# FinalReport

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### Introduction

#### Variable Selection

Our data comes from four different datasets. We used three of Riguang Wen's datasets from figshare.com – players cv, players salary, and players stat. We also used a dataset called NBA RS 2020-1950 Stats uploaded to zenodo.org by Pablo Gomez and Sandra Giral. From these datasets, we considered the following variables.

Variable	Description	Type	Source
Player	Name of player	Character	players stat
Age	Age of player	Numeric	players stat
G	Games played	Numeric	players stat
GS	Games started	Numeric	players stat
MP	Minutes played	Numeric	players stat
PER	Player efficiency rating	Numeric	players stat
PTS	Points	Numeric	NBA RS 2020-1950 Stats
X3PAr	3PA/FGA	Numeric	players stat
FTr	FTA/FGA	Numeric	players stat
TS	True shooting percentage	Numeric	NBA RS 2020-1950 Stats
ORB	Offensive rebounds	Numeric	players stat
DRB	Defensive rebounds	Numeric	players stat
TRB	Total rebounds	Numeric	players stat
AST	Assists	Numeric	players stat
STL	Steals	Numeric	players stat
BLK	Blocks	Numeric	players stat
TOV	Turnovers	Numeric	players stat
USG	Usage percentage	Numeric	players stat
ORtg	Offensive rating	Numeric	players stat
DRtg	Defensive rating	Numeric	players stat
OWS	Offensive win shares	Numeric	players stat
DWS	Defensive win shares	Numeric	players stat
WS	Win shares	Numeric	players stat
WS.48	Win shares per 48 minutes	Numeric	players stat
OBPM	Offensive box $+/-$	Numeric	players stat
DBPM	Defensive box $+/-$	Numeric	players stat
BPM	Box +/-	Numeric	players stat
VORP	Value over replacement player	Numeric	players stat
Pos	Position	Factor	players salary
$\mathrm{Ht}$	Height in inches	Numeric	players salary
Wt	Weight in pounds	Numeric	players salary
PwrSix	Power Six College?	Indicator	players cv
International	International Player?	Indicator	players cv

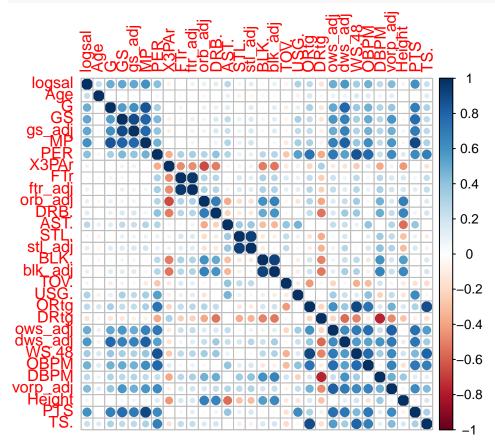
Variable	Description	Type	Source
Salary	Salary in dollars	Numeric	players salary

#### **Exploratory Data Analysis**

Immediately we can recognize that some variables are functions of others and therefore do not need to be considered. Specifically, BPM = OBPM + DBPM, so there is no need to include BPM in our model. Similarly, WS = OWS + DWS and TRB = ORB + DRB, so we can exclude WS and TRB from consideration if we include OWS, DWS, ORB and DRB in our model.

#### Correlation Matrix

corrplot(cor(data\_regressors[sapply(data\_regressors, is.numeric)]))



```
cor(PTS, MP)
## [1] 0.902671
cor(WS.48, PER)
## [1] 0.8635319
cor(DBPM,DRtg)
## [1] -0.7600841
cor(ORtg, TS.)
## [1] 0.8880973
# Which did we remove from here and why?
Stepwise Regression Models
null = lm(logsal ~ 1, data = data_regressors)
full = lm(logsal ~ ., data = data_regressors)
summary(full)
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = logsal ~ ., data = data_regressors)
## Residuals:
##
       Min
                1Q
                     Median
                                 3Q
## -2.89634 -0.45887 0.02604 0.54120 1.91738
## Coefficients:
##
                    Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                   7.4008123 6.3254510
                                       1.170 0.24280
                   0.0646425 0.0107122
                                        6.034 4.10e-09 ***
## Age
## G
                  -0.0178459 0.0059294 -3.010 0.00281 **
## GS
                  -0.0021455 0.0042821 -0.501 0.61667
## gs_adj
                   0.0396328 0.0730560
                                       0.542 0.58782
                                        1.677 0.09449
## MP
                   0.0005660 0.0003375
## PER
                  -0.0117003 0.0758247 -0.154 0.87746
## X3PAr
                 0.5024624 0.5770514
                                       0.871 0.38450
## FTr
                                        1.311 0.19087
                  1.7980956 1.3719994
                  -2.2892221 1.4853599 -1.541 0.12418
## ftr_adj
## orb_adj
                   0.2295850 0.1674220
                                        1.371 0.17117
## DRB.
                  -0.0252907 0.0188371 -1.343 0.18028
## AST.
                   0.0110053 0.0144804
                                        0.760 0.44777
## STL.
                  1.084 0.27931
## stl_adj
                   0.5876361 0.5423143
## BLK.
                  -0.0029507 0.1022943 -0.029 0.97701
## blk_adj
                  -0.3231552 0.3078111
                                       -1.050 0.29452
## TOV.
                   0.0081408 0.0257820
                                         0.316 0.75238
## USG.
                 0.0672225 0.0420846
                                        1.597 0.11111
## ORtg
                 0.0369474 0.0239225
                                        1.544 0.12339
## DRtg
                 0.0135157 0.0505360
                                         0.267 0.78928
## ows_adj
                   1.4202772 0.4624449
                                         3.071 0.00230 **
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```
## dws adj
                   0.9720928 0.3929347
                                        2.474 0.01384 *
## WS.48
                  -6.3523003 5.3913932 -1.178 0.23951
## OBPM
                  0.1170824 0.1007643
                                        1.162 0.24606
                                        2.748 0.00632 **
## DBPM
                   0.2177996 0.0792673
## vorp_adj
                  0.3415669 0.3389145
                                        1.008 0.31424
## PosC-F
## PosF
                  -0.1952697 0.1972747 -0.990 0.32295
                  -0.0142731 0.2244035 -0.064 0.94932
## PosF-C
## PosF-G
                  -0.3848567 0.3062600 -1.257 0.20973
## PosG
                  -0.6576945  0.3107234  -2.117  0.03500 *
## PosG-F
                  -0.5170538   0.2817117   -1.835   0.06730
                   0.0114742 0.0311866
## Height
                                        0.368 0.71316
## PTS
                  -0.0001013 0.0005238 -0.193 0.84671
## TS.
                  -2.1923651 3.0757210 -0.713 0.47645
## InternationalYes -0.0243684 0.1124619 -0.217 0.82858
## ConferenceMulti -0.6762959 0.1585817
                                        -4.265 2.59e-05 ***
## ConferenceWest -0.0734721 0.0990529 -0.742 0.45874
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 0.8284 on 346 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.5732, Adjusted R-squared: 0.5263
## F-statistic: 12.23 on 38 and 346 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
bic = log(nrow(data_regressors))
stepbic_model <- stepAIC(object = null, scope = list(lower = null, upper = full),</pre>
direction = "both", k = bic)
## Start: AIC=147.73
## logsal ~ 1
##
##
                                 RSS
                  Df Sum of Sq
                                        AIC
## + MP
                      205.936 350.46 -24.281
                  1
## + PTS
                  1
                      204.939 351.46 -23.186
## + dws_adj
                  1
                      182.788 373.61
                                     0.344
## + GS
                  1
                      150.239 406.16 32.505
## + gs_adj
                      148.593 407.80 34.062
                  1
                      135.532 420.87 46.199
## + ows_adj
                  1
## + G
                  1
                      134.283 422.11 47.339
## + OBPM
                  1
                      126.131 430.27 54.704
## + vorp_adj
                  1 103.261 453.14 74.643
## + PER
                  1
                     96.356 460.04 80.465
## + WS.48
                     65.572 490.83 105.402
                  1
## + USG.
                  1
                     55.407 500.99 113.294
## + AST.
                  1
                      43.172 513.23 122.584
## + DBPM
                       40.236 516.16 124.779
                  1
## + ORtg
                       38.938 517.46 125.746
                  1
## + Age
                  1
                       33.751 522.65 129.587
## + TS.
                       28.177 528.22 133.671
                  1
## + Conference
                  2
                     33.141 523.26 135.989
## + DRtg
                  1
                      13.737 542.66 144.054
## + DRB.
                  1
                      10.839 545.56 146.105
                      8.592 547.81 147.687
## + stl_adj
                  1
## <none>
                              556.40 147.726
                 1 5.968 550.43 149.527
## + orb_adj
```

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5.623 550.77 149.768
## + blk adi
                 1
## + ftr_adj
                         4.410 551.99 150.615
                   1
## + X3PAr
                         3.600 552.80 151.180
                         2.977 553.42 151.613
## + International 1
## + Height
                   1
                         2.359 554.04 152.043
## + TOV.
                       2.173 554.22 152.172
                   1
## + STL.
                       1.585 554.81 152.581
                   1
## + BLK.
                   1
                        0.669 555.73 153.216
## + FTr
                   1
                        0.451 555.95 153.366
## + Pos
                   6
                      15.293 541.10 172.715
##
## Step: AIC=-24.28
## logsal ~ MP
##
                  Df Sum of Sq
##
                                RSS
                                          ATC
## + Age
                   1
                        31.599 318.86 -54.706
## + PER
                        11.787 338.67 -31.498
                   1
## + PTS
                   1
                       10.016 340.45 -29.491
## + dws_adj
                        9.805 340.66 -29.253
                   1
## + OBPM
                   1
                        8.947 341.51 -28.284
                       7.922 342.54 -27.130
## + DBPM
                   1
## + USG.
                   1
                       7.500 342.96 -26.655
## + WS.48
                       7.398 343.06 -26.541
                   1
                      7.201 343.26 -26.320
## + ows_adj
                   1
## + DRtg
                   1
                       6.013 344.45 -24.990
## + Height
                   1
                       5.945 344.52 -24.914
## + orb_adj
                         5.930 344.53 -24.898
                   1
## + AST.
                         5.664 344.80 -24.600
                   1
## <none>
                               350.46 -24.281
## + DRB.
                       5.362 345.10 -24.263
                   1
## + Conference
                   2
                         9.952 340.51 -23.465
## + vorp_adj
                   1
                        4.560 345.90 -23.370
## + X3PAr
                   1
                         3.805 346.66 -22.530
## + ORtg
                         2.919 347.54 -21.547
                   1
## + blk_adj
                   1
                         2.426 348.04 -21.001
## + gs_adj
                       2.122 348.34 -20.666
                   1
## + International 1
                       1.745 348.72 -20.249
## + G
                   1
                        1.657 348.81 -20.151
## + BLK.
                   1
                         1.508 348.95 -19.987
## + ftr_adj
                       1.335 349.13 -19.797
                   1
## + GS
                        1.217 349.24 -19.666
                   1
## + TS.
                        0.672 349.79 -19.066
                   1
## + FTr
                         0.618 349.84 -19.007
                   1
## + TOV.
                       0.051 350.41 -18.383
                   1
## + stl_adj
                        0.037 350.42 -18.368
                   1
## + STL.
                        0.014 350.45 -18.343
                   1
## + Pos
                   6
                       13.359 337.10 -3.524
## - MP
                       205.936 556.40 147.726
## Step: AIC=-54.71
## logsal ~ MP + Age
##
                  Df Sum of Sq
##
                                  RSS
                                          ATC
## + Conference
                2 16.682 302.18 -63.488
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## + PTS
                 1
                     11.385 307.48 -62.751
## + USG.
                      10.980 307.88 -62.243
                   1
## + PER
                 1
                       9.861 309.00 -60.847
## + orb_adj
                       7.474 311.39 -57.884
                 1
                      6.396 312.47 -56.554
## + dws_adj
                  1
                 1 6.376 312.49 -56.529
1 5.690 313.17 -55.685
## + Height
## + DBPM
## + DRB.
                       5.453 313.41 -55.394
                  1
                              318.86 -54.706
## <none>
                     4.605 314.26 -54.353
## + DRtg
                 1
## + X3PAr
                 1
                        4.420 314.44 -54.127
## + OBPM
                 1
                        4.154 314.71 -53.801
                     4.079 314.78 -53.709
## + ows_adj
                 1
## + WS.48
                 1
                       3.223 315.64 -52.663
                     3.153 315.71 -52.579
3.140 315.72 -52.563
2.245 316.62 -51.473
## + blk_adj
                 1
## + AST.
                  1
## + G
                 1
## + BLK.
                 1
                       2.202 316.66 -51.421
## + vorp_adj
                       1.725 317.14 -50.841
                 1
                      1.590 317.27 -50.677
## + gs adj
                  1
## + ftr_adj
                 1
                     1.589 317.27 -50.676
## + International 1
                       1.579 317.28 -50.665
## + FTr
                       1.021 317.84 -49.988
                 1
                      0.709 318.15 -49.609
## + GS
                  1
## + ORtg
                 1
                     0.486 318.38 -49.340
## + stl_adj
                 1
                       0.273 318.59 -49.083
                 1
## + STL.
                       0.113 318.75 -48.889
## + TOV.
                 1
                     0.028 318.84 -48.786
## + TS.
                 1
                       0.000 318.86 -48.753
## + Pos
                     12.036 306.83 -33.800
                 6
## - Age
                  1
                       31.599 350.46 -24.281
## - MP
                   1
                       203.784 522.65 129.587
##
## Step: AIC=-63.49
## logsal ~ MP + Age + Conference
##
                  Df Sum of Sq
                                 RSS
## + USG.
                  1
                     11.271 290.91 -72.170
## + PTS
                   1
                       11.175 291.01 -72.043
## + PER
                     10.001 292.18 -70.493
                 1
## + orb_adj
                       6.275 295.91 -65.614
                 1
                 1
## + OBPM
                        4.879 297.30 -63.801
## <none>
                              302.18 -63.488
                     4.391 297.79 -63.170
## + Height
                  1
## + dws_adj
                       4.127 298.05 -62.829
                 1
                     4.033 298.15 -62.707
3.904 298.28 -62.541
## + X3PAr
                  1
## + AST.
                  1
## + DRB.
                 1
                       3.730 298.45 -62.316
## + ows_adj
                 1
                        3.682 298.50 -62.255
                 1
## + DBPM
                        3.300 298.88 -61.762
                 1 2.974 299.21 -61.342
## + WS.48
## + DRtg
                 1 2.501 299.68 -60.734
                      2.470 299.71 -60.694
## + gs_adj
                 1
                       2.230 299.95 -60.387
## + G
                 1
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1 2.077 300.10 -60.190
## + ftr adi
## + blk_adj
                      1.752 300.43 -59.773
                   1
## + FTr
                       1.465 300.72 -59.406
## + BLK.
                 1
                       1.097 301.08 -58.935
                      0.904 301.28 -58.689
## + GS
                  1
## + vorp_adj
                     0.805 301.38 -58.561
                 1
                      0.703 301.48 -58.431
0.541 301.64 -58.224
0.480 301.70 -58.147
## + ORtg
                   1
## + International 1
## + stl_adj
             1
## + STL.
                  1
                       0.206 301.97 -57.798
## + TOV.
                 1
                        0.070 302.11 -57.624
## + TS.
                  1
                        0.054 302.13 -57.603
## - Conference 2 16.682 318.86 -54.706
## + Pos
                   6
                       9.929 292.25 -40.631
## - Age
                       38.329 340.51 -23.465
                   1
## - MP
                   1
                       176.059 478.24 107.307
##
## Step: AIC=-72.17
## logsal ~ MP + Age + Conference + USG.
                  Df Sum of Sq
##
                                  RSS
                                          AIC
## + DBPM
                  1 9.830 281.08 -79.451
## + orb_adj
                         9.488 281.42 -78.982
                   1
## + Height
                         6.623 284.29 -75.083
                   1
## + dws adj
                 1
                         5.655 285.25 -73.775
## <none>
                               290.91 -72.170
## + DRB.
                   1
                         3.680 287.23 -71.118
## + blk_adj
                   1
                         3.270 287.64 -70.569
## + PER
                  1 3.148 287.76 -70.405
                     2.896 288.01 -70.068
2.744 288.17 -69.865
2.668 288.24 -69.763
## + X3PAr
                  1
## + gs_adj
                   1
## + DRtg
                   1
## + WS.48
                       2.627 288.28 -69.708
                 1
                       1.972 288.94 -68.835
## + BLK.
                 1
                      1.799 289.11 -68.605
## + ows adi
                  1
                  1 1.647 289.26 -68.402
## + OBPM
## + ORtg
                  1
                       1.586 289.32 -68.321
## + PTS
                       1.253 289.66 -67.879
                   1
## + ftr_adj
                   1
                         1.171 289.74 -67.770
## + FTr
                      0.760 290.15 -67.224
                   1
## + International 1
                       0.597 290.31 -67.007
## + stl adj
                        0.538 290.37 -66.929
                   1
                       0.412 290.50 -66.762
## + vorp_adj
                   1
## + AST.
                   1
                       0.395 290.51 -66.740
## + GS
                   1
                       0.381 290.53 -66.721
                      0.292 290.62 -66.603
0.183 290.73 -66.459
## + TOV.
                  1
## + TS.
                   1
## + G
                  1
                       0.085 290.82 -66.329
## + STL.
                 1
                        0.065 290.84 -66.302
## - USG.
                       11.271 302.18 -63.488
                   1
## - Conference 2 16.974 307.88 -62.243
## + Pos
                 6
                     11.647 279.26 -52.181
## - Age
                  1 42.217 333.13 -25.951
## - MP
                 1
                       129.044 419.95 63.223
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```
##
## Step: AIC=-79.45
## logsal ~ MP + Age + Conference + USG. + DBPM
                   Df Sum of Sq
                                  RSS
## <none>
                                281.08 -79.451
## + orb adj
                          3.238 277.84 -77.958
                          2.374 278.71 -76.763
## + Height
                   1
## + DRtg
                   1
                          2.280 278.80 -76.632
## + OBPM
                  1
                        2.055 279.02 -76.323
## + ORtg
                  1
                        1.287 279.79 -75.264
                       1.262 279.82 -75.230
## + gs_adj
                   1
                      1.247 279.83 -75.210
## + STL.
                   1
## + ows_adj
                        0.880 280.20 -74.705
                   1
                   1 0.852 280.23 -74.666
1 0.819 280.26 -74.621
1 0.620 280.46 -74.347
## + vorp_adj
## + PTS
## + BLK.
                        0.518 280.56 -74.207
## + WS.48
                  1
## + International 1
                        0.514 280.57 -74.202
## + PER
          1
                         0.490 280.59 -74.169
## + stl_adj
                  1
                         0.398 280.68 -74.042
## - Conference
                  2
                      13.017 294.10 -73.928
                       0.247 280.83 -73.835
0.182 280.90 -73.747
## + G
                    1
## + blk adj
                   1
## + AST.
                   1
                        0.174 280.91 -73.735
## + TS.
                  1
                        0.151 280.93 -73.705
## + DRB.
                         0.106 280.97 -73.642
                   1
## + X3PAr
                      0.082 281.00 -73.609
                   1
## + FTr
                  1 0.071 281.01 -73.594
                      0.047 281.03 -73.562
0.025 281.05 -73.531
0.022 281.06 -73.527
## + dws_adj
                   1
## + TOV.
                    1
## + ftr_adj
                    1
## + GS
                   1
                        0.008 281.07 -73.508
## - DBPM
                         9.830 290.91 -72.170
                   1
## - USG.
                   1
                        17.801 298.88 -61.762
## + Pos
                    6
                         5.519 275.56 -51.366
## - Age
                         39.226 320.31 -35.108
## - MP
                    1
                         93.538 374.62 25.195
stepaic_model <- stepAIC(object = null, scope = list(lower = null, upper = full),</pre>
direction = "both", k = 2)
## Start: AIC=143.77
## logsal ~ 1
##
                                 RSS
##
                   Df Sum of Sq
                                           AIC
## + MP
                        205.936 350.46 -32.187
                   1
## + PTS
                   1
                        204.939 351.46 -31.093
## + dws_adj
                       182.788 373.61 -7.562
                   1
## + GS
                   1
                      150.239 406.16 24.598
## + gs_adj
                   1 148.593 407.80 26.155
## + ows_adj
                   1 135.532 420.87 38.293
                    1 134.283 422.11
## + G
                                        39.433
## + OBPM
                   1 126.131 430.27 46.797
                  1 103.261 453.14 66.736
## + vorp_adj
```

```
## + PER
                  1
                           96.356 460.04 72.559
## + WS.48
                           65.572 490.83 97.496
                      1
## + USG.
                    1
                         55.407 500.99 105.388
## + AST.
                    1 43.172 513.23 114.677
                         40.236 516.16 116.873
## + DBPM
                     1
## + ORtg
                    1
                         38.938 517.46 117.840
## + Age
                    1 33.751 522.65 121.680
                   2
                         33.141 523.26 124.130
## + Conference
                         28.177 528.22 125.765
## + TS.
                      1
## + DRtg
                    1
                         13.737 542.66 136.148
## + DRB.
                    1 10.839 545.56 138.198
                    1 5.968 550.43 141.621

1 5.623 550.77 141.862

1 4.410 551.99 142.709

1 3.600 552.80 143.273

1 2.977 553.42 142 707
                          8.592 547.81 139.781
## + stl_adj
## + orb_adj
## + blk_adj
## + ftr_adj
## + X3PAr
## + International 1
## <none>
                                    556.40 143.772
                          2.359 554.04 144.136
                  1
## + Height
                          2.173 554.22 144.266
## + TOV.
                      1
## + STL.
                    1
                           1.585 554.81 144.674
## + Pos
                    6
                         15.293 541.10 145.042
## + BLK.
                     1
                          0.669 555.73 145.309
0.451 555.95 145.460
## + FTr
##
## Step: AIC=-32.19
## logsal ~ MP
##
##
                     Df Sum of Sq RSS
                                                AIC
## + Age
                     1
                         31.599 318.86 -66.566
                         11.787 338.67 -43.358
                     1
## + PER
                         10.016 340.45 -41.350
## + PTS
                    1
## + dws_adj
                    1 9.805 340.66 -41.112
## + OBPM
                    1
                           8.947 341.51 -40.144
## + Conference 2 9.952 340.51 -39.278
## + DBPM 1 7.922 342.54 -38.990
## + USG. 1 7.500 342.96 -38.515
                    1 7.500 342.96 -38.515

1 7.398 343.06 -38.401

1 7.201 343.26 -38.180

1 6.013 344.45 -36.850

1 5.945 344.52 -36.773

1 5.930 344.53 -36.758

1 5.664 344.80 -36.460

1 5.362 345.10 -36.123
## + WS.48
## + ows_adj
## + DRtg
## + Height
## + orb_adj
## + AST.
## + DRB.
## + vorp_adj
                    1
                           4.560 345.90 -35.230
                     6 13.359 337.10 -35.150
## + Pos
                         3.805 346.66 -34.390
                    1
## + X3PAr
## + ORtg
                    1
                           2.919 347.54 -33.407
## + blk_adj
## + gs_adj
                    1
                          2.426 348.04 -32.861
2.122 348.34 -32.525
                    1
## <none>
                                    350.46 -32.187
                         1.745 348.72 -32.109
## + International 1
## + G
        1
                           1.657 348.81 -32.011
             1
## + BLK.
                           1.508 348.95 -31.847
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1 1.335 349.13 -31.657
## + ftr_adj
## + GS
                       1.217 349.24 -31.526
                   1
## + TS.
                   1
                       0.672 349.79 -30.926
## + FTr
                        0.618 349.84 -30.867
                  1
## + TOV.
                  1
                        0.051 350.41 -30.243
## + stl adj
                 1
                       0.037 350.42 -30.228
## + STL.
                       0.014 350.45 -30.202
                   1
## - MP
                       205.936 556.40 143.772
                   1
##
## Step: AIC=-66.57
## logsal ~ MP + Age
##
##
                  Df Sum of Sq
                                RSS
                                         AIC
## + Conference
                  2
                     16.682 302.18 -83.254
## + PTS
                      11.385 307.48 -78.564
                   1
## + USG.
                   1
                       10.980 307.88 -78.056
## + PER
                       9.861 309.00 -76.660
                   1
## + orb adj
                   1
                       7.474 311.39 -73.697
                       6.396 312.47 -72.367
## + dws_adj
                   1
                      6.376 312.49 -72.342
## + Height
                   1
## + DBPM
                   1
                     5.690 313.17 -71.498
## + DRB.
                   1
                       5.453 313.41 -71.207
## + DRtg
                       4.605 314.26 -70.166
                   1
                      4.420 314.44 -69.940
## + X3PAr
                   1
## + OBPM
                   1
                       4.154 314.71 -69.614
## + ows_adj
                   1
                        4.079 314.78 -69.522
## + Pos
                   6
                      12.036 306.83 -69.379
## + WS.48
                   1
                        3.223 315.64 -68.476
## + blk_adj
                       3.153 315.71 -68.392
                  1
## + AST.
                   1
                       3.140 315.72 -68.376
## + G
                   1
                         2.245 316.62 -67.286
## + BLK.
                   1
                         2.202 316.66 -67.234
## + vorp_adj
                       1.725 317.14 -66.654
## <none>
                               318.86 -66.566
## + gs adi
                   1
                        1.590 317.27 -66.490
## + ftr_adj
                       1.589 317.27 -66.489
                   1
## + International 1
                       1.579 317.28 -66.478
## + FTr
                   1
                       1.021 317.84 -65.801
## + GS
                   1
                         0.709 318.15 -65.422
## + ORtg
                       0.486 318.38 -65.153
                   1
                       0.273 318.59 -64.896
## + stl adj
                  1
## + STL.
                        0.113 318.75 -64.702
                   1
## + TOV.
                   1
                        0.028 318.84 -64.599
## + TS.
                   1
                       0.000 318.86 -64.566
## - Age
                       31.599 350.46 -32.187
                   1
## - MP
                       203.784 522.65 121.680
                   1
##
## Step: AIC=-83.25
## logsal ~ MP + Age + Conference
##
##
                  Df Sum of Sq RSS
                                         AIC
## + USG.
                  1 11.271 290.91 -95.889
## + PTS
                   1
                       11.175 291.01 -95.762
## + PER
                   1
                       10.001 292.18 -94.212
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## + orb adj
                1 6.275 295.91 -89.334
## + OBPM
                       4.879 297.30 -87.521
                    1
## + Height
                        4.391 297.79 -86.889
                   1
## + dws_adj
                  1
                         4.127 298.05 -86.549
## + X3PAr
                   1
                        4.033 298.15 -86.427
## + AST.
                   1 3.904 298.28 -86.261
## + DRB.
                        3.730 298.45 -86.036
                   1
                  1 3.682 298.50 -85.974
1 3.300 298.88 -85.482
1 2.974 299.21 -85.061
## + ows adj
## + DBPM
## + WS.48
## + DRtg
                   1
                         2.501 299.68 -84.454
                       2.470 299.71 -84.413
9.929 292.25 -84.117
                  1
## + gs_adj
## + Pos
                   6
## + G
                   1 2.230 299.95 -84.106
                  1 2.077 300.10 -83.909
1 1.752 300.43 -83.493
## + ftr_adj
## + blk_adj
## <none>
                                 302.18 -83.254
                       1.465 300.72 -83.125
## + FTr
## + BLK.
                         1.097 301.08 -82.655
                   1
## + GS
                   1
                          0.904 301.28 -82.408
                       0.805 301.38 -82.281
## + vorp_adj
                   1
                      0.703 301.48 -82.151
0.541 301.64 -81.944
0.480 301.70 -81.867
## + ORtg
                    1
## + International 1
## + stl adj 1
## + STL.
                   1
                       0.206 301.97 -81.517
## + TOV.
                   1
                         0.070 302.11 -81.343
## + TS.
                   1
                         0.054 302.13 -81.323
## - Conference
                   2
                       16.682 318.86 -66.566
## - Age
                   1
                       38.329 340.51 -39.278
## - MP
                    1 176.059 478.24 91.494
##
## Step: AIC=-95.89
## logsal ~ MP + Age + Conference + USG.
##
##
                   Df Sum of Sq
                                  RSS
## + DBPM
                    1 9.830 281.08 -107.123
## + orb adj
                         9.488 281.42 -106.655
## + Height
                   1
                         6.623 284.29 -102.755
                        5.655 285.25 -101.447
## + dws adj
                   1
                   6
## + Pos
                      11.647 279.26 -99.620
                  1 3.680 287.23 -98.790
## + DRB.
## + blk_adj
                  1
                         3.270 287.64 -98.242
                       3.148 287.76 -98.078
## + PER
                   1
## + X3PAr
                   1
                        2.896 288.01 -97.740
                  1 2.744 288.17 -97.538
1 2.668 288.24 -97.436
1 2.627 288.28 -97.381
1 1.972 288.94 -96.508
## + gs_adj
## + DRtg
## + WS.48
## + BLK.
## + ows_adj
                   1
                         1.799 289.11 -96.277
                   1 1.799 289.11 -96.277
1 1.647 289.26 -96.075
1 1.586 289.32 -95.994
## + OBPM
## + ORtg
## <none>
                                 290.91 -95.889
                        1.253 289.66 -95.551
## + PTS
                   1
## + ftr adj 1
                        1.171 289.74 -95.442
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0.760 290.15 -94.897
0.597 290.31 -94.680
           1
## + FTr
## + International 1
## + stl adj 1
                        0.538 290.37 -94.602
## + vorp_adj
                        0.412 290.50 -94.435
                    1
                       0.395 290.51 -94.413
## + AST.
                    1
## + GS
                      0.381 290.53 -94.394
                   1
                      0.292 290.62 -94.276
0.183 290.73 -94.131
0.085 290.82 -94.002
## + TOV.
                  1
## + TS.
                  1
## + G
                   1
## + STL.
                  1
                         0.065 290.84 -93.975
## - USG.
                  1 11.271 302.18 -83.254
## - Conference 2 16.974 307.88 -78.056
                  1
## - Age
                       42.217 333.13 -45.717
                      129.044 419.95
## - MP
                    1
                                        43.457
##
## Step: AIC=-107.12
## logsal ~ MP + Age + Conference + USG. + DBPM
##
                   Df Sum of Sq
##
                                 RSS
## + orb adj
                   1 3.238 277.84 -109.584
                          2.374 278.71 -108.389
## + Height
                   1
                  1 2.280 278.80 -108.258
1 2.055 279.02 -107.949
## + DRtg
## + OBPM
## <none>
                                281.08 -107.123
                 1 1.287 279.79 -106.890
1 1.262 279.82 -106.855
## + ORtg
## + gs_adj
                  1 1.247 279.83 -106.835
1 0.880 280.20 -106.331
## + STL.
## + ows_adj
0.490 280.59 -105.795
## + PER
             1
                       0.398 280.68 -105.668
## + stl adi
                   1
## + G
                      0.247 280.83 -105.461
                   1
## + blk adj
                  1
                        0.182 280.90 -105.373
                  1 0.174 280.91 -105.361
1 0.151 280.93 -105.330
1 0.106 280.97 -105.268
## + AST.
## + TS.
## + DRB.
## + X3PAr
                        0.082 281.00 -105.235
                  1
                  1
                        0.071 281.01 -105.220
## + FTr
## + dws_adj
                  1 0.047 281.03 -105.187
1 0.025 281.05 -105.157
## + TOV.
                  1 0.022 281.06 -105.153
1 0.008 281.07 -105.134
6 5.519 275.56 -102.758
## + ftr_adj
## + GS
## + Pos
## - DBPM
                  1
                         9.830 290.91 -95.889
## - Conference 2
                      13.017 294.10 -93.695
                       17.801 298.88 -85.482
## - USG.
                    1
## - Age
                        39.226 320.31 -58.828
                    1
## - MP
                    1
                         93.538 374.62
                                        1.475
##
## Step: AIC=-109.58
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## logsal ~ MP + Age + Conference + USG. + DBPM + orb_adj
##
                   Df Sum of Sq
##
                                   RSS
## + BLK.
                          2.920 274.92 -111.652
                    1
## + blk_adj
                   1
                          2.638 275.20 -111.257
## + DRtg
                          2.508 275.33 -111.075
                   1
## + OBPM
                   1
                          2.066 275.78 -110.458
## + AST.
                   1
                          1.870 275.97 -110.184
## <none>
                                277.84 -109.584
## + gs_adj
                   1
                        1.107 276.73 -109.121
## + DRB.
                          0.945 276.90 -108.896
                   1
## + X3PAr
                          0.915 276.93 -108.854
                   1
## + vorp_adj
                   1
                          0.880 276.96 -108.806
## + PTS
                   1
                          0.612 277.23 -108.433
## + G
                          0.554 277.29 -108.352
                    1
## + FTr
                   1
                          0.371 277.47 -108.098
## + ows_adj
                   1
                          0.350 277.49 -108.069
## + ORtg
                   1
                          0.328 277.51 -108.038
                          0.316 277.53 -108.022
## + Height
                    1
## + ftr adj
                    1
                          0.259 277.58 -107.943
## + International 1
                         0.229 277.61 -107.901
## + STL.
                          0.082 277.76 -107.697
                    1
## + stl_adj
                          0.057 277.78 -107.663
                    1
## + TOV.
                          0.051 277.79 -107.656
                    1
## + WS.48
                   1
                        0.029 277.81 -107.624
## + TS.
                   1
                          0.004 277.84 -107.590
## + GS
                          0.001 277.84 -107.586
                   1
## + PER
                   1
                          0.000 277.84 -107.585
## + dws_adj
                        0.000 277.84 -107.585
                   1
## - orb_adj
                          3.238 281.08 -107.123
                   1
## - DBPM
                    1
                          3.580 281.42 -106.655
## + Pos
                    6
                         2.381 275.46 -100.898
                    2
## - Conference
                       13.274 291.12 -95.616
## - USG.
                        17.635 295.48
                                       -87.892
                    1
## - Age
                    1
                         41.275 319.12
                                        -58.260
## - MP
                         96.561 374.40
                    1
                                          3.254
##
## Step: AIC=-111.65
## logsal ~ MP + Age + Conference + USG. + DBPM + orb_adj + BLK.
##
##
                   Df Sum of Sq
                                   RSS
## + DRtg
                          2.856 272.07 -113.672
                    1
## + OBPM
                    1
                          1.563 273.36 -111.847
## <none>
                                274.92 -111.652
## + STL.
                   1
                          1.238 273.68 -111.389
                          1.170 273.75 -111.294
## + gs_adj
                    1
## + vorp_adj
                    1
                         1.138 273.78 -111.249
## + Height
                   1
                         1.010 273.91 -111.069
## + DRB.
                    1
                          0.969 273.95 -111.011
## + AST.
                   1
                          0.786 274.14 -110.754
## + PTS
                   1
                         0.692 274.23 -110.622
## + G
                   1
                        0.604 274.32 -110.498
## + ORtg
                   1
                          0.603 274.32 -110.498
## + X3PAr
                   1
                          0.551 274.37 -110.424
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## + ows adj
                         0.366 274.56 -110.165
              1
## + International 1
                         0.360 274.56 -110.156
## + stl adj
                   1
                         0.331 274.59 -110.115
## + FTr
                         0.228 274.69 -109.971
                   1
## + ftr adj
                   1
                         0.195 274.73 -109.925
## + TS.
                   1
                        0.155 274.77 -109.869
## + blk_adj
                   1
                         0.099 274.82 -109.790
## + PER
                   1
                         0.078 274.84 -109.761
## + WS.48
                   1
                       0.067 274.85 -109.746
## + dws_adj
                   1
                        0.051 274.87 -109.724
## + GS
                   1
                         0.003 274.92 -109.656
## + TOV.
                         0.001 274.92 -109.652
                   1
## - BLK.
                   1
                        2.920 277.84 -109.584
## - orb_adj
                   1
                        5.538 280.46 -105.973
## + Pos
                   6
                        4.241 270.68 -105.637
## - DBPM
                   1
                        6.231 281.15 -105.024
## - Conference
                   2
                      13.578 288.50 -97.091
## - USG.
                   1
                        19.547 294.47 -87.208
## - Age
                   1
                        39.589 314.51 -61.857
## - MP
                   1
                        82.811 357.73 -12.281
##
## Step: AIC=-113.67
## logsal ~ MP + Age + Conference + USG. + DBPM + orb_adj + BLK. +
##
      DRtg
##
                  Df Sum of Sq
                                  RSS
## + OBPM
                   1
                         2.536 269.53 -115.278
## + ORtg
                   1
                         1.800 270.27 -114.228
## + WS.48
                         1.591 270.47 -113.931
                   1
## <none>
                               272.07 -113.672
                         1.397 270.67 -113.654
## + dws_adj
                   1
## + Height
                   1
                         0.993 271.07 -113.080
## + ows_adj
                   1
                        0.921 271.14 -112.978
## + PER
                         0.863 271.20 -112.896
                   1
## + X3PAr
                   1
                         0.845 271.22 -112.870
                        0.808 271.26 -112.817
## + STL.
                   1
## + TS.
                         0.773 271.29 -112.768
## + PTS
                         0.769 271.30 -112.762
                   1
## + International 1
                         0.611 271.45 -112.538
## + gs_adj
                         0.611 271.45 -112.538
                   1
## + ftr adj
                   1
                         0.462 271.60 -112.327
## + AST.
                         0.394 271.67 -112.230
                   1
## + vorp_adj
                   1
                         0.392 271.67 -112.227
## + DRB.
                         0.321 271.74 -112.127
                   1
## + FTr
                   1
                         0.303 271.76 -112.102
## + G
                         0.290 271.78 -112.083
                   1
## + stl_adj
                   1
                         0.263 271.80 -112.044
## + TOV.
                   1
                         0.134 271.93 -111.862
## + blk_adj
                   1
                         0.116 271.95 -111.837
## + GS
                   1
                         0.000 272.06 -111.673
## - DRtg
                   1
                         2.856 274.92 -111.652
## - BLK.
                   1
                        3.268 275.33 -111.075
## + Pos
                   6
                     4.732 267.33 -108.427
## - orb_adj
                  1
                         6.021 278.09 -107.245
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## - DBPM
                        8.677 280.74 -103.585
                   1
## - Conference
                        14.327 286.39 -97.913
                   2
                        22.348 294.41 -85.280
## - USG.
                   1
## - Age
                   1
                        40.455 312.52 -62.301
## - MP
                   1
                        64.976 337.04 -33.219
##
## Step: AIC=-115.28
## logsal ~ MP + Age + Conference + USG. + DBPM + orb_adj + BLK. +
##
      DRtg + OBPM
##
                  Df Sum of Sq
##
                                  RSS
                         2.994 266.54 -117.579
## + vorp_adj
                   1
## + Height
                   1
                         1.421 268.11 -115.313
## <none>
                               269.53 -115.278
## + dws_adj
                         1.208 268.32 -115.008
                   1
## + STL.
                   1
                         1.007 268.52 -114.719
## + ftr_adj
                   1
                         0.727 268.80 -114.319
## + PER
                         0.711 268.82 -114.296
                   1
## + International 1
                        0.682 268.85 -114.254
## + gs adj
                   1
                         0.584 268.94 -114.113
## + FTr
                   1
                        0.495 269.03 -113.986
## + stl adj
                   1
                        0.440 269.09 -113.908
## + X3PAr
                        0.327 269.20 -113.746
                   1
## - OBPM
                         2.536 272.06 -113.672
                   1
## + WS.48
                   1
                       0.213 269.32 -113.582
## + TS.
                   1
                        0.193 269.34 -113.554
## + G
                         0.185 269.35 -113.542
                   1
## - BLK.
                   1
                         2.660 272.19 -113.497
## + DRB.
                   1
                        0.126 269.40 -113.458
## + AST.
                   1
                        0.097 269.43 -113.416
## + blk_adj
                   1
                         0.058 269.47 -113.361
## + PTS
                   1
                         0.050 269.48 -113.350
## + TOV.
                   1
                        0.023 269.51 -113.311
## + GS
                         0.003 269.53 -113.283
                   1
## + ORtg
                   1
                         0.001 269.53 -113.280
## + ows_adj
                   1
                       0.001 269.53 -113.280
## - DRtg
                   1
                        3.829 273.36 -111.847
## + Pos
                   6
                        5.488 264.04 -111.199
## - orb_adj
                   1
                         5.737 275.27 -109.169
## - DBPM
                        9.708 279.24 -103.655
                   1
## - Conference
                  2
                      14.888 284.42 -98.579
## - USG.
                        18.840 288.37 -91.266
                   1
## - MP
                   1
                        35.120 304.65 -70.122
## - Age
                   1
                        35.311 304.84 -69.880
## Step: AIC=-117.58
## logsal ~ MP + Age + Conference + USG. + DBPM + orb_adj + BLK. +
##
      DRtg + OBPM + vorp_adj
##
##
                  Df Sum of Sq
                                  RSS
                         1.996 264.54 -118.473
## + G
                   1
## + ows_adj
                   1
                        1.837 264.70 -118.242
## + dws_adj
                   1
                        1.428 265.11 -117.646
## + Height
                   1
                         1.409 265.13 -117.620
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## <none>
                              266.54 -117.579
                 1
                     0.984 265.55 -117.003
## + PER
## + STL.
                       0.915 265.62 -116.902
## + ftr_adj
                 1
                       0.727 265.81 -116.630
## + gs_adj
                  1
                        0.594 265.94 -116.437
## + International 1
                     0.590 265.94 -116.432
## + WS.48
          1
                       0.541 265.99 -116.361
## + X3PAr
                       0.464 266.07 -116.249
                  1
## + stl_adj
                  1
                      0.408 266.13 -116.168
## - DRtg
                 1
                      2.398 268.93 -116.131
## + TS.
                 1
                       0.380 266.15 -116.128
## + FTr
                        0.378 266.16 -116.125
                 1
                     0.356 266.18 -116.093
## + PTS
                 1
## + GS
                 1
                      0.248 266.29 -115.937
                    0.166 266.37 -115.819
0.148 266.39 -115.792
0.141 266.39 -115.783
## + AST.
                 1
## + DRB.
                  1
## + TOV.
                 1
## + ORtg
                 1
                      0.109 266.43 -115.736
                 1
## - BLK.
                       2.685 269.22 -115.720
## + blk adj
                 1
                      0.092 266.44 -115.712
## - vorp_adj
                 1
                      2.994 269.53 -115.278
## + Pos
                  6 5.914 260.62 -114.218
                      5.138 271.67 -112.227
## - OBPM
                 1
                       5.774 272.31 -111.327
## - orb adj
                 1
## - DBPM
                 1
                     11.498 278.03 -103.319
## - Conference 2
                     15.545 282.08 -99.755
## - USG.
                      19.472 286.01 -92.432
                  1
                       36.241 302.78 -70.495
## - Age
                  1
## - MP
                  1
                       37.906 304.44 -68.384
##
## Step: AIC=-118.47
## logsal ~ MP + Age + Conference + USG. + DBPM + orb_adj + BLK. +
##
      DRtg + OBPM + vorp_adj + G
##
##
                  Df Sum of Sq
                               RSS
                  1 3.735 260.80 -121.947
## + dws adj
## + ows adj
                        2.477 262.06 -120.095
## - DRtg
                 1
                      1.210 265.75 -118.716
## + PER
                        1.523 263.02 -118.695
## <none>
                              264.54 -118.473
                      1.347 263.19 -118.438
## + STL.
                 1
## + Height
                       1.238 263.30 -118.279
                 1
                     1.008 263.53 -117.942
## + ftr adj
                  1
## + X3PAr
                  1
                       0.808 263.73 -117.651
## - G
                  1
                       1.996 266.54 -117.579
                      0.709 263.83 -117.506
0.663 263.88 -117.439
## + FTr
                  1
## + International 1
## + WS.48
             1
                       0.547 263.99 -117.269
## + stl_adj
                  1
                        0.457 264.08 -117.138
## + TS.
                  1
                        0.314 264.23 -116.930
## + DRB.
                     0.235 264.31 -116.814
                 1
## + PTS
                 1
                      0.226 264.31 -116.802
## + TOV.
                 1
                      0.192 264.35 -116.752
                 1
                       0.179 264.36 -116.733
## + gs_adj
```

```
## + AST.
                   1
                         0.164 264.38 -116.712
## + ORtg
                         0.151 264.39 -116.692
                   1
## + blk adj
                   1
                         0.013 264.53 -116.492
## + GS
                         0.007 264.53 -116.483
                   1
## - BLK.
                   1
                         2.788 267.33 -116.436
## + Pos
                   6
                       5.740 258.80 -114.918
## - vorp_adj
                   1
                        4.805 269.35 -113.542
## - OBPM
                        6.321 270.86 -111.382
                   1
## - orb_adj
                   1
                        6.657 271.20 -110.905
## - DBPM
                   1
                       11.301 275.84 -104.367
## - USG.
                   1
                       13.107 277.65 -101.855
                   2
## - Conference
                      15.461 280.00 -100.604
## - MP
                   1
                        19.531 284.07 -93.048
                        36.875 301.41 -70.232
## - Age
                   1
##
## Step: AIC=-121.95
## logsal ~ MP + Age + Conference + USG. + DBPM + orb_adj + BLK. +
      DRtg + OBPM + vorp_adj + G + dws_adj
##
##
                  Df Sum of Sq
                                RSS
## + ows_adj
                   1
                         3.751 257.05 -125.525
## + PER
                         1.555 259.25 -122.249
## <none>
                               260.80 -121.947
## + Height
                         1.076 259.73 -121.539
                   1
## + WS.48
                   1
                         0.879 259.93 -121.247
## + DRB.
                   1
                         0.766 260.04 -121.079
## - BLK.
                         1.965 262.77 -121.058
                   1
## + International 1
                         0.728 260.08 -121.023
## + ftr_adj
                   1
                        0.653 260.15 -120.913
## + X3PAr
                   1
                         0.624 260.18 -120.870
                       0.500 260.30 -120.687
## + blk_adj
                   1
## + TS.
                   1
                         0.391 260.41 -120.524
## + PTS
                   1
                        0.358 260.45 -120.477
## + FTr
                   1
                         0.284 260.52 -120.366
## + STL.
                   1
                         0.263 260.54 -120.336
## + TOV.
                        0.161 260.64 -120.184
                   1
## + ORtg
                   1
                        0.132 260.67 -120.142
## + stl_adj
                   1
                        0.127 260.68 -120.135
## + AST.
                   1
                         0.116 260.69 -120.118
## + GS
                        0.037 260.77 -120.001
                   1
## + gs_adj
                   1
                        0.000 260.80 -119.947
## - dws adj
                         3.735 264.54 -118.473
                   1
## - DRtg
                   1
                         4.148 264.95 -117.872
## - G
                   1
                         4.303 265.11 -117.646
## + Pos
                   6
                         5.056 255.75 -117.485
                   1
                        5.541 266.35 -115.853
## - orb_adj
## - vorp_adj
                   1
                         6.810 267.61 -114.024
## - OBPM
                   1
                         7.043 267.85 -113.688
## - MP
                   1
                        8.197 269.00 -112.032
## - DBPM
                   1
                         9.769 270.57 -109.790
                       12.087 272.89 -106.506
## - USG.
                   1
## - Conference
                  2
                      15.128 275.93 -104.239
## - Age
                   1
                        34.504 295.31 -76.112
##
```

```
## Step: AIC=-125.53
## logsal ~ MP + Age + Conference + USG. + DBPM + orb_adj + BLK. +
      DRtg + OBPM + vorp_adj + G + dws_adj + ows_adj
##
##
                   Df Sum of Sq
                                  RSS
## + WS.48
                         3.987 253.07 -129.543
                   1
## + PER
                          3.233 253.82 -128.399
                   1
## + ftr adj
                   1
                          2.033 255.02 -126.582
## + X3PAr
                    1
                         1.894 255.16 -126.373
## <none>
                                257.05 -125.525
## + FTr
                   1
                         1.211 255.84 -125.342
## + DRB.
                          0.989 256.06 -125.009
                   1
## + Height
                   1
                         0.883 256.17 -124.851
## + TS.
                         0.834 256.22 -124.776
                    1
## + ORtg
                         0.753 256.30 -124.655
                    1
                       0.599 256.45 -124.423
## + International 1
## + blk_adj
                         0.486 256.57 -124.254
                    1
## + TOV.
                    1
                        0.215 256.84 -123.848
## + AST.
                         0.213 256.84 -123.845
                    1
## - BLK.
                   1
                         2.591 259.64 -123.664
## + PTS
                   1
                        0.059 256.99 -123.614
## + STL.
                   1
                        0.046 257.01 -123.594
## + GS
                        0.023 257.03 -123.560
                    1
## + gs_adj
                   1
                         0.010 257.04 -123.540
## + stl_adj
                   1
                        0.000 257.05 -123.525
## - orb_adj
                   1
                         3.451 260.50 -122.390
## - OBPM
                         3.699 260.75 -122.024
                    1
## - ows_adj
                   1
                         3.751 260.80 -121.947
## - DRtg
                         4.569 261.62 -120.742
                   1
## - dws_adj
                        5.009 262.06 -120.095
                   1
## + Pos
                    6
                         4.314 252.74 -120.042
## - G
                    1
                         5.864 262.92 -118.841
## - MP
                   1
                         6.636 263.69 -117.712
## - vorp_adj
                        10.556 267.61 -112.031
                    1
## - USG.
                    1
                        11.523 268.58 -110.643
                        12.097 269.15 -109.820
## - DBPM
                    1
## - Conference
                    2
                       15.207 272.26 -107.397
## - Age
                    1
                         33.866 290.92 -79.877
##
## Step: AIC=-129.54
## logsal ~ MP + Age + Conference + USG. + DBPM + orb adj + BLK. +
##
      DRtg + OBPM + vorp_adj + G + dws_adj + ows_adj + WS.48
##
##
                   Df Sum of Sq
                                   RSS
                                           AIC
## - DRtg
                    1
                          0.272 253.34 -131.13
## - BLK.
                          0.367 253.43 -130.99
                    1
## + Height
                   1
                          1.383 251.68 -129.65
## <none>
                                253.07 -129.54
## + ORtg
                    1
                          0.918 252.15 -128.94
## + ftr_adj
                   1
                          0.698 252.37 -128.61
## + STL.
                    1
                         0.548 252.52 -128.38
## + blk_adj
                    1
                         0.454 252.61 -128.23
## + International 1
                         0.421 252.65 -128.18
## + FTr
                    1
                          0.279 252.79 -127.97
```

```
0.258 252.81 -127.94
## + stl adi
                  1
## + AST.
                         0.251 252.82 -127.92
                   1
## + PER
                   1
                        0.249 252.82 -127.92
## + DRB.
                        0.184 252.88 -127.82
                   1
## + PTS
                   1
                         0.159 252.91 -127.78
## + GS
                        0.036 253.03 -127.60
                  1
## + X3PAr
                        0.036 253.03 -127.60
                  1
## + TOV.
                        0.022 253.04 -127.58
                   1
## + TS.
                   1
                       0.014 253.05 -127.56
## + gs_adj
                   1
                        0.009 253.06 -127.56
## - USG.
                   1
                         2.691 255.76 -127.47
## + Pos
                   6
                         5.708 247.36 -126.33
## - WS.48
                   1
                         3.987 257.05 -125.53
## - MP
                   1
                         5.150 258.22 -123.79
## - DBPM
                         5.238 258.31 -123.66
                   1
## - orb_adj
                   1
                         6.635 259.70 -121.58
## - dws_adj
                   1
                       6.653 259.72 -121.55
## - ows_adj
                   1
                         6.859 259.93 -121.25
## - OBPM
                         7.077 260.14 -120.92
                   1
## - G
                   1
                        7.208 260.27 -120.73
## - Conference
                   2
                      14.495 267.56 -112.10
## - vorp_adj
                       14.280 267.35 -110.41
                   1
## - Age
                        35.554 288.62 -80.93
                   1
##
## Step: AIC=-131.13
## logsal ~ MP + Age + Conference + USG. + DBPM + orb_adj + BLK. +
      OBPM + vorp_adj + G + dws_adj + ows_adj + WS.48
##
##
                  Df Sum of Sq
                                  RSS
                                           AIC
## - BLK.
                   1
                         0.254 253.59 -132.744
## + Height
                   1
                         1.463 251.88 -131.358
## <none>
                               253.34 -131.129
## + ORtg
                         1.165 252.17 -130.904
## + STL.
                         0.791 252.55 -130.334
                   1
## + ftr adi
                   1
                         0.473 252.87 -129.849
                        0.387 252.95 -129.718
## + stl_adj
                   1
## + International 1
                       0.345 252.99 -129.654
## + blk_adj
                        0.330 253.01 -129.631
                   1
                       0.329 253.01 -129.630
## + AST.
                   1
## + DRtg
                       0.272 253.07 -129.543
                   1
## + FTr
                        0.208 253.13 -129.445
                   1
## + PTS
                         0.161 253.18 -129.374
                   1
## + DRB.
                   1
                         0.149 253.19 -129.355
## + PER
                   1
                        0.139 253.20 -129.340
## - USG.
                   1
                         2.574 255.91 -129.237
## + TS.
                         0.053 253.28 -129.210
                   1
## + GS
                   1
                         0.040 253.30 -129.189
## + gs_adj
                   1
                         0.034 253.30 -129.181
## + TOV.
                   1
                         0.026 253.31 -129.168
## + X3PAr
                   1
                         0.002 253.34 -129.132
## + Pos
                   6
                      5.875 247.46 -128.163
## - DBPM
                   1
                        5.917 259.25 -124.241
## - dws_adj
                  1
                        6.559 259.90 -123.288
## - MP
                   1
                         7.239 260.58 -122.282
```

```
## - G
                         7.355 260.69 -122.110
                   1
## - ows_adj
                         7.886 261.23 -121.327
                   1
## - WS.48
                       8.284 261.62 -120.742
## - orb_adj
                  1
                        8.447 261.79 -120.501
## - OBPM
                   1
                      11.876 265.21 -115.491
## - Conference
                 2 14.345 267.68 -113.924
## - vorp_adj
                  1
                     16.552 269.89 -108.763
                        36.570 289.91 -81.217
## - Age
                   1
##
## Step: AIC=-132.74
## logsal ~ MP + Age + Conference + USG. + DBPM + orb_adj + OBPM +
##
      vorp_adj + G + dws_adj + ows_adj + WS.48
##
##
                  Df Sum of Sq
                                  RSS
                               253.59 -132.744
## <none>
## + Height
                         1.210 252.38 -132.586
                         0.959 252.63 -132.202
## + ORtg
                   1
## + blk adj
                 1
                       0.533 253.06 -131.554
                       0.462 253.13 -131.446
                  1
## + AST.
                      0.407 253.19 -131.362
## + ftr adj
                   1
## + STL.
                   1
                     0.369 253.22 -131.304
                     2.321 255.91 -131.237
0.307 253.28 -131.210
0.254 253.34 -131.129
## - USG.
                  1
## + International 1
## + BLK.
                   1
## + PER
                  1
                       0.242 253.35 -131.112
## + PTS
                 1
                       0.186 253.41 -131.026
## + FTr
                 1
                       0.174 253.42 -131.008
## + DRtg
                 1
                     0.159 253.43 -130.985
## + stl_adj
                 1 0.151 253.44 -130.973
                     0.110 253.48 -130.911
0.051 253.54 -130.821
0.046 253.55 -130.813
## + DRB.
                  1
## + GS
                   1
## + TOV.
                   1
## + gs_adj
                  1
                       0.021 253.57 -130.776
## + X3PAr
                       0.013 253.58 -130.764
                  1
                       0.011 253.58 -130.761
## + TS.
                   1
                  6 5.260 248.33 -128.814
## + Pos
## - DBPM
                 1 6.186 259.78 -125.465
                      6.990 260.58 -124.275
## - MP
                 1
## - G
                   1
                         7.553 261.14 -123.445
## - dws_adj
                     7.933 261.52 -122.885
                  1
## - ows adj
                       8.049 261.64 -122.714
                  1
## - orb adj
                        8.202 261.79 -122.489
                   1
## - WS.48
                   1
                      10.969 264.56 -118.442
## - Conference
                   2
                      14.236 267.83 -115.715
## - OBPM
                   1
                       15.389 268.98 -112.062
## - vorp_adj
                       16.946 270.54 -109.840
                   1
## - Age
                   1
                        36.909 290.50 -82.429
```

#### Variance Inflation Factors

```
full = lm(logsal ~ ., data = data_regressors)
summary(full)
```

##

```
## Call:
## lm(formula = logsal ~ ., data = data_regressors)
## Residuals:
                 1Q
                    Median
                                  3Q
## -2.89634 -0.45887 0.02604 0.54120 1.91738
## Coefficients:
##
                    Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                   7.4008123 6.3254510
                                        1.170 0.24280
## Age
                   0.0646425 0.0107122
                                         6.034 4.10e-09 ***
## G
                                        -3.010 0.00281 **
                  -0.0178459 0.0059294
## GS
                  -0.0021455 0.0042821
                                       -0.501 0.61667
## gs_adj
                   0.0396328 0.0730560
                                        0.542 0.58782
## MP
                                         1.677 0.09449 .
                   0.0005660 0.0003375
## PER
                  -0.0117003 0.0758247
                                        -0.154 0.87746
## X3PAr
                  0.5024624 0.5770514
                                        0.871 0.38450
## FTr
                  1.7980956 1.3719994
                                         1.311 0.19087
                  -2.2892221 1.4853599
                                       -1.541 0.12418
## ftr_adj
## orb adj
                   0.2295850 0.1674220
                                         1.371 0.17117
## DRB.
                  -0.0252907 0.0188371
                                       -1.343 0.18028
## AST.
                  0.0110053 0.0144804
                                        0.760 0.44777
## STL.
                  -0.2341728 0.2063054
                                       -1.135 0.25713
                                         1.084 0.27931
## stl adj
                   0.5876361 0.5423143
## BLK.
                  -0.0029507 0.1022943
                                       -0.029 0.97701
## blk adj
                  -0.3231552 0.3078111 -1.050 0.29452
## TOV.
                   0.0081408 0.0257820
                                         0.316 0.75238
## USG.
                   0.0672225 0.0420846
                                        1.597 0.11111
## ORtg
                                        1.544 0.12339
                   0.0369474 0.0239225
## DRtg
                   0.0135157 0.0505360
                                        0.267 0.78928
## ows_adj
                   1.4202772 0.4624449
                                         3.071 0.00230 **
                                         2.474 0.01384 *
## dws_adj
                   0.9720928 0.3929347
## WS.48
                  -6.3523003 5.3913932
                                       -1.178 0.23951
## OBPM
                                        1.162 0.24606
                   0.1170824 0.1007643
## DBPM
                   0.2177996 0.0792673
                                         2.748 0.00632 **
## vorp_adj
                  ## PosC-F
                   0.3415669 0.3389145
                                        1.008 0.31424
## PosF
                  -0.1952697 0.1972747 -0.990 0.32295
## PosF-C
                  -0.0142731 0.2244035 -0.064 0.94932
## PosF-G
                  -0.3848567  0.3062600  -1.257  0.20973
## PosG
                  -0.6576945  0.3107234  -2.117  0.03500 *
## PosG-F
                  -0.5170538 0.2817117
                                       -1.835 0.06730
                                        0.368 0.71316
## Height
                   0.0114742 0.0311866
## PTS
                  -0.0001013 0.0005238 -0.193 0.84671
                  -2.1923651 3.0757210
                                       -0.713 0.47645
## InternationalYes -0.0243684 0.1124619
                                        -0.217 0.82858
## ConferenceMulti -0.6762959 0.1585817
                                        -4.265 2.59e-05 ***
## ConferenceWest
                  -0.0734721 0.0990529
                                       -0.742 0.45874
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.8284 on 346 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.5732, Adjusted R-squared: 0.5263
## F-statistic: 12.23 on 38 and 346 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

#### vif(full)[,3] ## MP Age gs\_adj ## 1.122361 3.132466 3.027375 2.782811 6.556456 ## PER X3PAr FTr ftr\_adj orb\_adj 9.045968 5.028118 2.590213 ## 2.676161 5.090975 ## DRB. AST. STL. stl\_adj BLK. ## 2.595555 3.158967 4.013347 3.739783 4.008446 ## blk\_adj TOV. USG. ORtg DRtg 3.729845 2.924985 4.973440 6.458744 4.692501 ## ## ows\_adj dws\_adj WS.48 OBPM **DBPM** ## 3.026840 4.878354 9.317137 6.522594 3.814847 ## vorp\_adj Pos Height PTS TS. ## 3.045822 1.236098 2.561094 5.738607 4.520645 ## International Conference ## 1.127314 1.100006 full2 = lm(logsal ~ . - WS.48 - PER - ORtg - PTS, data = data\_regressors) # Sequentially removed highes

#### **Added Variable Plots**

**Diagnostics** 

Leverage Points

Cook's Distances

Outliers

**Model Fitting** 

Test for Interaction

Test for Higher Order

Model Validation

Final Model

Discussion

Conclusion