

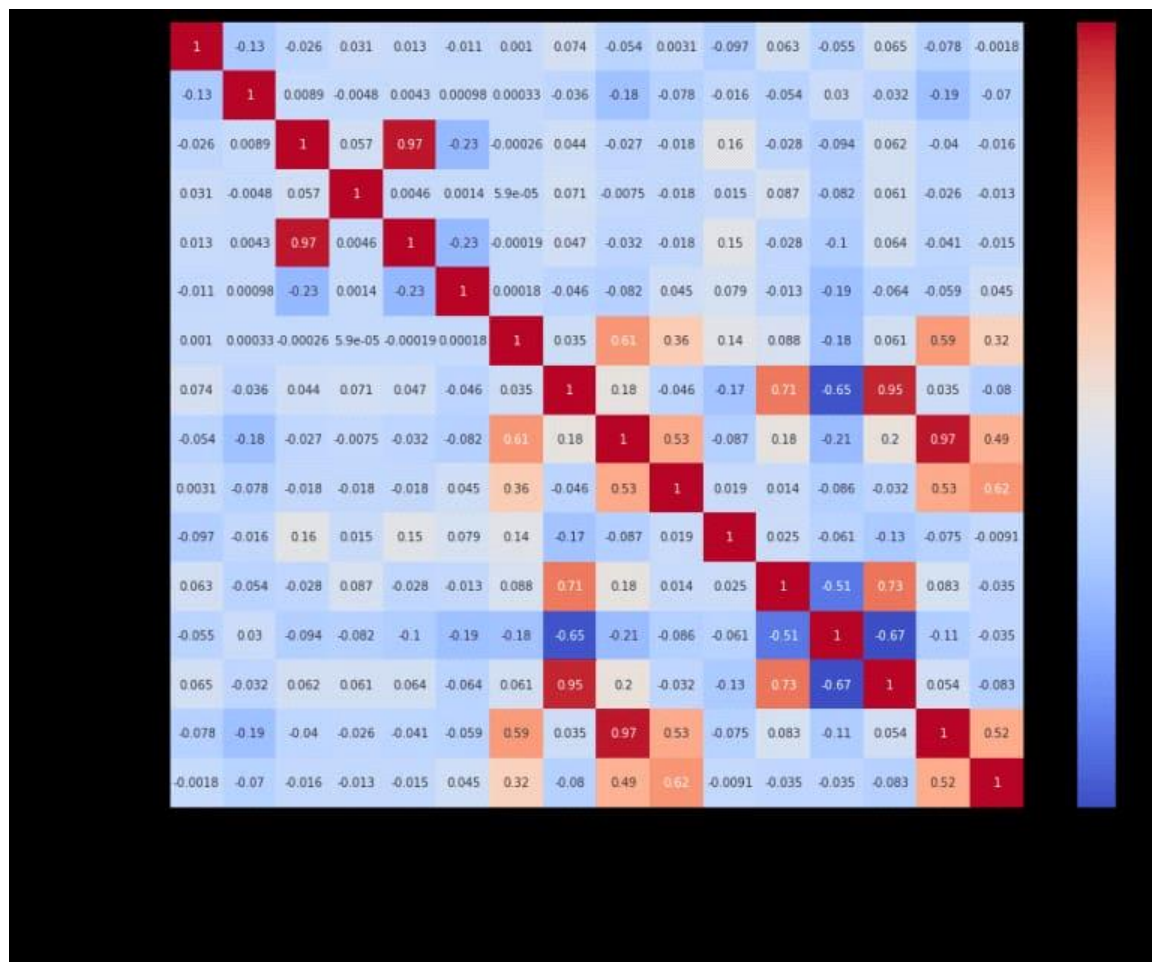
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## Introduction:

Electricity price prediction is a crucial application of data science that involves using historical and real-time data to forecast future electricity prices. Accurate predictions can be valuable for various stakeholders, including energy companies, consumers, and policymakers, as they can

help in making informed decisions regarding energy production, consumption, and investment. This introduction outlines the key components and steps involved in electricity price prediction using data science techniques.

Dataset :



Necessary steps to follow:

Import libraries:

1.import pandas as pd

2.import numpy as np

LOAD THE DATASET:

1.data=pd.read\_csv("https://raw.githubusercontent.com/amankharwal/website-data/master/electricity.csv")

2.Print(data.head())

1.DATA PREPROCESSING:

- Handle missing data by either removing or imputing missing values.
- Check for outliers and consider how to handle them

# Drop rows with missing values

```
data.dropna(inplace=True)
```

```
# Handle outliers (optional)
```

```
# You can use statistical methods or domain  
knowledge to identify and handle outliers.
```

## 2.FEATURE ENGINEERING :

Create relevant features that can help in price prediction, such as day of the week, time of day, and lagged prices.

```
# Extract date and time features
```

```
data['datetime'] =  
pd.to_datetime(data['timestamp'])  
data['hour'] = data['datetime'].dt.hour  
data['day_of_week'] =  
data['datetime'].dt.dayofweek
```

```
# Create lag features (e.g., lagged prices)
```

```
data['price_lag1'] = data['price'].shift(1)
```

```
data['price_lag2'] = data['price'].shift(2)
```

### 3.DATA VIZUALIZATION AND EXPLORATORY DATA ANALYSIS:

Explore the data through visualization to understand patterns and relationships.

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

```
# Visualize the data
```

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

```
plt.plot(data['datetime'], data['price'])
```

```
plt.title('Electricity Price Over Time')
```

```
plt.xlabel('Time')
```

```
plt.ylabel('Price')
```

```
plt.show()
```

#### 4.DATA SPLIT:

Split the data into training and testing sets.

```
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split

# Split the data into training and testing sets
X = data[['hour', 'day_of_week', 'price_lag1', 'price_lag2']]
y = data['price']

X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y,
test_size=0.2, rand
```

#### 5.MODEL SELECTION:

Choose an appropriate machine learning model for regression. For this example, we'll use a Random Forest Regressor.

```
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestRegressor

# Choose a model and create an instance
```

```
model = RandomForestRegressor(n_estimators=100,  
random_state=42)
```

## 6.MODEL TRAINING:

Train the selected model on the training data.

```
# Train the model  
model.fit(X_train, y_train)
```

## 7.MODEL EVALUATION:

Evaluate the model's performance on the test data using appropriate regression metrics.

```
from sklearn.metrics import mean_absolute_error,  
mean_squared_error
```

```
# Make predictions  
y_pred = model.predict(X_test)
```

```
# Evaluate the model

mae = mean_absolute_error(y_test, y_pred)
mse = mean_squared_error(y_test, y_pred)
rmse = np.sqrt(mse)

print(f'Mean Absolute Error: {mae}')
print(f'Mean Squared Error: {mse}')
print(f'Root Mean Squared Error: {rmse}')
```

## 8. HYPERPARAMETER TUNING AND MODEL IMPROVEMENT:

Depending on the model's performance, you can fine-tune hyperparameters and experiment with different models to achieve better results.

### PROGRAM:

```
import pandas as pd

import numpy as np

from sklearn.model_selection import
```



```
train_test_split
```

```
from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression
```

```
from sklearn.metrics import mean_absolute_error
```

```
# Load and preprocess the data
```

```
data = pd.read_csv('electricity_price_data.csv')
```

```
data['date'] = pd.to_datetime(data['date'])
```

```
data.set_index('date', inplace=True)
```

```
# Feature selection and engineering
```

```
data['hour'] = data.index.hour
```

```
data['day_of_week'] = data.index.dayofweek
```

```
# Split the data
```

```
X = data[['hour', 'day_of_week']]
```

```
y = data['price']
```

```
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X,  
y, test_size=0.3, random_state=42)
```

```
# Train a simple linear regression model
```

```
model = LinearRegression()
```

```
model.fit(X_train, y_train)
```

```
# Make predictions
```

```
predictions = model.predict(X_test)
```

```
# Evaluate the model
```

```
mae = mean_absolute_error(y_test, predictions)
```

```
print(f'Mean Absolute Error: {mae}')
```

## CONCLUSION:

In conclusion, predicting electricity prices using data science is a complex yet valuable task with a wide range of applications, from energy trading to resource management.







