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# Jordan Energy Demand Forecast Using ARIMA Model Until 2030

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## **Abstract**

After viewing Jordan energy sector development through the period (1996 – 2022), this paper used ARIMA model to forecast Energy Consumptions in Jordan up to 2030 by sector. Augmented Dicky Fuller test is used to test stationarity of each sector data set, followed by differencing when required. Additionally, ACF and PACF tests have been done to find p and q parameters of the ARIMA model for each sector, and finally mean absolute percentage error s MAPE were calculated to validate the forecasting results. Main findings were that total final consumption will reach (7045 ktoe) by 2030 with the expected values of [1548, 1112, 3431, 708 and 665] ktoe for Residential, Industrial, Transport, Commercial and Other consumption sectors respectively in the same year. MAPE results for the ARIMA model for total final consumption and the mentioned sectors is (10%, 4%, 4%, 22%, 21%, 6%) respectively.Haut du formulaire

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## **1. Introduction**

Ensuring a stable equilibrium between supply and demand of energy resources, alongside their consistent availability and relative price stability, holds paramount importance. The accessibility and affordability of energy exert the most significant influence on the overall energy security.[1]

Based on International Energy Agency (IEA) energy balance aids in comprehending the transformation of products into one another, elucidating the diverse relationships among these products, and demonstrating the ultimate utilization of all energy types.

Jordan Energy Sector is interconnected with economic growth, for instance figures 1 and 2 show Electricity per capita, Primary Energy per capita and GDP per capita based onJEBfor the period (1996 – 2022). Both figures represent a close behaviour, which confirm the proposed connection between economic growth and energy consumption as discussed in [2][3][4] , Where evidence shows that long-run and short-run causalities run from energy consumption to GDP, but not vice versa especially in developing countries.

However, after 2013 GDP per capita fall in a steady rate, while energy consumed per capita dropped dramatically after 2015.







**Figure 2.** GDP per capita (\$US)<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>2</sup> World bank open data

In 2022, Primary energy supply reached 10476 ktoe, where local production shares are 17%. In addition, energy intensity recorded as 217 kgoe/\$1000 in GDP fixed prices. While primary energy per capita reached 838 kgoe. Renewable energy shares in primary energy were 15%. And Energy costs were 3.45 billion JD with a share in GDP of 10%. Meanwhile Final energy consumption is 6756 ktoe, with transport as the major contributor with 43% shares in final consumed energy. The following Sankey diagram represents the energy flows between primary supply, energy transformation and final consumers in Jordan for the same year.



**Figure 3**. Sanki Diagram of Fuel transformations in Jordan 2022<sup>3</sup>

Between 1996 and 2022 main KPI's differ widely as shown in table1, for instant primary energy supply has a cumulative growth rate 3.2% increasing the value from 4.6 million-tons oil equivalent to 10.4 million tons oil equivalent in 1996 and 2022 respectively, indicating an economic growth during the whole period.





More details about the primary energy supply can be shown in Figure2, which views a peak in 2017 with PES of 10.1 ktoe followed by a bottom in 2020 regarding the pandemic.

Deeper understanding of primary energy supply can be reached by looking at the fuel mix, as described in table2. While crude oil has the highest share it has decreased with CAGR of (-2.6) through the years and this can be explained by the fact that many Jordan oil markets have liberalized and oil marketing companies (i.e. oil stations owners) have the permission to import oil products directly from global market, which lower the refinery sales and as a result their imports of crude oil has decreased.

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**Table 2.** Primary Energy Supply by Fuel<sup>4</sup>



Market liberalization also can explain why oil products increased by 3.5% cumulative rates. Natural Gas has also increased dramatically because of the high dependency on this fuel in electricity production after shifting to use it in power plants instead of heavy fuel oil. On the other hand, the increase in renewable energy explains why local resources had increased after 2015 as mentioned previously.

Another important indicator about energy sector is the share of local resources in total primary energy supply, which started being 6% only and increased to reach 17% in 2022. This increase is visualized in Figure3, which records the progress of indigenous production in Jordan, this indicator is the summation of renewable energy produced in electricity forms and in heat too by solar water heater, in addition to the biomass produced locally as olive residuals.





The figure shows an exponential function with a turning point in 2015 when renewable energy projects were launched, reaching 1.6 million tons oil equivalent at the end of the period in 2022, which proves that renewables are a good alternative to existing conventional sources of energy in Jordan[5].

This significant reliance on renewables has been discussed in various literature,[6]found that until 2018, Jordan's transmission grid would face minor overloads,

<sup>3</sup>Available in large scale in the appendix.

<sup>4</sup>Resource: Ministry of Energy and Mineral resources Archive/ Website.

while most transmission lines would be overloaded by 2020. This was the reason for launching the Green Corridor project in 2019, aiming to reinforce the electric grid by increasing its capacity to accept more renewable energy.

Another important aspect of increasing renewable energy is the reduction of GHG emissions. As investigated in[7]the solar and wind projects launched under the implementation of Jordan Energy Strategy (2015 – 2025) will decrease GHG emissions by  $1.9 - 3.2$  megatons of CO2 annually.

Imports shares in PES are complementary to local production shares so the same period showed a decrease in imports. Although imports share declined, the imported amounts of oil and different oil products in addition to n. gas has increased significantly, as showed in Figure4, which indicates a peak of imports in 2017, with 9.4 million tons oil equivalent, followed by a decrease in the pandemic year in 2020. The increase in imports amounts can explain the reason why energy cost has increased dramatically through the whole period with cumulative annual growth rate of 9.3%, starting with no more than 345 million JOD and reaching 3.4 billion JOD as shown in Figure5.



**Figure 6.** Imports amounts ktoe (1996 - 2022)<sup>4</sup>

Although Energy cost is highly dependent on Imports, it shows a spike in cost at 2012 all the way to 2014, which represents the years during which the N.gas imported from Egypt had cut-out and NEPCO started to import fuel oil as a supplement and that resulted in a huge loss to the company.



## **Figure 7.** Energy Cost MJD<sup>4</sup>

While Imports were discussed briefly, Table3 describes the oil products imports during the study period. crude oil and fuel oil had negative growth rate for the reasons mentioned above. LPG, Gasoline, Jet fuel, and Diesel imports has all increased significantly, indicating the increase in demand for these products and one reason of this could be the economic growth during the period.

**Table 3.** Imports of Oil products kton (1996, 2022)<sup>4</sup>

<b>Oil products Imports</b>	1996	2022	<b>CAGR</b>
Crude oil	3272.4	1803.4	$-2.3%$
LPG	94.5	522.4	6.8%
<b>Kerosene</b>	$\theta$	32.6	
Gasoline	20.7	974.8	16.0%
Jet fuel	$\Omega$	77.7	
<b>Fuel oil</b>	782.6	$\Omega$	$-100%$
Pet coke	$\Omega$	$\Omega$	
<b>Diesel</b>	281.2	1141.9	5.5%

Total final energy consumption has also increased through the whole period from 652.5 thousand tons oil equivalent in 1996 reaching 6.8 million tons oil equivalent in 2022, with a peak in 2017 reaching 7.1 million tons oil equivalent as shown in figure (8). Further research could take a place to discover the reasons behind having this peak in demand in 2017 which consequently lead to peak in imports and a peak in primary supply, as shown in Figures 3 and 6.



**Figure 8.** Total Final Energy Consumption ktoe (1996-2022)<sup>4</sup>

In addition to total final Energy Consumption, it is important for this paper to discuss the consumption of each sector, as they are the variables of interest and will be forecasted up to 2030. They are represented in figure(9) below:



**Figure 9.** Final Energy Consumption by Sector for the period  $(1996 - 2022)$ 

While transport dominate the highest consumption rates during the whole period, Household consumption rates increased significantly since 1996. Industrial sector in the other hand showed fluctuation during the period. Services sector in addition to the other sectors including [agriculture,

water pumping and street lighting] increased slightly in different rates for each.

Each of these sectors has its own energy consumption driver. For instance, industrial sector electricity consumption is highly dependent on production and capacity utilization based on[8] and [9]. On the other hand, energy efficiency measures like retrofit solutions can reduce consumption at various rates depending on the sector. Based on[10], applying measures such as replacing all singleglazed windows with double-glazed thermally broken windows, installing LED fixtures instead of the existing fluorescent fixtures, and separating the building's first-floor balcony terrace from the ground floor can lead to up to a 33% reduction in energy consumption of non-residential services buildings.

The following sections are described as follow: section2 will review literature among the past years that used ARIMA for energy forecast. section3 includes the forecasted model design, implementation and validation for each studied variable. Finally section4 views the conclusion of the study.

## **2. Energy Forecast Using ARIMA**

Wide range of literature have used ARIMA or a hybrid model based on ARIMA for energy forecast. Others made comparison between different forecasting models where ARIMA showed superiority in some and wasn't the best in others.

Here literature were reviewed only if the forecasted variable is energy or energy product, the forecasting model is ARIMA, or a hybrid model based on ARIMA, in addition to forecast on the medium/ long range meaning (5-20) years, and results were concluded in the Tables 4,5, and 6 below.

**Table 4.** Literature used ARIMA in forecasting study variable

Reference	Country	<b>Forecasted</b> variable	Validation Years	
[11]	Afghanistan	Energy Consumption	Residuals analysis	$2020 -$ 2024
[12]	China	Coal Price, Coal consumption, Coal Investments	<b>NA</b>	$2016 -$ 2030
[13]	China	Energy Consumption	Relative Average Error	$2013 -$ 2020
[14]	Greece	Oil consumption	(RMSE) (MAE)	2018- 2023
[15]	Nigeria	electricity consumption	<b>Residuals</b> analysis	$2012 -$ 2030
[16]	Pakistan	Gasoline consumption	<b>NA</b>	$2015 -$ 2026
[17]	Pakistan	Hydroelectricity consumption	Goodness- of-fit $(R2)$	2018- 2030
[18]	Philippines	Electricity consumption	Residuals analysis	$2021 -$ 2030

It is clearly seen that variety of countries used ARIMA to forecast different types of energy variables, however none was conducted in Jordan which approves the novelty of this paper. However the main result of the papers shown in table4 is that the forecasted variable will probably increase in the forecasted years.

**Table 5.** Comparison between ARIMA and other methods used for Forecasting

Ref.	Country	<b>Forecasted</b> variable	models	<b>SuperiorityValidation</b>	
[19]	China	Energy Consumption	ARIMA. <b>ANN</b>	<b>ANN</b>	(RMSE) (MAPE)
[20]	Middle Africa	Energy Consumption	MGM, MECM, ARIMA. <b>BP</b>	BP	(MAPE)
[21]	Pakistan	Electricity consumption	ARIMA, HoltWinter	HoltWinter	(RMSE), (MAPE)
[22]	Pakistan	Electricity consumption	ARIMA. SARIMA. ARCH/ <b>GARCH</b>	<b>ARIMA</b>	(MAPE)
[23]	Sri Lankan	Energy Consumption	SSA, ETS, HW, TBATS. NN. <b>ARIMA</b>	SAA	(RMSE)
[24]	Taiwan	Energy Consumption	ARIMA. <b>ANN</b>	<b>ARIMA</b> for single variable	(MAPE)
[25]	Turkey	electricity consumption	ARIMA. GM. <b>MAED</b>	ARIMA. GM	(MAPE)

As shown in table 5 only [22][24], and [25] represented ARIMA superiority as a forecasting methodology. It is worth mentioning here that [26] reviewed conventional models and AI-based models and it concluded that Conventional models are preferred for the yearly energy consumption forecasting in the national level including ARIMA and other conventional models.

While based on table 5 mean absolute percentage error (MAPE) is the most common method used in validating the model. Future work in this regard could be comparing different methods used in forecasting energy demand for Jordan.

**Table 6.** Hybrid forecasting model based on ARIMA



While ARIMA models showed limited superiority, Hybrid models that are based on ARIMA are better than individual ones in almost all of the reviewed papers represented in table 6.

## **3. ARIMA model:**

As referenced in [34], four essential stages required in ARIMA model, which are: model identification, parameter estimation, model diagnostics, and forecast verification and reasonableness. Accordingly, these steps involve:

- 1. **Model identification**: This entails using various tools such as graphs, statistics, autocorrelation function, partial autocorrelation functions, and transformations to make the data stationary and tentatively identify patterns and model components.
- 2. **Parameter estimation**: Here, the focus is on determining the model coefficients using methods like the method of least squares, maximum likelihood methods, and other applicable techniques.
- 3. **Model diagnostics**: This step involves assessing the validity of the model. If the model is deemed valid, it is utilized; otherwise, the process of identification, estimation, and diagnostics is repeated.
- 4. **Forecast verification and reasonableness**: After estimating an ARIMA model, it is crucial to reassess the identification process to enhance the selected model if possible. Various statistical techniques and confidence intervals are employed to validate forecasts and monitor model performance, detecting any instances where the model may be out of control.

Based on Box and Jenkins in 1970, ARIMA can be represented in the following mathematical equation:

 $Yt = u + \phi_1 Y_{t-1}, \ldots, \phi_p T_{t-p}$ where  $Ø$  and u are ARIMA coefficients

#### *3.1. Data Used*

The Energy Balances of the period (1996 – 2022) were used, during which the years (1996 – 2017) used to build the model and the last 5 years (2018 – 2022) were used to validate the model using MAPE method. Finally, a forecast was made for the period (2023 – 2030). While the variables to forecast are final energy consumption of Jordan for each sector and the total final consumption, With 95% confidence interval levels. ARIMA model was built for each variable on its own using Python google colab, as it is a common tool used in past papers.

## *3.2. Design the model and Forecasting Results*

Figures (8) and (9) previously mentioned, show the trend lines of the forecasting variables. The following sections will apply the 4 stages of the ARIMA model for each forecasting variable namely: 1. Total Final Energy consumption, 2.Residintial Sector Energy consumption, 3.Industrial Sector Energy Consumption, 4. Transport Sector Energy Consumption, 5. Services Sector Energy Consumption, 6. Other Sectors Energy Consumption.

## *3.2.1. Total final consumption*

Sections 3.2.1.1 up to 3.2.1.4 represent the results of the stages described earlier to build and test the ARIMA model.

*3.2.1.1. Model Identification*

The results of the ADF test of the total final consumption data for the period (1996-2017), is as follows:

Results conclude that the data is not stationary. So deferencing will take place, and the result is as follows:

```
ADF Statistic: -3.1900741209358237
p-value: 0.02056646524521121
Critical Values:
         1\%: -3.8092091249999998<br>5%: -3.0216450000000004
         10%: -2.6507125
```
Where the variable became stationary after **1 differencing**, with p-value of 0.02 and 5% significance level. Meaning that d in ARIMA parameter for this variable is 1.

The resulted stationary data is plotted below:



**Figure 10.** TFC stationary results

## *3.2.1.2. Parameter estimation*

PACF test and ACF tests were applied with the following results for the total final consumption data with maximum number of lags 9 for each:<br>Partial Autocorrelation



**Figure 11.** PACF results Total Final Consumption



**Figure 12.** ACF test results Total Final Consumption

Based on these figures p and q are equals to (0). finally ARIMA (0,1,0) model were fitted with the following results:



## **Figure 13.** ARIMA for FEC results

As a result the final equation is  $[Y_t = Y_{t-1} + \varepsilon_t]$  which is, in total final consumption case, a constant equals to  $[Y_t=7045.2]$ .

## *3.2.1.3. Model diagnostics*

The results of MAPE for the period (2018-2022), for the ARIMA model based on the parameters (0,1,0) are shown in the following table:

## **Table 7.**MAPE results for FEC



The MAPE result for the ARIMA of the total final energy consumption data of 10% is considered good and indicates that the forecasts are reasonably accurate.

## *3.2.1.4. Forecasting results*

The following figure shows the results of the forecasting data through the years (2023-2030) in different color:





This suggest that total final energy consumption could reach 7045 ktoe by 2030.

## *3.2.2. Transport Sector*

Sections 3.2.2.1 up to 3.2.2.4 represent the results of the stages described arlier to build and test the ARIMA model for transport sector.

## *3.2.2.1. Model Identification*

The results of the ADF test of the Transport sector consumption data for the period (1996-2017), is as follows:



which means that the data needs differencing to become stationary. After 1 differencing, the ADF results are:

```
ADF Statistic: -3.8177447725967624
p-value: 0.002730892226109772
Critical Values:
        1%: -3.8326031418574136
        5%: -3.0312271701414204
        10%: -2.655519584487535
```
We can now reject the null hypotheses and be sure that data is not stationary by 95% confidence. And the resulted data after differencing is shown in the following figure:



**Figure 15.** Transport consumption stationary data

## *3.2.2.2. Parameter estimation*

While p, and q are required for fitting our ARIMA model the results of PACF and ACF is shown below:







Autocorrelation

**Figure 17.** ACF results for Transport Sector

The PACF and ACF tests results suggest that p and q of the model is zero as there are no significant lags.

Which conclude that ARIMA model parameters for Transport sector are (0,1,0). The following figure represents the results of the ARIMA (0,1,0) model:



As a result the final equation is  $[Y_t = Y_{t-1} + \varepsilon_t]$  which is in total Transport consumption case a constant equals  $[Y_t=$ 3431].

#### *3.2.2.3. Model diagnostic*

To calculate MAPE for the proposed model the following table finalize the results for the years (2018-2022) for transport sector consumption:

**Table 8.**MAPE results for Transport sector consumption



As shown above the model considered moderately good fit for the forecasted variable as 22% result of MAPE means.

#### *3.2.2.4. Forecast results*

The following figure shows the predicted values for the period 2023 – 2030 in different color:



**Figure 18.** Forecasted results of Transport Sector (2023 - 2030)

The forecasted results suggest an increase in Transport sector final consumption reaching (3431.3 ktoe) in 2030.

## *3.2.3. Residential Sector*

Sections 3.2.3.1 up to 3.2.3.4 represent the results of the stages described earlier to build and test the ARIMA model for residential sector.

#### *3.2.3.1. Model Identification*

The results of ADF are shown below where it is concluded that data are not stationary with positive ADF stat:

```
ADF Statistic: 0.4836029335207516
p-value: 0.9843661070442601
Critical Values:
        1%: -3.8092091249999998
        5%: -3.0216450000000004
        10%: -2.6507125
Initial p-value: 0.9843661070442601
```
After 1 differencing, results show that data become stationary with 99% confidence of the test results, as shown below:

ADF Statistic: -3.805347503927232 p-value: 0.0028530744600732904 Critical Values:

## 1%: -3.8092091249999998 5%: -3.0216450000000004

 $10$ <sup>2</sup>:  $-2.6507125$ 

Find below the representation of the data after differencing took place:

Residintial Consumption after 1 Differencing(s)



**Figure 19.** Residential Sector data after differencing

## *3.2.3.2. Parameter estimation*

To find p and q the following PACF and ACF test occurred and the results are as shown:



PACF test shows no significant lags.



**Figure 21.** ACF test results for Residential sector

ACF test results shows no significant lags too. In conclusion p and q are zeros.

The results of the ARIMA (0,1,0) model for Residential sector is shown below:



these results suggest that transport sector energy consumption equation is  $[Y_t = Y_{t-1} + \varepsilon_t]$  which is this case a constant equals [ $Y_t$ = 1548.6].

#### *3.2.3.3. Model diagnostic*

The table below shows the MAPE calculations for the residential sector based on ARIMA (0,1,0) model results.





With MAPE result of no more than 4% the proposed ARIMA model considered reasonably accepted.

## *3.2.3.4. Forecasting results*

The following figure represent the forecasted results for the period (2023 – 2030):



**Figure 22.** Forecasted results of Residential (2023 - 2030)

The main result suggest that Residential sector energy consumption will reach 1548.6 in 2030.

## *3.2.4. Industrial Sector*

Sections 3.2.4.1 up to 3.2.4.4 represent the results of the stages described earlier to build and test the ARIMA model for Industrial sector.

## *3.2.4.1. Model Identification*

The results of ADF are shown below where it is concluded that data are not stationary with relatively high ADF statvalue:

```
ADF Statistic: -0.41411082361806095
p-value: 0.9077159821908853
Critical Values:
        1%: -4.137829282407408
        5%: -3.1549724074074077
        10%: -2.7144769444444443
Initial p-value: 0.9077159821908853
```
After 2 differencing results shows that data became stationary with 99% confidence of the test results, as shown below:

```
ADF Statistic: 0.5067175538874819
p-value: 0.9850758471450277
Critical Values:
        1%: -4.137829282407408
        5%: -3.1549724074074077
        10%: -2.7144769444444443
ADF Statistic: -11.873731153987052
p-value: 6.413374996017888e-22
Critical Values:
        1%: -4.223238279489106
        5%: -3.189368925619835
        10%: -2.729839421487603
```
Find below the representation of the data after deferencing took place:



**Figure 23.** Industrial consumption data after differencing

## *3.2.4.2. Parameter estimation*

To find p and q the following PACF and ACF test occurred and the results are as shown:



PACF test shows one significant lags.



**Figure 25.** ACF test results for Industrial Sector

ACF test results shows one significant lag. In conclusion p is zero and q is one.

The results of the ARIMA (0,2,1) model for Industrial sector is shown below:



## *3.2.4.3. Model diagnostic*

The table below shows the MAPE calculations for the Industrial sector based on ARIMA (0,2,1) model results.

**Table 10.** MAPE results for Industrial sector

vear	<b>ARIMA</b> results	Actual	absolute error percentage
2018	951.6	953.5	0.001988835
2019	965.0	890.8	0.083253549
2020	978.4	934.7	0.046758585
2021	991.8	1016.6	0.024366707
2022	1005.2	1078.9	0.06829342
		MAPE	$4\%$

With MAPE result of no more than 4% the proposed ARIMA model considered reasonably accepted.

## *3.2.4.4. Forecasting results*

The following figure represent the forecasted results for the period (2023 – 2030):



**Figure 26.** Industrial Sector Forecast (2023-2030)

Average annual increasing rate between 2023 and 2030 could reach (3%) and with suggested value for 2030 of (1112.4 ktoe)

#### *3.2.5. Services Sector*

Sections 3.2.5.1 up to 3.2.5.4 represent the results of the stages described earlier to build and test the ARIMA model for Services sector.

## *3.2.5.1. Model Identification*

The results of ADF are shown below where it is concluded that data are not stationary with relatively high ADF statvalue:

ADF Statistic: -0.3937641599368771 p-value: 0.9111347445707949 Critical Values: 1%: -4.137829282407408 5%: -3.1549724074074077 10%: -2.7144769444444443 Initial p-value: 0.9111347445707949

After 2 differencing, results show that data became stationary with 99% confidence of the test results, as shown below:

ADF Statistic: -1.898559081858967 p-value: 0.3327392674378773 Critical Values: 1%: -4.137829282407408 5%: -3.1549724074074077 10%: -2.7144769444444443 ADF Statistic: -4.2982453456120915 p-value: 0.00044733053801577734 Critical Values: 1%: -3.8326031418574136 5%: -3.0312271701414204 10%: -2.655519584487535

Find below the representation of the data after differencing took place:



**Figure 27.**Services sector data after differencing

*3.2.5.2. Parameter estimation*

To find p and q the following PACF and ACF test occurred and the results are as shown:







**Figure 29.** ACF results for Services sector

ACF test results shows no significant lags too. In conclusion p is zero, however, the model suggests the value of q to be 8. But after reviewing the MAPE for the ARIMA(0,2,8) model it was 36% so using trial and error ARIMA(0,2,5) has lower MAPE so the latest were used in the forecasting.

The results of the ARIMA (0,2,5) model for Services sector is shown below:



## *3.2.5.3. odel diagnostic*

The table below shows the MAPE calculations for the Services sector based on ARIMA (0,2,5) model results.





With MAPE result of about 21% the proposed ARIMA model considered reasonably accepted.

## *3.2.5.4. Forecasting results*

The following figure represent the forecasted results for the period  $(2023 – 2030)$ :



**Figure 30.**forecasted results of Services Sector (2023 - 2030)

As forecasting results suggest average annual increasing rate between 2023 and 2030 of about 12%. reaching 709 ktoe in 2030.

## *3.2.6. Other Sectors Energy Consumption*

Sections 3.2.6.1 up to 3.2.6.4 represent the results of the stages described earlier to build and test the ARIMA model for Other sectors consumption.

## *3.2.6.1. Model Identification*

The results of ADF are shown below where it is concluded that data are not stationary with relatively high ADF statvalue:

```
ADF Statistic: 0.6039663425237817
p-value: 0.9877129857601531
Critical Values:
        1%: -4.137829282407408
        5%: -3.1549724074074077
        10%: -2.7144769444444443
Initial p-value: 0.9877129857601531
```
After 1 differencing, results show that data became stationary with 90% confidence of the test results, as shown below:

ADF Statistic: -3.4469796887437725 p-value: 0.009457865640567142 Critical Values: 1%: -4.137829282407408 5%: -3.1549724074074077 10%: -2.7144769444444443

Find below the representation of the data after differencing took place:



## *3.2.6.2. Parameter estimation*

To find p and q the following PACF and ACF test occurred and the results are as shown:







**Figure 33.** ACF results for other sectors

PACF, and ACF test results shows one significant lag. In conclusion p is zero, however, the model suggests the value of q to be 4.

The results of the ARIMA (0,1,4) model for Other sectors is shown below:



## *3.2.6.3. Model diagnostic*

The table below shows the MAPE calculations for the Services sector based on ARIMA (0,1,4) model results.

**Table 12.** MAPE results for Services sector

year	<b>ARIMA</b>	Actual	Absolute
	results		percentage error
2018	650.5	658.8	0.012598664
2019	668.6	652.4	0.024759635
2020	670.7	645.7	0.038784396
2021	663.5	566.1	0.17196504
2022	663.5	599.9	0.10601767
		MAPE	6%

With MAPE, no more than 6% of the proposed ARIMA model is considered reasonably accepted.

#### *3.2.6.4. Forecasting results*

The following figure represent the forecasted results for the period (2023 – 2030):



**Figure 34.** forecasted results of Services Sector (2023 - 2030)

As forecasting results suggest, average annual increasing rate between 2023 and 2030 of about 11% will be expected, reaching 663 ktoe in 2030.

## **4. Conclusion**

ARIMA model is an effective way to predict time series data future trends. Augmented Dicky-fullr test, ACF and PACF tests were conducted in the design process of the model for each sector. Total final energy consumption is expected to reach 7045 ktoe based on ARIMA(0,1,0) model forecast with 10% MAPE. Transport sector is estimated to reach 3431.3 ktoe based on ARIMA (0,1,0) model with MAPE of (22%). In addition, Residential sector is estimated to reach 1548 ktoe based on the result of ARIMA (0,1,0) model with MAPE of (4%). Finally Industrial, Services and Other sectors energy consumptions were forecasted to reach 1112 , 709 , and 665 ktoe respectively with (4%) , (21%) and (6%) MAPE results for ARIMA(0,2,1) , ARIMA(0,2,5) and ARIMA(0,1,4) models for these sectors respectively.

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