

Airline_Passengers_Timeseries_Forecasting

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0.0.1 Time Series Forecasting

```
[10]: import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
%matplotlib inline

import warnings
warnings.filterwarnings("ignore")
```

```
[18]: data = pd.read_csv('airline.csv')
print(data.head(10))
```

	Month	Thousands of Passengers
0	1949-01	112.0
1	1949-02	118.0
2	1949-03	132.0
3	1949-04	129.0
4	1949-05	121.0
5	1949-06	135.0
6	1949-07	148.0
7	1949-08	148.0
8	1949-09	136.0
9	1949-10	119.0

```
[40]: data = pd.read_csv('airline.csv', skiprows=1)
data.columns = ['Month', 'Passengers']
data['Month'] = data['Month'].astype(str)
data['Month'] = pd.to_datetime(data['Month'], format='%Y-%m', errors='coerce')
data = data.dropna(subset=['Month'])
data['Passengers'] = data['Passengers'].astype(int)
data = data.set_index('Month')
```

```
[46]: data.head()
```

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[46]:
```

	Passengers
Month	
1949-02-01	118
1949-03-01	132

1949-04-01	129
1949-05-01	121
1949-06-01	135

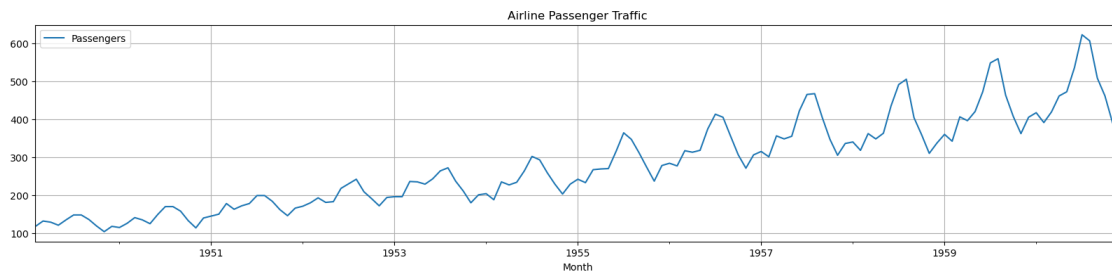
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[36]: data.tail()
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[36]:
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Month	Passengers
1960-08-01	606
1960-09-01	508
1960-10-01	461
1960-11-01	390
1960-12-01	432

0.0.2 Plotting the time series data

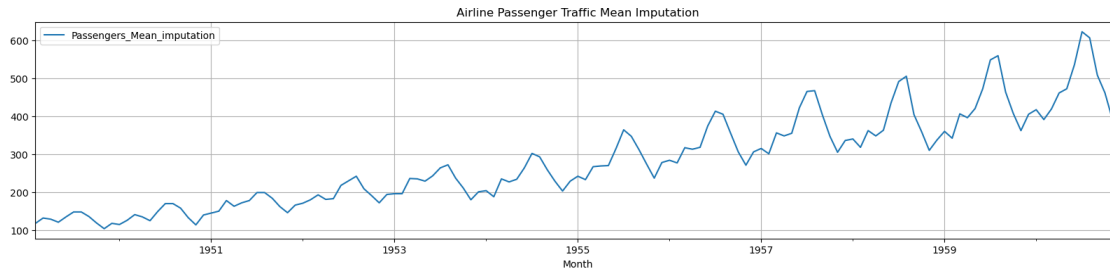
```
[50]: data.plot(figsize=(20, 4))
plt.grid()
plt.legend(loc="best")
plt.title('Airline Passenger Traffic')
plt.show(block=False)
```



0.0.3 Treating Missing Value

Mean Imputation

```
[55]: data= data.assign(Passengers_Mean_imputation = data.Passengers.fillna(data.
    ↳ Passengers.mean()))
data[['Passengers_Mean_imputation']].plot(figsize=(20, 4))
plt.grid()
plt.legend(loc="best")
plt.title('Airline Passenger Traffic Mean Imputation')
plt.show(block=False)
```



Linear Interpolation

```
[64]: # Checking if the 'Passengers_Linear_interpolation' column exists
if 'Passengers_Linear_interpolation' in data.columns:
    # Assigning the 'Passengers_Linear_interpolation' column to 'Passengers'
    data['Passengers'] = data['Passengers_Linear_interpolation']

    # Dropping the columns 'Passengers_Mean_imputation' and
    # 'Passengers_Linear_interpolation'
    data.drop(columns=['Passengers_Mean_imputation',
    # 'Passengers_Linear_interpolation'], inplace=True)
else:
    print("Column 'Passengers_Linear_interpolation' does not exist in the
    dataframe.")

# Displaying the first few rows of the dataframe.
data.head()
```

Column 'Passengers_Linear_interpolation' does not exist in the dataframe.

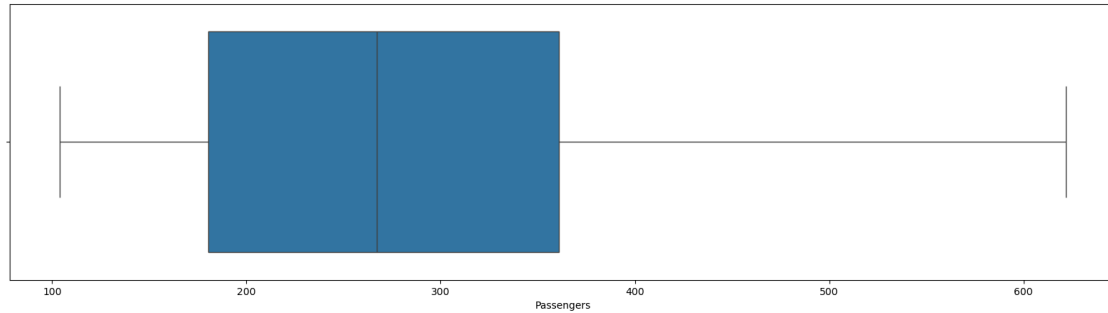
```
[64]:
```

Month	Passengers	Passengers_Mean_imputation
1949-02-01	118	118
1949-03-01	132	132
1949-04-01	129	129
1949-05-01	121	121
1949-06-01	135	135

Detecting Outlier

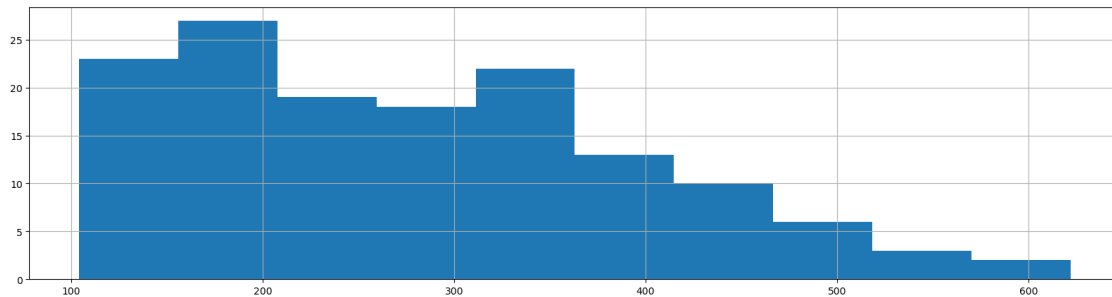
Box plot and interquartile range

```
[78]: import seaborn as sns
fig = plt.subplots(figsize=(20, 5))
ax = sns.boxplot(x=data['Passengers'], whis=1.5)
plt.show()
```



Histogram plot

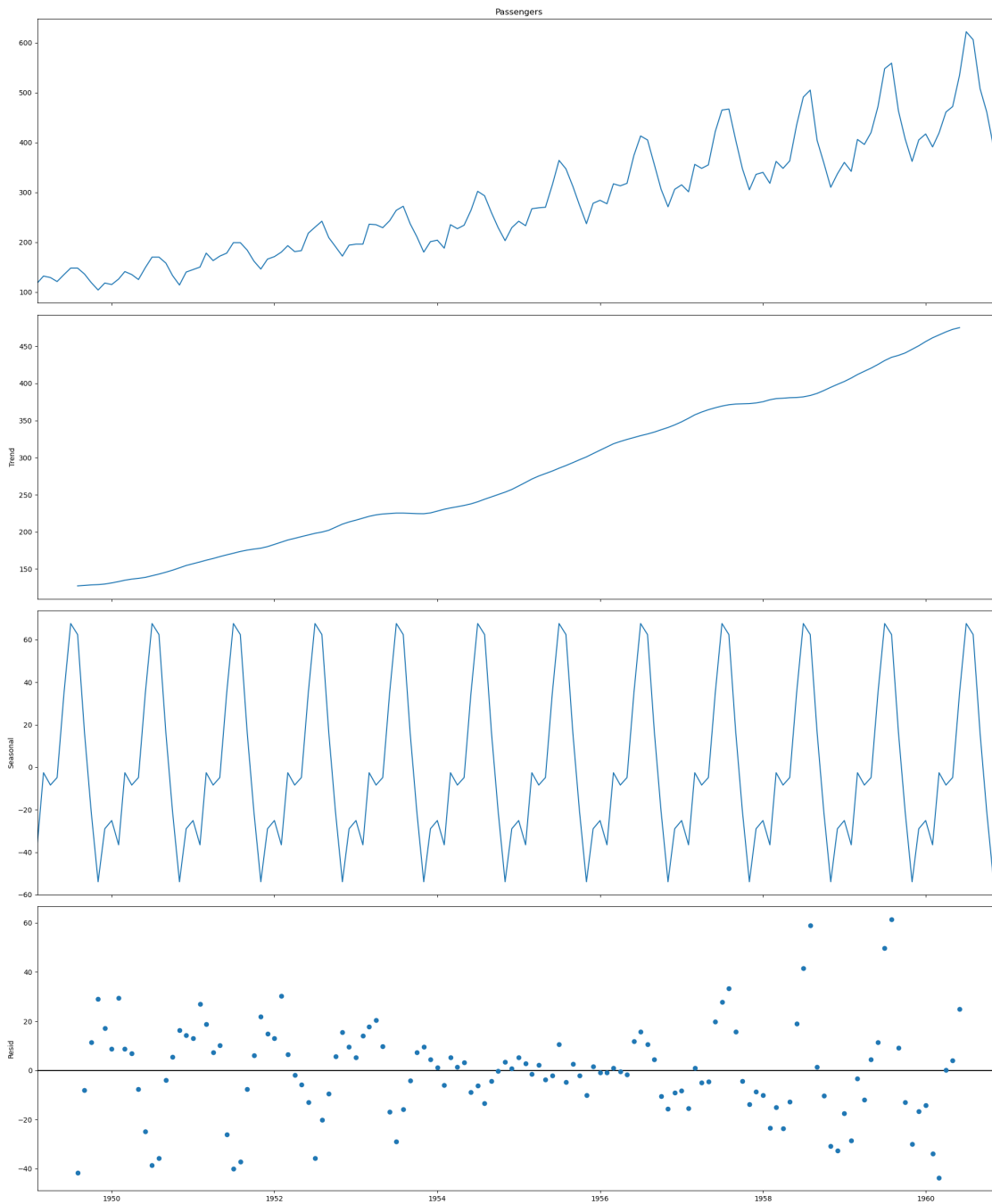
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[84]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(20, 5))
      data['Passengers'].hist(ax=ax)
      plt.show()
```



Time Series Decomposition

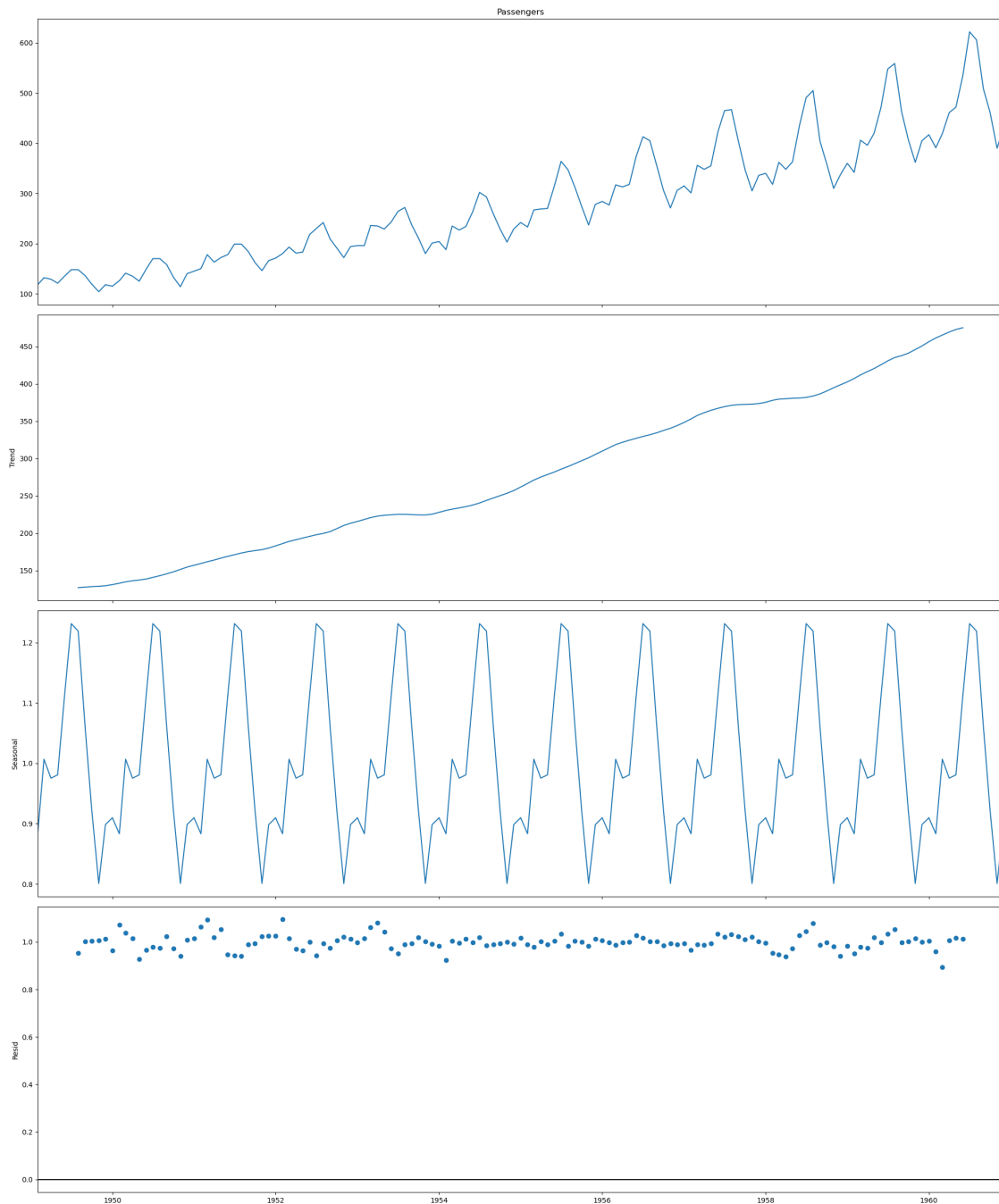
Additive Seasonal Decomposition

```
[96]: from pylab import rcParams
      import statsmodels.api as sm
      rcParams['figure.figsize'] = 20, 24
      decomposition = sm.tsa.seasonal_decompose(data['Passengers'], model='additive')
      ↪ # additive seasonal index
      fig = decomposition.plot()
      plt.show()
```



Multiplicative Seasonal Decomposition

```
[100]: decomposition = sm.tsa.seasonal_decompose(data['Passengers'],
    ↪ model='multiplicative') # multiplicative seasonal index
fig = decomposition.plot()
plt.show()
```



0.0.4 Building and Evaluating Time Series Forecast

Splitting the time series data into training and test set

```
[123]: train_len = 120
train = data[0:train_len] # First 120 months as training set
test = data[train_len:] # Last 24 months as out_of_time test set
```

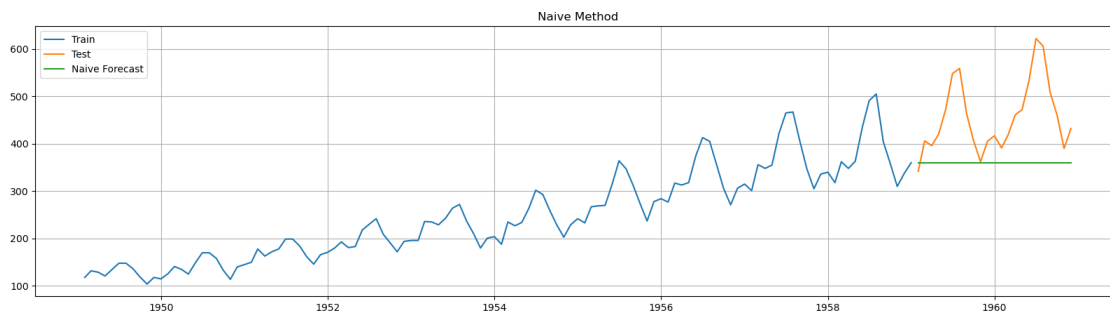
0.0.5 Simple Time Series Methods

0.0.6 1. Naive Method

```
[153]: y_hat_naive = test.copy()
y_hat_naive['naive_forecast'] = train['Passengers'].iloc[-1]
```

Plotting train, test and forecast

```
[155]: plt.figure(figsize=(20, 5))
plt.grid()
plt.plot(train['Passengers'], label='Train')
plt.plot(test['Passengers'], label='Test')
plt.plot(y_hat_naive['naive_forecast'], label='Naive Forecast')
plt.legend(loc="best")
plt.title('Naive Method')
plt.show()
```



0.0.7 Calculating the Performance of the Naive Method

Calculating Root Mean Squared Error (RMSE) and Mean Absolute Percentage Error (MAPE)

```
[159]: from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error
rmse = np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(test['Passengers'],
    ↪ y_hat_naive['naive_forecast'])).round(2)
mape = np.round(np.mean(np.abs((test['Passengers'] -
    ↪ y_hat_naive['naive_forecast']) / test['Passengers'])) * 100, 2)

results = pd.DataFrame({
    'Methods': ['Naive Method'],
    'RMSE': [rmse],
    'MAPE': [mape]
})
results = results[['Methods', 'RMSE', 'MAPE']]
results
```

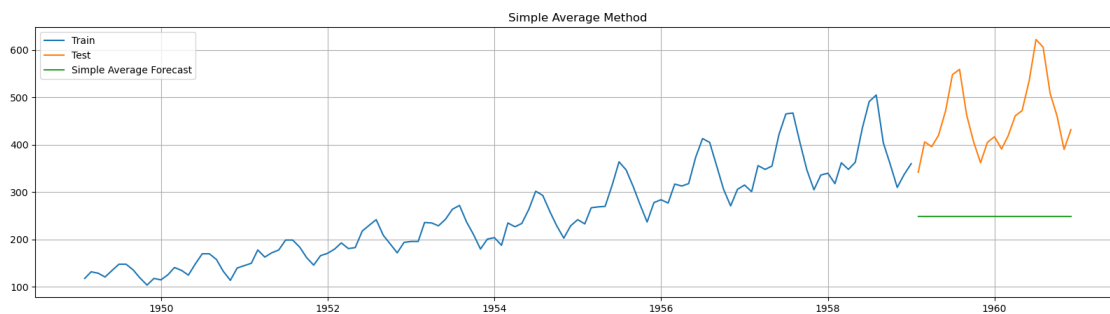
```
[159]:      Methods      RMSE      MAPE
0  Naive Method  121.24  19.62
```

0.0.8 2. Simple Average Method

```
[162]: y_hat_avg = test.copy()
y_hat_avg['avg_forecast'] = train['Passengers'].mean()
```

Plot train, test and forecast

```
[165]: plt.figure(figsize=(20, 5))
plt.grid()
plt.plot(train['Passengers'], label='Train')
plt.plot(test['Passengers'], label='Test')
plt.plot(y_hat_avg['avg_forecast'], label='Simple Average Forecast')
plt.legend(loc="best")
plt.title('Simple Average Method')
plt.show()
```



Calculating RMSE AND MAPE

```
[168]: from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error
rmse = np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(test['Passengers'],
    ↪ y_hat_avg['avg_forecast'])).round(2)
mape = np.round(np.mean(np.abs((test['Passengers'] - y_hat_avg['avg_forecast'])
    ↪ / test['Passengers']))) * 100, 2)

tempResults = pd.DataFrame({
    'Methods': ['Simple Average Method'],
    'RMSE': [rmse],
    'MAPE': [mape]
})
results = pd.concat([results, tempResults])
results = results[['Methods', 'RMSE', 'MAPE']]
results
```



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[168]:
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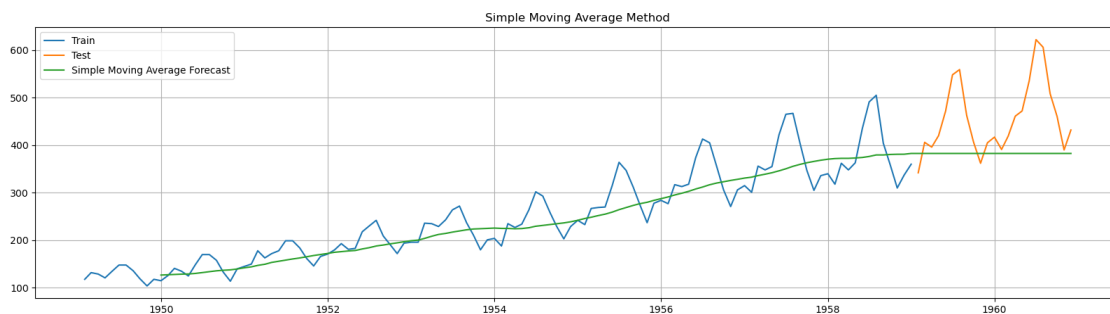
	Methods	RMSE	MAPE
0	Naive Method	121.24	19.62
0	Simple Average Method	220.94	44.32

0.0.9 3. Simple Moving Average Method

```
[206]: y_hat_sma = data.copy()
ma_window = 12
y_hat_sma['sma_forecast'] = y_hat_sma['Passengers'].rolling(window=ma_window).
    ↪mean()
y_hat_sma['sma_forecast'].iloc[train_len:] = y_hat_sma['sma_forecast'].
    ↪iloc[train_len-1]
```

Plot Train, Test and Forecast

```
[208]: plt.figure(figsize=(20, 5))
plt.grid()
plt.plot(train['Passengers'], label='Train')
plt.plot(test['Passengers'], label='Test')
plt.plot(y_hat_sma['sma_forecast'], label='Simple Moving Average Forecast')
plt.legend(loc="best")
plt.title('Simple Moving Average Method')
plt.show()
```



Calculating RMSE AND MAPE

```
[212]: from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error
y_hat_sma_forecast = y_hat_sma['sma_forecast'].iloc[train_len:]
test = data.iloc[train_len:]
rmse = np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(test['Passengers'], y_hat_sma_forecast)).
    ↪round(2)
mape = np.round(np.mean(np.abs((test['Passengers'] - y_hat_sma_forecast) /
    ↪test['Passengers']))) * 100, 2)
tempResults = pd.DataFrame({
    'Methods': ['Simple Moving Average Forecast'],
    'RMSE': [rmse],
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        'MAPE': [mape]
    })
    results = pd.concat([results, tempResults])
    results = results[['Methods', 'RMSE', 'MAPE']]
    results

```

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[212]:
           Methods    RMSE    MAPE
0           Naive Method  121.24  19.62
0    Simple Average Method  220.94  44.32
0  Simple Moving Average Forecast  104.16  15.60

```

0.0.10 Exponential Smoothing Method

4. Simple Exponential Smoothing

```

[227]: data.index = pd.to_datetime(data.index)
        data.index.freq = 'MS'
        from statsmodels.tsa.holtwinters import SimpleExpSmoothing
        model = SimpleExpSmoothing(train['Passengers'])
        model_fit = model.fit(smoothing_level=0.2, optimized=False)
        model_fit.params
        y_hat_ses = test.copy()
        y_hat_ses['ses_forecast'] = model_fit.forecast(24)
        y_hat_ses.head()

```

C:\Users\user\anaconda3\Lib\site-packages\statsmodels\tsa\base\tsa_model.py:473: ValueWarning: No frequency information was provided, so inferred frequency MS will be used.

```
self._init_dates(dates, freq)
```

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[227]:
           Passengers  Passengers_Mean_imputation  ses_forecast
Month
1959-02-01          342                        342    371.917858
1959-03-01          406                        406    371.917858
1959-04-01          396                        396    371.917858
1959-05-01          420                        420    371.917858
1959-06-01          472                        472    371.917858

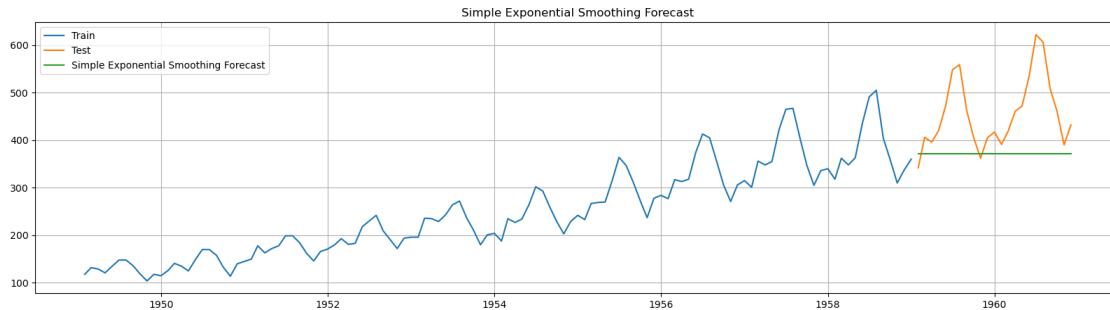
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Plot, Train and Forecast

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[233]: plt.figure(figsize=(20, 5))
        plt.grid()
        plt.plot(train['Passengers'], label='Train')
        plt.plot(test['Passengers'], label='Test')
        plt.plot(y_hat_ses['ses_forecast'], label='Simple Exponential Smoothing
        ↳Forecast')
        plt.legend(loc="best")
        plt.title('Simple Exponential Smoothing Forecast')
        plt.show()

```



Calculating RSME and MAPE

```
[237]: rmse = np.
        ↪sqrt(mean_squared_error(test['Passengers'],y_hat_ses['ses_forecast'])).
        ↪round(2)
mape = np.round(np.mean(np.abs((test['Passengers'] - y_hat_ses['ses_forecast'])/
        ↪ test['Passengers']))) * 100, 2)
tempResults = pd.DataFrame({
    'Methods': ['Simple Exponential Smoothing Forecast'],
    'RMSE': [rmse],
    'MAPE': [mape]
})
results = pd.concat([results, tempResults])
results = results[['Methods', 'RMSE', 'MAPE']]
results
```

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[237]:
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	Methods	RMSE	MAPE
0	Naive Method	121.24	19.62
0	Simple Average Method	220.94	44.32
0	Simple Moving Average Forecast	104.16	15.60
0	Simple Exponential Smoothing Forecast	112.01	17.48

0.0.11 5. Holt's Method With Trend

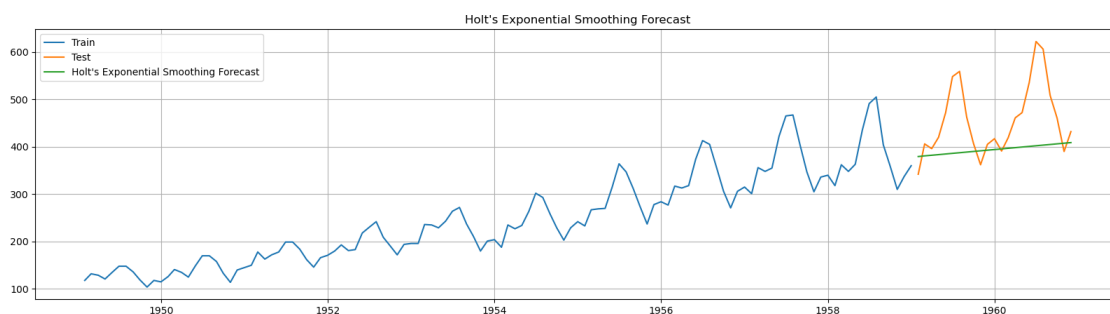
```
[243]: from statsmodels.tsa.holtwinters import ExponentialSmoothing
model = ExponentialSmoothing(np.
    ↪asarray(train['Passengers']),seasonal_periods=12, trend='additive',
    ↪seasonal=None)
model_fit = model.fit(smoothing_level=0.2, smoothing_slope=0.01,
    ↪optimized=False)
print(model_fit.params)
y_hat_holt = test.copy()
y_hat_holt['holt_forecast'] = model_fit.forecast(len(test))
```

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{'smoothing_level': 0.2, 'smoothing_trend': 0.01, 'smoothing_seasonal': None,
'damping_trend': nan, 'initial_level': 131.93333333333322, 'initial_trend':
```

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-0.5333333333333254, 'initial_seasons': array([], dtype=float64), 'use_boxcox': False, 'lamda': None, 'remove_bias': False}
```

Plot Train, Test And Forecast

```
[260]: plt.figure(figsize=(20, 5))
plt.grid()
plt.plot(train['Passengers'], label='Train')
plt.plot(test['Passengers'], label='Test')
plt.plot(y_hat_holt['holt_forecast'], label='Holt\'s Exponential Smoothing_
↳Forecast')
plt.legend(loc="best")
plt.title('Holt\'s Exponential Smoothing Forecast')
plt.show()
```



Calculating RSME And MAPE

```
[263]: rmse = np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(test['Passengers'],
↳y_hat_holt['holt_forecast'])).round(2)
mape = np.round(np.mean(np.abs((test['Passengers'] -
↳y_hat_holt['holt_forecast'])) / test['Passengers'])) * 100, 2)
tempResults = pd.DataFrame({
    'Methods': ['Holt\'s Exponential Smoothing Forecast'],
    'RMSE': [rmse],
    'MAPE': [mape]
})
results = pd.concat([results, tempResults])
results = results[['Methods', 'RMSE', 'MAPE']]
results
```

```
[263]:
```

	Methods	RMSE	MAPE
0	Naive Method	121.24	19.62
0	Simple Average Method	220.94	44.32
0	Simple Moving Average Forecast	104.16	15.60
0	Simple Exponential Smoothing Forecast	112.01	17.48
0	Holt's Exponential Smoothing Forecast	94.59	13.75

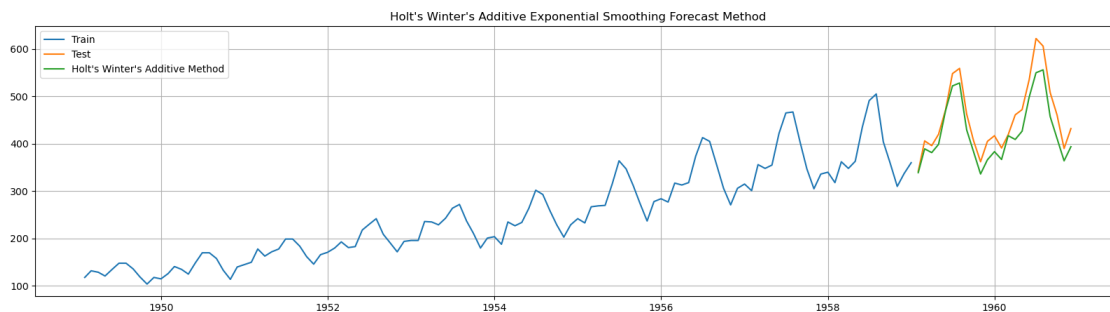
0.0.12 6. Holt's Winter's Additive Method With Trend And Seasonality

```
[268]: y_hat_hwa = test.copy()
model = ExponentialSmoothing(np.
    ↳ asarray(train['Passengers']), seasonal_periods=12, trend='add',
    ↳ seasonal='add')
model_fit = model.fit(optimized=True)
print(model_fit.params)
y_hat_hwa['hwa_forecast'] = model_fit.forecast(23)

{'smoothing_level': 0.23664628690277897, 'smoothing_trend':
2.4639036251860125e-10, 'smoothing_seasonal': 0.7633537119162593,
'damping_trend': nan, 'initial_level': 119.06349141540223, 'initial_trend':
2.312032346049103, 'initial_seasons': array([-3.38865685,  9.2043327 ,
4.17358947, -4.45329457,
          9.7479721 , 21.97831612, 19.65034468,  5.5158419 ,
        -13.3715079 , -28.08000703, -11.93849861, -15.05081336]), 'use_boxcox':
False, 'lamda': None, 'remove_bias': False}
```

Plot Train, Test And Forecast

```
[275]: plt.figure(figsize=(20, 5))
plt.grid()
plt.plot(train['Passengers'], label='Train')
plt.plot(test['Passengers'], label='Test')
plt.plot(y_hat_hwa['hwa_forecast'], label='Holt\\'s Winter\\'s Additive Method')
plt.legend(loc="best")
plt.title('Holt\\'s Winter\\'s Additive Exponential Smoothing Forecast Method')
plt.show()
```



Calculating RSME And MAPE

```
[280]: rmse = np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(test['Passengers'],
    ↳ y_hat_hwa['hwa_forecast'])).round(2)
mape = np.round(np.mean(np.abs((test['Passengers'] - y_hat_hwa['hwa_forecast'])/
    ↳ test['Passengers'])) * 100, 2)
tempResults = pd.DataFrame({
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    'Methods': ['Holt\\'s Winter\\'s Additive Method'],
    'RMSE': [rmse],
    'MAPE': [mape]
})
results = pd.concat([results, tempResults])
results = results[['Methods', 'RMSE', 'MAPE']]
results

```

```

[280]:
           Methods  RMSE  MAPE
0           Naive Method  121.24  19.62
0      Simple Average Method  220.94  44.32
0  Simple Moving Average Forecast  104.16  15.60
0  Simple Exponential Smoothing Forecast  112.01  17.48
0  Holt's Exponential Smoothing Forecast   94.59  13.75
0  Holt's Winter's Additive Method   35.60   6.64

```

0.0.13 7. Holt's Winter's Multiplicative Method With Trend And Seasonality

```

[283]: y_hat_hwm = test.copy()
model = ExponentialSmoothing(np.
    ↪asarray(train['Passengers']),seasonal_periods=12, trend='add',
    ↪seasonal='mul')
model_fit = model.fit(optimized=True)
print(model_fit.params)
y_hat_hwm['hwm_forecast'] = model_fit.forecast(23)

{'smoothing_level': 0.37452555210761707, 'smoothing_trend':
3.0577682760149587e-10, 'smoothing_seasonal': 0.6254744478197194,
'damping_trend': nan, 'initial_level': 121.0336171247121, 'initial_trend':
2.6712360653608336, 'initial_seasons': array([0.95388001, 1.05119075,
0.99974301, 0.9241966 , 1.01270795,
        1.10372749, 1.08979856, 0.99346317, 0.86527977, 0.76883907,
        0.88753233, 0.88519045]), 'use_boxcox': False, 'lamda': None,
'remove_bias': False}

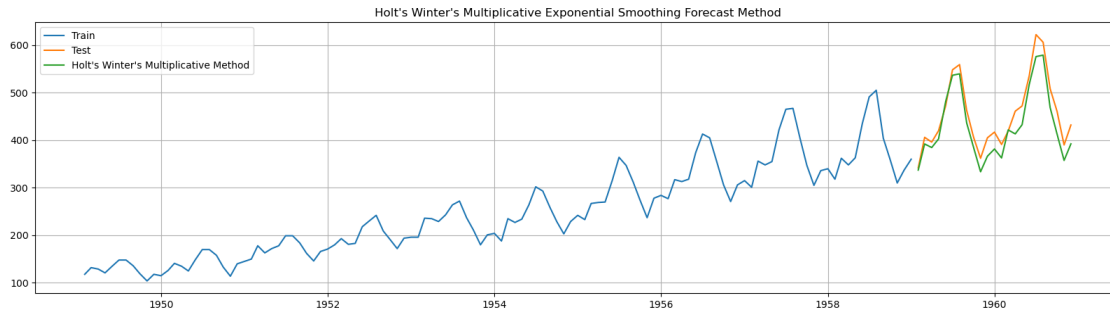
```

Plot Train, Test And Forecast

```

[287]: plt.figure(figsize=(20, 5))
plt.grid()
plt.plot(train['Passengers'], label='Train')
plt.plot(test['Passengers'], label='Test')
plt.plot(y_hat_hwm['hwm_forecast'],label='Holt\\'s Winter\\'s Multiplicative
    ↪Method')
plt.legend(loc="best")
plt.title('Holt\\'s Winter\\'s Multiplicative Exponential Smoothing Forecast
    ↪Method')
plt.show()

```



Calculating RSME And MAPE

```
[290]: rmse = np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(test['Passengers'],
    ↪ y_hat_hwm['hwm_forecast'])).round(2)
mape = np.round(np.mean(np.abs((test['Passengers'] - y_hat_hwm['hwm_forecast'])/
    ↪ test['Passengers'])) * 100, 2)
tempResults = pd.DataFrame({
    'Methods': ['Holt\'s Winter\'s Multiplicative Method'],
    'RMSE': [rmse],
    'MAPE': [mape]
})
results = pd.concat([results, tempResults])
results = results[['Methods', 'RMSE', 'MAPE']]
results
```

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[290]:
```

	Methods	RMSE	MAPE
0	Naive Method	121.24	19.62
0	Simple Average Method	220.94	44.32
0	Simple Moving Average Forecast	104.16	15.60
0	Simple Exponential Smoothing Forecast	112.01	17.48
0	Holt's Exponential Smoothing Forecast	94.59	13.75
0	Holt's Winter's Additive Method	35.60	6.64
0	Holt's Winter's Multiplicative Method	29.72	5.82

Hence it is recommended to use Holt's Winter's Multiplicative Method for accurate prediction for time series as it has the least RSME and MAPE for this data set

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