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In [73]: import pandas as pd
import locale
    from dateutil import parser
    from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
    from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression
    import numpy as np
    from sklearn.metrics import r2_score, mean_squared_error, mean_absolute_of
    from googletrans import Translator
    import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
    import seaborn as sns
    from statsmodels.tsa.stattools import adfuller
```

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In [37]: # # Set the locale to French
# locale.setlocale(locale.LC_TIME, 'fr_FR.UTF-8')

# Load the data with ISO-8859-1 encoding and semicolon delimiter
file_path = 'Data/forecast_data_3years.csv'
data = pd.read_csv(file_path, encoding='ISO-8859-1', delimiter=';')

# Keep only the relevant columns
data = data[['mois', 'Spend', 'Conversions']]

# Convert 'Spend' to a numeric format by replacing commas with dots and data['Spend'] = data['Spend'].str.replace(',', '.').astype(float)
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In [38]: data

Out[38]:

	mois	Spend	Conversions
0	juin-15	39456.23	1578
1	juil-15	57338.93	1864
2	août-15	31802.36	1138
3	sept-15	52195.88	2176
4	oct-15	27642.56	1185
5	nov-15	31215.60	1471
6	déc-15	64036.93	2942
7	janv-16	58342.15	2768
8	févr-16	18326.47	863
9	mars-16	90135.24	3127
10	avr-16	37002.10	1412
11	mai-16	59045.12	1819
12	juin-16	60456.89	2003
13	juil-16	55215.63	2423
14	août-16	49507.75	1645
15	sept-16	40022.35	1758
16	oct-16	65003.56	2015
17	nov-16	54787.22	2907
18	déc-16	81317.85	3503
19	janv-17	58010.37	3381
20	févr-17	27311.03	1300
21	mars-17	43592.32	1926
22	avr-17	69513.61	1601
23	mai-17	57322.57	1160
24	juin-17	77155.31	2373
25	juil-17	85107.24	2097
26	août-17	21384.64	653
27	sept-17	40919.94	888
28	oct-17	39589.99	1286
29	nov-17	107899.90	4071
30	déc-17	122175.16	1893
31	janv-18	62063.38	2041
32	févr-18	28985.01	1146
33	mars-18	52089.04	2127

	mois	Spend	Conversions
34	avr-18	16617.12	431
35	mai-18	93073.46	1792

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In [39]: # Dictionary to map French month names to English month abbreviations
         month_map = {
    'janv': 'Jan',
              'févr': 'Feb',
              'mars': 'Mar',
              'avr': 'Apr',
              'mai' 'May',
              'juin': 'Jun',
              'juil': 'Jul',
              'août': 'Aug',
              'sept': 'Sep',
              'oct': 'Oct',
              'nov': 'Nov',
              'déc': 'Dec'
          }
          # Replace French month names with English abbreviations
          for fr, en in month_map.items():
              data['mois'] = data['mois'].str.replace(fr, en)
```

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In [40]: # locale.setlocale(locale.LC_TIME, 'en_US.UTF-8')
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In [41]: data

Out[41]:

	mois	Spend	Conversions
0	Jun-15	39456.23	1578
1	Jul-15	57338.93	1864
2	Aug-15	31802.36	1138
3	Sep-15	52195.88	2176
4	Oct-15	27642.56	1185
5	Nov-15	31215.60	1471
6	Dec-15	64036.93	2942
7	Jan-16	58342.15	2768
8	Feb-16	18326.47	863
9	Mar-16	90135.24	3127
10	Apr-16	37002.10	1412
11	May-16	59045.12	1819
12	Jun-16	60456.89	2003
13	Jul-16	55215.63	2423
14	Aug-16	49507.75	1645
15	Sep-16	40022.35	1758
16	Oct-16	65003.56	2015
17	Nov-16	54787.22	2907
18	Dec-16	81317.85	3503
19	Jan-17	58010.37	3381
20	Feb-17	27311.03	1300
21	Mar-17	43592.32	1926
22	Apr-17	69513.61	1601
23	May-17	57322.57	1160
24	Jun-17	77155.31	2373
25	Jul-17	85107.24	2097
26	Aug-17	21384.64	653
27	Sep-17	40919.94	888
28	Oct-17	39589.99	1286
29	Nov-17	107899.90	4071
30	Dec-17	122175.16	1893
31	Jan-18	62063.38	2041
32	Feb-18	28985.01	1146
33	Mar-18	52089.04	2127

	mois	Spend	Conversions
34	Apr-18	16617.12	431
35	May-18	93073.46	1792

In [43]: data

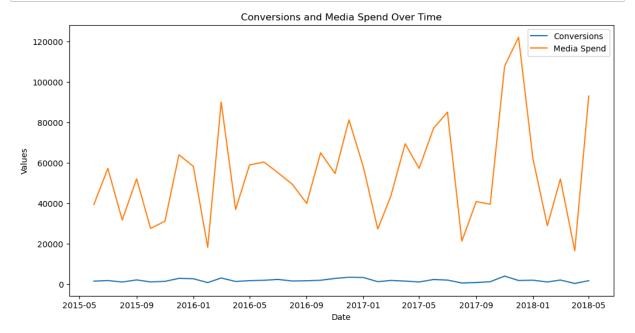
Out[43]:

	mois	Spend	Conversions
0	2015-06-01	39456.23	1578
1	2015-07-01	57338.93	1864
2	2015-08-01	31802.36	1138
3	2015-09-01	52195.88	2176
4	2015-10-01	27642.56	1185
5	2015-11-01	31215.60	1471
6	2015-12-01	64036.93	2942
7	2016-01-01	58342.15	2768
8	2016-02-01	18326.47	863
9	2016-03-01	90135.24	3127
10	2016-04-01	37002.10	1412
11	2016-05-01	59045.12	1819
12	2016-06-01	60456.89	2003
13	2016-07-01	55215.63	2423
14	2016-08-01	49507.75	1645
15	2016-09-01	40022.35	1758
16	2016-10-01	65003.56	2015
17	2016-11-01	54787.22	2907
18	2016-12-01	81317.85	3503
19	2017-01-01	58010.37	3381
20	2017-02-01	27311.03	1300
21	2017-03-01	43592.32	1926
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23	2017-05-01	57322.57	1160
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28	2017-10-01	39589.99	1286
29	2017-11-01	107899.90	4071
30	2017-12-01	122175.16	1893
31	2018-01-01	62063.38	2041
32	2018-02-01	28985.01	1146
33	2018-03-01	52089.04	2127

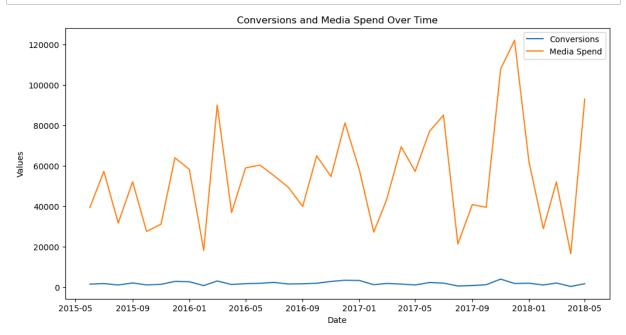
	mois	Spend	Conversions
34	2018-04-01	16617.12	431
35	2018-05-01	93073.46	1792

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In [44]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

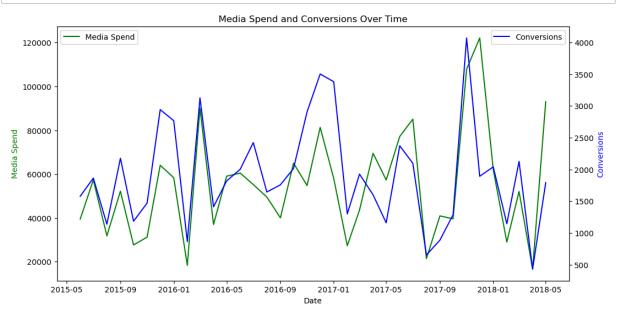
# Plot the data
plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))
plt.plot(data['mois'], data['Conversions'], label='Conversions')
plt.plot(data['mois'], data['Spend'], label='Media Spend')
plt.xlabel('Date')
plt.ylabel('Values')
plt.title('Conversions and Media Spend Over Time')
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```



In [45]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt # Plot the data plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6)) plt.plot(data['mois'], data['Conversions'], label='Conversions') plt.plot(data['mois'], data['Spend'], label='Media Spend') plt.xlabel('Date') plt.ylabel('Values') plt.title('Conversions and Media Spend Over Time') plt.legend() plt.show()



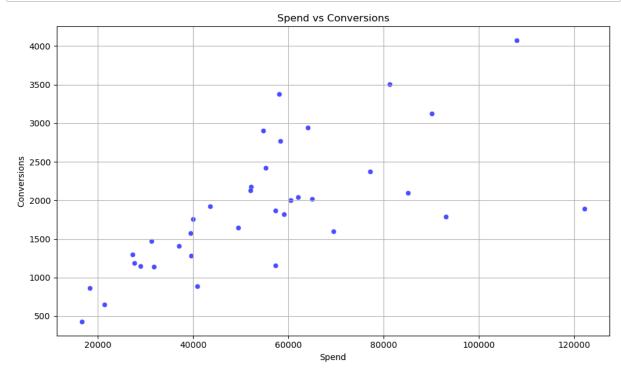
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In [51]: # Set up the figure and first axis
         plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))
         ax1 = plt.gca() # Get the current axis
         sns.lineplot(data=data, x='mois', y='Spend', color="g", ax=ax1, label='Mo
         # Create a second y-axis for the Conversions
         ax2 = ax1.twinx()
         sns.lineplot(data=data, x='mois', y='Conversions', color="b", ax=ax2, la
         # Adding labels and title
         ax1.set xlabel('Date')
         ax1.set_ylabel('Media Spend', color='g')
         ax2.set_ylabel('Conversions', color='b')
         plt.title('Media Spend and Conversions Over Time')
         # Add legends for both axes
         ax1.legend(loc='upper left')
         ax2.legend(loc='upper right')
         # Show the plot
         plt.show()
```



In [77]: #seasonality in data

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In [76]: spend = data['Spend']
    conversions = data['Conversions']

# Plotting using matplotlib and seaborn
    plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
    sns.scatterplot(x=spend, y=conversions, color='blue', alpha=0.7)
    plt.title('Spend vs Conversions')
    plt.xlabel('Spend')
    plt.ylabel('Conversions')
    plt.grid(True)
    plt.tight_layout()
    plt.show()
```





SARIMAX

```
In [54]: from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split

# Convert the index to a regular column if necessary
data.reset_index(drop=True, inplace=True)

# Split the data while keeping the time order
train, test = train_test_split(data, test_size=2, shuffle=False)

# Now, use the train and test sets as before in your ARIMAX setup
from statsmodels.tsa.statespace.sarimax import SARIMAX

arimax_model = SARIMAX(train['Conversions'], exog=train[['Spend']], orde
arimax_result = arimax_model.fit(disp=False)
arimax_forecast = arimax_result.forecast(steps=2, exog=test[['Spend']])
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/Users/mohammedjawhar/anaconda3/envs/madc/lib/python3.11/site-packages/statsmodels/tsa/statespace/sarimax.py:978: UserWarning: Non-invertible starting MA parameters found. Using zeros as starting parameters. warn('Non-invertible starting MA parameters found.'

/Users/mohammedjawhar/anaconda3/envs/madc/lib/python3.11/site-packages/statsmodels/tsa/statespace/sarimax.py:866: UserWarning: Too few observations to estimate starting parameters for seasonal ARMA. All parameters except for variances will be set to zeros.

warn('Too few observations to estimate starting parameters%s.'
/Users/mohammedjawhar/anaconda3/envs/madc/lib/python3.11/site-packages/
statsmodels/base/model.py:607: ConvergenceWarning: Maximum Likelihood o
ptimization failed to converge. Check mle_retvals

warnings.warn("Maximum Likelihood optimization failed to "

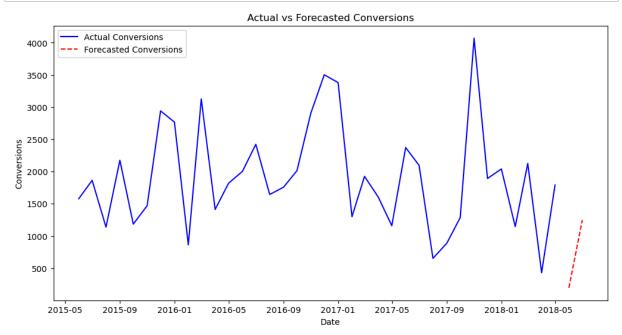
In [55]: arimax forecast

Out[55]: 34 195.628359 35 1248.805674

Name: predicted mean, dtype: float64

r2_score(r2): 0.6215991879856424
Mean Absolute Error (MAE): 389.2829834610633
Mean Squared Error (MSE): 175229.94262781172
Root Mean Squared Error (RMSE): 418.6047570534904

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In [56]:
         # Plot actual conversions
         plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))
         plt.plot(data['mois'], data['Conversions'], label='Actual Conversions',
         # Prepare to add ARIMAX forecasted values
         # Create a new timestamp for the forecasted months and append to the exi
         forecast_dates = pd.date_range(start=data['mois'].iloc[-1] + pd.DateOffs
         # Plot ARIMAX forecasted conversions
         plt.plot(forecast_dates, arimax_forecast, label='Forecasted Conversions'
         # Adding labels and title
         plt.xlabel('Date')
         plt.ylabel('Conversions')
         plt.title('Actual vs Forecasted Conversions')
         plt.legend()
         # Show the plot
         plt.show()
```



Prophet

In [64]: # !pip install prophet

In [66]: data

Out[66]:

	mois	Spend	Conversions
0	2015-06-01	39456.23	1578
1	2015-07-01	57338.93	1864
2	2015-08-01	31802.36	1138
3	2015-09-01	52195.88	2176
4	2015-10-01	27642.56	1185
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26	2017-08-01	21384.64	653
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28	2017-10-01	39589.99	1286
29	2017-11-01	107899.90	4071
30	2017-12-01	122175.16	1893
31	2018-01-01	62063.38	2041
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	mois	Spend	Conversions
34	2018-04-01	16617.12	431
35	2018-05-01	93073.46	1792

In [67]: **from** prophet **import** Prophet import pandas as pd # Convert 'mois' to datetime if not already data['mois'] = pd.to_datetime(data['mois']) # Prepare the data for Prophet prophet_df = data.rename(columns={'mois': 'ds', 'Conversions': 'y'}) prophet df['Spend'] = data['Spend'] # Including Spend as a regressor # Initialize and fit the Prophet model with Spend as an additional regre prophet model = Prophet() prophet model.add regressor('Spend') prophet model.fit(prophet df) # Create a dataframe for future predictions future_dates = prophet_model.make_future_dataframe(periods=2, freq='MS') # Add future values of Spend assuming a continuation of the last observed # This is just a placeholder; adjust according to your knowledge of futu future_spend = [data['Spend'].iloc[-1], data['Spend'].iloc[-1]] future_dates['Spend'] = [data['Spend'].iloc[-1]] * len(data['Spend']) + # Forecast prophet forecast = prophet model.predict(future dates) prophet forecast[['ds', 'yhat']].tail()

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Out[67]:

	ds	yhat
33	2018-03-01	2997.043243
34	2018-04-01	1961.154118
35	2018-05-01	1776.652279
36	2018-06-01	2144.273308
37	2018-07-01	2077.143710

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In [70]: from sklearn.metrics import mean_absolute_error, mean_squared_error
import numpy as np

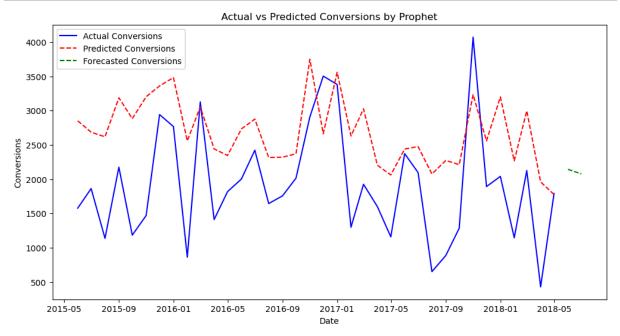
# Extract the actual and predicted values where predictions exist
actual = prophet_df['y']
predicted = prophet_forecast['yhat'].iloc[:len(prophet_df)]

# Calculate MAE, MSE, and RMSE
mae = mean_absolute_error(actual, predicted)
mse = mean_squared_error(actual, predicted)
rmse = np.sqrt(mse)
r2 = r2_score(actual, predicted)

print("r2_score (r2):", r2)
print("Mean Absolute Error (MAE):", mae)
print("Mean Squared Error (MSE):", mse)
print("Root Mean Squared Error (RMSE):", rmse)
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r2_score (r2): -0.47079220648883524
Mean Absolute Error (MAE): 872.7503083643517
Mean Squared Error (MSE): 981221.565115409
Root Mean Squared Error (RMSE): 990.5662850690048

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In [69]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
         # Plot actual conversions
         plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))
         plt.plot(prophet_df['ds'], prophet_df['y'], label='Actual Conversions',
         # Plot predicted conversions from Prophet
         # Ensure to only plot the predictions for the existing data points
         predicted = prophet_forecast.set_index('ds')['yhat'].iloc[:len(prophet_d')]
         plt.plot(predicted.index, predicted, label='Predicted Conversions', colo
         # Highlight the forecast period
         future_predicted = prophet_forecast.set_index('ds')['yhat'].iloc[len(pro]
         plt.plot(future_predicted.index, future_predicted, label='Forecasted Con')
         # Adding labels and title
         plt.xlabel('Date')
         plt.ylabel('Conversions')
         plt.title('Actual vs Predicted Conversions by Prophet')
         plt.legend()
         # Show the plot
         plt.show()
```



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In []:

Answers

i. Some of ideas are to use a regressor (Linear/Xgboost), but since our dataset is horizontally small, we do further research into the data. Upon further research, we figure

that the data is stationary, has somewhat of a linear relationship and had has seasonality, therefore we use SARIMAX. Upon doing a feasibility study based on Prophet, we understand that prophet is highly sensitive to outlier and has mediocre performance.

ii. A few disadvantage of using SARIMAX here is the complexity of deciding the parmeters (p,d,q) - model can be further improved by ploting ACF and PACF to get moving average(q) and p respectively. This method requires the data to be Stationary and assumes Linearity.

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