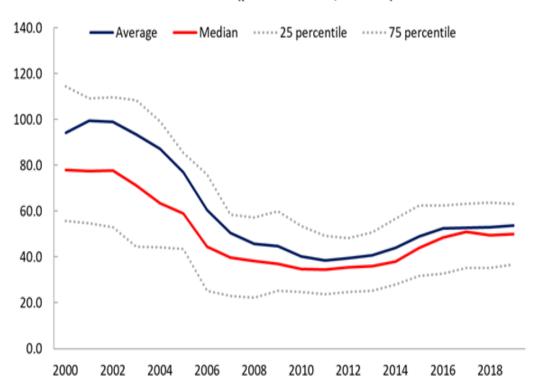
Debt Sustainability and Transparency

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July, 2020

Public debt has increased and vulnerability has risen

Evolution of Public Debt in IDA coutries (percent of GDP, median)



Source: IMF, World Economic Outlook, Oct. 2019

Evolution of the Risk of External Debt Distress (in percent of total) ■ Low ■ Moderate ■ High 60 40 20

2010 2011 2012 2013 2014

Source: WB/IMF LIC DSA Database. Note: Figures as of end-June 2020.

2009



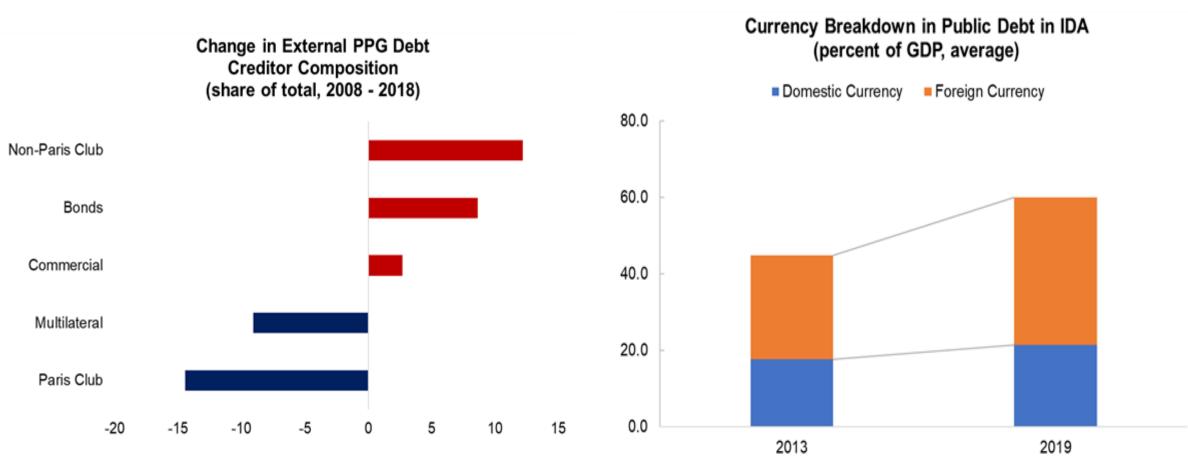
2017

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2015

2016

The composition of external PPG debt has shifted towards costlier and riskier sources of finance

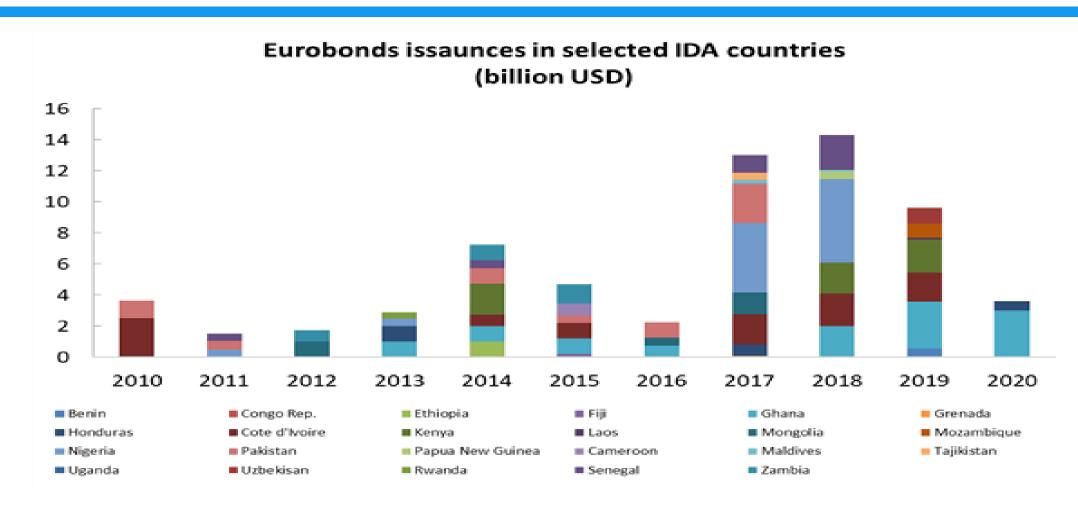


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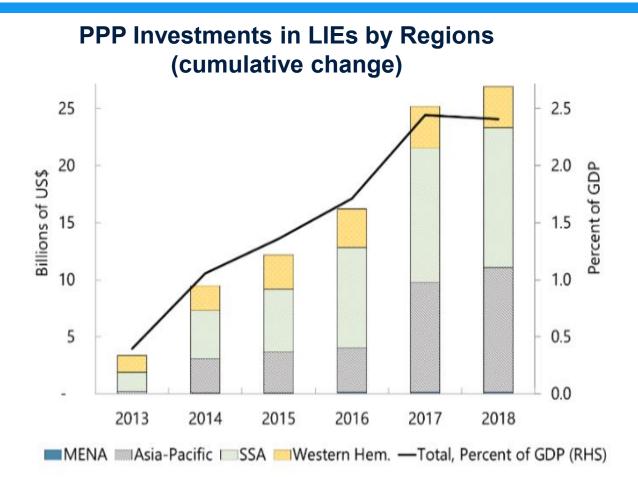
IDA countries continue to tap international capital markets



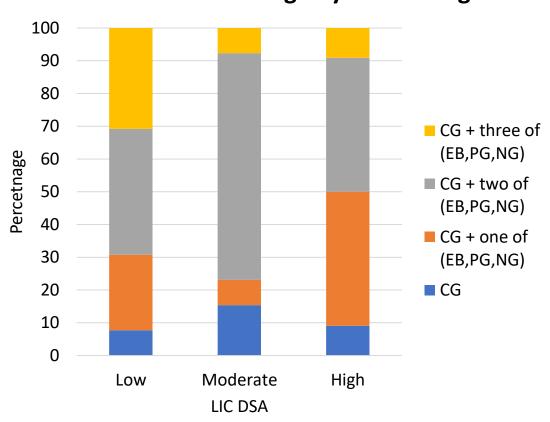
Source: Bloomberg



Contingent liabilities and collateralized debt are increasing



LIC DSA Debt Coverage by Risk Ratings

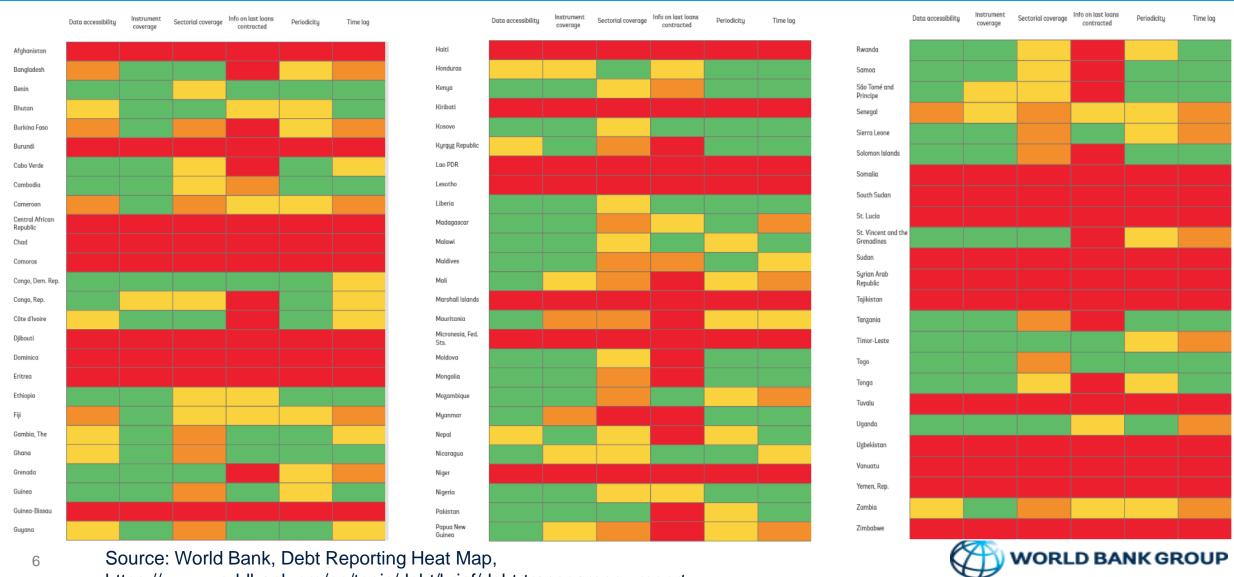


Source: World Bank Private Participation in Infrastructure Database.

Source: Global Macro and Debt, MTI.



Less than 1/3 of IDA countries publish comprehensive public debt reports



Covid-19 Debt Service Suspension Initiative (DSSI)

https://www.worldbank.org/en/topic/debt/brief/covid-19-debt-service-suspension-initiative

- World Bank created a virtual one-stop shop on the DSSI with comprehensive information
 - Country specific data by creditor with detailed information on amounts and maturity
 - Projected annual debt service payments by instrument for all 73 DSSI eligible countries
 - Relevant World Bank and G20 documents and frequent Q/A



Debt transparency

- Publish detailed information on public debt transparency in IDA countries
 - Debt reporting and legal and operational borrowing frameworks in IDA countries
- Working with creditors and borrowers based on five key principles
 - Full public debt disclosure;
 - ii. Transparency around terms and conditions of loans;
 - iii. Waiving confidentiality clauses;
 - iv. Promoting prudent use of collateral; and
 - v. Avoiding violations of legal requirements such as negative pledge clauses
- Reconciling public debt data and establish a comprehensive public debt database

