# **NDK ARIMA FORE**

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- C/C++
- .Net

```
int stdcall NDK ARIMA FORE(double *
                                                           pData,
                               size t
                                                           nSize,
                               double
                                                           mean,
                               double
                                                           sigma,
                               WORD
                                                           nIntegral,
                               double *
                                                           phis,
                               size t
                                                           p,
                               double *
                                                           thetas,
                               size t
                                                           q,
                               size_t
                                                           nStep,
                               FORECAST_RETVAL_FUNC retType,
                               double
                                                           alpha,
                               double *
                                                           retVal
                               )
```

Calculates the out-of-sample forecast statistics.

#### **Returns**

status code of the operation

#### Return values

NDK\_SUCCESS Operation successful

NDK FAILED Operation unsuccessful. See Macros for full list.

#### **Parameters**

```
[in] pData is the univariate time series data (a one dimensional array).
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[in] **nSize** is the number of observations in pData.

[in] **mean** is the ARMA model mean (i.e. mu).

[in] **sigma** is the standard deviation of the model's residuals/innovations.

[in] **nIntegral**is the model's integration order.

[in] **phis** are the parameters of the AR(p) component model (starting with the lowest lag).

[in] **p** is the number of elements in phis (order of AR component)

[in] **thetas** are the parameters of the MA(q) component model (starting with the lowest lag).

[in] **q** is the number of elements in thetas (order of MA component)

[in] **nStep** is the forecast time/horizon (expressed in terms of steps beyond end of the time

[in] retType is a switch to select the type of value returned

### **Order Description**

1 Mean forecast value (default)

- 2 Forecast standard error (aka local volatility)
- 3 Volatility term structure
- 4 Lower limit of the forecast confidence interval
- 5 Upper limit of the forecast confidence interval

[in] alpha is the statistical significance level. If missing, a default of 5% is assumed. [out]retVal is the calculated forecast value

#### Remarks

- 1. The underlying model is described here.
- 2. The time series is homogeneous or equally spaced.
- 3. The time series may include missing values (e.g. #N/A) at either end.
- 4. The integration order argument (d) must be a positive integer.
- 5. The long-run mean can take any value or may be omitted, in which case a zero value is assumed.
- 6. The residuals/innovations standard deviation (sigma) must be greater than zero.
- 7. For the input argument (phi):
  - The input argument is optional and can be omitted, in which case no AR component is included.
  - The order of the parameters starts with the lowest lag.
  - The order of the AR component model is solely determined by the order of the last value in the array with a numeric value (vs. missing or error).
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# Requirements

Header	SFSDK.H
Library	SFSDK.LIB
DLL	SFSDK.DLL

### **Examples**

```
Namespace: NumXLAPI
int NDK_ARIMA_FORE(double[]
                                                 pData,
                      UIntPtr
                                                                             Class: SFSDK
                                                 nSize,
                      double
                                                                            Scope: Public
                                                 mean,
                                                                          Lifetime: Static
                      double
                                                 sigma,
                      short
                                                 nIntegral,
                      double[]
                                                 phis,
                      UIntPtr
                                                 p,
                      double[]
                                                thetas,
                      UIntPtr
                                                 q,
                      UIntPtr
                                                 nStep,
                      FORECAST_RETVAL_FUNC retType,
                      double
                                                 alpha,
                      ref double
                                                 retVal
                     )
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a value from NDK\_RETCODE enumeration for the status of the call.

NDK\_SUCCESS operation successful

Error Code

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## **Exceptions**

Exception Type	Condition
None	N/A

#### Requirements

Namespace	NumXLAPI
Class	SFSDK
Scope	Public
Lifetime	Static
Package	NumXLAPI.DLL

#### References

# See Also

[template("related")]