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1 Introduction

This configuration manual provides a guide to the environment setup used for this project. It outlines a step-by-step preparation process necessary for similar implementation of the project titled "Groundwater Level Forecasting".

2 System Configuration Requirements

This project executed on Jupyter notebook, under the Anaconda package management was compatible with Python programming language. The platform provided details about the operating system, such as the operating system name, release number, machine type, python version and the RAM. In Figure 1, the system information is shown.

Figure 1: System Information

```
# Get system information
print("Operating System:", platform.system())
print("O5 Version:", platform.version())
print("O5 Release:", platform.release())
print("Processor:", platform.processor())
print("Machine:", platform.machine())
print("Python Version:", platform.python_version())

# Check RAM
import psutil
print("Total RAM:", round(psutil.virtual_memory().total / (1024 * 1024 * 1024), 2), "GB")

Operating System: Windows
O5 Version: 10.0.19045
O5 Release: 10
Processor: Intel64 Family 6 Model 42 Stepping 7, GenuineIntel
Machine: AMD64
Python Version: 3.12.1
Total RAM: 7.88 GB
```

3 Environment Setup

The process of setting up of the environment involves launching the Anaconda Prompt to open the Jupyter Notebook for the project. Figure 2 shows the dictionary of the server.

Figure 2: Anacona Prompt

```
Makeondo Prompt: jupyter notebook
Unable to create process using 'C:\ProgramData\anaconda3\python.exe C:\ProgramData\anaconda3\Scripts\conda-script.py shell.cmd.exe activate C:\ProgramC:\Users\Dee>jupyter notebook
[W 2024-12-11 01:00:24.974 ServerApp] A `_jupyter_server_extension_points` function was not found in notebook_shim. Instead, a `_jupyter_server_extens note was found and will be used for now. This function name will be deprecated in future releases of Jupyter Server.
[I 2024-12-11 01:00:25.025 ServerApp] jupyter_lsp | extension was successfully linked.
[I 2024-12-11 01:00:25.035 ServerApp] jupyter_server_terminals | extension was successfully linked.
[I 2024-12-11 01:00:25.132 ServerApp] notebook | extension was successfully linked.
[I 2024-12-11 01:00:25.132 ServerApp] notebook | extension was successfully linked.
[I 2024-12-11 01:00:26.279 ServerApp] notebook | extension was successfully loaded.
[I 2024-12-11 01:00:26.393 ServerApp] notebook | extension was successfully loaded.
[I 2024-12-11 01:00:26.409 ServerApp] notebook | extension was successfully loaded.
[I 2024-12-11 01:00:26.409 ServerApp] jupyter_lsp | extension was successfully loaded.
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[I 2024-12-11 01:00:26.400 Lobapp] Jupyter_lsp | extension was successfully loaded.
[I 2024-12-11 01:00:26.400 Lobapp] Jupyter_lsp | extension was successfully loaded.
[I 2024-12-11 01:00:26.410 Lobapp] Extension Manager is 'pypi .

[I 2024-12-11 01:00:26.410 Lobapp] Extension Was successfully loaded.
[I 2024-12-11 01:00:26.410 Lobapp] Extension was successfully loaded.
[I 2024-12-11 01:00:26.420 ServerApp] http://localhosts/888/tree/token-969(19
```

4 Installation of Python Packages and Libraries

The installation of necessary packages used for a smooth workflow in the statistical analysis and time series modelling, are listed follows. The important packages installed are shown in Figure 3, while Figure 4 shows a snippet the important libraries used.

- Platform
- OS
- warnings
- Pmdarima
- Statsmodels
- Pandas
- Seaborn
- NumPy
- Matplotlib

Figure 3: Packages Installed

```
# Install Packages
!pip install gputil
!pip install statsmodels
!pip install pmdarima
```

Figure 4: Libraires Installation

```
import platform
import os
import GPUtil
import warnings
warnings.filterwarnings("ignore")
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import statsmodels.api as sm
from datetime import datetime
from statsmodels.tsa.seasonal import seasonal decompose
from pmdarima import auto arima
from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error, mean_absolute_error, r2_score
from statsmodels.tsa.holtwinters import SimpleExpSmoothing
from statsmodels.tsa.holtwinters import ExponentialSmoothing
from statsmodels.tsa.arima.model import ARIMA
```

5 Implementation Stage Explained

The code snippet in Figure 4 shows the successful collection of the groundwater level dataset¹ from Kaggle repository, and license for usage by the California Department of Water Resources.

Figure 4: Data collection

```
def collect_data(file_path="gwl-daily.csv"):
    try:
        GWL = pd.read_csv(file_path)
        print("Groundwater level data has been collected successfully.")
        return GWL
    except FileNotFoundError:
        print("File not found. Please check the file path.")
GWL = collect_data()
Groundwater level data has been collected successfully.
```

 $^{^{1}\ \}underline{https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/alifarahmandfar/continuous-groundwater-level-measurements-}\underline{2023/data}$

The code snippet in Figure 5 explores the characteristics of the groundwater level dataset.

Figure 5: Data Understanding.

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		STATION	MSM	T_DATE	WLM_RPE	WLM_R	PE_QC	WLM_GSE	WLM_0	SSE_QC	RPE_\	WSE RP	E_WSE_QC	GSE_V	VSE GSE_	WSE_QC	WSE	WSE_	QC
0	14N0	1E35P001M	12/2	27/2022	48.74			46.88			42	.442	2	40.	582	2	6.298		2
1	14N0	1E35P004M	12/2	27/2022	47.62			46.88			20	.786	2	20.	046		26.834		
2	16N03\	W14H004M	12/2	27/2022	68.21			65.70			19	.735	2	17.	225	2	48.475		2
3	14N0	1E35P001M	12/2	26/2022	48.74			46.88			42	.552	2	40.	692		6.188		
4	14N0	1E35P004M	12/2	26/2022	47.62			46.88			20	.829	2	20.	089	2	26.791		2
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		STA	TION	MSMT_D	ATE WLI	/I_RPE V	VLM_RPE	QC WLN	I_GSE I	WLM_GS	E_QC	RPE_WS	E RPE_W	SE_QC	GSE_WSE	GSE_W	SE_QC	WSE	WSE_QC
104	8570	STA 09N03E08C		MSMT_D 3/26/1		M_RPE V 32.056	VLM_RPE		M_GSE 1	WLM_GS	5 E_QC	RPE_WS		SE_QC 1	GSE_WSE 20.125	GSE_W		WSE 9.891	WSE_QC 2
			004M		1992		VLM_RPE	2		WLM_GS			5			GSE_W	2		
104	18571	09N03E08C	004M 001M	3/26/1	1992	32.056	VLM_RPE	2 :	30.016	WLM_GS		22.16	5		20.125	GSE_W	2	9.891	2
104 104	18571 18572	09N03E08C	004M 001M 002M	3/26/1	992 1992	32.056 30.386	VLM_RPE	2 :	30.016 30.016	WLM_GS		22.16 9.26	5 3 8		20.125 8.893	GSE_W	2 2 2	9.891 21.123	2

The code snippet in Figure 6 show part of the pre-processing and transformation steps involved.

Figure 6: Data Pre-Processing and Transformation.

```
GWL = GWL.drop_duplicates()
GWL.shape
(954445, 12)
Stations Selection
def get_individual_station_dfs(df, station_list):
   station_dfs = {}
   for station in station_list:
       station_dfs[station] = df[df['STATION'] == station]
   return station_df
station_list = ["09N03E08C001M", "09N03E08C004M", "09N03E08C003M", "09N03E08C002M", "11N04E04N004M"]
station_dfs = get_individual_station_dfs(GWL, station_list)
station_a = station_dfs["09N03E08C001M"]
station_b = station_dfs["09N03E08C004M"]
station_c = station_dfs["09N03E08C003M"]
station_d = station_dfs["09N03E08C002M"]
station_e = station_dfs["11N04E04N004M"]
```

The code snippet in Figure 7 shows an important step, where the column features are normalized, while Figure 8 provides the information about each station.

Figure 7: Data Pre-Processing and Transformation Code.

```
Standardization

def standardize_df(df):
    scaler = StandardScaler()
    df[['WLM_RPE', 'WLM_GSE', 'RPE_WSE', 'GSE_WSE']] = scaler.fit_transform(df[['WLM_RPE', 'WLM_GSE', 'RPE_WSE', 'GSE_WSE']])
    return df

station_a = standardize_df(station_a)
    station_b = standardize_df(station_b)
    station_c = standardize_df(station_c)
    station_d = standardize_df(station_d)
    station_e = standardize_df(station_e)
```

Figure 8: Code Information about each Station A – E

```
# Total number of rows and columns in each station
print(station_a.shape)
print(station_b.shape)
print(station_c.shape)
print(station_d.shape)
print(station_e.shape)

(11019, 6)
(10851, 6)
(10851, 6)
(10857, 6)
(10857, 6)
(10858, 6)

: print(station_a.columns)
print(station_b.columns)
print(station_c.columns)
print(station_c.columns)
print(station_e.columns)
print(station_e.columns)
print(station_e.columns)

Index(['MSMT_DATE', 'NLM_RPE', 'WLM_GSE', 'RPE_MSE', 'GSE_MSE', 'WSE'], dtype='object')
Index(['MSMT_DATE', 'WLM_RPE', 'WLM_GSE', 'RPE_MSE', 'GSE_MSE', 'WSE'], dtype='object')
```

Figure 9: Descriptive Code for Surface Water Above Ground (WSE)

```
stations = [station_a, station_b, station_c, station_d, station_e]
titles = ['Station A', 'Station B', 'Station C', 'Station D', 'Station E']
features = ['WSE', 'WLM_RPE', 'WLM_GSE', 'RPE_WSE', 'GSE_WSE']

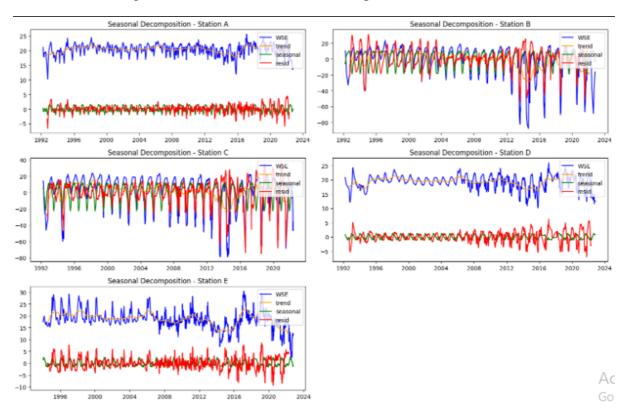
# Plotting Surface Water Elevation (WSE)

plt.figure(figsize=(10, 10))
for i, station in enumerate(stations):
    plt.subplot(3, 2, i + 1)
    plt.plot(station.index, station['WSE'], label='Surface Water Above', color='blue')
    plt.title(f'Surface Water Above Ground\n{titles[i]}')
    plt.xlabel('Index')
    plt.ylabel('Elevation (meters)')
    plt.legend()
    plt.grid(True)

plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```

Figure 10: Code for Seasonal Decomposition for all Stations

Figure 11: Result for Seasonal Decomposition in all Stations



The code snippet in Figure 12 shows how the data was spitted, while Figure 13 code snippet ensures checking the vital signs of Time Series Data

Figure 12: Data Splitting

Figure 13: Code used in Checking Vital Signs of Time Series Data

```
## Ensure 'MSMT_DATE' is a datetime type
station_a['MSMT_DATE'] = pd.to_datetime(station_a['MSMT_DATE'])
station_s['MSMT_DATE'] = pd.to_datetime(station_b['MSMT_DATE'])
station_s['MSMT_DATE'] = pd.to_datetime(station_c['MSMT_DATE'])
station_s['MSMT_DATE'] = pd.to_datetime(station_d['MSMT_DATE'])
station_s['MSMT_DATE'] = pd.to_datetime(station_d['MSMT_DATE'])

## Filter the data to start from March 1992 and resample with monthly frequency
start_date = '1992-03-01'

## For each station, filter the data, set 'MSMT_DATE' as the index, and resample to monthly frequency
station_a ts = station_a[station_a['MSMT_DATE'] >= start_date].set_index('MSMT_DATE')', MSE'].resample('M').last()
station_b_ts = station_a[station_b['MSMT_DATE'] >= start_date].set_index('MSMT_DATE')', MSE'].resample('M').last()
station_d_ts = station_d[station_d['MSMT_DATE'] >= start_date].set_index('MSMT_DATE')', MSE'].resample('M').last()
station_d_ts = station_d[station_d['MSMT_DATE'] >= start_date].set_index('MSMT_DATE')', MSE'].resample('M').last()
station_e_ts = station_e[station_e['MSMT_DATE'] >= start_date].set_index('MSMT_DATE')', MSE'].resample('M').last()

### Checking the type of data for each station (after resampling)
print('Station A Type: ', type(station_a_ts))
print('Station B Type: ', type(station_b_ts))
print('Station B Type: ', type(station_e_ts))

### Print('Station B Type: ', type(station_e_ts))

### Checking the index type for each station to confirm it's datetime

### print('Station A Index Type: ', station_e_ts.index.dtype)
### print('Station B Index Type: ', station_e_ts.index.dtype)
### print('Sta
```

Development of the Time Series Models, consisted of Naïve Base shoown in Figure 14, the Drift Method in Figure 15, the Simple Exponential Smoothing Method in Figure 16, the Holt-Winter Method shown in Figure 17 and the proposed Arima Method shown in Figure 18

Figure 14: Naïve Base Method Code

```
def naive_forecast(train, test, horizon=2920): # 2920 = 8year * 365days
    last_obs = train.iloc[-1]
   forecast = np.repeat(last_obs, len(test))
   future_forecast = np.repeat(last_obs, horizon)
       "rmse": np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(test, forecast)),
        "mae": mean_absolute_error(test, forecast),
        "r2": r2_score(test, forecast),
        "mape": np.mean(np.abs((test - forecast) / test)) * 100,
        "acf1": test.autocorr(lag=1),
       "aic": len(test) * np.log(mean_squared_error(test, forecast)) + 2
   return forecast, future_forecast, metrics
   name: naive_forecast(split['train']['WSE'], split['test']['WSE'])
    for name, split in splits.items()
for name, (forecast, future_forecast, metrics) in results.items():
   print(f"{name}: RMSE={metrics['rmse']:.2f}, MAE={metrics['mae']:.2f}, R^2={metrics['r2']:.2f}, "
          f"MAPE={metrics['mape']:.2f}%, ACF1={metrics['acf1']:.2f}, AIC={metrics['aic']:.2f}")
   print(f"Future Forecast (8 years): {future_forecast}\n")
```

Figure 15: Drift Method Code

```
def drift_forecast(train, test, horizon=2920): # 2920 = 8year * 365days
   n = len(train)
   drift = (train.iloc[-1] - train.iloc[\theta]) / (n - 1) if n > 1 else \theta
   forecast = train.iloc[-1] + drift * np.arange(1, len(test) + 1)
   future_forecast = train.iloc[-1] + drift * np.arange(1, horizon + 1)
   metrics = {
       "rmse": np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(test, forecast)),
       "mae": mean_absolute_error(test, forecast),
       "r2": r2_score(test, forecast),
        'mape": np.mean(np.abs((test - forecast) / test)) * 100,
       "acf1": test.autocorr(lag=1),
       "aic": len(test) * np.log(mean_squared_error(test, forecast)) + 2
   return forecast, future_forecast, metrics
results_drift = {
   name: drift_forecast(split['train']['WSE'], split['test']['WSE'])
   for name, split in splits.items()
for name, (forecast, future_forecast, metrics) in results_drift.items():
```

Figure 16: Simple Exponential Smoothing Method Code

```
def simple_exp_smoothing_forecast(train, test, horizon=2920): # 2920 = 8year * 365days
model = SimpleExpSmoothing(train).fit()
    forecast = model.forecast(len(test))
    future_forecast = model.forecast(horizon)
    metrics = {
         "rmse": np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(test, forecast)),
         "mae": mean_absolute_error(test, forecast),
         "r2": r2_score(test, forecast),
          "mape": np.mean(np.abs((test - forecast) / test)) * 100,
             f1": test.autocorr(lag=1),
        "aic": model.aic
    return forecast, future_forecast.values, metrics # Use .values to get the array
results_exp_smoothing = {
    name: simple_exp_smoothing_forecast(split['train']['WSE'], split['test']['WSE'])
    for name, split in splits.items()
for name, (forecast, future_forecast, metrics) in results_exp_smoothing.items():
    print(f"{name}: RMSE={metrics['rmse']:.2f}, MAE={metrics['mae']:.2f}, R^2={metrics['r2']:.2f}, "
    f"MAPE={metrics['mape']:.2f}%, ACF1={metrics['acf1']:.2f}, AIC={metrics['aic']:.2f}")
print(f"Future Forecast (8 years): {future_forecast}\n")
```

Figure 17: Holt-Winter Method Code

```
def holt_winters_forecast(train, test, horizon=2920): # 2920 = 8year * 365days
   model = ExponentialSmoothing(train, trend='add', seasonal='add', seasonal_periods=12).fit()
   forecast = model.forecast(len(test))
   future_forecast = model.forecast(horizon)
   metrics = {
       "rmse": np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(test, forecast)),
       "mae": mean_absolute_error(test, forecast),
       "r2": r2_score(test, forecast),
        mape": np.mean(np.abs((test - forecast) / test)) * 100,
       "acf1": test.autocorr(lag=1),
       "aic": model.aic
   return forecast, future_forecast.values, metrics
results_holt_winters =
   name: holt_winters_forecast(split['train']['WSE'], split['test']['WSE'])
   for name, split in splits.items()
for name, (forecast, future_forecast, metrics) in results_holt_winters.items():
```

Figure 18: Arima Method Code