

# Online Adaptive Bagging for Multivariate Time Series Forecasting\*

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## 1 OB-MTS Details

### 1.1 Page-Hinkley Test for Error Drift Detection Pseudo-code

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**Algorithm 1** PageHinkleyTest for Error Drift Detection

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**Require:** Error time series:  $\epsilon_t$ ; **Admissible Change**  $\nu$ ; **Threshold**  $\varrho$

**Ensure:** **Drift at time**  $t_{d_\epsilon}$ :  $alert_{t_{d_\epsilon}}$

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1: /* Initialize CUSUM and the error estimator */
2:  $E(0) \leftarrow 0$ ;  $cusum_T \leftarrow 0$ ;  $M_T \leftarrow 1$ 
3: for  $i \in \{1 \dots \infty\}$  do
4:    $alerts_i = 0$ 
5:    $E(i) \leftarrow E(i-1) + \epsilon_i$ 
6:    $cusum_T(t) \leftarrow cusum(i-1) + \epsilon_i - \frac{E(t)}{t} - \nu$ 
7:    $M_T \leftarrow \min(M_T, cusum_T(t))$ 
8:   if  $(cusum_T(t) - M_t) \geq \varrho$  then
9:     return  $alert_t = 1$ 
10:  end if
11: end for
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In addition to the pseudo code for our **OB-MTS** algorithm, provided in the paper, we also show how it works in Figure 1.

### 1.2 OB-MTS algorithm

## 2 Experiments

### 2.1 Hyperparameters setting of OB-MTS

**OB-MTS** has also a number hyper-parameters that are summarized in Table 1.

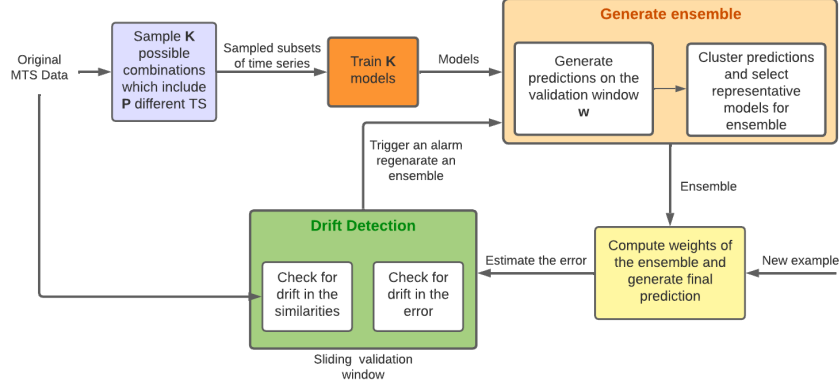


Fig. 1: Schematic visualization of our approach.

Parameter	Description	Value
$k$	Number of randomly selected candidates	100
$s$	Number of TS to include in the models training	25% of the initial number of TS
$t$	Train-test split	0.8
$w$	Prediction horizon to define weights of the ensemble	8
$s$	Size of sliding window for drift detection	20
$\omega$	Size of validation set	50
$\mu$	Hoeffding-Bound parameter	0.97
$\nu$	Admissible change in the Page-Hinkley Test	0.005
$\varrho$	Page-Hinkley Test threshold	0.025

Table 1: Hyperparameters of **OB-MTS** and their values for the experiments.

## 2.2 Datasets

All used datasets, together with a short description, can be found in Tables 2.

## 2.3 Code and reproducibility

We provide all the Python code necessary for applying our method and all its variants, under the following link: <https://github.com/hannamykula/ob-mts>

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<sup>1</sup> <https://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/CNNpred\%3A+CNN-based+stock+market+prediction+using+a+diverse+set+of+variables>

<sup>2</sup> <https://www1.nyc.gov/site/tlc/about/tlc-trip-record-data.page>

<sup>3</sup> <https://www1.nyc.gov/site/tlc/about/tlc-trip-record-data.page>

<sup>4</sup> <https://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/SML2010#>

<sup>5</sup> <https://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/Bike+Sharing+Dataset>

<sup>6</sup> <https://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/Air+Quality>

Name	Nr of datasets	Nr of time series	Source	Characteristics	Target variable
Stock data	5	82	UCI <sup>1</sup>	Daily Closing Price from 2010 to 2017	Close
TLC Trip Record Data (Yellow taxi - 2021-01)	3	16	NYC <sup>2</sup>	New York taxi trip data	total.amount
TLC Trip Record Data (Yellow taxi - 2021-07)	3	16	NYC <sup>3</sup>	New York taxi trip data	total.amount
SML10 Dataset	1	19	UCI <sup>4</sup>	Weather data	Weather forecast temperature
Bike Sharing Dataset	2	16	UCI <sup>5</sup>	Hourly count of rental bikes between 2011 and 2012	cnt
Air quality data	3	15	UCI <sup>6</sup>	Hourly responses of gas multisensor device	PT08.S1.CO.

Table 2: The summary of datasets used for the evaluation.

In addition, the archive contains a README file, which aims to help in reproducing the results.