

Hierarchical Component Using Reflective-Formative Measurement Model In Partial Least Square Structural Equation Modeling (Pls-Sem)

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ABSTRACT: *In recent years, partial least square structural equation modeling has been enjoyed popularly since the various package for partial least square established. Besides, this method can be known as the the next second generation modeling or soft modeling that can be a great helpful among the researchers and practitioners to accomplish their objective research. In this paper also intend to modeling the second higher order construct (Hierarchical Component) as the advance in partial least structural equation modeling (PLS-SEM) using smartpls which is the newest package. In this application of this method, we can create a higher order construct, in particular, the reseracher should empahsize for many aspect in order to ensure this model is more relevance and significant. Thus, the application using reflective-formative should be carry out in order to obtain the best model. In some instance, the author present the guideline to conduct this analysis with a real example so that the researchers outside will be more understanding and enjoyed for this new application.*

KEYWORDS: *Partial Least Square Structural Equation Modeling, Hierarchical Component Model, Second Order Construct, Reflective-Formative Model, SmartPls*

I. INTRODUCTION

PLS-SEM has been established for a long time ago by Wold (1982), however, this method is not popular as covariance based structural equation modeling (CB-SEM) in which focuses on goodness of fitness to minimize the covariance matrix and estimation matrix (Hair, 2010) earlier 1980. However, CB-SEM has a lot weakness since the reserchers should be ensure the model has achieved requirement before subsequent analysis in the structural model. In this case, the researcher has been spent time to focus on goodness of fit rather than estimation or prediction.

Therefore, the introduction to PLS-SEM is returned now with a great helpful and more user friendly to curb the problem of researchers nowadays. In the accordance with Hair (2010) discover the PLS-SEM is aimed to maximize the explained variance of the endogenous construct (square multiple correlation, R^2) of the endogenous latent construct (dependent).

This application is performed nonparametric analysis in which does not rely on distributional assumption (Chin, 1998). Thus, this method is appropriate for those who have insufficient data, time and others. However, PLS-SEM is does not assume data to be normal even it appropriate for nonparametric. Thus, the bootstrap in smartpls is used to resampling the data until the data meet the result. According to Byrne (2010), bootstrap is an aid for nonparametric data in structural equation modeling.

Hair (2010) listed several advantages for those who apply PLS-SEM:

- Normality of data distribution not assumend normality
- Can be used with fewer indicator (manifest variable)
- Models can be include a larger number of indcator variable
- Preffered alternative with formative construct
- Assumes all measured variance (including error) is useful for explanation/prediction of causal relationship

The result obtained in t-distribution against CB-SEM since this method is performed nonparametric analysis. In addition, the researcher does not have difficult to apply the formative construct in PLS-SEM. Formative construct in CB-SEM is much complicated than PLS-SEM and, of course, PLS-SEM ease the researchers to perform their analysis regarding on their objective research.

II. FORMATIVE AND REFLECTIVE MEASUREMENT MODEL

In the accordance with Hair (2010) explain measurement model is the process of assigning numbers to a variable/construct based on a set of rules that are used to assign the numbers to the variable in a way that accurately represents the variable. Measurement model have two type which is reflective and formative construct. Usually, researchers endorsed to apply reflective construct since it much better to conduct the analysis rather than formative. But PLS-SEM defy this theoretically and they have a chance to perform second higher order construct in structural equation modeling. These two measurement model have various purpose but some researchers still confuse to apply its application. Some of them just assume all the measurement model is reflective construct. Therefore, Ringle (2008) has established one article about the Confirmatory Tetrad Analysis in PLS-SEM (CTA-PLS) to differentiate between reflective and formative construct. In this instance, the reserachers should meet the requirement of the bootstrapping confidence interval, composite reliability and VIF. In this paper intend to address the herarchical component analysis using PLS-SEM type II (Reflective-Formative) model.

Reflective measurement model is a type of measurement model setup in which the direction of the arrow is from the construct to the indicator (manifest variable), indicating the assumption that the construct causes the measurement model (more precisely, the covariation) of the indicator variables (Hair et.al, 2013). Reflective model is performed when the statement is related on the effect of variable. Therefore, the arrow is pointing outward from latent construct imposed on manifest variable.

Formative measurement model is a type of measurement model setup in which the direction of the arrow is from indicator variables to construct, inidcating the assumption that the indicator variable cause the measurement of the construct (Hair, 2013). Formative model is performed when the satement is related on the cause of variable. Therefore, the arrow pointing inward from manifest variable imposed on construct.

In this case, the author intended to apply both measurement models in structural model in order to create a second higher model. A higher model should be taken into account for each releavce and significant, in particular, researcher should be considered to achieve the requirement for reflective and formative construct. Generally, reflective measurement model are widespread and only a small proportion of SEM-based studies have applied for formative measurement model. On the use of reflective measurement model become a normal practice among researchers to examine their relationship between exogenous and endogenous constructs. In particular, reflective measurement model is much ease to handle rather than formative measurement due to the reflective construct is focus on relevance of indictor while formative construct focus on significant of indicators.

III. ASSESSING OF REFLECTIVE MEASUREMENT MODEL

Following the validation guidelines of Straub et al. (2004) and Lewis et. Al (2005), the reflective measurement model should be tested at least unidimensionality procedure, internal consistency reliability, indicator reliability, convergent validity and discriminant validity in order to achieve the fitness of measurement model. Unidimensionality procedure cannot be conducted directly from PLS-PM, but can be assessed by exploratory factor analysis (EFA) that can be installed in various packages such as SPSS, SAS, MINITAB, EViews and others. Unidimensionality is aimed to drop the item that consists less contribution on these factors. Accurately, the procedure for removal items had two types which is multidimensionality and unidimensionality procedure. Both these procedure plays a same vital role to retain the item which are related on the factor though these procedure looks so different to carry out the research. Usually, researchers prefer value below than 0.50 should be drop from the measurement model (Afthanorhan. 2013). However, it depends on researchers to choose which one of the substantive meaningful regarding on their literature review. In this case, the author addressed 0.60 or above of factor loadings to retain in the measurement model.

Once the unidimensionality procedure has achieved, the traditional method which is internal consistency reliability, Cronbach alpha proposed by Nunnally (1978) has been used. As usual, value higher than 0.70 considered as the meausrement model is reliable. But there is an alternative method tu replace the wekaness of cronbach alpha namely composite reliability. Composite reliability is proposed by Nunally and Bernstein (1994) and most of the researchers concurs to indicate this method is much reliable rather than cronbach alpha, since this measure managed to overcome some of cronbach alpaha deficiency.

According to Urbach et. al (2010), indicator reliability describe the extnet to which a variable or set of variables is consistent regarding what it extends to measure. However, in PLS-SEM does not emphasize the purpose of indicator reliability, instead, the significant of indicator can be tested using resampling tecnique such as bootstrapping (Efron 1979) or jackknifing (Miller 1974). There may be various reasons for these requirement not beong fulfilled since the item may ghave influenced by additional factors that can give the untrue estimation. Thus, PLS algorith initiated once more in order to obtain new results.

Convergent validity involves the degree to which individual items reflecting a construct converge in comparison to items measuring different constructs (Urbach et. al, 2010). A common criterion applied to test the convergent validity construct is namely Average Variance Extracted (AVE) proposed by Fornell & Larcker (1981). The formula of AVE is total factor loading power of two divide by number of items consisted. Fornell & Larker suggest the result higher than 0.50 indicate the construct is captured to be explained more than half of the variance of its indicators and thus, demonstrates sufficient convergent validity. In particular, any value in construct below than 0.50 is consists of measurement residual.

Finally, discriminant validity concerns the degree to which the measures of different constructs differs from one another. According to Zainudin (2013), the correlation between exogenous variables (independent) should be below 0.85 to prove the constructs differs contributions. For the first measures, cross loadings are obtained by correlating each latent variable component scores with all the other items (Chin, 1998). Accordingly, the AVE of each latent variable should be greater than the constructs highest square correlation with any other latent variable.

Validity Type	Criterion	Description	Literature
Unidimensionality	Exploratory Factor Analysis (EFA)	The number of selected factors is determined by the numbers of factors with an eigentvalue greater than 1.0.	Gerbing and Anderson (1988)
Internal Consistency Reliability	Cronbach Alpha	Should be greater than 0.70 to achieve the reliable of measurement model	Nunnally (1978)
Internal Consistency Reliability	Composite Reliability	Alternative to Cronbach Alpha that attempt to measure the sum of an LV's factor loadings relative to the sum of the factor loadings plus error variances	Nunnally and Bernstein (1994)
Indicator Reliability	Indicator Loadings	Measures how much of the indicators variance is explained by the corresponding latent variables.	Chin (1998)
Convergent Validity	Average Variance Extracted (AVE)	Proposed threshold value for AVE should be higher than 0.50	Fornell and Larcker (1981)
Discriminant Validity	Fornell-Larcker criterion	The AVE of each latent variable should be greater than the latent variable highest squared correlation with any other latent variable	Fornell and Larcker (1981)

Exhibit 1

IV. ASSESSING OF FORMATIVE MEASUREMENT MODEL

The validation of formative measurement model requires a different approach than the reflective measurement model. Conversely, conventional validity assessments do not apply to formative measurement models, and the concepts of reliability and construct validity are not meaningful when employing such models (Bollen 1984; 1989). According to Ringle et. al (2013), the assessment of the formative constructs convergent validity by examining its correlation with an alternative measures of the constructs, using reflective measures or a global single item. The correlation between the construct should be higher than 0.80.

The collinearity should be considered in formative measurement model in the subsequent analysis. Thus, tolerance represents the amount of variance of one formative indicator not explained by the other indicators in the same block. Each indicator tolerance VIF should be in range between 0.20 and 5.0. Otherwise, obliterate indicators, merging indicators in a single measure, or creating higher order construct to treat collinearity problem. The higher order construct consists of four type that has been suggested by Ringle (2011) as well as Hanseler (2009). In this instance, the author intend to apply second order construct type II or higher component model (HCM) type reflective-formative measurement model.

The prior assessment in higher order construct should be test each indicator's outer weight and outer loadings as well. The resampling technique is used here to assess their significance for each indicator. When indicator weight (factor loading for formative construct) is significant, there is empirical support to retain the indicator. Nevertheless, when an indicators weight is not significant but the corresponding outer loading is significant (factor loading for reflective measurement model > 0.60), the indicator should be retained. In short, if both outer loading and outer weight is non-significant, there is no empirical support to retain the indicators it should be dropped from the model. Apparently, the researchers should illuminate the reasons to retain or delete the indicators by examining its pedagogical theoretical relevance (reflective) and importance (formative) of the same constructs.

If the theory driven conceptualization of the construct strongly supported retaining the indicators, it should be kept in the formative constructs. But, if the conceptualization does not strongly support an indicator inclusion, the insignificant indicator should most likely to be removed (Ringle et. al, 2013). In contrast, if the outer loading is low and non-significant, there is no empirical support to retain the indicator in a model (Cenfetelli & Bassellier, 2009). Therefore, such an indicator should be removed from the formative measurement model to equip their fitness with significant of relevance and importance.

Accordingly, both significant and insignificant formative indicators should be kept in the measurement model as long as this is conceptually justified (Hanseler et al. 2009). Unlike the reflective measurement model that should be achieve their conventional validity. The different criterion for assessing formative construct is summarized in exhibit table below:

Validity Type	Criterion	Description	Literature
Indicator Validity	Indicator weight	The reflective measurement model should be achieve their relevance in which higher than 0.60. Some of the authors also recommend path coefficient (estimation) should be greater than 0.10 or 0.20	Chin (1998b), Lohmöller (1989)
Indicator Validity	Variance Inflation Factor (VIF)	Indicates how much of an indicators variance explained by other influences in a model. Should be higher than 0.20 but lower than 5.0. Otherwise, remove indicator, emerging in single index, or create higher order construct.	Cassel and Hackl (2000), Diamantopoulos and Siguaw (2006), Fornell and Bookstein (1982), Gujarati (2003), Ringle et.al (2013)
Construct Validity	Interconstruct Correlations	If the correlation between construct is below than 0.85 indicates that the constructs is differ sufficient from one another. The differ sufficient provide an importance construct.	Mackenzie et al. (2005), Bruhn et al. (2008)

Exhibit2

V. SINGLE ITEM AND MULTIPLE ITEM MEASURES

Single item is very rarely to be used among researcher when comes to determine the interrelationship between exogenous and endogenous construct. However, single items have practical advantages such as ease of application, brevity, and lower costs associated with their use (Hair et. al, 2013). In CB-SEM application, single item cannot be handling when the reserachers intend to use unidimensionality procedure due the identification problem. Identification issues usually exist when the latent construct consists below four indicators. This is because the data cannot be computed since the lower degree of freedom. Thus, the reserachers figure out another ways to solve this problem. They established pooled confirmatory factor analysis CFA since this application can be handle the construct below than four. But PLS-SEM is much easy to handle since this method can use a single item for estimation. Note that, contrary to commonly held beliefs, single item reliability can be estimated (Loo, 2002; Wanous, Reichers, & Hudy, 1997). Most importantly, from a perspective, opting a single item measures in most empirical settings is a risky decision when it comes to predict vaidity considerations.

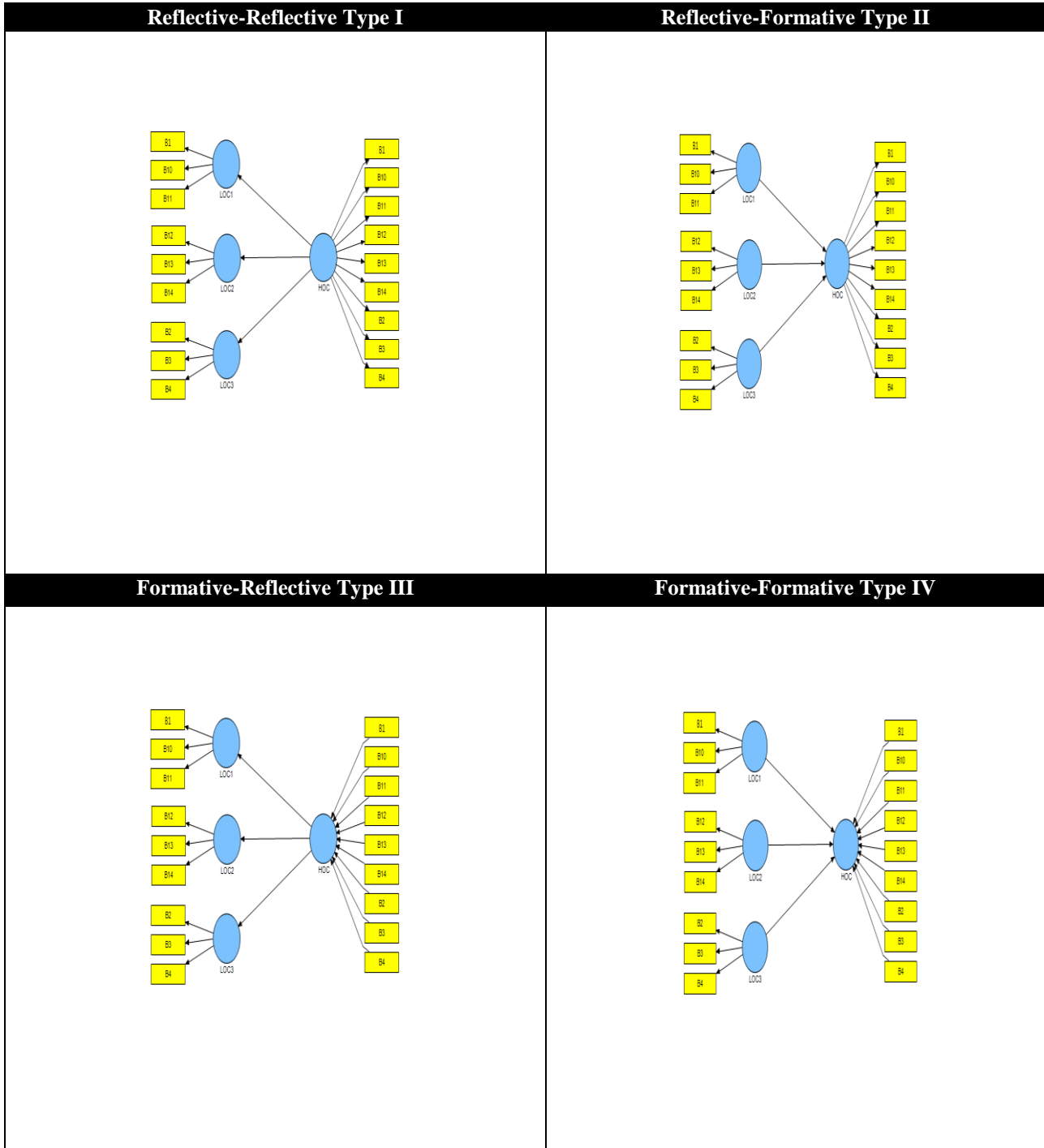
Multiple items measures have been interested among the researchers to analyze their data. They developed the item based on their literature and of course the result obtained would be less decison risk since multiple measure encompasses for whole aspect relevance. Once again CB-SEM present their weakness when this application cannot be handled when items is too many and as usual PLS-SEM is the alternative method to overcome these issues. Therefore, PLS-SEM has been popular lately since this application is user friendly and more understanding.

VI. HIERARCHICAL COMPONENT MODEL USING PLS-SEM IN SMARTPLS 2.0

Hierarchical latent variable models, hierarchical component models, or higher-order constructs, are explicit representations of multidimensional constructs that exist at a higher level of abstraction and are related to other constructs at a similar level of abstraction completely mediating the influence from or to their underlying dimensions (Chin, 1998b). Law et al. (1998, p. 741). Establishing such a higher model component usually called in the context of PLS-SEM (Lohmoller,1989) most often involve testing second oder constructs that contain two layers of constructs.

In generals, hierarchical component model (HCM) is rarely been used since this modeling implement for two stage approach. Two stage approaches is initiated once the researchers apply for formative measurement model. Unfortunately, some of researchers grouse to determine whether their model is appropriate for reflective or formative measurement model. Therefore, Hair (2009) introduce to Confirmatory Tetrad Analysis (CTA-PLS) to guide the researchers differentiate these measurement model. Additionally, there are threefolds for the inclusion of an HCM in PLS-SEM. First, by establishing HCMs, researchers can reduce the number of indicators in a structural model besides making the model more parsiminous and ease to to grasp. Secondly, HCMs prove valuable if the construct are highly correlated. In statistics regression, a highly correlated tends to exist the multicollinearity problem. Thus, the estimation of the structural model may be biased due to the collinearity issue and the conventional validity cannot be feasible. In situations characterized by collinearity among constructs, a second order can remedy such collinearity issues and may solved discriminant validity. Thirdly, establishing of HCMs can also prove valuable if formative indicators exhibit high levels of collinearity. Provided that theory supports this step, researchers can split up the set of indicators and establish separate constructs in a higher order structure (Ringle et. al, 2013). Forth, formative measurement model in PLS-SEM is much ease to handle rather than CB-SEM that can ascertain the researcher to consider for both measurements at one time. Fifth, the result provided also include for formative and reflective mesurement model, thus, the researchers can make a comparison for both measurement. Sixth, modeling hierarchical component model is useful for researchers to reframe the structure model to be more meaningfull besides to address the predicton rather than the process of evaluation in structural model. Sevently, introduction to hierarchical component model proposed by Ringle (2012) in PLS-SEM causes some of the researchers in curious to determine the comparison of these component model, therefore, modeling of HCMs widespread and enjoyed to popularly applied.

HCMs prove as the higher order model since the researchers should ensure all the requirements and evaluation coincide the concept of advance in PLS-SEM. Instead of CB-SEM in which rely on distributional assumption before further the analysis, PLS-SEM is managed to increase the explained total variance in each constructs. Exhibit 3 illustrates the four main types of HCMs discussed in the extant literature (Jarvis et.al, 2003; Wetzels et al.,2009) and used in applications (Ringle, 2012). These types of model have two elements: the Higher Order Component (HOC), which captures the more abstract entity, and the lower order component (LOC) which captures sub-dimensions of the abstract entity. Each of the HCMs types is characterized by different relationship between the HOC and LOCs and construct and their indicators.



Types of Hierarchical Component Model (Ringle et al.,2012)
 Note: LOC = Lower- Order Component; HOC = Higher-Order Component

One of the most applied in structural equation modeling among researchers nowadays is **Reflective-Reflective Measurement Model** known as Second Order Construct Type I. In particular, the causal path of lower-order constructs are imposed on associated of observed variable (item) enclosed in rectangular shapes and at the same time the causal path of higher order constructs is exert on lower order constructs. Lohmoller (1989) calls this type of model 'hierarchical common factor model', where the higher order construct represents the common factor of several specific factors. Unfortunately, Lee & Cadogan (2005) state to deny this theoretical structure model and classify that there is "no such thing" as reflective-reflective heirarchical latent variable model and such a model is "at worst. Misleading, and at a best meaningless".

Second, on the **Reflective-Formative Type II** model as presented in this paper later on with the guidelines given to ascertain researchers outside to practice HCMs in PLS-SEM. In contrast, modeling reflective-formative type II is slightly difference compare to previous HCM, in which the causal path of lower order constructs is exert on higher order construct. In other words, higher order construct is automatically to be formative construct to play a double explanation comprises of reflective and formative measurement model is structural model. According to Chin (1998) clarify the lower-order constructs are selectively measured constructs that do not share a common cause but rather form a general concept that fully mediates the impact on subsequent endogenous variables. Sometimes, these types of hierarchical latent variables are also used to account for the measurement error of the indicators of a "normal" formative construct: the indicators are operationalized as reflective constructs to explicitly model their measurement error (Cadogan and Lee, in press; Edwards, 2001).

Third, in the **Formative-Reflective Type III** model is slightly difference compare to reflective-formative type II as the explanation above. In this instance, a higher construct model will be imposed by each manifest variable (indicators) and at the same time the causal effect from higher order construct exert on lower order construct that comprises of indicator. Of dealing this application should be initiated on VIF to achieve the requirement of formative measurement model. Once finish the initial step, convergent and discriminant validity should be measured as usual upon to modeling the structural model. In addition, Ringle (2011) also proposed of this application so that researcher could examine the difference between reflective-formative and formative-reflective. Different types of model explain the difference purpose of the study.

Lastly, in the **Formative-Formative Type IV** model is the most rare to be implement in the structural model. Of this application is appropriate when both of HCMs and LCM is in the form of formative constructs. Yet, this application renowned as the higher model or two stage approach. If researchers interest to apply of this application, should be illuminate reasons and example of the questionnaire. Thus, the readers will be more understood the purpose of this application.

VII. MEASUREMENT INSTRUMENTS

In this paper provided for five constructs namely motivation, government support, challenge, barrier and benefits that has been validated using the past previous literature. These variables once to outline the level of involvement in voluterism program among youth but now the author intend to address the HCMs in PLS-SEM using these variables as a research subject. The questionnaire has been distributed to five higher education chosen using stratified sampling technique and involving 453 respondents. Generally, questionnaire designed a total of 53 items in each difference variables so that the respondent know the aimed of question given. The likert scale used is from 1 through 5 (1- strongly disagree, 2- disagree, 3- undecided, 4- agree, 5- strongly agree). As usual, the researchers should ensure all the items loading in data set has been standardized (mean = 0, standard deviation =1). If not, the result obtained in confirmatory factor analysis consists of negative value. Means that, the item consists of factor loading do not have the same direction on endogenous variables.

VIII. FIVE VARIABLES

On the use of five variables represent for five measurement models will be apply using PLS-SEM. All of these factors are chosen by the previous literature to examine the level of participation in volunteerism program. Yet, in order to accomplish the objective research to create a higher model, of course, the author deserve to highlight the method of statistical modeling rather than to imply on the prediction of these variables. These five variables included in a structural model will be test to undergone the process of hierarchical component analysis. Theoretical framework is presented as below:

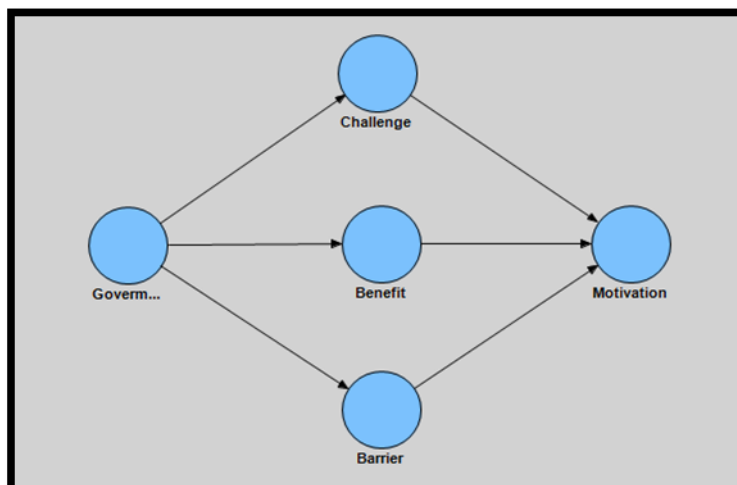


Figure 1

IX. RESULT AND FINDINGS

Previously, the reflective measurement model should be determined to drop the indicator which has less contribution in a model. In particular, this procedure namely unidimensionality or multidimensionality procedure is aimed to drop the indicator (items) below 0.60. Otherwise, indicators should be retained in a model and subsequent analysis will be feasible to create a higher model. Again, a higher order model could be performed when the second order construct employ in a structural model. In this instances, the researchers should ensure all of the factor loadings obtained triumph the same direction and highly significant. Once the multidimensionality procedure has been conducted, the composite reliability, convergent and discriminant validity should be performed. Repeatedly, structural model is inadmissible once reliability and validity fail to meet the requirement since this approach has been acknowledge for all infamous researchers.

The figure 2 presented measurement model for whole construct after having PLS algorithm. PLS algorithm is supportive to provide the factor loading for each manifest variable (indicators) encompasses in each constructs. The value obtained can be seen between manifest variable and latent construct in which upper causal path. By inspecting through the value obtained in structural model, researchers could recognize which value has less factor loading. The lower factor loadings indicate the lower contribution on these factors. Once researchers identify the lowest factor loading (< 0.60), an item should be deleted at once in a time to meet the minimum criterion. Most of the researchers knew the process to conduct multidimensionality procedure but the way they used is still incorrect. To make the better approach in multidimensionality procedure, researchers should drop the lowest factor loading once in a time, and repeat this process untill meet the requirement to achieve upper than 0.60.

In order to avoid from an ambiguity explanation, let see the Figure 2 presented, the first thing is certify all the factor loading having the same direction (all positive value) in each constructs. In this case, the latent (unobserved) construct have four manifest variable (indicators) namely Bar5, Bar6, Bar7, and Bar8 consist in negative value. Means that, these manifest variable should be recoding since having the vice versa direction (e.g: 5 = strongly disagree, 4 = disagree, 3 = undecided, 2 = agree, and 1 = strongly agree) using other application such as SPSS or ther appropriate package. Usually, perceived negative value obtained caused by negative statement in questionnaire provided. Therefore, the author re-do the latent construct for Barrier only and re-run the analysis using PLS algorithm. Finally, the result in confirmatory factor analysis is achieved the same direction (all positive value) and the subsequent analysis to identify the lowest factor loading as the explanation has been given.

The multidimensionality procedure is conducted untill meet the requirement as presented in Figure 3. To be more undoubtedly, researchers outside should be show their step by step before show the final modeling in multidimensionality. In this case, the author skip several step since the current paper is to outline the hierarchical component model (HCM). Thus, the result for confirmatory factor analysis can bee see in "A Comparison of Partial Least Square Structural Equation Modeling and Covariance Based Structural Equation Modeling for Confirmatory Factor Analysis" written by Afthanorhan (2013). This article will guide researchers to apply the confirmatory factor analysis using PLS-SEM and an advantages PLS-SEM in multivariate analysis. Once the reflective measurement achieve the requirement, now author proceeds the formative construct (Figure 4) to equip a second higher order construct (reflective-formative construct).

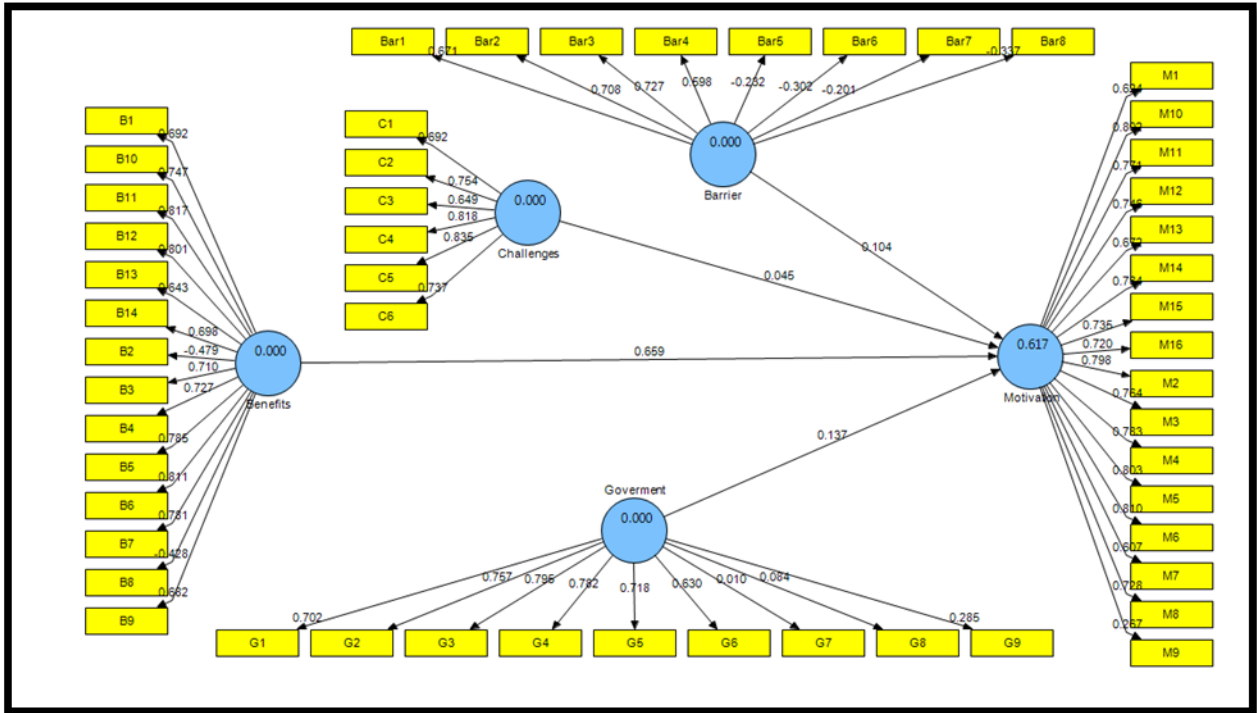


Figure 2

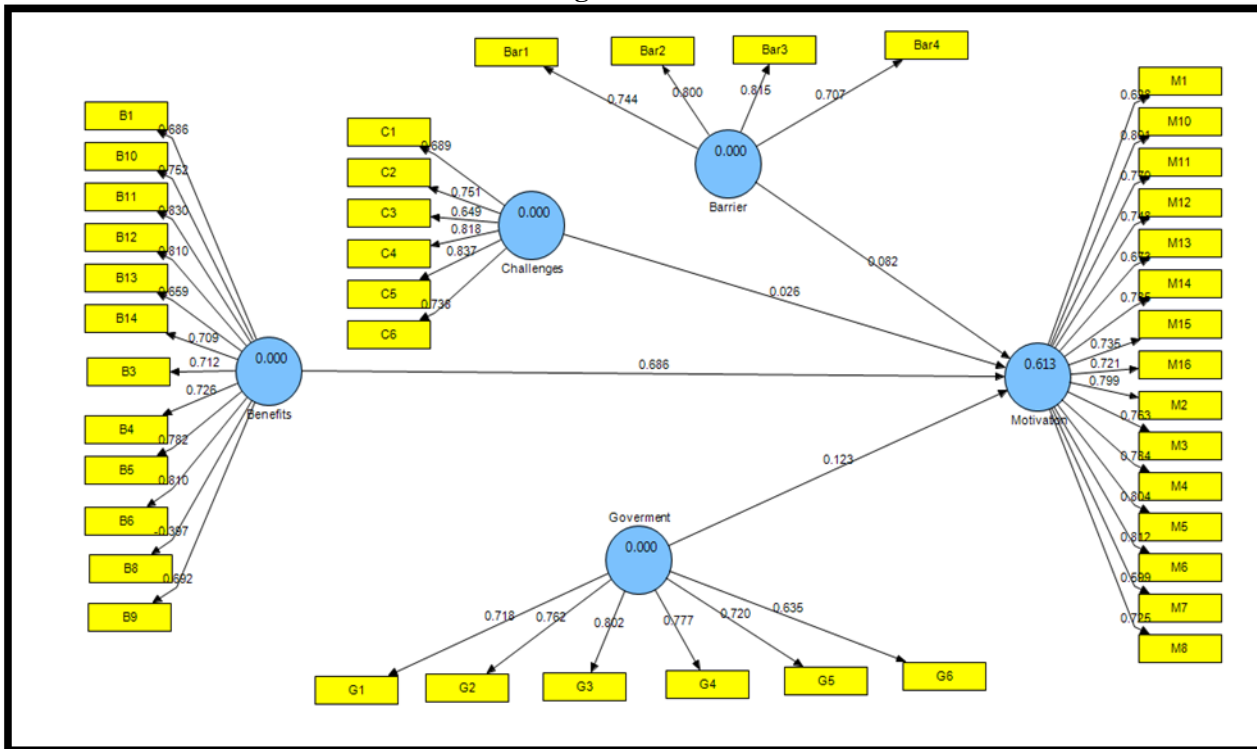


Figure 3

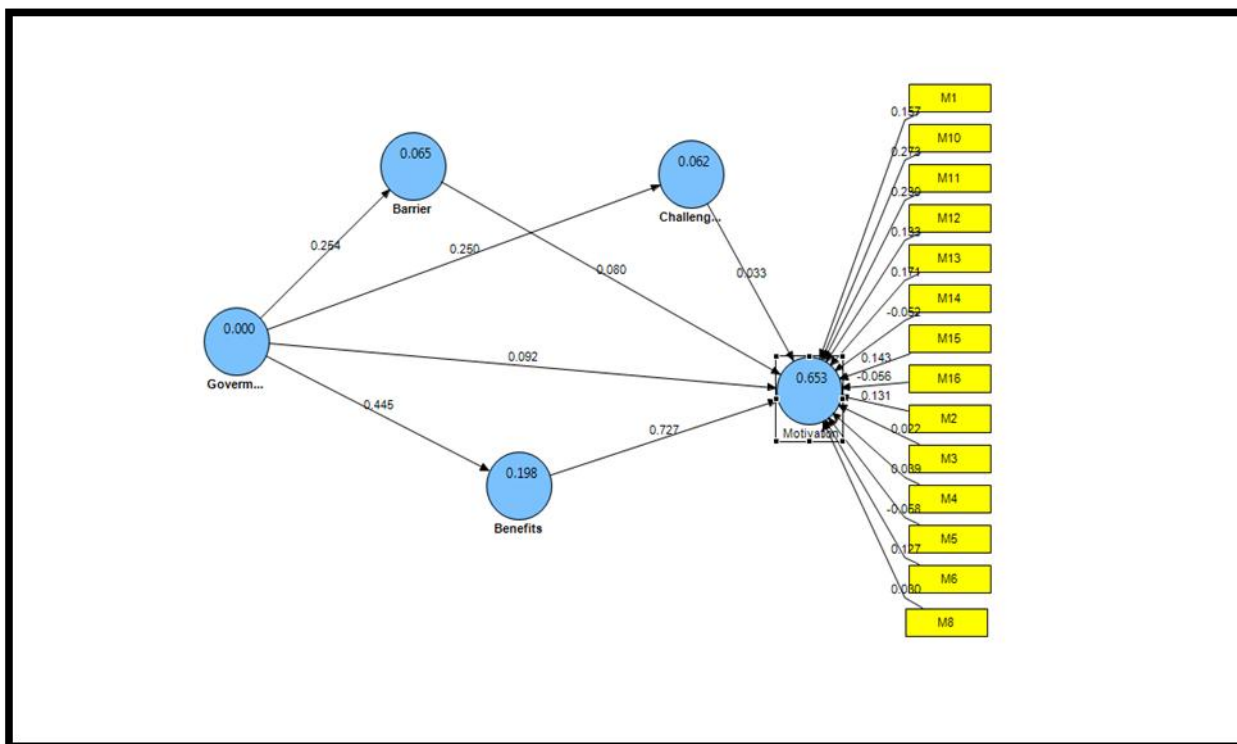


Figure 4

On the subsequent analysis, the formative measurement model will be employ in a structural model coincide the objective research in this presented paper. In this case, endogenous (dependent) variable namely motivation (14 manifest variables) will be transform to formative measurement model. Usually, researchers highlight endogenous construct to be formative construct but they do not have a strong goal to apply this application. Therefore, the author needs to clarify the endogenous constructs is appropriate for formative construct in order to develop a best model regarding on focusing for both measurement model. Formative measurement model in PLS-SEM is much better to handle rather than CB-SEM because the researchers do not need plentiful step to develop formative model. In other words, the usage of PLS-SEM is provided tremendous benefits to all researchers and practitioners recently to apply structural equation modeling in their research. In PLS-SEM using SmartPLS 2.0, the researchers needs to click on invert measurement model to change the direction of causal path from manifest variable inwards to latent construct.

Thus, the value provided between latent constructs and manifest variable in Figure 4 is reformed after re-run the PLS algorithm. The result presented in PLS-SEM is the outcome for formative construct and of course the subsequent analysis to determine the significant value using bootstrapping should be applied. Once the value provided is significant after having bootstrapping technique, the manifest variable should be retained since in conceptually the significant values have effect on the factors. If not, the researchers possible to drop or retain the manifest variable as long the cause (reflective measurement model) meet the requirement. In formative measurement model, the criterion needed is not so simple as reflective measurement model to achieve all reliability and validity, instead, the *in vitro* in flaction (VIF) should be presented to evaluate the best formative measurement model. As recommended by Ringle et. al (2013), VIF from 0.20 through 5.0 indicates the best formative measurement model.

Statement	VIF
I want to learn something new.	1.707
I want to work with people	2.839
I feel it is my duty as a citizen.	2.787
It fulfills my moral principles.	2.969
I see it as the opportunity to make a difference.	3.069
I want to help community.	2.976
I want to improve my resume.	1.781
I want to occupy my free time.	2.158
It is a requirement/expectation by university, faculty, school, religious center or another agency.	1.285
Volunteering is good for my professional development.	2.618
Volunteering gives me the opportunity to make new friends.	2.472
I believe my skills can be useful to the community	2.259
Volunteering is a social stimulation	1.804
I enjoy the volunteer activities	2.612
I want to help my society or close friends	2.119
Volunteerism helps me feel better about myself	2.236

Exhibit 3

As we can see in Exhibit 3, all VIF provided in each manifest variable is achieve the requirement for formative measurement model. Previously, the author outlined the endogenous variables only, thus the result for motivation construct should be adequate to subsequent analysis on herarchical component analysis. VIF can be analyzed using various packages such as SPSS, Eviews, Minitab and others. In this case, the author using SPSS to obtain the collinearity statistics for motivation constructs in order to achieve the criterion for formative construct. On focusing of hierarchical component analysis, all manifest variable enclosed in rectangular associated in motivation construct will be condensed to 7 newly latent constructs. In other words, the manifest variable provided initial of 14 items will be divided into each established latent constructs (e.g: M1 and M10 = MA, M11 and M12 = MB, M13 and M14 = MC and so forth). The establishing new latent construct can help the researcher grasp a result and elude confused in a structural model. Additionally, all the established new latent construct should be pointing on motivation construct (endogenous) while other all manifest variable enclosed in rectangular pattern should be hide in measurement model (motivation) so that the modeling of second order higher construct will be more clearly and orderly. Once again PLS-SEM show the powerful analysis when this application managed to hide the manifest variable in the construct as presented in Figure 5.

Once the setup of model has been complete, as usual researchers should re-run the analysis using PLS algorithm and bootstrapping technique to provide the t-studentized. A t-test is useful for researchers to determine the research hypothesis regarding on family wise error rate (alpha). Basically, value higher than 1.96 suppose to be significant and otherwise nonsignificant. However, the explained variance enclosed in motivation construct show 1.00 of total variation. Means that, the total variation that has been explained from other construct which is endogenous construct is approximately 100 percent. The result obtained is overestimated when apply this application. In order to deter numerous of newly latent construct existed the author suggest to use single index or single observed variable that can be provided in latent variable score in PLS-SEM using smartpls. In the context to create a higher model without overestimated explained variance as well as reduce latent construct, a single measure should be employed. On the use of single measure, researchers should copy paste the result of latent variable score obtained from default report into spreadsheet Microsoft Excel. Of checking through the value, the product for newly latent variable also given with the t-test. Derived from that result, the author deleted all the manifest variable and newly latent construct so that we can focus on single variable. The example result of latent variable score can be seen in Exhibit 4 in which in originals, the result obtained should be abundant of data set but in order to illuminate the explanation transparent, the author present just a little bit of an example.

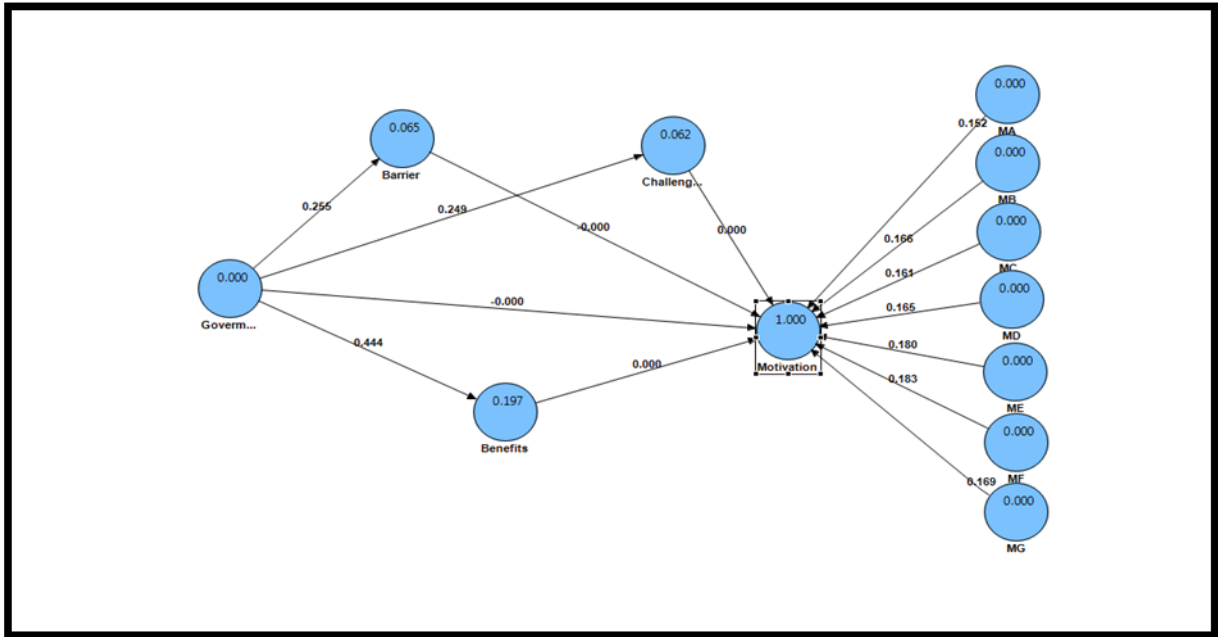


Figure 5

0.3002	-0.2203	1.8848	0.1549	-0.3678	-0.1003
0.6967	-0.2219	0.6658	0.7362	-0.3678	-0.5203
0.3002	0.9345	0.6658	0.1549	0.312	0.4847
-0.0436	0.7945	-0.1982	1.3689	1.0028	1.2464
-0.6848	0.9121	-0.9482	-1.9017	0.323	0.0348
-0.3244	0.5105	0.6019	0.8031	-1.0586	0.2743
1.7075	0.8044	1.5547	-0.4353	1.0028	1.1444
-1.1071	0.2507	0.2553	-1.615	0.312	0.9087
0.3002	1.0514	-0.1591	1.3689	0.323	0.4709

Exhibit 4

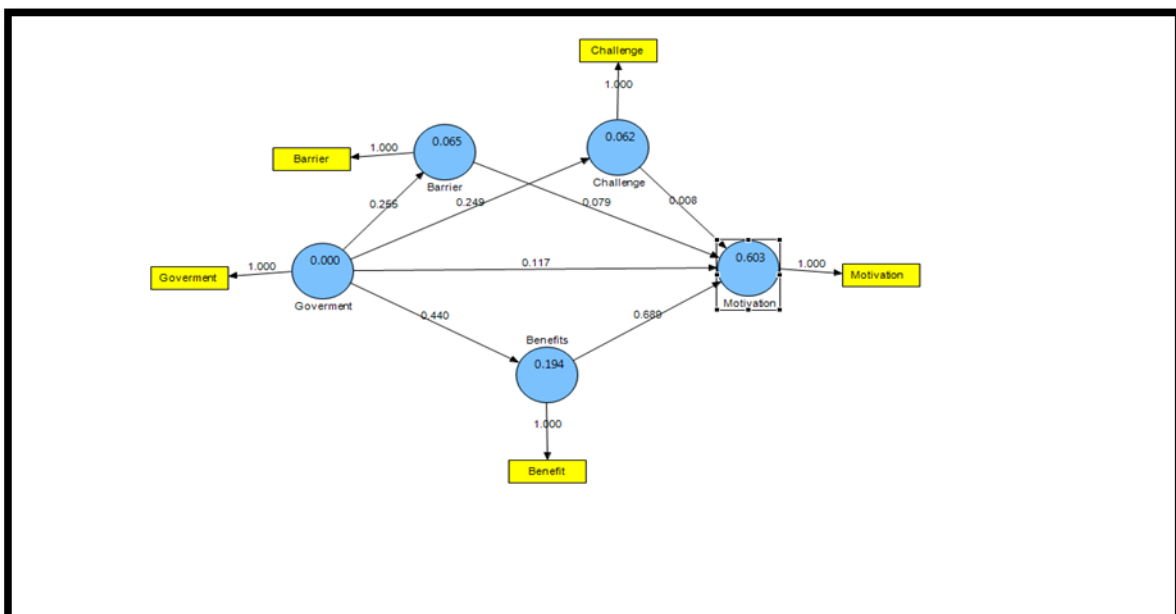


Figure 6

Using on the same structural model, the researchers should create a new project in Smartpls to use a new data set that will be implement in the structural model. As mention earlier, the author intend to use the single measurement index in a structural model, of course, the researchers should re-do the analysis using new indicator provided from new data set. In shortly, latent variable score mainly from Exhibit 6 will be implementing in Figure 6. Now, lets examine the explained variance in endogenous constructs namely motivation, variance is totally difference rather than previous one in particular (Figure 5 = 1.000 to Figure 6 = 0.603) plus can be proved that the single measurement indicator also can be helpful in data analysis. Yet, analysis on hierarchical component analysis should not be stopped here since the author intend to address the most significant impact using five variables in partial least square. In social science, significant impact between construct is prior to determine positive relationship, negative relationship as well as the impact of research applied using statistical methods.

Therefore, the author present the results of path coefficient between endogenous (dependent) and exogenous (independent) variables similar to the objective research. As usual, bootstrapping technique should be applied to indicate the significant path. Indeed, PLS-SEM is using non-parametric method in structural equation modeling but Smartpls is developed not to to assume the data set to be normal. Thus, the resampling technique (bootstrapping) is useful for any researchers that not achieved any requirement provided in CB-SEM. According to Byrne (2010) discover bootstrap is an aid technique for non-normal data and can be a great helpful for those who not achieve the normality procedure. In this case, the author adjust the cases to be 453 in which should be valid to evade the significant result are sistematically biased. Besides, using 5,000 bootstrap samples are recommended in Smartpls. In the accordance with Ringle et. al (2013) claims this distribution (5,000 samples) is possible to determine the standard error and standard deviation of the estimated coefficient.

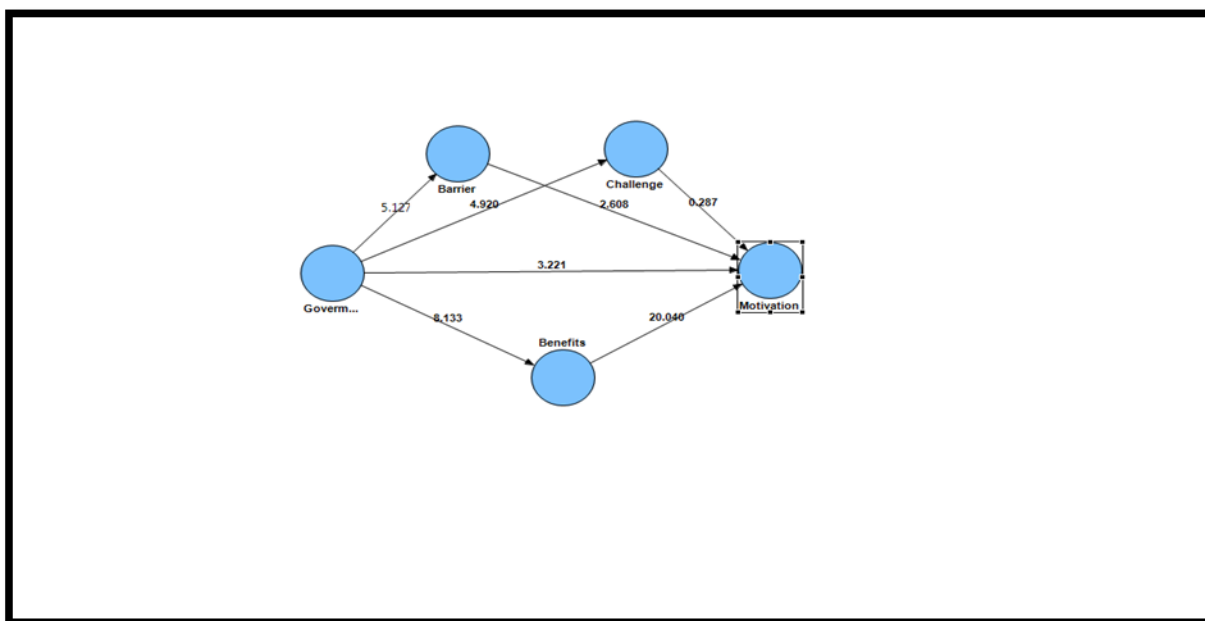


Figure 7

	Original Sample (O)	Sample Mean (M)	Standard Deviation (STDEV)	Standard Error (STERR)	T Statistics (O/STERR)
Barrier -> Motivation	0.0787	0.0802	0.0302	0.0302	2.6077
Benefits -> Motivation	0.6887	0.6854	0.0344	0.0344	20.0396
Challenge -> Motivation	0.0084	0.0033	0.0292	0.0292	0.2871
Government -> Barrier	0.2548	0.2583	0.0497	0.0497	5.1266
Government -> Benefits	0.44	0.4424	0.0541	0.0541	8.1333
Government -> Challenge	0.2495	0.2546	0.0507	0.0507	4.9202
Government -> Motivation	0.1172	0.1208	0.0364	0.0364	3.2209

Exhibit 5

Figure 7 and Exhibit 5 display the final model of hierarchical component analysis through PLS algorithm and bootstrapping technique. By inspecting through t-statistics at the last column in Exhibit 7, almost latent construct indicates have significant impact on each other unless one pair construct which is construct of challenge and motivation. With the accordance of Hair et. al (2010) uncover any value in t-test should be higher than 1.96 ($\alpha < 0.05$) indicates achieved significant level (95% confidence interval). Otherwise should be classify as insignificant or nonimpact occurs.

The first things is the researchers should identify whether the constructs is in positive or negative relationships, afterwards uncover the most contribution factors triggered on this research. In this instances, all of the variables include in a structural model are positive relationship, means that the direction of respondent towards these factors are positive. Mean while, indirect factors involving benefits, barrier and challenges on motivation revealed that benefits factor is the most crucial towards voluteerism program. In conceptually, benefits construct is plausible to consider as the most contribute parallel to the past research. In perpendicular, indirect effect of challenge on motivation (dependent) is perceived insignificant impact. For some instance, challenge factor does not give significant impact on motivation, means that the existence of this factor is failed to provide a significant impact towards this reserach subject. Of standard deviation and standard error is a similar perspective because both parameter is drawn from sample in population. Likewise, standard errors that are extremely large indicate parameters that cannot be determined (Joreskog & Sorbom, 1993). Because standard error are influenced by the units of measurement in observed and/ or latent variables, as well as the magnitude of the parameter estimate itself, no definitive criteria of small and large have been established (Joreskog & Sorbom, 1989).

In this instance, model estimation provided on the basis of PLS algorithm and bootstrapping sampling are helpful to minimize standard error and deviation in the model. Standard error reflects the precision with which a parameter has been estimated, with a small values suggesting accurate estimation. Nevertheless, most researchers do not emphasize this issue on their report because the aimed of the research is to evaluate and provide a good precision using a particular step approach.

X. CONCLUSION AND RECOMMENDATION

For some instances, as usual, one conclusion should be made regarding on our analysis so that the readers will discern our contribution for this research. A second order construct can be known as two stage approach once the implementation of formative measurement model in a structural model. In this instance, we should ensure all the outer loadings and outer weights meet the requirement based on our literature previous. Afterwards, establish several latent constructs rely on a total of items included. In this case, the author employed two items from the origin model into each new latent constructs. In order to solve the total variation in each endogenous construct especially of motivation construct (1.00), a subsequent analysis is perceived using latent variable scores to let the researcher to report a single index/ single item to be implement in a new structural model. To date, an objective research of this paper to highlight the guidelines for researchers to apply hierarchical component analysis is managed.

For drawing the conclusion on prediction of these variables in a structural model parallel in the nature of social sciences, benefits variable is a most meaningful to impact on motivation variables in presented results. Therefore, one perspective can be drawn that a second order construct is not just a powerful in modeling of PLS-SEM but tends to produce a true estimation in which remedy the standard error acquired in multivariate analysis. Last but not least, one of the suggestion through walk of the PLS-SEM for didactic as well as space reasons, goodness of fit statistics should be provided to measure to what extent the fitness of measurement and structural model in the analysis. Otherwise, the commentary for some researchers to execute this application will be constantly in negative view due to the weakness of evaluation method.

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APPENDIX 1

	Original Sample (O)	Sample Mean (M)	Standard Deviation (STDEV)	Standard Error (STERR)	T Statistics (O/STERR)
B1 <- Benefits	0.6837	0.6833	0.0392	0.0392	17.4292
B10 <- Benefits	0.7566	0.755	0.0328	0.0328	23.0647
B11 <- Benefits	0.8364	0.8345	0.0173	0.0173	48.3933
B12 <- Benefits	0.8127	0.8119	0.0219	0.0219	37.0319
B13 <- Benefits	0.6638	0.6618	0.0431	0.0431	15.4074
B14 <- Benefits	0.7073	0.7059	0.0305	0.0305	23.17
B3 <- Benefits	0.7082	0.707	0.0328	0.0328	21.6132
B4 <- Benefits	0.7224	0.7224	0.0318	0.0318	22.7072
B5 <- Benefits	0.7845	0.7822	0.0283	0.0283	27.7529
B6 <- Benefits	0.8121	0.8107	0.0218	0.0218	37.1688
B9 <- Benefits	0.6926	0.6904	0.0322	0.0322	21.5081
Bar1 <- Barrier	0.7387	0.7374	0.0418	0.0418	17.6608
Bar2 <- Barrier	0.8084	0.8081	0.0316	0.0316	25.6176
Bar3 <- Barrier	0.8134	0.8125	0.028	0.028	29.0495
Bar4 <- Barrier	0.7045	0.7085	0.0396	0.0396	17.7863
C1 <- Challenges	0.7066	0.7023	0.0406	0.0406	17.4086
C2 <- Challenges	0.7785	0.7701	0.0407	0.0407	19.1286
C3 <- Challenges	0.6519	0.6505	0.046	0.046	14.1763
C4 <- Challenges	0.8208	0.82	0.0212	0.0212	38.7346
C5 <- Challenges	0.8252	0.8258	0.0219	0.0219	37.6045
C6 <- Challenges	0.721	0.7169	0.038	0.038	18.9626
G1 <- Government	0.6948	0.6953	0.0292	0.0292	23.7837
G2 <- Government	0.7621	0.7618	0.0221	0.0221	34.473
G3 <- Government	0.806	0.8045	0.0205	0.0205	39.2363
G4 <- Government	0.7848	0.7842	0.0239	0.0239	32.7857
G5 <- Government	0.7325	0.7293	0.0375	0.0375	19.5188
G6 <- Government	0.6441	0.6396	0.0394	0.0394	16.363
M1 <- Motivation	0.6275	0.6269	0.0451	0.0451	13.9132
M1 <- MA	0.8097	0.8076	0.0303	0.0303	26.7307
M10 <- Motivation	0.7967	0.7969	0.0216	0.0216	36.851
M10 <- MA	0.8868	0.8875	0.0098	0.0098	90.0884
M11 <- Motivation	0.7596	0.7587	0.0252	0.0252	30.1415
M11 <- MB	0.8815	0.8803	0.0123	0.0123	71.9541
M12 <- Motivation	0.7492	0.7485	0.0259	0.0259	28.9174
M12 <- MB	0.878	0.8767	0.0136	0.0136	64.4664
M13 <- Motivation	0.6703	0.6688	0.0405	0.0405	16.5424
M13 <- MC	0.86	0.8585	0.0208	0.0208	41.3667
M14 <- Motivation	0.7928	0.7933	0.0207	0.0207	38.2123
M14 <- MC	0.9022	0.9027	0.0084	0.0084	107.6362
M15 <- Motivation	0.7363	0.7373	0.0352	0.0352	20.8984
M15 <- MD	0.9042	0.9035	0.0109	0.0109	82.8651
M16 <- Motivation	0.7272	0.7268	0.0317	0.0317	22.9329
M16 <- MD	0.9017	0.9004	0.0128	0.0128	70.1849
M2 <- Motivation	0.8008	0.8006	0.0199	0.0199	40.2724
M2 <- ME	0.9214	0.922	0.008	0.008	115.5085
M3 <- Motivation	0.7691	0.7714	0.0255	0.0255	30.1313
M3 <- ME	0.9145	0.9154	0.0112	0.0112	81.7542
M4 <- Motivation	0.7942	0.795	0.0208	0.0208	38.1864
M4 <- MF	0.9163	0.9164	0.0103	0.0103	89.2844
M5 <- Motivation	0.8052	0.8045	0.0198	0.0198	40.6981
M5 <- MF	0.9187	0.9184	0.0104	0.0104	88.4316
M6 <- Motivation	0.8171	0.8188	0.0201	0.0201	40.6202
M6 <- MG	0.8966	0.8972	0.0098	0.0098	91.66
M8 <- Motivation	0.7203	0.7179	0.0284	0.0284	25.3847
M8 <- MG	0.8647	0.8632	0.017	0.017	50.9954

I. APPENDIX 2

	Original Sample (O)	Sample Mean (M)	Standard Deviation (STDEV)	Standard Error (STERR)	T Statistics (O/STERR)
B1 <- Benefits	0.1221	0.1229	0.0082	0.0082	14.9314
B10 <- Benefits	0.1233	0.1232	0.0069	0.0069	17.8818
B11 <- Benefits	0.1257	0.1254	0.0057	0.0057	21.9852
B12 <- Benefits	0.1224	0.1227	0.0054	0.0054	22.8467
B13 <- Benefits	0.0987	0.0986	0.0075	0.0075	13.1601
B14 <- Benefits	0.1539	0.1541	0.0095	0.0095	16.2673
B3 <- Benefits	0.1087	0.1088	0.0064	0.0064	17.0276
B4 <- Benefits	0.1154	0.1157	0.0068	0.0068	17.015
B5 <- Benefits	0.122	0.1223	0.0067	0.0067	18.194
B6 <- Benefits	0.1279	0.1281	0.0058	0.0058	21.9589
B9 <- Benefits	0.122	0.1221	0.0068	0.0068	17.8339
Bar1 <- Barrier	0.3152	0.3123	0.0415	0.0415	7.6027
Bar2 <- Barrier	0.3439	0.3412	0.0345	0.0345	9.9738
Bar3 <- Barrier	0.2925	0.2913	0.0325	0.0325	8.9939
Bar4 <- Barrier	0.3567	0.3571	0.0568	0.0568	6.2781
C1 <- Challenges	0.2111	0.2102	0.0358	0.0358	5.8973
C2 <- Challenges	0.1343	0.1294	0.042	0.042	3.1944
C3 <- Challenges	0.1582	0.158	0.0386	0.0386	4.0936
C4 <- Challenges	0.2706	0.2718	0.0356	0.0356	7.6071
C5 <- Challenges	0.3147	0.3183	0.0382	0.0382	8.2445
C6 <- Challenges	0.2239	0.2221	0.0415	0.0415	5.3959
G1 <- Government	0.2622	0.2633	0.0275	0.0275	9.5362
G2 <- Government	0.2516	0.2528	0.02	0.02	12.565
G3 <- Government	0.2444	0.2448	0.0159	0.0159	15.3837
G4 <- Government	0.2644	0.2639	0.018	0.018	14.7057
G5 <- Government	0.1945	0.1937	0.0189	0.0189	10.2687
G6 <- Government	0.1229	0.1212	0.0249	0.0249	4.9331
M1 <- Motivation	0.0783	0.0781	0.005	0.005	15.7978
M1 <- MA	0.5167	0.5157	0.018	0.018	28.6383
M10 <- Motivation	0.0994	0.0994	0.003	0.003	33.1169
M10 <- MA	0.6559	0.6572	0.0284	0.0284	23.0902
M11 <- Motivation	0.0948	0.0946	0.0027	0.0027	34.9608
M11 <- MB	0.5722	0.5731	0.0135	0.0135	42.318
M12 <- Motivation	0.0935	0.0933	0.003	0.003	30.7185
M12 <- MB	0.5645	0.5653	0.012	0.012	47.0645
M13 <- Motivation	0.0836	0.0834	0.0046	0.0046	18.0642
M13 <- MC	0.5189	0.5178	0.0153	0.0153	34.0084
M14 <- Motivation	0.0989	0.0989	0.0032	0.0032	30.6576
M14 <- MC	0.6138	0.6152	0.0228	0.0228	26.9504
M15 <- Motivation	0.0919	0.0919	0.0039	0.0039	23.3464
M15 <- MD	0.5572	0.5583	0.0148	0.0148	37.656
M16 <- Motivation	0.0907	0.0906	0.0038	0.0038	24.0964
M16 <- MD	0.5503	0.5504	0.0126	0.0126	43.7935
M2 <- Motivation	0.0999	0.0998	0.0028	0.0028	36.2426
M2 <- ME	0.5556	0.5544	0.0131	0.0131	42.3634
M3 <- Motivation	0.096	0.0962	0.0035	0.0035	27.2471
M3 <- ME	0.5336	0.534	0.0092	0.0092	57.7553
M4 <- Motivation	0.0991	0.0992	0.0032	0.0032	31.1834
M4 <- MF	0.5412	0.5418	0.0102	0.0102	53.3109
M5 <- Motivation	0.1005	0.1003	0.0031	0.0031	32.1663
M5 <- MF	0.5487	0.5483	0.0095	0.0095	57.8436
M6 <- Motivation	0.102	0.1021	0.0036	0.0036	28.5535
M6 <- MG	0.6028	0.6048	0.0171	0.0171	35.3526
M8 <- Motivation	0.0899	0.0895	0.0033	0.0033	26.8922
M8 <- MG	0.5314	0.5299	0.0124	0.0124	42.7398