

Appendix

Figure A1: Kernel Density Credit Default Swap (CDS) Price

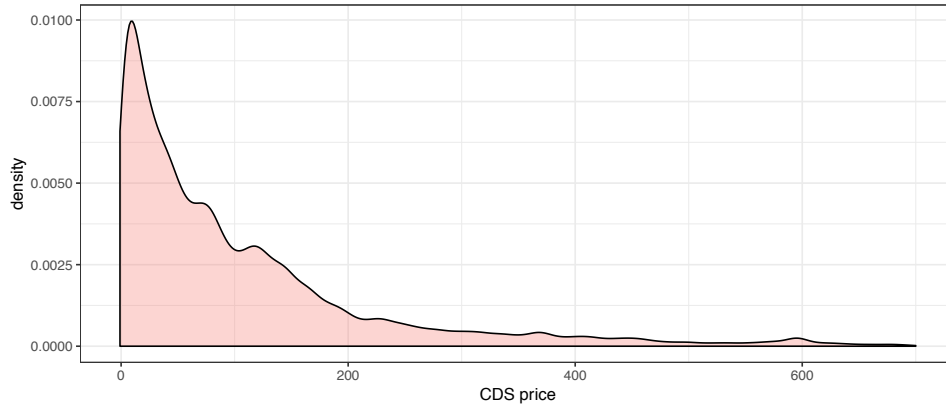


Figure A2: Kernel Density Credit Default Swap (CDS) Price Change (%)

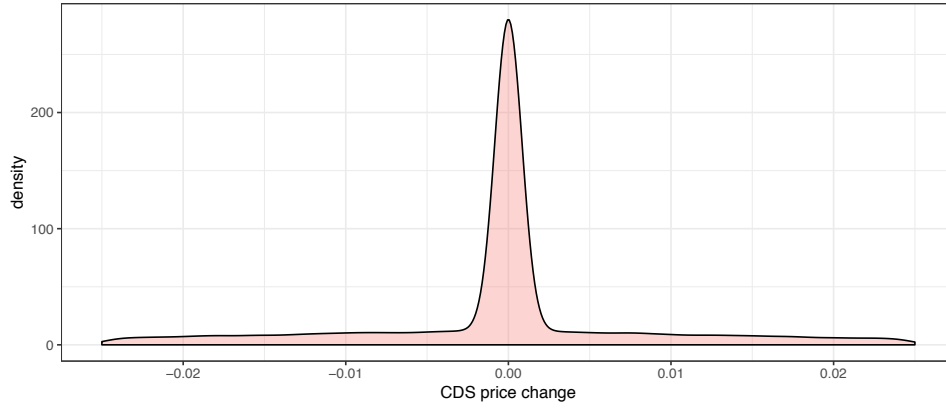


Table A1: Summary of the Dependent Variable

CDS Price Change (%)	
25 %	-0.40
50 %	0.00
75 %	0.35
99 %	13.77
<i>Min.</i>	-73.03
<i>Max.</i>	22.51
<i>Mean</i>	0.21
<i>St. Dev.</i>	9.37

Table A2: Credit Default Swap price summary statistics by country, 2004-2012

Country	CDS price			Δ CDS price		
	Min.	Max.	Mean	Min.	Max.	Mean
Argentina	182.53	4689.08	923.77	-0.15	0.27	0.00
Austria	1.75	268.98	75.92	-0.41	0.86	0.01
Australia	21.00	166.35	63.41	-0.17	0.64	0.00
Belgium	2.05	406.12	75.75	-0.64	1.75	0.00
Brazil	61.50	586.41	178.01	-0.31	0.41	0.00
Switzerland	30.39	167.50	55.85	-0.24	0.17	0.00
Chile	12.50	322.96	68.97	-0.23	0.33	0.00
China	10.08	276.30	63.60	-0.35	0.67	0.00
Colombia	64.70	600.37	184.00	-0.31	0.47	0.00
Czech Republic	3.41	350.00	94.01	-0.43	0.61	0.00
Germany	2.13	119.16	28.94	-0.58	2.14	0.01
Denmark	3.00	158.23	61.03	-0.56	5.84	0.01
Spain	2.55	621.18	115.75	-0.53	1.13	0.00
Finland	3.74	90.84	42.74	-0.17	1.51	0.00
France	1.50	249.63	47.45	-0.73	2.93	0.01
United Kingdom	16.50	164.92	73.79	-0.16	0.31	0.00
Greece	5.20	5047.44	293.67	-0.44	0.81	0.01
Hong Kong	8.75	106.74	48.63	-0.22	5.79	0.01
Hungary	9.67	738.60	202.69	-0.22	0.32	0.00
Ireland	5.18	1191.50	423.02	-0.28	22.51	0.03
Israel	16.81	288.38	102.34	-0.49	1.08	0.00
Italy	5.57	591.54	114.82	-0.35	0.54	0.00
Japan	2.13	157.21	41.63	-0.38	0.50	0.00
South Korea	13.75	674.88	94.08	-0.37	1.05	0.00
Mexico	28.17	601.21	121.24	-0.33	0.58	0.00
Malaysia	12.35	491.59	78.29	-0.31	0.44	0.00
Netherlands	10.50	139.84	61.63	-0.28	0.36	0.00
Norway	13.74	62.16	27.54	-0.18	0.28	0.00
New Zeland	37.06	126.11	67.62	-0.20	0.23	0.00
Poland	7.67	415.00	99.70	-0.27	0.43	0.00
Portugal	4.02	1526.95	232.57	-0.38	0.56	0.00
Russia	36.88	1113.38	173.25	-0.25	0.54	0.00
Saudi Arabia	69.97	228.32	90.99	-0.67	0.06	-0.02
Sweden	1.63	156.36	28.52	-0.38	0.99	0.00
Turkey	116.55	824.61	229.35	-0.21	0.25	0.00
United States	18.99	65.13	42.79	-0.13	0.60	0.00
South Africa	24.57	654.96	132.27	-0.24	0.32	0.00

Table A3: Change in Labor Market and Corporate Tax indices, 2004-2012

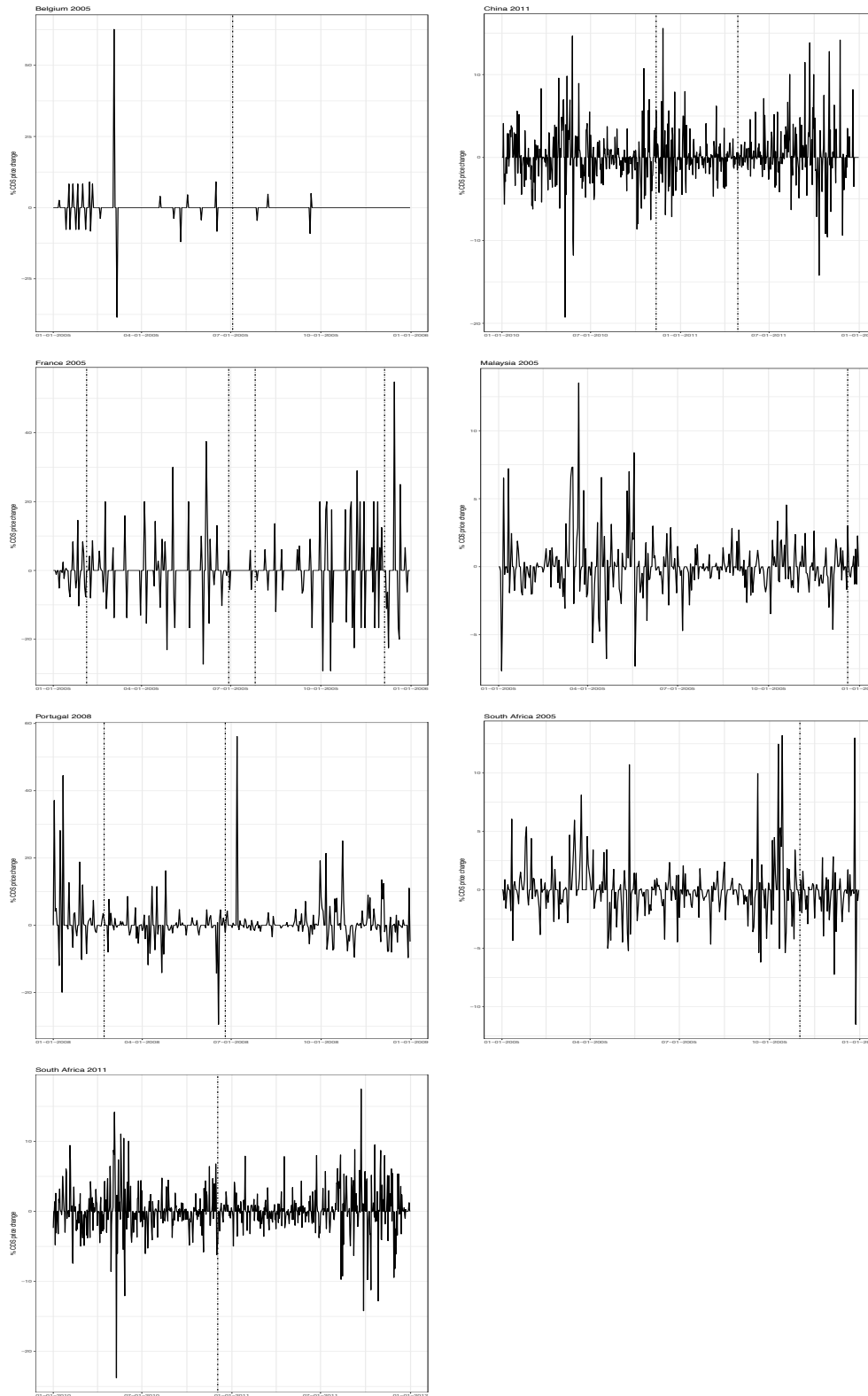
Country	Δ Labor Market Index			Δ Corporate Tax Index		
	Min.	Max.	Mean	Min.	Max.	Mean
Argentina	-0.30	0.10	-0.09	0.00	0.00	0.00
Austria	-0.10	0.10	0.01	0.00	0.80	0.13
Australia	0.00	0.10	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00
Belgium	-0.40	0.10	-0.05	-0.20	1.00	0.03
Brazil	-1.00	0.30	-0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00
Switzerland	0.00	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Chile	-0.40	0.20	-0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00
China	-0.30	0.50	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.00
Colombia	-0.20	0.10	-0.04	-0.20	0.20	-0.06
Czech Republic	-0.20	0.10	0.03	0.00	2.00	0.06
Germany	-0.10	0.40	0.08	-0.20	1.00	0.20
Denmark	-0.20	0.20	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00
Spain	-0.20	0.10	-0.04	-0.20	0.20	0.00
Finland	0.00	0.20	0.04	0.00	0.20	0.13
France	-0.40	0.20	0.00	-0.20	1.00	0.05
United Kingdom	0.00	0.10	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00
Greece	-0.30	0.10	-0.02	0.00	1.00	0.19
Hong Kong	0.00	0.30	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00
Hungary	-0.60	0.00	-0.08	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ireland	0.00	0.10	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00
Israel	-0.10	0.10	0.01	0.00	2.00	0.26
Italy	-0.20	0.10	0.02	-1.00	0.00	-0.03
Japan	-0.10	0.30	-0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00
South Korea	-0.30	0.70	0.09	-0.20	0.20	0.06
Mexico	-0.20	0.20	0.03	-0.20	0.20	0.06
Malaysia	-0.40	0.30	-0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00
Netherlands	0.00	0.10	0.04	-0.20	0.20	0.12
Norway	-0.10	0.00	-0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00
New Zealand	0.00	0.10	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00
Poland	-	-	-	0.00	2.00	0.26
Portugal	-0.10	0.40	0.10	0.00	1.00	0.13
Russia	-0.30	0.10	-0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00
Saudi Arabia	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.30	0.24
Sweden	-0.60	0.10	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00
Turkey	-0.10	0.60	0.06	0.00	0.80	0.13
United States	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
South Africa	-0.90	1.00	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00

Note: changes were calculated based on the Labor Market Index and Corporate Tax Index constructed by the Economist Intelligence Unit.

Table A4: Description of Microeconomic Policy Reforms

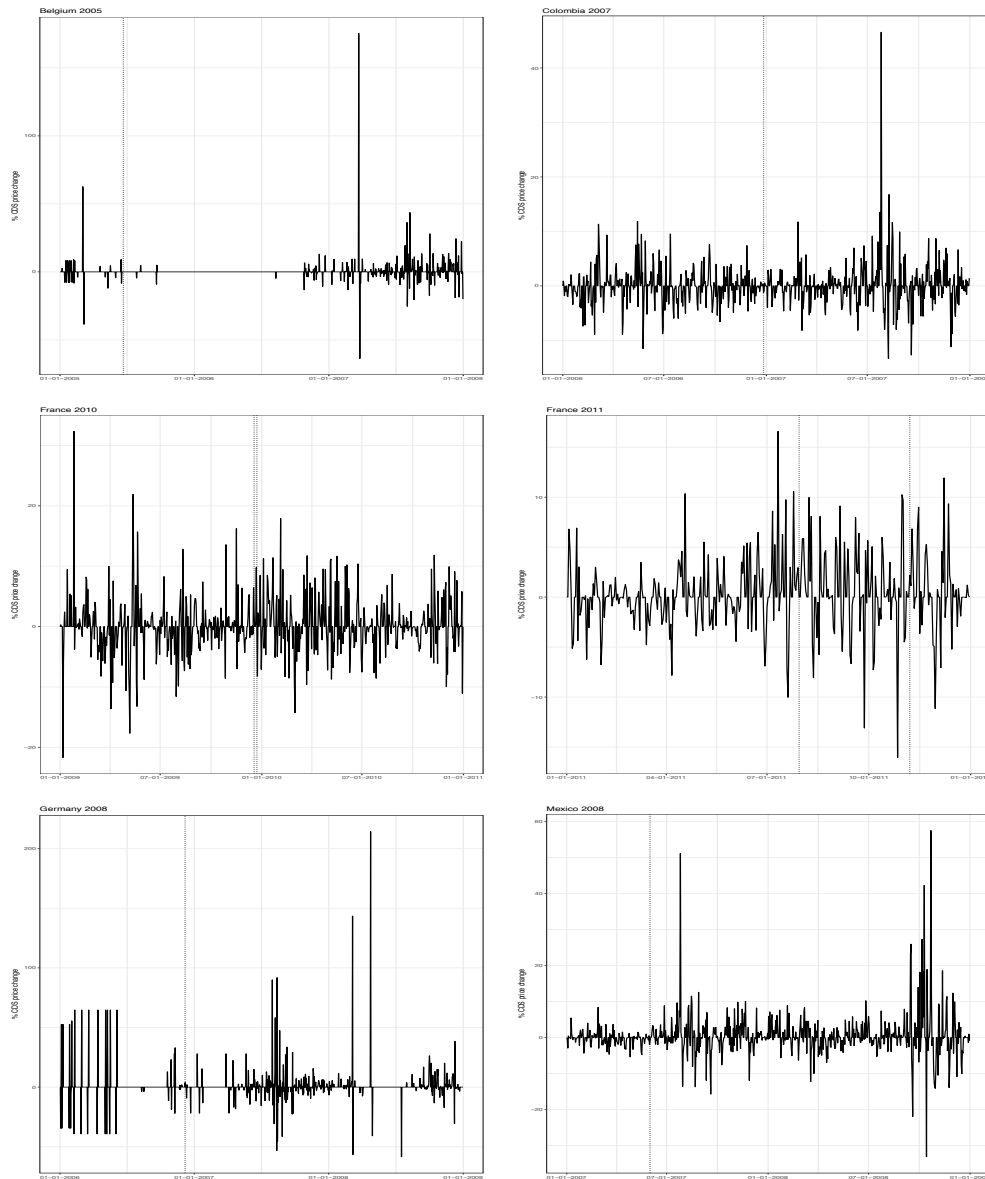
Country	Year	Type	Summary
<i>Pro-market</i>			
China	Nov-10	Labor	Modification of minimum wage
China	Apr-11	Labor	Regulation arbitration on labor-management disputes
Germany	Dec-06	Corporate Tax	Exit tax regime
Germany	Apr-11	Labor	Regulation on temporary workers
Greece	Apr-10	Corporate Tax	Reduction in corporate tax rate
Greece	Aug-05	Labor	Regulation on maximum working time and working time arrangements
Greece	Dec-04	Labor	Change in annual paid leave.
Greece	May-05	Labor	Regulation on minimum standards for the organization of working time
Malaysia	Jun-06	Labor	Regulation on workers' skills training
Portugal	Feb-08	Labor	Change in public regime of capitalization
Portugal	Jun-08	Labor	Change in social protection for the unemployed
Saudi Arabia	May-10	Corporate Tax	Modification on payment of benefits to workers that are non-residents
South Africa	Nov-05	Labor	Change in compensation for occupational injuries
South Africa	Dec-10	Labor	Regarding workers' skills training
South Korea	Dec-06	Labor	Regulation on industrial relations and working standards
Turkey	Apr-05	Labor	Change in the Trade Union Act
Turkey	Apr-07	Corporate Tax	Reduction on tax rates on corporate income and interest
<i>Anti-market</i>			
Argentina	Mar-06	Labor	Limits employers' capacity to unilaterally modify employees' working conditions
Argentina	Mar-06	Labor	Increases minimum and maximum monthly unemployment insurance, and extends unemployment insurance period for workers
Belgium	Jul-05	Labor	Diverse dispositions in relation to social concertation, including indemnization, working hours and early retirement
Brazil	Aug-05	Labor	Increase in minimum wage
Brazil	Feb-06	Labor	Modifies social prevision system
China	Nov-06	Labor	Regulation on working place disputes
China	Aug-06	Labor	Changes limits in labor provisions related to work related accidents and diseases.
China	May-05	Labor	Establishes rules concerning the relationship between a worker and employer where no employment contract has been signed
China	Jan-05	Labor	Enforcement rules of the Labor Pension Act
Colombia	Dec-06	Corporate Tax	Change in tax breaks
Colombia	Dec-10	Corporate Tax	Elimination of tax deduction on investments
France	Feb-05	Labor	Change in working time
France	Jul-05	Labor	Enables government to take measures in relation to employment emergency.
France	Dec-05	Labor	Modification in labor code in relation to indemnization
France	Jun-05	Labor	Increase in minimum wage.
France	Dec-09	Corporate Tax	Strengthens anti-avoidance rules for companies
France	Dec-09	Corporate Tax	Companies performing unsalaried business activities and realty companies are not subject to business tax
France	Jul-11	Corporate Tax	Increase in corporate tax, wealth tax and gift taxes
France	Nov-11	Corporate Tax	Increase in taxes for companies in specific sectors
Germany	Jul-07	Corporate Tax	Change in corporate income tax
Hungary	Dec-05	Labor	Strengthens labour inspection
Hungary	Jun-05	Labor	Regulates the right to unemployment benefits
Malaysia	Dec-05	Labor	Change in domestic arbitration
Mexico	Jun-07	Corporate Tax	Introduction of new flat corporate tax, a new withholding tax on cash deposit interest and new reporting rules for value added tax
Russia	Dec-05	Labor	Change in pension funds
Russia	May-05	Labor	Changes in calculation and payment of benefits for temporary working incapacity, maternity benefits and levels of compulsory social insurance
South Korea	Dec-07	Corporate Tax	Change in corporate income tax for foreign companies
Spain	Nov-06	Corporate Tax	Change in corporate income tax

Figure A3: CDS price change in country-years of major unexpected labor reforms



Note: Each figure shows movements in CDS price change around the events of interests for the country-years in which unexpected reforms occurred.

Figure A4: CDS price change in country-years of major unexpected corporate tax reforms



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Table A5: Growth Rates and Timing of Reforms

<i>Pro-market Reforms</i>				
Country	Date	Type Reform	Unexpected	Growth Rate (US\$)
China	Nov-10	Labor	Yes	877251.5
China	Apr-11	Labor	Yes	838249.4
Germany	Dec-06	Corporate Tax	No	730704.7
Germany	Apr-11	Labor	No	761221.7
Greece	Apr-10	Corporate Tax	No	61449.26
Greece	Aug-05	Labor	No	60026.36
Greece	Dec-04	Labor	No	58894.46
Greece	May-05	Labor	No	28989.12
Malaysia	Jun-06	Labor	No	36659.62
Portugal	Feb-08	Labor	Yes	49588.93
Portugal	Jun-08	Labor	Yes	49474.91
Saudi Arabia	May-10	Corporate Tax	nd	
South Africa	Nov-05	Labor	Yes	259356.9
South Africa	Dec-10	Labor	Yes	302743.6
South Korea	Dec-06	Labor	No	209964
Turkey	Apr-05	Labor	No	116566
Turkey	Apr-07	Corporate Tax	No	131954.1
Mean				285818.41
Median				124260.05
<i>Anti-market Reforms</i>				
Country	Date	Type Reform	Unexpected	Growth Rate (US\$)
Argentina	Mar-06	Labor	No	182988.8
Argentina	Mar-06	Labor	No	182988.8
Belgium	Jul-05	Labor	Yes	93346.15
Brazil	Aug-05	Labor	No	195496.5
Brazil	Feb-06	Labor	No	201390.5
China	Nov-06	Labor	No	560470.3
China	Aug-06	Labor	No	542200.3
China	May-05	Labor	No	466379.1
China	Jan-05	Labor	No	457666.4
Colombia	Dec-06	Corporate Tax	Yes	38607.81
Colombia	Dec-10	Corporate Tax	Yes	44873.2
France	Feb-05	Labor	Yes	526090.6
France	Jul-05	Labor	Yes	530647.1
France	Dec-05	Labor	Yes	534499.7
France	Jun-05	Labor	Yes	527807
France	Dec-09	Corporate Tax	Yes	540439.1
France	Dec-09	Corporate Tax	Yes	540439.1
France	Jul-11	Corporate Tax	Yes	556491.6
France	Nov-11	Corporate Tax	Yes	556553.4
Germany	Jul-07	Corporate Tax	Yes	745496.7
Hungary	Dec-05	Labor	No	28989.12
Hungary	Jun-05	Labor	No	28486.3
Malaysia	Dec-05	Labor	Yes	35657.03
Mexico	Jun-07	Corporate Tax	Yes	886683.4
Russia	Dec-05	Labor	No	184602.8
Russia	May-05	Labor	No	178277.5
South Korea	Dec-07	Corporate Tax	No	225810.4
Spain	Nov-06	Corporate Tax	No	293782.8
Mean				353112.90
Median				375724.61

Table A6: Summary of event study results for pro-market events at different estimation window lengths (% of total events)

Estimation window \ Event window	5 days		10 days		15 days		21 days	
	CAR > 0	CAR < 0	CAR > 0	CAR < 0	CAR > 0	CAR < 0	CAR > 0	CAR < 0
60 days	2.12	2.12	6.38	0	4.25	6.38	6.38	8.51
90 days	0	2.12	6.66	4.44	4.44	2.22	8.88	0
120 days	0	2.27	4.54	2.27	4.54	4.54	9.09	9.09

Note: Table displays the percentage of labor and corporate tax reform events in which the null of no effect (Cumulative Abnormal Returns = 0) is rejected against the alternative of positive (CAR > 0) or negative (CAR < 0) effect considering a 5% significance level and different lengths of the event and estimation windows.

Table A7: Summary of event study results for anti-market events at different estimation window lengths (% total events)

Estimation window \ Event window	5 days		10 days		15 days		21 days	
	CAR > 0	CAR < 0	CAR > 0	CAR < 0	CAR > 0	CAR < 0	CAR > 0	CAR < 0
60 days	2.12	6.38	10.63	10.63	12.76	14.89	8.51	2.13
90 days	8.69	2.17	8.88	8.88	8.88	6.66	11.11	4.44
120 days	4.54	2.27	4.54	9.09	6.81	9.09	6.81	4.54

Note: Table displays the percentage of labor and corporate tax reform events in which the null of no effect (Cumulative Abnormal Returns = 0) is rejected against the alternative of positive (CAR > 0) or negative (CAR < 0) effect considering a 5% significance level and different lengths of the event and estimation windows.

Table A8: Test CAR significance across all events

5 days	10 days	15 days	21 days
-0.004	-0.000	0.001	0.050
(.011)	(0.021)	(0.024)	(0.037)

Note: Each column displays the significance test of cumulative abnormal returns when considering all country-events together, at different event window sizes. Number of total country-events: 47. Robust standard errors in parenthesis.

Table A9: Events that fall in months of crisis

Event-month
Greece (Apr. 2010); Turkey (Apr. 2005); Turkey (Apr. 2007); Argentina (Mar. 2006); Brazil (Aug. 2005); Brazil (Feb. 2006); Colombia (Dec. 2006); Mexico (Jun. 2007); Russia (Dec. 2005); Russia (May 2007)

Note: Months of crisis are operationalized as those in which a country's average credit rating score is half standard deviation below the median rating of our sample.

Table A10: Event-year by type of economic crisis

Inflation crisis	Banking crisis	Currency crisis	Debt domestic/foreign crisis	Stock market crash
Argentina 2006	Greece 2010; France 2009	Greece 2005; Belgium 2005; Portugal 2008; France 2005	None	Greece 2010; China 2005

Note: Complete data and definitions of the different types of economic crisis can be found in Reinhart and Rogoff (2009).

Table A11: Multicollinearity test

Variable	VIF
Reserves	1.93
Log GDP	1.86
Growth	1.48
Inflation	1.24
U.S. bank prime	1.06
U.S. stock market	1.00
Pro-capital window	1.00
Anti-capital window	1.00

Table A12: The effect of pro- and anti-capital events on domestic macroeconomic indicators

Dependent variable	Pro-capital event window	Anti-capital event window
<i>Growth</i>	17578.07 (0.344)	-21586.82 (0.263)
<i>Log GDP</i>	-0.13 (0.532)	-0.02 (0.407)
<i>Reserves</i>	0.37 (0.339)	-1.36 (0.035)
<i>Inflation</i>	-0.11 (0.750)	-0.52 (0.127)

Note: Results from pooled-OLS models with fixed effects by country and day; p-values between parenthesis.

Table A13: Effect of pro- and anti-market labor and corporate tax reforms on CDS price change

Event window: 15 days

	Model 1	Model 2	Model 3	Model 4
<i>Pro-market event window</i>	-0.003 (0.002)	-0.003 (0.002)		
<i>Anti-market event window</i>	-0.001 (0.002)	-0.001 (0.002)		
<i>Labor pro-market event window</i>			-0.158 (0.121)	-0.127 (0.116)
<i>Labor anti-market event window</i>			-0.348 (0.206)	-0.319 (0.202)
<i>Corporate anti-market event window</i>			1.074*** (0.077)	1.035*** (0.086)
<i>U.S. bank prime</i>	0.000 (0.000)	0.000 (0.000)	0.012 (0.019)	0.029 (0.023)
<i>U.S. stock market</i>	-0.491*** (0.104)	-0.491*** (0.104)	-49.076*** (10.375)	-49.123*** (10.387)
<i>Reserves</i>	-0.000** (0.000)	-0.000** (0.000)	-0.044** (0.014)	-0.046** (0.015)
<i>Election month</i>	-0.002 (0.002)	-0.002 (0.002)	-0.264 (0.185)	-0.261 (0.191)
<i>Incumbent party ideology</i>	-0.001 (0.001)	-0.000 (0.001)	-0.084 (0.053)	-0.030 (0.057)
<i>Inflation</i>	0.000 (0.000)	0.000 (0.000)	0.016 (0.022)	0.013 (0.023)
<i>Growth rate</i>	0.000*** (0.000)		0.000*** (0.000)	
<i>Log GDP</i>		0.009* (0.003)		0.876* (0.327)
Observations	28383	28460	28383	28460
Countries	17	17	17	17
R ²	0.07	0.00	0.07	0.00

Clustered standard errors by country in parenthesis

Table A14: Effect of pro- and anti-market labor and corporate tax reforms on CDS price

Event window: 5 days

	Model 1	Model 2	Model 3	Model 4
<i>Pro-market event window</i>	-0.009 (0.005)	-0.009 (0.005)		
<i>Anti-market event window</i>	-0.010 (0.005)	-0.009 (0.005)		
<i>Labor pro-market event window</i>			-0.085 (0.144)	-0.096 (0.145)
<i>Labor anti-market event window</i>			-1.137 (0.743)	-1.075 (0.736)
<i>Corporate pro-market event window</i>			-1.819 (1.024)	-1.826 (1.023)
<i>Corporate anti-market event window</i>			-0.567 *** (0.143)	-0.565 *** (0.121)
<i>U.S. bank prime</i>	0.000 (0.000)	0.000 (0.000)	0.024 (0.017)	0.047 (0.024)
<i>U.S. stock market</i>	-0.566 *** (0.080)	-0.565 *** (0.080)	-56.559 *** (8.006)	-56.547 *** (8.000)
<i>Reserves</i>	-0.000* (0.000)	-0.000** (0.000)	-0.032* (0.014)	-0.038** (0.012)
<i>Election month</i>	-0.002 (0.001)	-0.002 (0.001)	-0.223 (0.126)	-0.224 (0.128)
<i>Incumbent party ideology</i>	0.000 (0.000)	0.000 (0.000)	0.030 (0.038)	0.037 (0.032)
<i>Growth rate</i>	0.000 (0.000)		0.000 (0.000)	
<i>Log GDP</i>		0.009* (0.003)		0.863* (0.320)
Observations	66407	66638	66407	66638
Countries	31	31	31	31
R ²	0.006	0.001	0.006	0.001

Clustered standard errors by country in parenthesis

Table A15: Effect of pro- and anti-market labor and corporate tax reforms on CDS price

Event window: 10 days

	Model 1	Model 2	Model 3	Model 4
<i>Pro-market event window</i>	-0.003 (0.004)	-0.003 (0.004)		
<i>Anti-market event window</i>	-0.004 (0.004)	-0.003 (0.004)		
<i>Labor pro-market event window</i>			-0.276 (0.233)	-0.291 (0.235)
<i>Labor anti-market event window</i>			-0.702 (0.741)	-0.639 (0.734)
<i>Corporate pro-market event window</i>			-0.711 (0.676)	-0.721 (0.687)
<i>Corporate anti-market event window</i>			0.427 (0.419)	0.431 (0.402)
<i>U.S. bank prime</i>	0.000 (0.000)	0.000 (0.000)	0.024 (0.018)	0.046 (0.024)
<i>U.S. stock market</i>	-0.566 *** (0.080)	-0.566 *** (0.080)	-56.557 *** (8.005)	-56.545 *** (7.999)
<i>Reserves</i>	-0.000* (0.000)	-0.000** (0.000)	-0.032* (0.014)	-0.038** (0.011)
<i>Election month</i>	-0.002 (0.001)	-0.002 (0.001)	-0.228 (0.125)	-0.229 (0.127)
<i>Incumbent party ideology</i>	0.000 (0.000)	0.000 (0.000)	0.030 (0.038)	0.037 (0.031)
<i>Growth rate</i>	0.000 (0.000)		0.000 (0.000)	
<i>Log GDP</i>		0.009* (0.003)		0.860* (0.318)
Observations	66407	66638	66407	66638
Countries	31	31	31	31
R ²	0.006	0.001	0.006	0.001

Clustered standard errors by country in parenthesis

Table A16: Effect of pro- and anti-market labor and corporate tax reforms on CDS price

Event window: 21 days

	Model 1	Model 2	Model 3	Model 4
<i>Pro-market event window</i>	-0.001 (0.004)	-0.001 (0.004)		
<i>Anti-market event window</i>	0.001 (0.002)	0.001 (0.002)		
<i>Labor pro-market event window</i>			-0.552* (0.257)	-0.570* (0.259)
<i>Labor anti-market event window</i>			-0.078 (0.190)	-0.012 (0.198)
<i>Corporate pro-market event window</i>			0.186 (0.921)	0.174 (0.930)
<i>Corporate anti-market event window</i>			0.303 (0.278)	0.305 (0.252)
<i>U.S. bank prime</i>	0.000 (0.000)	0.000 (0.000)	0.023 (0.017)	0.047 (0.024)
<i>U.S. stock market</i>	-0.566*** (0.080)	-0.565*** (0.080)	-56.563*** (8.005)	-56.550*** (7.999)
<i>Reserves</i>	-0.000* (0.000)	-0.000** (0.000)	-0.032* (0.014)	-0.037** (0.011)
<i>Election month</i>	-0.002 (0.001)	-0.002 (0.001)	-0.229 (0.123)	-0.230 (0.125)
<i>Incumbent party ideology</i>	0.000 (0.000)	0.000 (0.000)	0.030 (0.038)	0.037 (0.031)
<i>Growth rate</i>	0.000 (0.000)		0.000 (0.000)	
<i>Log GDP</i>		0.009* (0.003)		0.874* (0.322)
Observations	66407	66638	66407	66638
Countries	31	31	31	31
R ²	0.001	0.007	0.001	0.006

Clustered standard errors by country in parenthesis

Table A17: Effect of pro- and anti-market labor and corporate tax reforms on CDS price

Event window: 30 days

	Model 1	Model 2	Model 3	Model 4
<i>Pro-market event window</i>	-0.001 (0.005)	-0.001 (0.005)		
<i>Anti-market event window</i>	-0.002 (0.002)	-0.001 (0.002)		
<i>Labor pro-market event window</i>			-0.087 (0.467)	-0.109 (0.471)
<i>Labor anti-market event window</i>			-0.264 (0.223)	-0.198 (0.220)
<i>Corporate pro-market event window</i>			0.087 (0.926)	0.073 (0.936)
<i>Corporate anti-market event window</i>			0.078 (0.570)	0.072 (0.560)
<i>U.S. bank prime</i>	0.000 (0.000)	0.000 (0.000)	0.024 (0.018)	0.046 (0.024)
<i>U.S. stock market</i>	-0.566 *** (0.080)	-0.566 *** (0.080)	-56.561 *** (8.006)	-56.550 *** (7.999)
<i>Reserves</i>	-0.000* (0.000)	-0.000** (0.000)	-0.033* (0.014)	-0.038** (0.011)
<i>Election month</i>	-0.002 (0.001)	-0.002 (0.001)	-0.228 (0.123)	-0.229 (0.126)
<i>Incumbent party ideology</i>	0.000 (0.000)	0.000 (0.000)	0.030 (0.038)	0.036 (0.031)
<i>Growth rate</i>	0.000 (0.000)		0.000 (0.000)	
<i>Log GDP</i>		0.009* (0.003)		0.860* (0.320)
Observations	66407	66638	66407	66638
Countries	31	31	31	31
R ²	0.001	0.006	0.001	0.006

Clustered standard errors by country in parenthesis

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*** $p < 0.01$, ** $p < 0.01$, * $p < 0.05$

Table A18: Effect of the days around reform events on CDS price change

	Model 1	Model 2	Model 3	Model 4
Pro-market +1 day	-0.040*	-0.040*	0.001	0.001
	(0.015)	(0.015)	(0.008)	(0.008)
Pro-market +2 days	-0.042*	-0.042*	-0.002	-0.002
	(0.016)	(0.016)	(0.008)	(0.008)
Pro-market +3 days	-0.034*	-0.034**	-0.001	-0.001
	(0.014)	(0.014)	(0.012)	(0.012)
Pro-market +4 days	-0.035**	-0.035**	-0.011	-0.011
	(0.012)	(0.012)	(0.017)	(0.017)
Pro-market +5 days	-0.032*	-0.032*	-0.008	-0.008
	(0.015)	(0.015)	(0.011)	(0.011)
Pro-market +6 days	-0.048**	-0.048**	-0.013**	-0.013***
	(0.013)	(0.013)	(0.002)	(0.002)
Pro-market +7 days	-0.034*	-0.034*	-0.001	-0.001
	(0.013)	(0.013)	(0.008)	(0.008)
Anti-market +1 day	0.008	0.008	-0.006	-0.006
	(0.014)	(0.014)	(0.013)	(0.013)
Anti-market +2 days	-0.001	-0.001	-0.020	-0.020
	(0.015)	(0.015)	(0.013)	(0.013)
Anti-market +3 days	0.018	0.018	-0.000	-0.000
	(0.016)	(0.016)	(0.020)	(0.020)
Anti-market +4 days	0.001	0.001	-0.007	-0.007
	(0.014)	(0.014)	(0.008)	(0.008)
Anti-market +5 days	0.022	0.022	-0.006	-0.006
	(0.021)	(0.021)	(0.011)	(0.011)
Anti-market +6 days	0.003	0.003	-0.001	-0.001
	(0.008)	(0.008)	(0.013)	(0.013)
Anti-market +7 days	0.013	0.012	-0.005	-0.006
	(0.012)	(0.012)	(0.008)	(0.008)
Pro-market -2 day	-0.032*	-0.032*	0.007	0.007
	(0.014)	(0.014)	(0.016)	(0.016)
Pro-market -3 days	-0.046*	-0.046*	-0.003	-0.003
	(0.020)	(0.020)	(0.009)	(0.009)
Pro-market -4 days	-0.047**	-0.047**	0.005	0.005
	(0.016)	(0.016)	(0.014)	(0.014)
Pro-market -5 days	-0.036**	-0.036**	-0.002	-0.002
	(0.011)	(0.011)	(0.008)	(0.008)
Pro-market -6 days	-0.041**	-0.042**	-0.012	-0.012
	(0.014)	(0.014)	(0.015)	(0.015)
Pro-market -7 days	-0.034*	-0.033*	-0.001	-0.001
	(0.012)	(0.012)	(0.009)	(0.009)
Anti-market -2 days	0.020	0.020	0.002	0.002
	(0.020)	(0.020)	(0.004)	(0.004)
Anti-market -3 days	0.014	0.014	-0.021	-0.021
	(0.018)	(0.018)	(0.016)	(0.016)
Anti-market -4 days	0.012	0.012	-0.012	-0.012
	(0.013)	(0.013)	(0.009)	(0.009)
Anti-market -5 days	0.021	0.021	-0.003	-0.003
	(0.017)	(0.017)	(0.015)	(0.015)
Anti-market -6 days	0.011	0.011	0.002	0.002

Table A19: Effect of pro- and anti-market labor and corporate tax reforms on CDS price change (single events)

Event window: 15 days

	Model 1	Model 2	Model 3	Model 4
<i>Pro-market event window</i>	0.003 (0.017)	0.003 (0.017)		
<i>Anti-market event window</i>	0.003 (0.004)	0.004 (0.004)		
<i>Labor pro-market event window</i>			-1.232 (0.748)	-1.232 (0.752)
<i>Labor anti-market event window</i>			-0.244*** (0.025)	-0.155*** (0.024)
<i>Corporate pro-market event window</i>			1.678 (2.768)	1.671 (2.781)
<i>Corporate anti-market event window</i>			0.483 (0.414)	0.494 (0.375)
<i>U.S. bank prime</i>	0.000 (0.000)	0.000 (0.000)	0.023 (0.017)	0.046 (0.024)
<i>U.S. stock market</i>	-0.566*** (0.080)	-0.565*** (0.080)	-56.565*** (8.005)	-56.553*** (7.999)
<i>Reserves</i>	-0.000* (0.000)	-0.000** (0.000)	-0.032* (0.014)	-0.037** (0.012)
<i>Election month</i>	-0.002 (0.001)	-0.002 (0.001)	-0.230 (0.123)	-0.231 (0.126)
<i>Incumbent party ideology</i>	0.000 (0.000)	0.000 (0.000)	0.029 (0.037)	0.036 (0.031)
<i>Growth rate</i>	0.000 (0.000)		0.000 (0.000)	
<i>Log GDP</i>		0.009* (0.003)		0.870* (0.321)
Observations	66407	66638	66407	66638
Countries	31	31	31	31
R ²	0.001	0.006	0.001	0.006

Note: this model considers the single most relevant event per country-year.

Clustered standard errors by country in parenthesis. *** $p < 0.01$, ** $p < 0.01$, * $p < 0.05$

Table A20: Baseline models incorporating interaction with type of regime

Event window: 15 days

	Model 1	Model 2	Model 3	Model 4
<i>Pro-capital event window</i>	-0.657 (0.398)	-0.693* (0.379)		
<i>Autocracy</i>	0.136 (0.091)	0.236** (0.087)	0.136 (0.091)	0.235** (0.087)
<i>Pro-capital event window X Autocracy</i>	0.636 (0.719)	0.658 (0.718)		
<i>Anti-capital event window</i>	0.450 (0.596)	0.556 (0.594)		
<i>Anti-capital event window X Autocracy</i>	-0.734 (1.085)	-0.763 (1.067)		
<i>Labor pro-market event window</i>			-0.751 (0.543)	-0.797 (0.518)
<i>Labor pro-market event window X Autocracy</i>			0.158 (0.550)	0.198 (0.517)
<i>Labor anti-market event window</i>			-0.176* (0.100)	-0.035 (0.084)
<i>Labor anti-market event window X Autocracy</i>			-0.306 (0.770)	-0.355 (0.776)
<i>Corporate pro-market event window</i>			0.083 (1.278)	0.059 (1.289)
<i>Corporate pro-market event window X Autocracy</i>			0.000 (.)	0.000 (.)
<i>Corporate anti-market event window</i>			1.313*** (0.050)	1.351*** (0.050)
<i>Corporate anti-market event window X Autocracy</i>			-0.678 (0.422)	-0.713* (0.370)
Observations	69835	70078	69835	70078
Covariates	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Countries	35	35	35	35
R ²	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000

Table A21: Baseline models incorporating interaction with OECD member

Event window: 15 days

	Model 1	Model 2	Model 3	Model 4
<i>Pro-capital event window</i>	-0.456 *** (0.129)	-0.448 *** (0.112)		
<i>OECD</i>	-0.994 *** (0.026)	-0.991 *** (0.026)	-0.994 *** (0.027)	-0.991 *** (0.026)
<i>Pro-capital event window X OECD</i>	0.594 (0.776)	0.589 (0.786)		
<i>Anti-capital event window</i>	-0.239 (0.278)	-0.192 (0.288)		
<i>Anti-capital event window X OECD</i>	0.303 (0.677)	0.311 (0.686)		
<i>Labor pro-market event window</i>			-0.341 *** (0.107)	-0.318 *** (0.099)
<i>Labor pro-market event window X OECD</i>			0.606 (1.001)	0.653 (1.046)
<i>Labor anti-market event window</i>			-0.245 (0.318)	-0.168 (0.325)
<i>Labor anti-market event window X OECD</i>			-0.071 (1.096)	-0.073 (1.099)
<i>Corporate pro-market event window</i>			-0.081 (1.106)	-0.567 *** (0.016)
<i>Corporate pro-market event window X OECD</i>			0.000 (.)	0.468 (1.121)
<i>Corporate anti-market event window</i>			-0.220 (0.604)	-0.273 (0.608)
<i>Corporate anti-market event window X OECD</i>			0.906 (0.736)	0.972 (0.719)
Observations	84735	85722	84735	85722
Covariates	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Countries	35	35	35	35
R ²	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000

Table A22: Baseline models incorporating interaction with OECD member

Event window: 15 days

	Model 1	Model 2	Model 3	Model 4
<i>Pro-capital event window</i>	-0.456 *** (0.129)	-0.448 *** (0.112)		
<i>OECD</i>	-0.994 *** (0.026)	-0.991 *** (0.026)	-0.994 *** (0.027)	-0.991 *** (0.026)
<i>Pro-capital event window X OECD</i>	0.594 (0.776)	0.589 (0.786)		
<i>Anti-capital event window</i>	-0.239 (0.278)	-0.192 (0.288)		
<i>Anti-capital event window X OECD</i>	0.303 (0.677)	0.311 (0.686)		
<i>Labor pro-market event window</i>			-0.341 *** (0.107)	-0.318 *** (0.099)
<i>Labor pro-market event window X OECD</i>			0.606 (1.001)	0.653 (1.046)
<i>Labor anti-market event window</i>			-0.245 (0.318)	-0.168 (0.325)
<i>Labor anti-market event window X OECD</i>			-0.071 (1.096)	-0.073 (1.099)
<i>Corporate pro-market event window</i>			-0.081 (1.106)	-0.567 *** (0.016)
<i>Corporate pro-market event window X OECD</i>			0.000 (.)	0.468 (1.121)
<i>Corporate anti-market event window</i>			-0.220 (0.604)	-0.273 (0.608)
<i>Corporate anti-market event window X OECD</i>			0.906 (0.736)	0.972 (0.719)
Observations	84735	85722	84735	85722
Covariates	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Countries	35	35	35	35
R ²	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000

Table A23: Baseline models incorporating controlling for Liberal Market Economy

Event window: 15 days

	Model 1	Model 2	Model 3	Model 4
<i>Pro-capital event window</i>	-0.060 (0.833)	-0.066 (0.447)		
<i>Anti-capital event window</i>	-0.043 (0.694)	-0.034 (0.331)		
<i>U.S. bank prime</i>	0.025 (0.017)	0.025** (0.011)	0.025** (0.011)	0.025** (0.011)
<i>Reserves</i>	-0.015** (0.007)	-0.012*** (0.003)	-0.015*** (0.004)	-0.012*** (0.003)
<i>Election month</i>	-0.145 (0.346)	-0.145 (0.122)	-0.146 (0.124)	-0.145 (0.123)
<i>Growth rate</i>	-0.000 (0.000)		-0.000 (0.000)	
<i>LME</i>	0.257* (0.156)	0.241 (0.274)	0.256 (0.301)	0.242 (0.274)
<i>Log GDP</i>		-0.003 (0.040)		-0.003 (0.040)
<i>Labor pro-market event window</i>			-0.078 (0.433)	-0.086 (0.432)
<i>Labor anti-market event window</i>			-0.232 (0.537)	-0.220 (0.537)
<i>Corporate pro-market event window</i>			-0.011 (1.104)	-0.020 (0.961)
<i>Corporate anti-market event window</i>			0.217 (0.489)	0.213 (0.495)
Observations	84735	85722	84735	85722
Countries	35	35	35	36
R ²	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000

Clustered standard errors by country in parenthesis

*** $p < 0.01$, ** $p < 0.01$, * $p < 0.05$

Table A24: Baseline models excluding 2007-2010 period

Event window: 15 days

	Model 1	Model 2	Model 3	Model 4
<i>Pro-market event window</i>	-1.012*** (0.318)	-1.000*** (0.319)		
<i>Anti-market event window</i>	0.074 (0.387)	0.061 (0.385)		
<i>U.S. bank prime</i>	-0.023* (0.012)	-0.032* (0.017)	-0.023* (0.012)	-0.031* (0.017)
<i>Reserves</i>	0.005 (0.011)	0.010 (0.011)	0.005 (0.011)	0.010 (0.011)
<i>Election month</i>	-0.131 (0.141)	-0.133 (0.139)	-0.130 (0.142)	-0.132 (0.141)
<i>Incumbent party ideology</i>	-0.013 (0.029)	-0.015 (0.031)	-0.013 (0.029)	-0.015 (0.031)
<i>Growth rate</i>	0.000 (0.000)		0.000 (0.000)	
<i>Log GDP</i>		-0.165 (0.223)		-0.165 (0.224)
<i>Labor pro-market event window</i>			-0.788 (0.518)	-0.772 (0.528)
<i>Labor anti-market event window</i>			-0.121 (0.569)	-0.136 (0.567)
<i>Corporate pro-market event window</i>			-1.672*** (0.183)	-1.650*** (0.182)
<i>Corporate anti-market event window</i>			0.732 (0.549)	0.724 (0.554)
Observations	32175	32418	32175	32418
Countries	31	31	31	31
R ²	0.008	0.023	0.078	0.023

Clustered standard errors by country in parenthesis

*** $p < 0.01$, ** $p < 0.01$, * $p < 0.05$

Table A25: Baseline models excluding 2009-2012 period

Event window: 15 days

	Model 1	Model 2	Model 3	Model 4
<i>Pro-market event window</i>	-1.018*	-1.032*		
	(0.566)	(0.523)		
<i>Anti-market event window</i>	-0.242	-0.120		
	(0.552)	(0.555)		
<i>U.S. bank prime</i>	-0.069**	-0.059**	-0.069**	-0.058**
	(0.026)	(0.025)	(0.026)	(0.025)
<i>Reserves</i>	-0.002	-0.001	-0.002	-0.001
	(0.039)	(0.043)	(0.039)	(0.043)
<i>Election month</i>	-0.307*	-0.233	-0.318*	-0.243
	(0.170)	(0.191)	(0.169)	(0.193)
<i>Incumbent party ideology</i>	0.015	0.016	0.014	0.014
	(0.093)	(0.049)	(0.093)	(0.049)
<i>Growth rate</i>	0.000***		0.000***	
	(0.000)		(0.000)	
<i>Log GDP</i>		2.655***		2.648***
		(0.383)		(0.383)
<i>Labor pro-market event window</i>			-0.608***	-0.638***
			(0.092)	(0.032)
<i>Labor anti-market event window</i>			-0.380	-0.237
			(0.631)	(0.638)
<i>Corporate pro-market event window</i>			-2.133***	-2.115***
			(0.070)	(0.063)
<i>Corporate anti-market event window</i>			0.577	0.571
			(0.430)	(0.354)
Observations	32175	32418	32175	32418
Countries	31	31	31	31
R ²	0.008	0.023	0.078	0.023

Clustered standard errors by country in parenthesis

*** $p < 0.01$, ** $p < 0.01$, * $p < 0.05$

Table A26: Effect of pro- and anti-market labor and corporate tax reforms on CDS price volatility

Event window: 15 days

	Model 1	Model 2	Model 3	Model 4
<i>Pro-capital event window</i>	15.644 (9.792)	14.197 (9.499)		
<i>Anti-market event window</i>	-29.914 (20.502)	-28.800 (20.670)		
<i>U.S. bank prime</i>	-18.622 *** (5.820)	-16.861 ** (6.324)	-18.622 *** (5.821)	-16.865 ** (6.327)
<i>Reserves</i>	-7.775 ** (3.169)	-8.619 *** (3.038)	-7.778 ** (3.169)	-8.622 *** (3.037)
<i>Election month</i>	8.952 (11.638)	8.677 (11.542)	8.987 (11.618)	8.712 (11.524)
<i>Incumbent party ideology</i>	24.170 (20.385)	24.183 (20.221)	24.177 (20.384)	24.188 (20.220)
<i>Growth rate</i>	0.000 (0.000)		0.000 (0.000)	
<i>Log GDP</i>		43.173 (29.109)		43.033 (29.146)
<i>Labor pro-market event window</i>			15.367 (13.051)	14.184 (12.740)
<i>Labor anti-market event window</i>			-34.171 (22.157)	-33.041 (22.292)
<i>Corporate pro-market event window</i>			35.682 (24.385)	31.485 (25.371)
<i>Corporate anti-market event window</i>			-4.913 (3.050)	-3.271 (3.489)
Observations	32197	32440	32197	32440
Countries	31	31	31	31
R ²	0.281	0.023	0.277	0.281

Clustered standard errors by country in parenthesis

*** $p < 0.01$, ** $p < 0.01$, * $p < 0.05$