

# **A Review on Crude Oil Prices Forecast Based on EMD and BP Neural Network**

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**Abstract\_** The familiar fluctuations in worldwide crude oil expenses may additionally have an effect on the balance of the international economic system and society. The fluctuation of crude oil expenses has nonlinearity, uncertainty and volatility, which deliver sure challenges for forecasting crude oil prices. In this paper we use hybrid mannequin with the empirical mode decomposition (EMD) and Back Propagation Neural Network (BPNN) to predict the crude oil prices. To enhance the accuracy of prediction, we first off decompose the crude oil fees statistics into a sequence of unbiased intrinsic mode features (IMFs) and residual sequences through the empirical mode decomposition approach (EMD). Moreover we used BPNN to predict the Brent and WIT crude oil expenditures respectively. In order to exhibit the effectiveness of the proposed method, we undertake three statistical standards to consider the hybrid method. The empirical consequences exhibit that EMD-BPNN has greater prediction accuracy than BPNN, the least rectangular assist vector regression (LSSVR) and EMD-LSSVR

## **1. INTRODUCTION**

As we all know, Oil is recognized as “black gold” due to the fact it is the cloth foundation for human survival and production, the most necessary chemical uncooked cloth and strategic resource, and an integral power supply cloth in the countrywide economy. The oil referred to as black gold drives the speedy improvement of the global oil market, and a variety of petroleum-derived monetary merchandise show up in the funding market. Since the financial improvement of most developed international locations and growing international locations is inseparable from the furnish of oil, the oil market and the economic market have each affected the fluctuation of oil prices. On the contrary, the instability of crude oil expenses will additionally reason the international macroeconomic turmoil. In short, a little bit of turmoil in global oil costs will unfold in the chain of the world financial system in the structure of a butterfly effect, affecting the balance of country wide economies. It can be imagined that the charge of oil that penetrates all elements of the countrywide financial system will substantially disturb the wholesome and everyday improvement of China's economy. First, the right prediction of crude oil fees can assist the authorities to formulate extra positive strength insurance policies to a positive

extent. Second, the right prediction of crude oil expenditures can additionally assist corporations keep away from the hazard of oil charge volatility, mainly for oil-mining, petrochemical, and transportation industries. Third, the prediction of crude oil expenditures is additionally associated to all elements of countrywide life. If you can precisely predict the rate of crude oil, then residents can layout beforehand and modify their residing plans in strengthen to enhance their lifestyles satisfaction. Many research on crude oil fee forecasts supply a variety of technical techniques that can be extensively divided into two categories, econometrics and synthetic intelligence. It has been utilized to econometric fashions of crude oil rate forecasting, such as autoregressive mannequin (AR), \* Corresponding creator (F. Jiang) autoregressive built-in transferring common (ARIMA) model, vector autoregressive (VAR) mannequin and generalized autoregressive conditional heteroskedasticity (GARCH) fashions [1,2,3]. Artificial Genius strategies encompass aid vector regression (SVR) and synthetic neural networks (ANN) [4,5]. Another way to predict crude oil expenses is to first attempt to decompose the sequence and then one by one predict the subsequence after decomposition. There are many decomposition techniques, such as wavelet evaluation (WT), empirical mode decomposition (EMD), singular spectrum evaluation (SSA) and variational mode decomposition (VMD) [6,7,8,9]. Zhou et al [10] forecasted gold rate the usage of EMD meta-learning fee model. In order to decrease the hazard of aquaculture, a new water temperature prediction approach based totally on EMD and BPNN is proposed [11]. Compared with the usual simulation outcomes of the hybrid EMD-BPNN model, it is proved that shooting the non-stationary traits of the water temperature sign after EMD is a very high quality and dependable technique to predict the water temperature in intensive aquaculture

## 2. LITERAURE SURVEY

**2.1 Elijah, Olakunle, Tharek Abdul Rahman, Igbafe Orikumhi, Chee Yen Leow, and MHD Nour Hindia. —An overview of Internet of Things (IoT) and data analytics in agriculture: Benefits and challenges, IEEE Internet of Things Journal 5, no. 5, 2018, pp. 3758-3773.**

The surge in global population is compelling a shift toward smart agriculture practices. This coupled with the diminishing natural resources, limited availability of arable land, increase in unpredictable weather conditions makes food security a major concern for most countries. As a result, the use of Internet of Things (IoT) and data analytics (DA) are employed to enhance the operational efficiency and productivity in the agriculture sector. There is a paradigm shift from use of wireless sensor network (WSN) as a major driver of smart agriculture to the use of IoT and DA. The IoT integrates several existing technologies, such as WSN, radio frequency identification, cloud computing, middleware systems, and end-user applications. In this paper, several benefits and challenges of IoT have been identified. We present the IoT ecosystem and how the combination of IoT and DA is enabling smart agriculture. Furthermore, we provide future trends and opportunities which are categorized into technological innovations, application scenarios, business, and marketability.

**2.2 Fukatsu, Tokihiro, Takuji Kiura, and Masayuki Hirafuji, —A web-based sensor network system with distributed data processing approach via web applicationl, Computer Standards & Interfaces 33, no. 6, 2011, pp. 565-573.**

We have proposed a Web-based sensor network constructed of Web-based sensor nodes and a remote management system. The Web-based sensor nodes consist of communication units and measurement devices with Web servers. The management system has intelligent processing and rule-based function to manage them flexibly via the Internet and performs various image analyses easily with Web application services. By distributing the image analyses to Web application services, our proposed system provides versatile and scalable data processing. We demonstrated that it can realize the desired image analyses effectively and perform complicated management by changing its operations depending on the results of analysis

**2.3 Zheng, Lihua, Minzan Li, Caicong Wu, Haijian Ye, Ronghua Ji, Xiaolei Deng, Yanshuang Che, Cheng Fu, and Wei Guo. —Development of a smart mobile farming service systeml, Mathematical and computer modelling 54, no. 3- 4, 2011, 1194-1203**

The Internet of Things (IoT) has tremendous success in health care, smart city, industrial production and so on. Protected agriculture is one of the fields which has broad application prospects of IoT. Protected agriculture is a mode of highly efficient development of modern agriculture that uses artificial techniques to change climatic factors such as temperature, to create environmental conditions suitable for the growth of animals and plants. This review aims to gain insight into the state-of-the-art of IoT applications in protected agriculture and to identify the system structure and key technologies. Therefore, we completed a systematic literature review of IoT research and deployments in protected agriculture over the past 10 years and evaluated the contributions made by different academicians and organizations. Selected references were clustered into three application domains corresponding to plant management, animal farming and food/agricultural product supply traceability. Furthermore, we discussed the challenges along with future research prospects, to help new researchers of this domain understand the current research progress of IoT in protected agriculture and to propose more novel and innovative ideas in the future.

**2.4 N. El-Bendary, E. E. Hariri , A. E. Hassanien and, A. Badr, —Using machine learning techniques for evaluating tomato ripenessl, Expert Systems with Applications, vol 42, 2015, pp.1892 -1905**

In recent years, a new branch of plant physiology, *plant phenomics*, which focuses on identifying patterns of organization and changes in plant *Phenomes*, i.e., physical and biochemical characteristics, considered as a set of *phenotypes* of a plant organism, has emerged. Phenomics is a postgenomic discipline that actively uses the achievements of the genomic era and bioinformatics. It supplements them with standardized and statistically

significant factual material on phenotypes with a high degree of detail. The technique of obtaining and analyzing information about phenotypes in phenomics is called *phenotyping*. *High-performance phenotyping*, providing digital automated analysis of large data samples, has become widespread. Recent progress in high-performance phenotyping has been associated with the development of image registration systems in various spectral regions, approaches to cultivating plant objects under standardized conditions, sensory technologies, robotics, and methods for data processing and analysis, such as *computer vision* and *machine learning (artificial neural network)*. Phenomics technologies have a high information content analysis, surpassing human capabilities, performing measurements in the hyperspectral range using X-ray tomography and ultra-precise “thermal” images, and have a number of other low-invasive and precision approaches. Arrays of data obtained using phenomics technologies are recorded and processed automatically and are free from the problems of subjective assessment and inadequate statistical processing. It is assumed that phenotyping will allow for the creation of digital models of the vital activity processes and the “formation” of plant productivity at the organism level in connection with the dynamics of transcriptomes, proteomes, and metabolomes. Phenomics helps researchers transform a large amount of information received from modern sensors into new knowledge using computer data processing and modeling, reducing the distance from basic science to the practical application of results in crop production and breeding. Phenotyping is actively developing both in laboratory and in greenhouse conditions as well as on open agricultural sites, forests, and in real natural phytocenoses.

### 3. PROPOSED SYSTEM

- The EMD was once proposed by using Huang et al. in 1998. It decomposes the sign into intrinsic mode features (IMF) of exceptional frequencies by using "screening" the signal. The IMF has the following characteristics: 1) most price and the minimal fee is equal to or one-of-a-kind from the quantity of zero crossings; 2) at any time, the suggest of the higher and decrease envelopes have to be zero.
- This paper selects WTI and Brent as experimental samples for two reasons: First, the two crude oil markets have the biggest affect on the world economy, so predictive lookup is beneficial for many nations in the world; secondly, due to the fact it is in a market Fluctuations might also be an vital reference for some other market, so each

markets are used in the empirical evaluation of this paper.

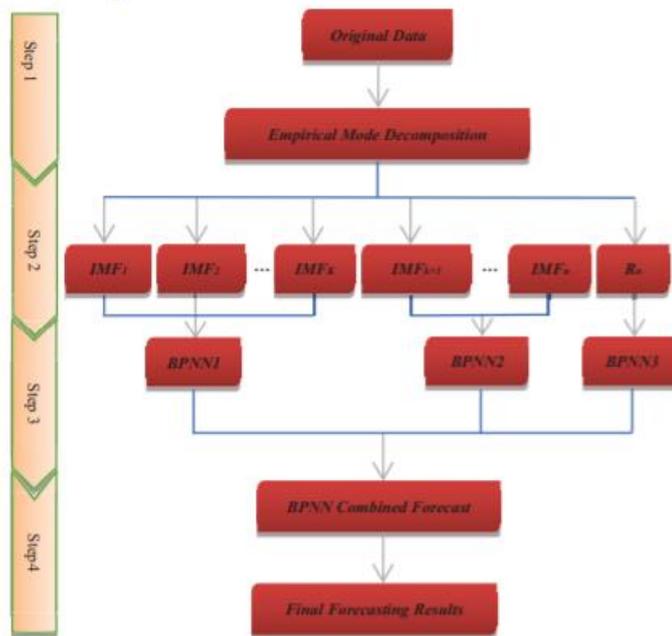


Fig. 1: Framework of EMD-BPNN learning approach

### 3.1 IMPLEMENTATIONS

```
In [1]: import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
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In [2]: df = pd.read_csv('oil.csv')
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In [3]: df.head(10)
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Out[3]:
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	Date	Price
0	May 20, 1987	18.63
1	May 21, 1987	18.45
2	May 22, 1987	18.55
3	May 25, 1987	18.60
4	May 26, 1987	18.63
5	May 27, 1987	18.60

We are importing the required package for the analysis and identifying the crude oil price based on the datasets available from the site Kaggle and the dataset has been imported through pandas library and stored in the variable.

Then data has been extracted

here we divided the protocol from the entire URL. but need it to be divided it separate column

Data Exporting & Cleaning & Data Preprocessing

Dropping the unwanted columns and cleaning the data

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In [5]: # Need to convert Date column to standard format
df['Date'] = pd.to_datetime(df['Date'], format="%b %d, %Y")
df.head()
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Out[5]:
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	Date	Price
0	1987-05-20	18.63
1	1987-05-21	18.45
2	1987-05-22	18.55
3	1987-05-25	18.60
4	1987-05-26	18.63

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In [6]: # Visualizing Full Data as a line plot
sns.set_style(style='darkgrid')
plt.figure(figsize=(8,5.5))
sns.lineplot(x='Date',y='Price',data = df)
plt.title("Brent Oil Price Trend")
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/home/user/anaconda3/lib/python3.7/site-packages/pandas/plotting/\_converter.py:129: FutureWarning: Using an implicitly registered datetime converter for a matplotlib plotting method. The converter was registered by pandas on import. Future versions of pandas will require you to explicitly register matplotlib converters.

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To register the converters:
>>> from pandas.plotting import register_matplotlib_converters
>>> register_matplotlib_converters()
warnings.warn(msg, FutureWarning)
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## 4. RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS

Change the format of date and day

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Out[6]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'Brent Oil Price Trend')
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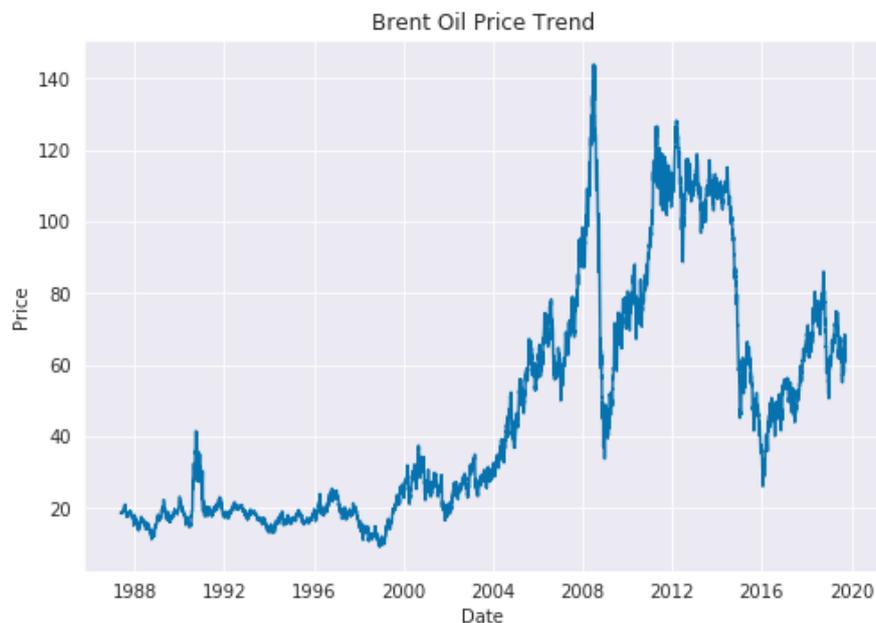
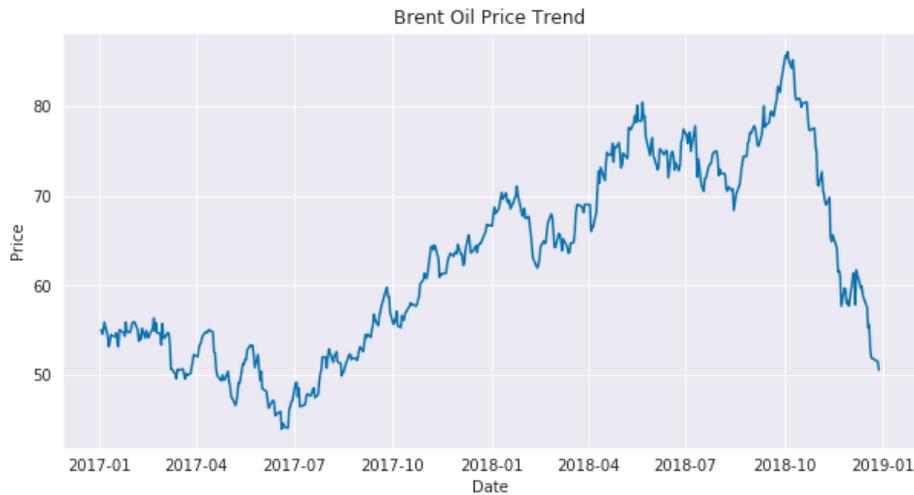


Fig 4.1Brent Oil price

Brent Oil Price Trend with year & date



**Fig 4.2** This function filters the dataframe for the specified date range and plots the line plot of the data using seaborn.

The dataframe may not be indexed on any Datetime column.

In this case, we use mask to filter out the date.



**Fig 4.3**

**5. CONCLUSION**

In this paper, EMD firstly is used to decompose the nonstationary crude oil price data. Then BPNN is used to predict crude oil price. In addition, EMD-BPNN model is compared

with other models such as EMD-LSSVR model, BPNN and LSSVR. The results show that EMD-BPNN is superior to EMD-LSSVR and BPNN and LSSVR in the forecast of the crude oil price.

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