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# FINANCE 788: Research Essay

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## **Abstract**

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## 2 Literature Review

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### 2.1 History of Asset Pricing Theory

#### 2.1.1 Optimisation Methodologies

Convexity is an important concept in optimisation

#### 2.1.2 Machine Learning in Financial Contexts

A couple of recent publications highlight the increased application of machine learning algorithms in financial contexts. **corporate-culture** Gu et al (**eapvml**) explore the comparative use of machine learning in empirical asset pricing.

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## 4 Theory

### 4.1 Return predictability

Return predictability underlies asset pricing theory. **Insert**

### 4.2 Modelling, Loss, and Optimisation

We summarize the theory surrounding predictive modelling, loss functions, and optimisation algorithms. These functions train models by comparing predictions to realized observations using optimisation algorithms to minimize the loss function. We examine a linear model as our predictive model (??). Mean square error (??) and Gradient Descent (GD) are basic examples of a loss function and optimisation algorithm, respectively.

$$\hat{y} = mx_i + b \quad (1)$$

$$f(y, (mx_i + b)) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - (mx_i + b))^2 \quad (2)$$

Firstly, gradient descent takes the partial derivatives of the loss function, with the respect to the parameters in our predictive model. In our example, equations ?? and ?? are the partial derivatives for the mean square error loss function.

$$\frac{\partial f(y, (mx_i + b))}{\partial m} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n -2x_i(y_i - (mx_i + b))^2 \quad (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial f(y, (mx_i + b))}{\partial b} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n -2(y_i - (mx_i + b))^2 \quad (4)$$

Secondly, the algorithm explores epochs, using a learning rate to update parameters to move in the opposite directions of the partial derivatives until settling in a local minima. This extrema is the optimisation of the loss function, quantifying the accuracy of the predicative model. Ordinary Least Squares (OLS) regressions is an extension of the linear model prevalent in asset pricing.

### 4.3 Ordinary Least Squares (OLS)

The OLS regression is the most prominent statistical model in asset pricing theory. Rosenfeld (**olsmf**) summarises OLS. The composition of the true OLS (??) model includes four components. Firstly, **X**, an  $n \times k$  matrix of  $k$  independent variables for  $n$  observations. Secondly, **y**, an  $n \times 1$  vector of observation



on the dependent variable. Thirdly,  $\epsilon$ , an  $n \times 1$  vector of unexplained error. Lastly,  $\theta$ , a  $k \times 1$  vector of parameters to be estimated.

$$y = X\theta + \epsilon \quad (5)$$

#### 4.3.1 Estimation Criteria

The criteria to obtain the parameter estimate ( $\hat{\theta}$ ) relies on the minimisation of the sum of squared residuals (??). We highlight the observed residuals ( $e$ ) are distinct from unexplained disturbances ( $\epsilon$ ). Equation ?? derives residuals by taking the difference between observations based on parameter estimates.

$$\sum e_i^2 \quad (6)$$

$$e = y - X\hat{\theta} \quad (7)$$

Expanding the quadratic  $e^T e$  after substituting in equation ?? leads to the alternative expression of the sum of squared residuals in equation ?. Minimizing the sum of square residuals requires taking the partial derivative of equation ?? with respect to the estimated parameters (equation) using matrix differentiation (?). It is imperative  $X$  has full rank where all vectors in the matrix are linearly independent, validating both the presence of a positive definite matrix and minimum.

$$e^T e = y^T y - 2\hat{\theta}^T X^T y + \hat{\theta}^T X^T \hat{\theta} X \quad (8)$$

$$\frac{\partial e^T e}{\partial \hat{\theta}} = -2X^T y + 2X^T X \hat{\theta} = 0 \quad (9)$$

We find the expression for the Ordinary Least Squares (OLS) estimator (??) after rearranging equation ?? to normal form, utilizing inverse matrices to form identity matrices, and simplifying.

$$\begin{aligned} 2X^T X \hat{\theta} &= 2X^T y \\ (X^T X)^{-1}(X^T X)\hat{\theta} &= (X^T X)^{-1}X^T y \\ I\hat{\theta} &= (X^T X)^{-1}X^T y \\ \hat{\theta} &= (X^T X)^{-1}(X^T y) \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

Therefore, we can use the OLS estimator to make predictions with OLS (??).

$$\hat{y} = X^T \hat{\theta} \quad (11)$$

#### 4.3.2 Properties of OLS Estimators

There are six key properties in addition to the satisfaction in minimizing the summation of squared residuals.

1. The residuals are uncorrelated with the observed values of  $X$  i.e.,  $X^T e = 0$ .
2. The sum of the residuals is zero i.e.,  $\sum e_i = 0$ .
3. The sample mean of the residuals is zero i.e.,  $\bar{e} = \frac{\sum e_i}{n} = 0$ .
4. The regression hyperplane passes through the means of observed values i.e.,  $\frac{e}{n} = \frac{y - X\theta}{n} = 0$ . Since  $\bar{e} = 0$  assumed, it is implied  $\bar{y} = \bar{x}\theta$ .
5. The residuals are uncorrelated with the predicted  $y$  i.e.,  $\hat{y} = X\hat{\theta}$ ,  $\hat{y}^T e = (X\hat{\theta})^T e = \hat{\theta}^T X^T e = 0$
6. The mean of  $\hat{y}$  for the sample will equal the mean of the  $y$ .

#### 4.3.3 The Gauss-Markov Theorem

However, OLS makes Gauss-Markov assumptions about the true model to make inferences regarding  $\beta$  from  $\hat{\beta}$ . The intention of the Gauss-Markov Theorem, conditional on the below assumptions, states the

OLS estimator is the best linear, unbiased, and efficient estimator:

$$y = x\beta + \epsilon$$

$$E[\epsilon|X] = 0 \tag{12}$$

$$E(\epsilon\epsilon^T|X) = \Omega = \sigma^2 I \tag{13}$$

$$\epsilon|X \sim N[0, \sigma^2 I] \text{ (hypothesis testing)}$$

- $X$  is an  $n \times k$  matrix of full rank
- $X$  must be generated randomly, or fixed, by a mechanism uncorrelated to disturbances.

Equation ?? implies  $E(y) = X\beta$  as no observations of the independent variables convey any information about the expected values of the disturbances. Equation ?? captures homoskedasticity and no autocorrelation assumptions. Additionally, The theory underlying Ordinary Least Squares informs the common practice in minimising of the sum of least squares when evaluating prediction performance. The mathematical tractability, in accordance with the aforementioned assumption, frame our thinking surrounding the derivation of custom loss functions.

#### 4.3.4 Research Intent

Minimisation of returns **Include examples on the minimisation of sum of the square errors does not contribute to maximising returns**

## 5 Data

Hou et al., (**hou2020replicating**) use an extensive data library to assess 452 anomalies across anomalies literature. Their analysis informs which abnormalities drive the cross section of expected returns. Most abnormalities fail under current standards of empirical finance when using a single hurdle test of absolute t-stat greater or equal to 1.96. Firstly, the paper finds economic fundamentals take precedence over trading frictions in explanatory power, statistical and economic significance. Secondly, micro-caps account for anomalies disproportionately, leading to NYSE breakpoints, value-weighted returns in both portfolio sorts and cross-sectional regressions with weighted least squares. Lastly, arguments in improving anomalies literature credibility follow a closer alignment to economic theory as the field persists to be statistical in nature. Overall, capital market efficiency is higher than expected. Jensen et al., (**jensen2021there**) use the above dataset to explore hierarchical bayesian models of alphas emphasising the joint behaviours of factors, and provide an alternative multiple testing adjustment, more powerful than common methods. Jensen et al., adapt the global dataset to focus only on one-month holding periods for all factors, only include most recent accounting data (quarterly or annually) and add 15 new factors. The exhaustive nature and accessibility of the global dataset makes it well-suited for exploring optimisation functions in neural-network construction.

## 5.1 Limitations

## 5.2 Summary Statistics

# 6 Methodology

## 6.1 Target Variable

## 6.2 Google Cloud Platform

## 6.3 Artificial Neural Networks

### 6.3.1

### 6.3.2 Configuration

### 6.3.3 Limitations

## 6.4 Tensorflow

### 6.4.1 Automatic Differentiation

## 6.5 Loss Functions & Performance Metrics

Table ?? emphasises the separation between training and validation datasets.

Variable	Description	$MSE(y, \hat{y})$	$HP(y, \hat{y})$
$\theta$	Estimation Training	$\hat{\theta}_{MSE}$	$\hat{\theta}_{HP}$
$\lambda$	Validation	$\hat{\lambda}_{MSE}$	$\hat{\lambda}_{HP}$

Table 1: Objective (MSE: Mean Square Error, HP: Hedge Portfolio)

### 6.5.1 Mean Square Error (MSE)

Section ?? outlines advantages to Ordinary Least Squares. Subsequently, MSE serves as a baseline for loss function and performance metric comparisons. The following function (??) and partial derivative (??) describe Tensorflows's Mean Square Error implementation, both from in-built and custom contexts. Python classes describe equation ?? to enable Tensorflow's automatic differentiation capabilities, approximating the partial derivatives of the loss function (??) with numerical methods. Please note the use of Hadamard exponentiation ( $x^{\circ n}$ ) as an element-wise operation.

$$f(y, X^T \hat{\theta}) = \frac{\vec{1}}{\vec{1}^T \vec{1}} (y - X^T \hat{\theta})^{\circ 2} \quad (14)$$

$$\frac{\partial f(y, X^T \hat{\theta})}{\partial \hat{\theta}} = \frac{\vec{1}}{\vec{1}^T \vec{1}} (-2(y - X^T \hat{\theta})^{\circ 1}) \quad (15)$$

### 6.5.2 Hedge Portfolio

Hedge portfolios rely on monotonic ranking functions for optimisation as their monotonic nature preserves or reverses a given ordered set. The analysis cross-section of one-month lead portfolio excess returns using monotonic functions

$$R(y_{i,t}) \quad (16)$$

The ranking function ( $R(y_{i,t})$ ) and thresholds (u,v) form subsets of long and short portfolios. Long (L) or Short (S) sets include excess returns conditioned on the associated monotonic ranking given a threshold,

bound by the cardinality of the excess return vector ( $|y|$ ). The subsequent truth sets mathematically express aforementioned time-series hedge portfolios.

$$\begin{aligned} L &= \{y_{i,t} | R(y_{i,t}) \leq u\} \\ S &= \{y_{i,t} | R(y_{i,t}) \geq v\} \\ 0 &< u \leq |y| \\ 0 &< v \leq |y| \\ u &< v \end{aligned}$$

Equation ?? describes hedge portfolio lead excess returns ( $H_t$ ) at a given time ( $t$ ).

$$H_t = \frac{1}{|L|} \sum_{i \in L} y_{i,t} - \frac{1}{|S|} \sum_{i \in S} y_{i,t} \quad (17)$$

Figure ?? illustrates an approximate linear monotonic ranking function with a sample of 100 uniformly distributed excess returns between -10% and 10%. Boundary conditions  $u$  and  $v$  are set to 20 and 80, respectively. Subsequently, excess returns above (below) the green (blue) dotted line belong to the long (L) (short (S)) set.

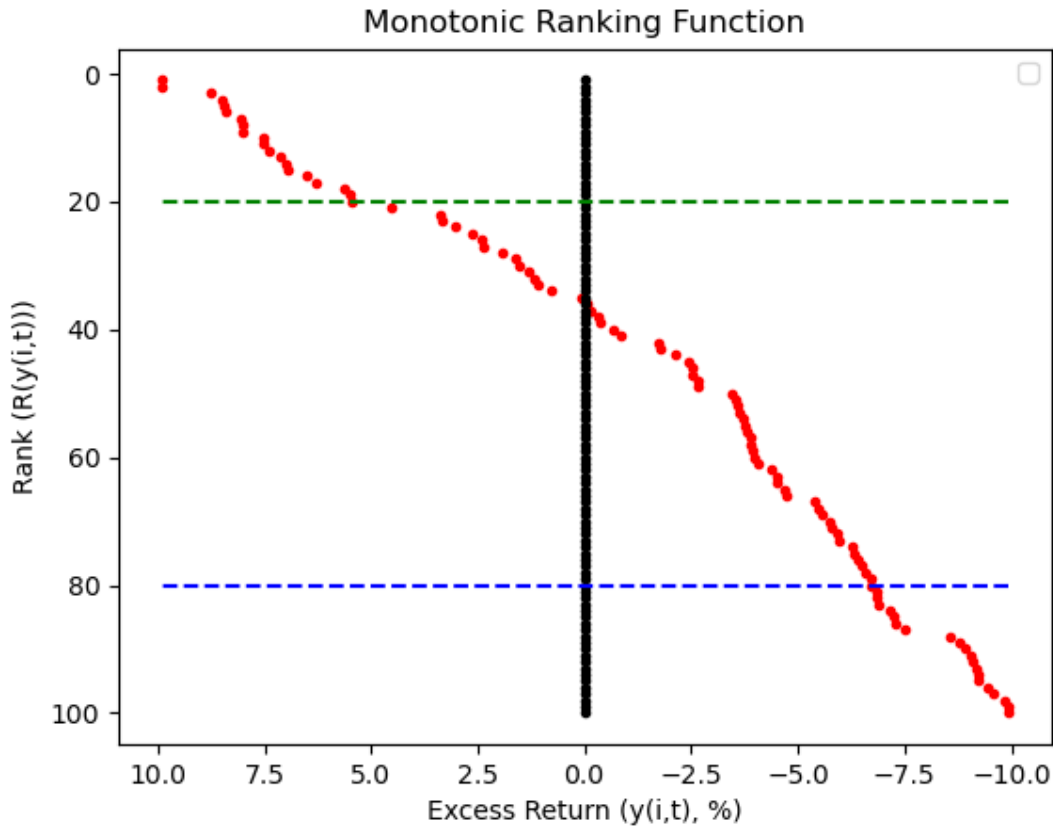


Figure 1: Approximate Linear Monotonic Ranking Function

The permutations in monotonic ranking functions, and subsequent hedge portfolios, are endless. This research essay develops a monotonic ranking function proportionally weighting one month lead excess

returns (??). Therefore, equation ?? defines the loss function.

$$R(\hat{y}) = W \quad (18)$$

$$W := \frac{\hat{y}}{\mathbf{1}^\top \hat{y}}$$

$$\hat{y} = X^T \hat{\theta}$$

$$f_{\hat{\theta}}(X) = \left( \frac{X^T \hat{\theta}}{\mathbf{1}^\top X^T \hat{\theta}} \right)^\top X^T \hat{\theta} \quad (19)$$

The above loss function is differentiable using symbolic mathematic as shown in equation ??.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial f_{\hat{\theta}}(X)}{\partial \hat{\theta}} &= \frac{\partial \left( \left( \frac{X^T \hat{\theta}}{\mathbf{1}^\top X^T \hat{\theta}} \right)^\top X^T \hat{\theta} \right)}{\partial \hat{\theta}} \\ \frac{\partial (f_{\hat{\theta}}(X))}{\partial \hat{\theta}} &= \frac{1}{(\hat{\theta}^\top X \mathbf{1})} X X^\top \hat{\theta} + \frac{1}{\mathbf{1}^\top X^T \hat{\theta}} X X^\top \hat{\theta} - \frac{1}{(\hat{\theta}^\top X \mathbf{1})^2} \hat{\theta}^\top X X^\top \hat{\theta} X \mathbf{1} \end{aligned} \quad (20)$$

Our research Subsection ?? explains the theory supporting loss minimisation. Applying gradient descent methods to the product of the loss function and scaler of -1 transforms the minimisation to maximisation. This transformation leads to finding the argmax of maximisation function with respect to  $\hat{\theta}$  (??). The aforementioned transformation is simply and suitable for exploration in the context of the research intent. More sophisticated methods exist for maximisation such as reinforcement learning (??).

$$\operatorname{argmax}_{\hat{\theta}} : \left( \frac{X^T \hat{\theta}}{\mathbf{1}^\top X^T \hat{\theta}} \right)^\top X^T \hat{\theta} \quad (21)$$

Conventional asset pricing methodologies persist in academic literature. The main contribution Hedge Portfolio Mean

The Capital Asset Pricing Model (CAPM)

Fama-French Three Factor Model (FF3)

Fama-French Five Factor Model (FF5) continues to inform asset pricing E. Fama & K. French produce fama2004capital

### 6.5.3 Sharpe Ratio

### 6.5.4 Information Ratio

## 6.6 Reinforcement learning

### 6.6.1 Dynamic Programming

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## **7 Results**

## **8 Discussion**

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net_income_rank_x	2517298.0	5.581200e+01	2.878360e+01		1.0000		3.300000e+01	6.000000e+01	8.000000e+01	9.950000e+01
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ret_60.1_x	1.064400e+00	2.014800e+00		-0.9985		-9.170000e-02	5.486000e-01	5.486000e-01	1.492300e+00	2.754720e+01	
ret_60.12_x	8.258000e-01	1.611700e+00		-0.9960		-1.096000e-01	4.364000e-01	4.364000e-01	1.200000e+00	2.063640e+01	
ret_60.36_x	3.857000e-01	9.340000e-01		-0.9860		-1.429000e-01	2.072000e-01	2.072000e-01	6.479000e-01	1.808570e+01	
seas_1.1an_x	1.420000e-02	1.421000e-01		-0.6705		-6.040000e-02	7.600000e-03	7.600000e-03	7.560000e-02	1.823500e+00	
seas_1.1na_x	1.490000e-02	4.360000e-02		-0.2355		-7.800000e-03	1.280000e-02	1.280000e-02	3.460000e-02	3.871000e-01	
seas_2.5an_x	1.520000e-02	6.790000e-02		-0.2970		-2.260000e-02	1.180000e-02	1.180000e-02	4.810000e-02	6.337000e-01	
at_gr1_x	2.641000e-01	9.239000e-01		-0.7398		4.800000e-03	9.050000e-02	9.050000e-02	2.391000e-01	3.163840e+01	
ca_gr1_x	3.206000e-01	1.336600e+00		-0.8313		-3.830000e-02	9.400000e-02	9.400000e-02	2.815000e-01	4.636900e+01	
nca_gr1_x	3.950000e-01	1.682300e+00		-0.8737		-1.530000e-02	8.250000e-02	8.250000e-02	2.844000e-01	5.781320e+01	
lt_gr1_x	3.042000e-01	9.791000e-01		-0.8021		-2.990000e-02	8.560000e-02	8.560000e-02	2.894000e-01	1.783760e+01	



	count	mean	std	min	25%	50%	75%	max	
cl_gr1_x	2190296.0	8.898000e-01	8.898000e-01	-0.8494	-0.8494	-6.490000e-02	1.114000e-01	3.701000e-01	1.634630e+01
ncl_gr1_x	2075342.0	9.926000e-01	5.509500e+00	-1.0000	-1.0000	-1.023000e-01	3.970000e-02	3.376000e-01	1.990000e+02
be_gr1_x	2311345.0	3.178000e-01	1.301000e+00	-0.9166	-0.9166	5.900000e-03	9.660000e-02	2.271000e-01	3.373330e+01
debt_gr1_x	2158693.0	7.838000e-01	4.707200e+00	-1.0000	-1.0000	-1.456000e-01	1.900000e-02	3.292000e-01	1.090000e+02
sale_gr1_x	2362404.0	2.228000e-01	6.711000e-01	-0.9960	-0.9960	5.000000e-03	1.032000e-01	2.478000e-01	1.370570e+01
cogs_gr1_x	2358805.0	2.142000e-01	6.122000e-01	-0.9619	-0.9619	-4.700000e-03	1.032000e-01	2.613000e-01	1.190030e+01
sga_gr1_x	1997437.0	1.844000e-01	3.963000e-01	-1.0000	-1.0000	1.340000e-02	1.044000e-01	2.389000e-01	6.765800e+00
opex_gr1_x	2387208.0	1.949000e-01	4.470000e-01	-0.7668	-0.7668	7.900000e-03	1.058000e-01	2.505000e-01	7.187400e+00
capx_gr1_x	2147147.0	6.016000e-01	2.183000e+00	-1.3370	-1.3370	-2.236000e-01	1.144000e-01	6.251000e-01	3.425000e+01
inv_gr1_x	1910333.0	2.595000e-01	9.931000e-01	-1.0000	-1.0000	-6.850000e-02	8.260000e-02	2.909000e-01	1.698080e+01
at_gr3_x	2114339.0	9.104000e-01	2.670800e+00	-0.8797	-0.8797	8.870000e-02	3.426000e-01	8.167000e-01	6.899070e+01
ca_gr3_x	1898998.0	9.832000e-01	3.187300e+00	-0.9099	-0.9099	2.890000e-02	3.230000e-01	8.289000e-01	7.748590e+01
nca_gr3_x	1897746.0	1.592100e+00	6.786800e+00	-0.9628	-0.9628	4.280000e-02	3.455000e-01	1.005000e+00	1.792615e+02
lt_gr3_x	2091277.0	1.135900e+00	3.376000e+00	-0.8936	-0.8936	3.580000e-02	3.474000e-01	9.457000e-01	5.633890e+01
cl_gr3_x	1906078.0	9.845000e-01	2.656400e+00	-0.9194	-0.9194	9.000000e-03	3.652000e-01	9.754000e-01	4.535460e+01
ncl_gr3_x	1803330.0	4.168200e+00	2.242620e+01	-1.0000	-1.0000	-1.231000e-01	2.914000e-01	1.285200e+00	8.323333e+02
be_gr3_x	1998122.0	1.009400e+00	3.275200e+00	-0.9384	-0.9384	7.210000e-02	3.326000e-01	7.902000e-01	6.699660e+01
debt_gr3_x	1882647.0	3.622500e+00	2.086590e+01	-1.0000	-1.0000	-2.165000e-01	2.251000e-01	1.145100e+00	4.310000e+02
sale_gr3_x	2063618.0	8.605000e-01	2.814400e+00	-1.0000	-1.0000	7.210000e-02	3.286000e-01	7.527000e-01	8.620390e+01
cogs_gr3_x	2052669.0	7.935000e-01	2.179500e+00	-1.0000	-1.0000	4.870000e-02	3.267000e-01	7.894000e-01	4.537560e+01
sga_gr3_x	1713690.0	6.540000e-01	1.324200e+00	-1.0000	-1.0000	9.470000e-02	3.366000e-01	7.294000e-01	2.400000e+01
opex_gr3_x	2073541.0	7.171000e-01	1.625000e+00	-0.8979	-0.8979	7.650000e-02	3.367000e-01	7.689000e-01	2.833740e+01
capx_gr3_x	1846897.0	1.692700e+00	5.902400e+00	-1.2088	-1.2088	-2.368000e-01	3.214000e-01	1.355700e+00	1.128462e+02
cash_gr1a_x	2396920.0	1.480000e-02	1.380000e-01	-1.1898	-1.1898	-1.600000e-02	2.800000e-03	3.520000e-02	8.303000e-01
inv_gr1a_x	2351255.0	1.250000e-02	5.090000e-02	-0.3723	-0.3723	-7.000000e-04	7.000000e-04	2.250000e-02	2.978000e-01
rec_gr1a_x	2363716.0	2.190000e-02	6.430000e-02	-0.4405	-0.4405	-2.700000e-03	1.190000e-02	4.270000e-02	3.340000e-01
peg_gr1a_x	2178200.0	5.240000e-02	1.039000e-01	-0.8431	-0.8431	8.900000e-03	3.670000e-02	8.330000e-02	5.756000e-01
lti_gr1a_x	2205853.0	5.400000e-03	4.060000e-02	-0.4964	-0.4964	0.000000e+00	0.000000e+00	1.100000e-03	3.478000e-01
intan_gr1a_x	2110874.0	1.080000e-02	6.690000e-02	-0.9608	-0.9608	-7.000000e-04	0.000000e+00	1.700000e-03	5.336000e-01
debtst_gr1a_x	2395084.0	3.900000e-03	6.220000e-02	-0.5236	-0.5236	-5.000000e-03	0.000000e+00	1.320000e-02	4.847000e-01
ap_gr1a_x	2267822.0	1.460000e-02	4.890000e-02	-0.2766	-0.2766	-3.900000e-03	6.100000e-03	2.540000e-02	2.945000e-01
txp_gr1a_x	2057276.0	9.000000e-04	1.130000e-02	-0.0902	-0.0902	-9.000000e-04	0.000000e+00	2.200000e-03	9.250000e-02
debtlt_gr1a_x	2411829.0	1.770000e-02	9.970000e-02	-0.6085	-0.6085	-1.080000e-02	0.000000e+00	3.540000e-02	5.760000e-01
txdltc_gr1a_x	2135161.0	2.300000e-03	1.280000e-02	-0.1302	-0.1302	0.000000e+00	0.000000e+00	4.800000e-03	8.330000e-02
coa_gr1a_x	2167569.0	3.450000e-02	1.005000e-01	-0.7908	-0.7908	-4.200000e-03	2.200000e-02	7.140000e-02	4.923000e-01
col_gr1a_x	2191221.0	1.980000e-02	6.480000e-02	-0.4855	-0.4855	-5.500000e-03	1.350000e-02	4.240000e-02	3.834000e-01

	count	mean	std	min	25%	50%	75%	max	
cowc_gr1a_x	1.440000e-02	8.680000e-02		-0.6052	-1.810000e-02	9.000000e-03	4.750000e-02	4.185000e-01	
ncoa_gr1a_x	4.890000e-02	1.438000e-01		-1.8841	-5.500000e-03	2.970000e-02	9.040000e-02	7.494000e-01	
ncol_gr1a_x	6.300000e-03	3.310000e-02		-0.3605	-1.100000e-03	1.900000e-03	1.180000e-02	3.338000e-01	
nncoa_gr1a_x	4.270000e-02	1.424000e-01		-1.8841	-9.700000e-03	2.500000e-02	8.290000e-02	7.692000e-01	
oa_gr1a_x	8.310000e-02	2.025000e-01		-2.5884	-3.400000e-03	6.800000e-02	1.668000e-01	8.176000e-01	
ol_gr1a_x	2.620000e-02	8.090000e-02		-0.6433	-4.900000e-03	2.070000e-02	5.460000e-02	5.422000e-01	
fna_gr1a_x	5.700000e-03	6.030000e-02		-0.7055	0.000000e+00	0.000000e+00	0.000000e+00	6.896000e-01	
fnl_gr1a_x	2.150000e-02	1.353000e-01		-1.2296	-1.620000e-02	1.000000e-04	5.400000e-02	1.130300e+00	
nfna_gr1a_x	-1.580000e-02	1.552000e-01		-1.1078	-5.900000e-02	-9.000000e-04	2.760000e-02	1.384100e+00	
gp_gr1a_x	3.580000e-02	1.161000e-01		-0.8663	-2.200000e-03	2.080000e-02	7.290000e-02	1.372100e+00	
ebitda_gr1a_x	9.700000e-03	9.740000e-02		-0.8685	-1.050000e-02	9.300000e-03	3.840000e-02	1.237100e+00	
ebit_gr1a_x	5.200000e-03	9.760000e-02		-0.8536	-1.310000e-02	6.700000e-03	3.280000e-02	1.345400e+00	
ope_gr1a_x	9.400000e-03	1.005000e-01		-0.9869	-1.390000e-02	1.090000e-02	3.950000e-02	1.233300e+00	
ni_gr1a_x	8.000000e-04	1.303000e-01		-1.6889	-1.340000e-02	3.900000e-03	2.430000e-02	2.739400e+00	
nix_gr1a_x	6.000000e-04	1.422000e-01		-1.8549	-1.540000e-02	3.800000e-03	2.570000e-02	2.791300e+00	
dp_gr1a_x	3.900000e-03	1.560000e-02		-0.3935	-0.000000e+00	2.500000e-03	7.500000e-03	1.932000e-01	
fincf_gr1a_x	1.220000e-02	2.465000e-01		-2.0255	-5.480000e-02	2.700000e-03	7.330000e-02	1.485100e+00	
ocf_gr1a_x	1.000000e-04	1.397000e-01		-0.9941	-4.190000e-02	2.900000e-03	4.640000e-02	1.151200e+00	
fcf_gr1a_x	-7.300000e-03	1.637000e-01		-1.1368	-6.050000e-02	-4.000000e-04	5.020000e-02	1.202900e+00	
nwc_gr1a_x	2.640000e-02	1.763000e-01		-1.4272	-2.650000e-02	1.650000e-02	7.240000e-02	9.090000e-01	
eqnetis_gr1a_x	1.170000e-02	2.127000e-01		-1.9975	-1.000000e-02	0.000000e+00	1.380000e-02	1.207600e+00	
dltnetis_gr1a_x	-3.100000e-03	1.313000e-01		-0.7874	-2.580000e-02	0.000000e+00	2.250000e-02	7.003000e-01	
dstnetis_gr1a_x	7.000000e-04	8.970000e-02		-0.8063	-1.090000e-02	0.000000e+00	1.870000e-02	7.197000e-01	
dbnetis_gr1a_x	-2.600000e-03	1.670000e-01		-1.0269	-4.130000e-02	0.000000e+00	4.330000e-02	1.017900e+00	
netis_gr1a_x	8.700000e-03	2.717000e-01		-2.0764	-6.040000e-02	1.700000e-03	7.550000e-02	1.539900e+00	
eqnpo_gr1a_x	-1.040000e-02	2.148000e-01		-1.1821	-1.480000e-02	0.000000e+00	1.310000e-02	1.940900e+00	
tax_gr1a_x	3.100000e-03	2.840000e-02		-0.2157	-3.800000e-03	1.000000e-03	1.140000e-02	2.047000e-01	
eqbb_gr1a_x	1.700000e-03	3.370000e-02		-0.3806	0.000000e+00	0.000000e+00	3.000000e-04	2.809000e-01	
eqis_gr1a_x	1.360000e-02	2.117000e-01		-2.0255	-2.500000e-03	0.000000e+00	5.700000e-03	1.226200e+00	
div_gr1a_x	1.100000e-03	1.270000e-02		-0.2183	0.000000e+00	0.000000e+00	1.200000e-03	2.439000e-01	
eqpo_gr1a_x	2.900000e-03	4.380000e-02		-0.4620	-1.000000e-04	0.000000e+00	4.100000e-03	3.915000e-01	
capx_gr1a_x	7.400000e-03	5.440000e-02		-0.4868	-7.300000e-03	2.300000e-03	1.940000e-02	4.471000e-01	
be_gr1a_x	4.620000e-02	1.699000e-01		-2.0718	1.600000e-03	3.510000e-02	8.970000e-02	8.561000e-01	
cash_gr3a_x	2.960000e-02	1.755000e-01		-2.5781	-1.260000e-02	9.500000e-03	6.320000e-02	9.052000e-01	
inv_gr3a_x	2.900000e-02	8.700000e-02		-0.6971	0.000000e+00	6.800000e-03	5.550000e-02	4.115000e-01	
rec_gr3a_x	4.970000e-02	1.082000e-01		-0.7795	1.400000e-03	3.280000e-02	8.960000e-02	4.887000e-01	

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ppeg_gr3a_x	1.277000e-01	2.118000e-01		-2.1282		3.190000e-02		1.080000e-01	2.163000e-01
lfi_gr3a_x	1.290000e-02	7.040000e-02		-0.6566		0.000000e+00		0.000000e+00	8.800000e-03
intan_gr3a_x	2.520000e-02	1.171000e-01		-1.7938		-0.000000e+00		0.000000e+00	2.360000e-02
debtst_gr3a_x	8.500000e-03	7.970000e-02		-0.8315		-6.500000e-03		3.000000e-04	2.440000e-02
ap_gr3a_x	3.440000e-02	8.510000e-02		-0.4973		-3.000000e-04		1.600000e-02	4.880000e-02
txp_gr3a_x	1.900000e-03	1.400000e-02		-0.0976		-1.200000e-03		0.000000e+00	4.400000e-03
debtlt_gr3a_x	4.090000e-02	1.579000e-01		-1.1700		-1.120000e-02		1.060000e-02	1.011000e-01
txdtic_gr3a_x	6.200000e-03	2.480000e-02		-0.2172		0.000000e+00		0.000000e+00	1.330000e-02
coa_gr3a_x	7.660000e-02	1.701000e-01		-1.4412		6.100000e-03		6.190000e-02	1.549000e-01
col_gr3a_x	4.420000e-02	9.650000e-02		-0.9653		4.300000e-03		3.750000e-02	8.380000e-02
cowc_gr3a_x	3.210000e-02	1.338000e-01		-1.0405		-2.130000e-02		2.260000e-02	9.140000e-02
ncoa_gr3a_x	1.091000e-01	2.575000e-01		-4.5815		1.230000e-02		1.026000e-01	2.250000e-01
ncol_gr3a_x	1.640000e-02	5.970000e-02		-0.5782		-0.000000e+00		9.000000e-03	3.080000e-02
nncoa_gr3a_x	9.300000e-02	2.474000e-01		-3.9391		1.200000e-03		8.690000e-02	2.030000e-01
oa_gr3a_x	1.840000e-01	3.641000e-01		-5.1474		4.560000e-02		2.082000e-01	3.829000e-01
ol_gr3a_x	6.020000e-02	1.295000e-01		-1.1795		1.270000e-02		5.900000e-02	1.138000e-01
fna_gr3a_x	1.560000e-02	8.920000e-02		-1.1421		0.000000e+00		0.000000e+00	0.000000e+00
fnl_gr3a_x	4.560000e-02	2.040000e-01		-1.8999		-1.910000e-02		2.600000e-02	1.304000e-01
nfna_gr3a_x	-3.150000e-02	2.282000e-01		-1.3255		-1.318000e-01		-2.310000e-02	4.440000e-02
gp_gr3a_x	7.850000e-02	1.870000e-01		-1.2858		4.200000e-03		5.550000e-02	1.554000e-01
ebitda_gr3a_x	2.410000e-02	1.330000e-01		-1.0362		-8.600000e-03		2.410000e-02	7.360000e-02
ebit_gr3a_x	1.490000e-02	1.346000e-01		-1.1637		-1.460000e-02		1.620000e-02	6.010000e-02
ope_gr3a_x	2.290000e-02	1.350000e-01		-1.1140		-1.410000e-02		2.540000e-02	7.260000e-02
ni_gr3a_x	5.500000e-03	1.607000e-01		-2.0040		-1.480000e-02		8.900000e-03	4.110000e-02
nix_gr3a_x	5.200000e-03	1.722000e-01		-2.2144		-1.670000e-02		8.800000e-03	4.270000e-02
dp_gr3a_x	9.200000e-03	2.780000e-02		-0.6566		5.000000e-04		7.400000e-03	1.760000e-02
ocf_gr3a_x	1.030000e-02	1.536000e-01		-0.9623		-3.950000e-02		1.100000e-02	6.680000e-02
fcf_gr3a_x	-2.300000e-03	1.806000e-01		-0.9594		-6.520000e-02		3.500000e-03	6.430000e-02
nwc_gr3a_x	5.470000e-02	2.333000e-01		-3.1433		-2.400000e-02		4.470000e-02	1.438000e-01
dltnetis_gr3a_x	-7.000000e-03	1.381000e-01		-0.9437		-3.150000e-02		0.000000e+00	2.360000e-02
dstnetis_gr3a_x	-1.000000e-04	7.960000e-02		-0.7776		-1.420000e-02		0.000000e+00	1.680000e-02
dbnetis_gr3a_x	-7.400000e-03	1.681000e-01		-1.2437		-4.610000e-02		0.000000e+00	4.140000e-02
tax_gr3a_x	6.500000e-03	3.600000e-02		-0.2190		-4.800000e-03		2.700000e-03	1.970000e-02
div_gr3a_x	2.200000e-03	1.420000e-02		-0.2110		0.000000e+00		0.000000e+00	4.200000e-03
capx_gr3a_x	1.340000e-02	6.720000e-02		-0.6838		-6.700000e-03		6.500000e-03	3.240000e-02
capx_at_x	6.630000e-02	7.300000e-02		-0.0305		1.920000e-02		4.470000e-02	8.570000e-02
	1890568.0								9.231000e-01
	1864897.0								4.683000e-01
	1784074.0								6.632000e-01
	2078323.0								5.514000e-01
	1936459.0								4.801000e-01
	1751204.0								1.079000e-01
	2098723.0								7.496000e-01
	1843283.0								1.273000e-01
	1880953.0								6.791000e-01
	1907173.0								4.559000e-01
	1861920.0								5.604000e-01
	1899708.0								8.112000e-01
	1887939.0								4.104000e-01
	1861492.0								8.094000e-01
	1880920.0								9.247000e-01
	1887939.0								6.233000e-01
	2302373.0								7.162000e-01
	2105333.0								8.753000e-01
	2105333.0								2.048000e+00
	2074121.0								1.274100e+00
	2079592.0								1.478800e+00
	2081034.0								1.985300e+00
	1772515.0								1.382600e+00
	2095331.0								3.365400e+00
	2095331.0								3.330500e+00
	1998657.0								3.627000e-01
	2026157.0								1.459300e+00
	1875380.0								1.668700e+00
	1880705.0								9.475000e-01
	2057295.0								8.602000e-01
	1975805.0								6.541000e-01
	2058325.0								1.075700e+00
	2090131.0								2.106000e-01
	2069485.0								2.609000e-01
	1877910.0								3.679000e-01
	2305667.0								6.092000e-01

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spi_at_x	-1.010000e-02	4.960000e-02		-1.3123	-2.700000e-03	0.000000e+00	0.000000e+00	1.961000e-01	
xido_at_x	-5.000000e-04	1.800000e-02		-0.4152	0.000000e+00	0.000000e+00	0.000000e+00	1.762000e-01	
nri_at_x	-1.080000e-02	6.070000e-02		-1.5759	-4.600000e-03	0.000000e+00	0.000000e+00	2.675000e-01	
gp_sale_x	8.440000e-02	3.062100e+00		-124.7476	2.080000e-01	3.345000e-01	5.045000e-01	9.763000e-01	
ebitda_sale_x	-3.073000e-01	4.409900e+00		-171.6176	5.970000e-02	1.272000e-01	2.277000e-01	7.373000e-01	
ebit_sale_x	-3.840000e-01	4.578500e+00		-185.0447	3.170000e-02	8.990000e-02	1.721000e-01	6.154000e-01	
pi_sale_x	-4.469000e-01	4.876400e+00		-184.2990	1.190000e-02	7.260000e-02	1.445000e-01	7.101000e-01	
ni_sale_x	-4.693000e-01	4.796100e+00		-184.2990	7.200000e-03	4.550000e-02	9.440000e-02	5.566000e-01	
nix_sale_x	-4.745000e-01	4.848700e+00		-184.2990	6.200000e-03	4.620000e-02	9.640000e-02	6.508000e-01	
ocf_sale_x	-3.439000e-01	3.755000e+00		-140.2577	-1.520000e-02	5.800000e-02	1.448000e-01	1.412300e+00	
fcf_sale_x	-5.418000e-01	4.134400e+00		-125.9694	-1.053000e-01	-1.100000e-03	6.670000e-02	1.210500e+00	
gp_at_x	3.011000e-01	2.895000e-01		-1.2660	1.023000e-01	2.659000e-01	4.563000e-01	1.412300e+00	
ebitda_at_x	7.710000e-02	1.992000e-01		-2.1076	2.950000e-02	1.080000e-01	1.699000e-01	5.122000e-01	
ebit_at_x	4.100000e-02	1.986000e-01		-2.1142	1.820000e-02	7.130000e-02	1.269000e-01	4.730000e-01	
fi_at_x	1.660000e-02	2.114000e-01		-2.6041	2.010000e-02	6.410000e-02	9.800000e-02	3.716000e-01	
cop_at_x	1.333000e-01	1.925000e-01		-1.1882	3.940000e-02	1.365000e-01	2.302000e-01	1.940400e+00	
ni_at_x	-5.000000e-03	2.045000e-01		-2.8828	3.400000e-03	3.510000e-02	7.410000e-02	3.332000e-01	
ope_be_x	1.569000e-01	5.427000e-01		-8.8149	9.490000e-02	2.136000e-01	3.261000e-01	3.725100e+00	
ni_be_x	-1.990000e-02	5.962000e-01		-10.7541	1.720000e-02	9.500000e-02	1.504000e-01	1.450500e+00	
nix_be_x	-2.270000e-02	6.187000e-01		-11.9515	1.490000e-02	9.590000e-02	1.526000e-01	1.558300e+00	
ocf_be_x	4.150000e-02	5.350000e-01		-7.2459	-3.990000e-02	1.089000e-01	2.199000e-01	4.068700e+00	
fcf_be_x	-1.352000e-01	6.520000e-01		-9.8959	-2.117000e-01	-4.000000e-03	1.206000e-01	2.895100e+00	
gp_bev_x	6.940000e-01	1.236500e+00		-11.0645	2.172000e-01	4.625000e-01	8.366000e-01	1.753110e+01	
ebitda_bev_x	5.730000e-02	1.310800e+00		-38.6063	9.750000e-02	1.837000e-01	2.972000e-01	3.290900e+00	
ebit_bev_x	-2.510000e-02	1.386000e+00		-41.0563	5.220000e-02	1.282000e-01	2.282000e-01	2.800000e+00	
fi_bev_x	-8.600000e-02	1.345800e+00		-38.5103	4.190000e-02	9.910000e-02	1.608000e-01	2.274200e+00	
cop_bev_x	3.139000e-01	8.344000e-01		-8.9448	8.920000e-02	2.259000e-01	4.111000e-01	1.607970e+01	
gp_ppen_x	2.766900e+00	6.510900e+00		-130.5385	4.559000e-01	1.518900e+00	3.353000e+00	1.035052e+02	
ebitda_ppen_x	-1.134000e-01	1.280070e+01		-558.0000	1.689000e-01	4.726000e-01	1.116300e+00	3.389320e+01	
fcf_ppen_x	-8.658000e-01	1.104610e+01		-423.4211	-3.778000e-01	-1.180000e-02	3.338000e-01	3.272670e+01	
fincl_at_x	6.050000e-02	2.270000e-01		-0.9085	-4.100000e-02	1.800000e-03	8.120000e-02	1.643700e+00	
netis_at_x	2.900000e-02	2.576000e-01		-1.3681	-4.860000e-02	0.000000e+00	5.940000e-02	1.592800e+00	
eqnetis_at_x	5.680000e-02	1.918000e-01		-0.3507	-8.000000e-04	6.000000e-04	1.520000e-02	1.488800e+00	
eqis_at_x	7.050000e-02	1.912000e-01		-0.1034	0.000000e+00	3.200000e-03	2.280000e-02	1.535600e+00	
dbnetis_at_x	-2.120000e-02	1.573000e-01		-1.3624	-3.980000e-02	-8.000000e-04	2.270000e-02	6.456000e-01	
dltnetis_at_x	-2.430000e-02	1.364000e-01		-1.2268	-3.180000e-02	-2.200000e-03	1.200000e-03	5.184000e-01	

		count	mean	std	min	25%	50%	75%	max	
dstnetis_at_x	2428021.0	3.500000e-03	6.050000e-02		-0.4789	-0.4789	-5.100000e-03	0.000000e+00	1.130000e-02	4.836000e-01
eqnpo_at_x	2177364.0	-4.470000e-02	1.949000e-01		-1.4673	-1.4673	-1.110000e-02	8.000000e-04	2.020000e-02	4.462000e-01
eqbb_at_x	2059717.0	1.250000e-02	3.500000e-02		-0.0026	-0.0026	0.000000e+00	0.000000e+00	5.300000e-03	4.018000e-01
div_at_x	2500964.0	1.160000e-02	2.170000e-02		0.0000	0.0000	0.000000e+00	1.900000e-03	1.660000e-02	3.183000e-01
oaccruals_at_x	2261617.0	-1.580000e-02	1.522000e-01		-2.2637	-2.2637	-7.200000e-02	-1.830000e-02	4.760000e-02	6.719000e-01
oaccruals_ni_x	2260635.0	-5.853000e-01	6.180500e+00		-71.4418	-71.4418	-1.208700e+00	-2.712000e-01	6.967000e-01	8.515790e+01
taccruals_at_x	2240180.0	-3.100000e-02	2.045000e-01		-2.4802	-2.4802	-9.100000e-02	-1.180000e-02	4.930000e-02	1.294200e+00
taccruals_ni_x	2238904.0	-1.448100e+00	8.683400e+00		-131.5096	-131.5096	-1.516600e+00	-1.946000e-01	7.622000e-01	6.728570e+01
noa_at_x	2142866.0	6.816000e-01	4.649000e-01		-1.1515	-1.1515	4.896000e-01	6.884000e-01	8.418000e-01	1.038840e+01
be_beve_x	2368048.0	1.343100e+00	2.666700e+00		0.0326	0.0326	5.543000e-01	8.086000e-01	1.190400e+00	6.053070e+01
debt_beve_x	2416506.0	4.732000e-01	6.162000e-01		0.0000	0.0000	1.399000e-01	3.804000e-01	6.012000e-01	1.276120e+01
cash_beve_x	2397575.0	8.357000e-01	3.110100e+00		0.0000	0.0000	3.800000e-02	1.245000e-01	4.276000e-01	8.007360e+01
psbk_beve_x	2418755.0	2.720000e-02	1.704000e-01		0.0000	0.0000	0.000000e+00	0.000000e+00	0.000000e+00	7.089400e+00
debtlt_beve_x	2412477.0	3.446000e-01	4.482000e-01		0.0000	0.0000	5.390000e-02	2.671000e-01	4.815000e-01	9.026500e+00
debtst_beve_x	2403343.0	1.233000e-01	2.903000e-01		0.0000	0.0000	3.200000e-03	3.390000e-02	1.172000e-01	5.633000e+00
int_debt_x	1959042.0	1.258000e-01	3.153000e-01		0.0000	0.0000	5.310000e-02	7.610000e-02	1.063000e-01	7.750000e+00
int_debtlt_x	1874541.0	3.393000e-01	1.552500e+00		0.0000	0.0000	6.360000e-02	9.400000e-02	1.485000e-01	4.145000e+01
ebitda_debt_x	2242375.0	2.161600e+00	2.312980e+01		-362.2105	-362.2105	1.666000e-01	3.959000e-01	9.501000e-01	5.562212e+02
profit_cl_x	2270271.0	4.298000e-01	1.566600e+00		-11.9038	-11.9038	2.114000e-01	5.648000e-01	1.016300e+00	6.155300e+00
ocf_cl_x	2269486.0	5.390000e-02	1.456200e+00		-14.9568	-14.9568	-1.363000e-01	2.183000e-01	5.993000e-01	5.976400e+00
ocf_debt_x	2189764.0	1.253200e+00	1.968000e+01		-264.1167	-264.1167	-7.590000e-02	1.564000e-01	5.185000e-01	4.307215e+02
cash_lt_x	2487462.0	7.781000e-01	2.113200e+00		0.0000	0.0000	4.150000e-02	1.312000e-01	5.084000e-01	2.990910e+01
inv_act_x	2124755.0	2.719000e-01	2.276000e-01		0.0000	0.0000	4.860000e-02	2.538000e-01	4.448000e-01	9.113000e-01
rec_act_x	2130411.0	3.499000e-01	2.071000e-01		0.0000	0.0000	1.990000e-01	3.479000e-01	4.754000e-01	9.455000e-01
debtst_debt_x	2235158.0	2.916000e-01	3.181000e-01		0.0000	0.0000	3.900000e-02	1.578000e-01	4.582000e-01	1.000000e+00
cl_lt_x	2271050.0	5.408000e-01	2.822000e-01		0.0172	0.0172	3.033000e-01	5.188000e-01	7.861000e-01	1.000000e+00
debtlt_debt_x	2251637.0	7.215000e-01	3.158000e-01		0.0000	0.0000	5.637000e-01	8.571000e-01	9.724000e-01	1.000000e+00
lt_ppen_x	2467297.0	1.413180e+01	4.095230e+01		0.0809	0.0809	1.032300e+00	2.019600e+00	5.768200e+00	7.630447e+02
debtlt_be_x	2439883.0	7.140000e-01	1.464700e+00		0.0000	0.0000	3.360000e-02	3.025000e-01	7.618000e-01	2.225160e+01
opex_at_x	2503218.0	9.413000e-01	8.196000e-01		0.0029	0.0029	3.295000e-01	7.872000e-01	1.304500e+00	7.158500e+00
nwc_at_x	2253296.0	2.724000e-01	2.457000e-01		-0.7924	-0.7924	8.520000e-02	2.536000e-01	4.349000e-01	9.547000e-01
debt_at_x	2514980.0	2.331000e-01	2.095000e-01		0.0000	0.0000	5.090000e-02	1.957000e-01	3.591000e-01	1.428700e+00
debt_be_x	2444508.0	9.825000e-01	1.972300e+00		0.0000	0.0000	9.520000e-02	4.426000e-01	1.023800e+00	3.440000e+01
ebit_int_x	2038745.0	1.266250e+01	1.784445e+02		-3702.0000	-3702.0000	1.253300e+00	4.003000e+00	1.124330e+01	3.302250e+03
inv_days_x	2394275.0	8.869850e+01	1.683021e+02		0.0000	0.0000	9.009300e+00	5.392190e+01	1.091676e+02	3.574195e+03
rec_days_x	2403668.0	3.602296e+02	9.967740e+02		0.0000	0.0000	3.863530e+01	5.827670e+01	8.822010e+01	7.354934e+03

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ap_days_x	2314657.0	1.459695e+03	7.489965e+03		0.7812		2.587680e+01	4.209780e+01	7.865320e+01	1.412089e+05	
cash_conversion_x	1836443.0	1.256743e+02	2.122532e+02		0.0000		4.172550e+01	8.193360e+01	1.398610e+02	3.521431e+03	
cash_cl_x	2262167.0	1.419800e+00	3.231200e+00		0.0000		1.124000e-01	3.726000e-01	1.177400e+00	3.650000e+01	
caliq_cl_x	2241081.0	2.487700e+00	3.827100e+00		0.0581		9.004000e-01	1.378900e+00	2.376600e+00	4.066670e+01	
ca_cl_x	2252774.0	3.162200e+00	3.912700e+00		0.0824		1.372500e+00	2.102000e+00	3.307100e+00	4.119530e+01	
inv_turnover_x	1990611.0	1.861590e+01	4.951140e+01		0.0438		2.956600e+00	5.130900e+00	1.205000e+01	7.307939e+02	
at_turnover_x	2482416.0	1.084900e+00	9.318000e-01		0.0000		3.768000e-01	9.269000e-01	1.525100e+00	9.298300e+00	
rec_turnover_x	2400338.0	1.234110e+01	2.636800e+01		0.0000		4.039600e+00	6.187900e+00	9.236800e+00	2.787135e+02	
ap_turnover_x	2229997.0	1.163840e+01	1.238900e+01		-0.1258		4.826800e+00	8.918500e+00	1.434510e+01	1.336129e+02	
sale_bev_x	2408388.0	2.269200e+00	2.923100e+00		0.0000		7.623000e-01	1.580300e+00	2.598800e+00	3.887110e+01	
sale_be_x	2437063.0	2.732600e+00	3.718300e+00		0.0000		9.001000e-01	1.758000e+00	3.096000e+00	5.438940e+01	
div_ni_x	1963756.0	3.126000e-01	5.775000e-01		0.0000		0.000000e+00	1.650000e-01	4.135000e-01	1.293670e+01	
sale_nwc_x	2017664.0	9.746900e+00	2.267620e+01		0.0000		2.066900e+00	3.971600e+00	7.750900e+00	3.110241e+02	
tax_pi_x	1999061.0	3.279000e-01	3.117000e-01		-7.2981		2.705000e-01	3.654000e-01	4.329000e-01	5.548900e+00	
cash_at_x	2496082.0	1.581000e-01	2.035000e-01		0.0000		2.580000e-02	7.260000e-02	2.026000e-01	9.799000e-01	
ni_emp_x	2332173.0	-1.044570e+01	1.898294e+02	-3810.3810	0.0000		4.055000e-01	4.200600e+00	1.703640e+01	1.438498e+03	
sale_emp_x	2328826.0	2.691786e+02	5.003031e+02		0.0000		6.301400e+01	1.411000e+02	2.763478e+02	7.782523e+03	
sale_emp_gr1_x	2120715.0	1.123000e-01	4.553000e-01		-0.9563		-3.330000e-02	5.300000e-02	1.513000e-01	7.027000e+00	
emp_gr1_x	2048454.0	7.670000e-02	2.504000e-01		-1.3333		-3.060000e-02	4.520000e-02	1.538000e-01	1.483100e+00	
ni_inc8q_x	1837805.0	3.116800e+00	3.262400e+00		0.0000		0.000000e+00	2.000000e+00	7.000000e+00	8.000000e+00	
noa_gr1a_x	2130139.0	1.277000e-01	4.002000e-01		-0.7366		-1.750000e-02	4.940000e-02	1.574000e-01	1.075230e+01	
ppeinv_gr1a_x	2130674.0	1.104000e-01	2.282000e-01		-0.5663		9.400000e-03	5.870000e-02	1.436000e-01	3.078700e+00	
lnoa_gr1a_x	2042945.0	3.180000e-02	9.170000e-02		-0.5778		-3.800000e-03	1.370000e-02	4.740000e-02	7.544000e-01	
capx_gr2_x	1996106.0	1.219100e+00	4.305300e+00		-1.4277		-2.477000e-01	2.272000e-01	1.043000e+00	7.697220e+01	
saleq_gr1_x	2256822.0	2.428000e-01	8.315000e-01		-1.0000		-1.270000e-02	9.890000e-02	2.606000e-01	1.574840e+01	
niq_be_x	2153966.0	5.000000e-04	1.393000e-01		-2.0216		1.600000e-03	2.420000e-02	4.290000e-02	6.993000e-01	
niq_at_x	2218680.0	-2.200000e-03	6.080000e-02		-0.6672		0.000000e+00	8.200000e-03	2.060000e-02	1.818000e-01	
niq_be_chg1_x	1961181.0	-7.700000e-03	1.339000e-01		-2.0038		-1.650000e-02	-6.000000e-04	1.090000e-02	1.227600e+00	
niq_at_chg1_x	2044996.0	3.000000e-04	5.400000e-02		-0.4547		-7.100000e-03	-0.000000e+00	5.600000e-03	8.413000e-01	
dsale_dinv_x	1796036.0	-4.380000e-02	8.780000e-01		-19.4778		-1.460000e-01	2.150000e-02	1.949000e-01	5.598300e+00	
dsale_drec_x	2136436.0	-3.080000e-02	6.202000e-01		-7.3996		-1.418000e-01	1.500000e-03	1.418000e-01	7.637700e+00	
dgp_dsale_x	2120443.0	2.720000e-02	5.405000e-01		-5.9700		-7.530000e-02	2.300000e-03	8.380000e-02	1.201120e+01	
dsale_dsga_x	1827645.0	2.310000e-02	3.643000e-01		-2.2251		-8.920000e-02	-1.000000e-04	9.360000e-02	6.963700e+00	
saleq_su_x	1944544.0	1.618000e-01	1.699500e+00		-16.0960		-8.666000e-01	1.532000e-01	1.125000e+00	3.358810e+01	
niq_su_x	1972831.0	-1.123000e-01	1.940400e+00		-50.8463		-7.565000e-01	5.100000e-03	7.529000e-01	2.019490e+01	
capex_abn_x	1806456.0	1.173000e-01	9.626000e-01		-1.1469		-3.685000e-01	-6.920000e-02	2.932000e-01	1.196350e+01	

		count	mean	std	min	25%	50%	75%	max
op_atl1_x	241570.0	1.32000e-01	2.47200e-01	2.47200e-01	-6.9463	4.86000e-02	1.35500e-01	2.22700e-01	1.125400e+00
gp_atl1_x	2413733.0	3.63900e-01	3.76300e-01	3.76300e-01	-1.9036	1.16200e-01	3.03200e-01	5.35600e-01	2.788000e+00
ope_bell1_x	2010286.0	2.20200e-01	6.57500e-01	6.57500e-01	-13.6285	1.06300e-01	2.42500e-01	3.88000e-01	4.617600e+00
cop_atl1_x	2237311.0	1.40900e-01	2.86300e-01	2.86300e-01	-3.8344	4.50000e-02	1.50500e-01	2.56300e-01	1.923400e+00
pinix_x	1959639.0	1.61500e+00	6.86100e-01	6.86100e-01	0.1059	1.34070e+00	1.57290e+00	1.77790e+00	1.989360e+01
ocf_at_x	2449158.0	1.15000e-02	1.87200e-01	1.87200e-01	-1.8184	-2.14000e-02	4.09000e-02	1.03300e-01	5.97900e-01
op_at_x	2505194.0	1.11300e-01	1.57500e-01	1.57500e-01	-1.2330	4.20000e-02	1.20500e-01	1.89200e-01	5.66200e-01
ocf_at_chg1_x	233855.0	2.30000e-03	1.62700e-01	1.62700e-01	-1.0782	-4.77000e-02	-1.00000e-04	4.63000e-02	1.390100e+00
at_be_x	2452393.0	3.71490e+00	4.77970e+00	4.77970e+00	1.0000	1.46900e+00	2.02960e+00	3.24090e+00	5.963100e+01
niq_saleq_std_x	1902197.0	1.36060e+00	1.14980e+01	1.14980e+01	0.0008	1.93000e-02	4.26000e-02	1.23600e-01	3.177766e+02
roe_be_std_x	1799259.0	1.61100e-01	4.73200e-01	4.73200e-01	0.0021	2.23000e-02	4.76000e-02	1.13300e-01	9.225400e+00
tangibility_x	2201788.0	6.50200e-01	1.91600e-01	1.91600e-01	0.0025	5.54000e-01	6.63800e-01	7.61400e-01	1.684700e+00
earnings_variability_x	1752776.0	8.63900e-01	1.03740e+00	1.03740e+00	0.0243	2.57700e-01	5.76500e-01	1.05290e+00	1.145280e+01
aliq_at_x	2174808.0	8.26300e-01	8.00500e-01	8.00500e-01	0.1044	5.79200e-01	6.94600e-01	8.42300e-01	2.803980e+01
f_score_x	1978727.0	4.91150e+00	1.72850e+00	1.72850e+00	0.0000	4.00000e+00	5.00000e+00	6.00000e+00	9.00000e+00
o_score_x	2127585.0	-1.90210e+00	3.03520e+00	3.03520e+00	-9.3872	-3.59850e+00	-2.30900e+00	-8.85700e-01	2.287030e+01
z_score_x	2126989.0	5.52680e+00	9.35700e+00	9.35700e+00	-37.3359	1.99220e+00	3.44670e+00	5.63730e+00	1.744239e+02
intrinsic_value_x	1899809.0	1.317903e+03	5.258077e+03	5.258077e+03	0.0982	3.489040e+01	1.295681e+02	5.706605e+02	1.130984e+05
kz_index_x	2167838.0	-1.126290e+01	5.19080e+01	5.19080e+01	-1733.5716	-6.93660e+00	-1.46720e+00	5.96200e-01	8.903350e+01
gpoa_ch5_x	1799428.0	-5.00000e-03	1.93900e-01	1.93900e-01	-1.1201	-7.08000e-02	-2.90000e-03	5.56000e-02	1.669700e+00
roe_ch5_x	1718355.0	-1.40000e-02	5.54300e-01	5.54300e-01	-7.5143	-7.57000e-02	-6.10000e-03	5.40000e-02	7.791500e+00
roa_ch5_x	1824336.0	4.90000e-03	1.91700e-01	1.91700e-01	-1.6595	-3.64000e-02	-1.80000e-03	2.65000e-02	3.283900e+00
cfoa_ch5_x	1759171.0	1.52000e-02	1.82500e-01	1.82500e-01	-0.9610	-5.57000e-02	2.50000e-03	7.10000e-02	2.175100e+00
gmar_ch5_x	1777826.0	4.20000e-02	9.59300e-01	9.59300e-01	-24.3597	-4.33000e-02	2.70000e-03	5.14000e-02	3.059480e+01
ni_ar1_x	1798398.0	2.12700e-01	6.11000e-01	6.11000e-01	-3.9640	-1.46300e-01	1.67400e-01	5.07800e-01	9.144200e+00
ni_vol_x	1798398.0	5.09000e-02	1.05400e-01	1.05400e-01	0.0003	7.90000e-03	1.91000e-02	4.64000e-02	1.756800e+00
at_me_x	2522907.0	2.71040e+00	4.95310e+00	4.95310e+00	0.0086	5.78800e-01	1.23020e+00	2.68740e+00	1.923122e+02
be_me_x	2452453.0	7.41100e-01	7.14100e-01	7.14100e-01	0.0050	3.07200e-01	5.72900e-01	9.55700e-01	2.516310e+01
debt_me_x	2515141.0	7.13600e-01	1.64780e+00	1.64780e+00	0.0000	3.61000e-02	2.33300e-01	7.14500e-01	6.550580e+01
netdebt_me_x	2515141.0	4.70700e-01	1.48050e+00	1.48050e+00	-3.4965	-6.24000e-02	1.14600e-01	5.47200e-01	5.866260e+01
cash_me_x	2496218.0	2.45900e-01	5.84300e-01	5.84300e-01	0.0000	3.34000e-02	9.50000e-02	2.30100e-01	1.478940e+01
sale_me_x	2509790.0	1.84840e+00	3.08810e+00	3.08810e+00	0.0000	3.85400e-01	9.08000e-01	2.04910e+00	7.507530e+01
gp_me_x	2504145.0	4.72900e-01	6.84500e-01	6.84500e-01	-5.3506	1.50300e-01	2.95500e-01	5.58700e-01	1.896990e+01
ebitda_me_x	2506237.0	1.59400e-01	2.70700e-01	2.70700e-01	-5.8474	5.65000e-02	1.33100e-01	2.36300e-01	5.597900e+00
ebit_me_x	2507305.0	9.60000e-02	2.45500e-01	2.45500e-01	-7.4186	3.00000e-02	9.50000e-02	1.71600e-01	3.506600e+00
ope_me_x	2183835.0	1.08500e-01	2.51600e-01	2.51600e-01	-8.0248	3.92000e-02	1.08400e-01	1.91100e-01	3.793500e+00

		count	mean	std	min	25%	50%	75%	max		
ni_me_x	2517298.0	1.200000e-03	3.459000e-01		-18.9294		5.500000e-03		4.900000e-02	8.530000e-02	9.917000e-01
nix_me_x	2517298.0	-1.200000e-03	3.693000e-01		-20.3694		4.100000e-03		4.920000e-02	8.650000e-02	1.036200e+00
cop_me_x	2259562.0	2.183000e-01	5.014000e-01		-3.5452		4.550000e-02		1.406000e-01	2.768000e-01	2.124680e+01
ocf_me_x	2450553.0	4.280000e-02	2.747000e-01		-5.6691		-1.830000e-02		5.360000e-02	1.205000e-01	5.711200e+00
fcf_me_x	2303306.0	-7.030000e-02	3.536000e-01		-8.5448		-1.065000e-01		-2.600000e-03	5.530000e-02	4.202300e+00
div_me_x	2501593.0	1.780000e-02	2.950000e-02		0.0000		0.000000e+00		3.900000e-03	2.660000e-02	1.049700e+00
eqbb_me_x	2059868.0	1.380000e-02	3.780000e-02		-0.0037		0.000000e+00		0.000000e+00	7.800000e-03	8.704000e-01
eqis_me_x	2142182.0	4.550000e-02	1.388000e-01		-0.1339		1.000000e-04		3.500000e-03	1.830000e-02	5.839400e+00
eqpo_me_x	2058263.0	3.150000e-02	5.660000e-02		-0.0013		0.000000e+00		1.120000e-02	4.150000e-02	1.725500e+00
equpo_me_x	2177501.0	-1.430000e-02	1.450000e-01		-6.1142		-8.100000e-03		1.200000e-03	3.130000e-02	1.442900e+00
eqnetis_me_x	2181408.0	3.130000e-02	1.401000e-01		-0.6866		-1.400000e-03		7.000000e-04	1.260000e-02	5.679700e+00
at_mev_x	2480516.0	1.759600e+00	3.280300e+00		0.0085		5.638000e-01		1.008000e+00	1.587100e+00	6.916660e+01
bev_mev_x	2404633.0	6.919000e-01	5.487000e-01		0.0009		3.194000e-01		6.308000e-01	9.482000e-01	1.692550e+01
ppen_mev_x	2459710.0	3.322000e-01	3.872000e-01		0.0000		5.950000e-02		1.893000e-01	4.753000e-01	6.654400e+00
be_mev_x	2410201.0	6.153000e-01	8.336000e-01		0.0050		2.513000e-01		4.357000e-01	7.057000e-01	2.914710e+01
cash_mev_x	2460357.0	2.333000e-01	6.611000e-01		0.0000		2.350000e-02		6.940000e-02	1.825000e-01	1.486960e+01
sale_mev_x	2472091.0	1.265200e+00	1.765600e+00		0.0000		3.146000e-01		7.343000e-01	1.550900e+00	3.775600e+01
gp_mev_x	2467238.0	3.453000e-01	4.647000e-01		-2.4081		1.209000e-01		2.305000e-01	4.284000e-01	1.314000e+01
ebitda_mev_x	2469299.0	1.012000e-01	2.101000e-01		-5.5869		5.090000e-02		1.060000e-01	1.669000e-01	2.711700e+00
ebit_mev_x	2470075.0	6.010000e-02	2.226000e-01		-6.8743		2.670000e-02		7.470000e-02	1.222000e-01	2.601300e+00
cop_mev_x	2243652.0	1.516000e-01	2.798000e-01		-2.3844		4.200000e-02		1.203000e-01	2.126000e-01	8.747500e+00
ocf_mev_x	2431339.0	3.150000e-02	1.968000e-01		-4.7377		-1.650000e-02		4.340000e-02	9.350000e-02	2.334400e+00
fcf_mev_x	2286863.0	-3.800000e-02	2.261000e-01		-6.0410		-8.630000e-02		-2.300000e-03	4.670000e-02	1.728000e+00
debt_mev_x	2480615.0	3.008000e-01	3.502000e-01		0.0000		4.020000e-02		2.106000e-01	4.607000e-01	7.224300e+00
pstk_mev_x	2479267.0	1.480000e-02	5.860000e-02		0.0000		0.000000e+00		0.000000e+00	0.000000e+00	1.220500e+00
debtlt_mev_x	2476104.0	2.224000e-01	2.443000e-01		0.0000		1.400000e-02		1.446000e-01	3.542000e-01	2.411300e+00
debtst_mev_x	2461067.0	8.090000e-02	2.125000e-01		0.0000		9.000000e-04		1.690000e-02	7.010000e-02	5.292900e+00
dlttnetis_mev_x	2453443.0	-3.150000e-02	1.853000e-01		-3.5613		-3.440000e-02		-1.900000e-03	1.200000e-03	6.324000e-01
dstnetis_mev_x	2393968.0	4.100000e-03	9.390000e-02		-1.0163		-4.800000e-03		0.000000e+00	1.110000e-02	1.122900e+00
dbnetis_mev_x	2454176.0	-2.880000e-02	2.223000e-01		-4.4848		-4.210000e-02		-6.000000e-04	2.280000e-02	1.188800e+00
netis_mev_x	2164671.0	-8.300000e-03	2.729000e-01		-4.6395		-5.040000e-02		0.000000e+00	5.030000e-02	5.358400e+00
finfcf_mev_x	2164802.0	3.700000e-02	2.405000e-01		-2.3006		-4.040000e-02		1.300000e-03	7.090000e-02	6.822000e+00
aliq_mat_x	2036506.0	5.016000e-01	2.661000e-01		0.0270		3.052000e-01		4.793000e-01	6.504000e-01	3.973200e+00
eq_dur_x	2193667.0	1.598720e+01	5.630900e+00		0.2861		1.413720e+01		1.612420e+01	1.764670e+01	3.430355e+02
beta_60m_x	2090801.0	1.153800e+00	6.856000e-01		-1.7467		6.897000e-01		1.081600e+00	1.528500e+00	4.912400e+00
ivol_capn_60m_x	2090801.0	1.172000e-01	6.560000e-02		0.0288		7.050000e-02		1.002000e-01	1.454000e-01	5.392000e-01



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resff3_12_1_x	-2.21000e-02	2.736000e-01		-1.1550	-1.908000e-01	-8.900000e-03	1.610000e-01	7.899000e-01	
resff3_6_1_x	-5.42000e-02	5.396000e-01		-2.9537	-3.435000e-01	-2.040000e-02	2.734000e-01	1.925800e+00	
mispricing_mngmt_x	4.896000e-01	1.856000e-01		0.0147	3.610000e-01	5.047000e-01	6.284000e-01	9.427000e-01	
mispricing_perf_x	5.208000e-01	2.065000e-01		0.0099	3.773000e-01	5.270000e-01	6.749000e-01	9.881000e-01	
zero_trades_21d_x	9.102000e-01	2.670500e+00		0.0000	1.800000e-03	3.700000e-03	7.200000e-03	2.100980e+01	
dolvol_126d_x	1.272436e+07	5.041472e+07		36.1000	6.023594e+04	3.756701e+05	3.493927e+06	1.038495e+09	
dolvol_var_126d_x	1.275800e+00	7.751000e-01		0.2622	7.587000e-01	1.088500e+00	1.545100e+00	8.289100e+00	
turnover_126d_x	4.300000e-03	6.800000e-03		0.0000	9.000000e-04	2.200000e-03	5.300000e-03	2.857000e-01	
turnover_var_126d_x	1.251900e+00	7.609000e-01		0.2796	7.459000e-01	1.058700e+00	1.509700e+00	7.678300e+00	
zero_trades_126d_x	9.170000e-01	2.511100e+00		0.0000	1.900000e-03	4.000000e-03	1.771000e-01	1.949730e+01	
zero_trades_252d_x	9.236000e-01	2.470600e+00		0.0001	2.000000e-03	4.300000e-03	2.625000e-01	1.910030e+01	
bidaskhl_21d_x	1.470000e-02	1.810000e-02		0.0011	5.600000e-03	9.400000e-03	1.710000e-02	5.318000e-01	
rvolhl_21d_x	2.130000e-02	1.570000e-02		0.0000	1.100000e-02	1.720000e-02	2.680000e-02	1.854000e-01	
beta_21d_x	8.736000e-01	1.205700e+00		-11.1429	2.238000e-01	8.042000e-01	1.458000e+00	1.276490e+01	
ivol_capm_21d_x	2.710000e-02	1.960000e-02		0.0018	1.400000e-02	2.160000e-02	3.380000e-02	2.415000e-01	
iskew_capm_21d_x	2.407000e-01	8.745000e-01		-3.5665	-2.542000e-01	2.053000e-01	7.097000e-01	3.715300e+00	
coskew_21d_x	-1.530000e-02	3.111000e-01		-1.4678	-2.232000e-01	-2.070000e-02	1.886000e-01	1.347500e+00	
beta_dimson_21d_x	9.503000e-01	1.950600e+00		-19.3713	4.290000e-02	8.515000e-01	1.798400e+00	2.341690e+01	
ivol_ff3_21d_x	2.640000e-02	1.930000e-02		0.0018	1.360000e-02	2.100000e-02	3.300000e-02	2.340000e-01	
iskew_ff3_21d_x	1.990000e-01	7.943000e-01		-3.1203	-2.632000e-01	1.696000e-01	6.344000e-01	3.455800e+00	
ivol_hxz4_21d_x	2.680000e-02	1.960000e-02		0.0018	1.370000e-02	2.130000e-02	3.350000e-02	2.397000e-01	
iskew_hxz4_21d_x	1.777000e-01	7.585000e-01		-3.0805	-2.681000e-01	1.513000e-01	6.005000e-01	3.275600e+00	
rmax5_21d_x	3.860000e-02	2.910000e-02		0.0022	1.960000e-02	3.050000e-02	4.810000e-02	3.544000e-01	
rmax1_21d_x	6.730000e-02	5.830000e-02		0.0035	3.110000e-02	5.000000e-02	8.280000e-02	8.996000e-01	
rvol_21d_x	2.970000e-02	2.060000e-02		0.0018	1.590000e-02	2.400000e-02	3.690000e-02	2.515000e-01	
rskew_21d_x	2.439000e-01	8.740000e-01		-3.5810	-2.529000e-01	2.077000e-01	7.136000e-01	3.808400e+00	
ami_126d_x	2.294900e+00	1.277990e+01		0.0000	6.300000e-03	8.310000e-02	7.621000e-01	7.242321e+02	
beta_252d_x	8.972000e-01	6.011000e-01		-1.8325	4.682000e-01	8.481000e-01	1.259200e+00	4.013900e+00	
ivol_capm_252d_x	2.910000e-02	1.710000e-02		0.0050	1.700000e-02	2.480000e-02	3.650000e-02	1.684000e-01	
betadown_252d_x	1.001300e+00	7.817000e-01		-3.9821	5.127000e-01	9.352000e-01	1.414000e+00	5.699200e+00	
prc_highprc_252d_x	7.724000e-01	1.997000e-01		0.0167	6.610000e-01	8.272000e-01	9.318000e-01	1.000000e+00	
rvol_252d_x	3.110000e-02	1.740000e-02		0.0052	1.870000e-02	2.680000e-02	3.870000e-02	1.690000e-01	
corr_1260d_x	190.4407.0	1.650000e-01		-0.0374	2.362000e-01	3.573000e-01	4.786000e-01	8.219000e-01	
betabab_1260d_x	189.3789.0	5.871000e-01		-0.3259	6.475000e-01	1.000500e+00	1.410600e+00	4.274900e+00	
rmax5_rvol_21d_x	234.3331.0	5.049000e-01		0.1125	8.720000e-01	1.159900e+00	1.512600e+00	4.328700e+00	
age_x	2739928.0	1.888040e+02		1.0000	7.900000e+01	1.590000e+02	3.000000e+02	1.115000e+03	

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qmj_x	8.990000e-02	9.763000e-01	9.763000e-01	-1.7027	-7.318000e-01	1.204000e-01	9.350000e-01	1.701100e+00		
qmj_prof_x	9.110000e-02	9.846000e-01	9.846000e-01	-1.7036	-7.339000e-01	1.300000e-01	9.456000e-01	1.698800e+00		
qmj_growth_x	3.610000e-02	9.739000e-01	9.739000e-01	-1.7018	-7.911000e-01	4.900000e-02	8.716000e-01	1.702100e+00		
qmj_safety_x	8.730000e-02	9.713000e-01	9.713000e-01	-1.7012	-7.189000e-01	1.215000e-01	9.239000e-01	1.708800e+00		
r	6.400000e-03	1.555000e-01	1.555000e-01	-1.0113	-6.530000e-02	-1.400000e-03	6.680000e-02	1.988170e+01		
ri	1.770830e+01	6.890425e+02	6.890425e+02	-0.2196	6.348000e-01	1.290100e+00	3.413100e+00	1.527087e+05		
r_f001m	-3.000000e-04	1.452874e+03	1.452874e+03	-11994.7451	-6.730875e+02	-6.488730e+01	5.622922e+02	1.975796e+05		
r_f002m	-4.000000e-04	1.453405e+03	1.453405e+03	-12093.2324	-6.719280e+02	-6.400750e+01	5.623110e+02	1.340182e+05		
r_f003m	-5.000000e-04	1.452500e+03	1.452500e+03	-12181.5869	-6.704744e+02	-6.279780e+01	5.626841e+02	1.023323e+05		
r_f004m	3.000000e-04	1.467237e+03	1.467237e+03	-12221.2090	-6.701777e+02	-6.287600e+01	5.621040e+02	1.259151e+05		
r_f005m	1.000000e-04	1.471883e+03	1.471883e+03	-12192.0312	-6.696848e+02	-6.289280e+01	5.614439e+02	1.259212e+05		
r_f006m	3.000000e-04	1.479795e+03	1.479795e+03	-12242.7471	-6.699737e+02	-6.314070e+01	5.606614e+02	1.259316e+05		
r_f007m	6.000000e-04	1.481432e+03	1.481432e+03	-12249.9131	-6.683008e+02	-6.239580e+01	5.602472e+02	1.895877e+05		
r_f008m	-4.000000e-04	1.494461e+03	1.494461e+03	-12270.5273	-6.684138e+02	-6.289780e+01	5.595248e+02	1.975297e+05		
r_f009m	-7.000000e-04	1.497932e+03	1.497932e+03	-12302.8760	-6.676816e+02	-6.255130e+01	5.583124e+02	1.975135e+05		
r_f010m	0.000000e+00	1.505680e+03	1.505680e+03	-12306.7148	-6.674777e+02	-6.308580e+01	5.573524e+02	1.975094e+05		
r_f011m	0.000000e+00	1.511348e+03	1.511348e+03	-12250.5898	-6.675006e+02	-6.366780e+01	5.557687e+02	1.975246e+05		
r_f012m	-4.000000e-04	1.506349e+03	1.506349e+03	-12207.8350	-6.657420e+02	-6.324470e+01	5.550534e+02	1.975047e+05		
r_f013m	-1.000000e-04	1.515108e+03	1.515108e+03	-12176.1465	-6.655490e+02	-6.377990e+01	5.530358e+02	1.974958e+05		
r_f014m	2.000000e-04	1.510473e+03	1.510473e+03	-11440.9531	-6.651825e+02	-6.383700e+01	5.523057e+02	1.974974e+05		
r_f015m	-1.000000e-04	1.512811e+03	1.512811e+03	-11449.6279	-6.642017e+02	-6.469670e+01	5.507740e+02	1.974900e+05		
r_f016m	2.000000e-04	1.515042e+03	1.515042e+03	-11449.5361	-6.646672e+02	-6.581010e+01	5.496704e+02	1.974964e+05		
r_f017m	-1.000000e-04	1.518632e+03	1.518632e+03	-11473.9346	-6.650385e+02	-6.704440e+01	5.478585e+02	1.974688e+05		
r_f018m	1.000000e-04	1.522247e+03	1.522247e+03	-11924.3223	-6.646155e+02	-6.711870e+01	5.465416e+02	1.974814e+05		
r_f019m	1.000000e-04	1.522928e+03	1.522928e+03	-11477.0908	-6.638971e+02	-6.765280e+01	5.454422e+02	1.974768e+05		
r_f020m	-1.000000e-04	1.526165e+03	1.526165e+03	-11837.1934	-6.631345e+02	-6.773940e+01	5.443864e+02	1.974707e+05		
r_f021m	-0.000000e+00	1.525184e+03	1.525184e+03	-11830.5957	-6.630684e+02	-6.768750e+01	5.435944e+02	1.974645e+05		
r_f022m	1.000000e-04	1.521066e+03	1.521066e+03	-11822.4795	-6.620583e+02	-6.732170e+01	5.424589e+02	1.974786e+05		
r_f023m	-0.000000e+00	1.521688e+03	1.521688e+03	-11815.7969	-6.616403e+02	-6.751140e+01	5.414223e+02	1.974742e+05		
r_f024m	-0.000000e+00	1.520726e+03	1.520726e+03	-11948.9941	-6.596912e+02	-6.725050e+01	5.403683e+02	1.974745e+05		
r_f025m	1.000000e-04	1.521428e+03	1.521428e+03	-11828.5732	-6.593975e+02	-6.767100e+01	5.392651e+02	1.974657e+05		
r_f026m	0.000000e+00	1.522714e+03	1.522714e+03	-11837.6758	-6.583010e+02	-6.773110e+01	5.379360e+02	1.974702e+05		
r_f027m	1.000000e-04	1.511179e+03	1.511179e+03	-11839.1934	-6.568350e+02	-6.728920e+01	5.372294e+02	1.895889e+05		
r_f028m	1.000000e-04	1.507530e+03	1.507530e+03	-11834.7500	-6.557527e+02	-6.652340e+01	5.364533e+02	1.895897e+05		
r_f029m	1.000000e-04	1.502109e+03	1.502109e+03	-11846.0547	-6.544728e+02	-6.637620e+01	5.357737e+02	1.896120e+05		
r_f030m	-1.000000e-04	1.498496e+03	1.498496e+03	-11853.5107	-6.531980e+02	-6.626840e+01	5.346227e+02	1.896178e+05		

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r_f031m	0.000000e+00	1.492586e+03	-11866.2324	-6.525869e+02	-6.630400e+01	5.336425e+02	1.596513e+05	
r_f032m	0.000000e+00	1.489238e+03	-11872.9951	-6.517037e+02	-6.576680e+01	5.334434e+02	1.596468e+05	
r_f033m	1.000000e-04	1.488224e+03	-11889.0117	-6.510807e+02	-6.590900e+01	5.329744e+02	1.596441e+05	
r_f034m	1.000000e-04	1.484454e+03	-11889.4648	-6.505530e+02	-6.600180e+01	5.321952e+02	1.339924e+05	
r_f035m	0.000000e+00	1.481871e+03	-11888.5801	-6.497461e+02	-6.637680e+01	5.308284e+02	1.339871e+05	
r_f036m	-0.000000e+00	1.480547e+03	-11901.7588	-6.487253e+02	-6.560970e+01	5.307343e+02	1.339843e+05	
r_f037m	0.000000e+00	1.474733e+03	-11808.9707	-6.477959e+02	-6.532040e+01	5.303346e+02	1.105830e+05	
r_f038m	0.000000e+00	1.470288e+03	-11795.4795	-6.465491e+02	-6.499620e+01	5.294399e+02	1.105891e+05	
r_f039m	0.000000e+00	1.466709e+03	-11661.7285	-6.456418e+02	-6.549740e+01	5.287186e+02	1.105892e+05	
r_f040m	0.000000e+00	1.464523e+03	-11641.5117	-6.446006e+02	-6.542780e+01	5.281598e+02	1.105945e+05	
r_f041m	-0.000000e+00	1.461618e+03	-11620.1201	-6.434552e+02	-6.541130e+01	5.274347e+02	1.105990e+05	
r_f042m	0.000000e+00	1.461010e+03	-11649.9248	-6.426281e+02	-6.453170e+01	5.271555e+02	1.105945e+05	
r_f043m	0.000000e+00	1.458799e+03	-11647.5039	-6.419841e+02	-6.478650e+01	5.264048e+02	1.105988e+05	
r_f044m	1.000000e-04	1.456109e+03	-11657.0537	-6.405219e+02	-6.464430e+01	5.260392e+02	1.105983e+05	
r_f045m	0.000000e+00	1.455769e+03	-11657.0459	-6.401905e+02	-6.447610e+01	5.255322e+02	1.105999e+05	
r_f046m	-0.000000e+00	1.457390e+03	-11652.4551	-6.403130e+02	-6.455670e+01	5.250655e+02	1.105960e+05	
r_f047m	-0.000000e+00	1.460243e+03	-11658.8438	-6.401207e+02	-6.554230e+01	5.242169e+02	1.105929e+05	
r_f048m	-0.000000e+00	1.455848e+03	-11682.4463	-6.391160e+02	-6.477180e+01	5.234120e+02	1.105901e+05	
r_f049m	1.000000e-04	1.455978e+03	-11670.7920	-6.382848e+02	-6.515990e+01	5.229612e+02	1.105818e+05	
r_f050m	0.000000e+00	1.454388e+03	-11632.7188	-6.375092e+02	-6.496860e+01	5.226442e+02	1.105831e+05	
r_f051m	1.000000e-04	1.452841e+03	-11632.8320	-6.363624e+02	-6.464440e+01	5.219601e+02	1.105796e+05	
r_f052m	-0.000000e+00	1.447684e+03	-11634.2344	-6.354518e+02	-6.441250e+01	5.216530e+02	1.105797e+05	
r_f053m	0.000000e+00	1.446640e+03	-11599.9922	-6.352231e+02	-6.461350e+01	5.207815e+02	1.105815e+05	
r_f054m	-0.000000e+00	1.447881e+03	-11610.1670	-6.343800e+02	-6.448220e+01	5.200620e+02	1.105856e+05	
r_f055m	-0.000000e+00	1.441350e+03	-11593.4238	-6.328156e+02	-6.362880e+01	5.197030e+02	1.105916e+05	
r_f056m	0.000000e+00	1.439244e+03	-11559.6719	-6.322285e+02	-6.335630e+01	5.195420e+02	1.105924e+05	
r_f057m	-0.000000e+00	1.437575e+03	-11520.1182	-6.320952e+02	-6.346460e+01	5.184686e+02	1.105943e+05	
r_f058m	0.000000e+00	1.432364e+03	-11498.3047	-6.313463e+02	-6.371530e+01	5.178313e+02	1.105877e+05	
r_f059m	0.000000e+00	1.432379e+03	-11524.8418	-6.294853e+02	-6.328710e+01	5.172325e+02	1.105811e+05	
r_f060m	-1.000000e-04	1.425208e+03	-11522.6631	-6.281742e+02	-6.214360e+01	5.171097e+02	1.105770e+05	
r_f061m	0.000000e+00	1.423086e+03	-11512.3076	-6.275454e+02	-6.188950e+01	5.169286e+02	1.105791e+05	
r_f062m	0.000000e+00	1.421962e+03	-11506.7881	-6.266454e+02	-6.163530e+01	5.167087e+02	1.105750e+05	
r_f063m	-0.000000e+00	1.421226e+03	-11490.2002	-6.257752e+02	-6.118430e+01	5.159457e+02	1.105775e+05	
r_f064m	0.000000e+00	1.420464e+03	-11447.7783	-6.246249e+02	-6.092020e+01	5.155374e+02	1.105721e+05	
r_f065m	0.000000e+00	1.414488e+03	-11448.2666	-6.226816e+02	-6.009660e+01	5.149099e+02	1.105906e+05	
r_f066m	0.000000e+00	1.409900e+03	-11429.1436	-6.217508e+02	-6.041790e+01	5.136979e+02	1.105791e+05	

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r_f067m	-0.000000e+00	1.410359e+03	-11395.8105	-6.213913e+02	-5.986390e+01	5.135056e+02	1.105783e+05		
r_f068m	-0.000000e+00	1.408494e+03	-11416.6279	-6.212914e+02	-5.952610e+01	5.132261e+02	1.105899e+05		
r_f069m	-0.000000e+00	1.407508e+03	-11403.6064	-6.206971e+02	-6.046170e+01	5.122022e+02	1.105804e+05		
r_f070m	-0.000000e+00	1.407457e+03	-11369.1240	-6.195969e+02	-6.033520e+01	5.112055e+02	1.105780e+05		
r_f071m	-0.000000e+00	1.405462e+03	-11368.4258	-6.189065e+02	-6.046740e+01	5.107696e+02	1.105753e+05		
r_f072m	-0.000000e+00	1.400772e+03	-11371.8594	-6.173835e+02	-5.969520e+01	5.105945e+02	1.105796e+05		
r_f073m	-0.000000e+00	1.400693e+03	-11396.2529	-6.175958e+02	-6.000100e+01	5.098098e+02	1.105802e+05		
r_f074m	0.000000e+00	1.402398e+03	-11372.6416	-6.169977e+02	-6.035980e+01	5.092791e+02	1.105740e+05		
r_f075m	0.000000e+00	1.403089e+03	-11405.9805	-6.166624e+02	-6.033900e+01	5.087950e+02	1.105671e+05		
r_f076m	0.000000e+00	1.397425e+03	-11382.0527	-6.149069e+02	-5.957630e+01	5.083461e+02	1.105749e+05		
r_f077m	0.000000e+00	1.395999e+03	-11382.4336	-6.135413e+02	-5.895680e+01	5.081946e+02	1.105644e+05		
r_f078m	0.000000e+00	1.391616e+03	-11378.7529	-6.125250e+02	-5.866520e+01	5.075152e+02	1.105711e+05		
r_f079m	-0.000000e+00	1.388824e+03	-11362.2051	-6.116483e+02	-5.816850e+01	5.073903e+02	1.105640e+05		
r_f080m	-0.000000e+00	1.386874e+03	-11357.9014	-6.107534e+02	-5.763730e+01	5.068637e+02	1.105745e+05		
r_f081m	0.000000e+00	1.381056e+03	-11383.5312	-6.103754e+02	-5.766870e+01	5.064513e+02	1.105647e+05		
r_f082m	0.000000e+00	1.383347e+03	-11365.5000	-6.103617e+02	-5.777960e+01	5.060737e+02	1.105658e+05		
r_f083m	-0.000000e+00	1.374520e+03	-11384.9004	-6.086416e+02	-5.797640e+01	5.042909e+02	1.105673e+05		
r_f084m	0.000000e+00	1.373337e+03	-11363.2959	-6.076294e+02	-5.762950e+01	5.040967e+02	1.105768e+05		
r_f085m	-0.000000e+00	1.374082e+03	-11402.5264	-6.065834e+02	-5.695480e+01	5.032051e+02	1.105750e+05		
r_f086m	0.000000e+00	1.370850e+03	-11400.8906	-6.059218e+02	-5.657530e+01	5.023136e+02	1.105727e+05		
r_f087m	-1.000000e-04	1.370446e+03	-11414.5410	-6.048359e+02	-5.619380e+01	5.021124e+02	1.105748e+05		
r_f088m	0.000000e+00	1.369352e+03	-11404.8936	-6.043073e+02	-5.630440e+01	5.014727e+02	1.105904e+05		
r_f089m	0.000000e+00	1.370709e+03	-11400.6182	-6.037288e+02	-5.706160e+01	5.004432e+02	1.105700e+05		
r_f090m	0.000000e+00	1.367878e+03	-11385.3594	-6.028849e+02	-5.712190e+01	4.993200e+02	1.105744e+05		
r_f091m	-0.000000e+00	1.363581e+03	-11358.1553	-6.016176e+02	-5.622980e+01	4.984420e+02	1.105727e+05		
r_f092m	0.000000e+00	1.360579e+03	-11309.1123	-6.002883e+02	-5.573990e+01	4.975717e+02	1.105593e+05		
r_f093m	0.000000e+00	1.358095e+03	-11357.9609	-5.987974e+02	-5.531470e+01	4.968514e+02	1.105644e+05		
r_f094m	0.000000e+00	1.352453e+03	-11317.3789	-5.971700e+02	-5.476540e+01	4.963483e+02	1.105683e+05		
r_f095m	0.000000e+00	1.348188e+03	-11309.7559	-5.962652e+02	-5.471390e+01	4.951203e+02	1.105691e+05		
r_f096m	-0.000000e+00	1.342258e+03	-11309.1016	-5.944086e+02	-5.403380e+01	4.948370e+02	1.105662e+05		
r_f097m	-0.000000e+00	1.338318e+03	-11247.9277	-5.932616e+02	-5.396110e+01	4.937179e+02	1.105643e+05		
r_f098m	-0.000000e+00	1.338118e+03	-11261.6719	-5.919281e+02	-5.361060e+01	4.932585e+02	1.105735e+05		
r_f099m	-0.000000e+00	1.334361e+03	-11223.1240	-5.905834e+02	-5.352240e+01	4.921118e+02	1.105733e+05		
r_f100m	-0.000000e+00	1.331728e+03	-11206.9795	-5.900486e+02	-5.297250e+01	4.916311e+02	1.105714e+05		
r_f101m	0.000000e+00	1.332157e+03	-11283.8125	-5.892725e+02	-5.268540e+01	4.909461e+02	1.105668e+05		
r_f102m	-0.000000e+00	1.332334e+03	-11282.4170	-5.881101e+02	-5.258020e+01	4.907911e+02	1.105829e+05		

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r_fl03m	1063428.0	0.000000e+00	1.329495e+03	-11285.6172	-5.869788e+02	-5.248610e+01	4.906705e+02	1.105661e+05	
r_fl04m	1053983.0	0.000000e+00	1.325444e+03	-11298.3848	-5.862903e+02	-5.239650e+01	4.899225e+02	1.105618e+05	
r_fl05m	1044601.0	0.000000e+00	1.323975e+03	-11301.4951	-5.851770e+02	-5.231380e+01	4.887940e+02	1.105658e+05	
r_fl06m	1035321.0	0.000000e+00	1.318717e+03	-11297.5840	-5.832391e+02	-5.184850e+01	4.882903e+02	1.105617e+05	
r_fl07m	1026131.0	-0.000000e+00	1.311274e+03	-11285.4033	-5.818715e+02	-5.133990e+01	4.878159e+02	1.105708e+05	
r_fl08m	1017036.0	0.000000e+00	1.305877e+03	-11274.5352	-5.799500e+02	-5.048810e+01	4.874828e+02	1.105686e+05	
r_fl09m	1007990.0	1.000000e-04	1.294919e+03	-11275.3604	-5.771514e+02	-4.921990e+01	4.869372e+02	1.105662e+05	
r_fl10m	999001.0	-0.000000e+00	1.289170e+03	-11268.4707	-5.755809e+02	-4.920890e+01	4.857903e+02	1.105673e+05	
r_fl11m	990052.0	-0.000000e+00	1.290836e+03	-11281.2275	-5.746790e+02	-4.955900e+01	4.840651e+02	1.105661e+05	
r_fl12m	981156.0	0.000000e+00	1.287458e+03	-11282.5312	-5.735778e+02	-4.994070e+01	4.832928e+02	1.105664e+05	
r_fl13m	972370.0	-1.000000e-04	1.284069e+03	-11264.9014	-5.725287e+02	-4.965830e+01	4.823773e+02	1.105705e+05	
r_fl14m	963718.0	0.000000e+00	1.278476e+03	-11253.8916	-5.716486e+02	-4.986240e+01	4.817620e+02	1.105646e+05	
r_fl15m	955145.0	0.000000e+00	1.275283e+03	-11264.3701	-5.702315e+02	-4.919280e+01	4.812133e+02	1.105725e+05	
r_fl16m	946626.0	-0.000000e+00	1.272883e+03	-11263.4824	-5.686965e+02	-4.945870e+01	4.802682e+02	1.105707e+05	
r_fl17m	938160.0	0.000000e+00	1.274644e+03	-11257.9434	-5.681894e+02	-5.015010e+01	4.790787e+02	1.105761e+05	
r_fl18m	929764.0	0.000000e+00	1.270645e+03	-11259.9062	-5.671390e+02	-5.087480e+01	4.773846e+02	1.105775e+05	
r_fl19m	921481.0	-0.000000e+00	1.270319e+03	-11240.6992	-5.655049e+02	-5.112130e+01	4.756199e+02	1.105739e+05	
r_fl20m	913287.0	-0.000000e+00	1.257670e+03	-11251.2500	-5.629036e+02	-4.977740e+01	4.754564e+02	1.105857e+05	
train	2739928.0	3.998000e-01	4.994000e-01	0.0000	0.000000e+00	0.000000e+00	1.000000e+00	1.000000e+00	
test	2739928.0	6.002000e-01	4.994000e-01	0.0000	0.000000e+00	0.000000e+00	1.000000e+00	1.000000e+00	
dev	2739928.0	3.998000e-01	4.994000e-01	0.0000	0.000000e+00	0.000000e+00	1.000000e+00	1.000000e+00	

Table 2: Summary Statistics

## 11.2 Technical Details

### 11.2.1 Organisation

This research essay uses data science best practise (**J:10**). Data and results saved regularly and reproducible. Data retention in all forms receives high levels of attention. Project files synchronises continuously to Google Drive (**Google'Drive**). Git (**Git**) manages version control protocols for source code, data, documents, and results. Git stores a complete history of versions using Git hashes. These hashes are strings unique to each state of the publicly available finance-honours repository<sup>1</sup>. Git hashes enable discretisation of finance-honours development, enabling the accessibility and recollection of all previous states given a unique git hash. This functionality enables reproducibility, error correction, and the ability to revert to previous models.

### 11.2.2 Version Control

Git, hosted by GitHub, provides a comprehensive set of version control technologies and range of benefits. Firstly, Git enables collaborative functionalities. The master version of a project is accessible for all who have access to the repository. Each contributor can create custom copies of branches through pull requests on the master branch. Contributors can commit changes to custom branches and push these changes to the master branch through push requests. Product managers can review push requests, approving valid requests for integrating changes to the master branch. Collaborative efforts are possible with commit messages describing contributions from each contributor. This research essay has only one contributor, rendering collaborative functionalities redundant in this instance. Git ensures the storage of code, work, and author histories. The descriptive nature of commit logs ensures journal accuracy.

### 11.2.3 Directories

This research essay follows directory structure recommendations from Wilson et al (**J:10**). Organisation is crucial as the modelling of artificial neural networks involves integrating a range of optimisation models, data files and documents. Directory management is most efficient and comprehensive. **finance-honours** is the root directory containing the following sub directories: bin, data, doc, src, and results. The **bin** sub directory contains external scripts and compiled programmes. The **data** sub directory contains all raw data associated with the project. The **doc** sub directory stores user guides, academic resources, research reports and project deliverables. The **results** sub directory contains the outputs from project analysis. The **src** sub directory stores the source code for preparing datasets, partitioning sets of geographies with varying granularities. All files were continuously backed up using Google Drive and Git.

### 11.2.4 Python

Python 3.9.7 is the primary programming language for this research essay. The language is omnipresent, widespread in software development. Python's language design makes the language highly productive and simple to use. Python can hand off computationally straining tasks to C/C++ using supporting first-class integration capabilities. The language also has a very active and supportive community. Python is the most popular coding language on the planet defined by the PYPL PopularitY of Programming Language Index. As at December 2021, Python has 30.21% of all language tutorial search instances on Google (**PYPL'Pop**). Python's dynamic, low cost, and open source nature makes programming quick.

### 11.2.5 Package Management

The Anaconda package management platform for Python (**Anaconda**) is the chosen coding environment. Anaconda is a well defined, free platform, with known versions of python packages such as matplotlib, numpy, and pip. The use of this environment ensures reproducibility and consistency across infrastructure. Pip is the default package manager for Python, included in the Anaconda package. Pip manages package installation and updates.

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<sup>1</sup><https://github.com/CMCD1996/finance-honours>

### 11.2.6 Code Style

The PEP8 style for Python Code is formatting style for development code **PEP8**. Yapf, a formatter maintained by Google, manages formatting. Standardised formatting is important as makes supports readability, optimisation, and consistency. Docstrings and rigorous commenting are important in documentation. A docstring is a Python inline comment describing function use, inputs, and outputs. An unique docstring belongs to each Python class and function. The Google style docstring is most appropriate because of it's readability, writing ease, and consistency with Google's Style Guide. The parsing of yapf docstrings enables automated documentation generators to create docstring documents describing functions and classes.

### 11.2.7 Infrastructure

This research essay deploys variations in artificial neural networks of changing size and complexity. Analysis either took place locally, or remotely, depending on the computational requirements for the particular analysis. An Apple MacBook Pro 13 Inch 2019 with 8 GB 2133 MHz LPDDR3 memory and 1.4 GHz Quad-Core Intel Core i5 processor handles simple tasks locally. A Virtual Machine Instance on the Google Cloud Platform **Insert specification before submission** handles complex tasks remotely.

### 11.2.8 Documentation

The research essay documentation keeps an accurate record of key design decisions. Commit histories (??) is the most important form of documentation. Application of auxiliary documentation methods are supplementary.

## 11.3 Code

All files, resources, and code is available for download from Github. The document listing function and class docstring is available for download here. Furthermore, the coding listings for this research essay follow.

```

1 #####
2 # Module Imports
3 #####
4 # System
5 import psutil as ps # Monitor CPU usage
6 import nvidia_smi # Monitor GPU usage
7 import os # Change/manipulate operating systems
8 import datetime as dt # Manipulate datetime values
9 import random as rd # Random functionality
10 import csv as csv # Read and write csvs
11 import itertools as it # Create iterators for efficient looping
12 # Analytical
13 from pandas.core.base import NoNewAttributesMixin
14 import sympy as sym # Symbolic package for calculus
15 # Machine Learning/AI/Statistics
16 import numpy as np
17 from numpy.core.fromnumeric import transpose # Arithmetic operations
18 import pandas as pd # Data analysis package
19 import dask as ds # Data importing for very large software packages.
20 import seaborn as sb # Imports seaborn library for use
21 import sklearn as skl # Simple statistical models
22 from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
23 import tensorflow as tf # Tensorflow (https://www.tensorflow.org/)
24 from tensorflow.keras import layers
25 from tensorflow.python.ops.gen_array_ops import split # Find combinations of lists
26 # Keras backend functions to design custom metrics
27 import tensorflow.keras.backend as K
28 import linearmodels as lp # Ability to use PooledOLS
29 from statsmodels.regression.rolling import RollingOLS # Use factor loadings
30 from keras.callbacks import Callback # Logging training performance
31 import neptune.new as neptune
32 from neptunecontrib.monitoring.keras import NeptuneMonitor
33 # APIs
34 import wrds as wrds # Wharton Research Data Services API
35 import pydatastream as pds # Thomas Reuters Datastream API

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36 import yfinance as yf # Yahoo Finance API
37 import finance_byu as fin # Python Package for Fama-MacBeth Regressions
38 import saspy as sas # Use saspy functionality in python
39 import statsmodels.api as sm # Create Stats functionalities
40 # Formatting/Graphing
41 import tabulate as tb # Create tables in python
42 import pydot as pyd # Dynamically generate graphs
43 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt # Simple plotting
44 import scipy as sc # Scipy packages
45 # Stargazer package to lm latex tables
46 from stargazer.stargazer import Stargazer
47 #####
48 # Function Calls
49 #####
50 # System Functions
51 #####
52
53
54 def monitor_memory_usage(units, cpu=False, gpu=False):
55     """ Function to monitor both CPU & GPU memory consumption
56
57     Args:
58         units (int): Memory units (0 = Bytes, 1 = KB, 2 = MB, 3 = GB, 4 = TB, 5 = PB)
59         cpu (bool, optional): CPU Information. Defaults to False.
60         gpu (bool, optional): GPU Information. Defaults to False.
61
62     """
63     # Set unit conversion for readability
64     convertor = (1024**units)
65     # Shows CPU information using psutil
66     if cpu:
67         cpu_f = (ps.virtual_memory().available)/convertor
68         cpu_t = (ps.virtual_memory().total)/convertor
69         cpu_u = (ps.virtual_memory().used)/convertor
70         cpu_fp = (ps.virtual_memory().available *
71                  100 / ps.virtual_memory().total)
72         print("CPU - Memory : {:.2f}% free): {}(total), {} (free), {} (used)".format(
73               cpu_fp, cpu_t, cpu_f, cpu_u))
74     # Shows GPU information using nvidia-ml-py3
75     if gpu:
76         print("GPU Memory Summary")
77         nvidia_smi.nvmlInit()
78         deviceCount = nvidia_smi.nvmlDeviceGetCount()
79         for i in range(deviceCount):
80             # Gets device handle
81             handle = nvidia_smi.nvmlDeviceGetHandleByIndex(i)
82             # Uses handle to get GPU device info
83             info = nvidia_smi.nvmlDeviceGetMemoryInfo(handle)
84             # Prints GPU information
85             print("GPU - Device {}: {}, Memory : {:.2f}% free): {}(total), {} (free),
86                   {} (used)".format(i, nvidia_smi.nvmlDeviceGetName(
87                                   handle), 100*info.free/info.total, info.total/convertor, info.free//
88                                   convertor, info.used/convertor))
89             nvidia_smi.nvmlShutdown()
90     return
91
92 def reconfigure_gpu(restrict_tf, growth_memory):
93     # Check the number of GPUs available to Tensorflow and in use
94     print("Num GPUs Available: ", len(tf.config.list_physical_devices('GPU')))
95     # Limit tf to a specific set of GO devices
96     gpus = tf.config.list_physical_devices('GPU')
97     # Restrict TensorFlow to only use the first GPU
98     if gpus and restrict_tf:
99         try:
100             tf.config.set_visible_devices(gpus[0], 'GPU')
101             logical_gpus = tf.config.list_logical_devices('GPU')
102             print(len(gpus), "Physical GPUs,",
103                   len(logical_gpus), "Logical GPU")
104         except RuntimeError as e:
105             # Visible devices must be set before GPUs have been initialized
106             print(e)
107     # Limit GPU Memory Growth
108     if gpus and growth_memory:

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107     try:
108         # Currently, memory growth needs to be the same across GPUs
109         for gpu in gpus:
110             tf.config.experimental.set_memory_growth(gpu, True)
111             logical_gpus = tf.config.list_logical_devices('GPU')
112             print(len(gpus), "Physical GPUs,", len(
113                 logical_gpus), "Logical GPUs")
114         except RuntimeError as e:
115             # Memory growth must be set before GPUs have been initialized
116             print(e)
117     return
118
119
120 def configure_training_ui(project, api_token):
121     # Monitor Keras loss using callback
122     # https://app.neptune.ai/common/tf-keras-integration/e/TFK-35541/dashboard/metrics-
123     # b11ccc73-9ac7-4126-be1a-cf9a3a4f9b74
124     # Initialise neptune with credentials
125     run = neptune.init(project=project, api_token=api_token)
126     # project - 'connormcdowall/finance-honours')
127     # api_token = '
128     eyJhcGlhYWRkcmVzcyI6Imh0dHBz0i8vYXBwLm5lcHR1bmUuYWkiLCJhcGlfdXJsIjoiaHR0cHM6Ly9hcHAubmVudHVuZS5haSI
129     =='
130     # Define the custom class for the function
131
132     class NeptuneCallback(Callback):
133         def on_batch_end(self, batch, logs=None):
134             for metric_name, metric_value in logs.items():
135                 run[f"{metric_name}"].log(metric_value)
136
137         def on_epoch_end(self, epoch, logs=None):
138             for metric_name, metric_value in logs.items():
139                 run[f"{metric_name}"].log(metric_value)
140
141     # Find the call back
142     neptune_cbk = NeptuneCallback(run=run, base_namespace='metrics')
143     # Example to set paramters
144     # run["JIRA"] = "NPT-952"
145     # run["parameters"] = {"learning_rate": 0.001,
146     #                       "optimizer": "Adam"}
147     # run["f1_score"] = 0.66
148     # Example in using in model callback
149     # model.fit(x_train, y_train,
150     #           validation_split=0.2,
151     #           epochs=10,
152     #           callbacks=[neptune_cbk])
153     # Returns Callback APIs
154     return neptune_cbk
155
156 #####
157 # Data Processing
158 #####
159
160 def partition_data(data_location, data_destination):
161     """ Converts dta format to a series of 100k line csvs
162
163     Args:
164         data_location (str): directory of dta file
165         data_destination (str):
166
167     """
168
169     # Converts dta file to chunks
170     dflocation = data_destination
171     data = pd.read_stata(data_location, chunksize=100000)
172     num = 1
173     for chunk in data:
174         # Saves chunk to separte csvs given dataset size
175         df = pd.DataFrame()
176         df = df.append(chunk)
177         df.to_csv(dflocation + str(num) + '.csv')
178         num_convert = num*100000
179         print('Number of rows converted: ', num_convert)
180         num = num + 1
181     return

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177
178
179 def create_dataframes(csv_location, multi_csv):
180     """ Function to create
181     """
182     # Creates list of dataframes
183     num_csvs = list(range(1, 29, 1))
184     if multi_csv == False:
185         df = pd.read_csv(csv_location + "1.csv")
186         # Show frame information
187         show_info = False
188         if show_info == True:
189             # Prints df head, info, columns
190             print('information on Dataframe')
191             print(df.info())
192             print('Dataframe Head')
193             print(df.head())
194             print('Dataframe Columns')
195             print(df.columns)
196             # Saves columns as list in txt file
197             np.savetxt(r'/Users/connor/Google Drive/Documents/University/Courses
/2020-21/Finance 788/finance-honours/data/dataframe-columns.txt', df.columns, fmt='%
s')
198             # Save summary statistics to dataframe
199             data_stats = df.describe().round(4)
200             data_stats.T.to_latex('results/tables/subset-summary-statistics.txt')
201             return df
202             # Pre-process dataframe for suitability (Remove empty rows, columns etc.)
203     else:
204         df_list = []
205         for num in num_csvs:
206             df = pd.read_csv(csv_location + str(num) + ".csv")
207             # Append all the dataframes after reading the csv
208             df_list.append(df)
209             # Concatenate into one dataframe
210             df = pd.concat(df_list)
211             # Save summary statistics to dataframe
212             data_stats = df.describe().round(4)
213             data_stats.T.to_latex('results/tables/subset-summary-statistics.txt')
214             return df
215
216
217 def sass_access(dataframe):
218     # Two files are accessed once for reference
219     # sascfg_personal is a configuration file for accessing SAS Ondemand Academic
220     Packages
221     '/opt/anaconda3/lib/python3.7/site-packages/saspy'
222     # SAS User credentials for granting access
223     '/Users/connor/.authinfo'
224     # Enable SAS Connection
225     session = sas.SASsession()
226     # Create sass data
227     data = session.dataframe2sasdata(dataframe)
228     # Display summary statistics for the data
229     data.means()
230     return
231
232 def replace_nan(df, replacement_method):
233     """ Replace/Remove nan files in a dataframe
234
235     Args:
236         df (dataframe): Pandas Dataframe
237         replacement_method (int): Specify replacement methods
238             : 0 - remove rows with nan values
239             : 1 - remove columns with nan values
240             : 2 - fill nan with column mean
241             : 3 - fill nan with column median
242
243     Returns:
244         dataframe: Updated pandas dataframe
245     """
246     nan_total = df.isnull().sum().sum()
247     print('Number of nan values before processing: ', nan_total)

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247 if nan_total > 0:
248     # Replace dataframe level nan (rows or columns)
249     # Replacement methods (0: remove rows with nan values, medium, remove, none)
250     if replacement_method == 0:
251         df.dropna(axis=0, how='any', inplace=True)
252     # Caution: Change to dataframe-columns.txt and features list required (Do not
    use)
253     if replacement_method == 1:
254         df.dropna(axis=1, how='any', inplace=True)
255     # Replace column level nan
256     for column in df.columns:
257         if df[column].isnull().sum() > 0:
258             if replacement_method == 2:
259                 df[column].fillna(df[column].mean(), inplace=True)
260             elif replacement_method == 3:
261                 df[column].fillna(df[column].median(), inplace=True)
262 nan_total = df.isnull().sum().sum()
263 print('Number of nan values after processing: ', nan_total)
264 return df
265
266
267 def reduce_mem_usage(props):
268     """ Function reducing the memory size of a dataframe from Kaggle
269         https://www.kaggle.com/arjanso/reducing-dataframe-memory-size-by-65
270
271     Args:
272         props (dataframe): Pandas Dataframe
273
274     Returns:
275         props (dataframe): Resized Pandas Dataframe
276     """
277     # Begin the resizing function
278     start_mem_usg = props.memory_usage().sum() / 1024**2
279     print("Memory usage of properties dataframe is :", start_mem_usg, " MB")
280     NAlist = [] # Keeps track of columns that have missing values filled in.
281     for col in props.columns:
282         if props[col].dtype != object: # Exclude strings
283
284             # Print current column type
285             print("*****")
286             print("Column: ", col)
287             print("dtype before: ", props[col].dtype)
288
289             # make variables for Int, max and min
290             IsInt = False
291             mx = props[col].max()
292             mn = props[col].min()
293
294             # Integer does not support NA, therefore, NA needs to be filled
295             if not np.isfinite(props[col]).all():
296                 NAlist.append(col)
297                 props[col].fillna(mn-1, inplace=True)
298
299             # test if column can be converted to an integer
300             asint = props[col].fillna(0).astype(np.int64)
301             result = (props[col] - asint)
302             result = result.sum()
303             if result > -0.01 and result < 0.01:
304                 IsInt = True
305
306             # Make Integer/unsigned Integer datatypes
307             if IsInt:
308                 if mn >= 0:
309                     if mx < 255:
310                         props[col] = props[col].astype(np.uint8)
311                     elif mx < 65535:
312                         props[col] = props[col].astype(np.uint16)
313                     elif mx < 4294967295:
314                         props[col] = props[col].astype(np.uint32)
315                     else:
316                         props[col] = props[col].astype(np.uint64)
317                 else:
318                     if mn > np.iinfo(np.int8).min and mx < np.iinfo(np.int8).max:

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319         props[col] = props[col].astype(np.int8)
320     elif mn > np.iinfo(np.int16).min and mx < np.iinfo(np.int16).max:
321         props[col] = props[col].astype(np.int16)
322     elif mn > np.iinfo(np.int32).min and mx < np.iinfo(np.int32).max:
323         props[col] = props[col].astype(np.int32)
324     elif mn > np.iinfo(np.int64).min and mx < np.iinfo(np.int64).max:
325         props[col] = props[col].astype(np.int64)
326
327     # Make float datatypes 32 bit
328     else:
329         props[col] = props[col].astype(np.float32)
330
331     # Print new column type
332     print("dtype after: ", props[col].dtype)
333     print("*****")
334
335 # Print final result
336 print("___MEMORY USAGE AFTER COMPLETION:___")
337 mem_usg = props.memory_usage().sum() / 1024**2
338 print("Memory usage is: ", mem_usg, " MB")
339 print("This is ", 100*mem_usg/start_mem_usg, "% of the initial size")
340 return props, NAlist
341
342
343 def resizing_dataframe(dataframe, resizing_options):
344     print(dataframe.head())
345     # Remove both micro
346     if resizing_options[0]:
347         print('Reducing number of size_grp entries')
348         indexNames = dataframe[(dataframe['size_grp'] == 'micro') | (
349             dataframe['size_grp'] == 'nano')].index
350         dataframe.drop(indexNames, inplace=True)
351         print(dataframe.info())
352         monitor_memory_usage(units=3, cpu=True, gpu=True)
353     # Reduce the number of factors to the original ~178 from JKP
354     if resizing_options[1]:
355         print('Reducing number of factors to original ~178 from JKP')
356         # Extract new columns to the dataframe
357         new_columns = []
358         list_of_columns = '/home/connormcdowall/finance-honours/data/178-factors.txt'
359         file = open(list_of_columns, 'r')
360         lines = file.readlines()
361         for line in lines:
362             line = line.rstrip('\n')
363             new_columns.append(line)
364         # Only collect column in both lists
365         cols = dataframe.columns
366         extract_columns = []
367         for column in new_columns:
368             if column in cols:
369                 extract_columns.append(column)
370         # Extract the old columns
371         dataframe = dataframe[extract_columns]
372         # Rewrite new working file for numerical encoding
373         file = open(
374             "/home/connormcdowall/finance-honours/data/working-columns.txt", "r+")
375         file.truncate(0)
376         file.close()
377         textfile = open(
378             "/home/connormcdowall/finance-honours/data/working-columns.txt", "w")
379         for element in extract_columns:
380             textfile.write(element + "\n")
381         textfile.close()
382         monitor_memory_usage(units=3, cpu=True, gpu=True)
383     # Optimises Variable Type
384     if resizing_options[2]:
385         print('Optimise variable type configuration')
386         dataframe, NAlist = reduce_mem_usage(dataframe)
387         monitor_memory_usage(units=3, cpu=True, gpu=True)
388     return dataframe
389
390

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391 def split_vm_dataset(data_vm_directory, create_statistics, split_new_data,
392                      create_validation_set):
393     """ Creates summary statistics from unprocessed dataset
394
395     Args:
396         data_vm_directory (str): Directory location of data stored on the VM instance.
397     """
398     # Create Dataframe from the entire dataset
399     # total_df = pd.read_stata(data_vm_directory + 'combined_predictors_filtered_us.dta
400     ')
401     # Create summary statistics for the entire dataset
402     if create_statistics == True:
403         # Read data into one dataframe on python
404         total_df = pd.read_stata(
405             data_vm_directory + 'combined_predictors_filtered_us.dta')
406         data_stats = total_df.describe().round(4)
407         data_stats.T.to_latex('results/tables/summary-statistics.txt')
408     # Create training and testing dataframes for Tensorflow
409     if split_new_data == True:
410         train_df = pd.DataFrame()
411         test_df = pd.DataFrame()
412         total_df = pd.read_stata(
413             data_vm_directory + 'combined_predictors_filtered_us.dta', chunksize=100000)
414         for chunk in total_df:
415             test_df = test_df.append(chunk[chunk["test"] == 1])
416         # Split training set into training and validation
417         if create_validation_set == True:
418             train_new_df, val_df = train_test_split(train_df, test_size=0.2)
419             print(train_df.info())
420             print(val_df.info())
421             train_new_df.to_stata(data_vm_directory + 'train.dta')
422             val_df.to_stata(data_vm_directory + 'val.dta')
423         else:
424             train_df.to_stata(data_vm_directory + 'train.dta')
425             test_df.to_stata(data_vm_directory + 'test.dta')
426     return
427
428 def process_vm_dataset(data_vm_dta, size_of_chunks, resizing_options, save_statistics=
429 False, sample=False):
430     """ This script processes the training and testing datasets for Tensorflow
431     following the classify structured data with feature columns tutorial
432     """
433     # Load the test and train datasets into dataframes in chunks
434     #df = pd.read_stata(data_vm_dta)
435     subset = pd.read_stata(data_vm_dta, chunksize=size_of_chunks)
436     df_full = pd.DataFrame()
437     for df in subset:
438         print('Number of instances: ', len(df))
439         print('Excess Return')
440         print(df['ret_exc'])
441         # Find the dtypes of the dataframe and save them to a data column
442         if save_statistics:
443             # Saves dtypes for column dataframe
444             np.savetxt(
445                 r'/home/connormcdowall/finance-honours/results/statistics/factor-types.
446                 txt', df.dtypes, fmt='%s')
447             # Saves information on missing values in the dataframe
448             np.savetxt(
449                 r'/home/connormcdowall/finance-honours/results/statistics/missing-values
450                 .txt', df.isna().sum(), fmt='%s')
451             # Gets list of dataframe column values
452             column_list = list(df.columns.values)
453             # Gets list of unique dataframe dtype
454             data_type_list = list(df.dtypes.unique())
455             # Gets unique list of size_grp
456             size_grp_list = list(df['size_grp'].unique())
457             # Removes the mth column/factor from the dataframe given datetime format
458             df['mth'] = pd.to_numeric(df['mth'], downcast='float')
459             df_full = df_full.append(df)
460             # Prints memory usage after the process
461             monitor_memory_usage(units=3, cpu=True, gpu=True)
462         if sample:

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459         # Process nan options in the dataframe
460         df_full = replace_nan(df_full, replacement_method=3)
461         # Resizes the dataframe base on memory options
462         df_full = resizing_dataframe(
463             dataframe=df_full, resizing_options=resizing_options)
464         # Print size and shape of dataframe
465         print('The dataframe has {} entries with {} rows and {} columns.'.format(
466             df_full.size, df_full.shape[0], df_full.shape[1]))
467         return df_full
468     # Prints size categories in dataframe
469     size_grp_list = list(df['size_grp'].unique())
470     print('List of size_grp variables')
471     print(size_grp_list)
472     # Checks Nan in dataframe
473     df_full = replace_nan(df_full, replacement_method=3)
474     # Memory resizing to prevent excessive memory consumption
475     df_full = resizing_dataframe(
476         dataframe=df_full, resizing_options=resizing_options)
477     # Print size and shape of dataframe
478     print('The dataframe has {} entries with {} rows and {} columns.'.format(
479         df_full.size, df_full.shape[0], df_full.shape[1]))
480     # Prints memory usage after the process
481     monitor_memory_usage(units=3, cpu=True, gpu=True)
482     return df_full
483
484 #####
485 # Machine Learning
486 #####
487 # Utility method to use pandas dataframe to create a tf.data dataset
488 # Adapted from https://www.tensorflow.org/tutorials/structured_data/feature_columns#
489 # use_pandas_to_create_a_dataframe
490 # Adapted from https://www.tensorflow.org/tutorials/structured_data/preprocessing_layers
491
492 def download_test_data():
493     dataset_url = 'http://storage.googleapis.com/download.tensorflow.org/data/petfinder-
494     mini.zip'
495     csv_file = 'datasets/petfinder-mini/petfinder-mini.csv'
496     tf.keras.utils.get_file('petfinder_mini.zip', dataset_url,
497                             extract=True, cache_dir='.')
498     dataframe = pd.read_csv(csv_file)
499
500     # Creates the target variable for the assignment
501     dataframe['target'] = np.where(dataframe['AdoptionSpeed'] == 4, 0, 1)
502     # Drop unused features.
503     dataframe = dataframe.drop(columns=['AdoptionSpeed', 'Description'])
504     # Split the dataset into training, validation and testing sets
505     train, val, test = np.split(dataframe.sample(
506         frac=1), [int(0.8*len(dataframe)), int(0.9*len(dataframe))])
507     # Returns the dataframe and the three subsets
508     return dataframe, train, val, test
509
510 def create_feature_lists(list_of_columns, categorical_assignment):
511     # Assignn variables
512     categorical_features = []
513     numerical_features = []
514     file = open(list_of_columns, 'r')
515     lines = file.readlines()
516     for line in lines:
517         line = line.rstrip('\n')
518         if line in categorical_assignment:
519             categorical_features.append(line)
520         else:
521             numerical_features.append(line)
522     # Returns numerical and categorical features
523     return numerical_features, categorical_features
524
525
526 def create_tf_dataset(dataframe, target_column, shuffle=True, batch_size=32):
527     """Set target variable and converts dataframe to tensorflow dataset
528
529     Args:

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530     df (dataframe): dataframe
531     target_column (str): Column used to predict for labels
532     shuffle (bool, optional): [description]. Defaults to True.
533     batch_size (int, optional): Sets batch size. Defaults to 32.
534
535     Returns:
536         [type]: [description]
537     """
538     df = dataframe.copy()
539     print(df[target_column].head())
540     labels = df.pop(target_column)
541     df = {key: value[:, tf.newaxis] for key, value in dataframe.items()}
542     ds = tf.data.Dataset.from_tensor_slices((dict(df), labels))
543     if shuffle:
544         ds = ds.shuffle(buffer_size=len(dataframe))
545     ds = ds.batch(batch_size)
546     ds = ds.prefetch(batch_size)
547     print('Create Dataset: Successful')
548     return ds
549
550
551 def get_normalization_layer(name, dataset):
552     # Create a Normalization layer for the feature.
553     # Layer Normalization normalizes each feature of the activations
554     # to zero mean and unit variance.
555     normalizer = layers.Normalization(axis=None)
556     # Prepare a Dataset that only yields the feature.
557     feature_ds = dataset.map(lambda x, y: x[name])
558     # Learn the statistics of the data.
559     normalizer.adapt(feature_ds)
560     return normalizer
561
562
563 def get_category_encoding_layer(name, dataset, dtype, max_tokens=None):
564     # Create a layer that turns strings into integer indices.
565     if dtype == 'string':
566         index = layers.StringLookup(max_tokens=max_tokens)
567     # Otherwise, create a layer that turns integer values into integer indices.
568     else:
569         index = layers.IntegerLookup(max_tokens=max_tokens)
570     # Prepare a 'tf.data.Dataset' that only yields the feature.
571     feature_ds = dataset.map(lambda x, y: x[name])
572     # Learn the set of possible values and assign them a fixed integer index.
573     index.adapt(feature_ds)
574     # Encode the integer indices.
575     encoder = layers.CategoryEncoding(num_tokens=index.vocabulary_size())
576     # Apply multi-hot encoding to the indices. The lambda function captures the
577     # layer, so you can use them, or include them in the Keras Functional model later.
578     return lambda feature: encoder(index(feature))
579
580
581 def encode_tensor_flow_features(train_df, val_df, test_df, target_column,
582     numerical_features, categorical_features, categorical_dictionary, size_of_batch=256)
583 :
584     """ size of batch may vary, defaults to 256
585     """
586     # Creates the dataset
587     train_dataset = create_tf_dataset(
588         train_df, target_column, shuffle=True, batch_size=size_of_batch)
589     val_dataset = create_tf_dataset(
590         val_df, target_column, shuffle=False, batch_size=size_of_batch)
591     test_dataset = create_tf_dataset(
592         test_df, target_column, shuffle=False, batch_size=size_of_batch)
593
594     # Display a set of batches
595     [(train_features, label_batch)] = train_dataset.take(1)
596     print('Every feature:', list(train_features.keys()))
597     print('A batch of size groups:', train_features['size_grp'])
598     print('A batch of targets:', label_batch)
599
600     # Initilise input and encoded feature arrays
601     all_inputs = []
602     encoded_features = []

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601 numerical_count = 0
602 categorical_count = 0
603
604 # Encode the remaining categorical features
605 for header in categorical_features:
606     try:
607         print('Start: ', header)
608         categorical_col = tf.keras.Input(
609             shape=(1,), name=header, dtype=categorical_dictionary[header])
610         print('Processing: Input Categorical Column')
611         encoding_layer = get_category_encoding_layer(name=header,
612             dataset=train_dataset,
613             dtype=categorical_dictionary[
614                 header],
615                 max_tokens=5)
616         print('Processing: Sourced Encoding Layer')
617         encoded_categorical_col = encoding_layer(categorical_col)
618         print('Processing: Encoded Categorical Column')
619         all_inputs.append(categorical_col)
620         encoded_features.append(encoded_categorical_col)
621         print('Passed: ', header)
622         categorical_count = categorical_count + 1
623         print('Number of Categorical Features Encoded: ', categorical_count)
624     except RuntimeError as e:
625         print(e)
626     # Monitor memory usage
627     monitor_memory_usage(units=3, cpu=True, gpu=True)
628 # Normalise the numerical features
629 for header in numerical_features:
630     try:
631         print('Start: ', header)
632         numeric_col = tf.keras.Input(shape=(1,), name=header)
633         print('Processing: Input Numeric Column')
634         normalization_layer = get_normalization_layer(
635             header, train_dataset)
636         print('Processing: Sourced Normalization Layer')
637         encoded_numeric_col = normalization_layer(numeric_col)
638         print('Processing: Encoded Numerical Column')
639         all_inputs.append(numeric_col)
640         encoded_features.append(encoded_numeric_col)
641         print('Passed: ', header)
642         numerical_count = numerical_count + 1
643         print('Number of Numerical Features Encoded: ', numerical_count)
644     except RuntimeError as e:
645         print(e)
646     # Monitor memory usage
647     monitor_memory_usage(units=3, cpu=True, gpu=True)
648 # Concatenate all encoded layers
649 all_features = tf.keras.layers.concatenate(encoded_features)
650 print('All Features')
651 print(all_features)
652 print('Encoding: Successful')
653 # Monitor memory usage
654 monitor_memory_usage(units=3, cpu=True, gpu=True)
655 return all_features, all_inputs, train_dataset, val_dataset, test_dataset
656
657 def build_tensor_flow_model(train_dataset, val_dataset, test_dataset, model_name,
658     all_features, all_inputs, selected_optimizer, selected_loss, selected_metrics,
659     finance_configuration=True):
660     # Information pertaining to the tf.keras.layers.dense function
661     if finance_configuration:
662         # Note: The combination of optimizer, loss function and metric must be
663         compatible
664         # https://www.tensorflow.org/api_docs/python/tf/keras/layers/Dense
665         # Generalised Artificial Neural Network
666         # Input features (One per feature)
667         # Hidden Layers (1-5)
668         # Neurons per input layer (10-100)
669         # Output neurons (1 per prediction dimension)
670         # Hidden activations (Relu, Tanh, Sigmoid)
671         # Output layer (sigmoid)

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670 # List of activation functions:
671 # 'relu' = Rectified linear unit activation
672 # 'sigmoid' = Sigmoid activation function, sigmoid(x) = 1 / (1 + exp(-x)).
673 # 'softmax' = Softmax converts a vector of values to a probability distribution
674 # 'softplus' = Softplus activation function, softplus(x) = log(exp(x) + 1)
675 # 'softsign' = Softsign activation function, softsign(x) = x / (abs(x) + 1).
676 # 'tanh' = Hyperbolic tangent activation function.
677 # 'selu' = Scaled Exponential Linear Unit (SELU) activation function is defined
as:
678 # if x > 0: return scale * x
679 # if x < 0: return scale * alpha * (exp(x) - 1)
680 # 'elu' = The exponential linear unit (ELU) with alpha > 0 is:
681 # x if x > 0 and alpha * (exp(x) - 1) if x < 0
682 # Note: The ELU hyperparameter alpha controls the value to which an ELU
saturates
683 # for negative net inputs. ELUs diminish the vanishing gradient effect.
684 # https://www.tensorflow.org/api_docs/python/tf/keras/layers/Dropout
685 # Dropout layer to randomly set input units to zero with a deterministic rate
686 # during each step of training to help prevent overfitting. Note:
687 # inputs not set to zero are scaled by 1/(1-rate) so the sum of all inputs is
unchanged.
688
689 # Configure the neural network layers
690 print('Start: Configuration of Deep Network Layers')
691 # Binary variables to control network construction
692 complex_model = True
693 # Simple configuration, only a handful of layers
694 if complex_model:
695     # Initial Layer
696     layer_1 = tf.keras.layers.Dense(
697         32, activation="relu")(all_features)
698     # Dropout layer
699     layer_2 = tf.keras.layers.Dropout(
700         rate=0.5, noise_shape=None, seed=None)(layer_1)
701     layer_3 = tf.keras.layers.Dense(64, activation='relu')(layer_2)
702     layer_4 = tf.keras.layers.Dense(128, activation='sigmoid')(layer_3)
703     # Creates the output layer
704     output = tf.keras.layers.Dense(1)(layer_4)
705     print('End: Configuration of Deep Network Layers')
706     # Configure the model (https://www.tensorflow.org/api_docs/python/tf/keras/
Model)
707     model = tf.keras.Model(all_inputs, output)
708     print('Model Summary')
709     print(model.summary)
710     # Deploy a sequential model
711 else:
712     # Initial Layer
713     x = tf.keras.layers.Dense(
714         units=32, activation="relu", use_bias=True,
715         kernel_initializer='glorot_uniform',
716         bias_initializer='zeros', kernel_regularizer=None,
717         bias_regularizer=None, activity_regularizer=None, kernel_constraint=None
,
718         bias_constraint=None)(all_features)
719     # Dropout layer
720     x = tf.keras.layers.Dropout(
721         rate=0.5, noise_shape=None, seed=None)(x)
722     # Creates the output layer
723     output = tf.keras.layers.Dense(1)(x)
724     print('End: Configuration of Deep Network Layers')
725     # Configure the model (https://www.tensorflow.org/api_docs/python/tf/keras/
Model)
726     model = tf.keras.Model(all_inputs, output)
727     # Initialises optimizer variables
728     lr = 0.001
729     eps = 1e-07
730     rh = 0.95
731     mom = 0.0
732     b0 = 0.0
733     b1 = 0.9
734     b2 = 0.999
735     iav = 0.1
736     lrp = -0.5

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737     l1rs = 0.0
738     l2rs = 0.0
739     l2srs = 0.0
740     ams = False
741     cen = False
742     nes = False
743     #
744     #####
745     # Optimizer (https://www.tensorflow.org/api\_docs/python/tf/keras/optimizers)
746     #
747     #####
748     if selected_optimizer == 'Adagrad':
749         opt = tf.keras.optimizers.Adagrad(
750             learning_rate=lr, initial_accumulator_value=iav, epsilon=eps, name='
Adagrad')
751     if selected_optimizer == 'Adadelta':
752         opt = tf.keras.optimizers.Adadelta(
753             learning_rate=lr, rho=rh, epsilon=eps, name='Adadelta')
754     if selected_optimizer == 'Adam':
755         opt = tf.keras.optimizers.Adam(
756             learning_rate=lr, beta_1=b1, beta_2=b2, epsilon=eps, amsgrad=ams, name='
Adam')
757     if selected_optimizer == 'Adamax':
758         opt = tf.keras.optimizers.Adamax(
759             learning_rate=lr, beta_1=b1, beta_2=b2, epsilon=eps, name='Adamax')
760     if selected_optimizer == 'Ftrl':
761         opt = tf.keras.optimizers.Ftrl(
762             learning_rate=lr, learning_rate_power=lrp, initial_accumulator_value=iav
763             ,
764             l1_regularization_strength=l1rs, l2_regularization_strength=l2rs,
765             name='Ftrl', l2_shrinkage_regularization_strength=l2srs, beta=b0)
766     if selected_optimizer == 'Nadam':
767         opt = tf.keras.optimizers.Nadam(
768             learning_rate=lr, beta_1=b1, beta_2=b2, epsilon=eps, name='Nadam')
769     if selected_optimizer == 'RMSprop':
770         opt = tf.keras.optimizers.RMSprop(
771             learning_rate=lr, rho=rh, momentum=mom, epsilon=eps, centered=cen, name='
RMSprop')
772     if selected_optimizer == 'SGD':
773         opt = tf.keras.optimizers.SGD(
774             learning_rate=lr, momentum=mom, nesterov=nes, name='SGD')
775     #
776     #####
777     # Losses
778     #
779     #####
780     # Loss variables
781     red = 'auto'
782     flt = True
783     ls = 0.0
784     ax = -1
785     dta = 1.0
786     # Loss classes
787     if selected_loss == 'binary_crossentropy':
788         lf = tf.keras.losses.BinaryCrossentropy(
789             from_logits=flt, label_smoothing=ls, axis=ax, reduction=red, name='
binary_crossentropy')
790     if selected_loss == 'categorical_crossentropy':
791         lf = tf.keras.losses.CategoricalCrossentropy(
792             from_logits=flt, label_smoothing=ls, axis=ax, reduction=red, name='
categorical_crossentropy')
793     if selected_loss == 'cosine_similarity':
794         lf = tf.keras.losses.CosineSimilarity(
795             axis=-1, reduction=red, name='cosine_similarity')
796     if selected_loss == 'hinge':
797         lf = tf.keras.losses.Hinge(reduction=red, name='hinge')
798     if selected_loss == 'huber_loss':
799         lf = tf.keras.losses.Huber(
800             delta=dta, reduction=red, name='huber_loss')
801     # loss = y_true * log(y_true / y_pred)
802     if selected_loss == 'kl_divergence':
803         lf = tf.keras.losses.KLDivergence(
804             reduction=red, name='kl_divergence')

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800 # logcosh = log((exp(x) + exp(-x))/2), where x is the error y_pred - y_true.
801 if selected_loss == 'log_cosh':
802     lf = tf.keras.losses.LogCosh(reduction=red, name='log_cosh')
803 if selected_loss == 'loss':
804     lf = tf.keras.losses.Loss(reduction=red, name=None)
805 # loss = abs(y_true - y_pred)
806 if selected_loss == 'mean_absolute_error':
807     lf = tf.keras.losses.MeanAbsoluteError(
808         reduction=red, name='mean_absolute_error')
809 # loss = 100 * abs(y_true - y_pred) / y_true
810 if selected_loss == 'mean_absolute_percentage_error':
811     lf = tf.keras.losses.MeanAbsolutePercentageError(
812         reduction=red, name='mean_absolute_percentage_error')
813 # loss = square(y_true - y_pred)
814 if selected_loss == 'mean_squared_error':
815     lf = tf.keras.losses.MeanSquaredError(
816         reduction=red, name='mean_squared_error')
817 # loss = square(log(y_true + 1.) - log(y_pred + 1.))
818 if selected_loss == 'mean_squared_logarithmic_error':
819     lf = tf.keras.losses.MeanSquaredLogarithmicError(
820         reduction=red, name='mean_squared_logarithmic_error')
821 if selected_loss == 'poisson': # loss = y_pred - y_true * log(y_pred)
822     lf = tf.keras.losses.Poisson(reduction=red, name='poisson')
823 if selected_loss == 'sparse_categorical_crossentropy':
824     lf = tf.keras.losses.SparseCategoricalCrossentropy(
825         from_logits=flt, reduction=red, name='sparse_categorical_crossentropy')
826 # loss = square(maximum(1 - y_true * y_pred, 0))
827 if selected_loss == 'squared_hinge':
828     lf = tf.keras.losses.SquaredHinge(
829         reduction=red, name='squared_hinge')
830 # Custom loss classes
831 # loss = square(maximum(1 - y_true * y_pred, 0))
832 if selected_loss == 'custom_l2_mse':
833     lf = custom_l2_mse
834 # loss = square(maximum(1 - y_true * y_pred, 0))
835 if selected_loss == 'custom_hedge_portfolio_returns':
836     lf = custom_hedge_portfolio_returns
837 # loss = square(maximum(1 - y_true * y_pred, 0))
838 if selected_loss == 'custom_sharpe_ratio':
839     lf = custom_sharpe_ratio
840 # loss = square(maximum(1 - y_true * y_pred, 0))
841 if selected_loss == 'custom_information_ratio':
842     lf = custom_information_ratio
843 # if selected_loss == 'multi_layer_loss':
844 #     lf = multi_layer_loss
845 if selected_loss == 'custom_loss':
846     lf = custom_loss(layer=layer_3, reduction=red, name='custom_loss')
847 #
848 #####
849 # Metrics
850 #
851 #####
852 # Metric variables
853 metrics_list = []
854 meaniou_num_classes = 2
855
856 def mean_metric_wrapper_function(y_true, y_pred):
857     return tf.cast(tf.math.equal(y_true, y_pred), tf.float32)
858 # Must be the same size as predictions
859 mean_relative_error_normalizer = [1, 2, 3, 4]
860 recall = 0.5 # A scalar value in range [0, 1]
861 precision = 0.5 # A scalar value in range [0, 1]
862 specificity = 0.5 # A scalar value in range [0, 1]
863 sensitivity = 0.5 # A scalar value in range [0, 1]
864 # Metric Classes
865 if 'Auc' in selected_metrics:
866     metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.AUC(
867         num_thresholds=200, curve='ROC',
868         summation_method='interpolation', name=None, dtype=None,
869         thresholds=None, multi_label=False, num_labels=None, label_weights=None,
870         from_logits=False))
871 if 'accuracy' in selected_metrics:
872     met = metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.Accuracy(

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871         name='accuracy', dtype=None))
872     if 'binary_accuracy' in selected_metrics:
873         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.BinaryAccuracy(
874             name='binary_accuracy', dtype=None, threshold=0.5))
875     if 'binary_crossentropy' in selected_metrics:
876         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.BinaryCrossentropy(
877             name='binary_crossentropy', dtype=None, from_logits=False,
878             label_smoothing=0))
879     if 'categorical_accuracy' in selected_metrics:
880         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.CategoricalAccuracy(
881             name='categorical_accuracy', dtype=None))
882     if 'categorical_crossentropy' in selected_metrics:
883         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.CategoricalCrossentropy(
884             name='categorical_crossentropy', dtype=None, from_logits=False,
885             label_smoothing=0))
886     if 'categorical_hinge' in selected_metrics:
887         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.CategoricalHinge(
888             name='categorical_hinge', dtype=None))
889     if 'cosine_similarity' in selected_metrics:
890         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.CosineSimilarity(
891             name='cosine_similarity', dtype=None, axis=-1))
892     if 'Fn' in selected_metrics:
893         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.FalseNegatives(
894             thresholds=None, name=None, dtype=None))
895     if 'Fp' in selected_metrics:
896         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.FalsePositives(
897             thresholds=None, name=None, dtype=None))
898     if 'hinge' in selected_metrics:
899         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.Hinge(
900             name='hinge', dtype=None))
901     if 'kullback_leibler_divergence' in selected_metrics:
902         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.KLDivergence(
903             name='kullback_leibler_divergence', dtype=None))
904     if 'logcosh' in selected_metrics:
905         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.LogCoshError(
906             name='logcosh', dtype=None))
907     if 'mean' in selected_metrics:
908         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.Mean(
909             name='mean', dtype=None))
910     if 'mean_absolute_error' in selected_metrics:
911         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.MeanAbsoluteError(
912             name='mean_absolute_error', dtype=None))
913     if 'mean_absolute_percentage_error' in selected_metrics:
914         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.MeanAbsolutePercentageError(
915             name='mean_absolute_percentage_error', dtype=None))
916     if 'meaniou' in selected_metrics:
917         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.MeanIoU(
918             num_classes=meaniou_num_classes, name=None, dtype=None))
919     if 'mean_metric_wrapper' in selected_metrics:
920         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.MeanMetricWrapper(
921             fn=mean_metric_wrapper_function, name=None, dtype=None))
922     if 'mean_relative_error' in selected_metrics:
923         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.MeanRelativeError(
924             normalizer=mean_relative_error_normalizer, name=None, dtype=None))
925     if 'mean_squared_error' in selected_metrics:
926         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.MeanSquaredError(
927             name='mean_squared_error', dtype=None))
928     if 'mean_squared_logarithmic_error' in selected_metrics:
929         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.MeanSquaredLogarithmicError(
930             name='mean_squared_logarithmic_error', dtype=None))
931     if 'mean_tensor' in selected_metrics:
932         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.MeanTensor(
933             name='mean_tensor', dtype=None, shape=None))
934     if 'metric' in selected_metrics:
935         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.Metric(
936             name=None, dtype=None))
937     if 'poisson' in selected_metrics:
938         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.Poisson(
939             name='poisson', dtype=None))
940     if 'precision' in selected_metrics:
941         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.Precision(
942             thresholds=None, top_k=None, class_id=None, name=None, dtype=None))
943     if 'precision_at_recall' in selected_metrics:

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944     metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.PrecisionAtRecall(
945         recall, num_thresholds=200, class_id=None, name=None, dtype=None))
946     if 'recall' in selected_metrics:
947         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.Recall(
948             thresholds=None, top_k=None, class_id=None, name=None, dtype=None))
949     if 'recall_at_precision' in selected_metrics:
950         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.RecallAtPrecision(
951             precision, num_thresholds=200, class_id=None, name=None, dtype=None))
952     if 'root_mean_squared_error' in selected_metrics:
953         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.RootMeanSquaredError(
954             name='root_mean_squared_error', dtype=None))
955     if 'sensitivity_at_specificity' in selected_metrics:
956         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.SensitivityAtSpecificity(
957             specificity, num_thresholds=200, class_id=None, name=None, dtype=None))
958     if 'sparse_categorical_accuracy' in selected_metrics:
959         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.SparseCategoricalAccuracy(
960             name='sparse_categorical_accuracy', dtype=None))
961     if 'sparse_top_k_categorical_accuracy' in selected_metrics:
962         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.SparseTopKCategoricalAccuracy(
963             k=5, name='sparse_top_k_categorical_accuracy', dtype=None))
964     if 'specificity_at_sensitivity' in selected_metrics:
965         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.SpecificityAtSensitivity(
966             sensitivity, num_thresholds=200, class_id=None, name=None, dtype=None))
967     if 'squared_hinge' in selected_metrics:
968         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.SquaredHinge(
969             name='squared_hinge', dtype=None))
970     if 'sum' in selected_metrics:
971         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.Sum(
972             name='sum', dtype=None))
973     if 'top_k_categorical_accuracy' in selected_metrics:
974         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.TopKCategoricalAccuracy(
975             k=5, name='top_k_categorical_accuracy', dtype=None))
976     if 'Tn' in selected_metrics:
977         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.TrueNegatives(
978             thresholds=None, name=None, dtype=None))
979     if 'Tp' in selected_metrics:
980         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.TruePositives(
981             thresholds=None, name=None, dtype=None))
982     # Custom Metrics
983     if 'hedge_portfolio_mean' in selected_metrics:
984         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.CustomHedgePortfolioMean(
985             num_classes=None, batch_size=None,
986             name='hedge_portfolio_mean'))
987     if 'hedge_portfolio_alphas' in selected_metrics:
988         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.CustomHedgePortfolioAlphas(
989             num_classes=None, batch_size=None,
990             name='hedge_portfolio_alphas'))
991     if 'sharpe_ratio' in selected_metrics:
992         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.CustomSharpeRatio(
993             num_classes=None, batch_size=None,
994             name='sharpe_ratio'))
995     if 'information_ratio' in selected_metrics:
996         metrics_list.append(tf.keras.metrics.CustomInformationRatio(
997             num_classes=None, batch_size=None,
998             name='information_ratio'))
999     #
1000     #####
1001     # Loss weights
1002     #
1003     #####
1004     # Optional list or dictionary specifying scalar coefficients (Python floats) to
1005     # weight the loss contributions of different model outputs. The loss value that
1006     # will be minimized by the model will then be the weighted sum of all individual
1007     # losses, weighted by the loss_weights coefficients. If a list, it is expected
1008     # to have a 1:1 mapping to the model's outputs. If a dict, it is expected to map
1009     # output names (strings) to scalar coefficients.
1010     lw = None
1011     #
1012     #####
1013     # Weighted Metrics
1014     #
1015     #####
1016     # List of metrics to be evaluated and weighted by sample_weight or class_weight

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1013     # during training and testing.
1014     wm = None
1015     #
1016     #####
1017     # Run eagerly
1018     #
1019     #####
1020     # Bool. Defaults to False. If True, this Model's logic will not be wrapped in a
1021     # tf.function. Recommended to leave this as None unless your Model cannot be run
1022     # inside a tf.function. run_eagerly=True is not supported when using
1023     # tf.distribute.experimental.ParameterServerStrategy.
1024     regly = None
1025     #
1026     #####
1027     # Steps_per_execution
1028     #
1029     #####
1030     # Int. Defaults to 1. The number of batches to run during each tf.function call.
1031     # Running multiple batches inside a single tf.function call can greatly improve
1032     # performance on TPUs or small models with a large Python overhead. At most,
1033     # one full epoch will be run each execution. If a number larger than the size
1034     # of the epoch is passed, the execution will be truncated to the size of the
1035     # epoch. Note that if steps_per_execution is set to N, Callback.on_batch_begin
1036     # and Callback.on_batch_end methods will only be called every N batches
1037     # (i.e. before/after each tf.function execution).
1038     spe = None
1039     #
1040     #####
1041     # Compiler
1042     #
1043     #####
1044     # Compiler variables
1045     # Establishes the compiler
1046     print('Start: Model Compilation')
1047     model.compile(
1048         optimizer=opt, loss=lf, metrics=metrics_list, loss_weights=lw,
1049         weighted_metrics=wm, run_eagerly=regly, steps_per_execution=spe)
1050     print('End: Model Compilation')
1051     #
1052     #####
1053     # Visualise model (https://www.tensorflow.org/api\_docs/python/tf/keras/Utils/plot\_model)
1054     #
1055     #####
1056     # Visualisation variables
1057     to_file = '/home/connormcdowall/finance-honours/results/plots/tensorflow-
1058     visualisations/' + \
1059         model_name + '.png'
1060     show_shapes = True
1061     show_dtype = False
1062     show_layer_names = True
1063     rankdir = 'TB' # TB (Top Bottom), LR (Left Right)
1064     expand_nested = False
1065     dpi = 96
1066     layer_range = None
1067     show_layer_activations = False
1068     # Creates a plot of the model
1069     tf.keras.utils.plot_model(model, to_file, show_shapes, show_dtype,
1070                               show_layer_names, rankdir, expand_nested, dpi,
1071                               layer_range, show_layer_activations)
1072     # Prints a summary of the model
1073     print('Model Summary')
1074     print(model.summary())
1075     #
1076     #####
1077     # Model.fit (https://www.tensorflow.org/api\_docs/python/tf/keras/Model#fit)
1078     #
1079     #####
1080     # Fit variables
1081     x_train = train_dataset
1082     y = None # If x is a dataset, generator, or keras.utils.Sequence instance, y
1083     should
1084     # not be specified (since targets will be obtained from x).

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1072     batch_size = None # Defaults to 32
1073     eps = 10 # Integer. Number of epochs to train the model. An epoch is an
iteration over
1074     # the entire x and y data provided (unless the steps_per_epoch flag is set to
something other than None).
1075     verbose = 'auto'
1076     callbacks = None
1077     validation_split = 0.0 # Not support when x is a dataset
1078     validation_data = val_dataset
1079     # Ignored when x is a generator or an object of tf.data.Dataset (This case)
1080     shuffle = True
1081     # Optional dictionary mapping class indices (integers) to a
1082     class_weight = None
1083     # continued: weight (float) value, used for weighting the loss function (during
training only)
1084     sample_weight = None # This argument is not supported when x is a dataset
1085     # Integer. Epoch at which to start training (useful for resuming a previous
training run).
1086     initial_epoch = 0
1087     # If x is a tf.data dataset, and 'steps_per_epoch' is None, the epoch will run
until the input dataset is exhausted.
1088     steps_per_epoch = None
1089     # Only relevant if validation_data is provided and is a tf.data dataset.
1090     validation_steps = None
1091     # Continued: If 'validation_steps' is None, validation will run until the
validation_data dataset is exhausted.
1092     # Do not specify the validation_batch_size if your data is in the form of
datasets
1093     validation_batch_size = None
1094     validation_freq = 1
1095     # Integer. Used for generator or keras.utils.Sequence input only.
1096     max_queue_size = 10
1097     # Continued: Maximum size for the generator queue. If unspecified,
max_queue_size will default to 10.
1098     # Integer. Used for generator or keras.utils.Sequence input only (Not this case)
1099     workers = 1
1100     # Boolean. Used for generator or keras.utils.Sequence input only.
1101     use_multiprocessing = False
1102     # Fit the model
1103     print('Start: Model Fitting')
1104     model.fit(x=x_train, batch_size=32, epochs=eps,
1105             verbose='auto', validation_data=val_dataset)
1106     # model.fit(x=x_train, batch_size=32, epochs=eps, verbose='auto',
1107     #         callbacks=None, validation_data=val_dataset, shuffle=True,
1108     #         class_weight=None, sample_weight=None, initial_epoch=0, steps_per_epoch=
None,
1109     #         validation_steps=None, max_queue_size=10, workers=1, use_multiprocessing=
False)
1110     print('End: Model Fitting')
1111     # model.fit(x, batch_size, epochs=eps, verbose='auto',
1112     #         callbacks, validation_data, shuffle,
1113     #         class_weight, sample_weight, initial_epoch, steps_per_epoch,
1114     #         validation_steps, validation_batch_size, validation_freq,
1115     #         max_queue_size, workers, use_multiprocessing)
1116     #
1117     #####
1118     # Model.evaluate (https://www.tensorflow.org/api\_docs/python/tf/keras/Model#
evaluate)
1119     #
1120     #####
1121     # Evaluation variables
1122     x_test = test_dataset
1123     # Only use if target variables not specified in dataset, must align with x.
1124     y = None
1125     batch_size = None # Defaults to 32
1126     verb = 1 # 0 or 1. Verbosity mode. 0 = silent, 1 = progress bar.
1127     sample_weight = None # Optional, This argument is not supported when x is a
dataset
1128     steps = None # If x is a tf.data dataset and steps is None, 'evaluate' will run
until the dataset is exhausted
1129     callbacks = None
1130     mqs = 10 # Max queue size. If unspecified, max_queue_size will default to 10
1131     workers = 1 # Integer. Used for generator or keras.utils.Sequence

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1130     # use_multiprocessing, boolean. Used for generator or keras.utils.Sequence input
1131     only.
1132     ump = False
1133     # Continued: If True, use process-based threading. If unspecified,
1134     use_multiprocessing will default to False.
1135     rd = False # If True, loss and metric results are returned as a dict,
1136     # with each key being the name of the metric. If False, they are returned as a
1137     list.
1138     # Model evaluation
1139     print('Start: Model Evaluation')
1140     loss, metrics = model.evaluate(x_test, batch_size=None, verbose=verb, steps=None
1141     , callbacks=None,
1142                                     max_queue_size=mqs, workers=1,
1143     use_multiprocessing=ump, return_dict=rd)
1144     #
1145     #####
1146     print('End: Model Evaluation')
1147     print("Loss: ", loss)
1148     print("Metric Descriptions: ", model.metrics_names)
1149     print("Metric Values: ", metrics)
1150     # Save the model
1151     model.save(
1152         '/home/connormcdowall/finance-honours/results/model/tensorflow-models/' +
1153     model_name+'.pb')
1154     # Monitor memory usage
1155     monitor_memory_usage(units=3, cpu=True, gpu=True)
1156     # Return the model, loss and accuracy
1157     return model, loss, metrics
1158 else:
1159     # Exemplar implementation prior to finance adaptation
1160     # Set up neural net layers
1161     x = tf.keras.layers.Dense(32, activation="relu")(all_features)
1162     x = tf.keras.layers.Dropout(rate=0.5, noise_shape=None, seed=None)(x)
1163     output = tf.keras.layers.Dense(1)(x)
1164     # Configure the model
1165     model = tf.keras.Model(all_inputs, output)
1166     model.compile(optimizer='adam',
1167                   loss=tf.keras.losses.BinaryCrossentropy(
1168                       from_logits=True),
1169                   metrics=["accuracy"])
1170     # Visualise the model via a connectivity graph
1171     tf.keras.utils.plot_model(model, show_shapes=True, rankdir="LR")
1172     # Train the model
1173     model.fit(train_dataset, epochs=10, validation_data=val_dataset)
1174     # Test the model
1175     loss, accuracy = model.evaluate(test_dataset)
1176     print("Loss: ", loss)
1177     print("Accuracy: ", accuracy)
1178     # Save the model
1179     model.save('results/plots/tensorflow-models/'+model_name+'.pb')
1180     # Return the model, loss and accuracy
1181     return model, loss, accuracy
1182
1183 def perform_tensorflow_model_inference(model_name, sample):
1184     """ Perform evaluations from model (must be configured)
1185
1186     Args:
1187         model_name ([type]): [description]
1188         sample ([type]): [description]
1189
1190     Returns:
1191         [type]: [description]
1192     """
1193     reloaded_model = tf.keras.models.load_model(model_name)
1194     input_dict = {name: tf.convert_to_tensor(
1195         [value]) for name, value in sample.items()}
1196     predictions = reloaded_model.predict(input_dict)
1197     prob = tf.nn.sigmoid(predictions[0])
1198     return prob
1199
1200 def implement_test_data(dataframe, train, val, test, full_implementation=False):

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1196 # Sets the batch size
1197 target_column = 'target'
1198 batch_size = 5
1199 train_ds = create_tf_dataset(
1200     train, target_column, shuffle=True, batch_size=batch_size)
1201 # See arrangement of the data
1202 [(train_features, label_batch)] = train_ds.take(1)
1203 print('Every feature:', list(train_features.keys()))
1204 print('A batch of ages:', train_features['Age'])
1205 print('A batch of targets:', label_batch)
1206 # Test the get_normalisation function
1207 photo_count_col = train_features['PhotoAmt']
1208 layer = get_normalization_layer('PhotoAmt', train_ds)
1209 layer(photo_count_col)
1210 # Test the get category encoding layer function
1211 test_type_col = train_features['Type']
1212 test_type_layer = get_category_encoding_layer(name='Type',
1213                                             dataset=train_ds,
1214                                             dtype='string')
1215 test_type_layer(test_type_col)
1216 test_age_col = train_features['Age']
1217 test_age_layer = get_category_encoding_layer(name='Age',
1218                                             dataset=train_ds,
1219                                             dtype='int64',
1220                                             max_tokens=5)
1221 test_age_layer(test_age_col)
1222 # Continues with a full implementation if necessary
1223 if full_implementation:
1224     print("Continues with full implementation")
1225     numerical_features = ['PhotoAmt', 'Fee']
1226     categorical_features = ['Age', 'Type', 'Color1', 'Color2', 'Gender', '
1227 MaturitySize',
1228                             'FurLength', 'Vaccinated', 'Sterilized', 'Health', '
1229 Breed1']
1230 # Create categorical type dictionary
1231 categorical_dictionary = dict.fromkeys(categorical_features, 'string')
1232 categorical_dictionary["Age"] = 'int64'
1233 model_name = 'pets_test'
1234 selected_optimizer = 'adam'
1235 selected_loss = 'binary_crossentropy'
1236 selected_metrics = ['accuracy']
1237 all_features, all_inputs, train_dataset, val_dataset, test_dataset =
1238 encode_tensor_flow_features(
1239     train, val, test, target_column, numerical_features, categorical_features,
1240     categorical_dictionary, size_of_batch=256)
1241 model, loss, metrics = build_tensor_flow_model(train_dataset, val_dataset,
1242 test_dataset, model_name,
1243                                             all_features, all_inputs,
1244 selected_optimizer, selected_loss, selected_metrics, finance_configuration=False)
1245 # Test model inference
1246 sample = {
1247     'Type': 'Cat',
1248     'Age': 3,
1249     'Breed1': 'Tabby',
1250     'Gender': 'Male',
1251     'Color1': 'Black',
1252     'Color2': 'White',
1253     'MaturitySize': 'Small',
1254     'FurLength': 'Short',
1255     'Vaccinated': 'No',
1256     'Sterilized': 'No',
1257     'Health': 'Healthy',
1258     'Fee': 100,
1259     'PhotoAmt': 2,
1260 }
1261 prob = perform_tensorflow_model_inference(
1262     'results/plots/tensorflow-models/'+model_name+'.pb', sample)
1263 else:
1264     print('Test functions complete')
1265 return

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1262 def project_analysis(data_vm_directory, list_of_columns, categorical_assignment,
1263                       target_column, chunk_size, resizing_options, batch_size, model_name,
1264                       selected_optimizer, selected_loss, selected_metrics, split_data=False, trial=False,
1265                       sample=False):
1266     # Prints memory usage before analysis
1267     monitor_memory_usage(units=3, cpu=True, gpu=True)
1268     # Reset working textfile if resizing used for numerical encoding
1269     # Clear the working file
1270     file = open(
1271         "/home/connormcdowall/finance-honours/data/working-columns.txt", "r+")
1272     file.truncate(0)
1273     file.close()
1274     # Tranfer file lines
1275     with open("/home/connormcdowall/finance-honours/data/dataframe-columns.txt", "r") as
1276         f1:
1277         with open("/home/connormcdowall/finance-honours/data/working-columns.txt", "w")
1278             as f2:
1279             for line in f1:
1280                 f2.write(line)
1281     # Split the initial vm dataset
1282     if split_data:
1283         split_vm_dataset(data_vm_directory, create_statistics=False,
1284                         split_new_data=True, create_validation_set=True)
1285     # Creates the training, validation and testing dataframes
1286     test_df = process_vm_dataset(data_vm_directory + 'test.dta', chunk_size,
1287                                resizing_options, save_statistics=False, sample=sample)
1288     train_df = process_vm_dataset(data_vm_directory + 'train.dta',
1289                                  chunk_size, resizing_options, save_statistics=False,
1290                                  sample=sample)
1291     val_df = process_vm_dataset(data_vm_directory + 'val.dta', chunk_size,
1292                                resizing_options, save_statistics=False, sample=sample)
1293     # Use trial to test the dataframe when functions not as large
1294     if trial:
1295         # Trial run takes 5% of dataframe produced from processed vm datasets
1296         test_df, test_discard_df = train_test_split(test_df, test_size=0.95)
1297         train_df, train_discard_df = train_test_split(train_df, test_size=0.95)
1298         val_df, val_discard_df = train_test_split(val_df, test_size=0.95)
1299     # Create feature lists for deep learning
1300     numerical_features, categorical_features = create_feature_lists(
1301         list_of_columns, categorical_assignment)
1302     # Creates the categorical dictionary (must specify the variables types of each)
1303     categorical_dictionary = dict.fromkeys(categorical_features, 'string')
1304     category_dtypes = {'size_grp': 'string', 'permno': 'int32', 'permco': 'int32', '
1305     crsp_shrcd': 'int8',
1306                       'crsp_exchcd': 'int8', 'adjfct': 'float64', 'sic': 'float64', '
1307     ff49': 'float64'}
1308     for key in category_dtypes:
1309         categorical_dictionary[key] = category_dtypes[key]
1310     # Encodes the tensorflow matrix
1311     all_features, all_inputs, train_dataset, val_dataset, test_dataset =
1312     encode_tensor_flow_features(
1313         train_df, val_df, test_df, target_column, numerical_features,
1314         categorical_features, categorical_dictionary, size_of_batch=batch_size)
1315     # Note: Keep Stochastic Gradient Descent as Optimizer for completeness
1316     # Buids tensorflow model
1317     model, loss, metrics = build_tensor_flow_model(train_dataset, val_dataset,
1318                                                     test_dataset, model_name,
1319                                                     all_features, all_inputs,
1320                                                     selected_optimizer, selected_loss, selected_metrics, finance_configuration=True)
1321     return
1322     #####
1323     # Custom Loss Functions, Metrics and Autodiff Testing
1324     #####
1325     # Loss Functions
1326     #####
1327     # Key:
1328     # 0 = Matrix of Parameters (Theta)
1329     # X = Feature Matrix
1330     # f_0(X) = Target (e.g., Excess Returns)
1331     # V = All-Ones=Vector
1332     # Use Tensorflow backend functions

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1323 # 0: Custom Example for reference
1324 # Loss Function (Class Example, not as efficient)
1325
1326
1327 class CustomLossFunctionExample(tf.keras.losses.Loss):
1328     # Example from Youtube (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gcwRjMinZ4o)
1329     def __init__(self):
1330         # Initialise the function
1331         super().__init__()
1332
1333     def call(self, y_true, y_pred):
1334         mse = tf.reduce_mean(tf.square(y_true, y_pred))
1335         rmse = tf.math.sqrt(mse)
1336         return rmse / tf.reduce_mean(tf.square(y_true)) - 1
1337
1338 # 1: In-Built MSE Loss Function / Metric
1339 # Call MSE Loss Function/Metric with SGD in build_tensorflow_model()
1340
1341 # 2: Custom L2 (Mean Square Error Function)
1342
1343
1344 @tf.function # Decorate the function
1345 def custom_l2_mse(y_true, y_pred):
1346     mse = K.mean(K.square(y_true - y_pred))
1347     return mse
1348
1349 # 3: Custom Hedge Portfolio Returns
1350
1351
1352 @tf.function
1353 def custom_hedge_portfolio_returns(y_true, y_pred):
1354     # Analytical Derivation
1355     #  $f_0(X) = ((X^T(0)/V(X^T))^T)X^T(0)$ 
1356     # Derivative of Function
1357     #  $df_0(X)/d(0) = (1/((0^T)X1)(X)(X^T)(0)$ 
1358     #  $+ (1/((VX^T)(0))(X)(X^T)(0)$ 
1359     #  $- (1/((0^T)(X)(V))^{*2})(0^T)(X)(X^T)(0)(X)(V)$ 
1360
1361     # Empirical Derivation(s)
1362     # Sets boolean to select weighting scheme
1363     equally_weighted = False
1364     # Sets up predicted value
1365     # Get the shape of a tensor
1366     print('y_pred is of shape: ', y_true.shape)
1367     print('y_true is of type: ', type(y_true))
1368     sp_pred = y_true.shape[0]
1369     print(sp_pred)
1370     # Implements Equally Weighted Monotonic Weighting Function
1371     if equally_weighted:
1372         # Initialise equally-weighted array
1373         weights = np.linspace(1, -1, sp_pred)
1374         # Alternative method of calculating weights
1375         # weights = np.empty([sp_pred,1])
1376         # weights[0] = 1
1377         # weights[1] = -1
1378         # # Sets remaining weights via a loop
1379         # for i in range(len(weights)):
1380         #     if i > 0:
1381         #         weights[i] = weights[i-1] - 2/(len(weights)-1)
1382
1383         # Sorts the returns to descending_order
1384         y_pred_sorted = tf.sort(y_pred, axis=-1, direction='DESCENDING')
1385         y_true_sorted = tf.sort(y_true, axis=-1, direction='DESCENDING')
1386         # Calculates weighted Tensors
1387         weighted_returns_pred = tf.math.multiply(weights, y_pred_sorted)
1388         weighted_returns_true = tf.math.multiply(weights, y_true_sorted)
1389         # Calculates MSE equivalent between the hedge portfolios
1390         loss = K.mean(K.square(weighted_returns_true - weighted_returns_pred))
1391     else:
1392         # Gets the mean of the top 10% of predicted returns
1393         print('sp_pred is ', type(sp_pred))
1394         print('y_pred is ', type(y_pred))
1395

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1396     long_mean_pred = K.mean(tf.math.top_k(y_pred, k=0.1*sp_pred))
1397     # Creates a negative
1398     neg_y_pred = tf.math.scalar_mul(-1, y_pred)
1399     # Gets the mean of the top 10% of predicted returns
1400     short_mean_pred = -1*K.mean(tf.math.top_k(neg_y_pred, k=0.1*sp_pred))
1401     # Gets the value of the hedge portfolio
1402     hedge_pred = long_mean_pred - short_mean_pred
1403     # Sets up true value
1404     # Get the shape of a tensor
1405     sp_true = y_true.shape[0]
1406     # Gets the mean of the top 10% of predicted returns
1407     long_mean_true = K.mean(tf.math.top_k(y_true, k=0.1*sp_true))
1408     # Creates a negative
1409     neg_y_true = tf.math.scalar_mul(-1, y_true)
1410     # Gets the mean of the top 10% of predicted returns
1411     short_mean_true = -1*K.mean(tf.math.top_k(neg_y_true, k=0.1*sp_true))
1412     # Gets the value of the hedge portfolio
1413     hedge_true = long_mean_true - short_mean_true
1414     # Calculate a MSE based on a hedge portfolio opposed to predicted returns
1415     loss = K.mean(K.square(hedge_true - hedge_pred))
1416     return loss
1417
1418 # 4: Custom Sharpe Ratio (# Negative to maximise)
1419
1420
1421 @tf.function
1422 def custom_sharpe_ratio(y_true, y_pred):
1423     # Finds Sharpe ratios of both true and predicted returns
1424     sr_pred = -1*(K.mean(y_pred)/K.std(y_pred))
1425     sr_true = -1*(K.mean(y_true)/K.std(y_true))
1426     # Finds MSE between predicted and true MSE
1427     loss = K.mean(K.square(sr_true - sr_pred))
1428     return loss
1429
1430 # 5: Custom Information Ratio (E(R) - E(BM))/SD(R-BM))
1431 # Note: This instance uses the true results as the benchmanr
1432
1433
1434 @tf.function
1435 def custom_information_ratio(y_true, y_pred):
1436     loss = -1*((K.mean(y_pred) - K.mean(y_true))/K.std(y_pred - y_true))
1437     return loss
1438
1439 # @tf.function
1440 # def multi_layer_loss(self):
1441 #     """ Wrapper function which calculates auxiliary values for the complete loss
1442 #     function.
1443 #     Returns a *function* which calculates the complete loss given only the input
1444 #     and target output """
1445 #     # KL loss
1446 #     kl_loss = self.calculate_kl_loss
1447 #     # Reconstruction loss
1448 #     md_loss_func = self.calculate_md_loss
1449 #     # KL weight (to be used by total loss and by annealing scheduler)
1450 #     self.kl_weight = K.variable(self.hps['kl_weight_start'], name='kl_weight')
1451 #     kl_weight = self.kl_weight
1452 #     def seq2seq_loss(y_true, y_pred):
1453 #         """ Final loss calculation function to be passed to optimizer"""
1454 #         # Reconstruction loss
1455 #         md_loss = md_loss_func(y_true, y_pred)
1456 #         # Full loss
1457 #         model_loss = kl_weight*kl_loss() + md_loss
1458 #         return model_loss
1459 #     return seq2seq_loss
1460
1461 # Note: Symbolic Tensors do not work in function calls as require eager tensors.
1462 # Subsequently, must create custom class with call function
1463
1464 # Utilisation of function closure to pass multiple inputs into the function.
1465
1466 class custom_loss(tf.keras.losses.Loss):

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1466 def __init__(self, layer=None, reduction=tf.keras.losses.Reduction.AUTO, name='
1467 custom_loss'):
1468     super().__init__(reduction=reduction, name=name)
1469     self.layer = layer
1470     # self.layer = layer
1471
1472 def call(self, y_true, y_pred):
1473     layer = self.layer
1474     mse = K.mean(K.square(y_true - y_pred))
1475     rmse = K.sqrt(mse)
1476     # return (rmse / K.mean(K.square(y_true)) - 1)
1477     return K.mean(K.square(y_pred - y_true) + K.square(layer), axis=-1)
1478
1479 # def custom_loss(layer):
1480 #     # Create a loss function that adds the MSE loss to the mean of all squared
1481 #     # activations of a specific layer
1482 #     def loss(y_true, y_pred):
1483 #         return K.mean(K.square(y_pred - y_true) + K.square(layer), axis=-1)
1484 #     # Return a function
1485 #     return loss
1486
1487 #####
1488 # Metrics
1489 #####
1490 # 1: HP Mean
1491
1492 class CustomHedgePortfolioMean(tf.keras.metrics.Metric):
1493     # Initialisation
1494     def __init__(self, num_classes=None, batch_size=None,
1495                  name='hedge_portfolio_mean', **kwargs):
1496         super(CustomHedgePortfolioMean, self).__init__(name=name, **kwargs)
1497         self.batch_size = batch_size
1498         self.num_classes = num_classes
1499         self.hedge_portfolio_mean = self.add_weight(
1500             name='hedge_portfolio_mean', initializer="zeros")
1501         # Core component of the update state
1502         # Update State
1503
1504     def update_state(self, y_true, y_pred, sample_weight=None):
1505         # Returns the index of the maximum values along the last axis in y_true (Last
1506         # layer)
1507         y_true = K.argmax(y_true, axis=-1)
1508         # Returns the index of the maximum values along the last axis in y_true (Last
1509         # layer)
1510         y_pred = K.argmax(y_pred, axis=-1)
1511         # Flattens a tensor to reshape to a shape equal to the number of elements
1512         # contained
1513         # Removes all dimensions except for one.
1514         y_true = K.flatten(y_true)
1515         # Defines the metric for assignment
1516         true_poss = K.sum(K.cast((K.equal(y_true, y_pred)), dtype=tf.float32))
1517         self.hedge_portfolio_mean.assign_add(true_poss)
1518         # Metric
1519
1520     def result(self):
1521         return self.hedge_portfolio_mean
1522
1523 # 2: HP Alphas in CAPM, FF3, FF5 ()
1524
1525 class CustomHedgePortfolioAlphas(tf.keras.metrics.Metric):
1526     # Initialisation
1527     def __init__(self, num_classes=None, batch_size=None,
1528                  name='hedge_portfolio_alphas', **kwargs):
1529         super(CustomHedgePortfolioAlphas, self).__init__(name=name, **kwargs)
1530         self.batch_size = batch_size
1531         self.num_classes = num_classes
1532         self.custom_hedge_portfolio_alphas = self.add_weight(
1533             name='hedge_portfolio_alphas', initializer="zeros")
1534         # Update State
1535
1536     def update_state(self, y_true, y_pred, sample_weight=None):

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1534     # Returns the index of the maximum values along the last axis in y_true (Last
1535     layer)
1536     y_true = K.argmax(y_true, axis=-1)
1537     # Returns the index of the maximum values along the last axis in y_true (Last
1538     layer)
1539     y_pred = K.argmax(y_pred, axis=-1)
1540     # Flattens a tensor to reshape to a shape equal to the number of elements
1541     contained
1542     # Removes all dimensions except for one.
1543     y_true = K.flatten(y_true)
1544     # Defines the metric for assignment
1545     true_poss = K.sum(K.cast((K.equal(y_true, y_pred)), dtype=tf.float32))
1546     self.custom_hedge_portfolio_alphas.assign_add(true_poss)
1547     # Metric
1548
1549     def result(self):
1550         return self.custom_hedge_portfolio_alphas
1551
1552 # 3: Sharpe Ratio (SR = E[R - Rf]/SD Excess Return)
1553
1554 class CustomSharpeRatio(tf.keras.metrics.Metric):
1555     # Initialisation
1556     def __init__(self, num_classes=None, batch_size=None,
1557                  name='sharpe_ratio', **kwargs):
1558         super(CustomSharpeRatio, self).__init__(name=name, **kwargs)
1559         self.batch_size = batch_size
1560         self.num_classes = num_classes
1561         self.custom_sharpe_ratio = self.add_weight(
1562             name="csr", initializer="zeros")
1563     # Update State
1564
1565     def update_state(self, y_true, y_pred, sample_weight=None):
1566         # Returns the index of the maximum values along the last axis in y_true (Last
1567         layer)
1568         y_true = K.argmax(y_true, axis=-1)
1569         # Returns the index of the maximum values along the last axis in y_true (Last
1570         layer)
1571         y_pred = K.argmax(y_pred, axis=-1)
1572         # Flattens a tensor to reshape to a shape equal to the number of elements
1573         contained
1574         # Removes all dimensions except for one.
1575         y_true = K.flatten(y_true)
1576         # Defines the metric for assignment
1577         true_poss = K.sum(K.cast((K.equal(y_true, y_pred)), dtype=tf.float32))
1578         self.custom_sharpe_ratio.assign_add(true_poss)
1579     # Metric
1580
1581     def result(self):
1582         return self.custom_sharpe_ratio
1583
1584 # 4: Information Ratio (IR = [R - Rf]/SD[R-Rf])
1585
1586 class CustomInformationRatio(tf.keras.metrics.Metric):
1587     # Initialisation
1588     def __init__(self, num_classes=None, batch_size=None,
1589                  name='information_ratio', **kwargs):
1590         super(CustomHedgePortfolioAlphas, self).__init__(name=name, **kwargs)
1591         self.batch_size = batch_size
1592         self.num_classes = num_classes
1593         self.custom_information_ratio = self.add_weight(
1594             name="cir", initializer="zeros")
1595     # Update State
1596
1597     def update_state(self, y_true, y_pred, sample_weight=None):
1598         # Returns the index of the maximum values along the last axis in y_true (Last
1599         layer)
1600         y_true = K.argmax(y_true, axis=-1)
1601         # Returns the index of the maximum values along the last axis in y_true (Last
1602         layer)
1603         y_pred = K.argmax(y_pred, axis=-1)

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1598     # Flattens a tensor to reshape to a shape equal to the number of elements
1599     contained
1600     # Removes all dimensions except for one.
1601     y_true = K.flatten(y_true)
1602     # Defines the metric for assignment
1603     true_poss = K.sum(K.cast((K.equal(y_true, y_pred)), dtype=tf.float32))
1604     self.custom_information_ratio.assign_add(true_poss)
1605     # Metric
1606
1607     def result(self):
1608         return self.custom_information_ratio
1609 #####
1610 # Autodiff Testing
1611 #####
1612 # Information:
1613 # TensorFlow provides the tf.GradientTape API for automatic differentiation;
1614 # that is, computing the gradient of a computation with respect to some inputs,
1615 # usually tf.Variables. TensorFlow "records" relevant operations executed inside
1616 # the context of a tf.GradientTape onto a "tape". TensorFlow then uses that tape
1617 # to compute the gradients of a "recorded" computation using reverse mode
1618 # differentiation.
1619 # (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Automatic_differentiation)
1620
1621 # Function to test loss functions and metrics using autodiff
1622
1623 def loss_function_testing(custom_loss_function):
1624     """ Uses tensorflow autodifferentiation functionality
1625     to confirm differentiable nature and feasibility
1626     of custom loss functions.
1627     Note: code verbatim from tensorflow guide.
1628     Merely for illustration purposes
1629     """
1630     layer = tf.keras.layers.Dense(32, activation='relu')
1631     x = tf.constant([[1., 2., 3.]])
1632     # Sets loss functions
1633
1634     # Set Metrics
1635     with tf.GradientTape() as tape:
1636         # Forward pass
1637         y = layer(x)
1638
1639         loss = tf.reduce_mean(y**2)
1640     # Calculate gradients with respect to every trainable variable
1641     try:
1642         grad = tape.gradient(loss, layer.trainable_variables)
1643     except:
1644         print('Gradient Function Failed')
1645     # Print the outcomes of the simple model analysis
1646     for var, g in zip(layer.trainable_variables, grad):
1647         print(f'{var.name}, shape: {g.shape}')
1648     return
1649
1650 # Function for implementing autodiff
1651
1652 def autodiff_guide(example):
1653     """ Execute autodiff examples from Tensorflow resources.
1654     Used to help gain an understanding of different
1655     functionalities (Demonstration Purposes Only)
1656
1657     Args:
1658         example (int): Example to implement
1659             : 1 - 'simple'
1660             : 2 - 'simple_tensor'
1661             : 3 - 'simple_model'
1662             : 4 - 'control_tape'
1663             : 5 - 'control_tensor_tape'
1664             : 6 - 'stop_recording'
1665             : 7 - 'watch_multiple_variables'
1666             : 8 - 'higher_order_derivatives'
1667             : 9 - 'jacobian'
1668             : 10- 'hessian_newton'

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1669
1670 """
1671 # Uses the autodiff functionality to test custom gradients with gradient tape
1672 # Extracted from
1673 if example == 1:
1674     # Simple example
1675     print('Starting Simple Example')
1676     x = tf.Variable(3.0)
1677     with tf.GradientTape() as tape:
1678         y = x**2
1679     # dy = 2x * dx
1680     dy_dx = tape.gradient(y, x)
1681     print(dy_dx.numpy())
1682 if example == 2:
1683     w = tf.Variable(tf.random.normal((3, 2)), name='w')
1684     b = tf.Variable(tf.zeros(2, dtype=tf.float32), name='b')
1685     x = [[1., 2., 3.]]
1686     with tf.GradientTape(persistent=True) as tape:
1687         y = x @ w + b
1688     loss = tf.reduce_mean(y**2)
1689     [dl_dw, dl_db] = tape.gradient(loss, [w, b])
1690     print(w.shape)
1691     print(dl_dw.shape)
1692 if example == 3:
1693     layer = tf.keras.layers.Dense(2, activation='relu')
1694     x = tf.constant([[1., 2., 3.]])
1695     with tf.GradientTape() as tape:
1696         # Forward pass
1697         y = layer(x)
1698         loss = tf.reduce_mean(y**2)
1699     # Calculate gradients with respect to every trainable variable
1700     grad = tape.gradient(loss, layer.trainable_variables)
1701     # Print the outcomes of the simple model analysis
1702     for var, g in zip(layer.trainable_variables, grad):
1703         print(f'{var.name}, shape: {g.shape}')
1704 if example == 4:
1705     # A trainable variable
1706     x0 = tf.Variable(3.0, name='x0')
1707     # Not trainable
1708     x1 = tf.Variable(3.0, name='x1', trainable=False)
1709     # Not a Variable: A variable + tensor returns a tensor.
1710     x2 = tf.Variable(2.0, name='x2') + 1.0
1711     # Not a variable
1712     x3 = tf.constant(3.0, name='x3')
1713     with tf.GradientTape() as tape:
1714         y = (x0**2) + (x1**2) + (x2**2)
1715     grad = tape.gradient(y, [x0, x1, x2, x3])
1716     for g in grad:
1717         print(g)
1718     [var.name for var in tape.watched_variables()]
1719 if example == 5:
1720     x = tf.constant(3.0)
1721     with tf.GradientTape() as tape:
1722         tape.watch(x)
1723         y = x**2
1724     # dy = 2x * dx
1725     dy_dx = tape.gradient(y, x)
1726     print(dy_dx.numpy())
1727 if example == 6:
1728     # Sets the variables
1729     x = tf.Variable(2.0)
1730     y = tf.Variable(3.0)
1731     # Starts the gradient tape
1732     with tf.GradientTape() as t:
1733         x_sq = x * x
1734         with t.stop_recording():
1735             y_sq = y * y
1736         z = x_sq + y_sq
1737     # Compute the gradient
1738     grad = t.gradient(z, {'x': x, 'y': y})
1739     # Shows tape starting and stopping with the reporting
1740     print('dz/dx:', grad['x']) # 2*x => 4
1741     print('dz/dy:', grad['y'])

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1742 if example == 7:
1743     # Set the variables
1744     x0 = tf.constant(0.0)
1745     x1 = tf.constant(0.0)
1746     # Establish gradient tape
1747     with tf.GradientTape() as tape0, tf.GradientTape() as tape1:
1748         tape0.watch(x0)
1749         tape1.watch(x1)
1750         # Establish sin & sigmoid functions
1751         y0 = tf.math.sin(x0)
1752         y1 = tf.nn.sigmoid(x1)
1753         # Create combined function, tracking multiple components
1754         y = y0 + y1
1755         ys = tf.reduce_sum(y)
1756 if example == 8:
1757     # Higher order derivatives
1758     x = tf.Variable(1.0) # Create a Tensorflow variable initialized to 1.0
1759     with tf.GradientTape() as t2:
1760         with tf.GradientTape() as t1:
1761             y = x * x * x
1762         # Compute the gradient inside the outer 't2' context manager
1763         # which means the gradient computation is differentiable as well.
1764         dy_dx = t1.gradient(y, x)
1765         d2y_dx2 = t2.gradient(dy_dx, x)
1766         # Prints the result from the gradient outputs
1767         print('dy_dx:', dy_dx.numpy()) # 3 * x**2 => 3.0
1768         print('d2y_dx2:', d2y_dx2.numpy()) # 6 * x => 6.0
1769 if example == 9:
1770     # Jacobian Matrices
1771     x = tf.random.normal([7, 5])
1772     layer = tf.keras.layers.Dense(10, activation=tf.nn.relu)
1773     # Shape of the gradient tape
1774     with tf.GradientTape(persistent=True) as tape:
1775         y = layer(x)
1776     # Output Layer Shape
1777     y.shape
1778     # Shape of the kernel
1779     layer.kernel.shape
1780     # The shape of the Jacobian of the output with respect to the kernel
1781     # is the combination of the two shapes
1782     j = tape.jacobian(y, layer.kernel)
1783     j.shape
1784     # Summing over the targets dimensions gives you the amount calculated
1785     # a scaler gradient
1786     g = tape.gradient(y, layer.kernel)
1787     print('g.shape:', g.shape)
1788     j_sum = tf.reduce_sum(j, axis=[0, 1])
1789     delta = tf.reduce_max(abs(g - j_sum)).numpy()
1790     assert delta < 1e-3
1791     print('delta:', delta)
1792 if example == 10:
1793     # Construction of Simple Hessian Matrix
1794     # A Hessian Matrix is a square matrix of 2nd order PDEs of a scaler
1795     # valued function, or scaler field, describing the local curvature of
1796     # a multivariate function
1797     x = tf.random.normal([7, 5])
1798     layer1 = tf.keras.layers.Dense(8, activation=tf.nn.relu)
1799     layer2 = tf.keras.layers.Dense(6, activation=tf.nn.relu)
1800     with tf.GradientTape() as t2:
1801         with tf.GradientTape() as t1:
1802             x = layer1(x)
1803             x = layer2(x)
1804             loss = tf.reduce_mean(x**2)
1805             g = t1.gradient(loss, layer1.kernel)
1806         h = t2.jacobian(g, layer1.kernel)
1807         print(f'layer.kernel.shape: {layer1.kernel.shape}')
1808         print(f'h.shape: {h.shape}')
1809         # Flatten axes into matrix and flatten to gradient vector
1810         n_params = tf.reduce_prod(layer1.kernel.shape)
1811         g_vec = tf.reshape(g, [n_params, 1])
1812         h_mat = tf.reshape(h, [n_params, n_params])
1813         # Define function to display hessian matrix
1814

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1815     def imshow_zero_center(image, **kwargs):
1816         lim = tf.reduce_max(abs(image))
1817         plt.imshow(image, vmin=-lim, vmax=lim, cmap='seismic', **kwargs)
1818         plt.colorbar()
1819         # Shows the hessian matrix
1820         imshow_zero_center(h_mat)
1821         # Newton's Method Update Step
1822         eps = 1e-3
1823         eye_eps = tf.eye(h_mat.shape[0])*eps
1824         #  $X(k+1) = X(k) - (f'(X(k)))^{-1} @ f'(X(k))$ 
1825         #  $h\_mat = f''(X(k))$ 
1826         #  $g\_vec = f'(X(k))$ 
1827         update = tf.linalg.solve(h_mat + eye_eps, g_vec)
1828         # Reshape the update and apply it to the variable.
1829         _ = layer1.kernel.assign_sub(tf.reshape(update, layer1.kernel.shape))
1830     return
1831 #####
1832 # Analytical/Calculus
1833 #####
1834 # Writes functions
1835
1836
1837 def analytical_analysis():
1838     # Test simple functionality
1839     print(sym.sqrt(8))
1840     theta, x = sym.symbols('0 X')
1841     return
1842
1843
1844 def ranking_function():
1845     """ Ranking function to produce charts for demonstration purposes
1846
1847     Args:
1848         type ([type]): String for desired ranking functions
1849     """
1850     # Creates an ordered, random array of proxy returns (%)
1851     num = 100
1852     returns_uniform = np.sort(np.arange(-10, 10, -0.2))
1853     print('returns', returns_uniform)
1854     print('returns size', np.size(returns_uniform))
1855     returns = np.sort(np.random.uniform(low=-10.0, high=10.0, size=(num,)))
1856     # returns = returns[::-1].sort
1857     base = np.zeros(num)
1858     ones = np.ones(num)
1859     # Creates rank array
1860     rank = np.linspace(num, 1, num)
1861     # Sets thresholds
1862     u = np.zeros((rank.shape))
1863     u[:] = 20
1864     v = np.zeros((rank.shape))
1865     v[:] = 80
1866     # rank = np.array(list(range(1, len(returns)+ 1)))
1867     # Create weights
1868     weights = returns/transpose(ones)
1869     print('weights', weights)
1870     print('Sum of weights', np.sum(weights))
1871     weights = weights*returns
1872     print('weights', weights)
1873     print('Sum of weights', np.sum(weights))
1874     # Plots the functions
1875     plt.plot(returns, rank, 'r.', base, rank, 'k.',
1876             returns, u, 'g--', returns, v, 'b--')
1877     # Invert the y-axis
1878     plt.gca().invert_yaxis()
1879     plt.gca().invert_xaxis()
1880     plt.legend('Returns', 'Baseline')
1881     plt.xlabel('Excess Return (y(i,t), %)')
1882     plt.ylabel('Rank (R(y(i,t)))')
1883     plt.title('Monotonic Ranking Function')
1884     plt.savefig(
1885         '/home/connormcdowall/finance-honours/results/plots/monotonic-ranking.png')
1886     return
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1888 #####
1889 # Variables
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1891 # Integers
1892 batch_size = 256 # Batch size for creating tf dataset
1893 chunk_size = 100000 # chunk size for reading stata files
1894 # Targets
1895 targets_dictionary = {1: 'ret_exc', 2: 'ret_exc_lead1m'}
1896 # Sets the intended target column (test multiple configurations)
1897 target_column = targets_dictionary[2]
1898 # Lists and arrays
1899 # 1: , 2: , 3:
1900 resizing_options = [True, True, True]
1901 categorical_assignment = ['size_grp', 'permno', 'permco',
1902                           'crsp_shrcd', 'crsp_exchcd', 'adjfct', 'sic', 'ff49']
1903 # Tensorflow configurations (listed for completeness/reference)
1904 # Optimizers
1905 optimizers = ['Adagrad', 'Adadelata', 'Adam',
1906               'Adamax', 'Ftrl', 'Nadam', 'RMSProp', 'SGD']
1907 # Losses
1908 binary_classification_losses = ['binary_crossentropy']
1909 multiclass_classification_losses = ['categorical_crossentropy',
1910                                    'sparse_categorical_crossentropy', 'poisson', '
1911                                    kl_divergence']
1912 regression_losses = ['cosine_similarity', 'mean_absolute_error', '
1913                     'mean_absolute_percentage_error',
1914                     'mean_squared_logarithmic_error', 'mean_squared_error', 'huber_loss
1915                     ']
1916 extra_losses = ['hinge', 'log_cosh', 'loss', 'squared_hinge']
1917 custom_losses = ['custom_l2_mse', 'custom_hedge_portfolio_returns', 'custom_sharpe_ratio
1918                 ',
1919                 'custom_information_ratio', 'custom_loss'] # List names here when
1920                 created
1921 losses = binary_classification_losses + multiclass_classification_losses + \
1922         regression_losses + extra_losses + custom_losses
1923 # Metrics (Functions used to judge model performance, similar to a loss function but
1924 # results are not used when training a model)
1925 accuracy_metrics = ['accuracy', 'binary_accuracy', 'categorical_accuracy',
1926                    'top_k_categorical_accuracy', 'sparse_top_k_categorical_accuracy', '
1927                    sparse_categorical_accuracy']
1928 probabilistic_metrics = ['binary_crossentropy',
1929                          'categorical_crossentropy', 'kullback_leibler_divergence']
1930 regression_metrics = ['root_mean_squared_error', 'mean_absolute_percentage_error', '
1931                      'mean_metric_wrapper', 'sum',
1932                      'mean_relative_error', 'mean_squared_error', '
1933                      mean_squared_logarithmic_error', 'cosine_similarity', 'logcosh', 'mean', '
1934                      mean_absolute_error', 'mean_tensor', 'metric']
1935 classification_tf_pn = ['Auc', 'Fn', 'Fp', 'poisson', 'precision', 'precision_at_recall'
1936                        ,
1937                        'recall', 'recall_at_precision', 'sensitivity_at_specificity', '
1938                        Tn', 'Tp']
1939 images_segementation_metrics = ['meaniou']
1940 hinge_metrics = ['categorical_hinge', 'squared_hinge', 'hinge']
1941 custom_metrics = ['hedge_portfolio_mean', 'hedge_portfolio_alphas',
1942                  'sharpe_ratio', 'information_ratio'] # Add when create the metrics
1943 metrics = accuracy_metrics + probabilistic_metrics + regression_metrics + \
1944         classification_tf_pn + images_segementation_metrics + hinge_metrics + custom_metrics
1945 # Tensorflow configuration
1946 optimisation_dictionary = {1: 'SGD', 2: 'SGD',
1947                            3: 'SGD', 4: 'SGD', 5: 'SGD', 6: 'SGD'}
1948 loss_function_dictionary = {1: 'mean_squared_error', 2: 'custom_l2_mse', 3: '
1949                             custom_hedge_portfolio_returns',
1950                             4: 'custom_sharpe_ratio', 5: 'custom_information_ratio', 6:
1951                             'custom_loss'}
1952 metrics_dictionary = {1: ['mean_squared_error'], 2: ['mean_squared_error'], 3: [
1953                       'mean_squared_error'], 4: ['mean_squared_error'], 5: ['mean_squared_error'], 6: ['
1954                       mean_squared_error']}
1955 # Selected Tensorflow Configuration
1956 #####
1957 tf_option = 6 # Change to 1,2,3,4,5 for configuration
1958 selected_optimizer = optimisation_dictionary[tf_option]
1959 selected_loss = loss_function_dictionary[tf_option]

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1946 selected_metrics = metrics_dictionary[tf_option]
1947 #####
1948 # Strings
1949 model_name = 'finance-honours-test'
1950 data_source = 'data/combined_predictors_filtered_us.dta'
1951 csv_location = '//Volumes/Seagate/dataframes/'
1952 data_vm_directory = '/home/connormcdowall/local-data/'
1953 data_vm_dta = '/home/connormcdowall/local-data/combined_predictors_filtered_us.dta'
1954 results_tables = '/home/connormcdowall/finance-honours/results/tables'
1955 list_of_columns = '/home/connormcdowall/finance-honours/data/working-columns.txt'
1956 # Binary (Set to True or False depending on the functions to run)
1957 # System Checks
1958 sys_check = False
1959 # Data processing
1960 source_data = False
1961 split_vm_data = False
1962 process_vm_data = False
1963 use_sass = False
1964 need_dataframe = False
1965 # Tensorflow
1966 assign_features = False
1967 extract_test_data = False
1968 test_implementation = False
1969 example_autodiff = True
1970 test_loss_function = False
1971 # Analytical
1972 analytical = False
1973 rank_functions = False
1974 # Research Proposal Analysis
1975 begin_analysis = True
1976 #####
1977 # Function Calls - Testing
1978 #####
1979 # System Checks
1980 #####
1981 if sys_check:
1982     reconfigure_gpu(restrict_tf=False, growth_memory=True)
1983 #####
1984 # Data processing
1985 #####
1986 # Source data from local drive
1987 if source_data:
1988     partition_data(data_source, csv_location)
1989 # Source data from VM Instance
1990 if split_vm_data:
1991     split_vm_dataset(data_vm_directory, create_statistics=False,
1992                     split_new_data=False, create_validation_set=False)
1993 # Process vm data for Tensorflow
1994 if process_vm_data:
1995     process_vm_dataset(data_vm_dta, save_statistics=False, sample=False)
1996 if need_dataframe:
1997     data = create_dataframes(csv_location, False)
1998     print(data.info())
1999     print(data.head())
2000 if use_sass:
2001     sass_access(data)
2002 #####
2003 # Tensorflow
2004 #####
2005 if assign_features:
2006     numerical_features, categorical_features = create_feature_lists(
2007         list_of_columns, categorical_assignment)
2008 if extract_test_data:
2009     df, train_data, val_data, test_data = download_test_data()
2010     if test_implementation:
2011         implement_test_data(df, train_data, val_data,
2012                             test_data, full_implementation=True)
2013 if example_autodiff:
2014     autodiff_guide(example=5)
2015 if test_loss_function:
2016     print('Add Function Here')
2017 #####
2018 # Analytical

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2019 #####
2020 # Analytical function
2021 # Do analytical function
2022 if analytical:
2023     analytical_analysis()
2024 # Creates monotonic ranking function plots
2025 if rank_functions:
2026     ranking_function()
2027 #####
2028 # Function Call - Analysis
2029 #####
2030 if begin_analysis:
2031     project_analysis(data_vm_directory, list_of_columns, categorical_assignment,
2032                      target_column, chunk_size, resizing_options,
2033                          batch_size, model_name, selected_optimizer, selected_loss,
2034                          selected_metrics, split_data=False, trial=True, sample=True)
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