

Table 1: Baseline estimate, SO2 emission reduction and industry financial ratio, industry level

	Dependent variable: SO2 emission						
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
$\log(\text{output}_{cit} + 1)$	0.160*** (0.038)	0.160*** (0.038)	0.160*** (0.038)	0.161*** (0.038)	0.160*** (0.038)	0.160*** (0.038)	0.160*** (0.038)
$\log(\text{employment}_{cit} + 1)$	0.277*** (0.035)	0.277*** (0.035)	0.277*** (0.035)	0.276*** (0.035)	0.277*** (0.035)	0.277*** (0.035)	0.277*** (0.035)
$\log(\text{capital}_{cit} + 1)$	0.141*** (0.054)	0.139*** (0.053)	0.140*** (0.054)	0.138** (0.053)	0.140*** (0.053)	0.141*** (0.054)	0.138** (0.053)
working capital _i × period × policy mandate _c	−0.308 (0.421)						
asset tangibility _i × period × policy mandate _c		−0.130 (0.152)					
current ratio _i × period × policy mandate _c			0.209 (0.247)				
cash assets _i × period × policy mandate _c				−2.705 (1.860)			
liabilities assets _i × period × policy mandate _c					−2.362 (2.449)		
return on asset _i × period × policy mandate _c						0.036 (0.059)	
sales assets _i × period × policy mandate _c							−0.0003 (0.002)
City-industry	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Time-industry	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
City-time	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Observations	31,723	31,723	31,723	31,723	31,723	31,723	31,723
R ²	0.865	0.865	0.865	0.865	0.865	0.865	0.865

This table estimates eq(3). Heteroskedasticity-robust standard errors clustered at the city level appear in parentheses. * Significance at the 10%, ** Significance at the 5%, *** Significance at the 1%.