

# **Sentiment Analysis of The Financial Market**

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# Data & Model

**Dataset:**

[NickyNicky/finance-financialmodelingprep-stock-news-sentiments-rss-feed](#)

**Model:**

[mrm8488/distilroberta-finetuned-financial-news-sentiment-analysis](#)

**Fine-tuned model:**

[msr2903/mrm8488-distilroberta-fine-tuned-financial-sentiment](#)



**Hugging Face**

# Huggingface Text Classification Model

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Safetensors Model size 82.1M params Tensor type I64 · F32

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Operating profit totaled EUR 9.4 mn , down from EUR 11.7 mn in 2004 .

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DistilRoberta-financial-sentiment

# Dataset

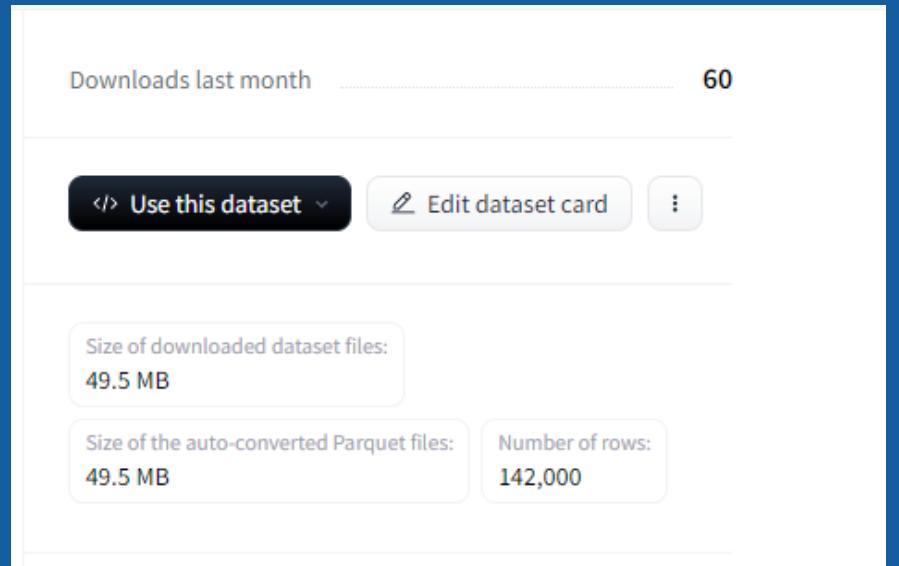
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Split (1)  
train · 142k rows

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# Model Explanation

## DistilRoberta-financial-sentiment

This model is a fine-tuned version of [distilroberta-base](#) on the financial\_phrasebank dataset. It achieves the following results on the evaluation set:

- Loss: 0.1116
- Accuracy: 0.9823

## Base Model description

This model is a distilled version of the [RoBERTa-base model](#). It follows the same training procedure as [DistilBERT](#). The code for the distillation process can be found [here](#). This model is case-sensitive: it makes a difference between English and English.

The model has 6 layers, 768 dimension and 12 heads, totaling 82M parameters (compared to 125M parameters for RoBERTa-base). On average DistilRoBERTa is twice as fast as Roberta-base.

## Training Data

Polar sentiment dataset of sentences from financial news. The dataset consists of 4840 sentences from English language financial news categorised by sentiment. The dataset is divided by agreement rate of 5-8 annotators.

## Training results

Training Loss	Epoch	Step	Validation Loss	Accuracy
No log	1.0	255	0.1670	0.9646
0.209	2.0	510	0.2290	0.9558
0.209	3.0	765	0.2044	0.9558
0.0326	4.0	1020	0.1116	0.9823
0.0326	5.0	1275	0.1127	0.9779

# Data Preprocessing

```
1 from datasets import load_dataset
2 from transformers import pipeline
3 import pandas as pd
4
5 ds = load_dataset("NickyNicky/finance-financialmodelingprep-stock-news-sentiments-rss-feed", split="train")
6
7 # Show the first 5 rows of the dataset
8 ds[:5]
```

# Dropping unnecessary columns					
ds = pd.DataFrame(ds)					
df = df.drop(columns=["image", "title", "image", "site", "url", "sentimentScore"], axis=1)					
#Filter the symbol					
df = df[df["symbol"] == "INTC"]					
df					
	symbol object	publishedDate o...	text object	sentiment object	
	INTC	100%	2023-10-0... 0.3% 2023-10-0... 0.3% 288 others 99.3%	This article... 0.7% Intel's disa... 0.7% 286 others 98.6%	Positive 84.1% Negative 14.1% Neutral 1.7%
26	INTC	2023-10-04T20:...	Rosenblatt analys...	Positive	
178	INTC	2023-10-04T13:5...	Amid an uninspiri...	Positive	
499	INTC	2023-10-03T20:...	Intel Corp (NASD...	Positive	
1398	INTC	2023-10-02T06:...	It's an understat...	Positive	
1472	INTC	2023-10-01T14:4...	The case for inve...	Positive	
2086	INTC	2023-09-28T19:...	The top Dow stoc...	Positive	
2247	INTC	2023-09-28T14:...	The Dow 30 is a ...	Positive	
2488	INTC	2023-09-28T08:...	In the world of te...	Positive	
2598	INTC	2023-09-27T22:1...	Wall Street has b...	Positive	
4106	INTC	2023-09-25T07:...	There's nothing w...	Positive	

Stock Ticker = INTC  
**Positive** = 244  
**Negative** = 41  
**Neutral** = 5

# Inputting Data to Model

```
1 from transformers import pipeline  
2  
3 sentiment_analyzer = pipeline("text-classification", model="mrm8488/distilroberta-finetuned-financial-news-sentiment-a")
```

```
1 def preprocess_text(text):  
2     text = text.lower() # Convert to lowercase  
3     text = text.strip() # Remove leading/trailing whitespace  
4     return text  
5  
6 sample_df_text = df["text"].apply(preprocess_text)  
7  
8  
9 text_list = sample_df_text.tolist()  
10  
11 # Pass the list to the sentiment analyzer  
12 results = sentiment_analyzer(text_list)  
13 results
```

# Results

```
1 true_labels = df['sentiment']
2
3 true_labels = true_labels.str.lower()
4
5 predicted_labels = [result['label'] for result in results]
6
7 # Create a DataFrame to compare true and predicted labels
8 comparison_df = pd.DataFrame({
9     'True Label': true_labels,
10    'Predicted Label': predicted_labels,
11    'Confidence Score': [result['score'] for result in results]
12 })
13 comparison_df
```

	True Label	Predicted Label	Confidence Score	
positive	84.1%	positive	0.570750653743...	
negative	14.1%	negative	0.314...	
neutral	1.7%	neutral	0.186...	
26	positive	positive	0.9962813258	
178	positive	positive	0.9995166063	
499	positive	positive	0.9993415475	
13...	positive	positive	0.9996519089	
14...	positive	negative	0.9984500408	
20...	positive	positive	0.9997012019	
22...	positive	neutral	0.9998706579	
24...	positive	positive	0.9988456964	
25...	positive	positive	0.8718595505	
41...	positive	positive	0.9253379107	

290 rows, 3 cols

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```
1 from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, confusion_matrix
2 accuracy = accuracy_score(true_labels, predicted_labels)
3 f"Accuracy: {accuracy * 100:.2f}%"
```

'Accuracy: 57.93%'

## Accuracy: 57.93%

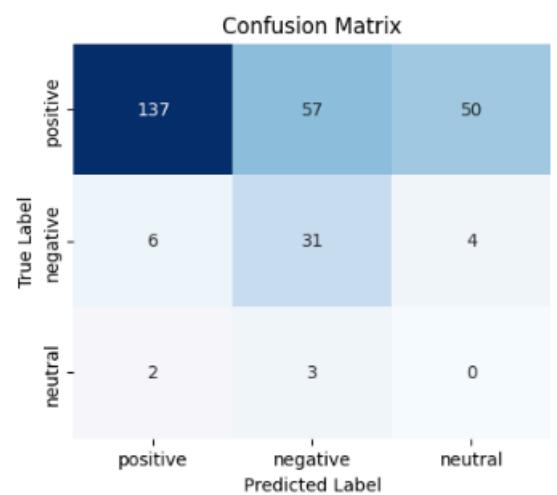
# Confusion Matrix

```
1 from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix
2 conf_matrix = confusion_matrix(true_labels, predicted_labels, labels=['positive', 'negative', 'neutral'])
3
4 conf_matrix
```

```
[[137  57  50]
 [ 6  31  4]
 [ 2   3   0]]
```

```
1 import seaborn as sns
2 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
3
4 plt.figure(figsize=(6, 4))
5 sns.heatmap(conf_matrix, annot=True, fmt="d", cmap="Blues", xticklabels=['positive', 'negative', 'neutral'], yticklabels=['positive', 'negative', 'neutral'],
6             xlabel='Predicted Label')
7 plt.ylabel('True Label')
8 plt.title('Confusion Matrix')
9 plt.show()
10
```



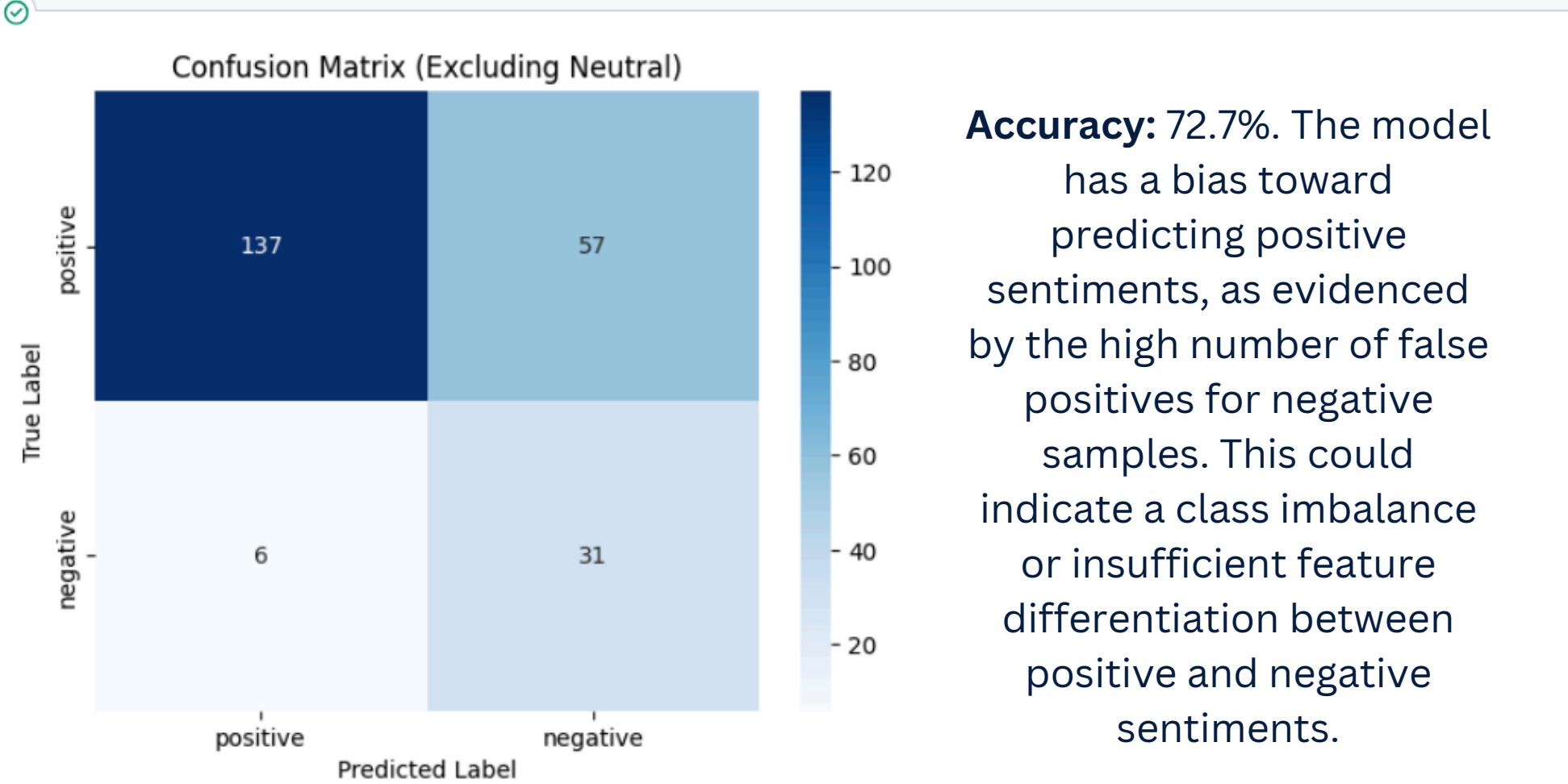
This confusion matrix indicates that the machine learning model performs well at predicting positive sentiments (137 correct predictions) but struggles with neutral sentiment (only 0 correct predictions).

There is also moderate performance in predicting negative sentiments (31 correct predictions), but a significant amount of misclassification exists, especially with positive and negative labels overlapping.

The model needs improvement in distinguishing neutral sentiments and reducing false positives for better financial news sentiment analysis.

# Confusion Matrix

```
1 # Confusion Matrix without neutral label
2 filtered_conf_matrix = conf_matrix[:2, :2] # Keep only the first two rows and columns
3
4 sns.heatmap(filtered_conf_matrix, annot=True, fmt="d", cmap="Blues", xticklabels=['positive', 'negative'], yticklabels=['positive', 'negative'])
5 plt.title("Confusion Matrix (Excluding Neutral)")
6 plt.xlabel("Predicted Label")
7 plt.ylabel("True Label")
8 plt.show()
```



## Confusion Matrix Overview (Excluding Neutral):

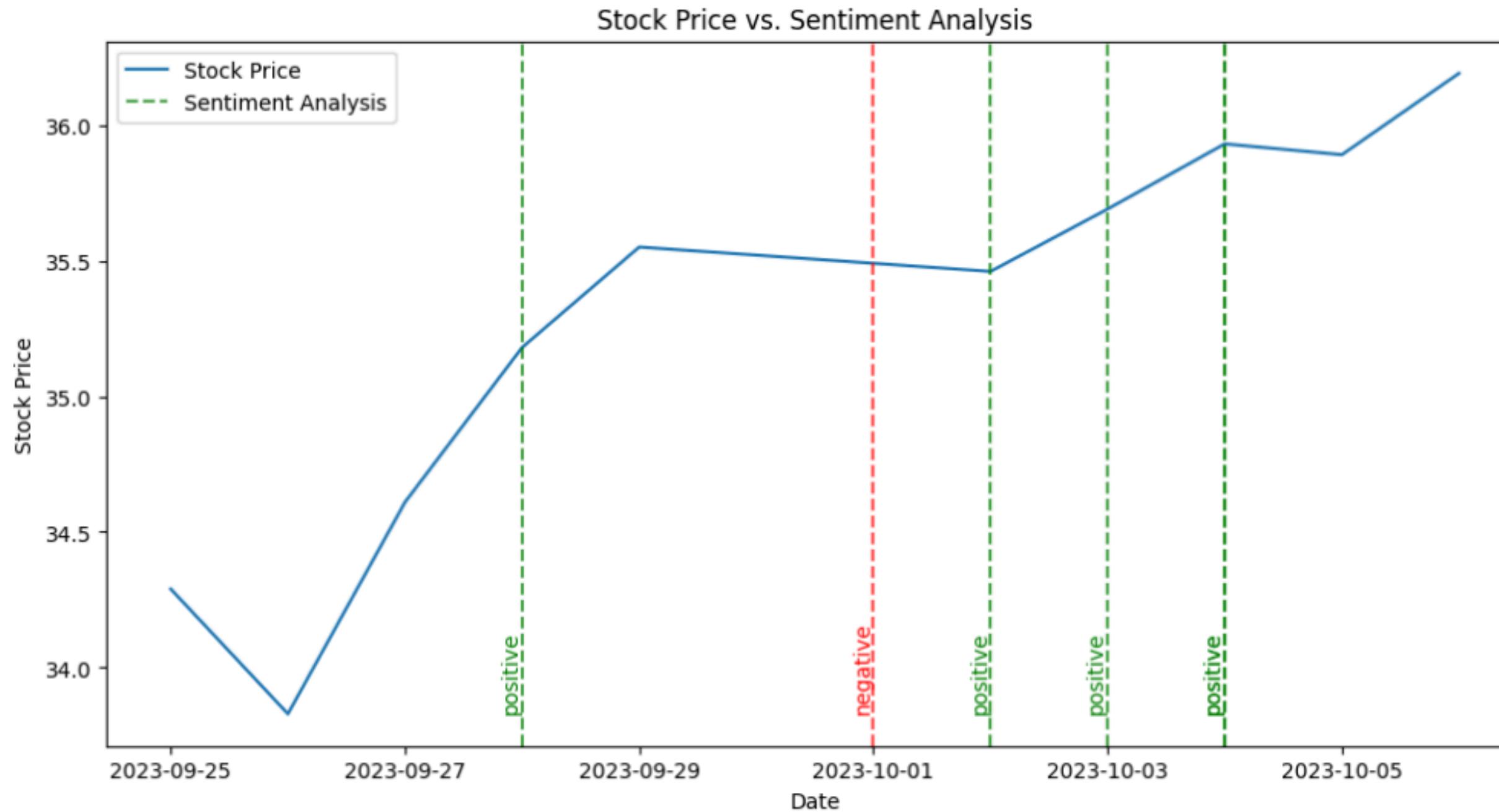
**True Positives (TP):** 137 (Positive samples correctly classified as positive)

**False Positives (FP):** 57 (Negative samples incorrectly classified as positive)

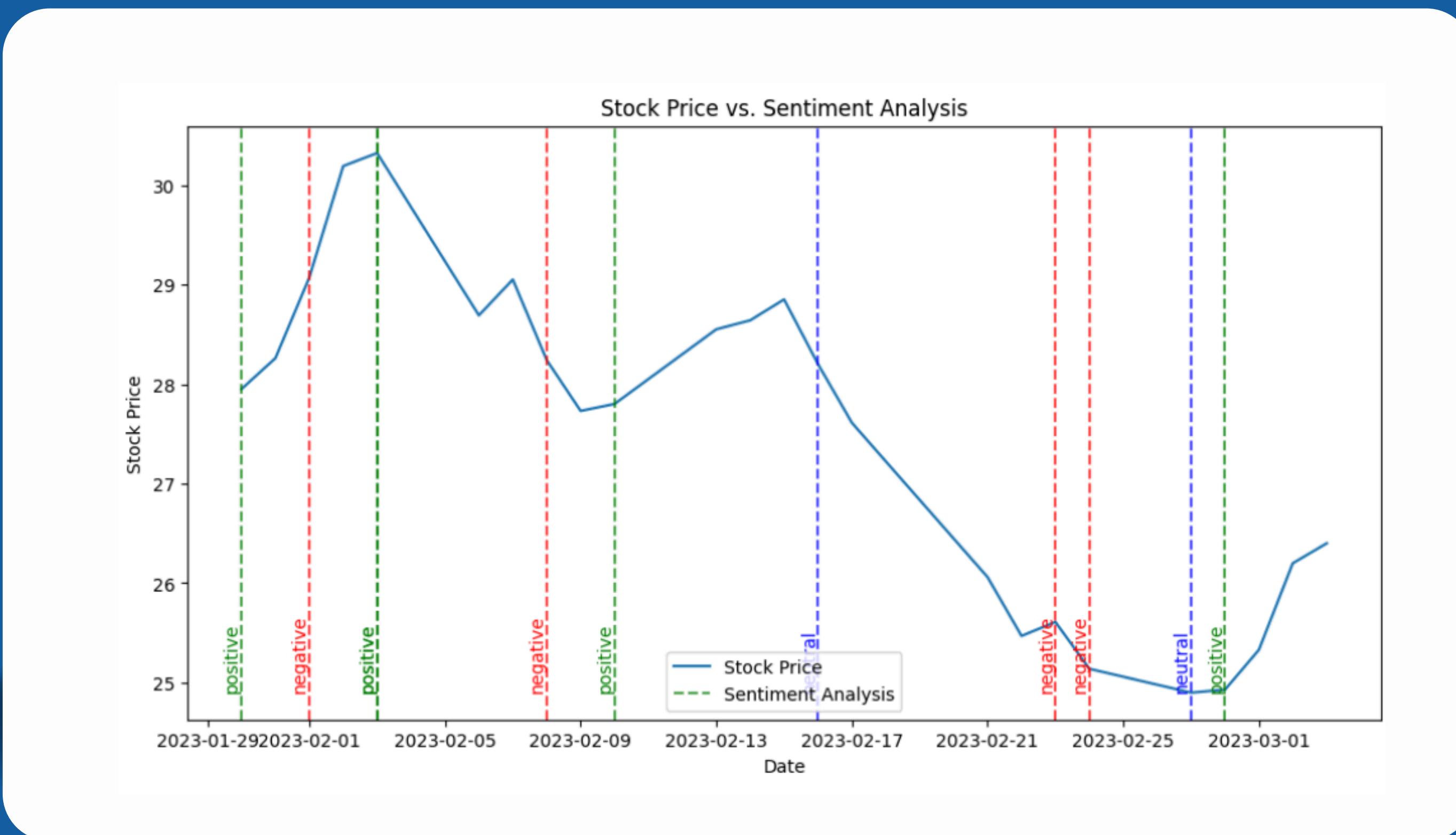
**False Negatives (FN):** 6 (Positive samples incorrectly classified as negative)

**True Negatives (TN):** 31 (Negative samples correctly classified as negative)

# Analysis #1



# Analysis #2



# Model Training

```
from transformers import TrainingArguments  
  
training_args = TrainingArguments(  
    output_dir='./results',  
    evaluation_strategy='epoch',  
    learning_rate=2e-5,  
    per_device_train_batch_size=8,  
    per_device_eval_batch_size=8,  
    num_train_epochs=5,  
    weight_decay=0.01,  
)
```

trainer.train()

[71000/71000 43:14, Epoch 5/5]

Epoch	Training Loss	Validation Loss
1	0.318500	0.294045
2	0.281700	0.298364
3	0.250100	0.302255
4	0.186400	0.380530
5	0.179100	0.409072

# Comparing Accuracies (Before & After Fine Tuning)

## v. Accuracy

```
1 from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, confusion_matrix
2 # Calculate accuracy
3 accuracy = accuracy_score(true_labels, predicted_labels)
4 f"Accuracy: {accuracy * 100:.2f}%"
```

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'Accuracy: 57.93%'

**Before**

## iii. Accuracy (Fine-tuned)

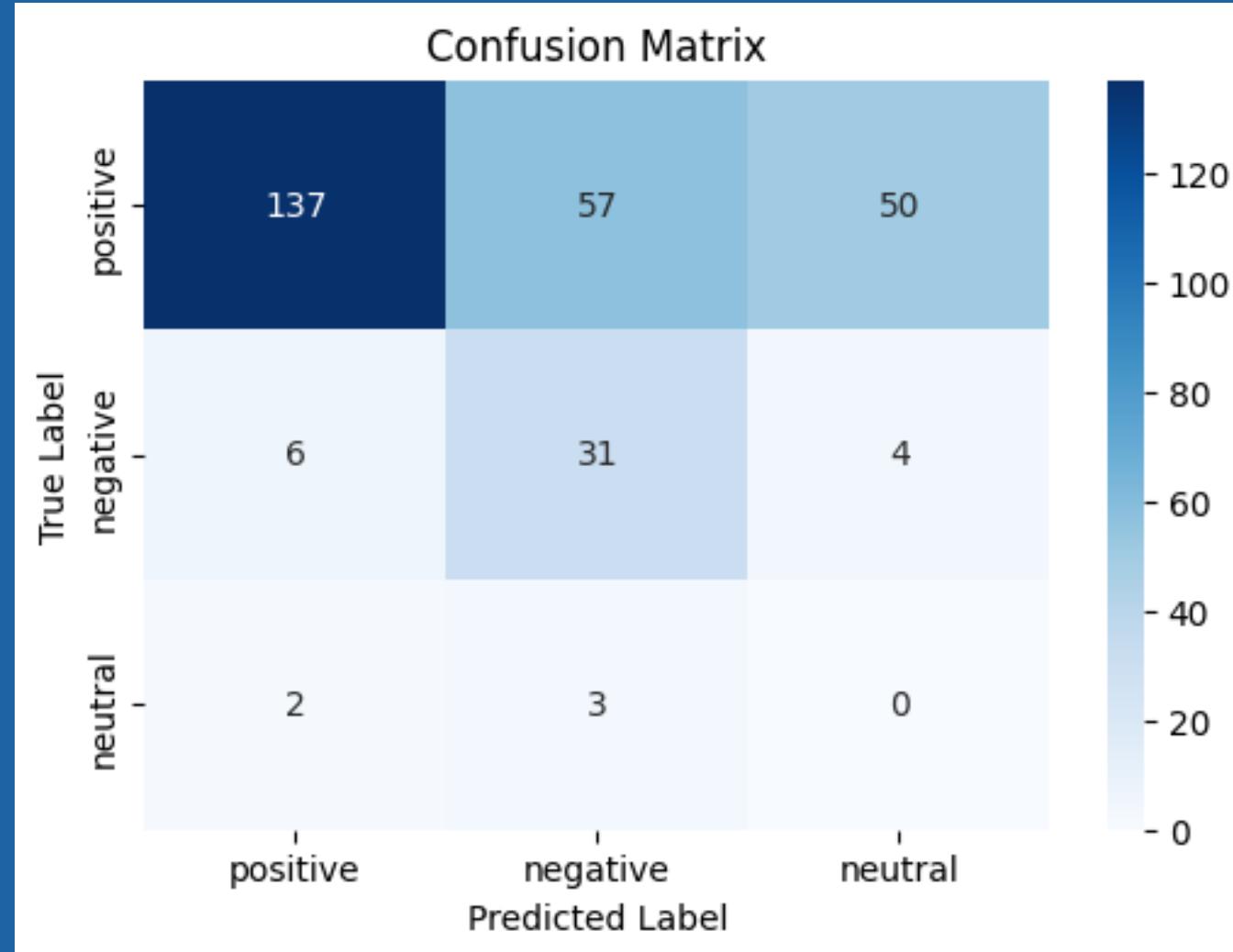
```
1 from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, confusion_matrix
2 accuracy_ft = accuracy_score(true_labels_ft, predicted_labels_ft)
3 f"Accuracy: {accuracy_ft * 100:.2f}%"
```

'Accuracy: 94.48%'

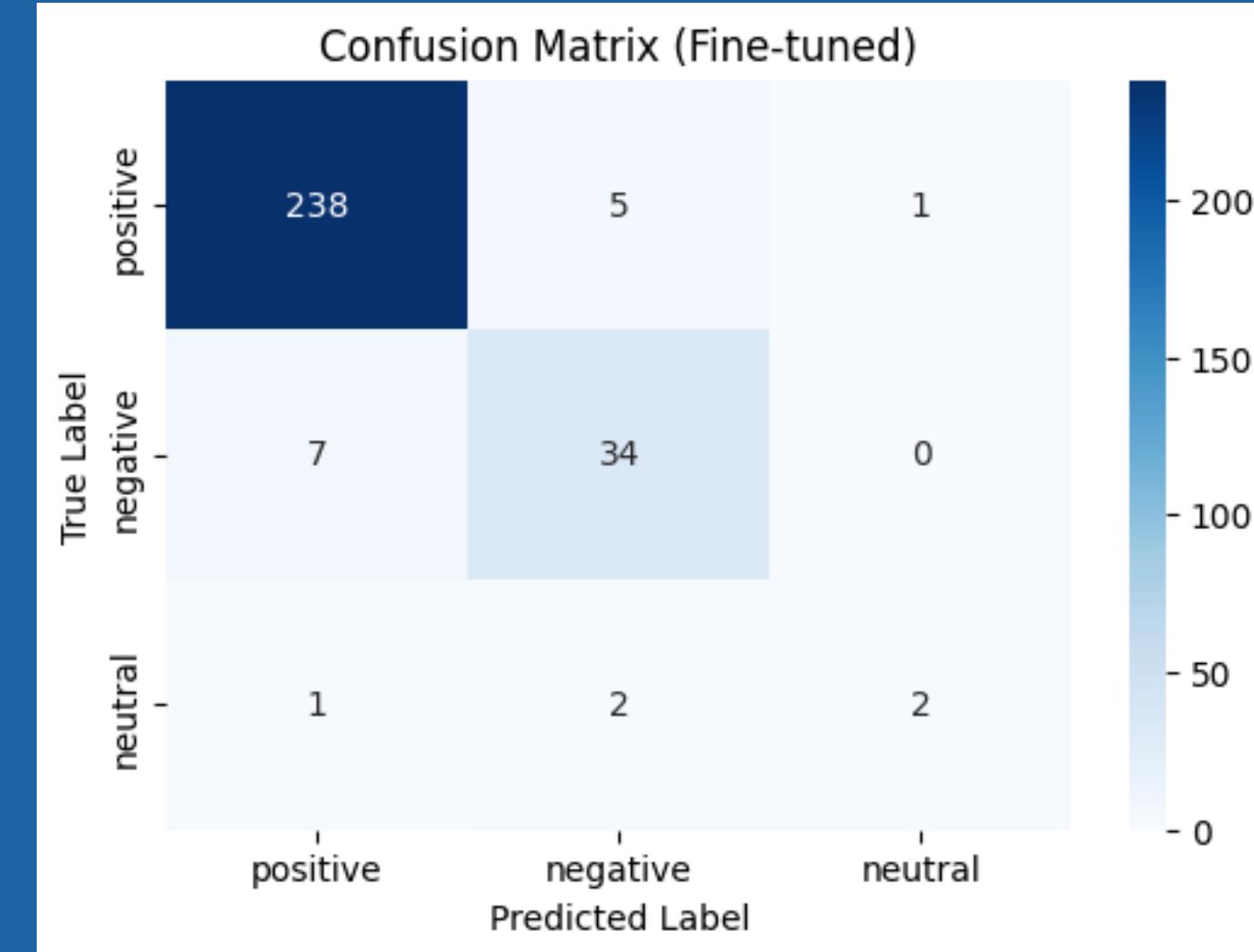
**After**

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# Comparing Confusion Matrix (Before & After Fine Tuning)

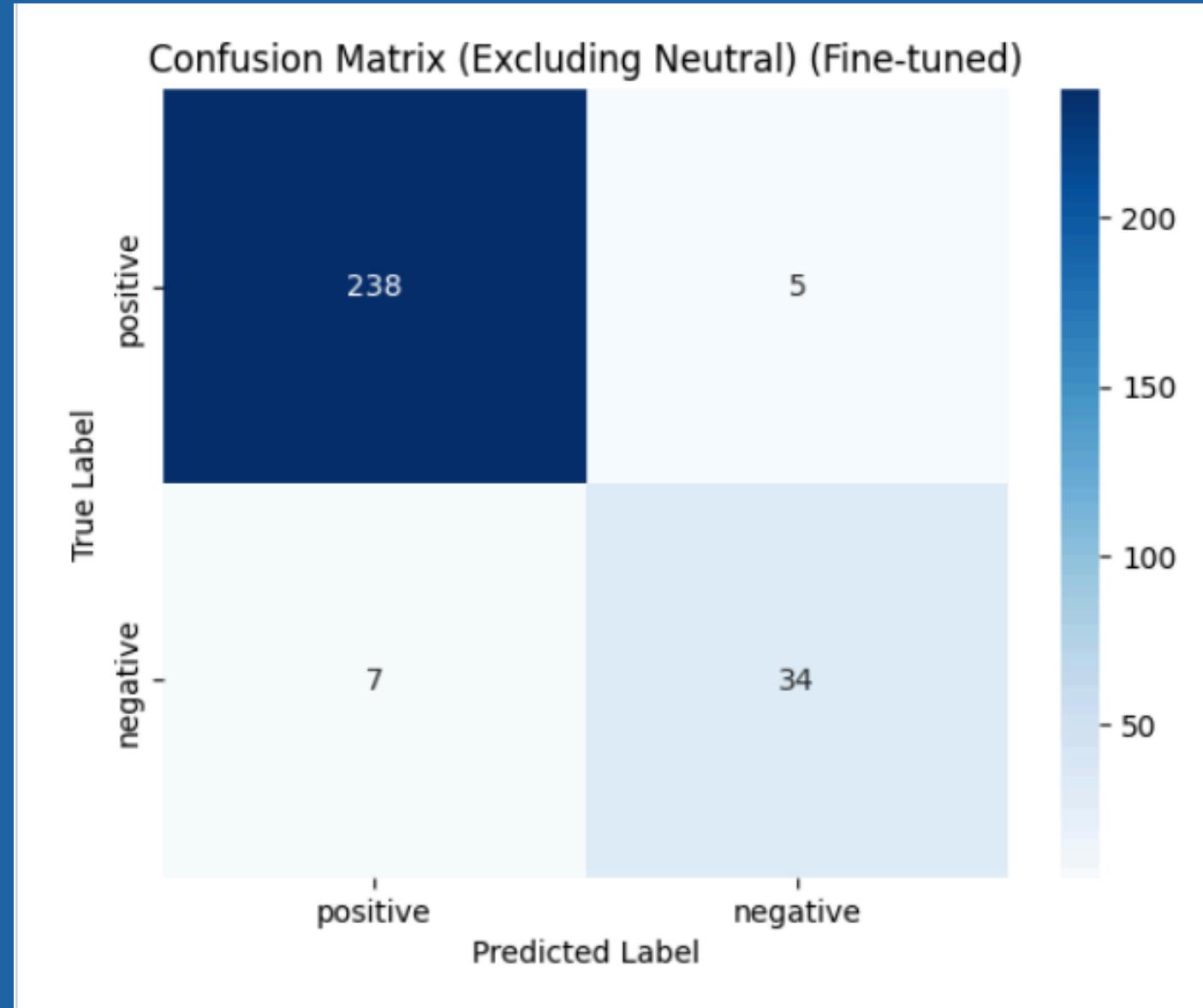


Before



After

# CONFUSION MATRIX (FINE-TUNED)



Confusion Matrix Overview:

**True Positives (TP):** 238 (Positive samples correctly classified as positive)

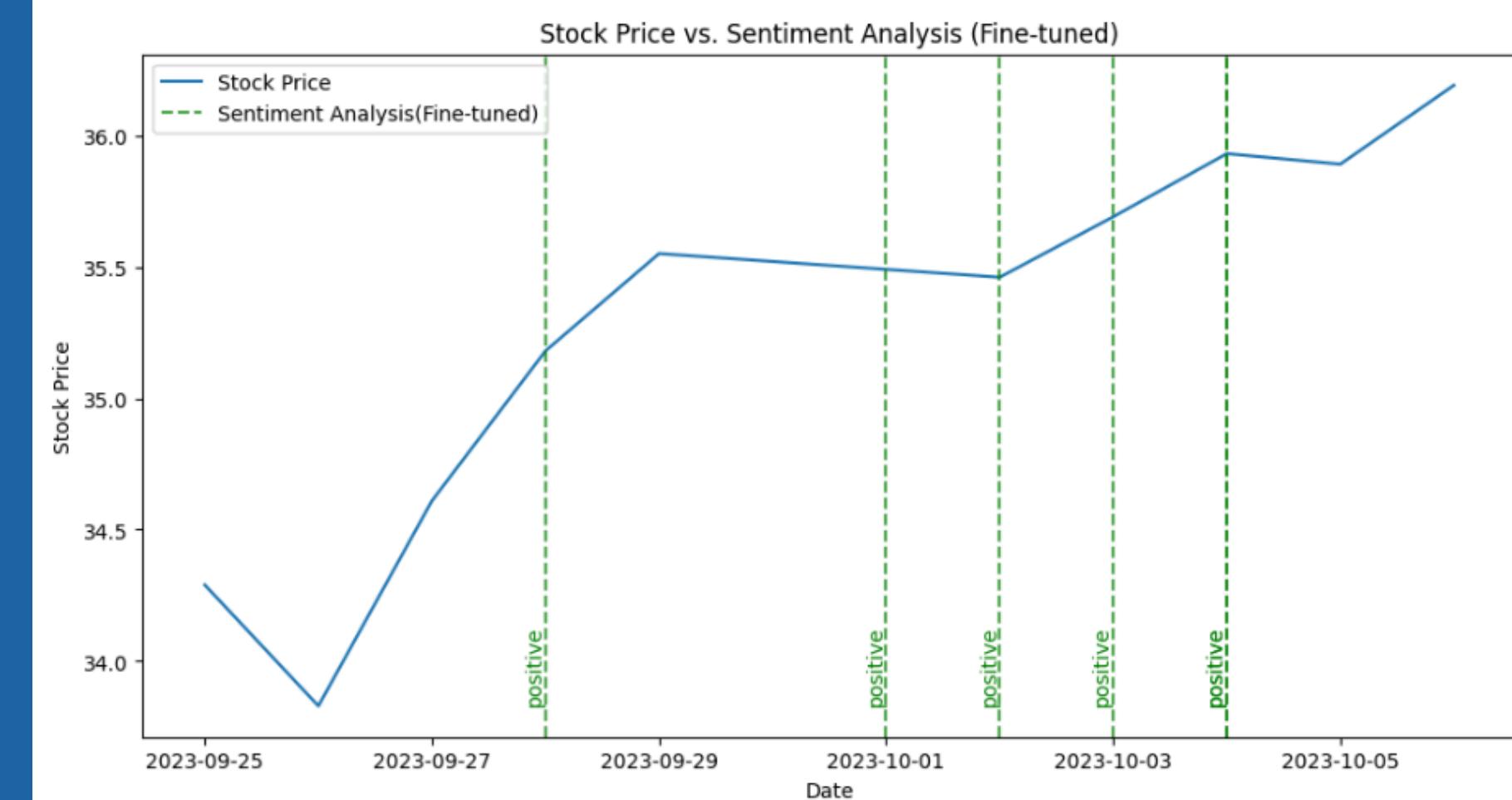
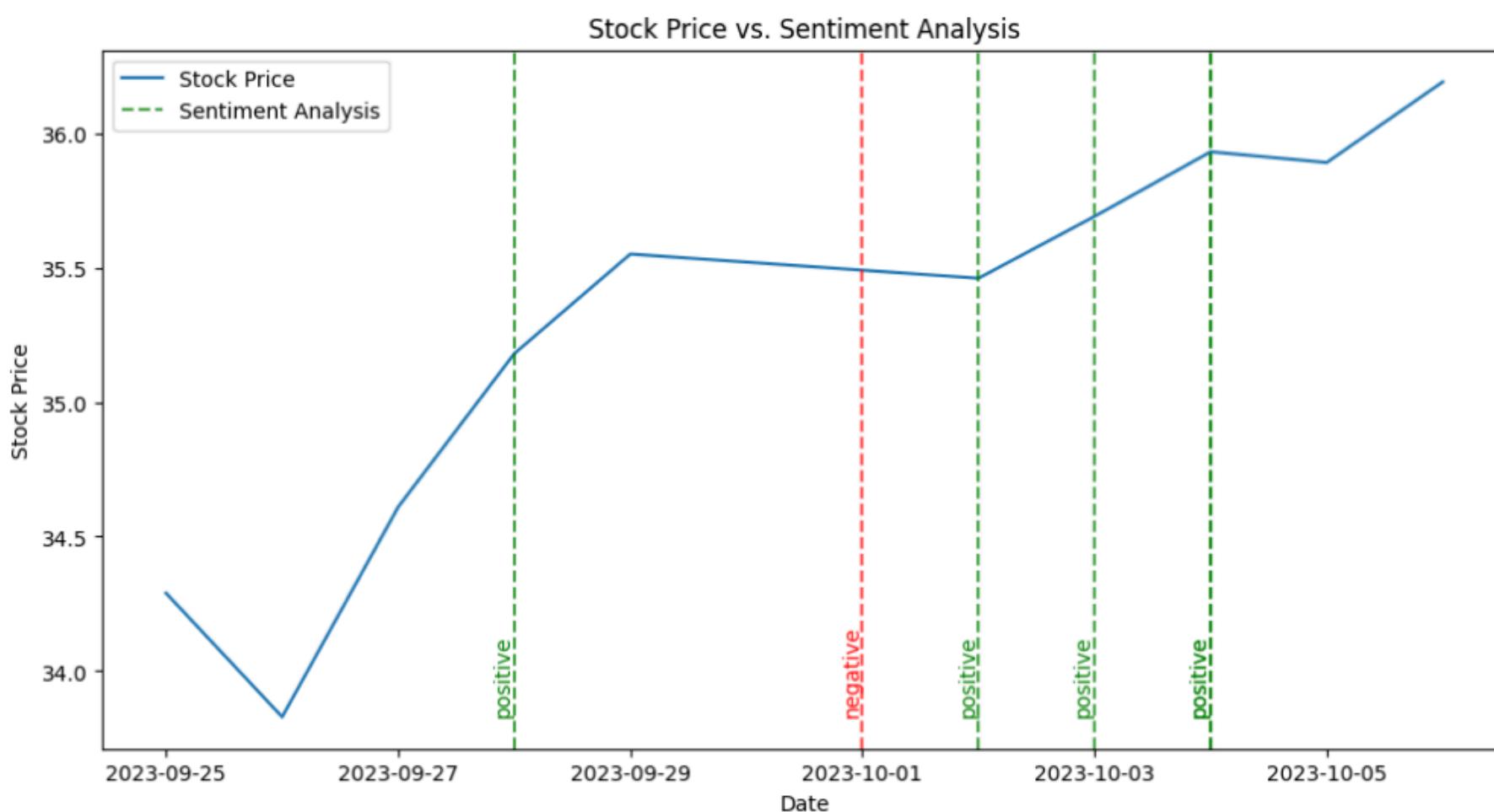
**False Positives (FP):** 7 (Negative samples incorrectly classified as positive)

**False Negatives (FN):** 5 (Positive samples incorrectly classified as negative)

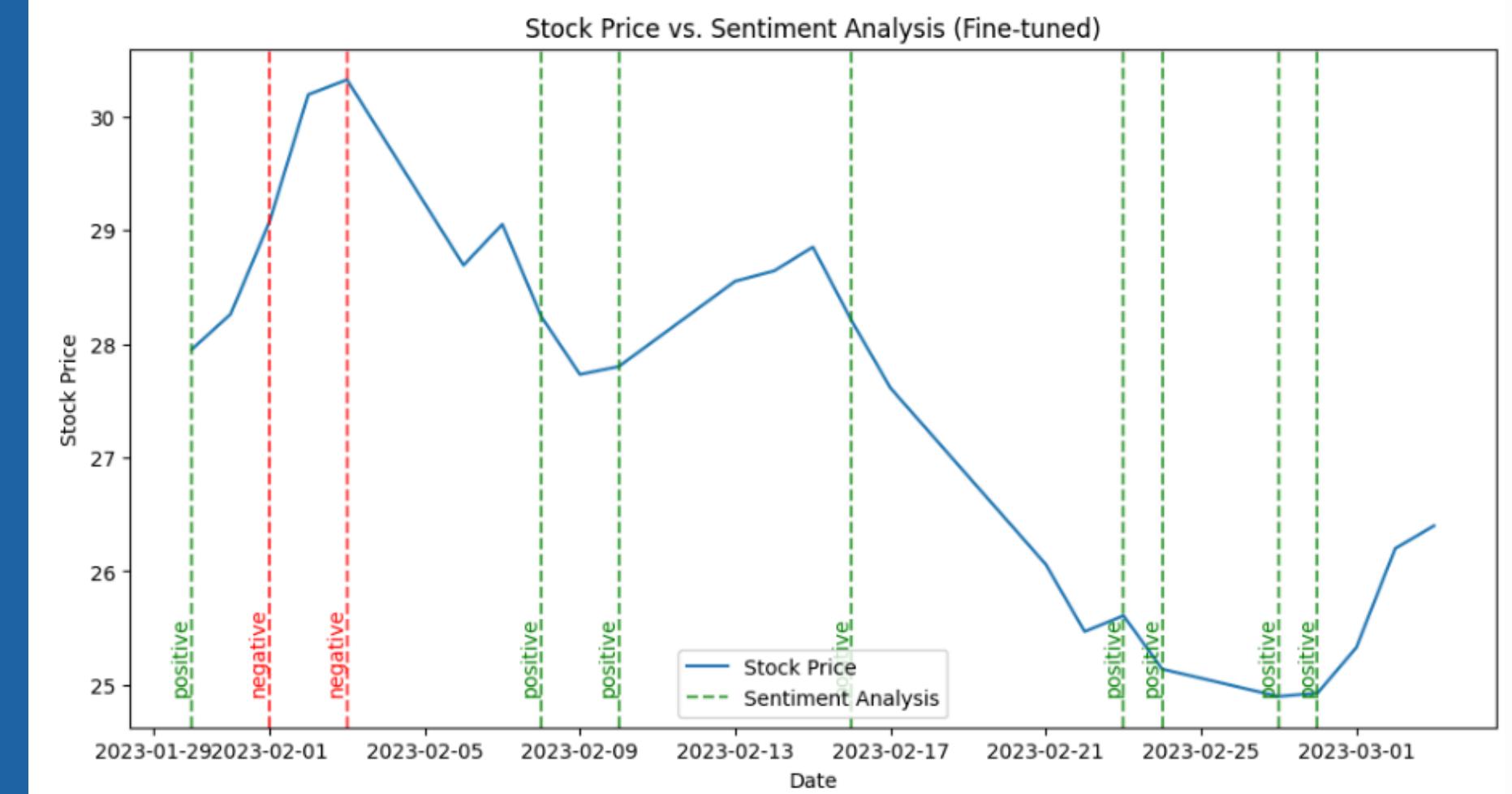
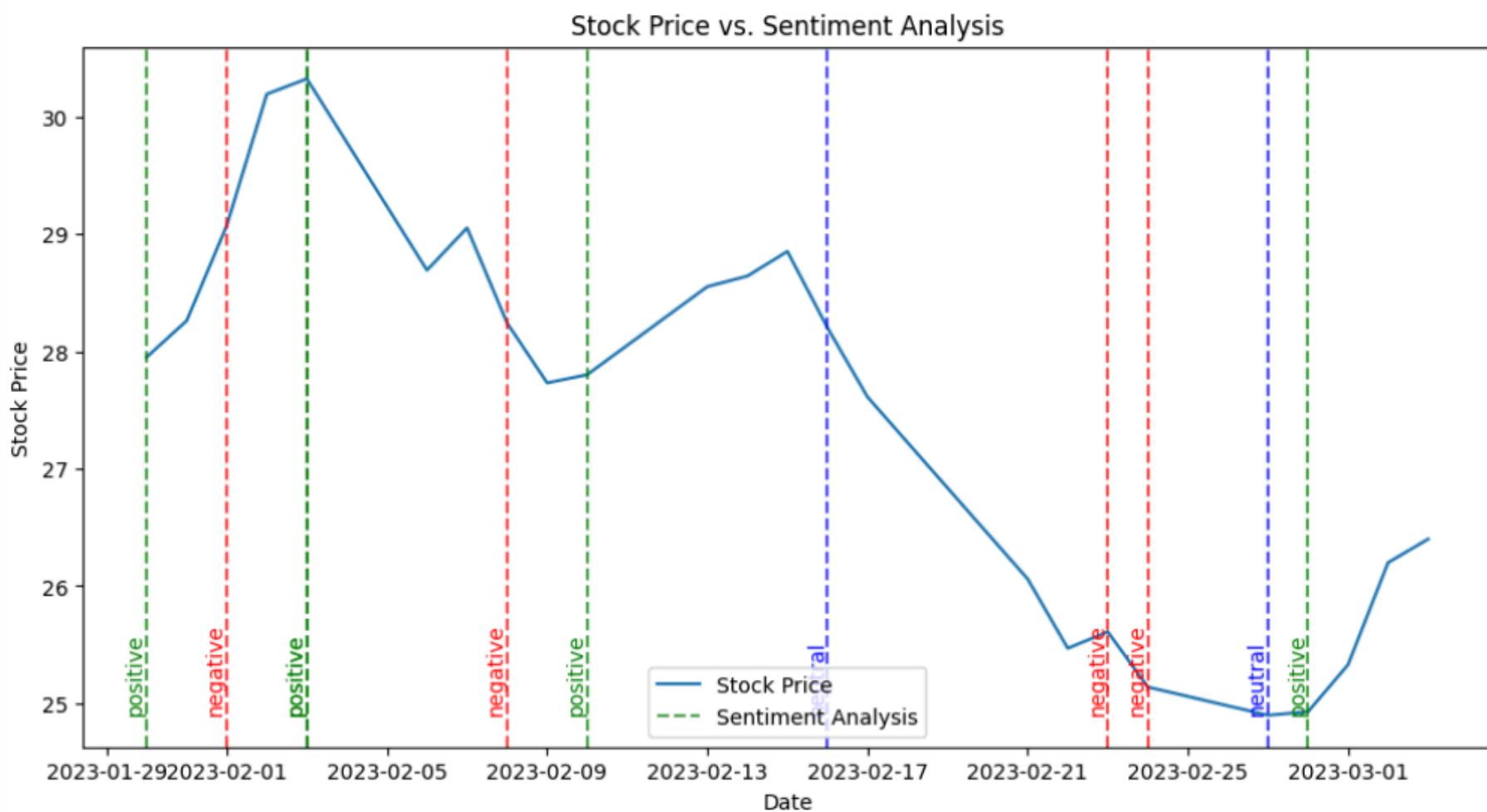
**True Negatives (TN):** 34 (Negative samples correctly classified as negative)

The model that has been trained is now better at predicting the dataset. However, needs to be noted that the model is trained using this dataset itself that has 88% positive sentiments. The model itself can be good at predicting positive sentiments in other dataset even though the result shows that there's also an improvement in predicting the negative.

# Comparing Analysis #1 (Before & After Fine Tuning)



# Comparing Analysis #2 (Before & After Fine Tuning)



# Conclusion

**In conclusion, positive news does not always correlate with rising stock prices, and the reverse holds true as well. We found that including the "neutral" label in LLM predictions results in an accuracy of 57.93%. However, excluding "neutral" and focusing on "positive" and "negative" labels boosts accuracy to 72.7%. Fine-tuning the model significantly improves performance, achieving 94.48% accuracy with the "neutral" label and 95.8% without it. Despite these improvements, the confusion matrix reveals a bias toward the "positive" label, likely due to the dataset's imbalance towards the positive label.**

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