Question 8:

In [114…
```
modelfinal=sm.tsa.statespace.SARIMAX(df['Miles'],order=(3, 1, 2),seasonal_
resultsfinal=modelfinal.fit()
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In [115…
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df['forecast']=resultsfinal.predict(start=72,end=84,dynamic=True)
df[['Miles','forecast']].plot(figsize=(12,8))
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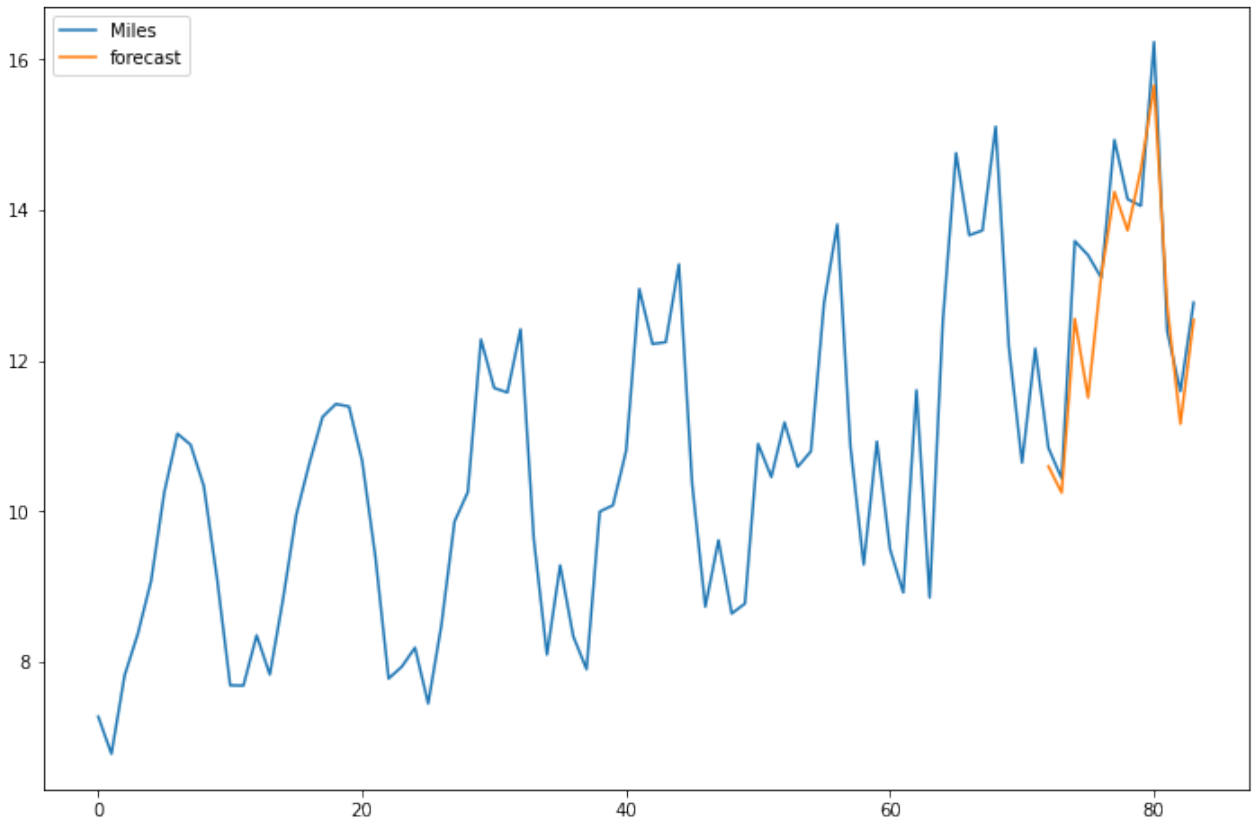
Out[115… <AxesSubplot:>



In [116…
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print(resultsfinal.summary())
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                                     SARIMAX Results
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Dep. Variable:                                Miles   No. Observations:
84
Model:             SARIMAX(3, 1, 2)x(3, 1, [], 12)   Log Likelihood
-82.916
Date:                             Wed, 27 Oct 2021   AIC
183.832
Time:                                     17:16:06   BIC
204.196
Sample:                                          0   HQIC
191.930
                                               - 84
Covariance Type:                               opg
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                 coef    std err          z      P>|z|      [0.025      0.9
75]
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ar.L1         -0.2708      0.613     -0.442      0.658      -1.471       0.
930
ar.L2          0.0256      0.231      0.111      0.912      -0.426       0.
477
ar.L3          0.2488      0.233      1.070      0.285      -0.207       0.
705
ma.L1         -0.3624      0.621     -0.583      0.560      -1.580       0.
855
ma.L2         -0.4534      0.444     -1.020      0.308      -1.324       0.
418
ar.S.L12      -0.6990      0.112     -6.223      0.000      -0.919      -0.
479
ar.S.L24      -0.3110      0.166     -1.869      0.062      -0.637       0.
015
ar.S.L36      -0.0716      0.322     -0.223      0.824      -0.702       0.
559
sigma2         0.5446      0.080      6.796      0.000       0.388       0.
702
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Ljung-Box (L1) (Q):                   0.00   Jarque-Bera (JB):
30.34
Prob(Q):                              0.98   Prob(JB):
0.00
Heteroskedasticity (H):               3.59   Skew:
-0.71
Prob(H) (two-sided):                  0.00   Kurtosis:
5.87
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Warnings:
[1] Covariance matrix calculated using the outer product of gradients (comp
lex-step).
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In [117…

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df[72:] #compare actual values to forecasted values!
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Out[117…

	Month	Miles	Seasonal First Difference	forecast
72	Jan-70	10.840	1.349	10.594961
73	Feb-70	10.436	1.517	10.245751
74	Mar-70	13.589	1.982	12.555449
75	Apr-70	13.402	4.550	11.509256
76	May-70	13.103	0.566	13.129839
77	Jun-70	14.933	0.174	14.242812
78	Jul-70	14.147	0.480	13.728932
79	Aug-70	14.057	0.326	14.535950
80	Sep-70	16.234	1.124	15.660030
81	Oct-70	12.389	0.204	12.726603
82	Nov-70	11.594	0.949	11.160315
83	Dec-70	12.772	0.611	12.544510

In [118…

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from sklearn.metrics import mean_absolute_error
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In [119…

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maerror= mean_absolute_error((df["Miles"]).iloc[72:83], df["forecast"].iloc
maerror
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Out[119… 0.5746259792002264

USED: order=(3, 1, 2),seasonal_order=(3,1,0,12) The forecast is very close to the actual values as you can see in the graph and the table, but not exactly the same. I tried playing around with different p,q, P, Q values to see which one would follow the actual values closely, turns out this is the best one I could find. The AIC value is 180.607 and the forecast nearly follows the actual values.
It also follows the increasing trend of actual values. Mean absolute error is also 0.5746259792002264!

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