

Evaluation

BUSI 722: Data-Driven Finance II

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In [1]: import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
from sqlalchemy import create_engine
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestRegressor
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
sns.set_style("whitegrid")
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Create dataset of returns and features

- Do some preprocessing of target variable
 - target1 = return in excess of median each week: takes out market returns which are hard to predict
 - target2 = percentile of return each week (0=worst, 100=best): takes out market returns and reduces effect of outliers
- When evaluating performance (testing), use actual returns.



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In [2]: server = 'fs.rice.edu'
database = 'stocks'
username = 'stocks'
password = '6LAZH1'
driver = 'SQL+Server'
string = f"mssql+pyodbc://{username}:{password}@{server}/{database}"
try:
    conn = create_engine(string + "?driver='SQL+Server'").connect()
except:
    try:
        conn = create_engine(string + "?driver='ODBC+Driver+18+for+SQL+Server'").connect()
    except:
        import pymssql
        string = f"mssql+pymssql://{username}:{password}@{server}/{database}"
        conn = create_engine(string).connect()
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In [3]: sep_weekly = pd.read_sql(
        """
        select date, ticker, closeadj, closeunadj, volume, lastupdated from sep_w
        where date >= '2010-01-01'
        order by ticker, date, lastupdated
        """,
        conn,
    )
    sep_weekly = sep_weekly.groupby(["ticker", "date"]).last()
    sep_weekly = sep_weekly.drop(columns=["lastupdated"])

    ret = sep_weekly.groupby("ticker", group_keys=False).closeadj.pct_change()
    ret.name = "ret"

    price = sep_weekly.closeunadj
    price.name = "price"

    volume = sep_weekly.volume
    volume.name = "volume"
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In [4]: ret_annual = sep_weekly.groupby("ticker", group_keys=False).closeadj.pct_change(12)
ret_monthly = sep_weekly.groupby("ticker", group_keys=False).closeadj.pct_change(1)
mom = (1 + ret_annual) / (1 + ret_monthly) - 1
mom.name = "mom"
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In [5]: weekly = pd.read_sql(
        """
        select date, ticker, pb, marketcap, lastupdated from weekly
        where date>='2010-01-01'
        order by ticker, date, lastupdated
        """,
        conn,
    )
    weekly = weekly.groupby(["ticker", "date"]).last()
    weekly = weekly.drop(columns=["lastupdated"])

    pb = weekly.pb
    pb.name = "pb"
    marketcap = weekly.marketcap
    marketcap.name = "marketcap"
```

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In [6]: sf1 = pd.read_sql(
        """
        select datekey as date, ticker, assets, netinc, equity, lastupdated from
        where datekey>='2010-01-01' and dimension='ARY' and assets>0 and equity>0
        order by ticker, datekey, lastupdated
        """,
        conn,
    )
    sf1 = sf1.groupby(["ticker", "date"]).last()
    sf1 = sf1.drop(columns=["lastupdated"])

    # change dates to Fridays
    from datetime import timedelta
    sf1 = sf1.reset_index()
    sf1.date = sf1.date.map(
        lambda x: x + timedelta(4 - x.weekday())
    )
    sf1 = sf1.set_index(["ticker", "date"])
    sf1 = sf1[~sf1.index.duplicated()]

    assets = sf1.assets
    assets.name = "assets"
    netinc = sf1.netinc
    netinc.name = "netinc"
    equity = sf1.equity
    equity.name = "equity"

    equity = equity.groupby("ticker", group_keys=False).shift()
    roe = netinc / equity
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In [7]: df = pd.concat(
    (
        ret,
        mom,
        volume,
        price,
        pb,
        marketcap,
        roe,
        assetgr
    ),
    axis=1
)
df["ret"] = df.groupby("ticker", group_keys=False).ret.shift(-1)
df["roe"] = df.groupby("ticker", group_keys=False).roe.fffll()
df["assetgr"] = df.groupby("ticker", group_keys=False).assetgr.fffll()
df = df[df.price >= 5]
df = df.dropna()

df = df.reset_index()
df.date = df.date.astype(str)
df = df[df.date >= "2012-01-01"]

df["target1"] = df.groupby("date", group_keys=False).ret.apply(
    lambda x: x - x.median()
)
df["target2"] = df.groupby("date", group_keys=False).ret.apply(
    lambda x: 100*x.rank(pct=True)
)
```



Train and predict

- Train periodically
- Use trained model to predict until next training date
- First set backtest parameters and model
- Then run loop



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In [8]: train_years = 5 # num years of past data to use for training
train_freq = 3 # num years between training
target = "target2"
features = [
    "mom",
    "volume",
    "pb",
    "marketcap",
    "roe",
    "assetgr"
]
model = RandomForestRegressor(max_depth=3)
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In [9]: years = range(2012+train_years, 2024, train_freq)
df2 = None
for i, year in enumerate(years):
    print(year)
    start_train = f"{year-train_years}-01-01"
    start_predict = f"{year}-01-01"
    if year == years[-1]:
        stop_predict = "2100-01-01"
    else:
        stop_predict = f"{years[i+1]}-01-01"
    past = df[(df.date >= start_train) & (df.date < start_predict)]
    future = df[(df.date >= start_predict) & (df.date < stop_predict)].copy()
    model.fit(X=past[features], y=past[target])
    future["predict"] = model.predict(X=future[features])
    df2 = pd.concat((df2, future))

df2.head()

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2017
2020
2023

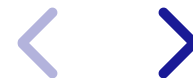
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Out[9]:

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	ticker	date	ret	mom	volume	price	pb	marketcap	r
264	A	2017-01-06	0.058225	0.103020	1987059.0	46.54	3.5	14958.1	0.1108
265	A	2017-01-13	-0.032696	0.225752	2921216.8	49.25	3.7	15488.9	0.1108



Form portfolios from predictions

- Equally weighted portfolio of best stocks
- Equally weighted portfolio of worst stocks
- Equally weighted portfolio of all stocks



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In [10]: num_stocks = 50

grouped = df2.groupby("date", group_keys=False).predict
starting_from_best = grouped.rank(ascending=False, method="first")
best = df2[starting_from_best <= num_stocks]
best_rets = best.groupby("date", group_keys=True).ret.mean()
best_rets.index = pd.to_datetime(best_rets.index)

starting_from_worst = grouped.rank(ascending=True, method="first")
worst = df2[starting_from_worst <= num_stocks]
worst_rets = worst.groupby("date", group_keys=True).ret.mean()
worst_rets.index = pd.to_datetime(worst_rets.index)

all_rets = df2.groupby("date", group_keys=True).ret.mean()
all_rets.index = pd.to_datetime(all_rets.index)
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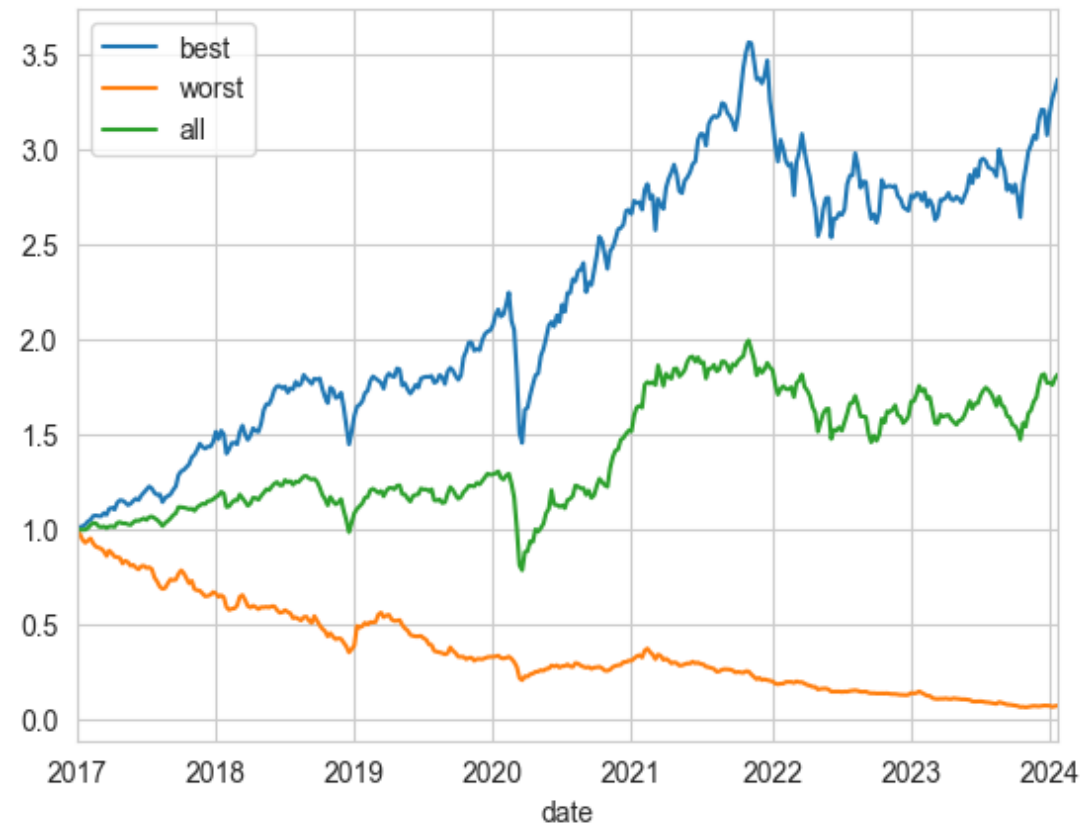
Plot performance

- Set `logy = True` to get a log plot.
- In a log plot, the slope of a curve represents the percent change in the y variable per unit change in the x variable.



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In [11]: logy = False
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(1+best_rets).cumprod().plot(label="best", logy=logy)  
(1+worst_rets).cumprod().plot(label="worst", logy=logy)  
(1+all_rets).cumprod().plot(label="all", logy=logy)  
plt.legend()  
plt.show()
```



Look Inside the Model



Find feature importances for last trained model



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In [102]: importances = pd.Series(  
            model.feature_importances_,  
            index=features  
        )  
importances.round(3)
```

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Out[102]: mom          0.044  
volume       0.295  
pb           0.027  
marketcap    0.178  
roe          0.456  
assetgr      0.001  
dtype: float64
```



Extract best, worst, and all stocks in last portfolios



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In [106]: last_date = df2.date.max()
best_last = best[best.date==last_date].copy()
worst_last = worst[worst.date==last_date].copy()
all_last = df2[df2.date==last_date].copy()

best_last["group"] = "best"
worst_last["group"] = "worst"
all_last["group"] = "all"

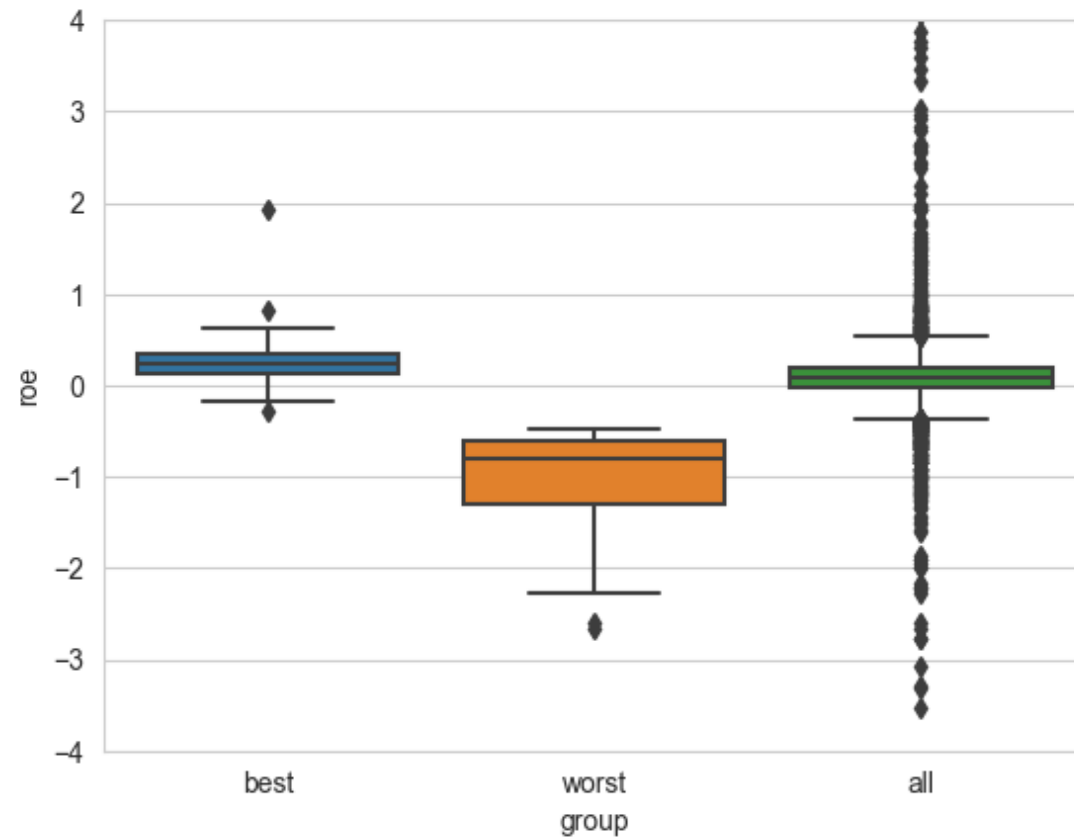
last = pd.concat((best_last, worst_last, all_last))
```

Compare features of best, worst, and all portfolios

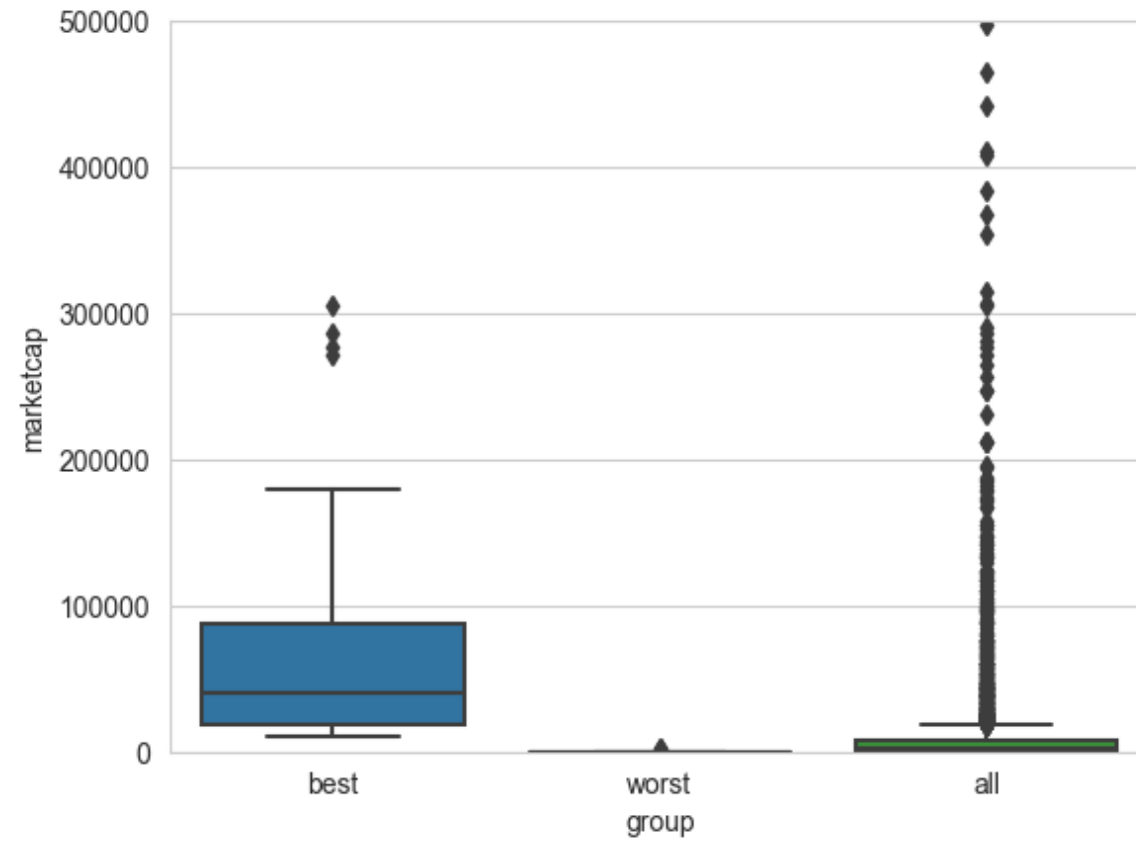


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In [112]: sns.boxplot(last, x="group", y="roe")  
plt.ylim((-4, 4))
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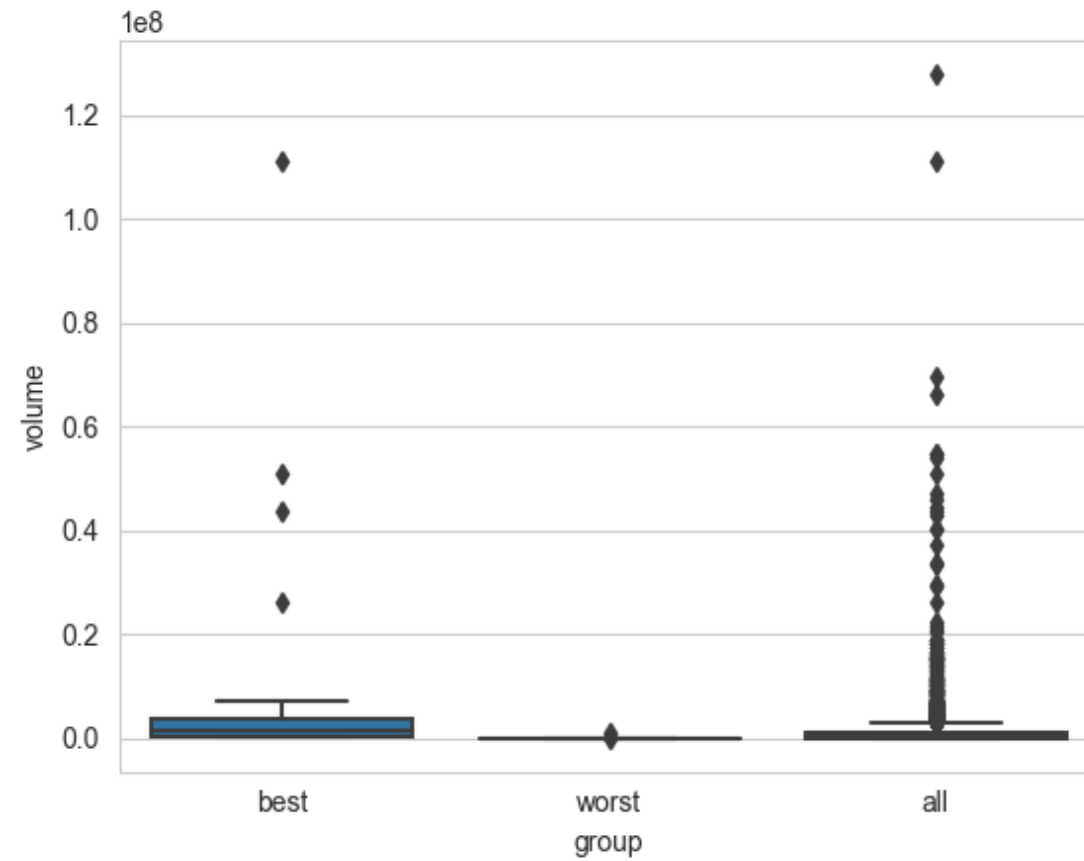
Out[112]: (-4.0, 4.0)



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In [115]: sns.boxplot(last, x="group", y="marketcap")  
plt.ylim((0, 0.5e6))  
plt.show()
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In [117]: sns.boxplot(last, x="group", y="volume")  
# plt.ylim((0, 0.5e6))  
plt.show()
```



Assessing Performance



Add SPY returns



```
In [49]: import yfinance as yf

spy = yf.download("SPY", start=2017)["Adj Close"]
spy = pd.DataFrame(spy)
spy["date"] = spy.index.map(
    lambda x: x + timedelta(4 - x.weekday())
)
spy = spy.groupby(["date"])["Adj Close"].last()
spy = spy.pct_change()

rets = pd.concat((spy, best_rets, worst_rets), axis=1).dropna()
rets.columns = ["spy", "best", "worst"]
```

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Find frontier of SPY, best, and worst



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In [118]: from cvxopt import matrix
          from cvxopt.solvers import qp

          cov = rets.cov()
          means = rets.mean()

          P = cov
          A = np.array(
              [
                  means,
                  [1., 1., 1.]
              ]
          )
          P = matrix(P.to_numpy())
          q = matrix(np.zeros((3, 1)))
          A = matrix(A)

          mns = []
          vars = []
          ports = []
          for targ in np.linspace(0, 0.5/52, 50):
              b = matrix(
                  np.array([targ, 1]).reshape(2, 1)
              )
              sol = qp(
                  P=P,
                  q=q,
                  A=A,
                  b=b
```



Find best portfolio with same risk as SPY



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In [97]: stdev = np.max([s for s in sds if s <= np.sqrt(52)*rets.spy.std()])
indx = np.where(sds==stdev)[0].item()
mean = mns[indx]
port = ports[indx]
print(port.round(2))
print(f"portfolio expected return is {mean:.1%}")
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spy      0.58
best     0.79
worst    -0.37
dtype: float64
portfolio expected return is 35.7%
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