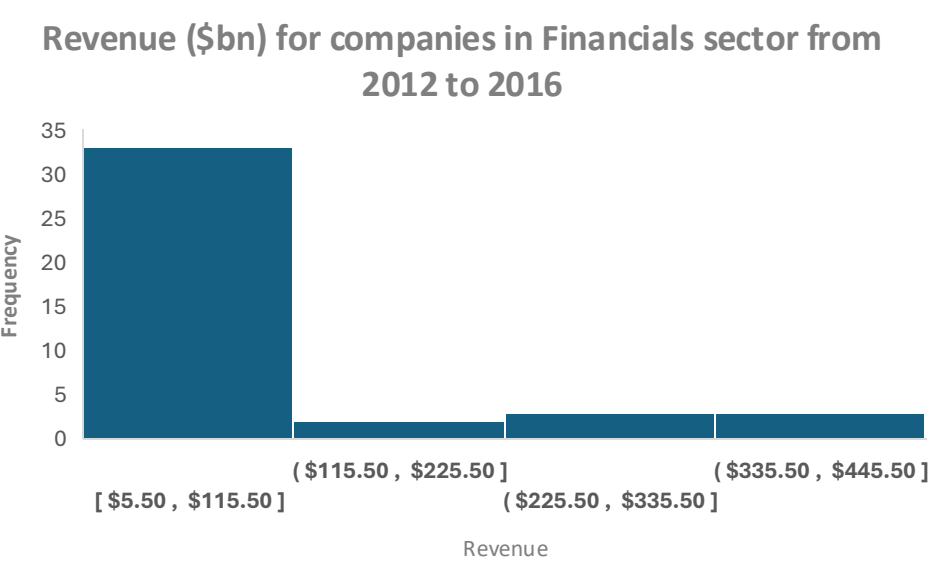
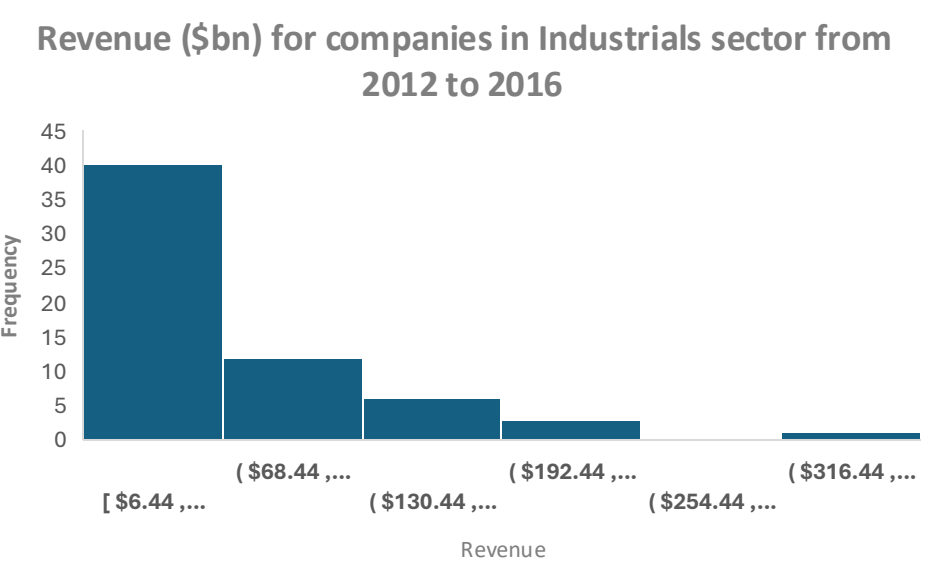


Were Companies in the Financials sector more profitable than those in Industrials sector from 2012 to 2016?



Total Revenue for Period:
Financials: \$3.4tn, Industrials: \$4.1tn

Here are the histograms for the total revenue for companies in Financials and Industrials sectors from 2012 to 2016.

The shape of both distributions is right-skewed as the mean is greater than the median.

Mean
Financials is \$83bn while Industrials is \$66bn (26% lower)

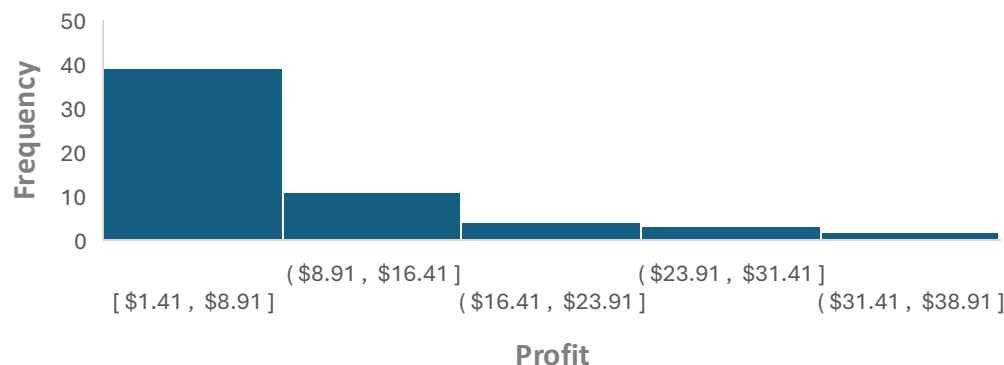
Median
Financials is \$42bn while Industrials is \$41bn (2% lower)

Standard Deviation
Financials is \$105bn while Industrials is \$70bn (150% lower)

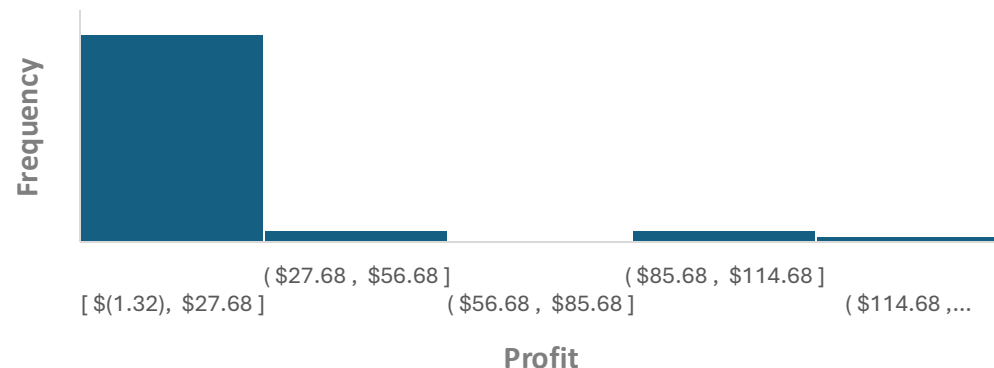
This means a higher variability of revenue for the Financials sector with 75% of the companies making \$51bn more than the median compared to 75% of companies in the Industrials sector making \$44bn more than the median

Were Companies in the Financials sector more profitable than those in Industrials sector from 2012 to 2016?

Operating Profit (\$bn) for companies in Industrials sector from 2012 to 2016



Operating Profit (\$bn) for companies in Financials sector from 2012 to 2016



Total Operating Profit for Period:
Financials: \$725b, Industrials: \$519b

Here are the histograms for the total operating profit for companies in Financials and Industrials sectors from 2012 to 2016.

The shape of both distributions is right-skewed as the mean is greater than the median.

Mean

Financials is \$18bn while Industrials is \$8bn (225% lower)

Median

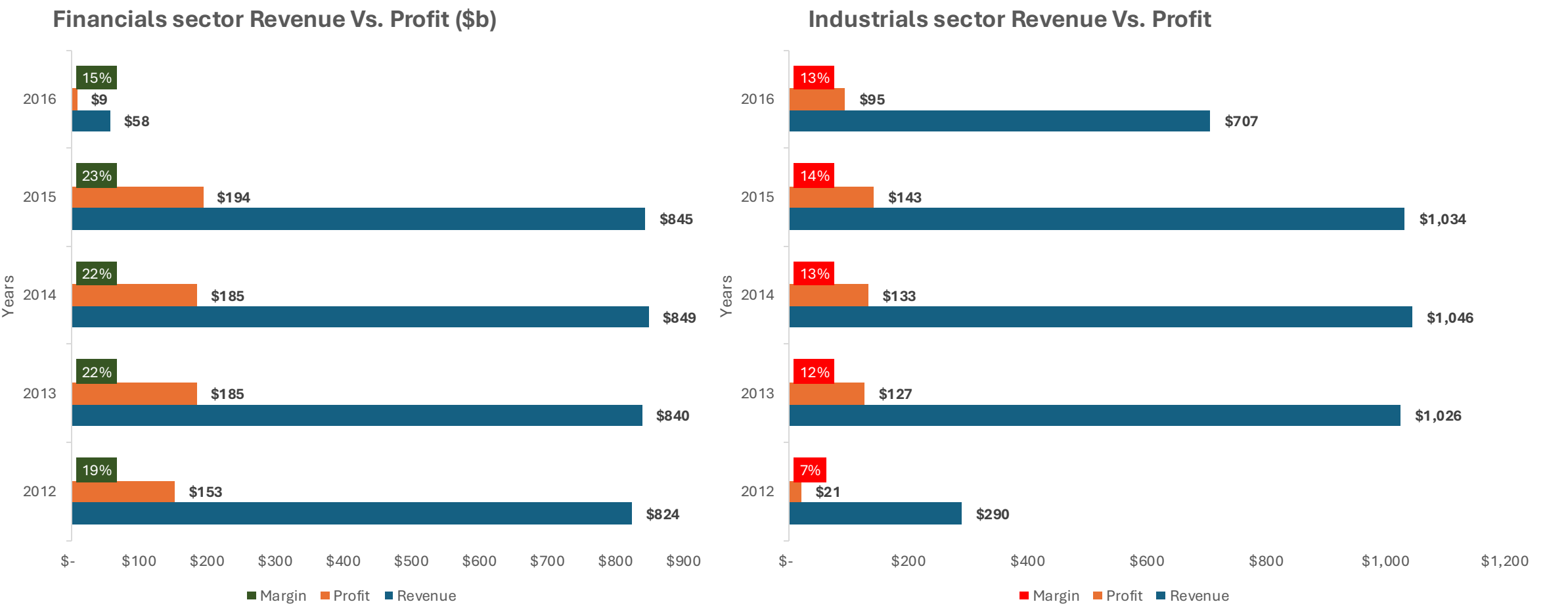
Financials is \$7.5bn while Industrials is \$4.2bn (78% lower)

Standard Deviation

Financials is \$29bn while Industrials is \$8bn (360% lower)

This means a higher variability of revenue for the Financials sector with 75% of the companies making \$10bn more than the median compared to 75% of companies in the Industrials sector making \$9bn more than the median

Were Companies in the Financials sector more profitable than those in Industrials sector from 2012 to 2016?



Financial sector had higher profit margins than Industrials sector across the years