# Package Dependencies for Forecasts

So it's time for a short review and forecast. To do this, I use R inside of RStudio. I use the following packages with this quick piece of code:

```
install.load::install_load(
   "tidyquant"
   ,"timetk"
   , "tibbletime"
   , "sweep"
   , "anomalize"
   , "caret"
   , "forecast"
   , "funModeling"
   , "xts"
   , "fpp"
   , "lubridate"
   , "tidyverse"
   , "urca"
   , "prophet"
)
```

#### The Data

From the CCl30 (who graciously make their index data available), I grab the file, and we have the Date and OHLCV (Open, High, Low, Close, Volume) columns. We can inspect the first row of the data:

## **Data Wrangling and Exploratory Analysis**

A simple feature plot of the OHLCV gives the following:

**OHLCV Feature Plot** 

From there I generate the daily return and log daily return of the closing price of the index. I then collapse the data by month and get the monthly log return.

```
1 2015-01-31 -0.396
2 2015-02-28 0.0807
3 2015-03-31 -0.138
```

Here is a decomposition of the daily log return of the index:

Time Series Decomposition of Daily Log Return of the CCI30 Index

ACF (Auto Correlation Function) of Daily Log Returns:

ACF Plot of Daily Log Returns

After collapsing the data into a monthly time series format we again take a look at the decomposition:

Time Series Decomposition of Monthly Log Return of the CCI30 Index

### **Anomaly Detection**

Now, let us look for anomalies in the monthly data. To do this, I use the anomalize package.

```
dfa_tsb <- df.ts.monthly %>%
  time_decompose(Monthly.Log.Returns, method = "tiwtter") %>%
  anomalize(remainder, method = "gesd") %>%
  time_recompose()

dfa_tsb %>%
  plot_anomaly_decomposition() +
  xlab("Monthly Log Return") +
  ylab("Value") +
  labs(
    title = "Anomaly Detection for CCI30 Monthly Log Returns"
    , subtitle = "Method: GESD"
  )
```

Anomaly Detection for CCI30 Monthly Log Returns

We can easily see the anomalous returns during, what I refer to as, the mainstream crypto craze of 2017.

#### **CCI30 Index Forecasts**

With all of this done, we move onto the forecast of the index. I forecast 12 months out using a few different models: HW (Holt-Winters), ETS (Error, Trend, Seasonality), Bagged ETS, ARIMA, SNaive and Facebook Prophet. These models produce the following:

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