Capital Asset Pricing Model

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Abstract—This document explains the working of Capital Asset Pricing Model. The research selects twelve stocks over four industries and creates a portfolio to manage. We have used python to construct CAPM and time series model. To technically make the portfolio strong we use Sharpe Ratio. The project uses multivariate time series as the machine learning model.

Keywords—Sharpe Ratio, CAPM, multivariate time series.

I. Introduction

The wealth management sector has experienced a substantial expansion in recent years as people and businesses search for ways to increase their profits. However, they typically need more knowledge or time to choose the best investing options. As a result, portfolio managers—dedicated administer this function on behalf of investors for a fee-were created. Portfolio managers act on behalf of vested investors by making investment choices and carrying out other pertinent activities. These experts seek to ascertain the investor's objectives and offer a portfolio that fully meets them. They work along with a group of researchers and analysts. They are responsible for picking the best investment strategy, selecting suitable investments, and properly distributing the assets. Investment management is creating and maintaining a collection of assets, such as stocks, bonds, and cash, that satisfy an investor's long-term financial objectives and risk tolerance. To outperform the performance of the overall market, active portfolio management involves systematically purchasing and selling stocks and other assets. The portfolio manager must use his resources to provide the investor with the optimal option. The expected rate of return on an asset or investment is determined using a capital asset pricing model (CAPM), a type of financial model. The Financial Model is accomplished via CAPM employing the correlation or sensitivity of the asset to the market, the projected rates of return on the market, and the risk-free asset (beta). The following CAPM drawbacks exist: Use a linear understanding of risk and return and erroneous assumptions. Due to its simplicity and convenience in evaluating investment possibilities, the CAPM method is still extensively employed despite its flaws. For instance, it is combined with Modern Portfolio Theory (MPT) to comprehend portfolio risk and projected return. For evaluating risk-adjusted performance, the Sharpe ratio divides a portfolio's excess return by a measure of volatility. Excess returns exceed industry benchmarks or risk-free returns. To calculate the betas, we have used simple linear regression model. Forecasts or past returns may be used in calculations to calculate beta for CAPM

II. OBJECTIVE

One of our essential jobs as a team is to authenticate the results obtained. In this task, we will leverage machine learning models to check the future prices of the stocks in the portfolio. Depending on the result, we can continue with the same investment, ensuring good profit. Otherwise, we as a team can deviate the investment into other groups of stocks if the model performance could be better. The objective of the current study is to use multivariate time series analysis to determine the primary goal of our job, to minimize the risk while increasing return, which would determine whether the investor meets their financial objectives.

III. DATA

The dataset was imported using python library pandas and converted into a data-frame. This dataset

was generated by the data collected from Yahoo finance[1]. For this dataset, we have chosen a total of twelve stocks. All these stocks are from four different sectors: Technology, Real estate, Finance and Health care. The dataset contains three stocks from each sector. From the technology sector, we have selected NVDA (Nvidia), IBM (IBM) and GOOGL (Google). There is AMT (American Tower Corp), SPG (Simon Property Group), and WPC (WP Carey INC) from the real estate sectors. BAC (Bank of America Corp), GS (Goldman Sachs) and MS (Morgan Stanley) are the stocks selected from the Finance industry, and lastly, from Health Care, we selected ABT (Abbott Laboratories), JNJ (Johnson & Johnson) and PFE (Pfizer). S&P index was also imported for the same period. The data collected for this study was collected over a period of 10 years, from October 31, 2012, to October 31, 2022.

	Date	Open	High	Low	Close	Adj Close	Volu	ne	
0	10/31/2012	3.0250	3.0500	2.9875	2.9950	2.749370	347112	00	
1	11/1/2012	3.0100	3.1400	3.0075	3.1375	2.880185	473220	00	
2	11/2/2012	3.1700	3.1750	3.1025	3.1225	2.866414	256700	00	
3	11/5/2012	3.1150	3.2675	3.1150	3.2550	2.988048	444840	00	
4	11/6/2012	3.2625	3.2625	3.1975	3.2525	2.985752	350804	00	
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0	Date 10/31/2012	186.233	<u> </u>	High 37.772461	185.11			Adj Close 125.305962	Volume 6330706
0			276 18			4716 185.9	75143		
Ť	10/31/2012	186.233	276 18 546 18	37.772461	185.11	4716 185.9 4263 188.4	75143 79919	125.305962	633070
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Fig. 1: Importing and displaying all the datasets

A. Data Preparation for Analysis

For analysis only three columns are of our importance, Closing Price, Date, and Volume. We have taken the subset (refer figure 2) of the main dataset and merged it into a new dataset (refer figure 3) with all the required details of the twelve stocks.

```
NVDA_subset=NVDA[['Date','Close_NVDA','Volume_NVDA']]
GOOGL_subset=GOOGL[['Date','Close_GOOGL','Volume_GOOGL']]
IBM_subset=IBM[['Date','Close_IBM', 'Volume_IBM']]
AMT_subset=AMT[['Date','Close_AMT','Volume_AMT']]
SPG_subset=SPG[['Date','Close_SPG','Volume_MPC']]
WPC_subset=MPC[['Date','Close_MPC','Volume_MPC']]
ABT_subset=ABT[['Date','Close_MPC','Volume_MPC']]
ABT_subset=ABT[['Date','Close_BMT','Volume_ABT']]
JNJ_subset=MNJ[['Date','Close_JNJ','Volume_PFE']]
BAC_subset=BAC[['Date','Close_BAC','Volume_BAC']]
MS_subset=MS[['Date','Close_MS','Volume_MS']]
GS_subset=GS[['Date','Close_GS','Volume_GS']]
snp_index_subset=snp_index[['Date','Close_snp_index','Volume_snp_index']]
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Fig. 2: Preparing data for Analysis

	Close_NVDA	Volume_NVDA	Close_GOOGL	Volume_GOOGL	Close_IBM	Volume_IBM	Close_AMT	Volume_AMT	Close_SPG	Volume_SPG	 CI
Date											
10/31/2012	2.9950	34711200	17.024525	61418520	185.975143	6330706	75.290001	2992600	143.189087	1392211	 2
11/1/2012	3.1375	47322000	17.206957	81921996	188.479919	3931705	74.580002	2418000	143.508942	1025157	2
11/2/2012	3.1225	25670000	17.215216	92883024	184.923523	4456065	74.470001	2650500	146.519287	1908404	2
11/5/2012	3.2550	44484000	17.091091	65370564	185.602295	2862065	73.989998	2295900	145.559738	1072780	2
11/6/2012	3.2525	35080400	17.060061	63248688	186.491394	3431926	73.769997	2115100	146.274689	902274	2

Fig. 3: Final dataset with date as index column

The final dataset is created with all the stock's volume, closing price and the date has been used as an index. This makes our dataset as time series dataset. After this we check if our dataset has any null values.

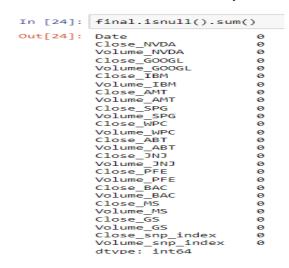


Fig. 4: Output for null values

B. Data Preparation for Model Fitting

To calculate the CAPM and further model fitting, we need to calculate **Beta** of every stock. The figure (refer figure 5) below displays beta for each stock and the how to interpret these values. Beta is a way of *measuring a stock's volatility* compared with the *overall market's volatility*. We have used linear regression model to calculate beta with closing price of S&P index as a feature.

	stock	beta
0	Close_NVDA	1.588282
1	Close_GOOGL	1.115866
2	Close_IBM	0.860469
3	Close_AMT	0.797999
4	Close_SPG	1.081307
5	Close_WPC	0.805243
6	Close_ABT	0.904360
7	Close_JNJ	0.613033
8	Close_PFE	0.667715
9	Close_BAC	1.279226
10	Close_MS	1.370356
11	Close_GS	1.218485
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Fig. 5: Beta value for each stock

After checking for Beta values, we need to make sure we are taking care of all the outliers. To recognize the outliers, we use the box plot method. We dedicate 25% to first quantile and 75% to the second quantile. We replace the outliers detected by median and repeat the procedure till we have minimum outliers.

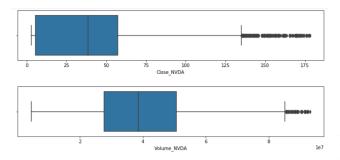


Fig. 6 Outliers detection using box plot

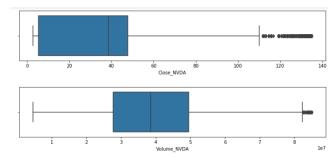


Fig. 7 Box plot after outlier removal

IV. DATA ANALYSIS

Investment has basic concept of risk to reward ratio, so we can analyse the risky stocks and then consider investing in them. Risk associated with investing in the stocks in portfolio was calculated in order to get an insight of the most and the least risky stocks. For calculating daily returns we calculate the percentage change between two days. After calculating percentage change, we take the standard deviation and that gives us the riskiness of a stock (refer fig. 8).

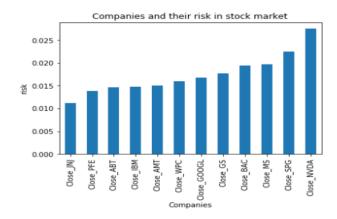


Fig. 8: Bar plot of risk in the stock market.

Figure 8 gives the idea that NVDA is the riskiest stock to invest. But we also need to know is the risk to reward ratio good enough for us to invest in this stock. We continue to make further visualizations to determine the average returns of all the twelve stocks.

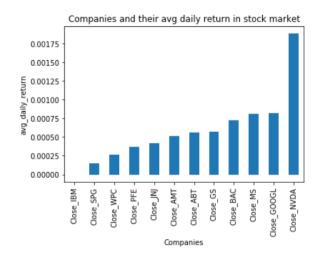


Fig. 9 Average Daily return

According to figure 9 NVDA has the highest average daily return and IBM has the lowest. This still suggests that NVDA is the riskiest stock currently.

This research assumes that we are investing equally in all the twelve stocks, and we call this equality of investment as weights. We calculate weight by dividing 1/12 = 0.083 and then assigning this weight equally to all the stocks. This indicates we are investing equal amount of money in each stock. The next visualization plots the total daily return if invested equally.

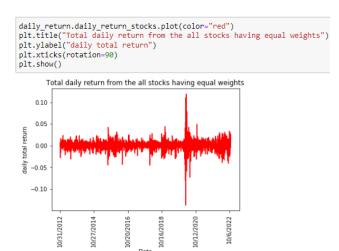


Fig. 10: Total daily returns with equal weights.

We further analyse the covariance of each stock to understand the relation between them.

	Close_NVDA	Close_GOOGL	Close_IBM	Close_AMT	Close_SPG	Close_WPC	Close_ABT	Close_JNJ	Close_PFE	Close_BAC	Close_MS	Close_G\$
088_NVDA	0.190917	0.083104	0.034310	0.033331	0.034048	0.024821	0.041411	0.019574	0.021724	0.049999	0.059285	0.051790
e_GOOGL	0.063104	0.071230	0.025828	0.024160	0.029424	0.021770	0.029528	0.018043	0.019840	0.036471	0.040943	0.036459
Close_IBM	0.034310	0.025828	0.055279	0.019835	0.031685	0.023366	0.023917	0.018691	0.020071	0.037221	0.038894	0.034044
TMA_esol:	0.033331	0.024160	0.019835	0.056950	0.029110	0.032002	0.026612	0.019254	0.018996	0.023162	0.026806	0.022756
Nose_SPG	0.034048	0.029424	0.031685	0.029110	0.127723	0.048005	0.017829	0.015013	0.019321	0.052826	0.050015	0.049881
lose_WPC	0.024821	0.021770	0.023366	0.032002	0.048005	0.084176	0.020498	0.016278	0.016414	0.031329	0.033466	0.028218
Close_ABT	0.041411	0.029528	0.023917	0.026612	0.017829	0.020498	0.054101	0.023355	0.024461	0.030474	0.034772	0.028816
Close_JNJ	0.019574	0.018043	0.018891	0.019254	0.015013	0.016278	0.023355	0.031254	0.021051	0.020926	0.023341	0.019938
Close_PFE	0.021724	0.019840	0.020071	0.018996	0.019321	0.016414	0.024461	0.021051	0.048260	0.025094	0.026884	0.022289
Hose_BAC	0.049999	0.036471	0.037221	0.023162	0.052826	0.031329	0.030474	0.020926	0.025094	0.095708	0.080551	0.071398
Close_MS	0.059285	0.040943	0.038894	0.026806	0.050015	0.033466	0.034772	0.023341	0.026884	0.080551	0.097833	0.076852
Close_GS	0.051790	0.036459	0.034044	0.022756	0.049881	0.028218	0.028816	0.019938	0.022289	0.071396	0.076652	0.078784

Fig. 11: Covariance matrix of stocks

The covariance matrix in fig. 11 tells us how the two given stocks in the portfolio are related to one another. If the covariance is negative, it means that the two stocks are going in opposite directions, while when it is positive, it means the stocks go in the same direction. Here, none of the covariances seem to be negative, so, this suggests us that all the stocks are going in same direction. Followed by this, the variance of the daily returns of the complete portfolio is calculated. *The variance helps in the computation of risk* associated with the investment in the portfolio.

```
In [45]: variance
Out[45]: 0.035769734344243326
In [46]: all_stocks_risk = np.sqrt(variance)
all_stocks_risk
Out[46]: 0.18912888289270713
```

Fig. 12: Risk calculation of stock.

Risk is calculated by taking the square root of variance. The variance is calculated by multiplying the weights with covariance for 252 trading days. Further we assume that the risk-free rate is zero and that helps us calculate **Sharpe Ratio.**

# Assuming that the risk free rate is zero Sharpe_Ratio = daily_return['daily_return_stocks'].mean() /daily_return Sharpe_Ratio	['daily_return_stocks'].std()
0.0495103385289565	
Annual_Sharpe_Ratio = (252**0.5)*Sharpe_Ratio Annual_Sharpe_Ratio	
0 7859522584/54303	

Fig.13 Calculation of Sharpe and Annual Sharpe Ratio

As we can see from the dataset all the values are not within one range hence analysing them becomes quite tedious. Hence, we have normalized every stock, so they fall in one range and hence it becomes easy to create any visualization.

Normalized Price = Current Closing Price Initial Price of Stock

		d[1]=stocks_n	ormalized	[i]/final_o	data[i][0]			
stocks_no	rmalized.hea	ad()						
	Close_NVDA	Close_GOOGL	Close_IBM	Close_AMT	Close_SPG	Close_WPC	Close_ABT	Close_JN
Date								
10/31/2012	1.000000	1.000000	1.000000	1.000000	1.000000	1.000000	1.000000	1.00000
11/1/2012	1.047579	1.010716	1.013468	0.990570	1.002234	0.942596	0.999237	1.00960
11/2/2012	1.042571	1.011201	0.994345	0.989109	1.023257	0.933090	0.991756	1.00113
11/5/2012	1.086811	1.003910	0.997995	0.982733	1.016556	0.913528	0.992977	0.99957
11/6/2012	1.085977	1.002087	1.002776	0.979811	1.021549	0.910238	0.989618	1.00268

Fig 14 Normalized prices of all the stocks

As we have normalized the prices, we can use line plot to determine which stocks in individual sectors are performing better than S&P 500 index.



Fig. 15 Health sector stocks

In the figure above (refer to figure 15) we can see stock ABT (blue) is performing well above S&P 500 index (red). Comparatively, other stocks are performing well below the index and hence are considered to be less volatile.

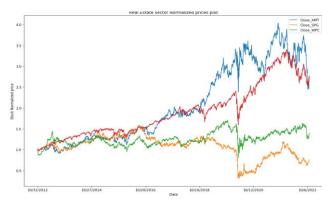


Fig 16 Real estate sector

In this plot (refer fig 16) S&P index and AMT are almost performing on equal levels and hence the volatile level of the stock is near to 1.



Fig 17 Finance Sector

Stocks of finance sector (refer figure 17) are really performing better than S&P index and hence can be considered volatile.



Fig. 18: Technology Sector

As we can clearly see (refer fig 18), only one stock NVDA is giving outrageous returns and is highly volatile. NVDA stock is way above the index and hence its beta is greater one.

The last test before we begun model fitting was to check if the values, we are using are stationary or non-stationary/seasonal values. We use KPSS test for stationarity. When a time series has a root of 1, the Kwiatkowski-Phillips-Schmidt-Shin (KPSS) test determines whether it is stationary around its mean, linearly trending, or nonstationary. A series whose statistical characteristics, such as mean and variance, remain constant across time is referred to as a stationary time series.

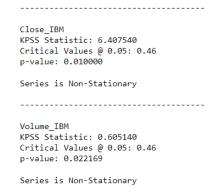


Fig 19 Finance Sector

The assumption that the data are stationary serves as the test's null hypothesis.

The possibility that the data are not stationary is an option for this test. (Refer fig 19)

V. MODEL FITTING

1.) CAPM (Capital Asset Pricing Model):

In the data preparation process for model fitting, Betas for all the stocks were calculated. These calculated betas were used during the CAPM model fitting. In order to construct the CAPM model, it is necessary to take into account the beta of a security, the risk-free rate, and the expected return on the market minus the risk-free rate.[2]

It is important to note that the CAPM can be easily stress-tested to provide a range of possible outcomes so that the required rates of return can be determined in a confident manner.[6] Capital returns on each stock are calculated in percentages. In order to do that, we needed to consider certain factors. The risk-free rate here was considered to be 0.75, and in order to calculate market returns we used S&P500 index over the period of 10 years.[5]

```
cap_ret=[]
for i in col:
    ER[i] = rf+(capm[i]*(rm-rf))
    cap_ret.append(ER[i])
```

Fig. 20: Calculating Capital returns

Fig. 20 shows the calculation of expected returns (ER) based on the betas, risk-free interest(rf), and market returns(rm).

ER= **rf** + [**beta** (**rm** - **rf**)].

In [85]:	сарі	m_df	
Out[85]:		stock	returns in %
	0	Close_NVDA	18.023953
	1	Close_GOOGL	12.886019
	2	Close_IBM	10.108346
	3	Close_AMT	9.428938
	4	Close_SPG	12.510160
	5	Close_WPC	9.507721
	6	Close_ABT	10.585700
	7	Close_JNJ	7.417267
	8	Close_PFE	8.011978
	9	Close_BAC	14.662698
	10	Close_MS	15.653811
	11	Close_GS	14.002085

Fig. 21: Stocks and their returns (%)

Fig. 21 shows stocks and their corresponding expected returns obtained using CAPM. NVDA has the highest expected return on investment over the span of 10 years, while JNJ has the least expected return percentages.

CAPM return for the whole portfolio containing 12 stocks from 4 different sectors was also calculated, considering the allotment of capital with equal weight in each of the 12 stocks.

```
: portfolio_capm_ret = sum(list(ER.values())*weights)
: portfolio_capm_ret
: 11.895129777348798
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Fig 22: Expected return of the Portfolio.

Fig. 22 shows the expected return on capital investment in this portfolio containing the 12 stocks is 11.89%, which is approximately **12%**.

To validate the results from the CAPM, we have used one more model named VAR (Vector Auto Regression)

2.) VAR (Vector Auto Regression) Model:

It is one of the most commonly used multivariate timeseries forecasting techniques. In VAR, every attribute is a linear function of previous values of its own and also of the other attributes.[3]

Using VAR here is appropriate and helpful because it is capable of understanding and using the association among many other variables. The use of VAR is helpful for explaining the dynamic behaviour of the data and provides a better forecast as well.

After verifying the non-stationarity of timeseries data using KPSS test, we move forward and use differencing to make the data stationary. (Refer fig 19)

```
Close_IBM

KPSS Statistic: 0.040082

Critical Values @ 0.05: 0.46
p-value: 0.100000

Series is Stationary

Volume_IBM

KPSS Statistic: 0.018219

Critical Values @ 0.05: 0.46
p-value: 0.100000

Series is Stationary
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Fig. 23: Converting series to stationary

We then create train-test split with 70% data as train data and rest of the data as test/validation data set. This procedure is performed for all the 12 stocks individually.

Firstly, building a VAR model for the NVDA stock. In order to determine which of several possible models best fits the data, the AIC is used to compare these different models and determine which one is the best fit.

Method of selecting the right order of the VAR model involves fitting increasing orders of the VAR model iteratively and picking the order that gives a model that has the least AIC value as a result.

Using AIC, it is possible to produce weights that can be directly used for model-averaging predictions or to generate parameters with a consistent interpretation across different models that can be used directly.

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Fig.24: Lag orders

Fig. 24 shows the lag orders, and at lag order 19, the '*' highlights the minimums of all metrics of

evaluation and suggests fitting VAR model with maxlag=19.

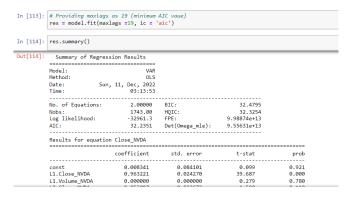


Fig. 25: Summary of VAR model with max lag=19

Fig. 25 shows that the AIC selected was 32.2351, and BIC= 32.4795.

Now, to evaluate the model, validation data was used, which was the remaining 30% of the total data.



Fig. 26: VAR Model Evaluation for NVDA stock

Fig. 26 shows he evaluation metrics, such as RMSE and MAPE for NVDA stock.

MAPE is the Mean Absolute Percentage Error, which is one of the most used Key Performance Indicators (KPI) for measuring the accuracy of forecast.

Lower the MAPE, better the forecasting.

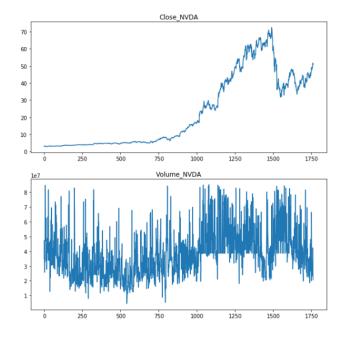


Fig. 27: Closing price and Volume graphs

Fig. 27 shows that the NVDA stock had a dramatic rise in the closing price after 1000 days.

Now we will check how good this model is in forecasting the trend, by using the same train dataset, but forecasting only the last 1000 data points(days) based on the past days.

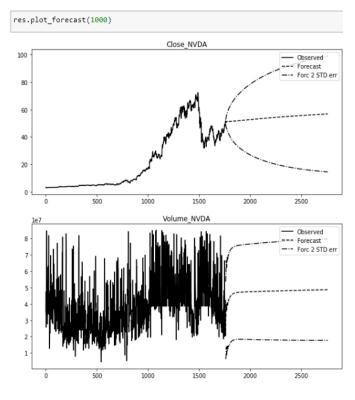


Fig. 28: Forecasting trend of NVDA stock

Fig. 28 depicts that the stock closing price and volume are being forecasted for the last 1000 days based on the previous days.

This forecasting shows an error of 2 standard deviations.

Likewise, the same procedure is followed for forecasting the prices and volumes of the remaining 11 stocks in the portfolio, using the VAR model, by selecting the appropriate lag orders for model fitting, considering the AIC and BIC values.

Stock	Selected AIC	RMSE	MAPE
	AIC		
NVDA	32.2351	37.79	40.25
GOOGL	31.1600	19.13	25.81
IBM	30.5579	19.61	14.41
AMT	27.2226	63.12	19.7
SPG	27.2423	34.06	21.35
WPC	24.7663	9.91	10.77
ABT	27.7577	15.06	10.92
JNJ	28.9495	33.51	18.5
PFE	29.2491	3.98	6.6
BAC	31.5050	8.54	20.7
GS	29.0957	38.39	8.2
MS	28.7677	6.15	7.15

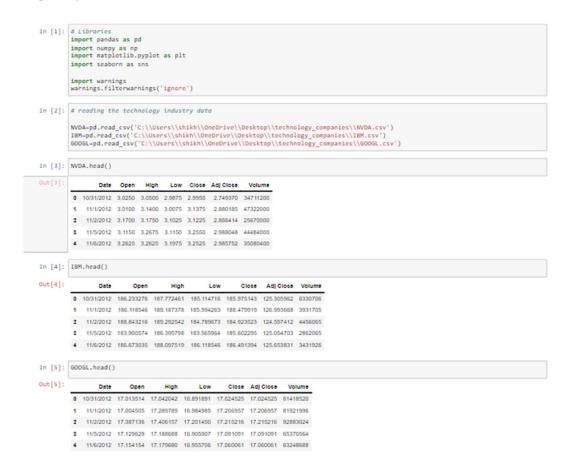
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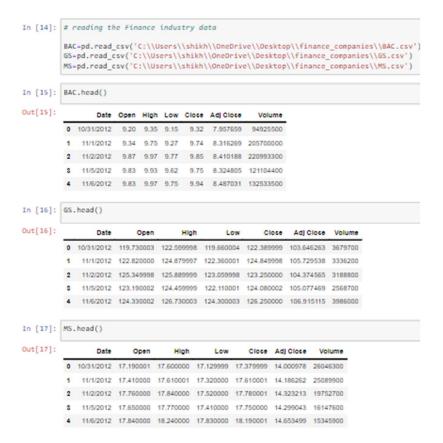
APPENDIX

Importing libraries and data sets.

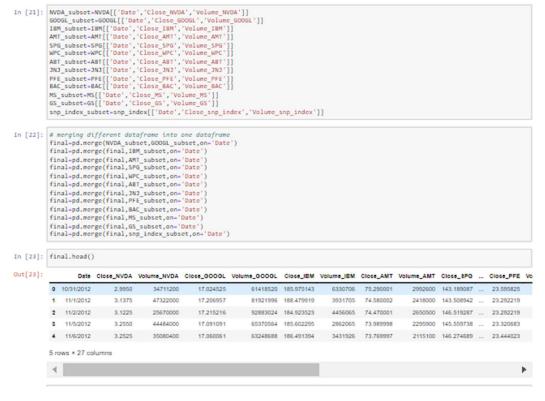


Reading data from 4 different industries:

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In [6]: # reading the real estate industry data
         AMT-pd.read_csv('C:\\Users\\shikh\\OneDrive\\Desktop\\realestate_companies\\AMT.csv')
         SPG-pd.read_csv('C:\\Users\\shikh\\OneDrive\\Desktop\\realestate_companies\\SPG.csv')
WPC-pd.read_csv('C:\\Users\\shikh\\OneDrive\\Desktop\\realestate_companies\\MPC.csv')
Out[7]:
                                    High
                                                      Close Adj Close Volume
                          Open
                                              Low
         0 10/31/2012 72.889999 75.410004 72.139999 75.290001 62.339504 2992600
         1 11/1/2012 75.169998 75.540001 73.230003 74.580002 61.751621 2418000
         2 11/2/2012 75.040001 75.550003 74.339996 74.470001 61.660568 2650500
         $ 11/5/2012 73.769997 74.400002 73.230003 73.989998 61.263119 2295900
         4 11/6/2012 74.019997 74.500000 73.379997 73.769997 61.080948 2115100
In [8]: SPG.head()
Out[8]:
                                      High
                                                          Close Adj Close Volume
                           Open
                                                 Low
         0 10/31/2012 142.652863 143.555969 141.495773 143.189087 93.011658 1392211
          1 11/1/2012 143.142044 144.242706 141.909683 143.508942 93.219429 1025157
         2 11/2/2012 145.296326 147.158981 145.296326 146.519287 95.174889 1908404
         $ 11/5/2012 145.268112 146.434616 144.421448 145.559738 94.551590 1072780
         4 11/6/2012 145.813736 146.641586 145.239883 146.274689 95.015991 902274
In [9]: WPC.head()
Out[9]:
                 Date
                          Open
                                    High
                                              Low
                                                      Close Adj Close Volume
         0 10/31/2012 48.599998 54.700001 47.400002 54.700001 30.570089 2466700
         1 11/1/2012 53.500000 53.630001 51.099998 51.560001 28.815247
         2 11/2/2012 50.770000 51.740002 49.990002 51.040001 28.524635 410800
         $ 11/5/2012 50,500000 50,900002 49,669998 49,970001 27,926647 246800
         4 11/6/2012 49.730000 50.099998 49.360001 49.790001 27.826050 312000
In [10]: # reading the Health care industry data
          ABT-pd.read_csv('C:\\Users\\shikh\\OneDrive\\Desktop\\healthcare_companies\\ABT.csv')
          JNJ-pd.read_csv('C:\\Users\\shikh\\OneDrive\\Desktop\\healthcare_companies\\JNJ.csv')
          PFE-pd.read_csv('C:\\Users\\shikh\\OneDrive\\Desktop\\healthcare_companies\\PFE.csv')
In [11]: ABT.head()
Out[11]:
                                                 Low
                                                          Close Adj Close Volume
                                  31.714781 31.287758 31.426901 26.005512
               11/1/2012 31.551647 31.801144 31.374123 31.402910 25.985664 14941851
           2 11/2/2012 31.609224 31.647608 31.139021 31.167809 25.791117 13617132
           $ 11/5/2012 31.081444 31.268566 31.043060 31.206192 25.822878 9482493
           4 11/6/2012 31.220587 31.330940 31.076647 31.100636 25.735529 11469571
In [12]: JNJ.head()
Out[12]:
                                                           Close Adl Close Volume
           0 10/31/2012 71.110001 71.250000 70.480003 70.820000 53.470665
              11/1/2012 71.099998 71.900002 70.830002 71.500000 53.984085 11226000
           2 11/2/2012 71.699997 71.699997 70.830002 70.900002 53.531078 7946700
           $ 11/5/2012 70.860001 71.000000 70.470001 70.790001 53.448017 6874500
           4 11/6/2012 71.000000 71.620003 70.889999 71.010002 53.614117 7927500
In [13]: PFE.head()
Out[13]:
                                       High
                                                           Close Adj Close
                                                  Low
           0 10/31/2012 24.335863 24.430740 23.586338 23.595825 16.349766 40352495
           1 11/1/2012 23.548388 23.548388 23.140417 23.292219 16.139393 57376598
           2 11/2/2012 23.444023 23.595825 23.292219 23.292219 16.139393 32793734
           $ 11/5/2012 23.168880 23.453510 23.168880 23.320683 16.159119 21531428
           4 11/6/2012 23.349146 23.681213 23.311195 23.444023 16.244583 31404246
```



Final Dataset after removing unwanted columns and merging different data frames and snp index column as well.



Average returns calculations:

```
In [31]: # For each company average daily return
avg_daily_ret_daily_return.mean().sort_values()
avg_daily_ret
Out[31]: Close_IBM
Close_SPG
Close_WPC
                                         0.000007
                                         0.000261
                Close_PFE
Close_JNJ
Close_AMT
                                         0.000365
                                         0.000419
                Close_ABT
Close_GS
Close_BAC
Close_MS
                                         0.000563
                                         0.000727
                                         0.000811
                Close_GOOGL
Close_NVDA
dtype: float64
                                         0.000822
In [32]: avg_daily_ret.plot(kind="bar")
                plt.xlabel("Companies")
plt.ylabel("avg_daily_return")
plt.title("Companies and their avg daily return in stock man
                plt.show()
                                 Companies and their avg daily return in stock market
                     0.00175
                     0.00150
                  0.00125
0.00100
0.00075
0.00050
                     0.00025
                     0.00000
                                                  Close PFE
```

Betas Calculations:

```
In [49]: for i in stocks:
                        print(i)

print('maximum value is ${}'.format(final[i].max()))

print('minimum value is ${}'.format(final[i].min()))

print('......')
                Close_NVDA
                maximum value is $333.76001
minimum value is $2.845
                Close_GOOGL
                 maximum value is $149.838501
minimum value is $16.19569599999998
                Close_IBM
                maximum value is $206.309753
minimum value is $90.602295
                 Close_AMT
                maximum value is $303.619995
minimum value is $68.360001
                maximum value is $227.600006
minimum value is $44.0099979999999
                Close_MPC
maximum value is $93.449997
minimum value is $43.860001000000000
                Close_ABT
maximum value is $141.46000700000002
minimum value is $30.169825
                Close_JNJ
maximum value is $186.009995
minimum value is $68.809998
                Close_PFE
maximum value is $61.25
minimum value is $22.447819
                Close_BAC
maximum value is $49.380801
minimum value is $8.99
                Close_MS
                 maximum value is $108.730003
minimum value is $16.09
                 Close GS
                maximum value is $423.85000599999995
minimum value is $114.239998
```

CAPM model:

```
In [81]: ER = ()
rf = 0.75
           rm = ret['Close_snp_index'].mean()*252*100
In [82]: cap_ret*[]
for i in col:
    ER[i] = rf*(capm[i]*(rm-rf))
    cap_ret.append(ER[i])
 In [83]: cap_ret
Out[83]: [18.023952888809323,
12.88581905133368,
18.108346098453387,
9.428938481621167,
             12.51016840907292,
9.507721334758884,
10.585699782305404,
7.417266553975563,
             8.011977959273093,
14.662698291405869,
15.653810531452562,
14.002085416444087]
In [85]: capm_df
Out[85]:
                        atock returns in %
            O Close_NVDA 18.025953
              1 Class GOOGL 12.888019
            2 Close_IBM 10.106346
              2 Close AMT
            4 Close SPG 12.510160
              5 Close WPC
                                 9.507721
            6 Closs ABT 10.585700
             8 Closs PFE 8.011978
                   Close BAC 14.862698
             10 Close_MS 15.653811
                    Closs GS 14.002085
 In [86]: portfolio_capm_ret = sum(list(ER.values())*weights)
 In [87]: portfolio_capm_ret
Out[87]: 11.895129777348798
 In [88]: # Expected return on the stocks using CAPM is around 12% having equal weights
```

Data Differencing to make series Stationary:

```
In [98]: data_diff = final_data.diff().dropna()

In [99]: from statsmodels.tsa.stattools import kpss

for i in data_diff.columns:
    kpss_test = kpss(data_diff[i])
    print(i)
    print(i)
    print(i)
    print('KPSS Statistic: %f % kpss_test[0])
    print('Critical Values 0 0.05: %.2f % kpss_test[3]['S%'])
    print('p-value: %f % kpss_test[1])

    if kpss_test[1] (= 0.05:
        print("\nSeries is Non Stationary")
    else:
        print("\nSeries is Stationary")

print('\n-----\n')

Close_NVDA
    KPSS Statistic: 0.046360
    Critical Values 0 0.05: 0.46
    p-value: 0.100000

Series is Stationary

Volume_NVDA
    KPSS Statistic: 0.047366
    Critical Values 0 0.05: 0.46
    p-value: 0.100000

Series is Stationary

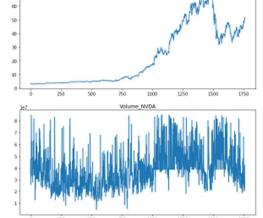
Close_COOGL
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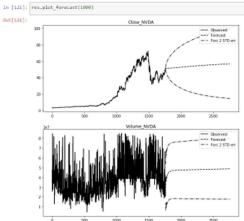
VAR Model Evaluations and outputs for 12 stocks:

1.) NVDA:





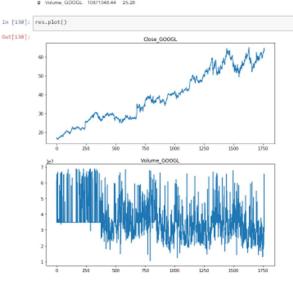


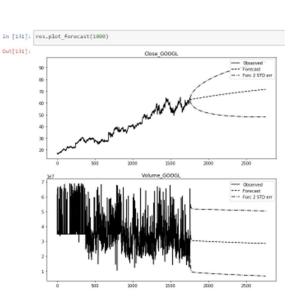


2.) GOOGL



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	U	Стоян	GOOGL	19.13	25.81

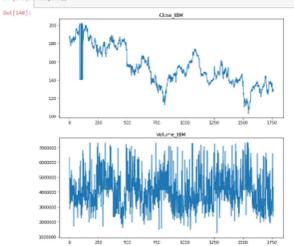


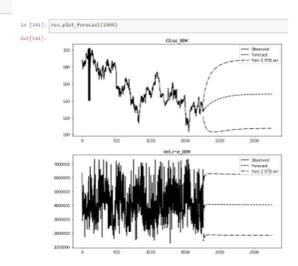


3.) IBM



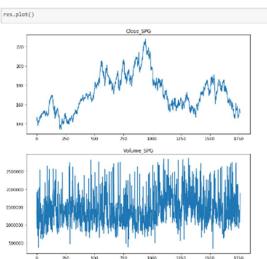
In [148]: res.plot()

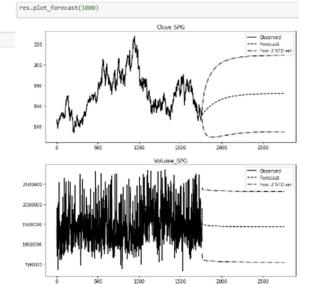




4.) AMT

Close_SPG 34.06 21
Volume_SPG 522062.28 18

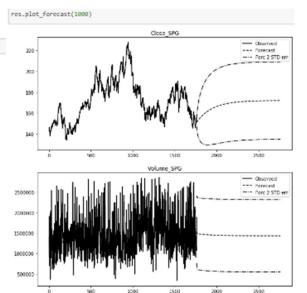




5.) SPG



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6.) WPC

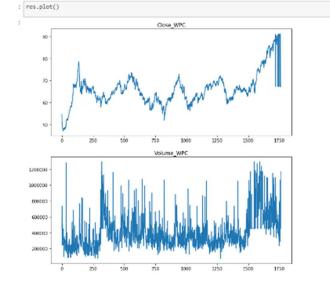
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: # Model Evaluation
from sklann.metrics import mean_squared_error

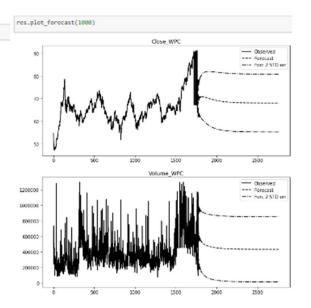
eval_results = pd.DataFrame(columns=['Column', 'RMSE', 'MAPE'])
tempResults = pd.DataFrame(columns=['Column', 'RMSE', 'MAPE'])
for col in NPC_ts.columns:
    rmse = np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(test_MPC_ts[col], forecast[col][:])).round(2)
    mape = np.round(np.mean(np.abs(test_MPC_ts[col]-ferecast[col][:])/test_MPC_ts[col])*100,2)

tempResults = pd.DataFrame(('Column':[col], 'RMSE': [rmse], 'MAPE': [mape] })
eval_results = pd.concat([eval_results, tempResults])

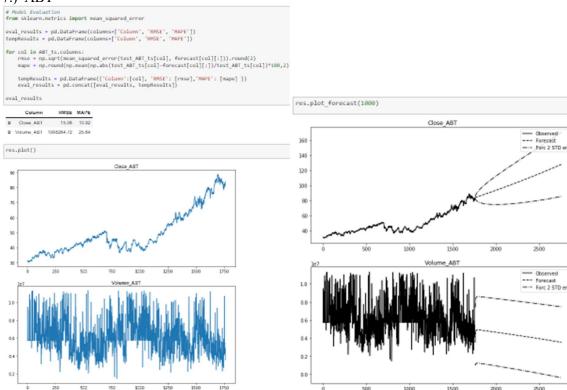
eval_results
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	Column	RM8E	MAPE
0	Close_WPC	9.91	10.77
0	Volume_WPC	388151.21	36.28



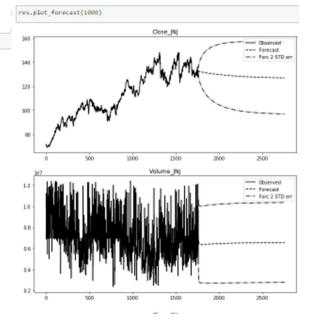


7.) ABT



8.) JNJ

	Column	HWSE	MAIL	
0	Closs JNJ	33.51	18.50	
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9.) PFE

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# Model Evaluation
from Sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error

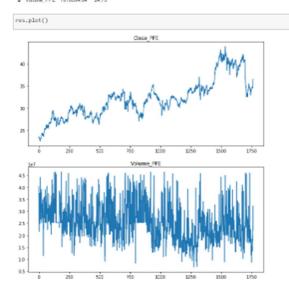
eval_results = pd.DataFrame(columns=['Column', 'RMSE', 'MAPE'])
tempResults = pd.DataFrame(columns=['Column', 'RMSE', 'MAPE'])

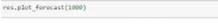
for col in PFE_ts.columns:
    rmse = np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(test PFE_ts[col], forecast[col][:]).round(2)
    mape = np.round(np.mean(np.abs(test_PFE_ts[col]-forecast[col][:])/test_PFE_ts[col])*180,2)

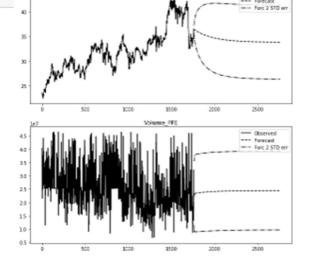
tempResults = pd.DataFrame(['Column':[col], 'RMSE': [rmse], 'MAPE': [mape] ])
    eval_results = pd.concat([eval_results, tempResults])

eval_results
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	Col	lumn	KWAF	MAIL
U	Осии	PFE	3.98	6.61
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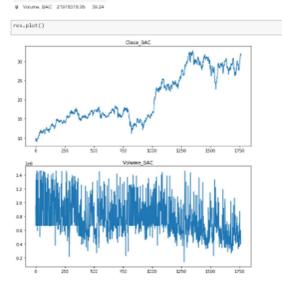




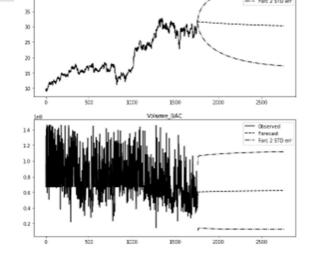
10.) BAC

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# Model Evaluation
from Sklearn.metrics Emport mean_squared_error
eval_results = pd.DataFrame(columns=['Column', 'RMSE', 'MAPE'])
tempResults = pd.DataFrame(columns=['Column', 'RMSE', 'MAPE'])
for col in BAC_ts.column:
    rmse = np..qrt(mean_squared_error(test_BAC_ts[col], forecast[col][:])).round(2)
    mape = np.round(np.mean(np.mabs(test_BAC_ts[col], forecast[col][:])/test_BAC_ts[col])
    tempResults = pd.DataFrame(['Column':[col], 'RMSE': [rmse],'MAPE': [mape] ])
    eval_results = pd.concat([eval_results, tempResults])
eval_results
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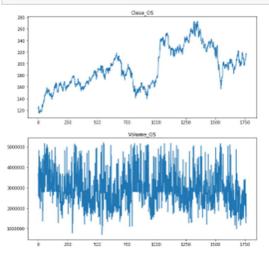
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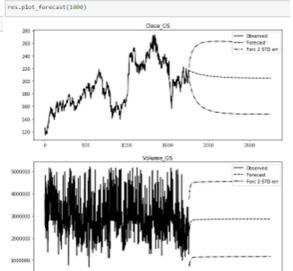






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12.) MS

In [229]: # Model Evaluation
from skloarn.metrics import mean_squared_error
eval_results = pd.DataFrame(columns=['Column', 'MMSE', 'MAPE'])
tempResults = pd.DataFrame(columns=['Column', 'MMSE', 'MAPE'])
for col in MS_ts.columns:
 rmse = np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(test_MS_ts[col], forecast[col][:])).round(2)
 mape = np.round(np.mean(np.abs(test_MS_ts[col]-forecast[col][:])/test_MS_ts[col])*100,2)

tempResults = pd.DataFrame(['Column':[col], 'MMSE': [rmse], 'MAPE': [mape]])
eval_results

Out[229]:

	Column	KMSE	MAI'E	
U	Closs MS	6.15	7.15	

