# Financial sector accounts: The Chilean experience in their use for financial stability monitoring

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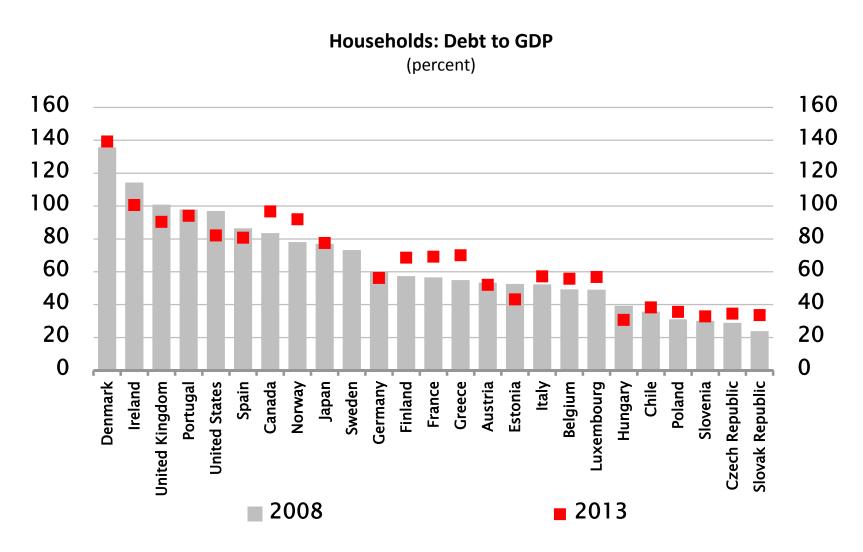
#### Introduction

- One ingredient of financial stability is the monitoring and oversight of leverage and asset holdings by different agents
- Who holds the liabilities of whom is an important element, and can be extended to derivative positions
- The international comparison is also a key benchmark for the assessment

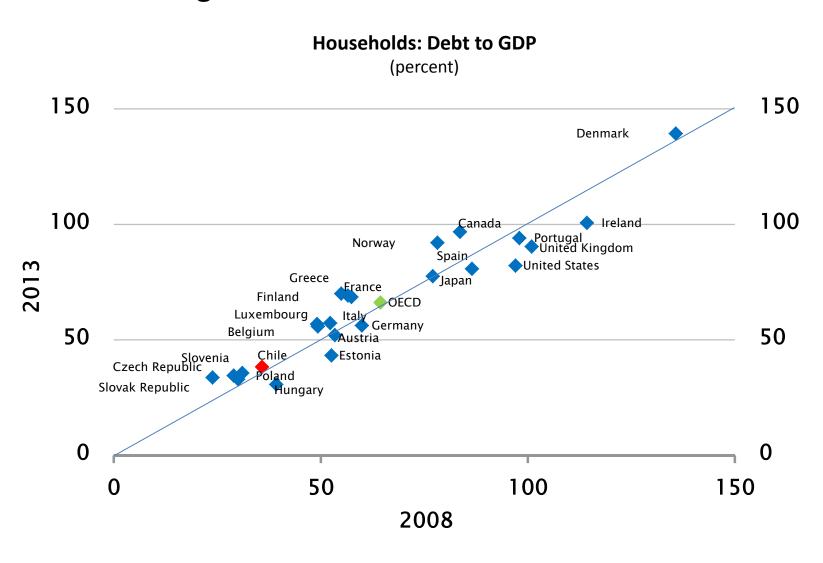
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- In this presentation we show how the use of financial sector accounts is used in this benchmarking excercise for the case of Chile
- OECD database provides an important source for the international comparison
- However data gaps remain to make a complete assessment
- Some of these challenges are discussed

## There is a significant cross country dispersion of household indebtedness, and it is persistent over time



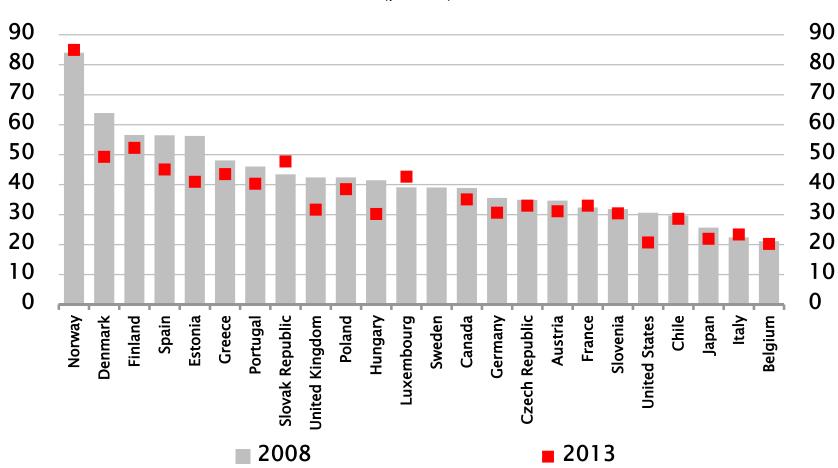
# Chilean households do not appear overly indebted according to this metric



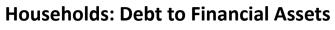
#### Other measures of household leverage paint a similar picture

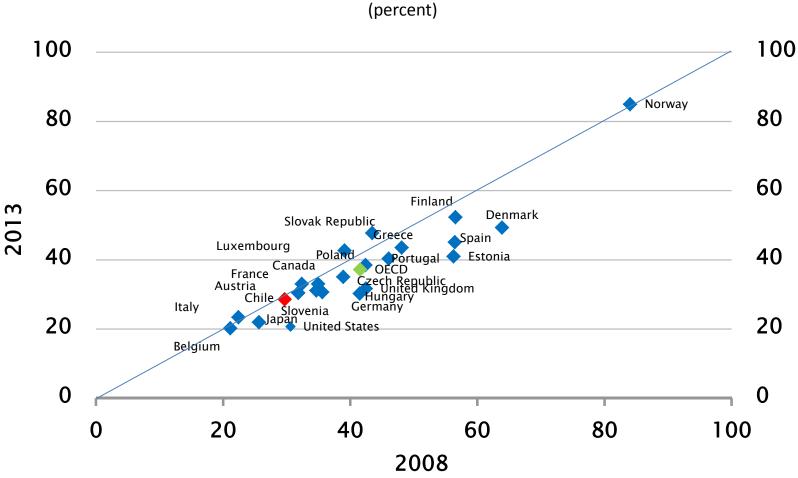
#### **Households: Debt to Financial Assets**

(percent)

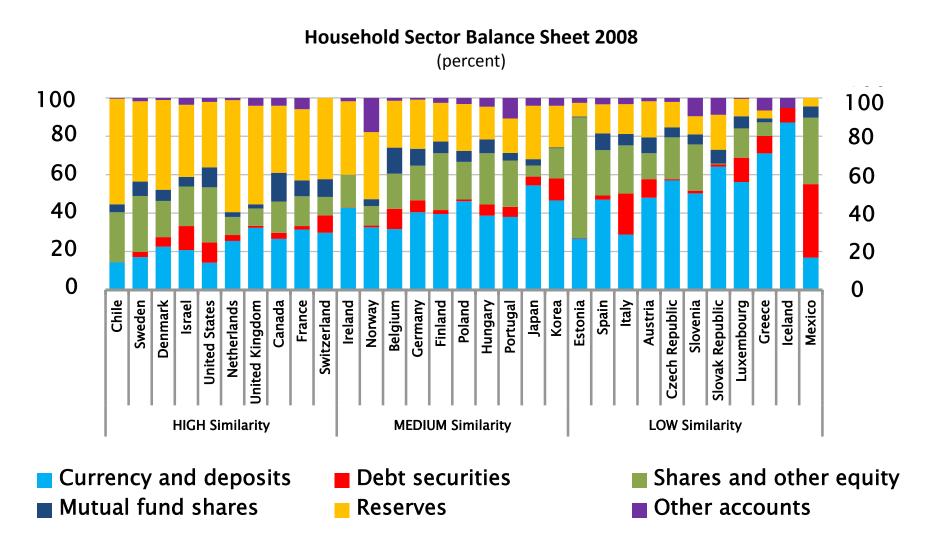


# The ratio of household debt to financial assets shows more clearly the deleveraging in several advanced economies

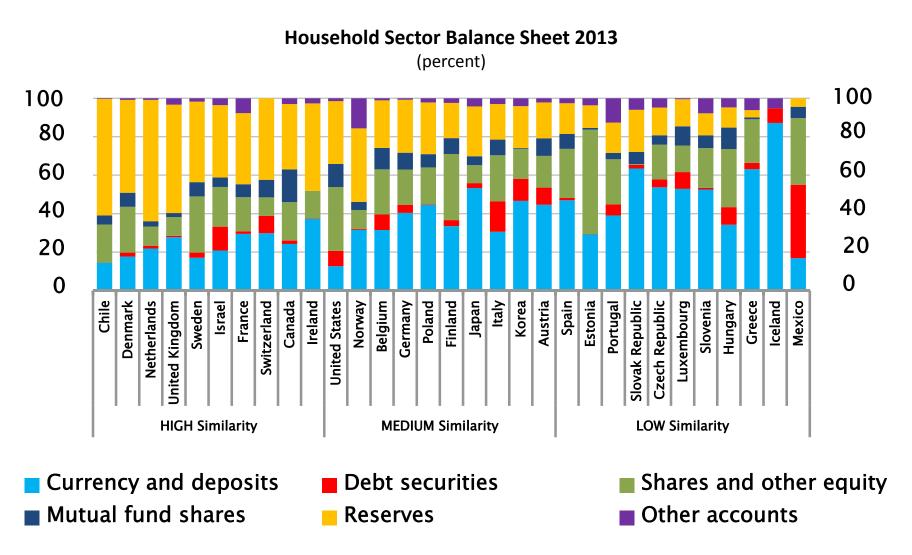




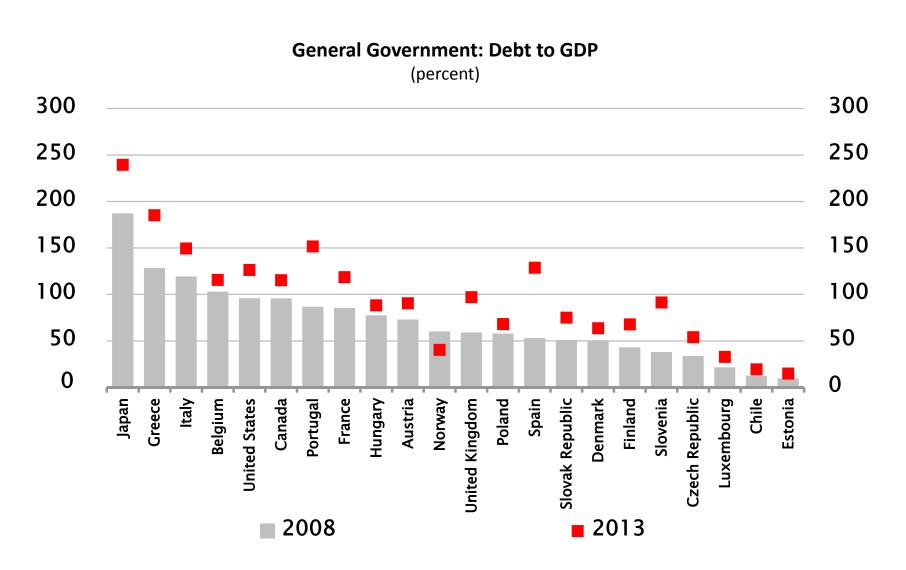
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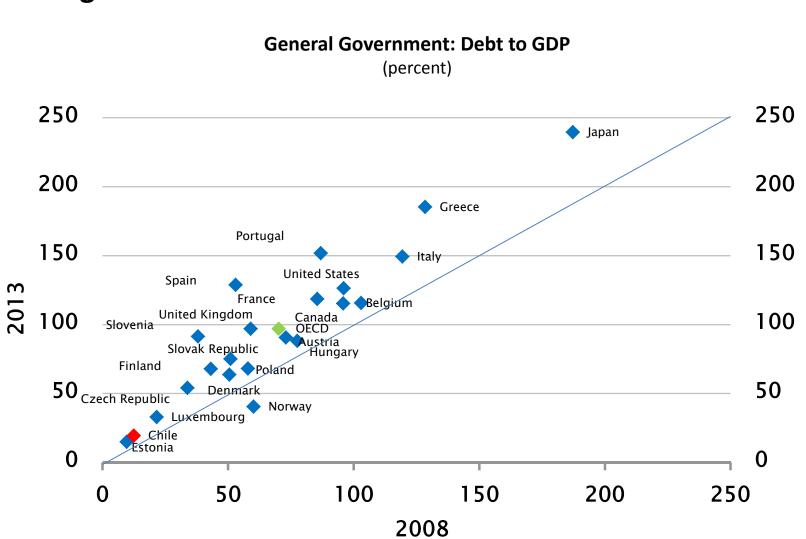
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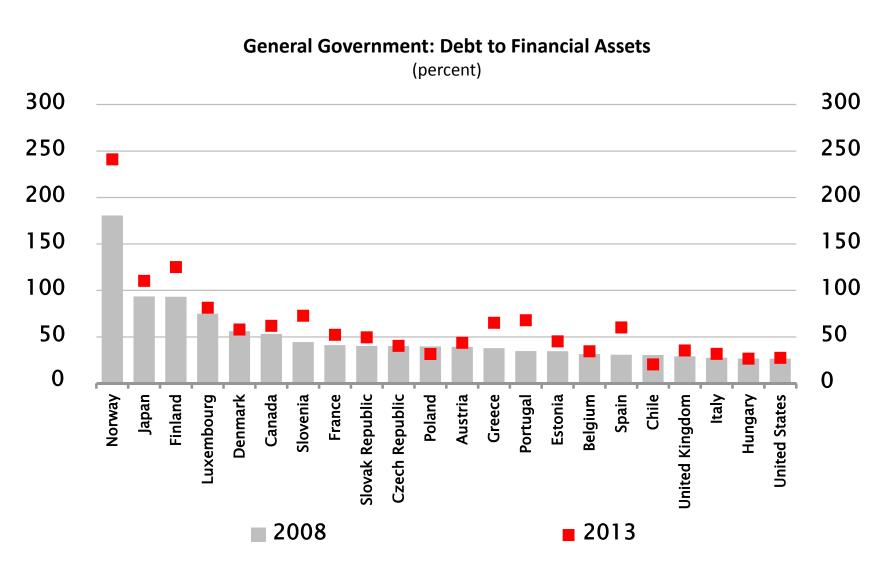
#### The General Government has a very low level of gross debt



#### Most economies have experienced an increase in government debt after the 2008-2009 crisis

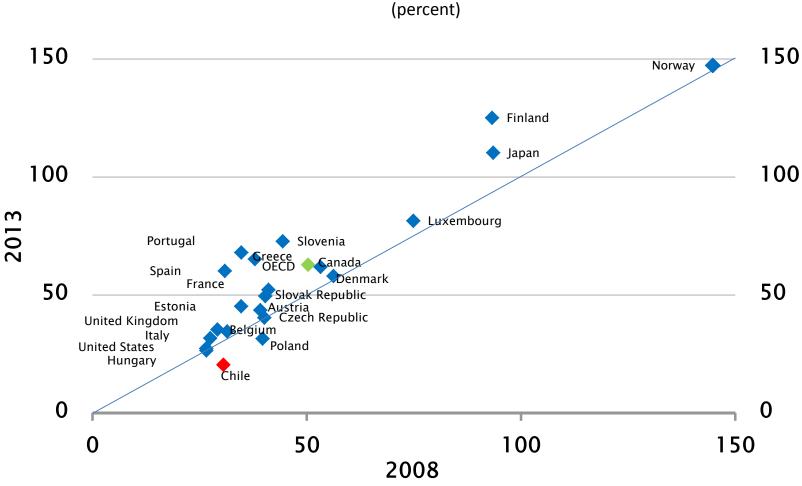


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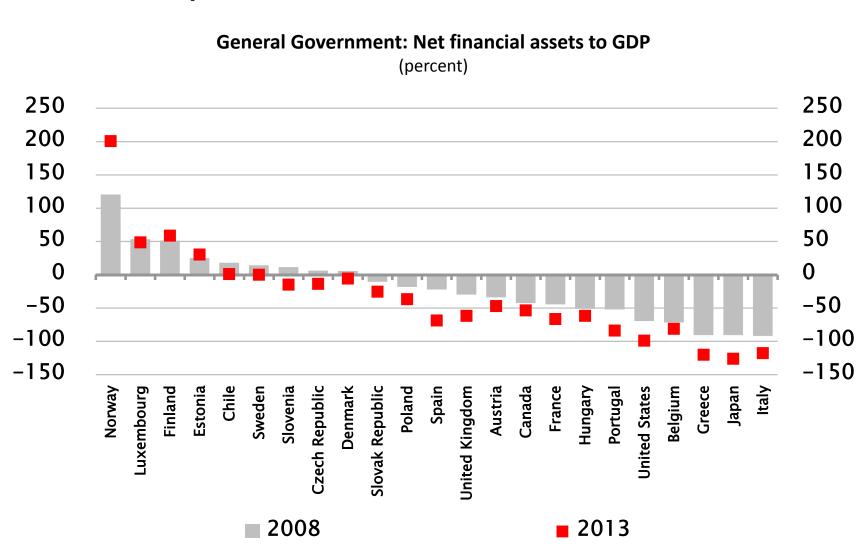


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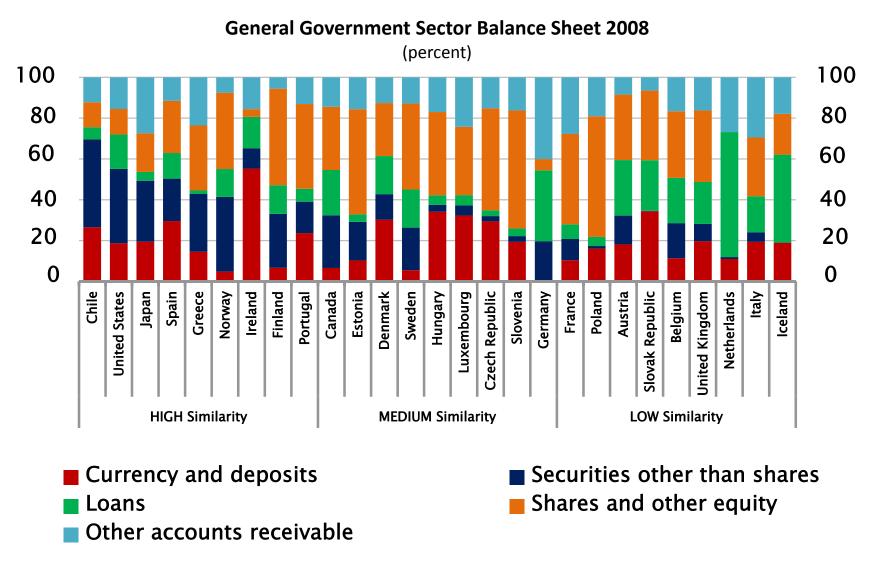
#### General Government: Debt to Financial Assets



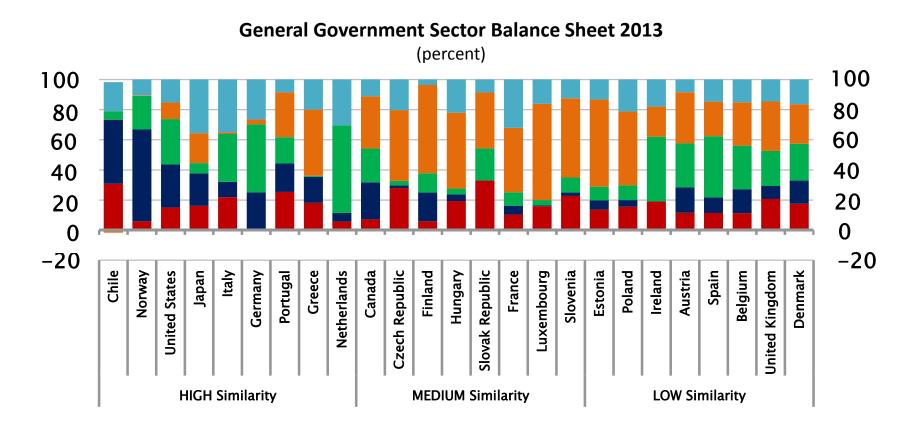
## A sovereign wealth fund holds a significant fraction of Chile's public financial assets



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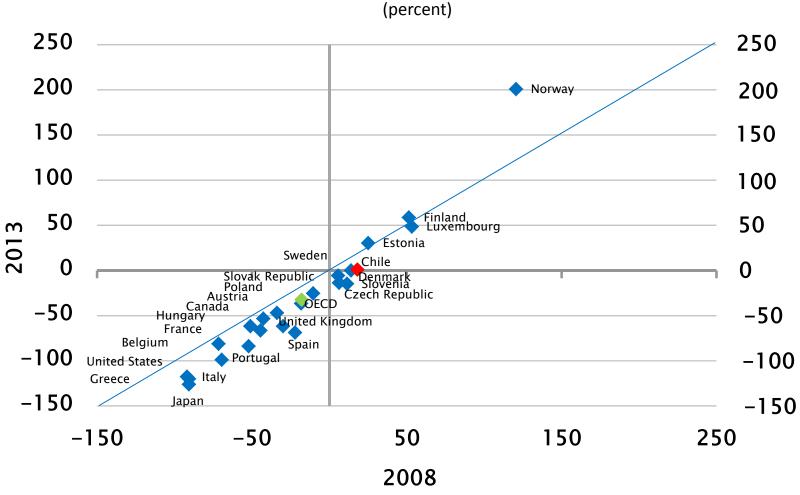


- Currency and deposits
- Loans
- Other accounts receivable

- Securities other than shares
- Shares and other equity

#### Most economies have seen a deterioration of their net financial asset position

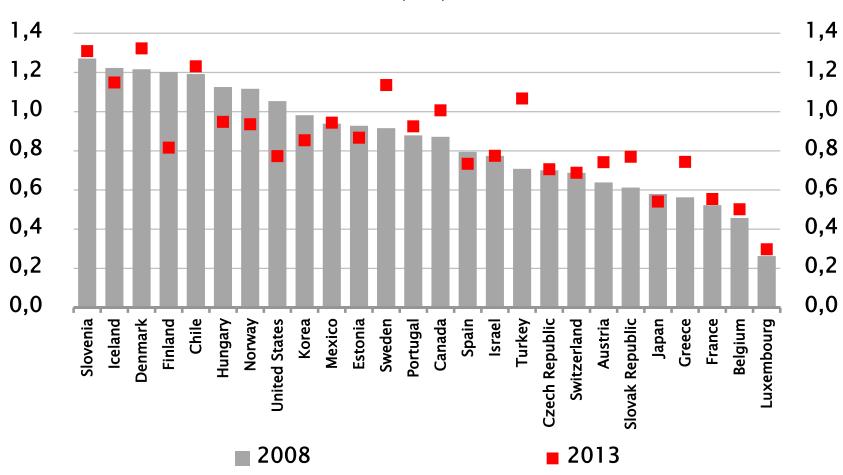




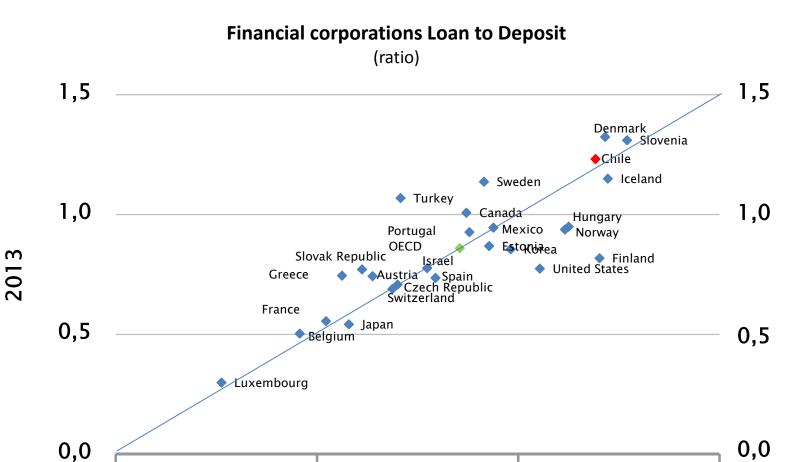
#### The loan to deposit ratio is usually a determinant of funding condition for the banking system

#### **Financial corporations Loan to Deposit**

(ratio)



# The Chilean system has a relatively high, and persistent, loan to deposit ratio due to structural factors



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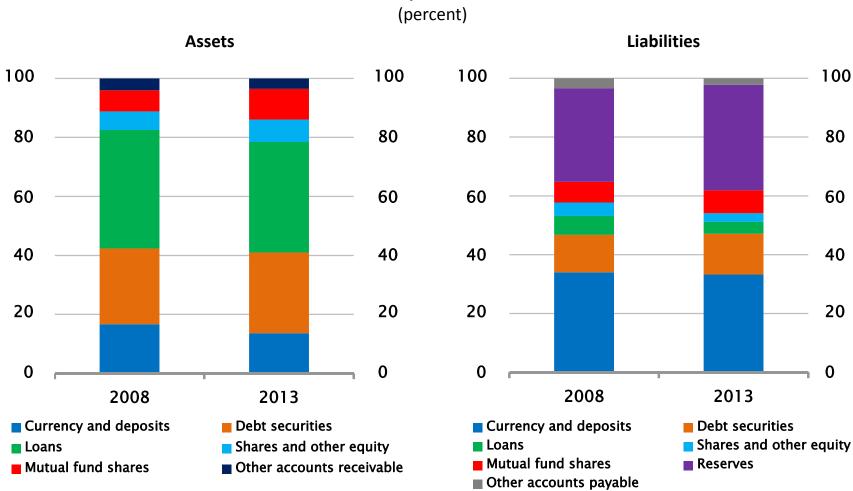
Source: Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD).

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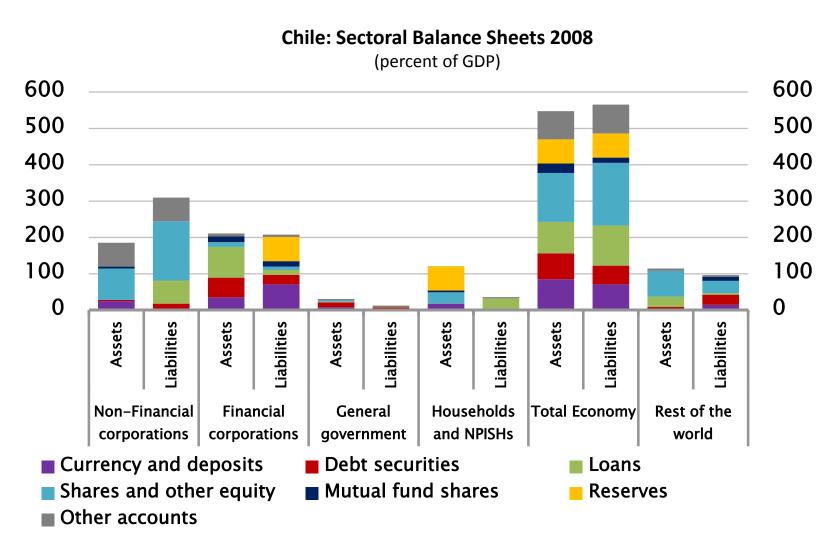
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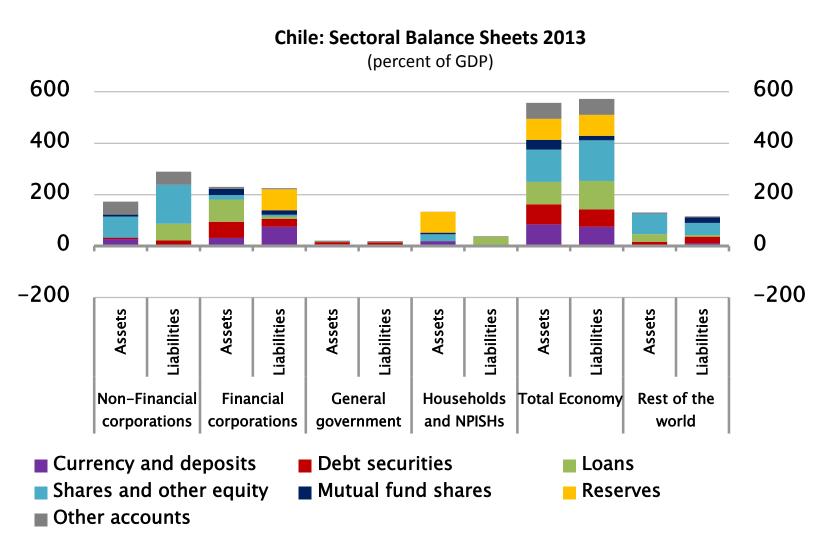
**Chile: Financial corporations Balance Sheet** 



#### Non Financial corporations represent a significant share of total liabilities

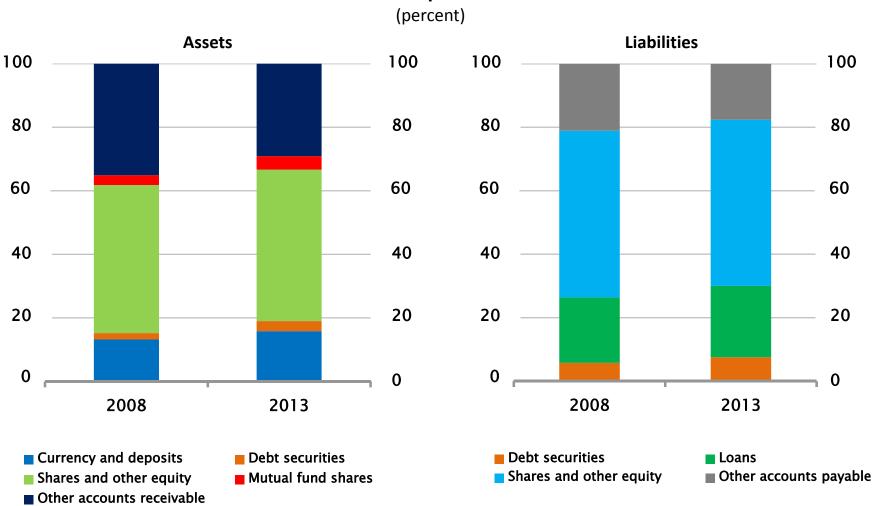


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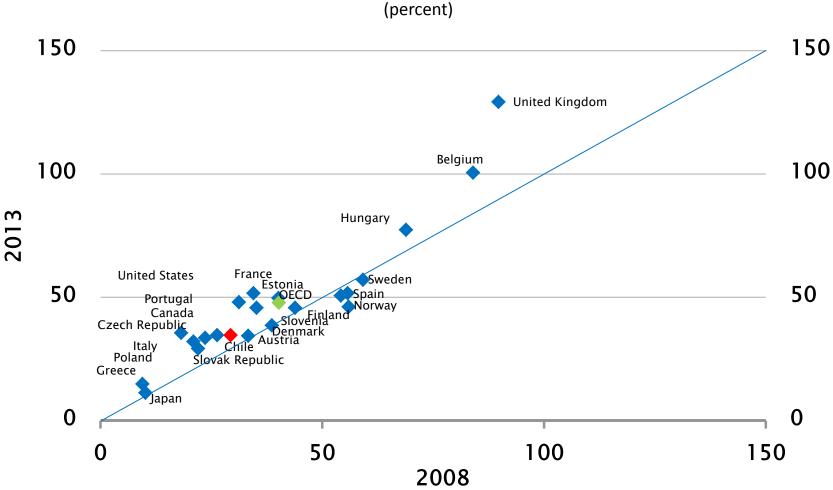
#### The structure of the NFC sector has remained broadly stable





# NFC liabilities have an important component of external debt. FSA accounts could have coverage on this issue.



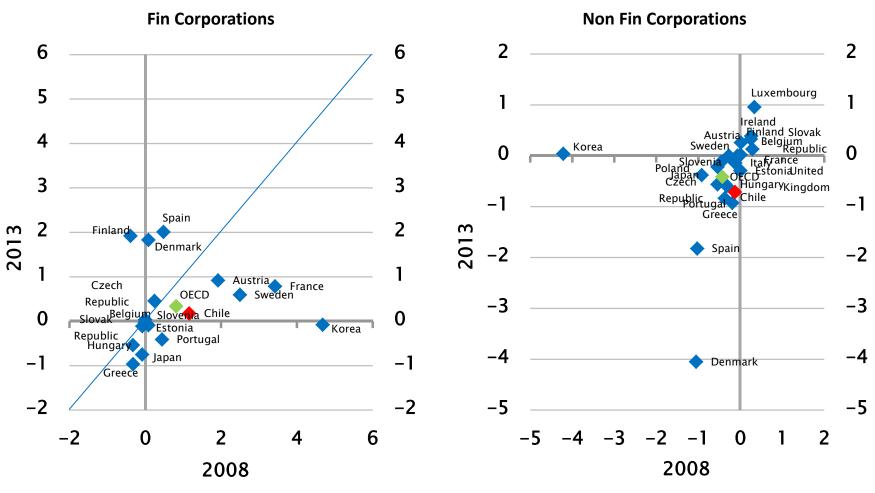


Source: data from database Quarterly External Debt Statistics/SDDS, World Bank.

## Derivative positions are also significant, both in financial and non financial corporations

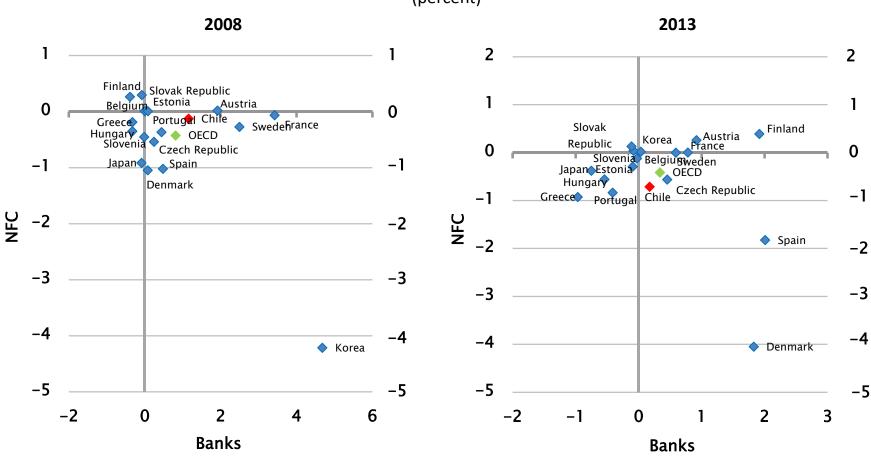
#### **Derivatives (Net Position)**

(percent of GDP)

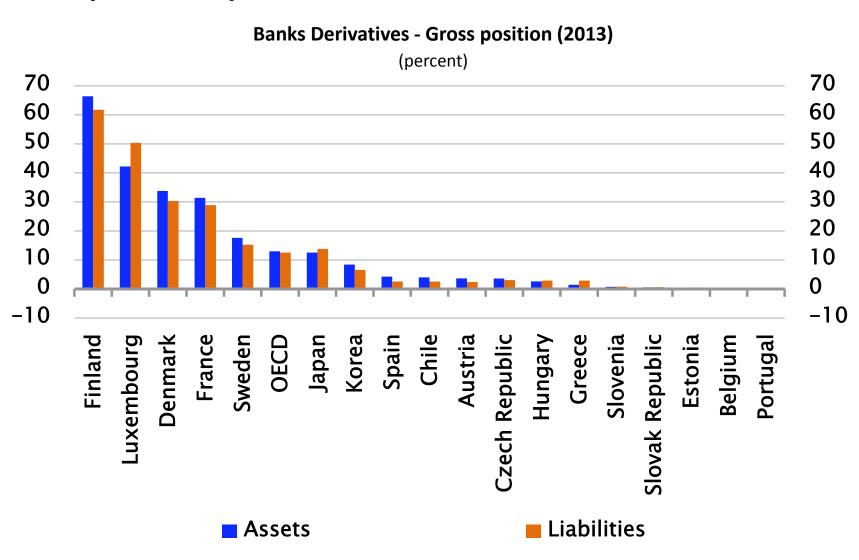


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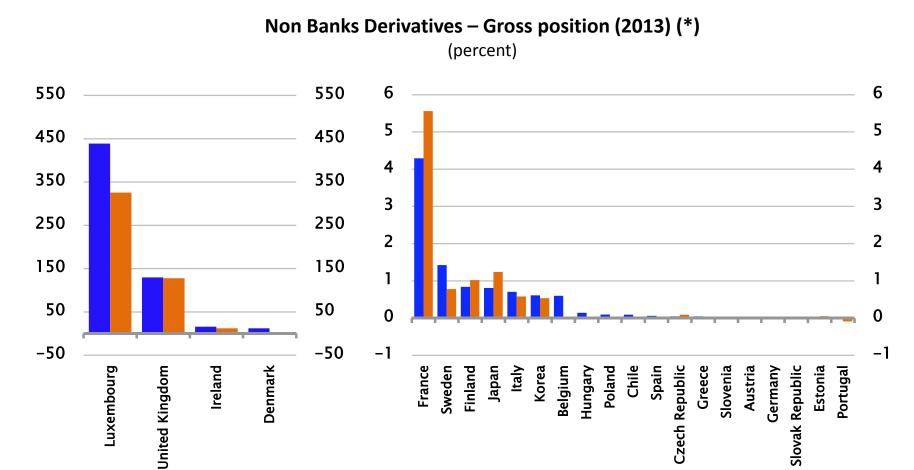




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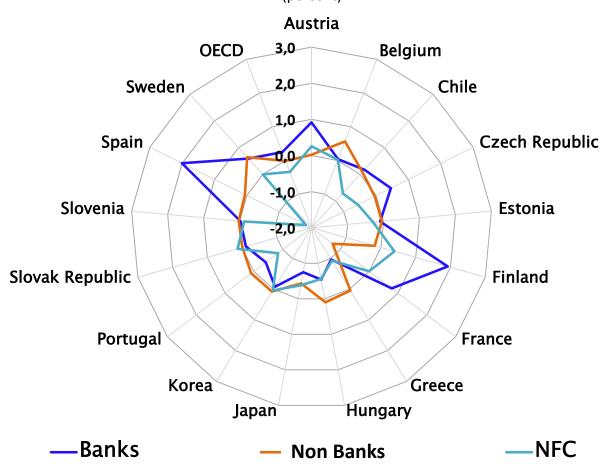
Liabilities

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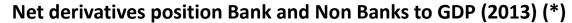
Net derivatives position Bank, Non Banks and Non-Financial Corporations (NFC) to GDP (2013) (\*)

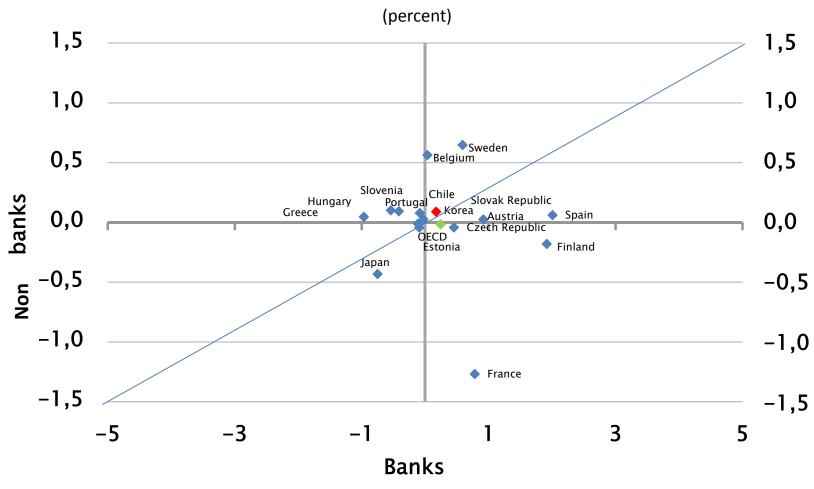
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## It is not evident how these positions are structured, in particular between agents and across borders



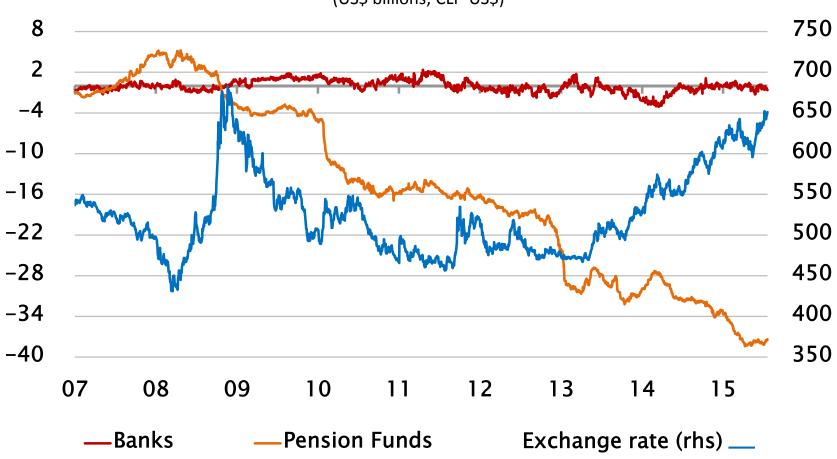


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#### Net forex position (Spot and NDF) and Exchange Rate

(US\$ billions; CLP-US\$)

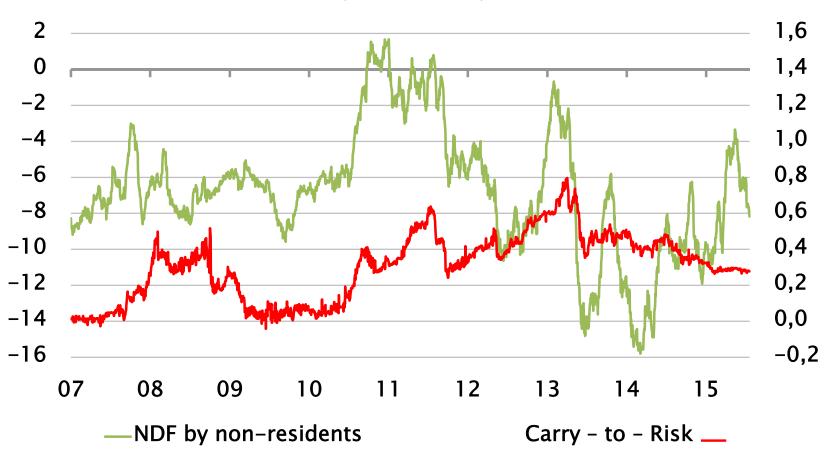


Source: Central Bank of Chile

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#### Carry-to-Risk ratio and non-resident NDF position

(US\$ billions; ratio)



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#### **Future Challenges**

- Timely information on who-to-whom holdings would improve the quality of assessments for financial stability and complement gross and net measures in the sectoral financial accounts
- Increased granularity in derivative exposures also would help fine-tune the analysis of, for instance, foreign exchange exposures
- Better measuring the accounts of non-listed and non-regulated NFC remains a key factor

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