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the two countries' stock indices and gold spot. Outcome of the study confirmed the Existence of volatility hedge potential for the two countries stock indices from gold Spot. The outcome provided a wider implication for the Nigerian banking stock index especially given its remarkable appreciation in recent time.

Determinants of Bank Failure in Nigeria: An empirical Investigation By Prof. Haruna Mohammed Aliero and Paul Ache

This study investigates the determinants of bank failure in Nigeria from 1970-2013. It uses Autoregressive Distributed Lag (ARDL) approach in the analysis and further examines the extent to which these determinants lead to bank failure in Nigeria. The study found that there is significant long run relationship between bank failures and exchange rate, interest rate, capital adequacy ratio, and non-performing loans and liquidity ratio, but an insignificant relationship with inflation in Nigeria.