

## Forecasting Methods

## Problem Set IV

## Problem Set for Exercise 4

For feedback to your solutions of the problem set, please hand the R script file in by December 22th, 2023. Please send them by email to \*\*\*\*\*\*@uol.de with the subject "Forecasting: Problem Set IV".

- 1. Create a R script file and import the Station data.
- 2. Create a time series object for the following variables crude oil prices(cp), average diesel prices(pd) and Mean temperature(tg). Note: use full sample!
- 3. Graph the above variables and explain with respect to the components of a time series.
- 4. Apply a simple exponential smoothing to the variables that satisfy the properties of SES.
- 5. What is the optimal alpha level?
- 6. Create 20 ahead forecast.
- 7. Write the equation for each series.