

Trade Shocks Through Banking Lending Channel

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Overview

- Traditional banking lending channel: banks can transmit financial shocks and cause spillover effects through lending relationships
 - (Bernanke & Gertler 1989; Kiyotaki & Moore 1997;)
- Previous papers: bank-driven shocks are passthrough to real sectors
 - (Peek & Rosengren 1997 2000 ; Khawaja & Mian 2008; Hubbard, Kuttner & Palia 2002;)
- Research questions:
 - How are real sector-driven shocks transmitted to the banks?
 - How do banks respond to those shocks and pass them back to real sectors?
- We construct a fully-specified banking lending channel
 - From affected sectors, through banks, to non-affected sectors
- Identification challenge
 - A general macro shock affects all sectors simultaneously
 - A general macro shock affects firm's fund demand and bank's fund supply simultaneously

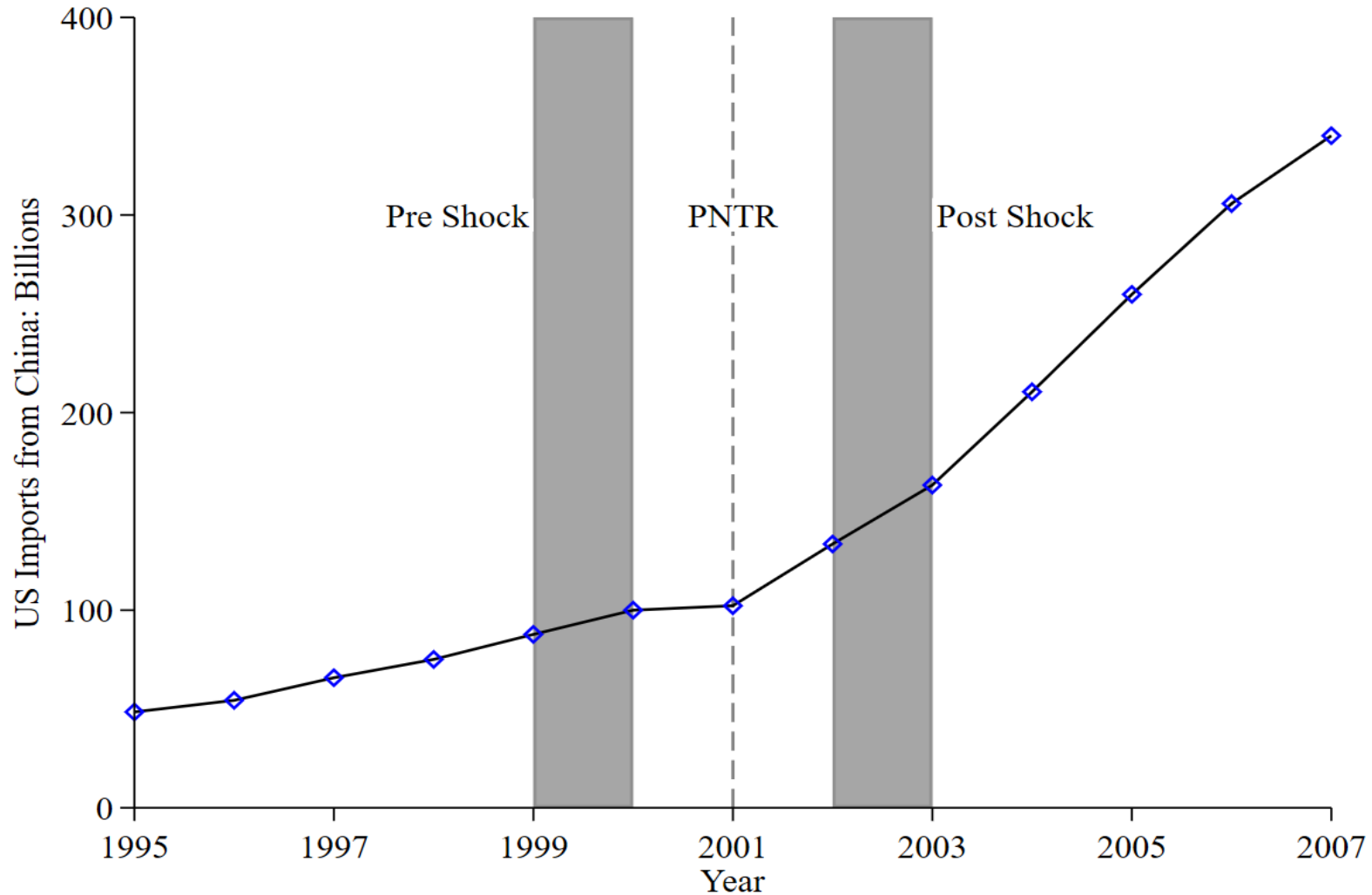
- A natural experiment: the US granting China Permanent Normal Trade Relation Status in 2001 (PNTR shock)
 - Affected real sectors: trade sectors VS Non-affected real sectors: Non-trade sectors
 - PNTR shock does not shift bank's fund supply directly
- In this paper, we trace a fully-specified banking lending channel using the PNTR shock
 - The direct impacts of PNTR shock on lending outcomes between banks and trade-sector firms
 - The impact of PNTR shock on banks via lending relationships
 - The pass-through impacts of PNTR shock on Non-trade sectors firms

Contribution and Related Literature

- Banking lending channel
 - Extend the length of the shock transmission route and construct a fully-specified banking lending channel
 - Highlight a bank's special role as the inter-industry shock transmitter
 - (Khwaja and Mian 2008; Chodorow-Reich 2014; Kim 2020; Costello 2020; Greenstone et al 2020)
- Trade shocks from China
 - Quantify the effects of trade shock from China on the US banks
 - Quantify the pass-through effects on the US non-trade sector
 - (Autor et al 2013; Pierce & Schott 2016; Hombert & Matray 2018; Federico et al 2020)
- Granular instrument variable approach
 - Applies the GIV in the US loan market setting with an exogenous shock
 - (Gabix and Koijen 2020; Galaasen et al 2020)
- Empirical macro finance
 - This paper uses micro evidence to infer the aggregate effect of the US commercial loan loss
 - (Mian & Sufi 2011, 2014; Verner & Gyongyosi 2020)

PNTR Shock and Imports from China

- Pre shock Period
 - 1999-2000
- Post shock period
 - 2002-2003
- The law was effective in 2001
- Imports from China rose sharply after 2001



[Timeline of PNTR](#)

Framework

a fully-specified banking lending channel

\uparrow trade shocks \Rightarrow \downarrow trade sector firms \Rightarrow \downarrow banks \Rightarrow \downarrow non-trade sector firms

Direct effects of
PNTR shock on
trade-sector
firms

Effects of
PNTR shock
on banks via
lending
relationships

Pass-Through
effects of PNTR
shock on non-
trade sector
firms

Identification: Firms in the Trade Sector

- Identification challenge
 - PNTR shock shifts the firm's fund demand curve and bank fund supply curve simultaneously [Validity Check](#)
 - Solution: within-bank estimator at bank-firm pair
 - Compare outcomes of different firms within the same bank
- Identification assumption
 - Normal trade relation tariff rate in 1999 is predetermined and independent of PNTR shock
 - Cross variation in trade-sector firm's industry level tariff
- Main specification

$$\Delta y_{b,f} = \alpha + \beta \times \text{NTR Tariff 1999}_f + \gamma X_f + \delta_s + \delta_b + \epsilon_{b,f} \quad (1)$$

- Key fixed effects: bank fixed effects
- Δy is the change or log change of outcome variables between pre shock period and post shock period
 - Our specification depends on cross-section variation
 - First difference of y absorbs the time invariant omitted variables
- Standard error clustered at firm's four digit SIC code level

Firms in the Trade Sector: Lending Relationship

	Lending Relationship Exist, 1999-2003			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
NTR Tariff, 1999	0.012*** (0.003)	0.012*** (0.004)	0.012*** (0.004)	0.013*** (0.003)
Firm Size, 1999		-0.004 (0.012)	-0.004 (0.012)	-0.011 (0.014)
Firm Tang, 1999			0.042 (0.135)	0.049 (0.133)
Firm Age, 1999				0.001 (0.002)
Observations	651	651	651	651
R^2	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09
SIC1 FE	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Bank FE	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

- NTR Tariff in 1999 ↓ 1% lending relationship ↓ 1.3 %
- NTR Tariff in 1999 Δ 1 S.D lending relationship Δ 6.49 % (16.53% S.D)

Firms in the Trade Sector: Loan Terms

	Lending Relationship Sample				Placebo
	Growth in Loan Amount, 1999-2003	Change in Loan Spread, 1999-2003			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
NTR Tariff, 1999	0.042*** (0.010)	0.044*** (0.012)	-2.942** (1.179)	-2.819** (1.191)	
Firm Size, 1999		0.032 (0.132)		-4.400 (11.350)	
Firm Tang, 1999		0.671 (0.697)		-43.287 (111.803)	
Firm Age, 1999		0.009 (0.010)		-0.171 (1.366)	
Observations	119	119	101	101	
R^2	0.23	0.26	0.26	0.27	
SIC1 FE	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Bank FE	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	

- NTR tariff in 1999 ↓ 1 % loan amount ↓ 4.4 % and loan spread ↑ 3 bps
- NTR tariff in 1999 Δ 1 S.D loan amount ↓ 22 % (21.3 % S.D) and loan spread ↑ 14 bps (10.2 % S.D)

Channel Outcomes in the Trade Sector

	Lending Relationship Sample			
	Change in Firm ROA, 1999-2003		Growth in Firm Sales, 1999-2003	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
NTR Tariff, 1999	0.002*** (0.001)	0.002*** (0.001)	0.008** (0.004)	0.010** (0.004)
Firm Size, 1999		-0.005 (0.005)		-0.051** (0.023)
Firm Tang, 1999		0.003 (0.042)		0.539* (0.278)
Firm Age, 1999		0.000 (0.000)		0.001 (0.003)
Observations	511	511	516	516
R^2	0.16	0.17	0.26	0.29
SIC1 FE	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Bank FE	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

- NTR tariff in 1999 ↓ 1 % change in firm ROA ↓ 0.2 % and growth in firm sales ↓ 1 %
- NTR tariff in 1999 Δ 1 S.D change in firm ROA Δ 1 % (9.8 % S.D) and growth in firm sales Δ 5 % (8.6 % S.D)

Identification: Bank Sample

- Main Variable Construction

$$\text{NTR Tariff in Bank } 1999_b = \sum_f L_{b,f} \times \text{NTR Tariff } 1999_{f,b} \quad (2)$$

- $L_{b,f}$ is the loan weight ratio between bank and firm in the trade sector during pre shock period
- $\text{NTR Tariff } 1999_{f,b}$ is the normal trade relation tariff in 1999 for firm in the trade sector

- Main Specification

$$\Delta Y_b = \alpha + \beta \times \text{NTR Tariff in Bank } 1999_b + \gamma X_b + \epsilon_b \quad (3)$$

- ΔY_b is the change or log change of bank outcome variables between pre shock and post shock period
 - First difference of outcome variable absorbs the time-invariant omitted factors

Identification: Bank Sample

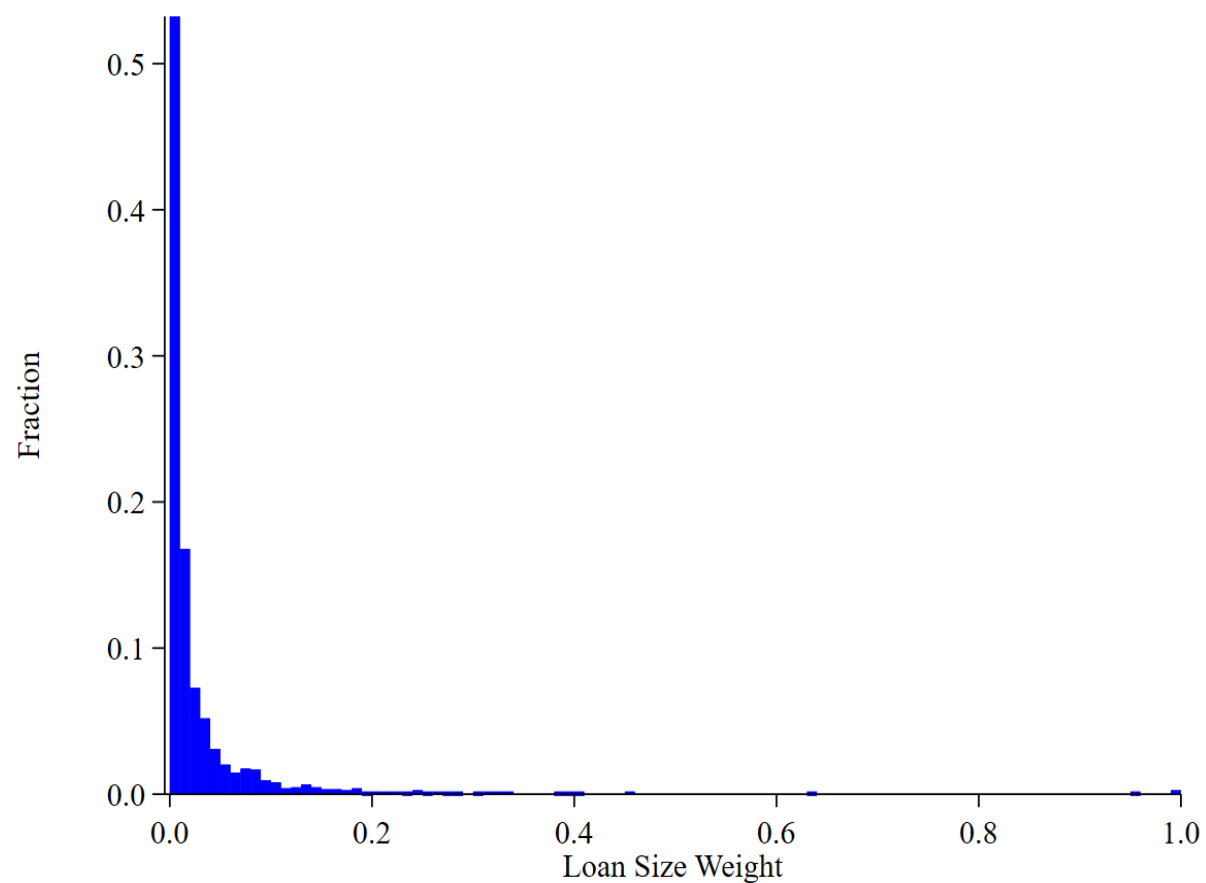
- Identification challenge
 - Banks with good risk management can control lending risk to some degree when faced with shocks
 - Solution: granular instrument variable approach
 - We exploit granular loans in bank loan portfolios in our sample to construct the instrument variable
- Granular instrumental variable approach

$$NTR\ Tariff\ 1999_{b,f} = \eta_b + v_{b,f} \quad (4)$$

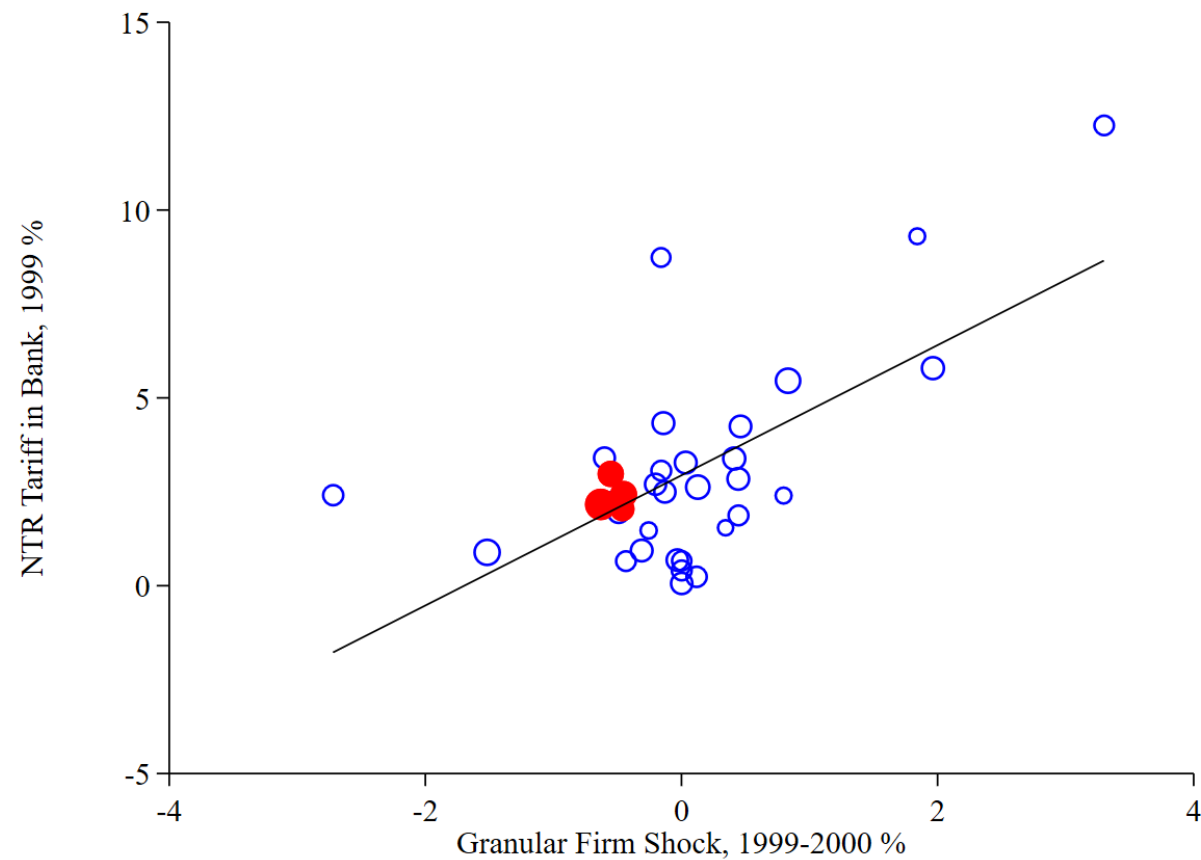
- η_b : unobserved factors of bank, such as bank risk management and bank loan specialization
- $v_{b,f}$: idiosyncratic factor of the bank

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Granular Firm Shock}_b &= \sum_f L_{b,f} \times NTR\ Tariff\ 1999_{b,f} - \sum_f \frac{1}{N_f} \times NTR\ Tariff\ 1999_{b,f} \\ &= \sum_f L_{b,f} \times v_{b,f} - \sum_f \frac{1}{N_f} \times v_{b,f} \quad (5) \end{aligned}$$

Distribution of Loan Size



Scatter Plot of Granular IV



Change in Bank ROA, 1999-2003

	Bank Sample			
	OLS	OLS	OLS	IV
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
NTR Tariff in Bank, 1999	0.088* (0.047)	0.131** (0.055)		0.222** (0.095)
Bank Size, 1999		-0.214** (0.101)	-0.234** (0.092)	-0.251** (0.109)
Bank Capital, 1999		16.567 (16.982)	17.428 (15.842)	18.369 (13.986)
Number of Loan in Trade Sector, 1999-2000		0.004 (0.003)	0.006* (0.003)	0.005* (0.003)
Granular Firm Shock, 1999-2000			0.387** (0.173)	
Constant	-0.660** (0.262)	1.612 (1.740)	2.224 (1.598)	1.814 (2.207)
Observations	31	31	31	31
R^2	0.06	0.27	0.28	0.20

- OLS results: NTR tariff in bank, 1999 ↓ 1 % (1 S.D change) Bank ROA ↓ 0.13 % (36.0 % S.D)
- IV results: NTR tariff in bank, 1999 ↓ 1 % (1 S.D change) Bank ROA ↓ 0.22 % (61.0 % S.D)

Change in Bank Outcome, 1999-2003

	Bank Sample			
	Change in Bank NPL,1999-2003		Change in Bank Security Ratio,1999-2003	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
NTR Tariff in Bank,1999	-0.055*** (0.014)	-0.047** (0.018)	0.018*** (0.005)	0.018** (0.008)
Bank Size,1999		0.084 (0.052)		-0.011 (0.010)
Bank Capital,1999		4.327 (4.560)		-0.248 (1.487)
Number of Loan in Trade Sector,1999-2000		-0.001 (0.001)		0.000 (0.000)
Constant	0.600*** (0.067)	-1.193 (0.911)	-0.026 (0.021)	0.192 (0.214)
Observations	25	25	25	25
R^2	0.17	0.31	0.24	0.27

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- NTR tariff in bank,1999 ↓ 1 %(Δ 1 S.D) change in bank NPL ↑ 0.047 % (43.3 % S.D)
- NTR tariff in bank,1999 ↓ 1 %(Δ 1 S.D) change in bank security ratio ↓1.8 % (58.5 % S.D)

Identification: Firms in the Non-Trade Sector

- Identification challenge
 - Confounding factors from firm side
 - Solution: within-firm estimator (Khwaja and Mian 2008)
 - Compare outcomes of different banks within the same firm
- Main specification

$$\Delta Y_{b,c} = \alpha + \beta \times \text{Granular Firm shock}_b + \gamma' X_b + \delta_c + \epsilon_{b,c} \quad (6)$$

- Key fixed effects: firm fixed effects δ_c
- Subscript b denotes the bank and subscript c denotes firms in the non-trade sector
- $\Delta Y_{b,c}$ is the change or log change of loan outcomes between pre shock and post shock period
- Standard error clustered at bank level

Lending Relationships in the Non-Trade Sector

	Lending Relationship Exist, 1999-2003			
	Non-Trade Sector		Local Industry	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Granular Firm Shock, 1999-2000	-0.073*** (0.023)	-0.059** (0.026)	-0.083*** (0.027)	-0.067** (0.032)
Bank Size, 1999		0.013 (0.015)		0.009 (0.017)
Bank Capital, 1999		-0.391 (1.085)		-0.598 (1.271)
Number of Loan in Trade Sector, 1999-2000		0.000 (0.000)		0.000 (0.000)
Observations	674	674	564	564
R^2	0.70	0.70	0.69	0.69
Borrower FE	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

- Granular Firm Shock, 1999-2000 ↓ 1 % lending relationship ↑ 5.9 %
- Granular Firm Shock, 1999-2000 Δ 1 S.D lending relationship Δ 5.9 % (14.4 % S.D)

Identification: Firm in the Non-Trade Sector

- Aggregate the data at firm level

$$\text{Granular Bank Shock}_c = \sum_b L_{b,c} \times \text{Granular Firm Shock}_{b,c} \quad (7)$$

- $L_{b,c}$ is the loan size weight between bank and non-trade sector firm during the pre shock period
- Main specification

$$\Delta Y_c = \alpha + \beta \times \text{Granular Bank Shock}_c + \gamma X_c + \delta_s + \epsilon_c \quad (8)$$

- ΔY_c is the change or log change of firm outcome in the non-trade sector between pre shock and post shock period
- Key fixed effects: one-digit SIC sector fixed effects δ_s
 - Exclude the confounding factor at the sector level

Bank Shock on Firm Outcomes in Non-Trade Sector

	All industries in Non-Trade Sector			
	Change in Firm ROA, 1999-2003		Growth in Firm Sale, 1999-2003	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Granular Bank Shock	0.077** (0.034)	0.067** (0.031)	0.554** (0.274)	0.477* (0.262)
Firm Size, 1999		-0.011* (0.007)		-0.034 (0.029)
Firm Tang, 1999		0.030 (0.025)		0.330* (0.182)
Firm Age, 1999		-0.000 (0.000)		-0.015*** (0.003)
Constant	0.014 (0.014)	0.154* (0.093)	0.507*** (0.093)	1.053*** (0.398)
Observations	309	309	312	312
R^2	0.04	0.06	0.09	0.16
SIC1 FE	YES	YES	YES	YES

- Granular bank shock ↓ 1 % (Δ 1 S.D) change in firm ROA ↓ 6.7 % (15.4 % S.D)
- Granular bank shock ↓ 1 % (Δ 1 S.D) growth in firm sales ↓ 47.7 % (19.0 % S.D)

Aggregate Results

- Counterfactual experiment
 - Micro estimates to infer macro effects
 - Partial equilibrium effect
 - Assume that PNTR shock should not happen
 - The event is equivalent to the increase in NTR tariff rate
- Counterfactual growth rate of loan

$$\begin{aligned}g_{i,t,t+h}(\tau) &= E[g_{i,t,t+h} | NTR + \tau] \\ &= \widehat{g_{i,t,t+h}} + \hat{\beta} \times \tau\end{aligned}$$

- $g_{i,t,t+h}(\tau)$: counterfactual growth rate of loan for firm in the trade sector
- $\widehat{g_{i,t,t+h}}$: fitted growth rate of loan
- $\hat{\beta}$: is the coefficient estimate
- τ : the increase in hypothetical tariff rate

Aggregate Results

- Counterfactual end level of loan

$$V(x) = (1 + x) \times y_{i,t}$$

- $V(x)$: end level of loan
 - X : the loan growth rate
 - $y_{i,t}$: start level of loan
- Loan loss ratio

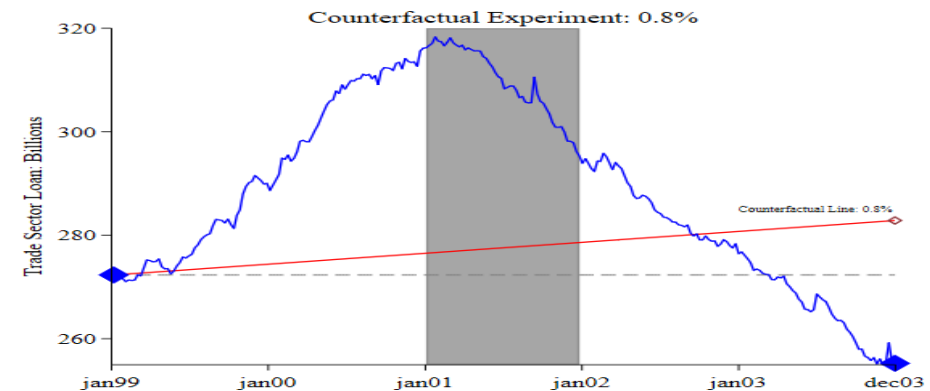
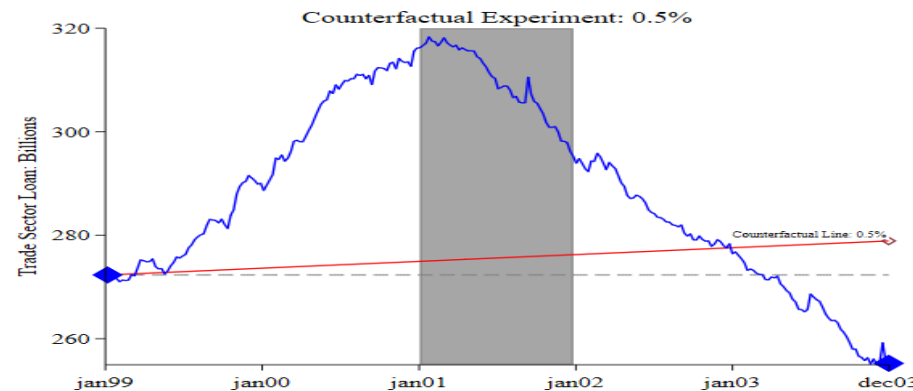
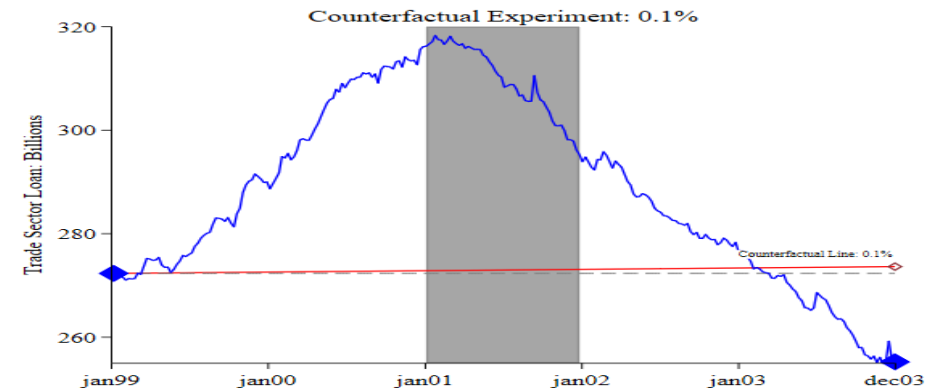
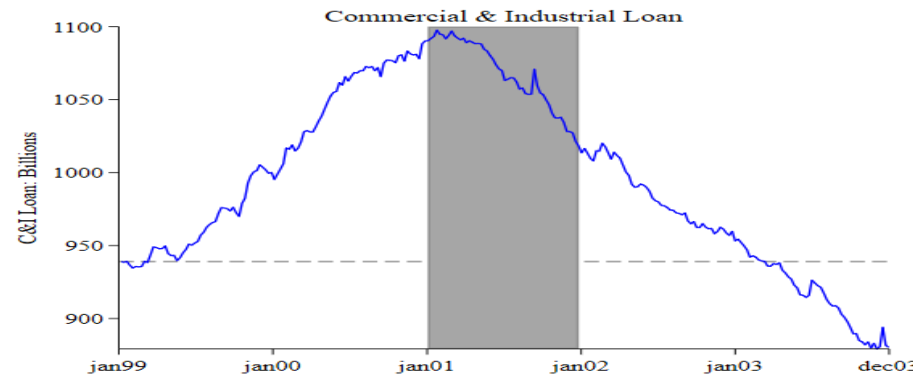
$$\text{Loan Loss Ratio} = \frac{\sum_i y_{i,t+h}(\tau) - \widehat{y_{i,t+h}}}{\sum_i y_{i,t} - y_{i,t+h}}$$

Aggregate Implication of Loan Loss for PNTR

$$\text{Loan Loss} = \text{Loan Loss Ratio} \times \text{Trade Sector Loan Ratio} \times \text{Change in Total C\&I Loan 1999} - 2003$$

Hypothetical Tariff Change: %	Share of Loan Loss of Shock: %	Trade Loan Ratio in 1999	Change in Total C&I Loan 1999-2003: Billions	Loan Loss of Shock in Economy: Billions
0.1	7.69	0.29	-58.79	-1.29
0.5	38.44	0.29	-58.79	-6.46
0.8	61.51	0.29	-58.79	-10.33

Aggregate Effect of PNTR



- Red line shows counterfactual line with given hypothetical tariff rate
- Gray shape indicates the year 2001

Conclusion

- We use the PNTR shock in 2001 as a natural experiment to construct a fully-specified banking lending channel
- PNTR shock causes banks to adjust stricter loan contract terms with firms in the trade sector
- PNTR shock impacts the bank's operating performance negatively by raising the non-performing loans
- Banks pass the PNTR shock to firms in the non-trade sector
- We assess the aggregate effect of PNTR shock and share of loan loss due to shock is 38.44%, which is equivalent to 6.46 billion dollars loss of total commercial and industrial loan in the United States

Appendix for Tables and Figures

Main Findings

- Trade shocks impact firms in the trade sector
 - NTR tariff in 1999 falls by 1 %
 - Bank reduces by 1.3 % to renew the lending relationship with firms in the trade sector (1999 to 2003)
 - Bank reduces loan amount by 4.4 % and raises the loan spread by 3 bps (1999 to 2003)
 - Performance channel test: NTR tariff in 1999 falls by 1 % (Lian and Ma 2020)
 - Change in firm ROA falls by 0.2 % (1999 to 2003)
 - Growth in firm sales falls by 1 % (1999 to 2003)
 - Long term effect: NTR tariff in 1999 falls by 1 %
 - Growth in firm R&D increases by 7.5 % (1999 to 2003) and increases by 13.3 % (1999 to 2005)
 - (Hombert & Matray 2018)
 - Growth in firm employment falls by 0.9 % (1999 to 2003) and falls by 1.4 % (1999 to 2005)
 - (Autor et al. 2013)

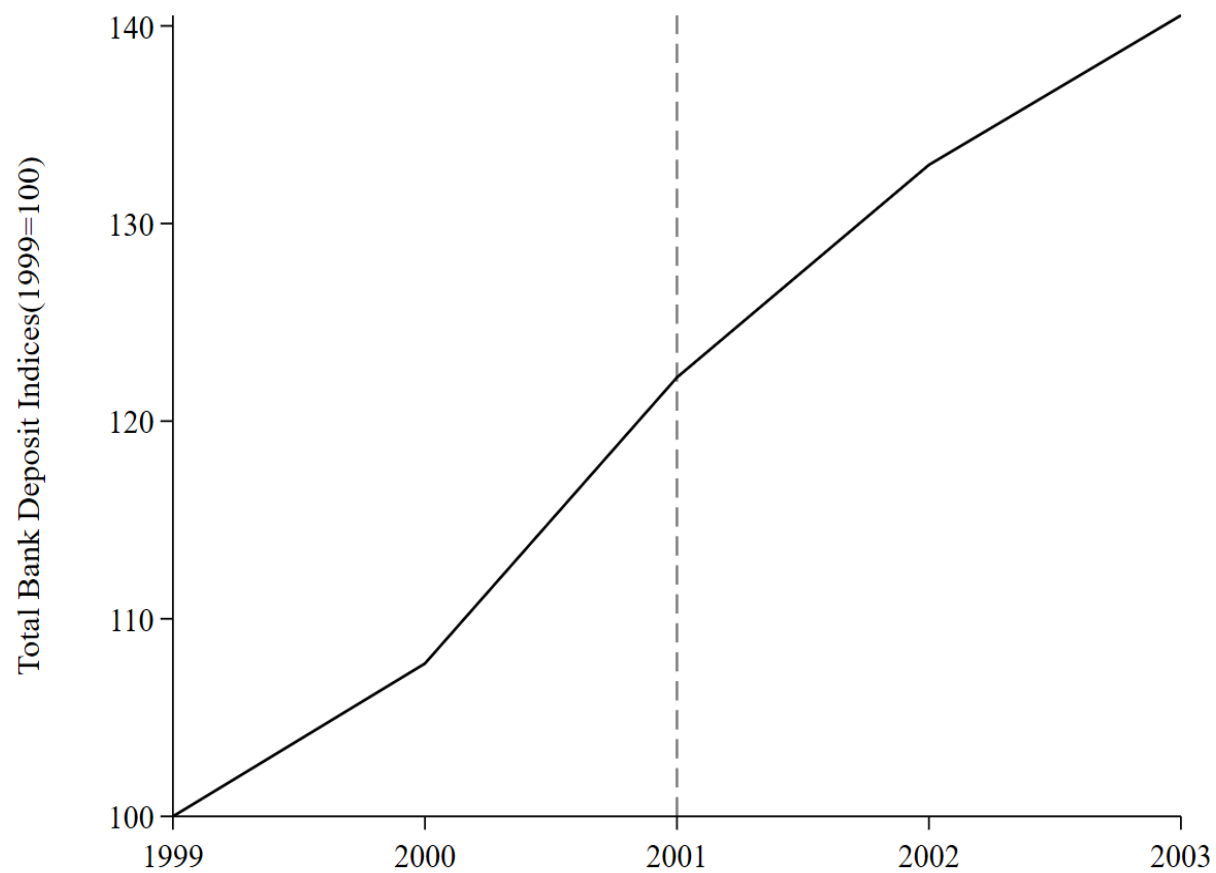
Main Findings

- Trade shocks impact banks via lending relationships
 - NTR tariff in bank in 1999 falls by 1 %
 - Change in bank ROA decreases by 0.22 % (1999 to 2003)
 - Shocks affect the bank's performance, but do not impact the bank risk
 - Shocks affect bank's performance by the rise in non-performing loan
 - Banks hedge trade shock by holding more security assets.
- Banks pass shocks to firms in the non-trade sector
 - Granular firm shock falls by 1 %
 - Banks raise by 5.9 % to keep the old lending relationship with firms in the non-trade sector (Darmouni 2020)
 - Granular bank shock falls by 1 %
 - Change in firm ROA falls by 6.7 % and growth in firm sales falls by 47.7 %
- Aggregate effects (back-of-the-envelope calculation)
 - NTR tariff in 1999 decreases by 0.5 % the share of loan loss due to PNTR shock is 38.44 %
 - Loan loss due to PNTR shock in the US Economy: 6.46 billion dollars

- Two types of tariff in the United States
 - Column 1 tariff: goods imported from market-oriented economies (normal trade relation tariff)
 - Column 2 tariff: goods imported from non-market-oriented economies (non-normal trade relation Tariff)
- Tariff relation between China and the United States
 - From 1980, the US granted China normal trade relation status and this grant was renewed year by year, approved by the US Congress
 - On May 15, 2000, the US House introduced the bill proposed to grant the China the Permanent Normal Trade Relation Status
 - On May 24, 2000, the US House voted to approve this bill
 - On July 27, 2000, the US Senate voted to cloture motion of this bill
 - On September 19, 2000, the US Senate voted to approve this bill
 - On October 10, 2000, President Clinton signed this law
 - In December 2001, the law was effective

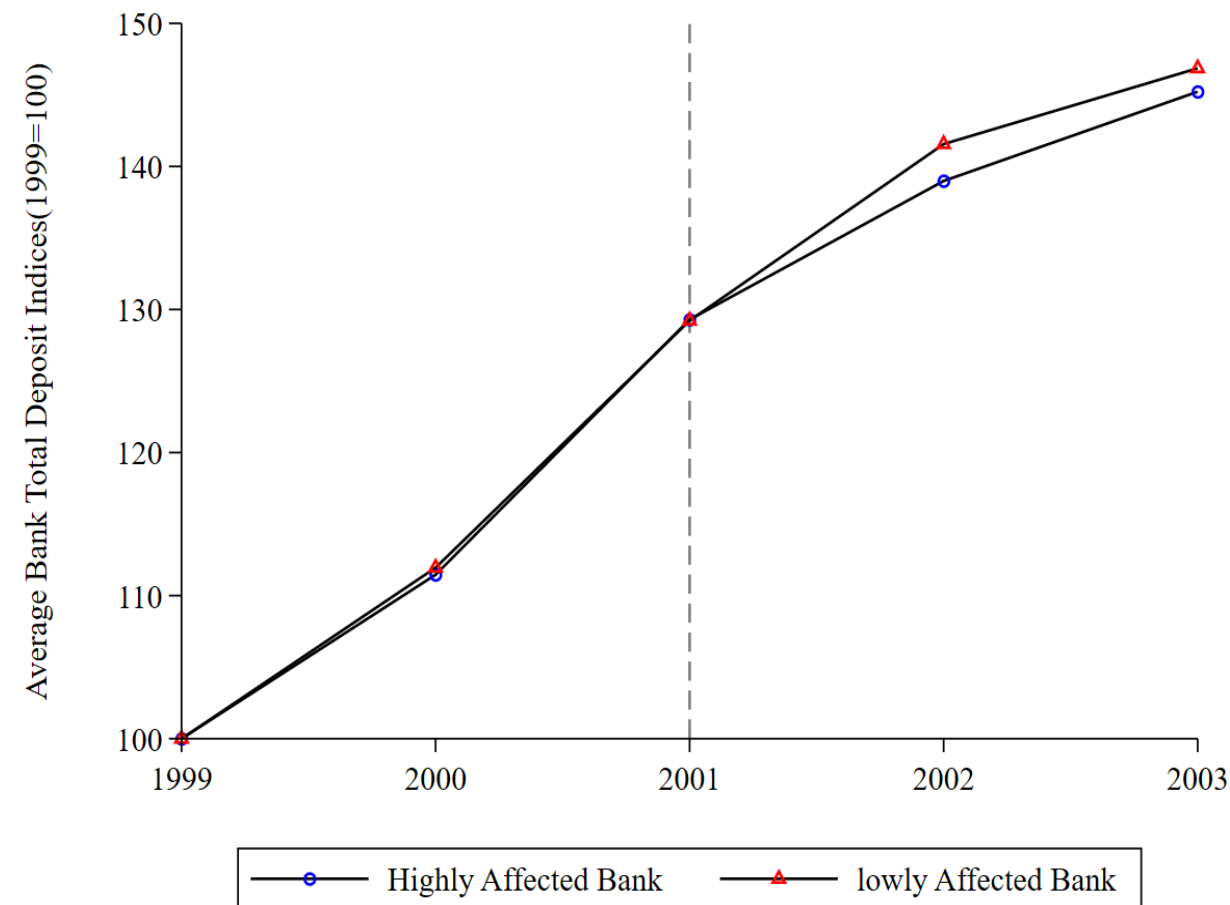
PNTR Shock and Bank Deposits

Annual Total Deposits in Our Sample



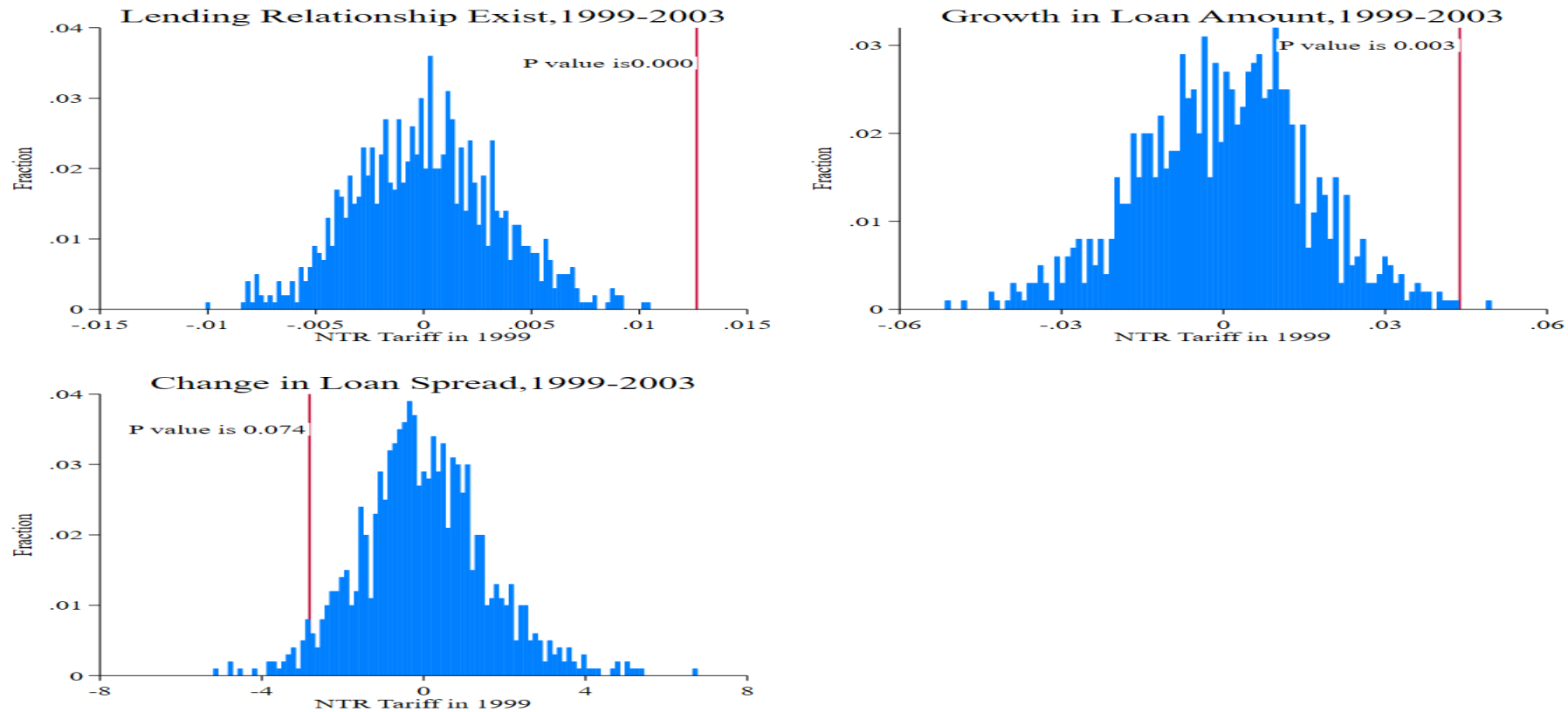
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Yearly Average Deposits by Two Group



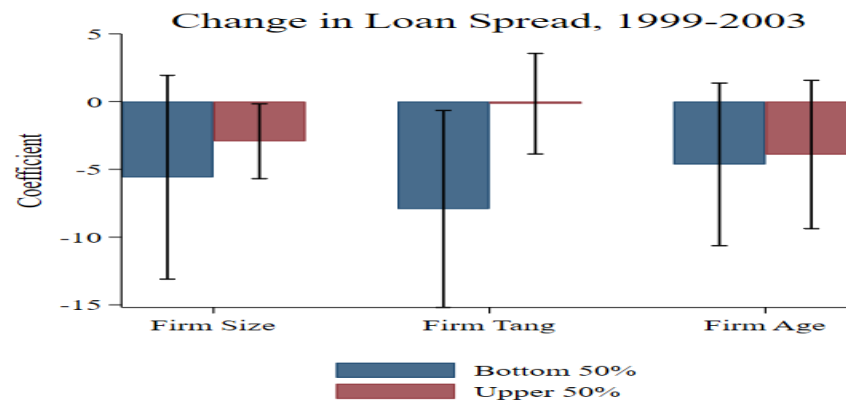
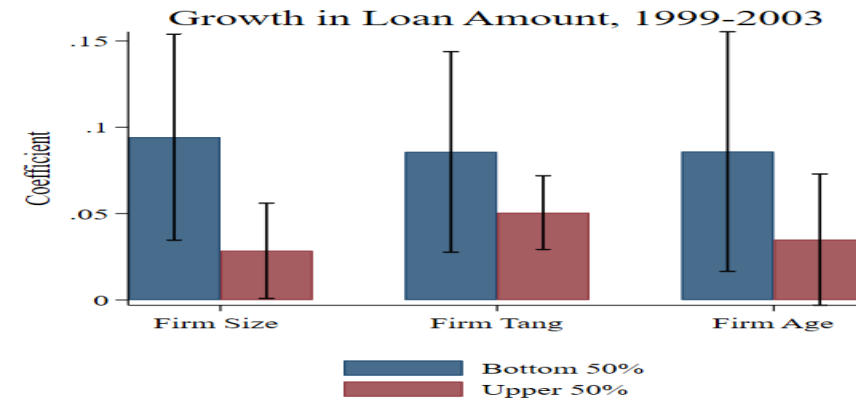
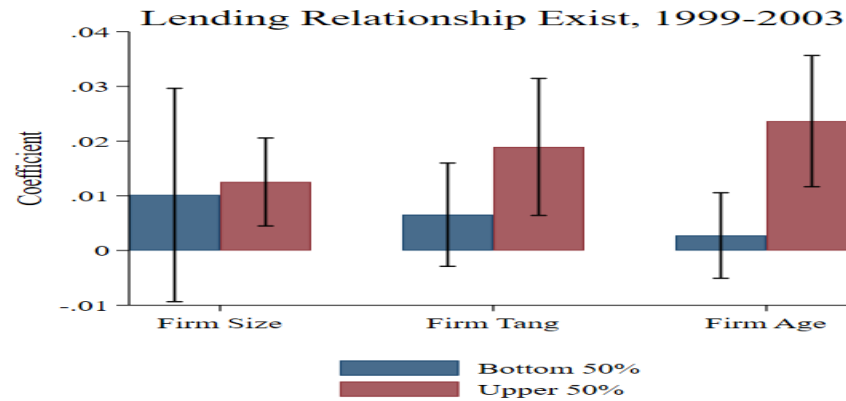
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 - Dealscan
 - Keep term loan and loan revolver
- Banking holding company information
 - Compustat database and Federal Reserve's FR Y-9C report
- Borrowing firm information
 - Compustat database
- Trade and Tariff information
 - Trade information is from the United Nations Comtrade Database
 - Tariff information is from the Peter Schott's webpage
- Merging table
 - Dealscan borrowers and Compustat: Chava and Roberts (2008)
 - Dealscan lenders and Compustat: manual construction

Placebo Tests of PNTR shock



- Null hypothesis: the coefficient of NTR tariff in 1999 is 0 (1000 times of the experiment)
- P values show that treatment effects are larger than placebo effects

Heterogenous Results of PNTR Shock

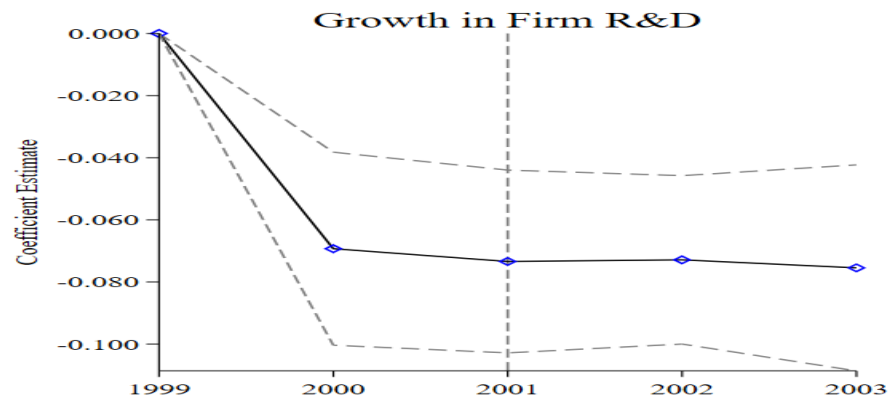
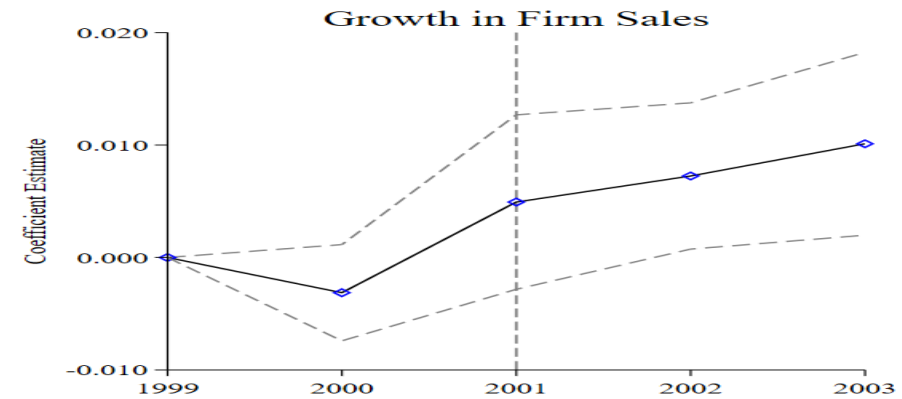
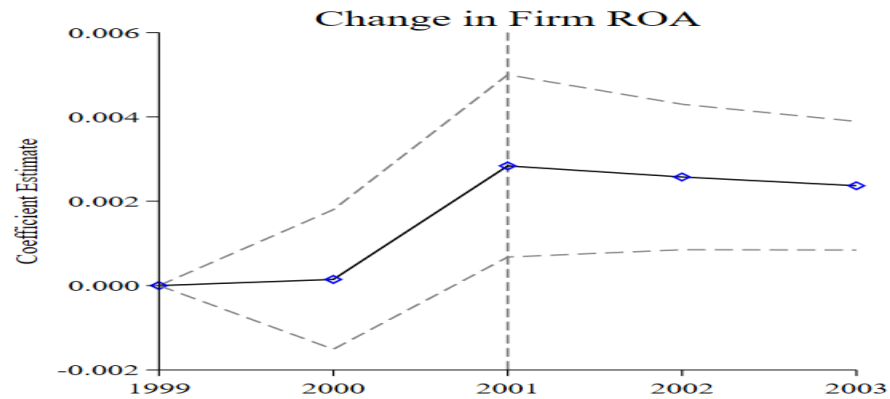


- Smaller, less tangible, younger firms are affected more by the PNTR shock compared with their counterparties

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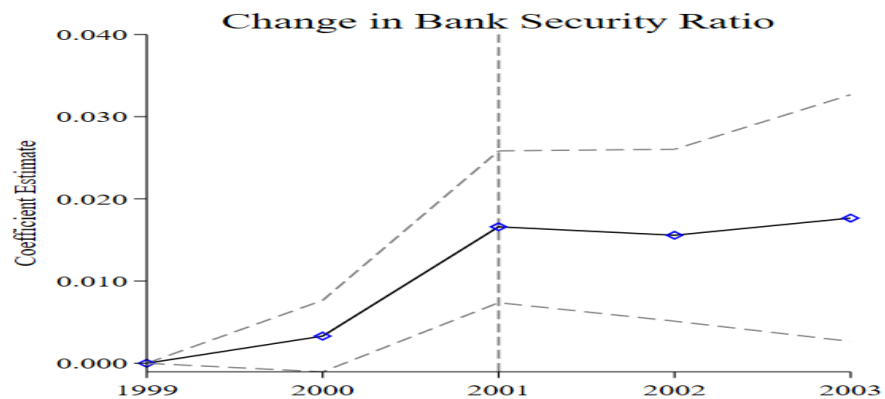
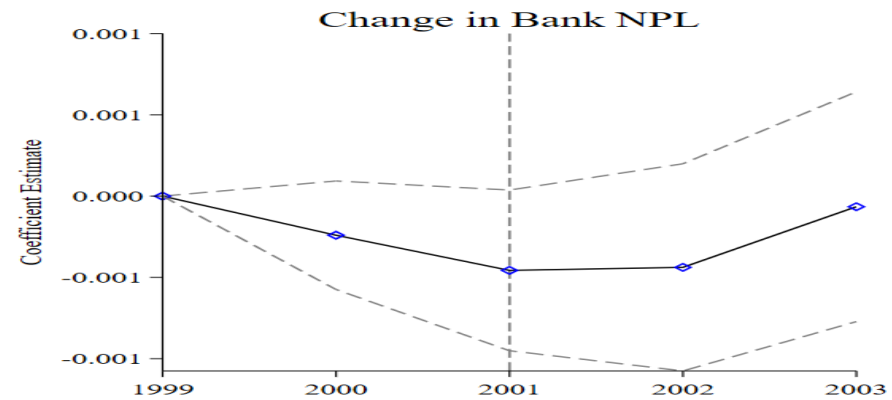
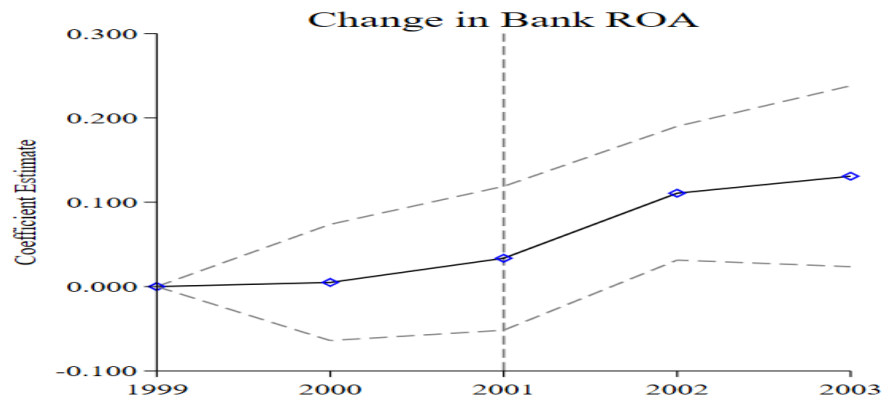
Cumulative Effect of PNTR Shock on Firm Outcome

$$\Delta_h Y_{b,f,1999+h} = \alpha^h + \beta^h \times \text{NTR Tariff } 1999_f + \gamma^h X_f + \delta_s^h + \delta_b^h + \epsilon_{b,f}^h, \quad h = 1, 2, 3, 4$$



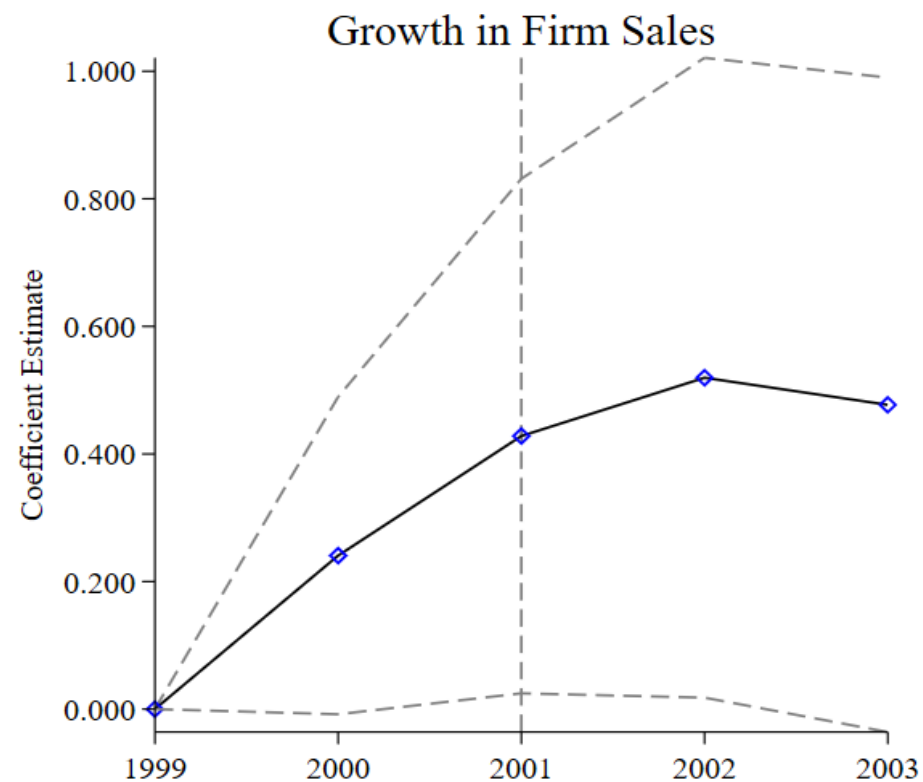
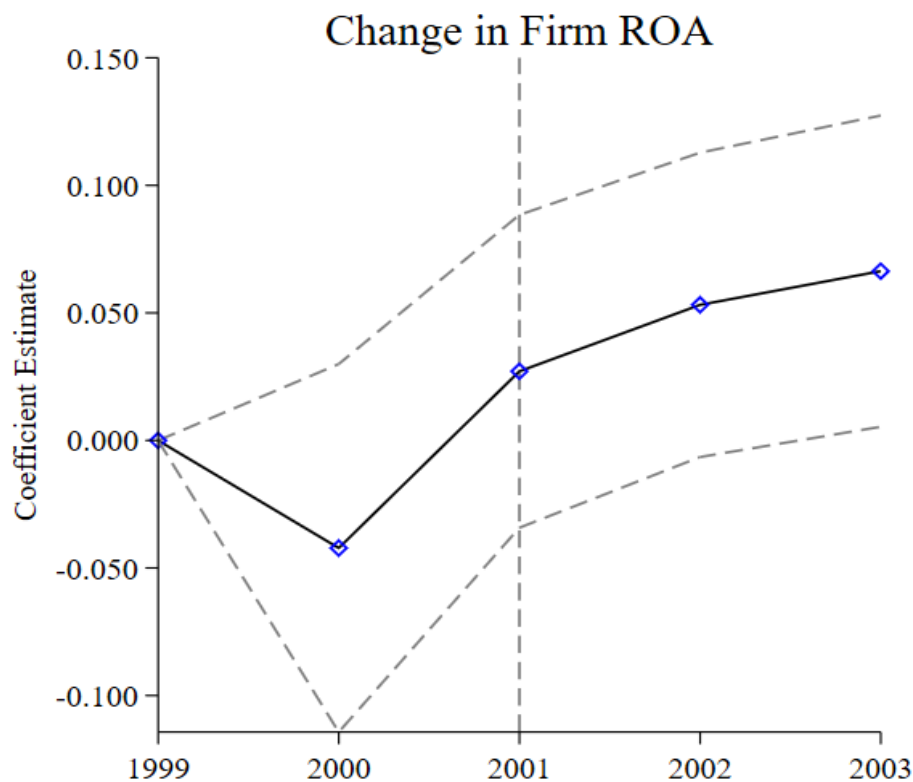
Cumulative Effect of PNTR Shock on Bank Outcome

$$\Delta_h Y_{b,1999+h} = \alpha^h + \beta^h \times NTR\ Tariff\ in\ Bank\ 1999_b + \gamma^h X_B + \epsilon_b, h = 1, 2, 3, 4$$



Cumulative Effect on Firm in the Non-Trade Sector

$$\Delta_h Y_{c,1999+h} = \alpha^h + \beta^h \times \text{Granular Bank Shock}_c + \gamma^h X_c + \delta_s^h + \epsilon_c^h, h = 1,2,3,4$$



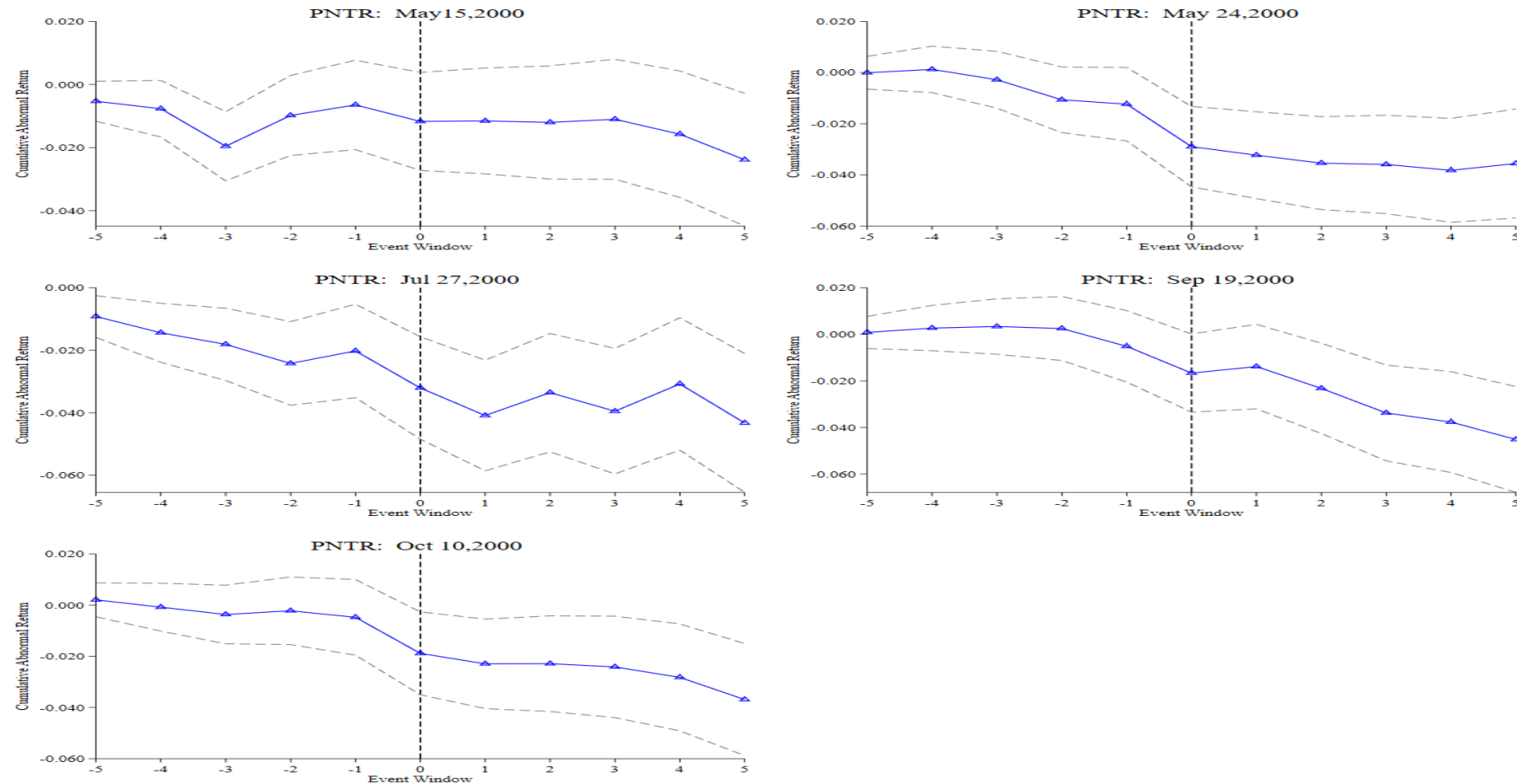
Identification: Event Study

- Identification concern
 - The industry-level measure of shock might have measure error and firms in our sample might not be affected by the PNTR shock
 - Solution: event study to calculate the abnormal stock return of firm
- Five big events related to Event Study
 - On May 15, 2000, the US House introduce the bill
 - On May 24, 2000, the US House voted to approve the bill
 - On July 27, 2000, the US Senate voted closure motion of bill
 - On September 19, 2000, the US Senate voted to approve the bill
 - On October 10, 2000, President Clinton signed the law
- Abnormal return definition

$$AR_{it} = R_{it} - E(R_{it} | X_t)$$

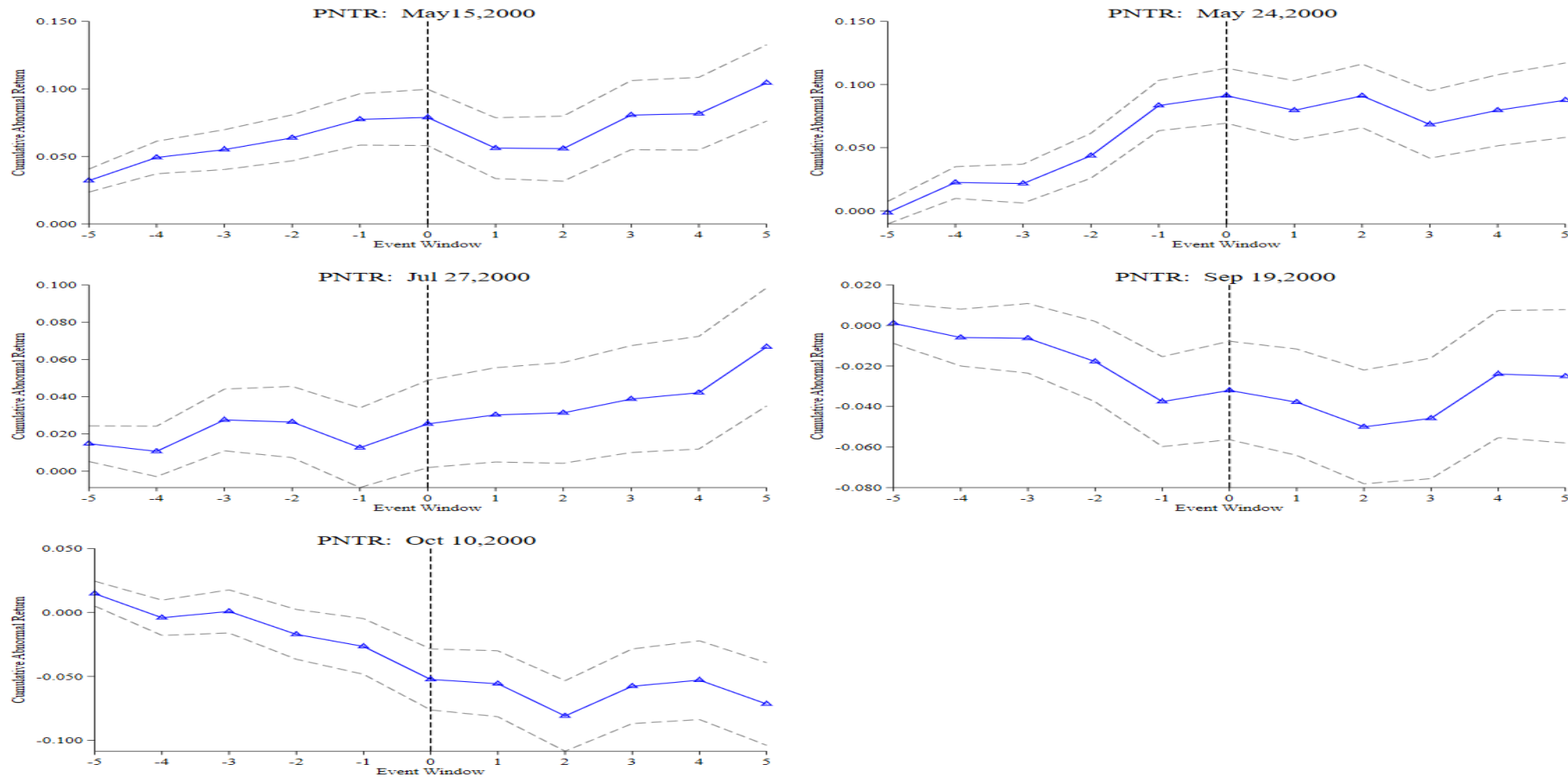
$$CAR_{i,t_1,t_2} = \sum_{t=t_1}^{t_2} AR_{it}$$

Event Study: Firms in the Trade Sector



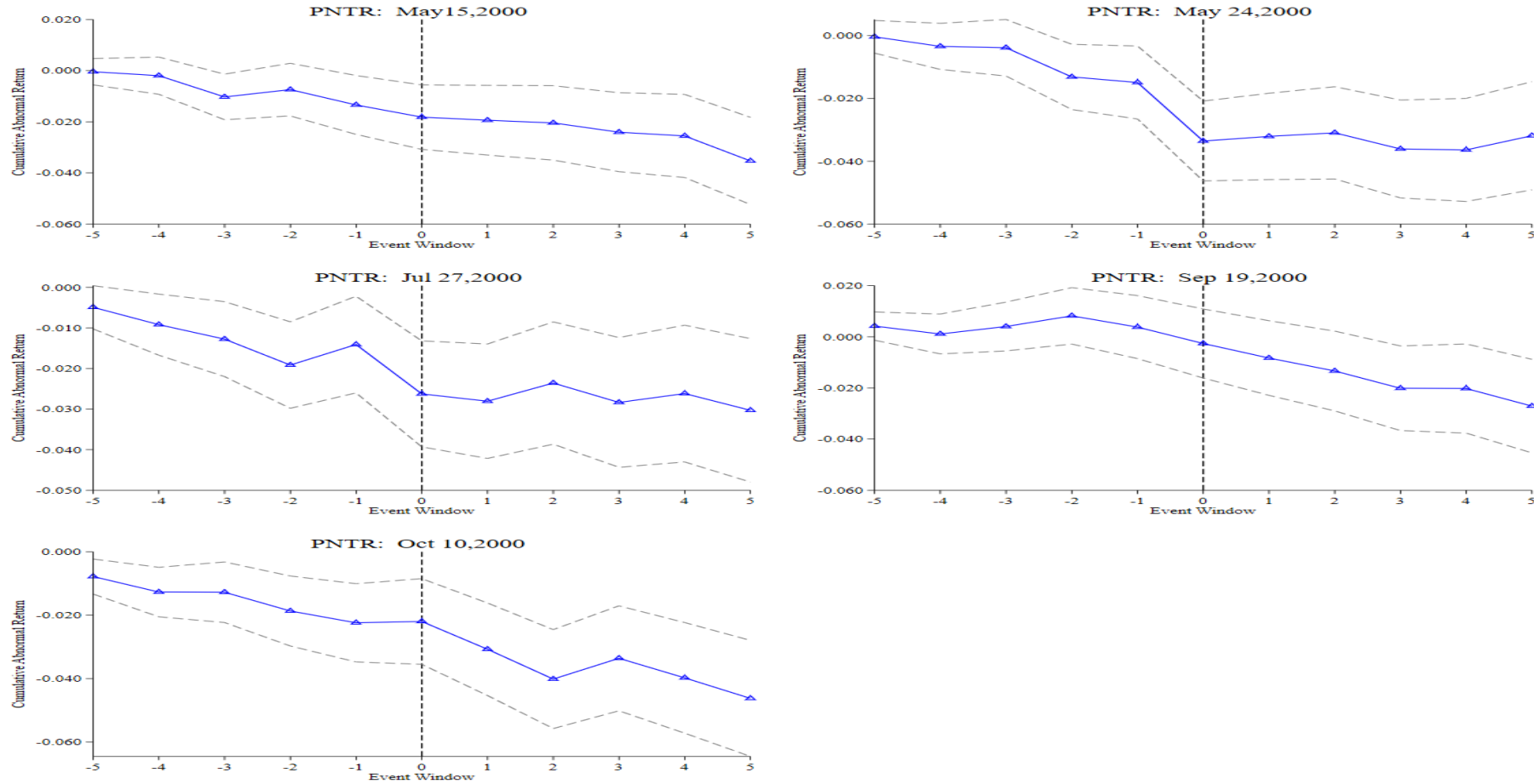
- The stock market reacts negatively to firms in the trade sector for five big events
- When President Clinton signed law, the cumulative AR for two trading days is 1.93%

Event Study: Banks



- The stock market response to the PNTR shock for banks is mixed in five big events

Event Study: Firms in Non-Trade Sector



- The stock market reacts negatively to firm in the non-trade sector for five big events
- When President Clinton signed the law, the cumulative AR for two trading days is 0.87%

Long-term Effects in the trade Sector: R&D

	Lending Relationship Sample			
	Growth in Firm R&D,1999-2003	Growth in Firm R&D,1999-2003	Growth in Firm R&D,1999-2005	Growth in Firm R&D,1999-2005
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
NTR Tariff,1999	-0.074*** (0.018)	-0.075*** (0.017)	-0.129*** (0.039)	-0.133*** (0.039)
Firm Size,1999		-0.028 (0.037)		0.038 (0.077)
Firm Tang,1999		-0.038 (0.331)		-0.712 (0.509)
Firm Age, 1999		-0.005 (0.004)		-0.008 (0.005)
Observations	517	517	463	463
R^2	0.27	0.29	0.26	0.28
SIC1 FE	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Bank FE	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

- 1999-2003: NTR tariff in 1999 ↓ 1 % (Δ 1 S.D) change in firm R&D ↑ 7.5 % (46.2 % S.D)
- 1999-2005: NTR tariff in 1999 ↓ 1 % (Δ 1 S.D) change in firm R& D ↑ 13.3 % (59.3 % S.D)

Long-term effects in Trade Sector: Employment

	Lending Relationship Sample			
	Growth in Firm Employment, 1999-2003		Growth in Firm Employment, 1999-2005	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
NTR Tariff, 1999	0.008** (0.004)	0.009** (0.004)	0.013** (0.006)	0.014* (0.008)
Firm Size, 1999		-0.028 (0.024)		-0.046 (0.038)
Firm Tang, 1999		0.524** (0.251)		0.062 (0.389)
Firm Age, 1999		0.001 (0.003)		-0.003 (0.004)
Observations	506	506	452	452
R^2	0.11	0.13	0.13	0.16
SIC1 FE	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Bank FE	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

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- 1999-2003: NTR tariff in 1999 ↓ 1 % (Δ 1 S.D) growth in firm employment ↓ 0.9 % (8.2 % S.D)
- 1999-2005: NTR tariff in 1999 ↓ 1 % (Δ 1 S.D) growth in firm employment ↓ 1.4 % (9.5 % S.D)

Exogenous Test of Our Variables in Bank Sample

	Bank Sample					
	Bank Distance Default,1999		Bank Distance Default,2000		Change in Bank Distance Default,1999-2000	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
NTR Tariff in Bank,1999	-0.022 (0.039)	-0.031 (0.028)	-0.018 (0.024)	-0.033 (0.022)	0.002 (0.034)	0.003 (0.034)
Bank Size,1999		0.054 (0.056)		0.057 (0.058)		0.011 (0.028)
Bank Capital,1999		-10.724*** (2.787)		-10.650*** (2.841)		1.145 (2.666)
Number of Loan in Trade Sector,1999-2000		0.001 (0.001)		0.001* (0.001)		0.000 (0.001)
Constant	0.508*** (0.126)	0.331 (1.043)	0.426*** (0.111)	0.177 (1.120)	-0.079 (0.109)	-0.364 (0.492)
Observations	33	33	32	32	32	32
R^2	0.01	0.32	0.01	0.37	0.00	0.01

Change in Bank Risk, 1999-2003 in the Bank Sample

	OLS	Bank Sample		
	(1)	OLS (2)	OLS (3)	IV (4)
NTR Tariff in Bank,1999	-0.063 (0.170)	-0.120 (0.259)		0.063 (0.294)
Bank Size,1999		-0.538 (0.626)	-0.619 (0.584)	-0.630 (0.565)
Bank Capital,1999		-62.859 (50.439)	-58.430 (53.670)	-57.635 (51.485)
Number of Loan in Trade Sector,1999-2000		-0.015 (0.011)	-0.013 (0.011)	-0.013 (0.010)
Granular Firm Shock,1999-2000			0.110 (0.570)	
Constant	-2.041* (1.037)	13.148 (12.364)	13.782 (12.512)	13.721 (11.870)
Observations	30	30	30	30
R^2	0.00	0.11	0.11	0.10

Bank Shock On Firm Outcome in the Local Industry

	Local Industry in Non-Trade Sector			
	Change in Firm ROA, 1999-2003		Growth in Firm Sale, 1999-2003	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Granular Bank Shock	0.113** (0.045)	0.099** (0.043)	0.669* (0.377)	0.556 (0.368)
Firm Size, 1999		-0.011 (0.007)		-0.048 (0.036)
Firm Tang, 1999		0.021 (0.029)		0.298 (0.205)
Firm Age, 1999		-0.000 (0.000)		-0.015*** (0.004)
Constant	0.026 (0.017)	0.162 (0.105)	0.550*** (0.121)	1.284*** (0.468)
Observations	244	244	247	247
R^2	0.06	0.07	0.10	0.18
SIC1 FE	YES	YES	YES	YES