

10. DEVELOP VECTOR AUTO REGRESSION MODEL FOR MULTIVARIATE TIME SERIES DATA FORECASTING

AIM:

To Develop Vector Auto Regression Model For Multivariate Time Series Data Forecasting.

PROGRAM:

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# Step 1: Generate synthetic multivariate time series data
np.random.seed(42)
dates = pd.date_range(start='2015-01-01', periods=120, freq='M')

# Simulate components
petrol_trend = np.linspace(50, 100, 120)
oil_trend = np.linspace(40, 90, 120)
inflation_trend = np.linspace(2, 6, 120)

seasonal = 5 * np.sin(2 * np.pi * dates.month / 12)
noise = np.random.normal(0, 2, 120)

# Create data
data = pd.DataFrame({
    'Date': dates,
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'Petrol_Price': petrol_trend + seasonal + noise,  
'Crude_Oil_Price': oil_trend + seasonal + np.random.normal(0, 3,  
120),  
'Inflation_Rate': inflation_trend + np.random.normal(0, 0.5, 120)  
}))  
data.set_index('Date', inplace=True)
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Step 2: Plot the multivariate time series

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data.plot(figsize=(12, 5), title="Multivariate Time Series Data")  
plt.grid(True)  
plt.show()
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Step 3: Check stationarity by differencing (you can use ADF test for real datasets)

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diff_data = data.diff().dropna()
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Step 4: Fit VAR model

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model = VAR(diff_data)  
lag_order = model.select_order(maxlags=12).selected_orders['aic']  
model_fitted = model.fit(lag_order)
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Step 5: Forecast next 12 months

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forecast_input = diff_data.values[-lag_order:]  
forecast_diff = model_fitted.forecast(y=forecast_input, steps=12)
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Step 6: Convert differenced forecast to original scale

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forecast_diff_df = pd.DataFrame(forecast_diff,  
                                columns=diff_data.columns)
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forecast_df = data.iloc[-1:] + forecast_diff_df.cumsum()
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Step 7: Plot forecasted Petrol Prices

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plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))
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plt.plot(data['Petrol_Price'], label='Historical Petrol Price')
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plt.plot(forecast_df['Petrol_Price'], label='Forecasted Petrol Price',  
         color='red')
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plt.title("VAR Forecast for Petrol Prices")
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plt.xlabel("Date")
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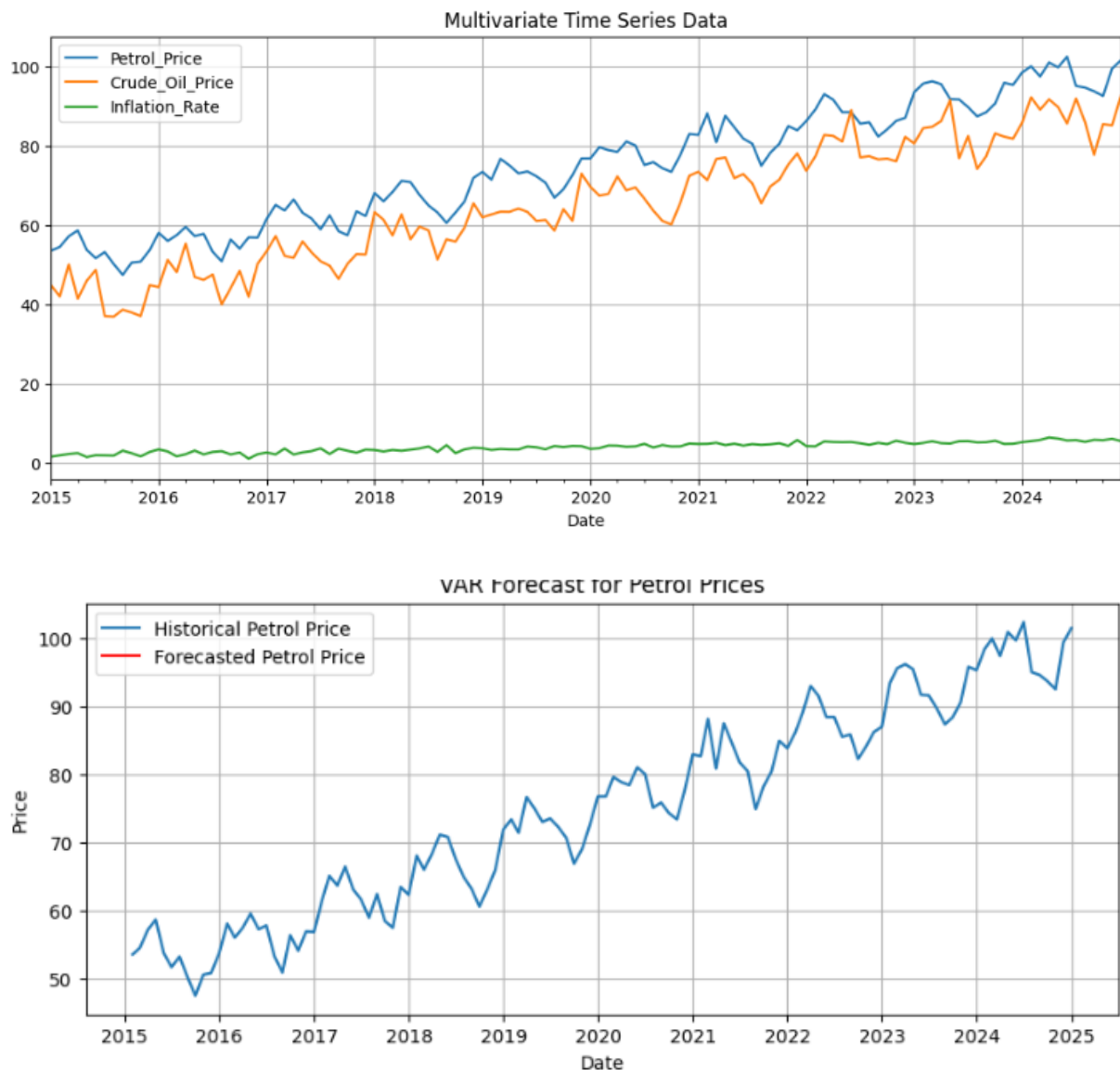
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plt.ylabel("Price")
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plt.legend()
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plt.grid(True)
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plt.show()
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OUTPUT:



OUTPUT:

The program to execute Develop Vector Auto Regression Model For Multivariate Time Series Data Forecasting has been executed successfully.