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Global Finance Names the 50 Safest Emerging Markets Banks 2024

NEW YORK, October 7, 2024 - Global Finance has named the 50 Safest Banks in Emerging Markets for 2024 as part of its 33rd annual World's Safest Banks rankings. The full list is included here and will be published in the November print and digital editions, as well as online at GFMag.com.

Asian banks dominated the list once again this year, taking 26 total spots. South Korea took the top three spots, eight of the top 15 and nine total positions. China has eight banks on the list, including three of the top 10. The UAE also performed very well, with two banks in the top six and six total banks on the chart.

The full report also includes the following: World's 50 Safest Banks; World's 50 Safest Commercial Banks; Safest Banks by Country, Territory and District; Safest Islamic Financial Institutions in the GCC and Safest Banks by Region (Africa, Asia, Australasia, Central & Eastern Europe, Latin America, the Middle East, North America, and Western Europe).

Global Finance's annual rankings of the World's Safest Banks have been the recognized and trusted standard of financial counterparty safety for more than three decades. Global Finance evaluates the ratings and total assets of the main players in developing economies to create the rankings—providing an overview of the key banks in each region and which financial institutions offer the greatest security. Banks were selected through an evaluation of long-term foreign currency ratings—from Fitch, Moody's, and Standard & Poor's—of the 500 largest banks in the world.

"Amid ongoing economic volatility and increasing scrutiny of digital currencies, the resilience and soundness of banks continue to be the bedrock of global commerce in 2024," said Joseph Giarraputo, founder and editorial director of Global Finance.

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RANK	BANK NAME	COUNTRY/TERRITORY/ DISTRICT
1	Korea Development Bank	SOUTH KOREA
2	Export-Import Bank of Korea	SOUTH KOREA
3	Industrial Bank of Korea	SOUTH KOREA
4	Bank of Taiwan	TAIWAN
5	Emirates Development Bank	UAE
6	First Abu Dhabi Bank	UAE
7	Qatar National Bank	QATAR
8	China Development Bank	CHINA
9	Agricultural Development Bank of China	CHINA
10	Export-Import Bank of China	CHINA
11	Kookmin Bank	SOUTH KOREA
12	Shinhan Bank	SOUTH KOREA
13	Hana Bank	SOUTH KOREA
14	NongHyup Bank	SOUTH KOREA
15	Woori Bank	SOUTH KOREA
16	Abu Dhabi Commercial Bank	UAE
17	Mega International Commercial Bank	TAIWAN
18	National Bank of Kuwait	KUWAIT
19	Land Bank of Taiwan	TAIWAN
20	Industrial & Commercial Bank of China	CHINA
21	Agricultural Bank of China	CHINA
22	China Construction Bank	CHINA
23	Bank of China	CHINA
24	Komercni banka	CZECH REPUBLIC
25	Emirates NBD Bank	UAE



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26	First Commercial Bank	TAIWAN
27	Cathay United Bank	TAIWAN
28	ING Bank Slaski	POLAND
29	Abu Dhabi Islamic Bank	UAE
30	Qatar Islamic Bank	QATAR
31	Scotiabank Chile	CHILE
32	Suhyup Bank	SOUTH KOREA
33	Boubyan Bank	KUWAIT
34	Bank of Communications	CHINA
35	Saudi National Bank	SAUDI ARABIA
36	Al Rajhi Bank	SAUDI ARABIA
37	Kuwait Finance House	KUWAIT
38	Hua Nan Commercial Bank	TAIWAN
39	E.SUN Commercial Bank	TAIWAN
40	Chang Hwa Commercial Bank	TAIWAN
41	Banco del Estado de Chile	CHILE
42	Mashreqbank	UAE
43	Banco de Chile	CHILE
44	Dukhan Bank	QATAR
45	Al Ahli Bank of Kuwait	KUWAIT
46	Qatar International Islamic Bank	QATAR
47	Ahli Bank	QATAR
48	China Merchants Bank	CHINA
49	Riyad Bank	SAUDI ARABIA
50	Banco de Credito e Inversiones	CHILE