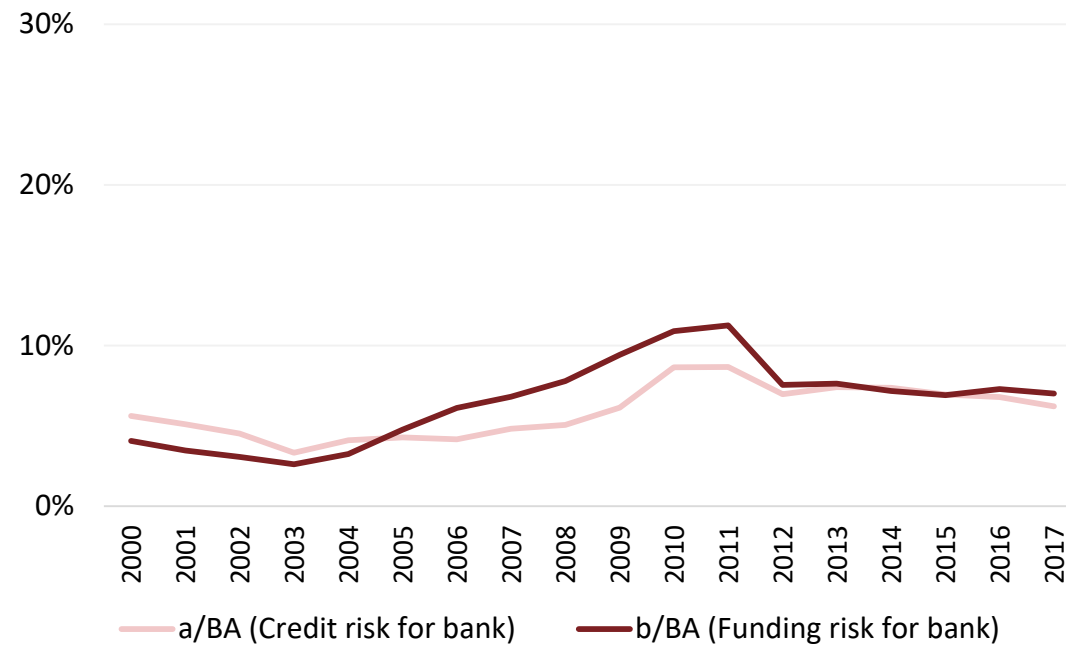


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### ➤ Interlinkages: A risk analysis framework of interconnectedness between banks and OFIFA for Portugal

#### Banks

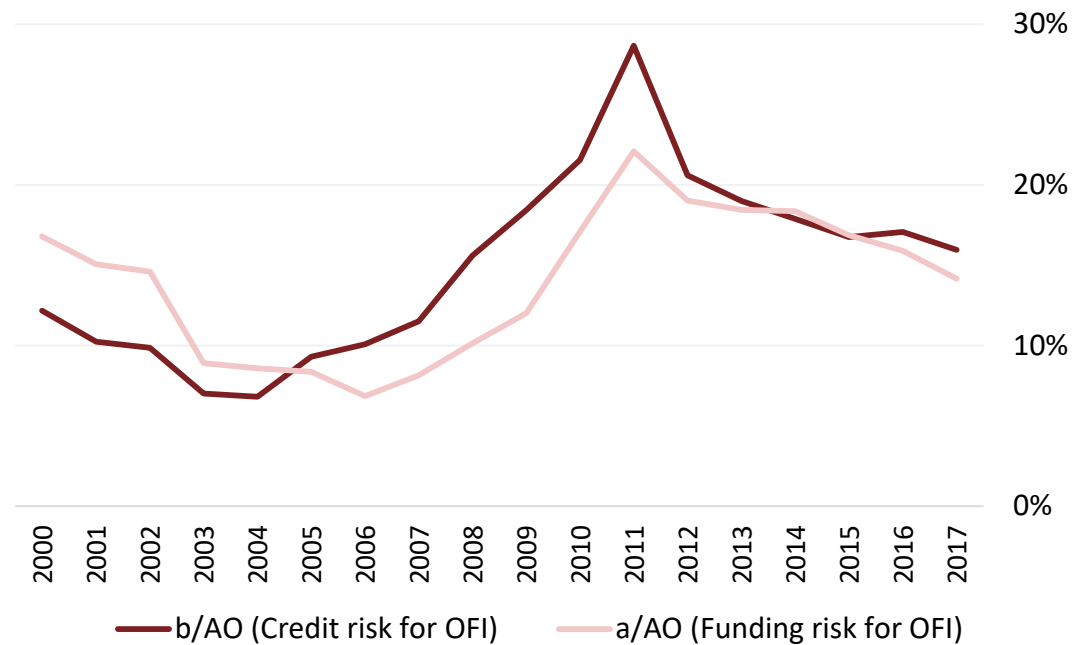
Interconnectedness risks for banks (% of bank assets)



Source: Financial accounts data for Portugal (Banco de Portugal)

#### OFIFA

Interconnectedness risks for OFIFA (% of OFIFA assets)



► The interconnectedness between Banks and OFIFA is explained by a significant amount of securitised loans that took place in 2007-2011 period

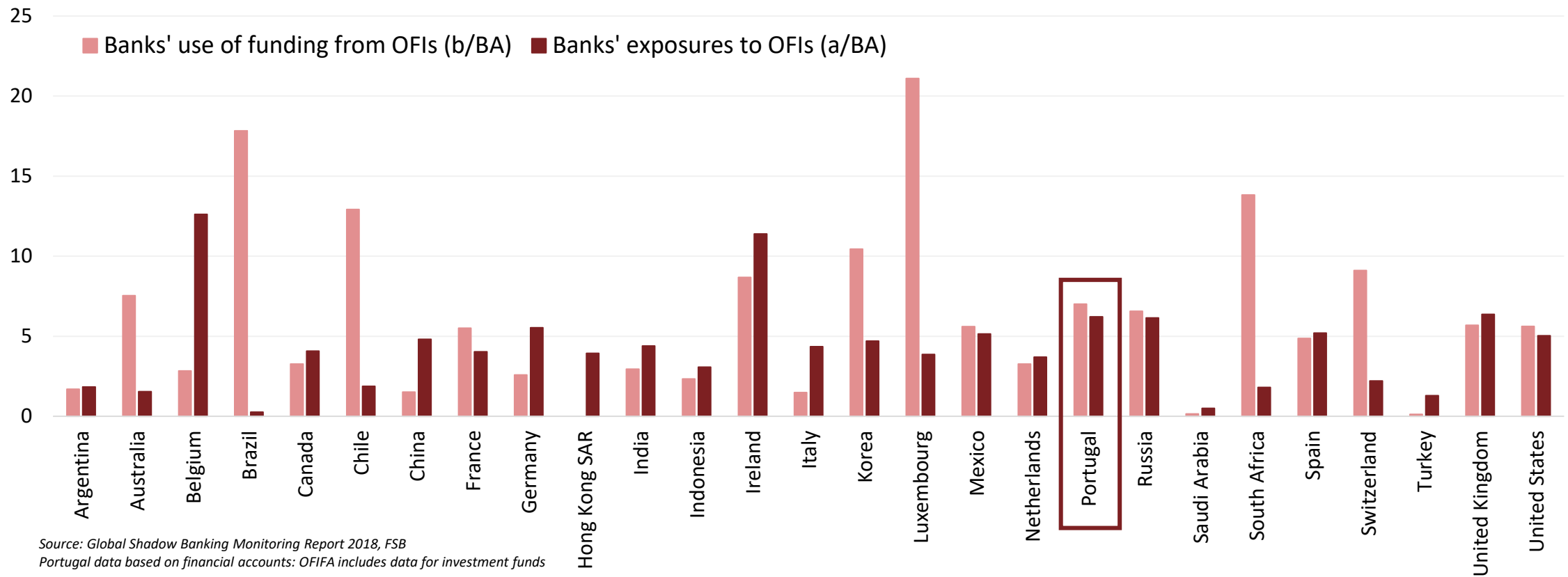




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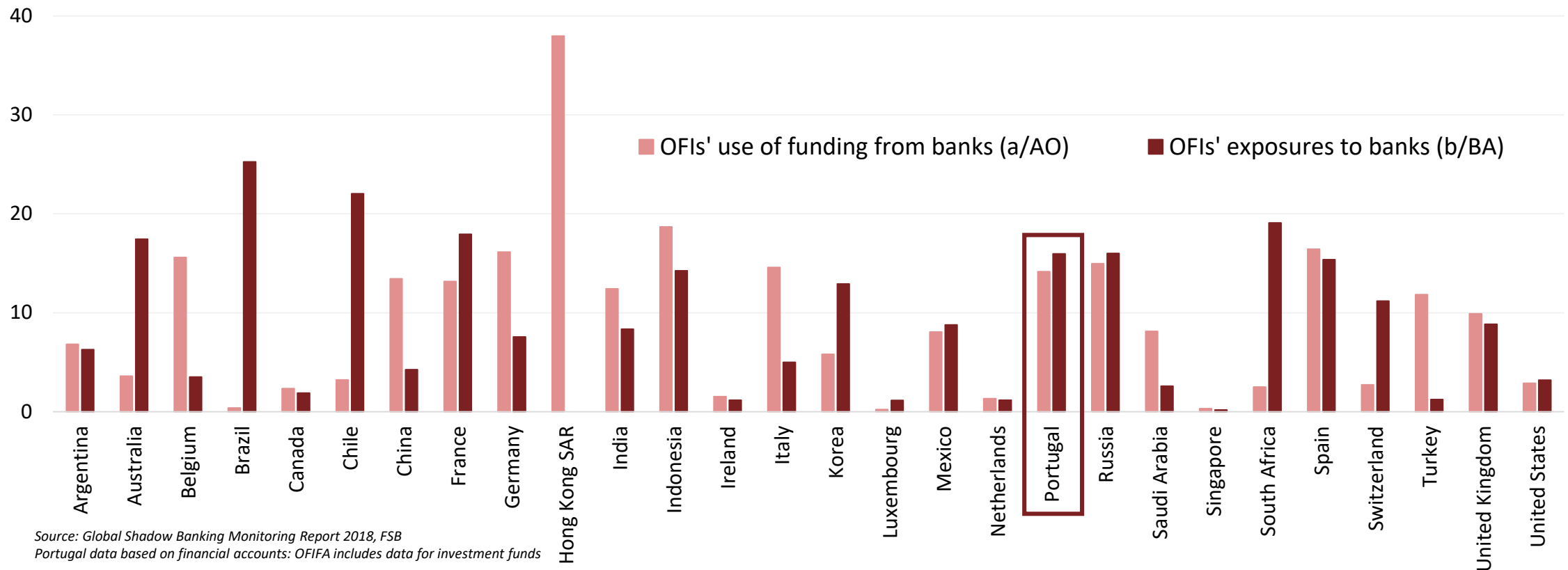
Banks' interconnectedness with OFIs as % of bank assets at end-2017



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OFIs' interconnectedness with banks as % of OFIs assets at end-2017

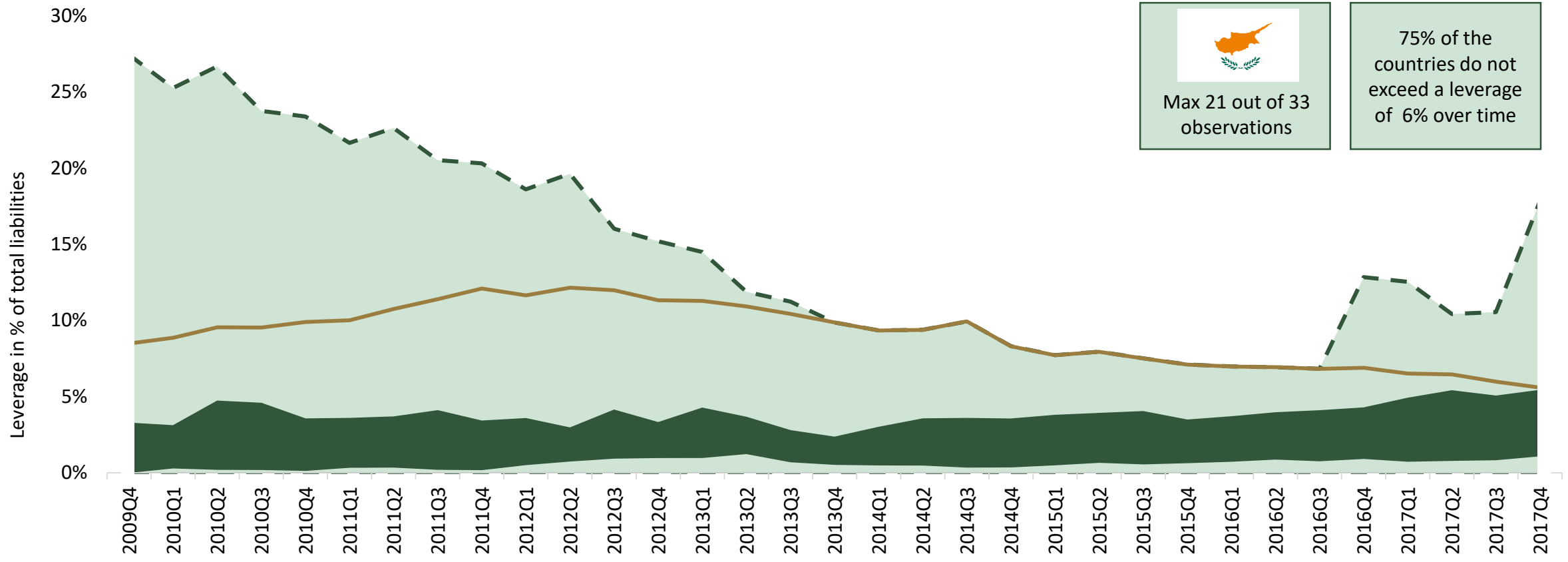


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### ➤ Total investment funds' leverage: dispersion measures for european countries

Leverage =  
Loans received / Total liabilities



  
Max 21 out of 33 observations

75% of the countries do not exceed a leverage of 6% over time

Source: ECB; Data for 22 European countries  
Note 1: Adapted from Agresti and Brence (2017),  
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 Interquartile range     Portugal     Maximum

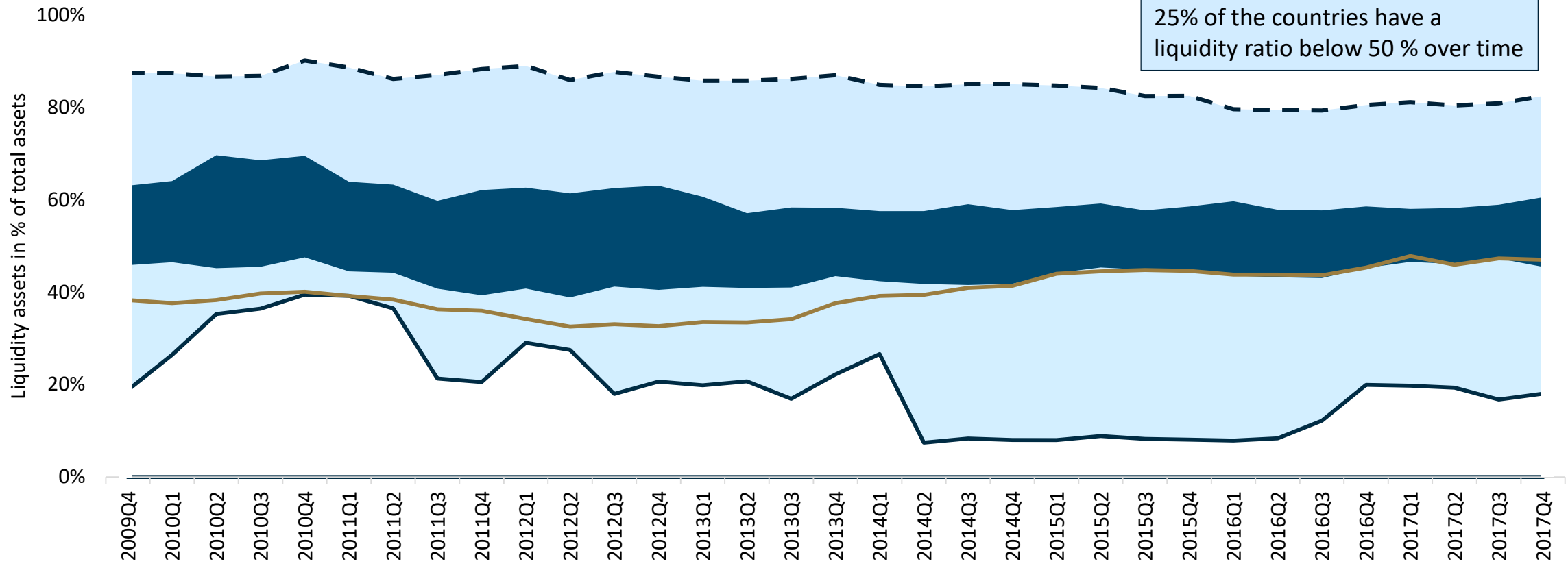


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Liquidity transformation

### ➤ Total investment funds' liquidity: dispersion measures for european countries

Liquid assets / Total assets



Source: ECB; Data for 26 European countries

Note 1: Liquid assets includes currency and deposits, listed shares and investment funds shares

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■ Interquartile range    — Portugal    - - - Maximum    — Minimum

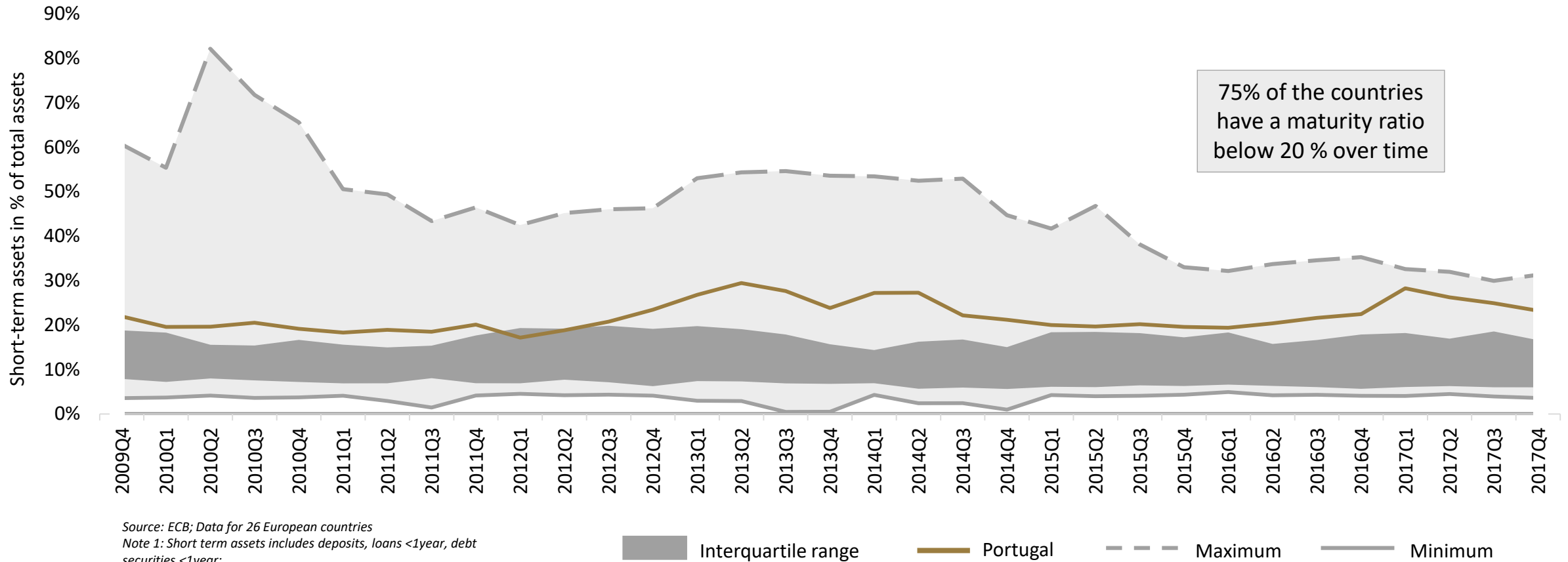


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Maturity transformation

### ➤ Total investment funds' maturity: dispersion measures for european countries

Short-term assets / Total assets



Source: ECB; Data for 26 European countries

Note 1: Short term assets includes deposits, loans <1year, debt securities <1year;

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Interquartile range Portugal Maximum Minimum



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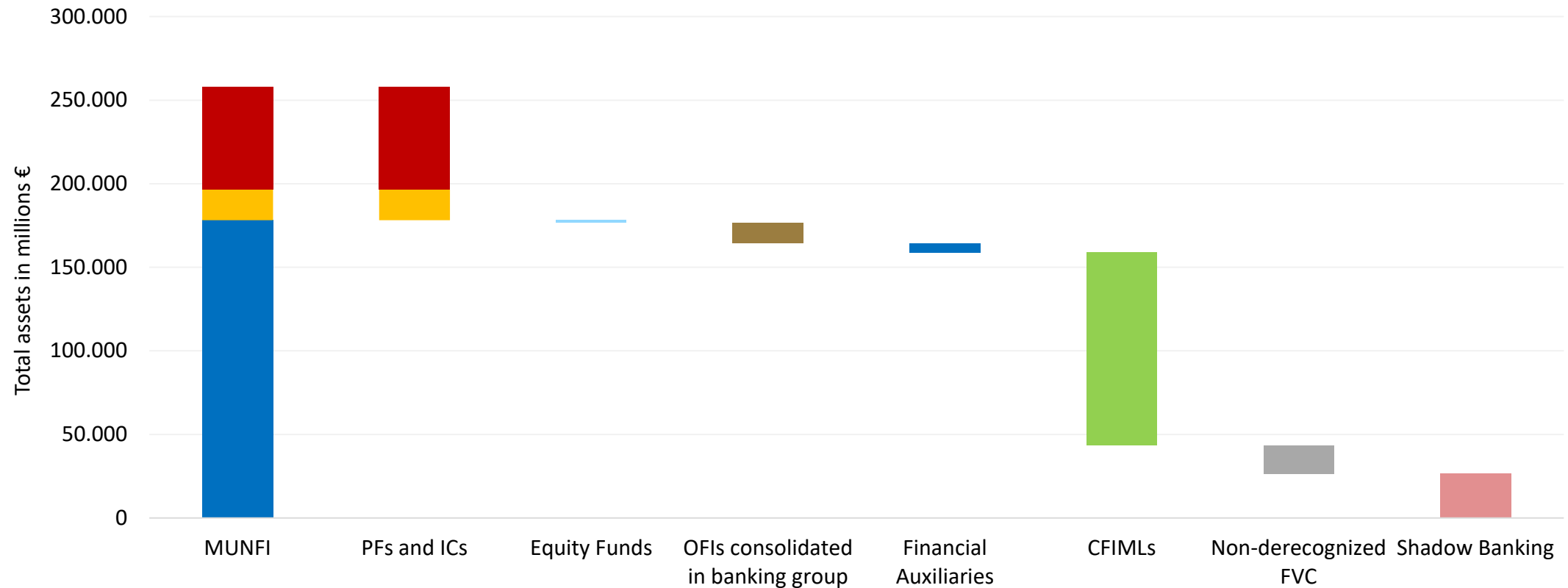
### ➤ FSB approach: Narrow measure of shadow banking based in 5 economic functions

Economic Function	Definition	Typical entity types
EF1	Management of collective investment vehicles with features that make them susceptible to runs	Fixed income funds, mixed funds, credit hedge funds, real estate funds
EF2	Loan provision that is dependent on short-term funding	Finance companies, leasing companies, factoring companies, consumer credit companies
EF3	Intermediation of market activities that is dependent on short-term funding or on secured funding of client assets	Broker-dealers
EF4	Facilitation of credit creation	Credit insurance companies, financial guarantors, monolines
EF5	Securitisation-based credit intermediation and funding of financial entities	Securitisation vehicles



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### ➤ FSB approach: Moving from MUNFI to the narrow measure to Portugal (end of 2017)



Source: Primary statistics, BdP Statistics Department

Note 1: CFIMLs – Captive Financial Institutions and Money Leders

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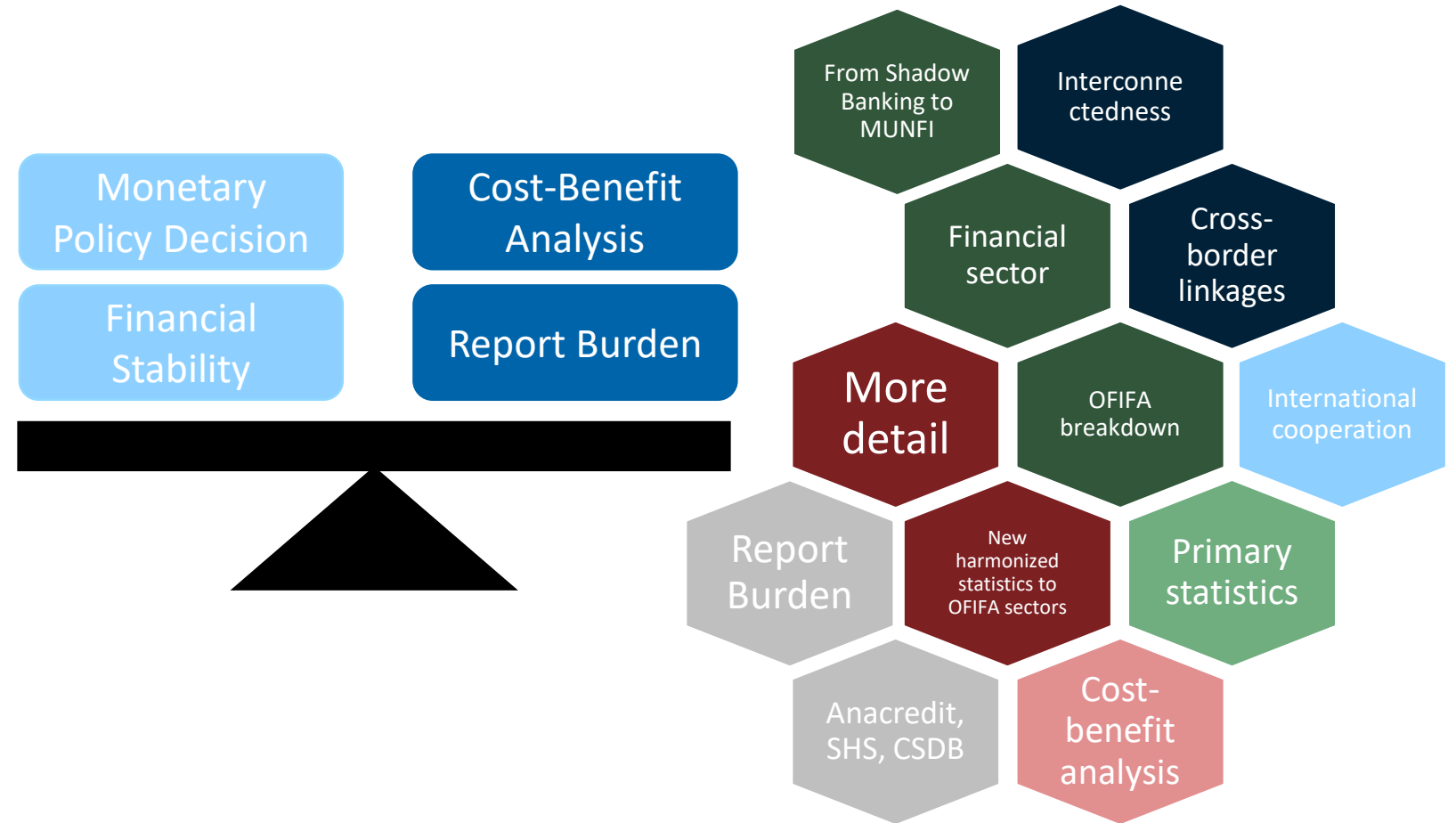
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#### ➤ Challenges



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