

## **Measuring Systemic Risk: Empirical Evidence on US Banks**

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### ***Abstract***

*Due to the financial crisis and the sovereign debt crisis, how to measure the systemic risk becomes an important issue in the mainstream of financial econometrics. In this paper, we propose a measure for systemic risk and name it as CSRISK index, which expresses the worst capital shortfall of a financial institution conditional on a substantial market decline. This index only needs public financial data including accounting and market trading information, thus it is quick and inexpensive. Furthermore, the sum of all institutions' CSRISKS in the whole financial system represents an early warning indicator for the banking supervisor. The quantile regression approach is introduced to estimate the CSRISK. We use 238 U.S. banks from 2003 to 2013 as the empirical sample. Although traditional risk measures correspond lots of risk components, but the empirical results indicate that the CSRISK can provide some omissive information. Besides, all banks indeed produce the largest CSRISK during the financial crisis of 2008-2009. In terms of the market CSRISK, we find it is increasing from 2004 to 2009 and then is slightly decreasing. This systemic risk measure can potentially be widely applied in the practical risk management and macro prudential policy making.*

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## **1. Introduction**

The financial crisis of 2008–2009 and the sovereign debt crisis of 2010–2012 bring several severe impacts of the financial system and the broader economy. These events have motivated banking supervisors, practitioners, and academics to pay more attention to the systemic risk. In the recent survey, Bisias et al. (2012) and Brunnermeier and Oehmke (2012) categorize and contrast quantitative measures of systemic risk in the economics and finance literature. One type of these approaches is to measure co-dependence in the tails of individual firms and the whole economy. Adrian and Brunnermeier (2011) propose the CoVaR<sup>1</sup> to measure systemic risk by the spillover effects from individual equities to the whole economy; Acharya et al. (2010) use the systemic expected shortfall (SES) to capture the downside risk when the whole market is in crisis. Other recent studies related to systemic risk include, for example, contingent claims analysis (Kritzman and Li, 2010; Gray and Jobst, 2011), granger-causality network model (Boyson et al., 2010; Bisias et al., 2012; Aragon and Strahan, 2012), and stress tests (Alfaro and Drehmann, 2009; Duffie, 2011).

First of all, we need to identify the meaning of systemic risk. Note that the systemic risk is different to the systematic risk. Systematic risks generally represent macroeconomic or market risks induced by certain aggregate shocks. However, the formal definition of systemic risk is much less clear than systematic risk, see Hansen (2012). One definition provided by Billio et al. (2012) is “any set of circumstances that threatens the stability of or public confidence in the financial system”. Similarly, Daniel Tarullo, the Governor of the United States Federal Reserve, defines the systemic risk<sup>2</sup> as follows,

“Financial institutions are systemically important if the failure of the firm to meet its obligations to creditors and customers would have significant adverse consequences for the financial system and the broader economy.”

In this definition, the core problem of the systemic risk is that the financial institutions bankruptcies or near bankruptcies makes negative externalities to the whole economy. In other words, when the market value of a financial institution’s equity falls to a significantly small proportion of its outstanding liabilities, its capital falls short and it has certain systemic risk.

In this research, we follow the above definition of systemic risk. Based on this point, Acharya et al. (2010) show that the systemic risk of a financial institution contains three

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<sup>1</sup> A number of papers apply and extend the CoVaR for many financial markets. For example, Boyson et al. (2010) find strong evidence of worst return contagion across hedge fund styles; Chan-Lau (2009) apply CoVaR in the CDS of Asia-Pacific banks; the systemic risk of the Canadian banking system is estimated in Gauthier et al. (2012).

<sup>2</sup> “Regulatory Restructuring,” Testimony before the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, U.S. Senate, Washington, D.C., July 23, 2009.

components: the real social cost of a crisis per dollar of capital shortfall, probability of a crisis, and expected capital shortfall of the firm in a crisis. Brownlees and Engle (2012) focus on the third component, which captures many important characteristics of systemic risk such as size, leverage, and interconnectedness. They provide the SRISK index which is the expected capital shortfall of a firm conditional on a substantial market decline. Furthermore, they have implemented this model based on publicly available data to measure the systemic risk of each financial institution. The results of their analysis are posted on the V-Lab web page at New York University (<http://vlab.stern.nyu.edu/welcome/risk>).

The primary motivation of this project is quite clear and meaningful. Because the SRISK is the expected capital shortfall of a firm conditional on a substantial market decline, it may overlook the tail-comovement effect of the individual financial institution and whole financial system. To be more precise, when the financial market is in distress, it is natural that each financial institution usually has larger capital shortfall. Therefore, in this project, we extend the SRISK index and propose a new systemic risk measure that can provide further information about the tail-comovement. This new systemic risk measure is denoted as the  $q$ th-quantile capital shortfall conditional on a substantial market decline. In this project, we focus on the worst capital shortfall ( $q = 0.01$ ) and name it as the CSRISK. Comparing with SRISK, for example, when a financial institution's SRISK is \$1,000 million, it represents its average capital shortfall is \$1,000 million conditional on a market decline. However, the capital shortage of this financial institution has a high probability to be larger than \$1,000 million. The CSRISK could be regarded as a more conservative systemic risk indicator. When the value of CSRISK ( $q = 0.01$ ) is \$1,000 million, it indicates that the capital shortage of this financial institution has only 1% probability to exceed the \$1,000 million.

The CSRISK retains two advantages of SRISK. First, the CSRISK also merges both accounting and market trading information of a financial institution. The accounting value of institution's liabilities is easily available in the balance sheets and the market trading data could measure the market value of its equity immediately. Thus, this approach is quick and inexpensive. Secondly, the sum of every financial institution's CSRISK in the whole financial system could represent the aggregate systemic risk which could be an early warning indicator for the banking supervisor in policy making. Nevertheless, the CSRISK is more flexible than SRISK. Although we focus on the worst capital shortfall conditional on a market decline, the CSRISK with  $q = 0.5$  could provide the similar information of systemic risk as SRISK. In this project, we adopt the quantile regression approach; see Koenker and Bassett (1978) and Koenker (2005), to estimate CSRISK. The quantile regression can estimate the various  $q$ th-quantile capital shortfalls conditional on a substantial market decline efficiently.

The rest of this proposal is organized as follows. Section 2 introduces our model related to the capital shortfall and shows the definition of CSRISK. How to estimate CSRISK through the quantile regression approach is represented in Section 3. Then Section 4 describes our empirical results. Section 5 shows the conclusions of this paper.

## **2. Capital Shortfall and CSRISK**

When the capital shortfall of each financial institution occurs during a period of distress for the whole financial system, Acharya et al. (2010) propose an economic model to formally link these capital shortfalls and systemic risk. In their model, each firm's contribution to systemic risk denoted systemic expected shortfall (SES), can be measured and priced. However, this approach cannot be used for ex-ante systemic risk measurement. Brownlees and Engle (2012) extend the SES approach and propose an alternative dynamic reduced estimation strategy. They provide the SRISK index which is the expected capital shortfall of a firm conditional on a substantial market decline. The SRISK index depends on the firm's degree of leverage, size and equity loss conditional on a market decline that is denoted as the Marginal Expected Shortfall (MES). For computing the SRISK index, people not only need the information on the equity and debt which can be easily measured, but also require an appropriate econometric approach to estimate the MES from return data. Brownlees and Engle (2012) introduce a bivariate dynamic time series model for the daily firm and market returns. Their approach includes volatility and correlation modeling using GARCH and DCC models, respectively. The detailed literature could be found in Bollerslev (2008), Engle (2002, 2009).

Even though several strategies are devised to measure capital shortfalls, we directly follow the approach of Brownlees and Engle (2012) to combine balance sheet data with market trading data. Since this approach is market based in spirit, it could also reflect investors' expectations. Our model is introduced as follows. Suppose the financial supervisory institution would restrict each institution to maintain equity as a fraction  $k$  of its assets. Thus we can define the capital buffer of the financial institution  $i$  at time  $t$  as

$$CB_{it} = W_{it} - k(D_{it} + W_{it}), \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, I, \quad (1)$$

Where  $D_{it}$  and  $W_{it}$  are the book value of financial institution's debt and the market value of its equity respectively. When  $CB_{it}$  is positive, the financial institution  $i$  has sufficient working capital. On the other hand, when  $CB_{it}$  is negative, the financial institution  $i$  occurs capital shortfall. For convenience, we denote the capital shortfall of the financial institution  $i$  at time  $t$  as

$$\begin{aligned}
 CS_{it} &= -CB_{it} \\
 &= kD_{it} - (1 - k)W_{it} \\
 &= kD_{it} - (1 - k)(1 + r_{it})W_{it-1}
 \end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

Where  $r_{it}$  denotes the return of financial institution  $i$  between period  $t - 1$  and  $t$ .

Note that  $CS_{it}$  is combined both accounting and market trading information of a financial institution. Of course, some one may doubt why not directly using the accounting data to measure  $CS_{it}$ . The main cause is that the value of assets and liabilities every month or even every quarter. Using instant market trading data can not only quickly expose the systemic risk, but also easily predict its future value. Because a firm's nominal liability ( $D_{it}$ ) comes due at a future time, in practical applications, we simply measure  $D_{it}$  from the recently observable accounting data. However, estimating the market value of equity differs from  $D_{it}$ , it can provide a market estimate of the firm's value on the moment. To be more precise, the market value of the financial institution  $i$  ( $W_{it}$ ) is estimated through its previous value ( $W_{it-1}$ ) and an instant estimation of the return ( $r_{it}$ ). Furthermore, we could take into account some economic factors or use the econometric approach to forecast firm's future market value.

In the works of Brownlees and Engle (2012), they are interested in computing the expected capital shortfall when the financial market is in distress. We agree the importance of expected capital shortfall; nevertheless, the tail behavior of capital shortfall could reveal other useful information. In order to capture the tail behavior of capital shortfall conditional on a market distress, we first denote the capital shortfall conditional on the event  $r_{mt} = C_t$  as

$$CS_{it}|_{r_{mt}=C_t} = \left( kD_{it} - (1 - k)(1 + r_{it})W_{it-1} \right) \Big|_{r_{mt}=C_t} \tag{3}$$

Where  $r_{mt}$  is the market return at time  $t$  and  $C_t$  is a certain threshold number. Furthermore, we assume that when the market is in distress, debt cannot be renegotiated, implying  $D_{it}|_{r_{mt}=C_t} = D_{it}$ . Then the Eq. (3) could be rewrite as

$$CS_{it}|_{r_{mt}=C_t} = kD_{it} - (1 - k)(1 + r_{it}|_{r_{mt}=C_t})W_{it-1}. \tag{4}$$

Recall that Value at Risk (VaR), defined as a worst case scenario in terms of losses on a typical day, is a popular measure of tail risk management that is not only recommended by banking supervisors but is also widely used throughout the financial industry, including by banks and investment funds, see P'erignon and Smith (2010a,b). The value of  $VaR_{it}^q$  is implicitly defined as the  $q$  quantile, i.e.,

$$Pr(r_{it} \leq VaR_{it}^q) = q. \tag{5}$$

Note that  $VaR_{it}^q$  is usually a negative number. In this study, we also focus on a worst-case scenario in terms of the capital shortfall of the institution conditional on the market distress. Then a new tail risk measure  $CSVaR_{it}^q$  could be defined as

$$Pr(CS_{it}|_{r_{mt}=C_t} \geq CSVaR_{it}^q) = q. \quad (6)$$

When the financial market is in distress,  $CSVaR_{it}^q$  exposes the worst case of capital shortfall. A positive  $CSVaR_{it}^q$  means institution  $i$  may occur capital shortfall. A higher  $CSVaR_{it}^q$  implies the financial institution  $i$  contains higher systemic risk. However, a negative  $CSVaR_{it}^q$  indicates that the institution  $i$  is going to function properly. Therefore, we define the systemic risk index based on the worst capital shortfall of institution  $i$  as

$$CSRISK_{it}^q = \max(0, CSVaR_{it}^q). \quad (7)$$

Comparing to the general financial institution's stress tests, estimating  $CSRISK$  only uses public data and is relatively inexpensive to implement. Then the total amount of systemic risk in the financial system could be defined as

$$CSRISK_{mt}^q = \sum_{i=1}^I CSRISK_{it}^q. \quad (8)$$

This index shows the whole systemic risk level that provides an early warning system for the government in policy making and for the public in their financial decision making.

### 3. Estimating $CSRISK$

In this section, we introduce how to estimate the  $CSRISK$ . Although several strategies can be devised to estimate the  $CSRISK$ , e.g., developing volatility models or bootstrapping past returns, we adopt the quantile regression approach due to its simplicity and efficiency, see Koenker and Bassett (1978) and Koenker (2005). Although quantile regression estimators seem to be determined by a small subset of observations, in fact, they do not ignore any sample information. Other financial literature using quantile regression approach is included Engle and Manganelli (2004), Boyson et al. (2010), Adams et al. (2010), and Adrian and Brunnermeier (2011).

It is desirable to briefly describe the basic idea of quantile regression approach before moving to our main task. For a random variable  $Y$  with distribution  $F_Y$ , we denote the  $q$ -th quantile of  $F_Y$  as  $Q_Y(q)$  which is

$$Q_Y(q) = F^{-1}(q) = \inf\{y : F_Y(y) \geq q\} \quad (9)$$

Where  $q \in [0, 1]$ . Suppose the  $q$ -th conditional quantile function is  $Q_Y(q|xi)=x'_i\beta_q$ . We can estimate  $\beta_q$  by solving

$$\hat{\beta}^q = \operatorname{argmin}_{\beta^q} \sum_{i=1}^n \rho^q(y_i - x'_i\beta^q) \quad (10)$$

where  $\rho^q(a) = qa$  if  $a > 0$  and  $\rho^q(a) = (q-1)a$  if  $a \leq 0$ . The quantity  $\beta^q$  is called the  $q$ -th regression quantile. For the case  $q = 0.5$ , equation (10) is to minimize the sum of absolute errors and equally estimate the parameters using the least absolute deviation (LAD) method.

Now we move on to discuss how to estimate CSVaR. By Eqs. (4) and (6), we can find the  $q$ -th quantile capital shortfall conditional on  $r_{mt}$  as follows,

$$\text{CSVaR}_{it}^q = kD_{it} - (1 - k)(1 + Q_{rit}(q|r_{mt}))W_{it-1}, \quad (11)$$

Where  $Q_{rit}(q|r_{mt})$  is the  $q$ -th quantile of  $r_{it}$  conditional on certain value of  $r_{mt}$ . Therefore, we just need to estimate  $Q_{rit}(q|r_{mt})$ , then  $\text{CSVaR}_{it}^q$  can be computed directly. In this study, we use  $r_{mt} = \text{VaR}_{mt}^{0.01}$  to represent a substantial market decline. Following the idea of Adrian and Brunnermeier (2011), we estimate the conditional distribution as a function of state variable to capture time variation of  $r_{it}$  and  $r_{mt}$ . We denote  $M_{t-1}$  as a vector of lagged state variables and run the following quantile regressions:

$$r_{mt} = \alpha_m + \gamma_m M_{t-1} + \varepsilon_{mt}, \quad (12)$$

$$r_{it} = \alpha_i + \beta_i r_{mt} + \gamma_i M_{t-1} + \varepsilon_{it}. \quad (13)$$

We can obtain the predicted values from above regression as follows,

$$\widehat{\text{VaR}}_{mt}^{0.01} = \hat{\alpha}_m + \hat{\gamma}_m M_{t-1}, \quad (14)$$

$$\widehat{Q}_{rit}(q|r_{mt}) = \hat{\alpha}_i^q + \hat{\beta}_i^q \widehat{\text{VaR}}_{mt}^{0.01} + \hat{\gamma}_i^q M_{t-1}. \quad (15)$$

By Eqs. (11) and (15), the estimation of  $\text{CSVaR}_{it}^q$  is measured as

$$\widehat{\text{CSVaR}}_{it}^q = kD_{it} - (1 - k)\left(1 + \hat{\alpha}_i^q + \hat{\beta}_i^q \widehat{\text{VaR}}_{mt}^{0.01} + \hat{\gamma}_i^q M_{t-1}\right)W_{it-1}. \quad (16)$$

Note that we assume  $D_{it}$  is the newly obtainable data at time  $t - 1$ , thus it does not need to be predicted. Therefore, we can estimate  $\text{CSRISK}_{it}^q$  by

$$\widehat{\text{CSRISK}}_{it}^q = \max(0, \widehat{\text{CSVaR}}_{it}^q), \quad (17)$$

and the total amount of systemic risk in the financial system is

$$\widehat{\text{CSRISK}}_{mt}^q = \sum_{i=1}^I \widehat{\text{CSRISK}}_{it}^q. \quad (18)$$

## 4. Empirical Tests

### 4.1. Data

In this study, we use the American banks as our sample to verify the feasibility of the  $\text{CSRISK}$ . The sample period is from 2003/1/1 to 2013/12/31. Weekly returns and market value are extracted from CRSP and the quarterly book value of debt from COMPUSTAT. More clearly, the market value is calculated by  $\text{prc}$  times  $\text{cshoq}$  (CRSP codes for the closing price and common shares outstanding). And the book value of debt is measured by  $\text{dlc}$  plus  $\text{dltt}$  (COMPUSTAT codes for financial debt in current liabilities and long-term financial



debt). Since market value or debt defined this way should never be negative, so observations with negative market value or debt are deleted from our sample. Furthermore, we also ignore the stocks that contain any missing data in our sample period. For estimating CSRISK, the suitable state variables  $M_t$  should be determined. We use the Fama-French three factors including SMB (Small Minus Big), HML (High Minus Low), and the excess return on the market ( $R_m - R_f$ ). All factors data can be downloaded from the French's website.<sup>3</sup>

Based on the above filters, there are 238 banks included in our sample and each stock contains 574 records. Table 1 shows these stocks' tickers and company names. Moreover, we also report the market value, the book value of debt, and the capital buffer on the last trading day (2013/12/27). The size of market value or debt is very important. The bank with bigger market value or debt may have higher probability to induce the market crisis. For example, the market value of BAC is 144,319 millions, but a lot of stocks' market value are less than 100 millions. Maybe we need to pay more attention on the BAC in term of whole market level. The last column in the Table 1 states the capital buffers which are calculated by the Eq. (1). In this study, we always set the capital requirement ratio  $k$  is 0.08.

Although only two banks have negative capital buffer value, it does not mean that the financial market is always stable and safety. For more detailed investigating, in the Table 2, we report some basic statistics of the market value, debt, and capital buffer in each year. Take the Panel A as the example. In 2003, based on 238 banks, we first calculate the averages of the market value, debt, and capital buffer in each year. Then, among these averages, their mean, minimum (Min), the first quartile (Q1), median, the third quartile (Q3), and maximum (Max) are 2,876.11, 12.82, 101.83, 262.30, 881.74, and 112,524.38 millions. The most important thing is in the Panel C. In each year, despite most of banks have positive average capital buffer, but some banks face average negative capital buffer or called capital shortfall. Moreover, in this study, we want to find the expected capital shortfall of a bank when the financial market is in distress. Of course, it is natural that each bank usually has larger capital shortfall and we show the results in the following sections.

#### **4.2. Individual CSRISK**

The rolling window method is used to determine the 0.01-th quantile of weekly return when market is in distress. In each estimating window, we consider the quantile regression models as Eq. (12) and (13) and let  $q = 0.01$ . The estimating period length is fifty, which means that, in each estimating model, fifty weekly returns are used to estimate parameters. After obtaining the 0.01-th quantile of weekly return conditional on market distress, we can determine the individual CSRISK by the Eq.(16) and (17).

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<sup>3</sup> French's website, [http://mba.tuck.dartmouth.edu/pages/faculty/ken.french/data\\_library.html](http://mba.tuck.dartmouth.edu/pages/faculty/ken.french/data_library.html)



We evaluate the downside standard deviations ( $\sigma^-$ ), the value at risk (VaR), the expected shortfall (ES) and four statistics of CSRISK including median, mean, the third quartile (Q3), and maximum. To show the relation among these risk measures, we make the scatter plots in the Fig 1. It is clear that downside risk ( $\sigma^-$ ) and VaR (or ES) have strongly liner relationship. However, the relation between the CSRISK and general risk measures is unambiguous. This outcome indicates that although traditional risk measures correspond lots of risk components, but the CSRISK could further provide some omissive information about the systemic risk.

Table 3 reports the results of the top 30 banks in terms of the maximum value of CSRISK from 2004 to 2013. We can find that the size of CSRISK is very various, for instance, the BAC's maximum CSRISK is 70,454 millions, but the CPF's maximum CSRISK is only 70 millions. The government should pay more attention on these banks with large CSRISK. Then we focus only on four banks, JPM, DB, BAC, and KB and plot their boxplots in the Fig. 2. In the Figs. 3-6, we show each bank's market value, weekly returns, book value of debt, capital shortfall, 0.01-th quantile of return conditional on market distress [ $Q_{rit}(0.01|r=\text{VaR}^{0.01}_{mt})$ ], and CSRISK. We observe that higher CSRISK value usually comes with lower market value, larger debt, and lower  $Q_{rit}(0.01|r=\text{VaR}^{0.01}_{mt})$ . During the financial crisis of 2008–2009, all banks produce the largest CSRISK.

#### **4.3. Market CSRISK**

After determining every bank's individual CSRISK, we can sum them and get the whole market CSRISK as the Eq.(18). The market CSRISK can be regarded as an important index for measuring financial market risk, because it represents expect value of the worst market capital shortfall conditional on market distress. In the Table 4, we divide full sample period into 10 years and calculate the mean, minimum, maximum, and five different quantiles (10%, 30%, 50%, 70%, 90%) of the market CSRISK. Since the financial crisis happened in the end of 2008, thus the market CSRISK exhibits the largest value in 2009 in terms of mean and maximum. In the Figure 7, we plot the maximum market CSRISK in each year. It clearly indicates that the CSRISK is increasing from 2004 to 2009 and then is slightly decreasing. However, we need to note that although the maximum of CSRISK is decreasing from 2011 to 2013, but its mean keeps about 70,000 millions and its minimum is sharply increasing in 2013.

### **5. Conclusions**

In this project, we propose a new measure for systemic risk and name it as CSRISK index that expresses the worst capital shortfall of a financial institution conditional on a substantial market decline. This index only needs public financial data including accounting and market trading information, thus it is quick and inexpensive. Furthermore, the sum of all institutions' CSRISKS in the whole financial system represents an early warning indicator for the banking

supervisor. The quantile regression approach is introduced to estimate the CSRISK. We use 238 U.S. banks from 2003 to 2013 as the empirical sample. Although traditional risk measures correspond lots of risk components, but the empirical results indicate that the CSRISK can provide some omissive information. Besides, all banks indeed produce the largest CSRISK during the financial crisis of 2008–2009. In terms of the market CSRISK, we find it is increasing from 2004 to 2009 and then is slightly decreasing. This systemic risk measure can potentially be widely applied in the practical risk management and macroprudential policy making.

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Table 1: Data Descriptions: Market Value, Debt, and Capital Buffer

| Num | Ticker | Company Name                 | Market Value (\$m) | Debt (\$m) | Capital Buffer (\$m) |
|-----|--------|------------------------------|--------------------|------------|----------------------|
| 1   | ABCB   | AMERIS BANCORP               | 404                | 85         | 365                  |
| 2   | AF     | ASTORIA FINANCIAL CORP       | 1,123              | 4,033      | 711                  |
| 3   | AMNB   | AMERICAN NATL BANKSHARES     | 176                | 81         | 156                  |
| 4   | AMRB   | AMERICAN RIVER BANKSHARES    | 73                 | 17         | 66                   |
| 5   | AROW   | ARROW FINANCIAL CORP         | 309                | 77         | 278                  |
| 6   | ASBC   | ASSOCIATED BANC-CORP         | 2,610              | 2,846      | 2,174                |
| 7   | ASBI   | AMERIANA BANCORP             | 32                 | 46         | 26                   |
| 8   | ASRV   | AMERISERV FINANCIAL INC/PA   | 58                 | 57         | 48                   |
| 9   | AUBN   | AUBURN NATIONAL BANCORP      | 83                 | 30         | 74                   |
| 10  | BAC    | BANK OF AMERICA CORP         | 144,319            | 538,337    | 89,706               |
| 11  | BANF   | BANCFIRST CORP/OK            | 735                | 41         | 673                  |
| 12  | BANR   | BANNER CORP                  | 683                | 187        | 613                  |
| 13  | BAP    | CREDICORP LTD                | 11,042             | 8,396      | 9,487                |
| 14  | BBT    | BB&T CORP                    | 23,284             | 23,462     | 19,544               |
| 15  | BBX    | BBX CAPITAL CORP             | 186                | 155        | 158                  |
| 16  | BCH    | BANCO DE CHILE               | 14,118             | 10,519     | 12,147               |
| 17  | BCS    | BARCLAYS PLC                 | 58,730             | 571,066    | 8,346                |
| 18  | BCSB   | BCSB BANCORP INC             | 67                 | 17         | 60                   |
| 19  | BFR    | BBVA BANCO FRANCES SA        | 949                | 10         | 872                  |
| 20  | BHB    | BAR HARBOR BANKSHARES        | 144                | 368        | 103                  |
| 21  | BK     | BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON CORP | 34,485             | 31,045     | 29,242               |
| 22  | BKMU   | BANK MUTUAL CORP             | 275                | 210        | 236                  |
| 23  | BKSC   | BANK SOUTH CAROLINA CORP     | 59                 | -          | 55                   |
| 24  | BLX    | BANCO LATINOAMERICANO DE COM | 945                | 3,599      | 582                  |
| 25  | BMO    | BANK OF MONTREAL             | 41,190             | 67,558     | 32,490               |
| 26  | BMRC   | BANK OF MARIN BANCORP        | 225                | 23         | 205                  |
| 27  | BMTC   | BRYN MAWR BANK CORP          | 342                | 229        | 296                  |
| 28  | BNS    | BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA          | 69,445             | 113,577    | 54,803               |
| 29  | BOH    | BANK OF HAWAII CORP          | 2,339              | 1,022      | 2,070                |
| 30  | BOKF   | BOK FINANCIAL CORP           | 4,323              | 3,988      | 3,658                |
| 31  | BPFH   | BOSTON PRIVATE FINL HOLDINGS | 836                | 662        | 716                  |
| 32  | BPOP   | POPULAR INC                  | 2,947              | 4,499      | 2,351                |
| 33  | BRKL   | BROOKLINE BANCORP INC        | 635                | 826        | 519                  |
| 34  | BSRR   | SIERRA BANCORP/CA            | 209                | 36         | 189                  |
| 35  | BUSE   | FIRST BUSEY CORP             | 423                | 205        | 372                  |
| 36  | BXS    | BANCORPSOUTH INC             | 1,772              | 551        | 1,586                |
| 37  | BYFC   | BROADWAY FINANCIAL CORP/DE   | 5                  | 92         | -3                   |
| 38  | CAC    | CAMDEN NATIONAL CORP         | 284                | 399        | 230                  |
| 39  | CACB   | CASCADE BANCORP              | 285                | 33         | 259                  |
| 40  | CAFI   | CAMCO FINANCIAL CORP         | 57                 | 62         | 48                   |
| 41  | CASH   | META FINANCIAL GROUP INC     | 167                | 118        | 144                  |
| 42  | CATY   | CATHAY GENERAL BANCORP       | 1,743              | 1,366      | 1,494                |
| 43  | CBAN   | COLONY BANCORP INC           | 52                 | 64         | 43                   |
| 44  | CBIN   | COMMUNITY BK SHARES INC/IN   | 59                 | 90         | 47                   |
| 45  | CBSH   | COMMERCE BANKSHARES INC      | 3,899              | 1,629      | 3,456                |
| 46  | CBU    | COMMUNITY BANK SYSTEM INC    | 1,295              | 505        | 1,151                |
| 47  | CCBG   | CAPITAL CITY BK GROUP INC    | 206                | 153        | 177                  |
| 48  | CCNE   | CNB FINANCIAL CORP/PA        | 223                | 122        | 195                  |
| 49  | CFFI   | C&F FINANCIAL CORP           | 158                | 167        | 132                  |
| 50  | CFFN   | CAPITOL FEDERAL FINL INC     | 1,758              | 2,911      | 1,385                |
| 51  | CFNL   | CARDINAL FINANCIAL CORP      | 500                | 372        | 430                  |
| 52  | CFR    | CULLEN/FROST BANKERS INC     | 3,958              | 786        | 3,578                |
| 53  | CHCO   | CITY HOLDING CO              | 653                | 149        | 589                  |
| 54  | CHFC   | CHEMICAL FINANCIAL CORP      | 778                | 349        | 688                  |
| 55  | CLBH   | CAROLINA BANK HOLDINGS INC   | 37                 | 26         | 32                   |
| 56  | CMA    | COMERICA INC                 | 7,299              | 4,014      | 6,394                |
| 57  | CNBKA  | CENTURY BANCORP INC/MA       | 188                | 440        | 137                  |
| 58  | COBZ   | COBIZ FINANCIAL INC          | 373                | 287        | 320                  |
| 59  | COLB   | COLUMBIA BANKING SYSTEM INC  | 1,134              | 100        | 1,035                |
| 60  | CPF    | CENTRAL PACIFIC FINANCIAL CP | 736                | 117        | 668                  |
| 61  | CSFL   | CENTERSTATE BANKS INC        | 280                | 85         | 251                  |
| 62  | CTBI   | COMMUNITY TRUST BANCORP INC  | 594                | 298        | 522                  |
| 63  | CVBF   | CVB FINANCIAL CORP           | 1,332              | 781        | 1,163                |
| 64  | CVLY   | CODORUS VALLEY BANCORP       | 80                 | 73         | 68                   |
| 65  | CWBC   | COMMUNITY WEST BANCSHARES    | 38                 | 37         | 32                   |
| 66  | CYN    | CITY NATIONAL CORP           | 3,458              | 916        | 3,108                |
| 67  | DB     | DEUTSCHE BANK AG             | 45,798             | 328,278    | 15,872               |
| 68  | DCOM   | DIME COMMUNITY BANCSHARES    | 564                | 836        | 452                  |
| 69  | EGBN   | EAGLE BANCORP INC/MD         | 632                | 129        | 571                  |
| 70  | ESBF   | ESB FINANCIAL CORP           | 222                | 471        | 167                  |
| 71  | ESBK   | ELMIRA SVGS BANK ELMIRA/NY   | 57                 | 57         | 48                   |
| 72  | EVBN   | EVANS BANCORP INC            | 78                 | 35         | 69                   |
| 73  | EVBS   | EASTERN VA BANKSHARES INC    | 60                 | 104        | 47                   |
| 74  | EWBC   | EAST WEST BANCORP INC        | 3,928              | 1,471      | 3,496                |
| 75  | FBC    | FLAGSTAR BANCORP INC         | 861                | 3,089      | 545                  |

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|-----|--------|------------------------------|--------------------|------------|----------------------|
| 76  | FBMI   | FIRSTBANK CORP               | 125                | 104        | 106                  |
| 77  | FBNC   | FIRST BANCORP/NC             | 282                | 46         | 255                  |
| 78  | FBP    | FIRST BANCORP P R            | 1,274              | 1,489      | 1,052                |
| 79  | FBSS   | FAUQUIER BANKSHARES INC      | 47                 | 21         | 42                   |
| 80  | FCBC   | FIRST CMNTY BANCSHARES INC   | 318                | 286        | 269                  |
| 81  | FCCY   | 1ST CONSTITUTION BANCORP     | 58                 | 29         | 51                   |
| 82  | FCF    | FIRST COMMONWLTH FINL CP/PA  | 745                | 693        | 630                  |
| 83  | FCNCA  | FIRST CITIZENS BANC SH -CL A | 1,907              | 1,054      | 1,670                |
| 84  | FCZA   | FIRST CITIZENS BANC CORP     | 52                 | 89         | 41                   |
| 85  | FDEF   | FIRST DEFIANCE FINANCIAL CP  | 235                | 120        | 207                  |
| 86  | FBBC   | FIRST FINL BANCORP INC/OH    | 904                | 703        | 775                  |
| 87  | FFIC   | FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORP      | 534                | 994        | 411                  |
| 88  | FFIN   | FIRST FINL BANKSHARES INC    | 1,731              | 404        | 1,560                |
| 89  | FFKT   | FARMERS CAPITAL BANK CORP    | 150                | 206        | 121                  |
| 90  | FFKY   | FIRST FINANCIAL SERVICE CORP | 18                 | 43         | 13                   |
| 91  | FISI   | FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS INC   | 287                | 189        | 249                  |
| 92  | FITB   | FIFTH THIRD BANCORP          | 15,721             | 10,911     | 13,590               |
| 93  | FLIC   | FIRST LONG ISLAND CORP       | 313                | 301        | 264                  |
| 94  | FMBI   | FIRST MIDWEST BANCORP INC    | 1,092              | 420        | 971                  |
| 95  | FMER   | FIRSTMERIT CORP              | 2,992              | 1,402      | 2,641                |
| 96  | FNFG   | FIRST NIAGARA FINANCIAL GRP  | 3,437              | 4,488      | 2,803                |
| 97  | FNLC   | FIRST BANCORP INC/ME         | 183                | 263        | 147                  |
| 98  | FRBK   | REPUBLIC FIRST BANCORP INC   | 77                 | 22         | 69                   |
| 99  | FRME   | FIRST MERCHANTS CORP         | 512                | 452        | 435                  |
| 100 | FSBK   | FIRST SOUTH BANCORP INC/VA   | 63                 | 10         | 57                   |
| 101 | FULT   | FULTON FINANCIAL CORP        | 2,281              | 2,212      | 1,922                |
| 102 | FUNC   | FIRST UNITED CORP            | 50                 | 233        | 27                   |
| 103 | GABC   | GERMAN AMERICAN BANCORP INC  | 307                | 163        | 269                  |
| 104 | GBCI   | GLACIER BANCORP INC          | 1,627              | 1,442      | 1,382                |
| 105 | GCBC   | GREENE COUNTY BANCORP INC    | 97                 | 11         | 88                   |
| 106 | GFED   | GUARANTY FED BANCSHARES INC  | 29                 | 82         | 20                   |
| 107 | GGAL   | GRUPO FINANCIERO GALICIA SA  | 908                | 1,534      | 713                  |
| 108 | GLBZ   | GLEN BURNIE BANCORP          | 33                 | 21         | 28                   |
| 109 | GSBC   | GREAT SOUTHERN BANCORP       | 367                | 380        | 308                  |
| 110 | HAFC   | HANMI FINANCIAL CORP         | 542                | 25         | 497                  |
| 111 | HBAN   | HUNTINGTON BANCSHARES        | 6,676              | 2,920      | 5,909                |
| 112 | HBHC   | HANCOCK HOLDING CO           | 2,613              | 1,157      | 2,311                |
| 113 | HBNC   | HORIZON BANCORP/IN           | 186                | 281        | 149                  |
| 114 | HCBK   | HUDSON CITY BANCORP INC      | 4,724              | 12,175     | 3,372                |
| 115 | HFBC   | HOPFED BANCORP INC           | 80                 | 102        | 66                   |
| 116 | HFFC   | HF FINANCIAL CORP            | 93                 | 163        | 72                   |
| 117 | HFWA   | HERITAGE FINANCIAL CORP      | 237                | 18         | 217                  |
| 118 | HIFS   | HINGHAM INSTN FOR SAVINGS    | 148                | 269        | 115                  |
| 119 | HMNF   | HMN FINANCIAL INC            | 32                 | 18         | 28                   |
| 120 | HTBK   | HERITAGE COMMERCE CORP       | 189                | 5          | 173                  |
| 121 | IBCA   | INTERVEST BANCSHARES CORP    | 141                | 59         | 125                  |
| 122 | IBCP   | INDEPENDENT BANK CORP/MI     | 132                | 67         | 116                  |
| 123 | IBKC   | IBERIABANK CORP              | 1,607              | 602        | 1,431                |
| 124 | IBOC   | INTL BANCSHARES CORP         | 1,487              | 2,093      | 1,201                |
| 125 | INDB   | INDEPENDENT BANK CORP/MA     | 787                | 530        | 682                  |
| 126 | IRE    | BANK OF IRELAND              | 903                | 16,052     | -453                 |
| 127 | JPM    | JPMORGAN CHASE & CO          | 195,845            | 587,964    | 133,140              |
| 128 | KB     | KB FINANCIAL GROUP           | 13,261             | 34,703     | 9,424                |
| 129 | KEY    | KEYCORP                      | 10,107             | 8,871      | 8,589                |
| 130 | LARK   | LANDMARK BANCORP INC/KS      | 60                 | 63         | 50                   |
| 131 | LBAI   | LAKELAND BANCORP INC         | 369                | 229        | 321                  |
| 132 | LION   | FIDELITY SOUTHERN CORP       | 267                | 187        | 231                  |
| 133 | LKFN   | LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORP      | 494                | 207        | 438                  |
| 134 | LNBB   | LNB BANCORP INC              | 83                 | 65         | 71                   |
| 135 | LSBI   | LSB FINANCIAL CORP           | 38                 | 10         | 34                   |
| 136 | LYG    | LLOYDS BANKING GROUP PLC     | 72,558             | 216,496    | 49,434               |
| 137 | MBFI   | MB FINANCIAL INC/MD          | 1,467              | 468        | 1,312                |
| 138 | MBRG   | MIDDLEBURG FINANCIAL CORP    | 135                | 128        | 114                  |
| 139 | MBVT   | MERCHANTS BANCSHARES INC/VT  | 187                | 229        | 154                  |
| 140 | MBWM   | MERCANTILE BANK CORP         | 164                | 138        | 140                  |
| 141 | MCBC   | MACATAWA BANK CORP           | 139                | 133        | 117                  |
| 142 | MFSF   | MUTUALFIRST FINANCIAL INC    | 107                | 108        | 89                   |
| 143 | MSFG   | MAINSOURCE FINL GROUP INC    | 298                | 270        | 253                  |
| 144 | MSL    | MIDSOUTH BANCORP INC         | 178                | 137        | 153                  |
| 145 | MTB    | M & T BANK CORP              | 14,168             | 5,488      | 12,596               |
| 146 | NASB   | NASB FINANCIAL INC           | 199                | 151        | 171                  |
| 147 | NBTB   | N B T BANCORP INC            | 965                | 777        | 826                  |
| 148 | NHTB   | NEW HAMPSHIRE THRIFT BNCSHRS | 99                 | 170        | 78                   |
| 149 | NKSH   | NATIONAL BANKSHARES INC VA   | 246                | -          | 226                  |
| 150 | NOVB   | NORTH VALLEY BANCORP         | 122                | 29         | 110                  |
| 151 | NPBC   | NATIONAL PENN BANCSHARES INC | 1,503              | 949        | 1,307                |

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|-----|--------|-------------------------------|--------------------|------------|----------------------|
| 152 | NRIM   | NORTHRIM BANCORP INC          | 153                | 45         | 138                  |
| 153 | NTRS   | NORTHERN TRUST CORP           | 13,411             | 7,468      | 11,741               |
| 154 | OCFC   | OCEANFIRST FINANCIAL CORP     | 276                | 321        | 228                  |
| 155 | OCN    | OCWEN FINANCIAL CORP          | 6,268              | 4,175      | 5,433                |
| 156 | OFG    | OFG BANCORP                   | 752                | 1,822      | 546                  |
| 157 | OKSB   | SOUTHWEST BANCORP INC         | 280                | 142        | 246                  |
| 158 | ONB    | OLD NATIONAL BANCORP          | 1,405              | 1,201      | 1,197                |
| 159 | OPOF   | OLD POINT FINANCIAL CORP      | 63                 | 56         | 54                   |
| 160 | OSBC   | OLD SECOND BANCORP INC/IL     | 63                 | 147        | 46                   |
| 161 | OZRK   | BANK OF THE OZARKS INC        | 1,624              | 419        | 1,460                |
| 162 | PBCT   | PEOPLE'S UNITED FINL INC      | 4,358              | 4,184      | 3,675                |
| 163 | PCBK   | PACIFIC CONTINENTAL CORP      | 219                | 172        | 188                  |
| 164 | PEBK   | PEOPLES BANCORP NC INC        | 69                 | 135        | 53                   |
| 165 | PEBO   | PEOPLES BANCORP INC/OH        | 230                | 209        | 195                  |
| 166 | PFBI   | PREMIER FINANCIAL BANCORP     | 98                 | 29         | 88                   |
| 167 | PFBX   | PEOPLES FINANCIAL CORP/MS     | 63                 | 207        | 41                   |
| 168 | PGC    | PEAPACK-GLADSTONE FINL CORP   | 154                | 53         | 137                  |
| 169 | PKBK   | PARKE BANCORP INC             | 47                 | 44         | 40                   |
| 170 | PMBC   | PACIFIC MERCANTILE BANCORP    | 115                | 75         | 100                  |
| 171 | PNBK   | PATRIOT NATIONAL BANCORP INC  | 53                 | 53         | 44                   |
| 172 | PNC    | PNC FINANCIAL SVCS GROUP INC  | 37,583             | 39,931     | 31,382               |
| 173 | PNFP   | PINNACLE FINL PARTNERS INC    | 938                | 410        | 830                  |
| 174 | PPBI   | PACIFIC PREMIER BANCORP INC   | 210                | 83         | 186                  |
| 175 | PRK    | PARK NATIONAL CORP            | 1,140              | 1,122      | 959                  |
| 176 | PROV   | PROVIDENT FINANCIAL HOLDINGS  | 175                | 118        | 151                  |
| 177 | PULB   | PULASKI FINANCIAL CORP        | 113                | 132        | 94                   |
| 178 | PVTB   | PRIVATEBANCORP INC            | 1,669              | 684        | 1,481                |
| 179 | PWOD   | PENNS WOODS BANCORP INC       | 204                | 95         | 180                  |
| 180 | QCRH   | QCR HOLDINGS INC              | 93                 | 554        | 41                   |
| 181 | RBCAA  | REPUBLIC BANCORP INC/KY       | 497                | 749        | 398                  |
| 182 | RBPA   | ROYAL BANCSHARES/PA -CL A     | 19                 | 135        | 7                    |
| 183 | RF     | REGIONS FINANCIAL CORP        | 12,561             | 7,602      | 10,948               |
| 184 | RIVR   | RIVER VALLEY BANCORP          | 35                 | 53         | 28                   |
| 185 | RY     | ROYAL BANK OF CANADA          | 90,154             | 124,682    | 72,967               |
| 186 | SAL    | SALISBURY BANCORP INC         | 45                 | 34         | 38                   |
| 187 | SASR   | SANDY SPRING BANCORP INC      | 567                | 593        | 474                  |
| 188 | SBCF   | SEACOAST BANKING CORP/FL      | 199                | 255        | 163                  |
| 189 | SBSI   | SOUTHSIDE BANCSHARES INC      | 425                | 657        | 339                  |
| 190 | SHBI   | SHORE BANCSHARES INC          | 64                 | 11         | 58                   |
| 191 | SIVB   | SVB FINANCIAL GROUP           | 3,693              | 462        | 3,361                |
| 192 | SNBC   | SUN BANCORP INC/NJ            | 298                | 162        | 261                  |
| 193 | SRCE   | 1ST SOURCE CORP               | 637                | 315        | 561                  |
| 194 | STBA   | S & T BANCORP INC             | 634                | 259        | 563                  |
| 195 | STI    | SUNTRUST BANKS INC            | 17,260             | 17,222     | 14,502               |
| 196 | STSA   | STERLING FINANCIAL CORP/WA    | 1,578              | 1,747      | 1,312                |
| 197 | STT    | STATE STREET CORP             | 28,717             | 22,443     | 24,624               |
| 198 | SUBK   | SUFFOLK BANCORP               | 194                | -          | 178                  |
| 199 | SUSQ   | SUSQUEHANNA BANCSHARES INC    | 2,304              | 2,497      | 1,920                |
| 200 | SVBI   | SEVERN BANCORP INC            | 48                 | 139        | 33                   |
| 201 | TAYC   | TAYLOR CAPITAL GROUP INC      | 572                | 1,494      | 407                  |
| 202 | TCB    | TCF FINANCIAL CORP            | 2,408              | 1,713      | 2,079                |
| 203 | TCBK   | TRICO BANCSHARES              | 337                | 51         | 306                  |
| 204 | TD     | TORONTO DOMINION BANK         | 78,167             | 83,712     | 65,217               |
| 205 | THFF   | FIRST FINANCIAL CORP/IN       | 426                | 156        | 379                  |
| 206 | THRD   | TF FINANCIAL CORP             | 77                 | 52         | 67                   |
| 207 | TMP    | TOMPKINS FINANCIAL CORP       | 645                | 461        | 556                  |
| 208 | TOFC   | TOWER FINANCIAL CORP          | 79                 | 34         | 70                   |
| 209 | TRMK   | TRUSTMARK CORP                | 1,710              | 501        | 1,533                |
| 210 | TRST   | TRUSTCO BANK CORP/NY          | 557                | 180        | 498                  |
| 211 | TSBK   | TIMBERLAND BANCORP INC        | 58                 | 45         | 50                   |
| 212 | TSH    | TECHE HOLDING CO              | 89                 | 107        | 73                   |
| 213 | UBFO   | UNITED SECURITY BANCSHARES CA | 62                 | 11         | 56                   |
| 214 | UBOH   | UNITED BANCSHARES INC/OH      | 43                 | 31         | 37                   |
| 215 | UBSI   | UNITED BANCSHARES INC/WV      | 1,399              | 774        | 1,225                |
| 216 | UCBI   | UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS INC    | 781                | 213        | 702                  |
| 217 | UCFC   | UNITED COMMUNITY FINL CORP    | 187                | 141        | 161                  |
| 218 | UMBF   | UMB FINANCIAL CORP            | 2,304              | 1,776      | 1,978                |
| 219 | UMPQ   | UMPQUA HOLDINGS CORP          | 1,686              | 626        | 1,501                |
| 220 | UNB    | UNION BANCSHARES INC          | 94                 | 16         | 85                   |
| 221 | UNTY   | UNITY BANCORP INC             | 53                 | 104        | 41                   |
| 222 | USB    | U S BANCORP                   | 66,132             | 47,299     | 57,058               |
| 223 | USBI   | UNITED SEC BANCSHARES INC     | 49                 | 3          | 45                   |
| 224 | VCBI   | VIRGINIA COMM BANCORP INC     | 481                | 405        | 410                  |
| 225 | VLY    | VALLEY NATIONAL BANCORP       | 1,971              | 3,074      | 1,567                |
| 226 | WABC   | WESTAMERICA BANCORPORATION    | 1,278              | 108        | 1,167                |
| 227 | WASH   | WASHINGTON TR BANCORP INC     | 496                | 355        | 428                  |

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|-----|--------|-------------------------|--------------------|------------|----------------------|
| 228 | WBCO   | WASHINGTON BANKING CO   | 228                | 26         | 208                  |
| 229 | WBK    | WESTPAC BANKING         | 36,310             | 63,800     | 28,301               |
| 230 | WBS    | WEBSTER FINANCIAL CORP  | 2,282              | 3,183      | 1,845                |
| 231 | WFC    | WELLS FARGO & CO        | 212,748            | 192,581    | 180,321              |
| 232 | WFD    | WESTFIELD FINANCIAL INC | 154                | 328        | 115                  |
| 233 | WSBC   | WESBANCO INC            | 790                | 317        | 701                  |
| 234 | WSFS   | WSFS FINANCIAL CORP     | 503                | 859        | 394                  |
| 235 | WTBA   | WEST BANCORPORATION INC | 204                | 182        | 173                  |
| 236 | WTFC   | WINTRUST FINANCIAL CORP | 1,556              | 982        | 1,353                |
| 237 | WVFC   | WVS FINANCIAL CORP      | 23                 | 99         | 13                   |
| 238 | ZION   | ZIONS BANCORPORATION    | 5,005              | 2,558      | 4,400                |

Table 2: Market Value, Debt, and Capital Buffer

We first calculate the averages of the market value, debt, and capital buffer in each year. Then, among the averages of these three variables, we report their mean, minimum (Min), the first quartile ( $Q_1$ ), median, the third quartile ( $Q_3$ ), and maximum (Max) in this table.

|                             | Mean (\$m) | Min (\$m)  | $Q_1$ (\$m) | Median (\$m) | $Q_3$ (\$m) | Max (\$m)  |
|-----------------------------|------------|------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|------------|
| Panel A: Market Value       |            |            |             |              |             |            |
| 2003                        | 2,876.11   | 12.82      | 101.83      | 262.30       | 881.74      | 112,524.38 |
| 2004                        | 3,778.44   | 4.04       | 122.66      | 334.33       | 1,093.90    | 174,433.94 |
| 2005                        | 4,114.53   | 17.15      | 135.26      | 349.37       | 1,278.53    | 180,433.90 |
| 2006                        | 4,965.87   | 11.88      | 146.91      | 397.67       | 1,386.78    | 224,612.71 |
| 2007                        | 5,338.12   | 17.63      | 134.22      | 354.31       | 1,345.62    | 219,599.04 |
| 2008                        | 4,276.53   | 1.64       | 89.39       | 266.69       | 1,037.06    | 141,950.14 |
| 2009                        | 3,880.01   | 7.68       | 62.26       | 193.23       | 832.32      | 138,606.66 |
| 2010                        | 4,997.21   | 3.23       | 63.11       | 239.48       | 1,116.39    | 159,402.31 |
| 2011                        | 4,998.29   | 3.59       | 69.98       | 231.80       | 1,141.97    | 152,912.11 |
| 2012                        | 5,093.62   | 2.25       | 80.75       | 279.09       | 1,283.30    | 173,967.27 |
| 2013                        | 6,426.44   | 4.92       | 122.41      | 367.94       | 1,599.89    | 212,747.61 |
| Panel B: Book Value of Debt |            |            |             |              |             |            |
| 2003                        | 5,789.76   | 0.00       | 62.02       | 194.10       | 848.23      | 277,420.81 |
| 2004                        | 6,565.05   | 0.00       | 95.86       | 257.19       | 874.96      | 290,592.66 |
| 2005                        | 8,350.79   | 0.00       | 103.70      | 275.46       | 1,044.80    | 408,380.90 |
| 2006                        | 9,974.93   | 0.08       | 121.63      | 279.16       | 1,159.54    | 508,622.08 |
| 2007                        | 12,722.06  | 0.00       | 110.16      | 296.77       | 1,288.21    | 719,825.23 |
| 2008                        | 13,471.32  | 0.00       | 145.79      | 397.65       | 1,554.25    | 623,357.71 |
| 2009                        | 14,519.47  | 0.00       | 126.78      | 352.52       | 1,322.42    | 806,691.72 |
| 2010                        | 14,178.82  | 0.00       | 111.35      | 279.77       | 1,167.68    | 848,792.17 |
| 2011                        | 14,643.02  | 0.00       | 90.00       | 241.30       | 1,197.98    | 704,466.79 |
| 2012                        | 14,274.38  | 0.00       | 79.51       | 249.94       | 1,135.39    | 620,407.08 |
| 2013                        | 13,935.55  | 0.00       | 82.44       | 231.10       | 1,104.69    | 587,963.94 |
| Panel C: Capital Buffer     |            |            |             |              |             |            |
| 2003                        | 2,182.84   | -19,088.14 | 88.62       | 218.35       | 736.67      | 88,015.10  |
| 2004                        | 2,950.96   | -18,735.45 | 100.12      | 278.72       | 926.17      | 137,231.81 |
| 2005                        | 3,117.30   | -22,821.23 | 110.60      | 279.30       | 1,002.18    | 133,328.71 |
| 2006                        | 3,770.61   | -10,230.29 | 114.92      | 303.75       | 1,118.30    | 165,953.93 |
| 2007                        | 3,893.30   | -15,624.68 | 104.60      | 277.79       | 1,068.57    | 156,265.80 |
| 2008                        | 2,856.70   | -3,778.48  | 58.39       | 195.59       | 778.43      | 83,468.48  |
| 2009                        | 2,408.05   | -9,867.10  | 33.06       | 132.90       | 603.83      | 78,335.62  |
| 2010                        | 3,463.13   | -137.18    | 46.00       | 182.98       | 897.10      | 117,502.76 |
| 2011                        | 3,426.98   | -2,490.87  | 51.47       | 194.51       | 927.19      | 120,743.18 |
| 2012                        | 3,544.18   | -1,710.67  | 64.52       | 228.94       | 1,078.76    | 145,504.84 |
| 2013                        | 4,797.48   | -453.15    | 100.76      | 306.63       | 1,374.66    | 180,321.28 |



Table 3: Top 30 Banks with the Highest CSRISK

We evaluate the downside standard deviations ( $\sigma^-$ ), the value at risk (VaR), the expected shortfall (ES) and four statistics of CSRISK including median, mean, the third quartile ( $Q_3$ ), and maximum. The Table 3 reports the results of the top three banks interns of the maximum value of CSRISK from 2004 to 2013.

| Ticker | General Risk Measures |           |          |             |            | CSRISK (\$m) |         |            |         |
|--------|-----------------------|-----------|----------|-------------|------------|--------------|---------|------------|---------|
|        | $\sigma^-$            | VaR (99%) | ES (99%) | VaR (97.5%) | ES (97.5%) | Median       | Mean    | Quartile 3 | Maximum |
| BAC    | 0.0535                | -0.2237   | -0.3920  | -0.1108     | -0.2469    | 0.0          | 3149.6  | 0.0        | 70454.3 |
| BCS    | 0.0636                | -0.2115   | -0.4396  | -0.1437     | -0.2811    | 8961.6       | 21439.3 | 45611.3    | 52932.6 |
| LYG    | 0.0652                | -0.2791   | -0.4526  | -0.1690     | -0.3083    | 6364.4       | 11546.4 | 21202.7    | 35870.2 |
| DB     | 0.0446                | -0.2004   | -0.2541  | -0.1209     | -0.1958    | 0.0          | 2043.6  | 0.0        | 32476.6 |
| JPM    | 0.0378                | -0.1219   | -0.2388  | -0.0958     | -0.1586    | 0.0          | 289.7   | 0.0        | 25859.6 |
| WBK    | 0.0360                | -0.1329   | -0.2183  | -0.0902     | -0.1532    | 0.0          | 3291.1  | 6729.1     | 13431.7 |
| IRE    | 0.0828                | -0.3802   | -0.5056  | -0.2790     | -0.3906    | 0.0          | 2503.0  | 5306.7     | 8917.3  |
| WFC    | 0.0397                | -0.1817   | -0.2795  | -0.1012     | -0.1892    | 0.0          | 8.2     | 0.0        | 4270.2  |
| KB     | 0.0453                | -0.1650   | -0.2297  | -0.1291     | -0.1773    | 1487.1       | 1199.6  | 1773.6     | 3519.8  |
| STT    | 0.0444                | -0.1534   | -0.2945  | -0.1096     | -0.1931    | 0.0          | 18.3    | 0.0        | 2255.2  |
| FITB   | 0.0639                | -0.2671   | -0.4652  | -0.1620     | -0.3188    | 0.0          | 42.6    | 0.0        | 1885.2  |
| RF     | 0.0526                | -0.2437   | -0.3102  | -0.1730     | -0.2402    | 0.0          | 10.3    | 0.0        | 1129.7  |
| KEY    | 0.0520                | -0.1839   | -0.3564  | -0.1471     | -0.2422    | 0.0          | 9.6     | 0.0        | 1076.0  |
| STI    | 0.0505                | -0.2490   | -0.3322  | -0.1571     | -0.2397    | 0.0          | 6.3     | 0.0        | 986.5   |
| BCH    | 0.0446                | -0.1732   | -0.3392  | -0.0951     | -0.2090    | 418.4        | 440.6   | 544.9      | 752.7   |
| BPOP   | 0.0521                | -0.2038   | -0.2843  | -0.1585     | -0.2243    | 0.0          | 9.8     | 0.0        | 459.7   |
| FBC    | 0.0837                | -0.3544   | -0.5407  | -0.2349     | -0.3850    | 0.0          | 74.0    | 113.4      | 443.6   |
| FBP    | 0.0680                | -0.2788   | -0.3632  | -0.2243     | -0.2958    | 0.0          | 45.6    | 68.5       | 376.2   |
| OFG    | 0.0635                | -0.3012   | -0.4911  | -0.1436     | -0.3100    | 0.0          | 39.8    | 32.0       | 332.6   |
| HBAN   | 0.0518                | -0.2449   | -0.3475  | -0.1538     | -0.2539    | 0.0          | 3.0     | 0.0        | 329.2   |
| STSA   | 0.0849                | -0.3858   | -0.5343  | -0.2824     | -0.4115    | 0.0          | 33.2    | 0.0        | 256.9   |
| WBS    | 0.0525                | -0.2392   | -0.3752  | -0.1110     | -0.2468    | 0.0          | 6.6     | 0.0        | 222.7   |
| GGAL   | 0.0520                | -0.1756   | -0.3029  | -0.1293     | -0.2090    | 0.0          | 29.7    | 36.7       | 222.3   |
| COLB   | 0.0489                | -0.1885   | -0.3433  | -0.1161     | -0.2241    | 0.0          | 1.3     | 0.0        | 171.3   |
| BBX    | 0.0853                | -0.3936   | -0.4778  | -0.2730     | -0.3887    | 0.0          | 16.7    | 6.1        | 162.3   |
| EWBC   | 0.0508                | -0.2013   | -0.3120  | -0.1332     | -0.2209    | 0.0          | 1.2     | 0.0        | 131.8   |
| AF     | 0.0348                | -0.1405   | -0.1848  | -0.0985     | -0.1419    | 0.0          | 0.6     | 0.0        | 105.0   |
| CMA    | 0.0397                | -0.1786   | -0.2286  | -0.1219     | -0.1765    | 0.0          | 0.2     | 0.0        | 101.6   |
| BLX    | 0.0369                | -0.1574   | -0.2245  | -0.0996     | -0.1632    | 0.0          | 0.7     | 0.0        | 82.9    |
| CPF    | 0.0697                | -0.3212   | -0.4510  | -0.1956     | -0.3283    | 0.0          | 6.3     | 0.0        | 70.5    |

Table 4: Market CSRISK Summary

We divide full sample period into 10 years and calculate the mean, minimum, maximum, and five different quantiles (10%, 30%, 50%, 70%, 90%) of the market. CSRISK.

| Year        | mean   | minimum | 10%    | 30%    | 50%    | 70%     | 90%     | maximum |
|-------------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| 2004        | 6,702  | 400     | 413    | 437    | 477    | 13,684  | 13,804  | 22,194  |
| 2005        | 19,217 | 294     | 296    | 357    | 425    | 43,853  | 44,096  | 44,333  |
| 2006        | 22,722 | 248     | 268    | 281    | 308    | 52,363  | 52,593  | 59,606  |
| 2007        | 31,171 | 271     | 321    | 2,279  | 11,163 | 68,891  | 69,498  | 76,977  |
| 2008        | 41,092 | 1,880   | 2,660  | 6,261  | 35,880 | 71,012  | 80,653  | 108,713 |
| 2009        | 85,159 | 10,501  | 10,762 | 25,278 | 96,837 | 120,630 | 147,933 | 180,621 |
| 2010        | 45,505 | 2,368   | 2,550  | 2,872  | 3,465  | 98,304  | 98,897  | 103,966 |
| 2011        | 68,134 | 33,232  | 34,638 | 36,255 | 41,617 | 108,410 | 108,744 | 109,238 |
| 2012        | 71,952 | 27,970  | 28,041 | 72,261 | 77,247 | 92,679  | 99,194  | 103,272 |
| 2013        | 70,492 | 61,964  | 62,175 | 62,319 | 67,003 | 80,794  | 81,013  | 84,582  |
| Full-Period | 46,289 | 248     | 356    | 7,425  | 43,791 | 71,385  | 102,092 | 180,621 |

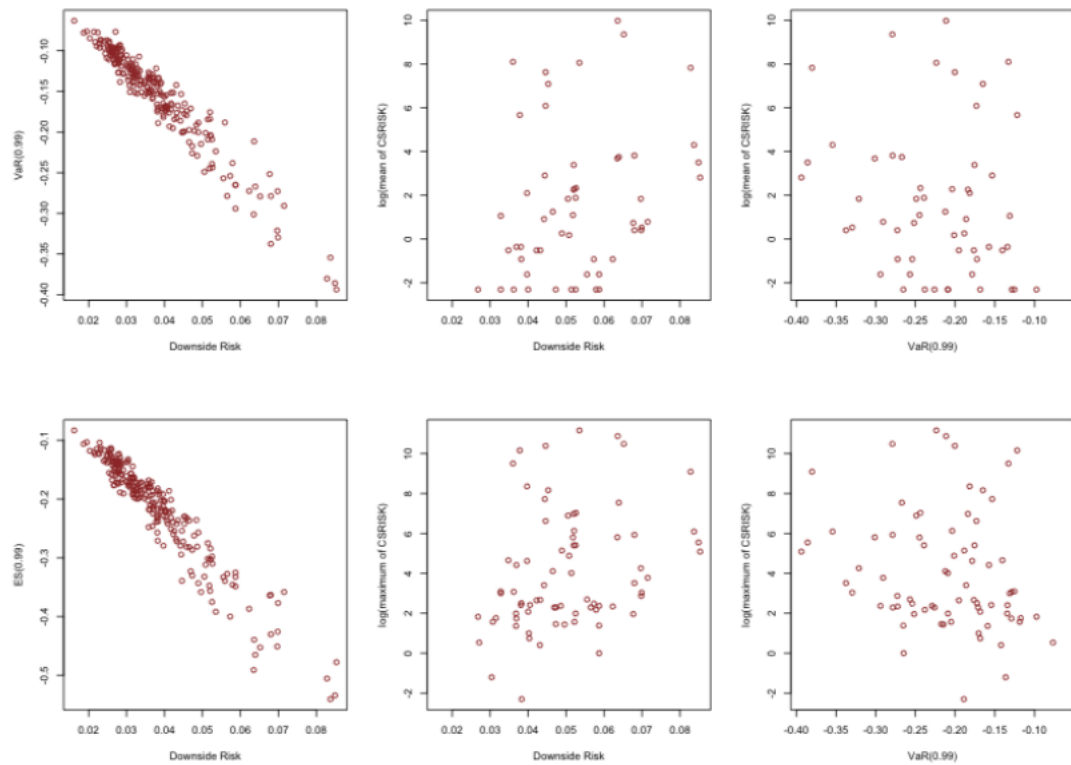


Figure 1: General Risk Measures and CSRISK

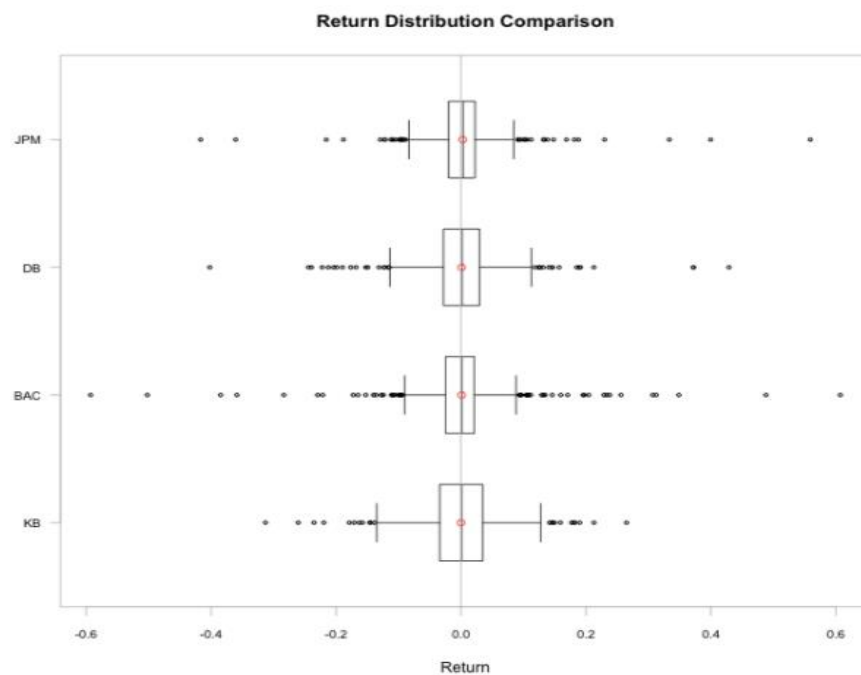


Figure 2: BoxPlots of JPM, DB, BAC, and KB from 2003 to 2013

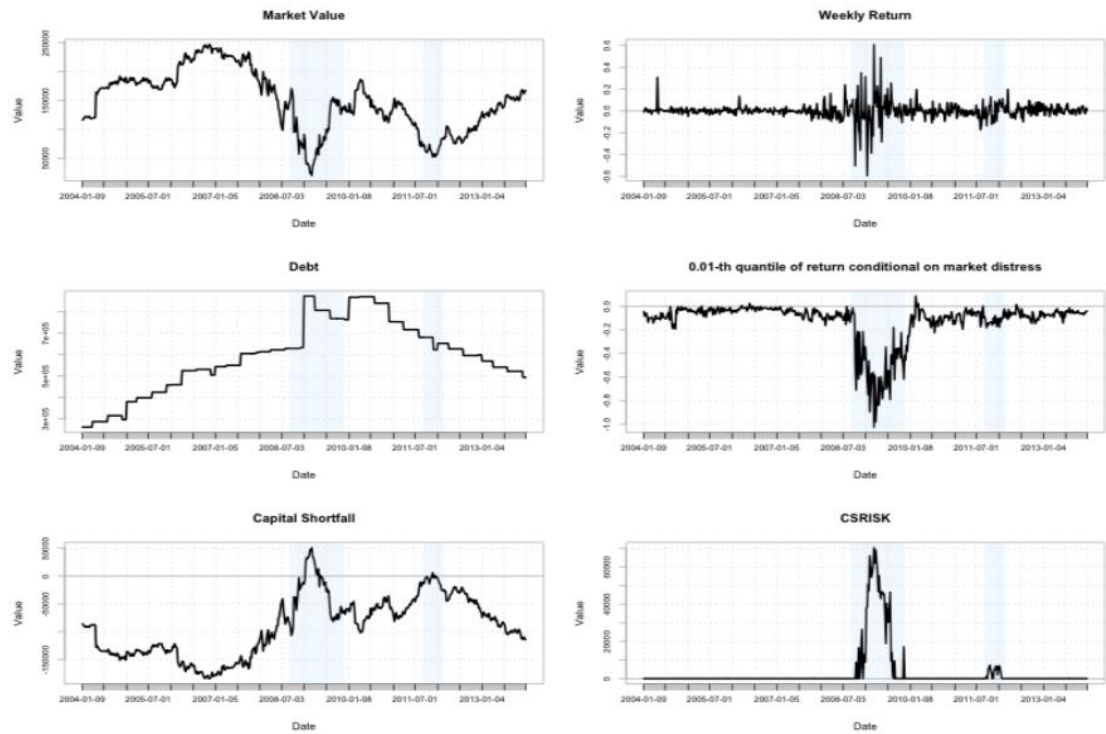


Figure 3: BAC: Individual CSRISK and Other Related Variables

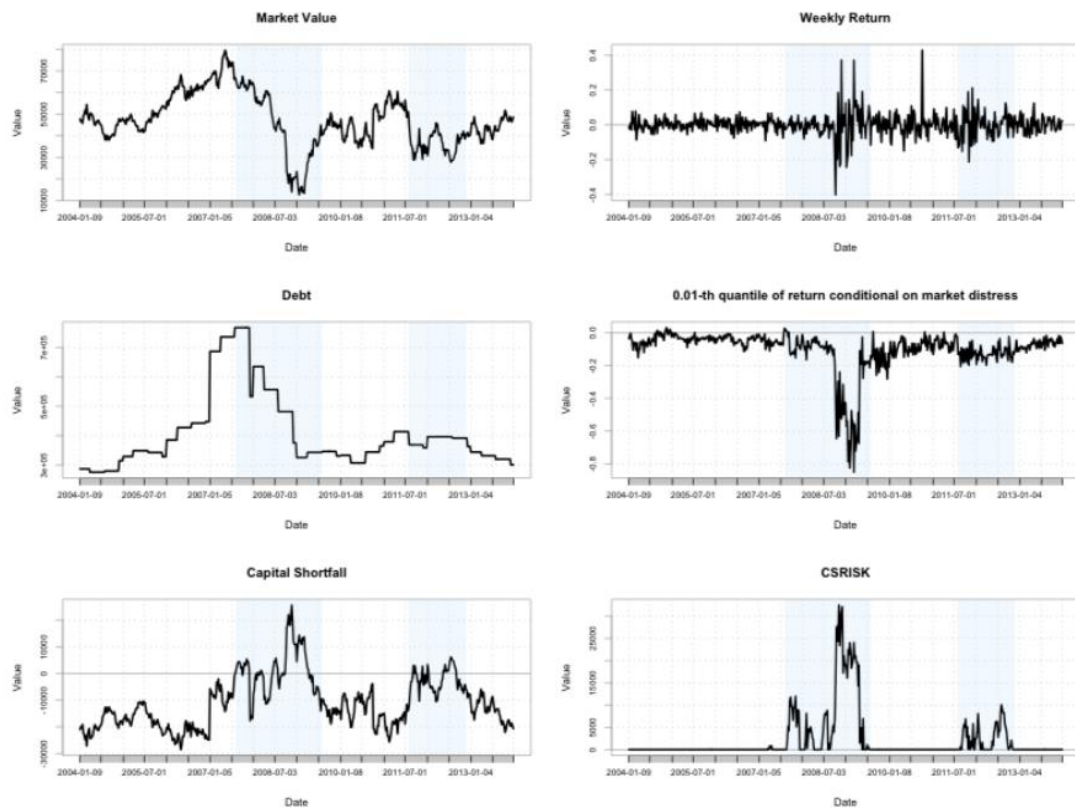


Figure 4: DB: Individual CSRISK and Other Related Variables

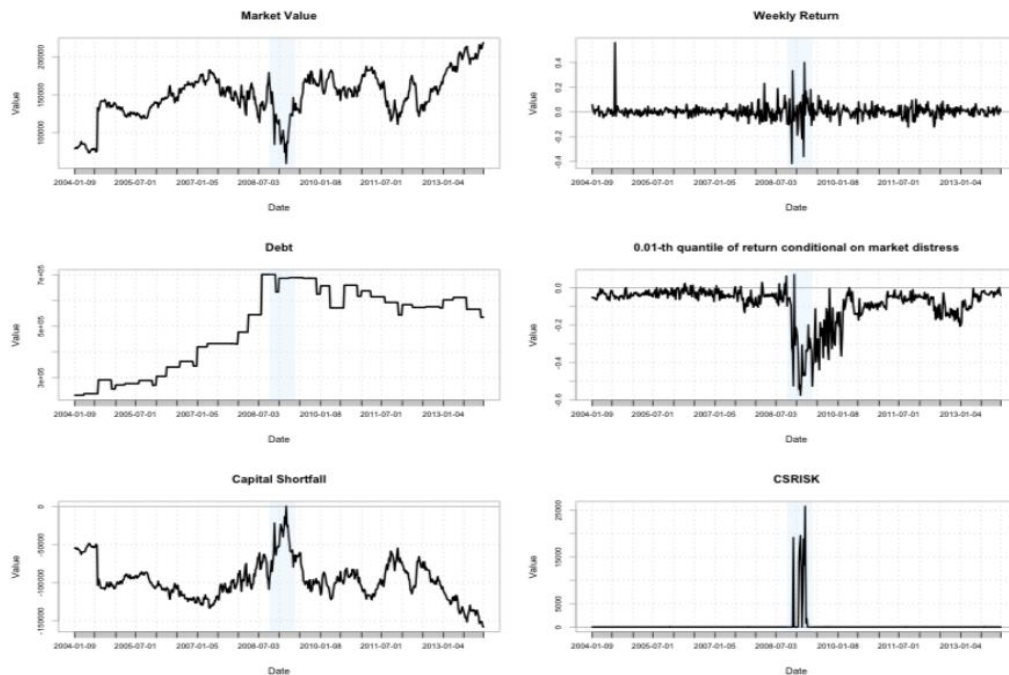


Figure 5: JPM: Individual CSRISK and Other Related Variables

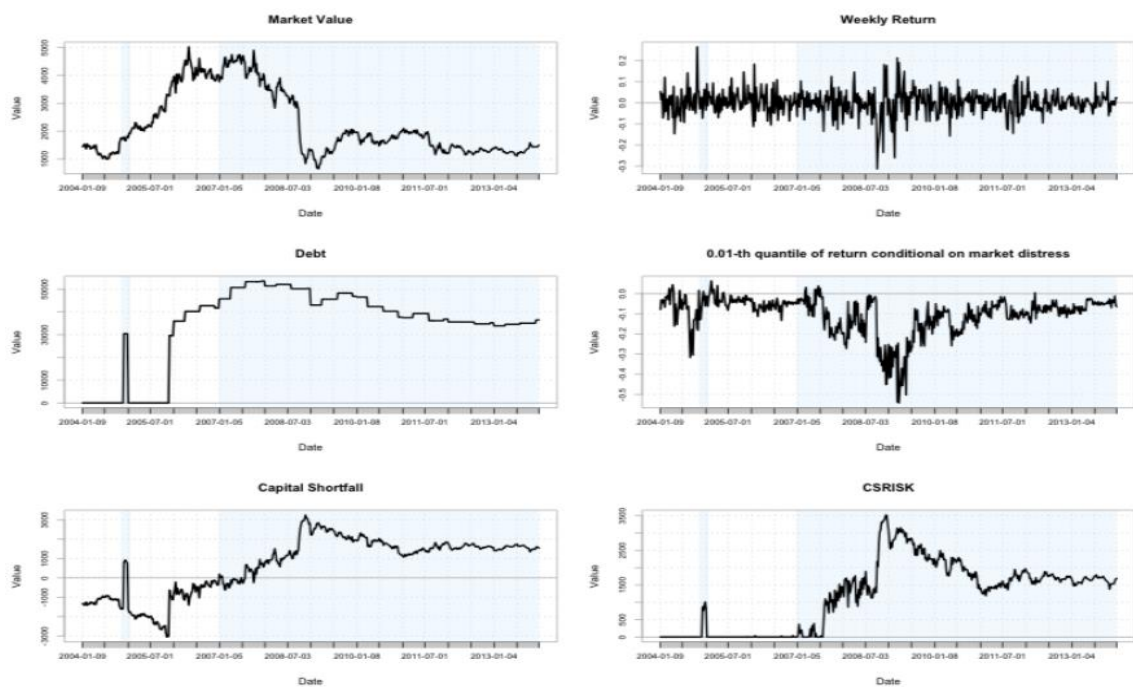


Figure 6: KB: Individual CSRISK and Other Related Variables

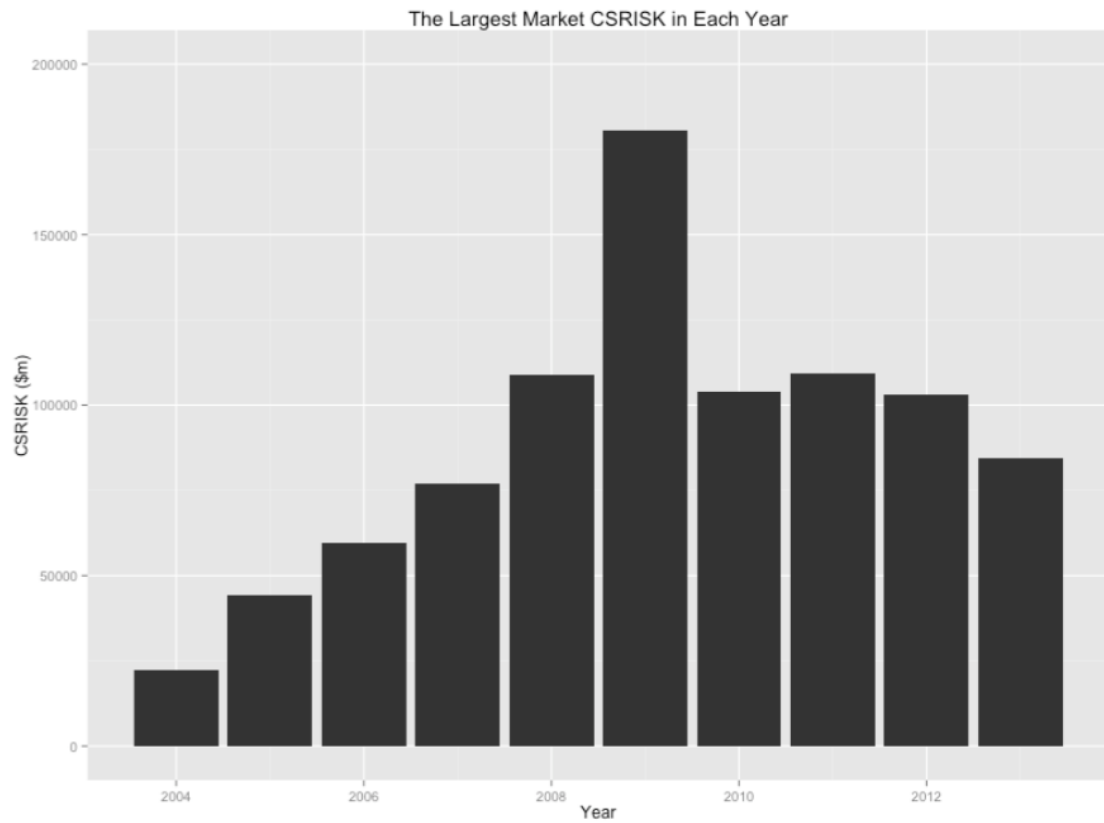


Figure 7: Market CSRISK from 2004 to 2013