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fi o 1999 to 2007. t o fi t
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o . d fi - to , fi o
t t , o - to , t
t o fi o , o to fi t tot
tt . o o , t o o fi t t
to o to o o- o t
fi tt o to ty. 2014. . . t .

1. Introduction

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y t .¹ t t to to ty to t to t y ot o
o to (o , t y t o, 2012). t t t t to t o o
o t t , o t o to (o o o t ,
1999; o , 2005; y , 2006; t ., 2010), o to

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¹ o t , o o o t (1999) y (2006) o t ; tt o (2001) o ;
o o (2006) o .

y t y (o o o t , 1999; o , 2004; o , 2005;
oy, 2005), to t to (t , 2001; o t „, 2003, 2004).²
d o tot to o o t o
t t o to t . o t , o (2010) fi o to ott o o
- t o to o to , o ċ (2005) o t
to o o o to o t t . to , o t . (2008) o t
fi o t t t t o o , o (2009) t t t t to o
fi t y o y o t o to ot fi . t to to to t
y t t t o o- o to to t o t fi , ot t t t
o to y y o o t . t to ot t t
tt t ot t o o to t t to to
o t , t ot t o ot o o o , t to o
t (y , 2006).

tt t o o t, oo. o- o t tt o to t
 t t (o t y , 2006) o t t t t o
 o- o t o o o o t .
 fi t o t t fi , oft , t o y ,
 o , o o o t o t , t t o o o- o t o to
 t . t o oft ty tot o o t o t y y
 (2006), t t o y o t t tot . t t
 t t t to tt tt o o- o t fl y to
 y t o t t . t to t to y
 t tot t o o fi t t. y y t t
 t t, y o t o to to. o o t ,
 t t y o o t to o to . o o , o o t o t ,
 t o fi , o t o o- o t o to
 t t t t o o yto o o t t o t- o to
 t . o o o to to o o- o to , t o
 o- o t o .
 fi o o t t fi o t o t t o
 o fi , t to o o- o t o to t . t fi t ,
 o to t, tt yt o t o o- o t .
 o t t t t t t t to o t ty t t, tt o o o t t
 o , o o fi , o fl t o . y, fi t
 o t t o t o t t o t ty- yt o
 t o to t o o- o t .
 y, t t o o fi t t to ,
 o t t tt fi - o to ty o o- o t . o t t t t t
 to t o yto o to t. tt o to o
 o t t fi t o o to , t o o- o t .
 o y y t t o o o t o o
 t t t , t o o t yto o t o t tot t
 t t y:
 t, t t t t o t , t o ' t o o ty, t
 t t t fi t tot tot o , t
 to o o t , o o- o t t o
 o t t o fi t t t t . t t t (o
 o t y , 2006) o t o t t o t t
 t o . t t y t t to t tt o t t t, t
 o fi t o o t o yt
 t o t o o t t o t fi t o o t o fi , to
 o t o t t o t, t . tt tt o o
 o t , t t y o o t to o to .
 o o t . tyo fi - o t t t ty t t y
 t t fl o t o t o o t o o , t fl to t o
 o- o t . o t t t o yfi , t o t t
 - t t tot o t o y to t to t?
 t , ty oyt t o t t to t t t ,
 o t . t t t y o t t , t
 o to t o y to t t. t t y t t to
 o o t o t o t t o to fl t o .
 , t o to ty oy t t y, tt tot ,
 t o y o t o to ty o o fi t t . o o
 o to ty o t t t t, t t o t oy t o
 o to ty t fi , t to o t o o o to
 t o .

y,t t f i t t y t o t t t t o t o t t
t o t t o t y- y t o t o t o o- o t ,
o t t t o t o o t o . o t t t t
t y. t t t o t o t t t o o t o
o t t o o , t y t t o t y o o t
o y t 7⁴
y o f i o t y f l t o t o- o t ? y y
(2006),t t o o t o , o t t t o
t t o . o t t t t o o f i f l o

Table 1

		1999–2001		2002–2004		2005–2007	
		Mean	Std. Dev.	Mean	Std. Dev.	Mean	Std. Dev.
1999–2001		752	30.0	752	21.0	752	30.0
2002–2004		1013	30.0	1013	21.0	1013	30.0
2005–2007		1230	30.0	1230	21.0	1230	30.0

Table 1 presents the mean and standard deviation of the stock returns for the three periods. The mean stock return for the 1999–2001 period is 752, with a standard deviation of 30.0. For the 2002–2004 period, the mean stock return is 1013, with a standard deviation of 30.0. For the 2005–2007 period, the mean stock return is 1230, with a standard deviation of 30.0.

3. Local co-movements of stock returns and headquarters location

The local co-movements of stock returns and headquarters location are measured by the following equation:

$$r_{it} = \alpha + \beta_1 r_{it-1} + \beta_2 r_{it-2} + \varepsilon_{it} \tag{1}$$

where r_{it} is the stock return of company i at time t , r_{it-1} and r_{it-2} are the stock returns of company i at time $t-1$ and $t-2$, respectively, and ε_{it} is the error term. The error term ε_{it} is assumed to be white noise. The local co-movements of stock returns and headquarters location are measured by the following equation:

$$r_{it} = \alpha + \beta_1 r_{it-1} + \beta_2 r_{it-2} + \beta_3 r_{it-3} + \varepsilon_{it} \tag{2}$$

where r_{it} is the stock return of company i at time t , r_{it-1} , r_{it-2} , and r_{it-3} are the stock returns of company i at time $t-1$, $t-2$, and $t-3$, respectively, and ε_{it} is the error term. The error term ε_{it} is assumed to be white noise. The local co-movements of stock returns and headquarters location are measured by the following equation:

$$r_{it} = \alpha + \beta_1 r_{it-1} + \beta_2 r_{it-2} + \beta_3 r_{it-3} + \sum_{j=1}^2 \gamma_j r_{it-j} + \varepsilon_{it} \tag{3}$$

t (β_3 γ_1) t f i t o o t y t o t o , t , t
 f o o t t $.o$, o t f i t t o o
 t t t $:t$ y t f i t t 1% , o $0.25t$ $0.31o$ o t o .
 t t (β_2) o f i t t t t o (2005–2007).
 $,t$ o o t t t o o o t t o f
 t o , t o t o t y t t o .

4. Local co-movements and operating earnings

o o o t t o t o 3 o t o o o t
 f f o , o o o t f o f o t o , t o t o
 o y t f $.t$ t t y Δ y t
 t o o t , o y o f f $.t$ t t , t
 t t t t o o t o f o o t t t .
 o f $,\Delta$ 1 y t t o t (Δ)
 y o $()$ o f $,t$ t $1 = \Delta / 1$. t t , t t
 t t t t t t t t t o y (Δ) , t o t o o
 o t y t $.o$ t o y f $'$ o o t y $()$.
 Δ $4 (= \Delta / 4)$. o 1 4 , t t t $()$
 o $()$ y Δ t $-t$ t o t f $,t$ t o t f $,t$ t o t o
 $= (1, 4)$. t o f $'$ o o t y , t f $'$ t o
 o t o .
 t t o t $-o$ o f o t t o , t $= 1$
 o 4 :

$$t = \alpha + \beta_1 t + \beta_2 t + \varepsilon_t. \tag{6}$$

3 o t t t t o o $.(6)$ o t o o 1999–2007. f o t
 o o t t t o o t . $,t$ t
 t t t o o t t f $'$ t o (β_1) t
 f t , t t t o o t t t y t o o
 o o t t o o t o o t f t
 o t . t t t t o t o t f $'$

Table 3

o o o t $.t$ o o o t o :

$$t = \alpha + \beta_1 t + \beta_2 t + \varepsilon_t.$$

fl yt o t, α y o t. t o to t to
 o o o- o t o to t , t t tt o to t y
 o o t t t . o to yto to o t,
 o o - o to . to, o y t t yfi ot
 o α o ,t o t o α t to o tt fi to o- o t
 . y , to o o t' y o t
 α t o t. t o , t to t o o to o t y t, t y
 t tt o o tto t .

5. What determines the local co-movements of stock returns?

5.1. Firm characteristics

o t t (o o t ,2001; y ,2006),t o o t
 o : (t t o t o ty ' t t to);
 (t t /t t); y (t yot t t to);
 (t to- oo to: ty t / ty oo); (t o t); (t t
 o t o o o); t t o o ; ttto o ;
 o,t toot o totα ; y, y to1 t
 - ot t fi , oα . y, y to1 t - ot
 t fi , oα . -y t o t ot
 t - o .
 t t o o o t t . fi t o , y ,
 t to- oo , ;t o o t tot fi ' o t t ,t
 to , tt o (tt), ttto o (tt to), t o to o
 t (o),t t o - (y) - (y). t o
 fi o o ,o t o y o t fi t o t α t o α
 o . t o t o . (2).
 4 t t t . y t fi t t tt t o o (2002–2004
 2005–2007), y t t o to o o- o t. o o t t
 fi o t tt t o to α o o
 yto t t. o t t t “ t”, o t y o o t (2001)
 y (2006). t to o t t t o (1988), ofi t t to '
 o t t t t t to , o to o o- o t
 t to o tt t (o t t t o . (2), ot t t
). t to tt t t o t t fi , fi o y
 to o y t t o .
 o α fi t to o o- o t t t , t
 t t to o α y fi t o o o t o , y o α o o t
 t y.
 y t fi t, o t t y fi t
 tyt to tt t o o- o to to o o- o t. o t t
 t t, t o y tt y t fi , o- o to oo to
 t y tto t. ot ttot fi t y
 (2006).
 t fi t, o t t fi o to t to
 tt t o o- o to t o o- o t. ot ttot
 fi t y (2006).
 ,t o fi ' oft ty, fi t t tt o o 2005–2007.
 o t t t t o fi o oft to to ytt t to ot t
 o ot fi . t o t t t t y (2006).
 (t o o) fi t. o α ot to o o
 o (o t .,2004), ot ttot y (2006).

t o t o t f i t t o o o- o t 2005-2007,
 t t t o ,t o o ,t o o t o o t y t o t
 f i ' t o o . ,t t o o t o (t t) o d
 t o t f i t t, o t t t o t o d f i t t o f i '
 o t o o .
 t t t o o t o o 1999-2001 t o t t t t t t o t o
 d y t o t o . t t t t o o 2005-2007 o t

Table 6

	1999–2001	2002–2004	2005–2007
t 99–01	0.1450*** (3.24)	0.1386 (1.20)	3.4870** (2.3937)
t 02–04		0.2376*** (6.12)	0.1726** (2.04)
t 05–07			4.2460*** (3.70)
	0.0000*** (6.70)	0.0000 (0.92)	0.0000*** (3.25)
	0.0057*** (4.33)	0.0042*** (3.2345)	0.0000*** (0.21)
t	0.0003 (0.63)	0.0000 (0.0498)	0.0000*** (3.56)
o to	0.0233 (0.85)	0.0163 (0.6121)	0.0000*** (0.21)
o yt	−0.0502 (−0.93)	−0.0252 (−0.4812)	0.0000 (0.93)
		0.0002 (0.29)	0.0000 (0.93)
		−0.0002 (−0.30)	0.0000 (0.93)
		−0.0044 (−0.21)	0.0000 (0.93)
		0.0103 (0.26)	0.0000 (0.93)
		−0.0068 (−0.33)	0.0000 (0.93)
		0.0027* (1.96)	0.0000 (0.93)
		−0.0002 (−0.09)	0.0000 (0.93)
		0.0028** (1.96)	0.0000 (0.93)
		0.0002 (0.29)	0.0000 (0.93)
		−0.0006 (−0.51)	0.0000 (0.93)
		0.0209 (0.78)	0.0000 (0.93)
		0.0324 (1.30)	0.0000 (0.93)
		0.0142 (0.61)	0.0000 (0.93)

			–0.1278 [*] (–1.8539) 0.0949 (0.7798)			–0.1708 ^{***} (–3.16) –0.0215 (–0.24)			–0.2014 ^{***} (–3.30) –0.0137 (–0.80)
			–7.8846 ^{***} (–2.7516) –0.0272 ^{***} (–3.3207) 0.0032 (0.6246)			–4.6376 ^{**} (–1.98) –0.0131 (–1.63) –0.0063 (–1.25)			–1.6558 (–1.00) –0.0122 (–1.12) –0.0134 ^{***} (–2.65)
			–0.0014 (–0.2075) 0.0018 (0.7710) –0.0021 (–1.3947)			0.0036 (0.58) –0.0001 (–0.04) –0.0008 (–0.61)			–0.0029 (–0.36) 0.0012 (0.52) –0.0012 (–0.48)
t						0.0018 (0.66)			–0.0086 ^{***} (–3.47)
t t o						–0.0045 [*] (–1.88)			–0.0027 (–0.96)
t t t o						–0.0556 (–0.55)			0.1311 (1.00)
o			–0.0071 ^{**} (–2.5490) 0.3242 ^{***} (2.9095) –0.3388 [*] (–1.7548)			–0.2867 [*] (–1.73)			0.0076 (0.04)
y		752	752	747	1013	1013	976	1231	1231
y		0.250	0.273	0.334	0.216	0.224	0.246	0.114	0.114
t o									1218
t -									0.231

t-t t t t t .
^{***} < 0.01.
^{**} < 0.05.
^{*} < 0.1.

5.2. Firm-level information disclosure quality in the Shenzhen Stock Exchange

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 o to o : “ o - ”, “ ”, “ oo ” t”. t o y o 355
 fi o o 2001 to 2007. t to t o o fi - o to
 o ty t o o - o t .
 o t , o t t t o o to , (1) o y: fi
 t o o “ oo ” o t o t o to y , t t 1, α 0; (2) t o :
 o o t o to , o - = 1, = 2, oo = 3, t = 4.
 t o fi t o o o 7y .
 fi t . (2) o 414 fi o 2001 to 2007 t o t t o t ,
 t o t o o to fi t t t t
 - to . fi t t 7-y o t o o 2001 to 2007. 5
 o t t t .
 fi t t o o - o t t y fi y o to o ty.
 t t t t o to o ty o o - o t , to o
 o to o - o to . o to o ty, t o o o
 o - o t o t fi . o to ty o o - o to '
 o to y ty t t t o o - o to .
 to , t t o t fi - o to o ty fi
 t t : , , t o t (). t o t t t t o t
 fi - o to o ty , fi t. t
 o α fi y fi o t t t o t .

5.3. Provincial characteristics

t o to fi , t o o t o - : (t
 o fi o); (o t); fi t (2/); o
 to t; o yt . t t ty o o fi to
 o - o to , y α t t o o - o t o . t , t
 .
 6 o t t t o t o o t t ,
 fi t o (1), (4) (7), α fi t t α o . t t
 t y o to t t o to , t t y y α to
 t y o t o , o fi t , o to , oo .
 (t o fi o) o t fi t t o o 1999–2001
 2002–2004. o t ty o o fi , t t y o o ,
 o to to t o . o t t t t y (2006).
 t (2/) fi t o , t t t o t o t
 fi yt t o o α fi o to to t o - o to , o o - o
 to to t o to .
 o to t fi t , y t t t ty o o to , fi
 o o , α t t t to to o fi o to t t
 fi t.
 o yt fi t t , t t o t t to y yt
 t o o α t o to ty o fi t t o . t
 t t t o o t to y yt y o o t t fi to .

6. Conclusion

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 t o to fi to t o - o t o fi o 1999 to
 2007.

o . o o , d fi - o - to o to fi t o- o t,
o t , fi o t t t fi , t t o fi t
o . t o o fi t t to o t t
tt fi - o to ty o o- o t.
o y to o t t y. o to ty o o d t
fi t o to t o o- o t, t o to ' .
o , o y t o t y- to o t t tot t o t
o .

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