

# Trendwatch Deep Dive: Credit Unions vs. Banks

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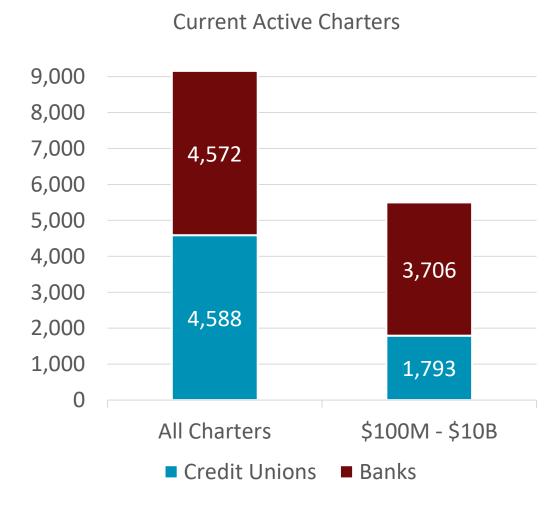
### Today's Agenda

- Credit unions vs. banks
  - Fundamental differences: mission, markets, philosophy
  - 3Q2024 industry performance landscape
- Comparing your performance to for-profit peers
  - Key considerations, opportunities, pitfalls
  - Callahan's Peer Suite for bank and market analysis
- Q&A

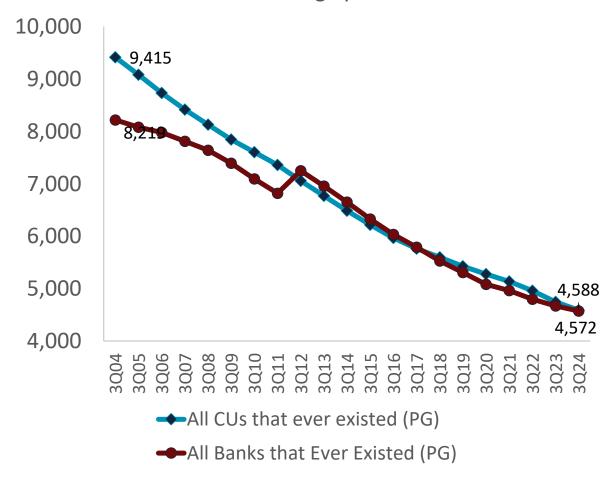




### **Credit Unions & Banks: The Landscape**





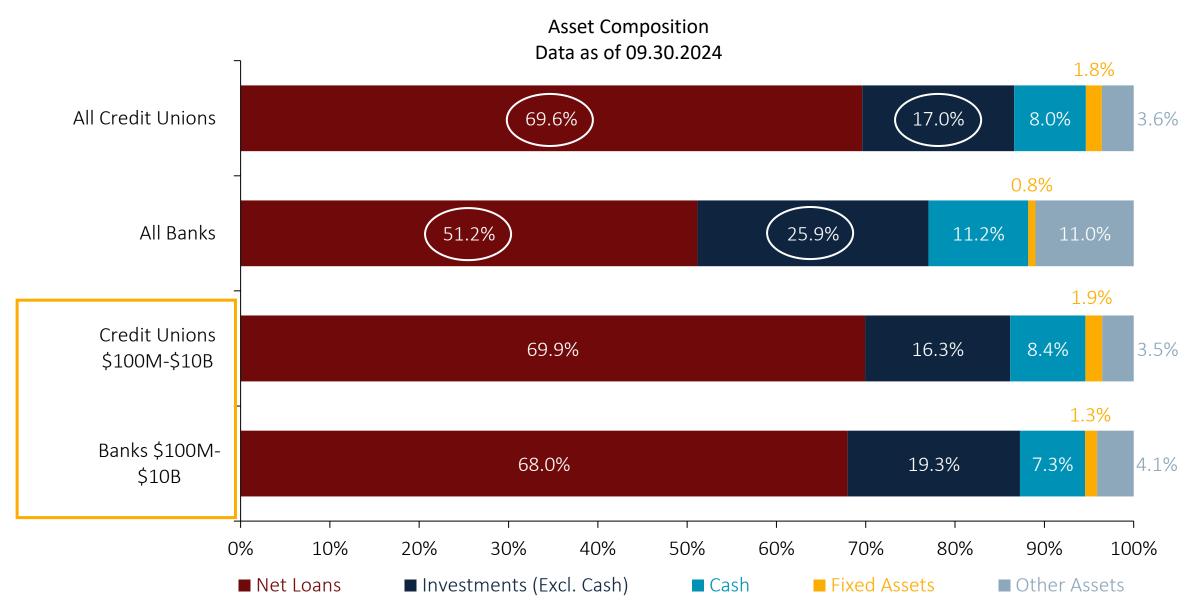




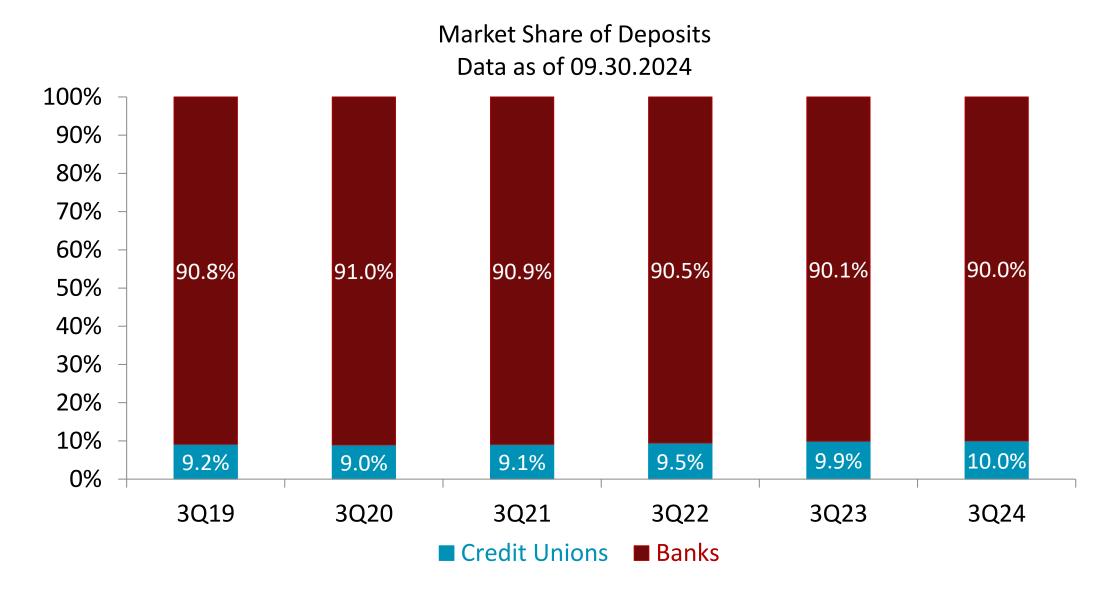
## **Charter Differences: Mission, Markets, Philosophy**

Characteristic	Attribute	Credit Unions (generally)	Banks (generally)			
Mission	Earnings	Capital, cooperative and community reinvestment	Capital, market valuation, and shareholder dividends			
	Governance	Volunteer layperson	Compensated (often ownership)			
	Taxation	Exempt from <b>federal</b> income tax	Subject to <b>federal</b> income tax			
Markets	Market Presence	Tight demographic and/or geographic retail focus	Broader addressable market, larger branch networks			
	Balance Sheet	Consumer competency, often fixed rate pricing	Commercial competency, often variable rate pricing			
Philosophy	Enterprise Risk	For accountholder benefit	For shareholder benefit			
but there are <u>many</u> exceptions!						

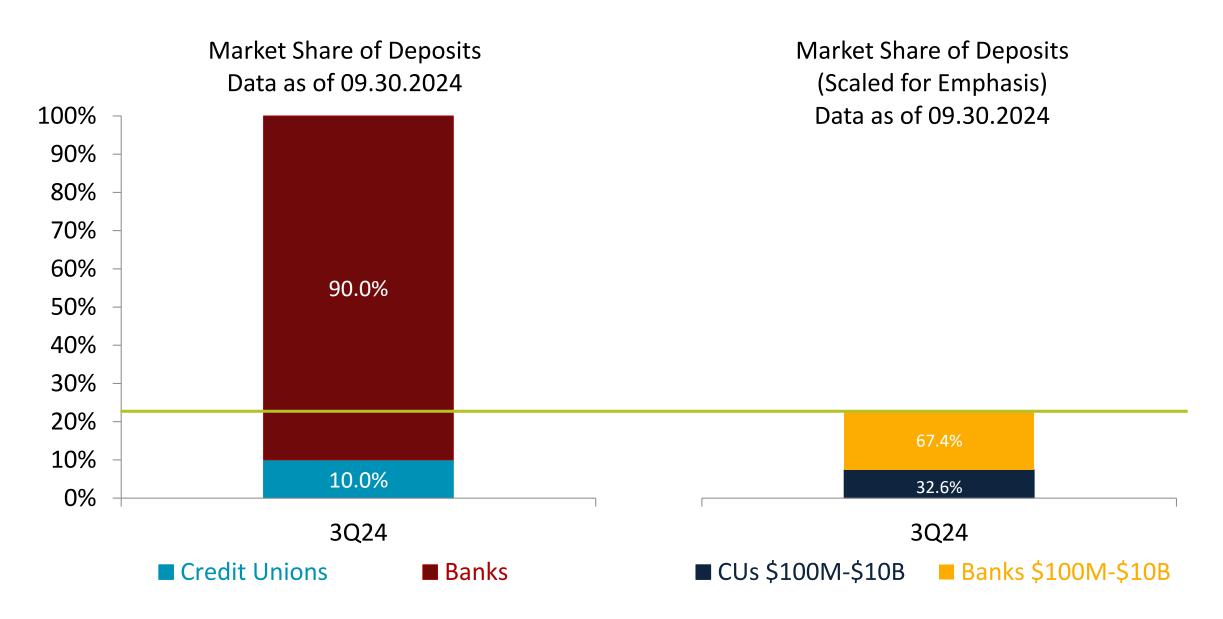
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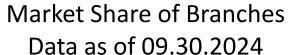


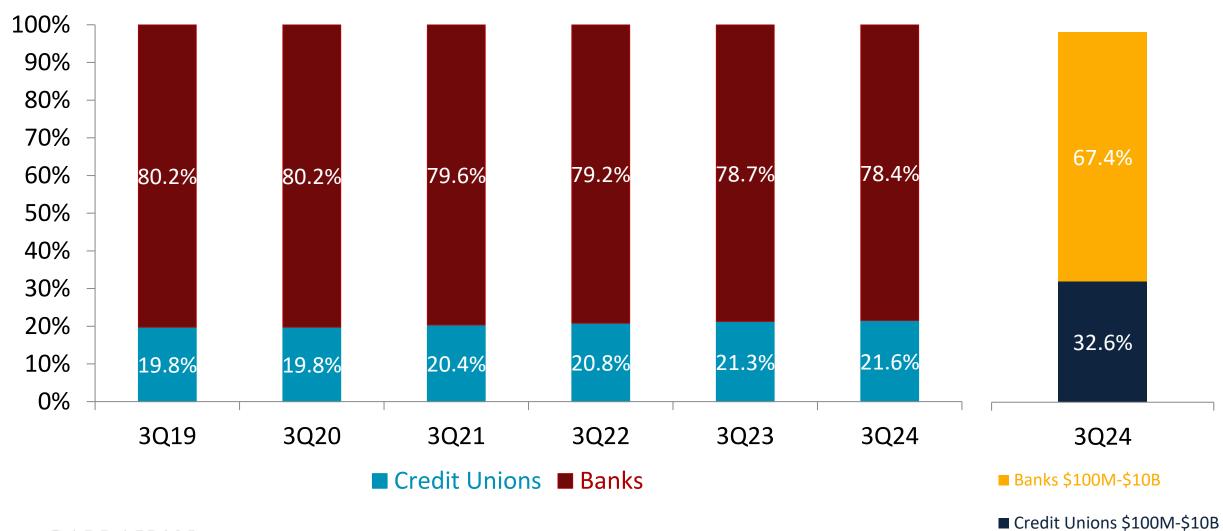






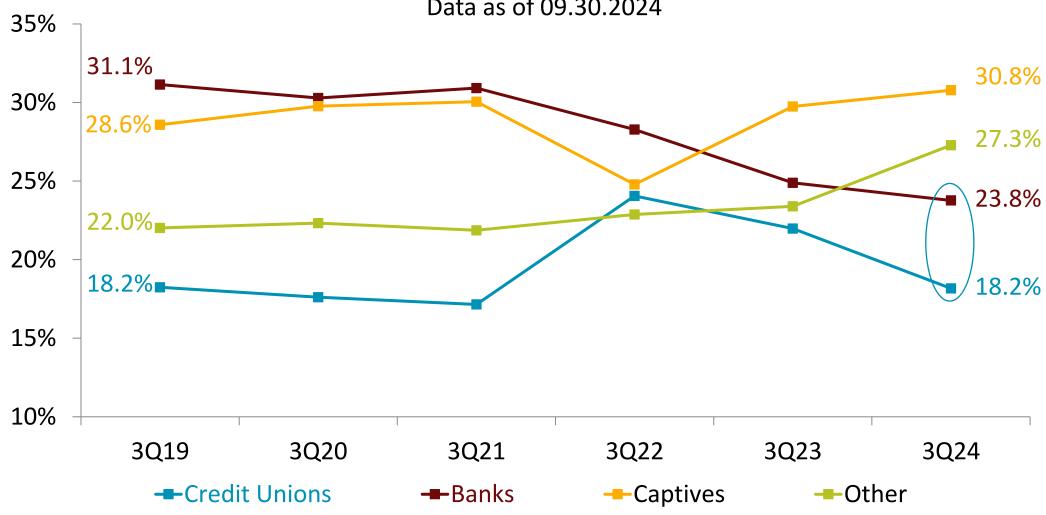








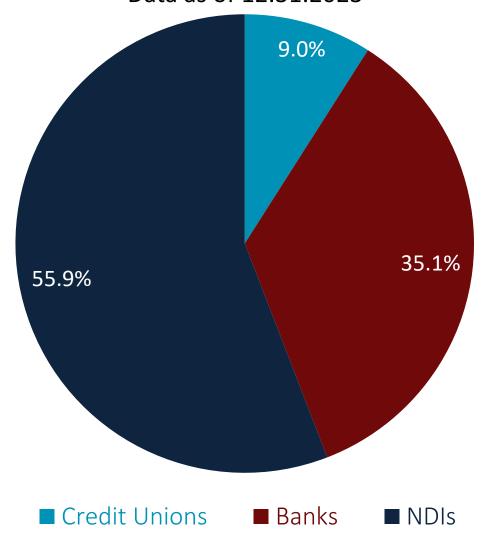






Source: Experian

Market Share of Funded Mortgages (\$)
Data as of 12.31.2023





### 12-Month Growth of Key Metrics

Data as of 09.30.2024

	All Credit Unions	All Banks	CUs \$100M-\$10B	Banks \$100M-\$10B
Assets	3.7%	3.4%	4.1%	5.9%
Loans	2.6%	2.2%	2.8%	6.9%
Deposits	3.2%	2.2%	3.7%	5.6%
Investments (incl. Cash)	-2.5%	5.6%	-2.5%	0.0%
Capital	15.5%	1.7%	16.3%	6.9%
Branches (#)	+31	-991	+257	+428

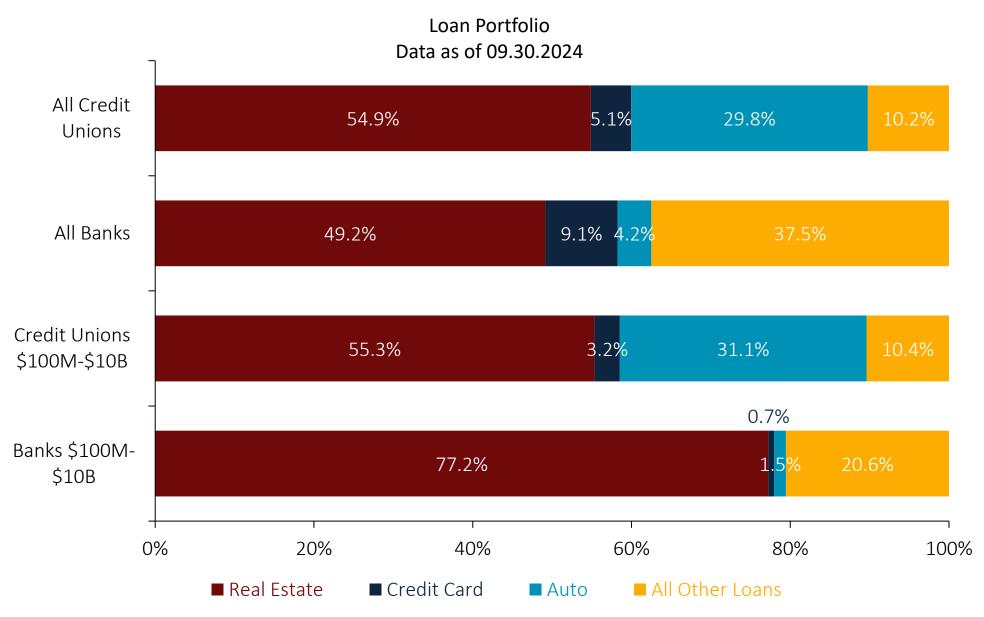
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Source: Callahan's Peer Suite Analytics

# **Loans & Deposits**

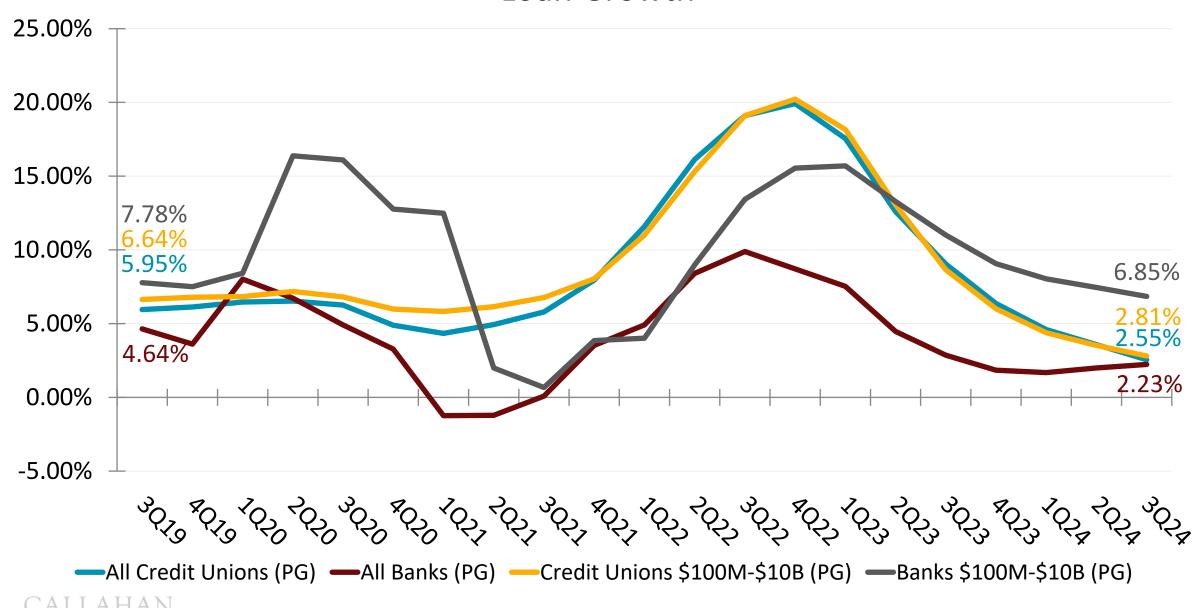




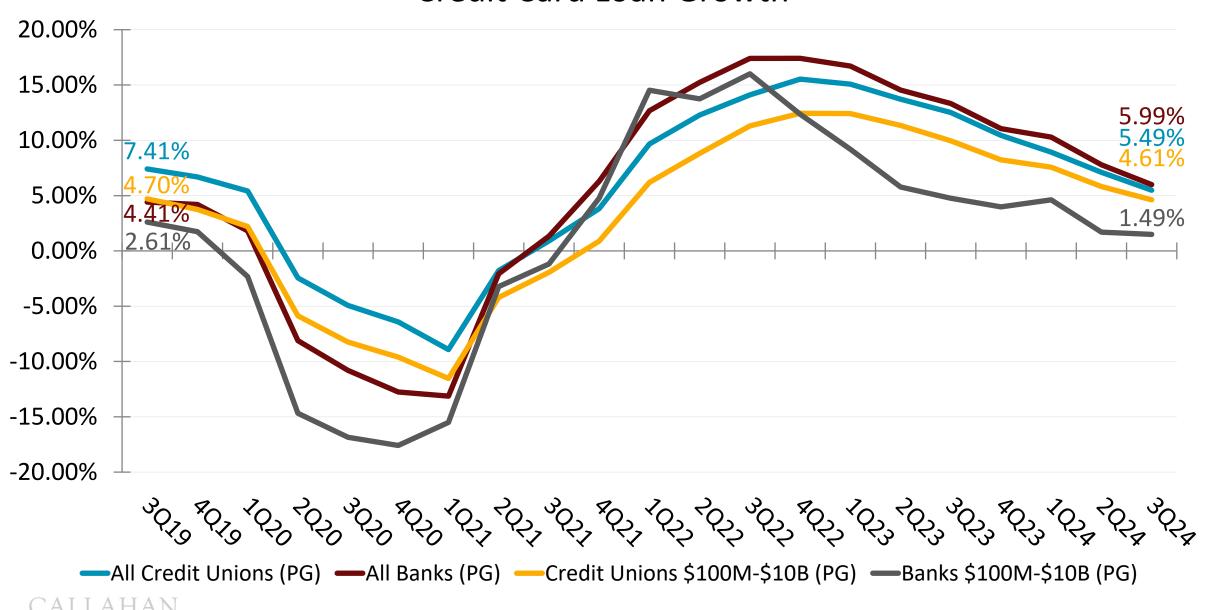




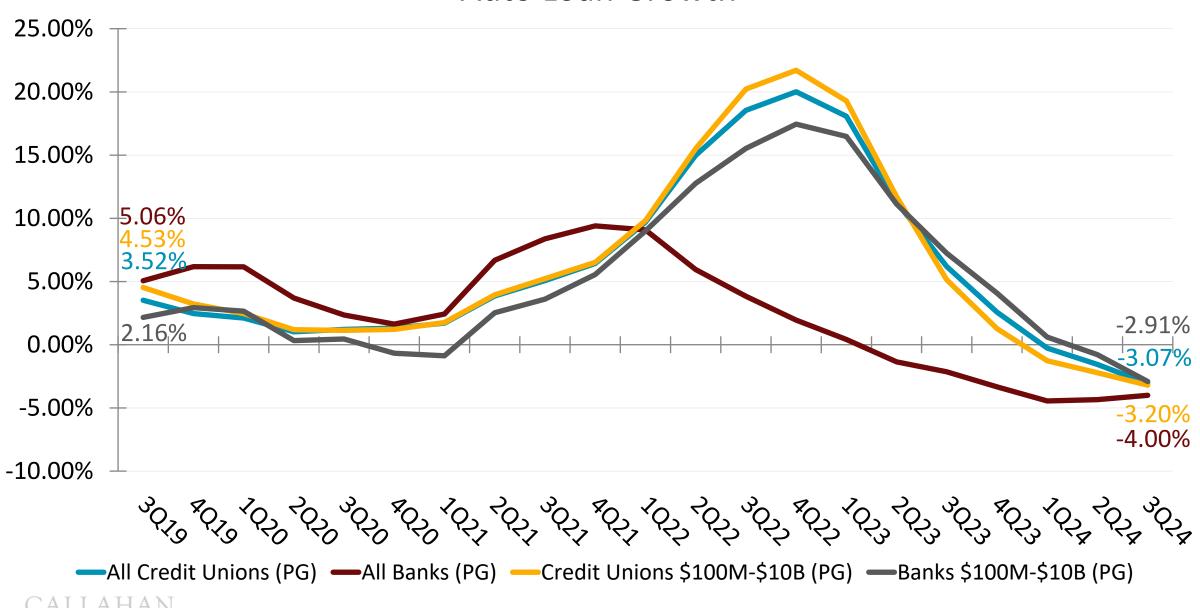
#### Loan Growth



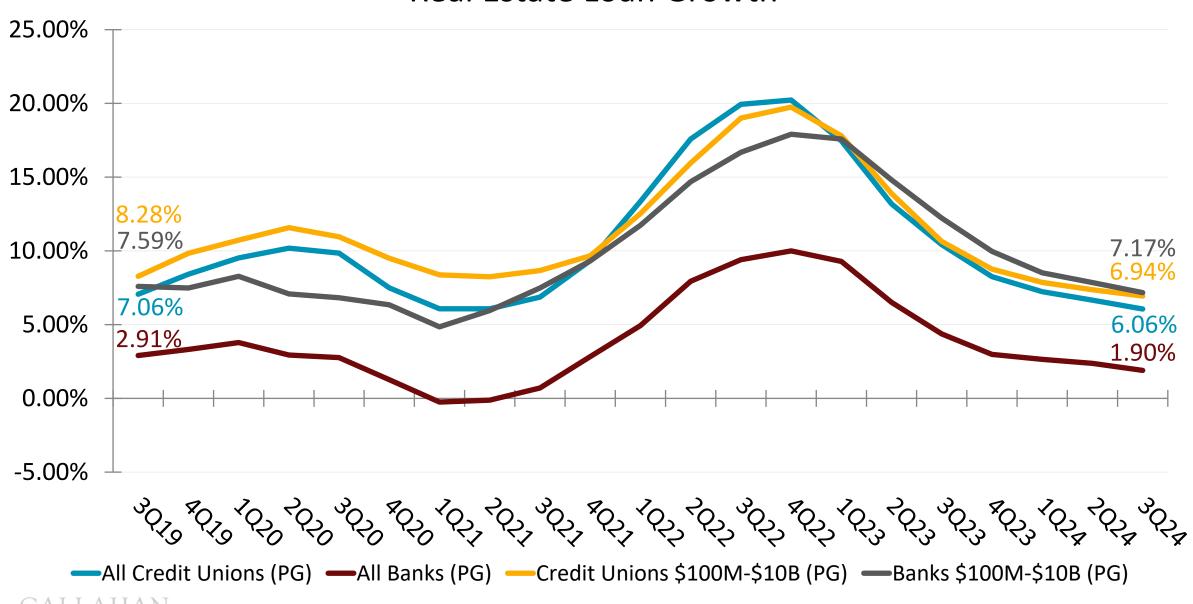
#### Credit Card Loan Growth



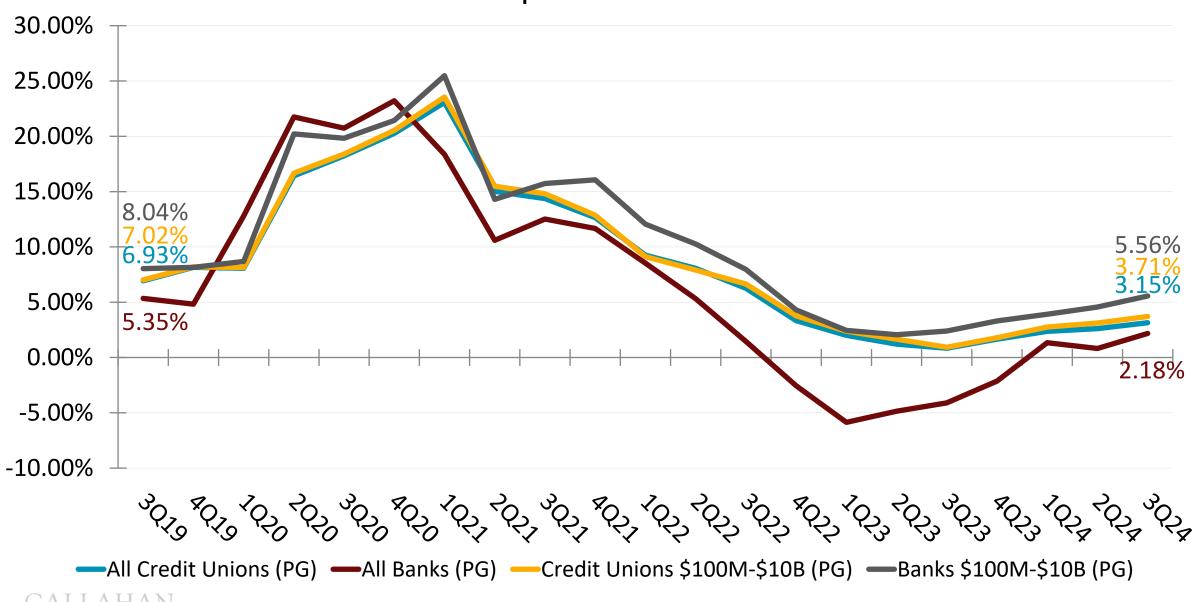
#### **Auto Loan Growth**



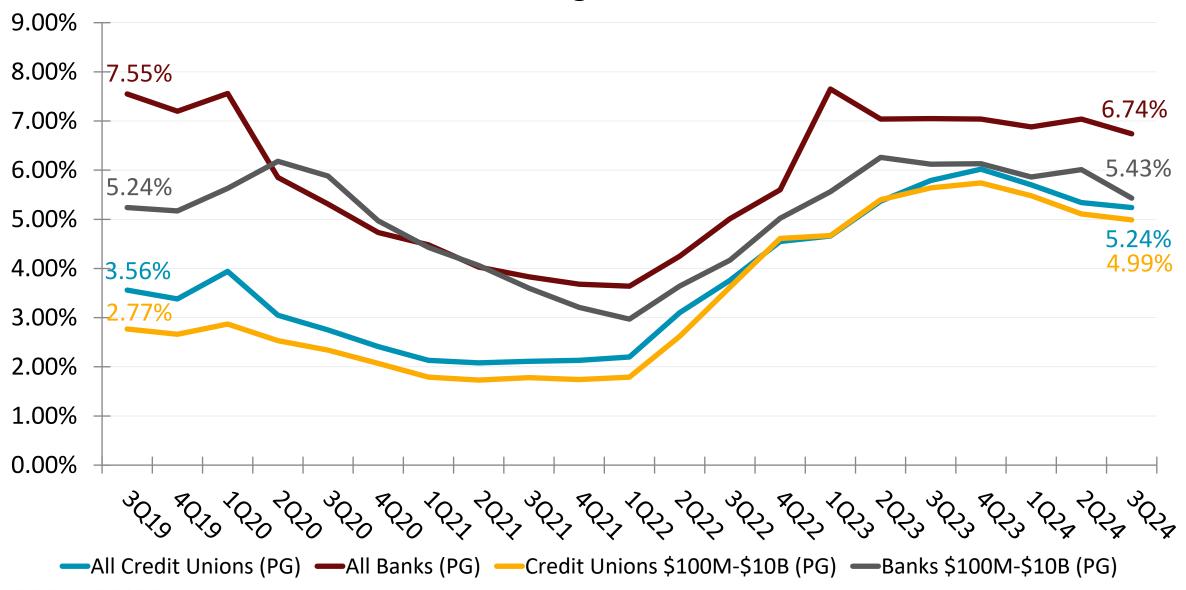
#### Real Estate Loan Growth



#### **Deposit Growth**



#### **Borrowing to Assets**



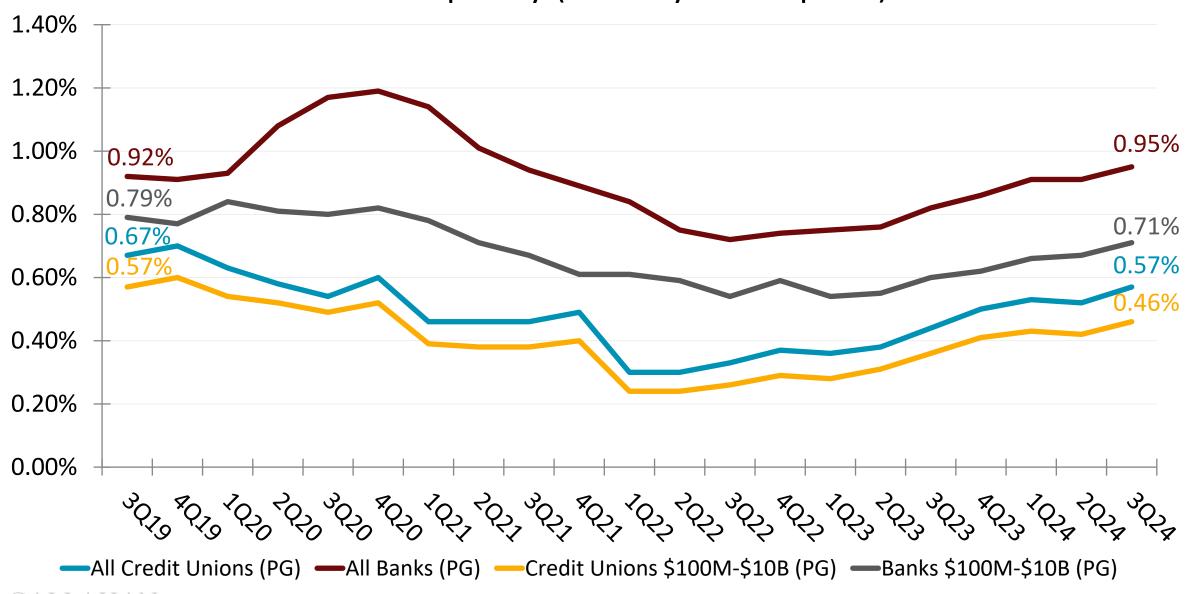


# **Asset Quality**



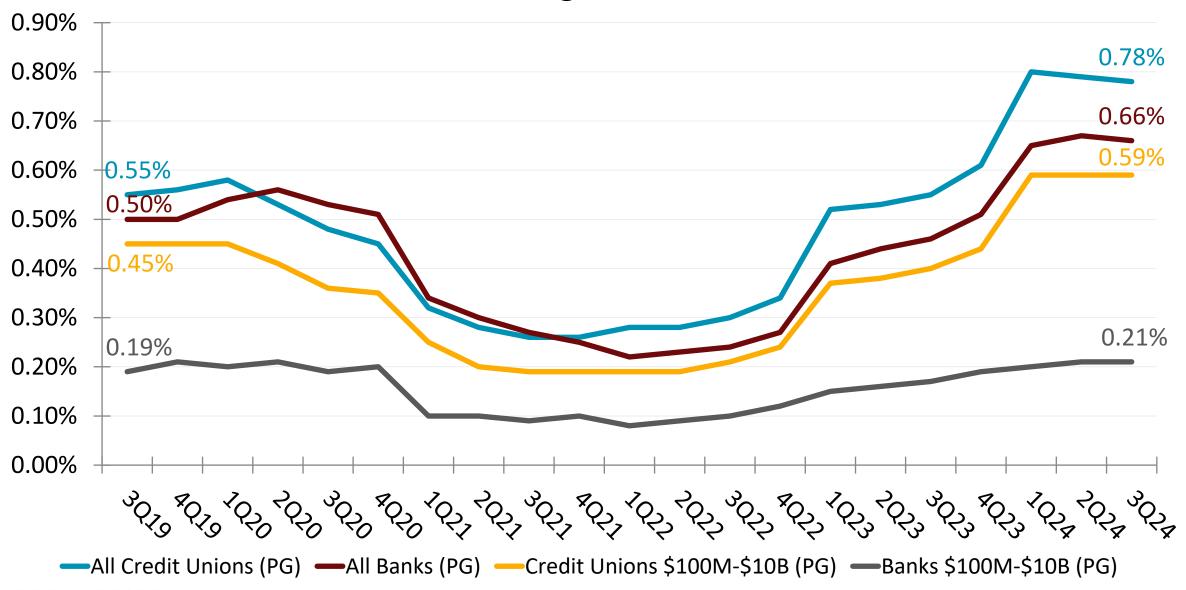


#### Total Delinquency (90+ Days Delinquent)



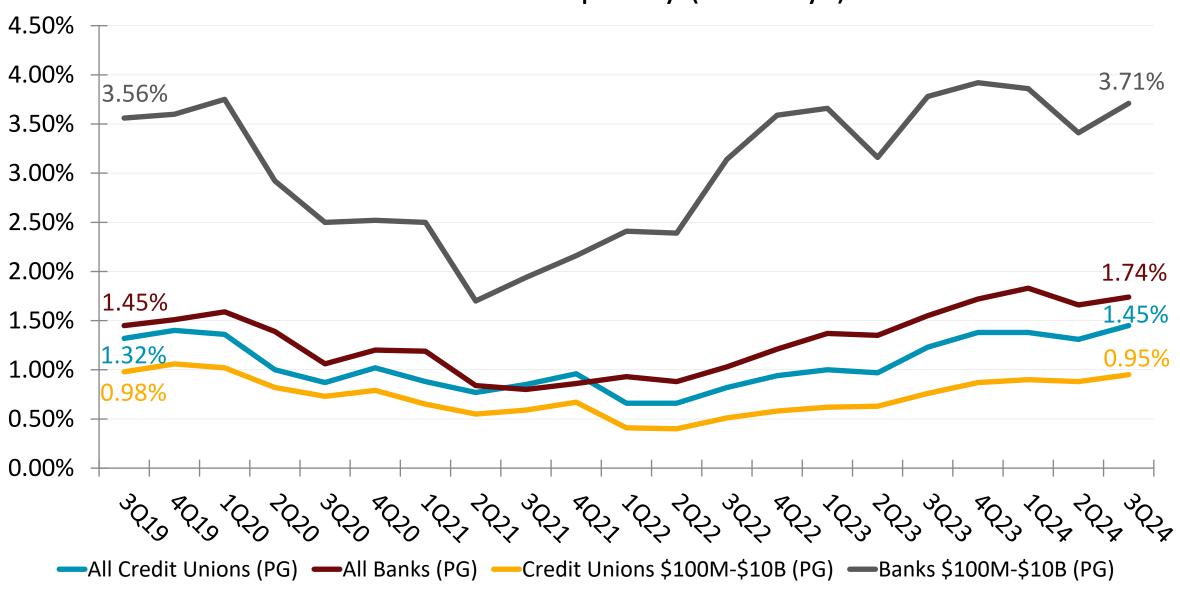


#### **Net Charge-Off Ratio**



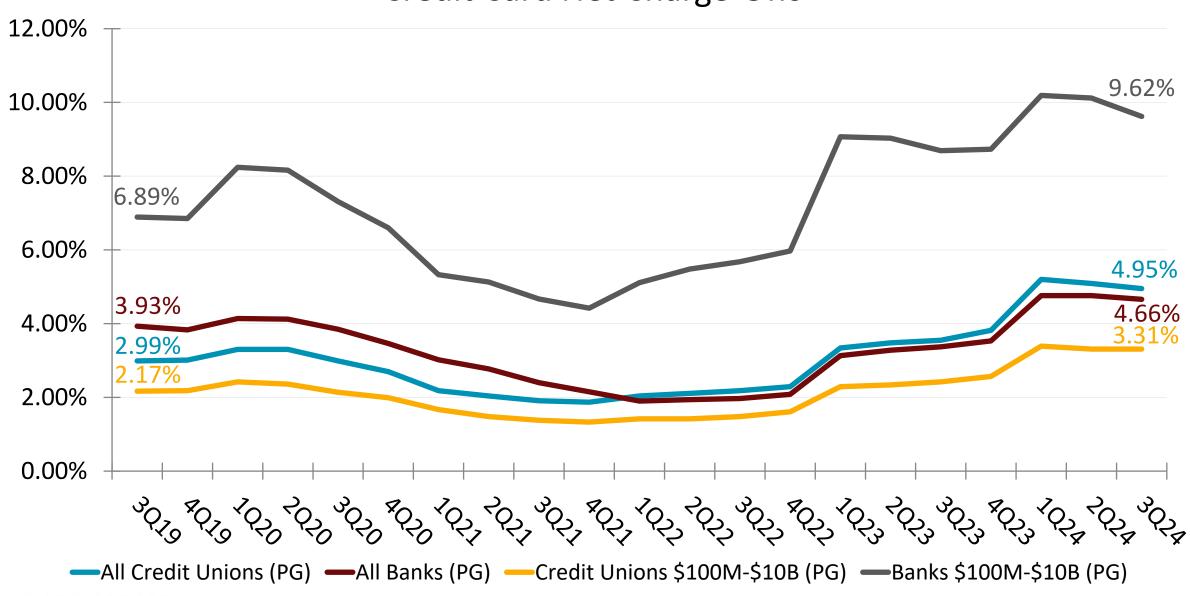


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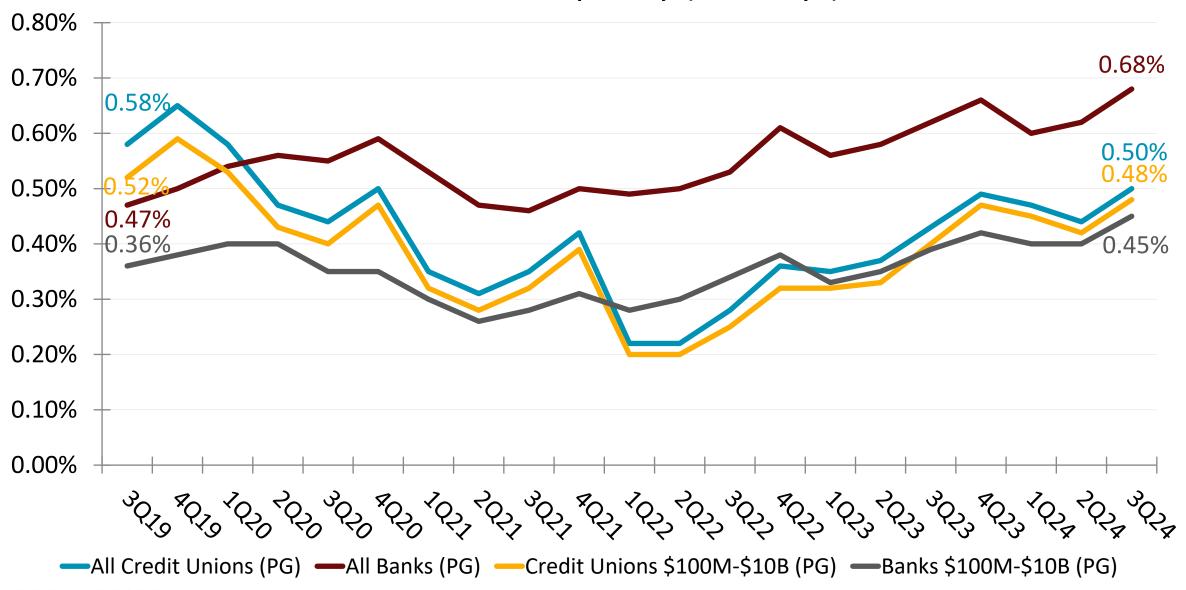


#### **Credit Card Net Charge-Offs**



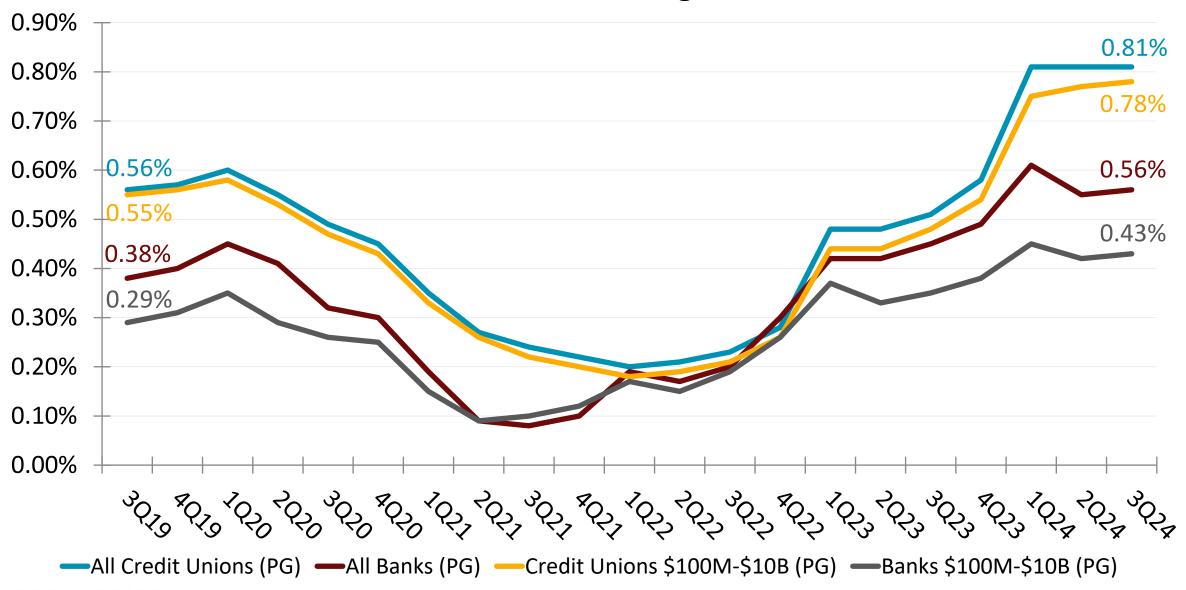


#### Total Auto Delinquency (90+ Days)





#### **Total Auto Net Charge-Offs**

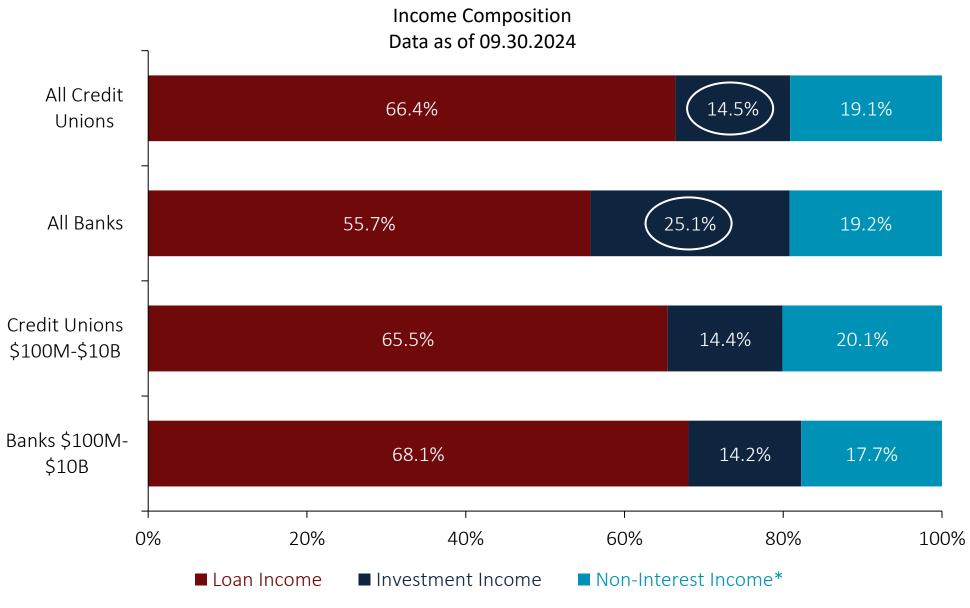




# **Earnings & Capital**



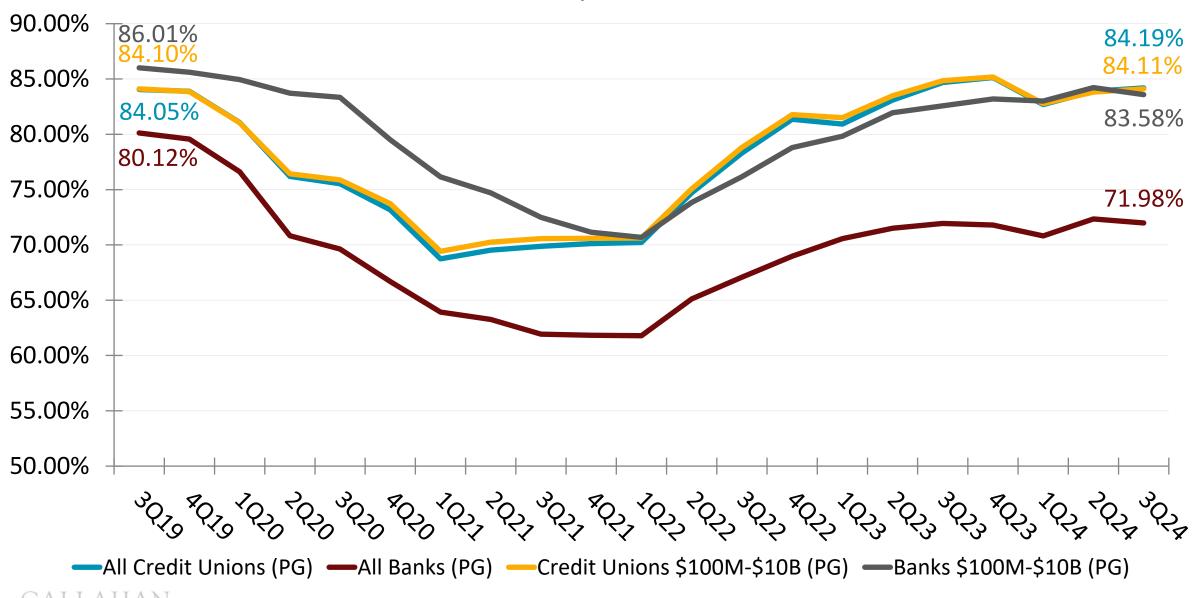




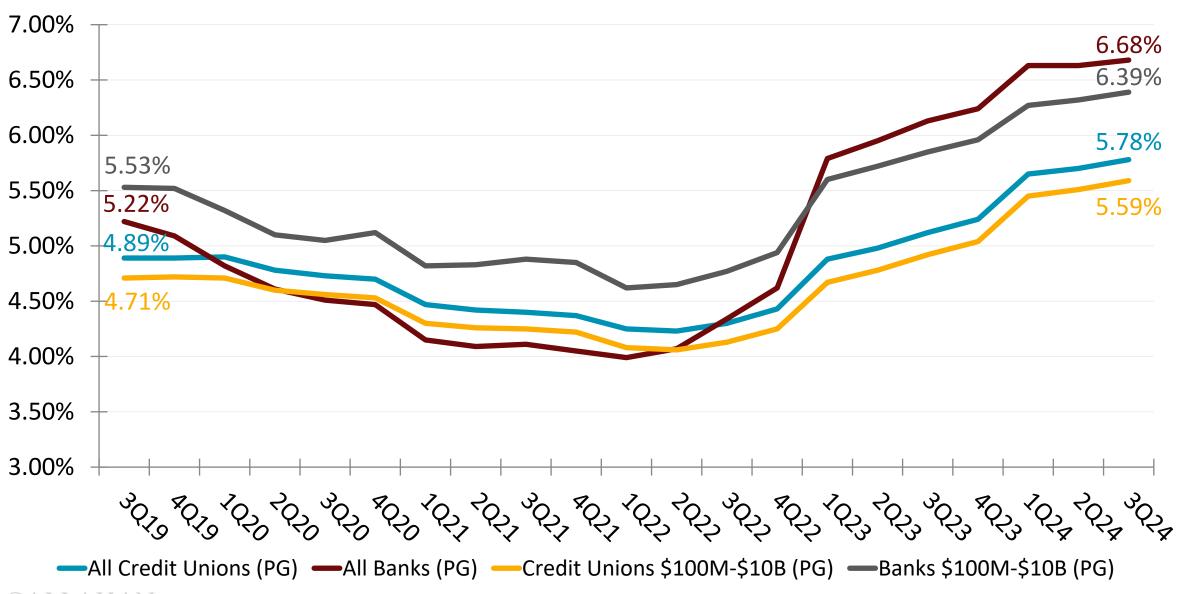


\*Includes Realized Gains (Losses) on HTM & AFS Securities

#### Loans/Shares

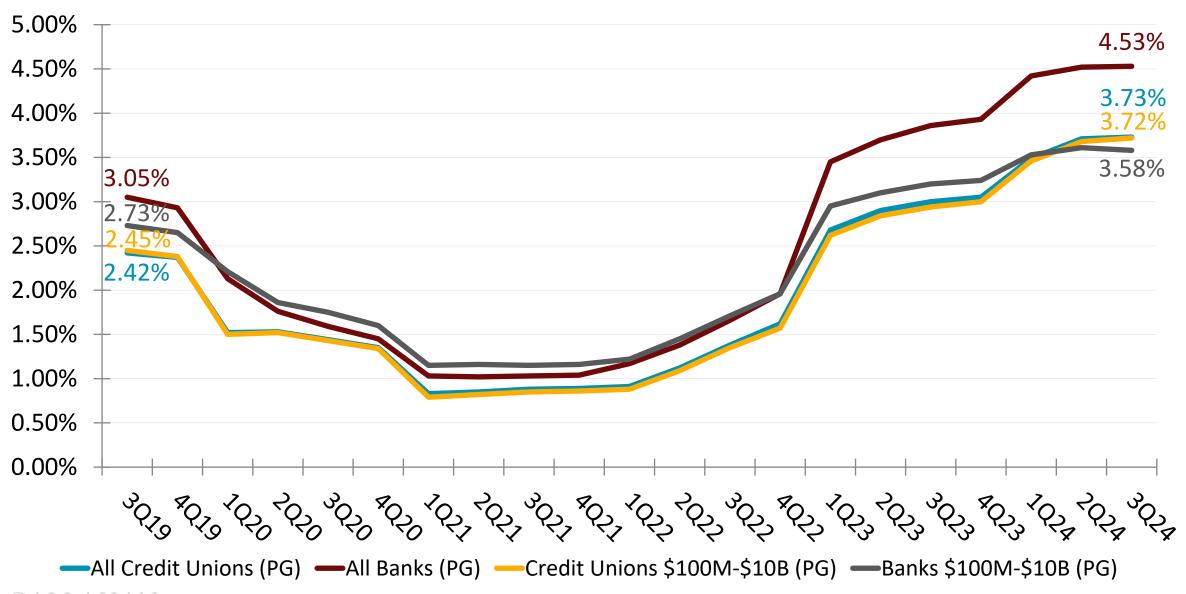


#### **Yield on Loans**



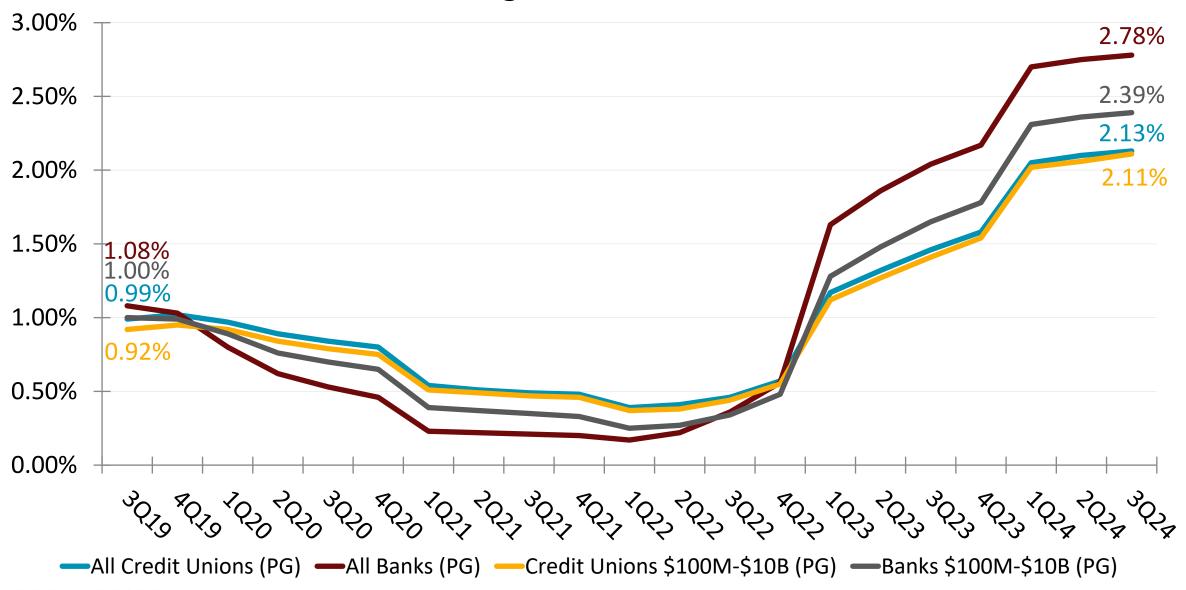


#### Yield on Investments



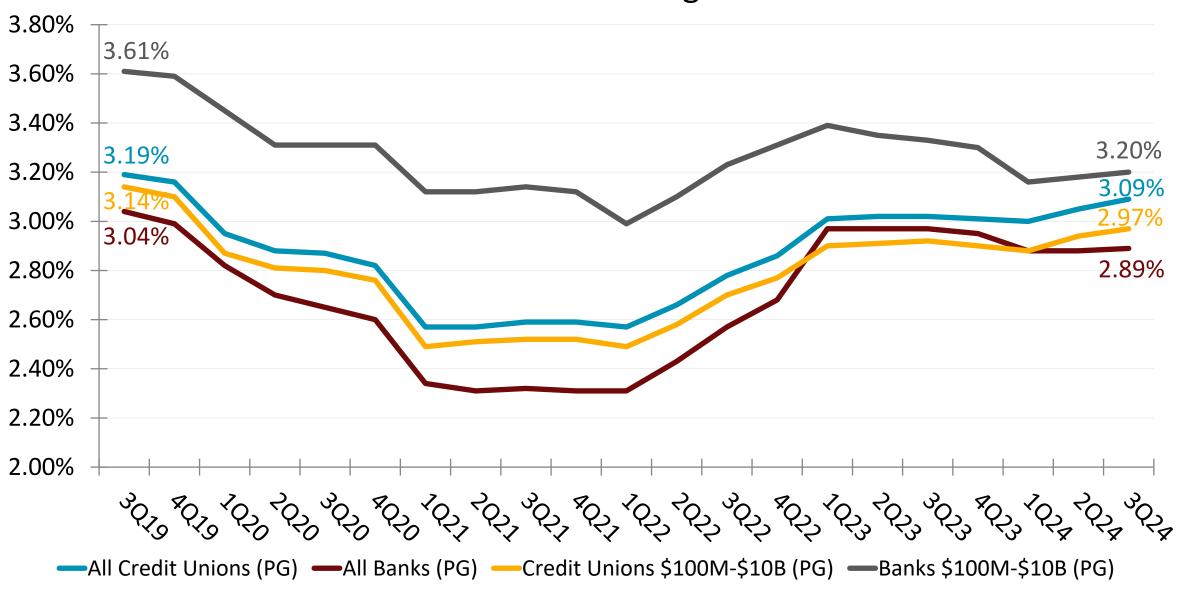


#### **Average Cost of Funds**



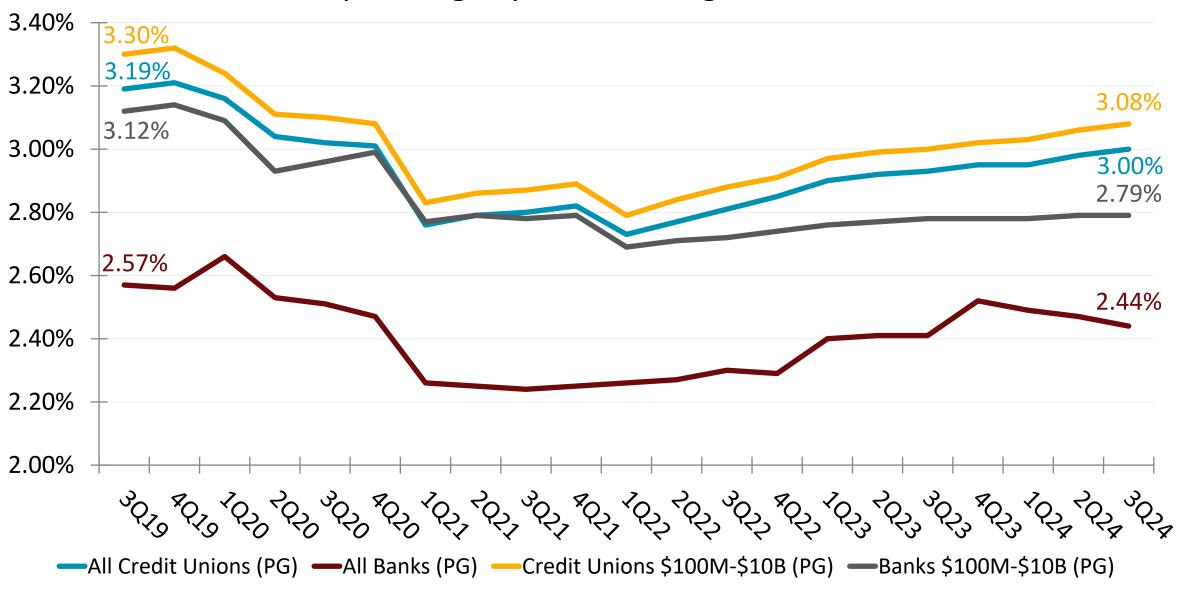


#### Net Interest Margin



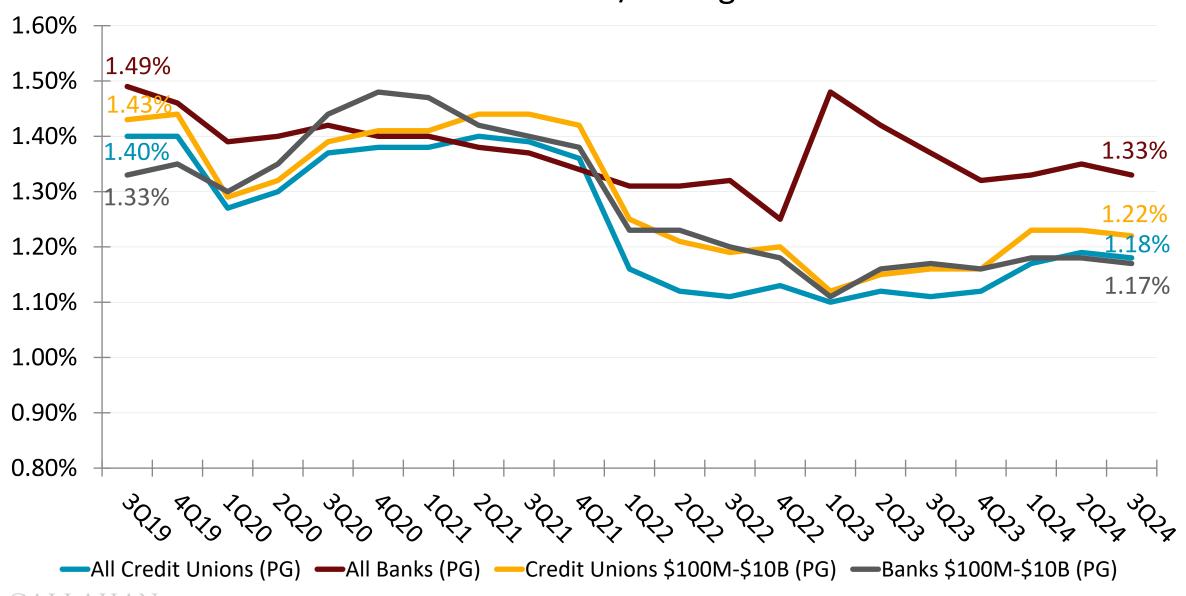


#### Operating Expense/Average Assets

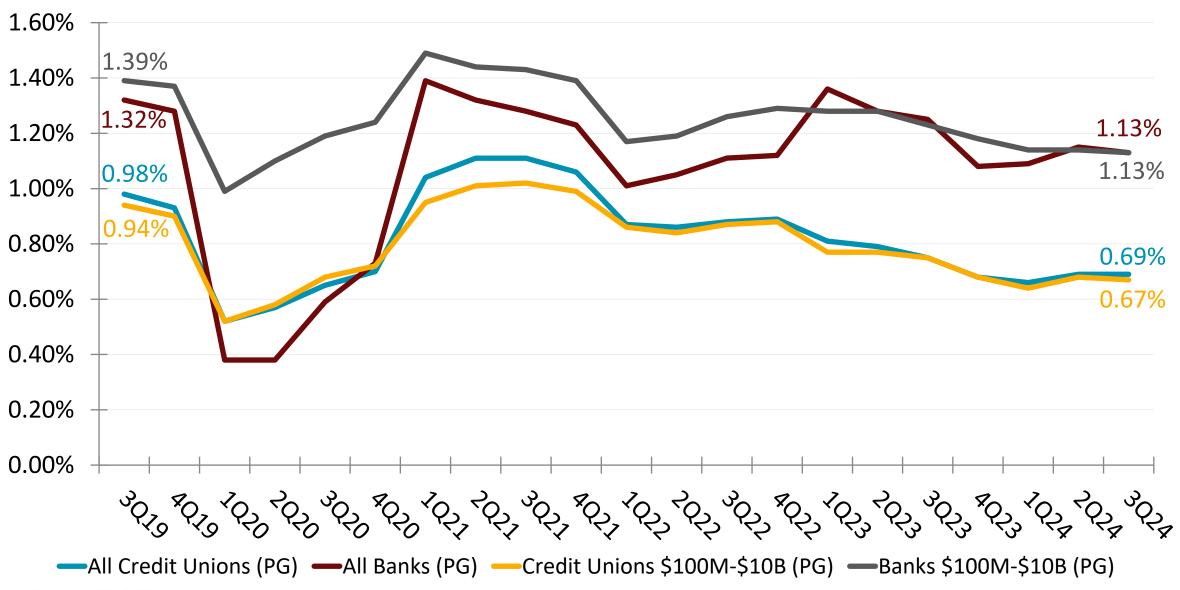




#### Non-Interest Income/Average Assets

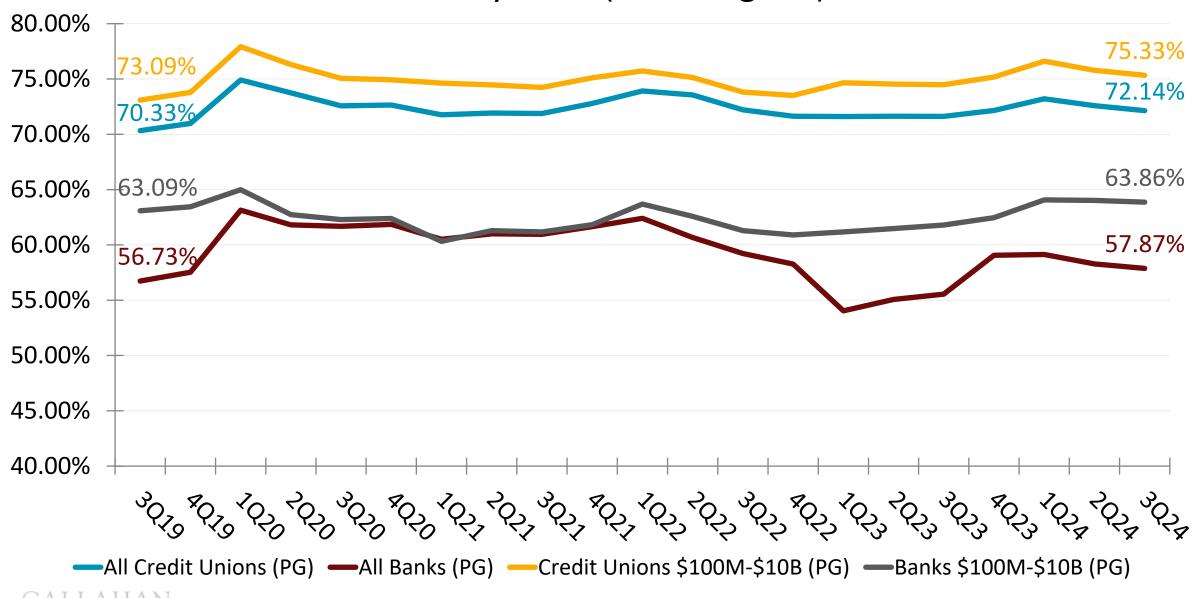


#### Return on Assets

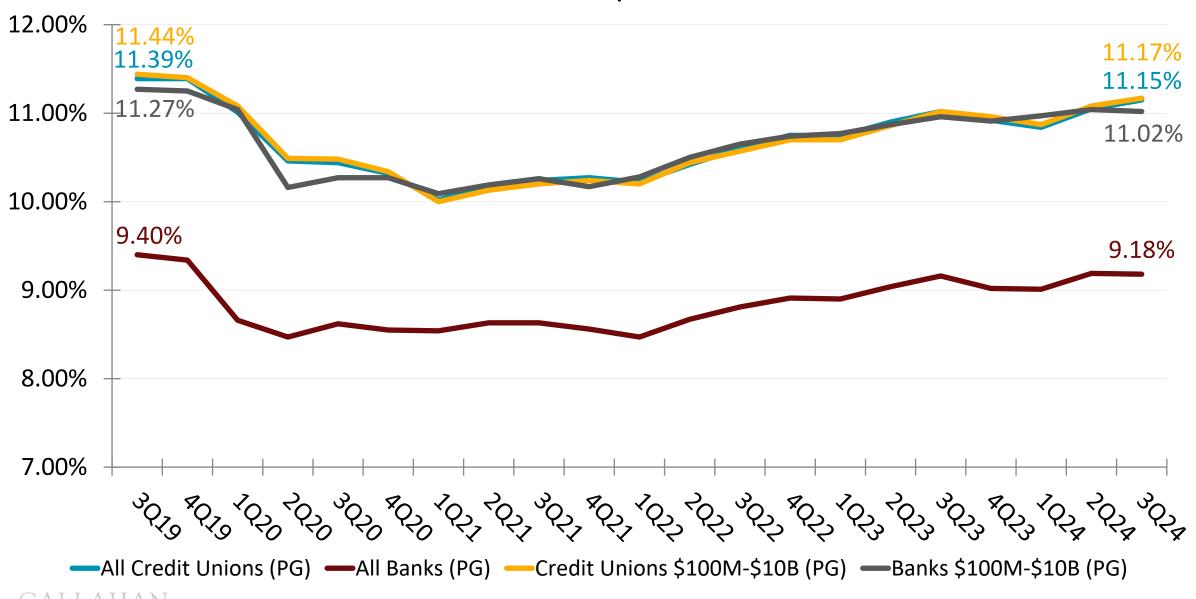




#### Efficiency Ratio (Excluding PLL)



#### Net Worth/Assets



## **Earnings Model Comparisons**

Data as of 09.30.2024

	All Credit Unions	CUs \$100M-\$10B	Banks \$100M-\$10B	All Banks
Interest Income	4.99%	4.85%	5.31%	5.30%
Interest Expense	1.90%	1.88%	2.11%	2.41%
Net Interest Margin	3.09%	2.97%	3.20%	2.89%
Non-interest Income	1.18%	1.22%	1.14%	1.26%
Operating Expenses	3.00%	3.08%	2.79%	2.44%
Provision for Loan Losses	0.58%	0.45%	0.18%	0.38%
Taxes and Adjustments	NA	NA	0.23%	0.20%
ROA	0.69%	0.67%	1.13%	1.13%



## Earnings Model: Including NSF/OD

	Credit Unions >\$1B	Banks >\$1B
Interest Income	5.09%	5.31%
Interest Expense	2.06%	2.43%
Net Interest Margin	3.03%	2.88%
Operating Expenses	2.85%	2.41%
Provision for Loan Losses	0.64%	0.39%
Non-interest Income	1.17%	1.25%
NSF/OD Fees	0.22%	0.02%
Taxes and Adjustments	NA	0.20%
ROA	0.72%	1.13%



# **Context: Consumer Demand Deposits**

	Credit Unions >\$1B	Banks >\$1B
\$ NSF & OD Income / Average Assets	0.22%	0.02%
	\$3.9B Avg. Assets	\$22.4B Avg. Assets
Proportional \$ Consumer DDA to Total Balance Sheet	15.8%	6.0%
\$ NSF & OD Income / \$ Consumer DDA	1.35%	0.40%



## **Industry Performance Landscape: Summary**

#### For banks AND credit unions, size changes the game

- Stakeholder expectations and regulatory scrutiny force business model evolutions and balance sheet structure change.
- A smaller credit union and community bank may at times look (and think) more like one another than they do with their larger counterparts.

#### Growth, liquidity, asset quality... shared circumstance

- Banks seeing extended repayment trends, also higher yields from variable loan pricing.
- Despite highest interest expense, banks also continue to struggle gathering deposits.

#### Balance sheet convergence will likely continue

- Consumers choosing national banks + fintechs for household transactional account.
- Meanwhile, credit unions scaling business banking loan and share balances.
- Credit unions' continued acquisition of bank assets will amplify this trend.



# Credit Unions vs. Banks: "What can I benchmark?"



- Charter type
- Retail locations
- Growth rates
  - Assets, Deposits, Loans, Revenue, Expense, Staff, Branches
- Balances: broad-based
  - Deposits: Savings, Checking, MMA, CD, IRA
  - Loans: Auto, CC, 1st & 2nd RE, Unsecured, Commercial RE & C&I, Student
- Revenue & expense
  - Interest & non-interest income
  - Interest & non-interest expense (OpEx)
  - Efficiency ratio
- Earnings & capitalization
  - ROA, core earnings, net worth, capital



# Credit Unions vs. Banks: "What can't I benchmark?"

#### Consumer relationships

- Banks don't count warm bodies
- No "per-member" ratios like credit unions

#### Loan collateralizations

- Credit unions specify consumer subtypes
- Banks specify non-consumer subtypes

#### Market share

- Credit unions <u>don't report any balances</u> at branch-level
- Banks report <u>branch deposits</u> 1x/yr @ 2Q FDIC report









# Callahan's **Peer Suite:**

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