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1. Introduction

Holding enough capital allows banks to absorb losses, to be more solvent and therefore avoid bankruptcy. Capital requirements have hence become an essential tool to regulate banks by providing cushion during episodes of adverse financial conditions and by preventing banks from taking excessive risk *ex ante*. More specifically, during the global financial crisis of 2007-2009, systemic liquidity risk was a major contributor to bank failure as documented by Hong et al. 2014. Thus, while capital ratios are considered in the literature as an essential tool to reduce the risk of bank failure, systemic liquidity risk, which translates into a widespread market liquidity shortage, can also play a major role in triggering distress. Banks are therefore expected to take action during times of liquidity shortage by adjusting their balance sheets to improve their internal liquidity and namely their capital ratios to increase their financial strength. Banks could either downsize their overall activity to achieve lower leverage or substitute liquid assets to loans to improve their internal liquidity.

In this paper, we investigate how banks react in terms of capital structure adjustment to sharper conditions on the market leading to liquidity shortages. We capture episodes of such market liquidity shortages by sudden and sharp increases in commercial paper rates and specifically the TED spread, i.e. the difference between the three-month LIBOR and the three-month T-bill interest rates. Although there is an extent literature focusing on the determinants of bank capital structure adjustment (e.g. Berger et al., 2008; Memmel and Raupach, 2010; Öztekin and Flannery, 2012; Lepetit, et al., 2015; De Jonghe and Öztekin, 2015; Cohen and Scatigna, 2016) and a literature focusing on the relationship between capital and bank liquidity (see e.g. De Haan and Van Den End, 2013; Distinguin et al., 2013; DeYoung et al., 2018), how liquidity shortages affect the adjustment process remains an open question.

To figure out the different channels by which market liquidity shortages may impact banks' capital structure adjustment, we distinctively investigate the effect of such shortages on four aspects: first, on the share of risk weighted assets in total assets (substitution effect); second, on the share of loans in total assets (impact on lending); third, on total assets (possible downsizing) and fourth, on dividends (possible earnings retention). We also account for banks' degree of reliance on market liquidity. Indeed, banks that hold less liquid assets or with higher maturity mismatch between assets and liabilities may be differently affected by a liquidity shortage on the market than other banks. Their stronger reliance on market liquidity could urge them to take stronger actions to adjust their balance sheets. Moreover, banks operating below their target capital ratios might also behave differently than banks operating above their target. Such banks are expected to be under stronger pressure to adjust to their target. Eventually,

because they are financially more constrained than large banks, small banks might also adjust differently.

The literature on the impact of market liquidity breakdowns on banks is scarce and the papers related to our study are far from being conclusive. Gatev and Strahan (2006) document a natural hedging behavior of banks against liquidity risk. They find that, during a liquidity disruption episode on the commercial paper market, bank deposits have a tendency to grow. They argue that, during such episodes, because they are looking for a safe place, investors withdraw funds from markets and inject them into the banking system. In such a case, leverage would increase and banks would need to adjust their capital ratios to get closer to their target ratio. However, such a behavior is challenged by other studies. For instance, Pennacchi (2006) does not find any inflow of funds at banks during the pre-Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) period. This may be evidence that such inflows are caused by the government guarantees.

In our investigation, we use U.S. commercial banks' data over the 2000-2014 period and find only small banks to positively adjust their capital ratios when facing liquidity shortages on the market. Large banks neither increase nor decrease their capital ratios. Small banks positively adjust their capital ratios by reducing the share of loans in total assets, by decreasing the share of assets with higher risk weights, by restricting dividend payments and by downsizing their overall balance sheets. Our results also indicate that the extent to which small banks adjust their capital ratios when facing difficulties in accessing liquidity is not uniform. Less liquid small banks and small banks operating below their target capital ratios react more strongly than other small banks. By investigating whether market liquidity shortages impact banks' capital structure adjustment we contribute to both the capital structure adjustment literature and the banking literature. More specifically, we present empirical evidence that market liquidity shortage is an important determinant of bank capital structure adjustment. To our knowledge, this is the first paper that investigates such an issue which is of major importance for bank regulation. Our findings indicate that liquidity requirements imposed at the individual bank level as defined in Basel III might not be necessary for small banks but appear to be crucial for large banks. This is because small banks take action to improve their solvency when facing a liquidity shortage on the market, which is not the case of large banks.

The remainder of the paper is organized as follows. In section 2, we present our data and the methodology and section 3 discusses the results. Section 4 looks at further issues and section 5 provides robustness checks. Section 6 concludes.

2. Data and Methodology

2.1. Presentation of the sample

We obtain the data used in this study from two different sources. We extract data to compute our measures of market liquidity shortage and data on GDP from the federal reserve bank of St Louis². Data on balance sheets and income statements come from SNL Financial. We use a sample consisting of an unbalanced panel of quarterly data from 2000 to 2014 for U.S. commercial banks which includes 10053 banks making 438,608 bank-quarter observations. These banks are the ones that provide information on their total assets on at least one quarter in our investigation period and have a total capital ratio higher than the minimum level required by regulation (8%). We exclude banks with a total capital ratio under the minimum required level because they might behave differently than their peers and disturb our analysis. Such banks would obviously be under regulatory pressure to enhance their capital ratio. We also split our sample into two subsamples of small and large banks. Following the literature, we consider banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion to be large and small banks are those with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. To deal with the issue of possible outliers, we winsorize our variables at the 2nd and 98th percentiles.

2.2. Definition of variables

The purpose of this paper is to investigate if market liquidity shortages affect banks' capital structure adjustment and the channels through which capital ratios are affected.

2.2.1. Total capital ratio

Our main dependent variable is the total capital ratio. The total capital ratio is the sum of Tier 1 capital and Tier 2 capital divided by total risk weighted assets. Tier 1 capital is the bank's core capital. It includes equity and published reserves while Tier 2 capital mainly includes subordinated debt and undisclosed reserves. We also use the Tier 1 capital ratio as an alternative dependent variable for robustness checks.

2.2.2. Proxies of market liquidity shortage

We use two different interest spreads to proxy market liquidity shortage.

Firstly, we follow Cornett et al. (2011), Wu and Hong (2012), Rodríguez-Moreno and Peña (2013) and Hong et al. (2014) and use the TED spread. Cornett et al. (2011) use the TED spread to measure liquidity strains on the banking system while Wu and Hong (2012) and Hong et al. (2014) use it to measure systemic liquidity risk. Rodríguez-Moreno and Peña (2013) use

² See <http://research.stlouisfed.org/>

it to, more broadly, proxy systemic risk. The TED spread is the difference between the three-month London Interbank Offered Rate (LIBOR) and the three-month Treasury bills rate. It is used as a gauge of financial health. LIBOR is the unsecured interest rate on interbank loans and allows to perceive liquidity constraints and stress on the interbank market while the Treasury bill rates provide information about changes in macroeconomic conditions and monetary policy. In addition, because during periods of stress only government securities are accepted as collateral, Treasury bill rates tend to decrease. Therefore, in addition to information on liquidity risk and credit risk the TED spread reflects flight-to-quality effects. Secondly, for robustness checks, we follow Gatev and Strahan (2006) and use the commercial paper spread. Gatev and Strahan (2006) use spikes in the commercial paper spread to measure financial market disruptions. The commercial paper spread is a spread between the three-month commercial paper rate for highly rated (AA) non-financial borrowers and the three-month Treasury bills rate. Commercial paper is an unsecured, short-term debt instrument (up to 270 days of maturity) issued by investment-grade corporations.

Spikes in both proxies (TED spread and commercial paper spread) highlight liquidity disruptions in the market. We therefore create a dummy variable MLS_t based on either the TED spread or the commercial paper spread. The dummy variable is equal to one if the observation is above its 75th percentile throughout the entire sample period and zero otherwise. We assume that spikes beyond the 75th percentile underline liquidity disruptions on the market. To check for robustness, we also use alternative thresholds (the 90th percentile and the mean plus two times the standard deviation).

2.2.3. Extent of reliance on market liquidity

During periods of liquidity stress, banks with lower liquidity ratios might behave differently than banks which are less reliant on the market. To gauge the extent to which banks are dependent on the market, we follow the Basel III principles and compute the Net Stable Funding Ratio (NSFR) using the weights defined in DeYoung and Jang (2016)³. The Net Stable Funding Ratio is a liquidity standard established in 2010 by the Committee on Banking Supervisory (BCBS) to strengthen bank stability. It is calculated by dividing the amount of available stable funding by the amount of required stable funding. It can be defined as the proportion of long-term assets funded by long term or stable funding. When fully implemented in 2019, banks will need to set this ratio at a minimum of 100% to maintain a stable funding profile enabling them to sustain a liquidity crisis. In our investigation we assume that less liquid banks are those whose NSFR is below 100%. Therefore, to capture such banks, we define a

³ see APPENDIX K for detailed components.

dummy variable $Z_{i,t}$ that is equal to one if bank i has a NSFR lower than 100% at time t and zero if otherwise.

For robustness checks, we also use three alternatives variables to proxy banks' liquidity level. We use the loans to core deposits ratio assuming that banks with more than 100% of this ratio, are more exposed to liquidity shortages on the market. We also use the liquid assets to total assets ratio and we assume that banks that are below the 25th percentile (12.85%) of this ratio, are less liquid banks. Finally, we account for the extent to which banks rely on wholesale funding. We use the proxy of reliance on wholesale funding defined in SNL Financial. This proxy is calculated by dividing the sum of total borrowings and brokered deposits by the sum of total borrowings and total deposits. It depicts the portion of a bank's total funds that are from wholesale sources. We assume that banks are strongly reliant on wholesale funding if they are above the 75th percentile (12.35%) of this proxy.

2.2.4. Banks' capital ratio target

When facing a market liquidity squeeze, banks operating below their target total capital ratio may take stronger action to increase their capital ratio than banks operating above their target ratio. We therefore account for whether a bank is below or above its target capital ratio.

We model the target capital ratio as a function of banks' observable characteristics (e.g. Flannery and Rangan, 2006; Lemmon et al., 2008; Gropp and Heider, 2010; De Jonghe and Öztekin, 2015 and Lepetit et al. 2015):

$$TCR_{i,t}^* = \beta X_{i,t-1} \quad (1)$$

where $TCR_{i,t}^*$ is the target total capital ratio; $X_{i,t-1}$ is a vector of variables that determine the target level of the total capital ratio. The vector includes a dummy for market liquidity shortage, a dummy for mergers and acquisition, the GDP growth rate to account for macroeconomic factors that impact all banks, proxies for banks' performance (return on assets), credit risk (non-performing loans to total loans), liquidity (NSFR) and size. β is the vector of coefficients of the variables included in $X_{i,t-1}$.

Banks cannot adjust their capital ratio instantaneously and need time to reach the target level. Thus, we build a partial adjustment framework to take into account the cost of adjustment:

$$\Delta TCR_{i,t} = \lambda(TCR_{i,t}^* - TCR_{i,t-1}) + \varepsilon_{i,t} \quad (2)$$

where λ is a scalar adjustment speed ($0 < \lambda < 1$) and $TCR_{i,t}^*$ is the target capital ratio of bank i at time t . Substituting equation (1) into equation (2) and rearranging give the following estimation model:

$$TCR_{i,t} = \lambda\beta X_{i,t-1} + (1 - \lambda)TCR_{i,t-1} + \varepsilon_{i,t} \quad (3)$$

Equation (3) includes the lagged dependent variable. Nickell (1981) shows that the presence of the lag dependent variable generates correlation between the regressor and the error term which leads to a bias in the coefficient estimates, which will be inconsistent (Shim, 2012). To fix this problem, Arellano and Bond (1991), Anderson and Hsiao (1982) and Blundell and Bond (1998) propose General Method of Moment (GMM) estimation procedures. However, when the time dimension T is relatively large, the bias becomes insignificant (Roodman, 2006, 2009) and the standard estimation procedures are asymptotically valid (kiviet, 1995). For instance when the time dimension T is greater than 30, Judson and Owen (1999) document that fixed effects estimators perform better than GMM estimators. Loutschina (2011) indicates that the bias becomes problematic when T falls below 15 time periods. Our investigation period stems from 2000Q1 to 2014Q4 making 60 time periods. Therefore, we use fixed effect estimations after performing Hausman tests which validate the use of fixed effects versus random effects. Finally, we cluster standard errors at the bank level (see APPENDIX A for results). We recover β by dividing $\widehat{\lambda\beta}$ by $\widehat{\lambda}$ and we recover $\widehat{\lambda}$ from $\widehat{1 - \lambda}$. We can then use equation (1) to compute the estimated target total capital ratio for each bank i at time t . We use the estimated target capital ratio to compute the capital ratio deviation as follows:

$$GAP_{i,t-1} = TCR_{i,t}^* - TCR_{i,t-1} \quad (4)$$

Banks operating below their target capital ratio are the ones with a positive gap. To capture such banks, we create a dummy variable that is equal to one if $GAP_{i,t-1} > 0$ and zero if otherwise. For robustness checks, we follow the same procedure to capture banks operating below the level of the Tier 1 capital ratio they target.

2.2.5. Descriptive statistics

Table 1 presents the definitions and descriptive statistics of all the variables used in this investigation. The TED spread and the commercial paper spread, on average over the sample

period, are respectively 0.46% and 0.33% with relatively high standard deviations⁴. The lowest value of the total capital ratio in our sample is 9.84% and the lowest value of the estimated target total capital ratio is 8.73%, which is higher than the minimum regulatory requirement consistent with the fact that banks' targets include buffers to prevent them from falling below the threshold in case of negative shocks and possibly face regulatory sanctions. On average, the ratio of liquid assets to total assets is equal to 24.32% and the NSFR is around 84% which is below the 100% that banks will need to comply with when Basel III will be fully implemented. On average, the loans to core deposits ratio and the portion of wholesale funding in total funding are 78.44% and 8.23% respectively. On average, banks grew in size during our investigation period. Their balance sheets are also dominated by risky assets. The mean of risk-weighted assets over total assets is 67.71%. The correlation matrix (Appendix J) does not indicate major collinearity issues.

[insert table 1, graph 1 & graph 2]

2.3. Empirical specifications

Since the aim of this study is to investigate whether market liquidity shortage impacts banks' capital structure adjustment, we use an adjustment model. We observe at time t a change in bank i 's capital ratio and link it to a market liquidity shortage occurring at time $t-1$. The total capital ratio can be increased by increasing capital (numerator) and/or decreasing risk weighted assets (denominator). To increase capital, a bank can either issue equity or increase retained earnings by reducing dividend payments. However, the cost of capital may be higher during liquidity squeezes and furthermore issuing capital may also be interpreted as a bad signal and generate a decrease in the bank's value (see Myers and Majluf, 1984). Banks might therefore be reluctant to issue equity during such episodes⁵. Hence, to figure out the different channels in which market liquidity shortage may impact U.S. commercial banks' total capital ratio, we study the effect of such shortage on 1/ the change in the share of risk weighted assets in total assets, 2/ the change in the share of loans in total assets, 3/ the change in total assets and 4/ dividend payments to total assets⁶. Banks could increase their total capital ratio by restricting dividend payouts, changing the composition of their assets to reduce the level of risk weighted

⁴ See graph 1 and graph 2.

⁵ We investigate the impact of market liquidity shortages on the quarterly growth rate of equity and do not find significant results.

⁶ We also use the ratio of dividends to net income and the ratio of retained earnings to total assets and obtain similar findings.

assets, selling assets or reducing loans (downsizing). The empirical specifications are therefore given by:

$$Y_{i,t} = \alpha_i + \xi_t + \varphi_1 MLS_{t-1} + \varphi_2 Z_{i,t-1} + \varphi_3 dummy_gap_{i,t-1} + \varphi_4 (Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1}) + \varphi U_{i,t-1} + \eta_{i,t} \quad (5)$$

$$Y_{i,t} = \gamma_i + \theta_t + \omega_1 MLS_{t-1} + \omega_2 Z_{i,t-1} + \omega_3 dummy_gap_{i,t-1} + \omega_4 (dummy_gap_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1}) + \omega U_{i,t-1} + \mu_{i,t} \quad (6)$$

where $Y_{i,t}$ is either the change in the total capital ratio, the change in the share of risk weighted assets in total assets, the change in the share of loans in total assets, the change in total assets or the dividend to total assets ratio; α_i and γ_i are individual bank fixed effects and ξ_t and θ_t are time fixed effects; MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if throughout the whole period, the TED spread is higher than its 75th percentile at time $t-1$ and zero if otherwise, $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity at time $t-1$ and zero if otherwise; $dummy_gap_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable equal to one if $GAP_{i,t-1} > 0$ and zero if otherwise; $U_{i,t-1}$ is a vector of bank specific variables for bank i at time $t-1$. It includes the GDP growth rate to capture the business cycle, bank size proxied by the natural logarithm of total assets, the return on assets to account for banks' performance, the ratio of non-performing loans to total loans to measure risk in the bank's loan portfolio and a dummy to control for the effect of mergers and acquisitions. This dummy variable is equal to one if a bank's total assets grow by more than 10% during a given quarter and zero if otherwise.

φ_1 captures the impact of market liquidity shortages on the dependent variable for banks less reliant on market liquidity. We expect it to be either non-significant or significant and positive. Indeed, since their bank holds more liquidity or is less exposed to maturity transformation risk, managers may not feel concerned by the liquidity shortage on the market and therefore they may not take action to adjust their total capital ratio and balance sheets more generally. In that case, φ_1 will be non-significant. However, if these managers are very cautious, they may increase their total capital ratio. In that case, φ_1 is expected to be positive and significant when the dependent variable is the change in the total capital ratio.

ω_1 gives the impact of market liquidity shortages on the dependent variable for banks operating above their target capital ratio. We also expect it to be either non-significant or significant and positive. Indeed, the managers of banks operating above their target capital ratio

may not adjust their capital ratio and balance sheet because they might feel safe and already well capitalized. In that case ω_1 will be non-significant. However, if the managers of such banks are very cautious, they may adjust their capital ratio positively. In that case, ω_1 is expected to be positive and significant when the dependent variable is the change in the total capital ratio.

φ_2 and ω_2 capture the impact on the dependent variable of banks' reliance on market liquidity in the absence of a market liquidity shortage. φ_2 and ω_2 are expected to be positive, when the dependent variable is the change in the total capital ratio, because stronger reliance on market liquidity leads banks to increase their capital ratio to exhibit higher solvency to more easily borrow from the market. As documented by DeYoung et al. (2018), U.S. commercial banks treat liquidity and regulatory capital as substitutes. Distinguin et al. (2013) also find that small U.S. banks increase their regulatory capital ratios when they are exposed to higher illiquidity.

φ_3 and ω_3 capture the impact of operating below the target capital ratio on the dependent variable in the absence of market liquidity shortage. We expect φ_3 and ω_3 to be positive and significant, when the dependent variable is the change in the total capital ratio, because banks operating below their target capital ratio, are expected to increase their capital ratio to get closer to their target.

φ_4 captures the additional impact of market liquidity shortage on the dependent variable for banks more reliant on market liquidity compared to less reliant ones. We expect it to be positive and significant, when the dependent variable is the change in the total capital ratio, because banks more reliant on market liquidity should more extensively increase their capital ratio than their less market-reliant peers. Similarly, ω_4 gives the additional impact of market liquidity shortage on the dependent variable of banks operating below their target capital ratio compared to those operating above their target ratio. We also expect it to be positive and significant, when the dependent variable is the change in the total capital ratio, because banks below their target capital ratio will react more promptly and to a larger extent. Consistently we also expect $(\varphi_1 + \varphi_4)$ and $(\omega_1 + \omega_4)$ to be significantly positive.

3. Results

In this paper, we investigate the impact of market liquidity shortage on banks' capital structure adjustment and the channels through which the total capital ratio is impacted. Since our investigation period is 2000-2014, our results may be influenced by the global financial

crisis of 2007-2008 and government interventions⁷ during the crisis. Therefore, in addition to estimating our regressions on the whole investigation period, we also conduct estimations by excluding the crisis period. Tables 2 and 3 give the results on the whole investigation period and tables 4 and 5 give the results after excluding the crisis period. We use the fixed-effect method⁸ and cluster standard errors at the bank level.

Overall, we find that market liquidity shortage does not impact the change in the total capital ratio of large banks, regardless of how much they rely on market liquidity or how far they are below their target capital ratio (φ_1 , ω_1 , $(\varphi_1 + \varphi_4)$ and $(\omega_1 + \omega_4)$ are not significant for large banks in ΔTCR equations). However, although φ_1 is significant at 10% during normal times for small banks in the ΔTCR equation and in the ΔRWA equation, the results show that small banks respond to market liquidity shortage by positively adjusting their total capital ratio. Such banks do so by decreasing the share of risk weighted assets in total assets, by reducing the share of loans in total assets and by downsizing their balance sheets.

Furthermore, the impact on the total capital ratio is stronger for small banks that are more reliant on market liquidity ($(\varphi_1 + \varphi_4) > \varphi_1$) in the ΔTCR equation). They also reduce the share of risk weighted assets in total assets by a larger extent and cut loans more extensively than small banks which are less reliant on market liquidity ($(\varphi_1 + \varphi_4) < \varphi_1$) in $\Delta LOANS$ equation and ΔRWA equation). Similarly, small banks operating below their target total capital ratio increase their total capital ratio more significantly than their peers operating above their target ratio ($(\omega_1 + \omega_4) > \omega_1$ in ΔTCR equation). They also tend to reduce their risk weighted assets (and hence their loans) to a larger extent than small banks operating above their target total capital ratio ($(\omega_1 + \omega_4) < \omega_1$ in $\Delta LOANS$ equation and ΔRWA equation).

We also find that market liquidity shortages do not negatively impact the dividend to total assets ratio of small banks. Hence, banks do not seem to rely on retained earnings to increase their capital ratio⁹.

Our results are also economically meaningful. For small banks less reliant on market liquidity, a one-standard deviation increase in MLS increases ΔTCR by 0.263 which takes the mean from -0.150 to +0.113. A one-standard deviation increase in MLS also takes the mean of $\Delta LOAN$ from +0.11 to -0.346 and the mean of ΔRWA from +0.09 to -0.332. These changes are more

⁷ The U.S. Treasury made approximately \$220 billion of capital injections through the Capital Purchase Program. The Federal Reserve implemented several facilities to provide significant amounts of liquidity to the banking system. These facilities include the Asset-Backed Commercial Paper Money Market Mutual Fund Liquidity Facility (AMLF), the commercial Paper Funding Facility (CPFF), the Money Market Investor Funding Facility (MMIFF), the Term Securities Lending Facility (TSLF) and the Primary Dealer Credit Facility (PDCF).

⁸ We perform Hausman tests which validate the use of fixed effects versus random effects.

⁹ A deeper investigation shows that small banks make cuts to their dividend payments during sharper episodes of liquidity squeeze as highlighted in the next section.

important for banks more reliant on market liquidity. A one-standard deviation increase in MLS leads to a variation of the mean of ΔTCR from -0.150 to +0.286, to a variation of the mean of $\Delta LOAN$ from +0.11 to -0.58 and to a variation of the mean of ΔRWA from +0.09 to -0.622.

For small banks operating above their target capital ratio, a one-standard deviation increase in MLS increases ΔTCR by +0.321 and this change is more important for banks operating below their target capital ratio (+0.471). A one-standard deviation increase in MLS leads, for banks operating above their target capital ratio, to a mean of $\Delta LOAN$ and ΔRWA equal to -0.435 and -0.418 respectively. These changes are also larger for banks operating below their target capital ratio (-0.597 and -0.713 for $\Delta LOAN$ and ΔRWA respectively).

On the whole, these results show that only small banks react to liquidity squeeze by adjusting their balance sheets and by downsizing and cutting lending¹⁰ which enhances their total capital ratio. Nevertheless, this capital ratio improvement is stronger for small banks more reliant on market liquidity and small banks operating below their target capital ratio. Small banks may be adjusting their capital ratio positively because their confidence in the market decreases and/or they need to show stronger financial strength or hedge against possible losses (Ramos, 1996). They might also behave as such for precautionary reasons to avoid falling under the minimum regulatory level of the capital ratio. By reducing their default risk (higher capital ratio), banks could also be aiming to avoid a higher cost of uninsured deposits by limiting the higher premium required by depositors (Fonseca and González, 2009) or the likelihood of a bank run (Dermine, 2015). Most strikingly, small banks are the only ones to behave as such. Large banks' capital ratios and balance sheets more generally do not at all react to liquidity shortages possibly because they have easier access to fed funds under any circumstances and because their "too-big-to-fail" status enables them to benefit from government support which is not the case for small banks.

[insert tables 2,3, 4 & table 5]

4. Further issues

4.1. Severe market liquidity shortage

In the main regressions, to capture market liquidity shortages, we use a dummy variable equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 75th percentile. Now, instead of the 75th percentile we consider more restrictive conditions to capture severe cases of liquidity shortage

¹⁰ This result is in line with the literature that underlines the negative effect of liquidity shocks on bank lending (Schnabl (2012), Peek and Rosengren (1997), De Haas and Van Horen (2013), Puri et al. (2011), Ivashina and Scharfstein (2010), Allen & al. (2014), Chouchène et al. (2017)).

on the market: 90th percentile and the mean plus two times the standard deviation. The results are presented in appendix B, tables 1B, 2B, 3B and 4B. They are consistent with our main results. Although we are considering sharper episodes of liquidity squeeze the capital ratios of large banks are still not impacted and the results for small banks are similar to the ones we had before. Interestingly such more severe episodes make small but not large banks reduce their dividend payments which further contributes to improve their capital ratios. As to large banks, their lending activities are negatively impacted and their size also diminishes (decrease in total assets). However, such impacts are not strong enough to affect their capital ratios.

4.2. Do banks respond to market liquidity shortage by increasing their liquidity ratio?

We document in this paper that small banks improve their capital ratio by downsizing, cutting lending, reducing their risk weighted assets and by decreasing their dividend payouts. However, another plausible channel to improve capital ratios could be the increase in liquidity ratios. Banks could indeed react to market liquidity shortage by increasing their liquidity which could in turn "mechanically" increase their capital ratio. We hence investigate such possible behavior.

Tables 5B and 6B show the results of the regressions with the change in the ratio of liquid assets to total assets as the dependent variable. The results show that market liquidity shortage does not affect large banks' liquidity ratios. In addition, although the interaction term is significant for small banks, the Wald test p values show that $(\varphi_1 + \varphi_4)$ and $(\omega_1 + \omega_4)$ are not significant and the null hypothesis cannot be rejected for φ_1 and ω_1 . Thus, as for large banks, market liquidity shortage does not impact the change in the ratio of liquid assets to total assets of small banks regardless of their degree of reliance on market liquidity and whether they are above or below their target capital ratio. Therefore, the improvement in capital for small banks is not achieved via an increase in their holdings of liquid assets.

4.3. Small banks' adjustment speed during market liquidity shortage episodes

Our results show that market liquidity shortage leads small banks to positively adjust their total capital ratio. In this sub-section, we investigate the speed with which such banks adjust their total capital ratio during a period of market liquidity shortage. We express the adjustment speed as follows (e.g. Öztekin and Flannery, 2012; DeYoung et al., 2018):

$$\lambda_{i,t} = \lambda V_{i,t-1} \tag{9}$$

Where $\lambda_{i,t}$ is the bank-specific, time-varying adjustment speed toward the target capital ratio; $V_{i,t-1}$ is a vector of bank and time period characteristics that affect the speed of adjustment and A is a vector of coefficients to be estimated. Substituting equation (9) into (2) yields the following equation:

$$\Delta TCR_{i,t} = \lambda V_{i,t-1} (TCR_{i,t}^* - TCR_{i,t-1}) + \varepsilon_{i,t} \quad (10)$$

Rewriting equation (10) and using equation (4) yields:

$$\Delta TCR_{i,t} = \lambda V_{i,t-1} GAP_{i,t-1} + \varepsilon_{i,t} \quad (11)$$

We account for bank fixed effects and quarterly time fixed effects and we estimate equation (11) using ordinary least squares¹¹.

The results (see appendix B, table 7B) show that during times of market liquidity shortage, small banks more reliant on market liquidity adjust faster than small less reliant banks. Small banks operating below their target total capital ratio also adjust faster than small banks operating above their target total capital ratio. We find that the speed of adjustment of small banks more reliant on market liquidity is 0.0675% faster than the speed of adjustment of small banks less reliant on market liquidity and the adjustment speed of banks operating below their target capital ratio is 0.126% faster than at banks operating above their target capital ratio.

5. Robustness checks

We perform several robustness checks. First, in our baseline regression, we consider a bank to be relatively less liquid if its NSFR is lower than 100%. However, because the NSFR was introduced in the Basel III accords in 2010 and because banks are supposed to gradually come into compliance with these requirements from 2015 to 2019 we take a lower threshold because banks might not have considered falling below 100% as a threat. We assume that less liquid banks are the ones whose NSFR is lower than the 10th percentile of NSFR (27.92%). The obtained results are consistent with those of the baseline regression (see appendix C).

In addition, we use alternative variables to NSFR to measure banks' liquidity level. These alternative variables are i/ reliance on wholesale funding, ii/ total liquid assets to total assets ratio and iii/ loans to core deposits ratio¹² (see APPENDIX D). The obtained results are in line with our main results.

¹¹ we follow Öztekin and Flannery (2012) and DeYoung et al. (2018).

¹² See tables 1 for variables definitions

We also limit our sample to banks that are strongly focused on intermediation activities that we name “real commercial banks” by only including banks with total deposits to total assets ratio and total loans over total assets higher than 30%. These banks are more exposed to liquidity risk since liquidity risk mostly emanates from exposures linked to intermediation activities (undrawn loan commitments, demand deposits, withdrawal of funds from wholesale deposits...). Considering this restricted sample of “real commercial banks”, our findings remain unchanged (see APPENDIX E).

Moreover, in our baseline regressions we have included the crisis period by conducting estimations using the 75th percentile of the TED spread throughout the whole sample period. Instead, we construct our proxy of market liquidity shortage by using the 75th percentile of TED spread throughout normal times only. We also use the 90th percentile and the mean plus two times the standard deviation. The results obtained are consistent with our main results (see APPENDIX F).

Our results indicate that large banks do not adjust their total capital ratio during periods of high pressure on the liquidity market. Therefore, we look deeper and investigate whether their behavior can be explained by differences in risk management sophistication. Large banks with sophisticated risk management tools may not increase their total capital ratio because they can more easily cope with such shortage episodes while those with poorer risk management tools might positively react. As a proxy of risk management sophistication, we use the notional value of the interest rate swap and futures contracts committing the reporting institution to purchase or sell equity securities. We consider that banks above the median of these variables have better risk management practices (median equals 0). APPENDIX G displays the results of our estimations. We find similar results for all type of large banks. Large banks with a better risk management technology do not behave differently than their less sophisticated peers.

In addition, we check if our results are robust to various definitions of the capital ratio. Instead of the total capital ratio we use the Tier 1 capital ratio. Tier 1 capital represents a bank's core capital. The obtained results are consistent with our main results (see APPENDIX H). In addition, we estimate the target Tier 1 capital ratio ($TIER_ONE_{i,t}^*$) for each bank i at time t . We use the estimated target Tier 1 capital ratio to compute the deviation as:

$$GAP_TIER_{i,t-1} = TIER_ONE_{i,t}^* - TIER_ONE_{i,t-1} \quad (12)$$

We then isolate banks operating below their target Tier 1 capital ratio and perform estimations to check if our results found for banks operating below (above) their target total capital ratio are robust. Again, our main findings remain unchanged.

Finally, instead of the TED spread, we use the commercial paper spread to proxy market liquidity shortage. Our results remain unchanged (see APPENDIX I).

6. Conclusion

Using an unbalanced panel database of U.S commercial banks, we investigate the influence of episodes of liquidity squeeze on the market on their capital ratios and balance sheet adjustments. We specifically focus on the different channels that affect their total capital ratio. We also account for size, reliance on market liquidity and gap between banks' actual and target capital ratios. Overall, our findings highlight that only small banks react to market liquidity shortage by increasing their total capital ratio. To improve their capital ratio, small banks downsize, decrease their dividend payouts, cut lending and reduce their share of risk weighted assets in total assets. This improvement in the capital ratio is stronger at small banks more reliant on market liquidity and small banks operating below their target capital ratio.

In addition to liquidity requirements, reducing leverage and holding higher capital ratios by substituting less risky assets for riskier ones is one of the multiple ways to hedge against a liquidity squeeze. Thus, liquidity requirements might be redundant for small banks because they take action to improve their solvency standards, but necessary for large banks.

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Table 1: Definition of variables and descriptive statistics

Variables	definitions	Obs	Mean	Std. Dev.	Min	Max
<u>Dependent variables</u>						
tcr (%)	total capital ratio	438,608	18.05	10.20	9.84	67.25
Δ tcr	quarterly change in total capital ratio	428,507	-0.15	2.24	-57.41	57.41
rwa (%)	risk weighted assets as a percent of total assets	434,251	67.71	13.97	26	98.67
Δ rwa	quarterly change in risk weighted assets to total assets ratio	424,181	0.09	4.01	-72.67	72.67
loan_a (%)	total loans to total assets ratio	434,257	62.49	16.17	19.30	88.14
Δ loan	quarterly change in total loans to total assets ratio	424,224	0.11	3.83	-68.84	68.84
Δ asset (%)	quarterly change in total assets divided by total assets	428,546	1.85	5.42	-11.88	26.13
dividend (%)	dividend to total assets ratio	265,268	0.25	0.62	0	3.44
Tier one (%)	Tier one capital ratio	438,410	16.79	10.06	7.95	64.68
Δ tier	quarterly change in Tier 1 ratio	428,309	-0.15	2.18	-56.40	56.73
<u>Market liquidity shortages proxies</u>						
TED spread (%)	the difference between the three-month London Interbank Offered Rate (LIBOR) and the three-month Treasury bills rate	438,608	0.47	0.42	0.15	2.45
MLS_ted	dummy equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 75 th percentile or zero otherwise**	438,608	0.25	0.43	0	1
commercial paper spread (%)	the spread between the three-month commercial paper rate for highly rated (AA) non-financial borrowers and the three-month Treasury bills rate.	438,608	0.33	0.39	0.07	2.28
MLS_cp	dummy equal to one if the commercial paper spread is higher than its 75 th percentile or zero otherwise**	438,608	0.27	0.44	0	1
<u>Extent on market liquidity proxies</u>						
NSFR (%)	Net Stable Funding Ratio (see Appendix K)	277,247	84.39	50.07	9.16	224.59
Z_nsfr	dummy equal to one if the NSFR<100% or zero otherwise**	277,247	0.63	0.48	0	1
rwf (%)	reliance on wholesale funding, it depicts the portion of a bank's total funds that are from wholesale sources. (total borrowings + brokered deposits) / (total borrowings + total deposits).	431,331	8.23	10	0	40.62
Z_rwf	dummy equal to one if rwf is higher than its 75 th percentile or zero otherwise	431,331	0.25	0.43	0	1
LTCD (%)	loans to core deposits ratio	429,942	78.44	32.42	7.03	238.75
Z_LTCD	dummy equal to one if LTCD> 100% or zero otherwise	429,942	0.16	0.37	0	1
liquid_a (%)	assets that can quickly be turned into cash without an important loss as a percentage of total assets. liquid assets are calculated as the sum of cash and balances due, federal funds sold and securities	438,599	24.32	15.69	2.81	81.47

Z_liq	purchased under agreements to resell, total securities, and total trading account assets less the value of total pledged securities dummy equal to one if liquid_a is lower than its 25 th percentile or zero otherwise	438,599	0.25	0.43	0	1
<u>Variables for bank's capital position</u>						
tcr* (%)	The estimated target total capital ratio	267,039	13.93	1.48	8.73	18.09
dummy_gap	dummy equal to one if the bank is operating below its target capital ratio	267,039	0.43	0.49	0	1
Tier 1* (%)	The estimated target Tier 1 capital ratio	267,039	13.10	1.43	7.96	17.03
dummy_gap_one	dummy equal to one if the bank is operating below its target Tier one capital ratio	267,039	0.46	0.50	0	1
<u>Control variables</u>						
size	the natural logarithm of total assets	438,608	18.72	1.37	11.13	28.36
ROA (%)	return on assets	430,748	0.83	1.40	-6.75	5.02
NPL (%)	non-performing loans over total loans	425,972	1.58	2.51	0	14.36
GDP growth (%)	quarterly growth rate of GDP	438,608	0.97	0.73	-1.97	2.47
M&A	dummy for mergers and acquisitions. Dummy equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise.	428,546	0.93	0.26	0	1
<u>Other variables</u>						
depo_a (%)	total deposits to total assets ratio	434,208	81.93	12.37	2.21	92.98
nvswp	the notional value of interest rate swap (in thousands of USD)	277,249	8423916	4.97E+08	0	5.45E+10
eqfu	futures contracts committing the reporting institution to purchase or to sell equity securities or instruments based on equity indexes such as the standard and poor's 500, or the nikkei (in thousands of USD)	277,249	6262.70	468267	0	8.24E+07

**in robustness checks, we use alternative thresholds.

TABLE 2: Impact of market liquidity shortages according to bank liquidity level

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio (DIVIDEND) according to whether or not the bank is more reliant on market liquidity. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 75th percentile at time t-1. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity (NSFR<100%) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio ($GAP_{i,t-1} > 0$) or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. "large" corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and "small" corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOAN$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_1)$	-0.578 (0.580)	0.263*** (0.0973)	1.501* (0.793)	-0.422*** (0.157)	-0.159 (0.818)	-0.456*** (0.152)	0.187 (0.683)	-0.430** (0.172)	0.0575 (0.0570)	0.0513** (0.0259)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\varphi_2)$	0.103 (0.166)	0.0685*** (0.0137)	-0.137 (0.212)	-0.142*** (0.0238)	-0.530** (0.259)	-0.270*** (0.0244)	0.0816 (0.206)	0.0198 (0.0255)	-0.00106 (0.0210)	0.00587 (0.00456)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\varphi_3)$	0.597*** (0.0965)	0.414*** (0.0154)	-0.860*** (0.128)	-0.931*** (0.0308)	-0.380** (0.168)	-0.475*** (0.0276)	0.456*** (0.139)	0.193*** (0.0290)	-0.0502*** (0.0127)	-0.0144*** (0.00448)
$Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_4)$	0.191 (0.155)	0.173*** (0.0244)	-0.495 (0.364)	-0.290*** (0.0427)	-0.0516 (0.393)	-0.234*** (0.0397)	-0.142 (0.344)	0.0345 (0.0394)	0.0110 (0.0340)	-0.00767 (0.00666)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.105 (0.273)	1.066*** (0.0552)	0.286 (0.370)	-0.961*** (0.0675)	-0.412 (0.325)	-1.324*** (0.0760)	-2.360*** (0.247)	-2.310*** (0.0853)	0.0164 (0.0175)	-0.0945*** (0.0120)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.221*** (0.0360)	0.379*** (0.0115)	-0.0235 (0.0464)	-0.204*** (0.0166)	-0.137** (0.0533)	-0.326*** (0.0172)	0.273*** (0.0490)	0.184*** (0.0137)	0.0111** (0.00459)	0.00441** (0.00185)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0532** (0.0213)	0.0924*** (0.00384)	-0.102*** (0.0264)	-0.144*** (0.00611)	-0.138*** (0.0330)	-0.196*** (0.00660)	-0.243*** (0.0394)	-0.296*** (0.00745)	-0.00259 (0.00554)	0.000494 (0.000958)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.267 (0.307)	0.137** (0.0544)	0.0269 (0.297)	0.459*** (0.0933)	0.0829 (0.372)	0.506*** (0.0915)	-1.174*** (0.270)	-0.809*** (0.0989)	-0.0395** (0.0192)	-0.0990*** (0.0112)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.904*** (0.111)	1.407*** (0.0392)	3.036*** (0.210)	3.245*** (0.0676)	2.175*** (0.245)	3.611*** (0.0777)	-15.36*** (0.267)	-13.11*** (0.0805)	0.0183 (0.0160)	0.0179*** (0.00658)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	-0.387	0.435	1.006	-0.711	-0.211	-0.690	0.0457	-0.396	0.0685	0.0437
Wald test p value	0.493	0.000	0.147	0.000	0.766	0.000	0.939	0.021	0.0918	0.0846
r2	0.0770	0.210	0.116	0.0895	0.0760	0.130	0.625	0.542	0.415	0.525
N	17408	249459	17181	248520	17181	248527	17408	249459	17082	237443

TABLE 3: Impact of market liquidity shortages according to gap between actual and target capital

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio (DIVIDEND). MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 75th percentile at time t-1. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity (NSFR<100%) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio ($GAP_{i,t-1} > 0$) or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. “large” corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and “small” corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOAN$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\omega_1)$	-0.630 (0.569)	0.321*** (0.0962)	1.206* (0.676)	-0.508*** (0.155)	-0.160 (0.710)	-0.545*** (0.150)	0.0189 (0.633)	-0.414** (0.171)	0.0689 (0.0466)	0.0486* (0.0257)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\omega_2)$	0.140 (0.156)	0.111*** (0.0129)	-0.237 (0.204)	-0.214*** (0.0226)	-0.541** (0.242)	-0.328*** (0.0233)	0.0524 (0.185)	0.0284 (0.0237)	0.00108 (0.0195)	0.00426 (0.00423)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\omega_3)$	0.532*** (0.107)	0.378*** (0.0162)	-0.819*** (0.145)	-0.861*** (0.0317)	-0.366** (0.169)	-0.436*** (0.0288)	0.443*** (0.146)	0.191*** (0.0303)	-0.0497*** (0.0142)	-0.0134*** (0.00474)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\omega_4)$	0.289* (0.159)	0.150*** (0.0179)	-0.190 (0.260)	-0.295*** (0.0368)	-0.0588 (0.278)	-0.162*** (0.0339)	0.0552 (0.245)	0.00937 (0.0381)	-0.00208 (0.0252)	-0.00455 (0.00571)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.106 (0.275)	1.067*** (0.0552)	0.288 (0.371)	-0.962*** (0.0675)	-0.412 (0.326)	-1.328*** (0.0760)	-2.359*** (0.247)	-2.309*** (0.0854)	0.0163 (0.0175)	-0.0946*** (0.0121)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.221*** (0.0358)	0.379*** (0.0115)	-0.0225 (0.0464)	-0.204*** (0.0166)	-0.137** (0.0533)	-0.326*** (0.0172)	0.274*** (0.0490)	0.184*** (0.0137)	0.0111** (0.00459)	0.00442** (0.00185)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0525** (0.0214)	0.0917*** (0.00383)	-0.102*** (0.0265)	-0.143*** (0.00607)	-0.138*** (0.0331)	-0.195*** (0.00659)	-0.243*** (0.0395)	-0.296*** (0.00745)	-0.00259 (0.00553)	0.000526 (0.000959)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.267 (0.307)	0.137** (0.0544)	0.0272 (0.296)	0.458*** (0.0933)	0.0828 (0.372)	0.506*** (0.0915)	-1.173*** (0.270)	-0.809*** (0.0989)	-0.0396** (0.0192)	-0.0990*** (0.0112)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.904*** (0.111)	1.407*** (0.0391)	3.034*** (0.210)	3.245*** (0.0676)	2.175*** (0.245)	3.611*** (0.0777)	-15.36*** (0.267)	-13.11*** (0.0805)	0.0184 (0.0419)	0.0178*** (0.0115)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\omega_1 + \omega_4$	-0.341	0.471	1.017	-0.803	-0.219	-0.707	0.0740	-0.404	0.0668	0.0440
Wald test p value	0.549	0.000	0.154	0.000	0.763	0.000	0.902	0.019	0.107	0.0802
r2	0.0774	0.210	0.116	0.0895	0.0760	0.130	0.625	0.542	0.415	0.525
N	17408	249459	17181	248520	17181	248527	17408	249459	17082	237443

TABLE 4: Impact of market liquidity shortages according to bank liquidity level during non-crisis period

This table displays during non-crisis period, the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio (DIVIDEND) according to whether or not the bank is more reliant on market liquidity. We exclude the crisis period from our investigation period. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 75th percentile at time t-1 throughout the entire sample. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity (NSFR<100%) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio ($GAP_{i,t-1} > 0$) or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. “large” corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and “small” corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

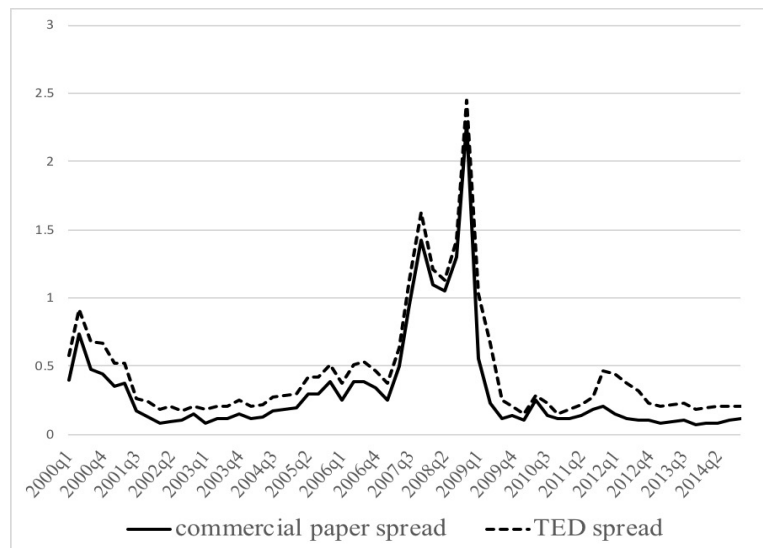
	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOAN$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_1)$	-0.492 (0.609)	0.190* (0.0978)	1.767* (0.918)	-0.282* (0.158)	0.147 (0.953)	-0.325** (0.152)	0.452 (0.771)	-0.424** (0.173)	0.0906 (0.0671)	0.0626** (0.0265)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\varphi_2)$	0.0962 (0.181)	0.0692*** (0.0143)	-0.101 (0.222)	-0.157*** (0.0249)	-0.492* (0.271)	-0.280*** (0.0250)	0.0893 (0.207)	0.0283 (0.0267)	-0.00644 (0.0196)	0.00314 (0.00473)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\varphi_3)$	0.618*** (0.107)	0.443*** (0.0166)	-0.945*** (0.143)	-0.995*** (0.0332)	-0.401** (0.185)	-0.520*** (0.0291)	0.424*** (0.143)	0.196*** (0.0307)	-0.0539*** (0.0159)	-0.0160*** (0.00492)
$Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_4)$	0.0842 (0.175)	0.170** (0.0328)	-0.832 (0.532)	-0.243*** (0.0591)	-0.551 (0.586)	-0.206*** (0.0478)	-0.309 (0.462)	0.0951* (0.0505)	-0.0152 (0.0509)	-0.0210** (0.00930)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.0689 (0.302)	0.965*** (0.0572)	0.330 (0.425)	-0.737*** (0.0673)	-0.500 (0.373)	-1.129*** (0.0754)	-2.253*** (0.265)	-2.262*** (0.0878)	0.0291* (0.0172)	-0.0892*** (0.0129)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.256*** (0.0488)	0.380** (0.0134)	-0.0646 (0.0657)	-0.185*** (0.0187)	-0.165** (0.0754)	-0.309*** (0.0197)	0.297*** (0.0620)	0.204*** (0.0154)	0.0126** (0.00598)	0.00433** (0.00211)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0709*** (0.0261)	0.0931*** (0.00429)	-0.109*** (0.0311)	-0.133*** (0.00669)	-0.156*** (0.0375)	-0.180*** (0.00720)	-0.241*** (0.0449)	-0.299*** (0.00791)	-0.00347 (0.00713)	0.000815 (0.00109)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.260 (0.307)	0.137** (0.0545)	0.0383 (0.297)	0.459*** (0.0935)	0.0907 (0.373)	0.507*** (0.0917)	-1.177*** (0.271)	-0.812*** (0.0992)	-0.0394** (0.0194)	-0.0989*** (0.0112)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.993*** (0.125)	1.325*** (0.0412)	2.777*** (0.225)	3.223*** (0.0706)	2.032*** (0.266)	3.600*** (0.0804)	-15.25*** (0.286)	-13.05*** (0.0850)	0.0182 (0.0169)	0.0182*** (0.00675)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	-0.408	0.360	0.936	-0.525	-0.404	-0.531	0.143	-0.329	0.0754	0.0416
Wald test p value	0.483	0.000	0.199	0.001	0.583	0.000	0.815	0.0578	0.0630	0.106
r2	0.0818	0.200	0.115	0.0928	0.0756	0.134	0.629	0.537	0.429	0.534
N	14841	215751	14674	214975	14674	214982	14841	215751	14538	203940

TABLE 5: Impact of market liquidity shortages according to gap between actual and target capital during non-crisis period

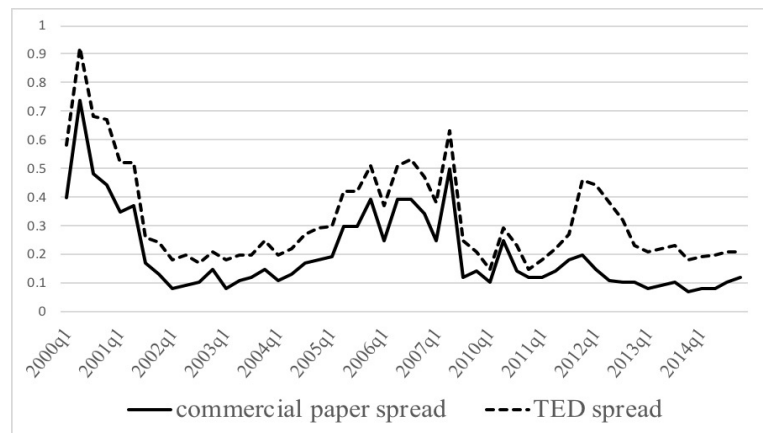
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	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOAN$		$\Delta ASSET$		$DIVIDEND$	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\omega_1)$	-0.638 (0.564)	0.228** (0.0962)	1.532** (0.720)	-0.330** (0.155)	-0.178 (0.762)	-0.400*** (0.150)	0.298 (0.670)	-0.367** (0.171)	0.147** (0.0637)	0.0534** (0.0260)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\omega_2)$	0.106 (0.176)	0.0943*** (0.0139)	-0.196 (0.220)	-0.193*** (0.0243)	-0.554** (0.258)	-0.310*** (0.0241)	0.0545 (0.199)	0.0425* (0.0258)	-0.00787 (0.0194)	0.00108 (0.00460)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\omega_3)$	0.584*** (0.113)	0.410** (0.0172)	-0.869*** (0.155)	-0.944*** (0.0335)	-0.377** (0.180)	-0.499*** (0.0298)	0.442*** (0.148)	0.200*** (0.0315)	-0.0438*** (0.0161)	-0.0156*** (0.00504)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\omega_4)$	0.290 (0.293)	0.256*** (0.0258)	-0.659 (0.470)	-0.400*** (0.0561)	-0.214 (0.463)	-0.162*** (0.0451)	-0.157 (0.340)	-0.0347 (0.0507)	-0.0934** (0.0425)	-0.00536 (0.00802)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.0720 (0.305)	0.970** (0.0574)	0.326 (0.427)	-0.745*** (0.0673)	-0.499 (0.374)	-1.133*** (0.0756)	-2.254*** (0.266)	-2.262*** (0.0878)	0.0283* (0.0171)	-0.0894*** (0.0129)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.256*** (0.0488)	0.380*** (0.0134)	-0.0638 (0.0655)	-0.185*** (0.0187)	-0.165** (0.0753)	-0.309*** (0.0197)	0.298*** (0.0620)	0.204*** (0.0154)	0.0126** (0.00599)	0.00435** (0.00211)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0709*** (0.0261)	0.0929*** (0.00428)	-0.109*** (0.0312)	-0.133*** (0.00668)	-0.155*** (0.0376)	-0.179*** (0.00720)	-0.240*** (0.0449)	-0.299*** (0.00790)	-0.00338 (0.00712)	0.000873 (0.00109)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.260 (0.307)	0.138** (0.0545)	0.0386 (0.297)	0.459*** (0.0935)	0.0911 (0.372)	0.506*** (0.0917)	-1.177*** (0.271)	-0.812*** (0.0992)	-0.0394** (0.0194)	-0.0989*** (0.0112)
$dummy_asset_{i,t-1}$	0.994*** (0.125)	1.324*** (0.0411)	2.770*** (0.226)	3.224*** (0.0706)	2.028*** (0.266)	3.600*** (0.0804)	-15.25*** (0.286)	-13.05*** (0.0850)	0.0179 (0.0170)	0.0181*** (0.00675)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\omega_1 + \omega_4$	-0.348	0.484	0.873	-0.730	-0.392	-0.562	0.141	-0.402	0.0536	0.0480
Wald test p value	0.566	0.000	0.258	0.000	0.610	0.000	0.820	0.0235	0.149	0.0614
r2	0.0820	0.200	0.115	0.0929	0.0755	0.134	0.629	0.537	0.430	0.534
N	14841	215751	14674	214975	14674	214982	14841	215751	14538	203940

Graph 1: The evolution of TED spread and commercial paper spread from 2000 to 2014 (average quarterly data).
 Source: Federal Reserve Bank of St Louis website



Graph 2: The evolution of TED spread and commercial paper spread from 2000 to 2014 (average quarterly data) while excluding the global financial crisis period (2007q3 to 2009q2).
 Source: Federal Reserve Bank of St Louis website



APPENDIX A

Estimation of target capital ratios

This table displays the results of the estimation of equation (3) using fixed effect methodology and allowing computing the target capital ratios. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 75th percentile at time $t-1$ throughout the whole sample. NSFR is Net Stable Funding Ratio. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on equity, NPL is the ratio of non-performing loans to total loans. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level. All independent variables are lagged one quarter.

	TCR	TIER ONE
Lag dependent variable	0.826*** (0.00380)	0.831*** (0.00369)
NSFR	0.000615** (0.000252)	0.000583** (0.000245)
size	0.106*** (0.0313)	0.0956*** (0.0306)
ROA	0.122*** (0.00951)	0.117*** (0.00922)
NPL	0.0657*** (0.00465)	0.0599*** (0.00456)
GDP growth rate	0.0163*** (0.00577)	0.0213*** (0.00566)
<i>M&A</i>	0.225*** (0.0241)	0.224*** (0.0237)
MLS	-0.130*** (0.0105)	-0.129*** (0.0103)
constant	0.477 (0.598)	0.393 (0.584)
r2	0.825	0.831
N	267039	267036

APPENDIX B:

TABLE 1B: Impact of severe market liquidity shortages (90th percentile) according to bank liquidity level

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio (DIVIDEND) according to whether or not the bank is more reliant on market liquidity. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 90th percentile at time t-1. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity (NSFR<100%) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. "large" corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and "small" corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOAN$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_1)$	0.150 (0.600)	0.984*** (0.0970)	0.404 (0.777)	-0.636*** (0.165)	-1.892** (0.783)	-1.109*** (0.166)	-3.720*** (0.690)	-2.065*** (0.170)	-0.0839 (0.0770)	-0.247*** (0.0270)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\varphi_2)$	0.120 (0.157)	0.0973*** (0.0133)	-0.237 (0.209)	-0.190*** (0.0231)	-0.585** (0.243)	-0.310*** (0.0234)	0.0419 (0.192)	0.0353 (0.0243)	-0.00270 (0.0203)	0.00485 (0.00435)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\varphi_3)$	0.598*** (0.0965)	0.414*** (0.0154)	-0.862*** (0.129)	-0.931*** (0.0308)	-0.379** (0.168)	-0.475*** (0.0276)	0.455*** (0.139)	0.193*** (0.0290)	-0.0502*** (0.0127)	-0.0144*** (0.00448)
$Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_4)$	0.313 (0.281)	0.156*** (0.0383)	-0.00848 (0.401)	-0.268*** (0.0647)	0.620 (0.426)	-0.203*** (0.0691)	0.150 (0.406)	-0.0760 (0.0599)	0.0512 (0.0502)	-0.00620 (0.00911)
Size $i,t-1$	0.103 (0.274)	1.068*** (0.0553)	0.289 (0.370)	-0.965*** (0.0677)	-0.412 (0.325)	-1.328*** (0.0761)	-2.359*** (0.247)	-2.307*** (0.0853)	0.0163 (0.0175)	-0.0946*** (0.0120)
ROA $i,t-1$	0.221*** (0.0359)	0.379*** (0.0115)	-0.0228 (0.0466)	-0.204*** (0.0166)	-0.136** (0.0533)	-0.325*** (0.0172)	0.274*** (0.0490)	0.184*** (0.0137)	0.0111** (0.00460)	0.00443** (0.00185)
NPL $i,t-1$	0.0531** (0.0214)	0.0917*** (0.00384)	-0.102*** (0.0265)	-0.142*** (0.00610)	-0.138*** (0.0330)	-0.195*** (0.00660)	-0.243*** (0.0394)	-0.296*** (0.00745)	-0.00258 (0.00554)	0.000519 (0.000959)
GDP growth $t-1$	0.0545 (0.201)	0.320*** (0.0328)	0.577** (0.270)	0.161*** (0.0509)	-0.0251 (0.253)	0.206*** (0.0514)	-1.142*** (0.223)	-1.020*** (0.0539)	-0.00483 (0.0208)	-0.0745*** (0.0107)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.906*** (0.111)	1.408*** (0.0392)	3.033*** (0.210)	3.244*** (0.0676)	2.175*** (0.245)	3.610*** (0.0777)	-15.36*** (0.267)	-13.11*** (0.0805)	0.0184 (0.0160)	0.0178*** (0.00658)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	0.463	1.141	0.396	-0.904	-1.272	-1.312	-3.570	-2.141	-0.0327	-0.253
Wald test p value	0.361	0.000	0.552	0.000	0.0484	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.546	0.000
r2	0.0770	0.210	0.115	0.0894	0.0762	0.130	0.625	0.542	0.415	0.525
N	17408	249459	17181	248520	17181	248527	17408	249459	17082	237443

TABLE 2B: Impact of severe market liquidity shortages (90th percentile) according to gap between actual and target capital

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio (DIVIDEND) according to whether or not the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 90th percentile at time t-1. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity (NSFR<100%) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. "large" corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and "small" corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOAN$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\omega_1)$	0.140 (0.559)	1.093*** (0.0917)	0.463 (0.700)	-0.800** (0.159)	-1.210 (0.741)	-1.243*** (0.158)	-4.022*** (0.644)	-2.138*** (0.166)	-0.0900 (0.0640)	-0.248*** (0.0263)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\omega_2)$	0.140 (0.156)	0.111*** (0.0129)	-0.237 (0.204)	-0.214*** (0.0226)	-0.540** (0.242)	-0.328*** (0.0233)	0.0498 (0.185)	0.0284 (0.0237)	0.000655 (0.0196)	0.00427 (0.00423)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\omega_3)$	0.563*** (0.0992)	0.410*** (0.0156)	-0.854*** (0.131)	-0.920*** (0.0313)	-0.371** (0.171)	-0.468*** (0.0281)	0.406*** (0.141)	0.190*** (0.0294)	-0.0564*** (0.0138)	-0.0133*** (0.00458)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\omega_4)$	0.394* (0.204)	0.0334 (0.0262)	-0.0841 (0.316)	-0.109** (0.0504)	-0.0997 (0.418)	-0.0607 (0.0516)	0.561 (0.341)	0.0328 (0.0568)	0.0703 (0.0441)	-0.0111 (0.00730)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.101 (0.275)	1.071*** (0.0555)	0.290 (0.370)	-0.968*** (0.0679)	-0.411 (0.325)	-1.331*** (0.0763)	-2.363*** (0.248)	-2.310*** (0.0857)	0.0159 (0.0175)	-0.0944*** (0.0121)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.220*** (0.0358)	0.378*** (0.0115)	-0.0226 (0.0466)	-0.203*** (0.0166)	-0.137** (0.0533)	-0.325*** (0.0172)	0.273*** (0.0491)	0.184*** (0.0137)	0.0110** (0.00455)	0.00441** (0.00185)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0524** (0.0213)	0.0914*** (0.00384)	-0.102*** (0.0264)	-0.142*** (0.00609)	-0.138*** (0.0330)	-0.194*** (0.00660)	-0.244*** (0.0395)	-0.296*** (0.00745)	-0.00271 (0.00553)	0.000523 (0.000959)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.0532 (0.202)	0.322*** (0.0329)	0.578** (0.270)	0.159*** (0.0510)	-0.0228 (0.253)	0.204*** (0.0515)	-1.145*** (0.223)	-1.023*** (0.0541)	-0.00507 (0.0208)	-0.0743*** (0.0107)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.906*** (0.111)	1.408*** (0.0392)	3.033*** (0.210)	3.243*** (0.0676)	2.174*** (0.245)	3.610*** (0.0777)	-15.36*** (0.267)	-13.11*** (0.0805)	0.0185 (0.0160)	0.0179*** (0.00657)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\omega_1 + \omega_4$	0.534	1.126	0.379	-0.910	-1.310	-1.303	-3.461	-2.105	-0.0198	-0.259
Wald test p value	0.290	0.000	0.573	0.000	0.0426	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.720	0.000
r2	0.0773	0.209	0.115	0.0893	0.0760	0.130	0.625	0.542	0.416	0.525
N	17408	249459	17181	248520	17181	248527	17408	249459	17082	237443

TABLE 3B: Impact of severe market liquidity shortages (mean plus two times standard deviation) according to bank liquidity level

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio (DIVIDEND) according to whether or not the bank is more reliant on market liquidity. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher at time t-1, than its mean plus two times its standard deviation. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity (NSFR<100%) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. "large" corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and "small" corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOAN$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_1)$	0.0639 (0.696)	0.983*** (0.103)	0.371 (0.931)	-0.750*** (0.177)	-2.040** (0.893)	-1.231*** (0.176)	-3.825*** (0.931)	-2.045*** (0.177)	-0.0848 (0.0742)	-0.248*** (0.0276)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\varphi_2)$	0.129 (0.153)	0.105*** (0.0131)	-0.238 (0.206)	-0.209*** (0.0229)	-0.566** (0.243)	-0.326*** (0.0234)	0.0443 (0.188)	0.0327 (0.0239)	-0.000663 (0.0197)	0.00448 (0.00428)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\varphi_3)$	0.598*** (0.0966)	0.414*** (0.0154)	-0.862*** (0.129)	-0.931*** (0.0308)	-0.380** (0.168)	-0.474*** (0.0276)	0.455*** (0.139)	0.193*** (0.0290)	-0.0502*** (0.0127)	-0.0144*** (0.00448)
$Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_4)$	0.402 (0.489)	0.160*** (0.0529)	0.0256 (0.662)	-0.123 (0.0996)	0.774 (0.624)	-0.0479 (0.0967)	0.258 (0.769)	-0.102 (0.0862)	0.0522 (0.0469)	-0.00487 (0.0116)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.103 (0.274)	1.070*** (0.0553)	0.289 (0.370)	-0.971*** (0.0678)	-0.412 (0.325)	-1.333*** (0.0762)	-2.359*** (0.247)	-2.307*** (0.0852)	0.0163 (0.0175)	-0.0948*** (0.0120)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.221*** (0.0359)	0.378*** (0.0115)	-0.0228 (0.0466)	-0.203*** (0.0166)	-0.137** (0.0533)	-0.325*** (0.0172)	0.274*** (0.0490)	0.184*** (0.0137)	0.0111** (0.00459)	0.00444** (0.00185)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0530** (0.0214)	0.0914*** (0.00384)	-0.102*** (0.0265)	-0.142*** (0.00610)	-0.138*** (0.0330)	-0.194*** (0.00660)	-0.243*** (0.0394)	-0.296*** (0.00744)	-0.00259 (0.00554)	0.000531 (0.000959)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.0547 (0.201)	0.322*** (0.0328)	0.577** (0.270)	0.158*** (0.0509)	-0.0248 (0.253)	0.203*** (0.0514)	-1.142*** (0.223)	-1.021*** (0.0539)	-0.00478 (0.0208)	-0.0745*** (0.0107)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.905*** (0.111)	1.408*** (0.0392)	3.033*** (0.211)	3.243*** (0.0676)	2.174*** (0.244)	3.610*** (0.0777)	-15.36*** (0.267)	-13.11*** (0.0805)	0.0183 (0.0160)	0.0178*** (0.00658)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	0.466	1.143	0.397	-0.874	-1.266	-1.279	-3.567	-2.147	-0.0326	-0.253
Wald test p value	0.359	0.000	0.551	0.000	0.0495	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.548	0.000
r2	0.0770	0.210	0.115	0.0893	0.0762	0.130	0.625	0.542	0.415	0.525
N	17408	249459	17181	248520	17181	248527	17408	249459	17082	237443

TABLE 4B: Impact of severe market liquidity shortages (mean plus two times standard deviation) according to gap between actual and target capital

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio (DIVIDEND). MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher at time t-1, than its mean plus two times its standard deviation. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity (NSFR<100%) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. “large” corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and “small” corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOAN$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\omega_1)$	0.271 (0.563)	1.123*** (0.0925)	0.437 (0.701)	-0.887*** (0.161)	-1.359* (0.718)	-1.339*** (0.160)	-3.521*** (0.682)	-2.074*** (0.167)	-0.0991* (0.0600)	-0.247*** (0.0262)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\omega_2)$	0.142 (0.156)	0.111*** (0.0129)	-0.237 (0.204)	-0.214*** (0.0227)	-0.541** (0.242)	-0.328*** (0.0233)	0.0528 (0.185)	0.0283 (0.0237)	0.000939 (0.0195)	0.00425 (0.00423)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\omega_3)$	0.585*** (0.0994)	0.415*** (0.0156)	-0.859*** (0.132)	-0.935*** (0.0310)	-0.384** (0.170)	-0.483*** (0.0279)	0.459*** (0.142)	0.199*** (0.0291)	-0.0547*** (0.0131)	-0.0137*** (0.00454)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\omega_4)$	0.231 (0.251)	-0.0423 (0.0324)	-0.0517 (0.321)	0.108 (0.0756)	0.0886 (0.343)	0.182** (0.0734)	-0.0670 (0.454)	-0.129* (0.0751)	0.0823*** (0.0284)	-0.0130 (0.00894)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.103 (0.274)	1.073*** (0.0554)	0.289 (0.370)	-0.975*** (0.0679)	-0.411 (0.325)	-1.337*** (0.0763)	-2.359*** (0.247)	-2.306*** (0.0853)	0.0163 (0.0176)	-0.0946*** (0.0120)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.221*** (0.0359)	0.378*** (0.0115)	-0.0227 (0.0465)	-0.203*** (0.0166)	-0.137** (0.0533)	-0.324*** (0.0172)	0.274*** (0.0490)	0.183*** (0.0137)	0.0110** (0.00456)	0.00441** (0.00185)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0527** (0.0214)	0.0913*** (0.00384)	-0.102*** (0.0265)	-0.142*** (0.00610)	-0.139*** (0.0330)	-0.194*** (0.00660)	-0.243*** (0.0395)	-0.296*** (0.00745)	-0.00269 (0.00553)	0.000532 (0.000959)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.0551 (0.201)	0.324*** (0.0329)	0.577** (0.270)	0.155*** (0.0510)	-0.0235 (0.253)	0.200*** (0.0515)	-1.142*** (0.222)	-1.020*** (0.0540)	-0.00480 (0.0208)	-0.0744*** (0.0107)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.905*** (0.111)	1.409*** (0.0392)	3.033*** (0.210)	3.242*** (0.0676)	2.174*** (0.245)	3.609*** (0.0777)	-15.36*** (0.267)	-13.11*** (0.0805)	0.0183 (0.0160)	0.0178*** (0.00658)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\omega_1 + \omega_4$	0.503	1.081	0.385	-0.780	-1.271	-1.156	-3.588	-2.203	-0.0168	-0.260
Wald test p value	0.320	0.000	0.567	0.000	0.0481	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.756	0.000
r2	0.0770	0.209	0.115	0.0893	0.0760	0.130	0.625	0.542	0.416	0.525
N	17408	249459	17181	248520	17181	248527	17408	249459	17082	237443

TABLE 5B: Impact of market liquidity shortages on banks' liquid assets according to bank liquidity level

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in asset part of liquid assets according to whether or not the bank is more reliant on market liquidity. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 75th percentile at time t-1. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity (NSFR<100%) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio ($GAP_{i,t-1} > 0$) or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. "large" corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and "small" corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	Whole period		Non-crisis period	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_1)$	1.005 (0.805)	0.0427 (0.182)	0.605 (0.888)	-0.0608 (0.182)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\varphi_2)$	0.661*** (0.242)	0.246*** (0.0267)	0.681*** (0.247)	0.242*** (0.0276)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\varphi_3)$	0.467*** (0.157)	0.560*** (0.0291)	0.450*** (0.168)	0.609*** (0.0311)
$Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_4)$	-0.0548 (0.371)	0.199*** (0.0446)	0.468 (0.512)	0.161*** (0.0555)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.336 (0.244)	1.138*** (0.0719)	0.397 (0.276)	0.963*** (0.0709)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.0403 (0.0523)	0.275*** (0.0170)	0.0795 (0.0670)	0.255*** (0.0192)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.101*** (0.0325)	0.165*** (0.00657)	0.103*** (0.0363)	0.149*** (0.00715)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	-0.310 (0.392)	-0.571*** (0.110)	-0.317 (0.393)	-0.571*** (0.110)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	-1.815*** (0.254)	-3.639*** (0.0867)	-1.613*** (0.279)	-3.619*** (0.0897)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	0.951	0.242	1.073	0.101
Wald test p value	0.187	0.181	0.143	0.581
r2	0.0587	0.0992	0.0587	0.101
N	17408	249449	14841	215743

TABLE 6B: Impact of market liquidity shortages on banks' liquid assets according to gap between actual and target capital

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in asset part of liquid assets. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 75th percentile at time t-1. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity ($NSFR < 100\%$) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. *Dummy_gap* is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio ($GAP_{i,t-1} > 0$) or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. "large" corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and "small" corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	Whole period		Non-crisis period	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\omega_1)$	0.776 (0.720)	0.131 (0.180)	0.671 (0.744)	-0.00394 (0.180)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\omega_2)$	0.648*** (0.231)	0.296*** (0.0256)	0.734*** (0.241)	0.266*** (0.0267)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\omega_3)$	0.413** (0.163)	0.538*** (0.0305)	0.398** (0.172)	0.592*** (0.0319)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\omega_4)$	0.235 (0.251)	0.0911** (0.0376)	0.458 (0.385)	0.138*** (0.0529)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.338 (0.244)	1.142*** (0.0720)	0.400 (0.277)	0.966*** (0.0710)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.0401 (0.0523)	0.275*** (0.0170)	0.0791 (0.0669)	0.255*** (0.0192)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.101*** (0.0325)	0.164*** (0.00656)	0.102*** (0.0363)	0.149*** (0.00715)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	-0.310 (0.392)	-0.571*** (0.110)	-0.317 (0.393)	-0.571*** (0.110)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	-1.817*** (0.254)	-3.638*** (0.0867)	-1.609*** (0.279)	-3.619*** (0.0897)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\omega_1 + \omega_4$	1.011	0.222	1.129	0.134
Wald test p value	0.166	0.222	0.134	0.472
r2	0.0588	0.0992	0.0588	0.101
N	17408	249449	14841	215743

TABLE 7B: adjustment speed of small banks during periods of market liquidity shortage

This table displays the estimations results of equation (11): $\Delta TCR_{i,t} = \alpha V_{i,t-1} GAP_{i,t-1} + \varepsilon_{i,t}$ using OLS methods. It illustrates the speed of adjustment of small banks during period of market liquidity shortages. The market liquidity shortage is measured by spikes in TED spread and TED spread. Z is a dummy variable equals to one if banks has NSFR lower than 100% or 0 if otherwise. Z captures banks more reliant on market liquidity. $Dummy_gap$ is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. It captures banks operating below their target capital ratio. ΔTCR is change in total capital ratio. NPL is non-performing loans to total loans ratio. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	TED spread
$Z_{i,t-1}$	0.0675*** (0.00631)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1}$	0.126*** (0.0113)
$NPL_{i,t-1}$	-0.00678*** (0.00176)
constant	-0.387*** (0.0366)
Time fixed effect	yes
r2	0.0359
N	64023

APPENDIX C

TABLE 1C: Impact of market liquidity shortages according to banks liquidity level, using the 10th percentile of NSFR

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio ($DIVIDEND$) according to whether or not the bank is more reliant on market liquidity. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 75th percentile at time t-1. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. We consider that banks have a low level of liquidity if their NSFR is lower than the 10th percentile; size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. $Dummy_gap$ is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. “large” corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and “small” corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOAN$		$\Delta ASSET$		$DIVIDEND$	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_1)$	-0.496 (0.576)	0.320** (0.0963)	1.269* (0.712)	-0.500** (0.155)	-0.111 (0.729)	-0.507** (0.151)	-0.0141 (0.622)	-0.441** (0.171)	0.0754* (0.0445)	0.0471* (0.0256)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\varphi_2)$	-0.0570 (0.0723)	0.00230 (0.0132)	0.0148 (0.134)	-0.123** (0.0240)	-0.188 (0.148)	-0.230** (0.0256)	-0.0261 (0.140)	-0.0325 (0.0279)	0.000943 (0.0103)	0.00551 (0.00383)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\varphi_3)$	0.599** (0.0963)	0.415** (0.0154)	-0.858** (0.129)	-0.932** (0.0308)	-0.379** (0.168)	-0.477** (0.0276)	0.454** (0.140)	0.193** (0.0290)	-0.0499** (0.0126)	-0.0143** (0.00447)
$Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_4)$	0.140 (0.0966)	0.139** (0.0194)	-0.338** (0.172)	-0.290** (0.0385)	-0.195 (0.185)	-0.288** (0.0373)	0.119 (0.196)	0.0980** (0.0403)	-0.0138 (0.0184)	0.000783 (0.00567)
Size $i,t-1$	0.113 (0.273)	1.076** (0.0555)	0.286 (0.368)	-0.966** (0.0679)	-0.422 (0.324)	-1.330** (0.0764)	-2.358** (0.248)	-2.309** (0.0852)	0.0169 (0.0176)	-0.0949** (0.0120)
ROA $i,t-1$	0.223** (0.0359)	0.381** (0.0115)	-0.0263 (0.0463)	-0.207** (0.0167)	-0.140** (0.0529)	-0.330** (0.0173)	0.275** (0.0489)	0.185** (0.0137)	0.0110** (0.00454)	0.00447** (0.00185)
NPL $i,t-1$	0.0555** (0.0216)	0.0955** (0.00392)	-0.103** (0.0270)	-0.140** (0.00630)	-0.138** (0.0330)	-0.191** (0.00684)	-0.242** (0.0392)	-0.294** (0.00764)	-0.00255 (0.00549)	0.000335 (0.00103)
GDP growth $t-1$	0.268 (0.307)	0.137** (0.0544)	0.0259 (0.297)	0.457** (0.0934)	0.0791 (0.373)	0.503** (0.0916)	-1.173** (0.270)	-0.809** (0.0989)	-0.0395** (0.0192)	-0.0989** (0.0112)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.906** (0.112)	1.410** (0.0392)	3.035** (0.210)	3.243** (0.0676)	2.174** (0.245)	3.609** (0.0777)	-15.36** (0.267)	-13.11** (0.0805)	0.0185 (0.0160)	0.0178** (0.00658)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	-0.355	0.459	0.931	-0.790	-0.306	-0.795	0.104	-0.343	0.0616	0.0479
Wald test p value	0.527	0.000	0.180	0.000	0.667	0.000	0.862	0.0476	0.130	0.0586
r2	0.0768	0.209	0.116	0.0894	0.0756	0.130	0.625	0.542	0.415	0.525
N	17408	249459	17181	248520	17181	248527	17408	249459	17082	237443

TABLE 2C: Impact of severe market liquidity shortages (90th percentile) according to banks liquidity level, using the 10th percentile of NSFR

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio (DIVIDEND) according to whether or not the bank is more reliant on market liquidity. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 90th percentile at time t-1. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. We consider that banks have a low level of liquidity if their NSFR is lower than the 10th percentile; size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. "large" corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and "small" corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOAN$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_1)$	0.222 (0.552)	1.059*** (0.0917)	0.595 (0.725)	-0.753*** (0.160)	-1.396** (0.683)	-1.205*** (0.160)	-3.578*** (0.626)	-2.153*** (0.166)	-0.0253 (0.0583)	-0.248*** (0.0266)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\varphi_2)$	-0.0518 (0.0663)	0.0257** (0.0125)	-0.0455 (0.128)	-0.176*** (0.0231)	-0.246* (0.141)	-0.286*** (0.0245)	0.00362 (0.133)	-0.0134 (0.0267)	-0.00145 (0.00901)	0.00658* (0.00364)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\varphi_3)$	0.601*** (0.0960)	0.415*** (0.0154)	-0.864*** (0.129)	-0.932*** (0.0308)	-0.383** (0.168)	-0.477*** (0.0276)	0.456*** (0.139)	0.194*** (0.0290)	-0.0501*** (0.0127)	-0.0143*** (0.00447)
$Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_4)$	0.279** (0.136)	0.117*** (0.0265)	-0.248 (0.229)	-0.212*** (0.0523)	0.0654 (0.207)	-0.184*** (0.0546)	0.0107 (0.247)	0.0618 (0.0555)	-0.00964 (0.0231)	-0.00673 (0.00691)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.110 (0.274)	1.079*** (0.0555)	0.285 (0.370)	-0.973*** (0.0680)	-0.427 (0.325)	-1.338*** (0.0766)	-2.356*** (0.248)	-2.306*** (0.0851)	0.0169 (0.0175)	-0.0947*** (0.0120)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.223*** (0.0358)	0.380*** (0.0115)	-0.0252 (0.0463)	-0.206*** (0.0167)	-0.139*** (0.0528)	-0.328*** (0.0173)	0.274*** (0.0489)	0.185*** (0.0137)	0.0110** (0.00455)	0.00443** (0.00185)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0554** (0.0216)	0.0948*** (0.00391)	-0.103*** (0.0269)	-0.139*** (0.00629)	-0.137*** (0.0329)	-0.189*** (0.00684)	-0.243*** (0.0392)	-0.294*** (0.00764)	-0.00253 (0.00549)	0.000300 (0.00103)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.0517 (0.203)	0.323*** (0.0328)	0.575** (0.270)	0.155*** (0.0510)	-0.0459 (0.253)	0.197*** (0.0515)	-1.141*** (0.224)	-1.023*** (0.0539)	-0.00447 (0.0208)	-0.0742*** (0.0107)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.907*** (0.112)	1.410*** (0.0392)	3.032*** (0.210)	3.242*** (0.0676)	2.172*** (0.245)	3.608*** (0.0777)	-15.36*** (0.267)	-13.11*** (0.0805)	0.0184 (0.0160)	0.0178*** (0.00658)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	0.501	1.177	0.347	-0.965	-1.331	-1.389	-3.568	-2.091	-0.0349	-0.255
Wald test p value	0.324	0.000	0.598	0.000	0.0385	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.525	2.09e-23
r2	0.0770	0.209	0.115	0.0893	0.0755	0.130	0.625	0.542	0.415	0.525
N	17408	249459	17181	248520	17181	248527	17408	249459	17082	237443

TABLE 3C: Impact of severe market liquidity shortages (mean plus two times standard deviation) according to banks liquidity level, using the 10th percentile of NSFR

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio ($DIVIDEND$) according to whether or not the bank is more reliant on market liquidity. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its mean plus two times its standard deviation at time t-1. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. We consider that banks have a low level of liquidity if their NSFR is lower than the 10th percentile; size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy *gap* is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. “large” corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and “small” corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOAN$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_1)$	0.170 (0.563)	1.090*** (0.0937)	0.465 (0.770)	-0.864*** (0.164)	-1.635** (0.711)	-1.370*** (0.163)	-3.594*** (0.675)	-2.149*** (0.168)	-0.0490 (0.0582)	-0.255*** (0.0267)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\varphi_2)$	-0.0376 (0.0626)	0.0365*** (0.0122)	-0.0676 (0.124)	-0.202*** (0.0227)	-0.255* (0.136)	-0.316*** (0.0240)	0.00338 (0.127)	-0.00922 (0.0261)	-0.00338 (0.00820)	0.00532 (0.00354)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\varphi_3)$	0.602*** (0.0962)	0.415*** (0.0154)	-0.864*** (0.129)	-0.932*** (0.0308)	-0.382** (0.168)	-0.477*** (0.0276)	0.457*** (0.139)	0.194*** (0.0290)	-0.0501*** (0.0127)	-0.0143*** (0.00447)
$Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_4)$	0.343* (0.207)	0.0637* (0.0342)	-0.105 (0.365)	-0.0122 (0.0782)	0.339 (0.295)	0.117 (0.0745)	0.0288 (0.381)	0.0577 (0.0751)	0.0173 (0.0197)	0.00603 (0.00844)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.112 (0.273)	1.082*** (0.0555)	0.281 (0.369)	-0.979*** (0.0681)	-0.428 (0.325)	-1.346*** (0.0766)	-2.356*** (0.247)	-2.305*** (0.0850)	0.0165 (0.0176)	-0.0950*** (0.0120)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.223*** (0.0358)	0.380*** (0.0115)	-0.0243 (0.0463)	-0.205*** (0.0167)	-0.138*** (0.0529)	-0.327*** (0.0173)	0.274*** (0.0490)	0.184*** (0.0137)	0.0111** (0.00454)	0.00448** (0.00185)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0551** (0.0216)	0.0944*** (0.00390)	-0.102*** (0.0269)	-0.138*** (0.00628)	-0.138*** (0.0329)	-0.188*** (0.00683)	-0.243*** (0.0392)	-0.294*** (0.00763)	-0.00252 (0.00549)	0.000338 (0.00103)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.0545 (0.203)	0.325*** (0.0328)	0.570** (0.270)	0.150*** (0.0510)	-0.0483 (0.253)	0.191*** (0.0515)	-1.141*** (0.224)	-1.022*** (0.0538)	-0.00496 (0.0208)	-0.0745*** (0.0107)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.906*** (0.112)	1.411*** (0.0392)	3.032*** (0.210)	3.241*** (0.0677)	2.171*** (0.245)	3.606*** (0.0778)	-15.36*** (0.267)	-13.11*** (0.0805)	0.0183 (0.0160)	0.0178*** (0.00658)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	0.513	1.154	0.361	-0.876	-1.295	-1.253	-3.565	-2.092	-0.0317	-0.249
Wald test p value	0.313	0.000	0.584	0.000	0.0438	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.563	1.86e-22
r2	0.0770	0.209	0.115	0.0892	0.0756	0.130	0.625	0.542	0.415	0.525
N	17408	249459	17181	248520	17181	248527	17408	249459	17082	237443

APPENDIX D

TABLE 1D: Impact of market liquidity shortages according to banks liquidity level, using loans to core deposits ratio

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio ($DIVIDEND$) according to whether or not the bank is more reliant on market liquidity. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 75th percentile at time t-1. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. We assume that banks have a low liquidity level if its loans to core deposits ratio is higher than 100%. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. “large” corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and “small” corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOAN$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_1)$	-0.647 (0.539)	0.309*** (0.0948)	1.178* (0.707)	-0.383** (0.154)	0.0546 (0.711)	-0.364** (0.149)	-0.134 (0.597)	-0.533*** (0.171)	0.0512 (0.0398)	0.0489* (0.0255)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\varphi_2)$	0.0916 (0.0846)	0.217*** (0.0229)	-0.403** (0.171)	-1.026*** (0.0409)	-0.950*** (0.173)	-1.471*** (0.0450)	0.765*** (0.170)	0.801*** (0.0472)	0.00730 (0.0189)	-0.00553 (0.00531)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\varphi_3)$	0.554*** (0.0952)	0.403*** (0.0153)	-0.774*** (0.127)	-0.877*** (0.0310)	-0.336** (0.171)	-0.403*** (0.0279)	0.450*** (0.137)	0.154*** (0.0289)	-0.0475*** (0.0123)	-0.0140*** (0.00449)
$Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_4)$	0.0190 (0.0733)	0.0414 (0.0257)	-0.292* (0.167)	-0.235*** (0.0467)	0.0187 (0.167)	-0.0361 (0.0478)	0.0181 (0.194)	-0.0606 (0.0535)	-0.0105 (0.0160)	-0.000587 (0.00645)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	-0.0435 (0.246)	1.046*** (0.0550)	0.245 (0.390)	-0.824*** (0.0667)	-0.439 (0.339)	-1.155*** (0.0750)	-2.385*** (0.255)	-2.428*** (0.0877)	-0.000227 (0.0152)	-0.0934*** (0.0122)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.221** (0.0363)	0.381*** (0.0115)	-0.0309 (0.0471)	-0.209*** (0.0168)	-0.129** (0.0523)	-0.332*** (0.0174)	0.282*** (0.0500)	0.186*** (0.0138)	0.0121*** (0.00345)	0.00452** (0.00184)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0544** (0.0222)	0.0998*** (0.00380)	-0.107*** (0.0278)	-0.162*** (0.00609)	-0.129*** (0.0318)	-0.224*** (0.00666)	-0.238*** (0.0402)	-0.288*** (0.00731)	0.00170 (0.00214)	0.000713 (0.000969)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.270 (0.309)	0.137** (0.0544)	0.0200 (0.297)	0.461*** (0.0933)	0.0294 (0.372)	0.508*** (0.0914)	-1.163*** (0.270)	-0.810*** (0.0989)	-0.0406** (0.0191)	-0.0990*** (0.0112)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.825*** (0.104)	1.420*** (0.0394)	3.099*** (0.211)	3.187*** (0.0678)	2.203*** (0.242)	3.537*** (0.0781)	-15.16*** (0.252)	-13.06*** (0.0812)	0.0213 (0.0147)	0.0176*** (0.00665)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	-0.628	0.350	0.885	-0.618	0.0733	-0.400	-0.115	-0.594	0.0407	0.0483
Wald test p value	0.248	0.000	0.211	0.000	0.917	0.0103	0.849	0.001	0.311	0.0632
r2	0.0764	0.213	0.120	0.0947	0.0862	0.139	0.626	0.543	0.421	0.524
N	17049	248268	17049	248265	17049	248268	17049	248268	16724	236262

TABLE 2D: Impact of market liquidity shortages according to banks liquidity level, using liquid assets to total assets ratio

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio ($DIVIDEND$) according to whether or not the bank is more reliant on market liquidity. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 75th percentile at time t-1. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. We assume that banks have a low liquidity level if its liquid assets to total assets ratio is lower than the 25th percentile of this variable. $size$ is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. $Dummy_gap$ is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. $M\&A$ is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. “large” corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and “small” corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOAN$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_1)$	-0.460 (0.564)	0.315*** (0.0960)	1.165* (0.700)	-0.385** (0.153)	-0.207 (0.714)	-0.347** (0.148)	-0.0581 (0.603)	-0.547*** (0.170)	0.0717* (0.0421)	0.0488* (0.0255)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\varphi_2)$	0.0387 (0.0394)	0.0986*** (0.0140)	-0.724*** (0.0933)	-1.182*** (0.0297)	-1.258*** (0.134)	-1.677*** (0.0339)	0.653*** (0.116)	1.127*** (0.0325)	-0.00388 (0.0110)	-0.00203 (0.00436)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\varphi_3)$	0.592*** (0.0973)	0.398*** (0.0154)	-0.756*** (0.129)	-0.770*** (0.0316)	-0.211 (0.169)	-0.253*** (0.0283)	0.356** (0.139)	0.0442 (0.0290)	-0.0493*** (0.0129)	-0.0139*** (0.00448)
$Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_4)$	0.150** (0.0602)	0.162*** (0.0199)	-0.282* (0.145)	-0.252*** (0.0387)	-0.0267 (0.161)	-0.174*** (0.0388)	0.314* (0.167)	-0.0265 (0.0416)	-0.0110 (0.0114)	-0.00436 (0.00562)
$Size_{i,t-1}$	0.109 (0.275)	1.065*** (0.0552)	0.304 (0.370)	-0.848*** (0.0671)	-0.404 (0.323)	-1.172*** (0.0754)	-2.385*** (0.258)	-2.433*** (0.0861)	0.0168 (0.0176)	-0.0937*** (0.0120)
$ROA_{i,t-1}$	0.223*** (0.0357)	0.380*** (0.0114)	-0.0255 (0.0459)	-0.199*** (0.0165)	-0.140*** (0.0525)	-0.320*** (0.0171)	0.276*** (0.0494)	0.177*** (0.0138)	0.0110** (0.00451)	0.00450** (0.00185)
$NPL_{i,t-1}$	0.0559*** (0.0216)	0.0982*** (0.00376)	-0.115*** (0.0270)	-0.159*** (0.00611)	-0.159*** (0.0343)	-0.220*** (0.00672)	-0.233*** (0.0391)	-0.290*** (0.00725)	-0.00269 (0.00545)	0.000747 (0.000967)
$GDP\ growth_{t-1}$	0.268 (0.307)	0.140** (0.0544)	0.0178 (0.293)	0.422*** (0.0923)	0.0649 (0.367)	0.454*** (0.0900)	-1.166*** (0.268)	-0.773*** (0.0985)	-0.0396** (0.0192)	-0.0991*** (0.0112)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.909*** (0.112)	1.420*** (0.0393)	3.005*** (0.210)	3.165*** (0.0674)	2.126*** (0.245)	3.501*** (0.0775)	-15.33*** (0.267)	-13.05*** (0.0811)	0.0182 (0.0161)	0.0178*** (0.00660)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	-0.310	0.477	0.882	-0.636	-0.234	-0.521	0.256	-0.573	0.0607	0.0444
Wald test p value	0.583	0.000	0.202	0.000	0.740	0.001	0.674	0.001	0.139	0.0826
r2	0.0770	0.210	0.121	0.0990	0.0880	0.150	0.627	0.546	0.415	0.525
N	17408	249454	17181	248519	17181	248522	17408	249454	17082	237438

TABLE 3D: Impact of market liquidity shortages according to banks liquidity level, using the reliance on wholesale funding

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio (DIVIDEND) according to whether or not the bank is more reliant on market liquidity. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 75th percentile at time t-1. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. We assume that banks have a low liquidity level if its reliance on wholesale funding is higher than the 75th percentile of this variable. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. “large” corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and “small” corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOAN$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_1)$	-0.397 (0.572)	0.341*** (0.0960)	1.021 (0.712)	-0.512*** (0.155)	-0.188 (0.729)	-0.510*** (0.150)	0.0384 (0.609)	-0.431** (0.171)	0.0726* (0.0434)	0.0500* (0.0255)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\varphi_2)$	-0.0261 (0.0647)	0.0261 (0.0204)	0.198** (0.0987)	-0.236*** (0.0330)	0.175 (0.122)	-0.310*** (0.0363)	-0.195 (0.125)	-0.0378 (0.0405)	0.00383 (0.0114)	-0.00669 (0.00543)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\varphi_3)$	0.593*** (0.0964)	0.414*** (0.0155)	-0.869*** (0.129)	-0.926*** (0.0308)	-0.390** (0.167)	-0.470*** (0.0276)	0.460*** (0.140)	0.198*** (0.0291)	-0.0508*** (0.0128)	-0.0141*** (0.00449)
$Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_4)$	0.00974 (0.0542)	0.0993*** (0.0240)	-0.0299 (0.143)	-0.226*** (0.0419)	-0.118 (0.144)	-0.233*** (0.0402)	0.120 (0.172)	0.134*** (0.0464)	-0.00999 (0.0124)	-0.00659 (0.00583)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.122 (0.277)	1.075*** (0.0559)	0.254 (0.372)	-0.932*** (0.0678)	-0.464 (0.326)	-1.295*** (0.0764)	-2.328*** (0.249)	-2.310*** (0.0863)	0.0156 (0.0182)	-0.0924*** (0.0122)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.223*** (0.0360)	0.380*** (0.0115)	-0.0229 (0.0463)	-0.210*** (0.0167)	-0.140*** (0.0530)	-0.334*** (0.0173)	0.273*** (0.0495)	0.186*** (0.0138)	0.0111** (0.00453)	0.00443** (0.00185)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0539** (0.0216)	0.0977*** (0.00378)	-0.104*** (0.0262)	-0.154*** (0.00598)	-0.143*** (0.0333)	-0.212*** (0.00651)	-0.241*** (0.0396)	-0.294*** (0.00734)	-0.00259 (0.00550)	0.000749 (0.000969)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.268 (0.307)	0.137** (0.0544)	0.0263 (0.297)	0.459*** (0.0934)	0.0797 (0.373)	0.507*** (0.0916)	-1.174*** (0.270)	-0.809*** (0.0989)	-0.0396** (0.0192)	-0.0990*** (0.0112)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.902*** (0.113)	1.409*** (0.0393)	3.034*** (0.210)	3.233*** (0.0677)	2.171*** (0.245)	3.596*** (0.0779)	-15.36*** (0.268)	-13.11*** (0.0808)	0.0191 (0.0162)	0.0181*** (0.00662)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	-0.387	0.441	0.991	-0.738	-0.306	-0.743	0.158	-0.297	0.0626	0.0434
Wald test p value	0.486	0.000	0.152	0.000	0.664	0.000	0.795	0.0903	0.133	0.0893
r2	0.0768	0.209	0.116	0.0893	0.0753	0.130	0.626	0.542	0.415	0.524
N	17181	248482	17181	248475	17181	248482	17181	248482	16856	236473

APPENDIX E

TABLE 1E: Impact of market liquidity shortages (using the sample of “real commercial banks”) according to banks liquidity level

Depending on whether or not the bank is more reliant on market liquidity, this table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio (DIVIDEND) of “real commercial banks”. “real commercial banks” are banks with total deposits to total assets ratio and total loans over total assets higher than 30%. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 75th percentile at time t-1. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity (NSFR<100%) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. “large” corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and “small” corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOAN$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_1)$	-0.142 (0.450)	0.343*** (0.0931)	1.174 (0.803)	-0.480*** (0.158)	-0.622 (0.856)	-0.566*** (0.155)	0.0347 (0.670)	-0.502*** (0.174)	0.0548 (0.0478)	0.0495* (0.0264)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\varphi_2)$	0.0834 (0.153)	0.0660*** (0.0135)	-0.245 (0.224)	-0.150*** (0.0240)	-0.508* (0.275)	-0.271*** (0.0251)	0.233 (0.200)	0.00593 (0.0259)	0.00185 (0.0224)	0.00678 (0.00470)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\varphi_3)$	0.633*** (0.0942)	0.393*** (0.0150)	-0.966*** (0.139)	-0.919*** (0.0302)	-0.481*** (0.176)	-0.462*** (0.0276)	0.488*** (0.140)	0.196*** (0.0289)	-0.0512*** (0.0134)	-0.0147*** (0.00449)
$Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_4)$	0.0687 (0.157)	0.171*** (0.0234)	-0.392 (0.403)	-0.266*** (0.0425)	-0.100 (0.444)	-0.241*** (0.0409)	-0.252 (0.344)	0.0351 (0.0398)	0.0121 (0.0246)	-0.00724 (0.00679)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.182 (0.289)	1.197*** (0.0540)	0.306 (0.399)	-1.041*** (0.0674)	-0.583 (0.377)	-1.510*** (0.0780)	-2.426*** (0.263)	-2.356*** (0.0864)	0.0235 (0.0183)	-0.0956*** (0.0124)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.206*** (0.0282)	0.407*** (0.0109)	-0.0299 (0.0514)	-0.201*** (0.0159)	-0.135** (0.0580)	-0.348*** (0.0170)	0.293*** (0.0485)	0.193*** (0.0136)	0.00857** (0.00431)	0.00507*** (0.00175)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0561*** (0.0197)	0.100*** (0.00381)	-0.107*** (0.0275)	-0.144*** (0.00612)	-0.150*** (0.0382)	-0.203*** (0.00675)	-0.272*** (0.0375)	-0.302*** (0.00737)	-0.00321 (0.00586)	0.000514 (0.000961)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.191 (0.156)	0.173*** (0.0513)	0.180 (0.251)	0.422*** (0.0928)	0.186 (0.324)	0.485*** (0.0918)	-1.115*** (0.266)	-0.775*** (0.100)	-0.0352* (0.0182)	-0.0976*** (0.0113)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.784*** (0.101)	1.355*** (0.0371)	2.938*** (0.225)	3.267*** (0.0678)	2.235*** (0.257)	3.695*** (0.0782)	-15.19*** (0.264)	-12.89*** (0.0772)	0.0193 (0.0173)	0.0201*** (0.00659)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	-0.0729	0.514	0.783	-0.746	-0.722	-0.807	-0.217	-0.467	0.0669	0.0423
Wald test p value	0.851	0.000	0.236	0.000	0.298	0.000	0.712	0.007	0.101	0.101
r2	0.106	0.242	0.119	0.0938	0.0840	0.137	0.627	0.538	0.427	0.527
N	16711	240378	16484	239439	16484	239446	16711	240378	16397	228750

TABLE 2E: Impact of market liquidity shortages (using the sample of “real commercial banks”) according to gap between actual and target capital

Depending on whether or not the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio, this table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio (DIVIDEND) of “real commercial banks”. “real commercial banks” are banks with total deposits to total assets ratio and total loans over total assets higher than 30%. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 75th percentile at time t-1. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity (NSFR<100%) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. “large” corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and “small” corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOAN$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\omega_1)$	-0.276 (0.385)	0.404*** (0.0919)	1.019 (0.650)	-0.559*** (0.157)	-0.737 (0.721)	-0.664*** (0.153)	-0.271 (0.621)	-0.483*** (0.173)	0.0675 (0.0414)	0.0469* (0.0261)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\omega_2)$	0.0961 (0.133)	0.109*** (0.0127)	-0.325 (0.216)	-0.216*** (0.0228)	-0.529** (0.262)	-0.331*** (0.0238)	0.181 (0.181)	0.0146 (0.0241)	0.00422 (0.0201)	0.00527 (0.00435)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\omega_3)$	0.576*** (0.107)	0.359*** (0.0159)	-0.908*** (0.162)	-0.853*** (0.0312)	-0.488*** (0.180)	-0.426*** (0.0289)	0.465*** (0.143)	0.195*** (0.0302)	-0.0507*** (0.0151)	-0.0137*** (0.00477)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\omega_4)$	0.248 (0.173)	0.139*** (0.0173)	-0.253 (0.282)	-0.273*** (0.0365)	0.0303 (0.318)	-0.152*** (0.0344)	0.0957 (0.258)	0.00231 (0.0382)	-0.00228 (0.0259)	-0.00448 (0.00573)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.183 (0.290)	1.198*** (0.0540)	0.306 (0.400)	-1.042*** (0.0674)	-0.582 (0.377)	-1.514*** (0.0781)	-2.425*** (0.263)	-2.355*** (0.0865)	0.0235 (0.0183)	-0.0956*** (0.0124)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.206*** (0.0281)	0.407*** (0.0109)	-0.0292 (0.0512)	-0.201*** (0.0159)	-0.135** (0.0581)	-0.347*** (0.0170)	0.293*** (0.0485)	0.193*** (0.0137)	0.00857** (0.00430)	0.00508*** (0.00175)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0554*** (0.0197)	0.0998*** (0.00380)	-0.107*** (0.0277)	-0.143*** (0.00608)	-0.150*** (0.0385)	-0.202*** (0.00673)	-0.272*** (0.0377)	-0.302*** (0.00737)	-0.00321 (0.00584)	0.000541 (0.000962)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.192 (0.156)	0.173*** (0.0513)	0.179 (0.251)	0.422*** (0.0928)	0.187 (0.323)	0.484*** (0.0918)	-1.115*** (0.266)	-0.775*** (0.100)	-0.0353* (0.0182)	-0.0976*** (0.0113)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.784*** (0.100)	1.354*** (0.0371)	2.938*** (0.225)	3.268*** (0.0678)	2.235*** (0.257)	3.695*** (0.0782)	-15.19*** (0.264)	-12.89*** (0.0772)	0.0193 (0.0173)	0.0200*** (0.00659)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\omega_1 + \omega_4$	-0.0289	0.544	0.766	-0.833	-0.707	-0.816	-0.175	-0.480	0.0652	0.0424
Wald test p value	0.942	0.000	0.260	0.000	0.317	0.000	0.766	0.006	0.124	0.0972
r2	0.107	0.242	0.119	0.0938	0.0840	0.137	0.627	0.538	0.427	0.527
N	16711	240378	16484	239439	16484	239446	16711	240378	16397	228750

APPENDIX F

Table 1F: Impact of market liquidity shortages in normal time according to bank liquidity level

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages during normal time, on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio (DIVIDEND) according to whether or not the bank is more reliant on market liquidity. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher at time t-1, than its 75th percentile of normal time. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity (NSFR<100%) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. “large” corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and “small” corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOANS$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_1)$	-0.365 (0.600)	0.224** (0.0971)	0.860 (0.788)	-0.307* (0.156)	-0.322 (0.819)	-0.340** (0.151)	0.469 (0.681)	-0.463*** (0.173)	0.0671 (0.0519)	0.0510* (0.0262)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\varphi_2)$	0.0657 (0.204)	0.0676*** (0.0146)	-0.158 (0.247)	-0.160*** (0.0255)	-0.512* (0.277)	-0.283*** (0.0262)	0.164 (0.229)	0.000200 (0.0279)	-0.0106 (0.0208)	0.00229 (0.00498)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\varphi_3)$	0.625*** (0.111)	0.448*** (0.0169)	-0.919*** (0.144)	-1.009*** (0.0339)	-0.417** (0.190)	-0.529*** (0.0295)	0.423*** (0.146)	0.199*** (0.0310)	-0.0535*** (0.0161)	-0.0164*** (0.00499)
$Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_4)$	0.0837 (0.138)	0.0884*** (0.0232)	-0.0129 (0.301)	-0.112*** (0.0416)	-0.166 (0.372)	-0.0967** (0.0378)	-0.333 (0.272)	0.145*** (0.0385)	0.00323 (0.0273)	-0.00237 (0.00596)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.198 (0.292)	0.956*** (0.0579)	0.161 (0.399)	-0.700*** (0.0678)	-0.614* (0.370)	-1.092*** (0.0763)	-2.245*** (0.271)	-2.269*** (0.0880)	0.0236 (0.0171)	-0.0902*** (0.0128)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.255*** (0.0527)	0.386*** (0.0139)	-0.0479 (0.0659)	-0.198*** (0.0195)	-0.159** (0.0786)	-0.323*** (0.0205)	0.318*** (0.0652)	0.197*** (0.0159)	0.0120** (0.00603)	0.00496** (0.00220)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0650** (0.0269)	0.0935*** (0.00437)	-0.0926*** (0.0299)	-0.130*** (0.00672)	-0.149*** (0.0399)	-0.178*** (0.00727)	-0.253*** (0.0451)	-0.301*** (0.00804)	-0.00338 (0.00701)	0.000861 (0.00111)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.262 (0.306)	0.137** (0.0545)	0.0361 (0.297)	0.461*** (0.0935)	0.0905 (0.373)	0.508*** (0.0917)	-1.178*** (0.271)	-0.812*** (0.0993)	-0.0393** (0.0194)	-0.0990*** (0.0112)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.992*** (0.126)	1.311*** (0.0418)	2.707*** (0.231)	3.221*** (0.0713)	1.959*** (0.269)	3.615*** (0.0813)	-15.22*** (0.291)	-13.02*** (0.0856)	0.0165 (0.0172)	0.0182*** (0.00673)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	-0.281	0.312	0.847	-0.419	-0.489	-0.437	0.136	-0.318	0.0703	0.0486
Wald test p value	0.628	0.002	0.241	0.008	0.509	0.004	0.825	0.064	0.0784	0.0567
r2	0.0839	0.200	0.109	0.0939	0.0726	0.137	0.630	0.537	0.432	0.535
N	14517	211756	14359	210999	14359	211006	14517	211756	14218	199976

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This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages during normal time, on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio ($DIVIDEND$) according to whether or not the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher at time t-1, than its 75th percentile of normal time. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity ($NSFR < 100\%$) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. "large" corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and "small" corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOANS$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\omega_1)$	-0.415 (0.578)	0.237** (0.0965)	0.992 (0.733)	-0.308** (0.155)	-0.351 (0.760)	-0.386** (0.150)	0.251 (0.623)	-0.360** (0.171)	0.0771 (0.0472)	0.0477* (0.0258)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\omega_2)$	0.0877 (0.177)	0.0924*** (0.0140)	-0.159 (0.223)	-0.191*** (0.0245)	-0.559** (0.263)	-0.311*** (0.0244)	0.0698 (0.204)	0.0428* (0.0259)	-0.00957 (0.0186)	0.00167 (0.00467)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\omega_3)$	0.588*** (0.116)	0.406*** (0.0174)	-0.878*** (0.150)	-0.936*** (0.0340)	-0.382** (0.192)	-0.522*** (0.0310)	0.449*** (0.152)	0.232*** (0.0325)	-0.0515*** (0.0171)	-0.0182*** (0.00521)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\omega_4)$	0.166 (0.157)	0.164*** (0.0191)	-0.192 (0.207)	-0.281*** (0.0398)	-0.159 (0.317)	-0.0273 (0.0350)	-0.106 (0.229)	-0.125*** (0.0387)	-0.00976 (0.0238)	0.00791 (0.00534)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.201 (0.293)	0.960*** (0.0579)	0.157 (0.400)	-0.706*** (0.0677)	-0.616* (0.371)	-1.093*** (0.0764)	-2.244*** (0.272)	-2.271*** (0.0880)	0.0234 (0.0171)	-0.0902*** (0.0128)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.255*** (0.0526)	0.386*** (0.0138)	-0.0471 (0.0657)	-0.198*** (0.0195)	-0.158** (0.0786)	-0.323*** (0.0205)	0.319*** (0.0651)	0.197*** (0.0159)	0.0120** (0.00608)	0.00495** (0.00220)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0647** (0.0269)	0.0936*** (0.00436)	-0.0924*** (0.0299)	-0.130*** (0.00671)	-0.149*** (0.0397)	-0.177*** (0.00727)	-0.252*** (0.0452)	-0.303*** (0.00804)	-0.00337 (0.00702)	0.000906 (0.00111)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.262 (0.306)	0.137** (0.0545)	0.0358 (0.297)	0.460*** (0.0935)	0.0906 (0.373)	0.508*** (0.0917)	-1.178*** (0.271)	-0.812*** (0.0993)	-0.0393** (0.0194)	-0.0989*** (0.0112)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.991*** (0.127)	1.310*** (0.0418)	2.709*** (0.231)	3.223*** (0.0712)	1.960*** (0.269)	3.615*** (0.0813)	-15.22*** (0.291)	-13.02*** (0.0856)	0.0165 (0.0172)	0.0181*** (0.00673)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\omega_1 + \omega_4$	-0.249	0.401	0.800	-0.590	-0.511	-0.413	0.146	-0.485	0.0673	0.0556
Wald test p value	0.672	0.000	0.271	0.000	0.495	0.007	0.816	0.005	0.0904	0.0308
r2	0.0840	0.200	0.109	0.0941	0.0727	0.137	0.630	0.537	0.432	0.535
N	14517	211756	14359	210999	14359	211006	14517	211756	14418	210430

Table 3F: Impact of severe market liquidity shortages (90th percentile) in normal time according to bank liquidity level

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages during normal time on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio (DIVIDEND) according to whether or not the bank is more reliant on market liquidity. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher at time t-1, than its 90th percentile of normal time. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity (NSFR<100%) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. “large” corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and “small” corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOANS$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_1)$	-0.294 (0.613)	0.192* (0.0982)	2.175** (1.045)	-0.290* (0.160)	0.640 (1.021)	-0.323** (0.152)	0.165 (0.823)	-0.436** (0.174)	0.132 (0.0892)	0.0624** (0.0270)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\varphi_2)$	0.0896 (0.180)	0.0752*** (0.0143)	-0.0518 (0.220)	-0.175*** (0.0250)	-0.469* (0.267)	-0.295*** (0.0251)	0.0679 (0.207)	0.0307 (0.0267)	-0.00555 (0.0182)	0.00328 (0.00474)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\varphi_3)$	0.624*** (0.111)	0.448*** (0.0169)	-0.916*** (0.143)	-1.009*** (0.0339)	-0.413** (0.190)	-0.529*** (0.0295)	0.426*** (0.146)	0.199*** (0.0310)	-0.0534*** (0.0161)	-0.0164*** (0.00499)
$Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_4)$	0.00365 (0.166)	0.157*** (0.0380)	-1.505** (0.733)	-0.150** (0.0706)	-1.260* (0.718)	-0.135** (0.0527)	0.00825 (0.585)	0.0998* (0.0578)	-0.0701 (0.0820)	-0.0256* (0.0131)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.197 (0.293)	0.957*** (0.0579)	0.153 (0.399)	-0.701*** (0.0678)	-0.619* (0.370)	-1.093*** (0.0763)	-2.242*** (0.271)	-2.268*** (0.0879)	0.0232 (0.0171)	-0.0903*** (0.0128)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.255*** (0.0527)	0.386*** (0.0139)	-0.0502 (0.0660)	-0.198*** (0.0195)	-0.161** (0.0786)	-0.323*** (0.0205)	0.319*** (0.0652)	0.197*** (0.0159)	0.0119** (0.00596)	0.00496** (0.00220)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0649** (0.0269)	0.0936*** (0.00437)	-0.0943*** (0.0298)	-0.130*** (0.00672)	-0.150*** (0.0397)	-0.177*** (0.00726)	-0.252*** (0.0452)	-0.302*** (0.00804)	-0.00346 (0.00700)	0.000807 (0.00111)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.262 (0.306)	0.137** (0.0545)	0.0353 (0.297)	0.461*** (0.0935)	0.0901 (0.373)	0.508*** (0.0917)	-1.178*** (0.271)	-0.812*** (0.0993)	-0.0394** (0.0194)	-0.0990*** (0.0112)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.993*** (0.127)	1.311*** (0.0418)	2.717*** (0.230)	3.221*** (0.0713)	1.967*** (0.269)	3.615*** (0.0813)	-15.22*** (0.291)	-13.02*** (0.0856)	0.0168 (0.0172)	0.0183*** (0.00673)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	-0.290	0.349	0.671	-0.441	-0.619	-0.458	0.173	-0.336	0.0615	0.0368
Wald test p value	0.617	0.000	0.349	0.005	0.400	0.003	0.779	0.053	0.121	0.156
r2	0.0838	0.200	0.110	0.0939	0.0732	0.137	0.630	0.537	0.433	0.535
N	14517	211756	14359	210999	14359	211006	14517	211756	14218	199976

Table 4F: Impact of severe market liquidity shortages (90th percentile) in normal time according to gap between actual and target capital

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages during normal time, on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio ($DIVIDEND$) according to whether or not the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher at time t-1, than its 90th percentile of normal time. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity ($NSFR < 100\%$) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. $dummy_gap$ is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. "large" corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and "small" corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOANS$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\omega_1)$	-0.588 (0.607)	0.213** (0.0962)	1.360* (0.752)	-0.270* (0.156)	-0.516 (0.827)	-0.363** (0.150)	0.524 (0.702)	-0.381** (0.171)	0.119* (0.0646)	0.0499* (0.0262)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\omega_2)$	0.0898 (0.176)	0.0928*** (0.0140)	-0.162 (0.222)	-0.192*** (0.0245)	-0.561** (0.264)	-0.311*** (0.0244)	0.0685 (0.204)	0.0422 (0.0259)	-0.00960 (0.0186)	0.00170 (0.00467)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\omega_3)$	0.594** (0.114)	0.417*** (0.0175)	-0.866*** (0.154)	-0.958*** (0.0339)	-0.421** (0.182)	-0.513*** (0.0302)	0.462*** (0.151)	0.202*** (0.0317)	-0.0490*** (0.0164)	-0.0164*** (0.00506)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\omega_4)$	0.394 (0.433)	0.334*** (0.0337)	-0.678 (0.615)	-0.560*** (0.0726)	0.0608 (0.680)	-0.167*** (0.0528)	-0.466 (0.431)	-0.0279 (0.0629)	-0.0656 (0.0525)	-0.000446 (0.0127)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.202 (0.294)	0.969*** (0.0584)	0.152 (0.401)	-0.721*** (0.0682)	-0.612 (0.373)	-1.098*** (0.0767)	-2.248*** (0.271)	-2.269*** (0.0883)	0.0230 (0.0171)	-0.0902*** (0.0129)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.255*** (0.0527)	0.387*** (0.0139)	-0.0481 (0.0658)	-0.198*** (0.0195)	-0.159** (0.0786)	-0.323*** (0.0205)	0.319*** (0.0651)	0.197*** (0.0159)	0.0120** (0.00603)	0.00496** (0.00220)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0653** (0.0269)	0.0938*** (0.00437)	-0.0933*** (0.0300)	-0.130*** (0.00672)	-0.149*** (0.0397)	-0.177*** (0.00727)	-0.253*** (0.0452)	-0.302*** (0.00804)	-0.00340 (0.00701)	0.000875 (0.00111)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.262 (0.306)	0.137** (0.0545)	0.0359 (0.297)	0.460*** (0.0935)	0.0909 (0.373)	0.508*** (0.0917)	-1.178*** (0.271)	-0.812*** (0.0993)	-0.0394** (0.0194)	-0.0990*** (0.0112)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.994*** (0.127)	1.309*** (0.0418)	2.705*** (0.231)	3.224*** (0.0713)	1.959*** (0.269)	3.615*** (0.0813)	-15.23*** (0.291)	-13.02*** (0.0856)	0.0161 (0.0172)	0.0182*** (0.00674)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\omega_1 + \omega_4$	-0.194	0.548	0.682	-0.829	-0.456	-0.530	0.0583	-0.409	0.0531	0.0494
Wald test p value	0.751	0.000	0.379	0.000	0.561	0.001	0.926	0.024	0.166	0.0610
r2	0.0841	0.201	0.109	0.0942	0.0726	0.137	0.630	0.537	0.433	0.535
N	14517	211756	14359	210999	14359	211006	14517	211756	14218	199976

Table 5F: Impact of severe market liquidity shortages (mean plus two times standard deviation) in normal time according to bank liquidity level

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages during normal time on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio (DIVIDEND) according to whether or not the bank is more reliant on market liquidity. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher at time t-1, than its mean plus two times its standard deviation of normal time. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity (NSFR<100%) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. “large” corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and “small” corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOANS$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_1)$	0.436 (0.505)	0.804*** (0.0803)	1.907** (0.904)	-0.594*** (0.145)	-0.0576 (0.884)	-1.202*** (0.109)	-3.669*** (0.939)	-2.092*** (0.119)	0.0526 (0.0971)	-0.120*** (0.0194)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\varphi_2)$	0.0896 (0.178)	0.0842*** (0.0142)	-0.0827 (0.228)	-0.190*** (0.0248)	-0.500* (0.271)	-0.314*** (0.0250)	0.0648 (0.204)	0.0407 (0.0265)	-0.00802 (0.0181)	0.00287 (0.00473)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\varphi_3)$	0.624*** (0.111)	0.448*** (0.0169)	-0.920*** (0.144)	-1.009*** (0.0339)	-0.417** (0.190)	-0.529*** (0.0295)	0.426*** (0.146)	0.200*** (0.0310)	-0.0536*** (0.0161)	-0.0164*** (0.00499)
$Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_4)$	0.00494 (0.191)	0.105** (0.0427)	-1.578** (0.756)	-0.0231 (0.0845)	-1.215* (0.735)	0.0383 (0.0586)	0.0747 (0.806)	0.0177 (0.0641)	-0.0404 (0.0876)	-0.0228* (0.0133)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.197 (0.293)	0.957*** (0.0579)	0.152 (0.399)	-0.701*** (0.0678)	-0.620* (0.370)	-1.092*** (0.0763)	-2.242*** (0.271)	-2.268*** (0.0879)	0.0234 (0.0171)	-0.0903*** (0.0128)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.255*** (0.0527)	0.387*** (0.0139)	-0.0491 (0.0660)	-0.198*** (0.0195)	-0.160** (0.0786)	-0.323*** (0.0205)	0.319*** (0.0652)	0.197*** (0.0159)	0.0120** (0.00600)	0.00496** (0.00220)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0649** (0.0269)	0.0932*** (0.00437)	-0.0936*** (0.0299)	-0.129*** (0.00672)	-0.150*** (0.0398)	-0.177*** (0.00727)	-0.252*** (0.0452)	-0.302*** (0.00804)	-0.00341 (0.00700)	0.000827 (0.00111)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.112 (0.216)	0.277*** (0.0335)	0.473* (0.282)	0.271*** (0.0507)	-0.155 (0.270)	0.305*** (0.0511)	-1.088*** (0.233)	-1.012*** (0.0543)	-0.00323 (0.0216)	-0.0732*** (0.0109)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.993*** (0.127)	1.311*** (0.0418)	2.714*** (0.230)	3.220*** (0.0713)	1.964*** (0.269)	3.614*** (0.0813)	-15.22*** (0.291)	-13.02*** (0.0856)	0.0166 (0.0172)	0.0182*** (0.00673)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	0.441	0.909	0.329	-0.617	-1.273	-1.163	-3.595	-2.074	0.0122	-0.143
Wald test p value	0.300	0.000	0.559	0.000	0.0263	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.770	0.000
r2	0.0838	0.200	0.110	0.0939	0.0730	0.137	0.630	0.537	0.433	0.535
N	14517	211756	14359	210999	14359	211006	14517	211756	14218	199976

Table 6F: Impact of market liquidity shortages (mean plus two times standard deviation) in normal time according to gap between actual and target capital

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages during normal time, on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio ($DIVIDEND$) according to whether or not the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher at time t-1, than its mean plus two times its standard deviation of normal time. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity ($NSFR < 100\%$) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. $size$ is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. $Dummy_gap$ is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. $M\&A$ is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. “large” corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and “small” corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOANS$		$\Delta ASSET$		$DIVIDEND$	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\omega_1)$	0.158 (0.518)	0.776*** (0.0759)	0.743 (0.609)	-0.456*** (0.139)	-1.673* (0.879)	-1.168*** (0.105)	-3.087*** (0.707)	-2.022*** (0.115)	0.0346 (0.0669)	-0.134*** (0.0180)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\omega_2)$	0.0909 (0.175)	0.0928*** (0.0140)	-0.163 (0.222)	-0.192*** (0.0245)	-0.559** (0.264)	-0.311*** (0.0244)	0.0665 (0.204)	0.0425 (0.0259)	-0.00975 (0.0187)	0.00170 (0.00467)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\omega_3)$	0.607*** (0.111)	0.428*** (0.0174)	-0.905*** (0.155)	-0.973*** (0.0337)	-0.450** (0.181)	-0.526*** (0.0300)	0.458*** (0.149)	0.214*** (0.0315)	-0.0526*** (0.0163)	-0.0167*** (0.00504)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\omega_4)$	0.348 (0.553)	0.280*** (0.0351)	-0.282 (0.732)	-0.501*** (0.0812)	0.671 (0.888)	-0.0439 (0.0572)	-0.637 (0.540)	-0.199*** (0.0659)	-0.0216 (0.0527)	0.00533 (0.0128)
$Size_{i,t-1}$	0.200 (0.294)	0.965*** (0.0582)	0.158 (0.402)	-0.715*** (0.0680)	-0.607 (0.374)	-1.093*** (0.0765)	-2.248*** (0.271)	-2.274*** (0.0883)	0.0235 (0.0171)	-0.0901*** (0.0129)
$ROA_{i,t-1}$	0.256*** (0.0527)	0.387*** (0.0139)	-0.0481 (0.0660)	-0.198*** (0.0195)	-0.158** (0.0784)	-0.323*** (0.0205)	0.318*** (0.0651)	0.197*** (0.0159)	0.0120** (0.00604)	0.00496** (0.00220)
$NPL_{i,t-1}$	0.0652** (0.0269)	0.0935*** (0.00437)	-0.0928*** (0.0300)	-0.130*** (0.00672)	-0.148*** (0.0397)	-0.177*** (0.00726)	-0.253*** (0.0452)	-0.302*** (0.00804)	-0.00339 (0.00701)	0.000882 (0.00111)
$GDP\ growth_{t-1}$	0.115 (0.217)	0.281*** (0.0336)	0.473* (0.286)	0.264*** (0.0508)	-0.146 (0.274)	0.305*** (0.0512)	-1.095*** (0.233)	-1.015*** (0.0544)	-0.00334 (0.0215)	-0.0731*** (0.0109)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.994*** (0.127)	1.310*** (0.0418)	2.706*** (0.231)	3.224*** (0.0713)	1.961*** (0.270)	3.615*** (0.0813)	-15.23*** (0.291)	-13.02*** (0.0857)	0.0164 (0.0173)	0.0182*** (0.00674)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\omega_1 + \omega_4$	0.506	1.057	0.461	-0.957	-1.002	-1.212	-3.724	-2.221	0.0130	-0.128
Wald test p value	0.284	0.000	0.470	0.000	0.100	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.758	0.000
r2	0.0840	0.200	0.109	0.0941	0.0728	0.137	0.630	0.537	0.432	0.535
N	14517	211756	14359	210999	14359	211006	14517	211756	14218	199976

APPENDIX G:

TABLE 1G: Impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in large banks' total capital ratio (ΔTCR) according to their liquidity level

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR) of large banks according to whether or not they are more reliant on market liquidity and the level of risk management. We compare each bank's futures contracts committing to purchase or sell equity securities and each bank's swap notional value to the respective medians of both variables (both medians equal 0). We consider that banks have a better risk management if their amount of futures contracts committing them to purchase or sell equity securities is higher than the median and banks have a poor risk management if their amount of futures contracts committing them to purchase or sell equity securities is equal to the median; or banks are also said to have a better risk management if their swap notional value is higher than the median and banks have a poor risk management if their swap national value is equal to the median. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 75th percentile at time t-1. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. large banks are banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	Futures contracts committing to purchase or sell equity securities		swap national value	
	Better risk management	poor risk management	Better risk management	poor risk management
$MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_1)$	2.540 (1.866)	-0.605 (0.589)	-1.895 (1.457)	-0.00229 (0.589)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\varphi_2)$	2.078 (1.320)	0.0788 (0.169)	0.503 (0.397)	0.0271 (0.171)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\varphi_3)$	2.387** (0.967)	0.575*** (0.0963)	0.720*** (0.235)	0.600*** (0.107)
$Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_4)$	0 (.)	0.168 (0.148)	0.273 (0.479)	0.128 (0.153)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	2.064 (1.240)	0.0991 (0.280)	0.0359 (0.237)	0.210 (0.407)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.286 (0.245)	0.224*** (0.0367)	0.317*** (0.0728)	0.207*** (0.0426)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0839 (0.103)	0.0554** (0.0218)	0.0741** (0.0319)	0.0486* (0.0259)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	-0.0406 (0.235)	0.284 (0.315)	1.109 (1.071)	-0.0380 (0.137)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.421 (0.307)	0.903*** (0.114)	0.864*** (0.175)	0.889*** (0.131)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	2.540	-0.436	-1.622	0.126
Wald test p value	0.222	0.450	0.316	0.806
r2	0.387	0.0758	0.104	0.0853
N	205	17077	3695	13587

TABLE 2G: Impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in large banks' total capital ratio (ΔTCR) according to gap between actual and target capital

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR) of large banks according to gap between actual and target capital and the level of risk management. We compare each bank's futures contracts committing to purchase or sell equity securities and each bank's swap notional value to the respective medians of both variables (both medians equal 0). We consider that banks have a better risk management if their amount of futures contracts committing them to purchase or sell equity securities is higher than the median and banks have a poor risk management if their amount of futures contracts committing them to purchase or sell equity securities is equal to the median; or banks are also said to have a better risk management if their swap notional value is higher than the median and banks have a poor risk management if their swap notional value is equal to the median. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 75th percentile at time t-1. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. large banks are banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	Futures contracts committing to purchase or sell equity securities		swap national value	
	Better risk management	poor risk management	Better risk management	poor risk management
$MLS_{t-1} (\omega_1)$	8.503*	-0.669	-1.592	-0.120
	(3.606)	(0.580)	(1.632)	(0.512)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\omega_2)$	1.690	0.112	0.544	0.0530
	(1.071)	(0.160)	(0.380)	(0.152)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\omega_3)$	2.776**	0.512***	0.736***	0.526***
	(0.992)	(0.106)	(0.271)	(0.117)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\omega_4)$	-5.142**	0.280*	-0.0648	0.315*
	(1.587)	(0.157)	(0.360)	(0.174)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	2.431	0.1000	0.0288	0.211
	(1.534)	(0.281)	(0.237)	(0.408)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.178	0.223***	0.317***	0.207***
	(0.165)	(0.0365)	(0.0725)	(0.0423)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.228	0.0547**	0.0743**	0.0480*
	(0.157)	(0.0218)	(0.0314)	(0.0258)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	-0.0716	0.284	1.108	-0.0371
	(0.310)	(0.315)	(1.071)	(0.137)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.389	0.904***	0.868***	0.889***
	(0.325)	(0.114)	(0.178)	(0.131)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	3.361	-0.390	-1.657	0.195
Wald test p value	0.203	0.503	0.299	0.714
r2	0.408	0.0762	0.104	0.0859
N	205	17077	3695	13587

APPENDIX H:

TABLE 1H: Impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in banks' Tier one capital ratio (using alternative liquidity measures and different samples)

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in Tier one capital ratio depending on whether or not the bank is more reliant on market liquidity. "real commercial banks" are banks with total deposits to total assets ratio and total loans over total assets higher than 30%. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 75th percentile at time t-1. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity (either NSFR<100%, reliance on wholesale funding is higher than its 75th percentile, loans to core deposits ratio is lower higher 100% or liquid assets to total assets ratio is lower than its 25th percentile) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. $Dummy_gap$ is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. $size$ is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. "large" corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and "small" corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	NSFR ("real commercial bank")		NSFR (whole sample)		RESILANCE ON WHOLESALE FUNDING		LOANS TO CORE DEPOSIT RATIO		LIQUID ASSETS TO TOTAL ASSETS RATIO	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_1)$	-0.241 (0.434)	0.301** (0.0918)	-0.663 (0.553)	0.221** (0.0960)	-0.482 (0.547)	0.298*** (0.0946)	-0.726 (0.514)	0.266** (0.0934)	-0.546 (0.538)	0.272*** (0.0947)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\varphi_2)$	0.0513 (0.146)	0.0740*** (0.0132)	0.0766 (0.160)	0.0772*** (0.0134)	-0.0269 (0.0626)	0.0239 (0.0200)	0.116 (0.0839)	0.204** (0.0225)	0.0553 (0.0399)	0.0924*** (0.0137)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\varphi_3)$	0.579*** (0.0889)	0.377*** (0.0147)	0.548*** (0.0922)	0.399*** (0.0151)	0.542*** (0.0921)	0.399*** (0.0152)	0.504*** (0.0907)	0.389*** (0.0150)	0.540*** (0.0929)	0.384*** (0.0151)
$Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_4)$	0.0828 (0.159)	0.163*** (0.0229)	0.184 (0.151)	0.164*** (0.0238)	-0.00132 (0.0535)	0.0878*** (0.0235)	-0.00725 (0.0718)	0.0303 (0.0253)	0.133** (0.0588)	0.153*** (0.0195)
Size $i,t-1$	0.150 (0.277)	1.142*** (0.0522)	0.0612 (0.263)	1.011*** (0.0534)	0.0758 (0.267)	1.022*** (0.0542)	-0.0777 (0.237)	0.995*** (0.0533)	0.0634 (0.264)	1.013*** (0.0535)
ROA $i,t-1$	0.217*** (0.0272)	0.410*** (0.0106)	0.232*** (0.0339)	0.381*** (0.0112)	0.234*** (0.0340)	0.383*** (0.0113)	0.231*** (0.0341)	0.383*** (0.0113)	0.234*** (0.0336)	0.382*** (0.0112)
NPL $i,t-1$	0.0577*** (0.0185)	0.0988*** (0.00372)	0.0559*** (0.0199)	0.0905*** (0.00375)	0.0564*** (0.0202)	0.0962*** (0.00369)	0.0562*** (0.0208)	0.0982*** (0.00371)	0.0584*** (0.0202)	0.0967*** (0.00368)
GDP growth $t-1$	0.203 (0.147)	0.170*** (0.0508)	0.280 (0.292)	0.135** (0.0540)	0.281 (0.292)	0.135** (0.0539)	0.283 (0.294)	0.135** (0.0540)	0.281 (0.292)	0.138** (0.0539)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.772*** (0.101)	1.327*** (0.0365)	0.883*** (0.111)	1.376*** (0.0384)	0.881*** (0.112)	1.378*** (0.0385)	0.802*** (0.103)	1.388*** (0.0386)	0.888*** (0.111)	1.388*** (0.0385)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	-0.158	0.464	-0.479	0.385	-0.483	0.386	-0.733	0.296	-0.413	0.425
Wald test p value	0.669	0.000	0.373	0.000	0.359	0.000	0.156	0.002	0.441	0.000
r2	0.109	0.244	0.0800	0.211	0.0803	0.211	0.0803	0.215	0.0802	0.211
N	16711	240376	17406	249446	17179	248469	17047	248255	17406	249441

TABLE 2H: Impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in banks' Tier one capital ratio

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in Tier one capital ratio depending on whether or not the bank is more reliant on market liquidity. In the first two columns, MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than its 90th percentile at time t-1 or zero otherwise; $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity (NSFR<100%) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. In the columns 3 & 4, MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher at time t-1, than its 75th percentile at time t-1 or zero otherwise; $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. We consider that banks have low liquidity level if its NSFR is lower than the 25th percentile of this variable. In the columns 5 & 6, MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher at time t-1, than its mean plus two times its standard deviation at time t-1 or zero otherwise; $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity (NSFR<100) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. In the columns 7 & 8 we focus on normal period, MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher at time t-1, than its 75th percentile or zero otherwise; $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity (NSFR<100) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. "large" corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and "small" corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	90 th percentile & NSFR<100		75 th percentile & NSFR<p25		mean plus two times standard deviation & NSFR<100		75 th percentile & NSFR<100 (normal time)	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_1)$	0.0823 (0.576)	0.890*** (0.0956)	-0.580 (0.552)	0.283*** (0.0949)	-0.0259 (0.659)	0.889*** (0.101)	-0.450 (0.572)	0.193** (0.0958)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\varphi_2)$	0.0927 (0.152)	0.105*** (0.0130)	-0.0597 (0.0725)	0.0197 (0.0130)	0.101 (0.148)	0.112*** (0.0127)	0.0463 (0.195)	0.0759*** (0.0142)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\varphi_3)$	0.549*** (0.0923)	0.399*** (0.0151)	0.550*** (0.0920)	0.400*** (0.0151)	0.549*** (0.0924)	0.399*** (0.0151)	0.567*** (0.106)	0.431*** (0.0165)
$Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_4)$	0.296 (0.265)	0.146*** (0.0375)	0.128 (0.0834)	0.111*** (0.0187)	0.407 (0.449)	0.149*** (0.0519)	0.0690 (0.131)	0.0834*** (0.0226)
Size $i,t-1$	0.0599 (0.264)	1.014*** (0.0535)	0.0679 (0.263)	1.023*** (0.0537)	0.0596 (0.264)	1.015*** (0.0535)	0.147 (0.281)	0.917*** (0.0563)
ROA $i,t-1$	0.232*** (0.0339)	0.381*** (0.0112)	0.234*** (0.0338)	0.382*** (0.0112)	0.232*** (0.0339)	0.381*** (0.0112)	0.261*** (0.0497)	0.386*** (0.0136)
NPL $i,t-1$	0.0558*** (0.0199)	0.0898*** (0.00375)	0.0581*** (0.0201)	0.0931*** (0.00384)	0.0558*** (0.0199)	0.0895*** (0.00375)	0.0665*** (0.0254)	0.0912*** (0.00427)
GDP growth $t-1$	0.0206 (0.194)	0.295*** (0.0322)	0.281 (0.293)	0.135** (0.0539)	0.0207 (0.194)	0.296*** (0.0322)	0.276 (0.292)	0.135** (0.0541)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.885*** (0.111)	1.376*** (0.0384)	0.885*** (0.111)	1.379*** (0.0384)	0.884*** (0.111)	1.377*** (0.0384)	0.971*** (0.125)	1.281*** (0.0409)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	0.378	1.036	-0.452	0.394	0.382	1.038	-0.381	0.277
Wald test p value	0.439	0.000	0.396	0.000	0.435	0.000	0.491	0.005
r2	0.0800	0.211	0.0799	0.211	0.0800	0.211	0.0859	0.201
N	17406	249446	17406	249446	17406	249446	14515	211746

TABLE 3H: Impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in Tier 1 capital ratio according to gap between actual and target Tier 1 capital

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in Tier 1 capital ratio according to banks position to their target Tier 1 capital ratio. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the TED spread is higher than either its 75th percentile, 90th percentile or its mean plus two times its standard deviation at time t-1. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity (NSFR<100%) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap_one is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target Tier one capital ratio ($GAP_TIER_{i,t-1} > 0$) or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. “large” corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and “small” corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	75 th percentile		90 th percentile		Mean plus two times standard deviation	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\omega_1)$	-0.689 (0.572)	0.270*** (0.0950)	0.0230 (0.548)	0.988*** (0.0903)	0.147 (0.548)	1.015*** (0.0911)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\omega_2)$	0.112 (0.152)	0.114*** (0.0125)	0.112 (0.151)	0.115*** (0.0125)	0.114 (0.151)	0.115*** (0.0125)
$dummy_gap_one_{i,t-1} (\omega_3)$	0.544*** (0.123)	0.416*** (0.0172)	0.552*** (0.116)	0.439*** (0.0168)	0.574*** (0.116)	0.444*** (0.0167)
$dummy_gap_one_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\omega_4)$	0.229 (0.202)	0.123*** (0.0182)	0.404* (0.212)	0.0421 (0.0262)	0.256 (0.257)	-0.0196 (0.0324)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.0546 (0.265)	0.995*** (0.0536)	0.0525 (0.266)	0.998*** (0.0538)	0.0547 (0.265)	1.001*** (0.0537)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.232*** (0.0340)	0.380*** (0.0112)	0.232*** (0.0340)	0.380*** (0.0112)	0.232*** (0.0341)	0.380*** (0.0112)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0550*** (0.0201)	0.0894*** (0.00374)	0.0548*** (0.0200)	0.0890*** (0.00374)	0.0550*** (0.0201)	0.0890*** (0.00374)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.279 (0.292)	0.138** (0.0539)	0.0160 (0.197)	0.296*** (0.0322)	0.0179 (0.196)	0.297*** (0.0322)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.883*** (0.111)	1.371*** (0.0383)	0.885*** (0.111)	1.372*** (0.0383)	0.884*** (0.111)	1.372*** (0.0383)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\omega_1 + \omega_4$	-0.460	0.393	0.427	1.030	0.403	0.995
Wald test p value	0.392	0.000	0.383	0.000	0.412	0.000
r2	0.0799	0.212	0.0801	0.212	0.0798	0.212
N	17406	249446	17406	249446	17406	249446

APPENDIX I

TABLE 11: Impact of market liquidity shortages according to bank liquidity level using the commercial paper spread

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio ($DIVIDEND$) according to whether or not the bank is more reliant on market liquidity. MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the commercial paper spread is higher than its 75th percentile at time t-1. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity ($NSFR < 100\%$) at time t-1 or 0 otherwise. size is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. Dummy_gap is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio ($GAP_{i,t-1} > 0$) or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. “large” corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and “small” corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOAN$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_1)$	-0.451 (0.576)	0.271*** (0.0971)	1.156 (0.763)	-0.429*** (0.157)	-0.374 (0.783)	-0.463*** (0.152)	0.157 (0.667)	-0.456*** (0.172)	0.0612 (0.0532)	0.0521** (0.0260)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\varphi_2)$	0.129 (0.177)	0.0671*** (0.0139)	-0.209 (0.227)	-0.136*** (0.0241)	-0.592** (0.269)	-0.266*** (0.0246)	0.0817 (0.214)	0.00569 (0.0258)	-0.000713 (0.0222)	0.00648 (0.00463)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\varphi_3)$	0.598*** (0.0966)	0.414*** (0.0154)	-0.862*** (0.129)	-0.931*** (0.0308)	-0.380** (0.168)	-0.475*** (0.0276)	0.456*** (0.139)	0.193*** (0.0290)	-0.0502*** (0.0127)	-0.0144*** (0.00448)
$Z_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\varphi_4)$	0.0482 (0.133)	0.158*** (0.0232)	-0.107 (0.308)	-0.277*** (0.0413)	0.189 (0.338)	-0.221*** (0.0381)	-0.107 (0.304)	0.0809** (0.0376)	0.00679 (0.0273)	-0.00908 (0.00619)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.104 (0.273)	1.066*** (0.0551)	0.289 (0.370)	-0.962*** (0.0675)	-0.411 (0.325)	-1.325*** (0.0759)	-2.359*** (0.247)	-2.312*** (0.0854)	0.0164 (0.0175)	-0.0945*** (0.0120)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.221*** (0.0359)	0.379*** (0.0114)	-0.0230 (0.0466)	-0.204*** (0.0166)	-0.136** (0.0533)	-0.326*** (0.0172)	0.273*** (0.0490)	0.184*** (0.0137)	0.0111** (0.00459)	0.00441** (0.00185)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0531** (0.0213)	0.0927*** (0.00385)	-0.102*** (0.0265)	-0.144*** (0.00612)	-0.138*** (0.0330)	-0.196*** (0.00662)	-0.243*** (0.0393)	-0.296*** (0.00746)	-0.00258 (0.00555)	0.000464 (0.000956)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.267 (0.307)	0.137** (0.0544)	0.0273 (0.297)	0.459*** (0.0933)	0.0832 (0.372)	0.506*** (0.0915)	-1.174*** (0.270)	-0.809*** (0.0989)	-0.0395** (0.0192)	-0.0990*** (0.0112)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.905*** (0.111)	1.408*** (0.0392)	3.033*** (0.210)	3.244*** (0.0676)	2.174*** (0.245)	3.611*** (0.0777)	-15.36*** (0.267)	-13.11*** (0.0805)	0.0183 (0.0160)	0.0178*** (0.00658)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\varphi_1 + \varphi_4$	-0.403	0.429	1.050	-0.706	-0.185	-0.684	0.0501	-0.375	0.0680	0.0430
Wald test p value	0.476	0.000	0.131	0.000	0.795	0.000	0.933	0.028	0.0953	0.0883
r2	0.0769	0.210	0.116	0.0895	0.0761	0.130	0.625	0.542	0.415	0.525
N	17408	249459	17181	248520	17181	248527	17408	249459	17082	237443

TABLE 2I: Impact of market liquidity shortages according to gap between actual and target capital using the commercial paper spread

This table displays the impact of market liquidity shortages on the change in total capital ratio (ΔTCR), on the change in asset part of risk weighted assets (ΔRWA), on the change in asset part of total loans ($\Delta LOAN$), on the change in total assets ($\Delta ASSET$) and on dividend to total assets ratio (DIVIDEND). MLS_{t-1} is a dummy variable that is equal to one if the commercial paper spread is higher than its 75th percentile at time $t-1$. $Z_{i,t-1}$ is a dummy variable that is equal to one if bank i is more reliant on market liquidity (NSFR<100%) at time $t-1$ or 0 otherwise. $size$ is the natural logarithm of total assets. ROA is return on asset. NPL is non-performing loans over total loans. $dummy_gap$ is a dummy variable equals to one if the bank is operating below its target total capital ratio ($GAP_{i,t-1} > 0$) or 0 otherwise. GDP growth is the quarterly growth rate of GDP. M&A is a dummy variable for mergers and acquisitions. It is equal to one if the asset growth rate is lower than 10% during the quarter and zero otherwise. “large” corresponds to banks with total assets higher than \$1 billion and “small” corresponds to banks with total assets lower or equal to \$1 billion. Standard errors are in parentheses. *indicate statistical significance at the 10% level. **indicate statistical significance at the 5% level. ***indicate statistical significance at the 1% level.

	ΔTCR		ΔRWA		$\Delta LOAN$		$\Delta ASSET$		DIVIDEND	
	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL	LARGE	SMALL
$MLS_{t-1} (\omega_1)$	-0.533 (0.581)	0.326*** (0.0962)	1.031 (0.698)	-0.513*** (0.155)	-0.224 (0.720)	-0.546*** (0.150)	-0.125 (0.625)	-0.427** (0.171)	0.0424 (0.0438)	0.0481* (0.0257)
$Z_{i,t-1} (\omega_2)$	0.141 (0.157)	0.111*** (0.0129)	-0.238 (0.204)	-0.213*** (0.0226)	-0.541** (0.243)	-0.328*** (0.0233)	0.0507 (0.184)	0.0282 (0.0237)	0.000739 (0.0196)	0.00427 (0.00423)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} (\omega_3)$	0.561*** (0.106)	0.380*** (0.0162)	-0.870*** (0.138)	-0.861*** (0.0317)	-0.385** (0.166)	-0.434*** (0.0289)	0.400*** (0.145)	0.177*** (0.0303)	-0.0575*** (0.0148)	-0.0136*** (0.00475)
$dummy_gap_{i,t-1} * MLS_{t-1} (\omega_4)$	0.162 (0.153)	0.129*** (0.0178)	0.0386 (0.239)	-0.272*** (0.0360)	0.0244 (0.267)	-0.158*** (0.0330)	0.240 (0.242)	0.0608 (0.0370)	0.0327 (0.0309)	-0.00309 (0.00539)
Size $_{i,t-1}$	0.104 (0.274)	1.067*** (0.0552)	0.290 (0.371)	-0.962*** (0.0675)	-0.411 (0.325)	-1.327*** (0.0760)	-2.358*** (0.248)	-2.311*** (0.0855)	0.0165 (0.0176)	-0.0947*** (0.0121)
ROA $_{i,t-1}$	0.220*** (0.0359)	0.379*** (0.0114)	-0.0229 (0.0466)	-0.204*** (0.0166)	-0.137** (0.0535)	-0.325*** (0.0172)	0.273*** (0.0491)	0.184*** (0.0137)	0.0110** (0.00457)	0.00443** (0.00185)
NPL $_{i,t-1}$	0.0528** (0.0214)	0.0920*** (0.00383)	-0.102*** (0.0265)	-0.143*** (0.00608)	-0.138*** (0.0331)	-0.195*** (0.00660)	-0.243*** (0.0394)	-0.296*** (0.00745)	-0.00267 (0.00553)	0.000520 (0.000959)
GDP growth $_{t-1}$	0.267 (0.307)	0.137** (0.0544)	0.0276 (0.296)	0.458*** (0.0933)	0.0830 (0.372)	0.506*** (0.0915)	-1.173*** (0.270)	-0.809*** (0.0989)	-0.0395** (0.0192)	-0.0990*** (0.0112)
$M\&A_{i,t-1}$	0.904*** (0.112)	1.407*** (0.0391)	3.033*** (0.210)	3.246*** (0.0676)	2.174*** (0.245)	3.611*** (0.0777)	-15.36*** (0.267)	-13.11*** (0.0805)	0.0182 (0.0160)	0.0178*** (0.00657)
Banks fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
time fixed effect	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
$\omega_1 + \omega_4$	-0.371	0.455	1.070	-0.785	-0.200	-0.704	0.116	-0.366	0.0751	0.0450
Wald test p value	0.510	0.000	0.129	0.000	0.782	0.000	0.848	0.033	0.0835	0.0731
r2	0.0770	0.210	0.115	0.0895	0.0760	0.130	0.625	0.542	0.415	0.525
N	17408	249459	17181	248520	17181	248527	17408	249459	17082	237443

APPENDIX J: correlation matrix

	Δtcr	Δrwa	$\Delta loan$	$\Delta asset$	Dividend	$\Delta tier$	MLS_ted	MLS_cp	Z_nsfr	Z_rwf	Z_LTCD	Z_liq	dummy_gap	dummy_gap_one	size	roa	npl	GDP growth	M&A
Δtcr	1																		
Δrwa	-0.399	1																	
$\Delta loan$	-0.272	0.676	1																
$\Delta asset$	-0.329	-0.215	-0.248	1															
Dividend	-0.031	0.008	0.010	-0.009	1														
$\Delta tier$	0.992	-0.394	-0.272	-0.328	-0.032	1													
MLS_ted	-0.046	0.021	0.033	0.047	0.024	-0.048	1												
MLS_cp	-0.050	0.029	0.039	0.059	0.038	-0.051	0.866	1											
Z_nsfr	0.054	-0.036	-0.046	-0.061	-0.154	0.053	0.034	0.016	1										
Z_rwf	-0.007	-0.009	-0.006	0.056	-0.059	-0.008	0.065	0.063	0.157	1									
Z_LTCD	-0.037	0.025	0.046	0.097	-0.034	-0.040	0.147	0.143	0.145	0.353	1								
Z_liq	0.003	0.075	0.108	-0.005	-0.042	0.001	0.098	0.105	0.164	0.284	0.397	1							
dummy_gap	0.099	-0.057	-0.043	-0.011	-0.082	0.098	-0.030	-0.023	0.236	0.234	0.223	0.343	1						
dummy_gap_one	0.102	-0.056	-0.045	-0.015	-0.084	0.102	-0.037	-0.029	0.245	0.235	0.222	0.343	0.933	1					
size	0.061	-0.037	-0.047	0.010	-0.188	0.060	-0.031	-0.037	0.322	0.317	0.125	0.207	0.388	0.386	1				
roa	0.221	-0.046	-0.076	-0.049	0.043	0.225	-0.045	-0.013	-0.074	-0.041	-0.064	0.023	0.006	0.004	0.063	1			
npl	0.059	-0.074	-0.085	-0.180	-0.058	0.057	-0.054	-0.101	0.354	0.069	0.025	0.002	0.114	0.119	0.121	-0.339	1		
GDP growth	0.000	0.069	0.077	-0.015	0.023	0.003	-0.335	-0.236	-0.079	-0.047	-0.083	-0.028	0.002	0.003	-0.038	0.122	-0.131	1	
M&A	0.272	0.101	0.101	-0.696	-0.006	0.272	-0.036	-0.041	0.058	-0.050	-0.086	0.019	0.052	0.055	0.028	0.137	0.080	0.010	1

APPENDIX K:

This table presents the components and weights used to calculate the Net Stable Funding Ratio. ASF is available stable funding and RSF is required stable funding.

Components of ASF	weight %	Components of RSF	weight %
Total equity	100	Loans to Depository Institutions & Acceptances of Other Banks	100
Subordinated notes and debentures		Loans Non-Depository Financial Institutions and All Other Loans	
Time deposits of less than \$100,000 with remaining maturity one year or more		Total Trading Assets	
Time deposits of \$100,000 through \$250,000 with remaining maturity one year or more		Premises & Fixed Assets	
Time deposits of more than \$250,000 with remaining maturity one year or more		Total OREO	
Federal Home Loan Bank advances with remaining maturity more than a year		Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries	
Other borrowings with remaining maturity more than a year		Direct and Indirect Investments in Real Estate Ventures	
Transaction deposits of Individuals, Partnerships, & Corporations	95	Total Intangible Assets	
Other Savings Deposits		nonperforming loans	
Non-brokered time deposits of less than \$100,000 with remaining maturity less than one year		Total Other Assets	
Non-brokered time deposits of \$100,000 through \$250,00 with remaining maturity less than one year		1-4 family mortgages	85
MMDAs	90	Loans secured by real estate excluding 1-4 family mortgages	
Non-brokered time deposits more than \$250,000 with remaining maturity less than one year		Agricultural Production Loans	
Non-retail transaction deposits	50	commercial and industrial loans	
Brokered time deposits with remaining maturity less than a year		Consumer Loans	
Federal Home Loan Bank advances with a remaining maturity of one year or less		Total Lease Financing Receivables	
Other borrowings with remaining maturity one year or less		non-U.S. Government Loans	65
Other Liabilities	0	Obligations of states and political subdivisions in the U. S	
Total Trading Liabilities		Mortgage-backed securities	50
Fed Funds Purchased		Asset-backed securities and financial products	
Repurchase Agreements		Other debt securities	
		Total Marketable Equity Securities	
		Fed Funds Sold	
		Reverse Repurchase Agreements	
		US Government agency obligations	15
		Securities issued by State & political subdivisions in the US	
		U.S. Treasury Securities	5
		Total Unused Commitments	
		Financial Standby LOC	
		Performance Standby LOC	
		commercial LOC	
		Total Cash & Balances Due Depository Institutions	0