



ARMAX Demo: Events and Forecast

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Using Weekly Rose Sales Data (Program2_ARIMA_Models)

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/* Using a different data set - roseseries*/
Ods graphics on/imagemap=on TIPMAX=600;
Title 'Generating plots on weekly sales of roses';
Proc Timeseries data=course.roseseries seasonality=52 Plots=(series acf
pacf wn);
    id DATE interval=week;
    var Sales4;
Run;
ods graphics off;

Ods graphics on/imagemap=on TIPMAX=600;
Title1 'Generating plots on weekly sales of roses and relating to RAMP
variable';
Title2 'Restricting data to last 3 years to see RAMP pattern clearly';
proc sgplot data=COURSE.roseseries;
where date >= '01JAN2013'd;
    series x=date y=sales4 / markers;
    series x=date y=ramp / markers;
run;
ods graphics off;
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Forecasting using SolarPV Data

- We have seen how to do it in ARIMA
 - Now, we will extend this to ARMAX
- We will use last 6 periods as holdout
 - First, we will build ARMA(1,0) model
 - Then, we will build ARMAX(1,0) with both cloud_cover
 - Then, compare the two models
- Finally, we will do out of sample forecasts using the best model from the above

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SAS Code for ARMA and ARMAX Forecasts

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/* Back to SolarPV data*/
Ods graphics on/imagemap=on;
Title 'Forecasting iusing ARIMA and saving forecast in AR1 , a temporary data set';
proc arima data=Course.SOLARPV plots
  (only)=(forecast(forecast forecastonly) )
  out=WORK.ar1_forecast;
  identify var=kW_Gen;
  estimate p=(1) method=ML;
  forecast lead=6 back=6 alpha=0.05 id=EDT interval=week;
run;

Title 'Forecasting using ARMAX and saving forecast in ARMAX1 , a temporary data set';
proc arima data=Course.SOLARPV plots
  (only)=(forecast(forecast forecastonly) )
  out=WORK.ar1_forecast;
  identify var=kW_Gen Crosscorr=(Cloud_Cover);
  estimate p=(1) input=(Cloud_Cover) method=ML;
  forecast lead=6 back=6 id=EDT out=WORK.ARMAL1_Forecast;
run;
ODS Graphics off;

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SAS Code ARMAX Forecasts Out of Sample

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/* Forecasting the next period - using SOLARPV_F data */
Title 'Forecasting Future Values in SOLARPV_F Data';
proc arima data=COURSE.SOLARPV_F
    plots(only)=forecast(forecast forecastonly)
    out=WORK.forecast_out;
    identify var=kW_Gen crosscorr=(Cloud_Cover);
    estimate p=(1) input=(Cloud_Cover) method=ML;
    forecast lead=1 back=0 interval=week id=EDT printall;
run;

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Recommended Books on Time Series

- **Applied Data Mining for Forecasting Using SAS** 1st Edition by [Tim Rey](#) (Author), [Arthur Kordon](#) (Author), [Chip Wells](#) (Author)
- **SAS for Forecasting Time** 3rd Edition by [John C., Ph.D. Brocklebank](#) (Author), [David A., Ph.D. Dickey](#) (Author), [Bong, Ph.d. Choi](#) (Author)

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