

Predicting S&P 500 Returns Using Gramian Angular Field and Multiple Input CNN's

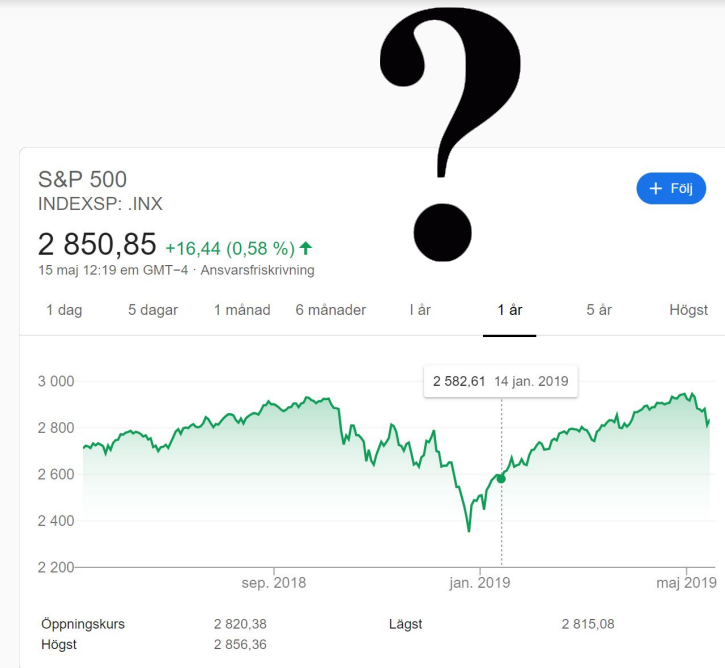
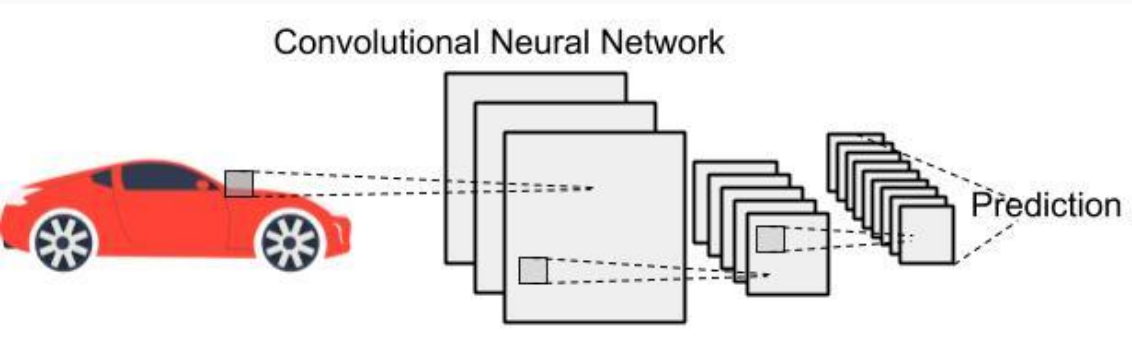
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Thank you!

Idea



What I did

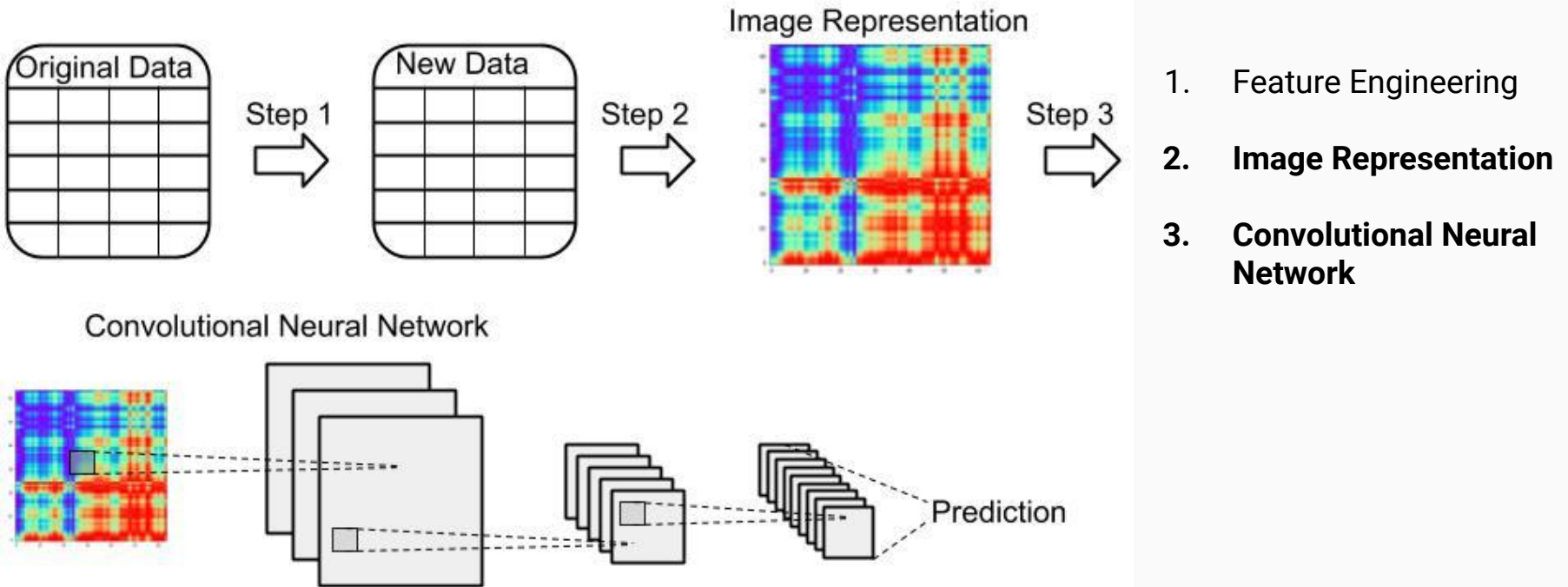
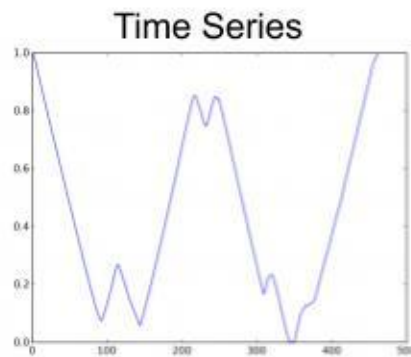
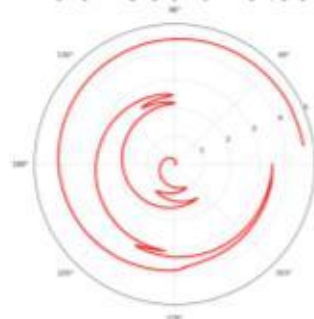


Image Representation

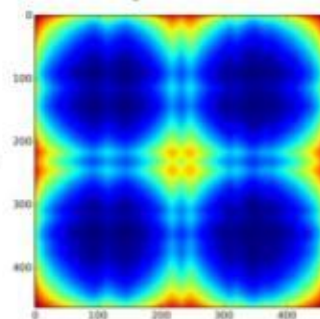
$$\begin{cases} \phi_i = \arccos(x_i) \\ r_i = \frac{i}{N} \end{cases}$$



Polar Coordinates



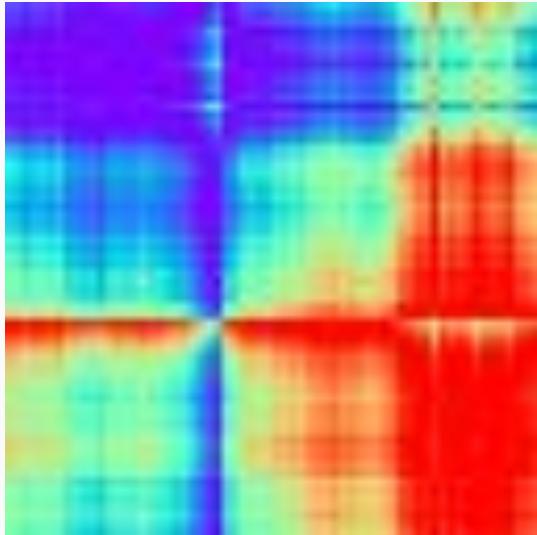
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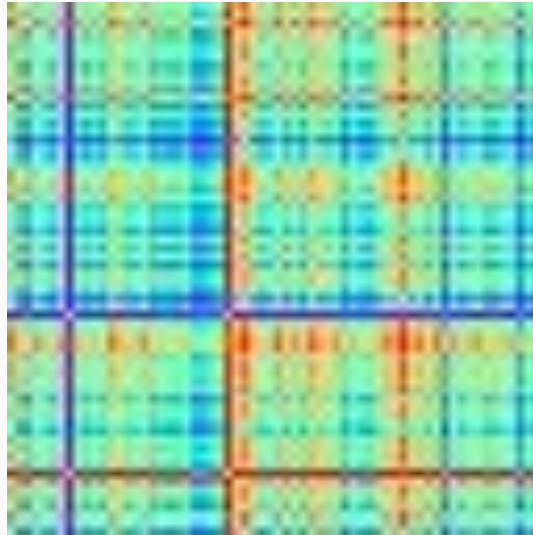
$$\sin(\phi_i - \phi_j)$$

Image Representation of 2017 Data

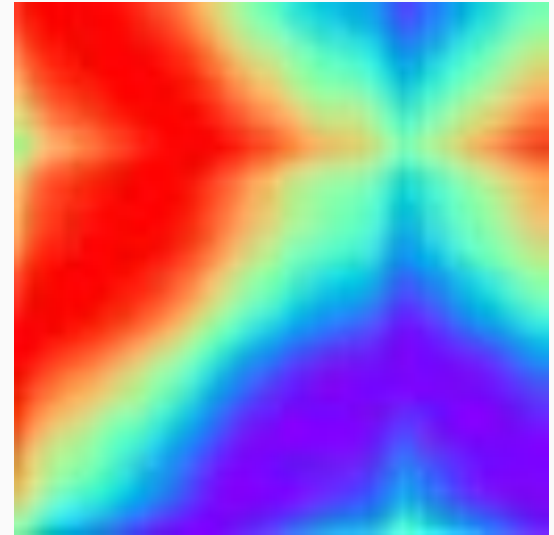
Closing price



% Change day to day



Predictor based on Moving Average



Convolutional Neural Network

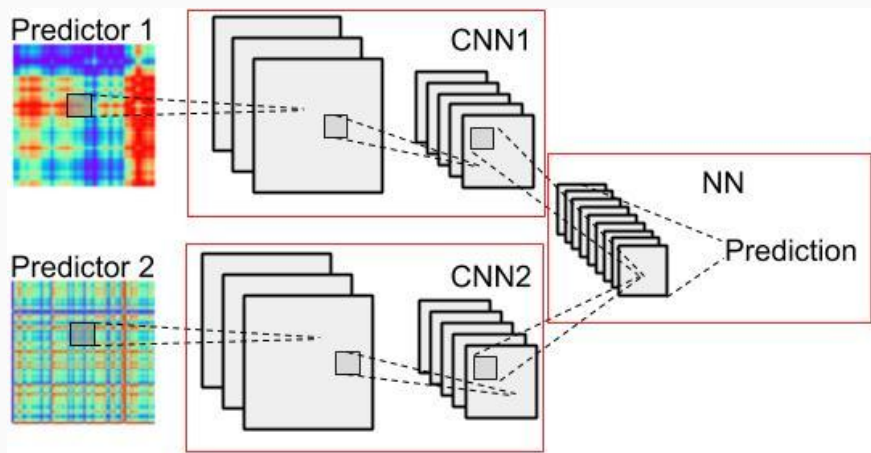


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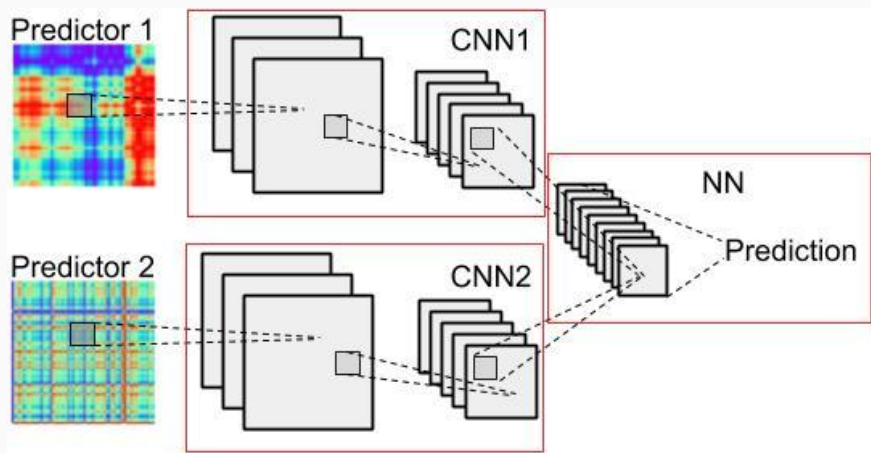


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Summary

- Use Convolutional Neural Networks in finance?
- Create meaningful image representation
 - More patterns and edges
 - Multiple features into 1 image

Questions?