

Bilkent University Computer Engineering Department CS 491 Senior Design Project I

Assessment of Innovation Form

ID and Title of the Project: T2404-Plutos Equities				
Team Member IDs: 22103277, 22102544, 22103729, 22101850, 22102310				
Name of the Supervisor: Halil Altay Güvenir				

Below questions needs to be filled by the Innovation Expert

Considering the definition of innovation as "creation of better or more effective products, systems, services, or technologies that have the potential to be accepted by markets, governments, and society", please assess the innovativeness of the design project with below questions.

1) The project and subject that is proposed and presented to you is:

Criteria	Poor	Unsatisfactory	Satisfactory	Good	Outstanding
Technically feasible:			×		
You see enough market demand:					×
Development planning is done well				×	
Enough research done for marketplace and competitors				×	
Delivers enough value or solves a real problem					×

2) What is the nature of the innovation you see in this project? Do you have any suggestion to improve converting the knowledge and idea of the subject more into benefit and value?

This ambitious project aims to develop a comprehensive forecasting framework specifically for large-cap, publicly traded companies. Its competitive edge lies in defining a focused scope and effectively calibrating diverse data sources to enhance accuracy. The project tackles the complex challenge of integrating historical time series data, fundamental metrics, sentiment analysis, and company-specific news into a unified, actionable model.



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2) Are there any unaddressed risks that team members need to consider during implementation?

Yes, the project addresses a difficult problem that requires a sophisticated modeling framework. The open-ended nature of financial forecasting presents a significant challenge, as developing a successful forecasting model in this field is rather complex and arguably unachievable with high accuracy due to it's reflexive nature. Additionally, the team will encounter challenges in sourcing high-quality, comprehensive data, which is essential for training models robustly and producing meaningful predictions. Balancing data breadth, relevance, and consistency will be critical to the model's success.

3) Any suggestions while shaping go to market strategy?

Delivering a high-quality solution with a targeted focus is far more effective than providing a broader solution of mediocre quality. The team should adopt an iterative approach, actively seeking feedback and engaging industry professionals to test the product and provide valuable insights for improvement.

Innovation Expert

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Date: 25 / 10 / 2024

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Final Expert Score:..4.2.. (out of 5)

Scale: (1) Poor, (2) Unsatisfactory, (3) Satisfactory, (4) Good, (5) Outstanding