Figure 3.3. Distribution of Estimated Trends in Labor Shares, 1991–2014
(Percentage points per 10 years)

The evolution of the labor share of income has been heterogeneous, noticeably more in emerging market and developing economies than in advanced economies.

Sources: CEIC database; Karabarbounis and Neiman (2014); national authorities; Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development; and IMF staff calculations.

Note: The horizontal line inside each box represents the median; the upper and lower edges of each box show the top and bottom quartiles; and the red markers denote the top and bottom deciles.