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TEAM INTRO



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BACKGROUND



BACKGROUND



How to predict the price trend of bulk commodities?

This competition focuses on 6 non-ferrous metals, predicting the direction (up/down) of non-ferrous metal prices in three time periods (**1day 20day 60day**).

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| LMEA _{lumini} um_OI: Aluminium open interest |
| LMECopper_OI: Copper open interest |
| LMENickel_OI: Nickel open interest |
| LMELead_OI: Lead open interest |
| LMETin_OI: Tin open interest |
| LMEZinc_OI: Zinc open interest |
| LMECopper3M_longer: Copper 3 months data |
| LMELead3M: Lead 3 months data |
| LMENickle3M: Nickle 3 months data |
| LMETin3M: Tin 3 months data |
| LMEZinc3M: Zinc 3 months data |
| LMEA _{lumini} um3M: Aluminium 3 months data |

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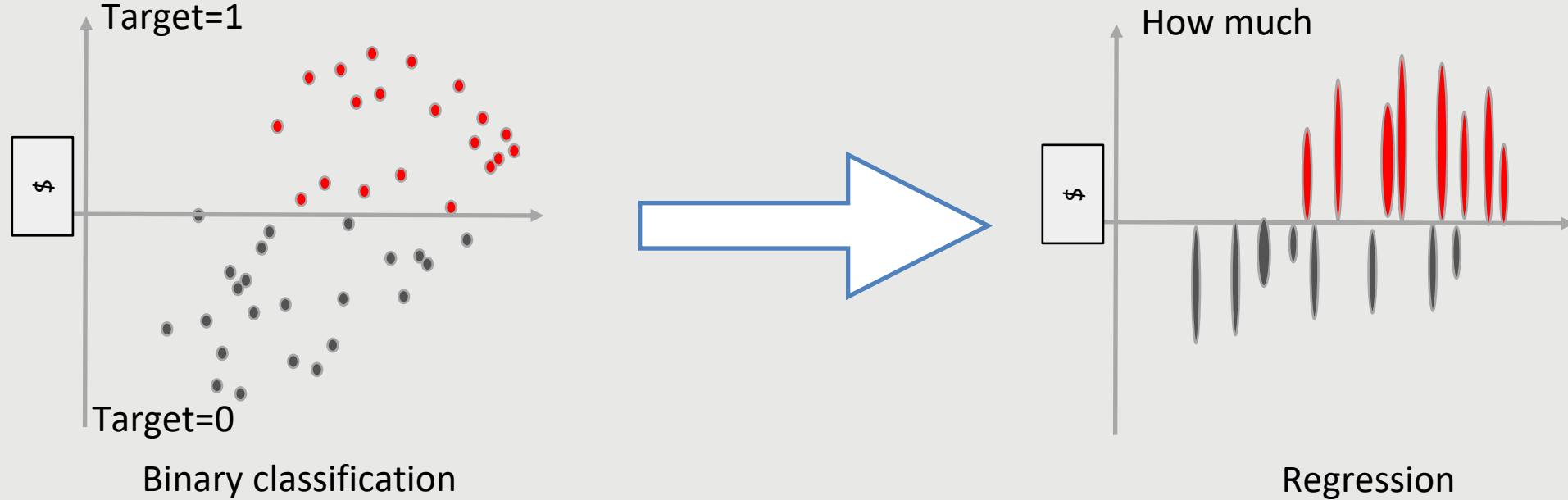
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METHODOLOGY

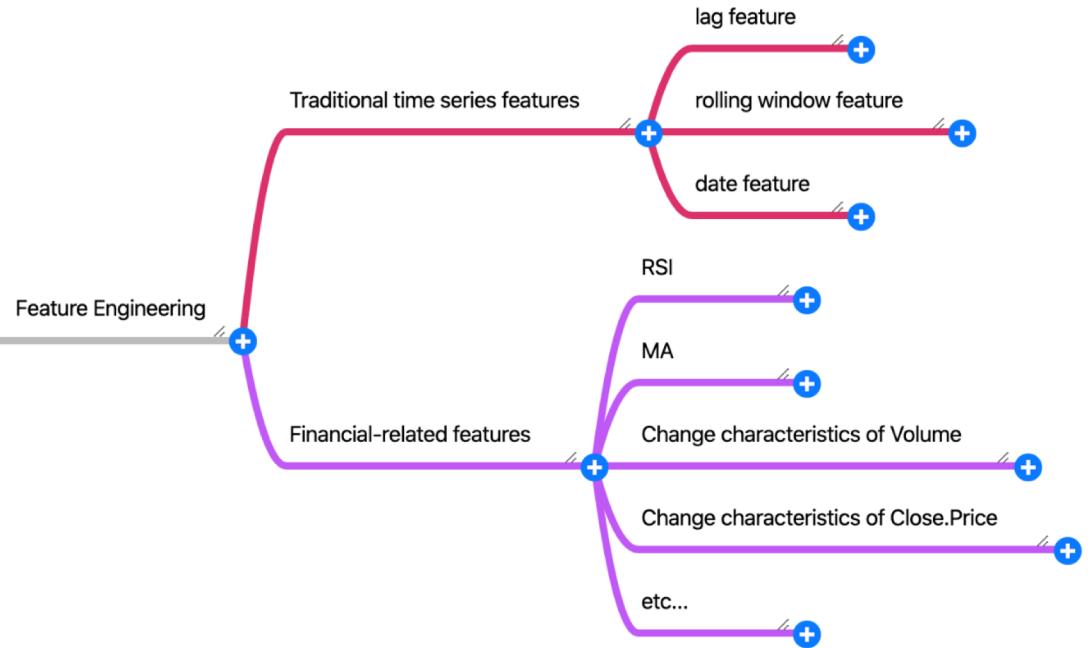


METHODOLOGY



- The goal is a **binary task**.
- However, we believe that in the case of fluctuations, the two-category modeling cannot well reflect the strength (range) of the fluctuations.
- Therefore, we convert its target to use **regression**.

METHODOLOGY——FEATURE ENGINEERING



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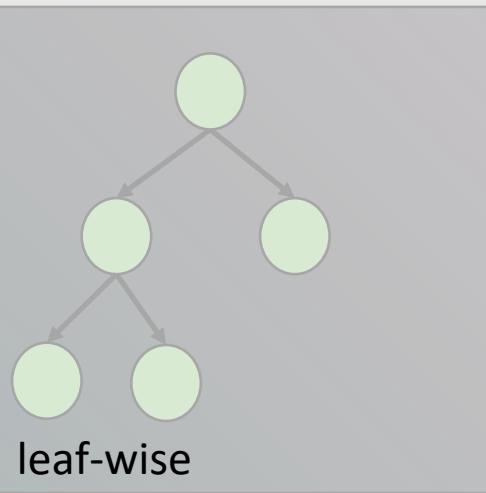
Our characteristics are mainly divided into two parts:

- **Traditional time series features**
- **Some financial-related features**
- **Adopted different window and lag values**
for different targets t_1 , t_{20} , and t_{60} .

METHODOLOGY——MODEL

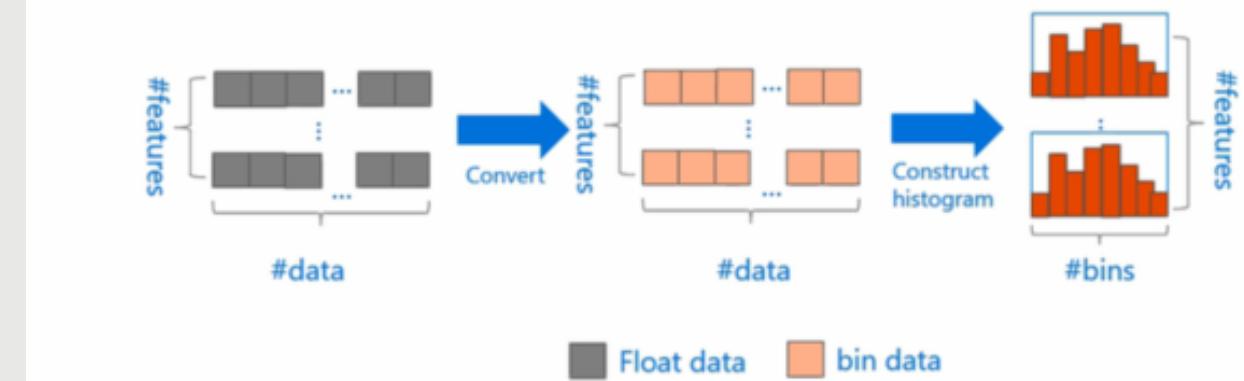
The model we chose for this competition is **LightGBM**

- learning rate: 0.003
- sub_row parameter: 0.1-0.9
- num_leaves: 15-63
- min_data_in_leaf: 40-60



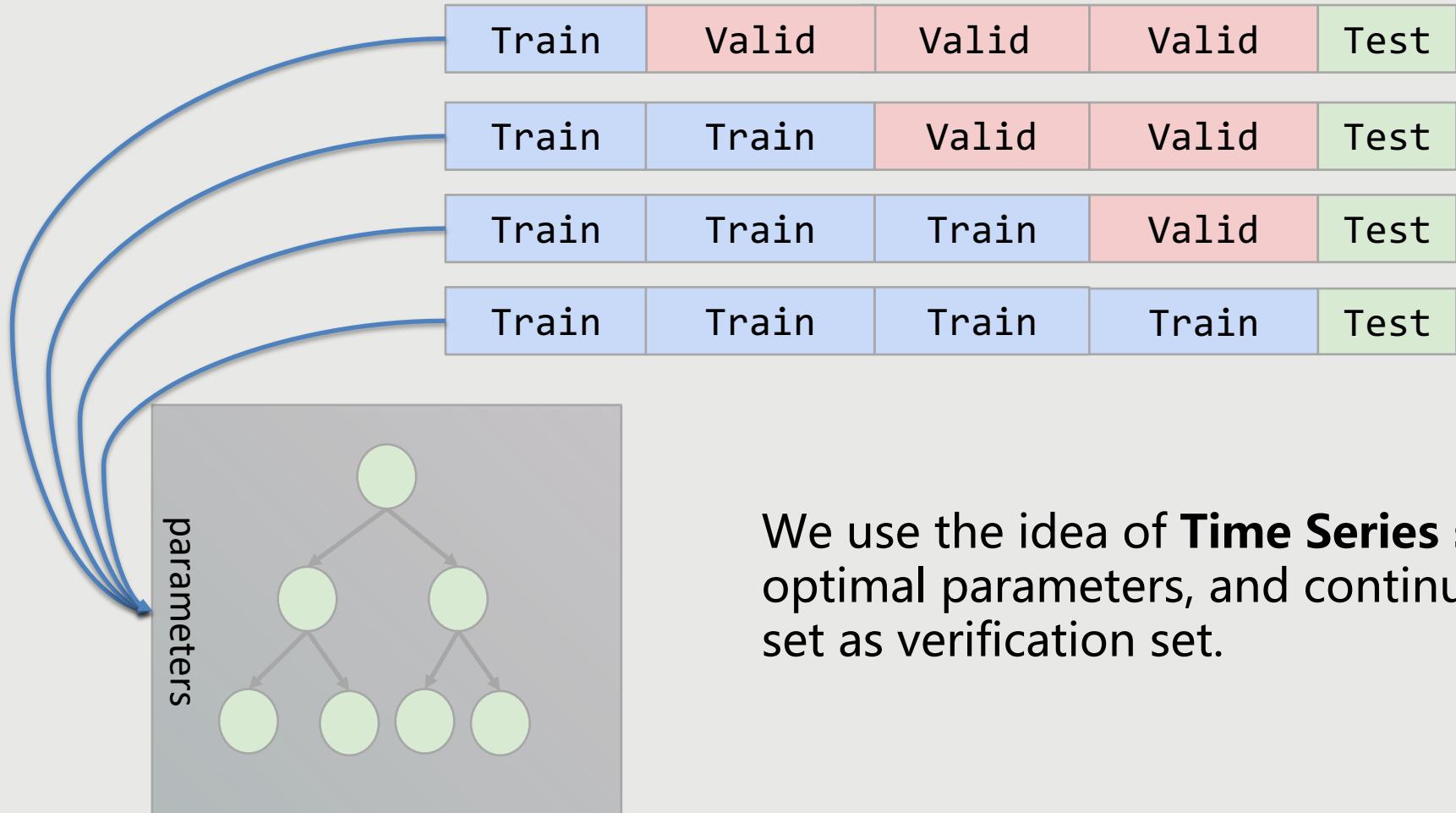
Histogram optimization

- Compression of feature
- Map continues values to discrete values(called "bin")
 - E.g. [0,0.1) -> 0, [0.1,0.3)->1, ...



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METHODOLOGY——VALID METHOD



We use the idea of **Time Series split** to select the optimal parameters, and continue to use the latest data set as verification set.

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FUTURE WORK



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- Professional feature mining is still not enough
- The model has not been well adjusted
- The potential of the deep model has not yet been realized



Thank you!



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