## We are building models and forecast 30 days after for Continental Breakfast

We should first check the data and the trend:

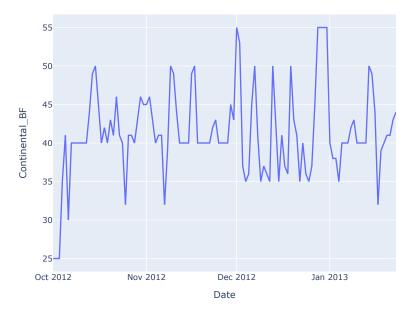
```
import warnings
with warnings.catch_warnings():
    warnings.simplefilter("ignore")
import pandas as pd
import statsmodels.api as sm
import plotly.express as px
Import data, read the data and see the data descriptions.
df = pd.read_excel("IMB465-XLS-ENG.xls")
df = df.rename(columns={'Continental B/F': 'Continental_BF', 'North Indian B/F': 'North_Indian_BF'})
print(df.info()) #information of the dataset
print(df.describe().round(2))
     <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
     RangeIndex: 115 entries, 0 to 114
     Data columns (total 9 columns):
                           Non-Null Count
     #
         Column
                                            Dtype
     0
         Date
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                                            datetime64[ns]
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                                            int64
         Idly
          Dosa
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         Chutney
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     5
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         Sambar
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         North_Indian_BF
                          115 non-null
                                            int64
         Omellette
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     memory usage: 8.2 KB
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                                          Chutney
                                                   Sambar
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     count
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                                   5.26
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                                  13.00
     50%
     75%
                       6.00
                                  20.00
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                       8.00
```

Remodify the data with only the columns we need.

```
df = df[['Date','Continental_BF']]
df.index = df.Date
df.index.freq = 'D'
df = df.drop('Date', axis = 1)

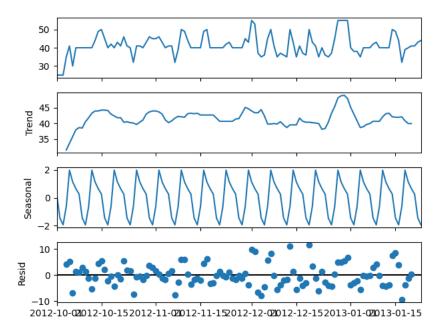
Show the data trend

fig = px.line(x = df.index, y = df['Continental_BF'], labels = {'x':'Date', 'y': "Continental_BF"})
fig.show()
```



Plot the seasonality charts to check the seasonality.

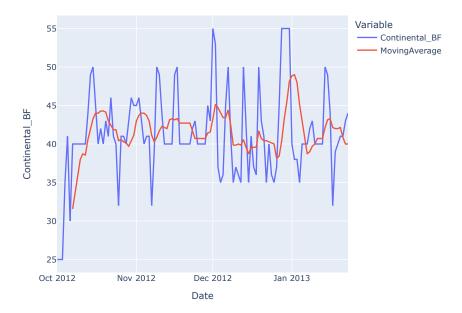
```
from statsmodels.tsa.seasonal import seasonal_decompose
decompose_data = seasonal_decompose(df, model="add")
decompose_data.plot();
```



## Moving Average

Moving average can show us the data trend more intuitively.

	Continental_BF	MovingAverage	
Date			
2012-10-01	25	NaN	
2012-10-02	25	NaN	
2012-10-03	25	NaN	
2012-10-04	35	NaN	
2012-10-05	41	NaN	
2012-10-06	30	NaN	
2012-10-07	40	31.571429	
2012-10-08	40	33.714286	
2012-10-09	40	35.857143	
2012-10-10	40	38.000000	
2012-10-11	40	38.714286	
2012-10-12	40	38.571429	
2012-10-13	44	40.571429	
2012-10-14	49	41.857143	



# The Forecasting Models

Now we start to build models.

from statsmodels.tsa.holtwinters import SimpleExpSmoothing from statsmodels.tsa.holtwinters import ExponentialSmoothing

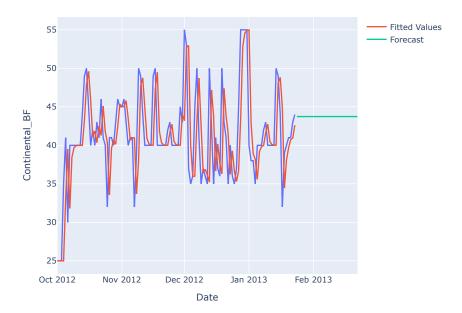
#### ETS models

For the first 3 models, we use exponential smoothing models (sample, double-holt and triple-winter). We just use optimized = True to get the optimized solution for the models.

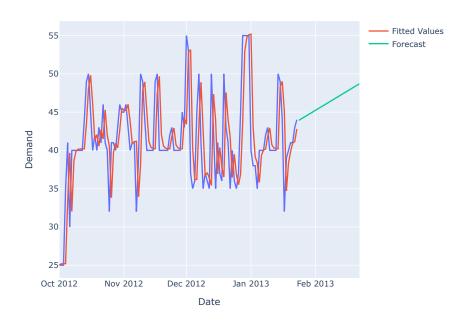
#### Sample

```
ets_model = SimpleExpSmoothing(df)
ets_fit = ets_model.fit(optimized=True)
# print(ets_fit.fittedvalues)

PERIODS_AHEAD = 30
fig = px.line(x = df.index, y = df['Continental_BF'], labels = {'x': 'Date', 'y':'Continental_BF'})
fig.add_scatter(x = ets_fit.fittedvalues.index, y = ets_fit.fittedvalues, name = 'Fitted Values')
fig.add_scatter(x = ets_fit.forecast(PERIODS_AHEAD).index, y = ets_fit.forecast(PERIODS_AHEAD), name = 'Forecast')
fig.show()
```



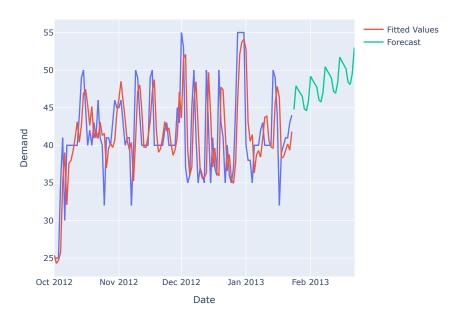
#### ✓ Holt



#### Winter

```
ets_model = ExponentialSmoothing(df, trend='add', seasonal='mul', seasonal_periods=7)
ets_fit = ets_model.fit(optimized=True)
forecast = ets_fit.forecast(PERIODS_AHEAD)
# print(ets_fit.forecast(PERIODS_AHEAD))

fig = px.line(x = df.index, y = df['Continental_BF'], labels = {'x': 'Date', 'y':'Demand'})
fig.add_scatter(x = ets_fit.fittedvalues.index, y = ets_fit.fittedvalues, name = 'Fitted Values')
fig.add_scatter(x = ets_fit.forecast(PERIODS_AHEAD).index, y = ets_fit.forecast(PERIODS_AHEAD), name = 'Forecast')
fig.show()
```



#### **ARIMA**

## Check for stationarity

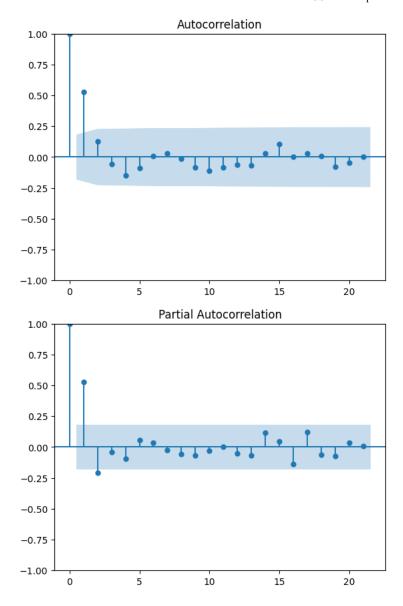
```
from statsmodels.tsa.stattools import adfuller
adf = adfuller(df)
print(f'ADF Statistic {adf[0]}') # adf[0] - returns the ADF statistic value
print(f'p-value {adf[1]}') # adf[1] - returns the p-value -- if this value is high, the data is non-stationary

ADF Statistic -6.140300480128494
    p-value 8.001298246056169e-08
```

#### Explore autocorrelation

The plots help us determine what the parameter p and q should be.

```
from statsmodels.graphics.tsaplots import plot_acf, plot_pacf
from statsmodels.tsa.arima.model import ARIMA
plot_acf(df).show() #q=1
plot_pacf(df).show() #p=1 or 2
```



#### Search for the best ARIMA model using pmdarima

pmdarima automates the search for the best ARIMA model, it goes through many p,q,d combinations, and selects the model with the lowest AIC

#install pmdarima package
!pip install pmdarima

```
Requirement already satisfied: pmdarima in /usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages (2.0.4)
Requirement already satisfied: joblib>=0.11 in /usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages (from pmdarima) (1.3.2)
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Requirement already satisfied: patsy>=0.5.4 in /usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages (from statsmodels>=0.13.2->pmdarima)
Requirement already satisfied: six in /usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages (from patsy>=0.5.4->statsmodels>=0.13.2->pmdar
```

```
import pmdarima as pm
model_fit = pm.auto_arima(df,
                              start_p=1, start_q=1, start_d=1,
                              max_p=12, max_q=12, max_d=12,
                             seasonal= False, #since we already observed no seasonality in the data
                             error_action='ignore',
                             suppress_warnings=True,
                             trace = True,
                             stepwise = True,
                             stationary=True)
print(model_fit.summary())
     Performing stepwise search to minimize aic
     ARIMA(1,0,1)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
                                          : AIC=692.761, Time=0.14 sec
     ARIMA(0,0,0)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
                                          : AIC=733.400, Time=0.03 sec
     ARIMA(1,0,0)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
                                            AIC=695.003, Time=0.09 sec
     ARIMA(0,0,1)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
                                            AIC=694.928, Time=0.06 sec
     ARIMA(0,0,0)(0,0,0)[0]
                                          : AIC=1186.400, Time=0.01 sec
                                          : AIC=694.217, Time=0.86 sec
: AIC=694.750, Time=0.39 sec
     ARIMA(2,0,1)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
     ARIMA(1,0,2)(0,0,0)[0]
                             intercept
     ARIMA(0,0,2)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
                                            AIC=693.383, Time=0.17 sec
     ARIMA(2,0,0)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
                                            AIC=692.523, Time=0.20 sec
     ARIMA(3,0,0)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
                                            AIC=694.454, Time=0.66 sec
     ARIMA(3,0,1)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
                                            AIC=696.514, Time=0.69 sec
     ARIMA(2,0,0)(0,0,0)[0]
                                          : AIC=inf, Time=0.12 sec
     Best model: ARIMA(2,0,0)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
     Total fit time: 3.445 seconds
                                     SARIMAX Results
     Dep. Variable:
                                              No. Observations:
                                                                                   115
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    Model:
                                              Log Likelihood
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    Date:
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     Covariance Type:
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	coef	std err	z	P> z	[0.025	0.975]	
intercept ar.L1 ar.L2 sigma2	22.2989 0.6629 -0.2035 22.4350	2.846 0.090 0.095 2.544	7.836 7.340 -2.152 8.817	0.000 0.000 0.031 0.000	16.722 0.486 -0.389 17.448	27.876 0.840 -0.018 27.422	
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[1] Covariance matrix calculated using the outer product of gradients (complex-step).

# Result Validating (5 models)

```
# Let us build a function that calculates MAPE to autmoate some steps further:
def calculate_mape(actual_values, predicted_values):
    return ((abs((actual_values - predicted_values) / actual_values))*100).mean()
```

We decide to split the train and test data by 0.9:0.1 (so we include new year days in our train data), since we obseved a big surge during New Year days, and this might affect our validation.

```
# Create a train and test sets:
train, test = df.iloc[:round(len(df) * 0.9)], df.iloc[round(len(df) * 0.9):]
print(len(test))
print(train.index) # dates in train data set
     DatetimeIndex(['2012-10-01', '2012-10-02', '2012-10-03', '2012-10-04', '2012-10-05', '2012-10-06', '2012-10-07', '2012-10-08',
                       '2012-10-09', '2012-10-10',
                       '2013-01-03', '2013-01-04', '2013-01-05', '2013-01-06',
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```
'2013-01-07', '2013-01-08', '2013-01-09', '2013-01-10', '2013-01-11', '2013-01-12'], dtype='datetime64[ns]', name='Date', length=104, freq='D')
```

### Cross-validate the results (ARIMA)

```
arima = pm.auto_arima(train,
                               start_p=1, start_q=1, start_d=1,
                               max_p=12, max_q=12, max_d=12,
                              seasonal=False,
                              error_action='ignore',
                              suppress_warnings=True,
                              trace = True,
                              stepwise = True,
                              stationary=False)
     Performing stepwise search to minimize aic
      ARIMA(1,0,1)(0,0,0)[0]
                                            : AIC=654.446, Time=0.26 sec
      ARIMA(0,0,0)(0,0,0)[0]
                                            : AIC=1072.766, Time=0.04 sec
                                            : AIC=653.901, Time=0.07 sec
: AIC=949.376, Time=0.15 sec
      ARIMA(1,0,0)(0,0,0)[0]
      ARIMA(0,0,1)(0,0,0)[0]
      ARIMA(2,0,0)(0,0,0)[0]
                                            : AIC=inf, Time=0.15 sec
      ARIMA(2,0,1)(0,0,0)[0]
                                            : AIC=657.430, Time=0.24 sec
      ARIMA(1,0,0)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
                                           : AIC=630.095, Time=0.13 sec
      ARIMA(0,0,0)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
                                           : AIC=667.106, Time=0.01 sec
      ARIMA(2,0,0)(0,0,0)[0]
                               intercept
                                            : AIC=628.661, Time=0.16 sec
      ARIMA(3,0,0)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
                                            : AIC=630.657, Time=0.54 sec
                                            : AIC=630.313, Time=0.30 sec
: AIC=628.456, Time=0.35 sec
      ARIMA(2,0,1)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
      ARIMA(1,0,1)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
                                            : AIC=630.386, Time=0.11 sec
      ARIMA(0,0,1)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
                                            : AIC=630.417, Time=0.62 sec
: AIC=629.475, Time=0.17 sec
      ARIMA(1,0,2)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
      ARIMA(0,0,2)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
      ARIMA(2,0,2)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
                                            : AIC=632.276, Time=0.38 sec
     Best model: ARIMA(1,0,1)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
     Total fit time: 3.724 seconds
```

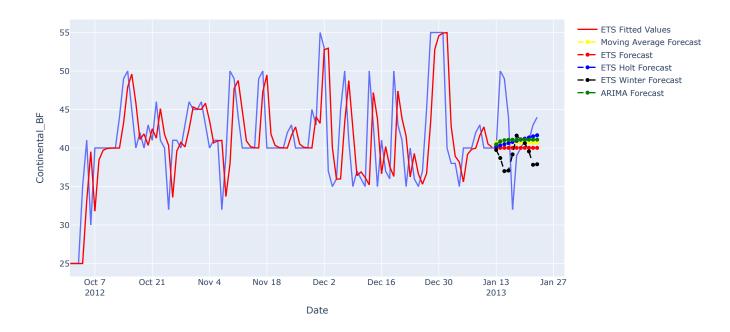
#### The Validation of all models

#### Moving Avearge

```
# Step 1: Calculate the rolling moving average for the training set
rolling_MA_train = train.copy()
rolling_MA_train['MovingAverage'] = train['Continental_BF'].rolling(periods).mean()
# Step 2: Extrapolate the trend for the test set based on the last value of the rolling moving average in the training set
last_ma_value_train = rolling_MA_train['MovingAverage'].iloc[-1]
# Create a DataFrame to store the forecasted values for the test set
forecast_test = pd.DataFrame(index=test.index)
# Fill the forecast DataFrame with the last value of the moving average in the training set
forecast_test['Forecast'] = last_ma_value_train
# Calculate the Mean Absolute Percentage Error (MAPE)
actual_values = test['Continental_BF']
forecast_values = forecast_test['Forecast']
mape = (abs(actual_values - forecast_values) / actual_values).mean() * 100
# Print the MAPE
print("Mean Absolute Percentage Error (MAPE): {:.2f}%".format(mape))
forecast_ma=forecast_values
     Mean Absolute Percentage Error (MAPE): 8.39%
```

#### ETS and ARIMA MAPES

```
#Simple ETS
ets_model_ets = SimpleExpSmoothing(train).fit(optimized=True)
forecast_ets = ets_model_ets.forecast(len(test))
print("MAPE for the Simple ETS model:", calculate_mape(test["Continental_BF"], forecast_ets), "%")
# Holt
# Create forecast using Holt's model here
ets_model_ets_H = ExponentialSmoothing(train, trend='add',seasonal=None, initialization_method = 'estimated').fit(optimized = Tr
forecast_ets_H = ets_model_ets_H.forecast(len(test))
print("MAPE for the Holt model:", calculate_mape(test["Continental_BF"], forecast_ets_H), "%")
# Winters
# Create forecast using Winters' model here
ets_model_ets_W = ExponentialSmoothing(train, trend='add', seasonal='mul', seasonal_periods=7).fit(optimized = True)
forecast_ets_W = ets_model_ets_W.forecast(len(test))
print("MAPE for the Winter model:", calculate_mape(test["Continental_BF"], forecast_ets_W), "%")
#ARIMA
print('MAPE for the ARIMA model:', calculate_mape(test['Continental_BF'], arima.predict(len(test))), "%")
    MAPE for the Simple ETS model: 8.715739790724 %
    MAPE for the Holt model: 8.191732186507025 %
    MAPE for the Winter model: 11.429565900517401 %
    MAPE for the ARIMA model: 8.211194365546056 %
# Plot the results (fitted values and forecasts) using all 4 models (ETS, Holt's, Winters, ARIMA)
fig = px.line(x = df.index, y = df['Continental_BF'], labels = {'x': 'Date', 'y':'Continental_BF'})
fig.add_scatter(x = ets_model_ets.fittedvalues.index, y = ets_model_ets.fittedvalues, name = 'ETS Fitted Values',
   line=dict(color='red') )
fig.add_scatter(x = test.index, y = forecast_values, name = 'Moving Average Forecast',
   line=dict(color='yellow', dash='dash') )
fig.add\_scatter(x = test.index, y = ets\_model\_ets.forecast(len(test)), name = 'ETS Forecast',
   line=dict(color='red', dash='dash') )
# fig.add_scatter(x = ets_model_ets_H.fittedvalues.index, y = ets_model_ets_H.fittedvalues, name = 'ETS Holt Fitted Values',
   # line=dict(color='blue') )
fig.add_scatter(x = test.index, y = ets_model_ets_H.forecast(len(test)), name = 'ETS Holt Forecast',
   line=dict(color='blue', dash='dash') )
# fig.add_scatter(x = ets_model_ets_W.fittedvalues.index, y = ets_model_ets_W.fittedvalues, name = 'ETS Winter Fitted Values',
   # line=dict(color='black') )
fig.add_scatter(x = test.index, y = ets_model_ets_W.forecast(len(test)), name = 'ETS Winter Forecast',
   line=dict(color='black', dash='dash') )
line=dict(color='green', dash='dash') )
fig.show()
```

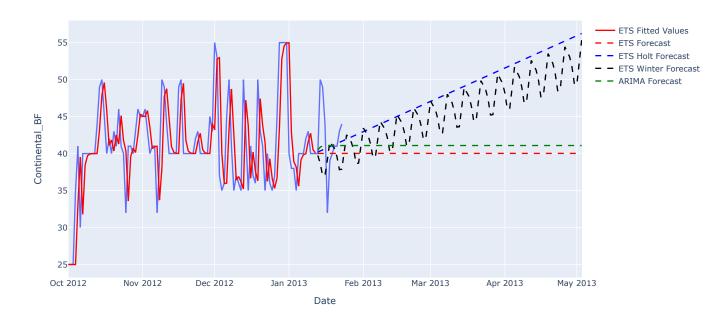


#### MAPE for the Holt model: 0.08191732186507027

#### MAPE for the ARIMA model: 0.08211194365546058

These two models give us the lowest MAPE, indicating a better fit of testing data, they can be best models for future forecasting.

To decide which to use, we test for 100 furture days:



Even Holt-ETS model has a lower MAPE than ARIMA model, we still choose ARIMA model, since the Holt-ETS model only use last several days' data, and makes the forecasting data increasing continuously, it will only provide accuracy for several days after (not as long as 30 days).

ARIMA model includes more data and smoothed the trend in the forecasting, and it can be less risky if we predict longer future data. So we decide to use ARIMA model as our final model.

## Forecasting by ARIMA and Save files

```
from google.colab import files
#forecast by ARIMA
arima2 = pm.auto_arima(df,
                              start_p=1, start_q=1, start_d=1,
                              max_p=12, max_q=12, max_d=12,
                             seasonal=True,
                             error_action='ignore',
                             suppress_warnings=True,
                             trace = True,
                             stepwise = True,
                             stationary=False)
forecast_arima = arima2.predict(30)
print(forecast_arima)
     Performing stepwise search to minimize aic
     ARIMA(1,0,1)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
                                          : AIC=692.761, Time=0.27 sec
                                            AIC=733.400, Time=0.05 sec
AIC=695.003, Time=0.11 sec
     ARIMA(0,0,0)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
     ARIMA(1,0,0)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
     ARIMA(0,0,1)(0,0,0)[0]
                             intercept
                                          : AIC=694.928, Time=0.15 sec
     ARIMA(0,0,0)(0,0,0)[0]
                                            AIC=1186.400, Time=0.04 sec
     ARIMA(2,0,1)(0,0,0)[0]
                                            AIC=694.217, Time=0.91 sec
                              intercept
                                            AIC=694.750, Time=0.58 sec
     ARIMA(1,0,2)(0,0,0)[0]
                             intercept
     ARIMA(0,0,2)(0,0,0)[0]
                              intercept
                                            AIC=693.383, Time=0.17 sec
     ARIMA(2,0,0)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
                                          : AIC=692.523, Time=0.41 sec
     ARIMA(3,0,0)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
                                          : AIC=694.454, Time=0.61 sec
     ARIMA(3,0,1)(0,0,0)[0]
                             intercept
                                            AIC=696.514, Time=0.57 sec
     ARIMA(2,0,0)(0,0,0)[0]
                                          : AIC=inf, Time=0.12 sec
     Best model: ARIMA(2,0,0)(0,0,0)[0] intercept
     Total fit time: 4.019 seconds
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