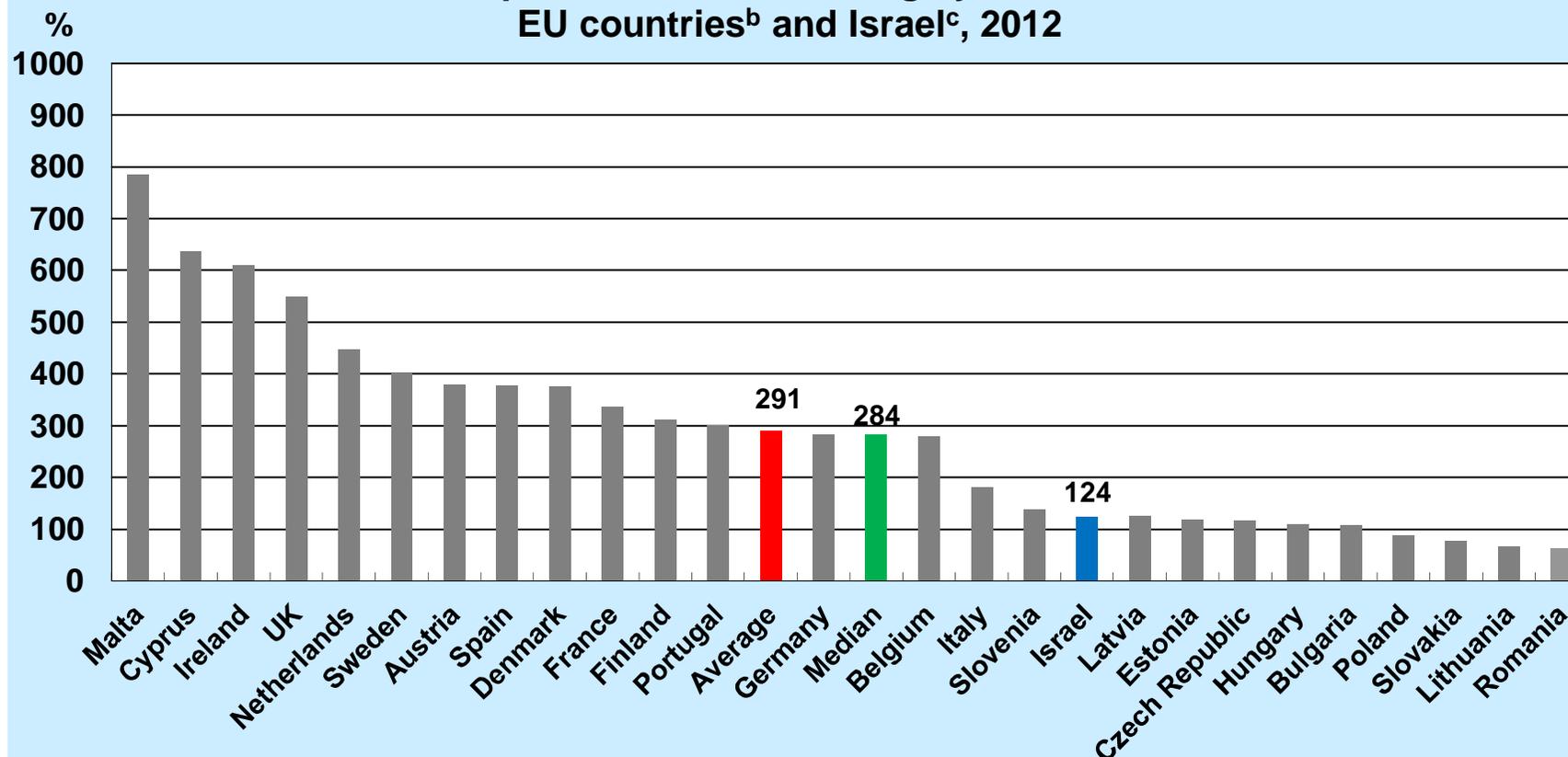


Figure 1.8
International comparison of total banking system assets^a to GDP, in
EU countries^b and Israel^c, 2012



^a Total assets are calculated on a consolidated basis and include all banking groups and independent banks operating in the domestic economy, as well as subsidiaries and banking branches controlled by foreign corporations and operating in the domestic economy.

^b For Luxembourg (which does not appear in the graph), the ratio is 1,725. Greece is not included due to the absence of data.

^c The figure for Israel is as of December 2013.

SOURCE: Foreign countries—the European Central Bank (ECB) and Eurostat; Israel—published financial statements and Central Bureau of Statistics.