Table 1: Baseline estimate, SO2 emission reduction, policy mandate, individual sector Unknown

period  $\times$  policy mandate<sub>c</sub>  $\times$  current ratio<sub>ci</sub>

period  $\times$  policy mandate,  $\times$  cash assets,

period  $\times$  policy mandate,  $\times$  liabilities assets<sub>ci</sub>

period  $\times$  policy mandate<sub>c</sub>  $\times$  return on asset<sub>ci</sub>

the 5%, \*\*\* Significance at the 1%.

period ×cash assets<sub>ci</sub>

period  $\times$ liabilities assets<sub>ci</sub>

period  $\times$ return on asset<sub>ci</sub>

period  $\times$  sales assets<sub>ci</sub>

	Dependent variable: SO2 emission						
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
$\mathrm{output}_{cit}$	0.628***	0.434***	0.333**	0.493***	0.491**	0.281	$0.424^{*}$
	(0.207)	(0.139)	(0.160)	(0.154)	(0.209)	(0.232)	(0.218)
$\mathrm{employment}_{cit}$	0.010	0.027	0.031*	0.025	0.027	0.036	0.031
	(0.019)	(0.018)	(0.018)	(0.021)	(0.021)	(0.024)	(0.019)
$\operatorname{capital}_{cit}$	-0.715	-0.646	-0.468	-0.479	-0.461	-0.300	-0.585
	(0.681)	(0.572)	(0.550)	(0.571)	(0.516)	(0.669)	(0.557)
period $\times$ policy mandate <sub>c</sub>	-0.681	-1.594	9.937	-5.034***	16.350***	5.024	0.019
	(2.648)	(1.036)	(8.436)	(1.627)	(4.610)	(9.051)	(1.079)
period ×working capital $_{ci}$	-25.531****	,	,	` /	, ,	, ,	` ′
	(7.255)						
period ×policy mandate $_c$ × working capital $_{ci}$	122.665***						
	(33.381)						
period ×asset tangibility $_{ci}$	,	-3.021**					
		(1.244)					
${\it period} \times {\it policy} \ {\it mandate}_c \times {\it asset} \ {\it tangibility}_{ci}$		40.290***					
		(6.361)					
period ×current ratio $_{ci}$		()	0.070				
			(0.063)				

(6.361)	
	0.070
	(0.063)
	-3.766
	(3.443)

6.195\*\*

(2.584)

-68.205\*\*\* (14.491)

-1.426 (2.055)

-19.766\*\*\* (5.545)

0.264 (0.330)

-0.536 (1.650)

0.003 (0.003)

-0.178\*\*\*period  $\times$  policy mandate,  $\times$  sales assets, (0.025)City Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Time Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Observations 230 170 235 235 159 170  $R^2$ 0.690 0.736 0.7150.705 0.7410.668 0.739This table estimates eq(3). Heteroskedasticity-robust standard errors clustered at

the city level appear in arentheses. \* Significance at the 10%, \*\* Significance at