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# Thrift Industry Interest Rate Risk Measures Fourth Quarter 2000

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The attached tables contain the most recent industry statistics for several measures of interest rate risk (IRR): **Post-Shock Net Portfolio Value (NPV) Ratio**, **Interest Rate Sensitivity Measure**, and **Pre-Shock NPV Ratio**. These measures are defined in footnotes that are included with the tables. The tables can be used to assess an institution's level of IRR.

An institution can find its approximate **Post-Shock NPV Ratio** ranking by referring to Table 1. Assume XYZ Savings has a Post-Shock NPV Ratio of 5.9%. In the last column of the table, locate the first value that is larger than XYZ's post-shock ratio. For XYZ Savings, this corresponds to the second row of the table.

The first column of this row contains XYZ's overall ranking: XYZ's post-shock ratio places this institution in the first quintile (the worst 20%) of the industry. The second column shows an institution's rank with greater precision. XYZ's post-shock ratio actually ranks among the bottom (worst)

15% of the industry.

This issue of the *Interest Rate Risk Measures* is available on the OTS Web page at <http://www.ots.treas.gov/docs/16040.pdf>. The preliminary measures for March (16111.pdf) will be available on the OTS Web page by May 21, 2001.

**Note:** The IRR Measures are no longer available on the OTS PubliFax system. All documents previously available on PubliFax will be provided through the OTS Web site. We will continue to use the PubliFax document numbering convention. If you have any questions or comments, please call the Dissemination Branch at (202) 906-5900, or e-mail them at [public.info@ots.treas.gov](mailto:public.info@ots.treas.gov).

**Table 1**  
**Post-Shock NPV Ratio\***  
**As of December 31, 2000**

Quintile	Percent of Industry	Post-Shock NPV Ratio Less Than:
1st	10	5.7 %
	15	6.3
	20	6.7
2nd	30	7.6
	40	8.3
3rd	50	9.2
	60	10.1
4th	70	11.6
	80	13.4
5th	85	15.1
	90	17.6

\* The Post-Shock NPV Ratio is defined as the Net Portfolio Value (NPV) ratio after a 200 basis point increase or decrease in rates, which ever produces the smaller ratio.

**Table 2**  
**Interest Rate Sensitivity Measure\***  
**As of December 31, 2000**

Quintile	Percent of Industry	Sensitivity Measure Greater Than:
1st	10	359 bp
	15	330
	20	301
2nd	30	253
	40	213
3rd	50	182
	60	143
4th	70	111
	80	76
5th	85	60
	90	41

\* The Interest Rate Sensitivity Measure is defined as the decline (in basis points) in the NPV ratio caused by a 200 basis point increase or decrease in rates, whichever produces the larger decline

Note: The NPV ratio for any interest rate scenario is defined as the NPV in that rate scenario divided by the present value of assets in the same rate scenario. An institution's NPV is equal to the estimated present value of assets minus the present value of liabilities plus the net present value of off-balance sheet contracts.

Based on 958 OTS-regulated institutions for which the December 2000 Interest Rate Risk Exposure Reports are available.

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**Table 3**  
**Pre-Shock NPV Ratio\***  
**As of December 31, 2000**

Quintile	Percent of Industry	Pre-Shock NPV Ratio Less Than:
1st	10	7.7 %
	15	8.2
	20	8.5
2nd	30	9.3
	40	10.0
3rd	50	10.9
	60	12.1
4th	70	13.4
	80	15.6
5th	85	17.1
	90	19.9

\* The Pre-Shock NPV Ratio is defined as the base-case (pre-shock) NPV divided by the present value of assets in the same rate scenario.

**Table 4**  
**NPV Ratio by Interest Rate Scenario\***  
**As of December 31, 2000**

Quintile	Percent of Industry	NPV Ratio*	
		-200bp	+200bp
		Less Than:	
1st	10	7.9 %	5.8 %
	15	8.5	6.4
	20	8.9	6.8
2nd	30	9.8	7.6
	40	10.7	8.5
3rd	50	11.5	9.3
	60	12.7	10.4
4th	70	14.3	11.7
	80	16.5	13.4
5th	85	18.3	15.3
	90	20.7	17.9

\* The NPV ratio for any interest rate scenario is defined as the NPV in that rate scenario divided by the present value of assets in the same rate scenario.

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**Table 5**  
**Change in NPV Ratio by Interest Rate Scenario\***  
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Quintile	Percent of Industry	Change in NPV Ratio*	
		-200bp	+200bp
		Less Than:	
1st	10	-51 bp	-356 bp
	15	-26	-328
	20	-11	-300
2nd	30	13	-251
	40	38	-209
3rd	50	64	-175
	60	83	-136
4th	70	107	-96
	80	133	-50
5th	85	150	-28
	90	176	6

\* The Change in NPV Ratio is defined as the change (in basis points) in the NPV ratio caused by an interest rate shock of either -200 or +200 basis points.

Note: The NPV ratio for any interest rate scenario is defined as the NPV in that rate scenario divided by the present value of assets in the same rate scenario. An institution's NPV is equal to the estimated present value of assets minus the present value of liabilities plus the net present value of off balance sheet contracts.

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