

EPEX ID&DA Energy Market Data Analysis -

Profit Calculation

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Python Basics

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Introduction

This code represents an analysis and simulation of electricity market trading based on the data provided by EPEX Spot, a subsidiary of the European Energy Exchange (EEX). EEX is the largest energy exchange and clearing house in Europe. EPEX Spot operates Day-Ahead markets through a blind auction mechanism, where electricity for the next day is traded.

In a Day-Ahead blind auction, participants submit their buy and sell bids without any knowledge of the other bids. The auction occurs once a day, every day of the year, and it involves 24 hourly contracts corresponding to each delivery hour of the following day. EPEX Spot aggregates these bids to create supply and demand curves, which are then used to determine the market clearing prices (equilibrium prices) for each hourly contract.

This project involves working with the raw data of the auction results, which includes equilibrium prices for the 24-hour energy supply contracts for each day in a given year. Additionally, it includes historical prices from the EPEX continuous market for August 2022, where energy is traded live, similar to stocks on the stock market.

For the purpose of this analysis, we assume the existence of a hypothetical wind park that consistently produces 100MWh of energy every hour. To make the simulation more realistic, we can optionally include a production cost of 0.25 Euro per MWh of energy produced.

The main objectives of this code are:

- 1. To analyze the equilibrium prices from the Day-Ahead auction to understand the pricing trends and market behaviour over the given year.
- 2. To compare the Day-Ahead market prices with the continuous market prices for August 2022.
- 3. To simulate the revenue generation for the hypothetical wind park by calculating the income from selling the produced energy in both markets.
- 4. Optionally, to incorporate the production cost into the simulation to estimate the net revenue.

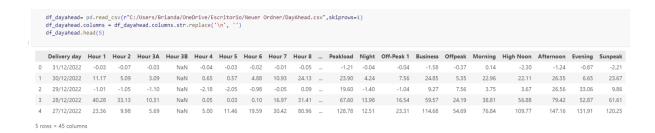
By achieving these objectives is look to gain insights into the dynamics of the energy markets operated by EPEX Spot and the potential financial performance of a renewable energy producer in these markets.

1.1. Import all the Python packages

```
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import os
from datetime import datetime
```

1.2. Importing the Data

→ Reading the CSV file and skipping the first row



1.2. Filtering the Data

- → Dropping Hour 3B column
- → Renaming columns
- → Convert the "Delivery Day" column to Date Time
- → Filtering the Data Frame only to include rows where the date is in August
- → printing the first few rows of the filtered data frame

```
# Dropping Hour 3B colum
df_dayahead = df_dayahead.drop(columns=['Hour 3B'])

# Renaming columns
df_dayahead = df_dayahead.rename(columns = {'Hour 3A' : 'Hour 3','Delivery day' : 'DeliveryDay'})
df_dayahead = df_dayahead.iloc[:, :25]

# Convert the "Delivery day" column to datetime
df_dayahead['DeliveryDay'] = pd.to_datetime(df_dayahead['DeliveryDay'])
df_dayahead['Month'] = df_dayahead['DeliveryDay'].dt.month

# Filtering the DataFrame to only include rows where the date is in August
df_dayahead = df_dayahead.loc[(df_dayahead['Month'] == 8)]
df_dayahead = df_dayahead.sort_values(by=['DeliveryDay'])

# Displaying the first few rows of the filtered dataframe

df_dayahead.head(5)
```

| | DeliveryDay | Hour 1 | Hour 2 | Hour 3 | Hour 4 | Hour 5 | Hour 6 | Hour 7 | Hour 8 | Hour 9 | Hour 16 | Hour 17 | Hour 18 | Hour 19 | Hour 20 | Hour 21 | Hour 22 | Hour 23 | Hour 24 | Month |
|-----|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------|
| 152 | 2022-08-01 | 385.06 | 344.06 | 338.81 | 320.86 | 329.72 | 380.00 | 429.66 | 467.91 | 474.90 | 385.09 | 398.90 | 437.25 | 461.06 | 510.66 | 530.88 | 524.33 | 509.33 | 469.58 | 8 |
| 151 | 2022-08-02 | 440.98 | 390.10 | 382.10 | 359.89 | 352.69 | 393.03 | 457.04 | 479.90 | 478.90 | 219.00 | 274.71 | 324.11 | 435.36 | 499.47 | 511.07 | 513.17 | 484.91 | 441.26 | 8 |
| 150 | 2022-08-03 | 383.95 | 368.07 | 340.14 | 326.30 | 329.96 | 368.76 | 440.47 | 453.86 | 444.21 | 291.92 | 361.59 | 438.52 | 500.35 | 550.06 | 566.89 | 560.76 | 500.02 | 452.18 | 8 |
| 149 | 2022-08-04 | 450.30 | 414.26 | 375.07 | 348.49 | 345.30 | 375.07 | 452.27 | 480.10 | 479.79 | 342.64 | 366.51 | 416.97 | 492.73 | 513.74 | 504.33 | 499.83 | 480.60 | 424.96 | 8 |
| 148 | 2022-08-05 | 406.06 | 358.18 | 337.64 | 339.17 | 338.52 | 390.05 | 449.91 | 468.00 | 483.91 | 256.21 | 252.44 | 291.18 | 355.02 | 419.54 | 424.89 | 437.30 | 429.91 | 386.55 | 8 |

1.3. Data Transformation

5 rows × 26 columns

- → Transpose the data
- → Generate hours from 1 to 24 for each day in the data frame
- → Flatten the rest of the data properly
- → Ensure lengths are aligned correctly
- → Create the new Data Frame

```
# Transpose the data
  # First column (date) repeated 24 times for each day
 dates repeated = df dayahead['DeliveryDay'].repeat(24).reset index(drop=True)
  # Generate hours from 1 to 24 for each day in df_august
 hours_repeated = [hour for _ in range(len(df_dayahead)) for hour in range(1, 25)]
  # Flatten the rest of the data properly
  data_flat = df_dayahead.iloc[:, 1:].values.flatten()
  # Create the new DataFrame
  df_dayahead_transpose = pd.melt(df_dayahead,
                   id_vars=['DeliveryDay', 'Month'],
                    var_name='Hour',
                   value_name='IndexPrice')
  df_dayahead_transpose['DeliveryDay'] = pd.to_datetime(df_dayahead_transpose['DeliveryDay'])
  df dayahead transpose['Hour'] = df dayahead transpose['Hour'].str.split(' ').str[1].astype(int)
  df_dayahead_transpose.sort_values(by=['DeliveryDay', 'Hour'], inplace=True)
  df_dayahead_transpose.head(5)
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```

| | DeliveryDay | Month | Hour | IndexPrice |
|-----|-------------|-------|------|------------|
| 0 | 2022-08-01 | 8 | 1 | 385.06 |
| 31 | 2022-08-01 | 8 | 2 | 344.06 |
| 62 | 2022-08-01 | 8 | 3 | 338.81 |
| 93 | 2022-08-01 | 8 | 4 | 320.86 |
| 124 | 2022-08-01 | 8 | 5 | 329.72 |

1.4. Hourly Profit Calculation

- → Add new columns named "Revenue", "Cost" and "Profit" respectively and calculate
- → Hourly revenue by multiplying by 100
- → Cost by multiplying revenue times 0,25
- → Profit by subtracting revenue cost
- → Add a new column named "Index Hour" to define hours in order from the 1st August to 31 August, based on the original index of the data frame plus 1

```
# Calculate Hourly 'Revenue' and 'Profit'

df_dayahead_transpose['Revenue'] = df_dayahead_transpose['IndexPrice']*100

df_dayahead_transpose['Cost'] = 100*0.25

df_dayahead_transpose['Profit'] = df_dayahead_transpose['Revenue'] - df_dayahead_transpose['Cost']

df_dayahead_transpose = df_dayahead_transpose.reset_index(drop=True)

df_dayahead_transpose['IndexHour'] = df_dayahead_transpose.index++1

DayAhead_hourly = df_dayahead_transpose

DayAhead_hourly.head(5)
```

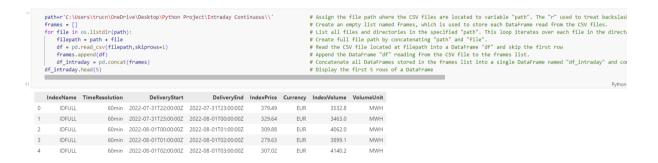
| | DeliveryDay | Month | Hour | IndexPrice | Revenue | Cost | Profit | IndexHour |
|---|-------------|-------|------|------------|---------|------|---------|-----------|
| 0 | 2022-08-01 | 8 | 1 | 385.06 | 38506.0 | 25.0 | 38481.0 | 1 |
| 1 | 2022-08-01 | 8 | 2 | 344.06 | 34406.0 | 25.0 | 34381.0 | 2 |
| 2 | 2022-08-01 | 8 | 3 | 338.81 | 33881.0 | 25.0 | 33856.0 | 3 |
| 3 | 2022-08-01 | 8 | 4 | 320.86 | 32086.0 | 25.0 | 32061.0 | 4 |
| 4 | 2022-08-01 | 8 | 5 | 329.72 | 32972.0 | 25.0 | 32947.0 | 5 |

1.5. Daily Profit calculation

2. Intraday (ID) Continuous

2.1. Import Data from a Local Folder

- → Create a "path" variable to assign file path where the CSV files are located
- → Create an empty list to store each data frame read from CSV files
- → Create a loop to read all CSV files and concatenate all data frames in the list into one file



2.2. Processing Data

- → After all data of 31 days were combined, start to sort data by "Delivery Start"
- → Convert "Delivery Start" and "Delivery End" into date time format, then strip out the time to pick up the date only.
- → Remove unused columns including "Currency", "Index Volume", "Volume Unit"
- → Filter to select values Month = August, Index name = IDFULL and time resolution = 60min

```
      df_intraday_sort_values(by=['DeliveryStart'], ascending=True)
      # Sort data by DeliveryStart'

      df_intraday['DeliveryStart'] = di.to_datetime(df_intraday['DeliveryStart'])
      # Convert column 'DeliveryStart' et all cintraday['DeliveryStart']

      df_intraday['DeliveryStart'] = df_intraday['DeliveryStart'], dt.date
      # Strip out the time component, leaving only the df_intraday['DeliveryEnd'] et di.tertaday['DeliveryEnd'] et di.tertaday['Delive
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2.3. Profit Calculation - Hourly

- → Add new columns named "Revenue", "Cost" and "Profit" respectively and calculate
 - ◆ Revenue = Index Price * 100
 - ◆ Cost = 0.25 *100
 - ◆ Profit = Revenue Cost
- → Add a new column named "Index Hour" to define hours in order from the 1st August to 31 August, based on the original index of the data frame plus 1
- → Remove columns named "Index Name", "Time Resolution" and "Delivery End" for a clear view

```
df_intraday['Revenue'] = df_intraday['IndexPrice']*100
df_intraday['Cost'] = 100*0.25
df_intraday['Profit'] = df_intraday['Revenue'] - df_intraday['Cost']
df_intraday[ = df_intraday['IndexPrice'] + df_intraday['Cost']
df_intraday[ = df_intraday['IndexNormal + df_intraday] + df_intraday['IndexNormal + df_intraday['IndexNorma
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2.4. Profit Calculation - Daily

- → From the hourly data frame, calculate the daily profit by grouping the profit by date
- → Rename for column "Profit" to "Daily Profit" for easier reference

3. Reporting

3.1. Daily Reporting

```
plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))

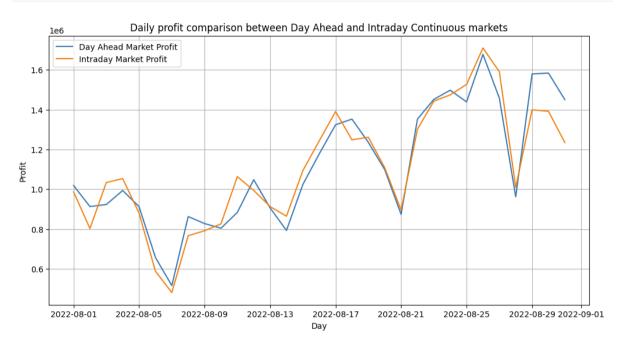
plt.plot((DayAhead_daily["DeliveryOay"]), DayAhead_daily["DailyProfit"], label = "Day Ahead Market Profit")
plt.tile((Daily profit comparison between Day Ahead and Intraday Continuous markets")
plt.ylabel("Day")
plt.ylabel("Profit")

plt.ylabel("Profit")

plt.legend()
plt.grid(True)
plt.show

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#Creating a figure with a specific size
#Plotting the daily profit data for the Day Ahead Market
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3.2. Hourly Reporting

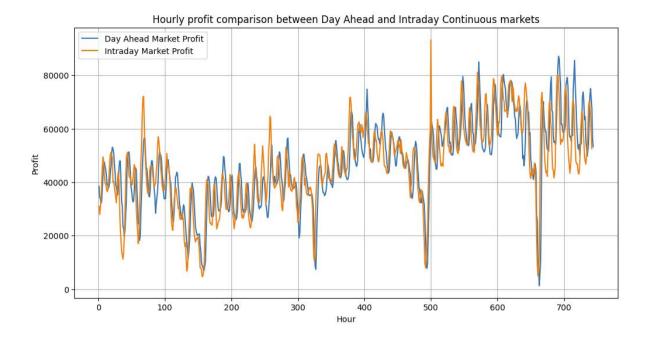
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plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))

plt.plot((DayAhead_hourly["IndexHour"]), DayAhead_hourly["Profit"], label = "Day Ahead Market Profit")
plt.plot((Intraday_hourly["IndexHour"]), Intraday_hourly["Profit"], label = "Intraday_Market Profit")
plt.title("Hourly profit comparison between Day Ahead and Intraday_Continuous_markets")
plt.tylabel("Profit")

plt.legend()
plt.grid(True)
plt.show

#Adding a legend to distinguish between Day Ahead and Intraday profits
plt.grid(True)
plt.show

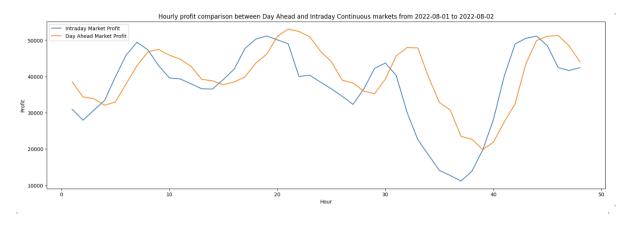
#Adding a legend to distinguish between Day Ahead and Intraday profits
#Displaying grid lines on the plot
#Showing the plot
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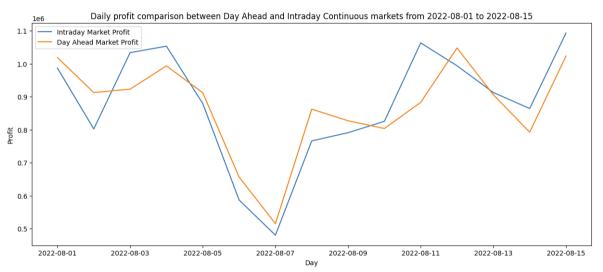


3.3. Reporting Based on Users' Needs

- → Collect user input for the start date, end date, and desired resolution (hourly or daily)
- → Filter the data accordingly
- → Generate a report based on the filtered data

```
# Conditional block based on user's input
start_date = input("Enter the start date (YYYY-MM-DD): ")
end_date = input("Enter the end date (YYYY-MM-DD):")
resolution = input("Enter the resolution (hourly/daily): ")
if resolution == "hourly":
       # Filter data for hourly resolution
      Intraday_hourly_specific = Intraday_hourly[(Intraday_hourly["DeliveryDay"] >= start_date) & (Intraday_hourly["DeliveryDay"] <= end_date)]
DayAhead_hourly_specific = DayAhead_hourly[(DayAhead_hourly["DeliveryDay"] >= start_date) & (DayAhead_hourly["DeliveryDay"] <= end_date)]
       # Plotting for hourly resolution
      plt.figure(figsize=(20, 6))
plt.plot(Intraday_hourly_specific["IndexHour"], Intraday_hourly_specific["Profit"], label = "Intraday Market Profit")
plt.plot(DayAhead_hourly_specific["IndexHour"], DayAhead_hourly_specific["Profit"], label = "Day Ahead Market Profit")
plt.title(f"Hourly profit comparison between Day Ahead and Intraday Continuous markets from {start_date} to {end_date}")
      plt.xlabel("Hour")
plt.ylabel("Profit")
       plt.legend()
elif resolution == "daily":
       # Filter data for daily resolution
      Intraday_daily_specific = Intraday_daily[(Intraday_daily["DeliveryDay"] >= start_date) & (Intraday_daily["DeliveryDay"] <= end_date)]
DayAhead_daily_specific = DayAhead_daily[(DayAhead_daily["DeliveryDay"] >= start_date) & (DayAhead_daily["DeliveryDay"] <= end_date)]
       # Plotting for the daily resolution
      plt.plot(Intraday_daily_specific["DeliveryDay"], Intraday_daily_specific["DailyProfit"], label = "Intraday Market Profit") plt.plot(DayAhead_daily_specific["DeliveryDay"], DayAhead_daily_specific["DailyProfit"], label = "Day Ahead Market Profit")
       plt.title(f"Daily profit comparison between Day Ahead and Intraday Continuous markets from {start_date} to {end_date}")
      plt.xlabel("Day")
plt.ylabel("Profit")
plt.legend()
       # Handle invalid resolution input
       print("Invalid resolution. Please enter 'hourly' or 'daily'.")
```





Summary

I successfully navigated challenges by applying knowledge acquired in our lectures and through ongoing research using resources such as GitHub Copilot, Python forums, and AI prompt engineer. Recognizing the importance of incorporating comments in the code for future reference, not just for ourselves but also for other programmers, was a pivotal realization. Jupyter played a crucial role in facilitating my progress throughout this journey, as did the valuable guidance and support provided by our lecturer in clarifying tasks and guiding us through the process.