

# ELECTRICAL PRICE PREDICTION



**DS5110 PROJECT**

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# Background

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- Forecasting in energy problem
- Dataset ? Why...

Feature Type	Columns
Date	“time”
Energy information	“generation biomass”, “generation fossil gas”, “generation fossil oil”, “generation solar”, “total load actual” etc.
Weather information	“temp”, “pressure”, “humidity”, “wind speed” etc.
Price information	“price day ahead”, “price actual” etc.

# EDA

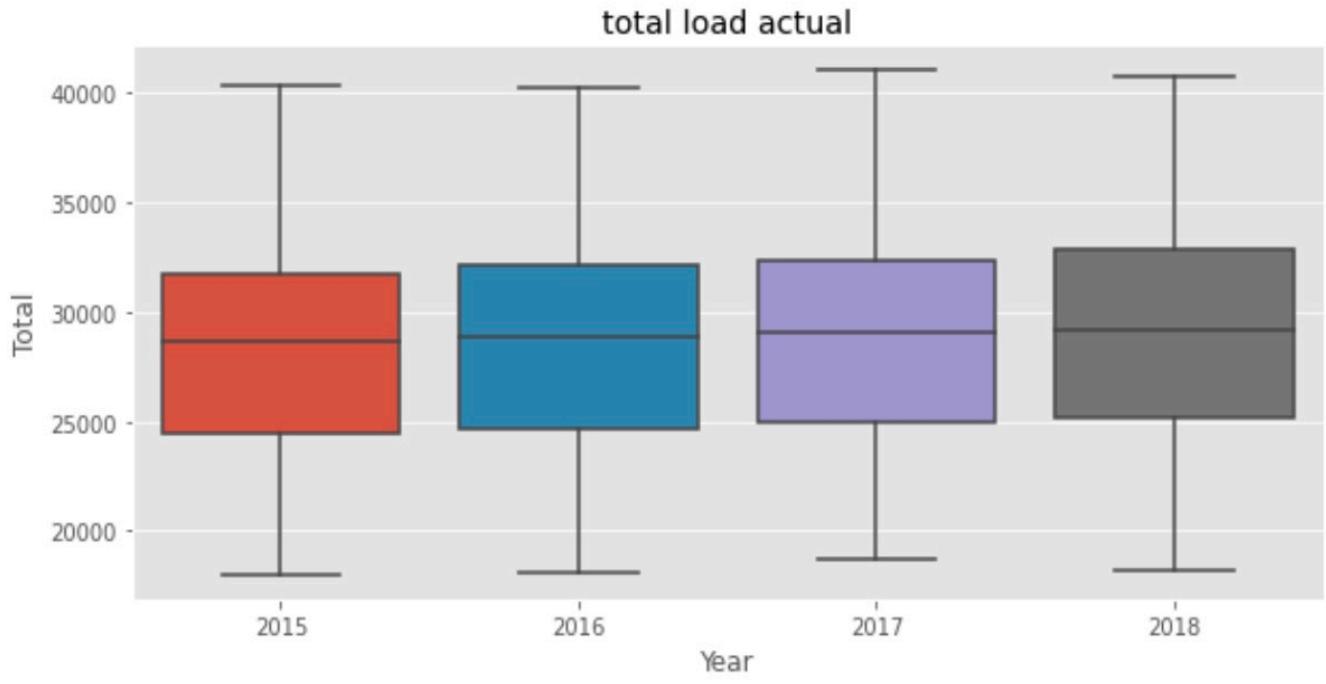
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- Goal

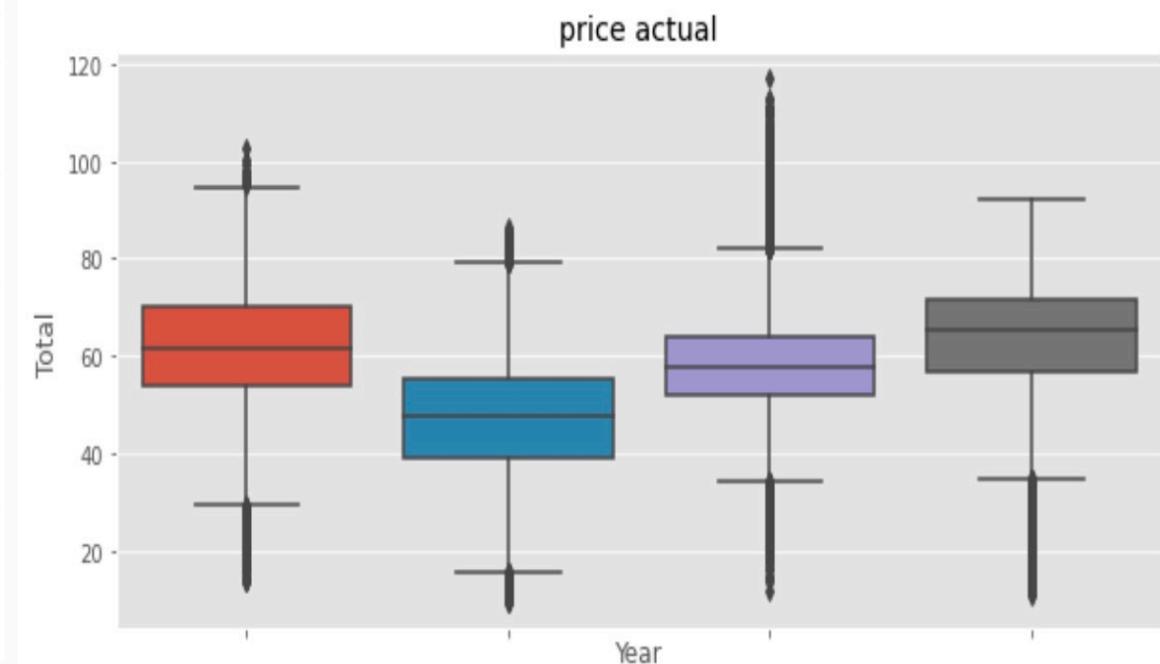
- *Find a pattern*

- Distribution

- generate distribution of “Total load actual” by year



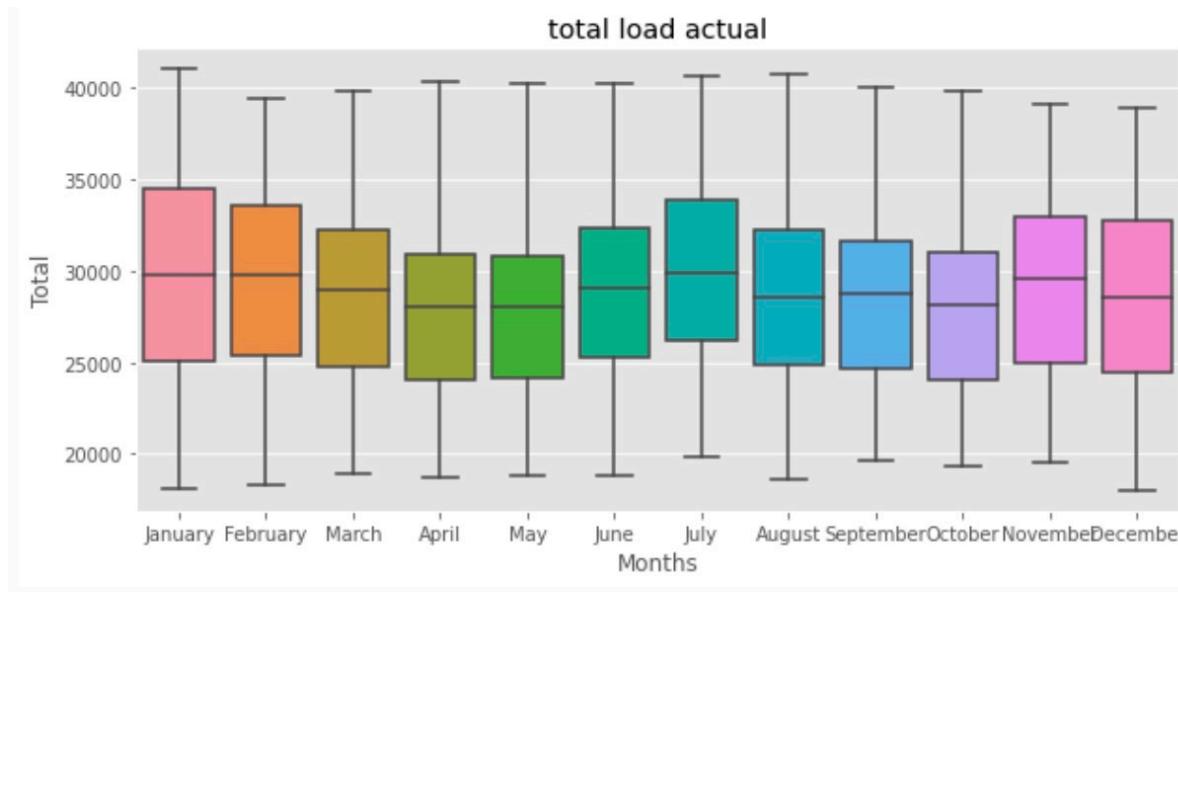
- generate distribution of “price” by year



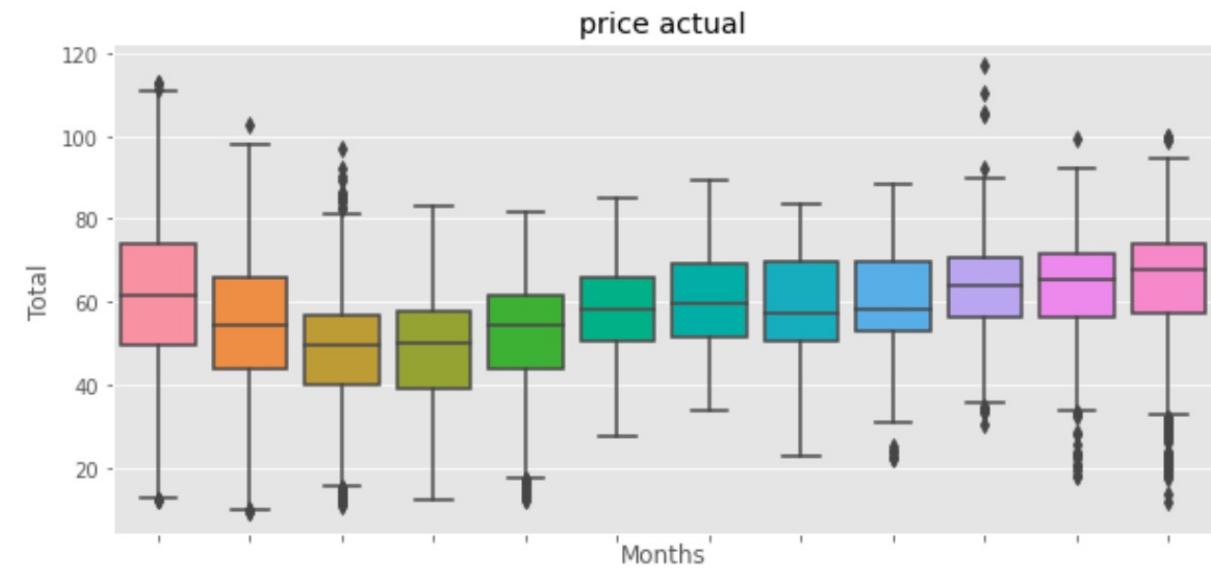
# EDA

- Distribution

- generate distribution of “Total load actual” by month*



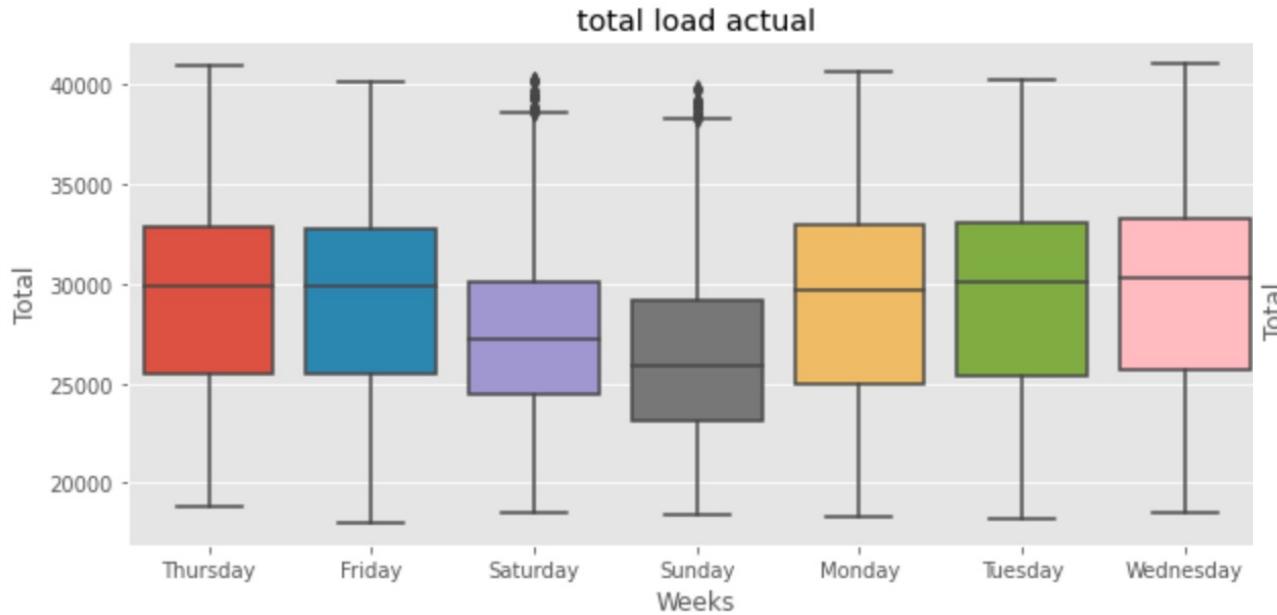
- generate distribution of “price” by month*



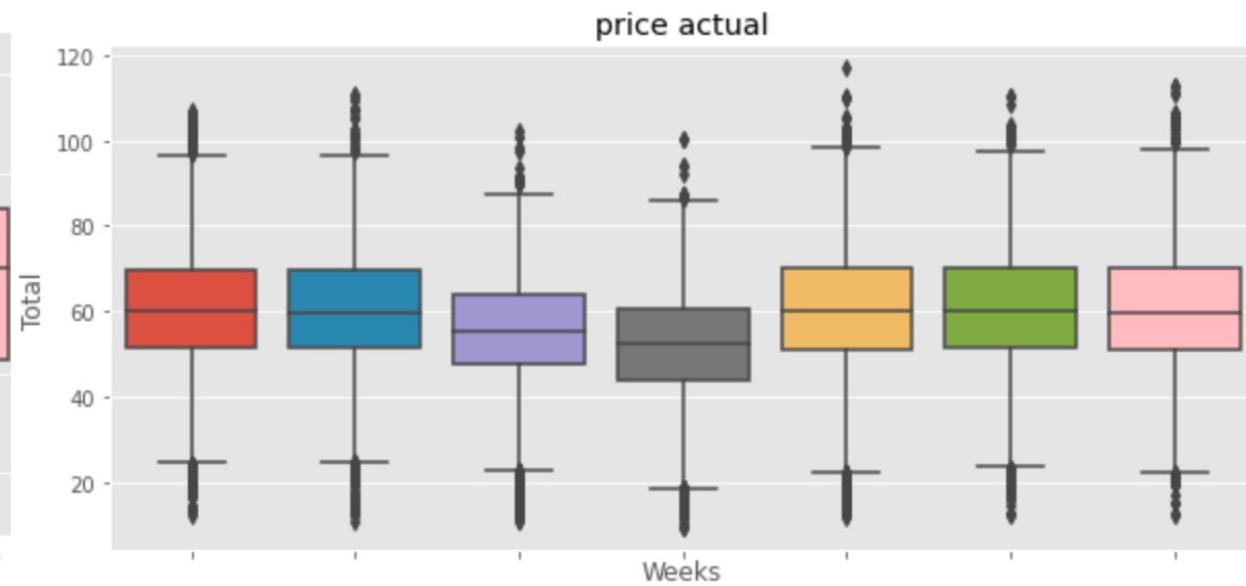
# EDA

- Distribution

- generate distribution of “Total load actual” by week



- generate distribution of “price” by week



? Assumption:  
- Seasonality  
- temperature  
- time window

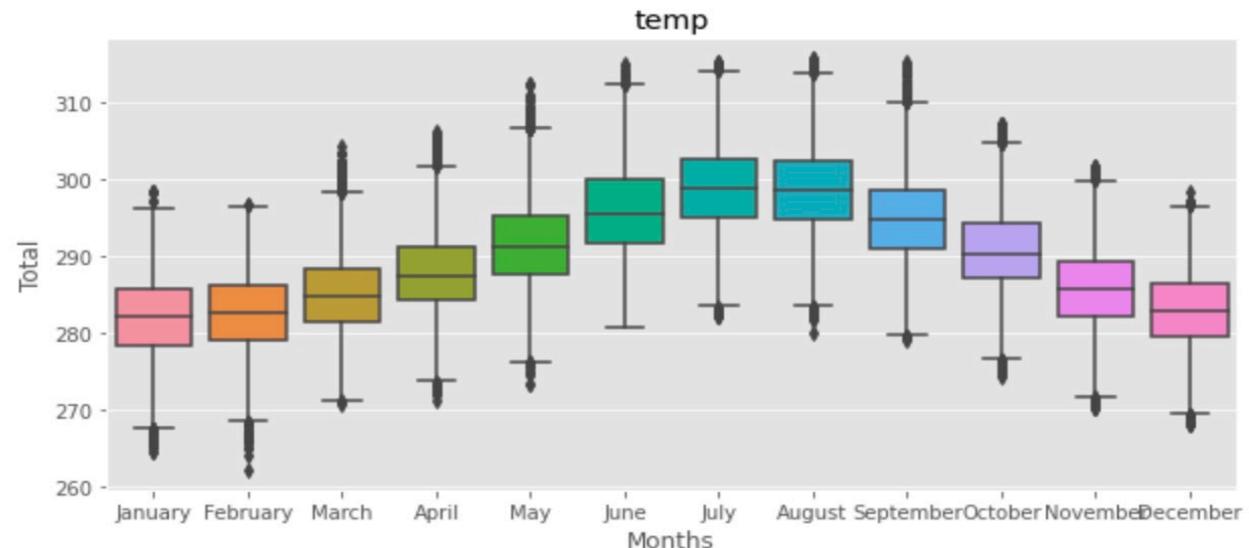
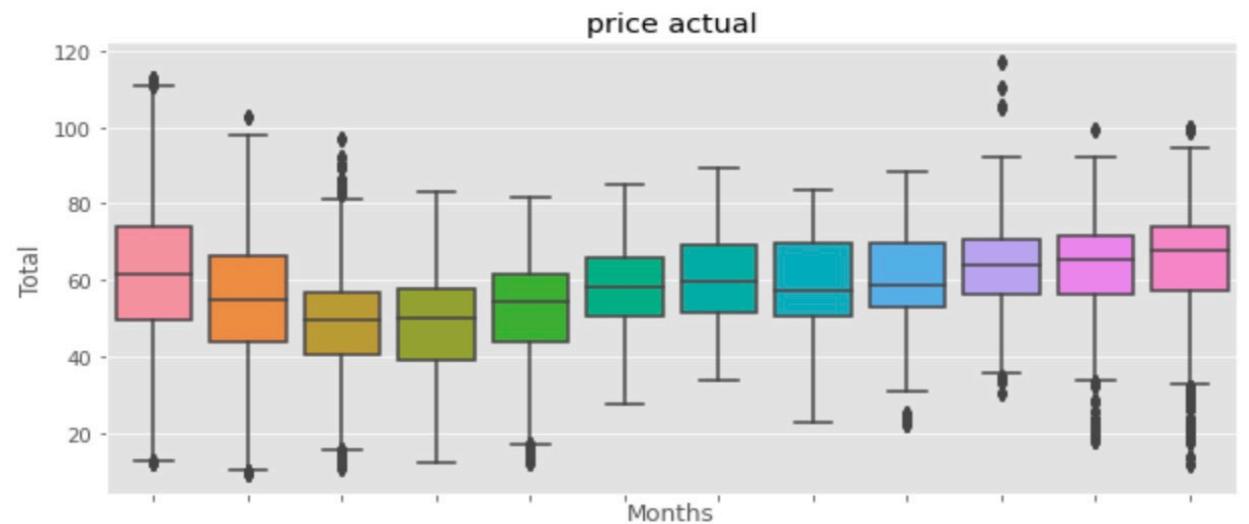
# EDA

- Assumption

distribution of temperature and price

💥 *interesting!!!*

1. when temperature is low...
2. when temperature is high...



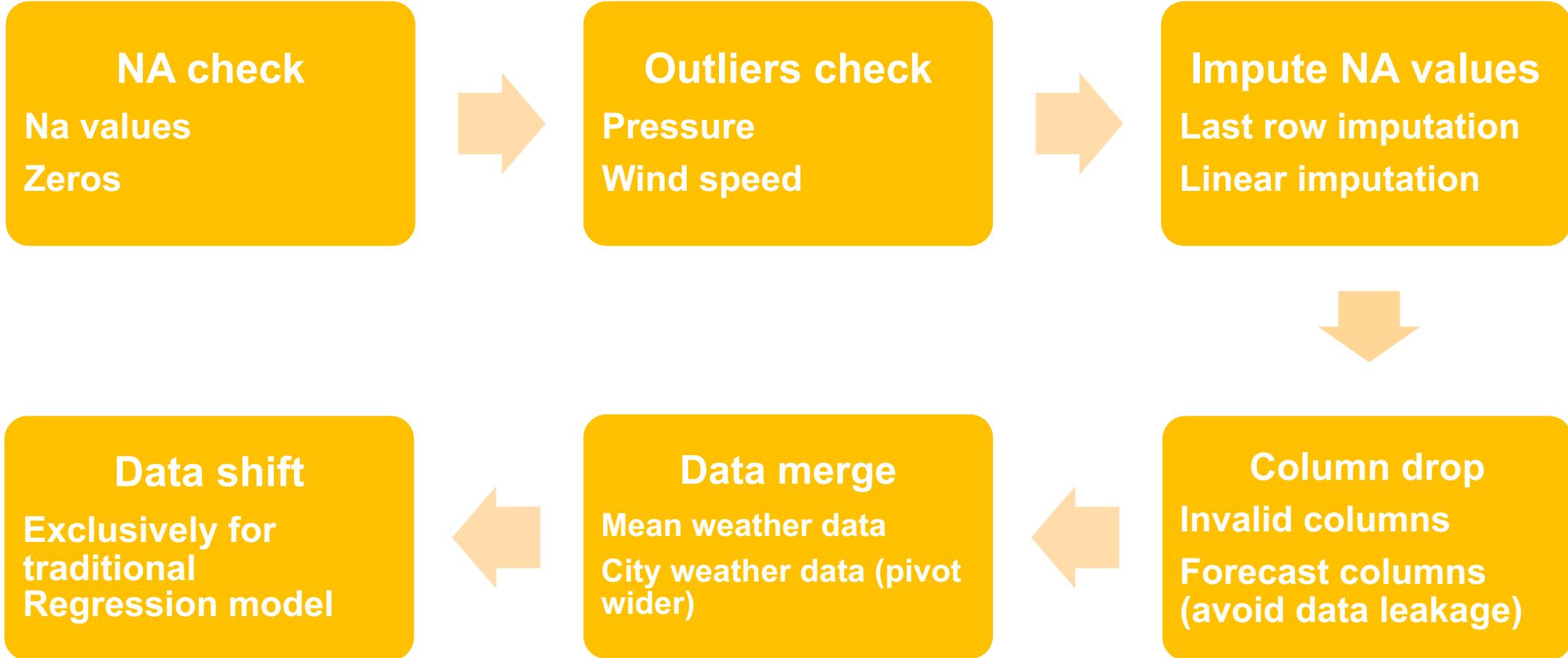
# EDA

- Correlation matrix

Find some correlation between  
features



# Data Preprocessing



# Feature Engineering

## Historical Values

price of an hour ago  
price of the day before  
price of a week ago  
price of a month ago  
...

## Groupby Features

mean price of this week  
mean price of this month  
minimum price of this week  
maximum price of this week  
...

## Slide Window

mean price of last 6 hours  
mean price of last 7 days  
mean temperature of last 6 hours  
mean temperature of last 7 days  
...

## Trend

growth rate of price  
of the last hour  
growth rate of price  
of this month  
...

## Date Features

day of month  
day of week  
quarter  
hour  
...

**27 Original Features**

+ **58 Generated Features**

**85 Features**

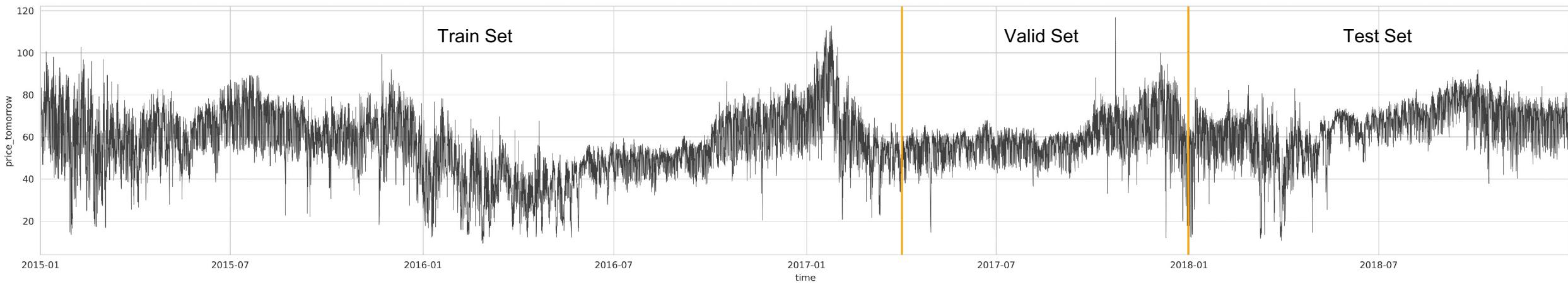
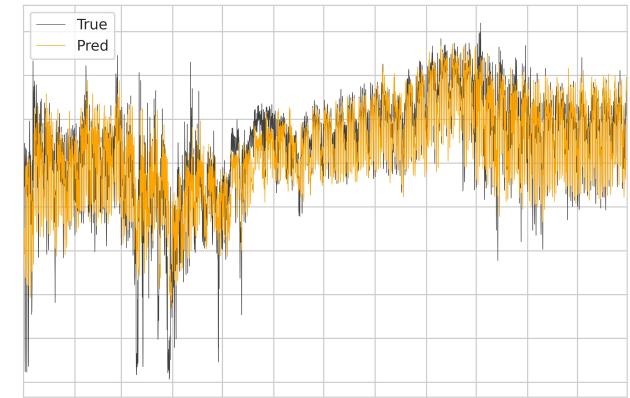
# Machine Learning Models

Model	RMSE
Linear Regressor	6.9827
Ridge Regressor	6.9807
Lasso Regressor	6.8987
Random Forest Regressor	6.4707
LightGBM	6.2770
XGBoost	6.3939
CatBoost	6.2158

avg

**Final  
Prediction** | RMSE  
**6.0847**

Prediction VS. Label



# Machine Learning Models

Model	Weight
Linear Regressor	0.125
Ridge Regressor	0.125
Lasso Regressor	0.125
Random Forest Regressor	0.125
LightGBM	0.15
XGBoost	0.15
CatBoost	0.2

RMSE **6.0847**

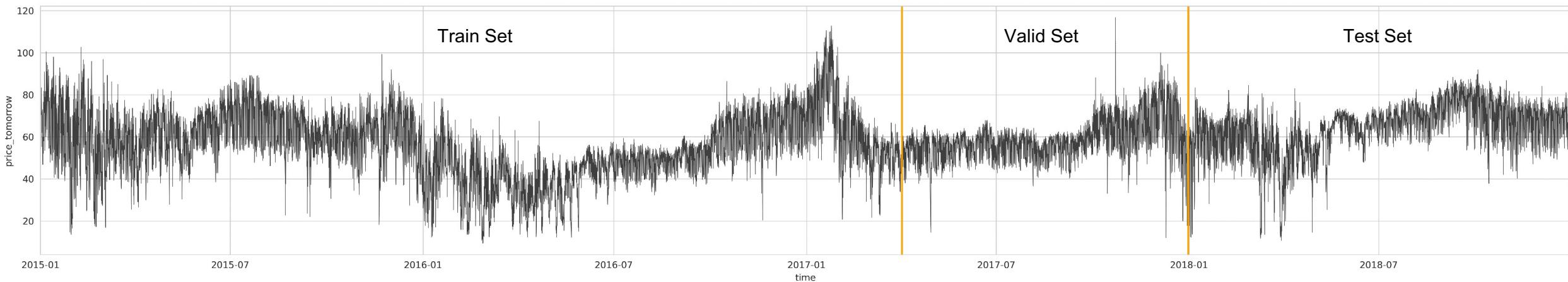
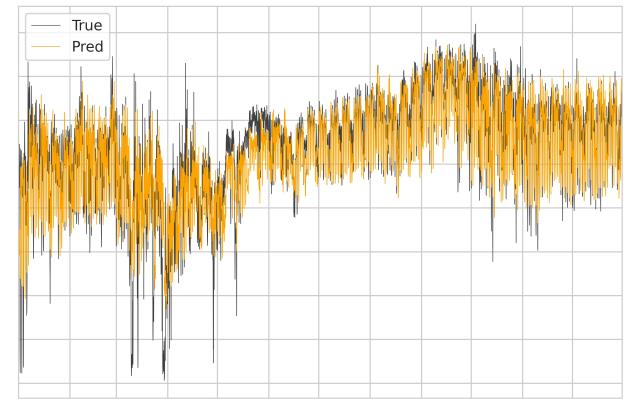
RMSE **6.0187**

**85** Features

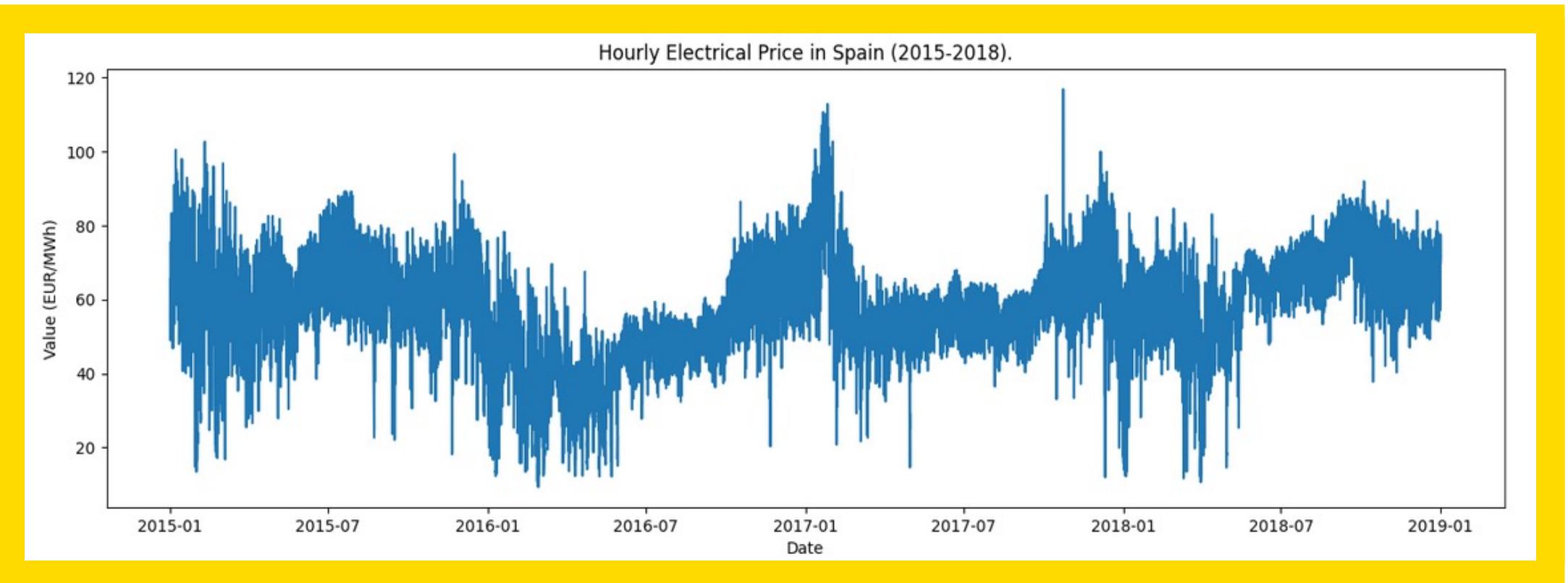
- **10** Low Importance  
Features

**75** Features

Prediction VS. Label



# Time Series Analysis



**Distribution of Electrical Price over Time**

# Time Series Models

## Time-Series data :

- is a collection of observations obtained through **repeated measurements over time**.
- Frequency can be Annually, Monthly, Weekly, Hourly or Second-wise.

### Univariate Analysis:

- The series with a **single** time-dependent variable.

Ex.: AR model, ARIMA

### Multivariate Analysis:

- The series has **more than one** time-dependent variable.

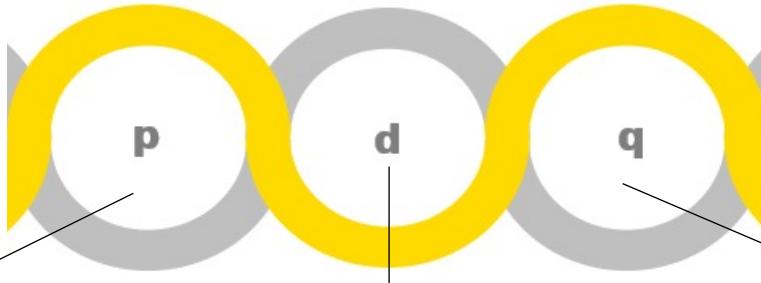
Ex.: VAR model, Prophet  
Multivariate model

$$y_t = c + \phi_1 y_{t-1} + \phi_2 y_{t-2} + \cdots + \phi_p y_{t-p} + \varepsilon_t$$

$$\begin{aligned} Y_{1,t} &= \alpha_1 + \beta_{11,1} Y_{1,t-1} + \beta_{12,1} Y_{2,t-1} + \varepsilon_{1,t} \\ Y_{2,t} &= \alpha_2 + \beta_{21,1} Y_{1,t-1} + \beta_{22,1} Y_{2,t-1} + \varepsilon_{2,t} \end{aligned}$$

# ARIMA Model

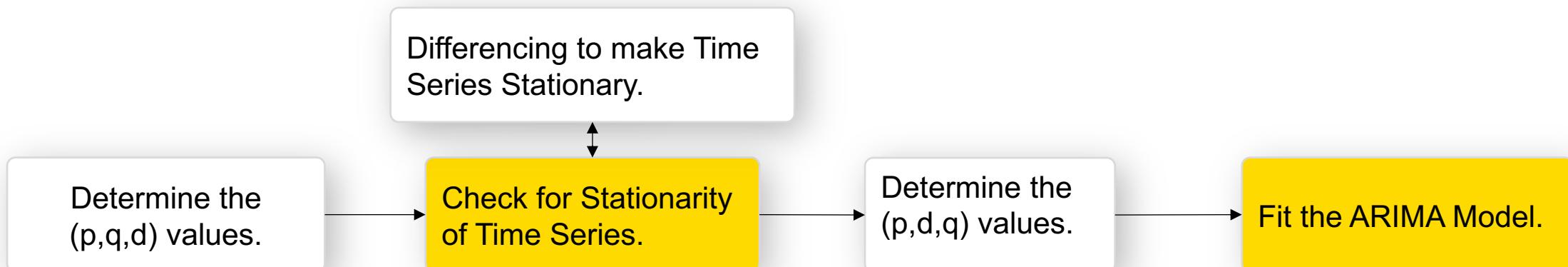
## Auto Regressive – Integrated – Moving Average



- is the **order** of the **AR** term.
- **number of lags of Y** to be used as predictors.

- **minimum number of differencing** required to make the time series stationary

- is the order of the **MA** term.
- **number of lagged forecast errors** that should go into the model



## ARIMA Model :

- Use **KPSS tests** to determine **stationarity of data**.
  - > **null hypothesis** : the series is stationary.
- determine **p** and **q** using **PACF** and **ACF** plots resp.
- **RMSE :14.15 for (1,0,0)**

```
KPSS Statistic: 0.015223089642741437
p-value: 0.1
num lags: 380
Critical Values:
 10% : 0.347
 5% : 0.463
 2.5% : 0.574
 1% : 0.739
Result: The series is stationary
```

```
stepwise_fit = auto_arima(df_train['price actual'], trace=True)
```

- Auto-ARIMA eliminates the steps of making the series stationary and determine the values of **p** and **q** using the plots.

- **RMSE : 16.42**

```
Column generation hydro water reservoir: P_Values [0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0]
Column generation nuclear: P_Values [0.0129, 0.0025, 0.0084, 0.0219]
Column generation other: P_Values [0.0059, 0.0001, 0.0001, 0.0]
Column generation other renewable: P_Values [0.3808, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0]
Column generation solar: P_Values [0.2346, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0]
Column generation waste: P_Values [0.0621, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0]
Column forecast solar day ahead: P_Values [0.2095, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0]
Column total load forecast: P_Values [0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0]
Column total load actual: P_Values [0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0]
Column price day ahead: P_Values [0.025, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0]
Column temp: P_Values [0.0021, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0]
Column temp_min: P_Values [0.0023, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0]
Column temp_max: P_Values [0.0021, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0]
Column humidity: P_Values [0.2146, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0]
Column wind_speed: P_Values [0.4165, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0]
```

## VAR :

- **Vectorized Auto-Regression**
- include other time series data along with target series.
- Use **Granger Causality Test**
  - **h0:** xt does not granger-causes yt
  - **h1:** xt granger-causes yt
- **RMSE : 14.18**

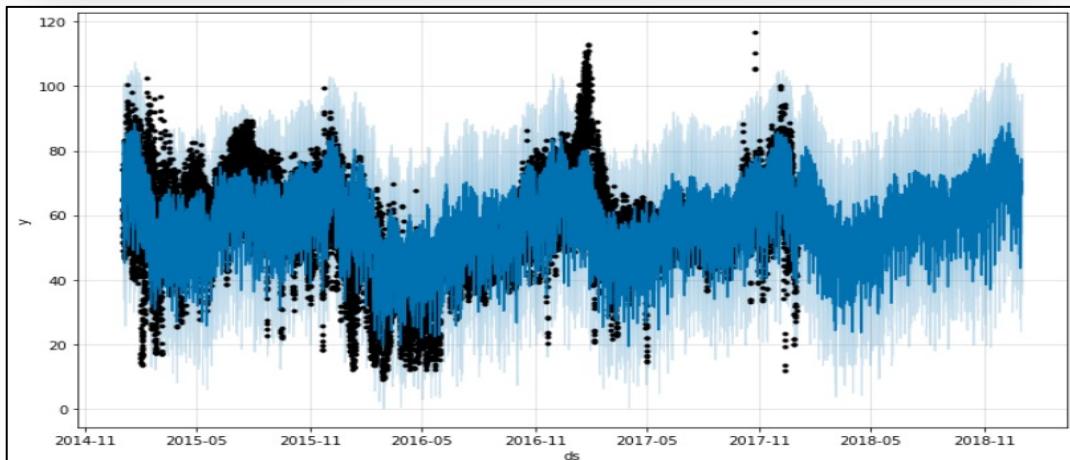
# Prophet



- is a procedure for forecasting time series data based on an additive model released by Facebook.

## Univariate :

- provide the response variable to y parameter as well as to ds parameter.
- declare the future (period to predict) fit the model to find the prediction values in yhat.
- RMSE: **13.21**



## Multivariate :

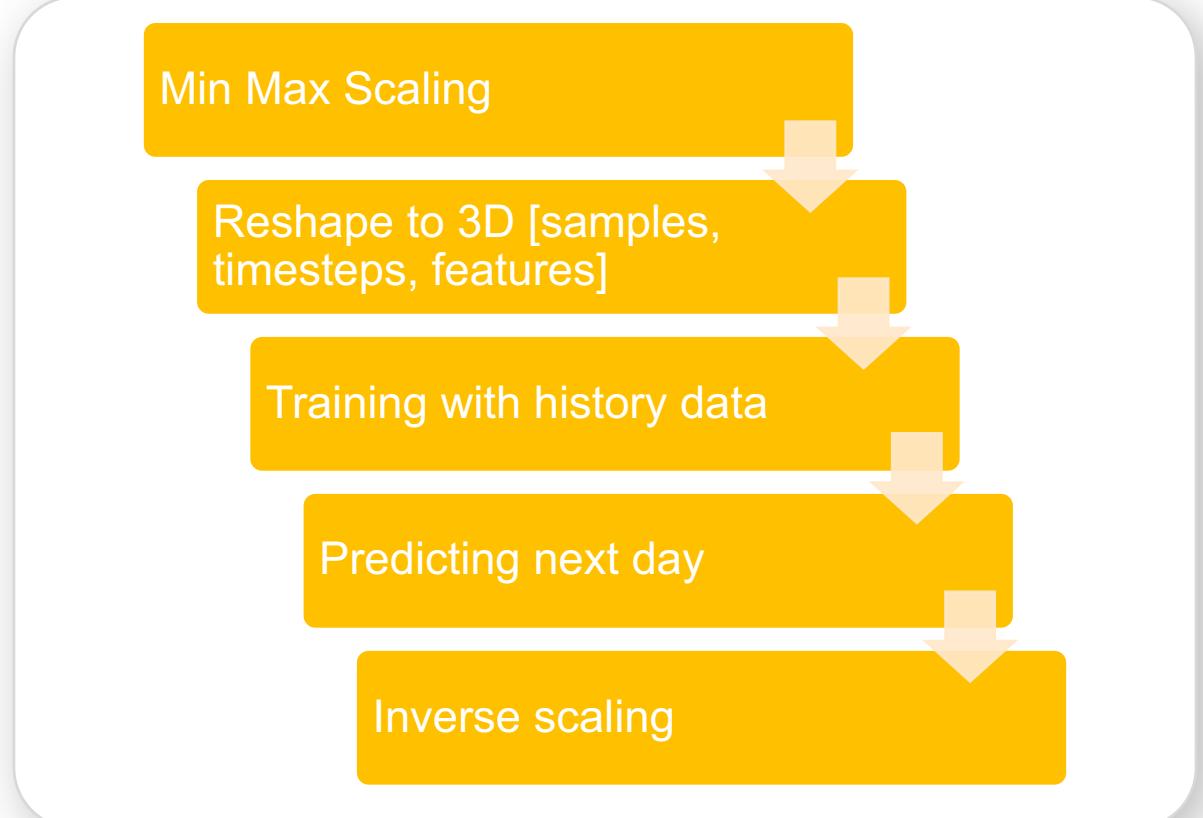
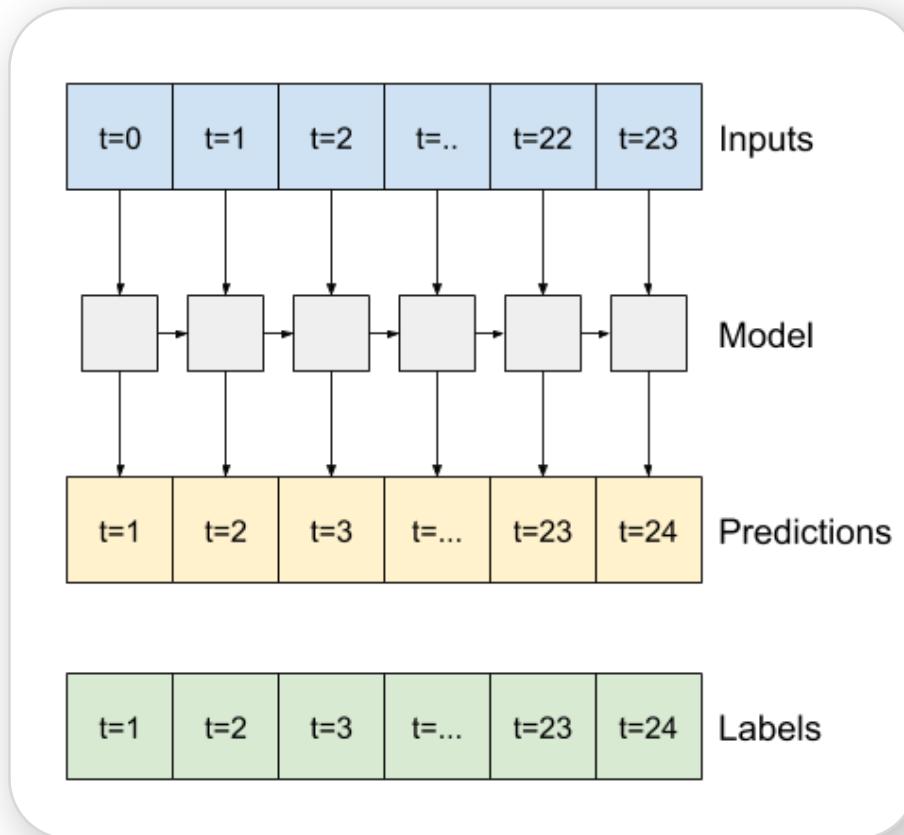
- the response variable to y
- provide other time series to series of ds parameters.
- add ds parameters as regressors to the model
- fit the model to find the prediction values in yhat.

RMSE : **9.90**

```
m = Prophet(interval_width=0.95,yearly_seasonality=True)
```

**Prediction of Price for year 2018**

# LSTM (Long Short-Term Memory) Model



# LSTM Model

**Parameters**

**Epoch: 50**

**layers: 5**

**Learning rate: 0.005**

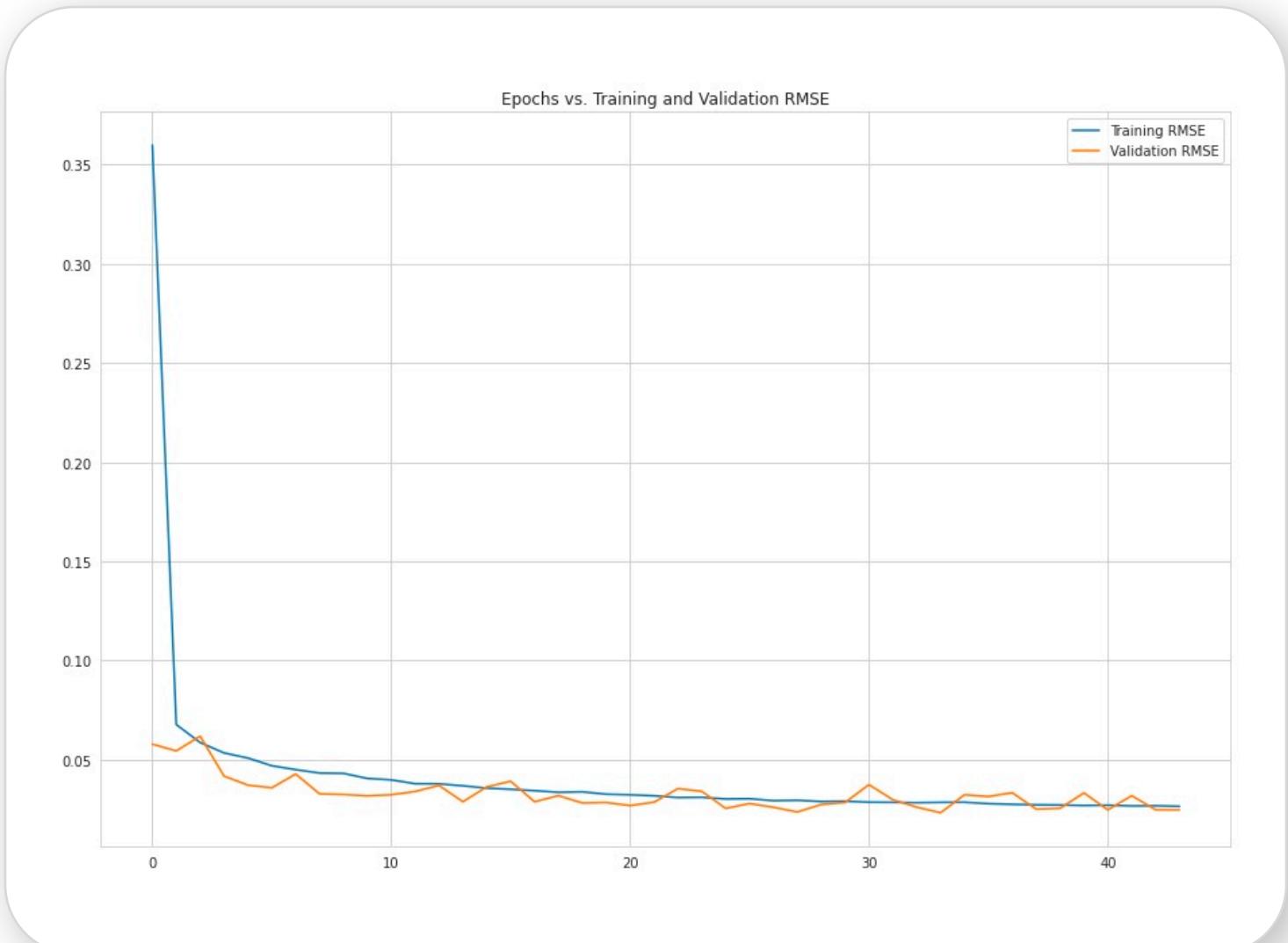
**Activation: 'relu'**

**Optimizer: 'adam'**

**Train/valid: 3/1**

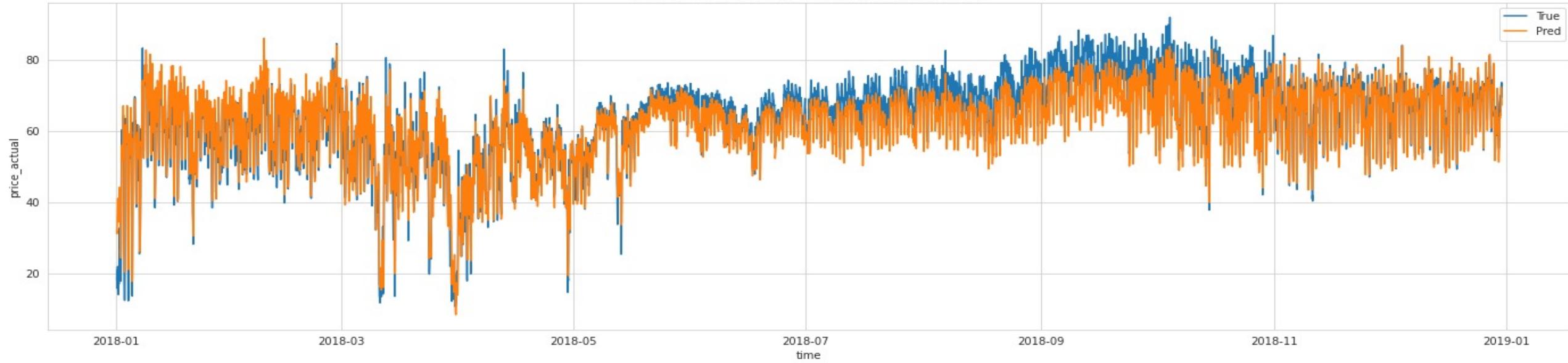
**Test Data RMSE:**

**4.4456**

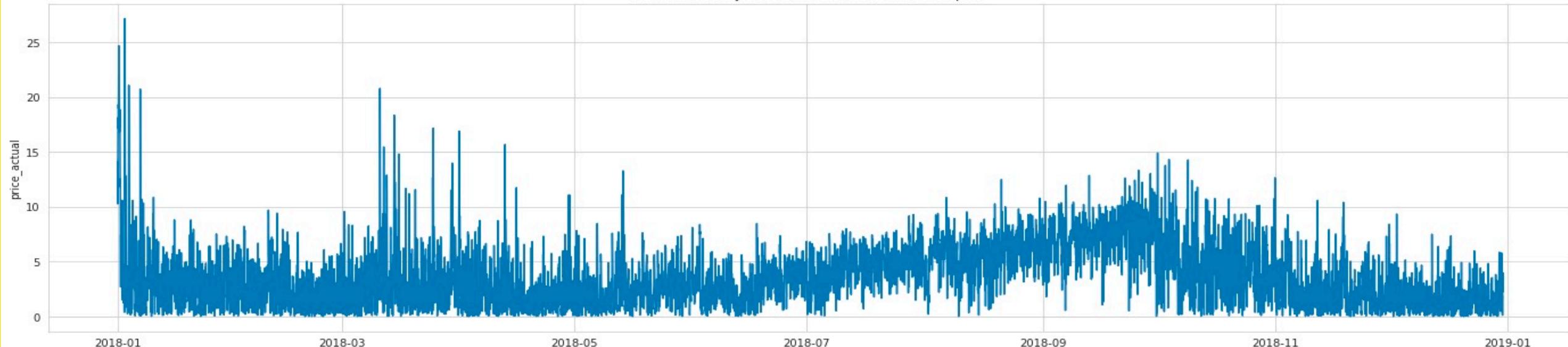


# Prediction Analysis

2018 Electricity Price Prediction vs Real Price in Spain



2018 Electricity Price Prediction differences in Spain

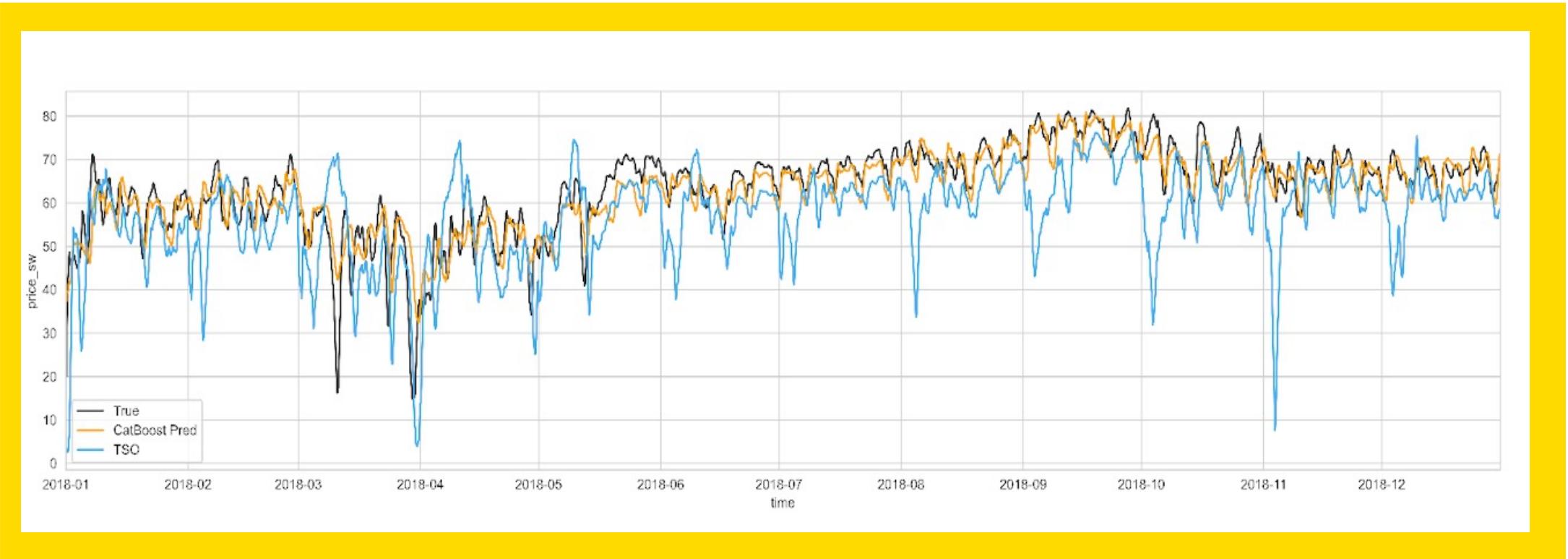


# Model Results

Model	RMSE
Linear Regressor	6.982
Ridge Regressor	6.980
Lasso Regressor	6.89
Random Forest Regressor	6.47
LightGBM	6.27
XGBoost	6.39
CatBoost	6.21

Model	RMSE
AR	14.27
ARIMA	14.15
VAR	14.08
Prophet Uni.	13.21
Prophet Multi.	9.90
LSTM	4.45

# Comparison with TSO

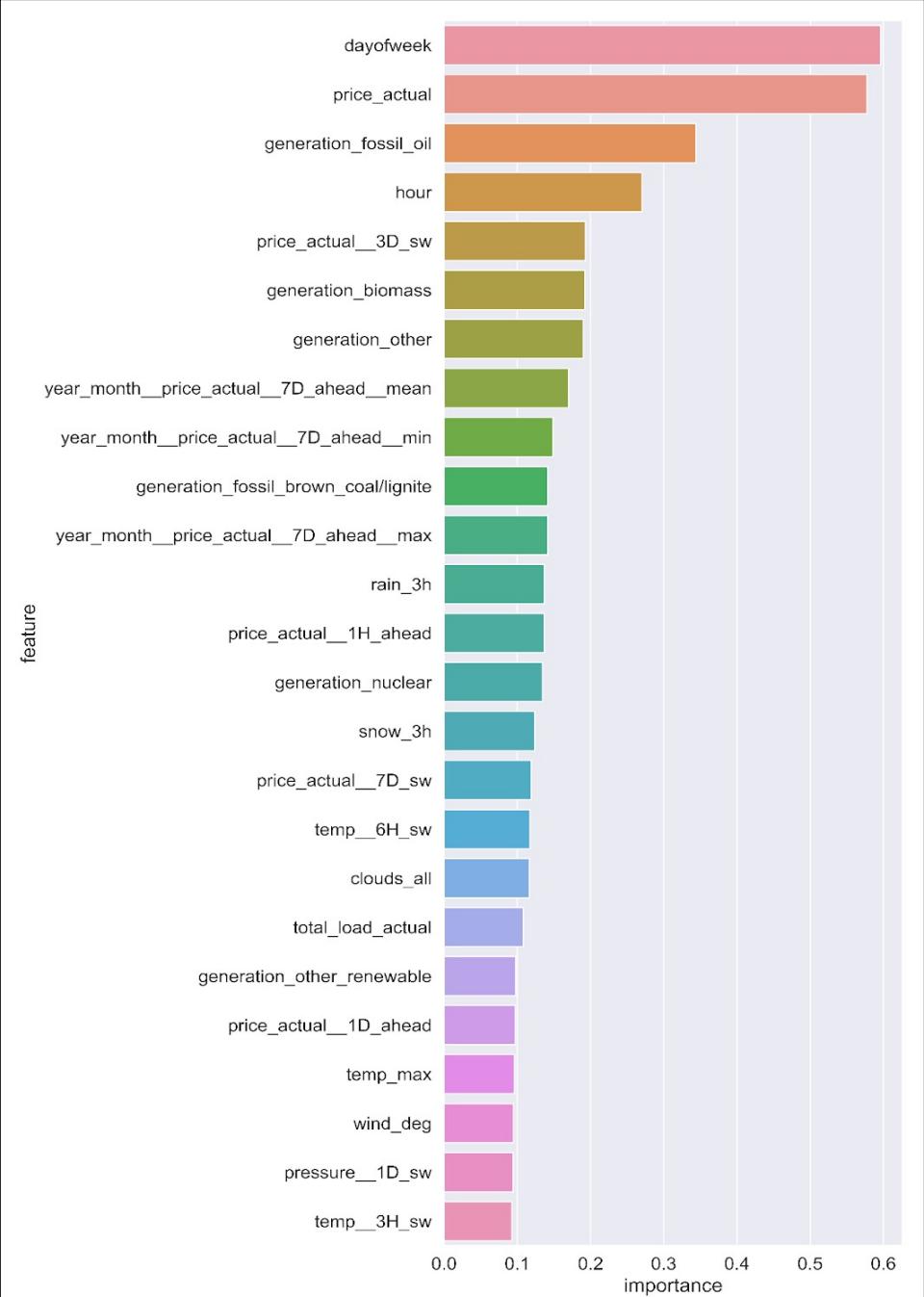
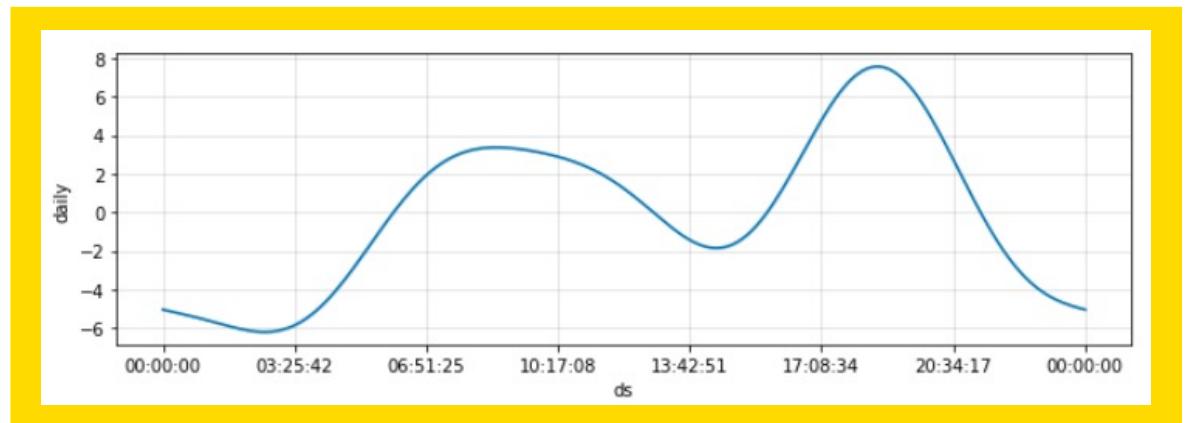
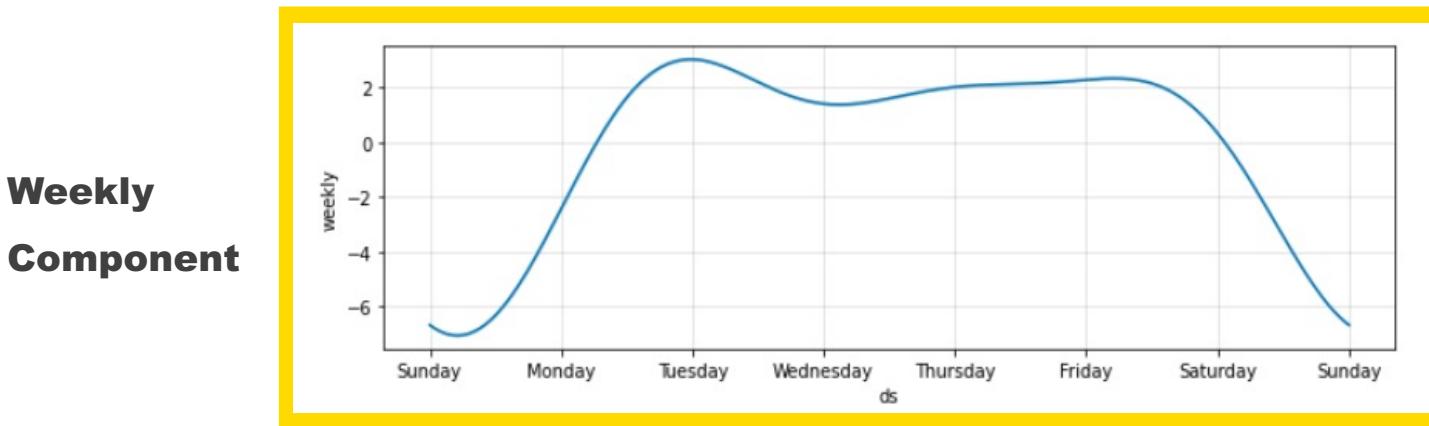
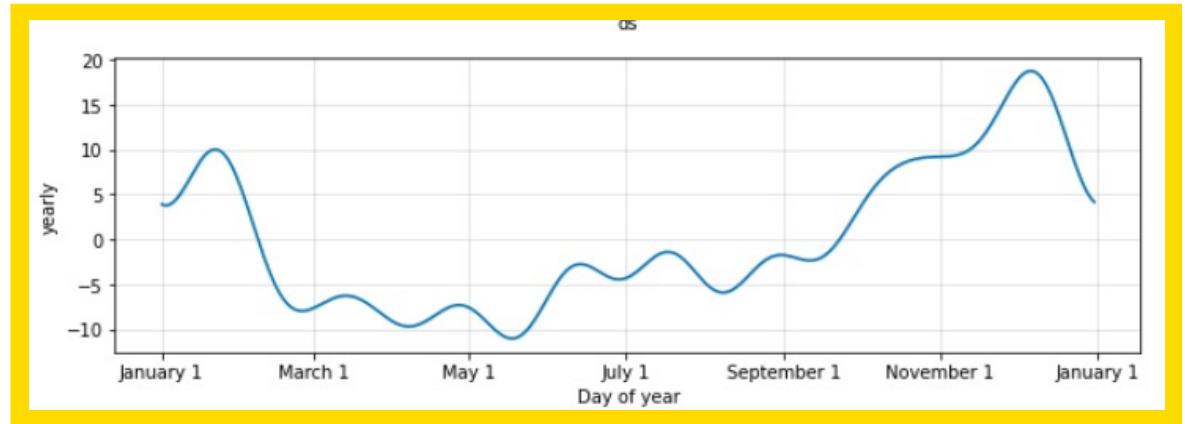


## TSO Predictions & Obtained Predictions

When compared to Actual Price -

**RMSE of TSO: 13.54**

**RMSE of our Predictions: 6.09**



Importance of Features



**THANK  
YOU**



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