

# statistical\_analysis

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## 1 Brazilian Stock Risk and Return Analysis

This notebook calculates and visualizes descriptive statistics of daily returns for stocks traded on B3, using the Yahoo Finance API.

```
[2]: import yfinance as yf
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
from scipy.stats import skew, kurtosis, norm

sns.set(style="whitegrid")
plt.rcParams["figure.figsize"] = (12,6)
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### 1.1 Data Download and Return Calculation

```
[3]: def fetch_and_prepare_data(ticker: str, start="2010-01-01", end=None):
    df = yf.download(ticker, start=start, end=end)
    df = df[["Close"]].rename(columns={"Close": "adjusted_close"})
    df["daily_return"] = df["adjusted_close"].pct_change()
    return df.dropna()

ticker = "BBDC3.SA"
df = fetch_and_prepare_data(ticker)
```

YF.download() has changed argument auto\_adjust default to True

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### 1.2 Descriptive Statistics of Daily Returns

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[4]: stats = df["daily_return"].describe()
print(f" Daily Return Descriptive Statistics for {ticker}:")
display(stats)

mean = df["daily_return"].mean()
std = df["daily_return"].std()
skewness = skew(df["daily_return"])
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kurt = kurtosis(df["daily_return"])

print(f"\n Mean: {mean:.4%}")
print(f" Standard Deviation: {std:.4%}")
print(f" Skewness: {skewness:.4f}")
print(f" Kurtosis: {kurt:.4f}")

```

Daily Return Descriptive Statistics for BBDC3.SA:

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count      3831.000000
mean         0.000494
std          0.020455
min         -0.160126
25%         -0.010611
50%          0.000000
75%          0.011054
max          0.163276
Name: daily_return, dtype: float64

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Mean: 0.0494%
Standard Deviation: 2.0455%
Skewness: 0.0683
Kurtosis: 6.9158

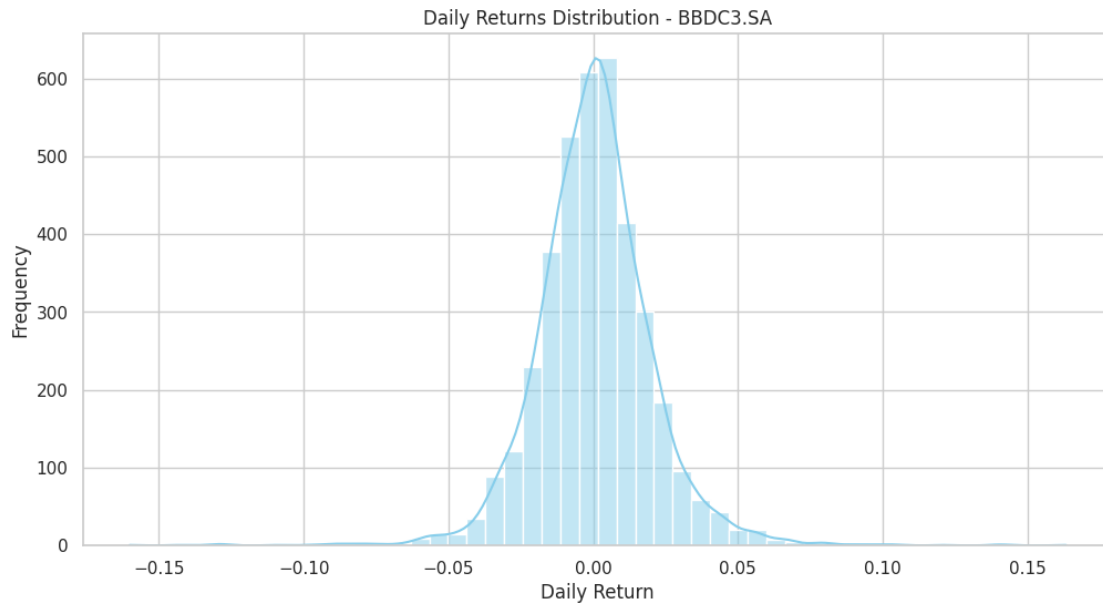
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### 1.3 Daily Returns Distribution

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[5]: sns.histplot(df["daily_return"], bins=50, kde=True, color="skyblue")
plt.title(f"Daily Returns Distribution - {ticker}")
plt.xlabel("Daily Return")
plt.ylabel("Frequency")
plt.show()

```



The histogram visualizes the distribution of returns, showing a central peak and denser, more extended tails (especially to the left). This confirms the negative skewness and positive kurtosis, indicating a higher risk of extreme losses and that rare events are more frequent than predicted by common models.

## 1.4 Risk Metrics: Annualized Volatility and VaR

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[6]: annual_volatility = df["daily_return"].std() * np.sqrt(252)
confidence_level = 0.95
VaR_95 = np.percentile(df["daily_return"], (1 - confidence_level) * 100)
VaR_parametric = norm.ppf(1 - confidence_level, df["daily_return"].mean(),
    ↪df["daily_return"].std())

print(f" Annualized Volatility: {annual_volatility:.2%}")
print(f" Historical VaR (95%): {VaR_95:.2%}")
print(f" Parametric Normal VaR (95%): {VaR_parametric:.2%}")
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Annualized Volatility: 32.47%
Historical VaR (95%): -2.99%
Parametric Normal VaR (95%): -3.32%
```

**Parametric VaR (95% ~-3.31%):** This value assumes ‘normal’ returns and underestimates potential losses in real scenarios (difference of ~0.32%), making Historical VaR more reliable for financial assets with ‘fat tails’.

## 1.5 Comparison Across Multiple Assets

This code block prepares and displays the returns of multiple assets for comparison, along with their basic statistics.

```
[7]: tickers = ["BBDC3.SA", "ITUB4.SA", "BBAS3.SA"]
      returns = {}
      all_data = {}

      for t in tickers:
          df_temp = fetch_and_prepare_data(t)
          all_data[t] = df_temp
          returns[t] = df_temp["daily_return"]

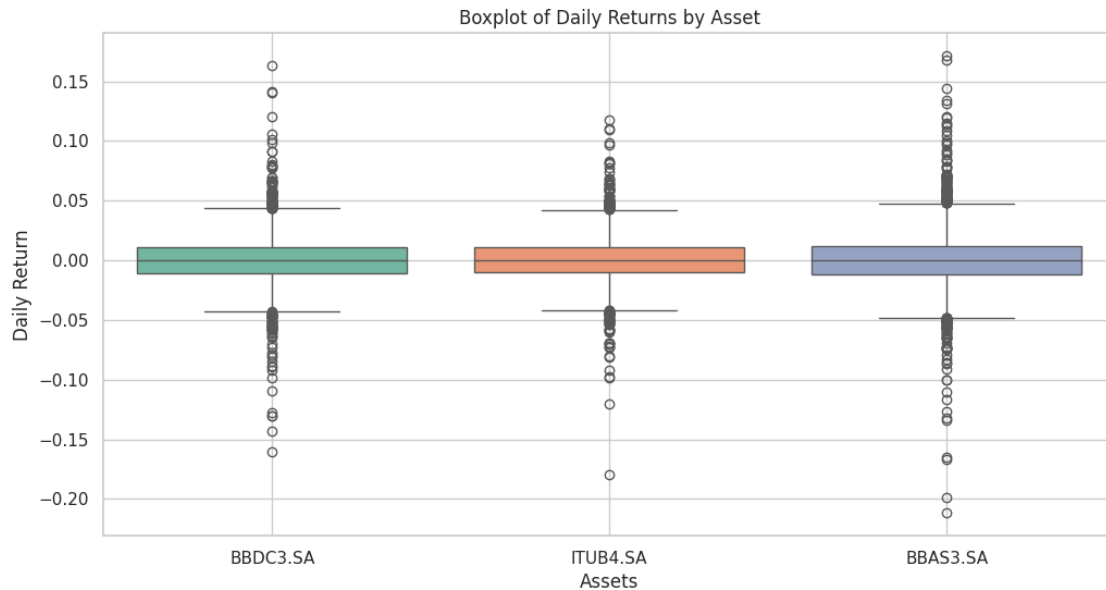
      returns_df = pd.DataFrame(returns).dropna()
      display(returns_df.head())
      display(returns_df.describe().T[["mean", "std"]].rename(columns={"mean": "↵
      ↵Mean", "std": "Standard Deviation"}))
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|            | BBDC3.SA  | ITUB4.SA           | BBAS3.SA  |
|------------|-----------|--------------------|-----------|
| Date       |           |                    |           |
| 2010-01-05 | -0.013772 | 0.006480           | -0.010034 |
| 2010-01-06 | -0.005891 | -0.008667          | 0.001351  |
| 2010-01-07 | -0.002304 | -0.010243          | 0.000338  |
| 2010-01-08 | 0.001320  | -0.015144          | 0.005733  |
| 2010-01-11 | -0.003295 | -0.008713          | 0.007713  |
|            | Mean      | Standard Deviation |           |
| BBDC3.SA   | 0.000494  | 0.020455           |           |
| ITUB4.SA   | 0.000463  | 0.019132           |           |
| BBAS3.SA   | 0.000651  | 0.024186           |           |

## 1.6 Comparative Returns Boxplot

```
[10]: return_melted = returns_df.reset_index().melt(id_vars="Date", var_name="Asset",↵
      ↵value_name="Return")
      sns.boxplot(data=return_melted, x="Asset", y="Return", hue="Asset",↵
      ↵palette="Set2", legend=False)
      plt.title("Boxplot of Daily Returns by Asset")
      plt.xlabel("Assets")
      plt.ylabel("Daily Return")
      plt.grid(True)
      plt.show()
```



The three banking assets show very similar risk and volatility profiles, with comparable fluctuations and occurrences of extreme values.

## 1.7 Asset Correlation

```
[1]: correlation_matrix = returns_df.corr()
sns.heatmap(correlation_matrix, annot=True, cmap="coolwarm", fmt=".2f",
            linewidths=0.5)
plt.title("Asset Correlation Matrix")
plt.show()
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----> 1 correlation_matrix = returns_df.corr()
      2 sns.heatmap(correlation_matrix, annot=True, cmap="coolwarm", fmt=".2f",
      3               linewidths=0.5)
      4 plt.title("Asset Correlation Matrix")

NameError: name 'returns_df' is not defined
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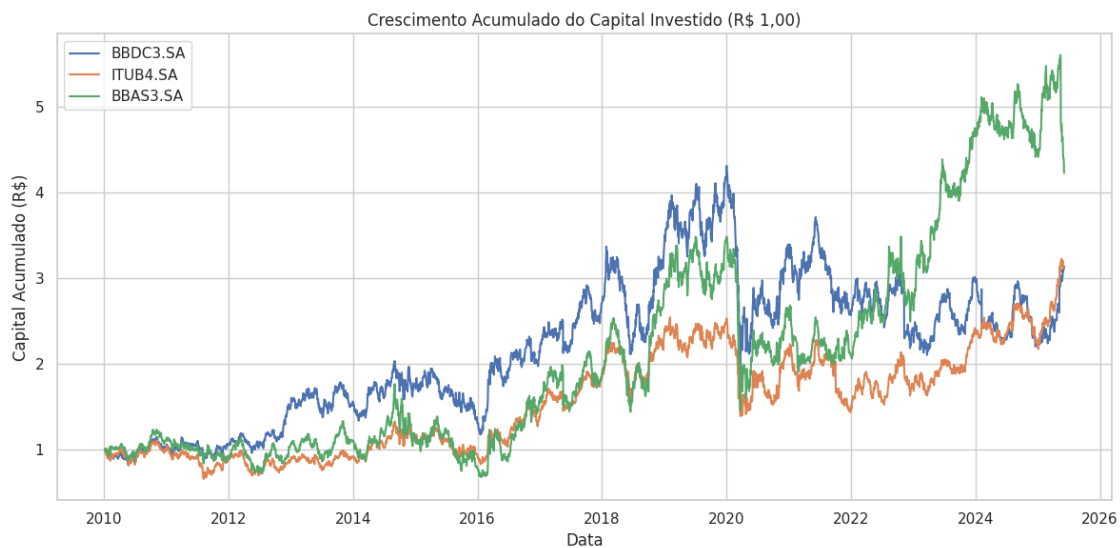
The correlations between these assets are extremely high and positive (close to 1.00). This means they move in the same direction, offering little diversification for a portfolio. To reduce risk, assets from other sectors would be needed.

## 1.8 Cumulative Capital Growth

```
[ ]: plt.figure(figsize=(12,6))

for ticker, df in all_data.items():
    cumulative_growth = (1 + df["daily_return"]).cumprod()
    plt.plot(cumulative_growth, label=ticker)

plt.title("Cumulative Growth of Invested Capital (R$ 1.00)")
plt.xlabel("Data")
plt.ylabel("Cumulative Capital (R$)")
plt.legend()
plt.grid(True)
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```



The growth trajectories of the three banks are remarkably similar, moving in unison. This visually reinforces the low diversification of a portfolio with only these assets, highlighting vulnerability to sectoral shocks.