

Risk Transfer with Interest Rate Swaps

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The tables below provide an update on the notional and entity-netted notional (ENN) size of the CFTC-regulated interest rate market. Entity-netted notionals were introduced in a paper published in the beginning of 2018 and updated in March 2020; ENNs aim to provide a measure for the amount of risk transfer in rate swaps that is comparable to measures used for other interest rate markets.² The tables below represent aggregated interest rate swap position data as of March 12, 2021.

Table 1: Notional Amounts and ENNs by Sector (\$ Trillions)³

Sector (1)	Notional Amounts (\$tns)		Notional Amounts in 5-Year Equivalents (\$tns)				
	Long (2)	Short (3)	Long (4)	Short (5)	ENNs Long (6)	ENNs Short (7)	ENNs Net (8)
Swap Dealer	177.9	177.5	103.1	101.0	10.4	8.2	2.1
Hedge Fund	22.5	20.4	7.7	8.2	0.9	1.4	-0.5
Bank	19.1	20.7	13.7	15.8	1.5	3.5	-2.0
Other Financial	5.7	5.9	4.8	4.7	0.7	0.6	0.1
Asset Manager	3.9	4.0	2.9	3.1	1.1	1.2	-0.2
Pension	1.8	1.4	3.7	2.5	1.6	0.4	1.2
Govt/Quasi-Govt	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.8	0.5	0.7	-0.2
Nonfinancial	0.3	1.3	0.2	1.0	0.2	0.9	-0.8
Insurance	1.3	1.0	2.7	1.9	1.1	0.4	0.8
Unclassified	0.3	0.9	0.3	0.8	0.2	0.7	-0.5
CCP Adj	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0
Total	234.9	234.9	140.9	140.9	18.1	18.1	0.0

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² The link to the updated paper can be found [here](#).

³ The columns may not aggregate to the total and the difference between columns due to rounding.

⁴ Product-level ENNs in this table simply allocate total ENNs in the same proportions as the distribution of product level notional amounts.

Table 2: Notional Amounts and ENNs by product type (\$ Trillions)^{3,4}

Product	Notional (\$tns)	Notional 5-Year Equivalents (\$tns)	
	Long	Long	ENNs Long
Fixed-for-Floating Swaps	129.7	115.5	14.8
FRAs	48.2	2.2	0.3
OIS	38.7	13.2	1.7
Swaptions	13.9	9.2	1.2
Cap/Floor	4.2	0.7	0.1
CCP Adj	0.2	0.1	0.1
Total	234.9	140.9	18.1

Table 3: Notional Amounts and ENNs by currency (\$ Trillions)³

Currency	Notional (\$tns)	Notional 5-Year Equivalents (\$tns)	
	Long	Long	ENNs Long
USD	80.0	45.7	7.7
EUR	71.5	54.8	6.0
GBP	32.8	16.1	2.0
AUD	8.2	3.9	0.3
JPY	7.5	6.0	0.6
CAD	7.7	3.7	0.3
Other	27.1	10.7	1.2
Total	234.9	140.9	18.1

Table 4: Clearing percentages by sector (\$ Trillions), including clearing ratios³

Sector	Notional Amounts (\$tns)				Notional Amounts in 5-Year Equivalents (\$tns)			
	Long	Cleared Percent	Short	Cleared Percent	ENNs Long	Cleared Percent	ENNs Short	Cleared Percent
Swap Dealer	177.9	88	177.5	88	10.4	36	8.2	30
Hedge Fund	22.5	82	20.4	81	0.9	57	1.4	55
Bank	19.1	93	20.7	93	1.5	58	3.5	75
Other Financial	5.7	90	5.9	87	0.7	53	0.6	49
Asset Manager	3.9	69	4.0	69	1.1	67	1.2	72
Pension	1.8	57	1.4	62	1.6	41	0.4	56
Govt/Quasi-Govt	2.0	62	1.8	66	0.5	34	0.7	38
Nonfinancial	0.3	9	1.3	3	0.2	4	0.9	3
Insurance	1.3	69	1.0	67	1.1	65	0.4	41
Unclassified	0.3	37	0.9	14	0.2	38	0.7	7
CCP Adj	0.2	.	0.1	.	0.1	.	0.1	.
Total	234.9	87	234.9	87	18.1	43	18.1	43

Figure 1: Histogram of Swap Dealer Aggregate ENNs Long and Short Notional by Group

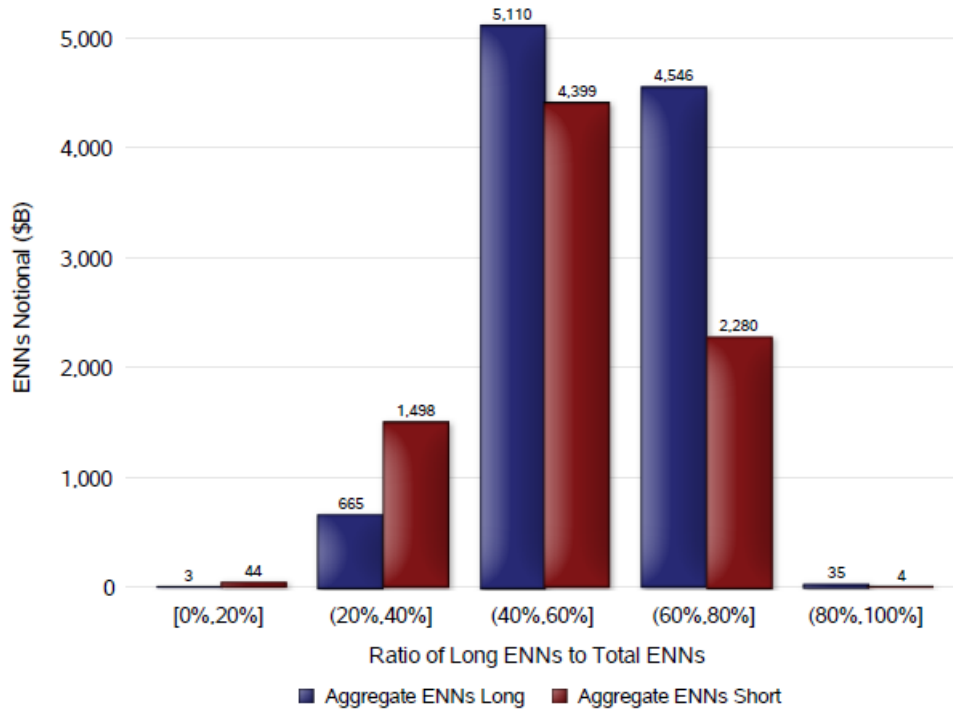


Figure 2: Histogram of Hedge Fund Aggregate ENNs Long and Short Notional by Group

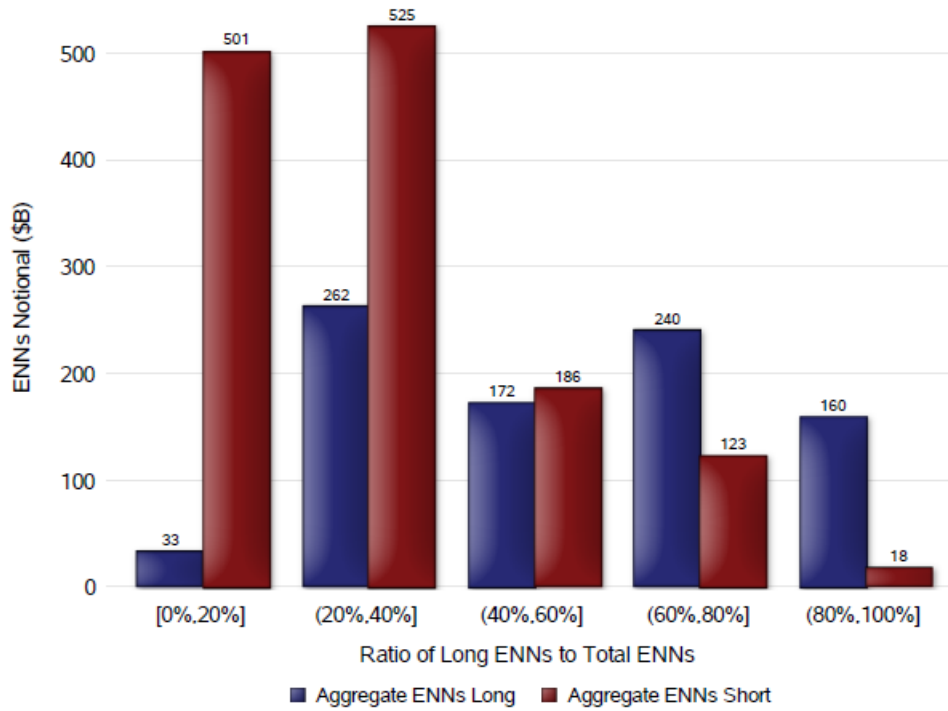


Figure 3: Histogram of Bank Aggregate ENNs Long and Short Notional by Group

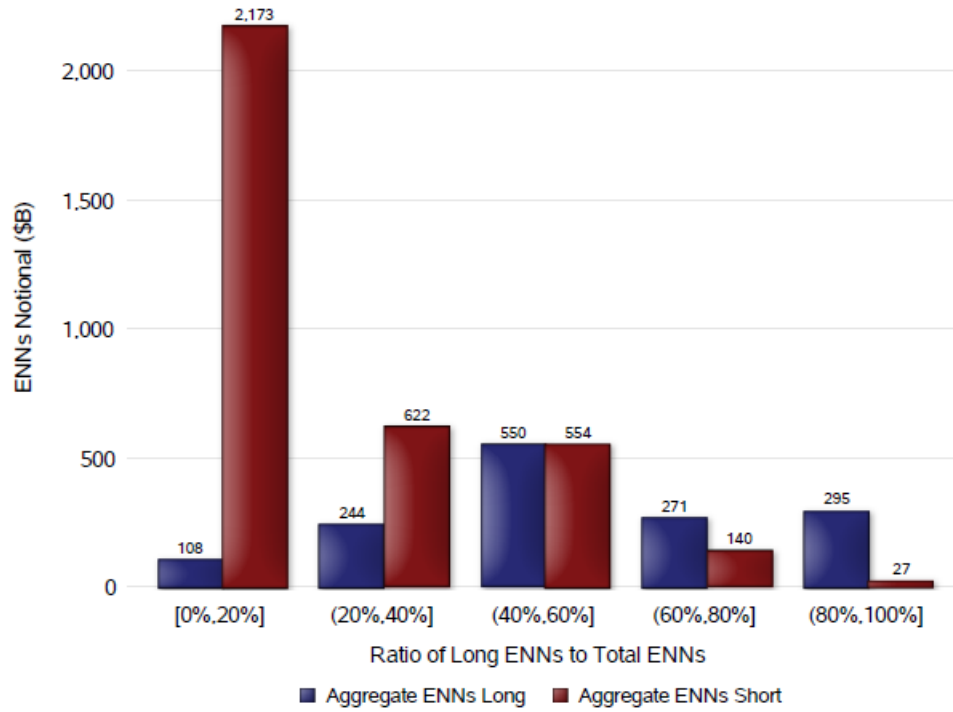


Figure 4: Histogram of Other Financial Aggregate ENNs Long and Short Notional by Group

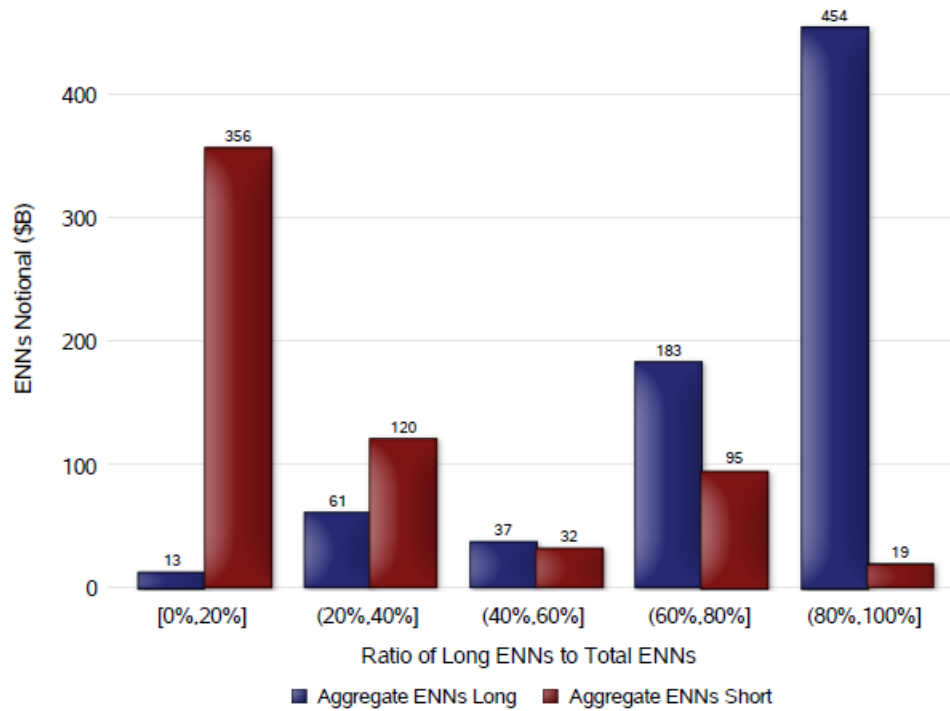


Figure 5: Histogram of Asset Manager Aggregate ENNs Long and Short Notional by Group

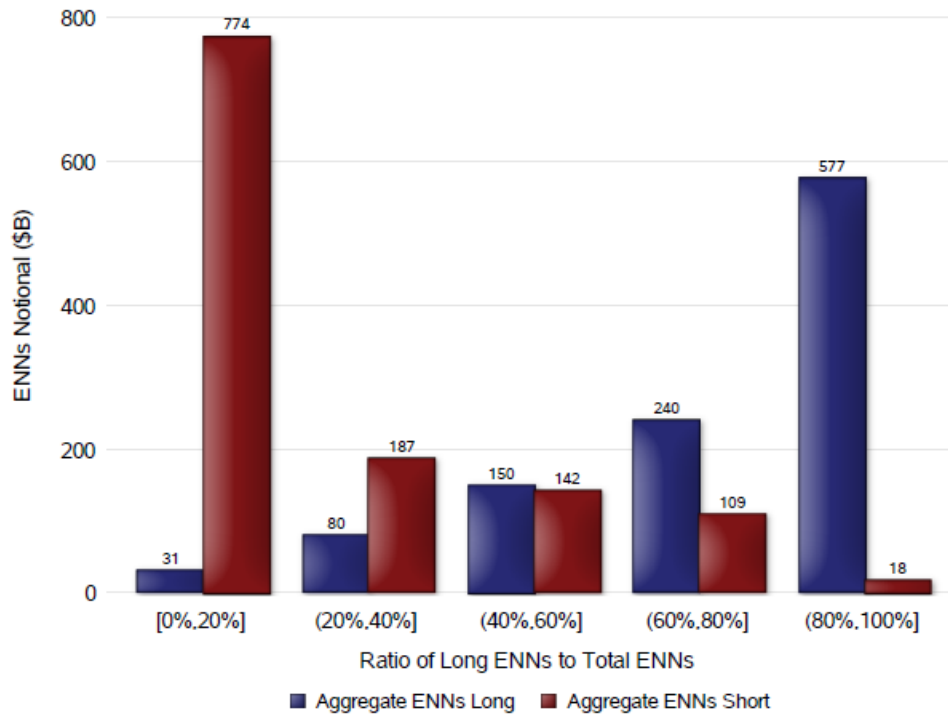


Figure 6: Histogram of Pension Fund Aggregate ENNs Long and Short Notional by Group

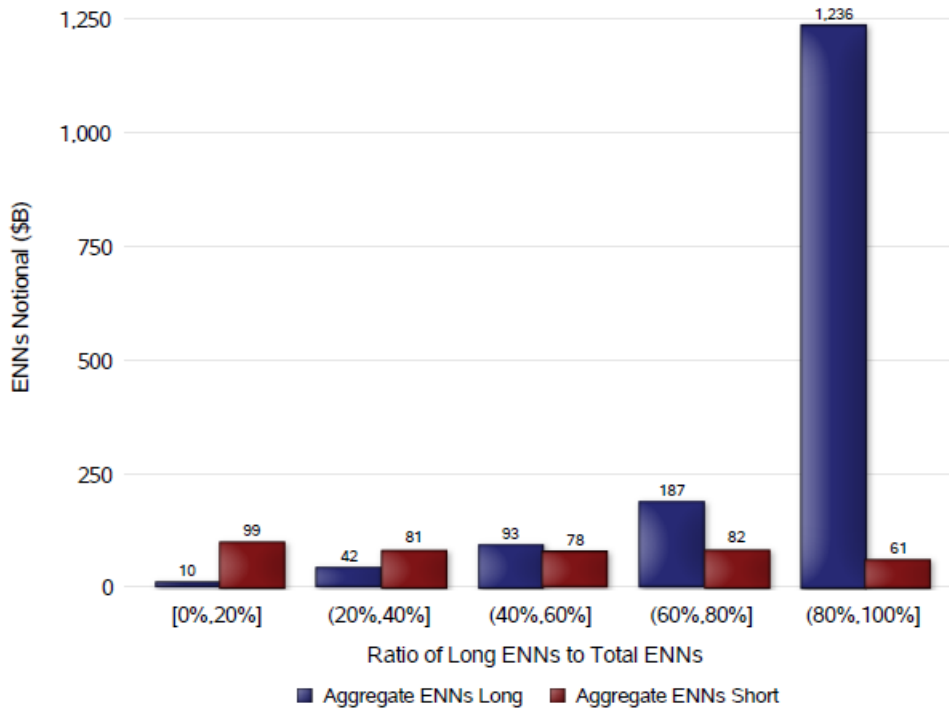


Figure 7: Histogram of Gov't/Quasi-Gov't Aggregate ENNs Long and Short Notional by Group

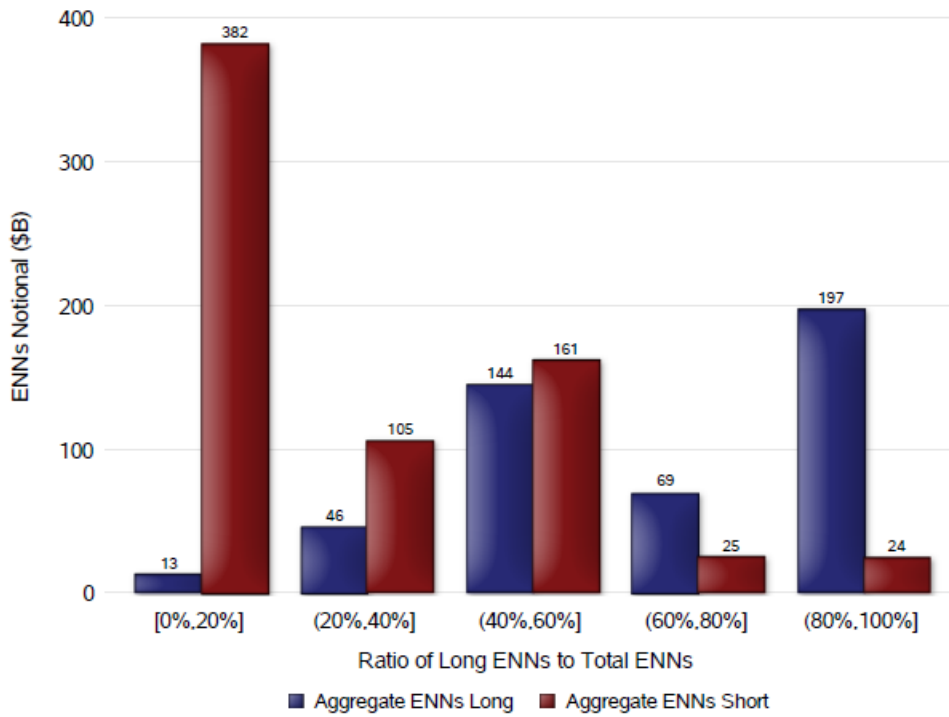


Figure 8: Histogram of Non-Financial Corporate Aggregate ENNs Long and Short Notional by Group

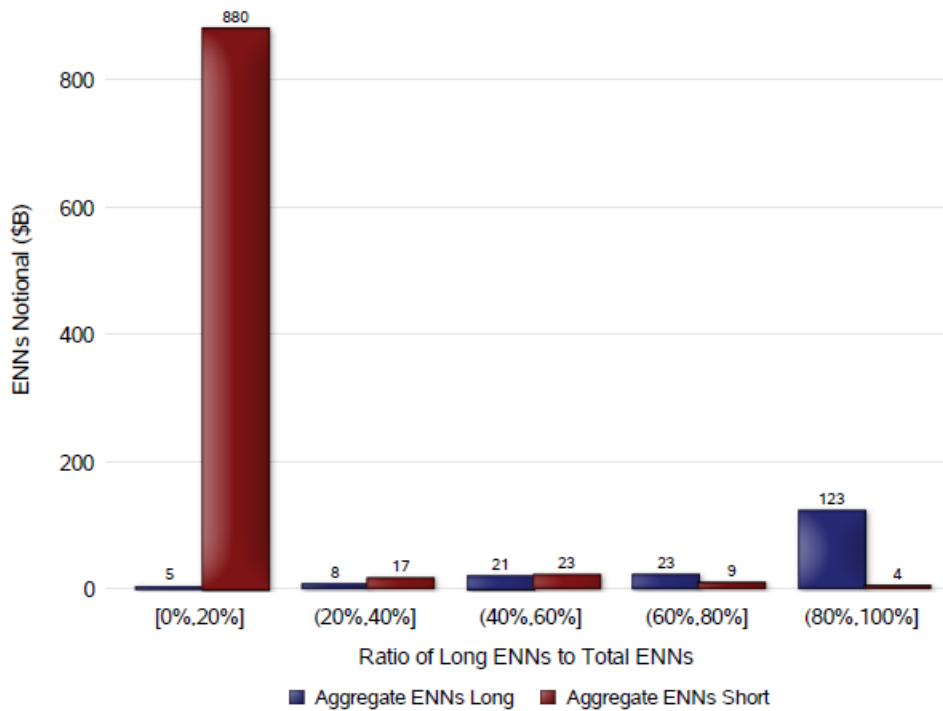


Figure 9: Histogram of Insurance Company Aggregate ENNs Long and Short Notional by Group

