

Model comparison

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Trees dataset

```
trees <- read.csv("data/trees.csv")  
head(trees)
```

	site	dbh	height	sex	dead
1	4	29.68	36.1	male	0
2	5	33.29	42.3	male	0
3	2	28.03	41.9	female	0
4	5	39.86	46.5	female	0
5	1	47.94	43.9	female	0
6	1	10.82	26.2	male	0

Four models

```
m1 <- lm(height ~ dbh, data = trees)
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m2 <- lm(height ~ sex, data = trees)
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m3 <- lm(height ~ site, data = trees)
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m4 <- lm(height ~ site*dbh, data = trees)
```

Compare model performance

```
library("performance")  
compare_performance(m1, m2, m3, m4)
```

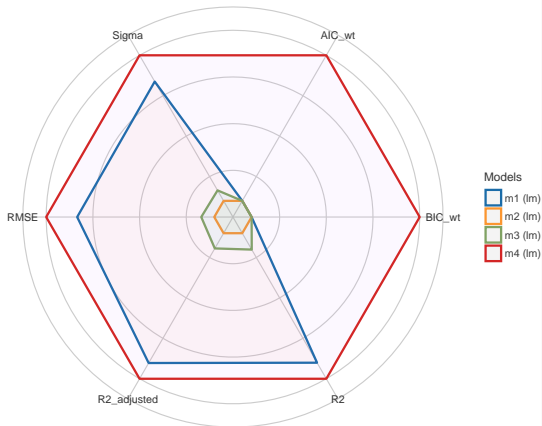
Comparison of Model Performance Indices

Name	Model	AIC	AIC weights	BIC	BIC weights	R2	R2 (adj.)
m1	lm	5660.250	8.39e-126	5674.973	1.28e-106	0.787	0.787
m2	lm	7206.145	0.00e+00	7220.868	0.00e+00	0.002	0.001
m3	lm	7117.264	0.00e+00	7171.250	0.00e+00	0.102	0.093
m4	lm	5084.253	1.00	5187.316	1.00	0.885	0.882

Compare model performance

```
library("see")  
plot(compare_performance(m1, m2, m3, m4))
```

Comparison of Model Indices



Compare parameters

```
library("parameters")
compare_parameters(m1, m2, m3, m4)
```

Parameter	m1	m2	m3	m4
(Intercept)	19.34 (18.73, 19.95)	36.93 (36.15, 37.71)	33.84 (33.00, 34.68)	16.36 (15.65, 17.07)
dbh	0.62 (0.60, 0.64)			0.63 (0.61, 0.65)
sex (male)	-0.84 (-1.94, 0.26)			
site (5)		4.37 (2.52, 6.22)		3.92 (2.21, 5.63)
site (2)		6.34 (4.94, 7.74)		7.68 (6.49, 8.88)
site (3)		5.00 (3.07, 6.93)		4.52 (2.82, 6.22)
site (4)		0.53 (-1.40, 2.47)		2.77 (1.17, 4.37)
site (9)		9.17 (3.25, 15.09)		2.62 (-7.34, 12.58)
site (6)		4.76 (2.46, 7.06)		4.16 (2.17, 6.14)
site (7)		-0.74 (-4.37, 2.89)		-2.31 (-5.35, 0.74)
site (8)		-0.68 (-5.54, 4.17)		-2.62 (-10.64, 5.41)
site (10)		-0.58 (-8.04, 6.88)		4.66 (-1.21, 10.53)
site (3) * dbh			-6.03e-03 (-0.06, 0.05)	
site (4) * dbh			-0.03 (-0.09, 0.02)	
site (5) * dbh			-0.01 (-0.06, 0.04)	
site (2) * dbh			-0.04 (-0.08, 0.00)	
site (7) * dbh			0.08 (-0.02, 0.18)	
site (8) * dbh			-0.08 (-0.30, 0.14)	
site (9) * dbh			0.08 (-0.21, 0.37)	
site (6) * dbh			1.34e-03 (-0.06, 0.06)	
site (10) * dbh			-0.10 (-0.33, 0.12)	
Observations	1000	1000	1000	1000

Compare parameters

```
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```

