

Boosting Financial Trend Prediction with Twitter Mood Based on Hidden Markov Models

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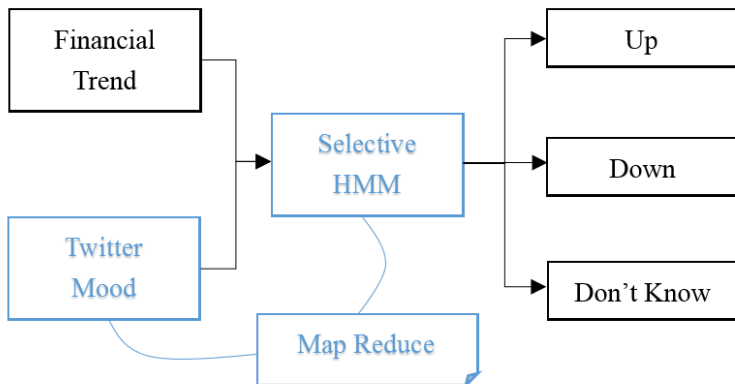
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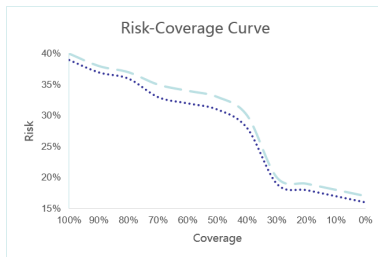
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Selective Prediction

- Not ignorance, but ignorance of ignorance is the death of knowledge
- Definition

$$Y_{t+1} = \begin{cases} F(X_t), & \text{if } G(X_t) = 1 \\ \text{reject}, & \text{if } G(X_t) = 0 \end{cases}$$

- Evaluation

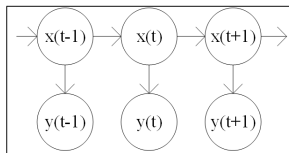


Hidden Markov Models

- Definition

- $\lambda = \{N, M, \pi, A, B\}$
- N , state number
- M , observation number
- $\pi = \{\pi_1, \pi_2, \dots, \pi_N\}$, initial probability
- $A = \{a_{ij} | i, j = 1, 2, \dots, N\}$, state transfer probability
- $B = \{b_{ij} | i = 1, 2, \dots, N, j = 1, 2, \dots, M\}$, observation probability distribution

Hidden Markov Models (cont.)



- Problem 1: probability computation
 - Forward backward algorithm
- Problem 2: state annotation
 - Viterbi algorithm
- Problem 3: model train
 - Baum-Welch algorithm

Selective HMM

- Model

- Multiple Stream
- Selectivity

- Visit rate $v_i = \frac{1}{T} \sum_{t=1}^T \gamma_{ti}$

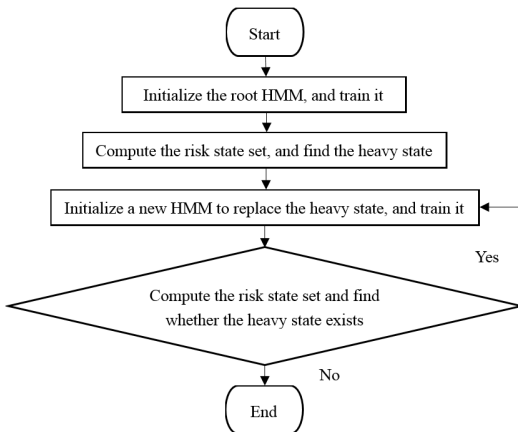
- Risk rate $r_i = \frac{\frac{1}{T} \sum_{t=1, t \neq i}^T \gamma_{ti}}{v_i}$

- Risk state set $RS = \{i_1, \dots, i+k | \sum_{j=1}^K v_{ij} \leq 1 - C_B, \sum_{j=1}^{K+1} v_{ij} > 1 - C_B\}$

- Scale

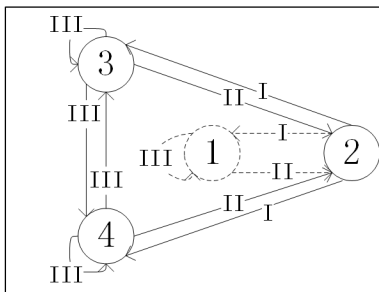
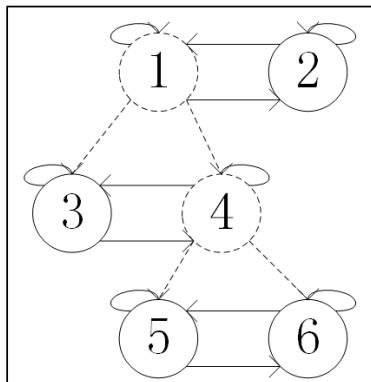
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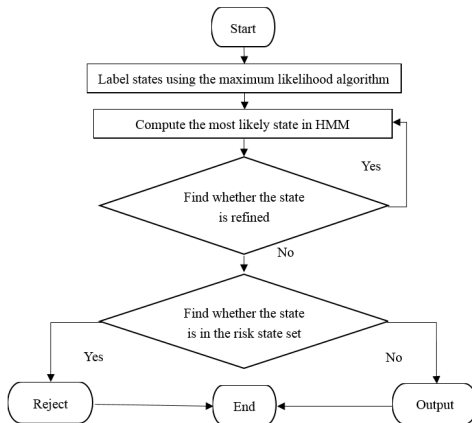
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 - Recursive refine



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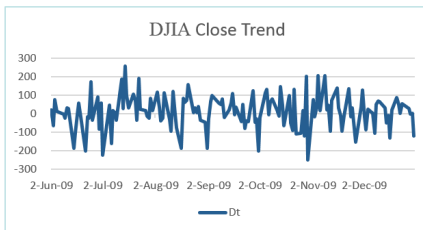
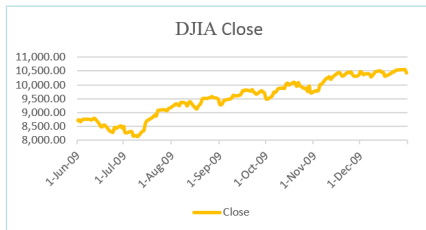
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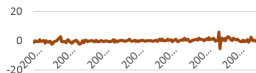


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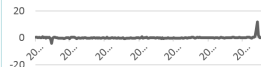
Composed z-score



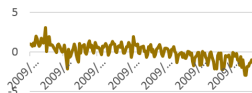
Agreeable z-score



Elated z-score



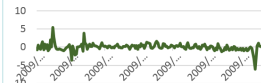
Confident z-score



Energetic z-score

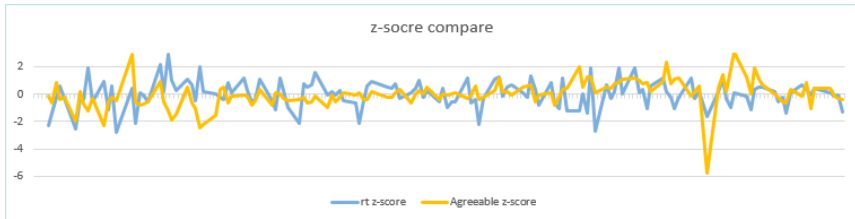


Clearheaded z-score

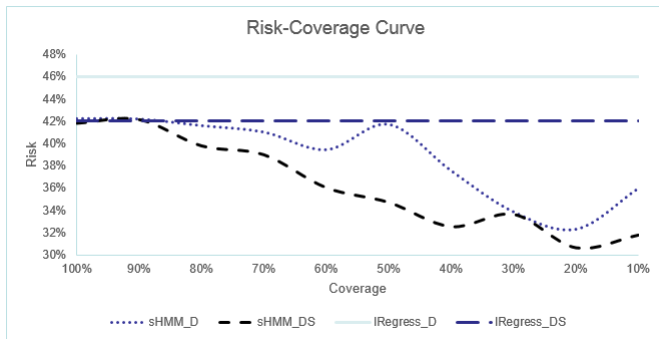


Granger Causality Analysis

Lagged Days	Composed /Anxious	Agreeable /Hostile	Elated /Depressed	Confident /Unsure	Energetic /Tired	Clearheaded /Confused
1	0.723009776	0.512862214	0.9399375	0.880644906	0.857355253	0.342346356
2	0.86129301	0.166551184	0.8289756	0.576292251	0.933422157	0.310755746
3	0.434470424	0.062817907	0.9608715	0.455076866	0.993825935	0.377955186
4	0.435631775	0.127495831	0.9903607	0.637129619	0.803028135	0.514455259
5	0.593896982	0.212591485	0.9854185	0.534574688	0.755306207	0.708745583
6	0.630440149	0.206866576	0.9689204	0.656838808	0.557477213	0.738674666
7	0.694607494	0.107745913	0.9858471	0.688712317	0.577784406	0.851840215



Risk-Coverage Curve



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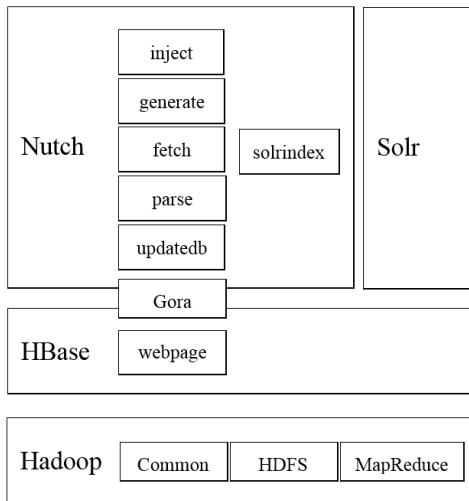
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