Information theoretic measure of complexity and stock market analysis:

Using the JSE as a case study

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Abstract

Bozdogan [8] [6] [7] developed a new model selection criteria called information measure of complexity (ICOMP) for model selection. In contrast to Akaike’s [1] information criterion (AIC) and other AIC type criteria that are traditionally used for regression analysis, ICOMP takes into account the interdependencies of the parameter estimates.

This paper is divided into two parts. In the first part we compare and contrast ICOMP with AIC and other AIC type selection criterion for model selection in regression analysis involving stock market securities.

While in the second part we apply the definition of information theoretic measure of complexity to portfolio analysis. We compare the complexity of a portfolio of securities with its’ measure of diversification (PDI) and examine the similarities and differences between the two quantities as it affects portfolio management.
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Part I

MODEL SELECTION AND INFORMATION CRITERIA IN STOCK MARKET ANALYSIS

1 INTRODUCTION

Multiple regression analysis is very useful in many scientific fields of endeavor. Of interest to us in this mini thesis is its application to stock market data. Linear regression analysis is often used to analyze the time series of returns of securities in an attempt to explain the variation in market indices using securities.

Another typical use of regression analysis is the Sharpe’s simple and multiple index models (covered in section 5), where we are interested in the market factors (e.g. indices, interest rates etc.) that can be used to explain the variation in security returns.

In a multiple regression type problem it is often useful to be able to trim down the number of variables that are needed to explain the variation in a response variable. To achieve this some form of information criteria is used as a goodness of fit measure to determine the best subset of available explanatory variables that can explain the variation in the response variable. Occums Razor [4] suggested that “simpler” models should be preferred to complex ones. Complexity as suggested by Occums Razor is in terms of the number of variables included in the model.

According to Bozdogan [10] complexity is the measure of the degree of interdependency between the whole system and a simple enumerate composition of its subsystem. This definition has been explained to suggest that the complexity of a model is not solely a function of dimension but also how related the variables are to each other (interdependency).
In this mini thesis we compare the performance of AIC type model selection criteria (constant penalty term) with the one based on information complexity (dynamic penalty term based on dependency) and further discuss the advantages and disadvantages of the criteria in the presence of collinearity as it applies to stock market data analysis. In order to do this we establish the presence of collinearity in stock market data.

We first discuss model selection criteria and selection procedures. Then we present what information complexity is. The results of various analyses done on JSE data using the various information criteria is then presented.

2 VARIABLE SELECTION PROCEDURES

The first thing to do in a model selection problem is to decide on the selection criteria to be used. A selection criterion is a rule that is use to decide a suitable model among a set of competing models (Details on selection criteria is presented in the next section). After this step a decision is made on the selection procedure to be employed in determining the best subset of variables that explains variation in the response variable.

2.1 Stepwise procedures

There are three types of stepwise procedures

1. Forward Selection
2. Backward Selection
3. Stepwise Selection

2.2 Forward Selection

In the forward selection procedure the selection criteria is computed for all the available explanatory variables. The variable that produces the best selection criteria
value is selected. This process is repeated and another variable is added if it im-
proves the value of the selection criteria given that the first variable selected is still in
the model. This process is repeated until we can no longer find a variable that result
in an improved selection criteria value in the presence of all other variables previously
selected.

2.3 Backward Selection

We start this procedure by including all explanatory variables in the model. Then
each of these variables are considered as if it is the last variable to enter the model.
The variable which when removed result in the greatest improvement in the selection
criteria value is removed from the model. The process is repeated until we can no
longer find a variable that result in an improvement on the selection criteria value
when removed from the model.

2.4 Stepwise Selection

This is a combination of the forward and backward procedure. It starts off by selecting
the variable that result in the best selection criteria value. However at each step after
the first step the procedure looks backwards removing the variable that was earlier
selected but when removed results in an improved selection criteria value. The process
is terminated when we can no longer find a variable that results in an improvement
in the selection criteria value by removing variables earlier selected or by adding
variables that has not been selected in the model.

2.5 All possible Regression

As the name suggests we simply fit all subsets including the full set and select the
model that gives the best selection criterion value.
2.6 Pros and cons of selection procedures

Forward, Backward and Stepwise procedures in regression analysis do not always find the best subset of predictor variables from the set explanatory variables. Some of the problems with these procedures include:

1. Little or no theoretical justification exists for the order in which variables enter or exit the algorithm. (Boyce et al. [5], L. Wilkinson [29]).

2. Stepwise searching rarely finds the overall best model or even the best subset of a particular size. (Mantel [16], Hocking [25]).

3. Stepwise selection provides extremely limited sampling from a small area of the vast solution space, at the very best, it can only produce an “adequate” model. (Sokal and Rohlf [24]).

All possible regressions on the other hand has a disadvantage of being time consuming. All subset regressions is the preferred procedure because it examines all possible combinations of variable before making a decision. When this procedure cannot be used, stepwise selection procedure is used as it has the advantage of sampling from a larger solution space than forward and backward selection.

3 SELECTION CRITERIA

According to Linhart and Zucchini [15], model selection can be formally separated into two sages. The first stage involves a decision on the choice of approximating family e.g multiple regression. The second step entails estimating the parameters of the model in order to compare competing models. Kullback and Leibler [14] states that any selection criteria should ensure that that the final model selected should be as close as possible to the true data generating process of the data.
3.1 The Kullback-Leibler Distance

Let $f(x)$ be the density function of the true data generation process we wish to model where $X$ is a multivariate random variable. In reality $f(x)$ is unknown and has to be approximated by using a finite set of data. Let $g_i(x)$ (for $i=1 \cdots m$) be a set of competing models that approximate $f(x)$. In an attempt to measure the suitability of an approximating model the Kullback-Leibler (KL) distance was derived Kullback and Leibler [14]. The KL distance measures how well $g_i(x)$ approximates $f(x)$.

Based on the above principle, various selection criteria were developed. It is a value that allows one to rank models in terms of how well the explanatory variables perform in approximating the dependent variable. This can be easily determined by using informational model selection criteria. For the purpose of this mini thesis we discuss three informational model selection criteria

1. Akaike information criterion, AIC
2. Schwarz’s information criterion, BIC
3. Information Complexity criterion, ICOMP

Many model selection criterion take the form of a penalized likelihood.

3.2 Akaike’s Information Criterion (AIC)

Akaike [1] showed that the KL distance can be approximated by

$$AIC = -2\log L(\theta) + 2k$$

(1)

where $L(\theta)$ is the likelihood function evaluated at $\theta$, $\theta$ is the maximum likelihood estimate (MLE) of the $k$ parameters of the model.

The model that minimizes AIC is preferred since it would theoretically be the closest model to the unknown model. AIC is composed of two parts the namely, “the goodness of fit” (the maximum likelihood) of the model and the number of free parameters in the model. The second term in AIC acts as a penalty function which penalises high
dimensional models more heavily than low dimensional models. Here the dimension of a model is in terms of number of parameters in the model.

3.3 Bayesian Information Criterion (BIC)

This is often referred to as a dimension consistent information criterion i.e as the number of observations becomes large, the correct model is selected with probability one. Schwarz [22] developed the Bayesian Information Criterion (BIC). The criterion is defined as

$$BIC = -2\log L(\theta) + k\log(n)$$  \hspace{1cm} (2)

Where $n$ is the number of observations in the data set. Model selection is undertaken by selecting the model that minimises BIC.

4 THEORY AND DEFINITION OF INFORMATION COMPLEXITY (ICOMP)

4.1 Definition of information complexity

One of the desirable properties of model selection criteria is to ensure that “simpler” models are preferred to more complex ones. This allows for better interpretation of the model. By simpler models the traditional definition refers to the dimension of the model (parsimony).

Another definition of complexity is that “It is the measure of the degree of interdependency between the whole system and a simple enumerate composition of its subsystem” [10]. This definition suggests that complexity of a model is not solely a function of dimension but also how related the variables are to each other (interdependency).

According to the same authors “The general principle is that for a given level of accuracy, a simpler model (i.e one with a small covariance matrix of the parameter
estimates and residual covariance matrix) is preferred to more complex one. Here
small is used in the sense of minimum variance.”

4.2 Information complexity criteria (ICOMP)

Bozdogan has used the above definition of complexity to derive a number of In-
f ormation Complexity Criteria (ICOMP) used for model selection. ICOMP uses
a penalty function that is based on the information complexity index of Van Em-
den [28]. ICOMP penalizes the covariance complexity of a estimated model.
Models that have many insignificant parameter estimates as well as collinear data
sets are penalized more heavily than models containing many significant parameter
estimates based on an orthogonal data matrix.
The procedure ICOMP as presented by Bozdogan [11] is based on the structural
complexity of a set of random vectors via a generalization of the information-based
covariance complexity index of van Emden [28].
For a general multivariate linear or nonlinear model defined by

\[ \text{Statistical model} = \text{Signal} + \text{Noise} \]

ICOMP is designed to estimate a loss function [11] (difference between the esti-
mated model and the true model)

\[ \text{Loss} = \text{Lack of Fit} + \text{Lack of Parsimony} + \text{Presence of Complexity} \]

\( ICOMP_0 \) is defined as

\[
ICOMP_0 = -2 \log L(\hat{\theta}) + 2 C_0(\Sigma_{\hat{\theta}}) \\
C_0(\Sigma_{\hat{\theta}}) = \frac{1}{2} \log (\text{tr} (\Sigma)) - \frac{1}{2} \log (|\Sigma|)
\] (3) (4)

where \( \hat{\theta} \) is the estimated parameters of the model and the estimated residual variance
and co-variances, \( k \) is the number of estimated free parameters in the model and \( \Sigma_{\hat{\theta}} \)
is the estimated covariance matrix of the model parameters and residuals. \( ICOMP_0 \)
is not invariant under orthogonal transformations [28] but it is invariant with respect
to scalar multiplication and orthogonal transformation. Bozdogan [6] [8] [9] shows
that the maximal informational complexity of $\Sigma_{\hat{\theta}}$, $ICOMP (C_1(\Sigma_{\hat{\theta}}))$, solves the above problem of $ICOMP_0$. $ICOMP (C_1(\Sigma_{\hat{\theta}}))$ is defined as

$$ ICOMP(C_1(\Sigma_{\hat{\theta}})) = -2\log L(\hat{\theta}) + 2C_1(\Sigma_{\hat{\theta}}) \quad (5) $$

$$ C_1(\Sigma_{\hat{\theta}}) = \max_T C_0(\Sigma_{\hat{\theta}}) \quad (6) $$

$$ = \frac{p}{2} \log \left( \frac{tr(\Sigma_{\hat{\theta}})}{p} \right) - \frac{1}{2} \log (|\Sigma_{\hat{\theta}}|) \quad (7) $$

where the maximum (in equation 6) is taken over orthonormal transformation $T$ of the overall coordinate systems of the parameters and $p$ is the dimension of $\Sigma_{\hat{\theta}}$. $ICOMP(\text{IFIM})$ is defined as

$$ ICOMP(\text{IFIM}) = -2\log L(\hat{\theta}) + 2C_1(F^{-1}(\theta_k)) \quad (8) $$

Where $C_1(F^{-1})$ is the maximal information complexity of $F^{-1}$, the inverse of the estimated Fisher Information matrix. $F^{-1}$ gives a scalar measure of the Cramer-Rao lower bound matrix which takes into account the accuracy of the estimated parameters and implicitly adjusts for the number of free parameters included in the model (Cramer [13]) and (Rao [18] [20] [19]).

The use of $F^{-1}$ in the information-theoretic model evaluation criteria takes into account the fact that as we increase the number of free parameters in a model, the accuracy of the parameter estimates decreases.

The measure based on $F^{-1}$ is preferred based on the principle of parsimony, $ICOMP$ (IFIM) chooses simpler models that provide more accurate and efficient parameter estimates over more complex, over specified models.

We note that the trace of IFIM in the complexity measure involves only the diagonal elements; analogous to variances, while the determinant involves the off diagonal elements; analogous to covariances. Therefore, $ICOMP$ (IFIM) contrasts the trace and the determinant of IFIM, and this amounts to a comparison of the geometric and arithmetic means of the eigenvalues of IFIM given by

$$ ICOMP(\text{IFIM}) = -2\log L(\hat{\theta}) + 2{s} \log \left( \frac{\lambda_a}{\lambda_g} \right) \quad (9) $$

where $s = \text{dim}(F^{-1}(\theta_k)) = \text{rank}(F^{-1}(\theta_k))$
\( \lambda_a \) is the arithmetic mean of eigenvalues values of \( F^{-1} \) and \( \lambda_g \) is the geometric mean of eigenvalues of \( F^{-1} \). The first component of ICOMP (IFIM) is a measure of the fit of the model where as the second component measures the complexity of the estimated inverse of the Fisher Information matrix.

The greatest simplicity, that is zero complexity, is achieved when \( F^{-1} \) is proportional to the identity matrix, implying that the parameters are orthogonal and can be estimated with equal precision. In this sense, parameter orthogonality, several forms of parameter redundancy, and parameter stability are all taken into account [11].

4.3 Complexity and collinearity

In a multiple regression model collinearity refers to a situation where the design matrix is ill-conditioned. This is a situation where two or more of the explanatory variables are linearly related or very nearly linearly related. Silvey [23].

This poses a problem because as the explanatory variables become more highly correlated, it becomes more and more difficult to determine which of the explanatory variables is actually accounting for the variation in response variable.

According to Thiart [26], “collinearity cannot be described in simple terms as being present or absent. Rather, what is important is the degree and what effect this degree can have on the regression model.”

In a paper by Clark and Troskie [27] the authors through a simulation study submitted that “as the collinearity levels in the design matrix increased, the agreement percentages for all of the information criteria decreased monotonically”. Agreement percentage refers to the number of times the selection criterion under study (AIC, BIC and ICOMP) agree with the KL decision or the number of times the selected model using these criteria approximates the true data generating process (i.e chose the correct model). This means that collinearity directly affect the performance of information criterion.

It is not difficult to see that complexity and multicollinearity in linear regression models move in the same direction. For instance, in a regression model where the design matrix have highly correlated explanatory variables, we expect the covariance
and correlation matrix of the regressors to have large covariances and significant correlation values respectively. By extension we expect the covariance matrix of the parameter estimates to have large values.

5 COLLINEARITY AND MULTIPLE INDEX MODELS

In this section we highlight the use of model selection technique in stock market data analysis and discuss the presence and the effect of collinearity in this type of analysis. We then compare the performance of AIC and BIC with that of ICOMP in selecting variables in the context of multiple index models.

5.1 Sharpe’s Multiple Index Model

In the context of stock market data analysis a multiple index model is simply a multiple regression model that attempts to capture some of the non-market influences that causes stocks to move together.

Covariances between security returns (in the same market or economy) tend to be positive because the same economic forces affect the fortunes of many firms. The approach tries to use indices that are not too correlated with the market index to capture additional information relevant to shares that were not contained in the market index. In contrast if we summarize all relevant economic factors by one indicator and assume that it moves all the shares in the market as a whole we will have a single Index Model.

Sharpe’s Multiple Index Model can be written as [3]

\[ R_{it} = \alpha_i + \beta_1 I_{i1} + \beta_2 I_{i2} + \cdots + \beta_m I_{im} + e_{it}, \quad i = 1, \cdots, m, t = 1, \cdots, n \]  

(10)

Where \( R_{it} \) is the return of stock \( i \) in period \( t \), \( \alpha_i \) the unique expected return of security \( i \), \( \beta_{i1} \) the sensitivity of stock \( i \) to market variable \( I \), \( I_{it} \) the return on the market variable in period \( t \), and \( e_{it} \) is the unique risky return of security \( i \) in period \( t \) with the following assumptions.
\[ E(e_i) = 0, \quad \forall i \]
\[ E(e_i^2) = \sigma_i^2, \quad \forall i \]
\[ E(e_ie_is) = 0, \quad t \neq s, \quad s = 1, \cdots, n \]
\[ E(e_itI_{jt}) = 0, \quad j = 1, \cdots, m, \quad t = 1, \cdots, n \]
\[ E(e_ie_{jt}) = 0, \quad t = 1, \cdots, n, \quad i \neq j \]
\[ \text{Cov}(I_{jt}I_{kt}) = c_{jk}, \quad j, k = 1, \cdots, m \]

One of the major uses of the multi-Index model is to supply inputs for the Markowitz portfolio selection procedure. Markowitz’s procedure involves constructing an efficient portfolio by minimizing the portfolio’s risk for every level of expected returns. The number of estimates required for the Markowitz procedure using the index model is only a fraction of what otherwise will be needed [3].

To use Sharpe’s multiple index model in a Markowitz procedure it is often necessary to trim down the number of indices to be used to predict the return, variance and co-variances of securities. This is because we are interested in only the important variables (factors) that can explain the variation in the stock movement. This is a typical model selection problem.

We often have a wide range of indices (economic factors) to choose from in order to model security returns. In most cases we cannot rule out dependences (collinearity) between these economic variables. Traditionally AIC and other AIC type selection criteria is used to trim down the economic variables.

In this mini thesis we compare the performance of AIC and BIC with that of selection criteria that penalizes the model based on the complexity of the parameter estimates and residual covariance matrix. First we demonstrate the presence of collinearity in this type of problem and discuss the implications.

5.2 Detecting multicollinearity (using VIF)

As stated earlier, multicollinearity cannot be described in simple terms as being present or absent the important thing is the degree and the effect of this degree
has on the regression model. There is no test that can state for sure if it is a problem or not. There are however many warning signals. The Variance Inflation Factor (VIF) is one measure that can be used to quantify the degree of collinearity in a data set. Let $H$ = the set of all the $X$ (independent) variables including the intercept in a linear regression model. Let $G_k$ = the set of all the $X$ variables except $X_k$. The formula for standard errors of the coefficient $\beta_k$ is then

$$\text{var}(\hat{\beta_k}) = \frac{\sigma^2}{(n-1)\text{var}(X_k)} \cdot \frac{1}{1 - R^2_k}$$

where $R^2_k$ is the multiple $R^2$ for the regression of $X_k$ on the other explanatory variables. This means that the bigger the value of $R^2_k$ (i.e. the more highly correlated $X_k$ is with the other explanatory variables) the larger the standard error will be.

Also, $1 - R^2_k$ is referred to as the tolerance of $X_k$. A tolerance close to 1 suggests that there is little multicollinearity in the design matrix, whereas a value close to 0 suggests that multicollinearity may be present.

The reciprocal of the tolerance is known as the Variance Inflation Factor (VIF). The VIF shows us how much the variance of the coefficient estimate is being inflated due to multicollinearity.

The square root of the VIF tells us how much larger the standard error is, compared with what it would be if that variable were uncorrelated with the other X variables in the regression equation. There are other ways of detecting multicollinearity which include

1. None of the t-ratios for the individual coefficients is statistically significant, yet the overall F statistic is.

2. Instability of the regression coefficients for different samples and different variables in the regression equation.

For the purpose of this thesis however we will make use of VIF (There are other methods suggested by Belsley, Kuh, and Welsch [2], like Singular value decomposition, Conditional index and Variance decomposition proportions). As a general rule, when VIF is greater than 10 multicollinearity is considered to be a problem (Belsley, Kuh,
5.3 Multicollinearity and relevant JSE economic factors

To establish the presence of multicollinearity in a multiple index problem using the JSE as a case study, we select ten economic indicators (factors or indices) that can help model the returns (calculated using equation 12) of top 50 stocks on the Johannesburg Stock Exchange (JSE).

\[ r_i = \log \left( \frac{P_i}{P_{i-1}} \right) \]  

(12)

where \( P_i \) is the price of the stock on day \( i \). We make use of monthly data between January 2001 and July 2009. The selected variables are

- J203 : All Share Index
- J200 : Top 40 shares on the JSE ( Tradable)
- J835 : JSE-Banks (Index containing bank shares)
- J211: JSE-INDI (Index containing Industrial shares)
- J210: JSE-RES (Index containing resources shares)
- GOLD: Gold Price (Gold price in Rand)
- JSEEX: ZAR/USD (Rand dollar exchange rates)
- R153: Yeild on rand denominated South African government bond maturing 31 August 2011
- DJT: DJ-Trans (Dow Jones transport index)
- SP500: Standard and Poor 500 index (USA)

1This data was provided by Prof Troskie (Statistics Department UCT) and Terry Steward (Mathematics Finance Student UCT).
5.4 Effects of Multicollinearity in Multiple index Models

5.4.1 Methodology

The log returns of the variables were used in the analysis. First we compute the variance covariance matrix of the variables as presented below. The problem with using correlation matrix alone is that it can only reveal pairwise correlations. We went further to calculate the VIF of each variable by regressing it against other explanatory variables. For example to get the VIF for J203 (JSE All Share Index) we estimate the regression equation

\[
J203 = \alpha + \beta_{J200}X_{J200} + \beta_{J835}X_{J835} + \beta_{J211}X_{J211} + \beta_{J210}X_{J210} + \beta_{GOLD}X_{GOLD} \\
+ \beta_{JSEEX}X_{JSEEX} + \beta_{R135}X_{R135} + \beta_{DJT}X_{DJT} + \beta_{SP500}X_{SP500} + \epsilon
\]

The \( R^2 \) value of this regression equation is used in the formulae

\[
VIF_{J203} = \frac{1}{1 - R^2_{J203}} \tag{13}
\]

Table 1 shows the correlation matrix of the factors.

Table 1: CORRELATION MATRIX FOR FACTORS

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5.4.2 Findings

With the correlation matrix we note that some of the variable are highly correlated, for example the correlation between some of the market indices are in the order of 0.9.

The VIF figures show the levels of collinearity in the factors, we can infer from the VIF figures that four (namely J203, J200, J211 and J210) out of the ten variable have VIF values greater than 10.

In the last column we have the square root of the VIF’s. The square root of the variance inflation factor tells us how much larger the standard error is, compared with what it would be if that variable were uncorrelated with the other independent variables in the regression equation. The variables written with bold font (in table 2) have multicollinearity problems and can therefore inflate the standard errors in the regression and more importantly give unstable or inaccurate values of beta.

5.5 Implications of the presence of collinearity in portfolio analysis

In a case of severe multicollinearity the issue of unstable or incorrect parameter estimates is very important. This is because in a situation where we are interested in using Sharpe’s Multiple Index Model to get input estimates for a Markowitz portfolio selection problem, unstable parameter estimates implies that the estimated mean, variance and covariances obtained from the selected model can be erroneous.
The value of beta for each economic factor tells us the sensitivity of the security returns to changes in this factor. In the presence of multicollinearity these beta estimates may be highly inaccurate.

There are cases where we are interested in constructing a factor portfolio. This is a well diversified portfolio constructed to have a beta of one on one of the factors and a beta of zero on any other factor. With severe multicollinearity it is difficult to construct such portfolios.

6 MODEL SELECTION, COLLINEARITY AND MULTIPLE INDEX MODELS

6.1 Justification of analysis

To get input estimates for a Markowitz portfolio selection procedure using multiple index models we need to select important variables for the model that will be used to estimate the mean, variance and covariance of security returns.

In the last section we established the presence and the effect of multicollinearity in stock market regression analysis, specifically for Sharpe’s Multiple Index Models. In this section we go on to highlight the importance of using a model selection criteria that penalizes interdependences between factors in a model. When this type of selection criteria is used as argued earlier it will select models in such a way that the design matrix is as orthogonal as possible.

The next analysis compares the performance of AIC, BIC and ICOM(IFIM) in selecting important variables for modeling security returns vis-a-vis the result of the multicollinearity levels reported in the last analysis.

In addition to data on economic factors used in the last analysis we collected monthly data on the top 50 Stocks on the JSE.
6.1.1 Methodology

To carry out the analysis we included the R package “icomp” that computes $ICOMP_1$ using complexity of the estimated inverse of the Fisher Information matrix as the penalty term. We also included the R package “MuMIn” that has the function “drege” which selects variables for a given criteria using all possible regression procedure.

The log returns of the securities are used as the dependent variable in each case. The log returns of the factors are used as the explanatory variables. The drege routine in R is used to select the set of variables that minimizes $AIC$, $BIC$ and $ICOMP_1$ using the all possible regression procedure.

Table 3 below displays the model selected when using all possible regressions for $AIC$, $BIC$ and $ICOMP_1$ for some of the shares. A detailed table that shows selected models using Forward, Backward and Stepwise procedure for AIC and BIC is included in the appendix.

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6.1.2 Findings (Selected model)

Refer to table 3
• ICOMP avoids selection of variables with high correlation values in the same model. For instance, ICOMP never selects J200 and J203 in the same model. These factors yield the highest pair wise correlation values and VIF figures.

• In most cases the $R^2$ for the selected model using ICOMP and the one using AIC or BIC are more or less the same. This implies that ICOMP selects models that explain as much variation in the dependent variable as AIC and BIC while minimising the Covariance complexity of the estimated parameters.

• BIC tend to select the model with the minimum complexity (dimension) in terms of the number of factors selected while ICOMP tend to select the model with the maximum complexity (dimension). On the other hand ICOMP selects the model with the minimum complexity in terms of interdependences of parameter estimates out of the three selection criterion.

Table 4: ANALYSIS ON SELECTED MODELS

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To highlight the difference in levels of collinearity in models selected by AIC and BIC compared to the one selected by ICOMP (IFIM), we selected two cases using AMS.
6.1.3 Findings (Collinearity levels)

Refer to table 4 above

- As stated earlier the amount of variation explained by the three selected models are more or less the same. However ICOMP selected a more complex model in terms of number of variables than AIC and BIC for both cases.

- In the first case (AMS), there is no worrisome level of collinearity ($VIF < 10$) in the model selected by the three criteria. However in the second case (BVT), the level of collinearity in the design matrix selected by AIC and BIC is high ($VIF > 10$) compared to the one selected by ICOMP ($VIF < 10$).

6.2 Discussion on models selected by AIC, BIC and ICOMP and implications in portfolio analysis

From the above findings it is clear that the models selected by AIC and BIC tend to have higher level of collinearity in the design matrix than the one selected by ICOMP. It is also safe to say that the model selected by ICOMP has more orthogonal design matrix than the one selected by AIC and BIC. This means that the parameter estimates for model selected by ICOMP is more stable than the one selected by AIC and BIC due to the possibility of high level of collinearity in the model selected by the later especially when AIC and BIC do not agree with ICOMP. The submissions above are only valid for the data collected because it is difficult to generalize this result without conducting a simulation study. This could be considered for future work.

Stable parameter estimates implies the estimated response of the security to changes in the factors when the effect of other factors is taken into consideration is more accurate.
In this section we apply the definition of information complexity to portfolio risk management. According to Markowitz [17] the two important parameters to be considered by investor is the returns and the volatility (risk) of the portfolio. One of the ways of reducing the volatility (risk) of portfolio returns is to ensure that the portfolio is well diversified. Diversification involves making investments in a wide variety of assets in an effort to minimize risk, it is one of the core objectives for combining assets in a portfolio. Having investments in securities with unrelated sources of variation reduces the chances of the constituents of the portfolio moving in the same direction (either loss or gain) at any given point in time thereby reducing the overall risk of the portfolio.

Basically we investigate the effect differences in levels of interdependences among securities that makes up a portfolio has on its diversification and consequently its risk.

1.1 Measures of Diversification

Traditionally the extent to which a portfolio is diversified is measured relative to the market index. This involves regressing portfolio returns against the returns of the market index and finding the variance of the portfolio returns. The total risk of a portfolio can be partitioned into Systematic risk (or market risk) and unsystematic
risk (or Firm specific risk), i.e

\[ TOTAL RISK = SYSTEMATIC RISK + FIRMSPECIFIC RISK \]  \hspace{1cm} (14)

where firm specific risk is also referred to as diversifiable risk. The diversifiable risk is then taken as a measure of diversification of the portfolio because it represents the component of the portfolio’s risk that can be eliminated through diversification. Thus the smaller unsystematic risk component the more diversified the portfolio [3].

It has been argued that this traditional method has a serious flaw in that it measures diversification relative to market index. What happens if the market index itself is not appropriately diversified? In smaller markets where concentration\(^2\) is potentially high, measuring diversification relative to the market index will give biased results. What is needed to measure diversification concept cleanly is a measure which is independent of the overall market index. A well diversified portfolio is one in which the return and subsequently the risk arises from as many independent (unrelated) sources as possible (D. Bradfield et al. [12]).

Alexander Rudin and Jonathan Morgan [21] proposed a measure of diversification that is based on the number of independent factors observed in a portfolio. These factors are quantified using Principal Component Analysis (PCA) and they are called Portfolio Diversification Index (PDI). The procedure to be followed to calculate PDI are

- The required data is the current composition on stock level and a return history of stocks held in the portfolio.
- The time series of returns is then multiplied multiplied by their respective weights for each of the N stocks
- PCA is then conducted on the covariance matrix of the series to quantify all uncorrelated sources of risk and their relative magnitudes.

\(^2\)Concentration of a portfolio refers to the extent to which portfolio weights moves away from an equally weighted distribution of securities in the portfolio.
• The factors are ordered in terms of magnitude of (using their eigenvalues) from the highest to the lowest.

This is then substituted into the following formula

\[ PDI = 2 \sum_{k=1}^{N} k\lambda_k - 1 \]  

(15)

Where \(N\) is the number of assets, \(\lambda_k\) is the percentage contribution of stock \(k\) to total volatility.

PDI is the balancing point of independent factors thus [12]

• For a completely undiversified portfolio which is dominated by a single factor the PDI is 1

• For a completely diversified portfolio the PDI is \(N\)

• The smaller the PDI measure the less diversified the portfolio.

The main idea is that a well diversified portfolio should have many equal sources of volatility emanating from several uncorrelated factors [12].

1.2 Relationship between diversification and complexity

1.2.1 Definition of Covariance complexity

Informational complexity of a covariance matrix \(\Sigma\) for the multivariate normal distribution with random variables \(x_1, \cdots, x_p\) is defined in equation (6) (Note however that here the formulae is being applied on the covariance matrix of the returns and not the covariance matrix of estimated linear model parameters). where \(\sigma_{jj}\) is the \(j^{th}\) diagonal element of \(\Sigma\) and \(p\) is the dimension of \(\Sigma\). Note that \(C_0(\Sigma) = 0\) when \(\Sigma\) is a diagonal matrix. (i.e., if the variables are linearly independent). \(C_0(\Sigma)\) is infinite if any one of the variables may be expressed as a linear function of the others (\(|\Sigma| = 0\)).

If \(\theta = \theta_1, \cdots, \theta_p\) is a normal random vector with covariance matrix equal to \(\Sigma(\theta)\) then \(C_0(\Sigma(\theta))\) is simply the KL distance between the multivariate normal density of \(\theta\) and the product of the marginal densities of the components of \(\theta\).
1.2.2 Maximum Covariance complexity

A maximal information theoretic measure of complexity of a covariance matrix $\Sigma$ of a multivariate normal distribution is as defined in equations (6) and (7). $C_1(\Sigma)$ is an upper bound to $C_0(\Sigma)$ and it measures both the inequality among the variances and the contribution of the covariances in $\Sigma$ (van Emden [28]). This measure of complexity provides a numerical measure to assess redundancy and stability uniquely all in one measure. We can re-write equation (7) as

$$C_1(\Sigma) = \frac{p}{2} \log \left( \frac{\lambda_a}{\lambda_g} \right)$$

(Note that equation (16) is equivalent to $C_1(\Sigma)$ equation (9) provided $s = p$ i.e, $\Sigma$ is of full rank) where $\lambda_a$ and $\lambda_g$ are the arithmetic mean and geometric mean of eigenvalues of $\Sigma$. Hence we interpret complexity as the log ratio between the arithmetic and the geometric mean of the eigenvalues of $\Sigma$. It measures how unequal the eigenvalues of $\Sigma$ are, and incorporates the two simplest scalar measures of multivariate scatter, namely the trace and the determinant into a single function.

In general high values of complexity indicate a high interaction between variables and a low value of complexity indicates less interaction between variables. The minimum of $C_1(\Sigma)$ corresponds to the least complex structure. In other words $C_1(\Sigma)$ approaches zero as $\Sigma$ approaches the identity matrix.

We can therefore say that orthogonal designs or linear models with no collinearity are the least complex therefore the identity matrix is the only matrix for which the complexity vanishes, otherwise $C_1(\Sigma) > 0$ (Bozdogan [11]).

We note that the correlation matrix can also be used to describe complexity. If we wish to show the interdependences (correlations) among variables we can transform the covariances to a correlation matrix.

1.2.3 PDI and Complexity Measure

PDI as defined earlier gives us the number of independent sources of variation in a portfolio. While the covariance complexity formula $C_1(\Sigma)$ carried out on the covari-
ance matrix of portfolios measures the degree of dependences among the securities that make up the portfolio.

The proposition here is that PDI and the complexity measure are two sides of the same coin. While PDI counts the number of independent factors in the portfolio complexity measure assigns a number to the degree of dependences among the dependent factors in a portfolio.

Intuitively we expect that a portfolio with a high PDI will consequently have a low Complexity measure. That is, as the number of independent factors driving variation in a portfolio returns increase the degree of dependency of all factors in the portfolio will decrease and vice versa.

A closer look may reveal that this may not necessarily be the case, as an alternative argument will be that number of independent sources of variation in a portfolio and degree of dependency among dependent sources of variation in a portfolio may not give the same rankings when applied to a set of portfolios. For example, if we have two portfolios A and B that have exactly two independent factors accounting for the variation in the portfolio and contains a total of 10 factors. PDI will return a value close to two for both portfolio but these may not necessarily mean that the complexity measure for the two portfolios will be the same. If the degree of dependence among the dependent factors in the two portfolios is different then we expect that the complexity measure for the two portfolios will be different.

Since the complexity measure like PDI is independent of the market index and going by the argument that increases in complexity of a portfolio should translate to decreases in its PDI, we rank a set of portfolios according to their PDI and complexity measure and discussed the result in the next section.

2 DIVERSIFICATION AND COMPLEXITY MEASURE OF PORTFOLIOS USING JSEDATA

Using JSEDATA used in the last analysis we formed six portfolios of shares in the following ways. The securities used are from the top 50 shares. The market weights
used are security weights at the end of the period (JULY 2009). These weights are kept constant for the whole period.

- Portfolio of randomly selected shares across sectors with market weights (Portfolio 1)
- Portfolio of randomly selected shares across sectors with equal weights (Portfolio 2)
- Portfolio of financial securities market weights (Portfolio 3)
- Portfolio of financial securities equal weights (Portfolio 4)
- Portfolio of Resources securities market weights (Portfolio 5)
- Portfolio of Resources securities equal weights (Portfolio 6)

The rationale is to select portfolios which we expect to have different diversification index going by the PDI measure and compare the ranking of the portfolio using the PDI measure to the ranking using the Complexity measure.

The limitation is that we had to construct dummy portfolios as we do not have access to data on weight of actual (real life) portfolios.

2.1 Methodology

The portfolios were formed by multiplying the rebalanced weights\(^3\) with the return of the shares over the period of interest. Then we conducted principal component analysis on the variance covariance matrix of the respective portfolios using an R statistical package. We calculated the PDI of each portfolio using the equation (15) for PDI given above. Equation (16) was used to calculate the complexity measure for the variance covariance matrix of each portfolio. The table 5 shows the results. First we compare complexity measure ranking to diversification ranking (as measured by PDI) of the portfolio. We then draw conclusions on the relationship between the

\(^3\)Rebalanced weights were calculated by adding up the percentage market capitalization of each stock and rebalancing it such that the total portfolio weight sum up to one.
complexity of the portfolio and its measure of concentration. In general it is expected that diversification measured by PDI and Concentration measured by the formula given below should move in opposite directions.

\[ Concentration = \sum_{i=1}^{N} w_i^2 \]  

(17)

where \( w_i \) is the weight of share \( i \) in the index.
### Table 5: Dummy Portfolio Composition and Concentration

| Shares | Market Weight | Equal Weight
|--------|---------------|---------------|
|        | Weight $W_{\text{eq}}$ | Weight $W_{\text{eq}}$
| MSM    | 0.03          | 0.11          |
| APN    | 0.06          | 0.11          |
| CFR    | 0.24          | 0.11          |
| SHF    | 0.04          | 0.11          |
| TBS    | 0.06          | 0.11          |
| NTC    | 0.04          | 0.11          |
| SAB    | 0.07          | 0.11          |
| BVT    | 0.08          | 0.11          |
| SOL    | 0.36          | 0.11          |
| Conc   | 0.2098        | 0.11          |

### FINANCIAL SECURITIES

| Shares | Market Weight | Equal Weight
|--------|---------------|---------------|
|        | Weight $W_{\text{eq}}$ | Weight $W_{\text{eq}}$
| ABL    | 0.07          | 0.143         |
| ASA    | 0.25          | 0.143         |
| FSR    | 0.28          | 0.143         |
| INP    | 0.07          | 0.143         |
| NED    | 0.19          | 0.143         |
| RMH    | 0.1           | 0.143         |
| SBK    | 0.04          | 0.143         |
| Conc   | 0.1984        | 0.11          |

### RESOURCES SECURITIES

| Shares | Market Weight | Equal Weight
|--------|---------------|---------------|
|        | Weight $W_{\text{eq}}$ | Weight $W_{\text{eq}}$
| AGL    | 0.28          | 0.11          |
| AMS    | 0.12          | 0.11          |
| ARI    | 0.02          | 0.11          |
| ANG    | 0.07          | 0.11          |
| BIL    | 0.33          | 0.11          |
| GFI    | 0.05          | 0.11          |
| HAR    | 0.02          | 0.11          |
| IMP    | 0.08          | 0.11          |
| LON    | 0.03          | 0.11          |
| Conc   | 0.2172        | 0.11          |

Conc stands for concentration.
### Table 5: PDI, COMPLEXITY AND CONCENTRATION RANKINGS FOR PORTFOLIOS

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### Table 6: RANK CORRELATION MATRIX OF PORTFOLIOS’ PDI, COMPLEXITY and CONC

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### 2.2 Findings

- As far as pairwise comparison is concerned between market weighted portfolios and the corresponding equally weighted portfolio (1 and 2, 3 and 4, 5 and 6) all the rankings agree. The equally weighted portfolio is less concentrated, more diversified and less complex than their market weighted counterparts.

- Although the Concentration and PDI tend to move in opposite direction Complexity measure agrees perfectly in terms of ranking with concentration across all portfolios. The rank correlation value of one in table 6 highlights this finding.

- The PDI measure and the complexity measure agree for all the other portfolios except for portfolio 3 and 5 (resources and financial securities market weight respectively). This implies that the complexity measure and PDI measure for portfolios do not always agree as argued earlier.

- For equally weighted portfolios the PDI and the complexity rankings agree. This suggests that provided the weights of securities in a portfolio is uniformly distributed an increase in diversification results in lower complexity. On the other
hand PDI and complexity ranking do not agree when market weights are used. Hence the less than perfect negative rank correlation between complexity and PDI on one hand and complexity and concentration on the other hand is as a result of market weighted portfolios.

2.3 Implications of findings

We could conclude from the first point above, that market weighted portfolios on the JSE tend to be less diversified and more complex (i.e has higher level of dependency among shares) than their equally weighted counterparts. This is due to the concentration in the JSE where resources shares dominate the market (Concentration is generally prevalent in emerging markets [12]).

We also note that if security weights are uniformly distributed in a portfolio, our initial proposition that diversification is negatively correlated with complexity measure is true for the set of data used in this analysis. This is however not the case when portfolio weights moves away from uniform distribution. Looking at the concentration ranking we note that portfolio 5 has the highest concentration of all the portfolios. Though portfolio 5 is more diversified than portfolio 1 and 3 it is more complex than the latter because of the effect of the distribution of its weights. It should however be noted that in this analysis portfolio weights are not real.

2.4 Conclusion

In stock market analysis, ICOMP select models that explains as much variation in securities returns as AIC type criteria. However, in contrast to AIC type criteria it selects models with more stable parameters by penalizing the interdependencies among the explanatory variables. Using the penalty term of ICOMP to measure complexity in the covariance matrix of a portfolio gives us a new way of looking at the diversification of a portfolio. While PDI counts the number of independent sources of variation in a portfolio, we could use complexity measure to quantify the level of interdependency among the securities in the portfolio. We found (within the
scope of data collected for this mini thesis) that provided the securities weights are evenly distributed a portfolio with a high number of independent sources of variation has low interdependency within its shares.
References


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FORWARD, BACKWARD, STEPWISE AND ALL POSSIBLE REGRESSION PROCEDURE FOR AIC

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setwd("C:\")
StockData<-read.csv(file="Top50Monthly(2).csv",header=TRUE);
#For each stock
n=nrow(StockData);
m=ncol(StockData);
J203=StockData[1:n,45];
J200=StockData[1:n,46];
J835=StockData[1:n,47];
J211=StockData[1:n,48];
J210=StockData[1:n,49];
GOLD=StockData[1:n,50];
JSEEX=StockData[1:n,51];
R153=StockData[1:n,52];
DJT=StockData[1:n,53];
SP500=StockData[1:n,54];
#Forward procedure
for (i in 1:k){
  fitforward[i]=step(lm(StockData[1:n,i]~1),StockData[1:n,i]~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500, direction = "forward")
}
#ANOVA for forward Procedure
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,1] ~ J835));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,2] ~ J203+GOLD+J835+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,3] ~ J211+JSEEX));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,4] ~ J210+GOLD+SP500));
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summary(lm(StockData[1:n,13] ~ J210+GOLD+SP500+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500, direction = "forward")
}
#Backward procedure
for (i in 1:k)
  fitbackward[i]=step(lm(StockData[1:n,i]~1),StockData[1:n,i]~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500, direction = "backward")
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#Anova for Backward Procedure

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summary(lm(StockData[1:n,12] ~ J210+GOLD+SP500+JSEEX+R153+DJT));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,13] ~ J210+GOLD+SP500+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500, direction = "backward")
}
for (i in 1:k){
  fitbackward[i]=step(lm(StockData[1:n,i]~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),direction = "backward");
}

for (i in 1:k){
  forbackward[i]=step(lm(StockData[1:n,i]~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),direction = "forward");
}
fitStepwise[i]=step(lm(StockData[1:n,i]~1),StockData[i:n,i]~J203+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500, direction = "both")

### ANOVA for Stepwise Procedure

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summary(lm(StockData[1:n,11] ~ SP500+J203));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,12] ~ J211+JSEEX+GOLD+SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,13] ~ J211+DJT+J210));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,14] ~ J835));
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summary(lm(StockData[1:n,17] ~ J210+SP500+GOLD));
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summary(lm(StockData[1:n,19] ~ J835+J211+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,20] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+DJT+J210));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,21] ~ J835+J211+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,22] ~ SP500+GOLD+J211+J200+J210));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,23] ~ J835));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,24] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,25] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,26] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,27] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,28] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,29] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,30] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,31] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,32] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,33] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));
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summary(lm(StockData[1:n,35] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,36] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,37] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,38] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,39] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,40] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,41] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,42] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,43] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,44] ~ J211+JSEEX+J210+JSEEX+R153));

#All possible

ABL=StockData[1:n,1];
ACL=StockData[1:n,2];
AEG=StockData[1:n,3];
AGL=StockData[1:n,4];
AMS=StockData[1:n,5];
ASA=StockData[1:n,6];
ARI=StockData[1:n,7];
ANG=StockData[1:n,8];
APN=StockData[1:n,9];
BIL=StockData[1:n,10];
CFR=StockData[1:n,11];
DDT=StockData[1:n,12];
DSY=StockData[1:n,13];
FSR=StockData[1:n,14];

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GFI=StockData[,1:n,15];
GRT=StockData[,1:n,16];
HAR=StockData[,1:n,17];
IMP=StockData[,1:n,18];
IPL=StockData[,1:n,19];
INP=StockData[,1:n,20];
LBH=StockData[,1:n,21];
LBT=StockData[,1:n,22];
LON=StockData[,1:n,23];
MSM=StockData[,1:n,24];
MTN=StockData[,1:n,25];
MUR=StockData[,1:n,26];
NPN=StockData[,1:n,27];
NED=StockData[,1:n,28];
NTC=StockData[,1:n,29];
OML=StockData[,1:n,30];
PIK=StockData[,1:n,31];
PPC=StockData[,1:n,32];
REM=StockData[,1:n,33];
RMH=StockData[,1:n,34];
SAB=StockData[,1:n,35];
SLM=StockData[,1:n,36];
SAP=StockData[,1:n,37];
SDL=StockData[,1:n,38];
SHP=StockData[,1:n,39];
SHV=StockData[,1:n,40];
SHP=StockData[,1:n,41];
BVT=StockData[,1:n,42];
THB=StockData[,1:n,43];
THP=StockData[,1:n,44];
J203=StockData[,1:n,45];
J200=StockData[,1:n,46];
J835=StockData[,1:n,47];
J211=StockData[,1:n,48];
J210=StockData[,1:n,49];
DJT=StockData[,1:n,50];
JSEEX=StockData[,1:n,51];
R153=StockData[,1:n,52];
DJT=StockData[,1:n,53];
SP500=StockData[,1:n,54];

#ABL
v=dredge(lm(ABL~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),eval=TRUE,rank="AIC")
w=attributes(v)
k=Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);

#ACL
v=dredge(lm(ACL~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),eval=TRUE,rank="AIC")
w=attributes(v)
k=Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);

#AEG
v=dredge(lm(AEG~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),eval=TRUE,rank="AIC")
w=attributes(v)
k=Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);

#AGL
v=dredge(lm(AGL~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),eval=TRUE,rank="AIC")
w=attributes(v)
k=Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);

#AMS
v=dredge(lm(AMS~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),eval=TRUE,rank="AIC")
w=attributes(v)
k=Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);

#BGL
v=dredge(lm(BGL~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),eval=TRUE,rank="AIC")
w=attributes(v)
k=Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);

#BHS
v=dredge(lm(BHS~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),eval=TRUE,rank="AIC")
w=attributes(v)
k=Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);
k = Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);

# IMP
v = dredge(lm(IMP~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500), eval=TRUE, rank="AIC")

# IPL
v = dredge(lm(IPL~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500), eval=TRUE, rank="AIC")

# INP
v = dredge(lm(INP~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500), eval=TRUE, rank="AIC")

# LBH
v = dredge(lm(LBH~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500), eval=TRUE, rank="AIC")

# LBT
v = dredge(lm(LBT~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500), eval=TRUE, rank="AIC")

# LON
v = dredge(lm(LON~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500), eval=TRUE, rank="AIC")

# MSM
v = dredge(lm(MSM~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500), eval=TRUE, rank="AIC")

# MTN
v = dredge(lm(MTN~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500), eval=TRUE, rank="AIC")

# MUR
v = dredge(lm(MUR~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500), eval=TRUE, rank="AIC")

# NPN
v = dredge(lm(NPN~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500), eval=TRUE, rank="AIC")

# NED
v = dredge(lm(NED~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500), eval=TRUE, rank="AIC")

# NTC
v = dredge(lm(NTC~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500), eval=TRUE, rank="AIC")

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v=dredge(lm(OML~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),eval=TRUE,rank="AIC")
w=attributes(v)
k=Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);
k
v=dredge(lm(PIK~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),eval=TRUE,rank="AIC")
w=attributes(v)
k=Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);
k
v=dredge(lm(PPC~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),eval=TRUE,rank="AIC")
w=attributes(v)
k=Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);
k
v=dredge(lm(REM~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),eval=TRUE,rank="AIC")
w=attributes(v)
k=Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);
k
v=dredge(lm(RMH~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),eval=TRUE,rank="AIC")
w=attributes(v)
k=Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);
k
v=dredge(lm(SAB~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),eval=TRUE,rank="AIC")
w=attributes(v)
k=Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);
k
v=dredge(lm(SLM~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),eval=TRUE,rank="AIC")
w=attributes(v)
k=Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);
k
v=dredge(lm(SAP~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),eval=TRUE,rank="AIC")
w=attributes(v)
k=Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);
k
v=dredge(lm(SOL~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),eval=TRUE,rank="AIC")
w=attributes(v)
k=Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);
k
v=dredge(lm(SHP~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),eval=TRUE,rank="AIC")
w=attributes(v)
k=Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);
k
v=dredge(lm(SBK~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500),eval=TRUE,rank="AIC")
w=attributes(v)
k=Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);
k
v = dredge(lm(SHF~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500), eval=TRUE, rank="AIC")
w = attributes(v)
k = Sys.getenv(w$formulas[[1]])

v = dredge(lm(BVT~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500), eval=TRUE, rank="AIC")
w = attributes(v)
k = Sys.getenv(w$formulas[[1]])

v = dredge(lm(TBS~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500), eval=TRUE, rank="AIC")
w = attributes(v)
k = Sys.getenv(w$formulas[[1]])

v = dredge(lm(TRU~J203+J200+J835+J211+J210+GOLD+JSEEX+R153+DJT+SP500), eval=TRUE, rank="AIC")
w = attributes(v)
k = Sys.getenv(w$formulas[[1]])

summary(lm(StockData[1:n,1] ~ DJT + J200 + J203 + J835));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,2] ~ GOLD + J835 + R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,3] ~ DJT + J200 + J203 + JSEEX + R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,4] ~ GOLD + J210 + SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,5] ~ DJT + GOLD + J210 + SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,6] ~ GOLD + J200 + J203 + J210 + J835));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,7] ~ DJT + J200 + JSEEX + SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,8] ~ GOLD + J203 + J211 + J835 + R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,9] ~ J200 + J203 + J210 + JSEEX));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,10] ~ DJT + J200 + J210 + JSEEX));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,11] ~ J200 + SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,12] ~ GOLD + J211 + JSEEX + R153 + SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,13] ~ J200 + J210 + J835 + JSEEX + SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,14] ~ J200 + J210 + J211 + JSEEX));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,15] ~ GOLD + J210 + JSEEX + SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,16] ~ J200 + J203 + J210 + R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,17] ~ GOLD + J210 + J211 + SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,18] ~ GOLD + J210 + J211 + SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,19] ~ DJT + GOLD + J835 + R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,20] ~ DJT + J200 + J210 + J835 + SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,21] ~ J200 + J210 + J211 + J835 + JSEEX + SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,22] ~ J200 + J210 + J211));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,23] ~ DJT + J200 + J210 + JSEEX + R153 + SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,24] ~ J200 + J203 + J211));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,25] ~ DJT + J200 + J210 + JSEEX + R153 + SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,26] ~ J200 + J203 + J210 + JSEEX + R153 + SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,27] ~ DJT + GOLD + J211 + JSEEX + R153 + SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,28] ~ J200 + J210 + JSEEX));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,29] ~ J200 + J210 + JSEEX));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,30] ~ J200 + J210 + JSEEX + R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,31] ~ J200 + J210 + JSEEX + JSEEX + R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,32] ~ GOLD + J210 + J211 + JSEEX + R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,33] ~ GOLD + J210 + J210 + J211 + SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,34] ~ J210));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,35] ~ J211 + JSEEX + R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,36] ~ DJT + J200 + J210 + JSEEX + R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,37] ~ DJT + J200 + J210 + J835 + R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,38] ~ J200 + R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,39] ~ J200 + J210 + JSEEX + SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,40] ~ GOLD + J210 + J211 + R153 + SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,41] ~ J200 + J210 + J211 + JSEEX + R153));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,42] ~ GOLD + J210 + J211));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,43] ~ J211 + JSEEX + SP500));
summary(lm(StockData[1:n,44] ~ J200 + J203 + J210 + R153));

The code is repeated for BIC

ICOMP ALL POSSIBLE REGRESSION CODE

library(MuMIn)
library(icomp)

#ABL
v = dredge(lm(ABL ~ J203 + J200 + J835 + J211 + J210 + GOLD + JSEEX + R153 + DJT + SP500), eval = TRUE, rank = "ICOMP.lm")
w = attributes(v)
k = Sys.getenv(w$formulas[1]);
k

The code is repeated for all the other stocks

PORTFOLIOS’ PDI AND ICOMP CODE

#Portfolio 1 Across sector market weight
MSM1 = 0.03*MSM
APN1 = 0.06*APN
CFR1 = 0.24*CFR
TBS1 = 0.06*TBS
SHF1 = 0.06*SHF
BTC1 = 0.04*BTC
SAB1 = 0.07*SAB
BVT1 = 0.08*BVT
SOL1 = 0.36*SOL
x = c(MSM1,APN1,CFR1,TBS1,SHF1,SAB1,BVT1,SOL1)
Portfolio1 = matrix(x, nrow = 103, ncol = 9)
princomp(Portfolio1)
plot(princomp(Portfolio1))
d1 = eigs(cor(Portfolio1))
plot(diag(d1$values), type = "h")
x1 = seq(1, 9)
PDI1 = sum(diag(d1$values)/sum(diag(d1$values))*x1)*2-1
ICOMP1 = (ncol(Portfolio1)/2*log(sum(diag(cov(Portfolio1))/ncol(Portfolio1))) - 1/2*log(det(cov(Portfolio1))))
ICOMP1

#Portfolio 2 Across sectors
MSM2 = 0.11*MSM
APN2 = 0.11*APN
CFR2 = 0.11*CFR
TBS2 = 0.11*TBS
SHF2 = 0.11*SHF
BTC2 = 0.11*BTC
SAB2 = 0.11*SAB
BVT2 = 0.11*BVT
SOL2 = 0.11*SOL
x = c(MSM2,APN2,CFR2,TBS2,SHF2,SAB2,BVT2,SOL2)
Portfolio2 = matrix(x, nrow = 103, ncol = 9)
princomp(Portfolio2)
plot(princomp(Portfolio2))
d2 = eigs(cov(Portfolio2))
plot(diag(d2$values), type = "h")
x2 = seq(1, 9)
PDI2 = sum(diag(d2$values)/sum(diag(d2$values))*x2)*2-1
ICOMP2 = (ncol(Portfolio2)/2*log(sum(diag(cov(Portfolio2))/ncol(Portfolio2))) - 1/2*log(det(cov(Portfolio2))))
ICOMP2
# Portfolio 3 Financials

ABL3 = 0.143 * ABL
ASA3 = 0.143 * ASA
FSR3 = 0.143 * FSR
INP3 = 0.143 * INP
NED3 = 0.143 * NED
RMH3 = 0.143 * RMH
SBK3 = 0.143 * SBK

\[ x = (ABL3, ASA3, FSR3, INP3, NED3, RMH3, SBK3) \]

\[ \text{Portfolio3} = \text{matrix}(x, nrow=103, ncol=7) \]

\[ \text{princomp(Portfolio3)} \]

\[ \text{plot(princomp(Portfolio3))} \]

\[ d3 \leftarrow \text{eigen(cov(Portfolio3))} \]

\[ \text{plot(d3$values, type="h")} \]

\[ x3 = \text{seq}(1,7) \]

\[ \text{PDI3} = \text{sum(d3$values/sum(d3$values) * x3)} * 2 - 1 \]

\[ \text{ICOMP3} = (\text{ncol(Portfolio3)} / 2 \* \text{log(sum(diag(cov(Portfolio3))/ncol(Portfolio3) - 1/2)} \* \text{log(det(cov(Portfolio3))))} \]

# Portfolio 4 Resources equal weight

AGL4 = 0.11 * AGL
AMS4 = 0.11 * AMS
ARI4 = 0.11 * ARI
ANG4 = 0.11 * ANG
BIL4 = 0.11 * BIL
GFI4 = 0.11 * GFI
HAR4 = 0.11 * HAR
IMP4 = 0.11 * IMP
LON4 = 0.11 * LON

\[ x = (AGL4, AMS4, ARI4, ANG4, BIL4, GFI4, HAR4, IMP4, LON4) \]

\[ \text{Portfolio4} = \text{matrix}(x, nrow=103, ncol=9) \]

\[ \text{princomp(Portfolio4)} \]

\[ \text{plot(princomp(Portfolio4))} \]

\[ d4 \leftarrow \text{eigen(cov(Portfolio4))} \]

\[ \text{plot(d4$values, type="h")} \]

\[ x4 = \text{seq}(1,9) \]

\[ \text{PDI4} = \text{sum(d4$values/sum(d4$values) * x4)} * 2 - 1 \]

\[ \text{ICOMP4} = (\text{ncol(Portfolio4)} / 2 \* \text{log(sum(diag(cov(Portfolio4))/ncol(Portfolio4) - 1/2)} \* \text{log(det(cov(Portfolio4))))} \]

# Portfolio 5 Resources market weight

AGL5 = 0.28 * AGL
AMS5 = 0.12 * AMS
ARI5 = 0.02 * ARI
ANG5 = 0.07 * ANG
BIL5 = 0.33 * BIL
GFI5 = 0.05 * GFI
HAR5 = 0.02 * HAR
IMP5 = 0.08 * IMP
LON5 = 0.03 * LON

\[ x = (AGL5, AMS5, ARI5, ANG5, BIL5, GFI5, HAR5, IMP5, LON5) \]

\[ \text{Portfolio5} = \text{matrix}(x, nrow=103, ncol=9) \]

\[ \text{princomp(Portfolio5)} \]

\[ \text{plot(princomp(Portfolio5))} \]

\[ d5 \leftarrow \text{eigen(cov(Portfolio5))} \]

\[ \text{plot(d5$values, type="h")} \]

\[ x5 = \text{seq}(1,9) \]

\[ \text{PDI5} = \text{sum(d5$values/sum(d5$values) * x5)} * 2 - 1 \]

\[ \text{ICOMP5} = (\text{ncol(Portfolio5)} / 2 \* \text{log(sum(diag(cov(Portfolio5))/ncol(Portfolio5) - 1/2)} \* \text{log(det(cov(Portfolio5))))} \]

# Portfolio 6 Financial Market weight

ABL6 = 0.07 * ABL
ASA6 = 0.25 * ASA
FSR6 = 0.28 * FSR

\[ \text{Portfolio6} \]
INP6 = 0.07*INP
NED6 = 0.18*NED
RMH6 = 0.1*RMH
SBK6 = 0.04*SBK

x = c(INP6, NED6, RMH6, SBK6)
Portfolio6 = matrix(x, nrow = 103, ncol = 7)
princomp(Portfolio6)
plot(princomp(Portfolio6))

d6 = eigen(cov(Portfolio6))
plot(d6$values, type = "h")
x6 = seq(1, 7)
PDI6 = sum(d6$values / sum(d6$values) * x6) + 2 - 1

ICOMP6 = (ncol(Portfolio6)/2*log(sum(diag(cov(Portfolio6)))/nrow(Portfolio6))) - 1/2*log(det(cov(Portfolio6))))