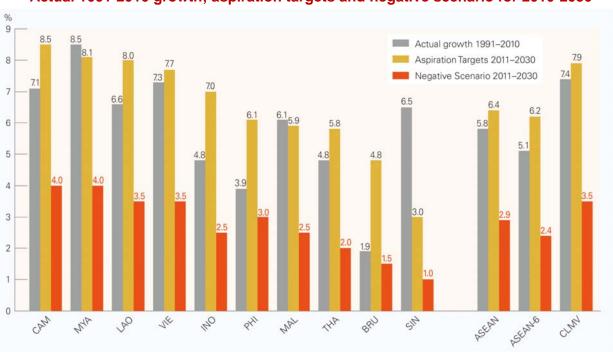
# Sustainable Growth For ASIA SME and Infrastructure

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ASEAN GDP Growth to 2030: Aspirations vs. Negative Scenario Actual 1001-2010 growth; aspiration targets and negative scenario for 2010-2030

Source: ASEAN 2030: Toward a Borderless Economic Community Asian Development Bank Institute 2014

## **Conditions for Sustainable Growth**

1 Maintain political and macroeconomic stability Sound monetary & fiscal policy and exchange rate policy

2 Support inclusive growth (income equality) Housing policy, Inheritance tax (but savings kept abroad) Equalization --- TAX (inheritance tax) & Transfer

**3** Strengthen Central–Local government relations *Fiscal sustainability; Local government bonds* 

4 Promote competitiveness and innovation Financing facilities for venture business and SMEs

Hometown Investment Trust Funds
 Banks -> difficult to lend start-up business

#### 5 Protect the environment and ensure stable energy supply

6 Develop financial market Financial Inclusion, financial regulation and financial education (access to finance)

#### 7 Education and Healthcare Good public school → Equal education

Good public school → Equal education quality of teachers

8 Enhance seamless connectivity Infrastructure investment, free trade → Pension funds and Insurance → long term investment

9 Improve governance and transparency

## Asian Financial Markets' Main Features

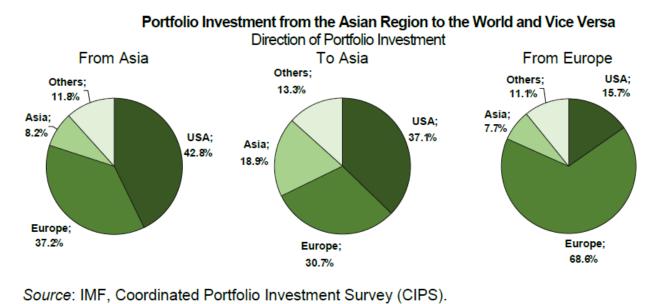
- 1. Bank-dominated financial system
- 2. Small share of bond markets ---> Needs for long term financing
- 3. Lack of long-term investors such as pension funds and Life insurance
- 4, Bench mark bond market (sovereign bond) Infrastructure bond, corporate bond
- 5. High percentage of SMEs
- 6. Large share or Microcredit (finance companies); Lack of venture capital

## Where do Asian savings go?

	Savir	Savings and Investment Ratios in Asia							
Economy	123	avings/GDF atio (%)	Investment/GDP ratio (%)						
	2007	2010	2011	2007	2010	2011			
PRC Mainland	51.9	53.4	53.8	41.7	48.2	48.7			
Hong Kong, China	33.3	29.9	29.2	20.9	23.7	23.8			
Indonesia	27.3	33.3	31.1	24.9	32.5	32.9			
Japan	28.5	23.8	23.9	23.7	20.2	21.4			
Republic of Korea	31.5	31.9	29.6	29.4	29.2	28.2			
Malaysia	37.5	32.9	33.1	21.6	21.4	21.8			
Philippines	22.1	24.8	22.3	16.9	20.5	20.5			
Singapore	48.4	46.0	45.8	21.1	23.8	26.0			
Thailand	32.8	30.6	30.4	26.4	25.9	25.6			

*Note*: Savings rate = gross national saving/GDP; Investment rate = gross capital formation/GDP. *Source*: IMF, *World Economic Outlook Database*.

## Portfolio Investment Flows: To and From Asia (2011)



# Analytical Framework for ASEAN SMEs

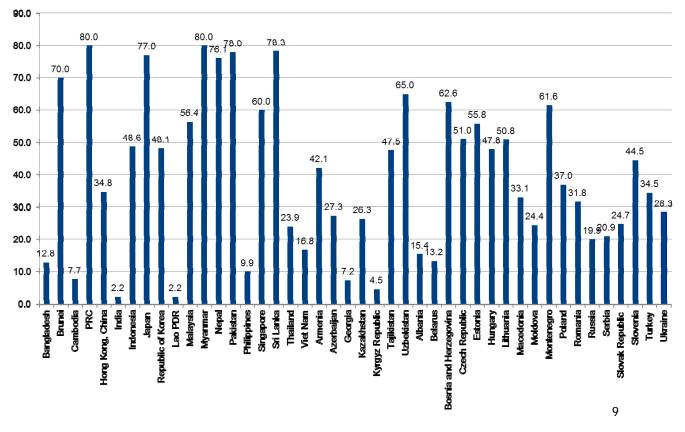
- 1. Human resource development (Local government) (skills, entrepreneurship, Public School, teachers)
- 2. Financial market development (SME financing)
- 3. Technology policy and R&D (Hometown Trust)
- 4. Marketing SMEs products and services (market access, Use of Internet)

 $\mathbf{Y}_{\mathsf{SME}} = \mathbf{A} * \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{N}, \mathbf{K}) \quad where \quad (\mathbf{K} = \mathbf{K}_{p} + \mathbf{K}_{g})$   $\mathbf{K}_{p} = \mathsf{Banks}, \mathsf{Bond} \mathsf{Markets}, \mathsf{Stock} \mathsf{Markets}, \mathsf{Own} \mathsf{Capital}$  $\mathbf{K}_{g} = \mathsf{Infrastructure}$ 

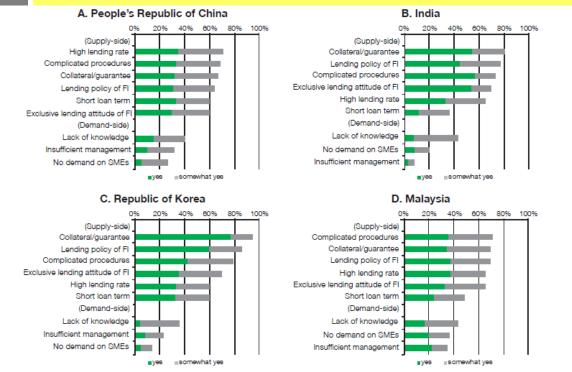
#### <u>Also Important</u>

- Business-enabling environment and entry barriers for new firms
- Presence of industrial clusters/production networks
- Networking and dissemination of information

#### SMEs Share in Employment (%)



## Barriers for SMEs in Accessing Financial Institutions

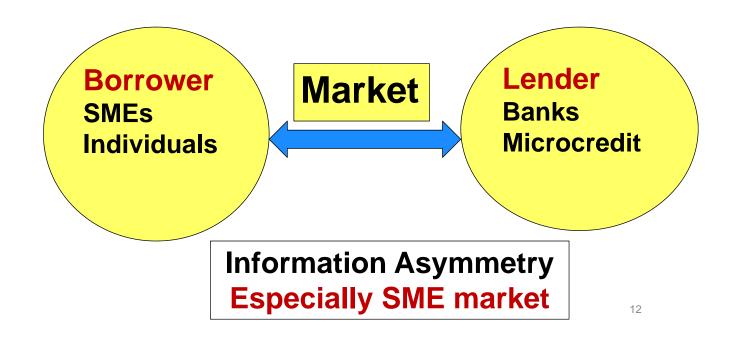


**Source**: ADB–OECD study on enhancing financial accessibility for SMEs: Lessons from recent crises. Mandaluyong City, Philippines: Asian Development Bank, 2013

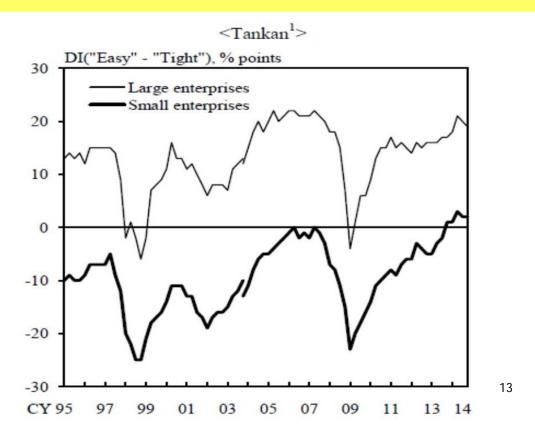
# Four Accounts by SME

- 1, Account to show Bankers
- 2, Account to show tax authority
- 3, His own account
- 4, Account to show to his wife

# **Borrower, Lender and Market**



## Access to Finance by SMEs and Large Firms in Japan



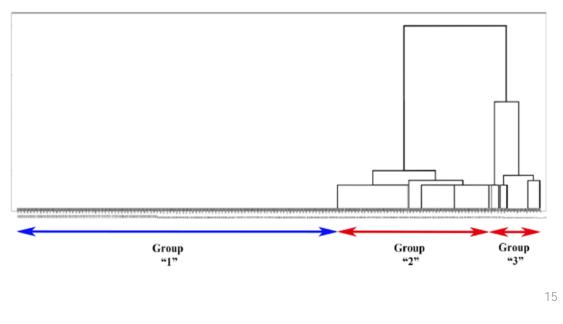
#### **Examined Variable**

No.	Symbol	Definition	Category	
1	Equity_TL	Equity (book value)/total liabilities	Lovorado	
2	TL_Tassets	Total liabilities/total assets	Leverage	
3	Cash_Tassets	Cash/total assets		
4	WoC_Tassets	Working capital/total assets	Liquidity	
5	Cash_Sales	Cash/net sales		
6	EBIT_Sales	Ebit/sales		
7	Rinc_Tassets	Retained earnings/total assets	Profitability	
8	Ninc_Sales	Net income/sales		
9	EBIT_IE	Ebit/interest expenses	Coverage	
10	AP_Sales	Account payable/sales	Activity	
11	AR_TL	Account receivable/total liabilities	Activity	

*Note:* Retained earnings = the percentage of net earnings not paid out as dividends, but retained by the company to be reinvested in its core business or to pay debt. It is recorded under shareholders' equity in the balance sheet. Ebit = earnings before interest and taxes. Account payable = an accounting entry that represents an entity's obligation to pay off a short-term debt to its creditors. The accounts payable entry is found on a balance sheet under current liabilities. Account receivable = money owed by customers (individuals or corporations) to another entity in exchange for goods or services that have been delivered or used, but not yet paid for. Receivables usually come in the form of operating lines of credit and are usually due within a relatively short time period, ranging from a few days to a year.

# Cluster analysis: the average linkage method

## **Dendogram Using Average Linkage**

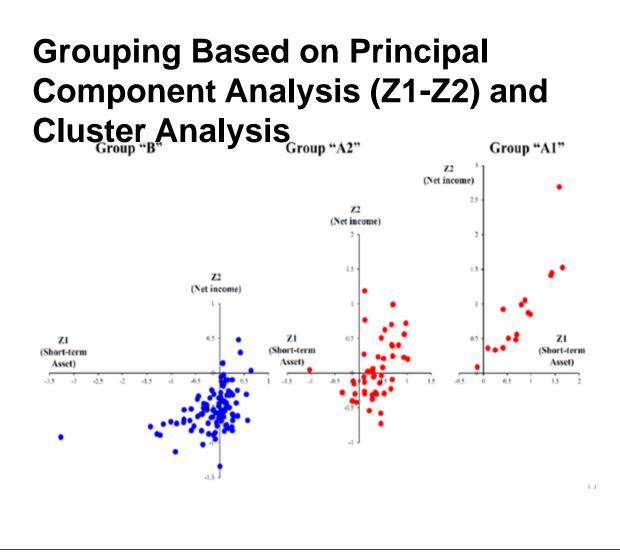


## **Factor Loadings of Financial Variables**

Variables	Component			
(Financial Ratios)	Z1	<b>Z</b> 2	<b>Z</b> 3	Z4
Equity_TL	0.009	0.068	0.113	0.705
TL_Tassets	-0.032	-0.878	0.069	-0.034
Cash_Tassets	-0.034	-0.061	0.811	0.098
WoC_Tassets	-0.05	0.762	0.044	0.179
Cash_Sales	-0.937	0.021	0.083	0.009
EBIT_Sales	0.962	0.008	0.024	-0.004
Rinc_Tassets	0.014	0.877	0.015	-0.178
Ninc_Sales	0.971	-0.012	0.015	0.014
EBIT_IE	0.035	0.045	0.766	-0.098
AP_Sales	-0.731	-0.017	-0.037	-0.016
AR_TL	0.009	-0.041	-0.104	0.725

*Note:* The extraction method was principal component analysis, The rotation method was direct oblimin with Kaiser normalization.

(i) Sales	<b>Z1</b>
(ii) Assets	<b>Z2</b>
(iii) Liquidity (Cash)	<b>Z3</b>
(iv) Total Debt	<b>Z4</b>



*Credit Rating for SMEs and financial education* by Use of SME Database

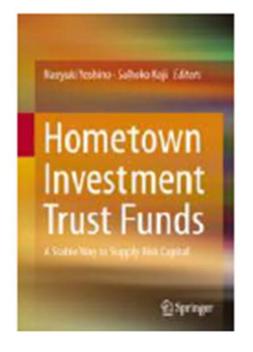
1, Credit Rating is only applicable to large companies

2, Credit Rating for SMEs based on SME Data

- 3, Three ranking of SMEs (Asian country) Five ranking of SMEs (Japan's case)
- 4, Credit Guarantee ratio is determined
- 5, SME data can produce default risk ratio
- 6, Risk based Interest rate
- 7, Financial education for SMEs



## **Possible Solutions**



## Hometown Investment Trust Funds

A Stable Way to Supply Risk Capital

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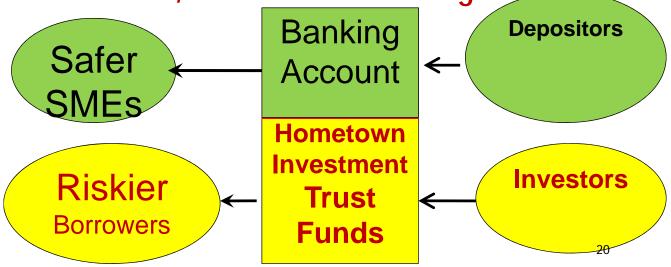
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Bank-based SME financing and regional financing to riskier borrowers

- 1. Bank Loans to relatively safer borrower
- 2. Hometown Investment Trust Funds

E-Finance, Internet financing





# Agricultural Funds Beans and Wine



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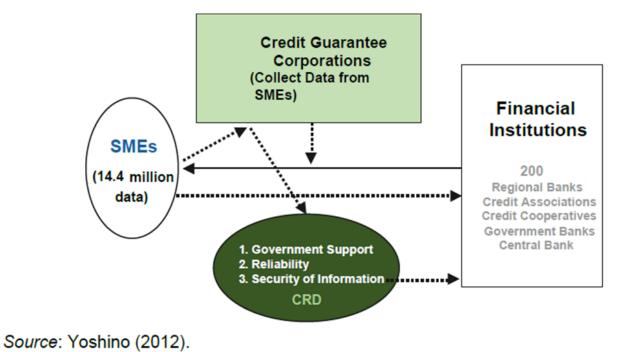


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#### Credit Risk Database of Credit Guarantee



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# Credit Guarantee Mechanism

1, Credit Guarantee System	
100% guarantee	
Partial guarantee (80%, 20%)	
2, Differential guarantee ratio to each bank	
based on their past performance	
3, How to avoid moral hazard?	
4, To reduce information asymmetry	
5, Temporary downturn of business	
6, Structural downturn of business	
7, Costs and Benefits of Credit Guarantee	25

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## **Optimal Credit Guarantee for SMEs**

**Policy Objective Function**  $U = w_1 (L-L^*)^2 + w_2 (\rho - \rho^*)^2$ where  $L^* = (1+a)L_{t-1}$   $\rho^* = \alpha \ge \rho_{t-1}$ **Banks' Profit Maximization**  $\prod = r_L(L)xL - \rho(L,Z,P_1)xL - rDxD-C(L,D)$ Max. subject to (1-p)xL+pxL=D+A Banks' B/S where Z= credit guarantee, PL=land price **Optimal Credit guarantee ratio is obtained as**  $Z^* = f(L-L^*), (\rho-\rho^*), w_1, w_2, \rho'L, \rho'Z, d_1)$ \_\_\_ Optimal credit guarantee ratio is not 100%. <sup>26</sup>

#### Regulation of Money Lenders in Rural Regions

- 1, Money lenders, Interest rate = 96% in Japan
- 2, License ---- Banks Registration ---- Finance companies
  3, New Finance Company Law
  (i) Highest interest rate = 20%
  (ii) Amount of borrowing < 1/3 of Income</li>
  (iii) Minimum Capital requirement
  (iv) Paper test to run business
  (v) Self regulatory organization was set up two steps of monitoring and supervision
  (vi) Consumers' complaints

#### **Two Types of Investors**

Community Type Infrastructure → Hometown Investment Trust Funds Wind power Generator Funds Japanese Wine Fund Local Airport Agricultural Sector Large Projects and Professional Investors Pension Funds Insurance companies Mutual Funds

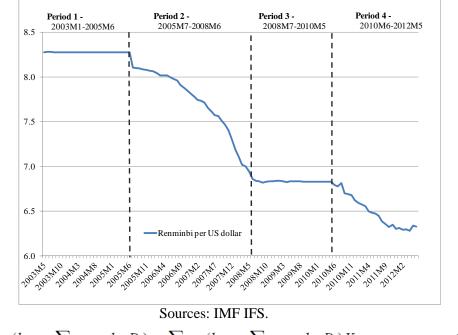
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#### Dynamic Transition of Exchange Rate Regime in China

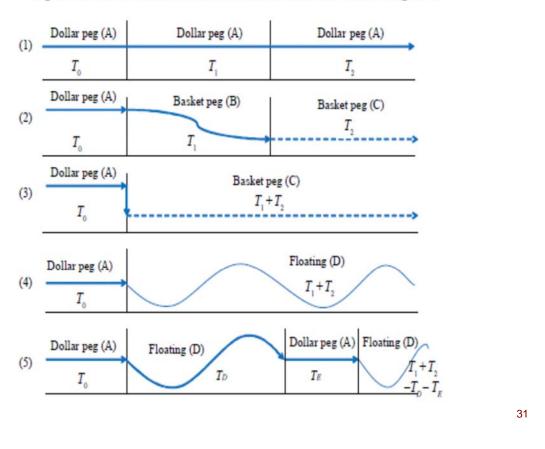
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$$CNY_{t} = (b_{0,1} + \sum_{i=\{2,3,4\}} b_{0,1}D_{i}) + \sum_{j\in C} (b_{j,1} + \sum_{i=\{2,3,4\}} b_{j,i}D_{i})X_{j,t} + u_{t},$$
(1)



Sample period	Period 1 7 May 2003–	Period 2 25 July 2005–	Period 3 1 July 2008–	Period 4 1 June 2010–
	22 July 2005	30 June 2008	28 May 2010	1 June 2012
Estimated weights on the US	0.999**	0.842**	0.918**	0.819**
dollar rate	(0.001)	(0.036)	(0.017)	(0.039)



#### Figure 3. Five Policies to Follow in the Transition to Stable Regimes

#### Quantitative analysis (cont.)

+ Cumulative losses :  $T_0=0$ ,  $T_1=18$ , &  $T_2=18$ 

$$L(T_1, T_2) \equiv \sum_{t=1}^{T_0 + T_1 + T_2} \beta^{t-1} (y_t - \bar{y}')^2$$

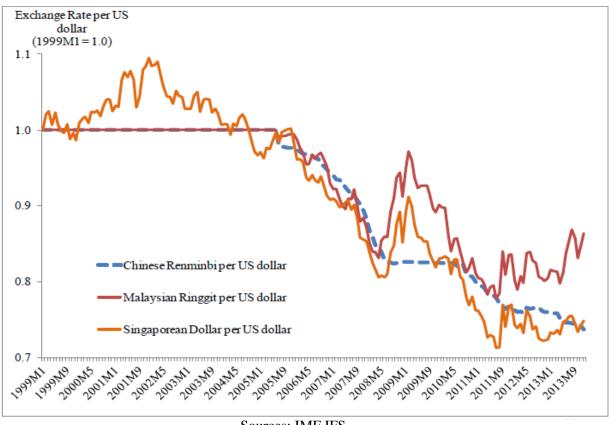
#### Table 8. Cumulative Losses and Optimal Values of Instruments

Stable regime	Policy (1) Dollar peg	Policy (2) Basket peg	Policy (3) Basket peg	Policy (4) Floating	Policy (5) <sup>b</sup> Managed floating
Adjustment	-	Gradual	Sudden	Sudden	Sudden
Instrument value	i* = 4.34	v*=0.58	v** = 0.68	m* = 0.016	m** = 0.017
Cumulative loss (value)	17.04	1.80	1.91	2.67	2.31
Cumulative loss (percent of $(\overline{y}^2)^*$ )*	23.4	2.4	2.6	3.7	3.2

Source: Authors' calculations

Note: "We calculate the value of  $\overline{y}^2$  shown in Section IV and obtain  $\overline{y}^2 = 72.8$ ." For T = 7, the cumulative loss is 3.54 ( $m^{**} = 0.017$ ).

#### Motivation (cont.)



#### Sources: IMF IFS.

#### Quantitative analysis (cont.)

#### (1) Malaysia

	Policy (1)	Policy (2)	Policy (3)	Policy (4)	Policy (5)	Policy (6)
Stable regime	Dollar peg	Basket peg	Basket peg	Basket peg	Floating	Floating
Adjustment	-	Gradual	Sudden	Sudden	Sudden	Sudden
Basket weight	1.00	0.40	0.54	0.45	-	-
Cumulative loss (%)	17.51	17.35	17.46	17.46	24.31	25.93

Sources: Authors' calculations

#### (2) Singapore

	Policy (1)	Policy (2)	Policy (3)	Policy (4)	Policy (5)	Policy (6)
Stable regime	Dollar peg	Basket peg	Basket peg	Basket peg	Floating	Floating
Adjustment	-	Gradual	Sudden	Sudden	Sudden	Sudden
Basket weight	1.00	0.67	0.9	0.85	-	-
Cumulative loss (%)	45.60	45.56	45.64	45.61	60.51	64.18

Sources: Authors' calculations

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