# Carrie\_Little\_AAI\_500\_FinalProject

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## 1 Risk Parity - Opportunity dataset

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### 1.0.1 Import Necessary Libraries

```
[1]: # Import necessary libraries
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import scipy.stats as stats
import seaborn as sns
```

### 1.0.2 Load Opportunity Dataset

```
[2]: df = pd.read_csv('Opportunity_Set.csv', parse_dates=['Date'], index_col='Date')
print(df.head())
```

```
Vanguard LifeStrategy Income Fund (VASIX)
Date
2014-11-30
                                                0.0094
                                               -0.0005
2014-12-31
2015-01-31
                                                0.0141
2015-02-28
                                                0.0033
2015-03-31
                                                0.0018
            Vanguard Total World Stock ETF (VT) \
Date
2014-11-30
                                          0.0126
2014-12-31
                                         -0.0199
2015-01-31
                                         -0.0163
2015-02-28
                                          0.0595
2015-03-31
                                         -0.0121
            PIMCO 25+ Year Zero Coupon US Trs ETF (ZROZ) \
Date
2014-11-30
                                                   0.0414
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2014-12-31
                                                   0.0612
2015-01-31
                                                   0.1600
2015-02-28
                                                  -0.1007
2015-03-31
                                                   0.0117
            AQR Diversified Arbitrage I (ADAIX) iShares Gold Trust (IAU) \
Date
2014-11-30
                                         -0.0066
                                                                    -0.0053
2014-12-31
                                         -0.0117
                                                                     0.0133
2015-01-31
                                         -0.0059
                                                                     0.0865
2015-02-28
                                          0.0069
                                                                    -0.0579
2015-03-31
                                          0.0000
                                                                    -0.0222
            Bitcoin Market Price USD (^BTC) \
Date
2014-11-30
                                      0.0969
2014-12-31
                                     -0.1777
2015-01-31
                                     -0.2677
2015-02-28
                                      0.1062
2015-03-31
                                     -0.0150
            AQR Risk-Balanced Commodities Strategy I (ARCIX) \
Date
2014-11-30
                                                       -0.0726
2014-12-31
                                                       -0.0412
2015-01-31
                                                       -0.0287
2015-02-28
                                                        0.0044
2015-03-31
                                                       -0.0573
            AQR Long-Short Equity I (QLEIX) \
Date
2014-11-30
                                      0.0248
2014-12-31
                                      0.0140
2015-01-31
                                      0.0156
2015-02-28
                                      0.0236
2015-03-31
                                     -0.0027
            AQR Style Premia Alternative I (QSPIX) \
Date
2014-11-30
                                             0.0412
                                             0.0002
2014-12-31
                                            -0.0112
2015-01-31
2015-02-28
                                            -0.0390
2015-03-31
                                             0.0256
            AQR Equity Market Neutral I (QMNIX) \
Date
2014-11-30
                                          0.0257
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2014-12-31
                                          0.0195
2015-01-31
                                          0.0290
2015-02-28
                                         -0.0078
2015-03-31
                                          0.0049
            AQR Macro Opportunities I (QGMIX) \
Date
2014-11-30
                                        0.0154
2014-12-31
                                        0.0039
2015-01-31
                                       -0.0070
2015-02-28
                                        0.0091
2015-03-31
                                        0.0261
            AGF U.S. Market Neutral Anti-Beta (BTAL) \
Date
                                               0.0235
2014-11-30
2014-12-31
                                               0.0294
2015-01-31
                                               0.0320
2015-02-28
                                              -0.0568
2015-03-31
                                               0.0000
            AQR Managed Futures Strategy HV I (QMHIX) \
Date
2014-11-30
                                                0.1159
2014-12-31
                                                0.0461
2015-01-31
                                                0.0721
2015-02-28
                                               -0.0108
2015-03-31
                                                0.0655
            Invesco DB US Dollar Bullish (UUP) \
Date
2014-11-30
                                         0.0165
2014-12-31
                                         0.0213
2015-01-31
                                         0.0484
2015-02-28
                                         0.0028
2015-03-31
                                         0.0278
            ProShares VIX Mid-Term Futures (VIXM)
Date
2014-11-30
                                           -0.0298
2014-12-31
                                            0.0553
2015-01-31
                                            0.0762
2015-02-28
                                           -0.1145
2015-03-31
                                            0.0033
```

#### 1.0.3 Dataframe Info

```
[3]: # General information about the dataset df.info()
```

<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>

DatetimeIndex: 118 entries, 2014-11-30 to 2024-08-31

Data columns (total 15 columns):

#	Column	Non-Null Count	Dtype
0	Vanguard LifeStrategy Income Fund (VASIX)	118 non-null	float64
1	Vanguard Total World Stock ETF (VT)	118 non-null	float64
2	PIMCO 25+ Year Zero Coupon US Trs ETF (ZROZ)	118 non-null	float64
3	AQR Diversified Arbitrage I (ADAIX)	118 non-null	float64
4	iShares Gold Trust (IAU)	118 non-null	float64
5	Bitcoin Market Price USD (^BTC)	118 non-null	float64
6	AQR Risk-Balanced Commodities Strategy I (ARCIX)	118 non-null	float64
7	AQR Long-Short Equity I (QLEIX)	118 non-null	float64
8	AQR Style Premia Alternative I (QSPIX)	118 non-null	float64
9	AQR Equity Market Neutral I (QMNIX)	118 non-null	float64
10	AQR Macro Opportunities I (QGMIX)	118 non-null	float64
11	AGF U.S. Market Neutral Anti-Beta (BTAL)	118 non-null	float64
12	AQR Managed Futures Strategy HV I (QMHIX)	118 non-null	float64
13	Invesco DB US Dollar Bullish (UUP)	118 non-null	float64
14	ProShares VIX Mid-Term Futures (VIXM)	118 non-null	float64
dtypes: float64(15)			

dtypes: float64(15) memory usage: 14.8 KB

std

## 1.0.4 Descriptive statistics

```
[4]: # Descriptive statistics
summary_stats = df.describe()
summary_stats
```

```
Vanguard LifeStrategy Income Fund (VASIX)
[4]:
                                            118.000000
     count
    mean
                                              0.002883
     std
                                              0.016261
    min
                                             -0.049200
    25%
                                             -0.002900
     50%
                                              0.004700
     75%
                                              0.009700
                                              0.050400
    max
            Vanguard Total World Stock ETF (VT)
                                      118.000000
     count
    mean
                                        0.008376
```

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min
                                   -0.147600
25%
                                   -0.018850
50%
                                    0.012250
75%
                                    0.030525
                                    0.123700
max
       PIMCO 25+ Year Zero Coupon US Trs ETF (ZROZ)
                                           118.000000
count
                                             0.001381
mean
std
                                             0.060799
min
                                            -0.134300
25%
                                            -0.041300
50%
                                             0.000800
75%
                                             0.037725
                                             0.175900
max
                                              iShares Gold Trust (IAU)
       AQR Diversified Arbitrage I (ADAIX)
                                  118.000000
                                                             118.000000
count
mean
                                    0.004370
                                                               0.007036
std
                                    0.016923
                                                               0.040440
min
                                                              -0.083600
                                   -0.081500
25%
                                   -0.003275
                                                              -0.019725
50%
                                    0.004300
                                                              -0.000400
75%
                                                               0.029250
                                    0.009775
                                    0.074300
                                                               0.112200
max
       Bitcoin Market Price USD (^BTC)
                             118.000000
count
mean
                               0.066718
std
                               0.221176
min
                              -0.406000
25%
                              -0.080100
50%
                               0.046800
75%
                               0.182350
                               0.720000
max
       AQR Risk-Balanced Commodities Strategy I (ARCIX)
count
                                               118.000000
mean
                                                 0.005475
std
                                                 0.046905
min
                                                -0.144200
25%
                                                -0.022500
50%
                                                 0.001600
75%
                                                 0.039500
                                                 0.121700
max
       AQR Long-Short Equity I (QLEIX) \
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118.000000
count
                               0.008895
mean
std
                               0.033046
min
                              -0.082100
25%
                              -0.010925
50%
                               0.009150
75%
                               0.025425
max
                               0.115800
       AQR Style Premia Alternative I (QSPIX)
                                     118.000000
count
mean
                                       0.005400
std
                                       0.038787
min
                                      -0.078100
25%
                                      -0.014750
50%
                                       0.000000
75%
                                       0.017450
                                       0.140800
max
       AQR Equity Market Neutral I (QMNIX)
                                              AQR Macro Opportunities I (QGMIX)
                                  118.000000
                                                                       118.000000
count
                                    0.005330
                                                                         0.002896
mean
std
                                    0.028727
                                                                         0.021807
min
                                   -0.061400
                                                                        -0.071200
25%
                                   -0.010275
                                                                        -0.008550
50%
                                    0.001550
                                                                         0.002150
75%
                                    0.020950
                                                                         0.015050
                                    0.110700
                                                                         0.066800
max
       AGF U.S. Market Neutral Anti-Beta (BTAL)
                                       118.000000
count
                                         0.001880
mean
std
                                         0.042857
min
                                        -0.149600
25%
                                        -0.021775
50%
                                        -0.000650
75%
                                         0.026825
                                         0.094800
max
       AQR Managed Futures Strategy HV I (QMHIX)
count
                                        118.000000
mean
                                          0.003564
std
                                          0.047422
min
                                         -0.088500
25%
                                         -0.030075
50%
                                         -0.001050
75%
                                          0.036000
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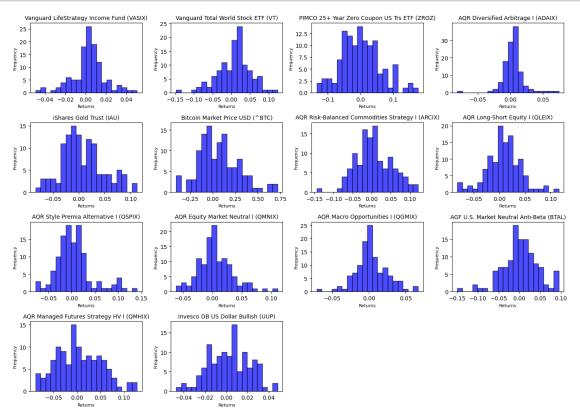
max 0.127500

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Invesco DB US Dollar Bullish (UUP)
                                     118.000000
     count
                                       0.002768
    mean
     std
                                       0.019131
    min
                                      -0.047300
     25%
                                      -0.013000
     50%
                                       0.004000
     75%
                                       0.016425
     max
                                       0.048400
            ProShares VIX Mid-Term Futures (VIXM)
     count
                                        118.000000
                                         -0.008486
     mean
     std
                                          0.093629
    min
                                         -0.180100
     25%
                                         -0.059250
     50%
                                         -0.018150
     75%
                                          0.020825
     max
                                          0.628900
[5]: mean_stats = df.mean()
     mean_stats
[5]: Vanguard LifeStrategy Income Fund (VASIX)
                                                           0.002883
     Vanguard Total World Stock ETF (VT)
                                                           0.008376
     PIMCO 25+ Year Zero Coupon US Trs ETF (ZROZ)
                                                           0.001381
     AQR Diversified Arbitrage I (ADAIX)
                                                           0.004370
     iShares Gold Trust (IAU)
                                                           0.007036
     Bitcoin Market Price USD (^BTC)
                                                           0.066718
     AQR Risk-Balanced Commodities Strategy I (ARCIX)
                                                           0.005475
     AQR Long-Short Equity I (QLEIX)
                                                           0.008895
     AQR Style Premia Alternative I (QSPIX)
                                                           0.005400
     AQR Equity Market Neutral I (QMNIX)
                                                           0.005330
     AQR Macro Opportunities I (QGMIX)
                                                           0.002896
     AGF U.S. Market Neutral Anti-Beta (BTAL)
                                                           0.001880
     AQR Managed Futures Strategy HV I (QMHIX)
                                                          0.003564
     Invesco DB US Dollar Bullish (UUP)
                                                           0.002768
     ProShares VIX Mid-Term Futures (VIXM)
                                                         -0.008486
     dtype: float64
[6]: median_stats = df.median()
     median_stats
[6]: Vanguard LifeStrategy Income Fund (VASIX)
                                                           0.00470
     Vanguard Total World Stock ETF (VT)
                                                           0.01225
```

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PIMCO 25+ Year Zero Coupon US Trs ETF (ZROZ)
                                                          0.00080
     AQR Diversified Arbitrage I (ADAIX)
                                                          0.00430
     iShares Gold Trust (IAU)
                                                         -0.00040
     Bitcoin Market Price USD (^BTC)
                                                          0.04680
     AQR Risk-Balanced Commodities Strategy I (ARCIX)
                                                          0.00160
     AQR Long-Short Equity I (QLEIX)
                                                          0.00915
     AQR Style Premia Alternative I (QSPIX)
                                                          0.00000
     AQR Equity Market Neutral I (QMNIX)
                                                          0.00155
     AQR Macro Opportunities I (QGMIX)
                                                         0.00215
     AGF U.S. Market Neutral Anti-Beta (BTAL)
                                                         -0.00065
     AQR Managed Futures Strategy HV I (QMHIX)
                                                         -0.00105
     Invesco DB US Dollar Bullish (UUP)
                                                         0.00400
     ProShares VIX Mid-Term Futures (VIXM)
                                                         -0.01815
     dtype: float64
[7]: standard_dev = df.std()
     standard_dev
[7]: Vanguard LifeStrategy Income Fund (VASIX)
                                                          0.016261
     Vanguard Total World Stock ETF (VT)
                                                          0.043483
     PIMCO 25+ Year Zero Coupon US Trs ETF (ZROZ)
                                                          0.060799
     AQR Diversified Arbitrage I (ADAIX)
                                                          0.016923
     iShares Gold Trust (IAU)
                                                          0.040440
     Bitcoin Market Price USD (^BTC)
                                                          0.221176
     AQR Risk-Balanced Commodities Strategy I (ARCIX)
                                                          0.046905
     AQR Long-Short Equity I (QLEIX)
                                                          0.033046
     AQR Style Premia Alternative I (QSPIX)
                                                          0.038787
     AQR Equity Market Neutral I (QMNIX)
                                                          0.028727
     AQR Macro Opportunities I (QGMIX)
                                                         0.021807
     AGF U.S. Market Neutral Anti-Beta (BTAL)
                                                         0.042857
     AQR Managed Futures Strategy HV I (QMHIX)
                                                          0.047422
     Invesco DB US Dollar Bullish (UUP)
                                                         0.019131
     ProShares VIX Mid-Term Futures (VIXM)
                                                          0.093629
     dtype: float64
[8]: from scipy.stats import skew, kurtosis
     skewness = skew(df)
     kurt = kurtosis(df)
     print("Skewness:", skewness)
     print("Kurtosis:", kurt)
    Skewness: [-0.24060251 -0.42602365 0.37862641 0.08922212 0.37434495
    0.59998234
      0.1050147
                  0.01608962 1.01559856 0.63732222 0.10293821 -0.3658655
      0.29453939 -0.07962696 2.86908603]
    Kurtosis: [ 1.47266421  0.92861904  0.26255678  8.08371487 -0.11338543
```

```
0.07823431 1.16242792 1.69763607 1.28244005 1.16948861 0.91320915 -0.30386081 -0.33754021 17.09732061]
```

#### 1.0.5 Histogram

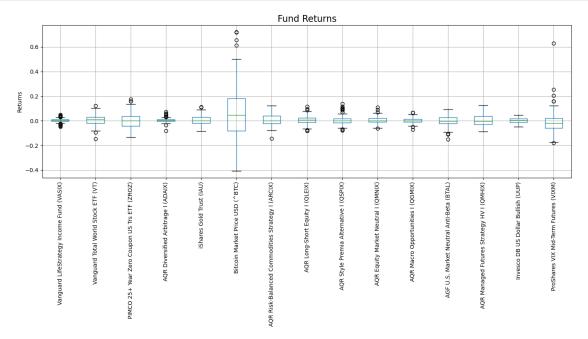


### 1.0.6 Boxplot

```
[10]: # Create a box plot
plt.figure(figsize=(14, 8))

df.boxplot()
plt.title('Fund Returns', fontsize=16)
plt.ylabel('Returns')
plt.xticks(rotation=90)
plt.grid(True)

# Show the plot
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```

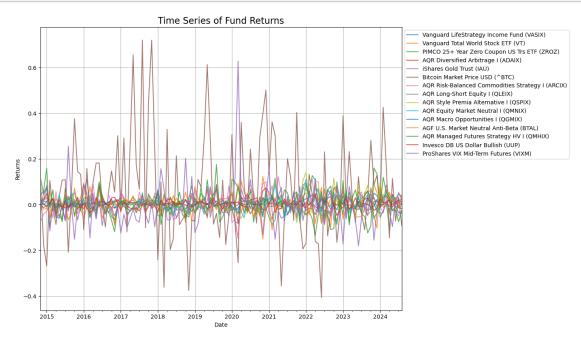


#### 1.0.7 Time Series

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[11]: # Plot time series for all funds
plt.figure(figsize=(14, 8))

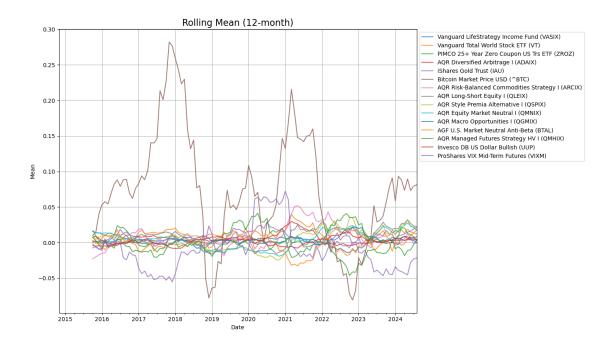
df.plot(ax=plt.gca(), legend=False, alpha=0.8)
plt.title('Time Series of Fund Returns', fontsize=16)
plt.xlabel('Date')
plt.ylabel('Returns')
plt.grid(True)
plt.legend(loc='upper left', bbox_to_anchor=(1, 1))
```

```
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```



```
[12]: # Rolling mean
    rolling_mean = df.rolling(window=12).mean()

plt.figure(figsize=(14, 8))
    rolling_mean.plot(ax=plt.gca(), legend=False, alpha=0.8)
    plt.title('Rolling Mean (12-month)', fontsize=16)
    plt.xlabel('Date')
    plt.ylabel('Mean')
    plt.grid(True)
    plt.legend(loc='upper left', bbox_to_anchor=(1, 1))
    plt.tight_layout()
    plt.show()
```



#### 1.0.8 Correlation Matrix

```
[13]: # Calculate the correlation matrix between the different funds correlation_matrix = df.corr() correlation_matrix
```

Vanguard LifeStrategy Income

[13]:
Fund (VASIX) \

Vanguard LifeStrategy Income Fund (VASIX)

1.000000

Vanguard Total World Stock ETF (VT)

0.797772

PIMCO 25+ Year Zero Coupon US Trs ETF (ZROZ)

0.619699

AQR Diversified Arbitrage I (ADAIX)

0.393475

iShares Gold Trust (IAU)

0.367826

Bitcoin Market Price USD (^BTC)

0.287900

AQR Risk-Balanced Commodities Strategy I (ARCIX)

0.247432

AQR Long-Short Equity I (QLEIX)

0.219485

AQR Style Premia Alternative I (QSPIX)

-0.156694

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AQR Equity Market Neutral I (QMNIX)
-0.231995
AQR Macro Opportunities I (QGMIX)
-0.353287
AGF U.S. Market Neutral Anti-Beta (BTAL)
-0.396115
AQR Managed Futures Strategy HV I (QMHIX)
-0.431737
Invesco DB US Dollar Bullish (UUP)
-0.511921
ProShares VIX Mid-Term Futures (VIXM)
-0.485680
                                                   Vanguard Total World Stock ETF
(TV) \
Vanguard LifeStrategy Income Fund (VASIX)
0.797772
Vanguard Total World Stock ETF (VT)
1.000000
PIMCO 25+ Year Zero Coupon US Trs ETF (ZROZ)
0.109775
AQR Diversified Arbitrage I (ADAIX)
0.514891
iShares Gold Trust (IAU)
0.136955
Bitcoin Market Price USD (^BTC)
0.324214
AQR Risk-Balanced Commodities Strategy I (ARCIX)
0.477805
AQR Long-Short Equity I (QLEIX)
0.460751
AQR Style Premia Alternative I (QSPIX)
0.007711
AQR Equity Market Neutral I (QMNIX)
-0.139991
AQR Macro Opportunities I (QGMIX)
-0.080182
AGF U.S. Market Neutral Anti-Beta (BTAL)
-0.640102
AQR Managed Futures Strategy HV I (QMHIX)
-0.343223
Invesco DB US Dollar Bullish (UUP)
-0.495324
ProShares VIX Mid-Term Futures (VIXM)
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-0.718278

PIMCO 25+ Year Zero Coupon US

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Trs ETF (ZROZ) \
Vanguard LifeStrategy Income Fund (VASIX)
0.619699
Vanguard Total World Stock ETF (VT)
0.109775
PIMCO 25+ Year Zero Coupon US Trs ETF (ZROZ)
1.000000
AQR Diversified Arbitrage I (ADAIX)
-0.008409
iShares Gold Trust (IAU)
0.419812
Bitcoin Market Price USD (^BTC)
0.083288
AQR Risk-Balanced Commodities Strategy I (ARCIX)
-0.150134
AQR Long-Short Equity I (QLEIX)
-0.202543
AQR Style Premia Alternative I (QSPIX)
-0.287704
AQR Equity Market Neutral I (QMNIX)
-0.238885
AQR Macro Opportunities I (QGMIX)
-0.322309
AGF U.S. Market Neutral Anti-Beta (BTAL)
0.119725
AQR Managed Futures Strategy HV I (QMHIX)
-0.114056
Invesco DB US Dollar Bullish (UUP)
-0.225970
ProShares VIX Mid-Term Futures (VIXM)
0.064462
                                                   AQR Diversified Arbitrage I
(ADAIX) \
Vanguard LifeStrategy Income Fund (VASIX)
0.393475
Vanguard Total World Stock ETF (VT)
0.514891
PIMCO 25+ Year Zero Coupon US Trs ETF (ZROZ)
-0.008409
AQR Diversified Arbitrage I (ADAIX)
1.000000
iShares Gold Trust (IAU)
0.036317
Bitcoin Market Price USD (^BTC)
0.277072
AQR Risk-Balanced Commodities Strategy I (ARCIX)
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0.439992
AQR Long-Short Equity I (QLEIX)
0.085852
AQR Style Premia Alternative I (QSPIX)
-0.100675
AQR Equity Market Neutral I (QMNIX)
-0.231412
AQR Macro Opportunities I (QGMIX)
0.115521
AGF U.S. Market Neutral Anti-Beta (BTAL)
-0.489470
AQR Managed Futures Strategy HV I (QMHIX)
-0.214968
Invesco DB US Dollar Bullish (UUP)
-0.274885
ProShares VIX Mid-Term Futures (VIXM)
-0.345754
                                                   iShares Gold Trust (IAU) \
Vanguard LifeStrategy Income Fund (VASIX)
                                                                   0.367826
Vanguard Total World Stock ETF (VT)
                                                                   0.136955
PIMCO 25+ Year Zero Coupon US Trs ETF (ZROZ)
                                                                   0.419812
AQR Diversified Arbitrage I (ADAIX)
                                                                   0.036317
iShares Gold Trust (IAU)
                                                                   1.000000
Bitcoin Market Price USD (^BTC)
                                                                   0.089561
AQR Risk-Balanced Commodities Strategy I (ARCIX)
                                                                   0.380276
AQR Long-Short Equity I (QLEIX)
                                                                   0.033452
AQR Style Premia Alternative I (QSPIX)
                                                                  -0.152538
AQR Equity Market Neutral I (QMNIX)
                                                                  -0.013239
AQR Macro Opportunities I (QGMIX)
                                                                  -0.158983
AGF U.S. Market Neutral Anti-Beta (BTAL)
                                                                   0.165409
AQR Managed Futures Strategy HV I (QMHIX)
                                                                   0.058928
Invesco DB US Dollar Bullish (UUP)
                                                                  -0.458180
ProShares VIX Mid-Term Futures (VIXM)
                                                                   0.099998
                                                   Bitcoin Market Price USD
(^BTC) \
Vanguard LifeStrategy Income Fund (VASIX)
0.287900
Vanguard Total World Stock ETF (VT)
0.324214
PIMCO 25+ Year Zero Coupon US Trs ETF (ZROZ)
AQR Diversified Arbitrage I (ADAIX)
0.277072
iShares Gold Trust (IAU)
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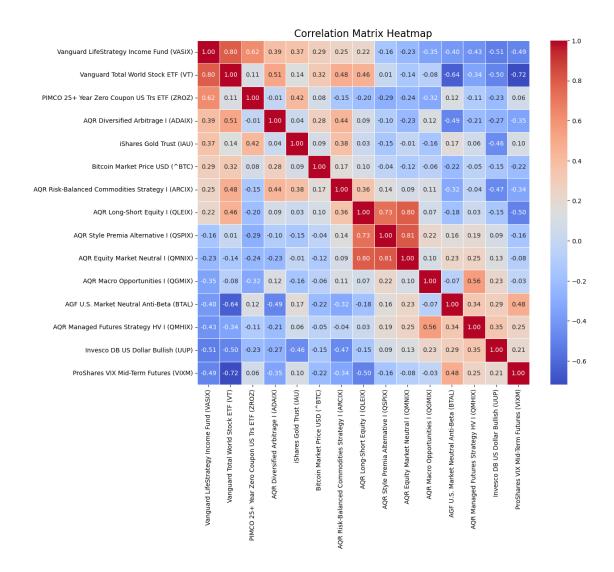
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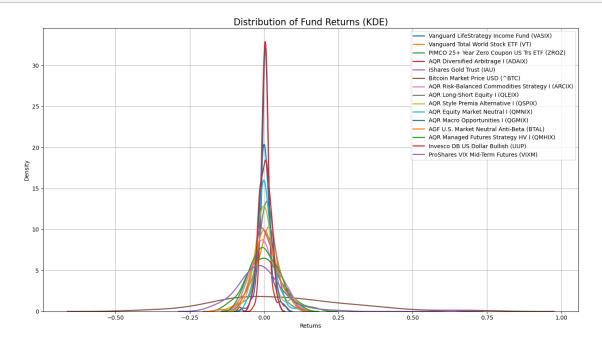
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[14]: # Visualize the correlation matrix using a heatmap
      import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
      import seaborn as sns
      plt.figure(figsize=(12, 10))
      sns.heatmap(correlation_matrix, annot=True, cmap='coolwarm', fmt='.2f',__
       ⇒linewidths=0.5)
      plt.title('Correlation Matrix Heatmap', fontsize=16)
      plt.show()
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ProShares VIX Mid-Term Futures (VIXM)



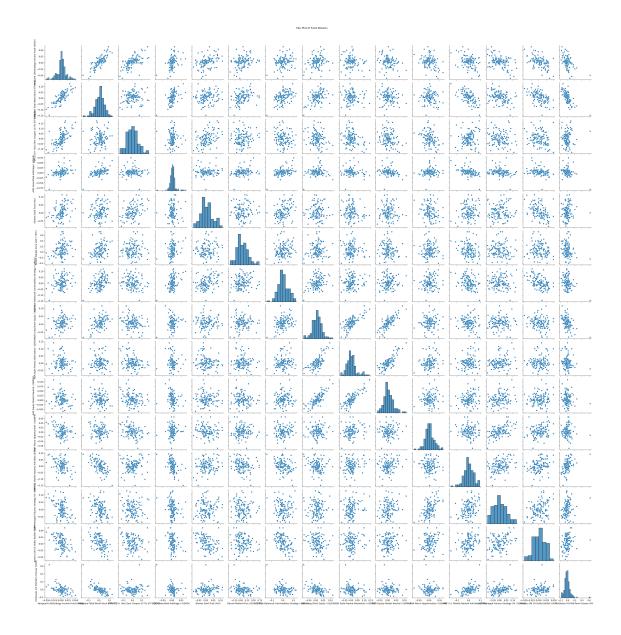
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## plt.show()



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[16]: # Create a pair plot for the dataset to visualize relationships between funds
import seaborn as sns

pairplot_df = df
    sns.pairplot(pairplot_df)
    plt.suptitle("Pair Plot of Fund Returns", y=1.02)
    plt.show()
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Key Elements of a Pair Plot: Scatter Plots (Off-Diagonal): Each scatter plot shows the relationship between two different funds. Each point represents an observation (a time point) with the return of one fund on the x-axis and the return of another fund on the y-axis.

Linear Relationships: A clear upward or downward trend indicates a positive or negative correlation, respectively, between the returns of two funds. No Pattern: If the points are scattered without any clear direction, this implies little or no correlation between the two funds. Clusters: Visible clusters or groupings of points may indicate different regimes or types of behavior in the data (e.g., periods of high/low returns). Histograms (Diagonal): The diagonal plots show the distribution of returns for each fund individually. These are histograms (or sometimes density plots), allowing you to assess the shape of the distribution.

Normal Distribution: If the histogram is bell-shaped, the returns of the fund are approximately

normally distributed. Skewness: If the histogram leans to the left or right, the returns are skewed. Spread: The width of the histogram indicates the variability or volatility of the returns. A wide histogram suggests higher variability (volatility) in returns. Interpreting Scatter Plots: Positive Correlation: If the points in the scatter plot form an upward-sloping line, it indicates that when the return of one fund increases, the return of the other tends to increase as well. The stronger the correlation, the tighter the points will cluster along the line.

Example: If two funds are positively correlated, investing in both may not diversify risk because their performance moves together.

Negative Correlation: A downward-sloping line means the two funds are negatively correlated, where one increases while the other decreases. This can be a sign that the two funds might hedge each other.

Example: If one fund tends to gain when another loses, holding both may reduce portfolio risk.

No Correlation: A random scatter of points with no discernible pattern suggests no relationship between the two funds.

Interpreting Histograms (Diagonal): Symmetry: Symmetrical histograms show that the returns are balanced around the mean (close to normal distribution). Skewness: Right Skewed (Positive Skew): Most of the returns are concentrated on the left side, with a long tail on the right. This indicates occasional large gains. Left Skewed (Negative Skew): Most returns are concentrated on the right side, with a long tail on the left, indicating occasional large losses. Kurtosis (Fat Tails): If the histogram has high peaks and fat tails, it suggests the presence of extreme values, meaning the fund might experience rare but large fluctuations in returns.

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