

EXPERIMENT 6

Implement program to apply moving average smoothing for data preparation and time series forecasting

AIM:

To implement program to apply moving average smoothing for data preparation and time series forecasting

PROCEDURE:

Import Libraries – Load `numpy`, `pandas`, `matplotlib`, and `google.colab.files`.

② **Upload Dataset** – Use `files.upload()` to upload a CSV file dynamically.

③ **Load & Preview Data** – Read the CSV using `pd.read_csv()` and inspect using `df.head()`.

④ **Select Time Series Column** – Choose a numerical column (e.g., `"rainfall"`, `"temperature"`).

⑤ **Plot Original Data** – Use `plt.plot()` to visualize raw time series trends.

⑥ **Apply Moving Average:**

- **Simple Moving Average (SMA)** → `rolling(window).mean()`
- **Exponentially Weighted Moving Average (EWMA)** → `ewm(span).mean()`

⑦ **Plot Smoothed Data** – Compare SMA & EWMA with original data using `matplotlib`.

⑧ **Display Final Results** – Print last few values of **original**, **SMA**, and **EWMA** series.

⑨ **Interpret & Adjust** – Fine-tune `window/span` values for better smoothing.

CODE:

```
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from google.colab import files
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# Step 1: Upload the CSV File
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uploaded = files.upload()

# Get the uploaded file name dynamically
file_name = list(uploaded.keys())[0]

# Step 2: Load the Dataset
df = pd.read_csv(file_name)

# Display first few rows
print("\nFirst few rows of the dataset:")
print(df.head())

# Step 3: Select a Time Series Column
column_name = "rainfall" # Change this to the column you want
if column_name not in df.columns:
    raise ValueError(f"Column '{column_name}' not found in dataset. Available columns: {df.columns}")

time_series = df[column_name]

# Step 4: Plot Original Data
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))
plt.plot(time_series, label="Original Data", color='blue')
plt.title(f"Original Time Series Data: {column_name}")
plt.xlabel("Index")
plt.ylabel("Value")
plt.legend()
plt.show()

# Step 5: Apply Simple Moving Average (SMA)
window_size = 5 # Modify the window size as needed
sma = time_series.rolling(window=window_size).mean()

# Step 6: Apply Exponentially Weighted Moving Average (EWMA)
ewma = time_series.ewm(span=window_size, adjust=False).mean()

# Step 7: Plot Smoothed Data
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))
plt.plot(time_series, label="Original Data", color='blue', alpha=0.5)

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plt.plot(sma, label=f"SMA (Window={window_size})", color='red')
plt.plot(ewma, label=f"EWMA (Span={window_size})", color='green')
plt.title(f"Moving Average Smoothing of {column_name}")
plt.xlabel("Index")
plt.ylabel("Value")
plt.legend()
plt.show()

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Step 8: Display the Last Few Values

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print("\nOriginal Data Sample:\n", time_series.tail())
print("\nSMA Data Sample:\n", sma.tail())
print("\nEWMA Data Sample:\n", ewma.tail())

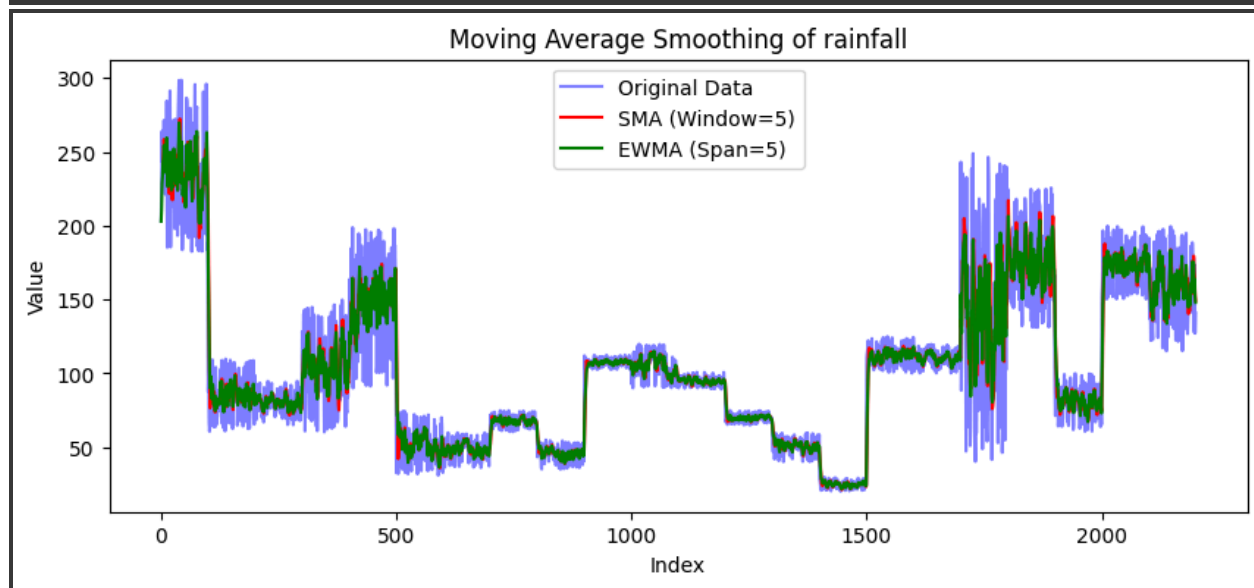
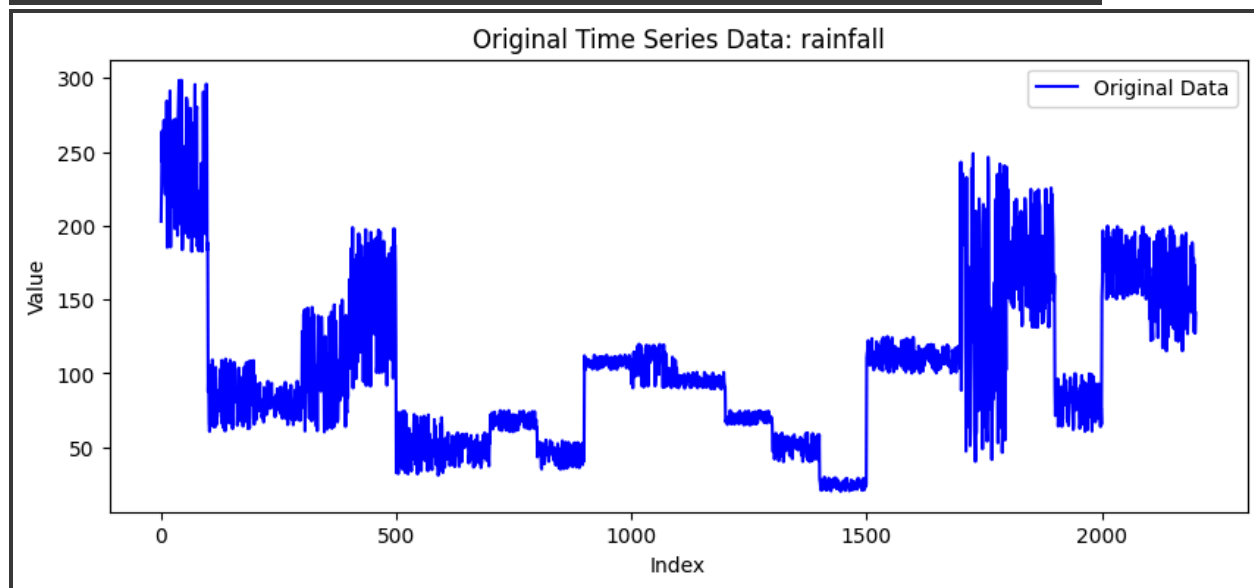
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OUTPUT:

First few rows of the dataset:

	N	P	K	temperature	humidity	ph	rainfall	label
0	90	42	43	20.879744	82.002744	6.502985	202.935536	rice
1	85	58	41	21.770462	80.319644	7.038096	226.655537	rice
2	60	55	44	23.004459	82.320763	7.840207	263.964248	rice
3	74	35	40	26.491096	80.158363	6.980401	242.864034	rice

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4 78 42 42 20.130175 81.604873 7.628473 262.717340 rice
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Original Data Sample:

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2195 177.774507
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2196 127.924610
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2197 173.322839
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2198 127.175293
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2199 140.937041
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Name: rainfall, dtype: float64

SMA Data Sample:

2195	179.493152
2196	168.794657
2197	165.749094
2198	154.490436
2199	149.426858

Name: rainfall, dtype: float64

EWMA Data Sample:

2195	174.292938
2196	158.836829
2197	163.665499
2198	151.502097
2199	147.980412

Name: rainfall, dtype: float64