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I. INTRODUCTION

Some compose food are volatile heterocyclic which are found in a natural way in our environment and the attraction which the men test for the flavours is ever contradicted during centuries and which have an interest in multiple fields, in particular in the food like flavour. Their presence in food results mainly, of process requiring a stage of cooking (partial or supplements), Egyptian civilization already used them for the kitchen.

In the evaluation of the environmental risks, information on the fate in the environment, the properties, the behavior and the toxicity of a chemical substance is fundamental need.

The volatile heterocyclic also constitutes a significant family of odorous molecules, particularly interesting in the field of the chemistry of the flavours. They represent more than one quarter of the 5000 volatile compounds insulated and characterized to date in our food.

Pyrazines are heterocyclic very present in our food. More than 80 derived from pyrazines were identified in a great number of cooked food, like the bread, the meat, the torrefied coffee, the cocoa or the hazel nuts; they are very powerful aromatizing compounds.

Mihara and Enomoto (1985), described a relation structure/retention for a unit of substituted pyrazines for which the increments of indices relating to various substituents on the cycle were given for a small series of substituents present. The method was then extended to integrate others substituents, by adding a term which takes account of the position on the cycle of a substituent compared to the others (Mihara & Masuda, 1987). In a similar approach, Masuda and Mihara (1986) describe the use of indices of connectivity modified to calculate in advance the indices of retention of a series of substituted pyrazines. The methods lead to good results, in so far as the increments of indices determined in experiments available for the unknown compounds are implied, which constitutes their principal defect.

Stanton and Jurs (1989), used methodology QSRR to develop models connecting the structural characteristics of 107 variously substituted pyrazines, with their indices of retention obtained on two columns of very different polarities (OV-101 and Carbowax-20M). The equations were calculated using the multilinear regression, the choice of the explanatory variables (topological, electronic and physical properties) being realized by progressive elimination (Swall & Jurs, 1983), among the 85 individual molecular descriptors obtained for each whole molecule. The indices of retention (IR) obtained on each column were treated separately, while drawing from the same sets of descriptors. The models calculated with 6 explanatory variables provide high standards errors ($S = 23$ units of index - u.i. - on OV-101 and $S = 36.33$ u.i. out of Carbowax -20 M) which do not predict good predictive capacities for these models, and which let suppose nonlinear relations between descriptors and property (IR) studied.

The objective of this work aims at using methodology QSRR, the approach Method LAD /Least square (LAD/OLS), to model the indices of retention of (114) pyrazines reported from Davit T. Stanton and Peter C.Jurs (1989) and reported from Mihara and Enomoto

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(1985), the molecular descriptors being only calculated starting from the chemical structure of the compounds.

The linear statistical model for fixed purposes will be examined by two robust methods for the evaluation of the parameters of regression starting from estimates of the robust coefficients of regression most popular by the appendices. We based ourselves on the comparison between the two methods, the applicability (DA) will be discussed using the diagram of Williams who represents the residues of prediction standardized according to the values of the levers (hi) (Eriksson *et al.* 2003; Tropsha *et al.* 2003). We present the tests statistics and graph of compatibility at the normal law for validated the results of the state approached between the two methods for a risk $\alpha = 5\%$.

II. METHODOLOGY

i. Descriptor Generation

One used the molecular software of modeling Hyperchem 6.03, for to represent the molecules, then using semi-empirical method AM1 (Dewar *et al.*, 1985; Holder 1998) to obtain the final geometries. It is established (Levine, 2000) that this Method gives good results when one treats small molecules (of less than one hundred atoms), like those considered in this work.

The optimized geometries were transferred in the software dragon from data-processing software version 5.4 [19], for the calculation of 1320 descriptors while operating on 89 pyrazines of test; subsets of descriptors were chosen by genetic algorithm, these descriptors can be separate in four categories: topological descriptors of The topological, geometrical, physical, and electronic accounts of way and molecular indices of connectivity included. The geometrical descriptors included sectors of shade, the length with the reports/ratios of width, volumes of van der Waals, the surface, and principal moments of inertia. The calculated descriptors of physical property included the molecular refringency of polarizability and molar. The electronic descriptors included most positive and most negative described by Kaliszan.

By employing the software Mobydigs (Todeschini *et al.*, 2009) [21] and by maximizing the coefficient of prediction Q^2 and minimal R^2 of S (the error).

ii. Regression Analysis

The analysis of the multiple linear regressions was carried out with two methods by software Matlab (R2009a) for (LAD) and Minitab 16 for (OLS).

One considers the multiple model of regression given by [9]:

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \sum_{j=1}^{p-1} \beta_j x_{ij} + \varepsilon_i \quad (1)$$

The detection of meaningless statements and 'with action leverage according to the method of least squares is a problem which' was largely studied. The

diagnosis by the regression LAD offers alternative approaches whose principal characteristic is the robustness. In our study a non-parametric method to detect the meaningless statements and the point's lever was applied and compared with the traditional method of diagnosis (least squares) [9].

iii. Method of least squares OLS

This one was carried out with the software Minitab 16 [33], method MLR applied to the multiple regression consists in defining the β estimate which minimizes ([9, 17, 18]):

$$\sum e_i^2 = \sum (y_i - \beta_0 - \sum \beta_{xij})^2 \quad (2)$$

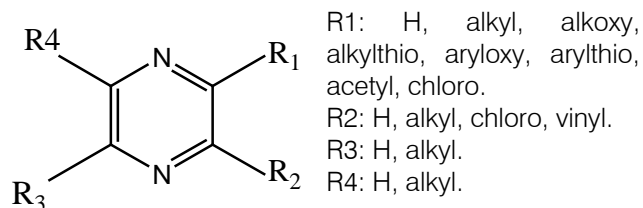
iv. Least Absolute Deviations (LAD)

The analysis of linear regression multiple was carried out with the software Matlab (R2009a) [31], by using the method of the least variations in absolute value, said method LAD (Least Absolute Deviations), is one of the principal alternatives to the method of least squares when it is a question of estimating the parameters of a model of regression, which minimizes the absolute values and not the values with the square of the term of erreur. La method stable-lad applied to the multiple regression consists in defining the β estimates which minimize [9, 17, the 18]:

$$\sum |e_i| = \sum |y_i - \beta_0 - \sum \beta_{xij}| \quad (3)$$

III. THE DATA SET

One uses the molecular software Hyperchem 6.03 [20], to represent the molecules, by employing semi-empirical method AM1 (Dewar *et al.*, 1985; Holder 1998) to obtain the final geometries. The compounds implied in this study have the general structure 1:



The retention data for the 114 compounds chromatographed on the OV-101 and CRW-20M stationary phases were taken from (113 taken from Davit T. Stanton and Peter C. Jurs (1) and 1 compound (2-VinylPyrazine) taken from Mihara and Enomoto [29]) and are listed in table 1.

IV. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

An ideal model is one that has a high R value, allow standard error, and the fewest independent variables [1, 9]. The best models found has 3 descriptors for each stationary phase by using the software Moby Digs [21] are given below.

The criterion for identifying a compound as an outlier was that compound being flagged by three or

more of six standard statistical tests used to detect outliers in regression analysis. These tests were (1) residual, (2) standardized residual, (3) Studentized residual, (4) leverage, (5) DFFITS, (6) Cook's distance. The residual is the difference between the actual value and the value predicted by the regression equation. The standardized residual is the residual divided by the standard deviation of the regression equation. The

Studentized residual is the residual of a prediction divided by its own standard deviation.

Leverage allows for the determination of the influence of a point in determining the regression equation. DFFITS describes the difference in the fit of the equation caused by removal of a given observation, and Cook's distance describes the change in a model coefficient by the removal of a given point.

Table 1 : Experimentally determined Retention Indices for pyrazines on OV-101 and Carbowax-20 M

n°	Compounds	ov-101	Compounds	IR(cw)
1	Pyrazine	710	Pyrazine	1179
2	Methylpyrazine	801	Methylpyrazine	1235
3	2,3-dimethylpyrazine	897	2,3-dimethylpyrazine	1309
4	2,5-dimethylpyrazine	889	2,5-dimethylpyrazine	1290
5	2,6-dimethylpyrazine	889	2,6-dimethylpyrazine	1300
6	Trimethylpyrazine	981	Trimethylpyrazine	1365
7	Trimethylpyrazine	1067	Trimethylpyrazine	1439
8	Ethylpyrazine	894	Ethylpyrazine	1300
9	2-ethyl-5-methylpyrazine	980	2-ethyl-5-methylpyrazine	1357
10	2-ethyl-6-methylpyrazine	977	2-ethyl-6-methylpyrazine	1353
11	2,5-dimethyl-3-ethylpyrazine	1059	2,5-dimethyl-3-ethylpyrazine	1400
n°	Compounds	ov-101	Compounds	IR(cw)
12	2,6-dimethyl-6-ethylpyrazine	1064	2,6-dimethyl-6-ethylpyrazine	1415
13	2,3-dimethyl-5-ethylpyrazine	1066	2,3-dimethyl-5-ethylpyrazine	1421
14	2,3-diethylpyrazine	1065	2,3-diethylpyrazine	1417
15	2,3-diethyl-5-methylpyrazine	1137	2,3-diethyl-5-methylpyrazine	1459
16	Propylpyrazine	986	Propylpyrazine	1374
17	2-methyl-3-propylpyrazine	1072	2-methyl-3-propylpyrazine	1438
18	2,3-dimethyl-5-propylpyrazine	1154	2,3-dimethyl-5-propylpyrazine	1500
19	2,5-dimethyl-3-propylpyrazine	1142	2,5-dimethyl-3-propylpyrazine	1474
20	2,6-methyl-3-propylpyrazine	1151	2,6-methyl-3-propylpyrazine	1493
21	Isopropylpyrazine	949	Isopropylpyrazine	1316
22	2,3-dimethyl-5-isopropylpyrazine	1112	2,3-dimethyl-5-isopropylpyrazine	1431
23	Butylpyrazine	1088	Butylpyrazine	1474
24	2-butyl-3-methylpyrazine	1121	2-butyl-3-methylpyrazine	1459
25	3-butyl-3,5-dimethylpyrazine	1184	3-butyl-3,5-dimethylpyrazine	1487
26	3-butyl-3,6-dimethylpyrazine	1196	3-butyl-3,6-dimethylpyrazine	1514
27	5-butyl-2,3-dimethylpyrazine	1254	5-butyl-2,3-dimethylpyrazine	1600
28	Isobutylpyrazine	1043	Isobutylpyrazine	1406
29	2,3-dimethyl-5-isobutylpyrazine	1200	2,3-dimethyl-5-isobutylpyrazine	1525
30	2-isobutyl-3,5,6-trimethylpyrazine	1263	2-isobutyl-3,5,6-trimethylpyrazine	1556
31	sec-butylpyrazine	1040	sec-butylpyrazine	1394
32	5-sec-butyl-2,3-dimethylpyrazine	1194	5-sec-butyl-2,3-dimethylpyrazine	1500
33	Pentylpyrazine	1192	Pentylpyrazine	1575
34	2,3-dimethyl-5-pentylpyrazine	1352	2,3-dimethyl-5-pentylpyrazine	1700
35	Isopentylpyrazine	1157	Isopentylpyrazine	1530
36	2,3-dimethyl-5-isopentylpyrazine	1317	2,3-dimethyl-5-isopentylpyrazine	1655
37	(2-methylbutyl)pyrazine	1151	(2-methylbutyl)pyrazine	1527
38	2,3-dimethyl-5-(2-methylbutyl)pyrazine	1306	2,3-dimethyl-5-(2-methylbutyl)pyrazine	1636
39	2-(2-methylbutyl)-2,5,6-trimethylpyrazine	1363	2-(2-methylbutyl)-2,5,6-trimethylpyrazine	1661

40	(2-methyl-3-pentyl)pyrazine	1240	(2-methyl-3-pentyl)pyrazine	1606
41	(2-ethylpropyl)pyrazine	1121	(2-ethylpropyl)pyrazine	1449
42	(1-methylbutyl)pyrazine	1133	(1-methylbutyl)pyrazine	1471
43	2,3-demethyl-5-(2-methylpentyl)pyrazine	1377	2,3-demethyl-5-(2-methylpentyl)pyrazine	1710
44	Hexylpyrazine	1293	Hexylpyrazine	1668
45	Octylpyrazine	1495	Octylpyrazine	1845
46	2-methyl-3-octylpyrazine	1546	2-methyl-3-octylpyrazine	1956
47	2-methyl-5-(2-methylbutyl)-3-octylpyrazine	1923	2-methyl-5-(2-methylbutyl)-3-octylpyrazine	2200
n°	Compounds	ov-101	Compounds	IR(cw)
48	2-methyl-6-(2-methylbutyl)-3-octylpyrazine	1962	2-methyl-6-(2-methylbutyl)-3-octylpyrazine	2264
49	Methoxypyrazine	877	Methoxypyrazine	1306
50	2-methoxy-3-methylpyrazine	954	2-methoxy-3-methylpyrazine	1339
51	2-methoxy-5-methylpyrazine	969	2-methoxy-5-methylpyrazine	1358
52	3-ethyl-2-methoxypyrazine	1037	3-ethyl-2-methoxypyrazine	1400
53	3-isopropyl-2-methoxypyrazine	1078	3-isopropyl-2-methoxypyrazine	1400
54	5-isopropyl-3-methyl-2-methoxypyrazine	1170	5-isopropyl-3-methyl-2-methoxypyrazine	1467
55	5-sec-butyl-3-methyl-2-methoxypyrazine	1250	5-sec-butyl-3-methyl-2-methoxypyrazine	1536
56	5-isobutyl-3-methyl-2-methoxypyrazine	1257	5-isobutyl-3-methyl-2-methoxypyrazine	1556
57	3-methyl-2-methoxy-5-(2-methylbutyl)pyrazine	1362	3-methyl-2-methoxy-5-(2-methylbutyl)pyrazine	1664
58	3-methyl-2-methoxy-5-(2-methylpentyl)pyrazine	1444	3-methyl-2-methoxy-5-(2-methylpentyl)pyrazine	1737
59	Ethoxypyrazine	959	Ethoxypyrazine	1348
60	2-ethoxy-3-methylpyrazine	1029	2-ethoxy-3-methylpyrazine	1385
61	2-ethoxy-5-methylpyrazine	1047	2-ethoxy-5-methylpyrazine	1418
62	2-ethoxy-3-ethylpyrazine	1101	2-ethoxy-3-ethylpyrazine	1439
63	2-ethoxy-3-isopropylpyrazine	1143	2-ethoxy-3-isopropylpyrazine	1431
64	2-ethoxy-5-isopropyl-3-methylpyrazine	1230	2-ethoxy-5-isopropyl-3-methylpyrazine	1500
65	2-ethoxy-5-isobutyl-3-methylpyrazine	1314	2-ethoxy-5-isobutyl-3-methylpyrazine	1584
66	5-sec-butyl-2-ethoxy-3-methylpyrazine	1306	5-sec-butyl-2-ethoxy-3-methylpyrazine	1566
67	2-ethoxy-3-methyl-5-(2-methylbutyl)pyrazine	1415	2-ethoxy-3-methyl-5-(2-methylbutyl)pyrazine	1693
68	(methylthio)pyrazine	1076	2-ethoxy-3-methyl-5-(2-methylpentyl)pyrazine	1771
69	3-methyl-2-(methylthio)pyrazine	1151	(methylthio)pyrazine	1600
70	5-methyl-2-(methylthio)pyrazine	1163	3-methyl-2-(methylthio)pyrazine	1616
71	3-ethyl-2-(methylthio)pyrazine	1237	3-ethyl-2-(methylthio)pyrazine	1695
72	3-isopropyl-2-(methylthio)pyrazine	1273	3-isopropyl-2-(methylthio)pyrazine	1692
73	3-isopropyl-3-(methylthio)pyrazine	1362	3-isopropyl-3-(methylthio)pyrazine	1737
74	5-sec-butyl-3-methyl-2-(methylthio)pyrazine	1441	5-sec-butyl-3-methyl-2-(methylthio)pyrazine	1800
75	5-isobutyl-3-methyl-2-(methylthio)pyrazine	1446	5-isobutyl-3-methyl-2-(methylthio)pyrazine	1816
76	3-methyl-5-(2-methylbutyl)-2-(methylthio)pyrazine	1552	3-methyl-5-(2-methylbutyl)-2-(methylthio)pyrazine	1941
n°	Compounds	ov-101	Compounds	IR(cw)
77	3-methyl-5-(2-methylpentyl)-2-(methylthio)pyrazine	1638	3-methyl-5-(2-methylpentyl)-2-(methylthio)pyrazine	2008

78	(ethylthio)pyrazine	1148	(ethylthio)pyrazine	1635
79	2-ethylthio-3-methylpyrazine	1215	2-ethylthio-3-methylpyrazine	1655
80	2-ethylthio-5-isopropyl-3-methylpyrazine	1418	2-ethylthio-5-isopropyl-3-methylpyrazine	1769
81	5-sec-butyl-2-ethylthio-3-methylpyrazine	1494	5-sec-butyl-2-ethylthio-3-methylpyrazine	1832
82	2-ethylthio-5-isobutyl-3-methylpyrazine	1496	2-ethylthio-5-isobutyl-3-methylpyrazine	1843
83	2-ethylthio-3-methyl-5-(2-methylbutyl)pyrazine	1602	2-ethylthio-3-methyl-5-(2-methylbutyl)pyrazine	1951
84	2-ethylthio-3-methyl-5-(2-methylpentyl)pyrazine	1686	2-ethylthio-3-methyl-5-(2-methylpentyl)pyrazine	2026
85	Phenoxypyrazine	1415	Phenoxypyrazine	2104
86	2-methyl-3-phenoxypyrazine	1465	2-methyl-3-phenoxypyrazine	2103
87	5-isopropyl-3-methyl-2-phenoxypyrazine	1620	5-isopropyl-3-methyl-2-phenoxypyrazine	2114
88	5-sec-butyl-3-methyl-2-phenoxypyrazine	1694	5-sec-butyl-3-methyl-2-phenoxypyrazine	2173
89	5-isobutyl-3-methyl-2-phenoxypyrazine	1706	5-isobutyl-3-methyl-2-phenoxypyrazine	2209
90	3-methyl-5-(2-methylpentyl)-2-phenoxypyrazine	1807	3-methyl-5-(2-methylpentyl)-2-phenoxypyrazine	2301
91	(phenylthio)pyrazine	1606	(phenylthio)pyrazine	2400
92	3-methyl-2-(phenylthio)pyrazine	1658	3-methyl-2-(phenylthio)pyrazine	2399
93	5-isopropyl-3-methyl-2-(phenylthio)pyrazine	1806	5-isopropyl-3-methyl-2-(phenylthio)pyrazine	2375
94	5-sec-butyl-3-methyl-2-(phenylthio)pyrazine	1874	5-sec-butyl-3-methyl-2-(phenylthio)pyrazine	2430
95	5-isobutyl-3-methyl-2-(phenylthio)pyrazine	1882	5-isobutyl-3-methyl-2-(phenylthio)pyrazine	2452
96	3-methyl-5-(2-methylbutyl)-2-(phenylthio)pyrazine	1985	3-methyl-5-(2-methylbutyl)-2-(phenylthio)pyrazine	2569
97	3-methyl-5-(2-methylpentyl)-2-(phenylthio)pyrazine	2064	3-methyl-5-(2-methylpentyl)-2-(phenylthio)pyrazine	2669
98	Acetylpyrazine	993	Acetylpyrazine	1571
99	2-acetyl-3-methylpyrazine	1061	2-acetyl-3-methylpyrazine	1567
100	2-acetyl-5-methylpyrazine	1093	2-acetyl-5-methylpyrazine	1625
101	2-acetyl-6-methylpyrazine	1089	2-acetyl-6-methylpyrazine	1618
102	2-acetyl-3-ethylpyrazine	1138	2-acetyl-3-ethylpyrazine	1617
103	2-acetyl-3,5-dimethylpyrazine	1153	2-acetyl-3,5-dimethylpyrazine	1629
104	Chloropyrazine	861	Chloropyrazine	1351
105	2,3-dichloropyrazine	1032	2,3-dichloropyrazine	1581
n°	Compounds	ov-101	Compounds	IR(cw)
106	2-chloro-3-methylpyrazine	951	2-chloro-3-methylpyrazine	1399
107	2-chloro-3-ethylpyrazine	1044	2-chloro-3-ethylpyrazine	1467
108	2-chloro-3-isobutylpyrazine	1187	2-chloro-3-isobutylpyrazine	1575
109	2-chloro-5-isopropyl-3-methylpyrazine	1173	2-chloro-5-isopropyl-3-methylpyrazine	1505
110	5-sec-butyl-2-chloro-3-methylpyrazine	1256	5-sec-butyl-2-chloro-3-methylpyrazine	1577
111	2-chloro-5-isobutyl-3-methylpyrazine	1264	2-chloro-5-isobutyl-3-methylpyrazine	1600
112	2-chloro-3-methyl-5-(2-methylbutyl)pyrazine	1371	2-chloro-3-methyl-5-(2-methylbutyl)pyrazine	1710
113	2-chloro-3-methyl-5-(2-methylpentyl)pyrazine	1456	2-chloro-3-methyl-5-(2-methylpentyl)pyrazine	1789
114	2-VinylPyrazine	907	2-VinylPyrazine	1392

The definition of each descriptor is given table 2:

Table 2 : Definitions of Descriptors used in the Retention index Prediction Models [19]

Name	Definition
MPC03	Molecular path count of order 03
GATS5e	Geary autocorrelation-lag 5/weighted by atomic Sanderson electronegativities
AEigp	Eigen value distance matrix sum from Polson arizability weight (Barysz matrix)
Qpos	total positive charge
Se	sum of atomic Sanderson electronegativities
Mp	mean atomic polarizability (scaledon Carbon atom)
X1sol	salvation connectivity index chi-1
DP01	molecular profile no.01
Mor06v	(3D-MORSE-signal 06/weighted by atomic Vander Waals volumes
Tm	T (Total size index/weight atomic masses

The coefficient of multiple determinations (R^2) indicates the amount of variance in the data set accounted for by the model. The standard error of the regression coefficient is given in each case, and n indicates the number of molecules involved in the regression analysis procedure [1, 9].

a) The best models

IR(OV-101): (MPC03, X1sol, GATS5e, AEigp, L3e, Qpos); $-S=20.892$, $R^2=99.30$, $n=89$ compounds.

IR(RWC): Se, Mp, X1sol, DP01, Mor06v, Tm; $S=22.64$, $R^2=99.22$, $n=89$ compounds.

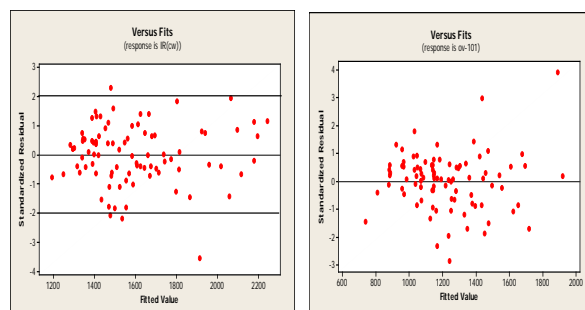
Indeed Figure 1 reproduced the distributions of the standard residues d_i (ordinary residue report /root of the average square of the variations) according to the adjusted values, which seem random (without particular tendencies). That shows the constancy of variances σ^2 , it be-with saying their independence of the regresses and the adjusted dependent variable.

Tableau 3 : Diagnostiques Statistiques pour les Modèles Sélectionnés

ID	Size	Models	R2	Q2	Q2boot	Q2ext	R2adj
OV-101	6	MPC03 X1sol GATS5e AEigp L3e Qpos	99.30	99.12	98.99	96.94	99.24
			SDEP	SDEC	F	s	
			22.448	20.05	1927.2	20.89	
IDx<	Size	Models	R2	Q2	Q2boot	Q2ext	R2adj
CRW-20M	6	Se Mp X1sol DP04 Mor06v Tm	99,2	99	98,92	75,9	99,2
			SDEP	SDEC	F	s	
			24,1	21,7	1740	22,6	

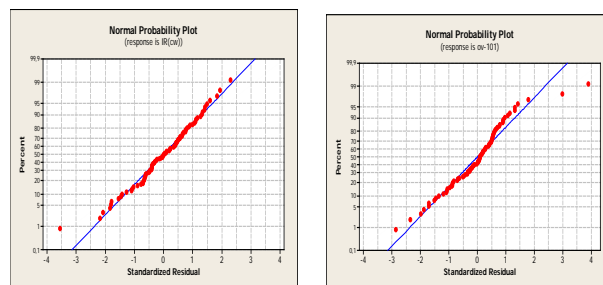
Values of R^2 and of $R^2_{(adj)}$ show, each time, quality of adjustment, whereas the very weak differences between R^2 and Q^2 inform about the robustness of the

The quasi-linearity ($R = 0,9951$; OV-101 - $R = 0,9835$; Carbowax-20M - $critic = 0,96048$) of the diagram of the normal scores (Figure 2) is an index of normality. Values of the statistics of Durbin-Watson (Durbin, & Watson, 1951), [$d=1,33535$; OV-101/ $D = 1,66161$; Carbowax-20M] are the greater than higher values given by the tables, respectively for 3 regresses, and any reasonable risk σ , which establishes each time the independence of the residues.



Colonne RCW -20 M Colonne OV -101

Fig. 1 : Plot of the standard residues according to the estimated retention indices



Colonne RCW -20 M Colonne OV -101

Fig. 2 : Diagram of the normal scores

The diagnostic statistics joined together in Table 3 make it possible to make comparisons and to draw several conclusions [21].

models which are, moreover, very highly significant (high values of the statistics F of Fisher).

Moreover, the similarity of *SDEP* and *SDEC* mean that the internal capacities of prediction models are not too dissimilar their capacities of adjustment.

The validation by bootstrap (Q_{BOOT}) confirms all at the same time the capacity of internal prediction and the stability of the models.

b) *Robust Regression*

Any robust method must be reasonably effective once compared to the estimators of least squares; if the fundamental distribution of the errors is normal and primarily more effective independent than the estimators of least squares, when there are peripheral observations. There are various robust methods for the evaluation the parameters of regression. The principal goal of this section is the method LAD (nap of the absolute values of the errors)

ii. *Comparison of hyperplanes of regression*

Column OV-101:

1/LAD:

$$Y = -48.05 - 10.14 \text{ MPC03} + 337.87 \text{ X1sol} - 35.78 \text{ GATS5e} - 2.54 \text{ AEIgp} - 38.51 \text{ L3e} - 156.88 \text{ Qpos} \quad (4)$$

2/OLS:

$$Y = -31,2 - 7,77 \text{ MPC03} + 300 \text{ X1sol} - 24,9 \text{ GATS5e} - 2,31 \text{ AEIgp} - 53,1 \text{ L3e} - 62,6 \text{ Qpos} \quad (5)$$

Column CRW -20M:

1/LAD:

$$Y = -242,89 - 42,45 \text{ Se} + 687,45 \text{ Mp} + 298,16 \text{ X1sol} + 205,42 \text{ DP01} + 200,62 \text{ Mor06v} + 8,04 \text{ Tm} \quad (6)$$

2/OLS:

$$Y = -167 - 42,8 \text{ Se} + 755 \text{ Mp} + 320 \text{ X1sol} + 130 \text{ DP01} + 163 \text{ Mor06v} + 10,7 \text{ Tm} \quad (7)$$

Each equation on each column check the assumptions on the same linear statistical model for Fixes purposes for each method in comparison with the hyperplane calculated by LAD compared to the hyperplane calculated by the method of least squares.

It is noticed that β the calculated OLS are not very different for the regression with β the LAD on the two columns, except, β_1 the calculated OLS is almost the same ones as for the regression with β_1 the LAD on column CRW and β_4 the calculated OLS is almost the same ones as for the regression with β_4 the LAD on column OV-101.

It is thus relevant to remake a checking of the presences of aberrant values by using the following stage (figure 3):

The hyperplane of regression can radically change, with the change of the coefficients of the hyperplane.

iii. *Graphical Comparisons of Alternative Regression Models*

The field of application was discussed using the diagram of Williams.

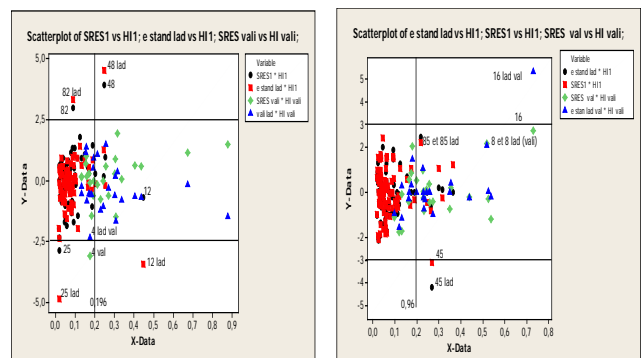
whose coefficient of regression qualifies the robustness among the additional data [16].

i. *Comparison Robust Regression of OLS and LAD*

More particularly we will test 2 methods of estimate for the vector of the Parameters $((\beta_0^*, \beta_1^*, \dots, \beta_k^*))$:

- Method of least squares ordinary, more known and the most used.
- The method LAD (Sum of the absolute values of the errors.)

The large advantage of the method LAD is his robustness, i.e. that the estimators are not impact by the extreme values, (they are known as "robust"). It is thus particularly interesting to use the method LAD if one is in the presence of aberrant values in comparison with method OLS [8].



Column OV -101 Columns RW -20M
Method LAD and OLS (test, validation)

Fig. 4 : Diagram of Williams of the residues of prediction standardized according to the lever

The analysis of the residues shows that the observations (82,25) residues raised but it (48) point influence in the two estimates and the observation (12) point influence with the LAD estimate and lever by least square also observation 4 residue raised with OLS and not lever with LAD in the whole of validation on column OV -101 and on column CRW -20M the observations (45) not influence in the two estimates and observation

16 point influence in the two estimates in the whole of validation.

After elimination of the aberrant points collective between the two methods and after the secondary treatment one has the observation (12) point influence and the observations (1, 24) residues raised in the two estimates but it (25) observation 4 residue raised with OLS and not lever with LAD also the observation 4 residue raised in the whole of validation in the two estimates on column OV -101 and on column CRW -20M the observations (45) not influence in the two

Column OV-101:

1/LAD:

$$y = -48.05 - 10.14 \text{ MPC03} + 337.87 \text{ X1sol} - 35.78 \text{ GATS5e} - 2.54 \text{ AEigp} - 38.51 \text{ L3e} - 156.88 \text{ Qps} \quad (8)$$

2/OLS:

$$y = -61,1 - 9,80 \text{ MPC03} + 343 \text{ X1sol} - 35,7 \text{ GATS5e} - 2,80 \text{ AEigp} - 40,7 \text{ L3e} - 160 \text{ Qpos} \quad (9)$$

Column CW -20M:

1/LAD:

$$Y = -242,89 - 42,45 \text{ Se} + 687,45 \text{ Mp} + 298,16 \text{ X1sol} + 205,42 \text{ DP01} + 200,62 \text{ Mor06v} + 8,04 \text{ Tm} \quad (10)$$

2/OLS:

$$\text{IR (RCW)} = -192 - 42,4 \text{ Se} + 752 \text{ Mp} + 305 \text{ X1sol} + 155 \text{ DP01} + 156 \text{ Mor06v} + 13,0 \text{ Tm} \quad (11)$$

It is noticed besides that β the OLS calculate more to approach which for the regression with β the LAD on the two columns into precise (β_1, β_3 and β_4) the OLS calculate are almost the same ones as for the regression with (β_1, β_3 and β_4) the LAD and on the same order with (β_0, β_5 and β_6) on OV 101 and β_1 the OLS calculate are almost the same ones as for the regression with β_1 the LAD on CRW -20M.

The analysis of the residues shows that in this case All the point of lad method between (-2, 2), but it the analysis of the residues of OLS method shows that the observations [OV-101: test - (6,42), CRW-20M: test - (22, 24, 67, 78), validation (7, 13, 14)] the LAD estimate given good result On the other hand estimate OLS figure (4):

iv. Graphical Comparisons of Alternative Regression Models

estimates and observation 16 point influence in the two estimates in the whole of validation and on column CRW -20M the observations (24 25 35) residues raised but it (84) point influence in the two estimates and observation 8 point influence in the two estimates in the whole of validation.

Thus finally the models in which the meaningless statements were removed become after elimination of the aberrant points collective [OV-101: test - (1, 12, 24), validation (4), CRW-20M: test - (24, 25, 35 84), validation (8)] between the two methods:

Lastly, it is noted that LAD is a robust estimator but loses stability in the presence of points aberrant.

We note however the observation that the estimate the least square is near to the LAD estimate to which removed the aberrant values.

To conform the approach between the two methods and to deduce the robust method between them, There is a package of tests of normality (of the standard errors or residues...) indeed, thanks to the concept of robustness, we can used simple techniques (descriptive e.g. statistics, technical graphs) to check if the distribution of the data is really approximate.

Any test is associated a σ risk known as of first species years works us, we will adopt it risk $\sigma = 5\%$.

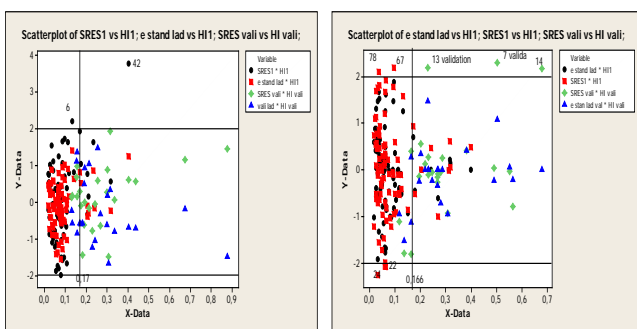
c) Comparisons of the Tests of normality of the errors between the method LAD and OLS in the approached state

The software Minitab 16 carries out automatically the estimate of the two principal parameters of the normal law (μ the Mean (OV-101:0, CRW-20M:0), σ the variation-type (OV-101:13.26, CRW-20M:18.53) for OLS one applying the same principle with the method LAD but one used (it median (OV-101:-0.96, CRW-20M:0.01) σ variation-type (OV-101:13.84, CRW-20M:18.66) and with the number principal in the state approached to the two columns $n=32$.

i. Test statistical

a. Test of Anderson-Darling

In our work, one finds us that AD [OV -101: (lad) = 0.250 with value of $p > 0.250$, (OLS) = $p = 0.938$ with value of $p = 0.747$, $n=82$]-RCW-20M: (lad) = 0.547 with value of $p > 0.250$, (OLS) = 0.165 with value of



Column OV -101 Columns RW -20M
Method LAD and OLS (test, validation)

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$p=0.572$, $n=84$] $<AD$ critique= 0.752 with $p > 0.1$. To 5%, the assumption of normality is compatible with the method LAD and OLS [33, 34, 35].

b. test of Shapiro-Wilk

It is particularly powerful for small manpower ($n < 50$) for this that one using for valid the results of the validation.

For a risk $\sigma = 0.05$, the critical points read in the table of Shapiro-Wilk for $n = 23$ is $W_{crit} = 0.914$ and for $n=24$ and $W_{crit} = 0.916$. In our works, on (OV) [$W_{LAD} = 0.9969$, $W_{MLR} = 0.9877$, $n=24$] and on CRW [$W_{LAD} = 0.997$, $W_{MLR} = 0.9227$, $n=23$] $W > W_{crit}$, with the risk of 5%, the assumption of normality compatible with us is given (normal law) [34,35].

c. Test of D'Agostino

For $\sigma = 0.05$, the threshold critic is $\chi^2_{0.95}(2) = 5.99$. In our works, on (OV) [$W_{LAD} = 0.0072$ with value of $p = 0.99$, $W_{OLS} = 0.042$ with value of $p = 0.97$, $n=82$], and on CRW [$W_{LAD} = 0.1202$ with value of $p = 0.94$, $W_{OLS} = 0.00116$ with value of $p = 0.99$, $n=84$], $W < W_{crit}$, with $p > 0.1$ with the risk of 5%, the assumption of normality compatible with us is given (normal law)[33,34,35].

d. Test of Jarque-Bera

As the Test of Agostino It becomes particularly effective starting from $N > 20$ for this that one using for valid the results.

For $\sigma = 0.05$, the critical point is $\chi^2_{0.95}(2) = 5.99$. In our works, on (OV) [$W_{LAD} = 0.0971$ with value of $p = 0.95$, $W_{OLS} = 0.0949$ with value of $p = 0.95$, $n=82$], and on CRW [$W_{LAD} = 0.1059$ with value of $p = 0.94$, $W_{OLS} = 0.0979$ with value of $p = 0.95$, $n=84$], $W < W_{crit}$ (is largely lower than 5.99) with $p > 0.1$ than the risk of 5%, the assumption of normality compatible with us is given (normal law).[33, 34, 35]

Completely all the statistical tests is accepted the data of the state approached between the two methods especially the test of Shapiro-Wilk the value of the method LAD closer to method OLS and the other tests the values of the method LAD is higher has the method MLR which explains than give them method LAD is effective and robust para for give method OLS.

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e. Interval of confidence

The confidence interval and the risk $\alpha = 0.05$ constitute a complementary approach thus (an approach of estimate) the most used confidence interval is the confidence interval has $100(1 - \alpha) = 95\%$.

The Column OV-101: LAD :(-28.11, 26.17), OLS (-25.9, 25.99).

The Column CRW-20M: LAD (-36.56, 36.58), OLS (-36.34, 36.34).

These result is formed L approximate of two method.

You can be 95% confident that the 50th percentile for the population is between OV-101 (LAD:-3.96 and 2.027,-OLS:-2.87 and 2.87, CRW-20M (LAD:-3.98 and 4.00, OLS:-3.96 and 3.96) [33, 34, 35].

V. CONCLUSION

The modeling of the indices of retention of 114 pyrazines (89 tests and 25 validations) eluted out of two columns various OV -101 and CRW-20M by two methods LAD and OLS are based on the following comparisons:

a) *The comparison of the equations of the hyperplanes*

L equations of OLS is closer to LAD after elimination of the aberrant points for the β_2 (LAD) $\cong \beta_2$ (OLS) and the other coefficient remaining with the same order for column OV-101 Pour the column Crw-20m the β_1 (LAD) $\cong \beta_1$ (OLS) and the other coefficient remaining with the same order after the secondary treatments for the checking of the presence of aberrant values (82, 48, 26, 25, 24,12, 1) on column OV -101 and item (45, 82,35, 24, 25) for the column CRW-20M, and to be able to compare them By employing the following stage.

b) *Graphic comparison: The applicability was discussed using the diagram of Williams in dependence*

Lastly, it is noted that LAD is a robust estimator but loses his stability in the presence of aberrant points.

Used test of normality's of the errors by statistical test. One applied compatibility with the normal law, but to differing degrees using p-been worth. One notes that the touts test to accept the assumption of normality is that of Anderson-Darling, the test of Shapiro-Wilk His power is recognized in the literature.

Lastly, the tests of Agostino and Jarque-Bera, based on the coefficients of asymmetry and flatness accepts readily the assumption of normality with one p-been worth sup 0.1 on the columns, Too one confirmed approached graphically by histogram of frequency in finished by the confidence interval.

It general this study is shown that results by the two estimates theoretical (equation) and graph give good results expressed by the models.

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