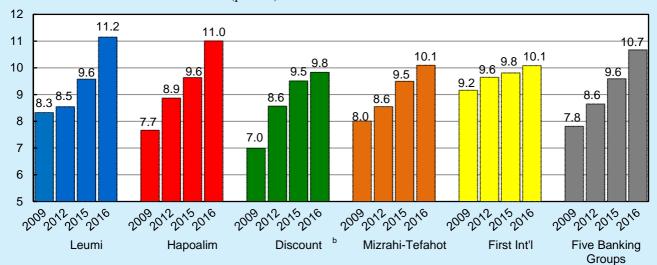
Figure 1.8 Common Equity Tier 1 Capital Ratios<sup>a</sup>, the Five Banking Groups, December 2009 to December 2016 (percent)



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Data for 2009 and 2012 are in Basel II terms (Core Tier 1 capital ratio). Data from 2015 onwards are in Basel III terms (Common Equity Tier 1 capital ratio) in accordance with the transition directives.

SOURCE: Based on published financial statements and reports to the Banking Supervision Department.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup> The Core Tier 1 capital ratio of the Discount Group in Basel II terms does not include the deduction in respect of the Group's investment in the First International Group.