

Table 1: Data Used to Construct STLFSI

Description	Old Transformation	New Transformation
Interest Rates		
1 Effective Federal Funds Rate	1	2
2 2-Year Treasury	1	2
3 10-Year Treasury	1	2
4 30-Year Treasury	1	2
5 Baa-rated corporate	1	2
6 Merrill Lynch High-Yield Corporate Master II Index	1	2
7 Merrill Lynch Asset-Backed Master BBB-rated	1	2
Yield Spreads		
8 Yield Curve: 10-Year minus 3-Month Treasury	1	1
9 Corporate Baa-rated bond minus 10-Year Treasury	1	1
10 Merrill Lynch High-Yield Corporate Master II minus 10-Year Treasury	1	1
11 3-month London Interbank Offering Rate - Overnight Index Swap (LIBOR-OIS) spread	1	1
12 3-Month Treasury-Eurodollar (TED) spread	1	1
13 3-Month Commercial Paper minus 3-Month Treasury	1	1
Other Indicators		
14 J.P. Morgan Emerging Markets Bond Index Plus	1	3
15 Chicago Board Options Exchange Market Volatility Index (VIX)	1	1
16 Merrill Lynch Bond Market Volatility Index (1-Month)	1	1
17 10-Year Nominal Treasury Yield minus 10-Year Treasury Inflation Protected Security Yield (Breakeven Inflation Rate)	1	1
18 S&P Financial Index	1	3

Transformation Nomenclature

1: Levels

2: Change in Levels

3: Change in Log Levels

Data Appendix: <https://files.stlouisfed.org/files/htdocs/publications/net/NETJan2010Appendix.pdf>