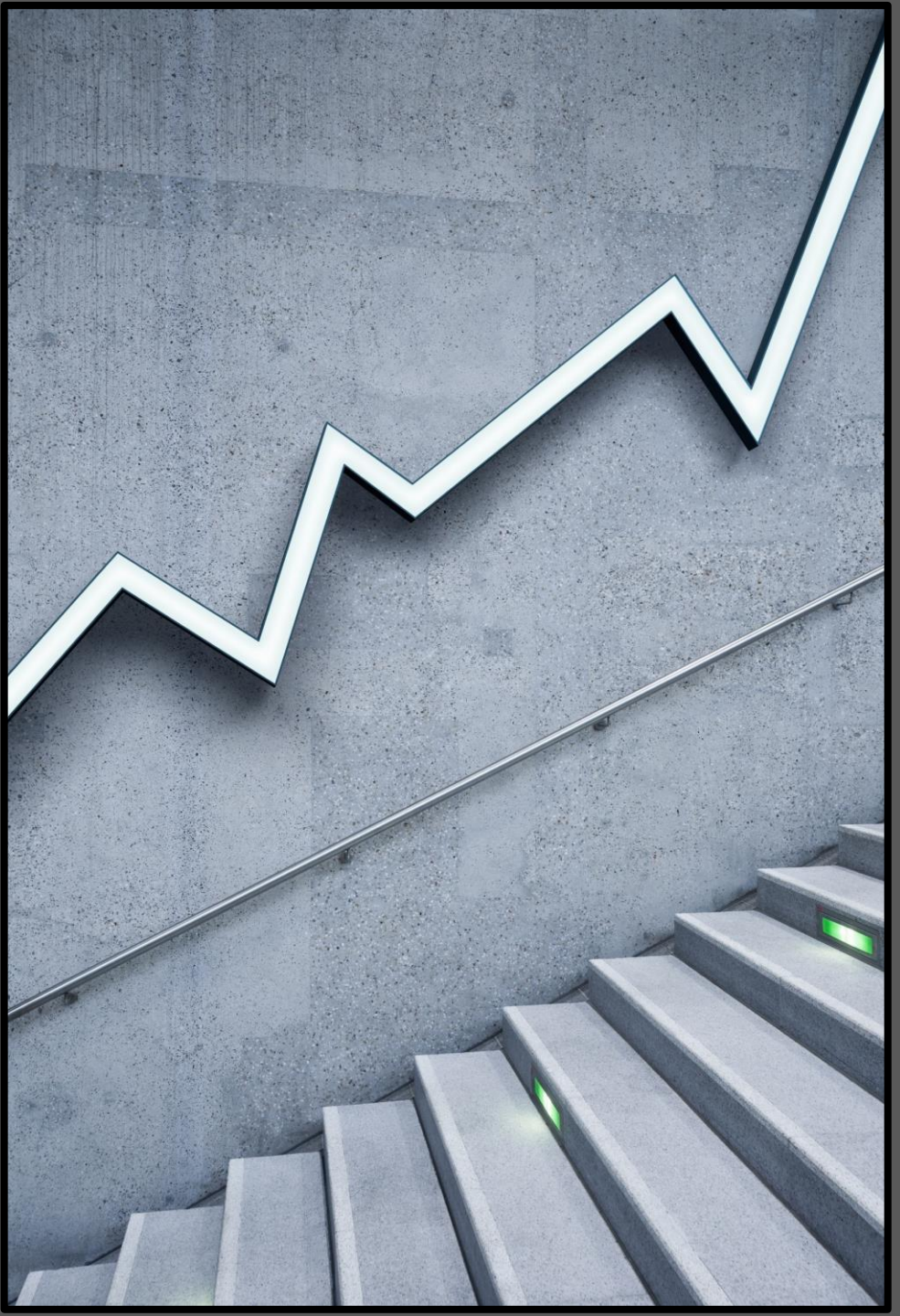

Generating S&P 500 Futures with Machine Learning

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DATA 602: Term Project (12/14/2021)

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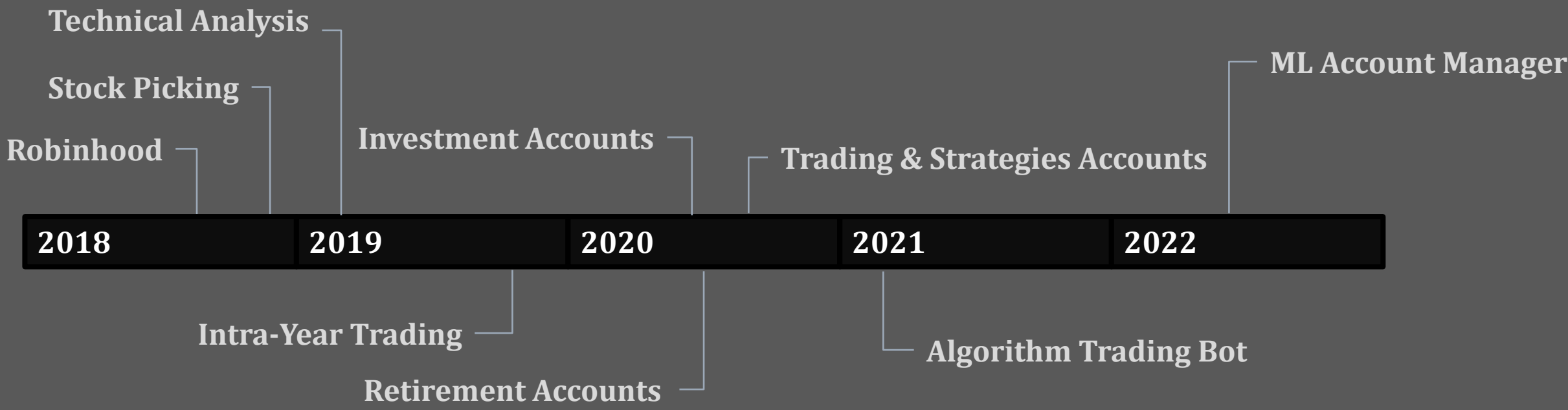


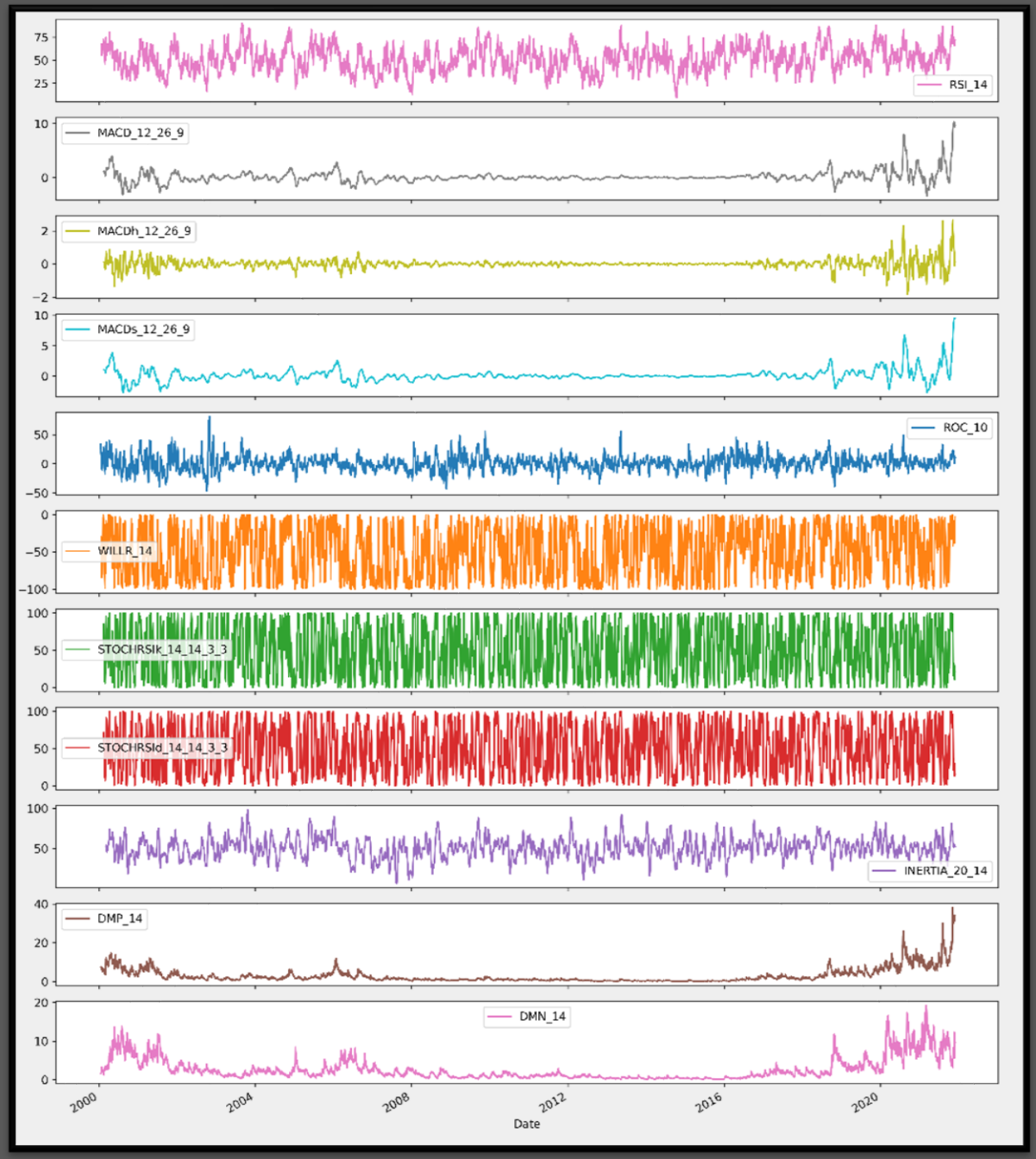
Motivation: Investment Journey

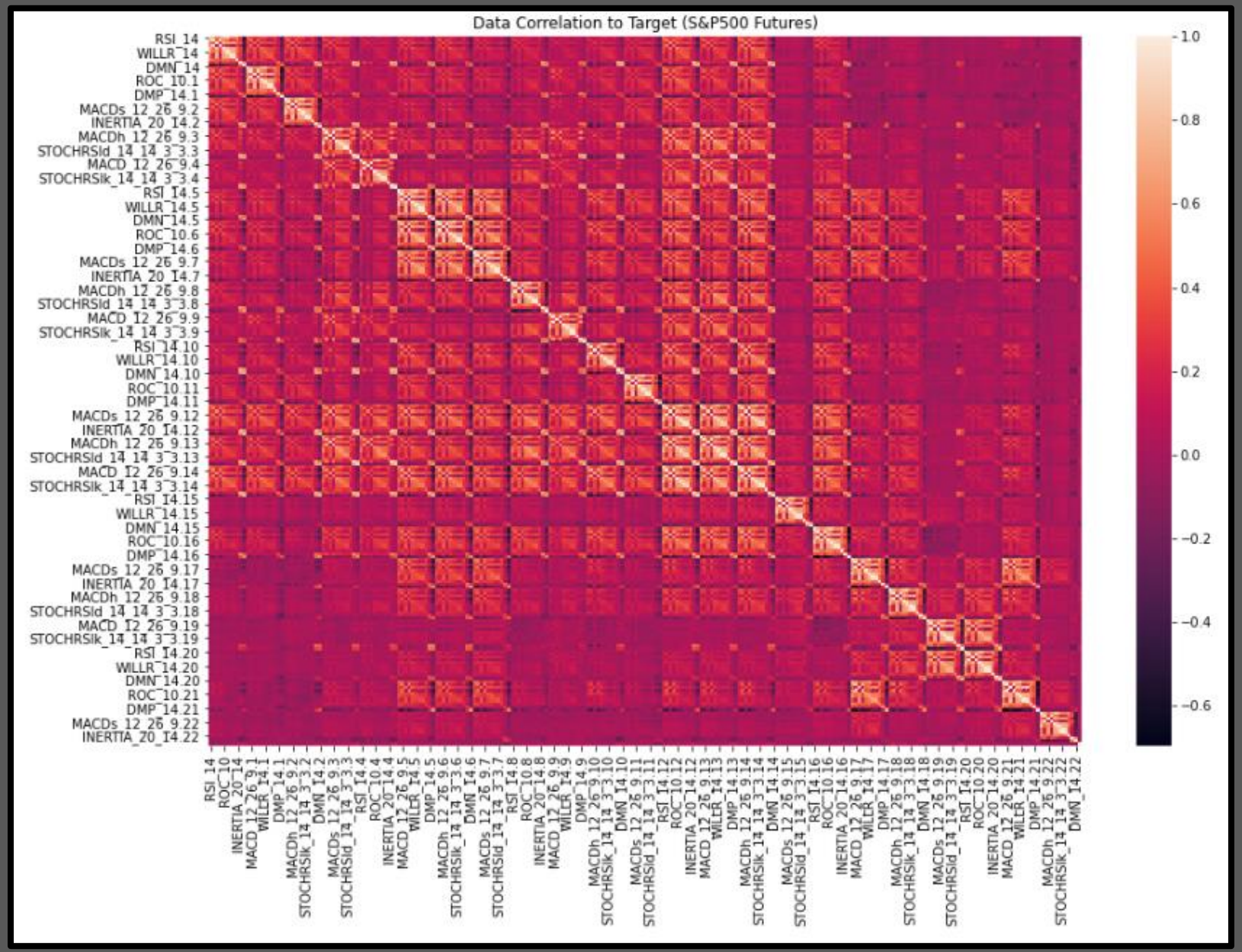
Hypothesis:

An ensemble model trained on handpicked momentum indicators from selective stocks, indices, and commodities futures may yield sufficient results in predicting S&P 500 futures.

- **Price has too much noise!**
  - **Its not repeatable**
  - **Varying Scales**

- **Momentum Oscillators**
  - **Repeatable!**
  - **Scaled!**



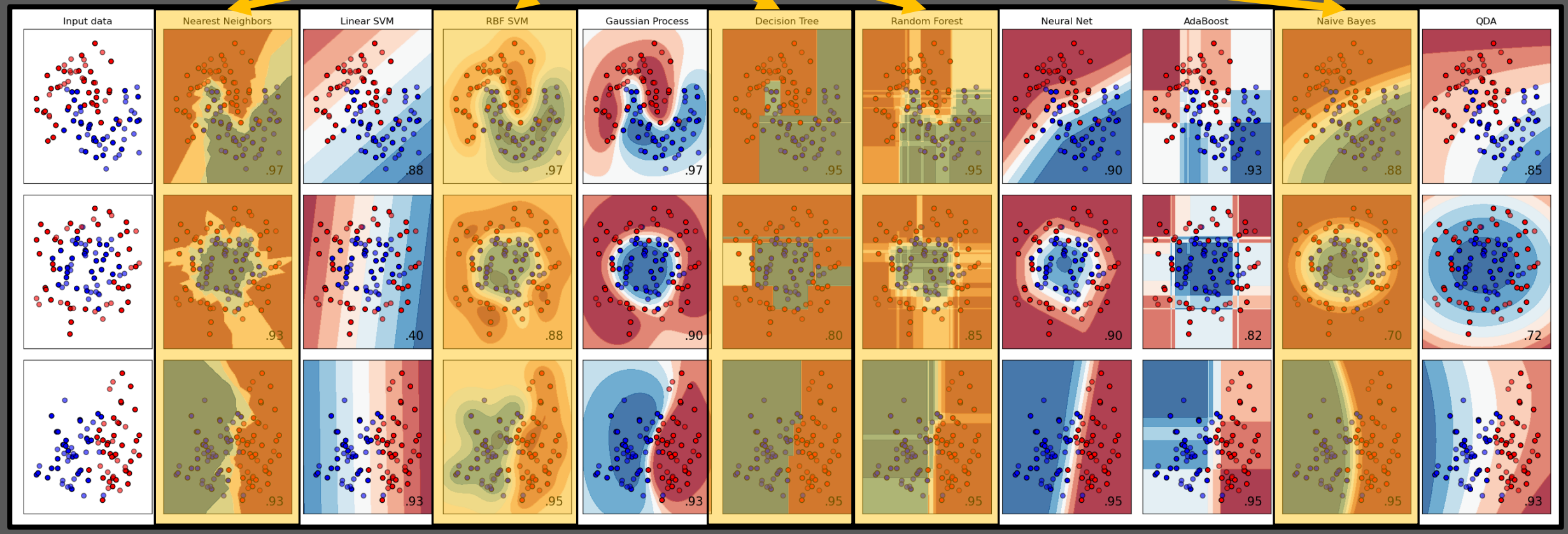


- No Multi-collinearity!
- Low Correlations
- 253 features
- Ignore the names as the repeat.
- The Target feature is the last column, and row
- Built using pandas-ta

$$Target = \begin{cases} 1 \; if \; \left\{ \dfrac{EMA(S\&P500)_{i+30} - EMA(S\&P500)_i}{EMA(S\&P500)_i} \right\} > 0.01 \\ -1 \; if \; \left\{ \dfrac{EMA(S\&P500)_{i+30} - EMA(S\&P500)_i}{EMA(S\&P500)_i} \right\} < -0.01 \\ 0 \; if \; else \end{cases}$$

- EMA is smooth!
- 3 Classes [-1, 0, 1]
- 10% Tolerance build in!

Models Evaluated



https://scikit-learn.org/stable/auto_examples/classification/plot_classifier_comparison.html#sphx-glr-auto-examples-classification-plot-classifier-comparison-py

- Support Vector Machine Classifier (SVC)
- RBF Scored 98% on training

```
from sklearn.metrics import classification_report
y_pred = svm.predict(X_test)
print(classification_report(y_test, y_pred))
```

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
-1.0	0.97	0.95	0.96	312
0.0	0.90	0.91	0.91	253
1.0	0.98	0.99	0.98	683
accuracy			0.96	1248
macro avg	0.95	0.95	0.95	1248
weighted avg	0.96	0.96	0.96	1248

- 4-Nearest Neighbors (KNN)
- Scored 99% on training

```
from sklearn.metrics import classification_report
y_pred = knn_results.predict(X_test)
print(classification_report(y_test, y_pred))
```

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
-1.0	0.96	0.95	0.96	312
0.0	0.87	0.90	0.88	253
1.0	0.98	0.98	0.98	683
accuracy			0.95	1248
macro avg	0.94	0.94	0.94	1248
weighted avg	0.95	0.95	0.95	1248

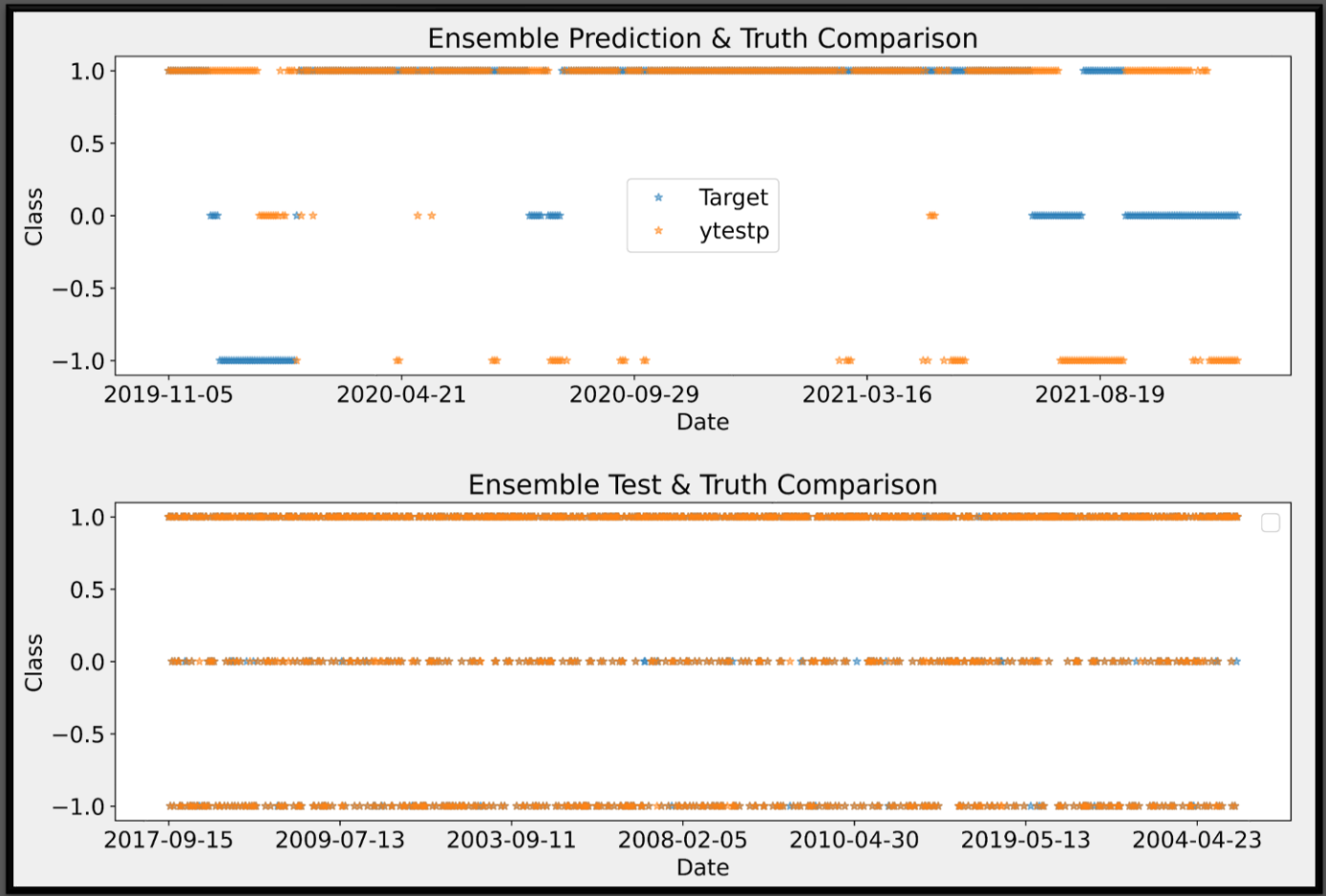
- Random Forest (RF)
- PCA: 20, Depth: 20
- Scored 96% on training

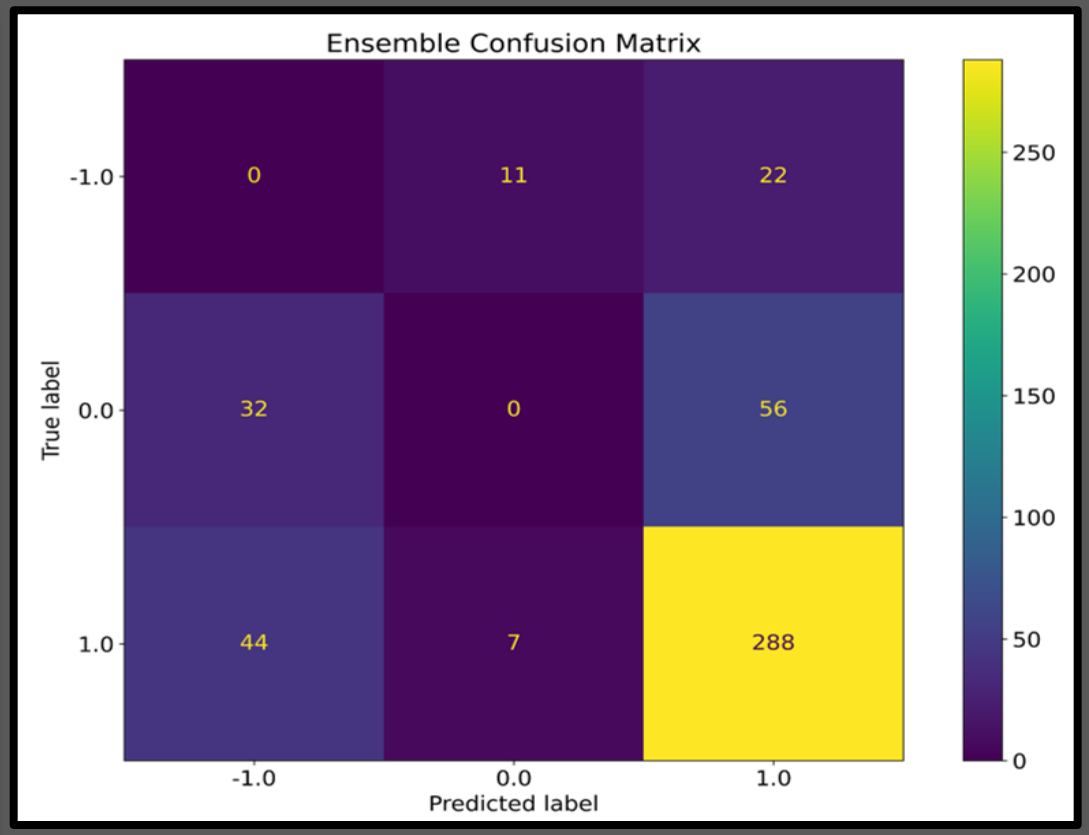
```
from sklearn.metrics import classification_report
print(classification_report(y_test, y_testp))
```

```
Validation score: 96.49%
Test score: 98.13%
```

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
-1.0	0.97	0.86	0.91	312
0.0	0.91	0.68	0.78	253
1.0	0.86	0.99	0.92	683
accuracy			0.89	1248
macro avg	0.91	0.84	0.87	1248
weighted avg	0.90	0.89	0.89	1248

Model Performance: SVM





- **The Ensemble seem pretty good at predicting increases in S&P500. Not surprising since the past year has been increasing.**
- **Testing on the "Past" Data was excellent at 96% while the test on "prediction" data was at 62%. Better than a coin toss!**

```
ytestp = en.predict(Xtest_ft)
ytestp_en = en.predict_proba(Xtest_ft)

print(f'Test score: {en.score(Xtest_ft, ytest_ft):.2%}')

from sklearn.metrics import classification_report
print(classification_report(ytest_ft, ytestp))
```

```
Test score: 62.61%
              precision    recall  f1-score   support

        -1.0       0.00      0.00      0.00        33
         0.0       0.00      0.00      0.00        88
         1.0       0.79      0.85      0.82       339

    accuracy                           0.63       460
   macro avg       0.26      0.28      0.27       460
weighted avg       0.58      0.63      0.60       460
```

```
y_testp = en.predict(X_test)
y_testp_en = en.predict_proba(X_test)

print(f'Test score: {en.score(X_test, y_test):.2%}')

from sklearn.metrics import classification_report
print(classification_report(y_test, y_testp))
```

```
Test score: 96.15%
              precision    recall  f1-score   support

        -1.0       0.97      0.96      0.96       312
         0.0       0.91      0.90      0.90       253
         1.0       0.98      0.99      0.98       683

    accuracy                           0.96      1248
   macro avg       0.95      0.95      0.95      1248
weighted avg       0.96      0.96      0.96      1248
```


Model Performance: Ensemble

A Soft Voting Ensemble Classification model comprised of an SVM, KNN, and RF was created to generate S&P 500 futures using handpicked! 62% of last few years.

- **Better than a coin toss!**
- **Simple Implementation!**
- **Excellent Learning Experience!**
- **<u>Next Steps!!!</u>**
  - **Needs more tuning on Dataset & Models...**
  - **Needs another thorough look through...**
  - **Conversion into something deployable**
  - **Train for 14-Day and 7-Day forecasts**