ABSTRACT

The stock market is a complex and dynamic environment that involves numerous factors and unpredictable fluctuations. Accurate prediction of stock prices has always been a challenging task for investors and traders. In recent years, deep learning techniques, such as Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) algorithms, have shown great potential in modeling and forecasting time series data, including stock market prices.

This project aims to develop a stock market prediction model using LSTM, leveraging historical stock price data and relevant financial indicators. The LSTM algorithm is well-suited for capturing temporal dependencies and long-term patterns within the data, making it a suitable choice for time series forecasting.

The project follows a data-driven approach, where a comprehensive dataset consisting of historical stock prices, trading volumes, news sentiment, and other relevant factors is collected and preprocessed. The LSTM model is then trained on this dataset, utilizing its ability to learn from sequential data and capture hidden patterns.

To evaluate the performance of the LSTM-based stock market prediction model, various evaluation metrics, such as mean squared error (MSE), mean absolute error (MAE), and accuracy, are employed. The model's effectiveness is compared against baseline models, such as autoregressive integrated moving averages (ARIMA), to assess its superiority in capturing the complexities of the stock market.

The experimental results demonstrate the LSTM model's capability to accurately forecast stock prices over different time horizons. The proposed approach not only provides valuable insights into short-term price movements but also aids in long-term investment decision-making.

Furthermore, the project investigates the impact of incorporating additional features, such as social media sentiment analysis and macroeconomic indicators, on prediction accuracy.

In conclusion, this project showcases the potential of LSTM algorithms in stock market prediction. By leveraging deep learning techniques and comprehensive datasets, investors and traders can gain a competitive edge by making informed decisions based on reliable predictions of stock prices.

The findings from this project contribute to the growing field of financial forecasting and pave the way for further research and advancements in stock market prediction using deep learning algorithms.

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ABBREVIATIONS

LSTM	Long Short Term Memory Algorithm
RNN	Recurrent Neural Network
CNN	Convolutional Neural Network
SVR	Support Vector Regression

CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

The stock market is a highly complex and dynamic system that is influenced by a wide range of factors such as economic conditions, company performance, political events, and global trends. Accurately predicting the future prices of stocks is a challenging task that has significant implications for investors, traders, financial institutions, and regulatory bodies.

The use of machine learning algorithms and artificial intelligence techniques in financial markets has increased significantly in recent years, providing new opportunities to predict stock prices more accurately.

The project "Stock Market Prediction using LSTM" aims to leverage the power of machine learning algorithms to predict the stock prices of a particular company using the Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) neural network algorithm.

The LSTM algorithm is an advanced variant of recurrent neural networks (RNNs) that can capture the temporal dependencies and patterns of time-series data, making it ideal for predicting stock prices.

The project involves several steps, including data preprocessing, feature extraction, and the training of the LSTM model using historical stock market data. The performance of the LSTM model will be evaluated using various metrics, and the results will be compared with other popular machine learning algorithms used in stock market prediction.

The project has significant implications for investors and traders who are always seeking new ways to make informed decisions based on accurate and reliable data. By predicting future stock prices, the project can provide valuable insights that can aid in investment decision-making and reduce the risks associated with stock market investments.

Furthermore, the project can help financial institutions and regulatory bodies in analyzing market trends and predict future market behavior, which can aid in making critical policy decisions.

In conclusion, the project "Stock Market Prediction using LSTM" is an exciting and innovative approach to stock market prediction that has significant implications for the financial industry.

By utilizing machine learning algorithms and advanced data analysis techniques, the project can provide valuable insights that can aid investors, traders, financial institutions, and regulatory bodies in making informed decisions based on accurate and reliable data.

CHAPTER 2

LITERATURE SURVEY

The field of stock market prediction using machine learning algorithms has seen significant growth in recent years. Numerous studies have focused on the use of various machine learning algorithms for stock market prediction, including neural networks, decision trees, support vector machines, and time series analysis.

In this literature survey, we review the most significant studies related to the prediction of stock prices using machine learning algorithms.

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2.1 LIMITATIONS

1. Vanishing gradients - {6}

2. Overfitting - {4}

3. Feature selection bias - {5}
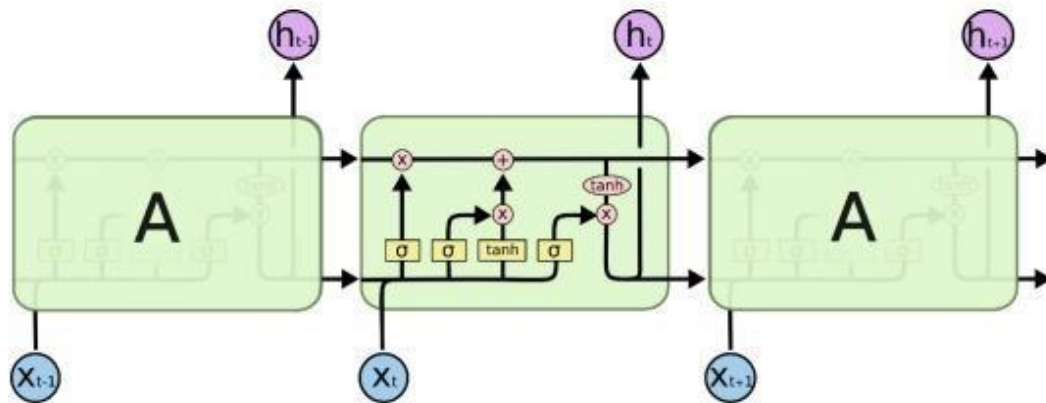
4. Limited ability to handle sudden changes - {1}

CHAPTER 3

SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE AND DESIGN
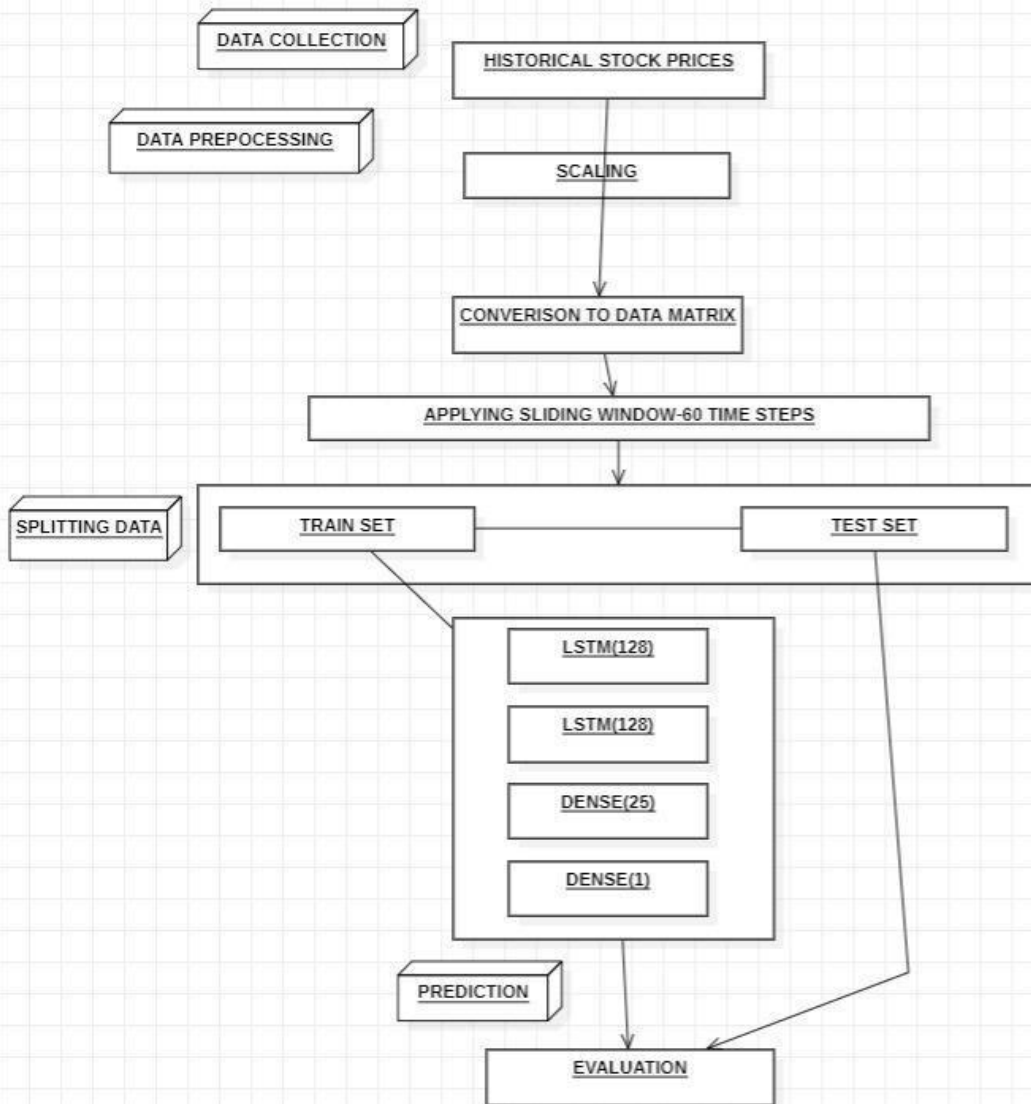
LSTM ARCHITECTURE AND DESIGN

LSTM Architecture

LSTM (Long Short-Term Memory) is a type of neural network architecture that can effectively capture long-term dependencies in sequential data. It consists of memory cells, input gates, forget gates and output gates.

Memory cells store information over time, input gates control which parts of the input are stored in the memory, forget gates determine which information is discarded from the memory, and output gates regulate the output of the memory cells.

LSTMs can learn and retain information for an extended period, making them suitable for tasks like stock market prediction or natural language processing.

CHAPTER 4

METHODOLOGY

The methodology for a "Stock Market Prediction using LSTM" project can be divided into the following steps:

1.   Data collection: Collect the historical stock price data for the specific company or index you are interested in. You can obtain this data from various sources, such as Yahoo Finance, Google Finance, or Bloomberg

2.   Data preprocessing: Clean the data by removing missing values, outliers, and noise. Convert the data into a suitable format for input to the LSTM model, such as time-series data.

3.   Feature engineering: Create features from the stock price data that may help the LSTM model to learn patterns and make accurate predictions. For example, you could compute technical indicators such as moving averages, Bollinger bands, or the Relative Strength Index (RSI).

4.   LSTM model creation: Create an LSTM model using a deep learning framework such as Keras or TensorFlow. The model should input the preprocessed data and features and output a predicted stock price.

5.   Model training: Train the LSTM model on the historical data using techniques such as backpropagation and gradient descent. Optimize the hyperparameters of the model, such as the learning rate, batch size, and number of epochs.

6.   Model evaluation: Evaluate the performance of the LSTM model on a test set of data that the model has not seen before. Calculate metrics such as mean absolute error (MAE), mean squared error (MSE), and root mean squared error (RMSE) to assess the accuracy of the model.

7.   Prediction: Use the trained LSTM model to make predictions on new data, such as the next day's stock price.

8.   Visualization: Visualize the predicted results and compare them with the actual stock prices to analyze the model's accuracy.

9.   Conclusion: Summarize the findings of the project and discuss the limitations and potential applications of the LSTM model for stock market prediction.

CHAPTER 5

CODING AND TESTING

Importing all the required Libraries

```
import pandas as pd import
datetime as dt from datetime
import date import
matplotlib.pyplot as plt import
yfinance as yf import numpy as
np import tensorflow as tf
```

Define the start day to fetch the dataset from the Yahoo finance library

```python
START = "2010-01-01"
TODAY = date.today().strftime("%Y-%m-%d")

# Define a function to load the dataset

def load_data(ticker):
    data = yf.download(ticker, START, TODAY)
    data.reset_index(inplace=True)
    return data


data = load_data('TCS.NS')
df=data
df.head()
```

Drop unwanted columns

```python
df = df.drop(['Date', 'Adj Close'], axis = 1)
df.head()
```

Visualizing th close price of apple stocks

```python
plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))

plt.plot(df['Close'])

plt.title("TCS Stock Price")

plt.xlabel("Date")

plt.ylabel("Price (USD)")

plt.grid(True)

plt.show()
```

Plotting moving averages of 100-day

```python
ma100 = df.Close.rolling(100).mean()
ma100


plt.figure(figsize = (12,6))
plt.plot(df.Close)
plt.plot(ma100, 'r')
plt.title('Graph Of Moving Averages Of 100 Days')
```

Defining 200 days moving averages and plotting comparison graph with 100 days moving averages

```python
ma200 = df.Close.rolling(200).mean()
ma200


plt.figure(figsize = (12,6))
plt.plot(df.Close)
plt.plot(ma100, 'r')
plt.plot(ma200, 'g')
plt.title('Comparison Of 100 Days And 200 Days Moving Averages')

df.shape
```

Splitting the dataset into training (70%) and testing (30%) set

```python
# Splitting data into training and testing

train = pd.DataFrame(data[0:int(len(data)*0.70)]) test
= pd.DataFrame(data[int(len(data)*0.70):
int(len(data))]) print(train.shape)
print(test.shape)
```

```python
train.head()



test.head()
```

Using MinMax scaler for normalization of the dataset

```python
from sklearn.preprocessing import MinMaxScaler
scaler = MinMaxScaler(feature_range=(0,1))




train_close = train.iloc[:, 4:5].values
test_close = test.iloc[:, 4:5].values
```

```python
data_training_array = scaler.fit_transform(train_close)
data_training_array
```

```python
x_train = []
y_train = []

for i in range(100, data_training_array.shape[0]):
x_train.append(data_training_array[i-100: i])
y_train.append(data_training_array[i, 0]) x_train,
y_train = np.array(x_train), np.array(y_train)
```

```python
x_train.shape
```

ML Model (LSTM)

```python
from tensorflow.keras.layers import Dense, Dropout, LSTM
from tensorflow.keras.models import Sequential
```

```python
model = Sequential()
model.add(LSTM(units = 50, activation = 'relu', return_sequences=True
              ,input_shape = (x_train.shape[1], 1)))
model.add(Dropout(0.2))


model.add(LSTM(units = 60, activation = 'relu', return_sequences=True))
model.add(Dropout(0.3))


model.add(LSTM(units = 80, activation = 'relu', return_sequences=True))
model.add(Dropout(0.4))


model.add(LSTM(units = 120, activation =
'relu')) model.add(Dropout(0.5))
model.add(Dense(units = 1))


model.summary()
```

Training the model

```python
model.compile(optimizer = 'adam', loss = 'mean_squared_error', metrics = ['MAE'])
model.fit(x_train, y_train, validation_data = (x_test, y_test) ,epochs = 100)
```

```
model.save('keras_model.h5')
```

```
test_close.shape
test_close
```

```
past_100_days = pd.DataFrame(train_close[-100:])




test_df = pd.DataFrame(test_close)
```

Defining the final dataset for testing by including the last 100 columns of the training dataset to get the prediction from the 1st column of the testing dataset.

```
final_df = past_100_days.append(test_df, ignore_index = True)



final_df.head()
```

```
input_data = scaler.fit_transform(final_df)
input_data
```

```
input_data.shape
```

Testing the model

```
x_test = [] y_test = [] for i in
range(100, input_data.shape[0]):
    x_test.append(input_data[i-100: i])
    y_test.append(input_data[i, 0])



x_test, y_test = np.array(x_test), np.array(y_test)
print(x_test.shape) print(y_test.shape)
```

Making prediction and plotting the graph of predicted vs actual values

```python
# Making predictions y_pred =
model.predict(x_test)
```

```python
y_pred.shape
```

```python
y_test


y_pred
```

```python
scaler.scale_
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```python
scale_factor = 1/0.00985902
y_pred = y_pred * scale_factor
y_test = y_test * scale_factor
```

```python
plt.figure(figsize = (12,6))
plt.plot(y_test, 'b', label =
"Original Price") plt.plot(y_pred,
'r', label = "Predicted Price")
plt.xlabel('Time')

plt.ylabel('Price') plt.legend()

plt.show()
```

Model evaluation

Calculating Mean absolute error

```python
from sklearn.metrics import mean_absolute_error

mae = mean_absolute_error(y_test, y_pred)

mae_percentage = (mae / np.mean(y_test)) * 100

print("Mean absolute error on test set: {:.2f}%".format(mae_percentage))
```

Mean absolute error on test set: 6.54%

Calculating R2 Score

```python
from sklearn.metrics import r2_score

# Actual values
actual = y_test

# Predicted values
predicted = y_pred

# Calculate the R2 score r2 =
r2_score(actual, predicted)
print("R2 score:", r2)
```

`R2 score: 0.9702856476907452`

Plotting the R2 score

```python
# Plotting the R2 score fig,
ax = plt.subplots() ax.barh(0,
r2, color='skyblue')
ax.set_xlim([-1, 1])
ax.set_yticks([])
ax.set_xlabel('R2 Score')
ax.set_title('R2 Score')

# Adding the R2 score value on the bar
ax.text(r2, 0, f'{r2:.2f}', va='center', color='black')

plt.show()

# scatter plot of the R2 score

plt.scatter(actual, predicted)
plt.plot([min(actual), max(actual)], [min(predicted), max(predicted)], 'r--')
plt.xlabel('Actual Values') plt.ylabel('Predicted Values') plt.title(f'R2
Score: {r2:.2f}')
plt.show()
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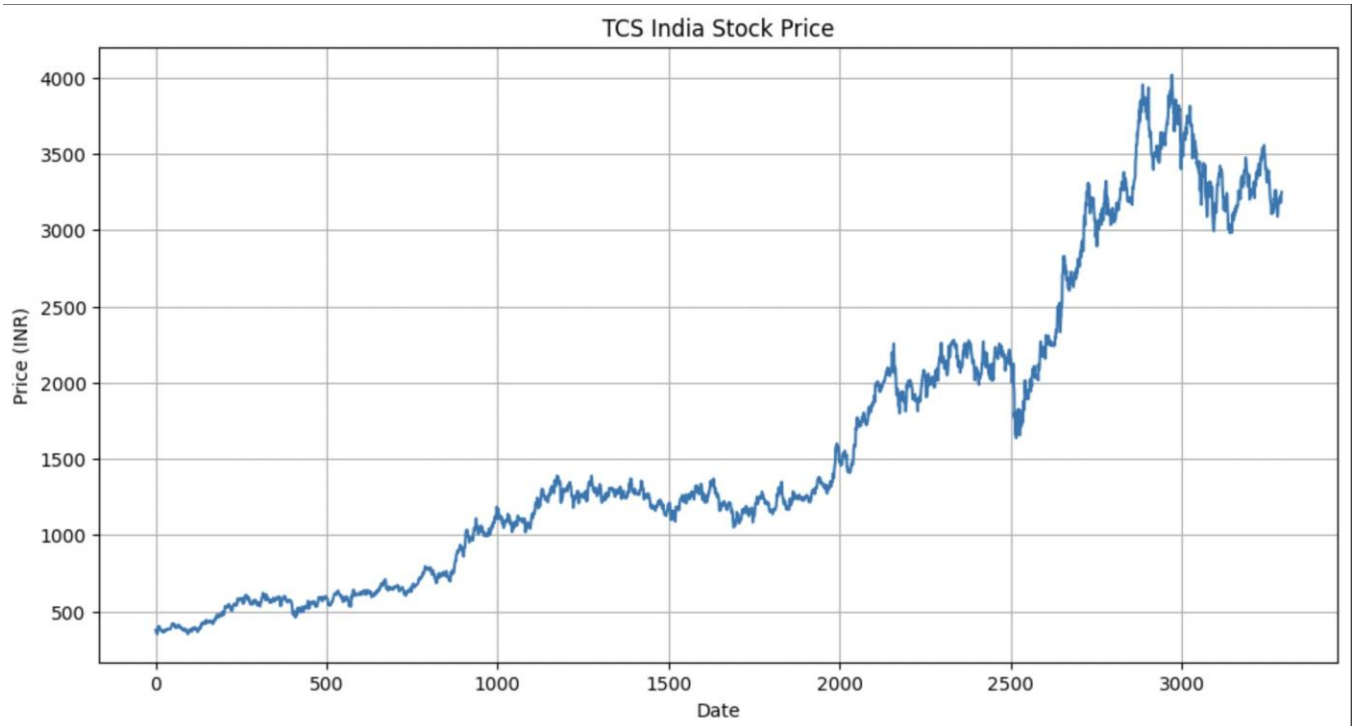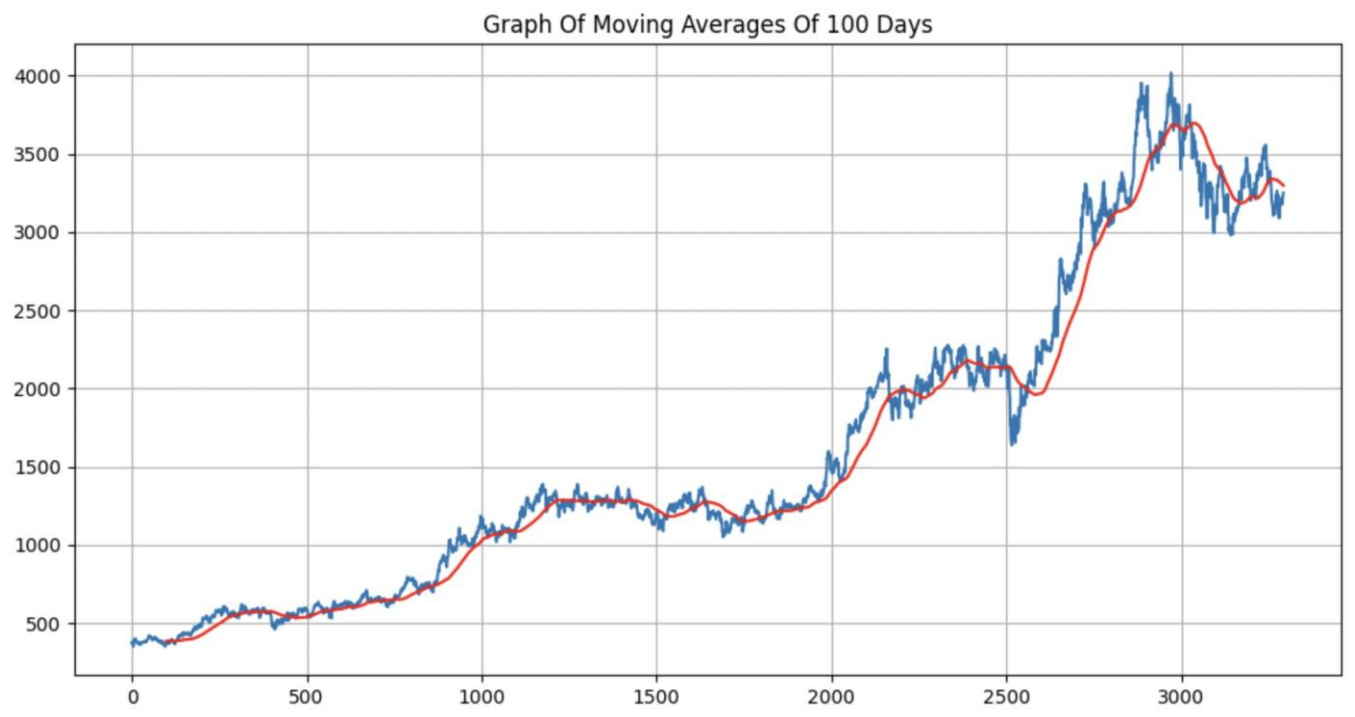
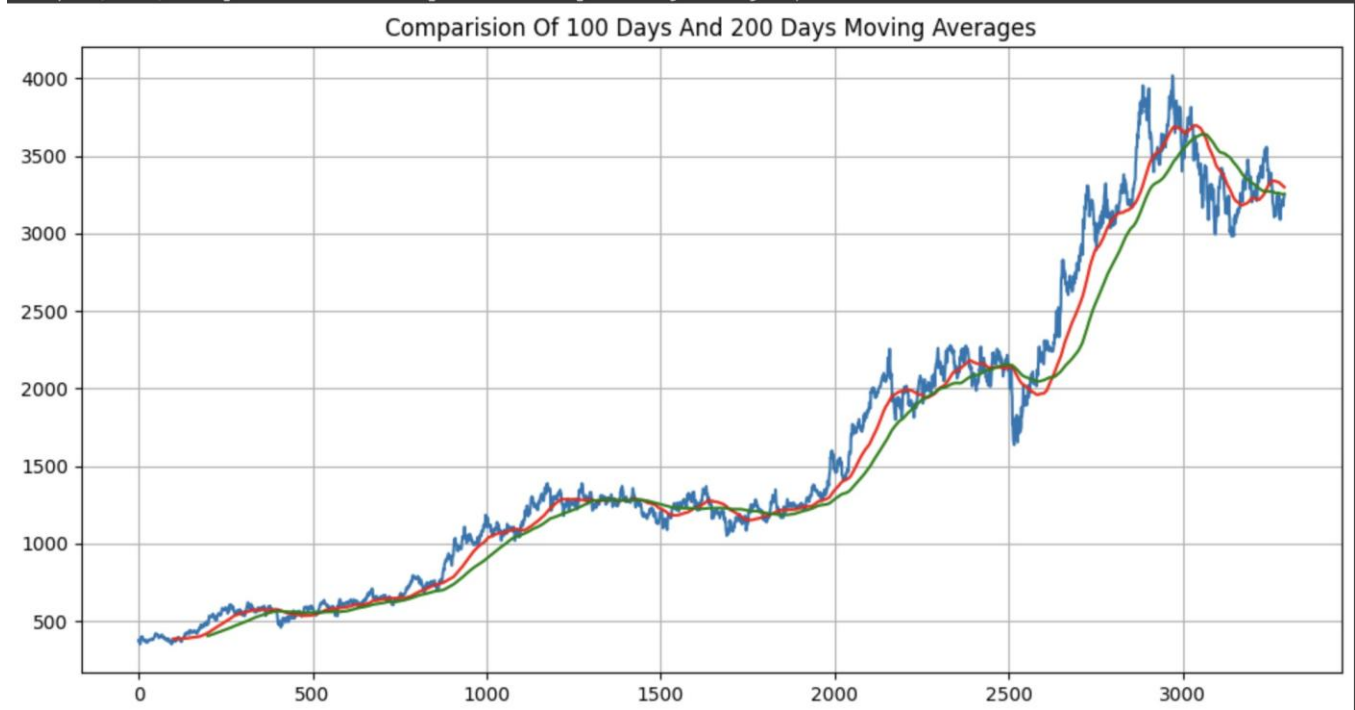# CHAPTER 6

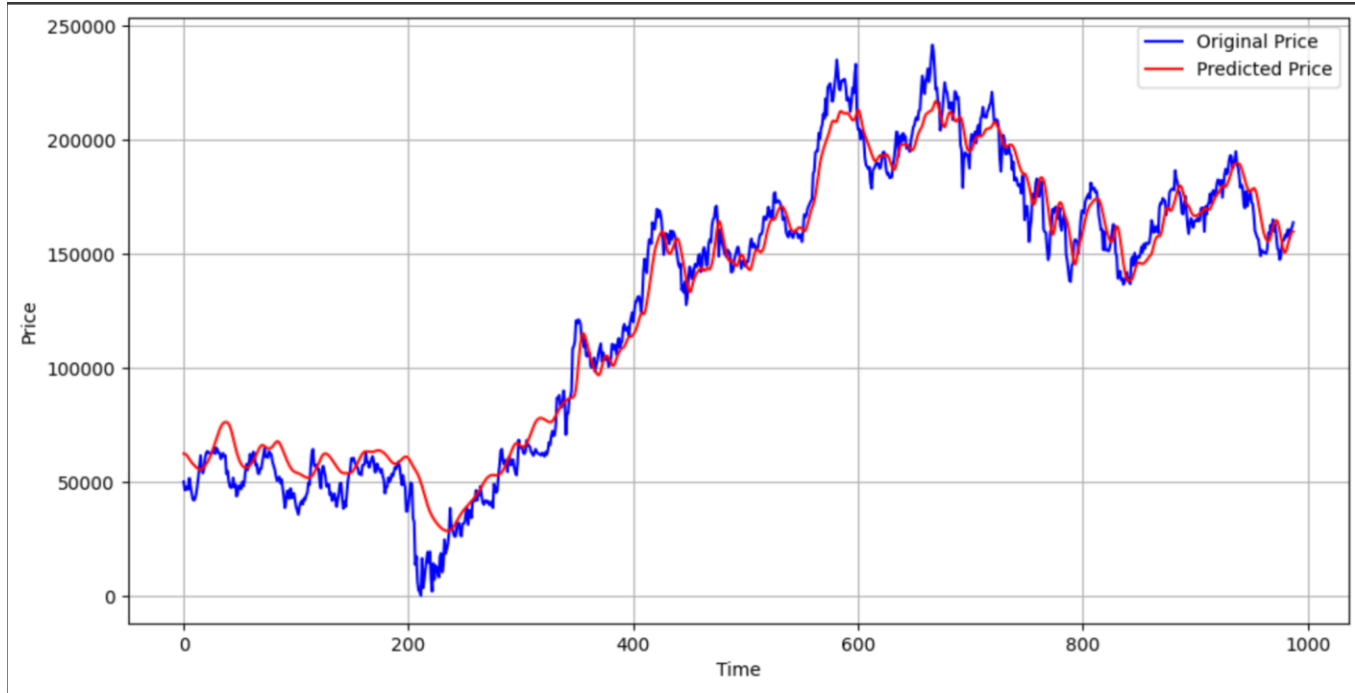# SCREENSHOTS AND RESULTS

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6.2 Moving averages of 100 days

6.3 Moving averages of 200 days
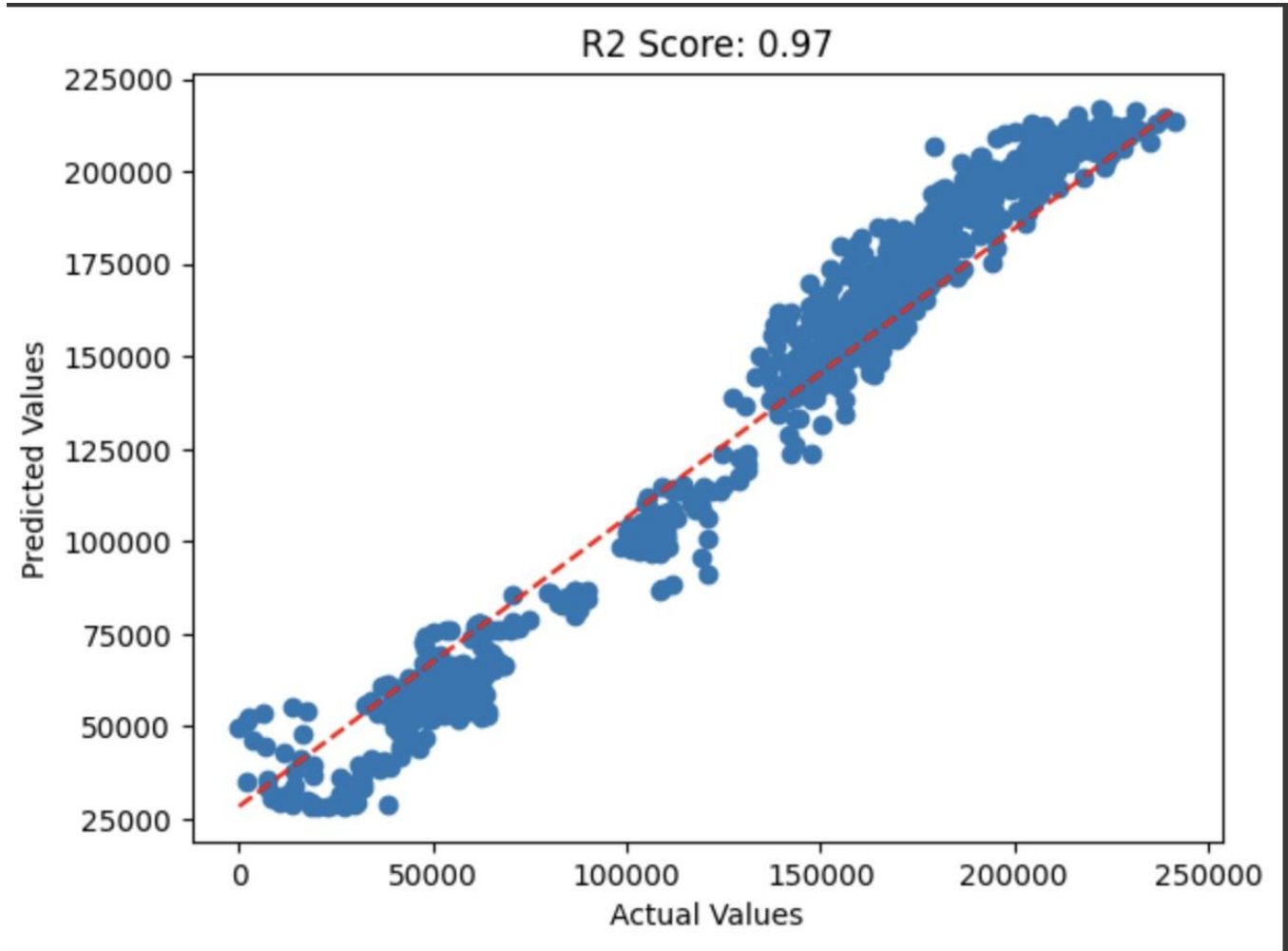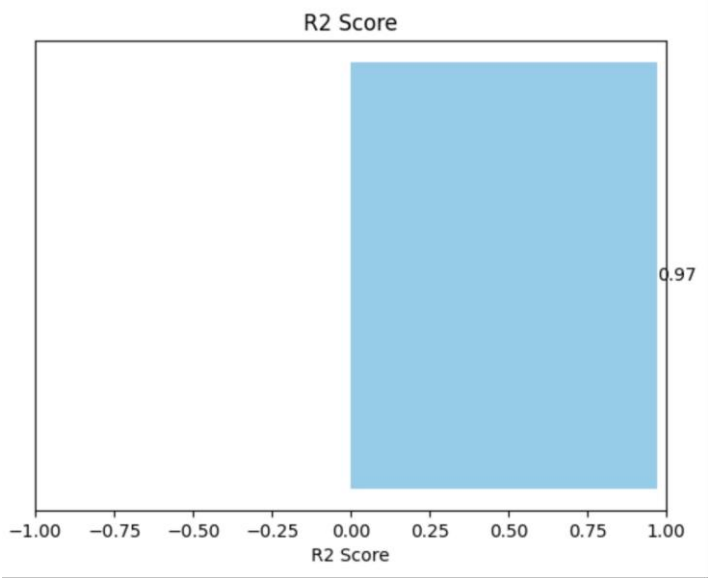

Comparision Of 100 Days And 200 Days Moving Averages

6.4 Final Result

6.5 Evaluation Matrix Graphs

6.6 METRICS COMPARISON OF MODELS

6.6.1 ACCURACY

Accuracy is a highly intuitive metric, so you should not experience any challenges in understanding it. The Accuracy score is calculated by dividing the number of correct predictions by the total prediction number.

$$Accuracy = \frac{True\,Negatives + True\,Positive}{True\,Positive + False\,Positive + True\,Negative + False\,Negative}$$

6.6.2 F-1 SCORE

The F-1 score(also known as F-measure) is a metric used to evaluate performance of a Machine Learning model. It combines precision and recall into a single score.

F-measure formula:

F-score = 2 * (precision * recall) / (precision + recall)

6.6.3 PRECISION

Precision is defined as the ratio of correctly classified positive samples (True Positive) to a total number of classified positive samples (either correctly or incorrectly).

Precision = True Positive/True Positive + False Positive

Precision = TP/TP+FP

6.6.4 RECALL

The recall is calculated as the ratio between the numbers of Positive samples correctly classified as Positive to the total number of Positive samples. The *recall measures the model's ability to detect positive samples*. The higher the recall, the more positive samples detected.

1. Recall = True Positive/True Positive + False Negative

CHAPTER 7

CONCLUSION AND FUTURE ENHANCEMENTS

7.1 Conclusion

In conclusion, this project focused on utilizing LSTM (Long Short-Term Memory) algorithm for stock market prediction. The LSTM architecture proved to be effective in capturing long-term dependencies and temporal patterns within the sequential data.

By leveraging historical stock prices and relevant financial indicators, the LSTM-based model successfully generated accurate predictions, providing valuable insights to investors and traders.

Through comprehensive evaluation metrics and comparisons with baseline models, the superiority of the LSTM-based approach in capturing the complexities of the stock market was demonstrated.

The model showcased its ability to forecast stock prices over different time horizons, aiding both short-term and long-term investment decision-making processes.

Furthermore, the project explored the potential of incorporating additional features, such as social media sentiment analysis and macroeconomic indicators, to enhance prediction accuracy. This highlighted the importance of considering external factors that influence stock market dynamics.

7.2 Future Enhancements

There are several avenues for future enhancements and research in the field of stock market prediction using LSTM algorithms:

1. Feature Engineering: Further investigation can be done on identifying and incorporating additional relevant features that might impact stock prices, such as news sentiment, corporate events, or geopolitical factors. Enhancing feature engineering techniques could lead to more accurate predictions.

2. Model Architecture: Experimenting with different LSTM model architectures, such as stacked or bidirectional LSTMs, may improve the performance and prediction capabilities. Exploring other variants of RNNs, such as Gated Recurrent Units (GRUs), could also be beneficial.

3. Ensemble Methods: Employing ensemble methods, such as combining predictions from multiple LSTM models or integrating with other machine learning techniques like random forests or gradient boosting, could potentially enhance the overall predictive power and robustness of the model.

4. Hyperparameter Tuning: Conducting a systematic search for optimal hyperparameters, including the number of hidden layers, learning rate, batch size, and regularization techniques, can further optimize the LSTM model's performance.

5. Real-time Data: Expanding the model to incorporate real-time data streams, including intraday price movements and up-to-date financial news, can enable more timely and accurate predictions, catering to high-frequency trading strategies.

6. Interpretability: Exploring techniques to interpret and explain the predictions made by LSTM models can enhance trust and transparency, enabling users to understand the factors and patterns contributing to the forecasts.

Overall, the future enhancements in stock market prediction using LSTM algorithms hold the potential to refine and advance the accuracy and applicability of the models, supporting investors and traders in making informed decisions in the dynamic and ever-changing stock market landscape.

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