

# Machine Learning Engineer Assignment

## Objective

The goal of this assignment is to evaluate your technical skills, problem-solving abilities, and understanding of machine learning concepts, particularly in the financial domain.

## Task Description

You are required to develop a predictive model for forecasting stock price movements using historical financial data. The task includes data preprocessing, feature engineering, model development, and performance evaluation.

## Requirements

### 1. Data:

- Use publicly available stock market data (e.g., Yahoo Finance, Alpha Vantage API, or Kaggle datasets).
- Include at least the following features: Open, High, Low, Close, Volume.

### 2. Feature Engineering:

- Incorporate technical indicators such as RSI, MACD, and Bollinger Bands into your feature set.
- Add additional features that you believe could improve model performance.

### 3. Model Development:

- Choose an appropriate predictive modeling approach (e.g., regression, LSTM, or another deep learning model).
- Train the model to predict the next day's closing price of a stock.

### 4. Evaluation:

- Use appropriate evaluation metrics (e.g., RMSE, MAPE, or R-squared) to assess your model's performance.
- Provide a detailed explanation of why you selected the chosen metric(s).

### 5. Documentation:

- Prepare a concise report explaining:
  - The steps you followed in data preprocessing.
  - The technical indicators and features you used, with reasons for their inclusion.
  - The model selection process, including hyperparameter tuning.
  - The evaluation results and any insights from your analysis.
- The report should be written in Markdown or PDF format.

### 6. Code:

- Provide clean, well-documented Python code.
- Use libraries like Pandas, Scikit-learn, TensorFlow/PyTorch, or similar

frameworks.

- Ensure your code is modular and easy to follow.

### **Submission Guidelines**

- Email your code as a GitHub repository link to [hr@dataguess.com](mailto:hr@dataguess.com) with the subject "Machine Learning Engineer Position Assignment Done".
- The repository should include the following:
  1. A `README.md` file explaining how to run the code and any dependencies.
  2. The data preprocessing, feature engineering, and model development scripts.
  3. The evaluation report in Markdown or PDF format.

### **Deadline**

- You must complete and submit the task within 14 days of receiving it.

### **Evaluation Criteria**

- Data preprocessing and feature engineering quality.
- Model selection and performance.
- Code readability and documentation.
- Analytical thinking and explanation in the report.