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Momentum Analysis Tool: Key Goals

- "Broaden Audience" Enable non-programmer to develop "Momentum investing" insights and hopefully, make some money
- "Teach Different" Recognize that some people understand better by playing with an interactive tool than reading reports.
- Caveat: Instead of Norgate, the tool uses wikipedia for universes and yfinance for history.
 - This means that the analysis is subject to selection bias (but also does not use proprietary data).

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Momentum: a Freeway Analogy



- Do you hate drivers who zig and zag out of traffic on Freeways?
- Do you wish that people would just stay in their lane, even if it means that arrive a little later to their destination?
- Then you'll REALLY hate Momentum investing.
- Viewing stocks as "lanes", and return as "lane speed", the idea is to switch into whatever lane is moving fastest.

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https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Momentum_investing

- Momentum investing is a strategy that seeks to capitalize on momentum to enter a trend as it is picking up steam. Simply put, momentum refers to the inertia of a price trend to continue either rising or falling for a particular length of time, usually taking into account both price and volume information.
- J Lookback/Lag Period(s) to measure return. (days or months).
- K Hold Period Period to hold a position. (days or months) #Taxes.
- **Universe (Fixed) Collection of stocks being analyzed
 - Not mentioned (implicit) in the wikipedia definition!!!!
 - But if you want to go to San Francisco from the south Bay, choosing 280, 101 or 880 makes a BIG difference.

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Momentum Investing: Prior Work

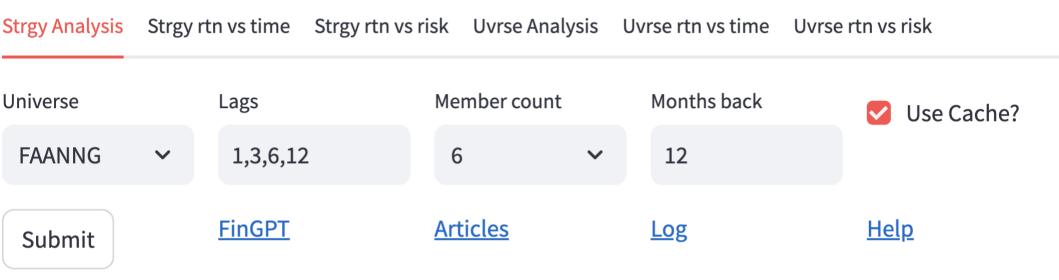
- 20060728 Hellmut Scholtz
- 20100320 Journal of Finance
 - 199303 Returns to Buying Winners and Selling Losers: Implications for Stock Market Efficiency
 - NARASIMHAN JEGADEESH and SHERIDAN TITMAN*
 - 199802 International Momentum Strategies
 - K. GEERT ROUWENHORST
- 20161218 Paseman "Rouwenhorst Sensitivity To js[25,35,45,65,130]/ks[25,35,41,65,130]" (j days back; k holding period)
 - 20201117 "If your algorithm is good, it should be able to pick out the better stocks independent of the options that it is fed so long as the choices are broad."
 - The physical analogy supports this. It would seem that being able to switch lanes from a fast lane on 280 to a faster lane on 101 ought work out.

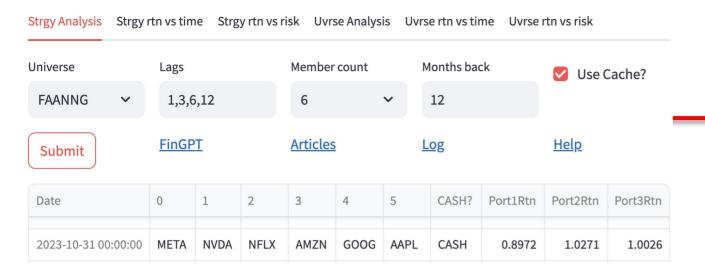


Momentum Investing: Prior Work

- "It ain't what you don't know that gets you into trouble. It's what you know for sure that just ain't so." Mark Twain
- 2017xxxx Don Maurer j 1,3,6,12; k- 1 month;
 - UNIVERSE MATTERS
- 20220501 Paseman "DRAFT Data Dredging Momentum Strategies"
 - LESS SENSITIVE to js 11 month lookback worked as well as 1,3,6,12
 - VFRY SENSITIVE to Universe
 - The Universe is important NOT because of the stocks it INCLUDES.
 - It is important because of the stocks it EXCLUDES.
 - In particular, the Universe has to exclude stocks that look good over the Lookback period but don't continue returns during the Hold Period.
 - "Firecrackers"

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- The first tab recommends stocks to buy based on price momentum.
- The user picks the Universe, lagged return to compare, total stocks in the portfolio and how far back in time to start measuring the strategy return.
- The User then presses submit to generate a table (which scrolls left/right and up/down)
- And since the tool identifies about 3 stocks max, I have a link to finGPT where the user can plug in each one and see if they want to buy it or not. This subsumes the function of a timer.
- There are also links a list of articles I like, a place where the user can log their rationale for their choices and help.

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2023-09-29 00:00:00	NVDA	META	GOOG	NFLX	AMZN	AAPL	STOCK	0.8263	0.92	0.8888	0.9274	0.9349	0.9305	0.9305	time slot is a sorted list of stock
2023-10-31 00:00:00	META	NVDA	NFLX	AMZN	GOOG	AAPL	CASH	0.8972	1.0271	1.0026	1.0391	1.0378	1.0333	1.0333	recommendations.
2023-11-30 00:00:00	META	NVDA	NFLX	AMZN	AAPL	GOOG	STOCK	0.9708	1.0994	1.0588	1.0931	1.0838	1.0805	1.0805	
2023-12-29 00:00:00	NVDA	META	AMZN	NFLX	GOOG	AAPL	STOCK	1.2061	1.2889	1.188	1.2365	1.1989	1.1685	1.1685	Following that is a
2024-01-31 00:00:00	NVDA	META	NFLX	AMZN	GOOG	AAPL	STOCK	1.5508	1.6382	1.4299	1.4683	1.3752	1.3079	1.3079	recommendation to either buy stocks or stay in cash.
2024-02-29 00:00:00	NVDA	META	NFLX	AMZN	GOOG	AAPL	STOCK	1.7712	1.747	1.4967	1.5273	1.444	1.3512	1.3512	Stocks of Stay III Cash.
2024-03-28 00:00:00	NVDA	МЕТА	NFLX	AMZN	GOOG	AAPL	STOCK	1.6937	1.6091	1.3713	1.4199	1.3863	1.3047	1.3047	Following that is the return
2024-04-30 00:00:00	NVDA	META	GOOG	AMZN	NFLX	AAPL	STOCK	2.1491	1.894	1.5591	1.5687	1.5483	1.4597	1.4597	from portfolios consisting of the
2024-05-31 00:00:00	NVDA	META	NFLX	GOOG	AMZN	AAPL	STOCK	2.4217	2.09	1.6936	1.6915	1.6747	1.5823	1.5823	top 1-6 of the recommended
2024-06-28 00:00:00	NVDA	META	NFLX	GOOG	AMZN	AAPL	STOCK	2.5146	2.142	1.728	1.7264	1.71	1.6238	1.6238	tickers.
2024-07-03 00:00:00	NVDA	META	NFLX	AMZN	GOOG	AAPL	STOCK	2.5146	2.142	1.728	1.7264	1.71	1.6238	1.666	The final column shows the
 Portfolios of 2 stocks, rebalanced monthly, have done best lately. 															
• Note the 0.8263 entry. Here the system lost 17.37% of the portfolio value from 7 2023 to 10 2023.															
 This occurred if you picked the top best stock each month. 															
• Note the	e 2.	142	ent	ry. F	Here	the	sys	tem a	added	d 114	.2% t	o the	port	folio	value from 7 2023 to 6 2024.

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Port4Rtn

0.9316

0.9222

Port5Rtn

0.9295

0.9265

Following each end of month

Port2Rtn

0.948

0.8813

AAPL

STOCK

• This occurred if you picked the top two best stocks each month.

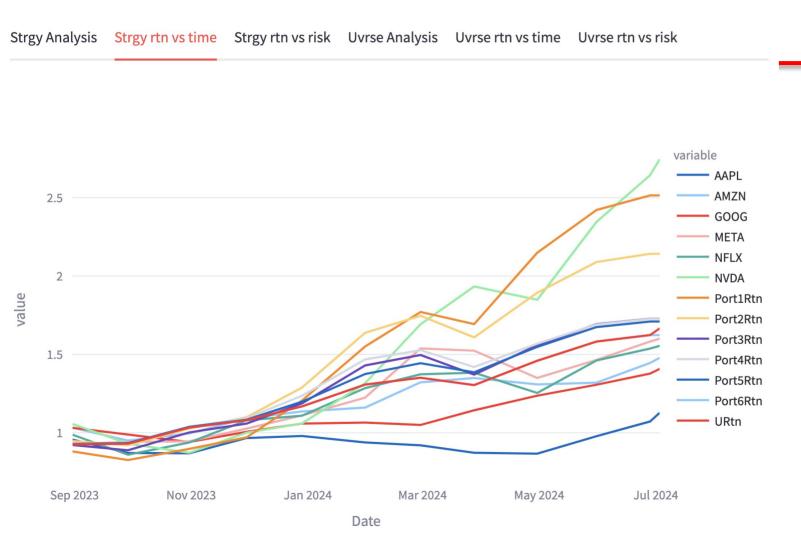
GOOG

Date

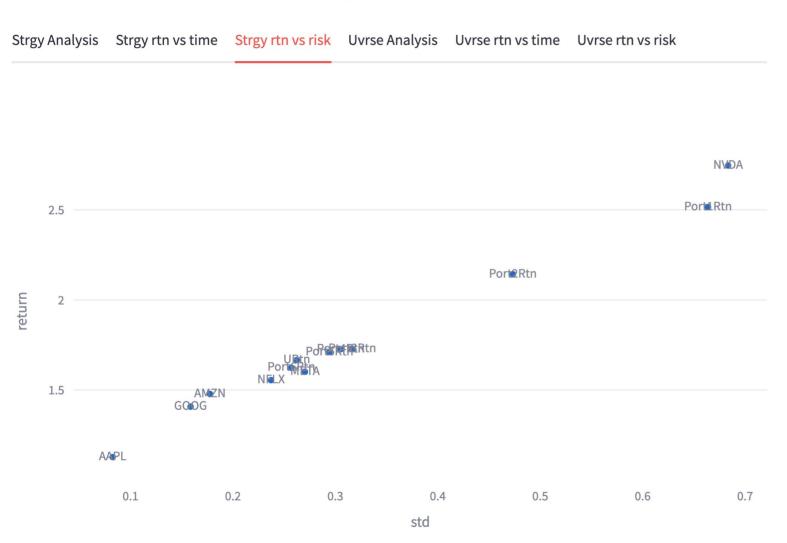
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Momentum Analysis Tool \bigcirc



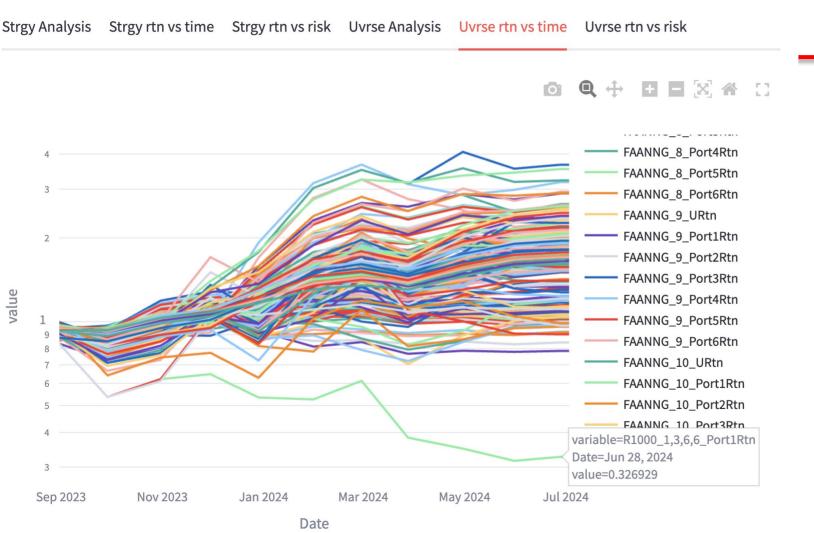
The Second tab shows the stock/portfolio returns vs time.



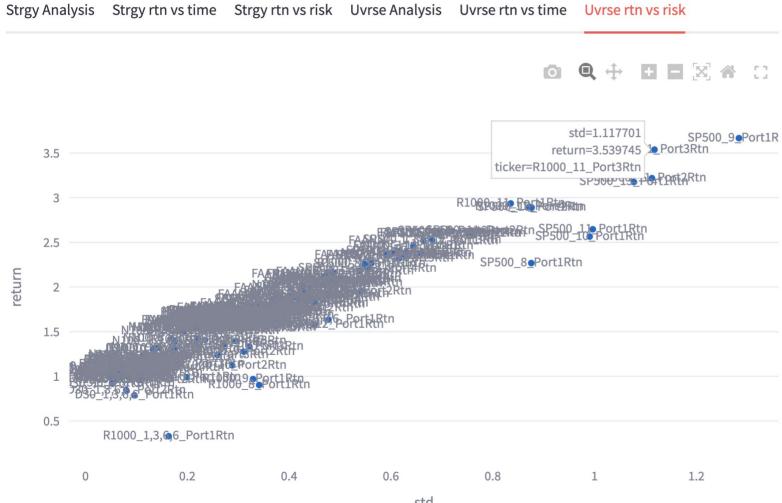
The Third tab is a risk/reward plot



The Fourth tab compares universe/ lag/ timeframe/ period cross products



The Fifth tab shows cross product time behavior



■ □ ■ ■ ■ ■ The last tab is a cross product risk/reward plot

Demo

UI Generation – First GPT Prompt

- Please generate streamlit application with
- a pulldown labeled "universe" with items labeled "N100", "R1000" and "FANG" that defaults to "N100".
- a text field labeled "lags" that allows me to enter a list of comma delimited numbers and initialized with the string "1,3,6,12",
- a pulldown labeled "member count" with 6 items labeled 1-6 that defaults to 6.
- a text field labeled "months back" initialized to 12.
- and a "Submit" button.
- When "Submit" is pressed, I want the application to call streamlitEntry passing (universe,lags,memberCount,monthsback=12).
- It will return a text field with embedded carriage returns.
- Please print the result in a text area called "Results".

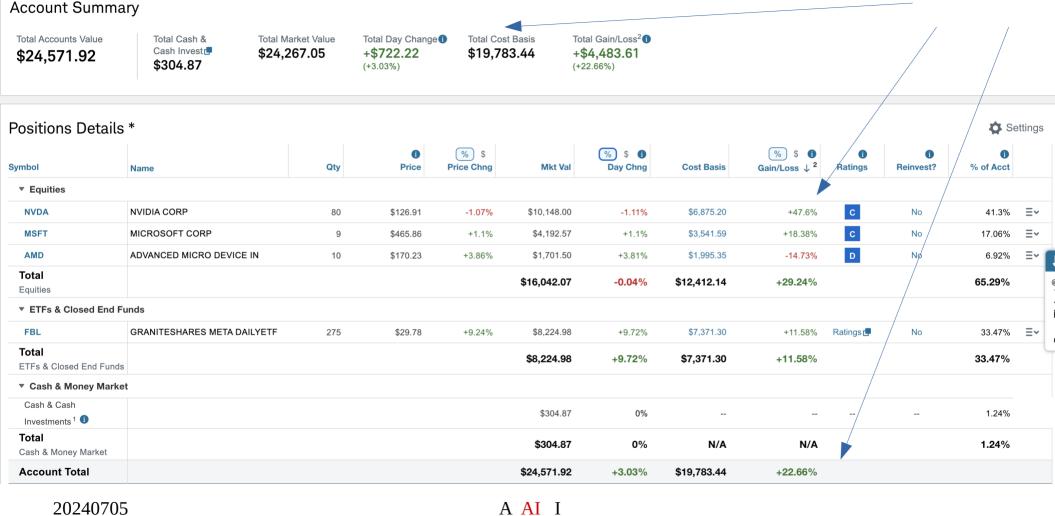
UI Generation – Generated Code

```
• from momentumtiming import strategyAnalysis
· import streamlit as st

    import plotly.express as px

def main():
    st.title("Momentum Analysis Tool")
    tab1, tab2, tab3 = st.tabs(["Strategy Analysis", "Strategy rtn vs time", "Strategy rtn vs risk"])
    with tab1:
      row1 = st.columns(5)
      universe = row1[0].selectbox("Universe", ["N100", "SP500", "R1000", "FAANNG", "D30"], index=3)
      lags = row1[1].text_input("Lags", "1,3,6,12")
      member count = row1[2].selectbox("Member count", [str(i) for i in range(1, 7)], index=5)
      months back = row1[3].text input("Months back", "12")
      use cache = row1[4].checkbox("Use Cache?", value=True)
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- Since I believed in my own 20230601 GenAI presentation, these results were expected.
 - Ie: NVDA, NVDA,
- However...

Correlation

NVDA

CRWD

NVDA

NVDA

VST

SMCI

NVDA

NVDA

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	RCL
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NRG DECK **CRWD CEG** ANET **SMCI CRWD CEG** Selection Bias: Note: SMCI joined SP500 20240318

CRWD

CRWD

CEG

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