

Project: Detect Zombie Companies

Goal

Identify inactive companies but are labeled as active in the dataset

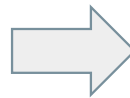
Dataset

35288 VC-backed companies

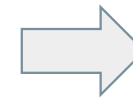
'prediction', 'InActive', 'LastFundingDate', 'LastFundingNo', 'TotalFunding',
'LastFundingAmount', 'CompanyName', 'Website', 'Description',
'CompanyOwnership', 'Industry Level 1', 'City', 'Country', 'FoundationYear'

Approach

Manually
inspect 200
companies with
highest
predicted
probability of
default



Develop rules
according to the
characteristics



Validate by
manually
inspecting the set
of predicted
zombie companies

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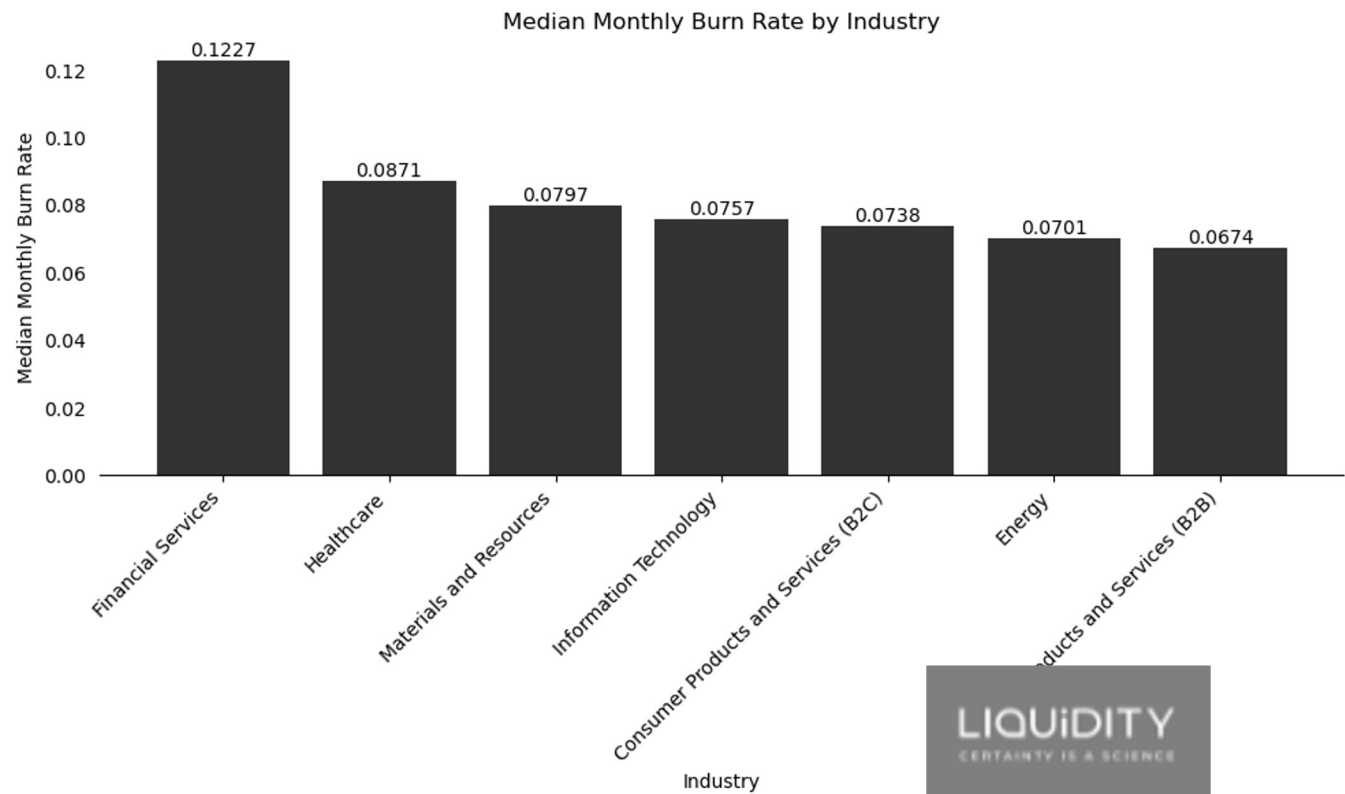
$$\text{Monthly Burn Rate} = \frac{(\text{Total Funding} - \text{Last Funding Amount})}{\text{Last Funding Date} - \text{Foundation Year}}$$

Existing Features

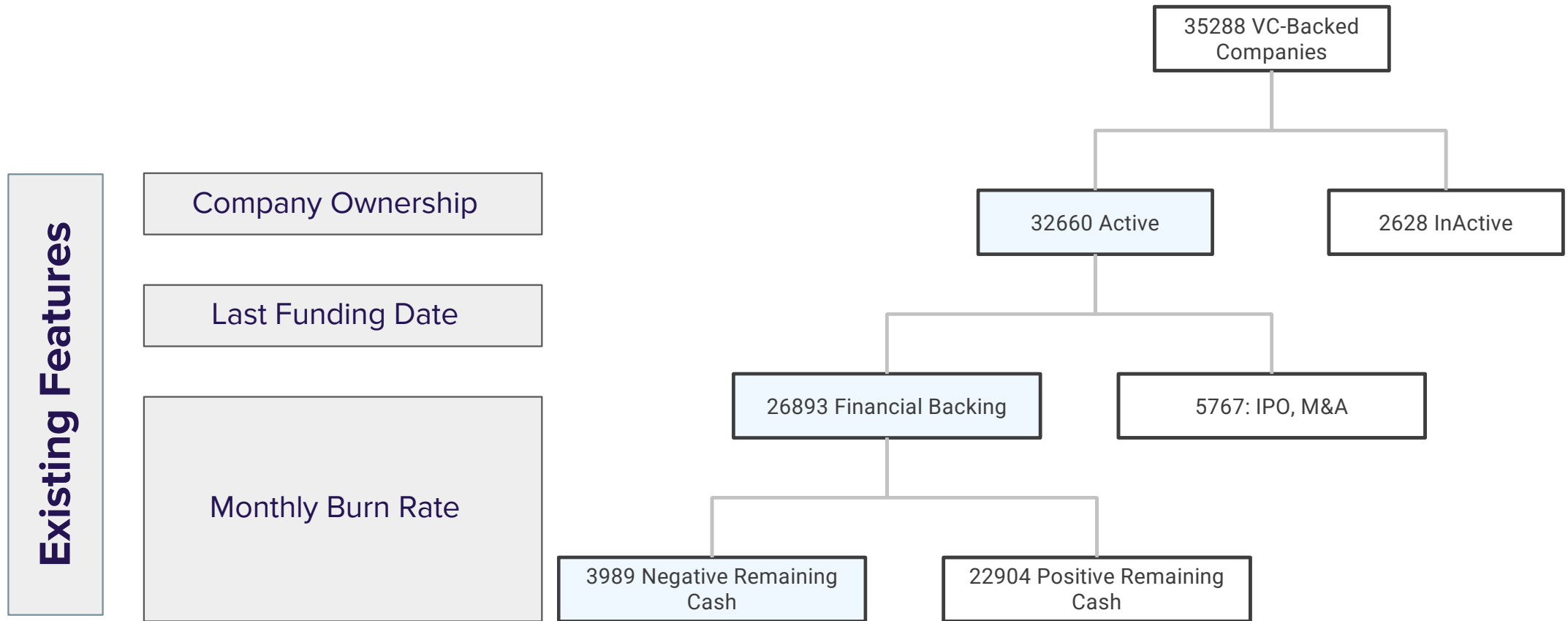
Company Ownership

Last Funding Date

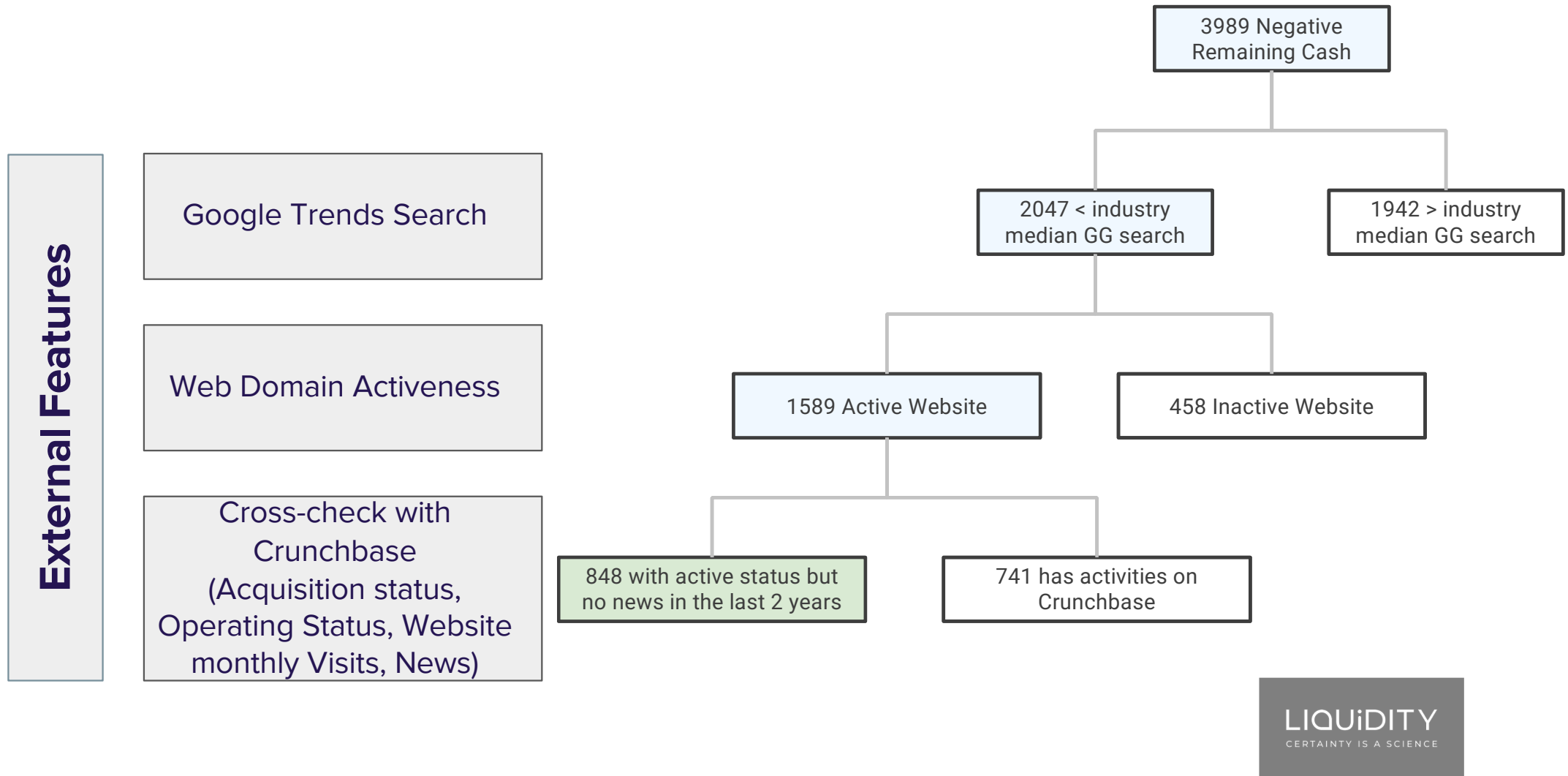
Monthly Burn Rate



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