

# Forecasting Bike Accidents in PDX

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#### background



Why?



#### Portland, OR

**Bike Friendly** 

**Biking areas** 

77 mi Neighborhood Greenways

**188 mi** Bike lanes

85 mi Bike paths

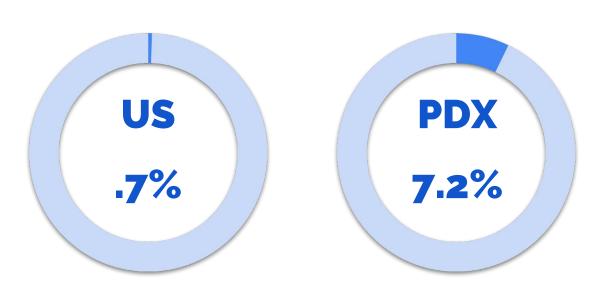
**Bike Parking** 

6500 Public Bike Racks

**134** Bike Corrals



#### commuters who bike



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### Portland Cyclist Just Wanted to Ride His Bike Naked. Now He's Suing the City for \$566,000.

THE RIDER SUFFERED SERIOUS INJURIES AFTER CRASHING INTO CEMENT BARRIERS IN THE ROAD AS HE RETURNED (FULLY CLOTHED) FROM THE CITY'S WORLD NAKED BIKE RIDE LAST YEAR.

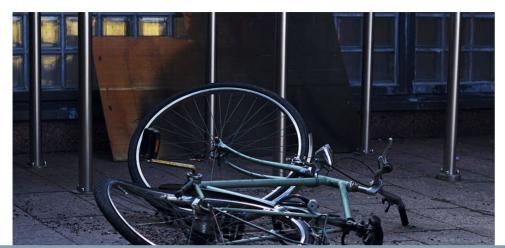


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#### Methodology









**Explore** 

Trends and **Seasonality** 

**Modeling** 

**Forecasting** 

Clean, graph, and visualize the timeline data

Check for directional trends in the data and look for any seasonal patterns Evaluate different regression models via log likelihood, error metrics, and lag plots.

Find the best model for predicting weekly accident count in 2016





Explore

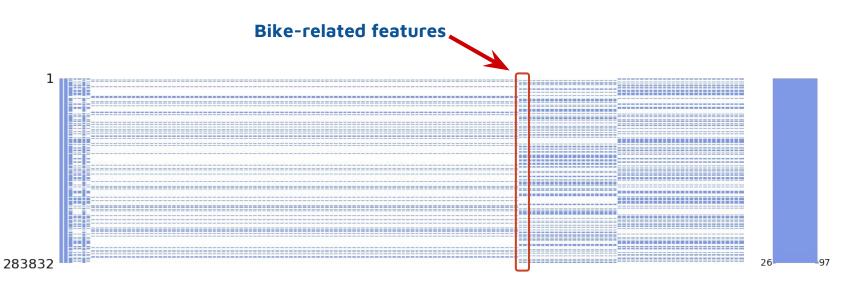


#### **ODOT Multnomah Dataset**

Crash ID | Record Type | Vehicle ID | Participant ID | Participant Display Seg# | Vehicle Coded Seg# | Participant Vehicle Seg# | Serial # | Crash Month | Crash Day | Crash Year | Week Day Code | Crash Hour | County Code | City Section ID | Urban Area Code | Functional Class Code | NHS Flag | Highway Number | Highway Suffix | Roadway Number | Highway Component | Mleage Type | Connection Number | Linear Reference System (LRS) | Latitude Degrees | Latitude Minutes | Latitude Seconds | Long tude Degrees | Longitude Minutes | Longitude Seconds | Special Jurisdiction | Jurisdiction Group | Street Number | Nearest Intersecting Street Number | Intersection Sequence Number | Distance from Intersection | Direction From Intersection | Milepoint | Posted Speed Limit | Road Character | Off Roadway Flag | Intersection Type | Intersection Related Flag | Road Driveway Related Flag | Number of Lanes | Number of Turning Legs | Median Type | Impact Location ask Type | Crash Severty | Weather Condition | Road Surface Condition | Light Condition | Traffic Contact Davi TCD Functional Flag I investigating Agency | Crash Level Event | Code | Crash Level Event | 2 | Crant evel went 3 Code | Crash Level Cause 1 Code | Crash Level Cause 2 Code | Crash Level Cause 3 Code | So work Zone Indicator L Alconol-Involved Flag | Drugs Involved Flag | Speed Involved Flag | Crank February | Route Number | Route Type | Route Number | Region ID | District ID | Segment - D | Segment Point LRS Measure | Unlocatable Flag | Total Vehicle Count | Total Fatality Count | Total Selious Injury (Inj-A) Count | Total Moderate Injury (Inj-B) Count | Total Minor Injury (Inj-C) Count | Total Non-Fatal Injury Count | Total Count of Un-Injured Children Age 00-04 | Total Count of Un-Injured Persons | Total Pedestrian Count | Total Pedestrian Fatality Count | Total Pedastrian Non-Fatal Injury Count | Total Pedalcyclist Count | Total Pedalcyclist Fatality Count | Total Pedalcyclist Hon-Fatal Injury Count | Total Unknown Non-Motorist Count | Total Unknown Non-Motorist Fatality Count | Total Unknown Non-Motorist Injury Count | Total Vehicle Occupant Count | Total Count of Persons Involved | Total Quantity of Persons Using Safety Equipment ... AND MORE!!!

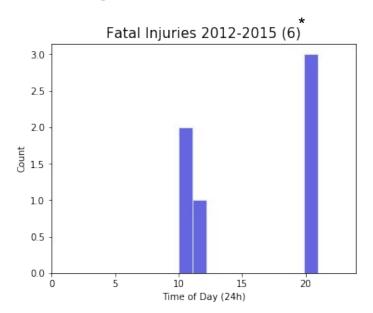


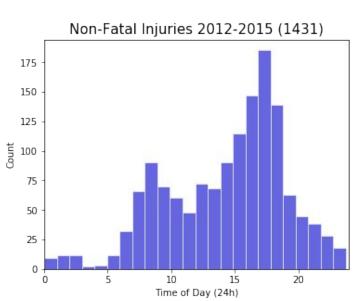
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## **Distribution: Hourly Accidents**

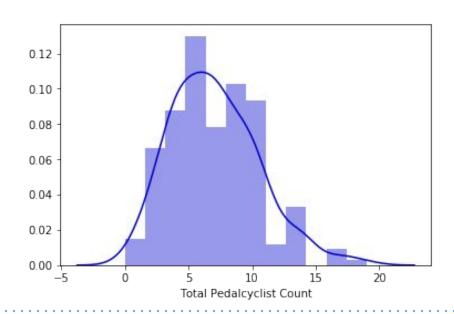






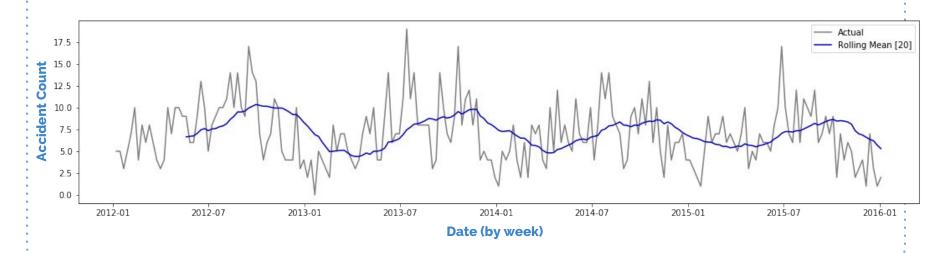
#### Distribution: Total Accident Count for 1 Week











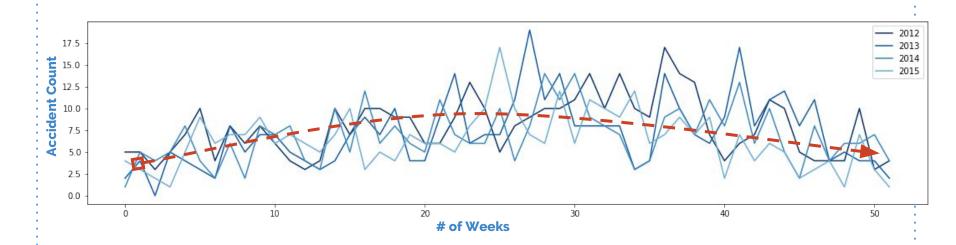




# Trends and Seasonality

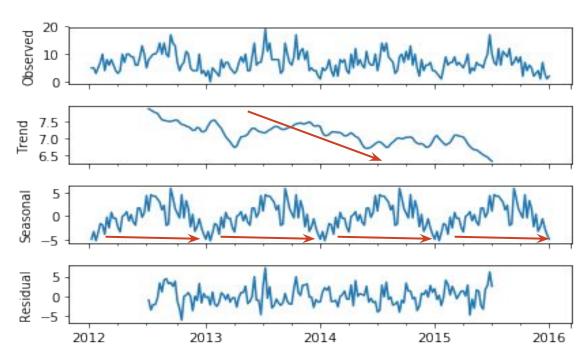


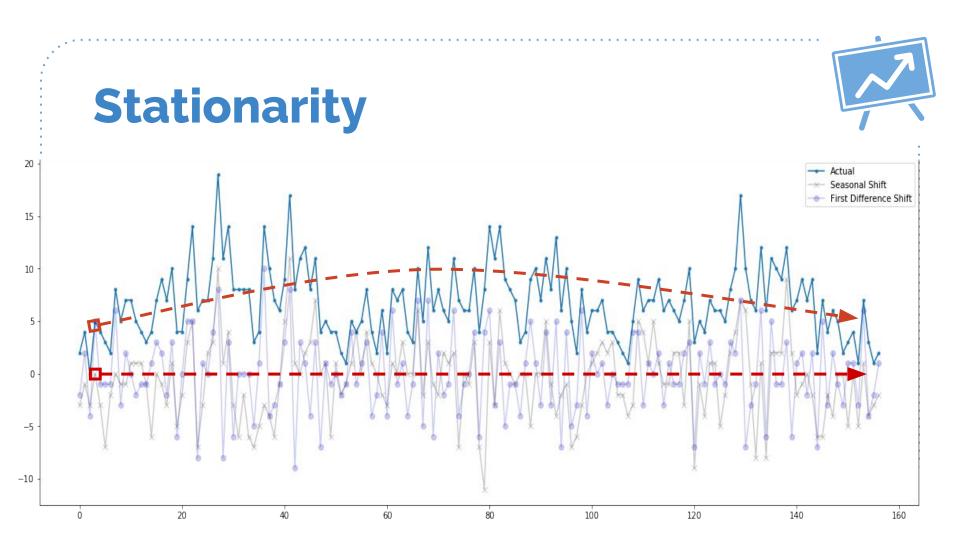
#### **Accidents by year**











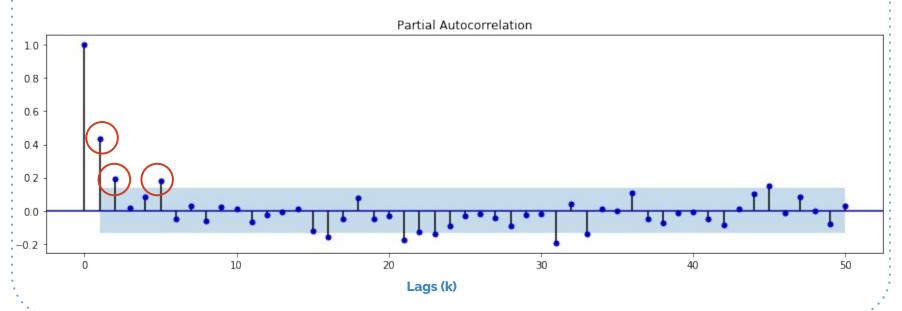




Modeling

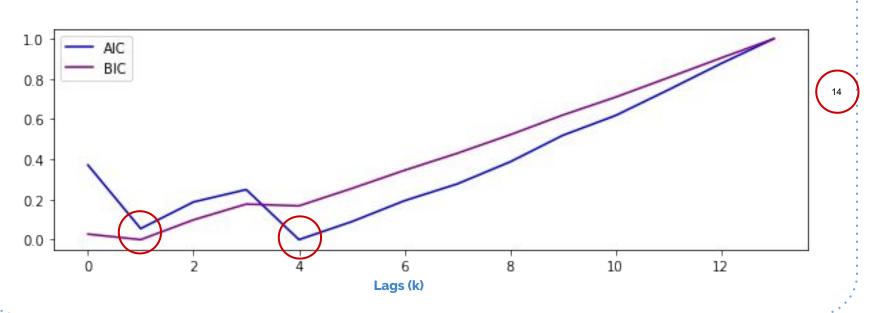


## Partial Autocorrelation: For choosing AR



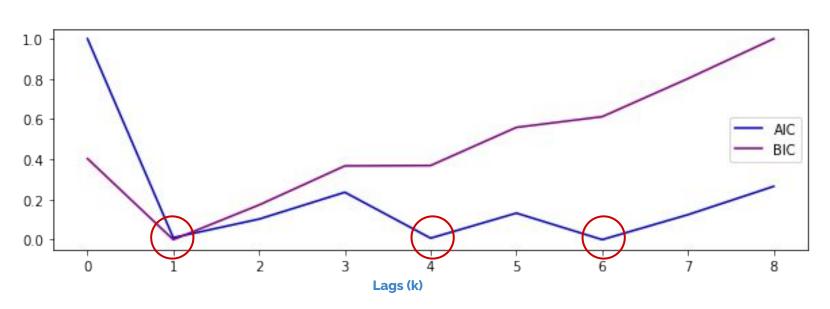
## Likelihood: AR Lags





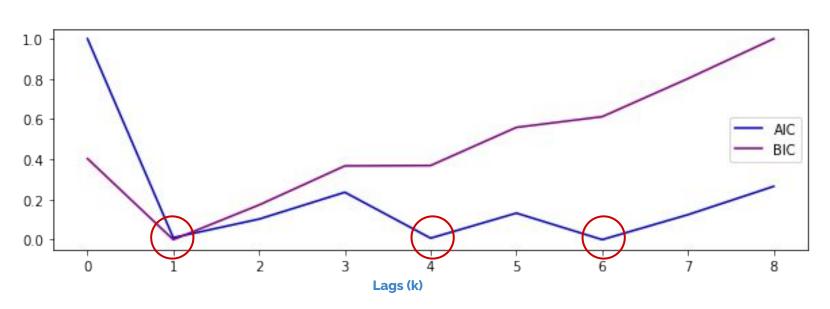
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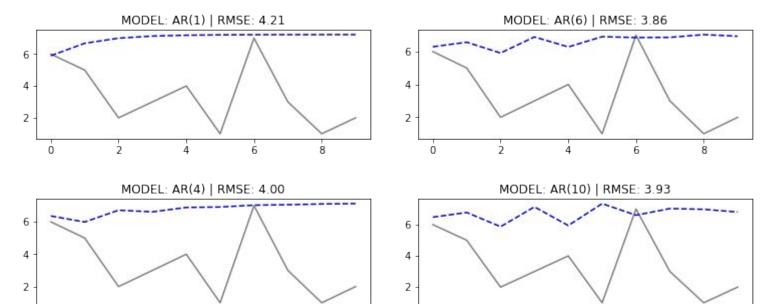
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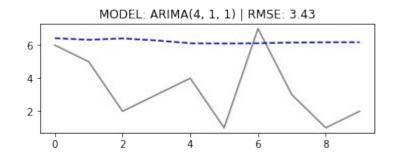
#### **Models: AR**

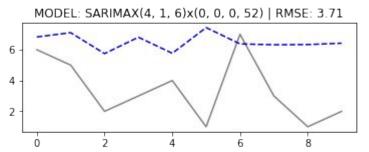


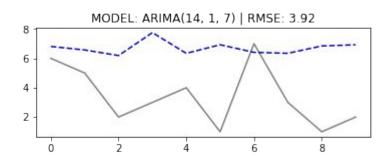


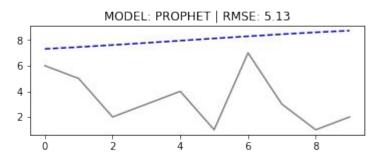
#### **Models: ARIMA, SARIMAX, Prophet**











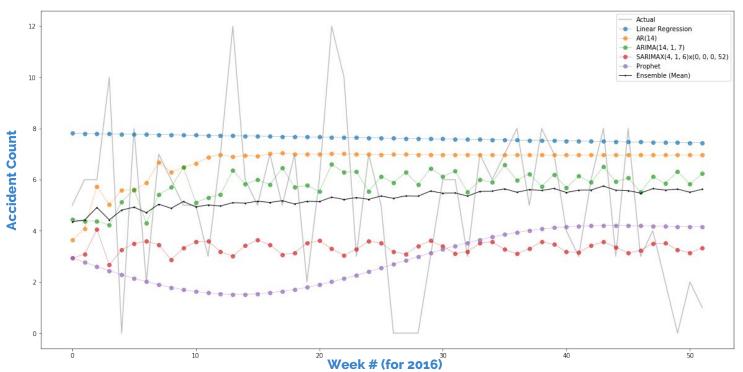


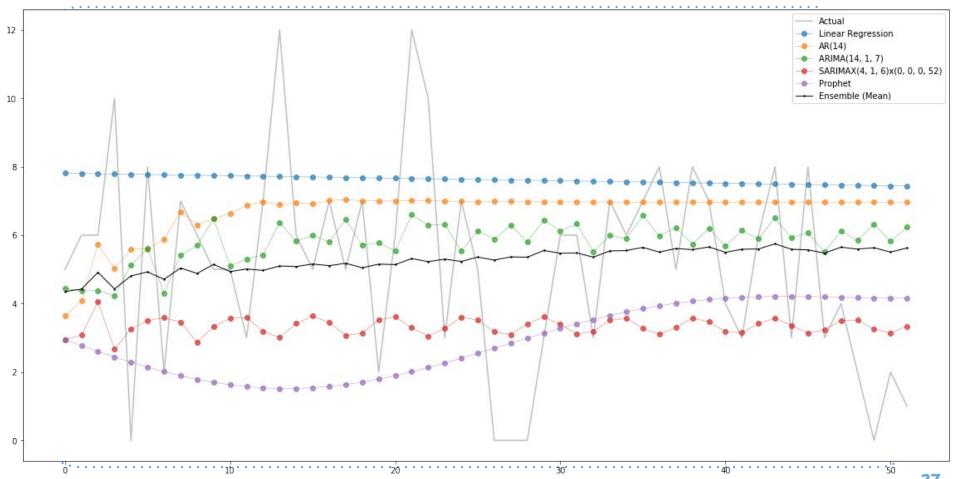


### Forecasting

#### **2016 Predictions**

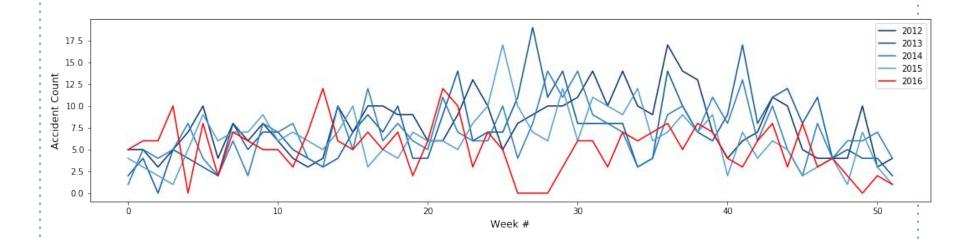




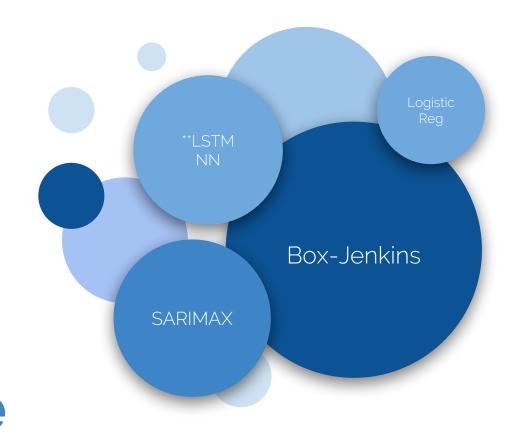




#### **Accidents by year + 2016**



# Other models to explore

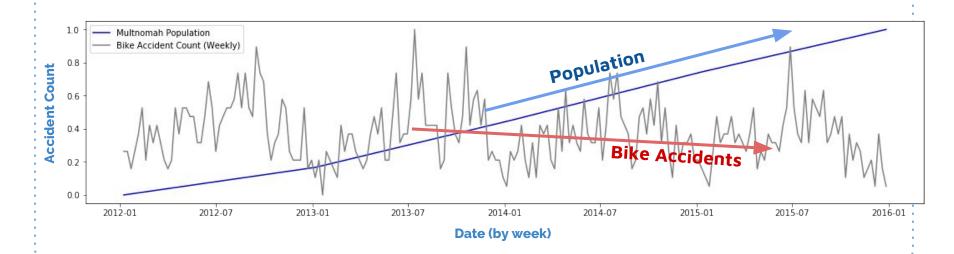




# variables to account for



#### **Bike Accidents + Population 2012-2015**





# weight optimization and hyper parameters



# Any Questions?



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