

# Energy Forecasting - Time Series

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## 1 Energy forecasting: aggregated to a jurisdiction area

**Purpose:** The purpose of this work is to predict energy consumption for a residential area. In the recent past, I have been curious to analyze patterns in energy consumption and eventually develop models to perform short term energy/load forecasting. Electric demand or energy consumption forecasting is nothing new to electric industry, almost every energy company uses some kind of forecasting model. Predicting the demand is essential for electric utility operations and planning in order to provide reliable electric power to customers. With the integration of Distribution Energy Resources (DERs) and emphasis on demand response management programs, the complexity in forecasting has grown many folds. This is my first attempt at it in understanding time series analysis while building a model with low test error.

**About data:** Electric consumption (watt-hour) data for years between 2013 - 2018 is analyzed. Here, I have 15 minute interval meter readings for a small area with their geographical information. I will use Mean Absolute Percentage Error (MAPE) for comparing accuracies.

**What else I can infer from the data:** 1. The first and foremost to understand is that it is a time series data. The dependency of time requires special attention. Energy consumption patterns vary with time of day, day of week, weather patterns, holiday, size of customer, customer behavior, etc. 2. A jurisdiction area will have different types of customers - industrial, residential, commercial, farms, etc. 2. Missing data and recording errors.

For privacy and other legal concerns that might arise, I cannot provide data files.

```
In [1]: #Imports
        from pymongo import MongoClient
        import pandas as pd
        import numpy as np

        import glob
        import datetime
        import time
        %matplotlib inline
        import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        import seaborn as sns
        from statsmodels.graphics.tsaplots import plot_acf, plot_pacf
        from statsmodels.tsa.stattools import adfuller
        from numpy import log
        from statsmodels.tsa.seasonal import seasonal_decompose
        from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
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from sklearn.preprocessing import OneHotEncoder
from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder
from sklearn.neural_network import MLPRegressor
from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression
from sklearn.ensemble import GradientBoostingRegressor
from sklearn.pipeline import Pipeline
from sklearn.base import BaseEstimator, TransformerMixin
from sklearn.pipeline import FeatureUnion
from sklearn_pandas import DataFrameMapper

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/home/sravan/anaconda3/lib/python3.6/site-packages/statsmodels/compat/pandas.py:56: FutureWarning
from pandas.core import datetools

```

Here I will be connecting to my mongoDB to read the required meter data using MongoClient.  
Note: Considering residential meters only. This information is provided in meter profile.

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In [2]: GroupId = "FDR_14442"
        DBModelName = "AGADEMO-model"
        DBMeasurementsName = "AGADEMO-measurements"

In [3]: #Create mongo client
        client = MongoClient('localhost', 27019)
        #Read meter profile
        #Set database and collection
        db=client[DBModelName]
        coll=db['model.e.meter.profile']
        #Query residential meters.
        docsProf = coll.find({"rateCode":"PMRS_R","groupId":GroupId})
        listMeterId = []
        d = {'meterId':listMeterId}
        for dc in docsProf:
            listMeterId.append(dc['meterId'])
        dfMeters = pd.DataFrame(d)
        dfMeters.head(), dfMeters.shape

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Out[3]: (
           meterId
0  776428360310_21351300_NXA112132261
1  776428700240_21351220_1ND350444587
2  776428700240_21351230_NXA112132238
3  776428700240_21351250_1ND351364785
4  776428700240_21351255_NYA111197195, (425, 1))

```

We got list of residential meters. Now let us run the query on meter usage database.

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In [4]: #Read meter interval data
        #Set database and collection
        db=client[DBMeasurementsName]
        coll=db['measurements.meter.daily.bag']

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#Query consumption data
docsReads = coll.find({"groupId":GroupId})
#Transform json documents into dataframe with consumption and timestamp.
readDate = []
meterUsage = []
meterId = []
d = {'meterId':meterId, 'DataDate':readDate, 'Usage':meterUsage}
for doc in docsReads:
    intvlData = doc['intervalData']
    for data in intvlData:
        meterId.append(doc['meterId'])
        readDate.append(data[9])
        meterUsage.append(data[0])
df = pd.DataFrame(d)

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In [5]: df.head() , df.shape
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Out[5]: (
      DataDate      Usage      meterId
0  1357088400000  1431.294069  777428010690_20136117_KZD353381298
1  1357092000000  1456.469362  777428010690_20136117_KZD353381298
2  1357095600000  1466.303461  777428010690_20136117_KZD353381298
3  1357099200000  1493.996283  777428010690_20136117_KZD353381298
4  1357102800000  1523.734597  777428010690_20136117_KZD353381298,
(8532024, 3))

```

Here we have 21 million readings. But this is for all meters in the area. Lets extract data only for meters in dfMeters dataframe.

```
In [6]: dfUsage = pd.merge(df, dfMeters, on='meterId', how='inner')
```

```
In [7]: dfUsage.head()
```

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Out[7]:
      DataDate      Usage      meterId
0  1357088400000  1185.945002  777429430560_21300410_1ND350452599
1  1357092000000  1141.532082  777429430560_21300410_1ND350452599
2  1357095600000  1145.133130  777429430560_21300410_1ND350452599
3  1357099200000  1188.345701  777429430560_21300410_1ND350452599
4  1357102800000  1189.546050  777429430560_21300410_1ND350452599

```

We have raw readings which need to be preprocessed. Timestamp can be extracted to individual time components.

```

In [8]: #convert timestamp in milliseconds to datetime
def tsmsToDate(ts):
    return datetime.datetime.fromtimestamp(ts/1000)

```

```

In [9]: #Extract time and date features from consumption data
dfUsage['Date'] = dfUsage['DataDate'].apply(tsmsToDate)
dtcol = dfUsage['Date'].dt

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dfUsage['year'] = dtcol.year
dfUsage['month'] = dtcol.month
dfUsage['daymonth'] = dtcol.day
dfUsage['hour'] = dtcol.hour
dfUsage['dayinweek'] = dtcol.weekday

```

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In [10]: dfUsage.head()
```

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Out[10]:
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	DataDate	Usage	meterId \
0	1357088400000	1185.945002	777429430560_21300410_1ND350452599
1	1357092000000	1141.532082	777429430560_21300410_1ND350452599
2	1357095600000	1145.133130	777429430560_21300410_1ND350452599
3	1357099200000	1188.345701	777429430560_21300410_1ND350452599
4	1357102800000	1189.546050	777429430560_21300410_1ND350452599

	Date	year	month	daymonth	hour	dayinweek
0	2013-01-01 20:00:00	2013	1	1	20	1
1	2013-01-01 21:00:00	2013	1	1	21	1
2	2013-01-01 22:00:00	2013	1	1	22	1
3	2013-01-01 23:00:00	2013	1	1	23	1
4	2013-01-02 00:00:00	2013	1	2	0	2

Aggregate user consumption to a day. The dataframe dfUsageDaily holds aggregated daily user consumption readings for all meters under consideration.

```
In [11]: dfUsageDaily = dfUsage.groupby(['year', 'month', 'daymonth'])['Usage'].sum().reset_index()
```

```
In [12]: dfUsageDaily.shape
```

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Out[12]: (827, 4)
```

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In [13]: #Filter outliers around mean
def rejectOutliers(data, s =2.):
    flags = []
    stdev = np.std(data)
    mean = np.mean(data)
    slow = mean - s * stdev
    sup = mean + s * stdev
    for d in data:
        if d < slow or d > sup:
            flags.append(False)
        else:
            flags.append(True)
    return flags

```

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In [14]: #Converting watthour to kwh
dfUsageDaily['Usage'] = dfUsageDaily['Usage']/1000
#dfUsageDaily = dfUsageDaily[rejectOutliers(dfUsageDaily['Usage'])]

```

```
In [15]: dfUsageDaily.head()
```

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Out[15]:   year  month  daymonth      Usage
0  2013     1         1    4.660956
1  2013     1         2   41.910111
2  2013     1         3   79.960422
3  2013     1         4   76.447949
4  2013     1         5   77.976908

In [16]: dfUsageDaily.year.unique(), dfUsageDaily.month.unique(), dfUsageDaily.daymonth.unique()

Out[16]: (array([2013, 2014, 2015, 2018]),
          array([ 1,  2,  3,  4,  5,  6,  7,  8,  9, 10, 11, 12]),
          array([ 1,  2,  3,  4,  5,  6,  7,  8,  9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17,
                  18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31]))

```

## 1.1 Visualization

Considering 2013 and 2014 data.

```

In [17]: dfUsageDailyY = pd.DataFrame()
         #dfUsageDaily2013 = dfUsageDaily[dfUsageDaily['year']==2013]
         #dfUsageDailyY = dfUsageDaily2013[dfUsageDaily2013['month']>=6]  ##Bad data for Jan-May
         dfUsageDailyY = dfUsageDailyY.append(dfUsageDaily[dfUsageDaily['year']==2014])
         #dfUsageDailyY = dfUsageDailyY[dfUsageDailyY['month']==8]

         dfUsageDailyY = dfUsageDailyY.append(dfUsageDaily[dfUsageDaily['year']==2015])

In [18]: dfUsageDailyY.count()

Out[18]: year          457
         month         457
         daymonth      457
         Usage         457
         dtype: int64

In [19]: #convert timestamp in milliseconds to datetime
         def paramToDate(y,m,d):
             dt= datetime.datetime(year=y, month=m, day=d)
             return dt

```

To visualize as time series, I moved the data into panda series.

```

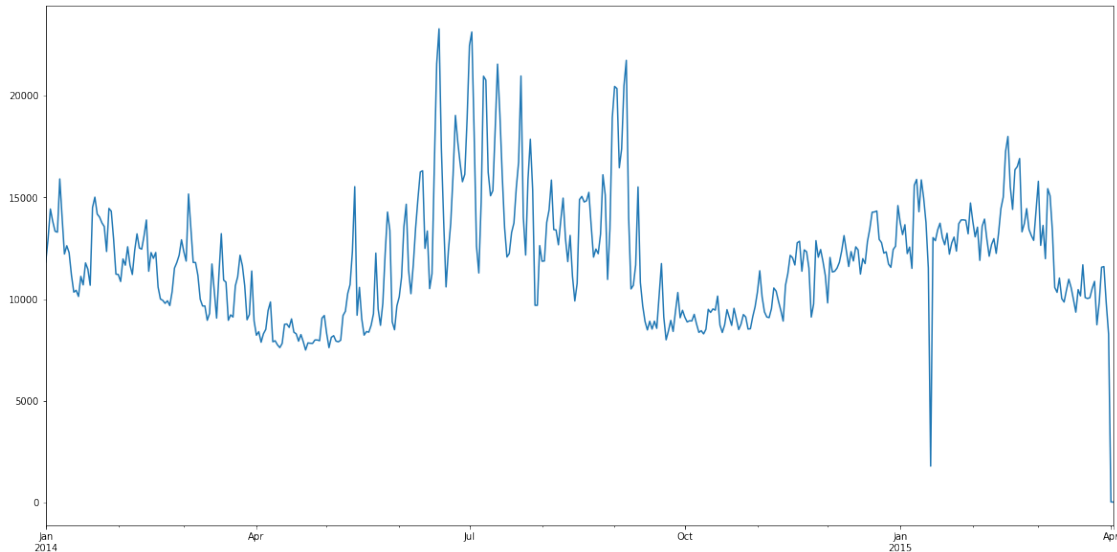
In [20]: y = pd.Series()
         y = list(map(lambda x : paramToDate(x.year,x.month,x.daymonth), dfUsageDailyY.itertuple
         series = pd.Series( dfUsageDailyY['Usage'].values, y)
         series[0:5]

Out[20]: 2014-01-01    11822.307025
         2014-01-02    12942.309043
         2014-01-03    14432.091790
         2014-01-04    13826.123779
         2014-01-05    13338.632715
         dtype: float64

```

```
In [21]: plt.figure(figsize=(20,10))
         series.plot()
```

```
Out[21]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7f9f1e0fa9b0>
```

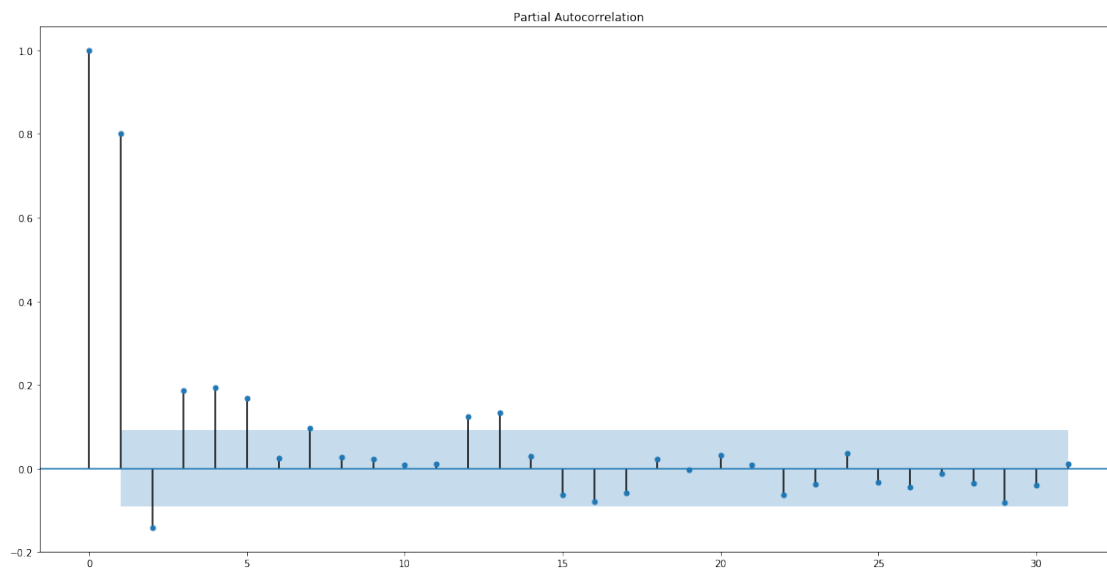
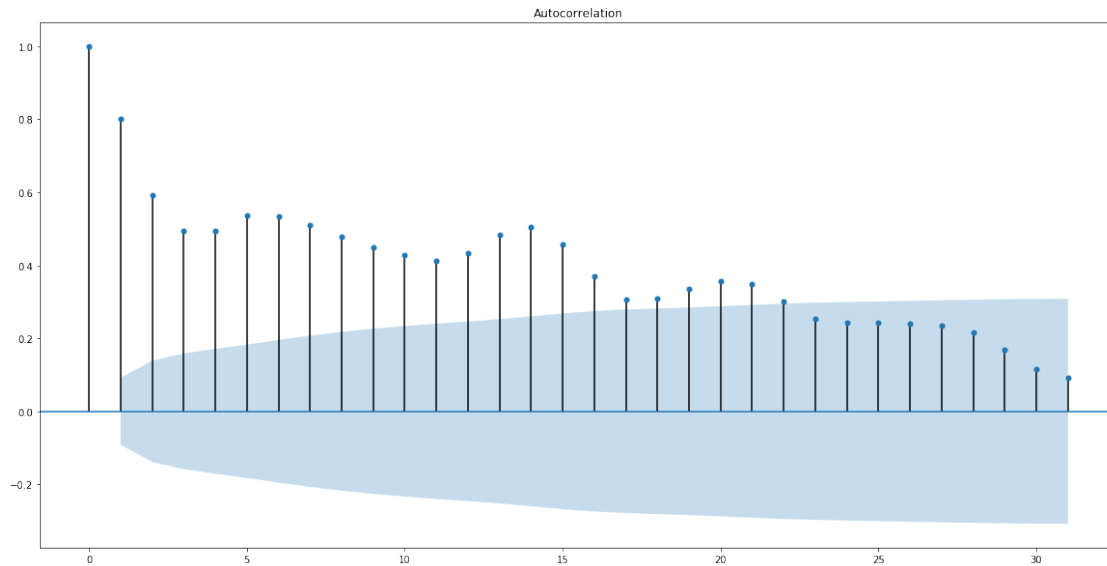


Observations: 1. Cyclical patterns across the year - probably seasonal variations. 2. Small cycles within month - probably daily/weekly variations. 3. Can be a lot of other things including white noise.

### 1.1.1 Is the series stationary ?

Lets plot auto-correlation and partial correlation plots.

```
In [22]: plt.rc("figure", figsize=(20,10))
         fig = plot_acf(dfUsageDailyY['Usage'], lags=31)
         fig1=plot_pacf(dfUsageDailyY['Usage'], lags=31)
```



Does not look stationary. Lot of points outside the critical boundary.

### Augmented Dickey-Fuller test

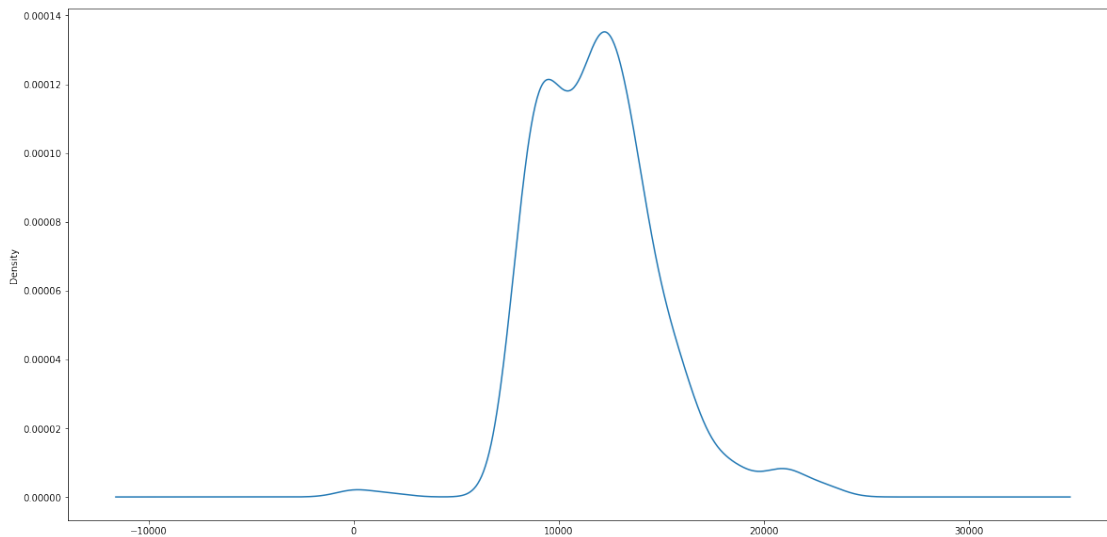
```
In [23]: result = adfuller(dfUsageDailyY.Usage)
print('ADF Statistic: %f' % result[0])
print('p-value: %f' % result[1])
print('Critical Values:')
for key, value in result[4].items():
    print('\t%s: %.3f' % (key, value))
```

```
ADF Statistic: -1.638200
p-value: 0.463201
Critical Values:
  1%: -3.445
  5%: -2.868
 10%: -2.570
```

ADF statistic value is greater than 1%. This indicates of non-stationarity. Lets make the series stationary. Here I will experiment with different things such as differencing, applying log or both.

```
In [24]: dfUsageDailyY.Usage.plot(kind='kde')
```

```
Out[24]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7f9f21f79240>
```



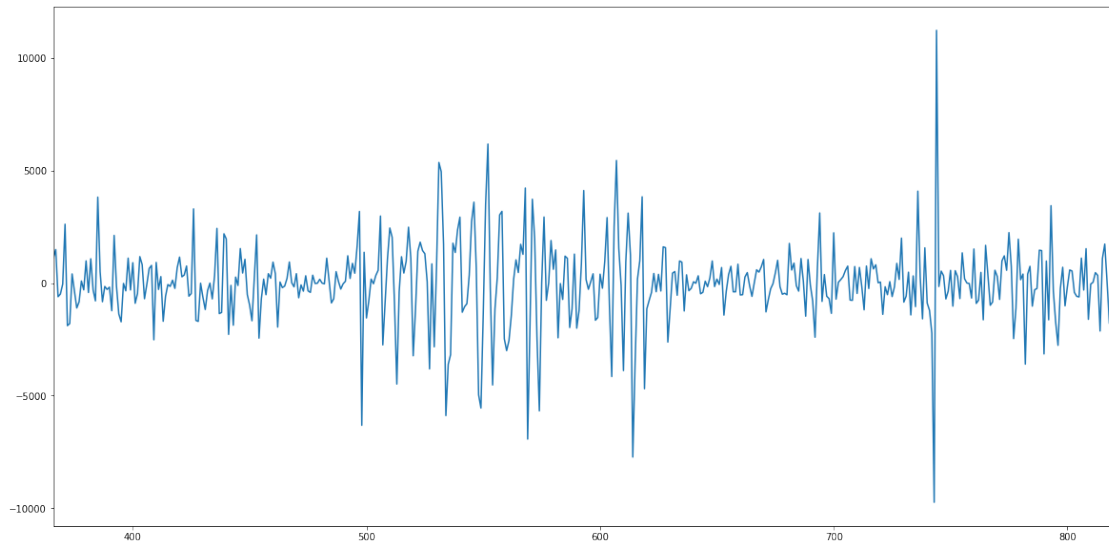
Perform difference of series

```
In [25]: diff1Usage = dfUsageDailyY['Usage'].diff()
diff1Usage = diff1Usage.dropna()
plt.figure(figsize=(20,10))

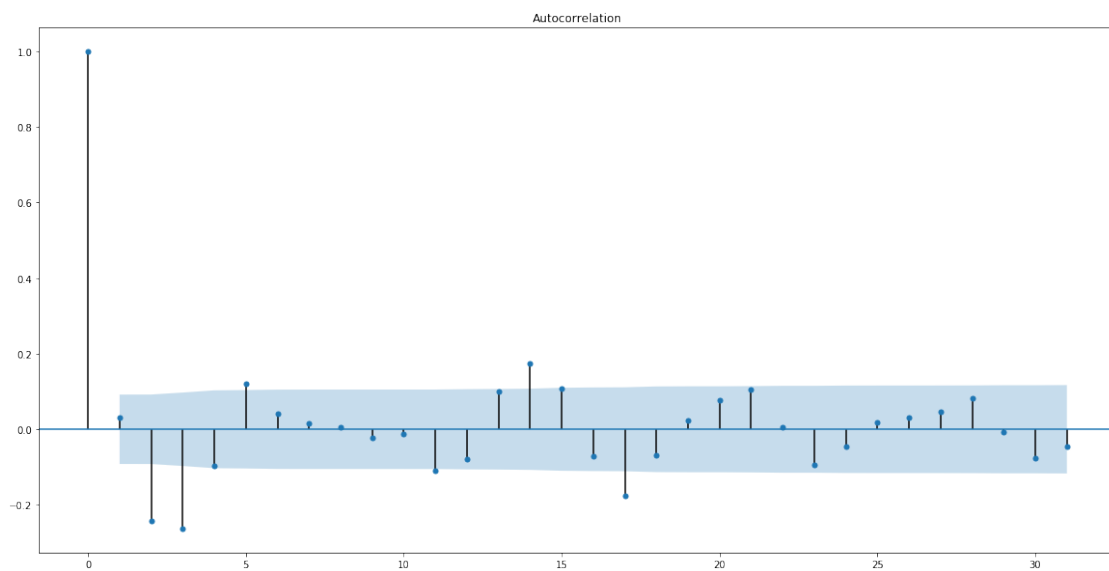
diff1Usage.plot()
```

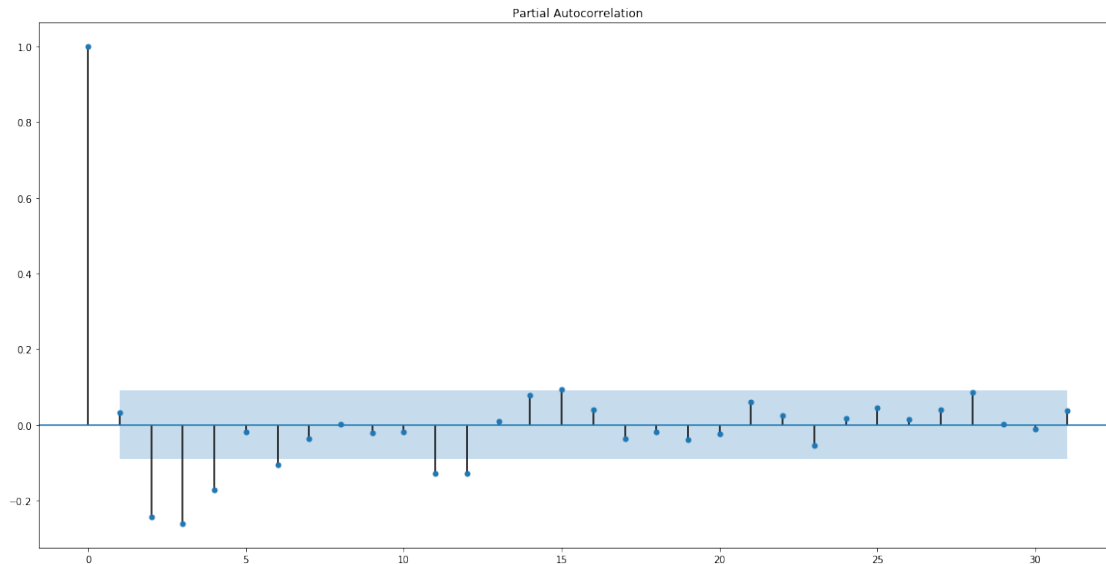
```
Out[25]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7f9f2dbba518>
```





```
In [26]: fig=plot_acf(diff1Usage, lags=31)
fig1=plot_pacf(diff1Usage, lags=31)
```





```
In [27]: result = adfuller(diff1Usage)
print('ADF Statistic: %f' % result[0])
print('p-value: %f' % result[1])
print('Critical Values:')
for key, value in result[4].items():
    print('\t%s: %.3f' % (key, value))
```

ADF Statistic: -9.739731

p-value: 0.000000

Critical Values:

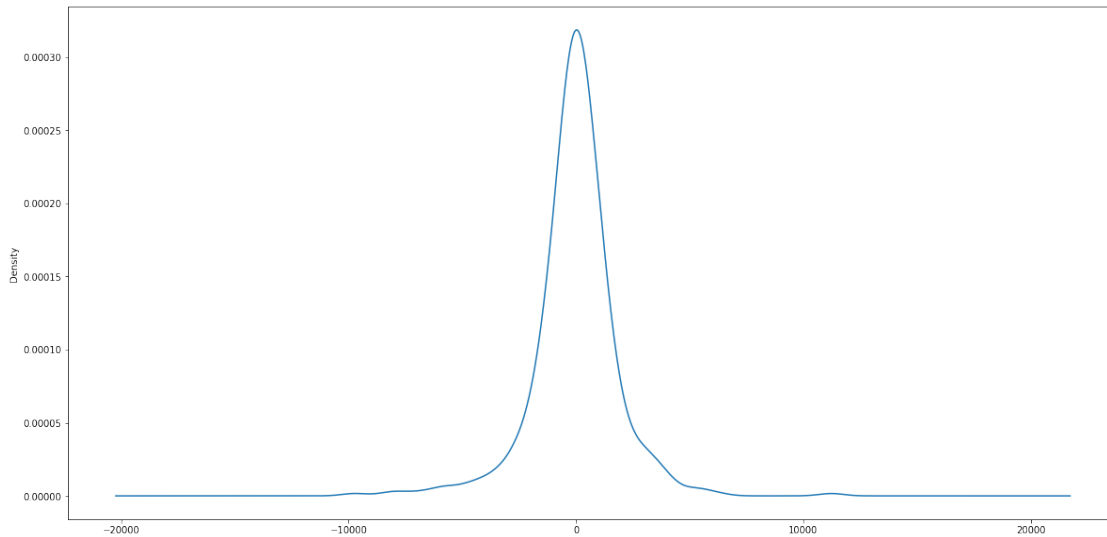
1%: -3.445

5%: -2.868

10%: -2.570

```
In [28]: diff1Usage.plot(kind='kde')
```

```
Out[28]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7f9f32cc02b0>
```



Looks lot better. Will try some more things.

```
In [29]: diffLUsage = log(dfUsageDailyY.Usage)
diffLUsage = diffLUsage.dropna()
plt.figure(figsize=(20,10))
diffLUsage.plot()

from statsmodels.tsa.stattools import adfuller
result = adfuller(diffLUsage)
print('ADF Statistic: %f' % result[0])
print('p-value: %f' % result[1])
print('Critical Values:')
for key, value in result[4].items():
    print('\t%s: %.3f' % (key, value))
```

ADF Statistic: -1.756394

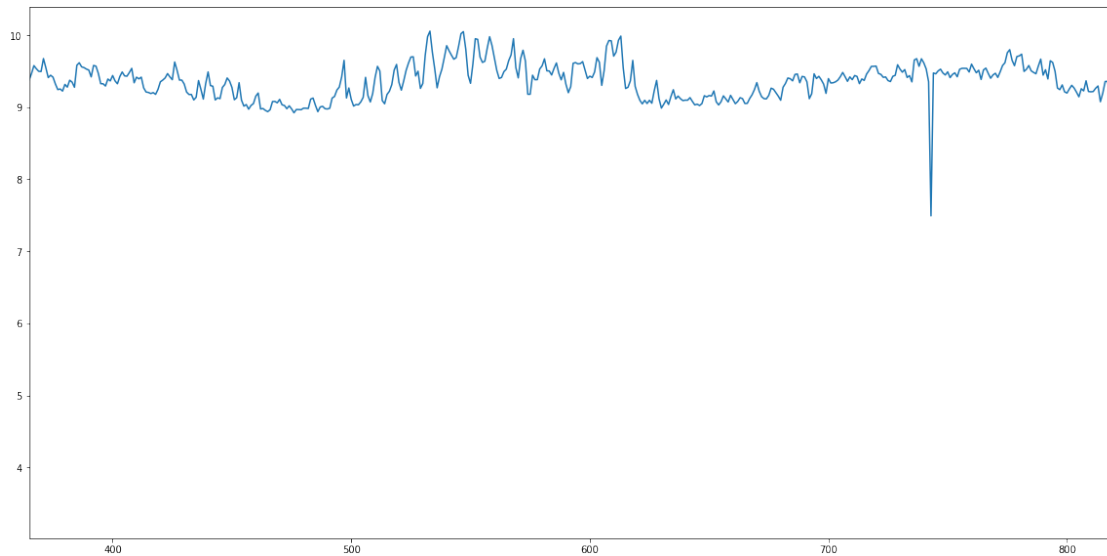
p-value: 0.402316

Critical Values:

1%: -3.445

5%: -2.868

10%: -2.570

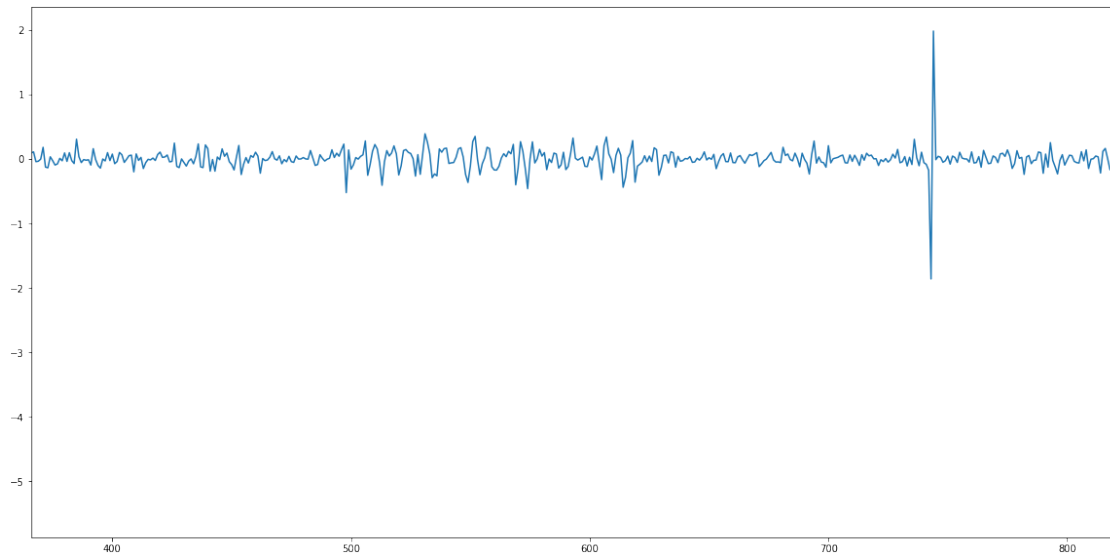


```
In [30]: diffLUsage = log(dfUsageDailyY.Usage)
diffLDUsage = diffLUsage.diff()
diffLDUsage = diffLDUsage.dropna()

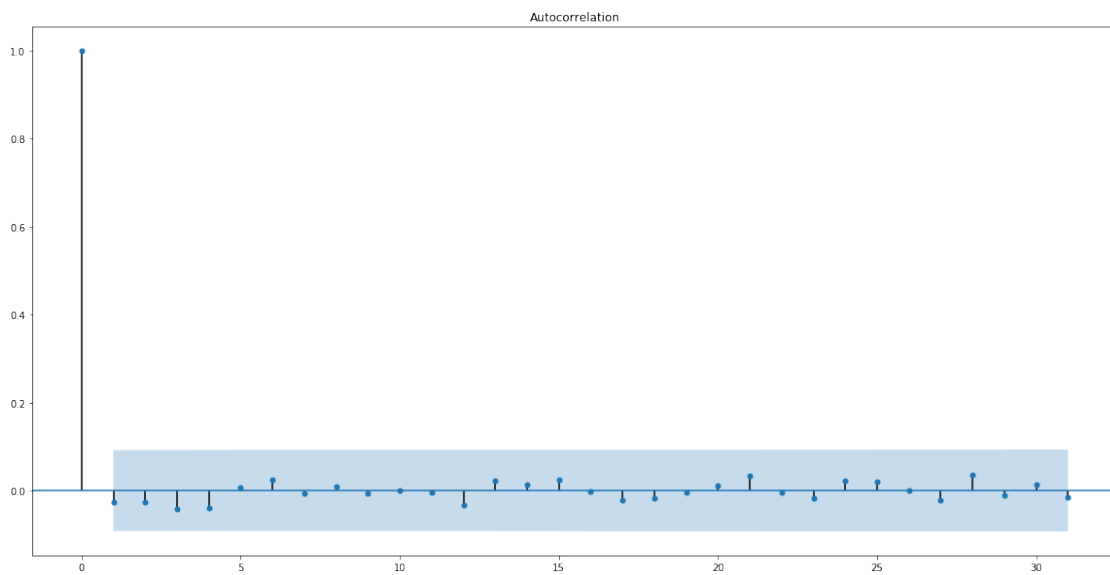
plt.figure(figsize=(20,10))
diffLDUsage.plot()

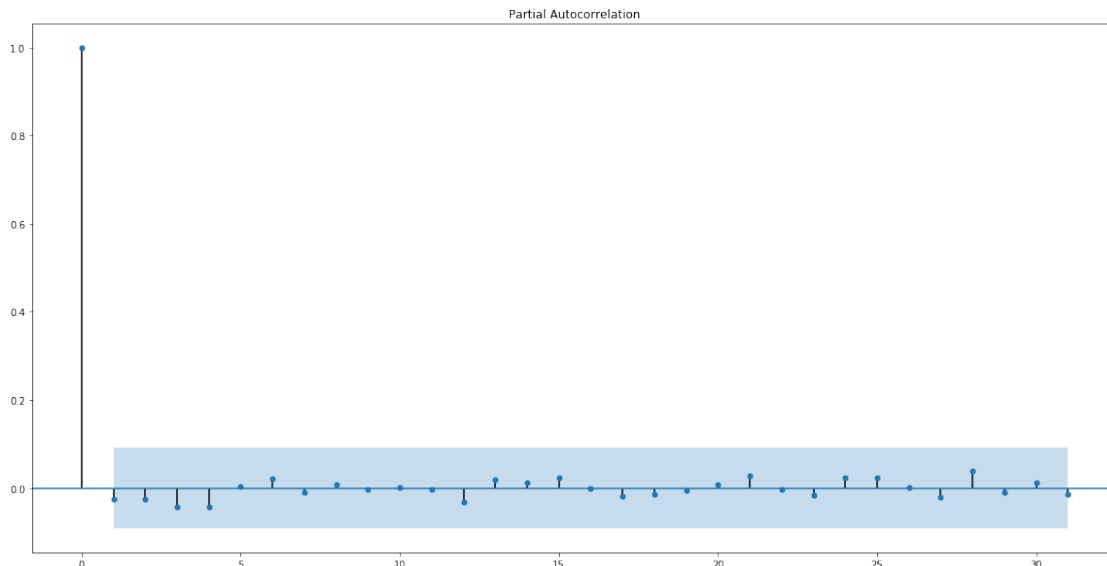
result = adfuller(diffLDUsage)
print('ADF Statistic: %f' % result[0])
print('p-value: %f' % result[1])
print('Critical Values:')
for key, value in result[4].items():
    print('\t%s: %.3f' % (key, value))
```

```
ADF Statistic: -8.214302
p-value: 0.000000
Critical Values:
1%: -3.445
5%: -2.868
10%: -2.570
```



```
In [31]: fig = plot_acf(diffLDUsage, lags=31)
         fig1=plot_pacf(diffLDUsage, lags=31)
```

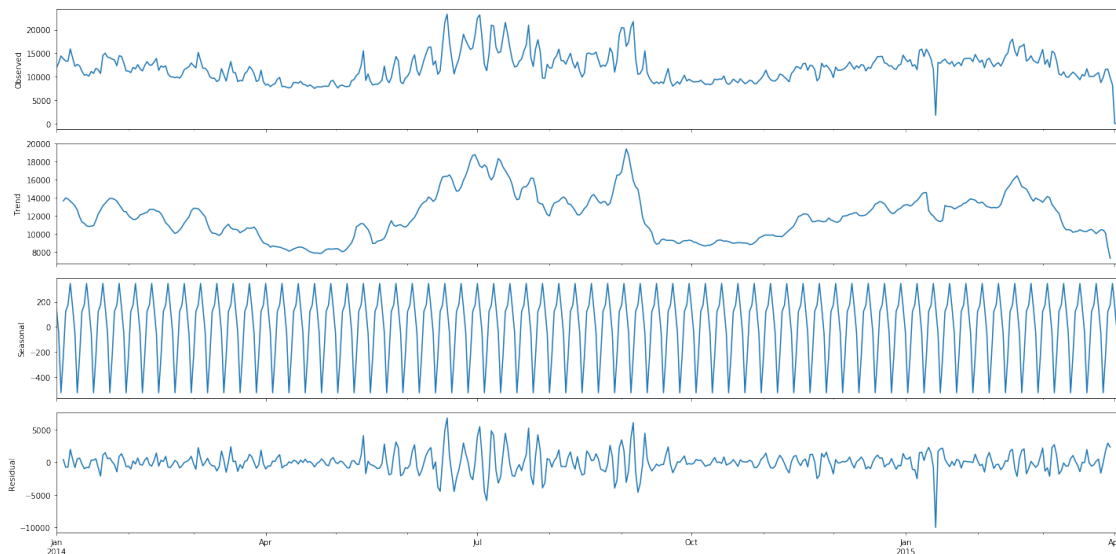




Difference of log values looks great. ACF and PCF shows no signs of dependence on past values.

### 1.1.2 Time series decomposition

```
In [32]: decomposition = seasonal_decompose(series, model='additive')
fig = decomposition.plot()
```



Here we see that the series exhibits cyclic trend. Also, we see high frequency seasonal variations and residual. We need to train a model that accounts for seasonal variations. I am interested

in building regression based models. I will be experimenting with different independent variables that might have an affect on system load. Some of the obvious variables will be weather parameters and time. There can be many other variables such as customers house sqft, customer behaviour, renewables, demand response plan, etc. For my analysis, I am dealing with weather and time parameters.

### 1.1.3 Weather data

```
In [33]: #Courtesy: https://www.noaa.gov/
#Read weather data
#read weather hourly data from csv
path="/home/sravan/Dolphin/STLF/V1/"
dfWeather = pd.read_csv(path+"weather_washington_reagan_airport.csv")
```

```
In [34]: #Sample data:
#Date      Temperature      DAILYHeatingDegreeDays      DAILYCoolingDegreeDays
#2013-01-11 01:00      44      17      0      51      0
#2013-01-11 01:52      43      56      0
#2013-01-11 02:52      41      62      0
#2013-01-11 03:52      40      70      0
```

```
In [35]: dfWeather.describe()
```

```
Out [35]:
```

	Unnamed: 2	DAILYHeatingDegreeDays	DAILYCoolingDegreeDays	\
count	0.0	2909.000000	2909.000000	
mean	NaN	12.146442	4.308697	
std	NaN	13.664652	6.257287	
min	NaN	0.000000	0.000000	
25%	NaN	0.000000	0.000000	
50%	NaN	7.000000	0.000000	
75%	NaN	23.000000	9.000000	
max	NaN	53.000000	23.000000	

	DAILYAverageRelativeHumidity	HourlyRelativeHumidity	HourlyWindSpeed	\
count	678.000000	30760.000000	30747.00000	
mean	59.132743	63.343466	8.40882	
std	13.512402	18.769669	5.18879	
min	25.000000	12.000000	0.00000	
25%	49.000000	48.000000	5.00000	
50%	59.000000	65.000000	8.00000	
75%	69.000000	81.000000	11.00000	
max	95.000000	100.000000	46.00000	

	DailySunrise	DailySunset
count	31545.000000	31545.000000
mean	593.055603	1797.811222
std	98.110778	96.911128
min	442.000000	1646.000000
25%	513.000000	1719.000000

50%	611.000000	1807.000000
75%	702.000000	1905.000000
max	727.000000	1937.000000

It looks like it needs lot of cleaning and aggregation.

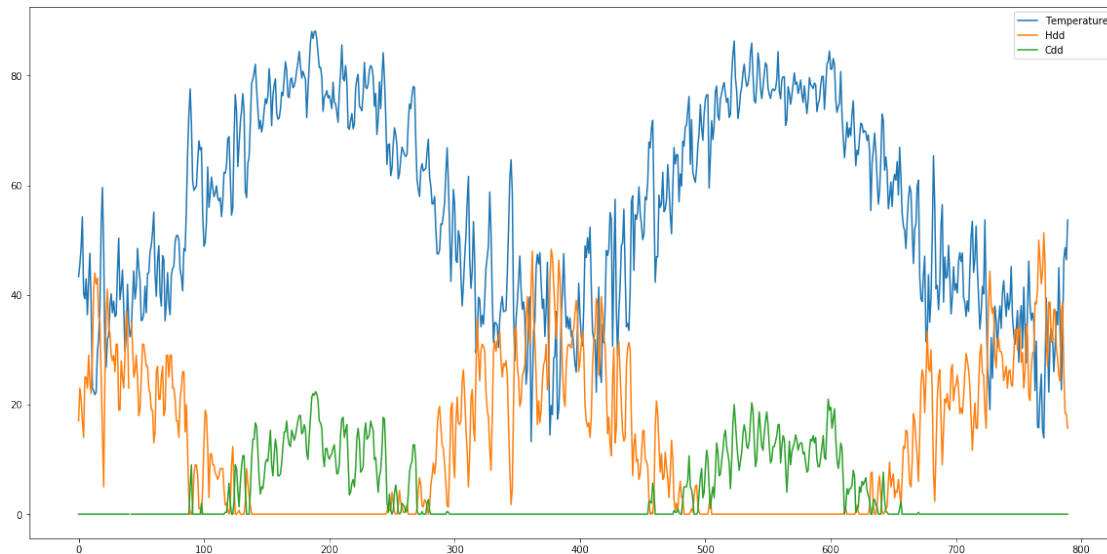
```
In [36]: #set date format and convert string to datetime
        fmt="%Y-%m-%d %H:%M"
        def strToDate(str):
            return datetime.datetime.strptime(str,fmt)
```

```
In [37]: #Extract time and date features from weather data
        #The weather data doesnt align to a time grid. Also HDD and CDD are provided for the en
        #HDD and CDD can be computed from temperature. So, these can be dependent values that u
        dfw = pd.DataFrame()
        dfw2 = pd.DataFrame()
        dfw['Date'] = dfWeather['Date'].apply(strToDate)
        dfw['Temperature'] = pd.to_numeric(dfWeather['Temperature'],errors='coerce')
        dfw2['Hdd'] = pd.to_numeric(dfWeather['DAILYHeatingDegreeDays'],errors='coerce')
        dfw2['Cdd'] = pd.to_numeric(dfWeather['DAILYCoolingDegreeDays'],errors='coerce')
        dfw = dfw.dropna()
        dtcol = dfw['Date'].dt
        dfw['year'] = dtcol.year
        dfw['month'] = dtcol.month
        dfw['daymonth'] = dtcol.day
        dfw['hour'] = dtcol.hour
        dfw['dayinweek'] = dtcol.weekday
        dfw2['year'] = dtcol.year
        dfw2['month'] = dtcol.month
        dfw2['daymonth'] = dtcol.day
        dfw2['hour'] = dtcol.hour
        dfw2grpHdd = dfw2.groupby(['year','month','daymonth'])['Hdd'].mean().reset_index()
        dfw2grpCdd = dfw2.groupby(['year','month','daymonth'])['Cdd'].mean().reset_index()
        dfw2daily = pd.merge(dfw2grpHdd, dfw2grpCdd, how='left', on=['year','month','daymonth'])
        dfwdaily = dfw.groupby(['year','month','daymonth','dayinweek'])['Temperature'].mean().r
        dfwdaily = pd.merge(dfwdaily, dfw2daily, how='left', on=['year','month','daymonth'])
        dfwDaily = dfwdaily.dropna()
```

```
In [38]: plt.figure(figsize=(20,10))
        plt.plot(dfwdaily['Temperature'])
        plt.plot(dfwdaily['Hdd'])
        plt.plot(dfwdaily['Cdd'])
        plt.legend()
```

```
Out[38]: <matplotlib.legend.Legend at 0x7f9f33c73b70>
```





Data looks reasonable for daily temperatures for period January 2013 - March 2015.

In [39]: *#Merge usage and weather data so that we have data for same day.*

```
df_full = pd.merge(dfUsageDailyY, dfwDaily, how='inner', on=['year', 'month', 'daymonth'])
df_full.head()
```

```
Out[39]:
```

	year	month	daymonth	Usage	dayinweek	Temperature	Hdd	Cdd
0	2014	1	1	11822.307025	2	38.750000	26.000000	0.0
1	2014	1	2	12942.309043	3	35.688525	27.333333	0.0
2	2014	1	3	14432.091790	4	23.707317	35.000000	0.0
3	2014	1	4	13826.123779	5	26.575758	39.666667	0.0
4	2014	1	5	13338.632715	6	37.813559	34.000000	0.0

In [40]: `df_full.describe()`, `df_full.tail()`

```
Out[40]:
```

	Usage	dayinweek	Temperature	Hdd	Cdd
count	435.000000	435.000000	435.000000	435.000000	435.000000
mean	12062.440695	2.997701	54.267470	14.469540	3.568966
std	3010.500168	2.000575	18.679471	14.286785	5.592219
min	1794.711893	0.000000	13.218750	0.000000	0.000000
25%	9589.219620	1.000000	37.885653	0.000000	0.000000
50%	11908.010252	3.000000	54.738095	11.666667	0.000000
75%	13643.373022	5.000000	72.078235	26.500000	6.666667
max	23291.055200	6.000000	86.324324	51.333333	21.000000,

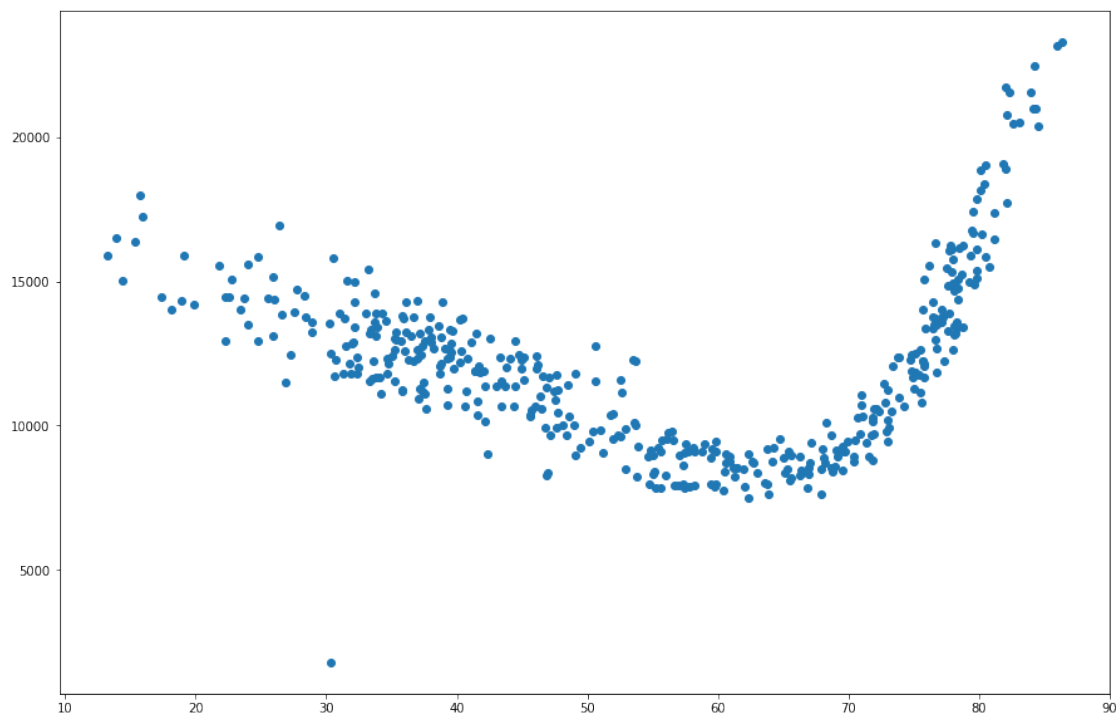
  

	year	month	daymonth	Usage	dayinweek	Temperature	Hdd	Cdd
430	2015	3	7	13343.798136	5	33.375000	38.666667	0.0
431	2015	3	8	10577.047283	6	46.531250	25.666667	0.0
432	2015	3	9	10336.432475	0	48.625000	18.333333	0.0
433	2015	3	10	11039.225510	1	46.394366	18.333333	0.0
434	2015	3	11	10028.328429	2	53.666667	15.666667	0.0

```
In [41]: #Create more features
#create another feature that says if it is a weekend or not.
df_full['weekend'] = np.array(df_full['dayinweek']>=5,dtype=int)
df['prevWkUsage'] = df['Usage'].shift(7*24)
#df['prevDayUsage'] = df['Usage'].shift(24)
#Diffs for 1 lag
df['diffL1Usage'] = df['Usage'].shift(1) - df['Usage'].shift(2)
print("Columns:", df_full.columns)

Columns: Index(['year', 'month', 'daymonth', 'Usage', 'dayinweek', 'Temperature', 'Hdd',
               'Cdd', 'weekend'],
              dtype='object')
```

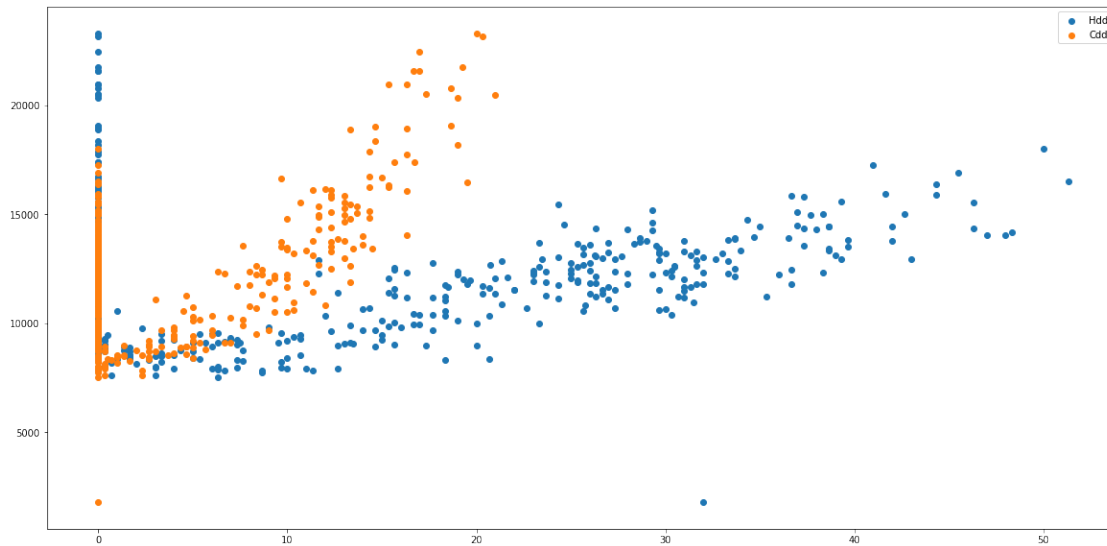
```
In [42]: plt.figure(figsize=(15,10))
plt.scatter(df_full['Temperature'], df_full['Usage']);
```



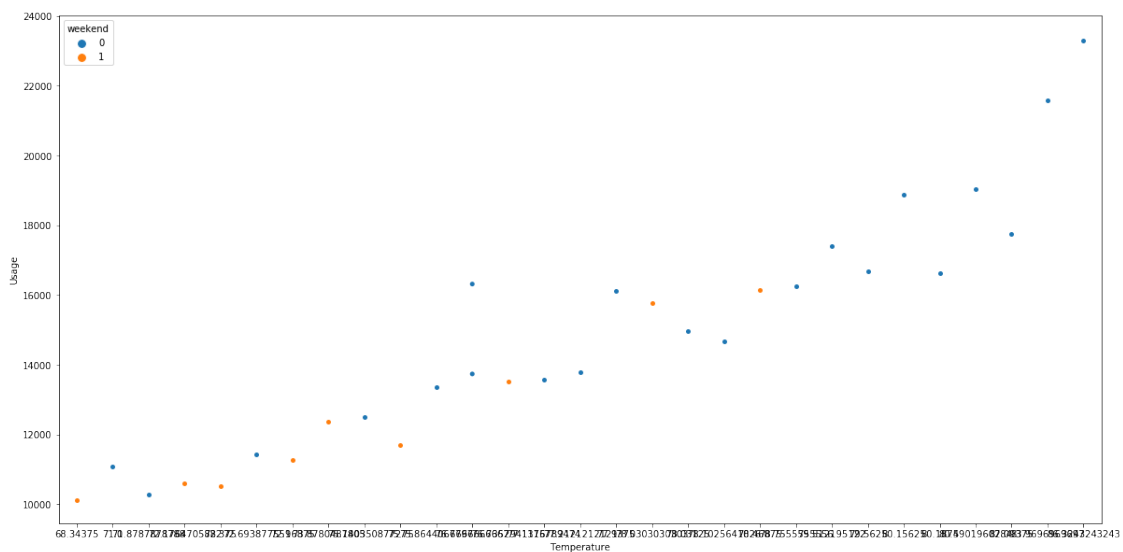
The plot above is Energy consumption vs Temperature. The energy usage is at its lowest when the temperature is around 65F, but it is linear with high slope when the temperature gets hotter.

```
In [43]: plt.scatter(df_full['Hdd'],df_full['Usage']);
plt.scatter(df_full['Cdd'], df_full['Usage']);
plt.legend(('Hdd', 'Cdd'))
```

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Out[43]: <matplotlib.legend.Legend at 0x7f9f2c979f60>
```



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In [44]: dfTemp = df_full[df_full['year']==2014]
dfTemp = dfTemp[dfTemp['month']==6]
sns.swarmplot(x=dfTemp['Temperature'], y=df_full['Usage'], hue=dfTemp['weekend']);
```



I want to see if there is any pattern between weekend and weekdays. Above plot is usage vs temperature for a month. Some weekends, the consumption is high and some weekends it is low. We would need customers' schedule for better correlation.

```
In [45]: #separate input and target
y = df_full['Usage']
#drop the features that might not be useful
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df = df_full.drop(['year', 'Usage', 'daymonth', 'Temperature'], axis=1)
df.columns
```

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Out[45]: Index(['month', 'dayinweek', 'Hdd', 'Cdd', 'weekend'], dtype='object')
```

```
In [46]: def setupFeatures(df, y, splitN):
    #test-train split
    #splitN = 24
    xtrain, xtest, ytrain, ytest = df.head(-splitN), df.tail(splitN), y.head(-splitN),
    print(xtrain.shape, xtest.shape, ytrain.shape, ytest.shape)

    #fft of signal
    print("FFT")
    xsig = fftSignal(ytrain, splitN)
    xtrain['sig'] = xsig[:-splitN]
    xtest['sig'] = xsig[-splitN:]

    xtest = xtest.reset_index(drop=True);
    ytest = ytest.reset_index(drop=True);
    return xtrain, xtest, ytrain, ytest
    #scale prediction data
    #df_full = scaleFeatures(df_full, False)
```

```
In [47]: #Here I want to try out adding a cosine signal with high frequencies filtered out.
#Following FFT signal generation code copied from google.com.
```

```
def fftSignal(y, npredict):
    from numpy import fft
    n=len(y)
    print("len:", n)
    indexes = list(range(n))
    n_harm = 3 # number of harmonics in model
    x_freqdom = []
    f = []
    t = np.arange(0, n)

    print("training fft")
    p = np.polyfit(t, y, 1) # find linear trend in x
    x_notrend = y - p[0] * t # detrended x
    x_freqdom = fft.fft(x_notrend) # detrended x in frequency domain
    f = fft.fftfreq(n) # frequencies
    print("Frequencies:")
    indexes.sort(key = lambda i: np.absolute(f[i]))
    print(len(x_freqdom))
    print(len(f))
    t = np.arange(0, n+npredict)
    restored_sig = np.zeros(t.size)
```

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for i in indexes[:1 + n_harm ]:
    ampli = np.absolute(x_freqdom[i]) / n    # amplitude
    phase = np.angle(x_freqdom[i])          # phase
    restored_sig += ampli * np.cos(2 * np.pi * f[i] * t + phase)
restored_sig = restored_sig + p[0] * t
return restored_sig

```

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In [48]: print(df.shape)
split = 30 #(30 days of testing data)
xtrain, xtest, ytrain, ytest = setupFeatures(df, y, split)
print(xtrain.shape, xtest.shape, ytrain.shape, ytest.shape)

```

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(435, 5)
(405, 5) (30, 5) (405,) (30,)
FFT
len: 405
training fft
Frequencies:
405
405
(405, 6) (30, 6) (405,) (30,)

```

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/home/sravan/anaconda3/lib/python3.6/site-packages/ipykernel_launcher.py:10: SettingWithCopyWarning:
A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame.
Try using .loc[row_indexer,col_indexer] = value instead

```

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See the caveats in the documentation: http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/indexing.html#
# Remove the CWD from sys.path while we load stuff.
/home/sravan/anaconda3/lib/python3.6/site-packages/ipykernel_launcher.py:11: SettingWithCopyWarning:
A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame.
Try using .loc[row_indexer,col_indexer] = value instead

```

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See the caveats in the documentation: http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/indexing.html#
# This is added back by InteractiveShellApp.init_path()

```

I will create data pipelines and will train Linear regression, MLP Neural Nets and Gradient boosting. I will compare MAPE for each of these on test data set and plot the actual vs predicted energy usage plots.

```

In [49]: def createPipelines():
    scalCols = ['Hdd', 'Cdd', 'sig', 'diffL1Usage', 'prevWkUsage']
    #scalCols = ['Hdd', 'Cdd']
    encodCols = ['weekend']
    mapper = DataFrameMapper([(d, LabelEncoder()) for d in encodCols])
    funion = FeatureUnion([('categorical', Pipeline([('mapper', mapper), ('onehot', OneHotEncoder())])),
                           ('scaler', StandardScaler(scalCols))])
    pipe_lr = Pipeline([('funion', funion), ('regressor', LinearRegression())])

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pipe_mlpr = Pipeline([('funion', funion), ('regressor', MLPRegressor())])
pipe_mlpr.set_params(regressor__hidden_layer_sizes=(10), regressor__solver='lbfgs')
pipe_gbr = Pipeline([('funion', funion), ('regressor', GradientBoostingRegressor())])
pipes = {"Linear": pipe_lr, "MLP": pipe_mlpr, "GradientBoosting": pipe_gbr}
return pipes

```

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In [50]: models = {}
        pipes = createPipelines()
        #print(pipes)
        for pipe, est in enumerate(pipes):
            print(est)
            model = pipes[est].fit(xtrain, ytrain)
            print(model)
            models[est] = model

```

Linear

```

Pipeline(memory=None,
         steps=[('funion', FeatureUnion(n_jobs=1,
                                         transformer_list=[('categorical', Pipeline(memory=None,
                                                                 steps=[('mapper', DataFrameMapper(default=False, df_out=False,
                                                                 features=[('weekend', LabelEncoder()), input_df=False,
                                                                 sparse=False)), ('onehot', OneHotEncoder(categorical_fea...None)), ('regressor', LinearR

```

MLP

```

Pipeline(memory=None,
         steps=[('funion', FeatureUnion(n_jobs=1,
                                         transformer_list=[('categorical', Pipeline(memory=None,
                                                                 steps=[('mapper', DataFrameMapper(default=False, df_out=False,
                                                                 features=[('weekend', LabelEncoder()), input_df=False,
                                                                 sparse=False)), ('onehot', OneHotEncoder(categorical_fea...True, solver='lbfgs', tol=0.0
                                         verbose=False, warm_start=False))])

```

GradientBoosting

```

Pipeline(memory=None,
         steps=[('funion', FeatureUnion(n_jobs=1,
                                         transformer_list=[('categorical', Pipeline(memory=None,
                                                                 steps=[('mapper', DataFrameMapper(default=False, df_out=False,
                                                                 features=[('weekend', LabelEncoder()), input_df=False,
                                                                 sparse=False)), ('onehot', OneHotEncoder(categorical_fea...s=100, presort='auto', random
                                         subsample=1.0, verbose=0, warm_start=False))])

```

In [51]: *#Calculate MAPE*

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def mean_absolute_percentage_error(y_true, y_pred):
    return np.mean(np.abs((y_true - y_pred) / y_true)) * 100

```

In [52]: ypredicts = {}

```

def forecast(df, models):
    for model in models:
        print(model)
        ypredict = models[model].predict(df)

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mape = mean_absolute_percentage_error(ytest, ypredict)
ypredicts[model] = ypredict
print("MAPE for %s" %model, "%f" %mape)
#Test data against predicted data
plt.figure(figsize=(10,4))
plt.title(model)
plt.plot(ytest, label = 'test')
plt.plot(ypredict, label = 'predicted')
ax =plt.gca()
handles, labels = ax.get_legend_handles_labels()
ax.legend(handles, labels)
plt.grid('on')

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In [53]: yForecast = forecast(xtest, models)
```

Linear

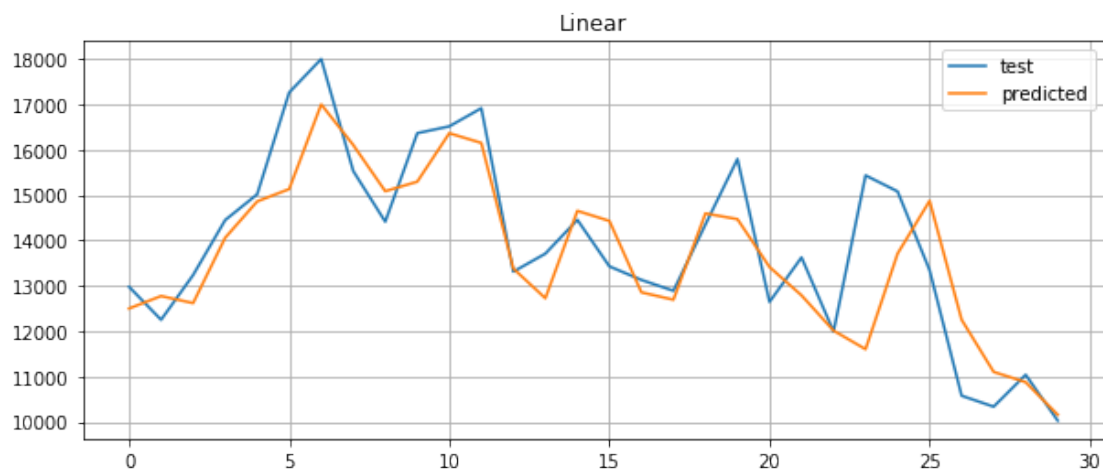
MAPE for Linear :5.618996

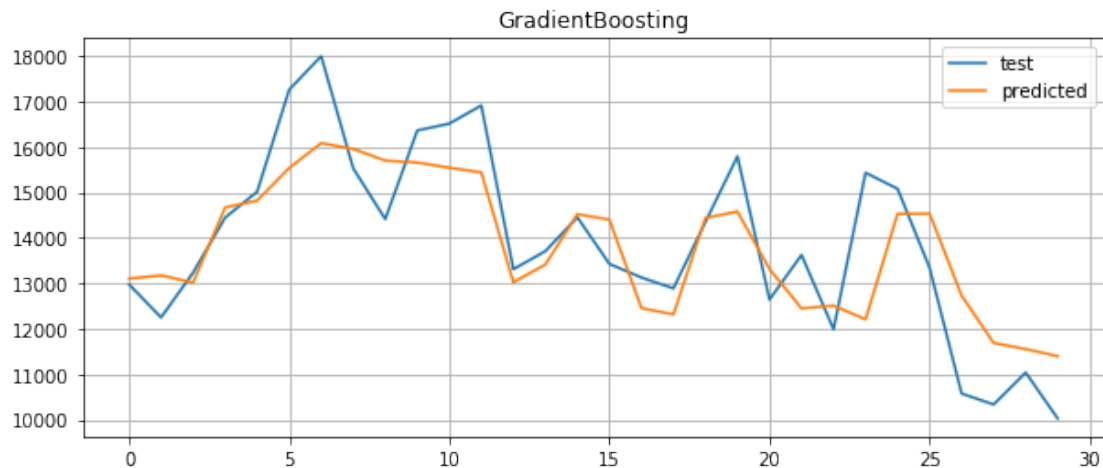
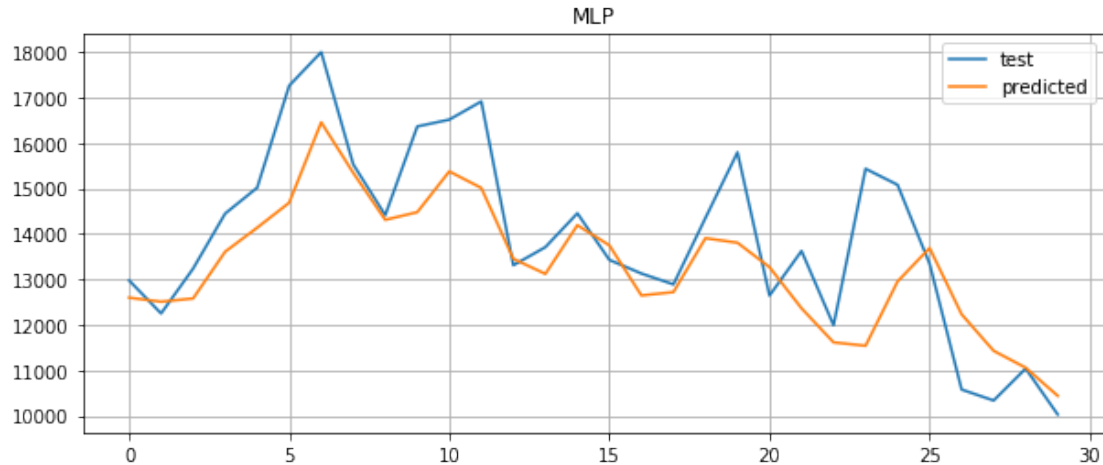
MLP

MAPE for MLP :6.557275

GradientBoosting

MAPE for GradientBoosting :6.589504





The predictions look decent enough. Here are couple of key observations: 1. Data anomalies in usage patterns can be detected by comparing MAPE values. 2. Ensemble methods performing better than simple linear regression. Lasso regression does a good job as well. Often simpler models will get the job done. 3. With more training data, neural nets perform better. 4. Always scale continuous values and encode categorical values. If not, the distance based algorithms will quantify them based on the magnitude and may give rise to spurious regression. 5. Consumer usage patterns over the weekends are not strongly correlated with weather. This is due to the fact that we do not have their weekend schedules. It is observed that certain weekends, the load usage is high where as for other weekends it is very low keeping all other variables constant. 6. Not all kinds of loads correlate with weather. Take for example industrial loading will have dependency on economic parameters rather than weather. 7. I have explored classical models ARIMAX/SARIMAX. I feel with regression based, I have great flexibility to experiment with different input features. 8. Harmonic filtering 3-7 gave good accuracy for hourly models. Using higher order harmonics will introduce more variance to the model.