### Importing the libraries

```
In [28]: import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import re
import seaborn as sns

In [29]: import warnings
warnings.filterwarnings("ignore")
warnings.simplefilter("ignore")
```

### Reading data

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data = pd.read_csv('train_1.csv')
In [30]:
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            data.head()
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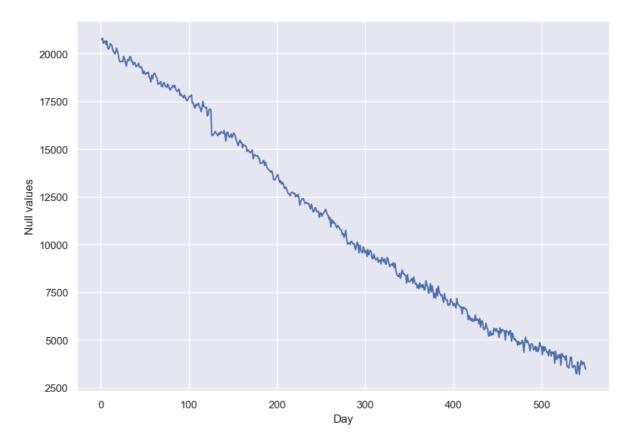
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### Checking null values with time

```
In [33]: days = [r for r in range(1, len(data.columns))]
    plt.figure(figsize=(10,7))
    plt.xlabel('Day')
    plt.ylabel('Null values')
    plt.plot(days, data.isnull().sum()[1:])
```

Out[33]: [<matplotlib.lines.Line2D at 0x22dd61a12d0>]



It shows that null values decrease with time indicating that some pages didnt exist previously

```
In [34]: data.shape
    data=data.dropna(thresh=300)
    data.shape
```

Out[34]: (133617, 551)

Dropping values where there isnt an entry for most days of the year and imputing rest with 0s

```
In [35]: data=data.fillna(0)
    data.tail()
```

Out[35]:		Page	2015- 07-01		2015- 07-03			
	145012	Legión_(Marvel_Comics)_es.wikipedia.org_all-ac	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0
	145013	$Referéndum\_sobre\_la\_permanencia\_del\_Reino\_Unid$	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0
	145014	Salida_del_Reino_Unido_de_la_Unión_Europea_es	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0
	145015	Amar,_después_de_amar_es.wikipedia.org_all-acc	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0
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### **EDA**

# Formatting page values to isolate page name, domain, access type and origin

### Using regex

```
import re

def split_page(page):
    # Define the regex pattern to extract specific components
    pattern = r'(.+?)_([a-z]+)\.wikipedia\.org_([a-z-]+)_([a-z]+)'
    match = re.match(pattern, page)
    if match:
        specific_name = match.group(1)
        language = match.group(2)
        access_type = match.group(3)
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access_origin = match.group(4)
                   return specific_name, language, access_type, access_origin
               else:
                   return None, None, None, None
          # Apply the function to the 'Page' column of your dataframe
          extracted_data = data['Page'].map(split_page)
          # Unzip the extracted components and assign them to new columns
          data['Specific_Name'], data['Language'], data['Access_Type'], data['Access_Origin']
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Out[38]:

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data.groupby('Language').count()
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         data['Language'].value_counts()
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         data.isnull().sum()
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          Length: 555, dtype: int64
 In [ ]:
```

```
In [46]: # Group by 'Language' and compute the mean for each language
language_mean = data.groupby('Language').mean()

# Transpose the resulting DataFrame
language_mean_transposed = language_mean.T

# Display the transposed DataFrame
(language_mean_transposed)
```

Out[46]:	Language	de	en	es	fr	ja	ru	zh
	2015-07- 01	763.765926	3767.328604	1127.485204	499.092872	614.637160	663.199229	272.498521
	2015-07- 02	753.362861	3755.158765	1077.485425	502.297852	705.813216	674.677015	272.906778
	2015-07- 03	723.074415	3565.225696	990.895949	483.007553	637.451671	625.329783	271.097167
	2015-07- 04	663.537323	3711.782932	930.303151	516.275785	800.897435	588.171829	273.712379
	2015-07- 05	771.358657	3833.433025	1011.759575	506.871666	768.352319	626.385354	291.977713
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	2016-12- 27	1119.596936	6314.335275	1070.923400	840.590217	808.541436	998.374071	363.066991
	2016-12- 28	1062.284069	6108.874144	1108.996753	783.585379	807.430163	945.054730	369.049701
	2016-12- 29	1033.939062	6518.058525	1058.660320	763.209169	883.752786	909.352207	340.526330
	2016-12- 30	981.786430	5401.792360	807.551177	710.502773	979.278777	815.475123	342.745316
	2016-12- 31	937.842875	5280.643467	776.934322	654.060656	1228.720808	902.600210	352.184275

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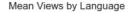
```
In [47]: # Plotting
    plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))

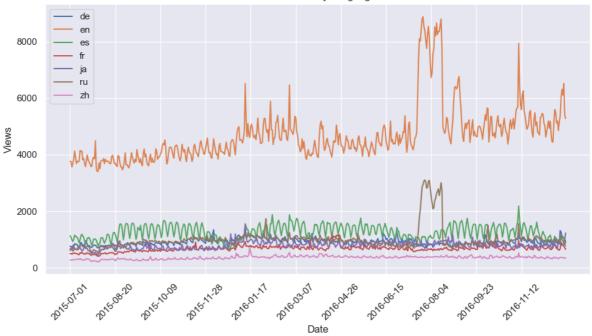
# Plot each Language's mean views
for language in language_mean_transposed.columns:
        plt.plot(language_mean_transposed.index, language_mean_transposed[language], la

# Set Labels and title
    plt.xlabel('Date')
    plt.ylabel('Views')
    plt.title('Mean Views by Language')
    plt.legend()

# Set x-axis ticks at correct intervals
    plt.xticks(language_mean_transposed.index[::50], rotation=45)

# Show plot
    plt.tight_layout()
    plt.show()
```

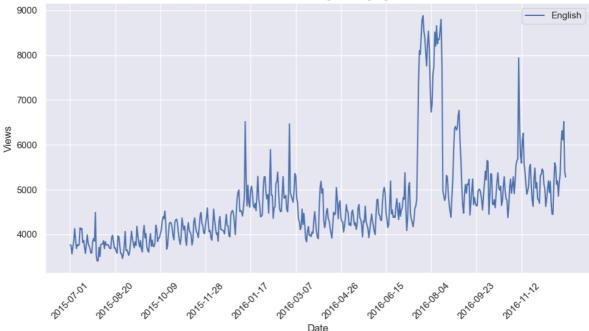




### Clearly most views in english

```
# Filter the mean views data for only English language
In [49]:
         english_mean_views = language_mean_transposed['en']
         # Plotting
         plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
         # Plot mean views for English language
         plt.plot(english_mean_views.index, english_mean_views, label='English')
         # Set labels and title
         plt.xlabel('Date')
         plt.ylabel('Views')
         plt.title('Mean Views for English Language')
         plt.legend()
         # Set x-axis ticks at correct intervals
         plt.xticks(english_mean_views.index[::50], rotation=45)
         # Show plot
         plt.tight_layout()
         plt.show()
```





# **Checking Stationarity using Dickey Fuller test**

```
In [52]:
        from statsmodels.tsa.stattools import adfuller
         def check_stationarity(time_series):
              # Perform Dickey-Fuller test
              result = adfuller(time_series)
              # Extract test statistics and p-value
              test statistic = result[0]
              p_value = result[1]
              # Define significance levels
              significance_levels = [0.01, 0.05, 0.1]
              # Print Dickey-Fuller test results
              print('Dickey-Fuller Test Results:')
              print(f'Test Statistic: {test_statistic}')
              print(f'p-value: {p_value}')
              # Interpretation of the test
              print('Results:')
              if p_value < significance_levels[0]:</pre>
                  print("Reject the null hypothesis. Data is stationary.")
              elif p_value < significance_levels[1]:</pre>
                  print("Fail to reject the null hypothesis. Data may be stationary.")
              elif p_value < significance_levels[2]:</pre>
                  print("Fail to reject the null hypothesis. Data likely non-stationary.")
              else:
                  print("Fail to reject the null hypothesis. Data is non-stationary.")
          # Example usage:
         check_stationarity(english_mean_views)
         Dickey-Fuller Test Results:
```

Test Statistic: -2.3735629745699423
p-value: 0.1493374943735527
Results:
Fail to reject the null hypothesis. Data is non-stationary.

```
In [55]:
         english_mean_views
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         2016-12-29 6518.058525
         2016-12-30 5401.792360
         2016-12-31 5280.643467
         Name: en, Length: 550, dtype: float64
In [56]: english_mean_views_df = pd.DataFrame(english_mean_views, columns=['en'])
         english_mean_views_df
In [57]:
Out[57]:
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In [58]:
         english_mean_views_df = english_mean_views_df.rename_axis('Language_Index')
In [59]:
         english_mean_views_df
```

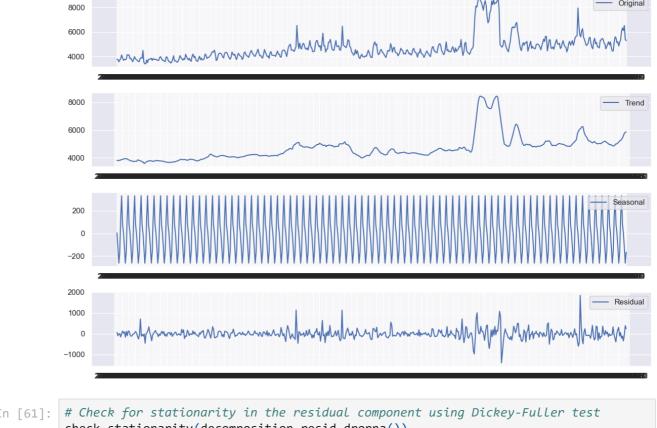
Out[59]: en

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### Making it stationary using Decomposition

```
In [60]:
        from statsmodels.tsa.seasonal import seasonal_decompose
         # Perform seasonal decomposition
         decomposition = seasonal_decompose(english_mean_views_df['en'], period=7)
         # Plot original, trend, seasonal, and residual components
         plt.figure(figsize=(12, 8))
         # Original
         plt.subplot(411)
         plt.plot(english_mean_views_df.index, decomposition.observed, label='Original')
         plt.legend()
         # Trend
         plt.subplot(412)
         plt.plot(english_mean_views_df.index, decomposition.trend, label='Trend')
         plt.legend()
         # Seasonal
         plt.subplot(413)
         plt.plot(english_mean_views_df.index, decomposition.seasonal, label='Seasonal')
         plt.legend()
         # Residual
         plt.subplot(414)
         plt.plot(english_mean_views_df.index, decomposition.resid, label='Residual')
         plt.legend()
         plt.tight_layout()
         plt.show()
```



In [61]: check\_stationarity(decomposition.resid.dropna())

Dickey-Fuller Test Results:

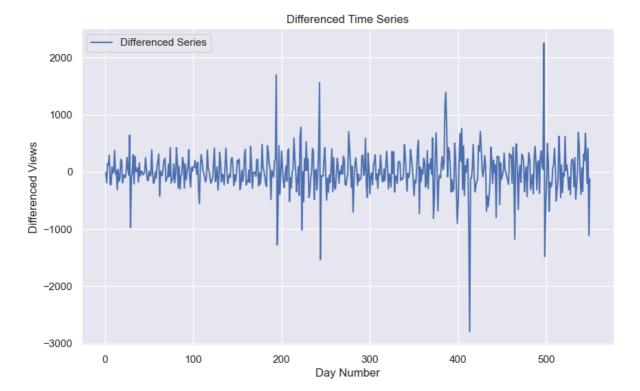
Test Statistic: -11.437315717171515 p-value: 6.3015228361645774e-21

Results:

Reject the null hypothesis. Data is stationary.

### Removing trend and seasonality with differencing

```
# Perform differencing to remove trend
In [62]:
         english_mean_views_stationary = english_mean_views_df['en'].diff().dropna()
In [64]:
         # Create a sequence of day numbers
         day_numbers = range(1, len(english_mean_views_stationary) + 1)
         # Plot the differenced time series
         plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
         plt.plot(day_numbers, english_mean_views_stationary, label='Differenced Series')
         plt.xlabel('Day Number')
         plt.ylabel('Differenced Views')
         plt.title('Differenced Time Series')
         plt.legend()
         plt.show()
```



```
In [65]: # Check for stationarity using Dickey-Fuller test
    check_stationarity(english_mean_views_stationary)
```

Dickey-Fuller Test Results: Test Statistic: -8.273590058493825 p-value: 4.721271966433437e-13

Results:

Reject the null hypothesis. Data is stationary.

# Plotting the autocorreltaion and partial auto correlation functions

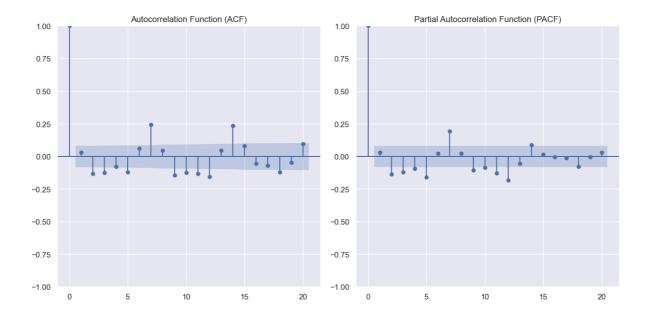
```
In [67]:
    from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
    from statsmodels.graphics.tsaplots import plot_acf, plot_pacf

# Create a figure and axes with a specific size
    fig, axs = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(12, 6))

# Plot autocorrelation function (ACF)
    plot_acf(english_mean_views_stationary, lags=20, ax=axs[0])
    axs[0].set_title('Autocorrelation Function (ACF)')

# Plot partial autocorrelation function (PACF)
    plot_pacf(english_mean_views_stationary, lags=20, ax=axs[1])
    axs[1].set_title('Partial Autocorrelation Function (PACF)')

plt.tight_layout()
    plt.show()
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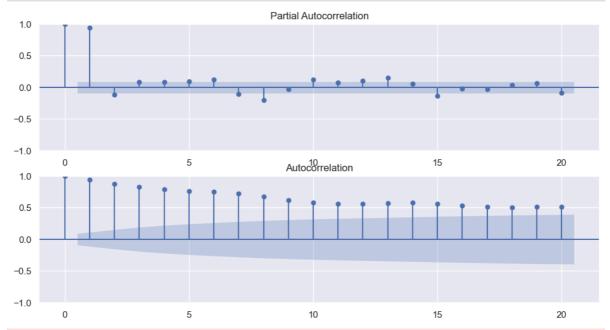
# **Using ARIMA model**

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In [76]:
         from statsmodels.tsa.statespace.sarimax import SARIMAX
         from statsmodels.graphics.tsaplots import plot acf, plot pacf
         # PLot PACF and ACF
         plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))
         plt.subplot(211)
         plot_pacf(train_data, ax=plt.gca(), lags=20)
         plt.subplot(212)
         plot_acf(train_data, ax=plt.gca(), lags=20)
         plt.show()
         # Determine AR and MA orders based on cut-off points
         p = 1 # AR order
         q = 1 # MA order
         d = 1 # Differencing order
         # Fit SARIMAX model
         sarimax_model = SARIMAX(train_data, order=(p, d, q), seasonal_order=(0, 0, 0, 0))
         sarimax result = sarimax model.fit()
         # Make predictions
         predictions = sarimax_result.predict(start=test_data.index[0], end=test_data.index[
         import numpy as np
         # Combine training and testing indices
         all_indices = np.concatenate((train_data.index, test_data.index))
         # Plot training, actual, and forecasted values
         plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))
         plt.plot(train_data.index, train_data, label='Training Data')
         plt.plot(test_data.index, test_data, label='Actual Data')
         plt.plot(test_data.index, predictions, label='Forecast')
         plt.xlabel('Date')
         plt.ylabel('Views')
         plt.title('SARIMAX Model Forecast')
         plt.legend()
         # Selecting dates to display on the x-axis
         n = 5 # Number of dates to display
         x_ticks_indices = np.linspace(0, len(all_indices) - 1, n).astype(int)
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selected_dates = all_indices[x_ticks_indices]

# Set x-axis ticks at selected dates
plt.xticks(selected_dates, rotation=45)

plt.show()
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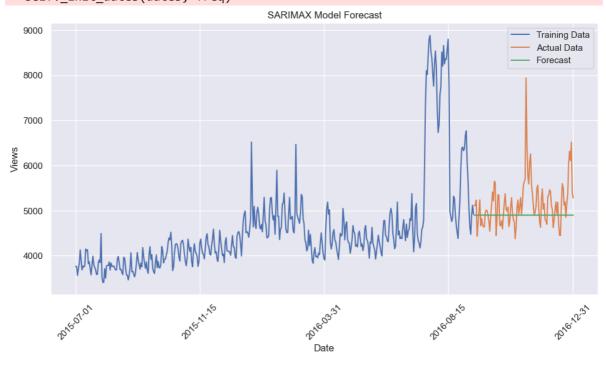


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self.\_init\_dates(dates, freq)

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self.\_init\_dates(dates, freq)



# Using SARIMAX with exog values

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In [77]: ex_df = pd.read_csv('Exog_Campaign_eng.csv')
    ex_df.head()
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Out[77]:
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In [84]:
         from pandas import DataFrame
         exog=ex_df['Exog'].to_numpy()
In [85]:
In [87]: import pandas as pd
         import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
         import statsmodels.api as sm
         import numpy as np
         # Define train and test data
         train = english mean views df.iloc[:530]
         test = english_mean_views_df.iloc[530:]
         # Fit SARIMAX model with exogenous variables
         model = sm.tsa.statespace.SARIMAX(train, order=(1, 1, 1), seasonal_order=(1, 1, 1,
         results = model.fit()
         # Make forecast
         forecast = results.forecast(20, dynamic=True, exog=pd.DataFrame(exog[530:]))
         # Convert forecast to pandas series
         fc_series = pd.Series(forecast, index=test.index)
         # Plot
         plt.figure(figsize=(12, 5))
         plt.plot(train, label='Training Data')
         plt.plot(test, label='Actual Data')
         plt.plot(fc series, label='Forecast')
         plt.title('Forecast vs Actuals')
         plt.xlabel('Date')
         plt.ylabel('Views')
         plt.legend(fontsize=8)
         # Selecting well-spaced dates to display on the x-axis
         n = 5 # Number of dates to display
         x_ticks_indices = np.linspace(0, len(english_mean_views_df) - 1, n).astype(int)
         selected_dates = english_mean_views_df.index[x_ticks_indices]
         # Set x-axis ticks at selected dates
         plt.xticks(selected_dates, rotation=45)
         plt.show()
         C:\Users\Sharat\anaconda3\Lib\site-packages\statsmodels\tsa\base\tsa_model.py:473:
         ValueWarning: No frequency information was provided, so inferred frequency D will
         be used.
           self._init_dates(dates, freq)
         C:\Users\Sharat\anaconda3\Lib\site-packages\statsmodels\tsa\base\tsa_model.py:473:
         ValueWarning: No frequency information was provided, so inferred frequency D will
         be used.
           self._init_dates(dates, freq)
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In [140... forecast_values = forecast22.values.ravel()
    test_values = test22.values.ravel()

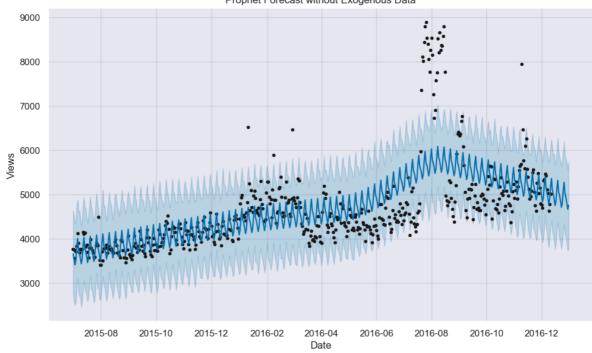
# Calculate MAPE
mape22 = np.mean(np.abs(forecast_values - test_values) / np.abs(test_values))
print("MAPE:", mape22)
```

MAPE: 0.04661381079443559

We see that we get best result from SARIMAX with MAPE of 0.0466

# **Using Facebook Prophet without exogenous values**

```
In [89]: # Make a copy of english_mean_views_df
         df_copy = english_mean_views_df.copy()
         # Reset index and rename column
         df copy.reset index(inplace=True)
         df_copy.rename(columns={'Language_Index': 'ds', 'en': 'y'}, inplace=True)
         # Split into train and test sets
         train_size = 530
         train_df = df_copy.iloc[:train_size]
         test_df = df_copy.iloc[train_size:]
         # Create Prophet model without exogenous data
         prophet model = Prophet()
         prophet_model.fit(train_df)
         # Make forecast
         future = prophet_model.make_future_dataframe(periods=len(test_df))
         forecast = prophet_model.predict(future)
         # Plot forecast without exogenous data
         fig = prophet model.plot(forecast)
         plt.xlabel('Date')
         plt.ylabel('Views')
         plt.title('Prophet Forecast without Exogenous Data')
         plt.show()
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         01:23:52 - cmdstanpy - INFO - Chain [1] done processing
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              dtype=int64)
```

### **Using Facebook Prophet with exogenous values**

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In [116... # Make a copy of english_mean_views_df
df_copy = english_mean_views_df.reset_index().copy()

# Rename columns to "ds" and "y"
df_copy.rename(columns={'Language_Index': 'ds', 'en': 'y'}, inplace=True)

# Initialize Prophet Model
model = Prophet(interval_width=0.9, weekly_seasonality=True, changepoint_prior_scal
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# Convert exog array to DataFrame
exog_df = pd.DataFrame({'ds': df_copy['ds'], 'exog': exog})

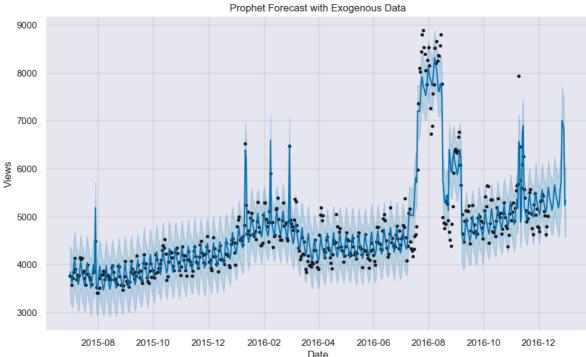
# Add Exogenous Regressor
model.add_regressor('exog')

# Fit the Model (excluding last 20 rows)
model.fit(df_copy[:-20].merge(exog_df[:-20], on='ds'))

# Make Forecast (including last 20 rows)
forecast = model.predict(df_copy.merge(exog_df, on='ds'))

# Plot the Forecast
fig = model.plot(forecast)
plt.xlabel('Date')
plt.ylabel('Views')
plt.title('Prophet Forecast with Exogenous Data')
plt.show()
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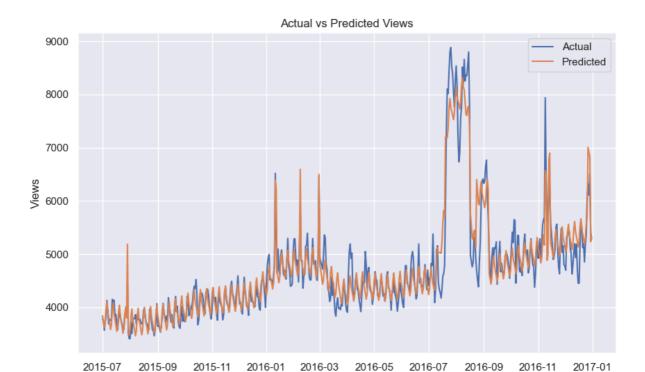
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21:47:08 - cmdstanpy - INFO - Chain [1] start processing
21:47:09 - cmdstanpy - INFO - Chain [1] done processing
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### Poltting actual vs predicted

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In [118... # Convert datetime column to datetime objects
    df_copy['ds'] = pd.to_datetime(df_copy['ds'])

# Plot the Forecast and Actual Values
    plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
    plt.plot(df_copy['ds'], df_copy['y'], label='Actual')
    plt.plot(forecast['ds'], forecast['yhat'], label='Predicted')
    plt.xlabel('Date')
    plt.ylabel('Views')
    plt.title('Actual vs Predicted Views')
    plt.legend()
    plt.show()
```



2016-03

Date

2016-05

2016-07

2016-09

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2017-01

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In [122...
          def calculate_mape(actual, predicted):
              # Calculate absolute percentage error
              abs_percentage_error = np.abs((actual - predicted) / actual)
              # Calculate mean absolute percentage error
              mape = np.mean(abs_percentage_error)
              return mape
          # Calculate MAPE
          mape = calculate mape(english mean views df['en'].values[-20:], forecast['yhat'].va
          print("MAPE:", mape)
          MAPE: 0.0663021464072997
```

2016-01

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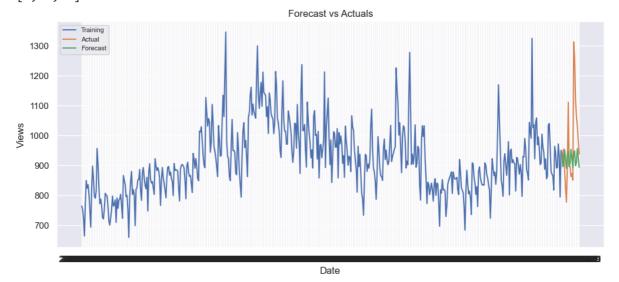
2015-11

## Creating gridsearch function to find best model for each language

```
In [106...
          def grid search(ts):
              p_values = range(4) # Values of p to try
              d_values = range(4) # Values of d to try
              q_values = range(4) # Values of q to try
              best mape = 100 # Initialize the best MAPE score
              best_params = [0, 0, 0] # Initialize the best parameters (p, d, q)
              # Perform grid search
              for p in p_values:
                  for d in d_values:
                      for q in q_values:
                           try:
                               # Fit SARIMAX model
                               model = SARIMAX(ts[:-20], order=(p, d, q))
                               model_fit = model.fit(disp=-1)
                               # Make forecast
                               fc = model_fit.forecast(20, alpha=0.02)
```

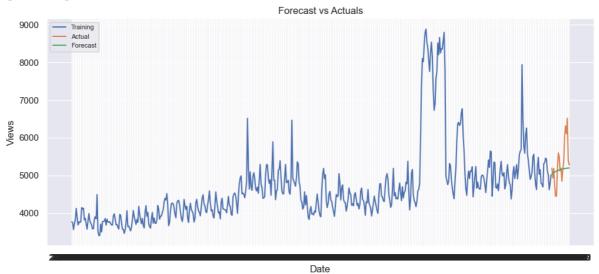
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# Calculate MAPE
                               mape = np.mean(np.abs(fc.values - ts[-20:].values) / np.abs(ts[
                               # Update best MAPE and parameters if current model is better
                               if mape < best mape:</pre>
                                   best mape = mape
                                   best_params = [p, d, q]
                           except:
                               pass # Skip if model fitting fails
               return best_mape, best_params
In [125...
          def all_arima(train, test, val):
               # Fit SARIMAX model
               model = SARIMAX(train, order=(val[0], val[1], val[2]))
               fitted = model.fit(disp=-1)
               # Forecast
               fc = fitted.forecast(20, alpha=0.02)
               # Convert forecast to pandas series
               fc_series = pd.Series(fc, index=test.index)
               # Plot
               plt.figure(figsize=(12,5), dpi=100)
               plt.plot(train, label='Training')
               plt.plot(test, label='Actual')
               plt.plot(fc_series, label='Forecast')
               plt.title('Forecast vs Actuals')
               plt.xlabel('Date')
               plt.ylabel('Views')
               plt.legend(loc='upper left', fontsize=8)
               plt.show()
               # Calculate MAPE and RMSE
               mape = np.mean(np.abs(fc - test) / np.abs(test))
               rmse = np.sqrt(np.mean((fc - test) ** 2))
               return fc, rmse
In [109...
           import warnings
          warnings.filterwarnings("ignore")
          test.isnull().sum()
In [129...
Out[129]:
In [141...
           views_prediction={}
           for c in language_mean_transposed:
               print("language: ",c)
               kk=(language_mean_transposed[c])
               mape, val=grid_search(kk)
               print(val)
               train = kk[:530]
               test = kk[530:]
               fc,rmse=all_arima(train,test,val)
               views prediction[c]=fc
               print("MAPE:", mape)
```

language: de
[3, 2, 3]



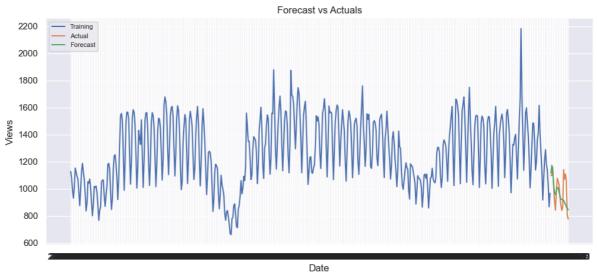
MAPE: 0.09353358690088856

language: en
[1, 1, 1]



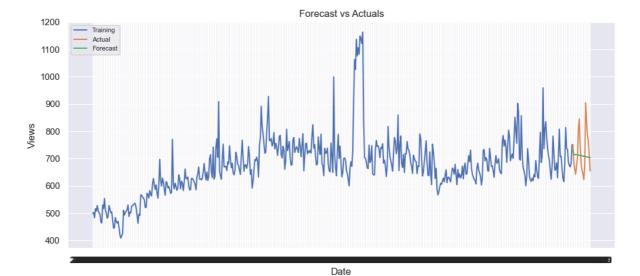
MAPE: 0.07223427767239152

language: es
[3, 2, 3]



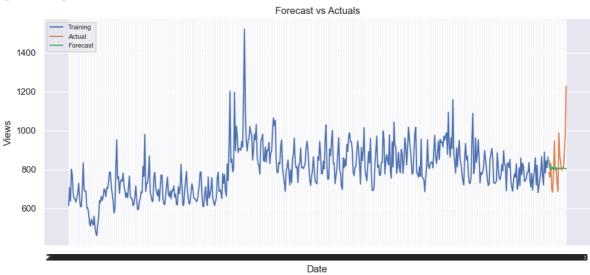
MAPE: 0.08062441451185409

language: fr
[3, 0, 1]



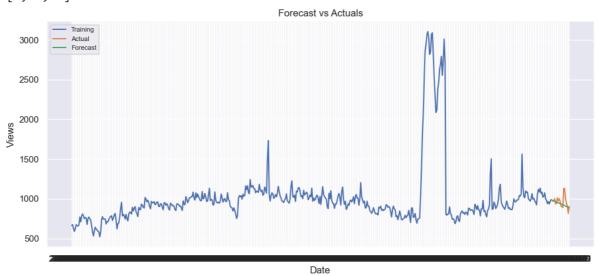
MAPE: 0.0854842610901467

language: ja
[2, 1, 2]



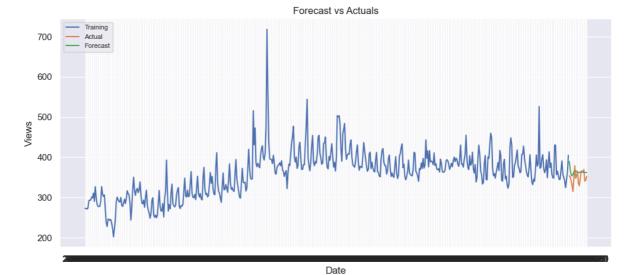
MAPE: 0.09361914222146142

language: ru
[3, 3, 2]



MAPE: 0.05011008837152442

language: zh
[3, 0, 3]



MAPE: 0.04917926933904462

### **Inferences**

- English language pages are most viewed
- There are some formatting errors that give www and commons as languages
- Traffic increased and null values decreased with time
- Access type usage of mobile and desktop is similar
- There are certain spikes which are not outliers but event days
- Data is not stationary
- there is a weekly seasonality
- SARIMAX model gives best MAPE of 0.0466
- FB Prophet gave MAPE of 0.066

### Recommendations

- Content Optimization: Since English language pages are the most viewed, allocate resources to optimize and enhance the quality of English-language content. Focus on creating compelling, relevant, and engaging content to maintain and further increase viewership.
- Language Identification: Address the formatting errors that incorrectly categorize URLs
  as languages (e.g., "www" and "commons"). Implement robust language identification
  algorithms to accurately classify content and avoid misinterpretations.
- Traffic Monitoring and Analysis: Continue monitoring traffic patterns over time and analyze trends to identify areas of growth and potential opportunities. Invest resources in content areas that show consistent increases in traffic and address any remaining null values to ensure data integrity.
- Mobile Optimization: Since access type usage of mobile and desktop is similar, prioritize
  mobile optimization strategies to cater to the growing number of users accessing
  content via mobile devices. Ensure that the website and content are responsive, load
  quickly, and provide a seamless user experience across all devices.

- Event Day Preparedness: Identify and anticipate event days that result in traffic spikes.
   Develop content and promotional strategies to capitalize on these spikes and maximize engagement with the audience during such events.
- Time-Series Analysis: Recognize the presence of non-stationarity and weekly seasonality
  in the data. Implement time-series analysis techniques, such as SARIMAX modeling, to
  forecast future traffic patterns accurately. Use these insights to plan content releases,
  promotional activities, and resource allocation effectively.
- Continuous Improvement: Emphasize a culture of continuous improvement and datadriven decision-making. Regularly review and refine content strategies, SEO techniques, and user engagement initiatives based on performance metrics and feedback from users.
- Localization and Global Reach: Explore opportunities to expand content localization
  efforts beyond English to cater to diverse language preferences and global audiences.
  Tailor content to meet the specific needs and preferences of different languagespeaking communities to foster engagement and loyalty.
- Collaboration and Partnerships: Collaborate with relevant stakeholders, influencers, and communities to amplify reach and engagement. Form partnerships with local organizations or content creators to co-create content and leverage each other's networks for mutual benefit.