

Silicon Valley Bank – Boom to Bust¹

Once the bank of choice for Silicon Valley start-ups, Janet Sandford **assesses**² how the Californian dream turned into a financial **nightmare**³ and fears a repeat of the 2008 global **financial meltdown**⁴.



¹ bust **bust** bankructwo, krach
² to assess sth tu a'ses 'samlɪŋ oʊnɪəʃəl kɒs
³ nightmare 'naɪtmɛə(r) kɒzməɪ
⁴ financial meltdown fəz 'næʃnəl 'meltdaʊn krach
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