Name – Sarang .S.Gaikwad

DALL = ALL

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TD
                                      = {} #Dictionary for transformed data
FΑ
                                      = {} #Dictionary for factors
Ν
                                     = np.int_(5) #Used to control data cleaning, see notes
#Next 4 lines were added so forward returns will be used
Returns AP
                                                  = D['Returns_AP'].copy()
TD['ForwardReturns_AP'] = D['ForwardReturns_AP'].copy()
TD['OperatingMargin AP']
                                                                                   = -D['OperatingMargin_AP'].copy()
                                                                                                                                                                                        #Change the sign of price to
book because high is bad, low is good
TD['OperatingMargin_AP']
                                                                                   = td.CleanData(TD['OperatingMargin_AP'],N) #Moderate outliers so
model building is better
TransformList
                                                   = ['ZSBT','ZSCSBS']
                                                                                                                           #z-score by time, decile crosssection by sector
TD['OperatingMargin AP']
                                                                                   = td.Transform(TD['OperatingMargin AP'],TransformList,D)
X = TD['OperatingMargin AP']
NumTile
                                              = np.int (5)
FA['OperatingMargin AP'] =
ft. Analyze Factor ('Operating Margin\_AP', TD['Operating Margin\_AP'], TD['Forward Returns\_AP'], Num Tile ('Operating Margin\_AP', TD['Operating Margin\_AP'], TD['OperatinAP'], TD['OperatinAP'], TD['OperatinAP'], TD['OperatinAP'], TD['OperatinAP'], TD['OperatinAP'], TD['OperatinAP'], TD['Ope
)
Applying transformations ...
ZSBT
z-score by time
ZSCSBS
z-score by crosssection by sector
C:\Users\91900\Dropbox\My PC (LAPTOP-BOUM6ROT)\Downloads\Mid term 2 project (1)
(1)\TransformData.py:70: RuntimeWarning: invalid value encountered in divide
   DataZ = (DataZ-np.nanmean(DataZ))/np.nanstd(DataZ)
Transformations applied
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C:\Users\91900\Dropbox\My PC (LAPTOP-BOUM6ROT)\Downloads\Mid term 2 project (1)
(1)\FactorTester.py:151: RuntimeWarning: Mean of empty slice
 R['EW BenchMark p']
                                = np.nanmean(Returns AP,axis=0)#equaly weighted mean by
period
FA.keys()
Out[102]: dict_keys(['OperatingMargin_AP'])
FA['OperatingMargin_AP'].keys()
Out[103]: dict_keys(['SignalName', 'Signal_AP', 'Returns_AP', 'NumAsset', 'NumPeriod', 'AnnPeriods',
'MinNumForCorrelation', 'NumForwardReturns', 'NumTile', 'EW BenchMark p', 'SignalTile AP',
'ReturnTile AP', 'RetBySignalTile pt', 'ICByPeriod p', 'ICByPeriodPval p', 'GrandMeanIC',
'GrandStdIC', 'ICitp', 'ICdecay_n', 'ICdecaySTD_n', 'FactorIC_pn', 'FactorICPval_pn', 'IRdecay_n',
'ICdecayWeighted', 'AlphaBySignalTile t', 'BetaBySignalTile t', 'RsquareBySignalTile t',
'TstatBySignalTile_t', 'ResidualRiskBySignalTile_t', 'ResidualBySignalTile_pt',
'ExcessRetBySignalTile_pt', 'CumulativeTileReturn_t', 'CumulativeTileExcessReturn_t', 'ExPostIR_t'])
FA['OperatingMargin_AP']['ICitp']
Out[104]: 0.6317900576815089
TD
              = {} #Dictionary for transformed data
FΑ
              = {} #Dictionary for factors
Ν
             = np.int (5) #Used to control data cleaning, see notes
#Next 4 lines were added so forward returns will be used
Returns AP
                  = D['Returns AP'].copy()
TD['ForwardReturns AP'] = D['ForwardReturns AP'].copy()
TD['Price Book AP']
                       = -D['Price Book AP'].copy()
                                                       #Change the sign of price to book because
high is bad, low is good
TD['Price_Book_AP']
                       = td.CleanData(TD['Price_Book_AP'],N) #Moderate outliers so model
building is better
TransformList
                   = ['ZSBT','ZSCSBS']
                                             #z-score by time, decile crosssection by sector
TD['Price Book AP'] = td.Transform(TD['Price Book AP'],TransformList,D)
X = TD['Price Book AP']
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NumTile
                 = np.int_(5)
FA['Price_Book_AP'] =
ft.AnalyzeFactor('Price Book AP',TD['Price Book AP'],TD['ForwardReturns AP'],NumTile)
Applying transformations ...
ZSBT
z-score by time
ZSCSBS
z-score by crosssection by sector
Transformations applied
C:\Users\91900\Dropbox\My PC (LAPTOP-BOUM6ROT)\Downloads\Mid term 2 project (1)
(1)\FactorTester.py:151: RuntimeWarning: Mean of empty slice
 R['EW_BenchMark_p']
                                = np.nanmean(Returns_AP,axis=0)#equaly weighted mean by
period
FA.keys()
Out[96]: dict_keys(['Price_Book_AP'])
FA['Price_Book_AP'].keys()
Out[97]: dict_keys(['SignalName', 'Signal_AP', 'Returns_AP', 'NumAsset', 'NumPeriod', 'AnnPeriods',
'MinNumForCorrelation', 'NumForwardReturns', 'NumTile', 'EW_BenchMark_p', 'SignalTile_AP',
'ReturnTile_AP', 'RetBySignalTile_pt', 'ICByPeriod_p', 'ICByPeriodPval_p', 'GrandMeanIC',
'GrandStdIC', 'ICitp', 'ICdecay_n', 'ICdecaySTD_n', 'FactorIC_pn', 'FactorICPval_pn', 'IRdecay_n',
'ICdecayWeighted', 'AlphaBySignalTile_t', 'BetaBySignalTile_t', 'RsquareBySignalTile_t',
'TstatBySignalTile t', 'ResidualRiskBySignalTile t', 'ResidualBySignalTile pt',
'ExcessRetBySignalTile_pt', 'CumulativeTileReturn_t', 'CumulativeTileExcessReturn_t', 'ExPostIR_t'])
FA['Price_Book_AP']['ICitp']
Out[98]: 0.655915725445113
TD
              = {} #Dictionary for transformed data
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FΑ

Ν

= {} #Dictionary for factors

= np.int (5) #Used to control data cleaning, see notes

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Returns AP
                  = D['Returns_AP'].copy()
TD['ForwardReturns_AP'] = D['ForwardReturns_AP'].copy()
TD['ROE\_AP'] = -D['ROE\_AP'].copy()
                                        #Change the sign of price to book because high is bad, low
is good
TD['ROE AP'] = td.CleanData(TD['ROE AP'],N) #Moderate outliers so model building is better
TransformList
                  = ['ZSBT','ZSCSBS']
                                             #z-score by time, decile crosssection by sector
TD['ROE AP'] = td.Transform(TD['ROE AP'],TransformList,D)
X = TD['ROE AP']
NumTile
                 = np.int (5)
FA['ROE_AP'] = ft.AnalyzeFactor('ROE_AP',TD['ROE_AP'],TD['ForwardReturns_AP'],NumTile)
Applying transformations ...
ZSBT
z-score by time
ZSCSBS
z-score by crosssection by sector
Transformations applied
C:\Users\91900\Dropbox\My PC (LAPTOP-BOUM6ROT)\Downloads\Mid term 2 project (1)
(1)\FactorTester.py:151: RuntimeWarning: Mean of empty slice
 R['EW BenchMark p']
                               = np.nanmean(Returns AP,axis=0)#equaly weighted mean by
period
FA.keys()
Out[83]: dict_keys(['ROE_AP'])
FA['ROE AP'].keys()
Out[84]: dict_keys(['SignalName', 'Signal_AP', 'Returns_AP', 'NumAsset', 'NumPeriod', 'AnnPeriods',
'MinNumForCorrelation', 'NumForwardReturns', 'NumTile', 'EW_BenchMark_p', 'SignalTile_AP',
'ReturnTile_AP', 'RetBySignalTile_pt', 'ICByPeriod_p', 'ICByPeriodPval_p', 'GrandMeanIC',
'GrandStdIC', 'ICitp', 'ICdecay n', 'ICdecaySTD n', 'FactorIC pn', 'FactorICPval pn', 'IRdecay n',
'ICdecayWeighted', 'AlphaBySignalTile t', 'BetaBySignalTile t', 'RsquareBySignalTile t',
```

#Next 4 lines were added so forward returns will be used

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'TstatBySignalTile_t', 'ResidualRiskBySignalTile_t', 'ResidualBySignalTile_pt', 'ExcessRetBySignalTile pt', 'CumulativeTileReturn t', 'CumulativeTileExcessReturn t', 'ExPostIR t'])
```

FA['ROE AP']['ICitp']

Out[85]: 0.3582827250172443

TD = {} #Dictionary for transformed data

FA = {} #Dictionary for factors

N = np.int_(5) #Used to control data cleaning, see notes

#Next 4 lines were added so forward returns will be used

Returns_AP = D['Returns_AP'].copy()

TD['ForwardReturns_AP'] = D['ForwardReturns_AP'].copy()

TD['Rho_AP'] = -D['Rho_AP'].copy() #Change the sign of price to book because high is bad, low

is good

TD['Rho_AP'] = td.CleanData(TD['Rho_AP'],N) #Moderate outliers so model building is better

TransformList = ['ZSBT', 'ZSCSBS'] #z-score by time, decile crosssection by sector

TD['Rho AP'] = td.Transform(TD['Rho AP'],TransformList,D)

X = TD['Rho AP']

NumTile = np.int_(5)

FA['Rho_AP'] = ft.AnalyzeFactor('Rho_AP',TD['Rho_AP'],TD['ForwardReturns_AP'],NumTile)

Applying transformations ...

ZSBT

z-score by time

ZSCSBS

z-score by crosssection by sector

Transformations applied

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(1)\FactorTester.py:151: RuntimeWarning: Mean of empty slice

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R['EW_BenchMark_p'] = np.nanmean(Returns_AP,axis=0)#equaly weighted mean by period
```

FA.keys()

Out[78]: dict_keys(['Rho_AP'])

FA['Rho_AP'].keys()

Out[79]: dict_keys(['SignalName', 'Signal_AP', 'Returns_AP', 'NumAsset', 'NumPeriod', 'AnnPeriods', 'MinNumForCorrelation', 'NumForwardReturns', 'NumTile', 'EW_BenchMark_p', 'SignalTile_AP', 'ReturnTile_AP', 'RetBySignalTile_pt', 'ICByPeriod_p', 'ICByPeriodPval_p', 'GrandMeanIC', 'GrandStdIC', 'ICitp', 'ICdecay_n', 'ICdecaySTD_n', 'FactorIC_pn', 'FactorICPval_pn', 'IRdecay_n', 'ICdecayWeighted', 'AlphaBySignalTile_t', 'BetaBySignalTile_t', 'RsquareBySignalTile_t', 'TstatBySignalTile_t', 'ResidualRiskBySignalTile_t', 'ResidualBySignalTile_pt', 'ExcessRetBySignalTile_pt', 'CumulativeTileReturn_t', 'CumulativeTileExcessReturn_t', 'ExPostIR_t'])

FA['Rho_AP']['ICitp']

Out[80]: 0.05613639653377726

Based on the provided Information Coefficient (IC) values, the "Price to Book" factor (Price_Book_AP) appears to be the best factor among the ones analyzed. It has an IC value of 0.655915725445113, which suggests a stronger relationship with future returns compared to the other factors.

Here are the IC values for each factor:

- 1. Price to Book (Price_Book_AP): IC = 0.655915725445113
- 2. Operating Margin (OperatingMargin_AP): IC = 0.6317900576815089
- 3. Return on Equity (ROE_AP): IC = 0.3582827250172443
- 4. Rho (Rho_AP): IC = 0.05613639653377726

Therefore, based on the IC values, the "Price to Book" factor seems to be the most effective predictor of future returns among the factors analyzed. It exhibits a relatively high IC value, indicating a stronger predictive power compared to the other factors.

DALL = Low

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TD = {} #Dictionary for transformed data
FA = {} #Dictionary for factors
N = np.int (5) #Used to control data cleaning, see notes
#Next 4 lines were added so forward returns will be used
Returns AP = D['Returns AP'].copy()
TD['ForwardReturns AP'] = D['ForwardReturns AP'].copy()
TD['OperatingMargin_AP'] = -D['OperatingMargin_AP'].copy() #Change the sign of price to
book because high is bad, low is good
TD['OperatingMargin AP'] = td.CleanData(TD['OperatingMargin AP'],N) #Moderate outliers
so model building is better
TransformList = ['ZSBT', 'ZSCSBS'] #z-score by time, decile crosssection by sector
TD['OperatingMargin_AP'] = td.Transform(TD['OperatingMargin_AP'],TransformList,D)
X = TD['OperatingMargin AP']
NumTile = np.int (5)
FA['OperatingMargin AP'] =
ft.AnalyzeFactor('OperatingMargin AP',TD['OperatingMargin AP'],TD['ForwardReturns AP']
,NumTile)
Applying transformations ...
ZSBT
z-score by time
ZSCSBS
z-score by crosssection by sector
Transformations applied
C:\Users\91900\Dropbox\My PC (LAPTOP-BOUM6ROT)\Downloads\Mid term 2 project (1)
(1)\FactorTester.py:151: RuntimeWarning: Mean of empty slice
R['EW BenchMark p'] = np.nanmean(Returns AP,axis=0)#equaly weighted mean by period
FA.keys()
Out[31]: dict_keys(['OperatingMargin_AP'])
FA['OperatingMargin AP'].keys()
Out[32]: dict keys(['SignalName', 'Signal AP', 'Returns AP', 'NumAsset', 'NumPeriod',
'AnnPeriods', 'MinNumForCorrelation', 'NumForwardReturns', 'NumTile', 'EW BenchMark p',
'SignalTile_AP', 'ReturnTile_AP', 'RetBySignalTile_pt', 'ICByPeriod_p', 'ICByPeriodPval_p',
'GrandMeanIC', 'GrandStdIC', 'ICitp', 'ICdecay_n', 'ICdecaySTD_n', 'FactorIC_pn',
'FactorICPval pn', 'IRdecay n', 'ICdecayWeighted', 'AlphaBySignalTile t',
'BetaBySignalTile t', 'RsquareBySignalTile t', 'TstatBySignalTile t',
'ResidualRiskBySignalTile_t', 'ResidualBySignalTile_pt', 'ExcessRetBySignalTile_pt',
'CumulativeTileReturn t', 'CumulativeTileExcessReturn t', 'ExPostIR t'])
```

TD = {} #Dictionary for transformed data
FA = {} #Dictionary for factors
N = np.int_(5) #Used to control data cleaning, see notes
#Next 4 lines were added so forward returns will be used
Returns_AP = D['Returns_AP'].copy()
TD['ForwardReturns_AP'] = D['ForwardReturns_AP'].copy()

TD['Earnings_AP'] = -D['Earnings_AP'].copy() #Change the sign of price to book because high is bad, low is good

TD['Earnings_AP'] = td.CleanData(TD['Earnings_AP'],N) #Moderate outliers so model building is better

TransformList = ['ZSBT','ZSCSBS'] #z-score by time, decile crosssection by sector TD['Earnings_AP'] = td.Transform(TD['Earnings_AP'],TransformList,D)
X = TD['Earnings_AP']

NumTile = np.int_(5)

FA['Earnings AP'] =

ft.AnalyzeFactor('Earnings_AP',TD['Earnings_AP'],TD['ForwardReturns_AP'],NumTile)
Applying transformations ...

ZSBT

z-score by time

ZSCSBS

z-score by crosssection by sector

Transformations applied

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R['EW BenchMark p'] = np.nanmean(Returns AP,axis=0)#equaly weighted mean by period

FA.keys()

Out[36]: dict_keys(['Earnings_AP'])

FA['Earnings_AP'].keys()

Out[37]: dict_keys(['SignalName', 'Signal_AP', 'Returns_AP', 'NumAsset', 'NumPeriod', 'AnnPeriods', 'MinNumForCorrelation', 'NumForwardReturns', 'NumTile', 'EW_BenchMark_p', 'SignalTile_AP', 'ReturnTile_AP', 'RetBySignalTile_pt', 'ICByPeriod_p', 'ICByPeriodPval_p', 'GrandMeanIC', 'GrandStdIC', 'ICitp', 'ICdecay_n', 'ICdecaySTD_n', 'FactorIC_pn', 'FactorICPval_pn', 'IRdecay_n', 'ICdecayWeighted', 'AlphaBySignalTile_t', 'BetaBySignalTile_t', 'RsquareBySignalTile_t', 'TstatBySignalTile_t', 'ResidualRiskBySignalTile_t', 'ResidualBySignalTile_pt', 'ExcessRetBySignalTile_pt', 'CumulativeTileReturn t', 'CumulativeTileExcessReturn t', 'ExPostIR t'])

FA['Earnings_AP']['ICitp']
Out[38]: 0.9521486498555631

TD = {} #Dictionary for transformed data

FA = {} #Dictionary for factors

N = np.int_(5) #Used to control data cleaning, see notes

#Next 4 lines were added so forward returns will be used

Returns_ $AP = D['Returns_AP'].copy()$

TD['ForwardReturns_AP'] = D['ForwardReturns_AP'].copy()

TD['Sales_AP'] = -D['Sales_AP'].copy() #Change the sign of price to book because high is bad, low is good

TD['Sales_AP'] = td.CleanData(TD['Sales_AP'],N) #Moderate outliers so model building is better

TransformList = ['ZSBT','ZSCSBS'] #z-score by time, decile crosssection by sector TD['Sales_AP'] = td.Transform(TD['Sales_AP'],TransformList,D)
X = TD['Sales_AP']

NumTile = np.int (5)

FA['Sales_AP'] =

ft.AnalyzeFactor('Sales_AP',TD['Sales_AP'],TD['ForwardReturns_AP'],NumTile) Applying transformations ...

ZSBT

z-score by time

ZSCSBS

z-score by crosssection by sector

Transformations applied

C:\Users\91900\Dropbox\My PC (LAPTOP-BOUM6ROT)\Downloads\Mid term 2 project (1) (1)\FactorTester.py:151: RuntimeWarning: Mean of empty slice R['EW_BenchMark_p'] = np.nanmean(Returns_AP,axis=0)#equaly weighted mean by period

FA.keys()

Out[41]: dict_keys(['Sales_AP'])

FA['Sales AP'].keys()

Out[42]: dict_keys(['SignalName', 'Signal_AP', 'Returns_AP', 'NumAsset', 'NumPeriod', 'AnnPeriods', 'MinNumForCorrelation', 'NumForwardReturns', 'NumTile', 'EW_BenchMark_p', 'SignalTile_AP', 'ReturnTile_AP', 'RetBySignalTile_pt', 'ICByPeriod_p', 'ICByPeriodPval_p', 'GrandMeanIC', 'GrandStdIC', 'ICitp', 'ICdecay_n', 'ICdecaySTD_n', 'FactorIC_pn', 'FactorICPval_pn', 'IRdecay_n', 'ICdecayWeighted', 'AlphaBySignalTile_t', 'BetaBySignalTile_t', 'ResidualBySignalTile_t', 'ResidualRiskBySignalTile_t', 'ResidualBySignalTile_pt', 'ExcessRetBySignalTile_pt', 'CumulativeTileReturn_t', 'CumulativeTileExcessReturn_t', 'ExPostIR_t'])

FA['Sales_AP']['ICitp']

Out[43]: 0.723575265771014

Based on the provided Information Coefficient (IC) values, the "Earnings" factor appears to be the strongest predictor of future returns, with an IC value of 0.9521486498555631.

Here are the IC values for each factor:

1. Operating Margin: IC = 0.5855530380173047

2. Earnings: IC = 0.9521486498555631

3. Sales: IC = 0.723575265771014

Therefore, based on the IC values, the "Earnings" factor seems to be the best factor among the ones analyzed. It has the highest IC value, indicating a stronger relationship with future returns compared to the other factors.

DALL = High

DHigh=LoadData('High')

Deleting DataHighCap.pkl file from current directory ...

Initializing data dictionary D ...

Loading spreadsheet DataHighCap.xlsm to dictionary D ...

Loading variables by asset and period from sheet data ...

Variables by asset and period from sheet data are loaded.

Number of rows in sheet data: 14320

Number of Assets: 333 Number of Periods: 129 Number of Sectors: 11 Number of Industrys: 25 Number of Variables: 43 Saving D to DataHighCap.pkl

D has been saved to DataHighCap.pkl

Loading from DataHighCap.pkl

Data loaded from DataHighCap.pkl

DHigh.keys()

 $Out [81]: dict_keys (['Asset', 'Sector_Asset', 'Industry_Asset', 'NumAsset', 'Sector', 'NumAsset', 'Sector', 'NumAsset', 'Sector', 'NumAsset', 'Sector', 'NumAsset', 'NumAsset', 'Sector', 'NumAsset', 'Sector', 'NumAsset', 'NumAsset', 'Sector', 'NumAsset', 'NumAsset', 'Sector', '$

'SectorCode', 'NumSector', 'Industry', 'IndustryCode', 'NumIndustry', 'Variable',

'dataNumRows', 'NumVariable', 'Period', 'NumPeriod', 'FCF_Price_AP',

'FinancialLeverage_AP', 'EarningsGrowth1YR_AP', 'CommonStockRating_AP',

'Price EarningsF12M AP', 'Sales AP', 'Beta AP', 'LongTermGrowth AP', 'Rho AP',

'Debt GrossEV AP', 'ShortInterestPercentage AP', 'LTDebtCreditRating AP',

'AssetTurnover AP', 'Price Sales AP', 'SurpriseMomentum AP', 'LTMomentum AP',

'Price Book AP', 'Cash AP', 'Earnings AP', 'CoefficientVariationEarnings12Qtr AP',

'DividendYield AP', 'Month12ChangeF12MEarningsEstimate AP', 'ROE AP',

'AnalystAgreementRevisions AP', 'Price EarningsL12M AP', 'EV EBITDA AP', 'Price AP',

'ShareBuyBack AP', 'Quarter1SurpriseActualEarnings AP', 'EarningsRevision AP',

'CovarianceVariationEarningsEstimate_AP', 'QualityOfEarnings_AP', 'SalesGrowth1YR_AP',

'StdDeviationBands AP', 'NumCompaniesSuprising AP', 'OperatingMargin AP',

'Returns_AP', 'Cash_EV_AP', 'OperatingLeverage_AP', 'Avg30DaydolVolume_AP', 'STMomentum_AP', 'CapX_AP', 'MarketCapitalization_AP', 'ForwardReturns_AP']) FActore-1

TD = {} #Dictionary for transformed data

FA = {} #Dictionary for factors

N = np.int (5) #Used to control data cleaning, see notes

#Next 4 lines were added so forward returns will be used

Returns AP = D['Returns AP'].copy()

TD['ForwardReturns_AP'] = D['ForwardReturns_AP'].copy()

TD['Price_Book_AP'] = -D['Price_Book_AP'].copy() #Change the sign of price to book because high is bad, low is good

TD['Price_Book_AP'] = td.CleanData(TD['Price_Book_AP'],N) #Moderate outliers so model building is better

TransformList = ['ZSBT','ZSCSBS'] #z-score by time, decile crosssection by sector TD['Price_Book_AP'] = td.Transform(TD['Price_Book_AP'],TransformList,D) X = TD['Price_Book_AP']

NumTile = np.int_(5) FA['Price_Book_AP'] =

ft.AnalyzeFactor('Price_Book',TD['Price_Book_AP'],TD['ForwardReturns_AP'],NumTile)

N = np.int (5)

TD['SignalName'] = D['SignalName'].copy()

TD['SignalName'] = td.CleanData(TD['SignalName'],N) #Moderate outliers so model building is better

TransformList = ['ZSBT', 'ZSCSBS'] #z-score by time, decile crosssection by sector

TD['SignalName'] = td.Transform(TD['SignalName'],TransformList,D)

NumTile = np.int (5) #Number of quantiles to use in AnalyzeFactor

FA['SignalName'] =

ft.AnalyzeFactor('SignalName',TD['SignalName'],TD['ForwardReturns_AP'],NumTile) FA['Price Book AP']['ICitp']

Out[88]: 0.655915725445113

TD = {} #Dictionary for transformed data

FA = {} #Dictionary for factors

N = np.int (5) #Used to control data cleaning, see notes

#Next 4 lines were added so forward returns will be used

Returns AP = D['Returns AP'].copy()

TD['ForwardReturns_AP'] = D['ForwardReturns_AP'].copy()

TD['Sales_AP'] = -D['Sales_AP'].copy() #Change the sign of price to book because high is bad, low is good

TD['Sales_AP'] = td.CleanData(TD['Sales_AP'],N) #Moderate outliers so model building is better

TransformList = ['ZSBT', 'ZSCSBS'] #z-score by time, decile crosssection by sector

TD['Sales_AP'] = td.Transform(TD['Sales_AP'],TransformList,D)
X = TD['Sales_AP']

NumTile = np.int_(5)

FA['Sales_AP'] =

ft.AnalyzeFactor('Sales_AP',TD['Sales_AP'],TD['ForwardReturns_AP'],NumTile)

FA['Sales AP']['ICitp'] Out[97]: 0.8685708364288796

'Earnings AP'

TD = {} #Dictionary for transformed data

FA = {} #Dictionary for factors

N = np.int (5) #Used to control data cleaning, see notes

#Next 4 lines were added so forward returns will be used

Returns AP = D['Returns AP'].copy()

TD['ForwardReturns_AP'] = D['ForwardReturns_AP'].copy()

TD['Earnings_AP'] = -D['Earnings_AP'].copy() #Change the sign of price to book because high is bad, low is good

TD['Earnings_AP'] = td.CleanData(TD['Earnings_AP'],N) #Moderate outliers so model building is better

TransformList = ['ZSBT','ZSCSBS'] #z-score by time, decile crosssection by sector

TD['Earnings_AP'] = td.Transform(TD['Earnings_AP'],TransformList,D)

X = TD['Earnings AP'

NumTile = np.int (5)

FA['Earnings AP'] =

ft.AnalyzeFactor('Earnings AP',TD['Earnings AP'],TD['ForwardReturns AP'],NumTile)

FA['Earnings AP']['ICitp']= 0.864259099722394

N = np.int (5)

TD['Price EarningsF12M AP'] = D['Price EarningsF12M AP'].copy()

TD['Price_EarningsF12M_AP'] = td.CleanData(TD['Price_EarningsF12M_AP'],N) #Moderate outliers so model building is better

TransformList = ['ZSBT', 'ZSCSBS'] #z-score by time, decile crosssection by sector

TD['Price EarningsF12M AP'] =

td.Transform(TD['Price EarningsF12M AP'],TransformList,D)

NumTile = np.int (5) #Number of quantiles to use in AnalyzeFactor

FA['Price_EarningsF12M_AP'] =

ft.AnalyzeFactor('Price_EarningsF12M_AP',TD['Price_EarningsF12M_AP'],TD['ForwardReturns_AP'],NumTile)

Applying transformations ...

ZSBT

z-score by time

ZSCSBS

z-score by crosssection by sector

Transformations applied

FA['Price_EarningsF12M_AP']['ICitp'] Out[42]: 0.5410687843750408

Based on the provided Information Coefficient (IC) values, the "Sales" factor appears to be the strongest predictor of future returns, with an IC value of 0.8685708364288796.

Here are the IC values for each factor:

- 1. Price to Book (Price_Book_AP): IC = 0.655915725445113
- 2. Sales (Sales AP): IC = 0.8685708364288796
- 3. Earnings (Earnings_AP): IC = 0.864259099722394
- 4. Price to Earnings (Price_EarningsF12M_AP): IC = 0.5410687843750408

Therefore, based on the IC values, the "Sales" factor seems to be the best predictor of future returns among the factors analyzed. It has the highest IC value, indicating a stronger relationship with future returns compared to the other factors.

DALL = Medium

```
TD = {} #Dictionary for transformed data
FA = {} #Dictionary for factors
N = np.int_(5) #Used to control data cleaning, see notes
#Next 4 lines were added so forward returns will be used
Returns AP = D['Returns AP'].copy()
TD['ForwardReturns AP'] = D['ForwardReturns AP'].copy()
TD['Price Book AP'] = -D['Price Book AP'].copy() #Change the sign of price to book
because high is bad, low is good
TD['Price Book AP'] = td.CleanData(TD['Price Book AP'],N) #Moderate outliers so model
building is better
TransformList = ['ZSBT', 'ZSCSBS'] #z-score by time, decile crosssection by sector
TD['Price Book AP'] = td.Transform(TD['Price Book AP'],TransformList,D)
X = TD['Price Book AP']
NumTile = np.int (5)
FA['Price Book AP'] =
ft.AnalyzeFactor('Price Book',TD['Price Book AP'],TD['ForwardReturns AP'],NumTile)
Applying transformations ...
ZSBT
z-score by time
ZSCSBS
z-score by crosssection by sector
Transformations applied
FA.keys()
Out[7]: dict keys(['Price Book AP'])
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FA['Price_Book_AP'].keys()
Out[8]: dict_keys(['SignalName', 'Signal_AP', 'Returns_AP', 'NumAsset', 'NumPeriod',
'AnnPeriods', 'MinNumForCorrelation', 'NumForwardReturns', 'NumTile', 'EW_BenchMark_p',
'SignalTile_AP', 'ReturnTile_AP', 'RetBySignalTile_pt', 'ICByPeriod_p', 'ICByPeriodPval_p',
'GrandMeanIC', 'GrandStdIC', 'ICitp', 'ICdecay_n', 'ICdecaySTD_n', 'FactorIC_pn',
'FactorICPval_pn', 'IRdecay_n', 'ICdecayWeighted', 'AlphaBySignalTile_t',
'BetaBySignalTile_t', 'RsquareBySignalTile_t', 'TstatBySignalTile_t',
'ResidualRiskBySignalTile_t', 'ResidualBySignalTile_pt', 'ExcessRetBySignalTile_pt',
'CumulativeTileReturn t', 'CumulativeTileExcessReturn t', 'ExPostIR t'])

FA['Price_Book_AP']['ICitp']
Out[9]: 0.7364488122675225

TD = {} #Dictionary for transformed data
FA = {} #Dictionary for factors
N = np.int_(5) #Used to control data cleaning, see notes
#Next 4 lines were added so forward returns will be used
Returns_AP = D['Returns_AP'].copy()
TD['ForwardReturns_AP'] = D['ForwardReturns_AP'].copy()

TD['OperatingMargin_AP'] = -D['OperatingMargin_AP'].copy() #Change the sign of price to book because high is bad, low is good

TD['OperatingMargin_AP'] = td.CleanData(TD['OperatingMargin_AP'],N) #Moderate outliers so model building is better

TransformList = ['ZSBT','ZSCSBS'] #z-score by time, decile crosssection by sector TD['OperatingMargin_AP'] = td.Transform(TD['OperatingMargin_AP'],TransformList,D) X = TD['OperatingMargin_AP']

NumTile = np.int_(5)
FA['OperatingMargin_AP'] =
ft.AnalyzeFactor('OperatingMargin_AP',TD['OperatingMargin_AP'],TD['ForwardReturns_AP']
,NumTile)
Applying transformations ...

ZSBT

z-score by time

ZSCSBS

z-score by crosssection by sector

Transformations applied

FA['OperatingMargin_AP']['ICitp']
Out[11]: 0.39924875175895813

TD['CovarianceVariationEarningsEstimate_AP'] = D['CovarianceVariationEarningsEstimate_AP'].copy()
TD['CovarianceVariationEarningsEstimate_AP'] = td.CleanData(TD['CovarianceVariationEarningsEstimate_AP'],N) #Moderate outliers so

model building is better

TransformList = ['ZSBT', 'ZSCSBS'] #z-score by time, decile crosssection by sector

TD['CovarianceVariationEarningsEstimate AP'] =

td.Transform(TD['CovarianceVariationEarningsEstimate_AP'],TransformList,D)

NumTile = np.int (5) #Number of quantiles to use in AnalyzeFactor

FA['CovarianceVariationEarningsEstimate AP'] =

ft.AnalyzeFactor('CovarianceVariationEarningsEstimate_AP',TD['CovarianceVariationEarningsEstimate_AP'],TD['ForwardReturns_AP'],NumTile)

Applying transformations ...

ZSBT

z-score by time

ZSCSBS

z-score by crosssection by sector

Transformations applied

FA['CommonStockRating_AP']['ICitp']

Out[21]: 0.5013412032176241

 $N = np.int_{(5)}$

TD['Beta AP'] = D['Beta AP'].copy()

TD['Beta_AP'] = td.CleanData(TD['Beta_AP'],N) #Moderate outliers so model building is better

TransformList = ['ZSBT', 'ZSCSBS'] #z-score by time, decile crosssection by sector

TD['Beta_AP'] = td.Transform(TD['Beta_AP'],TransformList,D)

NumTile = np.int_(5) #Number of quantiles to use in AnalyzeFactor

FA['Beta AP'] =

ft.AnalyzeFactor('Beta AP',TD['Beta AP'],TD['ForwardReturns AP'],NumTile)

Applying transformations ...

ZSBT

z-score by time

ZSCSBS

z-score by crosssection by sector

Transformations applied

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RuntimeWarning: Mean of empty slice

R['EW_BenchMark_p'] = np.nanmean(Returns_AP,axis=0)#equaly weighted mean by period

FA['Beta_AP']['ICitp']

Out[23]: 0.08877256863249926

TD['Beta AP'] = D['Beta AP'].copy()

TD['Beta_AP'] = td.CleanData(TD['Beta_AP'],N) #Moderate outliers so model building is better

TransformList = ['ZSBT', 'ZSCSBS'] #z-score by time, decile crosssection by sector

TD['Beta AP'] = td.Transform(TD['Beta AP'],TransformList,D)

NumTile = np.int (5) #Number of quantiles to use in AnalyzeFactor

FA['Beta AP'] =

ft.AnalyzeFactor('Beta AP',TD['Beta AP'],TD['ForwardReturns AP'],NumTile)

Applying transformations ...

ZSBT

z-score by time

ZSCSBS

z-score by crosssection by sector

Transformations applied

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RuntimeWarning: Mean of empty slice

R['EW BenchMark p'] = np.nanmean(Returns AP,axis=0)#equaly weighted mean by period

FA['Beta AP']['ICitp']

Out[23]: 0.08877256863249926

FA['Beta AP']['ICitp']

Out[23]: 0.08877256863249926

 $N = np.int_(5)$

TD['FCF Price AP'] = D['FCF Price AP'].copy()

TD['FCF_Price_AP'] = td.CleanData(TD['FCF_Price_AP'],N) #Moderate outliers so model building is better

TransformList = ['ZSBT', 'ZSCSBS'] #z-score by time, decile crosssection by sector

TD['FCF_Price_AP'] = td.Transform(TD['FCF_Price_AP'],TransformList,D)

NumTile = np.int (5) #Number of quantiles to use in AnalyzeFactor

FA['FCF Price AP'] =

ft.AnalyzeFactor('FCF_Price_AP',TD['FCF_Price_AP'],TD['ForwardReturns_AP'],NumTile) Applying transformations ...

ZSBT

z-score by time

ZSCSBS

z-score by crosssection by sector

Transformations applied

FA['FCF_Price_AP']['ICitp']
Out[25]: 0.1769246772456932

Based on the provided Information Coefficient (IC) values, the "Price to Book" factor appears to be the strongest predictor of future returns among the factors analyzed. It has an IC value of 0.7364488122675225.

Here are the IC values for each factor:

- 1. Price to Book (Price Book AP): IC = 0.7364488122675225
- 2. Operating Margin (OperatingMargin_AP): IC = 0.39924875175895813
- 3. Covariance Variation of Earnings Estimate (CovarianceVariationEarningsEstimate_AP): IC = 0.5013412032176241

- 4. Beta (Beta AP): IC = 0.08877256863249926
- 5. Free Cash Flow to Price (FCF Price AP): IC = 0.1769246772456932

Therefore, based on the IC values, the "Price to Book" factor seems to be the best predictor of future returns among the factors analyzed. It has the highest IC value, indicating a stronger relationship with future returns compared to the other factors.

Based on the provided Information Coefficient (IC) values for the "Price to Book" factor under different market conditions, here's a summary:

- 1. **DALL = All:**
 - IC value for Price to Book: 0.655915725445113
- 2. **DALL = High:**
 - IC value for Price to Book: 0.655915725445113
- 3. **DALL = Medium:**
 - IC value for Price to Book: 0.736448 (Truncated)

It seems that under all market conditions (All, High, and Medium), the Price to Book factor demonstrates consistent predictive power, with relatively high IC values across the board. This suggests that Price to Book ratio is a robust predictor of future returns regardless of the market environment.