

On-line Appendix to “Which Financial Frictions? Parsing the Evidence from the Financial Crisis of 2007-9”

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Table IA.1. Characteristics of new issuances (selected quarters, private firms). This table presents means aggregated across all firms for new debt issuances. Loan and bond issuances refer to non-financial U.S. private issuers. There are 2,120 new loan issuances (corresponding to 1,005 unique borrowers) and 672 bond issuances (408 unique borrowers). Amount is expressed in January 1998 constant \$bln, maturity is expressed in months, and spread is expressed in bps (relative to the reference rate).

	Total amount	Average amount	Number	Spread	Maturity sample
Loan issuances					
	(RC)	(TL)			
Q2:2007	40.16	37.06	2.64	0.543	74
Q2:2009	11.63	8.45	2.85	0.155	75
Bond issuances					
Q2:2007	2.76			0.251	11
Q2:2009	3.06			0.255	12

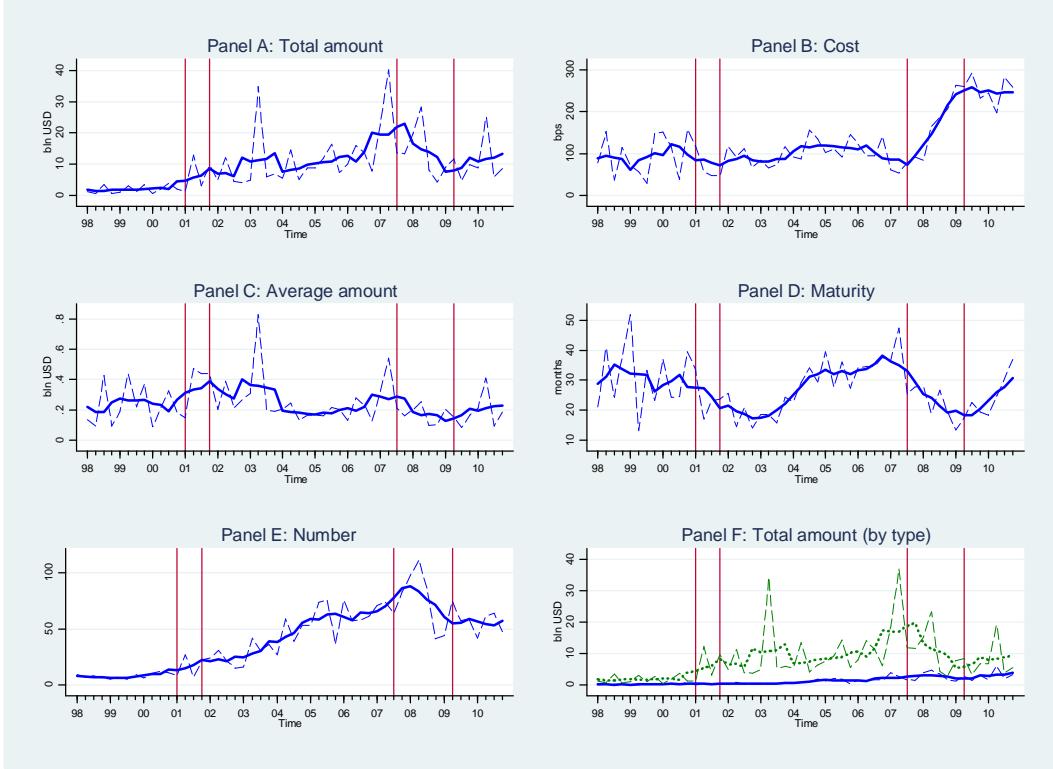


Figure IA.1. New loan issuances (private firms). Panel A: total amount of loans issued (billion of January 1998 USD). Panel B: cost of loans issued (in bps). Panel C: average amount of loans issued. Panel D: maturity of loans issued (in months). Panel E: number of loans issued. Panel F: total amount of credit lines (dotted) and term loans (solid). All panels report the raw series (dashed line) and its smoothed version (solid line).

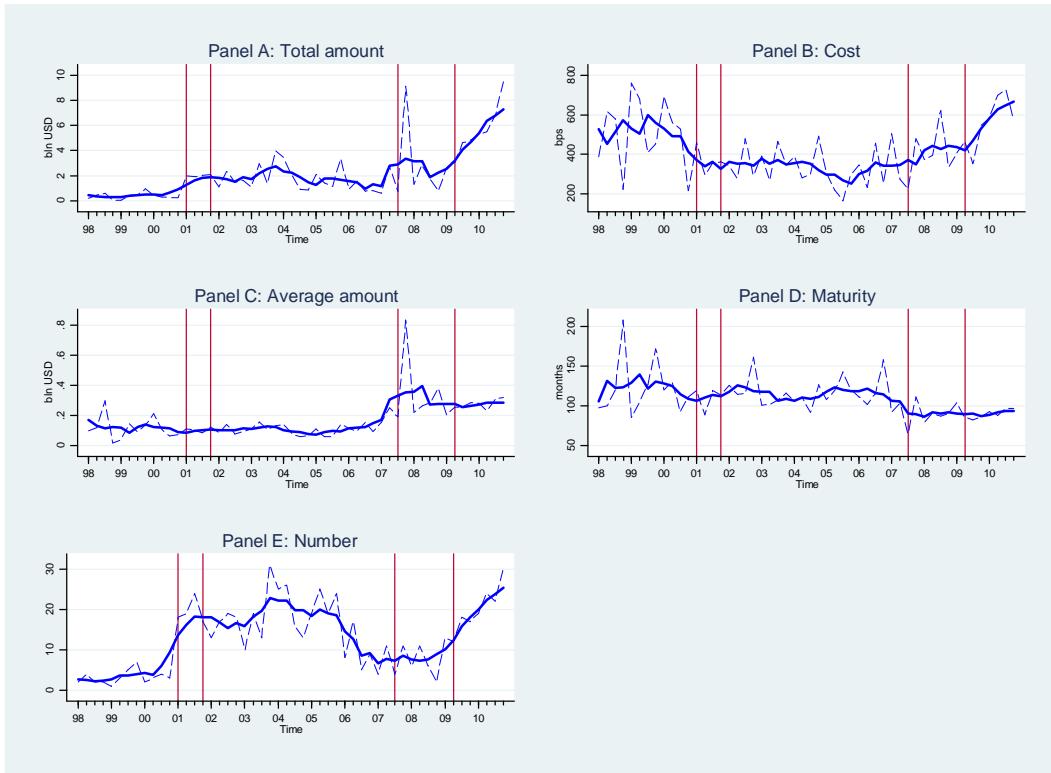


Figure IA.2. New bond issuances (private firms). Panel A: total amount of bonds issued (billion of January 1998 USD). Panel B: cost of bonds issued (in bps). Panel C: average amount of bonds issued. Panel D: maturity of bonds issued (in months). Panel E: number of bonds issued. All panels report the raw series (dashed line) and its smoothed version (solid line).

Table IA.2. Corporate financing choices and bank credit supply contraction/1. Firms that simultaneously issue loan(s) and bond(s) in the same quarter are excluded (191 firm-quarter observations). Table 7 contains the detailed description.

Bank credit supply	Dependent variable: Probability of bond versus loan issuance						
	(1)	(2) Crisis	(3) Monetary policy	(4) BD leverage	(5) Lending practice	(6) Non-perf. loans	(7) EBP
	Panel A: logit regressions						
Size	0.384*** (0.044)	0.364*** (0.044)	0.363*** (0.045)	0.393*** (0.044)	0.354*** (0.045)	0.340*** (0.046)	0.381*** (0.045)
Tobin's Q	0.086 (0.078)	0.087 (0.079)	0.055 (0.078)	0.144* (0.080)	0.097 (0.080)	0.196** (0.083)	0.106 (0.079)
Tangibility	-0.247 (0.223)	-0.266 (0.221)	-0.258 (0.227)	-0.220 (0.225)	-0.292 (0.223)	-0.210 (0.232)	-0.218 (0.229)
Rating	0.056*** (0.020)	0.059*** (0.020)	0.068*** (0.021)	0.051** (0.020)	0.065*** (0.021)	0.093*** (0.022)	0.046** (0.021)
Profitability	11.368*** (2.620)	11.052*** (2.618)	10.995*** (2.662)	11.625*** (2.613)	10.965*** (2.650)	10.032*** (2.794)	12.413*** (2.656)
Leverage	0.963*** (0.264)	1.033*** (0.263)	1.073*** (0.267)	0.830*** (0.273)	1.051*** (0.266)	1.026*** (0.281)	0.840*** (0.267)
Bank credit supply	0.608*** (0.090)	0.245*** (0.032)	-0.010*** (0.001)	0.015*** (0.001)	0.423*** (0.025)	0.579*** (0.047)	
Observations	4,085	4,085	4,085	4,085	4,085	4,085	3,972
Pseudo R-squared	0.077	0.084	0.088	0.091	0.094	0.142	0.104
Panel B: changes in implied probabilities							
Size	0.346	0.329	0.327	0.353	0.320	0.302	0.338
Tobin's Q	0.038	0.038	0.024	0.064	0.042	0.086	0.046
Tangibility	-0.041	-0.043	-0.042	-0.035	-0.048	-0.033	-0.035
Rating	0.119	0.126	0.143	0.109	0.139	0.193	0.095
Profitability	0.161	0.157	0.155	0.165	0.156	0.139	0.173
Leverage	0.116	0.125	0.129	0.100	0.126	0.121	0.100
Bank credit supply	—	0.135	0.164	-0.195	0.254	0.441	0.231

Table IA.3. Corporate financing choices and bank credit supply contraction/2. Firm characteristics are measured eight quarters prior to debt issuance. Table 7 contains the detailed description.

Bank credit supply	Dependent variable: Probability of bond versus loan issuance						
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
	Crisis	Monetary policy	BD leverage	Lending practice	Non-perf. loans	EBP	
Panel A: logit regressions							
Size	0.406*** (0.043)	0.380*** (0.044)	0.382*** (0.044)	0.405*** (0.043)	0.367*** (0.044)	0.342*** (0.045)	0.402*** (0.044)
Tobin's Q	0.217*** (0.065)	0.193*** (0.065)	0.199*** (0.064)	0.216*** (0.066)	0.184*** (0.065)	0.230*** (0.067)	0.197*** (0.067)
Tangibility	-0.155 (0.220)	-0.179 (0.217)	-0.155 (0.221)	-0.146 (0.222)	-0.195 (0.219)	-0.093 (0.230)	-0.179 (0.232)
Rating	0.006 (0.020)	0.017 (0.020)	0.021 (0.020)	0.010 (0.020)	0.027 (0.020)	0.061*** (0.021)	0.003 (0.021)
Profitability	13.805*** (2.508)	13.346*** (2.561)	13.523*** (2.554)	14.034*** (2.515)	12.950*** (2.593)	12.209*** (2.806)	14.135*** (2.653)
Leverage	0.488* (0.268)	0.731*** (0.266)	0.658** (0.269)	0.444 (0.273)	0.827*** (0.268)	0.778*** (0.283)	0.513* (0.270)
Bank credit supply	0.704*** (0.094)	0.172*** (0.033)	-0.008*** (0.001)	0.016*** (0.002)	0.404*** (0.025)	0.601*** (0.048)	
Observations	3,838	3,838	3,838	3,838	3,838	3,838	3,705
Pseudo R-squared	0.075	0.085	0.080	0.086	0.095	0.139	0.107
Panel B: changes in implied probabilities							
Size	0.357	0.335	0.337	0.355	0.323	0.297	0.346
Tobin's Q	0.111	0.099	0.101	0.111	0.093	0.116	0.100
Tangibility	-0.026	-0.028	-0.025	-0.023	-0.032	-0.015	-0.028
Rating	0.013	0.034	0.042	0.021	0.054	0.120	0.005
Profitability	0.189	0.182	0.185	0.191	0.176	0.163	0.189
Leverage	0.055	0.083	0.075	0.051	0.093	0.087	0.056
Bank credit supply	0.156	0.121	-0.163	0.269	0.415	0.236	

Table IA.4. **Sensitivity of firm characteristics during the crisis.** Firm characteristics are measured eight quarters prior to debt issuance. Table 8 contains the detailed description.

Firm characteristic	Dependent variable: Probability of bond versus loan issuance					
	(1) Size	(2) Tobin's Q	(3) Tangibility	(4) Rating	(5) Profitability	(6) Leverage
Size	0.332*** (0.047)	0.381*** (0.044)	0.380*** (0.044)	0.374*** (0.044)	0.380*** (0.044)	0.378*** (0.044)
Tobin's Q	0.209*** (0.065)	0.181*** (0.068)	0.191*** (0.065)	0.203*** (0.065)	0.193*** (0.065)	0.196*** (0.065)
Tangibility	-0.151 (0.218)	-0.176 (0.217)	-0.251 (0.232)	-0.138 (0.218)	-0.179 (0.218)	-0.172 (0.217)
Rating	0.014 (0.020)	0.017 (0.020)	0.018 (0.020)	0.000 (0.021)	0.017 (0.020)	0.017 (0.020)
Profitability	12.926*** (2.557)	13.332*** (2.566)	13.349*** (2.571)	13.272*** (2.538)	13.227*** (2.720)	13.203*** (2.553)
Leverage	0.721*** (0.266)	0.726*** (0.267)	0.740*** (0.266)	0.688*** (0.266)	0.732*** (0.266)	0.845*** (0.287)
Crisis	0.588*** (0.102)	0.689*** (0.096)	0.704*** (0.093)	0.647*** (0.098)	0.701*** (0.095)	0.665*** (0.098)
Crisis × Firm characteristic	0.283*** (0.073)	0.089 (0.128)	0.362 (0.359)	0.101*** (0.033)	0.796 (5.163)	-0.790 (0.626)
Observations	3,838	3,838	3,838	3,838	3,838	3,838
Pseudo R-squared	0.089	0.085	0.086	0.088	0.085	0.086

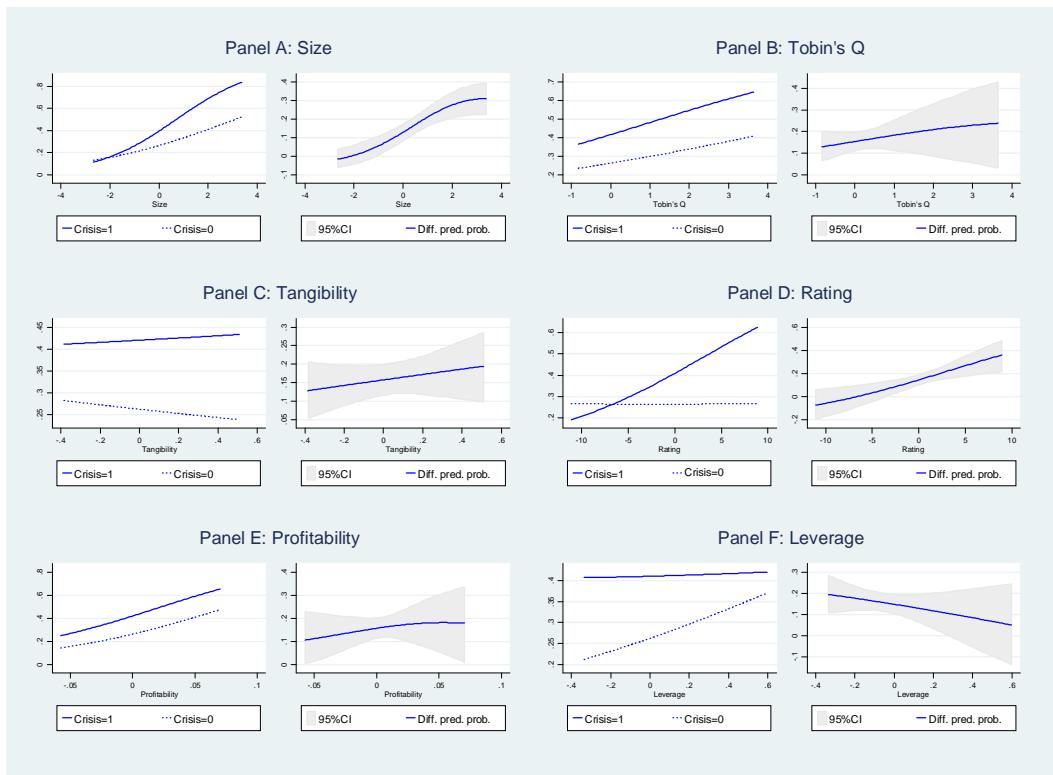


Figure IA.3. **Sensitivity during crisis.** Firm characteristics are measured eight quarters prior to debt issuance. Figure 11 contains the detailed description.

Table IA.5. **Monetary policy and firm characteristics** Table 8 contains the detailed description.

Firm characteristic	Dependent variable: Probability of bond versus loan issuance					
	(1) Size	(2) Tobin's Q	(3) Tangibility	(4) Rating	(5) Profitability	(6) Leverage
Size	0.337*** (0.042)	0.336*** (0.042)	0.337*** (0.042)	0.336*** (0.042)	0.337*** (0.042)	0.337*** (0.042)
Tobin's Q	0.035 (0.074)	0.031 (0.074)	0.033 (0.074)	0.027 (0.074)	0.030 (0.074)	0.033 (0.074)
Tangibility	-0.269 (0.207)	-0.267 (0.207)	-0.270 (0.207)	-0.276 (0.207)	-0.272 (0.207)	-0.272 (0.207)
Rating	0.061*** (0.019)	0.061*** (0.019)	0.061*** (0.019)	0.062*** (0.019)	0.061*** (0.019)	0.061*** (0.019)
Profitability	11.164*** (2.544)	11.137*** (2.554)	11.223*** (2.546)	11.380*** (2.552)	11.182*** (2.520)	11.239*** (2.541)
Leverage	1.039*** (0.257)	1.034*** (0.256)	1.038*** (0.256)	1.036*** (0.256)	1.036*** (0.256)	1.040*** (0.257)
Monetary policy	0.230*** (0.031)	0.235*** (0.031)	0.232*** (0.031)	0.239*** (0.032)	0.235*** (0.031)	0.232*** (0.031)
Mon. policy \times Firm char.	0.011 (0.023)	-0.044 (0.037)	0.042 (0.131)	-0.014 (0.010)	-1.418 (1.508)	0.074 (0.176)
Observations	4,276	4,276	4,276	4,276	4,276	4,276
Pseudo R-squared	0.077	0.077	0.077	0.078	0.077	0.077

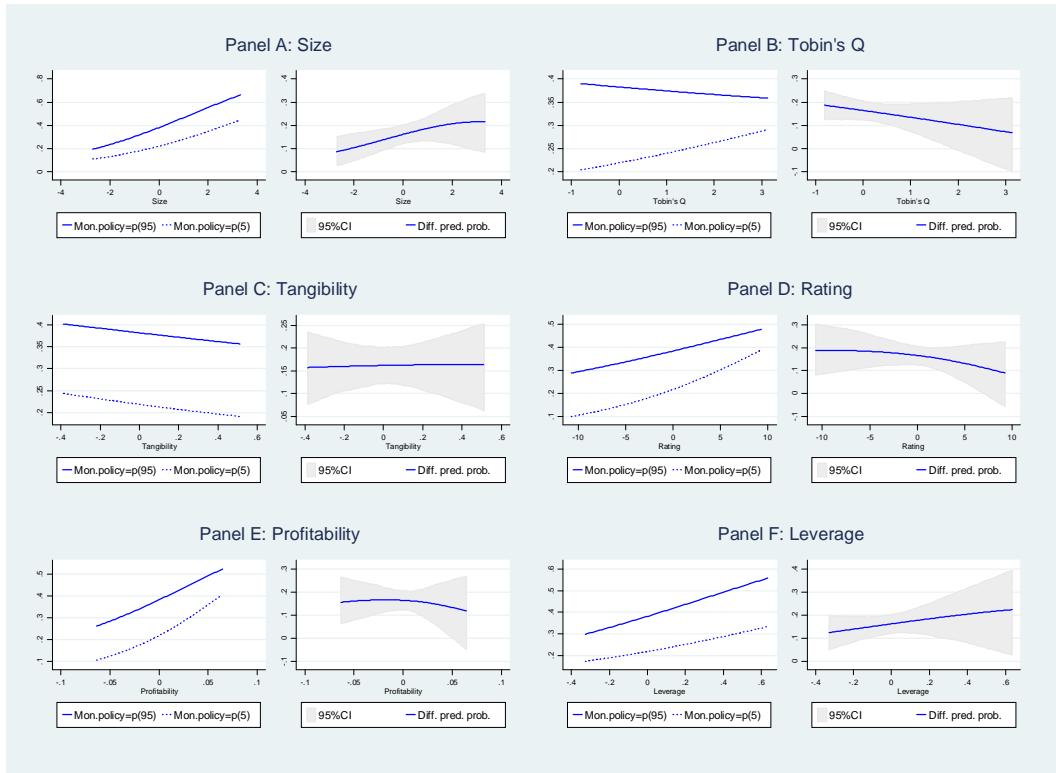


Figure IA.4. **Monetary policy and firm characteristics.**

Table IA.6. **Broker-dealer leverage and firm characteristics.** Table 8 contains the detailed description.

Firm characteristic	Dependent variable: Probability of bond versus loan issuance					
	(1) Size	(2) Tobin's Q	(3) Tangibility	(4) Rating	(5) Profitability	(6) Leverage
Size	0.367*** (0.042)	0.365*** (0.042)	0.366*** (0.042)	0.363*** (0.042)	0.364*** (0.042)	0.367*** (0.041)
Tobin's Q	0.118 (0.076)	0.091 (0.078)	0.119 (0.076)	0.113 (0.076)	0.105 (0.076)	0.119 (0.076)
Tangibility	-0.235 (0.206)	-0.255 (0.207)	-0.236 (0.206)	-0.248 (0.206)	-0.294 (0.209)	-0.235 (0.206)
Rating	0.045** (0.019)	0.047** (0.019)	0.045** (0.019)	0.046** (0.019)	0.049** (0.019)	0.045** (0.019)
Profitability	11.750*** (2.500)	12.049*** (2.528)	11.717*** (2.509)	11.839*** (2.526)	11.665*** (2.466)	11.766*** (2.513)
Leverage	0.797*** (0.263)	0.820*** (0.262)	0.798*** (0.263)	0.799*** (0.262)	0.862*** (0.265)	0.795*** (0.262)
BD leverage	-0.009*** (0.001)	-0.009*** (0.001)	-0.009*** (0.001)	-0.009*** (0.001)	-0.009*** (0.001)	-0.009*** (0.001)
BD leverage × Firm char.	-0.001 (0.001)	0.003** (0.001)	0.000 (0.005)	0.001** (0.000)	0.182** (0.048)	0.002 (0.006)
Observations	4,276	4,276	4,276	4,276	4,276	4,276
Pseudo R-squared	0.079	0.080	0.079	0.080	0.082	0.079

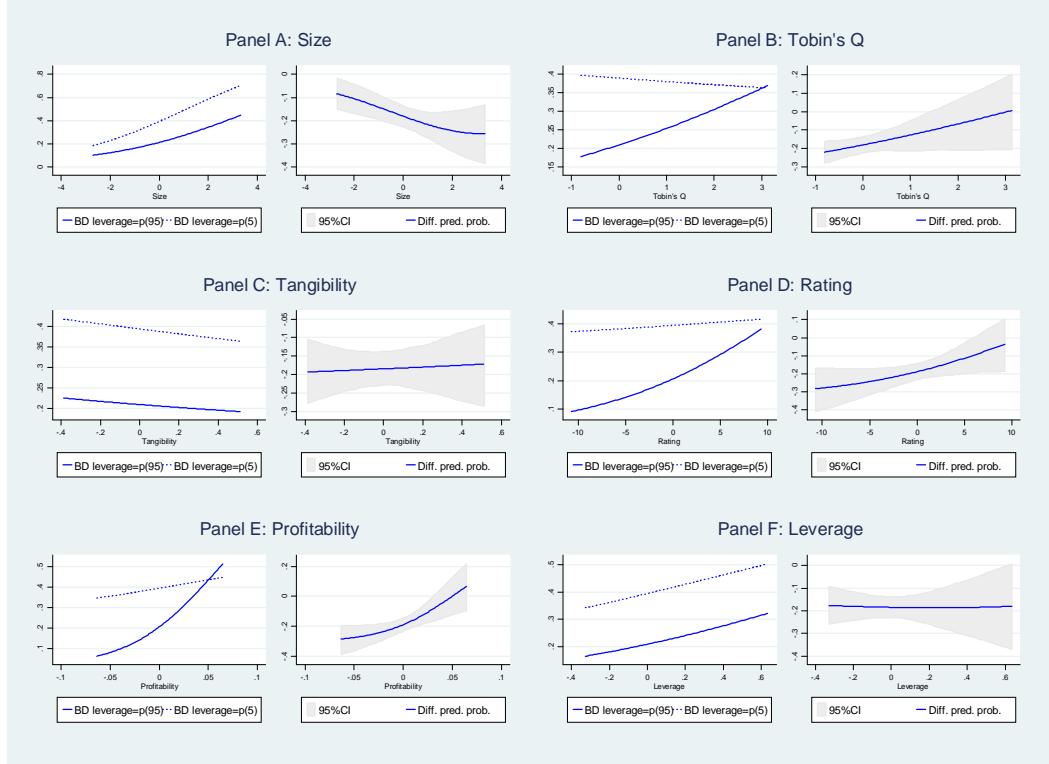


Figure IA.5. **Broker-dealer leverage and firm characteristics.**

Table IA.7. **Lending practice and firm characteristics.** Table 8 contains the detailed description.

Firm characteristic	Dependent variable: Probability of bond versus loan issuance					
	(1) Size	(2) Tobin's Q	(3) Tangibility	(4) Rating	(5) Profitability	(6) Leverage
Size	0.283*** (0.045)	0.327*** (0.042)	0.327*** (0.042)	0.325*** (0.042)	0.328*** (0.042)	0.325*** (0.042)
Tobin's Q	0.075 (0.076)	0.091 (0.078)	0.070 (0.076)	0.073 (0.075)	0.069 (0.076)	0.073 (0.076)
Tangibility	-0.288 (0.206)	-0.314 (0.205)	-0.291 (0.228)	-0.287 (0.206)	-0.310 (0.204)	-0.300 (0.205)
Rating	0.058*** (0.020)	0.059*** (0.020)	0.058*** (0.020)	0.048** (0.021)	0.059*** (0.020)	0.059*** (0.020)
Profitability	11.043*** (2.527)	11.345*** (2.533)	11.178*** (2.532)	11.100*** (2.524)	11.520*** (2.911)	11.144*** (2.534)
Leverage	1.026*** (0.258)	1.038*** (0.258)	1.026*** (0.258)	1.011*** (0.257)	1.029*** (0.257)	1.261*** (0.274)
Lending practice	0.014*** (0.001)	0.015*** (0.001)	0.015*** (0.001)	0.015*** (0.001)	0.015*** (0.001)	0.015*** (0.001)
Lending practice × Firm char.	0.004*** (0.001)	-0.002 (0.002)	-0.001 (0.005)	0.001* (0.000)	-0.022 (0.074)	-0.021** (0.009)
Observations	4,276	4,276	4,276	4,276	4,276	4,276
Pseudo R-squared	0.087	0.085	0.085	0.085	0.085	0.086

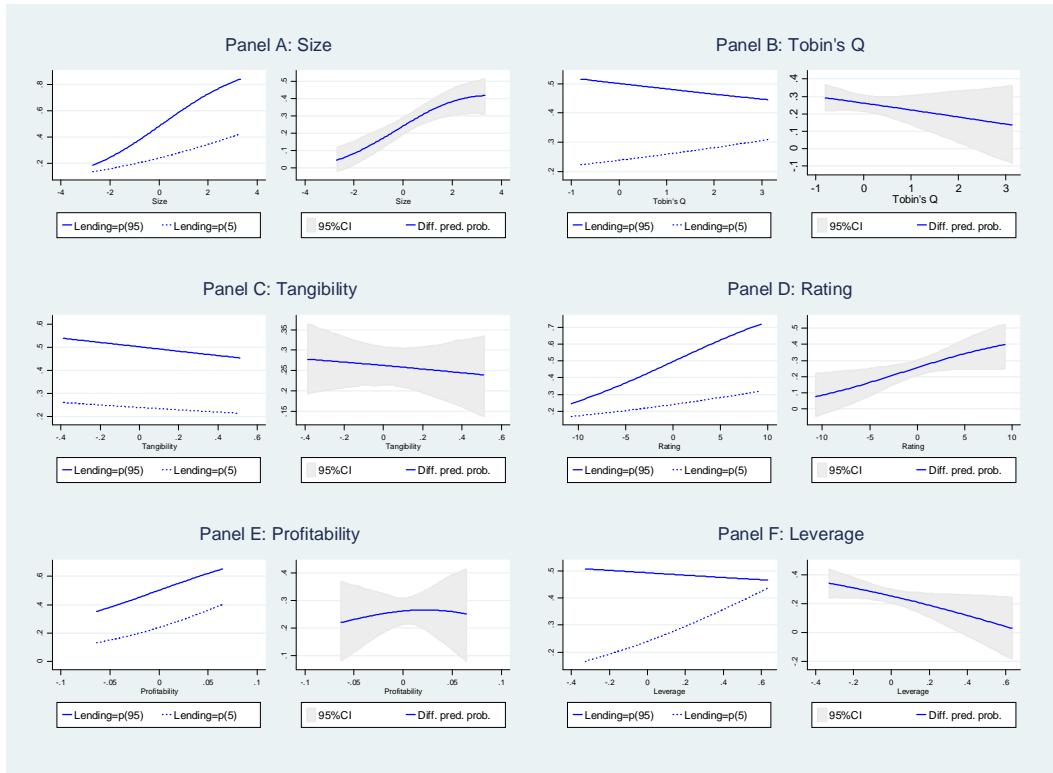


Figure IA.6. **Lending practice and firm characteristics.**

Table IA.8. **Non-performing loans and firm characteristics.** Table 8 contains the detailed description.

Firm characteristic	Dependent variable: Probability of bond versus loan issuance					
	(1) Size	(2) Tobin's Q	(3) Tangibility	(4) Rating	(5) Profitability	(6) Leverage
Size	0.288*** (0.057)	0.313*** (0.043)	0.313*** (0.043)	0.312*** (0.043)	0.312*** (0.043)	0.314*** (0.043)
Tobin's Q	0.175** (0.078)	0.042 (0.101)	0.174** (0.079)	0.172** (0.079)	0.177** (0.079)	0.176** (0.078)
Tangibility	-0.208 (0.213)	-0.189 (0.214)	-0.209 (0.311)	-0.215 (0.214)	-0.205 (0.213)	-0.210 (0.213)
Rating	0.087*** (0.021)	0.084*** (0.021)	0.087*** (0.021)	0.093*** (0.026)	0.086*** (0.021)	0.086*** (0.021)
Profitability	10.039*** (2.644)	9.594*** (2.650)	10.062*** (2.632)	10.073*** (2.657)	9.114** (3.814)	10.193*** (2.649)
Leverage	0.976*** (0.270)	0.938*** (0.275)	0.974*** (0.270)	0.972*** (0.271)	0.965*** (0.273)	1.199*** (0.376)
Non-performing loans	0.403*** (0.024)	0.423*** (0.026)	0.404*** (0.023)	0.401*** (0.024)	0.404*** (0.024)	0.405*** (0.023)
Non-perf. loans × Firm char.	0.013 (0.018)	0.098** (0.048)	-0.001 (0.087)	-0.003 (0.007)	0.483 (1.236)	-0.110 (0.124)
Observations	4,276	4,276	4,276	4,276	4,276	4,276
Pseudo R-squared	0.128	0.129	0.128	0.128	0.128	0.128

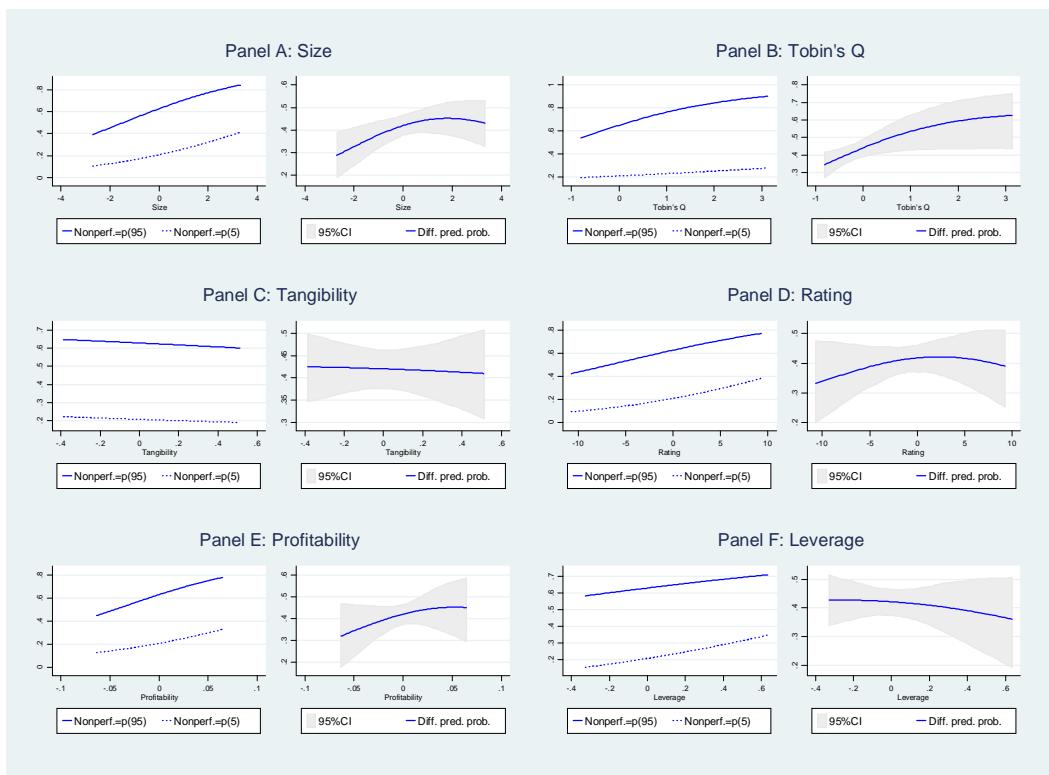


Figure IA.7. **Non-performing loans and firm characteristics.**

Table IA.9. **EBP and firm characteristics.** Table 8 contains the detailed description.

Firm characteristic	Dependent variable: Probability of bond versus loan issuance					
	(1) Size	(2) Tobin's Q	(3) Tangibility	(4) Rating	(5) Profitability	(6) Leverage
Size	0.350*** (0.043)	0.350*** (0.042)	0.354*** (0.042)	0.353*** (0.042)	0.353*** (0.042)	0.353*** (0.043)
Tobin's Q	0.082 (0.075)	0.076 (0.077)	0.087 (0.075)	0.089 (0.075)	0.095 (0.076)	0.086 (0.075)
Tangibility	-0.240 (0.212)	-0.239 (0.211)	-0.243 (0.212)	-0.232 (0.212)	-0.226 (0.212)	-0.240 (0.212)
Rating	0.039** (0.020)	0.039** (0.020)	0.039* (0.020)	0.037* (0.020)	0.038* (0.020)	0.039** (0.020)
Profitability	12.568*** (2.549)	12.718*** (2.551)	12.615*** (2.540)	12.441*** (2.551)	12.043*** (2.585)	12.617*** (2.545)
Leverage	0.793*** (0.258)	0.787*** (0.262)	0.795*** (0.259)	0.768*** (0.260)	0.774*** (0.262)	0.784*** (0.260)
EBP	0.566*** (0.047)	0.602*** (0.046)	0.592*** (0.046)	0.573*** (0.047)	0.594*** (0.046)	0.588*** (0.046)
EBP × Firm char.	0.089** (0.035)	0.182** (0.071)	-0.018 (0.181)	0.031** (0.014)	5.682** (2.406)	-0.376 (0.273)
Observations	4,153	4,153	4,153	4,153	4,153	4,153
Pseudo R-squared	0.096	0.096	0.095	0.096	0.096	0.095

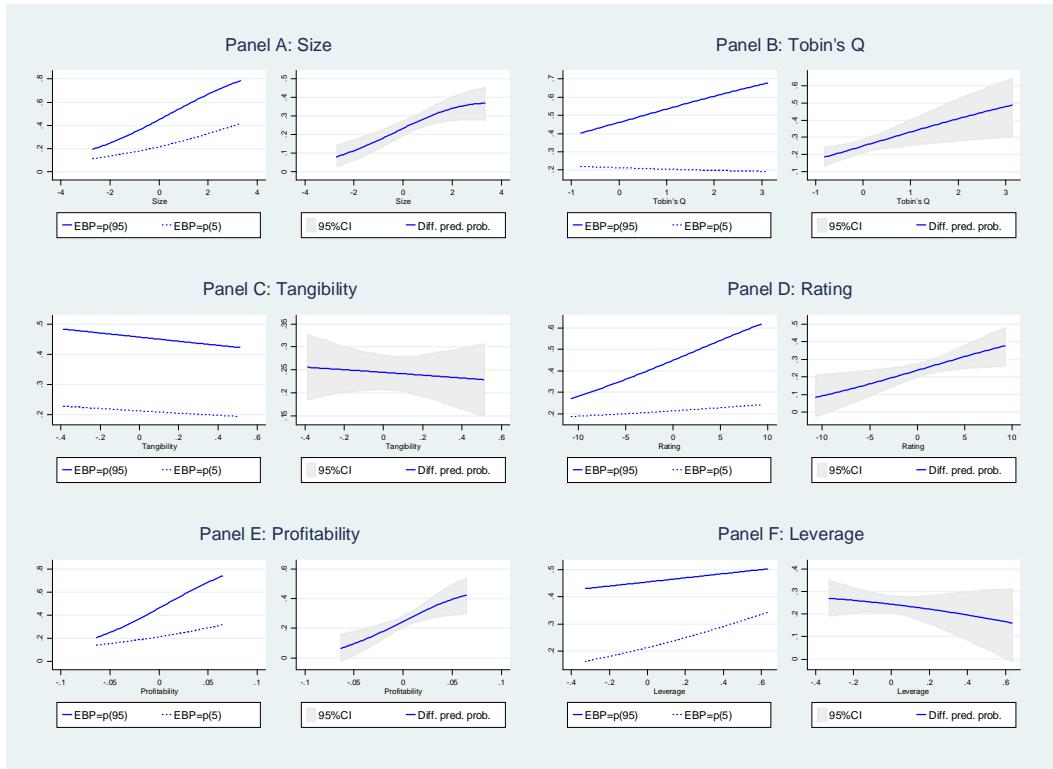


Figure IA.8. **EBP and firm characteristics.**