

BTC Price Movement Prediction

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Problem Statement

How may we predict the price movement of cryptocurrency based on various information?



In other words...

Whether the price of BTC will
rise or fall after a given day

Datasets



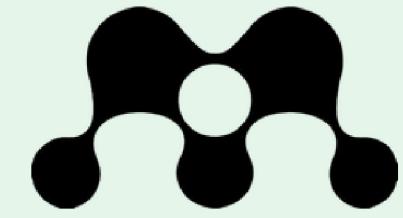
Yahoo Finance
via yfinance

BTC-USD
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Kaggle
Web scraped

Crypto News Articles



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Approach

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Attempt to study impact of different information on BTC prices

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Shortlist the most impactful models for consideration

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Exploration

Attempt to study impact of different information on BTC prices

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Exploration

Experimentation:

Output Calculation

Output for Day 1 = BTC-USD Closing Price Day 2

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BTC-USD Closing Price Day 1

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Exploration

Experimentation:

Try different combinations of features

S&P-Interest Rates

Technical
Indicators

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Exploration

Technical Indicators

What are technical indicators?

Using BTC-USD Data:

RSI_14 day

Speed and
magnitude of price
change

MACD

Moving average
convergence divergence
12-26 days periods

Signal strength of trend
or trend reversals)

**20-Day
Bollinger
Bands**

Volatility

Close - Open

High - Low

Exploration

Cryptocurrency Technical Indicators

Automated Feature Selection and Grid Search

1. Select n best features using SelectKBest

2. Pass these n features into the model, conduct grid search with cross-validation, select the best hyperparameters based on aggregated f1 score over k-folds

3. For the best estimator , print its hyperparameters ,features selected as well as scores

4. Repeat for different n (3 to max_number of feature columns in dataset)

Models Used

1. Adaboost

2. Random Forest

3. SVM (Poly & RBF Kernel)

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Exploration

Cryptocurrency Technical Indicators

Top 3 models

Model	Selected features	Hyperparameter	Backtest F1 score
SVM (Poly kernel)	'Open', 'High', 'Close', 'Adj Close', 'Volume', 'RSI_14', 'macd', 'macd_signal', 'BB_middle', 'BB_lower', 'Close- Open', 'High-Low', 'OBV', 'BB_height'	{'svm_C': 10, 'svm_coef0': 1.0, 'svm_degree': 4}	0.70
SVM (RBF kernel)	'Open', 'High', 'Close', 'Adj Close', 'Volume', 'RSI_14', 'macd', 'macd_signal', 'BB_lower', 'High-Low', 'OBV', 'BB_height'	{'svm_C': 0.1, 'svm_coef0': 0.0, 'svm_degree': 4}	0.60
Random Forest	'Open', 'High', 'Close', 'Adj Close', 'Volume', 'RSI_14', 'macd', 'macd_signal', 'BB_upper', 'BB_middle', 'BB_lower', 'Close-Open', 'High-Low', 'OBV', 'BB_height'	{'RF_max_depth': 10, 'RF_min_samples_leaf': 2, 'RF_min_samples_split': 5, 'RF_n_estimators': 50}	0.58

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Exploration

News and BTC-USD

Approach

Try to predict the price movement based on news sentiment and polarity

Extend prediction to using News article

Models Used

1. Logistic Regression

2. Neural Network

Dataset merged

	Date	Close	price_change	next_day_close_increased	sentiment_polarity	sentiment_subjectivity
0	2021-10-12	56041.058594	-1360.039062	0	0.16	0.50
1	2021-10-15	61593.949219	701.769531	1	0.00	0.00
2	2021-10-18	62026.078125	-2235.914063	0	0.14	0.45
3	2021-10-19	64261.992188	-1730.843750	0	0.10	0.40
4	2021-10-27	58482.386719	-2139.750000	0	0.00	0.00
...
30963	2023-12-18	42623.539063	353.011719	1	0.00	0.00
30964	2023-12-18	42623.539063	353.011719	1	0.00	0.10
30965	2023-12-18	42623.539063	353.011719	1	-0.40	0.69
30966	2023-12-18	42623.539063	353.011719	1	-0.10	0.37
30967	2023-12-18	42623.539063	353.011719	1	0.20	0.53

30968 rows × 6 columns

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Exploration

News and BTC-USD

Models Used

Logistic Regression with Sentiment

Selected features:

Sentiment_polarity|Sentiment_subjectivity

Output:

Class of 0 or 1

- Performed undersampling and oversampling

Test Accuracy: 0.48

Test Classification Report:

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.61	0.44	0.51	959
1	0.37	0.55	0.44	590
accuracy			0.48	1549
macro avg	0.49	0.49	0.48	1549
weighted avg	0.52	0.48	0.48	1549

BackTesting Results for Logistic Regression Model

Test Accuracy: 0.37

Test Classification Report:

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
-1	0.00	0.00	0.00	1
0	0.44	0.47	0.46	17
1	0.25	0.25	0.25	12
accuracy			0.37	30
macro avg	0.23	0.24	0.24	30
weighted avg	0.35	0.37	0.36	30

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Exploration

News and BTC-USD

Models Used

Simple Neural Network

Selected features:

Sentiment_polarity| Sentiment_subjectivity

Output:

class of 0 or 1

Layers:

- Linear
- Relu
- Dropout
- sigmoid

		precision	recall	f1-score	support
	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	902
	1	0.42	1.00	0.59	646
	accuracy			0.42	1548
	macro avg	0.21	0.50	0.29	1548
	weighted avg	0.17	0.42	0.25	1548

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Epoch [1/15], Validation Loss: 0.7030
Epoch Accuracy: 0.4173
Epoch [2/15], Validation Loss: 0.7070
Epoch Accuracy: 0.4173
Epoch [3/15], Validation Loss: 0.6961
Epoch Accuracy: 0.4173
Epoch [4/15], Validation Loss: 0.7044
Epoch Accuracy: 0.4173
Epoch [5/15], Validation Loss: 0.7064
Epoch Accuracy: 0.4173
Epoch [6/15], Validation Loss: 0.6927
Epoch Accuracy: 0.5827
Epoch [7/15], Validation Loss: 0.7124
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Epoch Accuracy: 0.4173
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Epoch Accuracy: 0.4173
Epoch [15/15], Validation Loss: 0.7147
Epoch Accuracy: 0.4173
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Test Accuracy: 0.3809

Exploration

Tweets

Approach

Try to predict the price movement based on Tweets about cryptocurrency.

Also consider how influential the Tweeter is and the volume of BTC traded that day

- 1.** Selected features:
Tweets | Significant_coeff | BTC_Vol
- 2.** Tokenise Tweets using Keras tokenizer
- 3.** Combine the tokenised tweets with normalised significant_coeff and BTC_vol

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Exploration

Tweets

Models Used

Sequence Classification with
LSTM Recurrent Neural

Model Result

Train-Test

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.98	1.00	0.99	3044
1	0.00	0.00	0.00	63
accuracy			0.98	3107
macro avg	0.49	0.50	0.49	3107
weighted avg	0.96	0.98	0.97	3107

Back testing

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
-1	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
0	1.00	0.57	0.72	30
1	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
accuracy			0.57	30
macro avg	0.33	0.19	0.24	30
weighted avg	1.00	0.57	0.72	30

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Exploration

S&P-Interest Rates

Approach

Predict next day price movement based on the S&P 500 index data & interest rate data, combining with the BTC-USD dataset.

Models Used

- 1. LSTM
- 2. SVM (Poly & RBF Kernel)

Steps

1. Data Pre-processing

- Dates where market is closed, forward filled data
- MinMax Scale

2. Data Sequences

- 10-days windows (short term prediction and price is volatile, trial and error)
- Prevent data leakage

3. Train-Test

4. Find Threshold for Classification

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Exploration

S&P-Interest Rates

Model Used

LSTM

Model Result

Train-Test

Back testing

Classification Report:

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.55	0.20	0.29	30
1	0.60	0.88	0.71	41
accuracy			0.59	71
macro avg	0.57	0.54	0.50	71
weighted avg	0.58	0.59	0.54	71

Classification Report:

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.00	0.00	0.00	14
1	0.36	1.00	0.53	8
accuracy			0.36	22
macro avg	0.18	0.50	0.27	22
weighted avg	0.13	0.36	0.19	22

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Steps

1. Data Pre-processing

2. Train-test Split

- 80% of fold size for training
- 20% of fold size for testing

3. Perform grid search with cross validation

- K-folds = 10

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Exploration

S&P-Interest Rates

Backtesting F1 Score with the best parameters

SVM (Poly Kernel)

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.57	1.00	0.73	12
1	0.00	0.00	0.00	9
accuracy			0.57	21
macro avg	0.29	0.50	0.36	21
weighted avg	0.33	0.57	0.42	21

SVM (RBF Kernel)

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.53	0.67	0.59	12
1	0.33	0.22	0.27	9
accuracy			0.48	21
macro avg	0.43	0.44	0.43	21
weighted avg	0.45	0.48	0.45	21

2 Shortlist

Shortlist the most impactful models for consideration

Overview of all Models

BTC-USD

0.58 Random Forest

0.70 SVM (Poly Kernel)

0.60 SVM (RBF)

NEWS

0.38 Logistic Regression

0.38 Neural Network

0.57 LSTM

TWEETS

0.57 LSTM

S&P-INTEREST RATES

0.36 LSTM

0.57 SVM

3 Selection

Final selection for final model

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Selection



Stacking

Output of one model is the input for the next



Combining

Aggregate relevant features to be inputted into a single model

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Selection

RATIONALE

Test if combining outputs from individual models would give better results

Stacking

Output of one model is the input for the next

Model	Number of features	Selected features	Hyperparameter	K-fold	Backtesting F1 score
SVM (Poly kernel)	3	'predictions_BTC_only', 'prediction_Tweet_only', 'prediction_News_only'	{'svm_C':10, 'svm_coef0': 2.0, 'svm_degree': 3]	5	0.42
SVM (RBF kernel)	3	'predictions_BTC_only', 'prediction_Tweet_only', 'prediction_News_only'	{'svm_C':10, 'svm_gamma': 100}	5	0.42
RF	3	'predictions_BTC_only', 'prediction_Tweet_only', 'prediction_News_only'	{'RF_max_depth': None, 'RF_min_samples_leaf': 1, 'RF_min_samples_split': 2, 'RF_n_estimators': 50}	5	0.42
Adaboost	3	'predictions_BTC_only', 'prediction_Tweet_only', 'prediction_News_only'	{'adaboost_learning_rate': 0.1, 'adaboost_n_estimators': 50}	5	0.42

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Selection

Combining

Aggregate relevant
features to be inputted
into a single model

RATIONALE

Test if using raw inputs from
all datasets would be better
since stacking did not exactly
work out

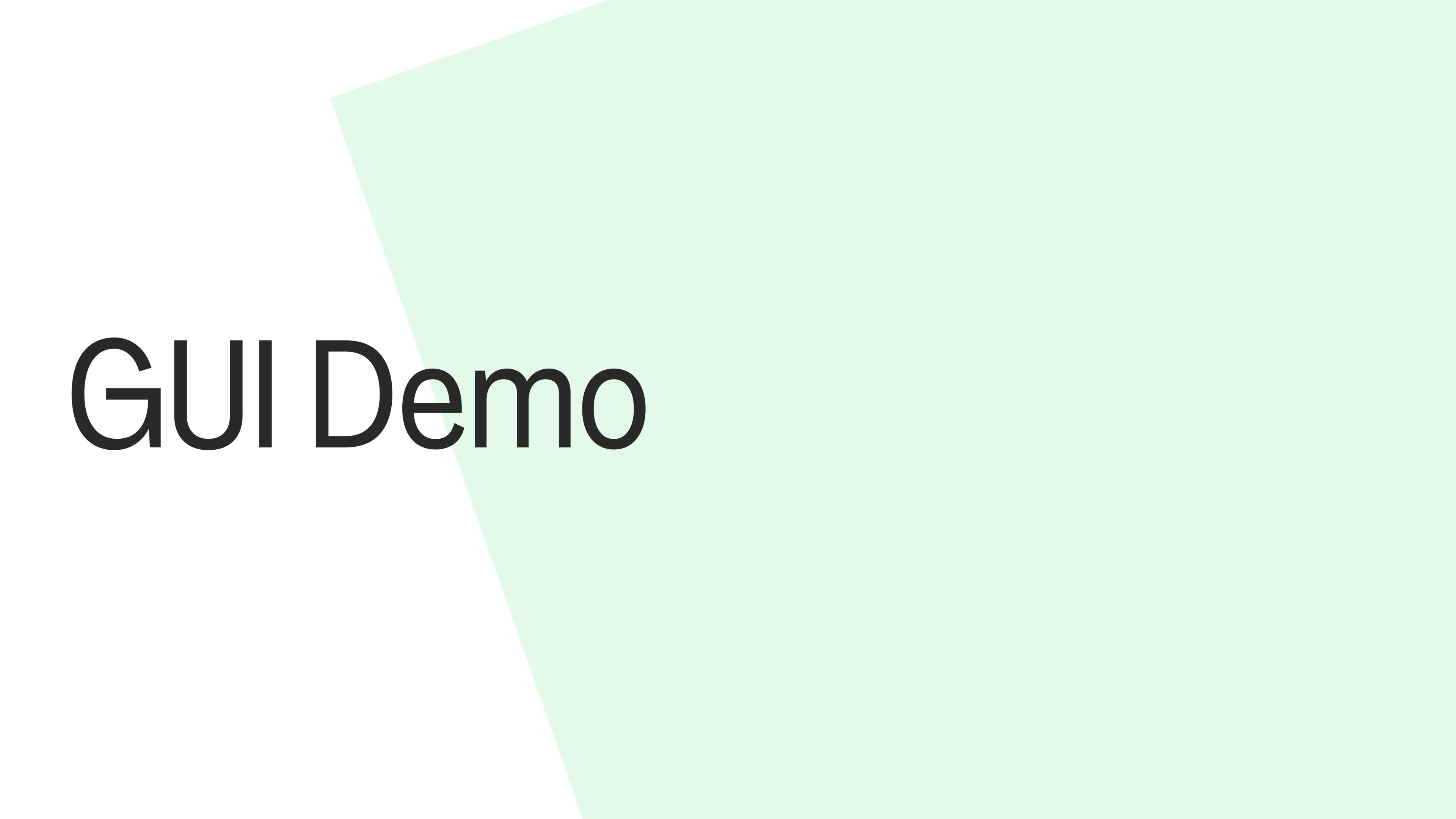
Model	Number of features	Selected features	Hyperparameter	K-fold	Backtesting F1 score
SVM (Poly kernel)	24	['Open', 'High', 'Close', 'Adj Close', 'Volume', 'RSI_14', 'macd', 'macd_signal', 'BB_upper', 'BB_middle', 'BB_lower', 'Close_Open', 'High-Low', 'OBV', 'BB_height', 'sentiment_polarity', 'sentiment_subjectivity', 'Interest Rate', 'SP_Open', 'SP_High', 'SP_Low', 'SP_Close', 'SP_AdjClose', 'SP_Volume]	{'svm_C': 10, 'svm_coef0': 2.0, 'svm_degree': 3}	5	0.57
AdaBoost	8	['Open', 'Close', 'Adj Close', 'macd', 'BB_middle', 'High-Low', 'OBV', 'sentiment_subjectivity']	{'adaboost_learning_rate': 0.5, 'adaboost_n_estimators': 150}	10	0.57
Random Forest	3	['Open', 'macd', 'BB_middle']	{'RF_max_depth': 10, 'RF_min_samples_leaf': 4, 'RF_min_samples_split': 5, 'RF_n_estimators': 100}	5	0.53

Final Model

We decide to evaluate which is the best based on F1 score on back tested set for a fair comparison. This model will be used in our GUI

Best model:

Model	Selected features	Hyperparameter	Backtest F1 score
SVM (Poly kernel)	'Open', 'High', 'Close', 'Adj Close', 'Volume', 'RSI_14', 'macd', 'macd_signal', 'BB_middle', 'BB_lower', 'Close- Open', 'High-Low', 'OBV', 'BB_height	{'svm_C':10, 'svm_coef0':1.0, 'svm_degree': 4}	0.70



GUI Demo

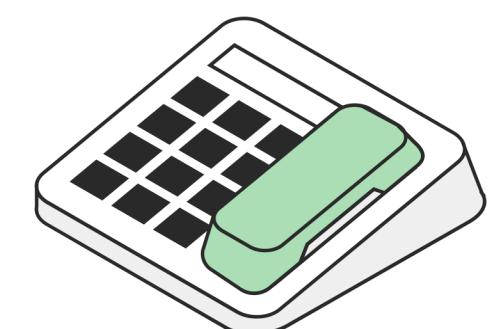
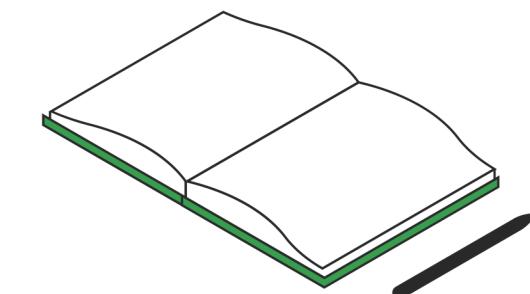
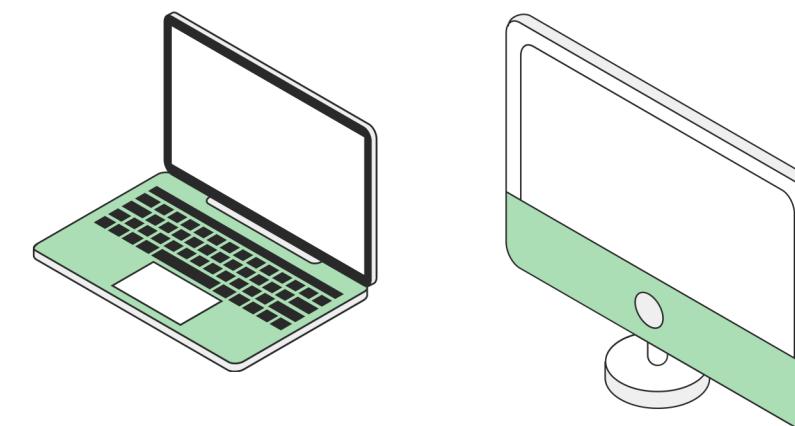
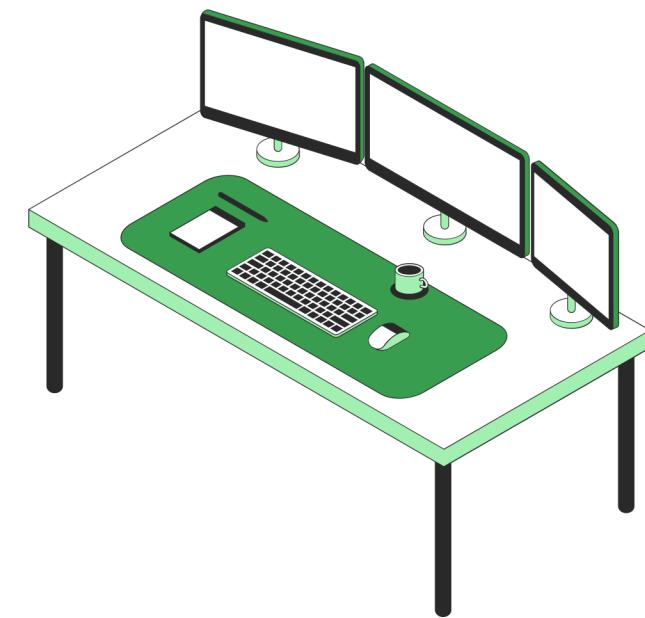
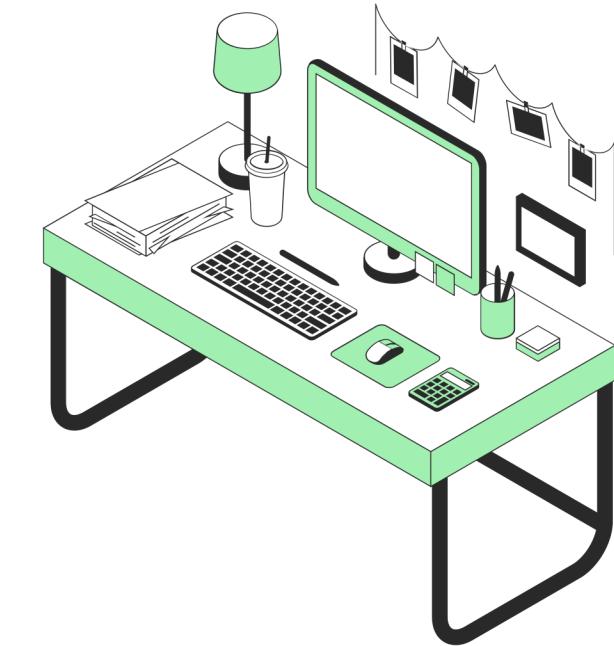
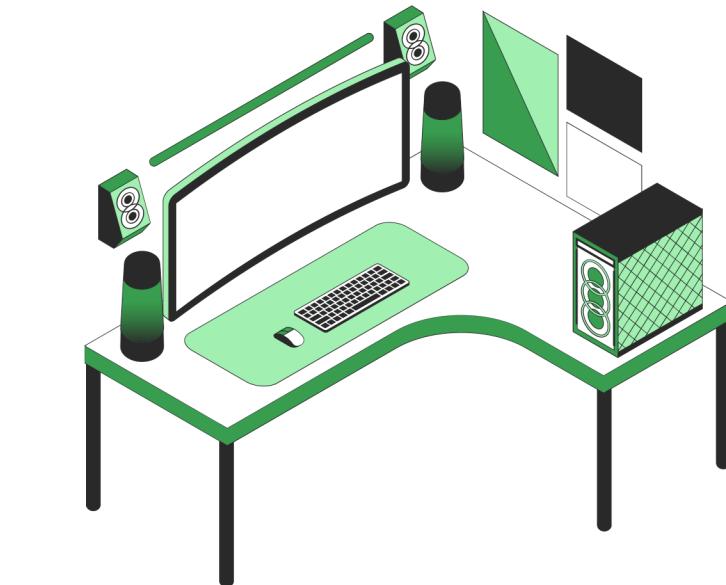
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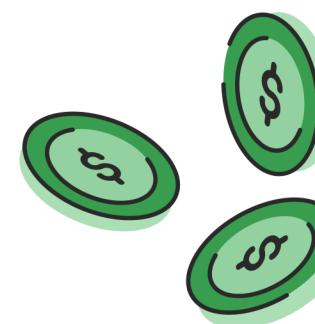
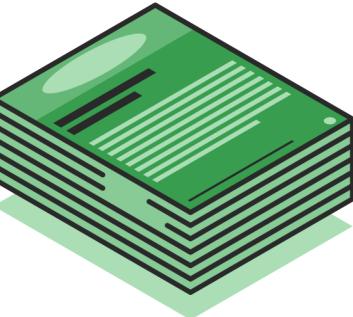
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