

## **Predictive\_Analytics - Questions**

**Q1. Increasing promotion frequency from 0.2 to 0.4 affects forecast accuracy how?**

- A. Improves accuracy
- B. Reduces accuracy due to variability
- C. No change
- D. Makes  $R^2 = 1.0$

**Correct answer: B. Reduces accuracy due to variability**

**Q2. Removing the Lag1 feature from the model will:**

- A. Reduce predictive power
- B. Increase forecast stability
- C. Not affect results
- D. Lower runtime only

**Correct answer: A. Reduce predictive power**

**Q3. Adding random  $\pm 20$  noise to demand data causes:**

- A. Model coefficients to remain stable
- B. Model coefficients to fluctuate more
- C. Error to decrease
- D. No impact on MAE

**Correct answer: B. Model coefficients to fluctuate more**

**Q4. Adding an IsWeekend variable to the model will likely:**

- A. Improve MAE slightly
- B. Worsen  $R^2$  drastically
- C. Remove multicollinearity
- D. Have no measurable impact

**Correct answer: A. Improve MAE slightly**

**Q5. When comparing forecasts with and without promotion, the demand uplift is expected to be:**

- A. Negligible
- B. Moderate (approx. +50 units)
- C. Negative
- D. Inconsistent across all days

**Correct answer: B. Moderate (approx. +50 units)**