Live Case: S&P500 (REITs)

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Objective

A1) Role Play?

Greetings Data Commandos!

Imagine you're in the bustling hub of the world's most elite consulting firms, revered across the corporate spectrum.

A prestigious investment fund is ready to channel \$1 Million into the US finance sector. They've enlisted your expertise to delve into the 29 REITs within the Finance sector of the S&P500.

Real Estate Investment Trusts, commonly known as REITs, offer a distinctive way to engage with real estate markets without the cumbersome process of directly owning property.

Your mission? Allocate \$1 Million to the "best" REIT(s). Pinpoint the top 1, 2 or 3 REITs that present the most promising short-term trading opportunities. Dive in and make those data-driven decisions!

A2) What are Prof. Sameer's learning objectives for you?

- 1. Revisit and solidify your knowledge of R programming, acquired or expected to be acquired in earlier courses.
- 2. Enhance your proficiency in data management and manipulation using the dplyr package and other functions in R.
- 3. Sharpen your skills in data visualization leveraging the ggplot2, ggpubr and related packages in R.
- 4. Master the art of addressing a data-centric business challenge while embodying the role of a Consulting Team.
- 5. Cultivate the capability to compellingly present your solutions to a discerning yet just audience.

Setup S&P 500 REIT Data

1. Load some useful R packages

```
# Load the required libraries, suppressing annoying startup messages
library(dplyr, quietly = TRUE, warn.conflicts = FALSE) # For data manipulation
library(tibble, quietly = TRUE, warn.conflicts = FALSE) # For data visualization
library(ggplot2, quietly = TRUE, warn.conflicts = FALSE) # For data visualization
library(ggpubr, quietly = TRUE, warn.conflicts = FALSE) # For data visualization
library(gsheet, quietly = TRUE, warn.conflicts = FALSE) # For Google Sheets
library(rmarkdown, quietly = TRUE, warn.conflicts = FALSE) # For writing
library(knitr, quietly = TRUE, warn.conflicts = FALSE) # For tables
library(kableExtra, quietly = TRUE, warn.conflicts = FALSE) # For tables
```

2. Read S&P500 data (to derive REIT data)

```
# Read S&P500 stock data present in a Google Sheet.
library(gsheet)
prefix <- "https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/"
sheetID <- "11ahk9uWxBkDqrhNm7qYmiTwrlSC53N1zvXYfv7ttOCM"
url500 <- paste(prefix,sheetID) # Form the URL to connect to
sp500 <- gsheet2tbl(url500) # Read it into a tibble called sp500</pre>
```

3. Rename Columns

```
# Define a mapping of new column names
new_names <- c(
   "Date", "Stock", "StockName", "Sector", "Industry",
   "MarketCap", "Price", "Low52Wk", "High52Wk",
   "ROE", "ROA", "ROIC", "GrossMargin",
   "OperatingMargin", "NetMargin", "PE",
   "PB", "EVEBITDA", "EBITDA", "EPS",
   "EBITDA_YOY", "EBITDA_QYOY", "EPS_YOY",
   "EPS_QYOY", "PFCF", "FCF",
   "FCF_QYOY", "DebtToEquity", "CurrentRatio",
   "QuickRatio", "DividendYield",</pre>
```

```
"DividendsPerShare_YOY", "PS",

"Revenue_YOY", "Revenue_QYOY", "Rating"
)

# Rename the columns using the new_names vector

colnames(sp500)<-new_names
```

3. Select REIT data

- 1. The S&P500 shares are divided into multiple Sectors. Each stock belongs to a unique sector. Thus, it makes sense to model Sector as a factor() variable.
- 2. Set Sector, Rating data columns to be factor data types.

```
sp500$Sector <- as.factor(sp500$Sector)
sp500$Rating <- as.factor(sp500$Rating)</pre>
```

C6. The Finance Sector within the S&P500

- 1. The Finance sector plays a pivotal role in the overall U.S. economy. Its performance is often closely watched by economists and investors alike, given its profound impact on lending, investment, and overall economic growth. Over the years, regulatory changes, monetary policy, and global economic events have significantly influenced this sector, making it a dynamic and critical component of the S&P 500.
- 2. We focus on investment opportunities within the Finance sector of the S&P500.
- We want to determine the fundamentally strongest AND most reasonably priced shares for short-to-medium term investing.
- 3. **Industry**: The Finance sector includes many industries within it.

For example:

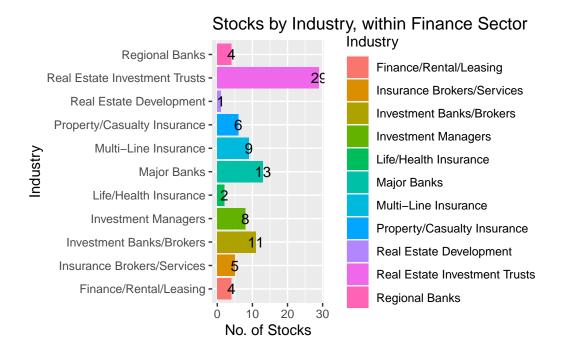
- Banks: JPMorgan Chase, Bank of America, and Wells Fargo, among others, represent the significant banking entities.
- Insurance Companies: Companies like Berkshire Hathaway, Allstate operate in this sub-sector, offering a range of insurance products from property and casualty insurance to life insurance.
- 4. We create a tibble named finStocks, filtering the shares that belong to the Finance sector.

```
finStocks = sp500 %>%
filter(Sector=="Finance")
```

- 5. Industries within the Finance Sector
- The data shows that the Finance sector consists of a total of 92 companies that belong to different Industries.
- We set the Industry to be factor variable, since they can only assume unique levels.

```
finStocks$Industry <- as.factor(finStocks$Industry)</pre>
```

• The following visualization summarizes the different Industries within the Finance Sector:



• Market Capitalization (Billions of USD) of Industries within the Finance Sector

```
FinanceMarketCap <- finStocks %>%
  mutate(MarketCap_Billions = round(MarketCap/1000000000, 2)) %>%
  group_by(Industry) %>%
  summarise(Market_Cap_BillionUSD = sum(MarketCap_Billions, na.rm = TRUE)) %>%
  arrange(-Market_Cap_BillionUSD)

# Create a summary row
summary_row <- tibble(
  Industry = "Total",
  Market_Cap_BillionUSD = sum(FinanceMarketCap$Market_Cap_BillionUSD)
)

# Append the summary row to the result
FinanceMarketCap <- bind_rows(FinanceMarketCap, summary_row)

# Render the table
FinanceMarketCap %>%
  kable("html", caption = "Market Capitalization (Billions of USD) of Finance Sector") %>%
  kable_styling()
```

Table 0.1: Market Capitalization (Billions of USD) of Finance Sector

Industry	Market_Cap_BillionUSD
Major Banks	1036.17
Property/Casualty Insurance	914.48
Real Estate Investment Trusts	833.22
Investment Banks/Brokers	594.79
Multi-Line Insurance	325.86
Investment Managers	313.20
Insurance Brokers/Services	248.11
Finance/Rental/Leasing	172.77
Regional Banks	140.10
Life/Health Insurance	43.41
Real Estate Development	22.27
Total	4644.38

• We focus on investment opportunities within a particular Industry – **Real Estate Investment Trusts**.

C7. Stock Prices, as of 10/8/2023

- 1. Stock Prices relative to their 52 Week Low and 52 Week High
- We want to analyze stock prices relative to their 52 Week Low and 52 Week High respectively, to understand their relative price attractiveness.
- For this purpose, we create some additional data columns.

```
finStocks = sp500 %>%
  filter(Sector=="Finance") %>%
  mutate(Low52WkPerc = round((Price - Low52Wk)*100 / Low52Wk,2)) %>%
  mutate(High52WkPerc = round((High52Wk - Price)*100 / Low52Wk,2)) %>%
  mutate(MarketCap_Billions = round(MarketCap/1000000000, 2))
```

Here, a new column named Low52WkPerc is being added. The column contains the
percentage change between the current price (Price) and its 52-week low (Low52Wk).
The formula used is:

$$Low52WkPerc = \frac{(CurrentPrice - 52WeekLow)*100}{52WeekLow}$$

- Another column named High52WkPerc represents the percentage change between the 52-week high (High52Wk) and the current price (Price).
- We round off the data to two decimal places for clarity.

```
finStocks$Price <- round(finStocks$Price,1)
finStocks$Low52Wk <- round(finStocks$Low52Wk,1)
finStocks$High52Wk <- round(finStocks$High52Wk,1)</pre>
```

D. REITs in the S&P500, as of 10/8/2023

- 1. Real Estate Investment Trusts, commonly known as REITs, stand as a cornerstone for investors seeking diversification in their portfolios. These entities offer a distinctive way to engage with real estate markets without the cumbersome process of directly owning property.
- 2. In our analysis of the Finance sector, we want to focus attention on a particular Industry within it **Real Estate Investment Trusts**.
- 3. Recall: We want to determine the fundamentally strongest AND most reasonably priced, top 1-3 REITs for short-to-medium term investing USD 1 Million.

D1. Key Characteristics of REITs:

- 1. **Income Distribution**: One of the most touted features of REITs is their consistent income flow. U.S. tax regulations mandate REITs to distribute at least 90% of their taxable income as dividends. While this can be enticing due to potentially higher yields, it also poses a risk. The high dividend mandate leaves REITs with less retained earnings, potentially hindering their growth or making them more dependent on external financing.
- 2. Liquidity versus Direct Ownership: REITs offer a stark contrast to traditional real estate investments in terms of liquidity. While selling a property might entail prolonged durations, hefty transaction costs, and price negotiations, REIT shares can be traded with the agility of stocks. This flexibility, however, comes at the cost of exposure to stock market volatility.
- 3. Tax Implications: The unique tax structure of REITs is a double-edged sword. While they can dodge corporate taxes by abiding by stringent regulations, such as the income distribution clause, shareholders often have to pay higher individual taxes on REIT dividends compared to qualified stock dividends.
- 4. **Sectoral Diversification**: REITs don't just represent traditional brick-and-mortar assets. From data centers to timberlands, they span diverse sectors, potentially providing portfolio diversification. However, the granularity in sectors necessitates that investors be judicious and knowledgeable about the specific type of real estate exposure they're obtaining.

D2. Major U.S. REITs:

1. American Tower Corporation (AMT): Pioneering the realm of communication infrastructures, AMT emphasizes cell tower operations. While it highlights the evolution

- of REITs beyond traditional confines, it also underscores the need for REIT investors to comprehend tech industry dynamics, given its tech infrastructure focus.
- 2. **Prologis (PLD)**: With a niche in logistics and industrial real estate, Prologis stands out in the age of e-commerce. The company's assets, mainly distribution centers, are strategically situated in prime markets. However, the increasing demand for same-day deliveries and supply chain revamps could challenge Prologis' portfolio.
- 3. **Simon Property Group (SPG)**: Catering predominantly to retail spaces, SPG faces the arduous task of reinventing malls in an era where brick-and-mortar stores battle online retailers. The company's resilience in nurturing mixed-use spaces might determine its long-term growth trajectory.
- 4. Equity Residential (EQR): As urbanization continues, EQR's focus on high-density urban areas might seem lucrative. But, with telecommuting trends and urban exodus, it's pivotal to monitor how urban rental landscapes evolve.
- 5. **Digital Realty Trust (DLR)**: In the digital age, DLR taps into the data economy by majoring in data centers. While the tech boom supports such endeavors, DLR's growth could be contingent on global data regulations and tech infrastructure demands.

References: Please consider looking into the following well-known sources, which regularly publish information about REITs.

- National Association of Real Estate Investment Trusts (NAREIT) This organization is a representative voice for REITs in the U.S. They frequently release reports, articles, and data on the REIT industry.
- Major Financial News Outlets Outlets like The Wall Street Journal, Financial Times, and Bloomberg often feature articles on REITs, especially in their real estate or investment sections.
- The Journal of Real Estate Finance and Economics This academic journal covers a wide range of topics in real estate, including REITs.

D3. REITs in the S&P500:

We create a tibble named REIT from within the Finance sector tibble finStocks. Specifically, we filter the shares that belong to the Real Estate Investment Trusts Industry, within the Finance sector.

```
REIT <- finStocks %>%
  filter(Industry == 'Real Estate Investment Trusts')
```

• The following table lists REITs within the Finance sector of the S&P500

```
REIT %>%
  select(Stock, StockName, Price, MarketCap_Billions) %>%
  arrange(desc(MarketCap_Billions)) %>%
  kable("html", caption = "REITs within Finance Sector of S&P500") %>%
  kable_styling()
```

Table 0.2: REITs within Finance Sector of S&P500

Stock	StockName	Price	MarketCap_Billions
PLD	Prologis, Inc.	108.2	103.70
AMT	American Tower Corporation (REIT)	159.5	75.38
EQIX	Equinix, Inc.	710.8	66.68
VTR	Ventas, Inc.	40.4	49.76
PSA	Public Storage	257.6	45.85
WELL	Welltower Inc.	80.2	42.40
CCI	Crown Castle Inc.	89.3	39.43
DLR	Digital Realty Trust, Inc.	116.2	35.79
O	Realty Income Corporation	48.6	34.72
SPG	Simon Property Group, Inc.	103.0	34.23
VICI	VICI Properties Inc.	28.2	29.03
EXR	Extra Space Storage Inc	118.2	25.20
AVB	AvalonBay Communities, Inc.	166.8	23.87
EQR	Equity Residential	57.5	21.93
WY	Weyerhaeuser Company	29.8	21.91
SBAC	SBA Communications Corporation	192.6	21.49
INVH	Invitation Homes Inc.	31.1	19.15
IRM	Iron Mountain Incorporated (Delaware)	57.8	17.12
ARE	Alexandria Real Estate Equities, Inc.	97.1	16.99
MAA	Mid-America Apartment Communities, Inc.	126.8	14.85
ESS	Essex Property Trust, Inc.	208.1	13.40
UDR	UDR, Inc.	35.0	11.58
HST	Host Hotels & Resorts, Inc.	15.5	11.33
REG	Regency Centers Corporation	57.1	10.79
KIM	Kimco Realty Corporation (HC)	16.7	10.60
CPT	Camden Property Trust	92.8	9.93
PEAK	Healthpeak Properties, Inc.	17.4	9.83
BXP	Boston Properties, Inc.	55.0	9.01
FRT	Federal Realty Investment Trust	87.2	7.27

 \bullet Consider the summary statistics of the Market Capitalization of the REITs within the S&P500

```
REIT %>% summarise(
   N = n(),
   Mean = mean(MarketCap_Billions),
   SD = sd(MarketCap_Billions),
   Median = median(MarketCap_Billions),
   Q1 = quantile(MarketCap_Billions, 0.25),
   Q3 = quantile(MarketCap_Billions, 0.75),
   Min = min(MarketCap_Billions),
   Max = max(MarketCap_Billions),
   Sum = sum(MarketCap_Billions)
) %>%
   round(2) %>%
   kable("html", caption = "Summary Statistics of Market Capitalization of REITs (Billion Ukable_styling())
```

Table 0.3: Summary Statistics of Market Capitalization of REITs (Billion USD)

N	Mean	SD	Median	Q1	Q3	Min	Max	Sum
29	28.73	22.5	21.91	11.58	35.79	7.27	103.7	833.22

• As can be seen, the S&P500 consists of 29 REITs.

Recall.. A prestigious investment fund is ready to channel \$1 Million into the US finance sector. They've enlisted your expertise to delve into the 29 REITs within the Finance sector of the S&P500.

Recall Your mission? Pinpoint the top 1, 2 or 3 REITs that present the most promising short-term trading opportunities. How will you allocate your investment capital of USD 1 Million? Dive in and make those data-driven decisions!

• We want to determine the fundamentally strongest AND most reasonably priced shares for short-to-medium term investing.

Well done! Our data is now ready for analysis!!

7. Low52WkPerc: Create a new column MarketCapBillions = MarketCap/1000,000,000, as described in the chapter Live Case: S&P500 (1 of 3).

```
sp500 <- sp500 %>% mutate(MarketCapBillions = round(MarketCap/1000000000))
colnames(sp500)
```

```
[1] "Date"
                              "Stock"
                                                        "StockName"
 [4] "Sector"
                              "Industry"
                                                        "MarketCap"
 [7] "Price"
                              "Low52Wk"
                                                        "High52Wk"
[10] "ROE"
                              "ROA"
                                                        "ROIC"
                                                        "NetMargin"
[13] "GrossMargin"
                              "OperatingMargin"
[16] "PE"
                              "PB"
                                                        "EVEBITDA"
[19] "EBITDA"
                              "EPS"
                                                        "EBITDA YOY"
[22] "EBITDA_QYOY"
                              "EPS_YOY"
                                                        "EPS_QYOY"
[25] "PFCF"
                              "FCF"
                                                        "FCF_QYOY"
[28] "DebtToEquity"
                              "CurrentRatio"
                                                        "QuickRatio"
[31] "DividendYield"
                              "DividendsPerShare_YOY" "PS"
[34] "Revenue_YOY"
                              "Revenue_QYOY"
                                                        "Rating"
[37] "MarketCapBillions"
```

Live Case: S&P500

ISSUE: Analysis of a particular SECTOR We have chosen to deeply analyze the Real Estate Investment. Trusts

SECTOR LEVEL ANALYSIS begins here

Filter the data by sector Finace & Industry Real Estate Investment Trusts, and display the number of stocks in the sector

```
REIT <- finStocks %>%
  filter(Industry == 'Real Estate Investment Trusts')
```

There are 12 number of of stocks in the Industry REIT

Select the Specific Coulumns from the filtered dataframe ts (Industry REIT)

```
[1] "Date" "Stock" "StockName" "Sector" "Industry"
[6] "MarketCap" "Price" "Low52Wk" "High52Wk" "ROE"
[11] "ROA" "ROIC" "GrossMargin" "NetMargin" "Rating"
```

Arrange the Dataframe by ROE

```
ts3 <- ts2 %>% arrange(desc(ROE))
```

Top 10 Shares in Sector Based on ROE

```
head(ts3,10)
```

```
# A tibble: 10 x 15
   Date
          Stock StockName Sector Industry MarketCap Price Low52Wk High52Wk
                                                                                ROE
                                                <dbl> <dbl>
                                                              <dbl>
                                                                        <dbl> <dbl>
   <chr>
          <chr> <chr>
                           <fct>
                                  <chr>
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                Simon Pr~ Finan~ Real Es~
                                              3.42e10 103
                                                               90.8
                                                                        133.
                                                                               72.5
2 10/8/~ IRM
                Iron Mou~ Finan~ Real Es~
                                              1.71e10 57.8
                                                               44.1
                                                                         64.5
                                                                               71.4
3 10/8/~ EXR
                Extra Sp~ Finan~ Real Es~
                                             2.52e10 118.
                                                                        181.
                                                                               52.7
                                                              118.
4 10/8/~ PSA
                Public S~ Finan~ Real Es~
                                             4.58e10 258.
                                                              258.
                                                                        316.
                                                                               42.7
5 10/8/~ CCI
                Crown Ca~ Finan~ Real Es~
                                             3.94e10
                                                       89.3
                                                               88.8
                                                                        154
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                Federal ~ Finan~ Real Es~
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                Host Hot~ Finan~ Real Es~
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                                                       15.5
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# i 5 more variables: ROA <dbl>, ROIC <dbl>, GrossMargin <dbl>,
    NetMargin <dbl>, Rating <fct>
```

Significance of 52-Week Low Price

The 52-week low price of a stock is a significant indicator for multiple reasons, especially when considering shares listed on major indices like the S&P 500. Here's why this metric is noteworthy:

1. **Historical Perspective**: The 52-week low offers a snapshot of how low the stock has traded over the past year relative to its current price, providing context about its price journey.

- 2. **Potential Entry Point**: Some investors view stocks that are near their 52-week low as potential buying opportunities, under the assumption that the stock might be undervalued and could rebound.
- 3. Psychological Level: Stocks approaching their 52-week low can be seen as testing a significant support level. If a stock consistently fails to breach its 52-week low, it might indicate that the market values the stock at that level, and it's resistant to falling below it.
- 4. **Basis for Technical Analysis**: For technical analysts or traders, the 52-week low serves as a critical reference point. A consistent breach of this level might signify a bearish trend, while a rebound can indicate potential recovery.
- 5. Yield Implications for Dividend Stocks: For dividend-paying stocks, a price near the 52-week low (assuming the dividend hasn't been cut) would imply a higher dividend yield, potentially making it attractive for income-seeking investors.
- Note of Caution: While the 52-week low is a valuable reference point, it's essential to interpret it in conjunction with other financial and market indicators. A stock trading near its 52-week low doesn't automatically make it a good buy, just as a stock trading near its 52-week high doesn't automatically make it overvalued. Comprehensive analysis, should inform investment decisions.

Mutate a data column called (Low52WkPerc), then show top 10 ROE stocks

```
ts4 <- ts3 %>% mutate(Low52WkPerc = round((Price - Low52Wk)*100 / Low52Wk,2)) head(ts4[,c(1:3,10,16)],10)
```

#	Α	tibble:	10 x	5

	Date	Stock	StockName	ROE	Low52WkPerc
	<chr></chr>	<chr>></chr>	<chr></chr>	<dbl></dbl>	<dbl></dbl>
1	10/8/2023	SPG	Simon Property Group, Inc.	72.5	13.4
2	10/8/2023	IRM	Iron Mountain Incorporated (Delaware)	71.4	31.1
3	10/8/2023	EXR	Extra Space Storage Inc	52.7	0.08
4	10/8/2023	PSA	Public Storage	42.7	0
5	10/8/2023	CCI	Crown Castle Inc.	22.9	0.56
6	10/8/2023	FRT	Federal Realty Investment Trust	13.6	2.23
7	10/8/2023	UDR	UDR, Inc.	11.2	0.29
8	10/8/2023	BXP	Boston Properties, Inc.	11.1	19.0
9	10/8/2023	AVB	AvalonBay Communities, Inc.	11	8.95
10	10/8/2023	HST	Host Hotels & Resorts, Inc.	11	6.9

Summary Statistics of Low52WkPerc (Price rel. to 52-Week Low)

```
summaryStats <- ts4 %>% summarise(
   N = n(),
   Mean = mean(Low52WkPerc),
   SD = sd(Low52WkPerc),
   Median = median(Low52WkPerc),
   Q1 = quantile(Low52WkPerc, 0.25),
   Q3 = quantile(Low52WkPerc, 0.75),
   Min = min(Low52WkPerc),
   Max = max(Low52WkPerc)
)

Low52WkPercQ1 <- summaryStats$Q1 # Save Q1 of Low52WkPerc

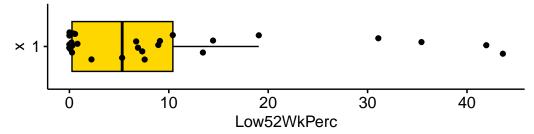
summaryStats %>%
   round(2) %>%
   kable("html", caption = "Summary Statistics of Low52WkPerc (Price rel. to 52-Week Low)")
   kable_styling()
```

Table 0.4: Summary Statistics of Low52WkPerc (Price rel. to 52-Week Low)

N	Mean	SD	Median	Q1	Q3	Min	Max
29	9.19	12.95	5.31	0.26	10.41	0	43.62

Low52WkPerc for all the REIT Stocks, as shown below

Box Plot showing (Median, Q1, Q3) of Low52WkPerc



Bar Plot showing (Mean +/- SD) of Low52WkPerc



Inexpensive Stocks with Low52WkPerc < Q1(Low52WkPerc)

```
ts4 %>%
  select(Stock, StockName, Price, Low52Wk, Low52WkPerc) %>%
  filter(Low52WkPerc < Low52WkPercQ1) %>%
  arrange(Low52WkPerc)%>%
  kable("html", caption = "Inexpensive Stocks with Low52WkPerc < Q1(Low52WkPerc)") %>%
  kable_styling()
```

Table 0.5: Inexpensive Stocks with Low52WkPerc < Q1(Low52WkPerc)

Stock	StockName	Price	Low52Wk	Low52WkPerc
PSA	Public Storage	257.6	257.6	0.00
VICI	VICI Properties Inc.	28.2	28.2	0.00
PEAK	Healthpeak Properties, Inc.	17.4	17.4	0.00
KIM	Kimco Realty Corporation (HC)	16.7	16.7	0.00
O	Realty Income Corporation	48.6	48.6	0.00
EXR	Extra Space Storage Inc	118.2	118.1	0.08
ARE	Alexandria Real Estate Equities, Inc.	97.1	96.9	0.21

Summary Statistics of Return on Equity (ROE)

```
summaryStats <- ts4 %>% summarise(
   N = n(),
   Mean = mean(ROE, na.rm = TRUE),
   SD = sd(ROE, na.rm = TRUE),
   Median = median(ROE, na.rm = TRUE),
   Q1 = quantile(ROE, 0.25, na.rm = TRUE),
   Q3 = quantile(ROE, 0.75, na.rm = TRUE),
   Min = min(ROE, na.rm = TRUE),
   Max = max(ROE, na.rm = TRUE)
)

ROE_Q3 <- summaryStats$Q3

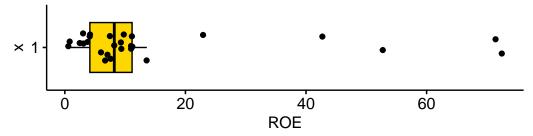
summaryStats %>%
   round(2) %>%
   kable("html", caption = "Summary Statistics of Return on Equity (ROE)") %>%
   kable_styling()
```

Table 0.6: Summary Statistics of Return on Equity (ROE)

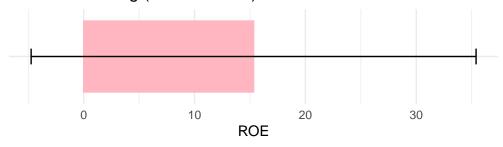
N	Mean	SD	Median	Q1	Q3	Min	Max
29	15.33	20.07	8.2	4.15	11.15	0.6	72.5

• ROE for all the Stocks in REIT, as shown below

Box Plot showing (Median, Q1, Q3) of ROE



Bar Plot showing (Mean +/- SD) of ROE



Stocks with ROE > Q3(ROE)

```
ts4 %>%
  select(Stock, StockName, Price, ROA, ROE, Low52Wk, Low52WkPerc) %>%
  filter(ROE > ROE_Q3) %>%
  arrange(desc(ROE)) %>%
  kable("html", caption = "Stocks with ROE > Q3(ROE)") %>%
  kable_styling()
```

Table 0.7: Stocks with ROE > Q3(ROE)

Stock	StockName	Price	ROA	ROE	Low52Wk	Low52WkPerc
SPG	Simon Property Group, Inc.	103.0	6.5	72.5	90.8	13.44
IRM	Iron Mountain Incorporated (Delaware)	57.8	2.3	71.4	44.1	31.07
EXR	Extra Space Storage Inc	118.2	7.0	52.7	118.1	0.08
PSA	Public Storage	257.6	24.1	42.7	257.6	0.00
CCI	Crown Castle Inc.	89.3	4.4	22.9	88.8	0.56
FRT	Federal Realty Investment Trust	87.2	4.8	13.6	85.3	2.23
UDR	UDR, Inc.	35.0	4.0	11.2	34.9	0.29

Summary Statistics of Return on Equity (ROA)

```
summaryStats <- ts4 %>% summarise(
   N = n(),
   Mean = mean(ROA, na.rm = TRUE),
   SD = sd(ROA, na.rm = TRUE),
   Median = median(ROA, na.rm = TRUE),
   Q1 = quantile(ROA, 0.25, na.rm = TRUE),
   Q3 = quantile(ROA, 0.75, na.rm = TRUE),
   Min = min(ROA, na.rm = TRUE),
   Max = max(ROA, na.rm = TRUE)
)

ROA_Q3 <- summaryStats$Q3

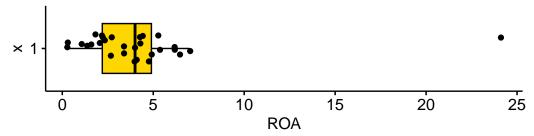
summaryStats %>%
   round(2) %>%
   kable("html", caption = "Summary Statistics of Return on Equity (ROA)") %>%
   kable_styling()
```

Table 0.8: Summary Statistics of Return on Equity (ROA)

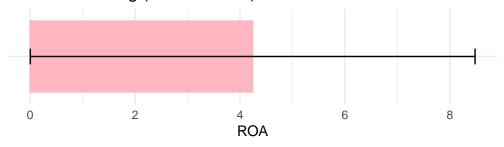
N	Mean	SD	Median	Q1	Q3	Min	Max
29	4.24	4.24	4	2.2	4.9	0.3	24.1

• ROA for all the Stocks in REIT, as shown below

Box Plot showing (Median, Q1, Q3) of ROA



Bar Plot showing (Mean +/- SD) of ROA



Stocks with ROA > Q3(ROA)

```
ts4 %>%
  select(Stock, StockName, Price, ROA, ROE, Low52Wk, Low52WkPerc) %>%
  filter(ROA > ROA_Q3) %>%
  arrange(desc(ROA)) %>%
  kable("html", caption = "Stocks with ROA > Q3(ROA)") %>%
  kable_styling()
```

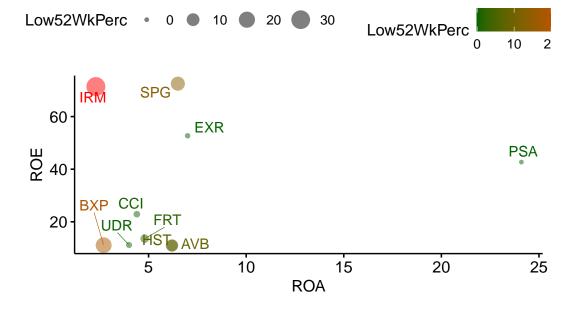
Table 0.9: Stocks with ROA > Q3(ROA)

Stock	StockName	Price	ROA	ROE	Low52Wk	Low52WkPerc
PSA	Public Storage	257.6	24.1	42.7	257.6	0.00
EXR	Extra Space Storage Inc	118.2	7.0	52.7	118.1	0.08
SPG	Simon Property Group, Inc.	103.0	6.5	72.5	90.8	13.44
AVB	AvalonBay Communities, Inc.	166.8	6.2	11.0	153.1	8.95
HST	Host Hotels & Resorts, Inc.	15.5	6.2	11.0	14.5	6.90
VICI	VICI Properties Inc.	28.2	5.4	9.4	28.2	0.00
MAA	Mid-America Apartment Communities, Inc.	126.8	5.3	9.8	126.3	0.40

ROE versus ROA and colored by Price rel. to 52 Week Low

```
top10 <-
  ts4 %>%
  select(Stock, Price, Low52Wk, Low52WkPerc, ROA, ROE) %>%
  arrange(desc(ROE))%>%
  slice(1:10)
top10$name <- top10$Stock
ggscatter(top10,
          x = "ROA",
          y = "ROE",
          size = "Low52WkPerc",
          color = "Low52WkPerc",
          alpha = 0.5,
          label = "name",
          repel = TRUE,
          title = "ROE vs ROA, Low52WkPerc for REIT with highest ROE") +
  gradient_color(c("darkgreen", "red"))
```

ROE vs ROA, Low52WkPerc for REIT with highest ROE



Summary Statistics of All key variables in REIT Services

```
ts3 <- na.omit(ts3)
ROESum <- ts3 %>%
  summarise(
    Mean = mean(ROE),
    Median= sd(ROE),
    Median = median(ROE),
    Q1 = quantile(ROE, probs = 0.25, na.rm = TRUE),
    Q3 = quantile(ROE, probs = 0.75, na.rm = TRUE),
    Min = min(ROE),
    max = max(ROE)
  )
ROESum <- round(ROESum,2)</pre>
ROASum <- ts3 %>%
  summarise(
    Mean = mean(ROA),
    Median= sd(ROA),
    Median= median(ROA),
    Q1 = quantile(ROA, probs = 0.25, na.rm = TRUE),
    Q3 = quantile(ROA, probs = 0.75, na.rm = TRUE),
    Min = min(ROA),
    max = max(ROA)
  )
ROASum <- round(ROASum,2)</pre>
ROICSum <- ts3 %>%
  summarise(
    Mean = mean(ROIC),
    Median= sd(ROIC),
    Median= median(ROIC),
    Q1 = quantile(ROIC, probs = 0.25, na.rm = TRUE),
    Q3 = quantile(ROIC, probs = 0.75, na.rm = TRUE),
    Min = min(ROIC),
    max = max(ROIC)
  )
```

```
ROICSum <- round(ROICSum, 2)
  GrossMarginSum <- ts3 %>%
    summarise(
      Mean = mean(GrossMargin),
      Median= sd(GrossMargin),
      Median= median(GrossMargin),
      Q1 = quantile(GrossMargin, probs = 0.25, na.rm = TRUE),
      Q3 = quantile(GrossMargin, probs = 0.75, na.rm = TRUE),
      Min = min(GrossMargin),
      max = max(GrossMargin)
    )
  GrossMarginSum <- round(GrossMarginSum,2)</pre>
  NetMarginSum <- ts3 %>%
    summarise(
      Mean = mean(NetMargin),
      Median= sd(NetMargin),
      Median= median(NetMargin),
      Q1 = quantile(NetMargin, probs = 0.25, na.rm = TRUE),
      Q3 = quantile(NetMargin, probs = 0.75, na.rm = TRUE),
      Min = min(NetMargin),
      max = max(NetMargin)
    )
  NetMarginSum <- round(NetMarginSum,2)</pre>
  Metrics <- c("ROE", "ROA", "ROIC", "GrossMargin", "NetMargin")</pre>
  ftab <- rbind(ROESum, ROASum, ROICSum, GrossMarginSum, NetMarginSum)
  ftab <- cbind(Metrics, ftab)</pre>
  ftab
     Metrics Mean Median
                              Q1
                                    Q3 Min max
         ROE 15.33
                      8.2 4.15 11.15 0.6 72.5
1
2
         ROA 4.32
                       4.0 2.20 5.05 0.3 24.1
3
         ROIC 4.77
                    4.4 2.40 5.40 0.3 25.0
4 GrossMargin 37.95
                      35.7 26.25 45.75 -1.3 99.2
   NetMargin 27.11
                      23.8 14.10 33.50 1.8 97.3
```

ANALYSIS OF INDUSTRY REIT

1. Market Cap of all companies in Sector Health Services

```
library(janitor)
library(kableExtra)
# Market Cap by Stock
MCap <- ts3 %>%
  group_by(Stock) %>%
  summarise(
    MarketCapBi = round(sum(na.omit(MarketCap)/1000000000),2))
# Sp500 Market Cap
SP500MarketCap <- sum(ts3$MarketCap/1000000000)</pre>
# calculating % market cap
PercentMarketCap <- round(MCap$MarketCapBi*100/SP500MarketCap,2)</pre>
MCapTab <- cbind(MCap,PercentMarketCap)</pre>
# sorting by PercentMarketCap
MCapTab <- MCapTab %>% arrange(desc(PercentMarketCap))
MCapTab <- MCapTab %>%
  adorn_totals("row")
MCapTab <- knitr::kable(MCapTab, "html") %>% kable_styling()
MCapTab
```

Stock	MarketCapBi	PercentMarketCap
PLD	103.70	14.08
EQIX	66.68	9.06
VTR	49.76	6.76
PSA	45.85	6.23
WELL	42.40	5.76
CCI	39.43	5.35
DLR	35.79	4.86
O	34.72	4.72
SPG	34.23	4.65
VICI	29.03	3.94

Stock	MarketCapBi	PercentMarketCap
EXR	25.20	3.42
AVB	23.87	3.24
EQR	21.93	2.98
WY	21.91	2.98
INVH	19.15	2.60
IRM	17.12	2.32
ARE	16.99	2.31
MAA	14.85	2.02
ESS	13.40	1.82
UDR	11.58	1.57
HST	11.33	1.54
REG	10.79	1.47
KIM	10.60	1.44
CPT	9.93	1.35
PEAK	9.83	1.33
BXP	9.01	1.22
FRT	7.27	0.99
Total	736.35	100.01

2. Shares which are most attractively priced in Industry REIT $\,$

```
AttrShares <- ts4 %>% arrange(Low52WkPerc)
AttrShares <- AttrShares[, c(2:4,7,8,10,11,16)]

AttrShares <- knitr::kable(AttrShares, "html") %>% kable_styling()
AttrShares
```

Stock	StockName	Sector	Price	Low52Wk	ROE	ROA	Low52Wk
PSA	Public Storage	Finance	257.6	257.6	42.7	24.1	
VICI	VICI Properties Inc.	Finance	28.2	28.2	9.4	5.4	
PEAK	Healthpeak Properties, Inc.	Finance	17.4	17.4	8.2	3.4	
KIM	Kimco Realty Corporation (HC)	Finance	16.7	16.7	4.1	2.2	
O	Realty Income Corporation	Finance	48.6	48.6	3.0	1.8	
EXR	Extra Space Storage Inc	Finance	118.2	118.1	52.7	7.0	
ARE	Alexandria Real Estate Equities, Inc.	Finance	97.1	96.9	3.1	1.6	
SBAC	SBA Communications Corporation	Finance	192.6	192.1	NA	4.9	
UDR	UDR, Inc.	Finance	35.0	34.9	11.2	4.0	
CPT	Camden Property Trust	Finance	92.8	92.5	4.2	2.2	
MAA	Mid-America Apartment Communities, Inc.	Finance	126.8	126.3	9.8	5.3	
CCI	Crown Castle Inc.	Finance	89.3	88.8	22.9	4.4	

Stock	StockName	Sector	Price	Low52Wk	ROE	ROA	Low52Wk
AMT	American Tower Corporation (REIT)	Finance	159.5	158.2	NA	1.4	
FRT	Federal Realty Investment Trust	Finance	87.2	85.3	13.6	4.8	
EQR	Equity Residential	Finance	57.5	54.6	7.6	4.1	
ESS	Essex Property Trust, Inc.	Finance	208.1	195.0	9.3	4.3	
HST	Host Hotels & Resorts, Inc.	Finance	15.5	14.5	11.0	6.2	
REG	Regency Centers Corporation	Finance	57.1	53.2	6.0	3.4	
WY	Weyerhaeuser Company	Finance	29.8	27.7	6.7	4.0	
AVB	AvalonBay Communities, Inc.	Finance	166.8	153.1	11.0	6.2	
INVH	Invitation Homes Inc.	Finance	31.1	28.5	3.8	2.1	
PLD	Prologis, Inc.	Finance	108.2	98.0	7.5	4.3	}
SPG	Simon Property Group, Inc.	Finance	103.0	90.8	72.5	6.5	
VTR	Ventas, Inc.	Finance	40.4	35.3	0.8	0.3	
BXP	Boston Properties, Inc.	Finance	55.0	46.2	11.1	2.7	
IRM	Iron Mountain Incorporated (Delaware)	Finance	57.8	44.1	71.4	2.3	
DLR	Digital Realty Trust, Inc.	Finance	116.2	85.8	2.5	1.1	
WELL	Welltower Inc.	Finance	80.2	56.5	0.6	0.3	2
EQIX	Equinix, Inc.	Finance	710.8	494.9	7.1	2.7	4

PROFITABILITY OF INDUSTRY REIT

1. Shares have highest ROE within REIT $\,$

```
AttrShares <- ts4 %>% arrange(desc(ROE))
AttrShares <- AttrShares[, c(2:4,7,8,10,11,16)]

AttrShares <- knitr::kable(AttrShares, "html") %>% kable_styling()
AttrShares
```

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PSA	Public Storage	Finance	257.6	257.6	42.7	24.1	
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PEAK	Healthpeak Properties, Inc.	Finance	17.4	17.4	8.2	3.4	
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PLD	Prologis, Inc.	Finance	108.2	98.0	7.5	4.3	
EQIX	Equinix, Inc.	Finance	710.8	494.9	7.1	2.7	4
WY	Weyerhaeuser Company	Finance	29.8	27.7	6.7	4.0	
REG	Regency Centers Corporation	Finance	57.1	53.2	6.0	3.4	
CPT	Camden Property Trust	Finance	92.8	92.5	4.2	2.2	
KIM	Kimco Realty Corporation (HC)	Finance	16.7	16.7	4.1	2.2	
INVH	Invitation Homes Inc.	Finance	31.1	28.5	3.8	2.1	
ARE	Alexandria Real Estate Equities, Inc.	Finance	97.1	96.9	3.1	1.6	
O	Realty Income Corporation	Finance	48.6	48.6	3.0	1.8	
DLR	Digital Realty Trust, Inc.	Finance	116.2	85.8	2.5	1.1	;
VTR	Ventas, Inc.	Finance	40.4	35.3	0.8	0.3	
WELL	Welltower Inc.	Finance	80.2	56.5	0.6	0.3	4
AMT	American Tower Corporation (REIT)	Finance	159.5	158.2	NA	1.4	
SBAC	SBA Communications Corporation	Finance	192.6	192.1	NA	4.9	
	_						

$2. \ \, \text{Shares have highest ROA}$ within REIT

```
AttrShares <- ts4 %>% arrange(desc(ROA))
AttrShares <- AttrShares[, c(2:4,7,8,10,11,16)]

AttrShares <- knitr::kable(AttrShares, "html") %>% kable_styling()
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```

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EQR	Equity Residential	Finance	57.5	54.6	7.6	4.1	
UDR	UDR, Inc.	Finance	35.0	34.9	11.2	4.0	
WY	Weyerhaeuser Company	Finance	29.8	27.7	6.7	4.0	
PEAK	Healthpeak Properties, Inc.	Finance	17.4	17.4	8.2	3.4	
REG	Regency Centers Corporation	Finance	57.1	53.2	6.0	3.4	
BXP	Boston Properties, Inc.	Finance	55.0	46.2	11.1	2.7	
EQIX	Equinix, Inc.	Finance	710.8	494.9	7.1	2.7	2
IRM	Iron Mountain Incorporated (Delaware)	Finance	57.8	44.1	71.4	2.3	
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KIM	Kimco Realty Corporation (HC)	Finance	16.7	16.7	4.1	2.2	
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VTR	Ventas, Inc.	Finance	40.4	35.3	0.8	0.3	
WELL	Welltower Inc.	Finance	80.2	56.5	0.6	0.3	2