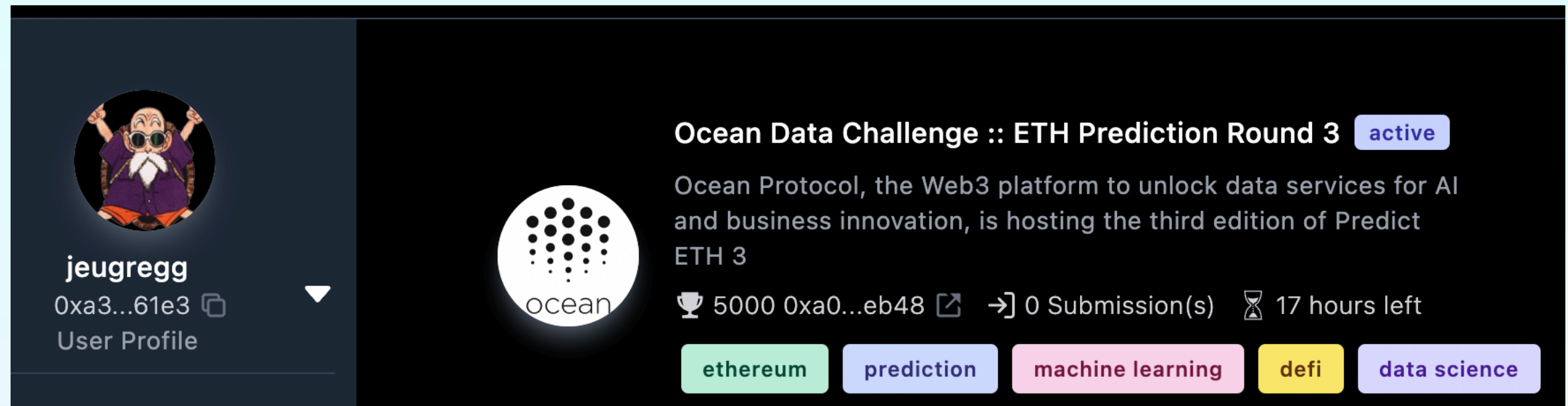


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ethereum prediction machine learning defi data science

PREDICT ETH PRICE WITH
DIMENSIONALITY REDUCTION USING AUTOENCODER

OCEAN DATA CHALLENGE : ETH PREDICTION ROUND 3

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CONTEXT

- ▶ Ocean Data Challenge
 - ▶ predict ETH Close price from Binance exchange
 - ▶ Submission deadline: Sun Feb 19, 2023 at 23:59 UTC
 - ▶ Prediction at times: Mon Feb 20, 2023 at 1:00 UTC, 2:00, ..., 12:00
 - ▶ 12 predictions total
- ▶ Using all data we need like:
 - ▶ exchange price data
 - ▶ deFi data
 - ▶ on chain data
 - ▶ traditional economy data

THE QUESTION AND ITS INTERPRETATION

- ▶ Many data are available
 - ▶ additional constraints (on my side) : take only free data
 - ▶ use library : cctx, yfinance, openbb, ...
- ▶ Many technics are possible
 - ▶ RNN model with all features available (> 100)
 - ▶ a lot correlation
 - ▶ Try to reduce dimension of data with autoencoder
 - ▶ useful without data exploration to select specific features
- ▶ Comparaison with classical LSTM

EXPLORATION : THE DATA

- ▶ CCTX data : for Price & Volume : OHLCV
 - ▶ for ETH, BTC & BNB
 - ▶ hourly data
 - ▶ Binance (exchange used by Judges!)
 - ▶ Kucoin to correct gap (missing data)
- ▶ Calculate several indicators with several time range 1h, 1day, 1week
 - ▶ Ichimoku (all indicators except lagging span)
 - ▶ VWAP (+ extra periods : 1 month, 3 months, 6 months, 1 year, all)
 - ▶ Higher high & Lower low
 - ▶ Chop & RSI 14 periods
- ▶ Other indicator (economy) (hourly) (yfinance)
 - ▶ DXY
 - ▶ US GOVERNMENT BONDS 5 YR YIELD
 - ▶ SP500

**PROPORTIONAL / DIRECTLY DEPENDENT TO TOKEN PRICES
(EXCEPT CHOP & RSI)**

BUT FREE PAST DATA LIMITED TO LAST 2 YEARS

EXPLORATION

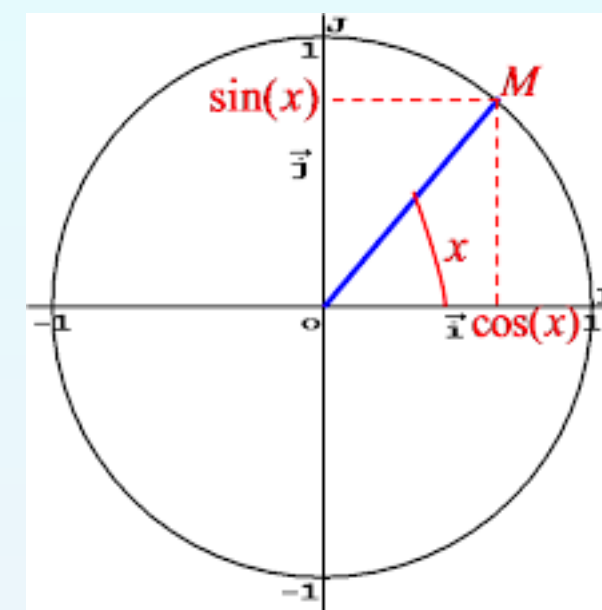
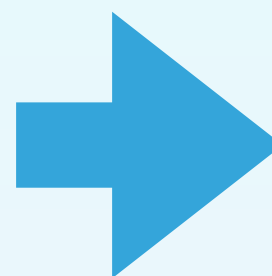
- ▶ On chain data (daily) with openbb (Glassnode & Messari Free API)
 - ▶ Circulating supply
 - ▶ Market Cap
 - ▶ Number of active wallets on BTC chain and ETH Main net
 - ▶ Approximation with cumulative volumes from exchange:
 - ▶ MVRV : Market Value / Realized Value and z-score
 - ▶ NUPL : Net Unrealized Profit/Loss
- ▶ Crypto Fear and Greed index (from alternative.me) (daily)
- ▶ Economy Calendar with important US events (daily)
 - ▶ inflation (PPI, CPI), Fed Interest Rate
 - ▶ estimate sentiment positive if
 - ▶ 1st flag : Consensus > Previous
 - ▶ 2nd flag : Consensus > Actual
 - ▶ Day off

EXPLORATION

- ▶ Add temporal data

EACH FEATURE TRANSFORMED IN 2 FEATURES
COS, SIN

- ▶ Hour of the Day : 0 -> 24
- ▶ Day of the Week : 0 -> 6
- ▶ Day of the Month : 0->28-31
- ▶ Month of the year : 0->11



TO TAKE THE PERIODIC EFFECT INTO ACCOUNT

EXPLORATION

- ▶ Correlation matrix

STRATEGY & DATA PREPARATION

▶ Lags

- ▶ Each lags = 1h
- ▶ Number of past lags used for prediction : 48 (2 days : 48 hours)
 - ▶ to limit training CPU time
- ▶ Number of future **Lags** to be predicted : $12 + 1 = 13$
 - ▶ to be able to do a last training + prediction with data at 23:00 UTC
 - ▶ to predict 01:00...12:00 UTC

TO BE ABLE TO DO A LAST TRAIN AT 23:00 UTC

▶ First Normalisation

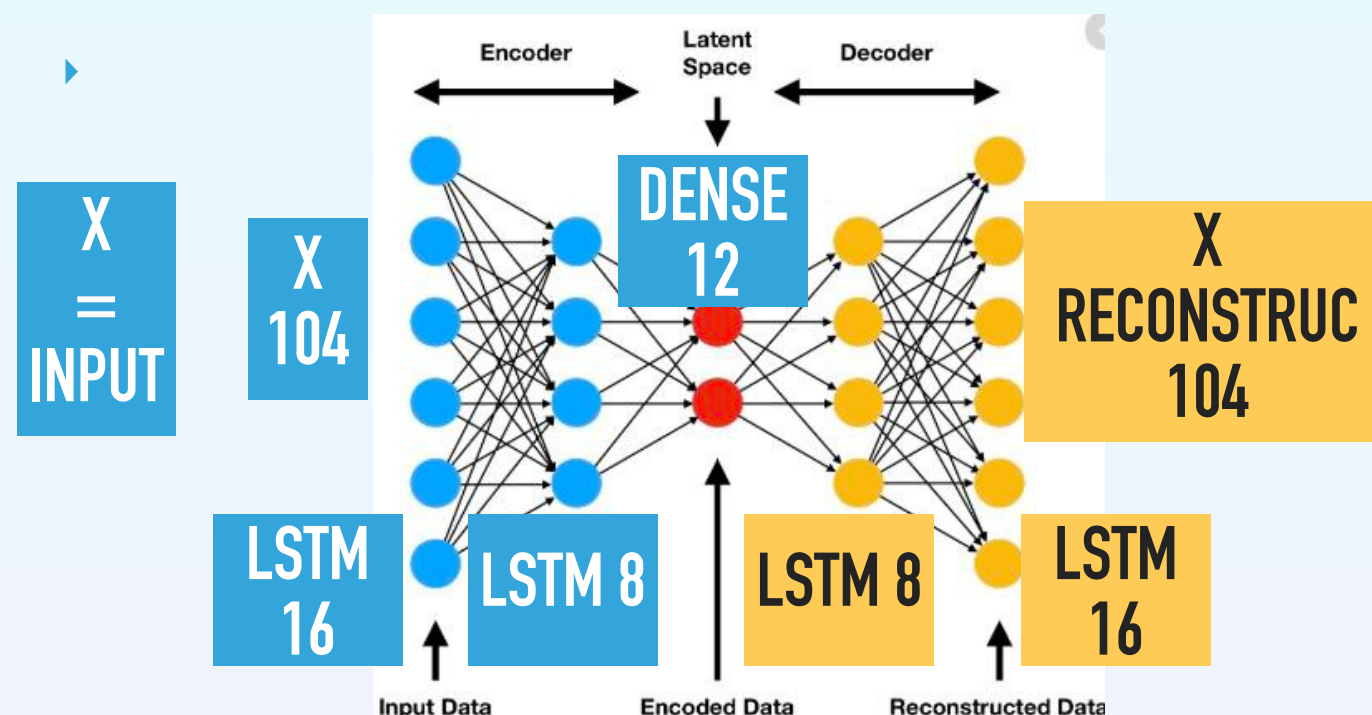
- ▶ divide by ETH Close price
- ▶ at last lag before first prediction
 - ▶ example : $t-n_lags \dots t-0 \quad t+1 \dots t+12$
- ▶ All features proportional to a price

TO PREVENT BIG IMPACT OF GLOBAL TREND

- ▶ And apply for all features a classical StandardScaler from scikitlearn

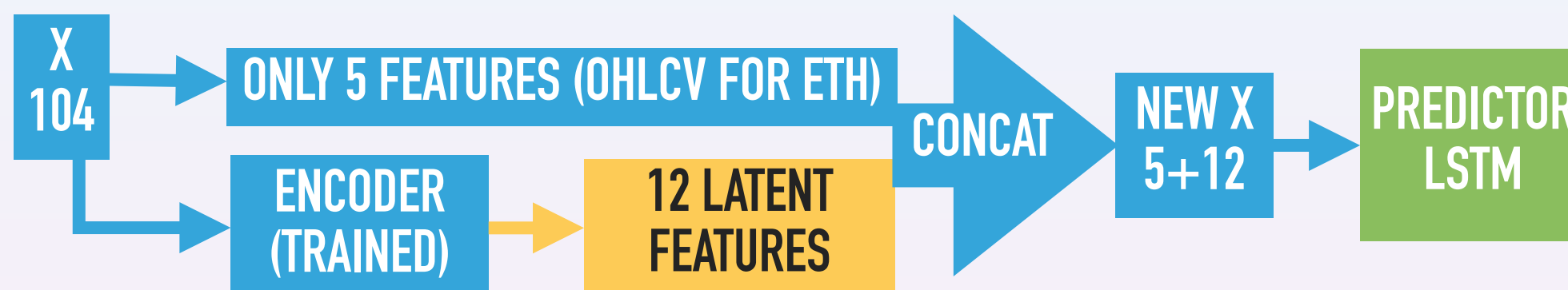
DATA REDUCTION WITH AUTO ENCODER

- ▶ A total of 104 Features **MODEL SIZE IS A PROBLEM**
- ▶ Try to reduce the features dimension : 12 latent variables
- ▶ auto encoder can do that !



1) TRAIN AUTOENCODER

2) TRAIN PREDICTOR WITH NEW X

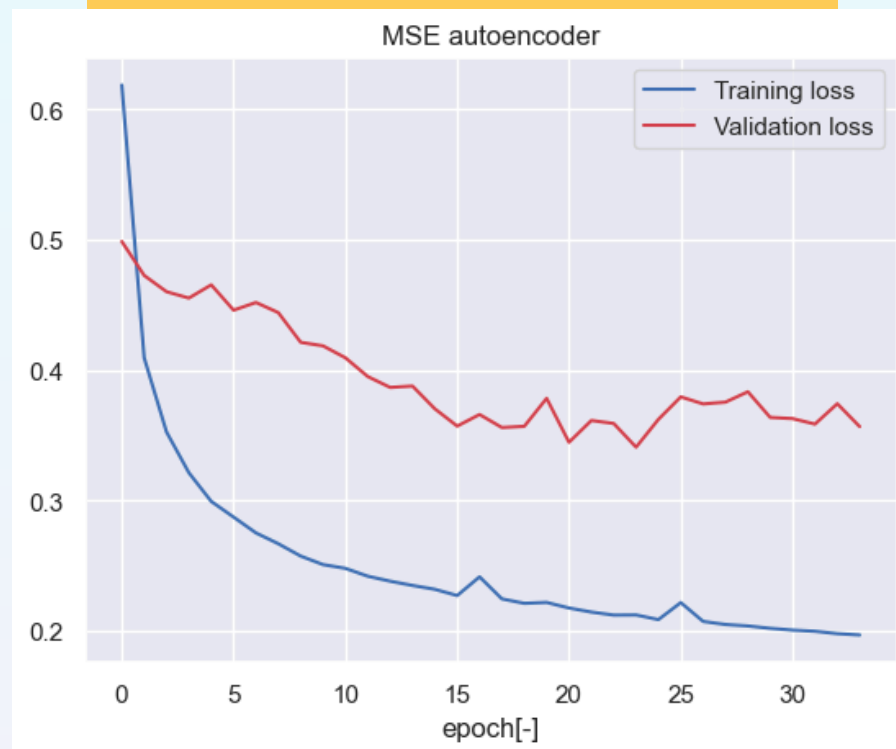


DATA REDUCTION WITH AUTO ENCODER : RESULTS

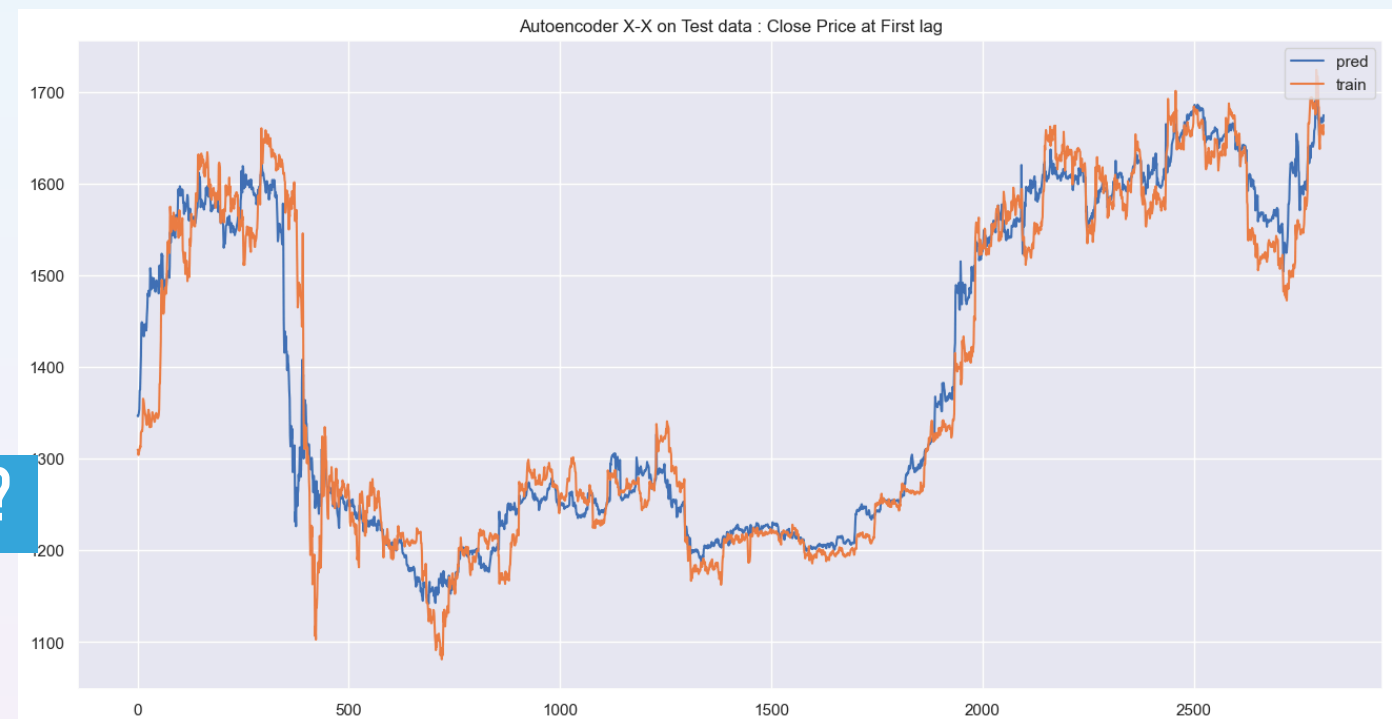
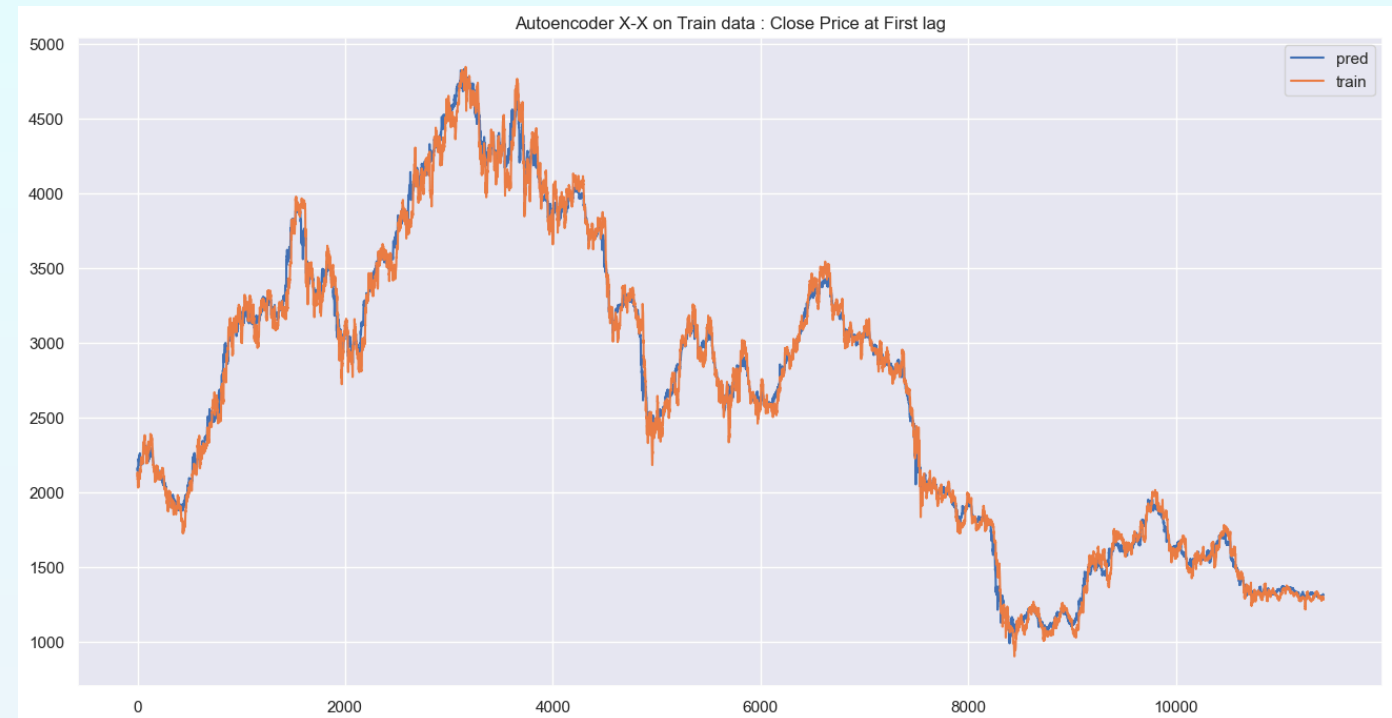
- ▶ A total of 104 Features reduce to 12 latent variables

MSE ERROR

NEED TO BE TUNED LONGER...



RECONSTRUCTION : $\text{AUTOENCODER}(X) = X$?



CLASSICAL LSTM : RESULTS

- ▶ A total of 104 Features

- ▶ Model : $X \rightarrow$

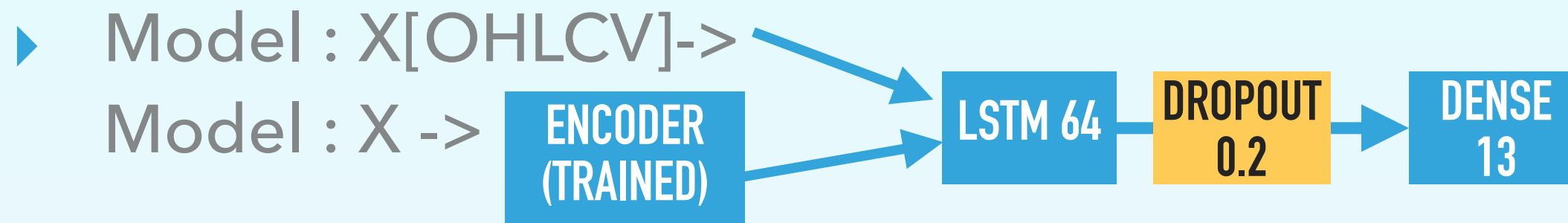


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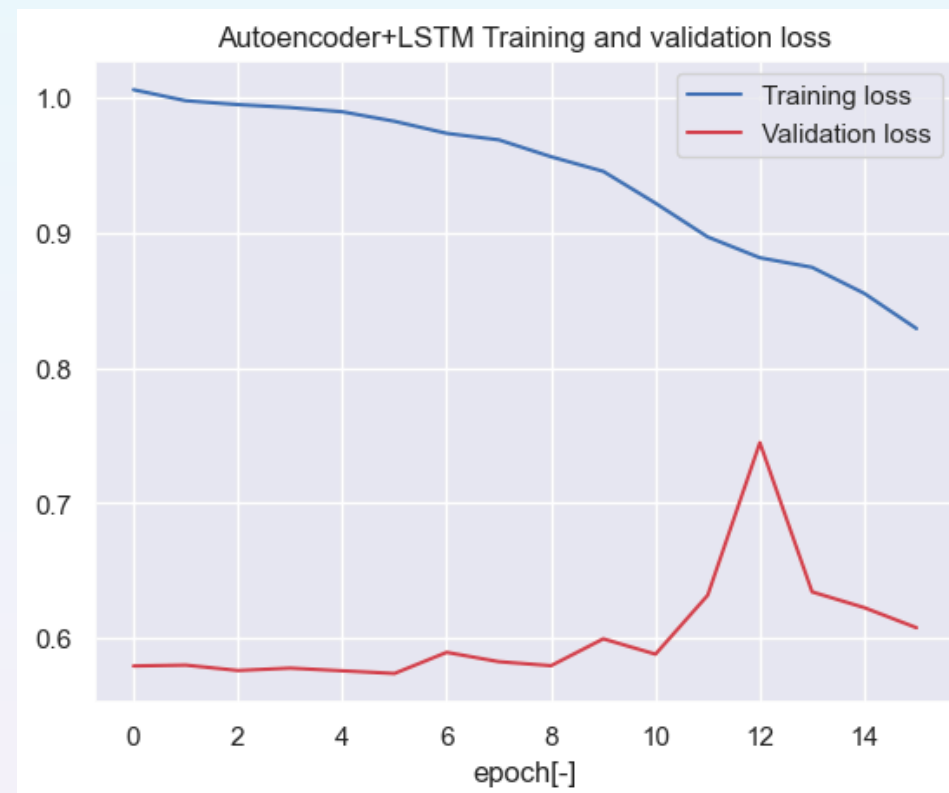


AUTOENCODER+LSTM : RESULTS

- ▶ A total of 5 Features [OHLCV] + X encoded (12) = 17



MSE ERROR



CONCLUSIONS

- ▶ Autoencoder useful without in deep exploration of data
 - ▶ need to be tuned more longer
 - ▶ seems to be better than classical LSTM
- ▶ LSTM model
 - ▶ always have good results
 - ▶ but not optimal

AXES OF IMPROVEMENT

- ▶ More past data
 - ▶ limited to 2 years with FREE API
- ▶ Try with TCN model (Temporal Convolutional Model)
 - ▶ better performance
 - ▶ because parallel computing possible
 - ▶ compare to RNN model
 - ▶ to use more past lags
- ▶ Explore data in deep (lack fo time)
 - ▶ to find max past lags to use to predict next 12 hours
 - ▶ Features importances : find most useful data to reduce input space
- ▶ **A lot of crash with my Apple M1 !!!**

