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**A MODEL FOR HEAVY TRUCK FREIGHT
MOVEMENT ON EXTERNAL ROAD NETWORKS
CONNECTING WITH FLORIDA PORTS, PHASE -I-**

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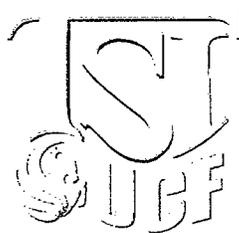
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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Freight movement in the United States continues to evolve as a significant challenge to the transportation industry. Seaport operations dominated by container and trailer movements will have to make operational and infrastructure changes to maintain the growth of international cargo operations. Engineering research and analysis will assist transportation planners with the determination process of port and street network modifications. One such example is a truck trip generation model for heavy truck traffic related to cargo operations at the Port of Miami (Florida).

This report describes the research and initial development process of trip generation models for predicting the levels of cargo truck traffic moving inbound and outbound at the Port of Miami. It is restricted to container and trailer truck configurations that transport virtually all of the port's freight. Consequently, this associated truck traffic moves through the nearby street network in Downtown Miami.

The purpose of the trip generation models is to predict the daily volumes of large inbound and outbound trucks for specified time frames. The inbound truck model predicts truck trips attracted to the port while the outbound model predicts truck trips produced by the port activities. It was found in this study that the primary factors, which affect truck volume, are the amount and direction of cargo vessel freight (i.e., imported/exported freight units or trailers/containers) and the particular day of the week. The detailed gate pass card data were used to develop truck production and attraction models for the Port of Miami. More than 73,000 gate passes were

entered into the UCF computer database. Regression analysis was used to develop inbound and outbound truck trip generation models. Using this extensive database, both regression models were calibrated and validated successfully in this study. Truck weights were estimated using weights of freight units and observations of the port's scale readings for trucks entering the port at the security gate.

For long-term forecasts, two approaches were used to predict the monthly freight units (i.e., monthly Trailers/Containers). This is an important parameter for estimating the input to truck production/attraction models used to forecast truck volumes. The two approaches were: time series and regression. The time series approach has the advantage of predicting seasonal variations in vessel activity (or imported/exported freight units) at the port and consequently truck volumes on Port Boulevard, while the regression model is simpler to use. Surprisingly, there was no statistically significant difference between the forecasts of the two models. As such, planners can make a choice between the two models for future predictions. However, the time series model is recommended because it captures seasonal variations of the port's vessel activities.

The truck trip generation models developed in this study provide transportation planners with a foundation for transportation management decisions and infrastructure modifications. The user should be cautioned that long-term forecasts are only accurate if no major infrastructure developments have been introduced to the port. Otherwise, the models are best suited for short-term predictions of truck traffic as a function of the port's imported/exported freight units.

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CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

1.1 Background

There is great concern about whether or not the existing transportation infrastructure, and capacity of Florida Seaport's will be sufficient for accommodating the projected growth of the near future. Since 1988, import/ export cargo at the Port of Miami has increased 160 percent from 2.60 to 6.74 million tons (1).

Port of Miami's freight operations are strongly influenced by the rapidly developing economies of the Caribbean and Latin American nations. In the last seven years, the annual TEUs (20-foot equivalent units) increased by 87% and annual cargo tonnage increased by 74%, see Figures 1.1 and 1.2. Economic projections indicate that the trading activity in Florida will continue to rapidly accelerate and require expansion and more efficiency of the port's operations. Figure 1.3 illustrates future economic projections in Florida forecasted by the Washington Economics Group and prepared for the Florida Trade Data Center (2).

Exports represent the larger percentage of freight movement. Some of the higher volume export commodities produced in Florida include computer equipment, industrial machinery, transportation vehicles, apparel, and agricultural products.

Overall freight volume generally begins to accelerate in September, due mainly to Christmas season retail items and electronic equipment. Total freight volume begins to peak in

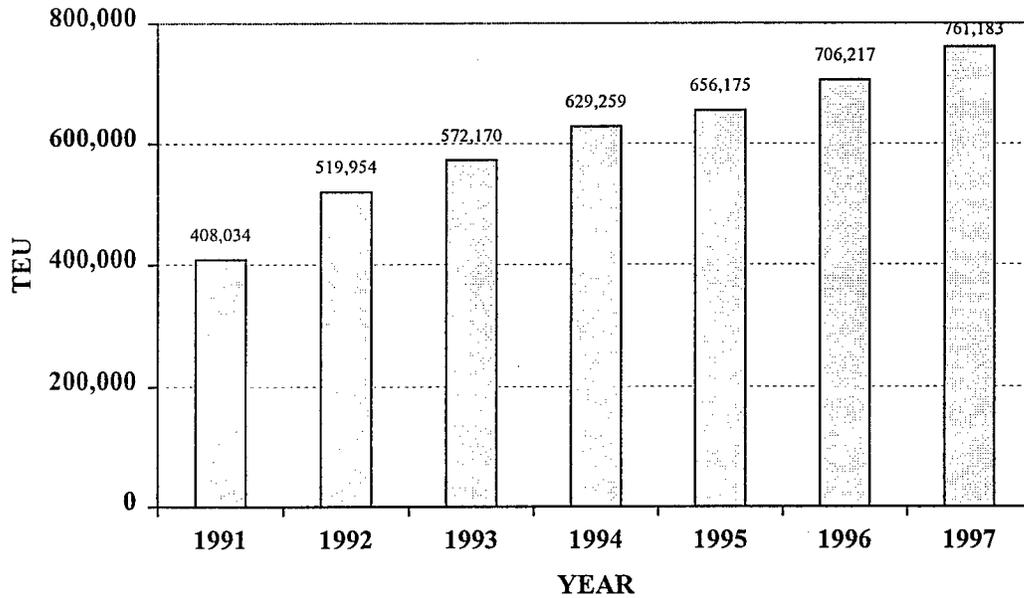


Figure 1.1 Port of Miami Annual TEU Totals

T.E.U. = 20 foot equivalent units
Source: Port of Miami Directory, 1998 (1)

October and remains busy through the retail season. In the middle of winter, citrus shipments begin to markedly increase and compensate for the gradual decrease in retail items. Thus, the peak season freight volume basically runs from October until April. In May, citrus product volume decreases and affects the overall total freight volume.

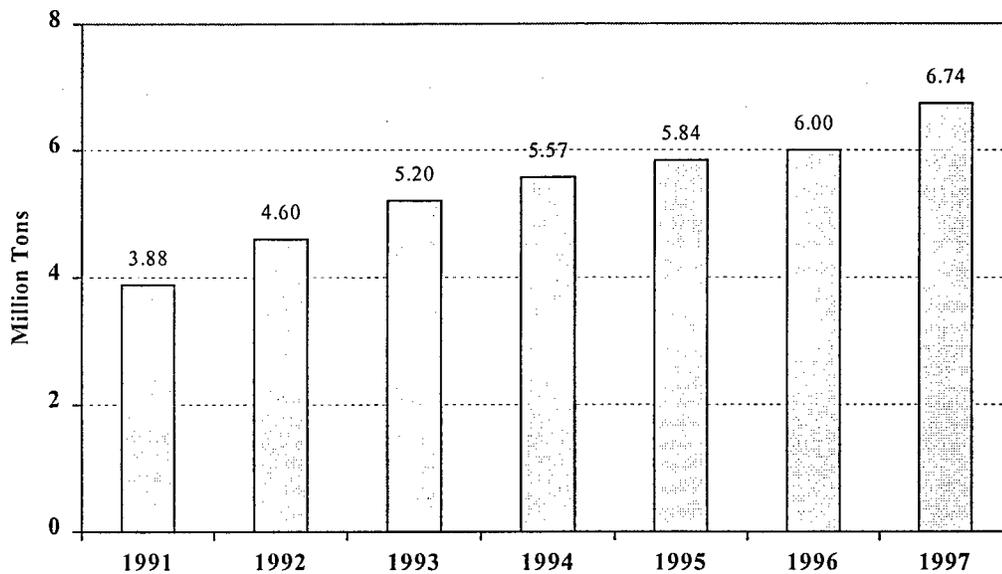


Figure 1.2 Port of Miami Annual Cargo Tonnage Totals
 Source: Port of Miami Directory, 1998 (1)

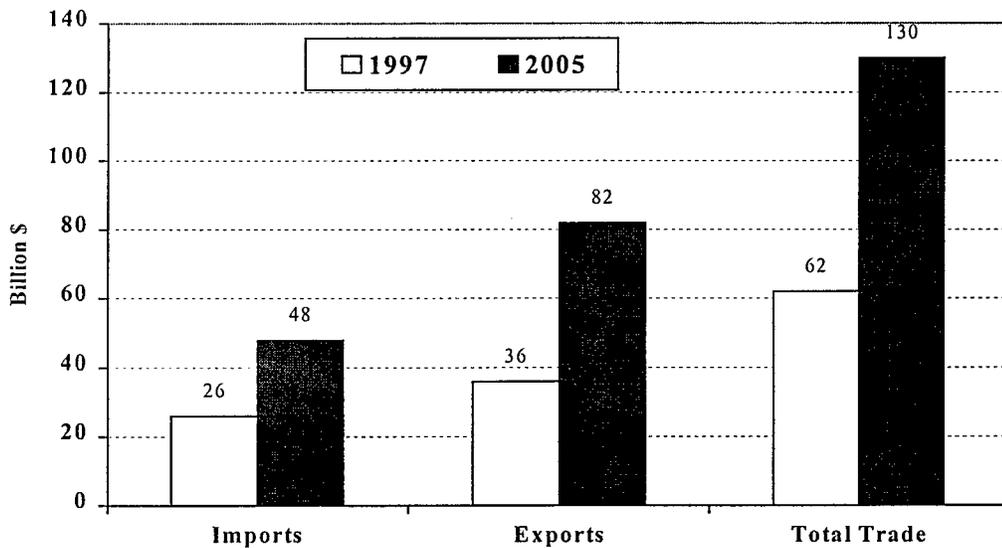


Figure 1.3 Forecasts of Florida's Total Trade Performance (1997-2005)

Source: Florida Trade Data Center - Washington Economics Group (2)

1.2 Problem Statement

The Florida Department of Transportation needs to accurately estimate the amount of truck freight movement on the external road networks connecting to large intermodal facilities. Florida's current estimation method of truck traffic entails overall traffic counts to be performed for only a few days in an area to determine Average Annual Daily Traffic (AADT). Statewide data for similar roadway classifications and regional characteristics of roadways are extrapolated to estimate truck percentages for the AADT figures. The statewide data is not specific enough to apply to a unique region such as a major freight port and its connecting road network.

The Port of Miami is one of the largest container cargo ports in the United States. It is the largest freight port in the state of Florida in terms of revenue and third largest by measure of tonnage. Although this study is confined to freight movement, it is worth noting here that the Port of Miami is the largest cruiseship port in the world by measures of both passenger volume and revenue. Cruiseship activity generates a tremendous amount of passenger vehicles which includes shuttle buses, motor coaches, courtesy vans, and taxi cabs.

1.3 Research Objectives

This research project's ultimate goal is to provide planners with a tool for developing near term and long term forecasts of freight traffic near the vicinity of Florida's major seaports. The intention is to provide this tool in the form of predictive traffic models.

Port of Miami was selected for the first phase of this research. It was initially considered to develop truck traffic generation models for truck trips produced from the port and truck trips

attracted to the port. Different time intervals may be considered in these models such as weekly, daily, hourly, and during peak and off-peak periods.

Accurate long-term forecasts for the ten to twenty-year time periods are important input for major infrastructure investment decisions. This aspect was not defined in the original scope of this initial phase of the freight study. But with the application of time series analysis using long-term historical records, this study builds a foundation for the development of long-term forecasting tools.

The conventional strategic planning process of transportation modeling involves four sequential steps: trip generation, trip distribution, modal split, and traffic (or route) assignment. This process is widely accepted within the transportation industry and began and evolved primarily for transportation modeling of passenger trips. The function of trip generation analysis is to ultimately establish meaningful relationships between land use and trip-making activities, so that proposed changes in land use can be used to predict subsequent changes in transportation demand.

The three characteristics of land use that have been found to relate closely to trip generation are the intensity, character, and location of land use activities. Intensity of land usage is usually expressed in such terms as dwelling units per acre, employees per acre, and employees per 1000 square feet of retail floor space (3). Character of land usage refers to the social and economic makeup of the land users. It typically includes measures such as average family income and car ownership per capita. Location is typically utilized as a variable that can encompass the combined effects of family size, stage in family life cycle, availability of parking, and level of street congestion.

It is apparent that for the situation of local freight movement generated by a cargo seaport, there needs to be a different approach from the traditional process, which is oriented towards passenger trips. There are no dwelling units, residing families, or retail space at the Port of Miami nor at any of the locations which directly exchange the truck freight.

Intermodal freight does not generally move with maximum efficiency. This is partly due to lack of cooperation among carriers and shippers. There are also operational problems with Electronic Data Interchange (EDI), terminal operations, freight container tracking, and capacity shortages. The Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act (ISTEA), and the more recent Transportation Equity Act (TEA21), provide metropolitan planning organizations (MPO's) a substantial grant of authority and an expanded role in making freight move efficiently (4).

Trip destination, modal choice, and traffic assignment are not included in this Phase of the freight movement study at the Port of Miami. However, these important steps will be conducted in Phases -II- and -III- where other Florida seaports like Tampa and JAXPORT will be also studied.

1.4 Port Of Miami Situation

Port of Miami was selected for the first phase of this Florida freight port study, because it is the Florida port with the highest revenue and the largest container operation. Containers continue to be an increasingly growing and preferable method for freight movement throughout the United States and the international trading community. Containers can be processed and moved through intermodal facilities faster than trailers. The apparent advantage of containers is the capability of stacking these freight units. Stacking allows for a more efficient consumption of storage area.

A layout of the external road network surrounding the Port of Miami is shown in Figure 1-4. This small region extends for one mile from the port and is located within the Central Business District of Miami. The trip generation models will predict the heavy truck movement on Port Boulevard. The inbound and outbound truck traffic of this road is distributed among the remaining road segments defined below. The heavy truck traffic predictions moving on these auxiliary road segments can be determined from the Port Boulevard truck traffic using a traffic assignment model (to be developed in Phase-III- of this project).

The auxiliary segments consist of the following:

- a. Biscayne Boulevard northbound and southbound, between the Port Boulevard entrance and exit.
- b. NE 5th Street between NE 2nd Avenue and Biscayne Boulevard. This is a one-way, eastbound roadway.
- c. NE 6th Street between Biscayne Boulevard and NE 2nd Avenue. This is a one-way, westbound roadway.
- d. NE 2nd Avenue between NE 6th Street and NE 5th Street. This is a one-way, southbound roadway.

Truck movement at the Port of Miami is primarily on business days, Monday through Friday. Vessel berthing, loading, and unloading activities occur on all seven days of the week. Generally, a cargo vessel's berthing time is less than one day. The range is usually from a few hours to a day and a half. There is significant cargo vessel activity between Friday evenings and Monday mornings.

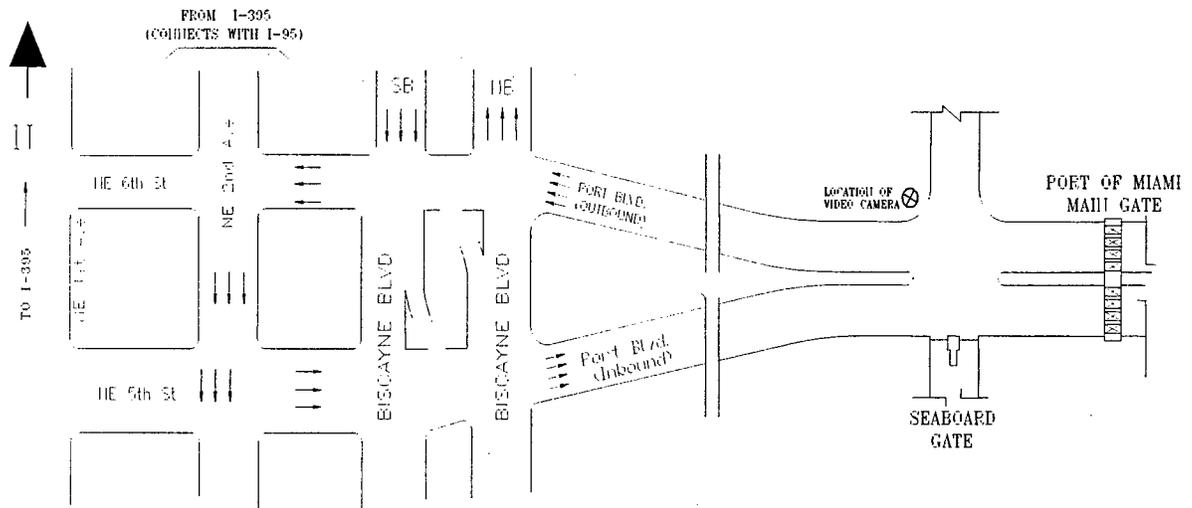


Figure 1.4 Street Network in the Port of Miami Region.

The Port of Miami has a slightly higher volume of exports versus imports. This implies that trucks are moving more freight into the port (to be exported by vessels) than out of the port (imports from the vessels). Thus, Thursday and Friday truck traffic tends to become heavier, because of the urgency to bring export cargo to the port and be loaded on the vessels scheduled for weekend departures.

Truck traffic tends to peak at any time between 9:30 AM and 3:30 PM on any of the five weekdays. Sometimes between the Noon to 1:00 PM lunch period, the truck traffic lightens. Most of the drivers are based locally and work primarily during daytime hours. These local drivers usually are not the same drivers who will move any freight ultimately destined for long-distance hauls. Thus, many port drivers take lunch at the regular noon hour.

On Mondays between 5:30 AM to 8:00 AM, or after any day when a very large cargo vessel has berthed, trucks usually begin forming a queue before the gate opens. This action forms a brief peak within the first hour of operation.

The late afternoons of Thursdays and Fridays (3:30 - 5:30) can sometimes experience heavy truck traffic, because exporters want to ensure their freight is placed on cargo vessels scheduled for weekend departures. Also, the terminals remain open an hour longer on Thursdays and Fridays to service the additional truck traffic. Night hour operations and weekends have very minimal truck operations.

This report is organized as follows. Chapter 2 provides a summary of literature review on heavy truck trip generation models in and outside of Florida. Chapter 3 briefly summarizes the data collection efforts in this project and presents the results of preliminary analyses of the collected data. Chapter 4 describes the detailed modeling process of trip generation and time series forecasting models. Finally, Chapter 5 documents conclusions and recommendations of the Phase-I- study.

CHAPTER 2

LITERATURE REVIEW

2.1 Traditional Freight Modeling Attempts

As far back as 1977, FDOT initiated a program to develop a comprehensive statewide transportation plan encompassing all modes of transportation. As part of this program, FDOT sponsored the Statewide Multimodal Planning Process Project to develop and apply modeling techniques for forecasting future movements of persons and goods by mode. The research by Middendorf, Jelavich and Ellis (5) describes the development and application of the goods movement forecasting procedures resulting from the Statewide Multimodal Planning Process.

For truck shipments to ports, the origin zone was the zone of production and the destination zone was the Florida County containing the port. Similarly, for truck shipments from ports, the origin zone was the Florida County containing the port and the destination zone was the county of consumption.

However, the truck-to-port and truck-from-port freight flow O-D (origin and destination) tables included only domestic goods. Foreign imports and exports were excluded, because the true origin and destination zones of these goods could not be determined from the data that was available. With rapid regional economic development in Florida's port cities, it is difficult to make accurate long-term freight movement forecasts. The results of their freight movement forecasts for some commodity groups eventually resulted in large overestimates and underestimates for some other commodity groups.

Using this approach for a freight port within a large metropolitan area such as the Port of Miami would yield inaccurate results. The Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA) region

containing Miami extends as far north as Melbourne (Florida) and as far south as the Florida Keys.

An objective of the Port of Miami study is to examine movements within one of these regions, rather than between or among regions. Even though the Port of Miami is one of the largest generators of truck traffic in the state, the majority of truck freight crossing the borders of this BEA region would not be associated with the Port of Miami. This situation makes a traditional freight modeling approach very complicated or even inapplicable for this defined Port of Miami study.

2.2 State of Washington DOT Truck Survey

The work by Casavant, Gillis, Blankenship, and Howard (6) & (7) involved a massive freight truck origin and destination (O-D) study for the State of Washington DOT in 1993. This was the first study in the United States to collect statewide freight truck (O-D) data via direct personal interviews of truck drivers. A total of 30,000 truck drivers were interviewed to provide Washington with an extensive database on statewide freight and goods movements.

In addition to collecting information on truck characteristics and commodity type, the Washington State study documented specific highway routes utilized by the trucks.

However, our study concentrates on heavy freight truck movements in a local transportation corridor. Thus, a statewide survey or even a countywide survey may not provide enough specific information related to this transportation corridor of the Port of Miami region.

At the Port of Miami, a traffic circulation study to determine truck drivers most heavily used routes was recently conducted by the Corradino Group as part of a larger countywide study (8). This local study involved brief interviews of truck drivers at the Port's security entrance gate

to determine which connector roads and routes were most commonly used by the drivers to access the nearby main highway routes (i.e., Interstates 95, 395, State Routes 836, 968, U.S. Routes 1, 41, etc.). Although this was not an O-D study, the results may be more useful for our problem than those from a larger regional O-D study. But these results may not be immediately available for our usage.

If there is a future opportunity to conduct brief interviews of truck drivers at Florida weigh stations or other convenient survey sites, the questionnaire and procedure from the State of Washington study could potentially be used as a guide.

2.3 Minnesota DOT Freight Flow Study

The Minnesota Department of Transportation (Mn/DOT) sponsored a study, which compiled and synthesized freight flow data within, through, into, and out of Minnesota for the year 1990. The study was performed by the University of Minnesota's Institute of Public Affairs (9) for the purpose of providing an understanding of commodity movement by mode, weight, and value and to also assist with the development of a statewide transportation plan, the Intermodal Management System and other planning efforts of Mn/DOT.

The primary data sources for this report were a series of Transearch files from Reebie Associates. These are specified for Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA) economic regions. Reebie Associates produces data reports on tonnages of freight shipped from region to region by mode. There are 183 BEA regions in the United States.

Detailed origin and destination data on inbound and outbound freight flows were only obtained for one BEA region (No. 96) which contains Minneapolis-St. Paul. Trucks carry the

most tonnage within this region. Only total inbound and outbound freight flow data were obtained for remaining regions.

As stated earlier, this approach for the Port of Miami would yield inaccurate results, because the BEA region containing Miami extends as far north as Melbourne (Florida) and as far south as the Florida Keys. The majority of truck freight crossing the borders of this BEA region would not be associated with the Port of Miami.

Data sources provided by the Seaway Port Authority of Duluth/Superior and the Minnesota Department of Transportation had also been used to examine waterborne flows from the Port of Duluth-Superior and three other ports. Similarly, the Port of Miami allows access to vessel movement data including sizes and types of vessels and arrival and departure times and dates.

For the Mn/DOT Study, many private freight carriers had provided data on freight movements within Minnesota as well as between Minnesota and other states, and between origin-destination pairs within the contiguous United States.

For our Port of Miami study, we were able to obtain gate movement activity (truck movements in and out) from the three private stevedoring companies, responsible for all of the freight berths at this port. Data on individual commodity movements was too difficult to obtain, because most of the freight is enclosed in box-type containers and trailers. These enclosed containers and trailers are not always opened for inspections. The descriptions of the contents written in the vessel reports are not always specific.

Since there are a few hundred trucking companies serving these three stevedoring terminals, data acquisition from the trucking companies would have been an insurmountable effort for this Port of Miami study.

2.4 Freight Movement Efficiency Study

This report by O'Rourke and Lawrence (10) discusses some positive and negative aspects among different modes for freight movement. Trucking is the most energy-intensive mode compared with pipeline, railroad, and waterborne transportation. Trucks consume more than 3000 Btu per ton-mile, whereas waterborne and rail transportation both use less than 500 Btu per ton-mile.

Intermodal containerized traffic has made it easier for rail and waterborne commerce to compete with trucks for freight. But intermodal traffic has been hampered in some regions of the country by a lack of intermodal facilities, and also by the inability of rail tunnels to accommodate double-stack container trains.

Alternative freight modes may have beneficial economic, environmental, and energy efficiency impacts. But the extent to which truck traffic can be diverted to other modes is often uncertain. Any analysis of freight movements must take into account that transportation and logistical decisions are made in a complex business environment where service, delivery time, and inventory management are important considerations for choice of mode. The fuel efficiencies of alternative freight movement can only be realized if alternative modes can effectively haul truck freight. Although important energy efficiencies may be achieved through multimodal and alternative freight movements, there are also many structural and geographical barriers to intermodal competition.

The Port of Miami layout is a prime example of such barriers. Although there is an existing rail line (Florida East Coast or FEC Railroad) connecting the port, the rail yard inside

the port is not large enough to maneuver freight trains of significant length. With the Port being an island, there is limited land available for rail yard expansion.

Furthermore, this FEC rail line crosses Port Boulevard on the mainland. Since Port Boulevard is the only access road, long freight trains or frequently operating short trains would block truck movements. Expensive infrastructure modifications would be required to accommodate more freight train service directly with the port. Development of a large off site rail yard with a dedicated truck route connecting to the port could be a viable alternative.

This paper by O'Rourke and Lawrence also outlines some alternatives to increasing efficiency of truck freight movements such as using larger trucks, reducing empty backhauls, just-in-time delivery, and improved engine designs.

2.5 Port Authority of New York and New Jersey Truck Commodity Survey

List and Turnquist (11) presented a method for estimating multi-class truck trips from partial and fragmentary observations. The method was linked to a geographic information system. Trip matrices were estimated for the three truck classes of vans, medium and heavy trucks with the study area focusing on the Bronx in New York City.

It is becoming more common to treat truck flows explicitly, instead of mere percentages of estimated automobile flows. This is because different agencies may use different sampling bases. For example, certain truck classes, origins, or destinations may be included or excluded. Different definitions of items may be employed (i.e., heavy truck versus medium truck). Data may have been acquired during different time frames (i.e., different seasons, starting and ending times during the day).

A method for synthesizing truck flow patterns from partial and fragmentary observations is presented in this paper by List and Turnquist (12). The method estimates such matrices from typically available data such as link volumes, classification counts, and cordon counts of trucks exiting and entering the study area.

The paper examines the 1991 Port Authority of New York and New Jersey (PANYNJ) Truck Commodity Survey and the 1988 Triborough Bridge and Tunnel Authority (TBTA) Truck Survey. These surveys contain data about flows between a given bridge and a location within the study area.

This idea of focusing on interregional freight movement could potentially be applied to our research. There is only one road (Port Boulevard) connecting the port to the external road network that primarily consists of one-way streets. Acquiring truck link volumes and cordon counts is feasible for future project phases.

2.6 Texas Department of Transportation Research

The research performed by Easley and Walton of the University of Texas (Austin) Transportation Research Center (13) investigated and analyzed certain operating procedures at the Barbours Cut Container Terminal at the Port of Houston. An in-depth study was made of the delays associated with these operating procedures related to trucking operations. Some general internal and external problems analyzed by the Port of Houston study are generic problems that also exist at the Port of Miami.

The research also involved a nationwide study with field visits at various terminals. Selection of these other terminals was based on technological enhancements of operations, size of facilities, and associated problems characteristic of large terminals. The Port of Miami

terminals were not among those in the study. However, their research and recommendations can be useful and analogous, because focus was on large ports with substantial container terminal operations.

One of the most expensive transfer points in intermodal operation is the idle time between the unloading of containers from the ship and the time when the truck or the rail car with the loaded container departs. The transfer of cargo between ports and inland transport is one of the weakest, least efficient links in the intermodal transportation chain.

Internal problems include paperwork processing delays, lost time trying to locate a container, lack of priority given to "hot hatch" (high priority) containers, and communication problems between truck operators and clerks. It is common to find truck operators who do not read or speak English which delays the order-processing time.

External problems include unnecessary trips because of insufficient information or communication, no dedicated truck routes to container terminal or port facilities, no coordination between roadway and seaport terminal traffic serving trucking operations, and no dissemination of real-time traffic conditions available at the terminal.

2.7 Florida's Standard Urban Transportation Modeling Structure

Florida's specific transportation planning model is the Florida Standard Urban Transportation Modeling Structure (FSUTMS). This computer program is a derivative of the nationally utilized TRANPLAN software program. The FSUTMS is not currently structured to specifically incorporate the truck traffic impact of the states fourteen seaports. Therefore, good freight forecasting models, which could be incorporated into FSUTMS, can benefit many communities throughout the state.

The FSUTMS currently accounts for seaports as “special generators” of traffic. This special generator category additionally includes facilities such as airports, universities, large shopping malls, and stadiums (14). However, this special generator module has been developed primarily from a passenger trip standpoint. Perhaps a seaport trip generation model, which includes all vehicle traffic (rather than only heavy trucks), will be compatible with this FSUTMS module. Otherwise, the module will have to be modified or a new module will need to be created.

2.8 Current Freight Forecasting Efforts in Florida

In Florida, 19 of the 25 Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPO’s) are currently addressing freight and goods movement planning (15). These efforts are being handled through either the long-range planning processes or by development of specialized freight modeling procedures to assist the planning processes. Freight forecasting has been identified as a high priority issue in Dade County (Florida) for the purpose of improving regional and economic planning efforts.

The FDOT presently has two regional models that incorporate sophisticated techniques to forecast freight truck traffic models, using the Florida Standard Urban Transportation Modeling Structure (FSUTMS). These models are the Southeast Regional Planning Model (SERPM) and the Tampa Bay Regional Transportation Analysis Model (14)

The Southeast Regional Planning Model (SERPM) is a regional model that includes the southeast Florida counties of Dade, Broward, and Palm Beach. A new approach to freight modeling was created during the development of SERPM. Similar freight modeling techniques

are under consideration by three Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPO's) corresponding to these three counties for use in their travel demand forecasting models.

The SERPM model incorporates truck modeling to reflect how trucks exhibit different characteristics than passenger vehicles with respect to trip generation, origin/destination patterns, and route selection (14). Trucks are a major consideration in the analysis of roadway capacity and pavement design. The SERPM separates truck trips throughout the entire model stream (i.e., trip generation through assignment).

The SERPM initially utilized freight modeling parameters from outside the state of Florida, due to budgetary limitations on data collection. The model was calibrated to be consistent with Florida freight movement. The trip generation module uses the following predictor variables:

- population
- wholesale employment
- non-wholesale employment
- manufacturing employment

The SERPM separates truck trips from passenger trips in the external and internal trip generation modules. External trip modeling is the process of predicting the travel behavior of trips with at least one trip end outside of the transportation study area.

The SERPM provides reasonable freight estimates when used for the system level. However, additional truck counts and surveys are necessary to make the model more functional

at the corridor and sub-area levels. Local surveys and studies such as Port of Miami's are needed to develop local truck trip generation rates for large special generators such as cargo ports.

The Tampa Bay Regional Goods Movement study identifies and addresses major issues related to goods movement in the Tampa Bay area. Objectives of this study are to address current problems and future needs concerning goods movement in the region to enhance safety, efficiency, and effectiveness of goods movement. The study will provide recommendations on changes in policies, standards, and design plans to FDOT and other planning and regulatory agencies.

CHAPTER 3

METHODOLOGY AND DATA COLLECTION

3.1 Methodology

The methodology of developing truck trip generation model(s) for the Port of Miami consisted of the following steps:

1. Examining the road network map surrounding the port, making field observations, and reviewing general traffic information.
2. Recording sample truck traffic volumes and classifications (type, number of axles, configurations, etc.) during different peak and off-peak periods at specific locations of the road network shown in Figure 1.4.
3. Interviewing local port personnel who are familiar with the many facets of the overall operation. This includes personnel from administration, field operations, shipping companies, private terminals, trucking companies, security, accounting, and marketing.
4. Collecting limited data samples for analysis from various sources. Selection of data sources was prioritized according to quality, availability, and feasibility. Data was entered into electronic databases in stages, coordinated with various preliminary analyses. These stages of preliminary analyses allowed us to check preliminary results and more efficiently prioritize time on future data selection for entry. Verifying availability of data was important

for developing a robust model. The FDOT would like to have a model with minimum input data that is collected routinely.

5. Determine the independent variables for formulating models to correlate the volume of freight truck movement with internal port activity. The focus was on the main road, Port Boulevard, the *only road* available for port access.
6. Trip generation model development was achieved by applying regression analysis. Port Boulevard's daily truck volumes are the dependent variables to be predicted by the models. There are models for each direction, inbound and outbound. Inbound refers to truck trips entering the port (trip attraction model), outbound refers to truck trips leaving the port (trip production model).
7. Validation of the models. This was accomplished by inputting actual data that was not used during the model formulation process. Then, the predicted values of truck volumes can be compared with the actual volumes.
8. Estimate gross weight of heavy truck movement generated on Port Boulevard by applying regression model(s) with the monthly gross weight of cargo as the dependent variable and the cargo vessel freight unit volume.
9. Time series analysis to examine long-term and seasonal trends. Time series analysis was applied to the monthly totals of the main independent variable, cargo vessel freight unit volume (containers + trailers). This independent variable was determined in Step 6. Historical data was obtained for this variable from 1978 to 1998. It could not be applied to

the dependent variable of truck volumes, because historical totals were not available before 1996.

10. Determine hourly distribution of truck movements from gate pass data.

11. Interpret the results to establish conclusions and make recommendations for future analyses.

3.2 Introduction

This section documents the process of data acquisition of relevant parameters for modeling and describes preliminary analysis of the data. Table 3-1 summarizes the different types of data collected during this project. Also, it shows the resolution of each type of data.

Table 3-1 Summary of Data Collected.

Source Of Data	Resolution	Period
Terminal Company Gate Movements	Daily Truck Movements	Jan 1996 – Dec 1997
Port of Miami Gate Passes	Individual Truck Movements	Jan 1997 – May 1997*
Video Counts	Individual Truck Movements	10/31, 11/3, and 11/6/97
Gantry Crane Activities	Start Time and End Time	Jan 1996 – Dec 1997
Dock Reports	Individual Vessel Arrival and Departure Times	Jan 1996 – Dec 1997
Trailer/Container Reports	Daily Trailer/Container Totals	Jan 1996 – Dec 1997
Monthly Performance Reports	Monthly Trailer/Container Totals	Oct 1978 – Apr 1998

* Only 57 days were collected.

3.2.1 Terminal Companies' Truck data

There are four terminal operating companies, which collectively account for all of the heavy truck gate movements of the port. The matrix below (as shown in Table 3-2) identifies all of the gates used by trucks to access these different companies. Figure 3-1 illustrates the locations of the gates.

Table 3-2 Terminal Operating Companies and Their Respective Gates.

Terminal Operating Company	Accessible Gates		
Seaboard Marine	Main (West Gate)	Banana (East Gate)	FEC-36 th Street Yard (Not at Port)
Universal (Maersk)	24-Lane Gate	N/A	N/A
POMTOC	24-Lane Gate	N/A	N/A
Chiquita Banana	Europe Way	N/A	N/A

N/A = Not Applicable

Daily truck movements for trucks going into and out of the port were obtained from Seaboard, Universal, and POMTOC daily truck reports. Only POMTOC data showed total gate movements without separating data into trucks going into the Port (inbound) and trucks going out of the Port (outbound). Both Seaboard and Universal separated their truck movement data into inbound and outbound records. Because of this problem, terminal data may not be accurate for developing the production/attraction models. However, terminal data could be used to study the general overview in daily truck movements.

Daily movements for Chiquita Banana were unavailable. The percentage of the trucks visiting Chiquita Banana was less than 1% of the ports overall total. This amount was small enough to neglect during model development.

Table 3-3 illustrates the volume percentages and amounts of truck gate movements corresponding to the respective terminal operating companies. These total movements are inbound and outbound truck movements combined together. This data relates to 113 selected days of operation between 1-1-96 and 7-31-96. It was obtained from the terminal operating companies.

Table 3-3 Distribution of Truck Movements (113 Selected Days, from 1/1/96 to 7/31/96).

Company	POMTOC		Seaboard		Universal		Total
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.
Monday	16,644	41.43%	12,585	31.33%	10,944	24.24%	40,173
Tuesday	17,568	43.13%	13,670	33.56%	9,491	23.30%	40,729
Wednesday	19,973	45.93%	13,628	31.34%	9,883	22.73%	43,484
Thursday	19,525	42.83%	14,263	31.29%	11,797	25.88%	45,585
Friday	19,149	37.66%	17,547	34.51%	14,148	27.83%	50,844
Saturday	0	0	1,383	97.88%	30	2.12%	1,413
Sunday	0	0	580	99.83%	1	0.17%	581
Total	92,859	41.68%	73,656	33.06%	56,294	25.27%	222,809

From this table, it is clear that PMOTOC had the largest contribution to total truck activity at the port. Also, with the exception of Seaboard trucks, very minimal truck activity occurs at the port during the weekends.

3.2.2 *Gate Pass Data*

The daily truck movement data obtained from the terminal operating companies are not broken down to hourly bi-directional data (inbound and outbound). As such, another source of data was needed. Port of Miami collects and stores gate pass cards which record entering and exiting times of trucks, general vehicle configurations, the terminal operating companies visited, and the inbound gross weights of the vehicles (see sample gate passes in Appendix A). Gate pass information allowed the UCF research team to focus more on hourly volumes, and it provided the most detailed information about truck movements in and out of the port.

The gate pass cards represent trucks visiting all of the terminals except Seaboard Marine. Most of the Seaboard traffic passes through a gate checkpoint that is separate from the Port of Miami main gate. This terminal company has its own security system at this gate. Therefore, the Port of Miami gate pass records do not represent most of Seaboard's truck traffic data.

Seaboard's truck gate movements were not made available to the UCF research team. The regression model formulation processes had to exclude Seaboard's truck and cargo data. As shown in Table 3-3, Seaboard accounts for about 33% of the port's truck traffic. Most of the remaining 67% are distributed among POMTOC and Universal.

The research team selected complete 57 completed days of gate passes out of 70 days collected from the Port of Miami. The selected dates were chosen to maintain an equal balance of business days (e.g., 8 Mondays, 8 Tuesdays, etc.) and to cover at least one week per month during six consecutive months. Also, some of the days collected did not have complete data

because of cards misplaced in the Port of Miami archives. The port informed the UCF research team about days with misplaced cards after data collection. Table 3-4 provides the list of all 57 days of gate pass data that have been entered into the UCF database within the period from January 17, 1997 to May 1, 1997.

Table 3-4 Gate Pass Data Entered into UCF Database.

Date	No. of Cards	
17-Jan-97	Friday	1501
21-Jan-97	Tuesday	1307
22-Jan-97	Wednesday	910
23-Jan-97	Thursday	1701
24-Jan-97	Friday	2128
18-Feb-97	Tuesday	504
19-Feb-97	Wednesday	966
20-Feb-97	Thursday	1536
21-Feb-97	Friday	1608
24-Feb-97	Monday	1213
25-Feb-97	Tuesday	1328
26-Feb-97	Wednesday	1283
27-Feb-97	Thursday	1297
28-Feb-97	Friday	1721
03-Mar-97	Monday	1515
04-Mar-97	Tuesday	1174
05-Mar-97	Wednesday	1288
06-Mar-97	Thursday	1574
07-Mar-97	Friday	1186
10-Mar-97	Monday	1302
11-Mar-97	Tuesday	1060
12-Mar-97	Wednesday	1224
13-Mar-97	Thursday	1311
14-Mar-97	Friday	1424
17-Mar-97	Monday	716
18-Mar-97	Tuesday	1400
19-Mar-97	Wednesday	1073
20-Mar-97	Thursday	2003
21-Mar-97	Friday	1459

Date	No. of Cards	
24-Mar-97	Monday	1246
25-Mar-97	Tuesday	1257
26-Mar-97	Wednesday	1272
27-Mar-97	Thursday	1517
31-Mar-97	Monday	1189
01-Apr-97	Tuesday	1203
02-Apr-97	Wednesday	1128
03-Apr-97	Thursday	1190
04-Apr-97	Friday	1432
07-Apr-97	Monday	1278
08-Apr-97	Tuesday	1176
09-Apr-97	Wednesday	1111
10-Apr-97	Thursday	1329
11-Apr-97	Friday	1493
14-Apr-97	Monday	1232
15-Apr-97	Tuesday	1239
16-Apr-97	Wednesday	1204
17-Apr-97	Thursday	1370
18-Apr-97	Friday	1024
21-Apr-97	Monday	1073
22-Apr-97	Tuesday	1145
23-Apr-97	Wednesday	1236
24-Apr-97	Thursday	1806
25-Apr-97	Friday	1468
28-Apr-97	Monday	703
29-Apr-97	Tuesday	1206
30-Apr-97	Wednesday	1188
01-May-97	Thursday	760
Total		73187

A gate pass card has seven data entry cells. These cells are the date and time the truck gets to the port, the date and time the truck leaves the port, the configuration of the truck getting in and out of the port (e.g., container, chassis, bobtail), the company that the truck visits, and the truck weight. With an average of approximately 1200 gate pass cards per day, and seven data entry items per gate pass, this indicates that there are nearly 500,000 spreadsheet cells containing data in the UCF database. Since there are several researchers entering the data, quality of the data entered and the entry process has been monitored by sample checks. The purpose of these checks is to ensure consistency in interpretation of subjective items and to minimize data entry errors. Table 3-5 illustrates a sample result of this review. As shown in this table, only 5.78% of the cards have one or more cells that are defected. For 900 sample cards, only 52 cards have defects and/or human errors. These cards have been modified and corrected accordingly.

Table 3-5 Quality Control Check of Gate Pass Data Entry.

No. of Sample Cards	No. of Defected Cards	% of Defected Cards	Type of Defect
900	30	3.33%	Configuration Type
	11	1.22%	Company Name
	7	0.78%	Item Not Entered
	4	0.44%	Time Not Clear
900	52	5.78%	

3.2.3 Videotape Counts

Port Boulevard traffic was videotaped on three days (Friday 10/31/97, Monday 11/3/97, and Thursday 11/6/97). The corresponding truck gate passes maintained by Port Security for the selected days were counted to ensure the reliability of gate passes as a substitute data source for traffic counting. One important reason for videotaping was to have a visual record of some observed traffic. Another reason was to compare the observations from the videotapes with Port Security's gate pass records.

3.2.4 Vessel Movements

Vessel movement data corresponding to time frames when truck movement data were collected from the gate passes and terminal companies were obtained. Detailed records of vessel berthing were obtained from the "Daily Dock Reports". These reports provide the entry and exit times and dates and various other data associated with the berthing. This data was acquired for all of 1996 and 1997. A sample page of the "Daily Dock Reports" is shown in Appendix B.

3.2.5 Gantry Crane Activities

The UCF research team obtained gantry crane data corresponding to time frames during which truck movement data were collected. Detailed records of crane activities (start time and end time of service for each vessel individually) were extracted from the "Gantry Crane Activity By Shipline Reports" maintained by the port. This data was acquired for all of 1996 and 1997. A sample page of the "Gantry Crane Activity Reports" is shown in Appendix C.

3.2.6 Trailer/Container Activity Reports

"Trailer/Container Reports" were obtained from Port Accounting office. These reports provide the number of freight units (trailers and containers) moved on and off each vessel (see sample sheet in Appendix D). This data was entered into the UCF database for the first six months of 1997. These reports provide more detailed data source of vessel cargo. This data source was not available during earlier months of this research project. These reports were obtained for the period of January 96 through December 97. However, gate passes were only available to research team for the first six months of 97.

3.2.7 Statistical Monthly Trailer/Container Performance Reports

"Monthly Trailer/Container Performance Reports" were obtained for the period of October 78 through April 98. These reports provide a monthly summary of the activities listed in the "Trailer/Container Reports". This data may be useful for determining a historical trend (time series) of the trip generation model input for long-term forecasts (e.g., 15 to 20 years). A sample of this data is shown in Appendix E.

3.3 Preliminary Data Analysis

Using the 1996 truck traffic volumes obtained from the various terminal operating companies, a statistical test (Scheffe's test) was used to determine if there are significant differences in volumes among different weekdays. A brief explanation of the application of Scheffe's Test is located in Appendix F. The results of this test are shown in Table 3-6.

Table 3-6 Scheffe's Test for Daily Truck Movements

Group	F Value (Statistic)
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday	50.853
Monday and Tuesday	1.246
Monday and Wednesday	9.397
Monday and Thursday	50.181
Monday and Friday	150.254
Tuesday and Wednesday	3.848
Tuesday and Thursday	36.694
Tuesday and Friday	127.632
Wednesday and Thursday	17.584
Wednesday and Friday	90.155
Thursday and Friday	26.770

Having F Critical = 9.88, the test results indicate that at 95% confidence level, there are no significant differences in heavy truck traffic among the following three weekdays: Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays. Thursdays, as well as Fridays are significantly different (higher volumes) from those first three weekdays. Additionally, there appears to be some difference between Thursday and Friday volumes. The test was performed for a sample of 94 days. The data for POMTOC, Universal, and Seaboard were available for these 94 days.

A statistical test (t-test) was performed to compare between heavy truck traffic volumes obtained from the terminal companies and truck volumes obtained from gate passes. Since a gate pass identified the terminal company, the test was performed twice, once for POMTOC data and once for Universal data. Table 3-7 illustrates the mean value for the gate pass data and the terminal companies' data. The table also shows the results of the t-test performed. There is a significant difference, at the 95% confidence level ($P < 0.05$), between the daily truck movements obtained from gate passes as compared to daily truck movements obtained from terminal

companies. Although the UCF research team has presented these findings to terminal companies, there was no clear answer as to what caused this discrepancy in reporting truck volumes.

Table 3-7 Comparison Between Gate Pass Data and Terminal Companies' Data.

For POMTOC		
	<i>Gate Passes Data</i>	<i>Terminal Data</i>
Mean	861	1082
Variance	11031	47348
Observations	18	18
Pearson Correlation	0.63	
Hypothesized Mean Difference	0	
df	17	
t Stat	-5.43	
P(T<=t) one-tail	2.23E-05	
t Critical one-tail	1.74	
P(T<=t) two-tail	4.466E-05	
t Critical two-tail	2.11	

For UNIVERSAL		
	<i>Gate Passes Data</i>	<i>Terminal Data</i>
Mean	526	293
Variance	19562	8176
Observations	18	18
Pearson Correlation	0.89	
Hypothesized Mean Difference	0	
df	17	
t Stat	13.73	
P(T<=t) one-tail	6.27E-11	
t Critical one-tail	1.74	
P(T<=t) two-tail	1.25E-10	
t Critical two-tail	2.11	

Two different statistical tests (Wilcoxon Rank Sum Test and t-Test) were performed to statistically demonstrate reasonable reliability of the gate pass data. Appendix G illustrates the equation and the hypothesis used for the Wilcoxon Rank Sum test. Both Wilcoxon Rank Sum

Test and t-Test revealed that there is no significant difference, at the 95% confidence level ($Z < 1.96$ and $P > 0.05$), between the actual traffic counts (extracted from videotapes) and counts obtained from the gate pass information. Tables 3-8 and Figures 3-2 through 3-5 show the comparison and testing of gate passes with video counts for inbound and outbound truck traffic for Friday 10/31/97. Table 3-9 and Figures 3-6 through 3-9 show the comparison and testing of gate passes with video counts for inbound and outbound truck traffic for Monday 11/03/97.

Table 3-8 Tabular Comparison and Testing of Gate Passes with Video Counts for Friday 10/31/97.

TIME	INBOUND					OUTBOUND				
	Video Count	Cum.	Rating	Gate	Rating	Video Count	Cum.	Rating	Gate	Rating
10:00 - 11:00	162	162	13	154	11	144	144	9	130	5
11:00 - 12:00	159	321	12	133	8	150	294	11	150	12
12:00 - 1:00	133	454	7	141	10	135	429	6	136	7
1:00 - 2:00	132	586	6	125	3	156	585	14	137	8
2:00 - 3:00	125	711	2	125	4	126	711	2	127	3
3:00 - 4:00	145	856	1	162	14	128	839	4	124	1
4:00 - 5:00	127	983	5	135	9	147	986	10	153	13
TOTAL	983		46	975	59	986		56	957	49

Wilcoxon Rank Sum Test		Wilcoxon Rank Sum Test	
n1	=	7	7
n2	=	7	7
T1	=	46	56
T2	=	59	49
Z _{.025}	=	1.96	1.96
Z	=	-0.83	0.45
95%			
t-Test: Two-Samples Assuming Equal Variances		t-Test: Two-Samples Assuming Equal Variances	
Mean	Variable 1	Variable 2	
	137	139	
Variance	275	200	
Observations	7	7	
Hypothesized Mean Difference	0	0	
df	12	12	
t Stat	-0.28	0.69	
P(T<=t) one-tail	0.39	0.25	
t Critical one-tail	1.78	1.78	
P(T<=t) two-tail	0.79	0.50	
t Critical two-tail	2.18	2.18	

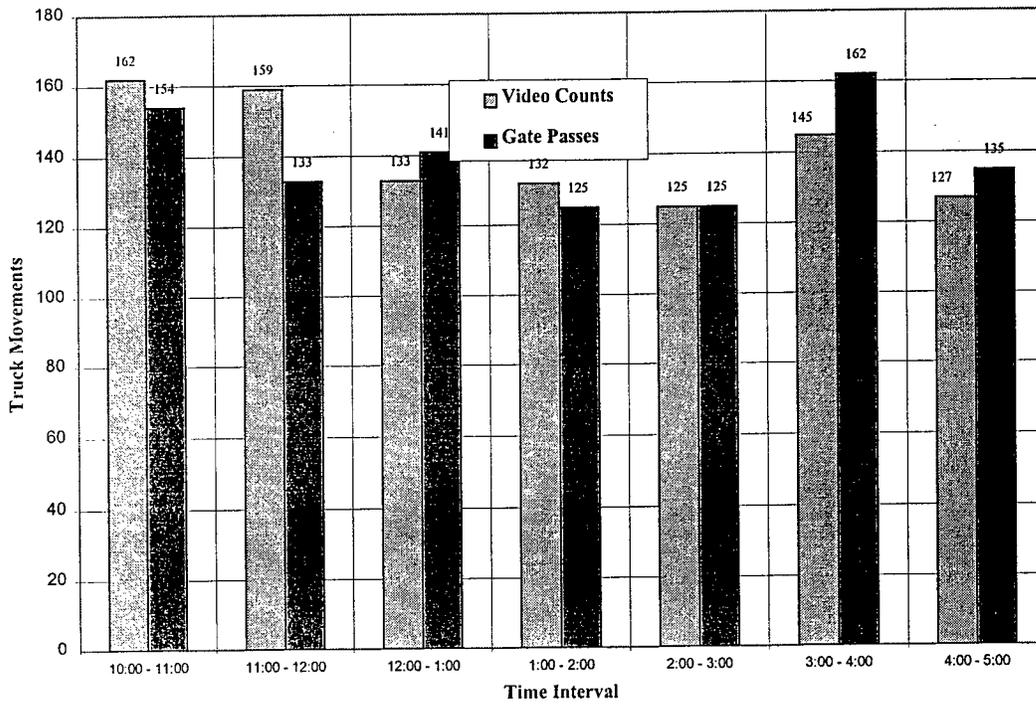


Figure 3.2 Graphical Comparison of Gate Passes with Video Counts (Friday, Inbound).

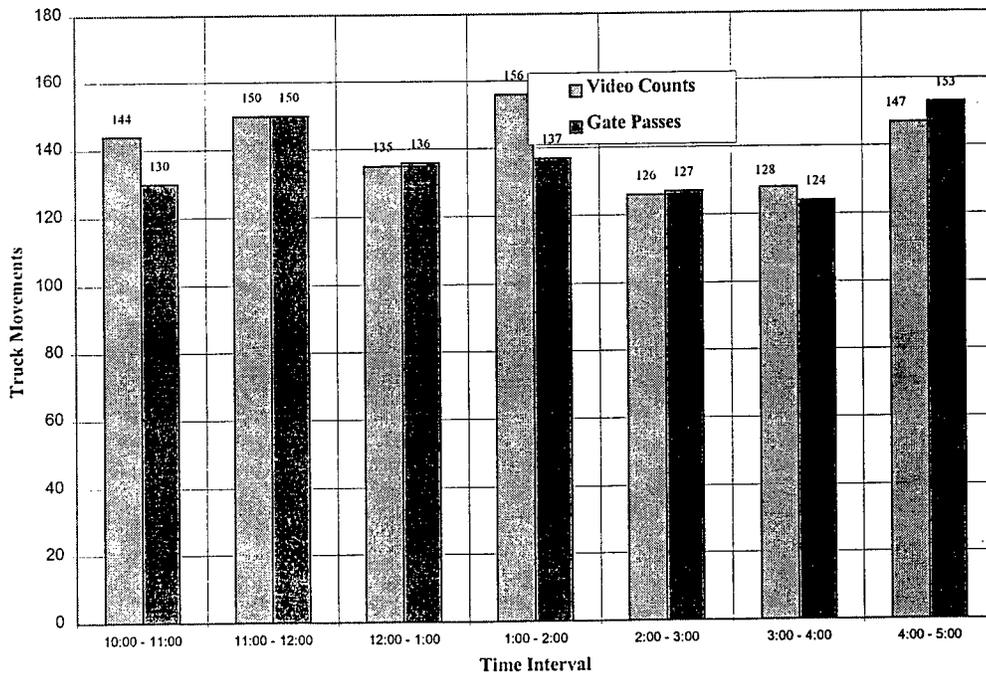


Figure 3.3 Graphical Comparison of Gate Passes with Video Counts (Friday, Outbound).

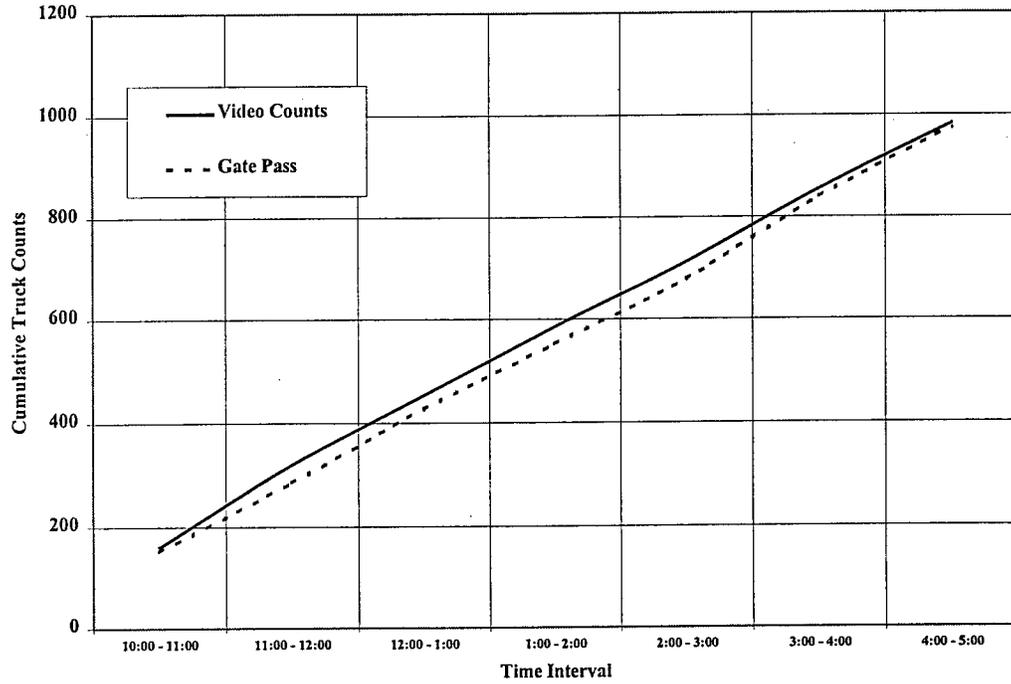


Figure 3.4 Cumulative Comparison of Gate Passes with Video Counts (Friday, Inbound).

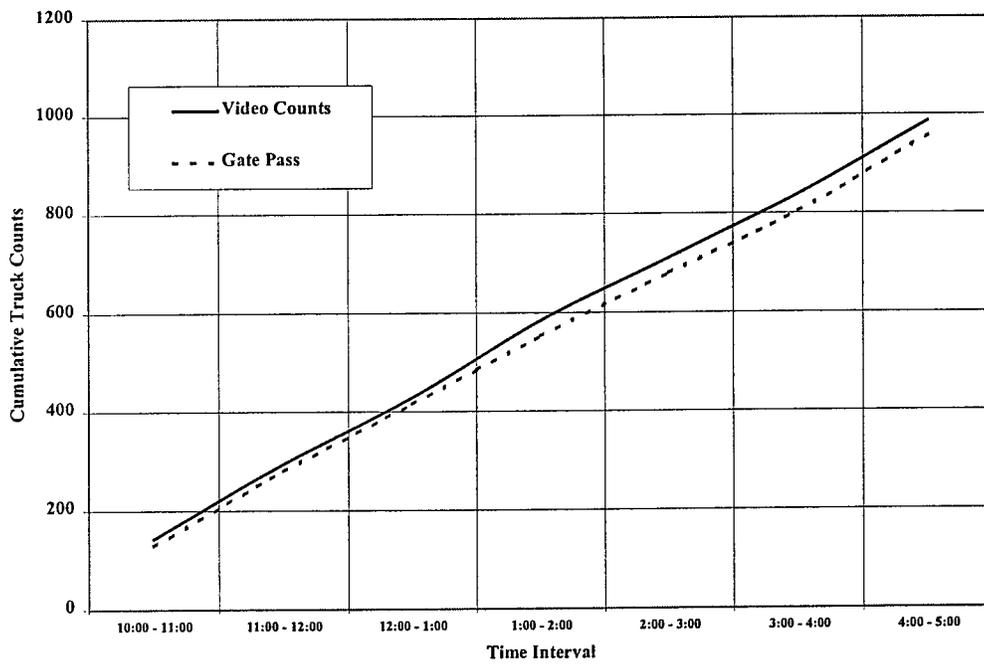


Figure 3.5 Cumulative Comparison of Gate Passes with Video Counts (Friday, Outbound).

Table 3-9 Tabular Comparison and Testing of Gate Passes with Video Counts for Monday 11/3/97.

TIME	DATE: 11/3/97 DAY: MONDAY									
	INBOUND					OUTBOUND				
	Video Count	Cum.	Rating	Gate	Rating	Video Count	Cum.	Rating	Gate	Rating
6:00 - 7:00	27	27	1	42	4	1	1	1	2	2
7:00 - 8:00	80	107	6	72	5	19	20	3	25	4
8:00 - 9:00	106	213	12	97	9	79	99	7	65	5
9:00 - 10:00	93	306	8	88	7	100	199	9	77	6
10:00 - 11:00	121	427	16	112	14	103	302	10	87	8
11:00 - 12:00	133	560	22	126	21	108	410	13	104	11
12:00 - 1:00	123	683	18	116	15	107	517	12	115	14
1:00 - 2:00	103	786	11	125	20	136	653	22	117	15
2:00 - 3:00	122	908	17	124	19	131	784	19	121	17
3:00 - 4:00	108	1016	13	98	10	129	913	18	120	16
4:00 - 5:00	36	1052	3	32	2	132	1045	20	135	21
TOTAL	1052		127	1032	126	1045		134	968	119

Wilcoxon Rank Sum Test	
n1 =	11
n2 =	11
T1 =	127
T2 =	126
Z _{.025} =	1.96
Z =	0.03
95%	
t-Test: Two-Samples Assuming Equal Variances	
Mean	96
Variance	1232
Observations	11
Hypothesized Mean Difference	0
df	20
t Stat	0.13
P(T<=t) one-tail	0.45
t Critical one-tail	1.72
P(T<=t) two-tail	0.90
t Critical two-tail	2.09

Wilcoxon Rank Sum Test	
n1 =	11
n2 =	11
T1 =	134
T2 =	119
Z _{.025} =	1.96
Z =	0.49
95%	
t-Test: Two-Samples Assuming Equal Variances	
Mean	95
Variance	2077
Observations	11
Hypothesized Mean Difference	0
df	20
t Stat	0.37
P(T<=t) one-tail	0.36
t Critical one-tail	1.72
P(T<=t) two-tail	0.71
t Critical two-tail	2.09

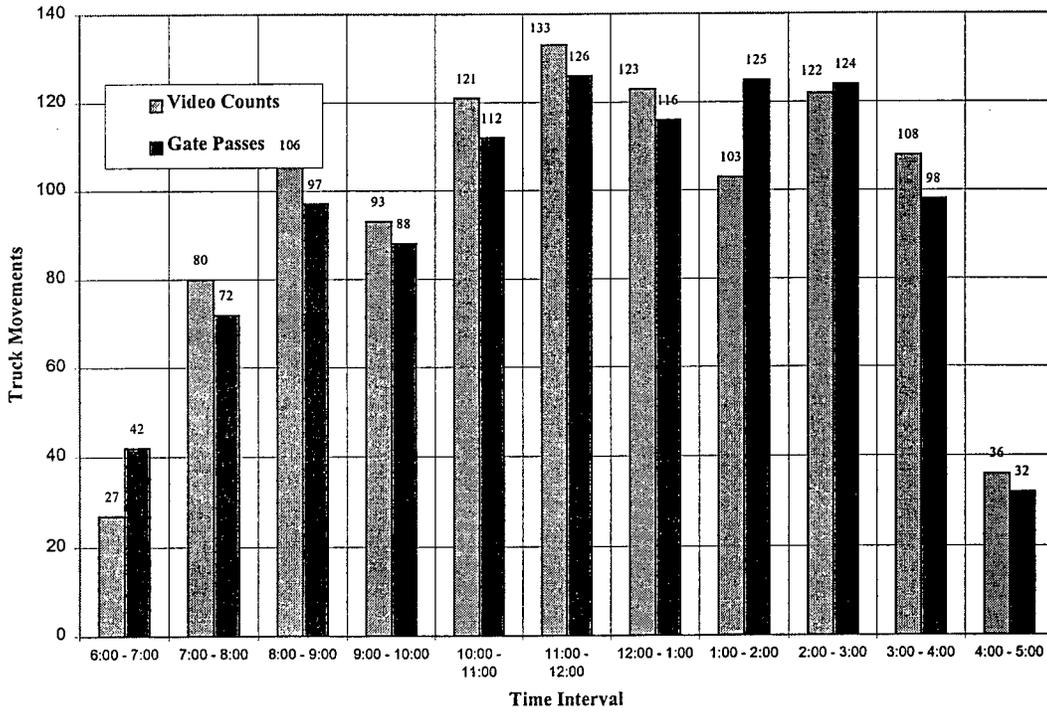


Figure 3.6 Graphical Comparison of Gate Passes with Video Counts (Monday, Inbound).

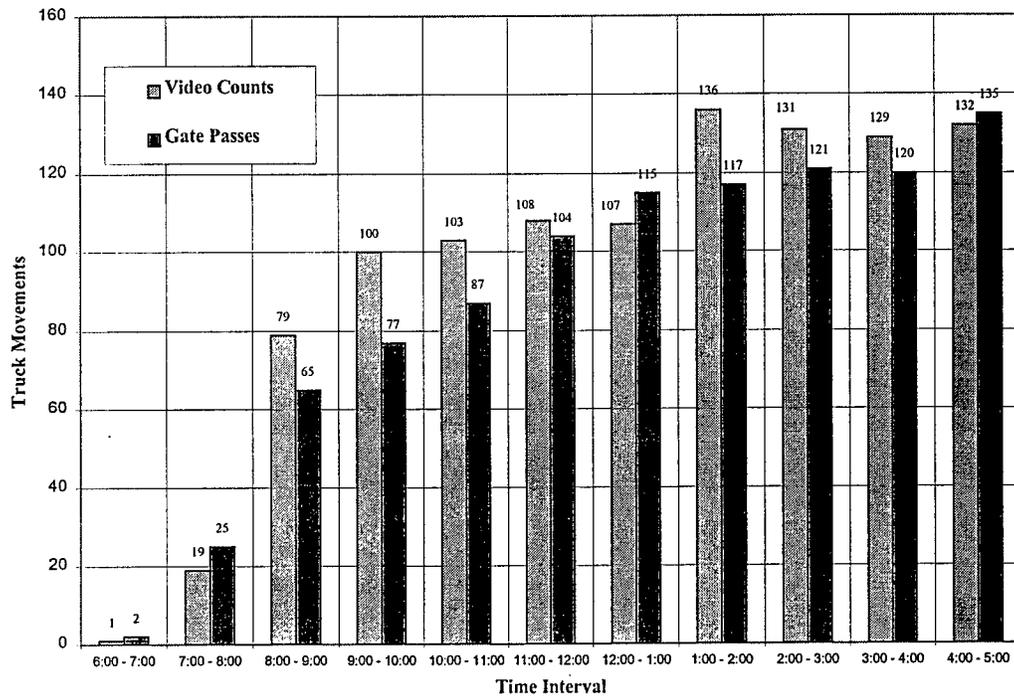


Figure 3.7 Graphical Comparison of Gate Passes with Video Counts (Monday, Outbound).

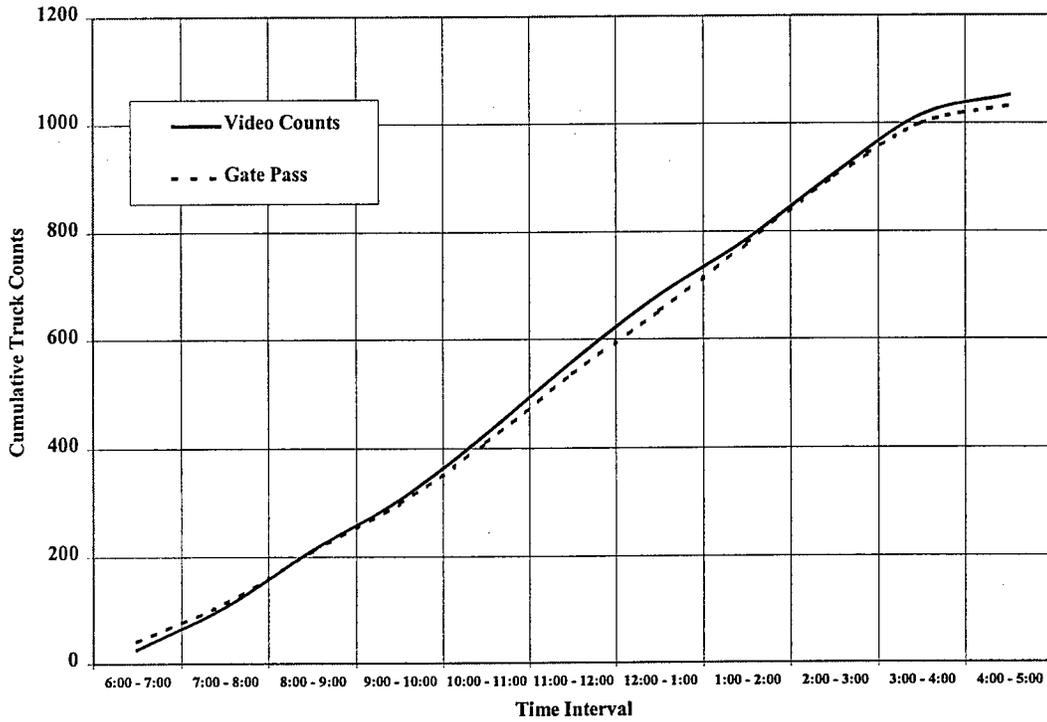


Figure 3-8 Cumulative Comparison of Gate Passes with Video Counts (Monday, Inbound).

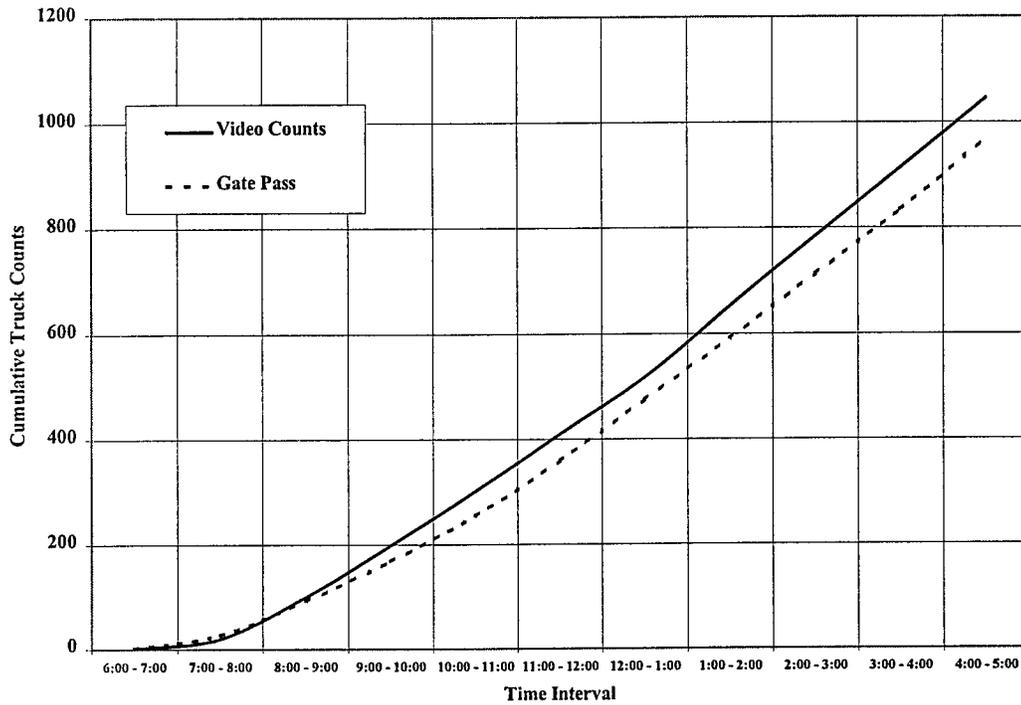


Figure 3-9: Cumulative Comparison of Gate Passes with Video Counts (Monday, Outbound).

3.4 Summary

With this reliability established for gate passes. These records are now being utilized as the primary source of traffic records. Extracting traffic records from the gate passes is a much quicker process than manual traffic counting or counting traffic as displayed from video tapes. Other data collected in this project will serve as input to the trip generation model(s).

In the next chapter, attempts will be made to identify the input variable(s) to the trip generation model. This variable(s) are related to truck traffic obtained from gate passes.

Chapter 4

MODELING AND FORECASTING

This chapter presents the process of developing trip generation (production/attraction) models to estimate the amount of truck freight movement generated at the Port of Miami. This chapter also describes the development of time series models that can be used to predict the amount of monthly truck freight movement generated at the port for short term (5 years) and long term (20 years) forecasting.

4.1 Truck Freight Movement Models

4.1.1 *Introduction To Regression Modeling*

Regression Analysis is a statistical technique used to attain models with best fit based on a set of observations. The fitted model represents the relationship between a dependent variable (Y) and one or more independent variable(s) (X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n). By developing such model we can predict the value of the dependent variable corresponding to certain values of the independent variable(s). Regression models can be either linear or nonlinear. The linear regression model indicates that the relationship between the dependent variable and the independent variable(s) could be represented as a straight line. However, in nonlinear regression models this relationship is more complex. In any regression model both the dependent variable and the independent variable(s) should be randomly distributed, also all independent variable(s) should be independent of each other (i.e., there should be no multicollinearity between the independent

variables). The general simple linear regression model (one independent variable) can be represented in the following format:

$$Y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X$$

Where Y is the dependent variable, X is the independent variable, β_0 is the Y-intercept for the fitted straight line, and β_1 is the slope of this line.

A linear regression model is expected to yield good prediction of roadway freight movement using the readily available data of vessel traffic and the associated cargo volumes as independent variable(s).

4.1.2 Characteristics of the Dependent Variable

The main goal of this research is to develop trip generation (production/attraction) model(s) for predicting the daily truck freight movements generated from the port of Miami. Therefore, total daily truck movements should be used as the dependent variable in the developed regression model. Total daily truck movements are randomly distributed among days and each day is independent of previous days. Gate passes obtained from the port of Miami for a total of 57 business days during the first six months of 1997 were the main source of the daily number of truck movements data set used in the model. As mentioned before, the Port of Miami issues gate passes for only two main terminal truck companies (UNIVERSAL and POMTOC). Gate passes data did not include the daily truck volumes generated from the SEABOARD terminal. As such, the developed regression model(s) in this study was based only on UNIVERSAL and POMTOC data. Therefore, an upward adjustment of the model prediction will

be necessary. Based on Table 3-3, total truck movements generated from the SEABOARD terminal was calculated as 33% of total truck movements generated by the port of Miami.

4.1.3 Characteristics of the Independent Variable(s)

Several attempts were made to identify the most significant variable(s) that can truly represent the daily vessel activity. Initially, the UCF research team started by using daily total vessels berthed in the Port of Miami as an independent variable. Analysis showed a very weak correlation (0.24) between the daily number of vessels and the daily truck traffic data as shown in Figure 4.1.

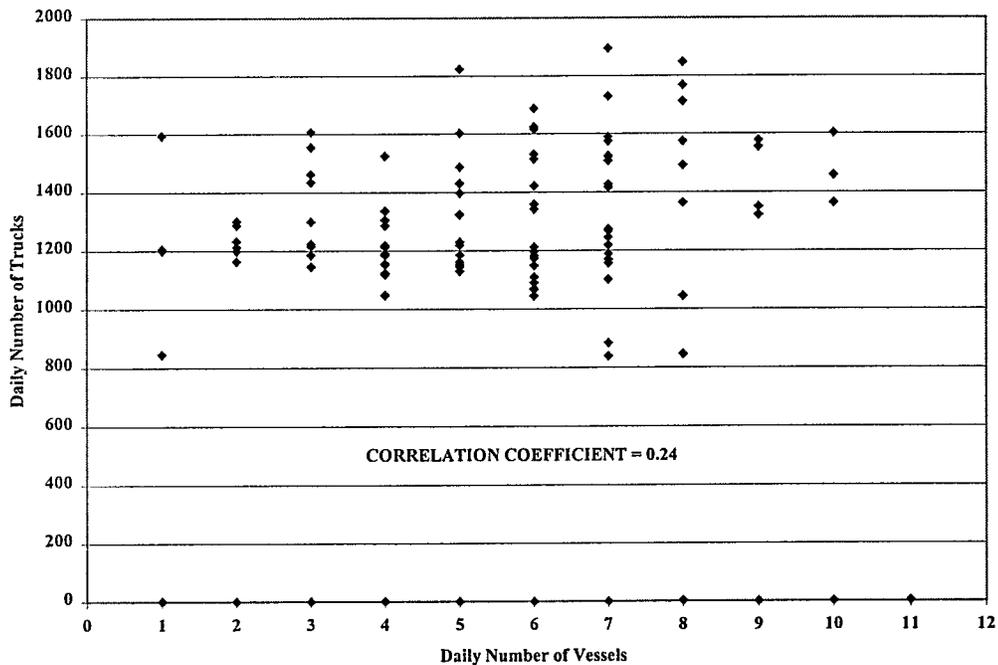


Figure 4.1 Daily Truck Movements and Daily Number of Vessels.

Using maximum rated cargo carrying capacities (gross tons) as an independent variable to represent the port activity was the second attempt. Daily truck volume did not correlate well with the maximum capacity (correlation coefficient = 0.08) as shown in Figure 4.2. This is due to the fact that the gross tonnage represents a maximum cargo weight capacity rating for respective vessels and not the actual cargo weight of the shipment.

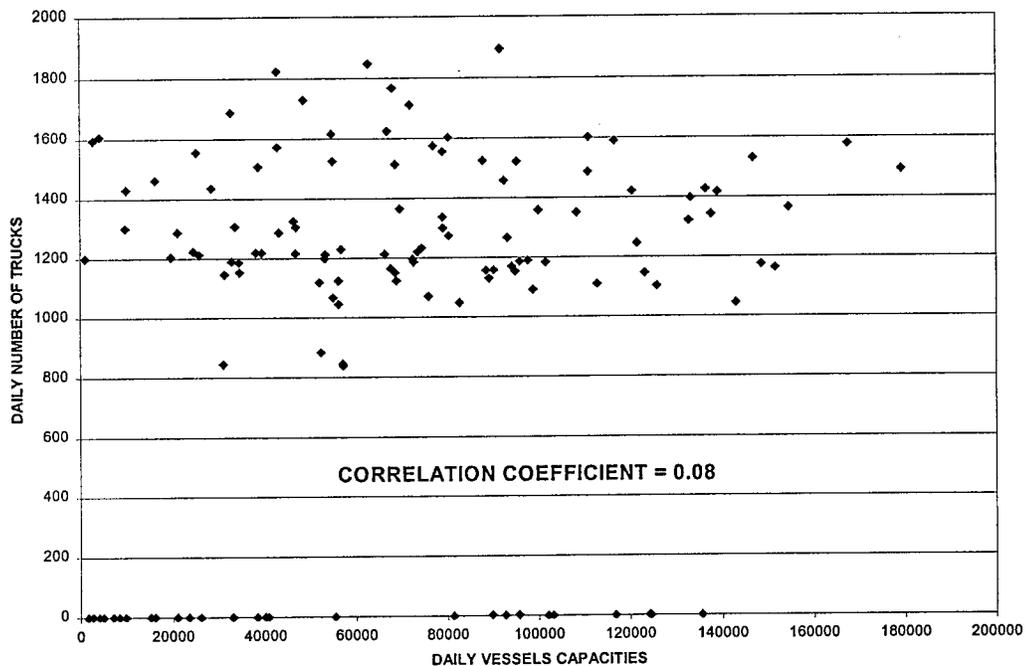


Figure 4.2 Daily Truck Movements and Maximum Rated Vessel Capacity.

The third attempt was to test if daily gantry crane operation hours and/or daily number of freight units (containers + trailers) can be a good indicator of the Port of Miami activity. Figure 4.3 shows that total daily gantry crane hours have a strong correlation (correlation coefficient 0.7) with the daily total freight units moved by the gantry cranes. To prevent multicollinearity of

the independent variable(s) in the model, either gantry crane hours or number of freight units will be selected as the independent variable in the model.

Gantry crane hours reports do not distinguish between the inbound and outbound freight units. This reflects the problem of aggregating inbound and outbound truck freight volumes in the model. Also, about 25% of the daily freight units is moved by other methods besides gantry cranes which could create a significant source of error in the model. Therefore, the daily number of freight units was believed to be a better truck volume predictor than the gantry crane hours. In conclusion, the daily freight units was considered as the main independent variable in the model.

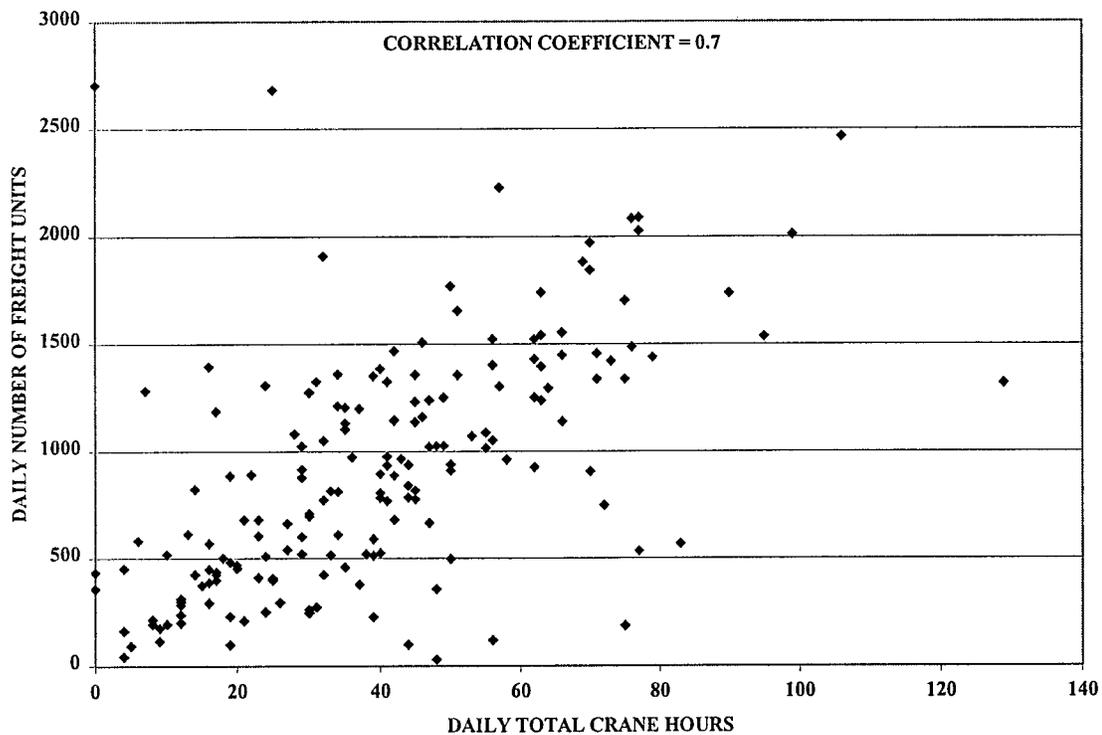


Figure 4.3 Daily Gantry Crane Hours and Daily Number of Freight Units.

4.1.4 *Inbound Model Versus Outbound Model*

The Port of Miami has a slightly higher volume of exports than imports. This implies that trucks are moving more freight into the port (inbound direction) than out of the port (outbound direction). Therefore, it is essential to distinguish between the inbound direction and the outbound direction in the model. The inbound loaded trucks that arrive on Friday are loaded with containers that will be exported on Friday or the following Saturday or Sunday. However, for outbound trucks leaving the port on Monday, they are loaded with imported containers that arrived on Monday or the previous Saturday or Sunday. So, developing only one model that represents both inbound and outbound truck volumes is inaccurate in representing the port's activity. This implies that two separate regression models are essential. This is intuitive as trip production or attraction at the port does not have to be symmetrical and a model is needed for each. One model would represent the daily inbound truck movements based on number of exported freight units (attraction model) and the other would represent the daily outbound truck movements based on imported freight units (production model).

As discussed earlier, the most important independent variable is daily imported/exported freight units. An initial attempt was conducted to identify the correlation between the daily truck volume and the daily freight units. Figure 4.4 shows a very weak correlation (correlation coefficient of 0.08) between the daily truck volume and the daily freight units. However, grouping of days could be a good approach to improve this correlation.

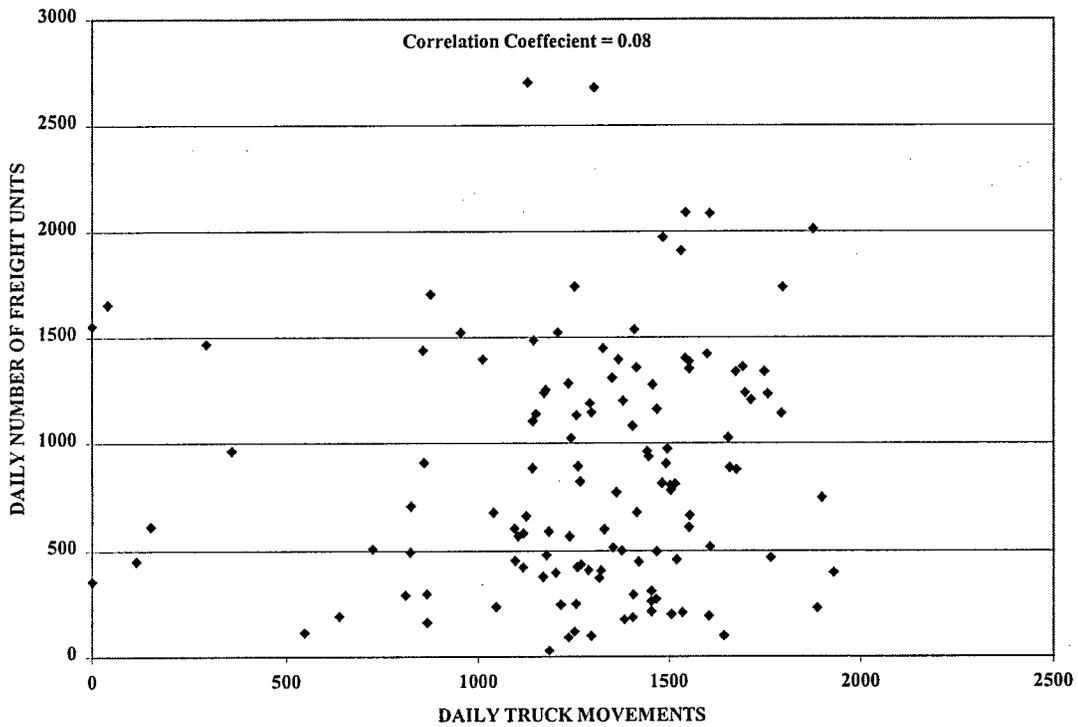


Figure 4.4 Daily Truck Volume and Daily Freight Units Volume.

4.1.5 Grouping of Days

Truck movement at the Port of Miami occurs primarily on weekdays (Monday through Friday). However, cargo vessel loading operations are very active during the weekends (Saturday and Sunday). Correlating seven days of vessel loading activity with five weekdays of truck traffic is a challenging task that should be attempted before developing the model. Grouping of days was the ideal solution to solve this problem. Truck traffic aggregated over a few weekdays was associated with vessel cargo aggregated over a few weekdays and/or weekend days. At the same time, this grouping concept reduced the variability in both the dependent and the independent variable(s) and produced a good fit model. As a result of this grouping, the final model correlated the total number of freight units for a specific group of days with the total

number of trucks for same or different group of business days. For example, as shown in Figure 4.5, we can predict the total number of inbound trucks generated on Monday from the total number of exported freight units arrived to the Port of Miami on Monday (Group 1). Also, we will be able to predict the summation of total number of inbound trucks generated on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday from the summation of total number of exported freight units arrived to the Port of Miami on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday (Group 2). Finally, by aggregating the total number of exported freight units on Saturday and Sunday (Group 3), we can predict the total number of inbound trucks generated on Friday. Afterwards, the distribution of daily truck movements (Monday through Friday) can be used to calculate truck movements for each day within this group as will be discussed in detail in section 4.4, Step 5. All possible combinations of these groups of days were considered. A total of 131 grouping scenarios for the inbound freight truck model and 140 grouping scenarios for the outbound freight truck model are shown in Appendices H and I, respectively.

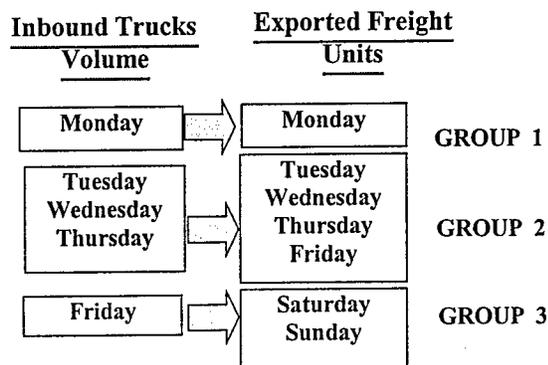


Figure 4.5 Sample of Grouping of Days Concept for the Attraction Model.

4.1.6 *Modeling Assumptions*

- Holidays were excluded from the analysis.
- Routine delivery trucks and service vehicles were neglected. These were not counted as heavy trucks.
- Auto wreckers were considered as heavy trucks (whether loaded or empty).
- The effect of cruiseships on cargo truck generation was neglected.
- The model did not include unloaded truck volumes (chassis or bobtail). The cargo vessel activity handled by the port generates more trucks loaded with freight units. Therefore, the dependent variable used in the model is the total number of daily loaded trucks. Model adjustments are needed for bobtail and chassis configurations as described later in section 4.4, Step 7.

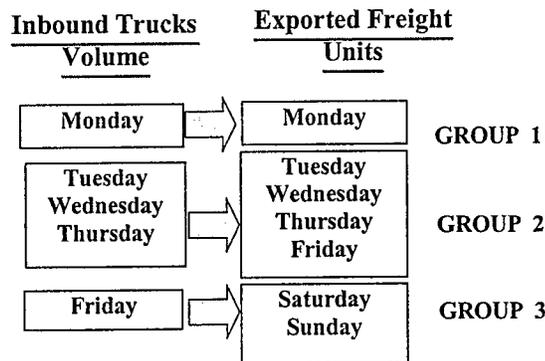
4.1.7 *Models Formulation*

The proposed inbound and outbound models are simple linear regressions formulated to correlate the daily volume of loaded truck freight movements generated from the Port of Miami with the daily number of freight units (containers and trailers) handled by the Port of Miami. For the purpose of this analysis, the term loaded refers to any truck configuration that contains a trailer or a container. The trailer or container units do not necessarily have filled contents.

The grouping concept mentioned earlier in this study introduces many combinations of (day-groups) to be tested before reaching the final regression models. All possible grouping scenarios were performed in this study. Regression analyses were conducted for a total of 140

grouping scenarios for the outbound freight truck model and 131 grouping scenarios for the inbound freight truck model. Appendices H and I summarize the scenarios and the statistical regression results for all combination scenarios for inbound and outbound models, respectively. The best models were selected based on the following criteria: high R-squared value, lower percentage of outlier observations, large sample size, and lower SSE/Mean Ratio. Finally, one model was selected for inbound loaded trucks (attraction model) and one for the outbound loaded trucks (production model). These attraction/production models are illustrated in the following sections:

4.1.7.1 Attraction Model: Inbound Freight Truck Movement



$$\text{INTK}_g = 1.197 (\text{EXPFU}) \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

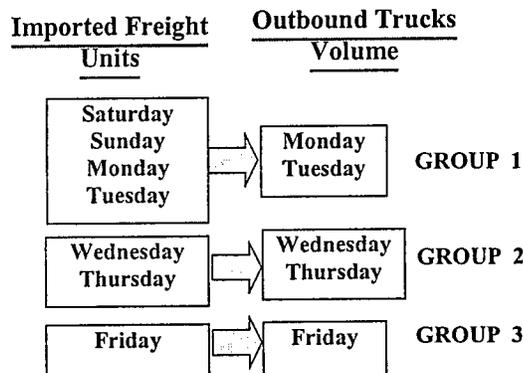
Where: INTK_g : Inbound Loaded Freight Truck Volume for Group "g"

EXPFU : Total number of Exported Freight Units Per Group "g"

A total of 28 data points were available for this model. Each data point represents a day or a group of days. Only 20 data points were used for building the model and 8 points were used for validating the developed model. The developed model indicates that we can predict the total

number of loaded trucks entering the Port of Miami (for UNIVERSAL and POMTOC companies) (INTK) on Monday (Group 1) by multiplying the total number of exported freight units (EXPFU) handled by these two companies on Monday by a factor of 1.197. Also, by aggregating the daily exported freight units handled by these two companies on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday (Group 2), and multiplying these day totals by a factor of 1.197, we can estimate the total number of loaded trucks on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Finally, we can predict the total number of inbound loaded trucks generated on Friday by multiplying the summation of exported freight units for these two companies on Saturday and Sunday (Group 3) by a factor of 1.197.

4.1.7.2 Production Model: Outbound Freight Truck Movement



$$\text{OUTTK}_g = 310.079 + 0.698 (\text{IMPFU}) \dots \dots \dots (2)$$

Where: **OUTTK_g**: Outbound Loaded Freight Truck Volume for Group "g"
 IMPFU : Total number of Imported Freight Units Per Group "g"

Similarly to the attraction model, a total of 28 data points were available for the production model. Each data point represents one day or a group of days. Only 20 data points were used for building the model and 8 points were used for validating the developed model. The developed model indicates that we can predict the total number of loaded trucks leaving the Port of Miami (OUTTK) (for UNIVERSAL and POMTOC companies) on Monday and Tuesday (Group 1) by multiplying the total number of imported freight units handled by these two companies on Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday (IMPFU) by 0.698 and adding 310.079 to the resulted value. Also, by aggregating the total number of imported freight units handled by these two companies on Wednesday and Thursday and multiplying this summation by 0.698 and adding 310.079 to the resulted value, we can estimate total number of outbound loaded trucks on Wednesday and Thursday. Finally, we can predict the total number of outbound loaded trucks generated on Friday by multiplying 0.698 by the total number of imported freight units for these two companies on Friday and adding 310.079 to this value (Group 3). The intercept value of 310.079 in this model indicates a backlog in the number of imported freight units at the Port of Miami. This backlog may be due to time needed for U.S. Customs clearance. Figures 4.6 and 4.7 illustrate the actual data collected and the fitted regression models for both inbound and outbound directions.

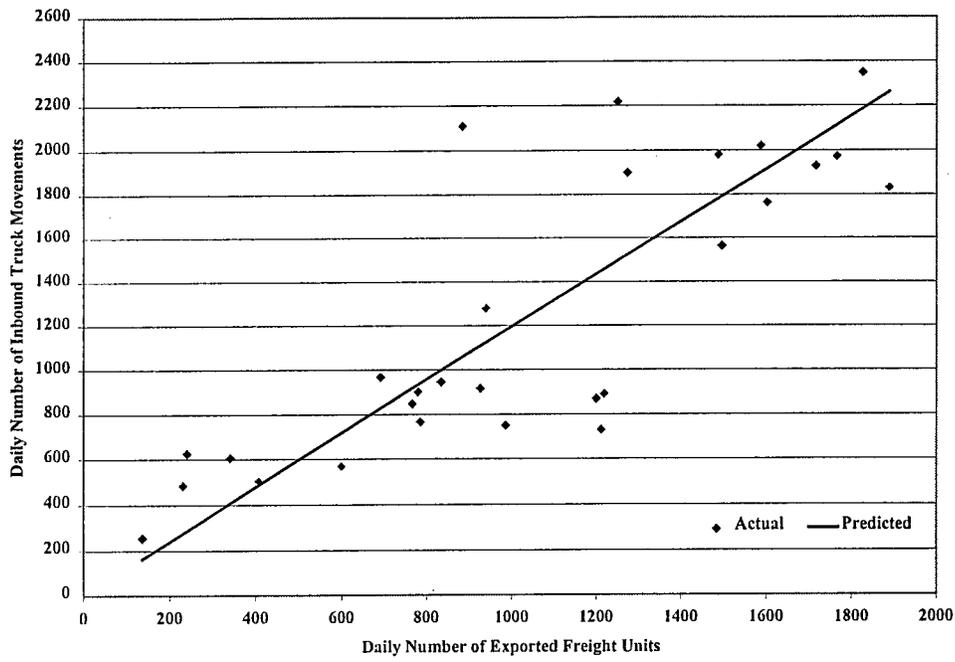


Figure 4.6 Inbound Loaded Freight Trucks and Exported Freight Units.

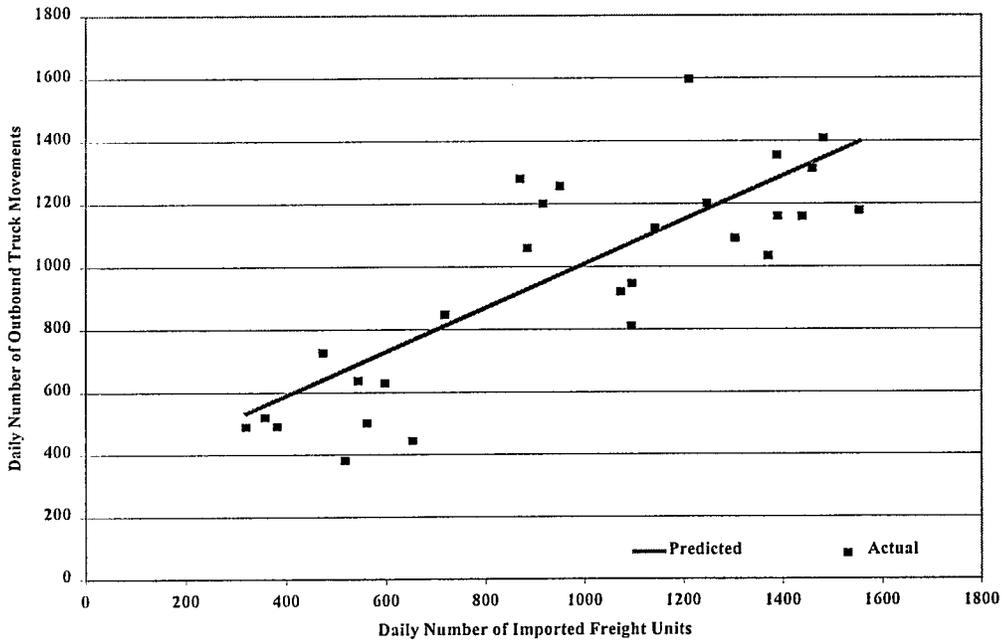


Figure 4.7 Outbound Loaded Freight Trucks and Imported Freight Units.

4.1.8 Model Testing and Validation

Figures 4.8 and 4.9 present the inbound and outbound linear regression models summary statistics. The R-squared value for the inbound (attraction) model indicated that almost 80% of the variability in the number of inbound loaded truck movements (dependent variable) was explained by the model. Also, the number of exported freight units is significant for this model at 95% confidence level. The R-squared value for the outbound (production) model indicated that almost 70% of the variability in the number of outbound loaded truck movements (dependent variable) was explained by the model. Also, the number of exported freight units is significant for this model at 95% confidence level. The intercept was significant only for the outbound (production model).

It appears that these two models are adequate to represent the relationship between the number of loaded truck movements and the number freight units. However, one more step is needed before they can be used, that is validation.

SUMMARY OUTPUT

<i>Regression Statistics</i>	
Multiple R	0.8855865
R Square	0.7842635
Adjusted R Square	0.7316319
Standard Error	303.59594
SSE / Mean	0.2392403
Observations	20

ANOVA					
	<i>df</i>	<i>SS</i>	<i>MS</i>	<i>F</i>	<i>Significance F</i>
Regression	1	6366254	6366254	69.07041	1.41801E-07
Residual	19	1751239	92170.49		
Total	20	8117493			

	<i>Coefficients</i>	<i>andard Error</i>	<i>t Stat</i>	<i>P-value</i>	<i>Lower 95%</i>	<i>Upper 95%</i>	<i>Lower 95.0%</i>	<i>Upper 95.0%</i>
Intercept	0	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Exported Containers	1.1972237	0.058542	20.45058	2.12E-14	1.074693224	1.319754183	1.074693224	1.319754183

Figure 4.8 Inbound Loaded Freight Trucks Regression Model Statistics.

SUMMARY OUTPUT

Regression Statistics	
Multiple R	0.82805933
R Square	0.68568225
Adjusted R Square	0.66822015
Standard Error	203.248744
SSE / Mean	0.20846025
Observations	20

ANOVA					
	df	SS	MS	F	Significance F
Regression	1	1622117.269	1622117.27	39.26689027	6.56215E-06
Residual	18	743580.9313	41310.0517		
Total	19	2365698.2			

	Coefficients	Standard Error	T Stat	P-value	Lower 95%	Upper 95%	Lower 95.0%	Upper 95.0%
Intercept	310.089987	115.4757536	2.68532551	0.015115137	67.48424288	552.69573	67.4842429	552.6957302
Imported Containers	0.69757761	0.111321559	6.26632989	6.56215E-06	0.463699516	0.93145571	0.46369952	0.931455713

Figure 4.9 Outbound Loaded Freight Trucks Regression Model Statistics.

A model must be validated in order to insure that it can predict real life data. To validate these models a total of 20 observations for each model (71% of the total available observations) were used to fit the regression model and 8 observations (29% of the total available observations) were used to validate the developed model. A paired t-test was used to compare the total number of loaded freight trucks predicted by the developed model and their actual values. Figures 4.10 and 4.11 show the results of these tests for both the inbound and outbound models, respectively. The results from these tests indicated that there is no significant difference between the predicted values and the observed values for both models at the 95% confidence level ($P > 0.05$).

Paired t-Test:

	<i>Actual</i>	<i>Predicted</i>
Mean	1148	1225
Variance	417489	417474
Observations	8	8
Pearson Correlation	0.81	
Hypothesized Mean Difference	0	
df	7	
t Stat	-0.55	
P(T<=t) one-tail	0.30	
t Critical one-tail	1.89	
P(T<=t) two-tail	0.60	
t Critical two-tail	2.36	

Figure 4.10 Statistical Comparison between the Observed Total Number of Inbound Loaded Freight Trucks and the Predicted Values by the Attraction Regression Model.

Paired t-Test:

	<i>Predicted</i>	<i>Actual</i>
Mean	1004	906
Variance	57150	104258
Observations	8	8
Pearson Correlation	0.86	
Hypothesized Mean Difference	0	
df	7	
t Stat	1.61	
P(T<=t) one-tail	0.08	
t Critical one-tail	1.89	
P(T<=t) two-tail	0.15	
t Critical two-tail	2.36	

Figure 4.11 Statistical Comparison between the Observed Total Number of Outbound Loaded Freight Trucks and the Predicted Values by the Production Regression Model

4.1.9 Sources of Randomness in Truck Traffic

This section discusses some limitations of the developed model. There is some movement of freight directly into and out of the port via railroad. It comprises less than one percent of the annual total truck movements. This freight was neglected by our modeling steps.

Some heavy trucks (1 to 1 1/2 %) are generated by cruiseships. Cruiseship cargo activities are not included in the Trailer/Container Activity Reports utilized by our analysis.

There is minimal truck traffic on weekend days which usually comprises between one-half to one percent of the week's total. This traffic was neglected by the analysis.

Auto carriers or wreckers are considered as heavy trucks by our definition. These vehicles are either transporting one or two automobiles or are empty. Approximately one percent of the cargo freight consists of automobiles. However, the T/C Report's trailer and container totals do not correspond with all of the automobile cargo. Some of the automobiles are shipped on the vessels as open cargo.

There can be some trucks making unnecessary trips to the port. For example, a driver may come in and find out his load was unavailable until another day. Also, the driver could be bringing a load that gets rejected at the terminal, perhaps for failure to pass a load inspection or because of being over the weight limit. In each case, the driver departs producing two moves on Port Boulevard which were not associated with any internal freight movement activity, the main independent variable.

Occasionally, truck drivers who are doing business unrelated to the port will bring their vehicles to the Security Plaza weigh stations simply to check their vehicle weights for a modest service fee. Thus, these movements on Port Boulevard are unrelated to internal freight movement activity. Internal factors can complicate the correlation between vessel traffic and Port Boulevard truck traffic. There are direct vessel-to-vessel transshipments, which will not generate any truck gate moves. An example of a transshipment would be a group of containers brought into the port from a vessel arriving from Europe. The containers are placed in the storage yard and later

loaded on a vessel bound for a Caribbean destination. These situations occur rather frequently, since Port of Miami also serves as a transfer hub as well as an origin and a destination port. Freight units may also remain in the port longer than usual for other reasons, such as special inspections or problems with shipping companies.

Thus, the amount of stored freight units inside the port can vary moderately during short time intervals, such as a few days or shorter. For periods longer than a few days, the storage level closely resembles a steady flow condition. We assumed that the freight flow remains at a steady state condition for all periods in order to simplify the analysis.

4.2 Weight Models

Gross weight of freight units is important for both the Port of Miami and the shipping companies. A model relating the expected total weight in tonnage and the number of freight units could be a good tool for both parties to predict the expected daily, weekly or monthly total tonnage that can be handled by the port. Data for monthly total weight were obtained from the "Trailer/Container Reports" provided by the Port of Miami for the period from November 1978 to April 1998. Figures 4.12 and 4.13 show the relationship between the imported and exported number of freight units and the gross weight in tons handled by the Port of Miami for each month. It is clear that this relationship can be presented as a simple linear regression model. The following section presents the estimated linear regression models for both imported and exported freight units to estimate the gross weight of the total number of freight units handled by the Port of Miami.

4.2.1 Models Formulation

4.2.1.1 Linear Regression Model for Weight of Imported Freight Units

$$\text{WGHT}_{\text{IMP}} = 14.34 (\text{IMPFU}) \dots\dots\dots (3)$$

Where:

WGHT_{IMP} = Gross weight for imported freight units in tons.

IMPFU = Total number of imported freight units.

A total of 135 observations of monthly number of imported freight units and monthly gross weight of the imported freight units were used to fit this regression model. The developed model indicates that the average weight of an imported freight unit (averaged over full and empty containers) is about 14.34 tons. Therefore, we can predict the total daily, weekly or monthly gross weight for imported freight units by multiplying the total daily, weekly or monthly imported freight units by 14.34 tons.

4.2.1.2 Linear Regression Model for Weight of Exported Freight Units

$$\text{WGHT}_{\text{EXP}} = 13.936 (\text{EXPFU}) \dots\dots\dots (4)$$

Where:

WGHT_{EXP} = Gross weight of exported freight units in tons.

EXPFU = Total number of exported freight units.

Similarly, a total of 135 observations of monthly number of exported freight units and monthly gross weight of the exported freight units were used to fit this regression model. The developed model indicates that the average weight of an exported freight unit (averaged over full

and empty containers) is about 13.936 tons. Therefore, we can predict the total daily, weekly or monthly gross weight for exported freight units by multiplying the total daily, weekly or monthly exported freight units by 13.936 tons.

4.2.2 Models Testing and Validation

Figures 4.14 and 4.15 show the linear regression models statistics. The R-squared values for both models indicated that 90% of the variability in the gross weight (dependent variable) were explained by the models. Also, the weight of the total monthly number of freight units is significant for both models at 95% confidence level. In conclusion, there is enough evidence that these two models are adequate to represent the relationship between the number of freight units and the total gross weight. Also, it can be concluded from both models that the average weight of one freight unit (averaged over full and empty containers) is around 14 tons.

Average vehicle gross weights were also estimated by two different approaches. One method utilized the gross container weight totals from the "Trailer/Container (T/C) Reports". The second method utilized the gross vehicle weights from the gate pass records. Table 4.1 summarizes the results of these two methods.

For the T/C Report method, an average gross container weight of 30,440 lbs (15.2 tons) was calculated from a sample size of 1211 shipping company activities, which represents hundreds of thousands of containers. An average chassis weight without a bobtail was calculated to be 6575 lbs. (3.3 tons) from a sample size of 61 vehicles. An average bobtail weight was calculated to be 16,785 lbs. (8.4 tons) from a sample size of 26 vehicles. Thus, the average truck weight is the total of the three averages - 53,800 lbs. (26.9 tons). This figure represents inbound and outbound container trucks, carrying both long and short containers.

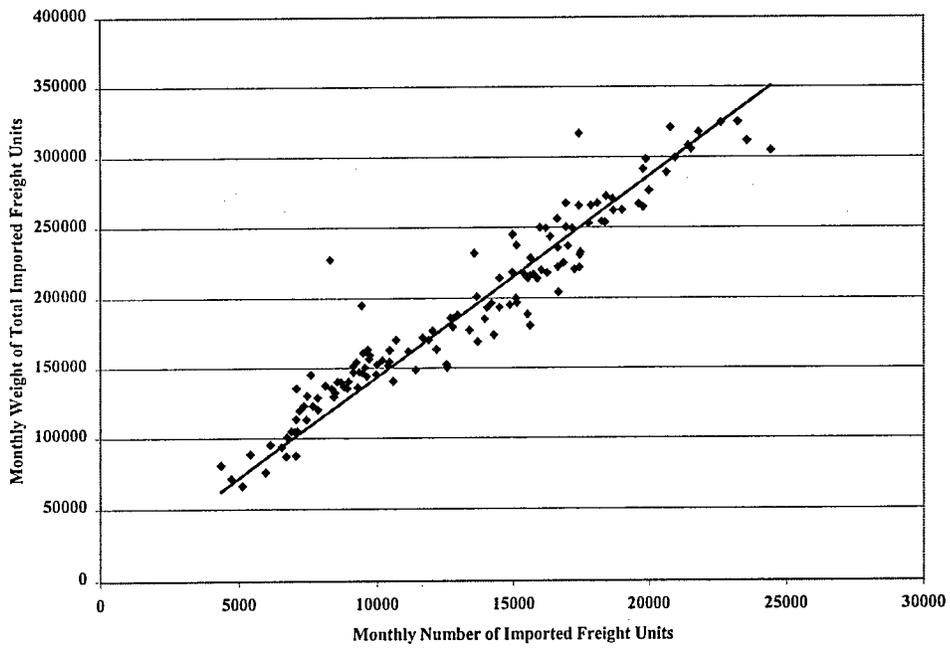


Figure 4.12 Monthly Number of Imported Freight Units and Gross Weight.

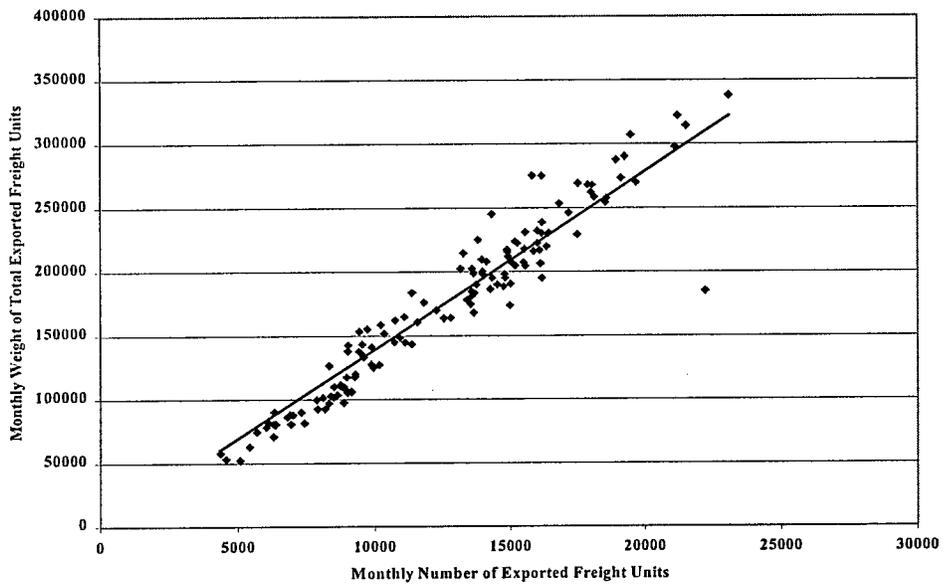


Figure 4.13 Monthly Number of Exported Freight Units and Gross Weight.

SUMMARY OUTPUT

<i>Regression Statistics</i>	
Multiple R	0.94955147
R Square	0.90164799
Adjusted R Square	0.89418531
Standard Error	20171.0487
SSE / Mean	0.10491656
Observations	135

ANOVA					
	<i>df</i>	<i>SS</i>	<i>MS</i>	<i>F</i>	<i>Significance F</i>
Regression	1	4.99822E+11	5E+11	1228.453	4.85431E-69
Residual	134	54520741784	4.07E+08		
Total	135	5.54343E+11			

	<i>Coefficients</i>	<i>Standard Error</i>	<i>t Stat</i>	<i>P-value</i>	<i>Lower 95%</i>	<i>Upper 95%</i>	<i>Lower 95.0%</i>	<i>Upper 95.0%</i>
Number of Imported Freight Units	14.3406491	0.123457065	116.159	2.2E-136	14.09647278	14.5848254	14.09647278	14.58482536

Figure 4.14 Regression Model Statistics for Weight of Imported Freight Units.

SUMMARY OUTPUT

<i>Regression Statistics</i>	
Multiple R	0.9577576
R Square	0.91729963
Adjusted R Square	0.90983694
Standard Error	19190.9625
SSE / Mean	0.11111475
Observations	135

ANOVA					
	<i>df</i>	<i>SS</i>	<i>MS</i>	<i>F</i>	<i>Significance F</i>
Regression	1	5.47397E+11	5.47E+11	1486.307	4.71262E-74
Residual	134	49351267652	3.68E+08		
Total	135	5.96748E+11			

	<i>Coefficients</i>	<i>Standard Error</i>	<i>t Stat</i>	<i>P-value</i>	<i>Lower 95%</i>	<i>Upper 95%</i>	<i>Lower 95.0%</i>	<i>Upper 95.0%</i>
o. Of Exported Freight Units	13.9367658	0.125051712	111.448	5.4E-134	13.68943558	14.18409602	13.68943558	14.184096

Figure 4.15 Regression Model Statistics for Weight of Exported Freight Units.

The average weight of 60,787 lbs (30.39 tons) calculated from a sample of 17,800 gate passes only represents inbound trucks. Weigh station apparatus is only installed on the inbound lanes at the Port of Miami Security Plaza.

It is optional for drivers to have their vehicle weights recorded. Drivers with light loads or empty containers often decline weight checks. This pattern is one reason for the higher average truck weight from the gate pass estimate over the T/C Report method. Although most of the heavy truck traffic primarily consists of container configurations, the gate pass records also include trailers. Trailer configurations tend to weigh slightly more than container configurations.

Table 4-1 Summary Of Average Weights.

CONFIGURATION	AVERAGE WEIGHT (tons)	SAMPLE SIZE (vehicles)
BOBTAIL	8.4	26
CHASSIS (without a bobtail)	3.3	61
FREIGHT UNITS (From T/C Reports)	15.2	1211
FREIGHT UNITS (From Gate Passes)	18	17800
LOADED TRUCK(from T/C) (Bobtail + Chassis + Container)	26.9	1211
LOADED TRUCK(from Gate Passes) (Bobtail + Chassis + Container)	30.4	17800

4.3 Forecasting Number of Freight Units (Independent Variable)

4.3.1 Background

Time Series analysis is a statistical approach to understand the special role played by time in the relationship between time-ordered variables. Time series is a collection of data obtained by observing a response variable at equal spaced points in time. The main goal of time series analysis is to produce a model which can express a time-structured relationship among some variables or events. After developing the time series model, it can be used to forecast the response variable. A single equation ARIMA (Auto Regressive Integrated Moving Average) model states how any value in a single time series is linearly related to its own past values. If a model is a good approximation of a process the model tends to mimic the behavior of the process. Thus, forecasts from the model may provide useful information about future values of the series (16).

To examine long-term and seasonal trends of the freight unit volumes, time series analysis was the ideal approach to present such trends.

4.3.2 Modeling for the Number of Freight Units

The number of freight units handled by the Port of Miami every month can be used as a good indicator for the port activities. The input of trip generation models can be estimated from this section. Then trip generation models can be used to predict truck traffic. Any increase in freight units will generate more freight truck movements in the area around the Port of Miami.

Developing a model to predict the future monthly number of freight units based on the past and current volume of the freight units could help in forecasting truck volumes used in conjunction with the tip generation models developed in section 4.1.7. The number of monthly imported and exported freight units was obtained from the “Trailer/Container Reports for the period from October 1978 to April 1998 for the Port of Miami”, see Appendix E. Figures 4.16 and 4.17 illustrate the time series trends for both imported and exported monthly freight units, respectively. These figures show that the imported and exported monthly freight units follow the same trend. By looking at the two trends, we can detect that a change in the trend had occurred around November 1986. It is clear that the period from October 1978 to November 1986 is not stable in showing the trend in volume of monthly freight units. However, the period from November 1986 to April 1998 (11.5 years) showed a constant growing trend throughout that period. Therefore, the period from October 1978 to November 1986 was excluded from the time series analysis and the developed time series models in this study focused on the historical monthly freight units starting from November 1986 to April 1998.

Using this historical data for the monthly freight units, an adequate ARIMA model for the imported and exported freight units can be used by the port to forecast the expected future monthly volume of freight units. Then by using the developed regression models in section 4.2.1, it will be possible to predict the total expected weight and the number of truck movement volumes associated with the predicted number of freight units from the ARIMA models.

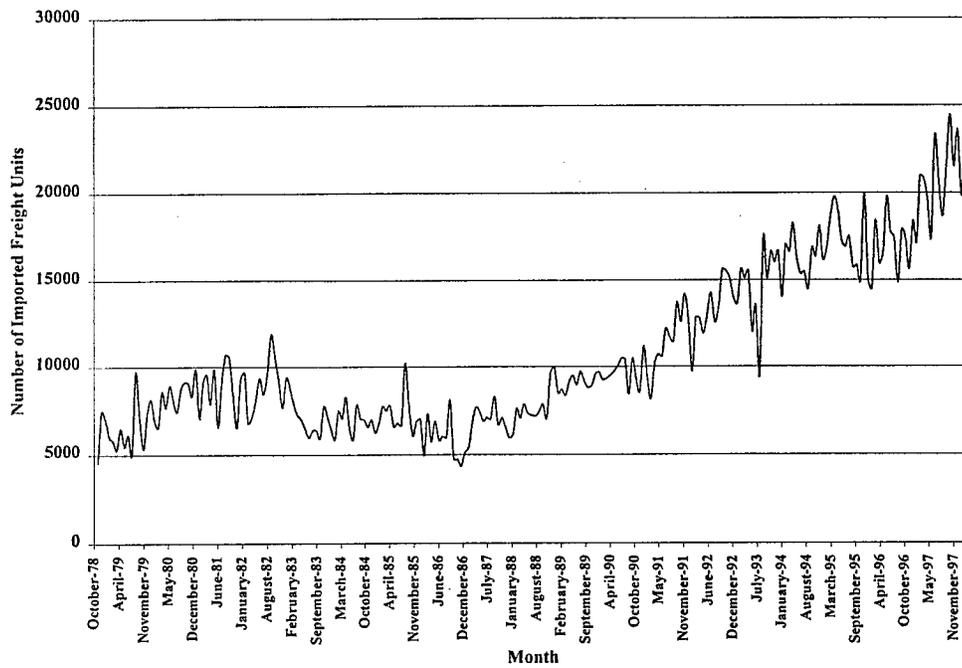


Figure 4.16 Time Series of Number of Imported Freight Units.

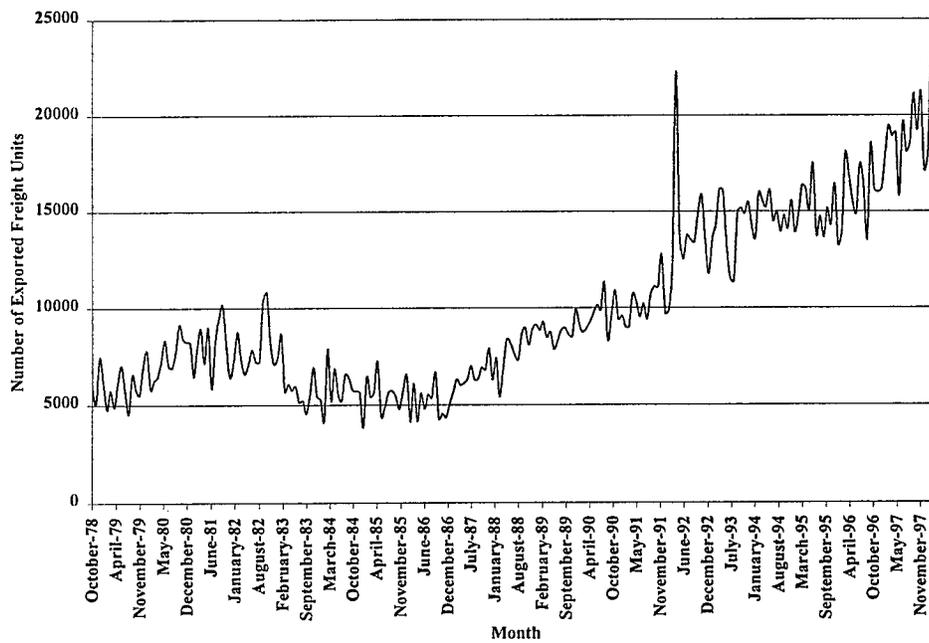


Figure 4.17 Time Series of Number of Exported Freight Units.

4.3.3 *Models Formulation*

Several steps were conducted to formulate an adequate time series ARIMA model, e.g. removing the data variability, achieving a stationary constant. Appendix J describes the process used in developing this ARIMA model in details. A time series model for both imported and exported natural logarithm of the number of freight units was developed. The following sections present the formulation of imported and exported freight units' time series models.

4.3.3.1 **Time Series Model for Imported Freight Units**

Let $IMPFU_m$ be the total number of imported freight units handled by the port of Miami in month "m" and Ln be the natural logarithm function, then

$$Ln(IMPFU_m) = 0.0135 + Ln(IMPFU_{m-1}) - 0.218 (Ln(IMPFU_{m-9}) - Ln(IMPFU_{m-10})) \dots (5)$$

A total of 135 observations for the monthly volume of imported freight units were used in developing this model. The time series model for imported freight units indicates that the number of freight units of this month ($IMPFU_m$) is a natural logarithm function of the number of imported freight units in the last month ($IMPFU_{m-1}$), the number of imported freight units nine months ago ($IMPFU_{m-9}$), and the number of imported freight units ten months ago ($IMPFU_{m-10}$). This represents the seasonal variation in the number of imported freight units.

4.3.3.2 **Time Series Model for Exported Freight Units**

Let $EXPFU_m$ be the total number of exported freight units handled by the port of Miami in month "m" and Ln be the natural logarithm function, then

$$\text{Ln}(\text{EXPFU}_m) = 0.01275 + \text{Ln}(\text{EXPFU}_{m-1}) - 0.18 ((\text{Ln}(\text{EXPFU}_{m-9}) - \text{Ln}(\text{EXPFU}_{m-10})) \dots (6)$$

Similarly, a total of 135 observations for the monthly volume of exported freight units were used in developing this model. The time series model for exported freight units indicates that the number of exported freight units of this month (EXPFU_m) is a natural logarithm function of the number of exported freight units in the last month (EXPFU_{m-1}), the number of exported freight units nine months ago (EXPFU_{m-9}), and the number of exported freight units ten months ago (EXPFU_{m-10}) which represents the seasonality in the number of exported freight units.

Figures J.11 and J.12 in Appendix J, respectively represent the imported and exported monthly freight unit models statistics in detail.

4.3.4 Models Testing and Validation

If the developed models are an adequate time series representations of the imported and exported freight unit volumes, then there should be no future significant auto-correlation pattern left in the residual series. The auto-correlation residual plots (Figures J.13 and J.14 in Appendix J) indicated that all residual Auto-Correlation Function (ACF) fall within the two standard error limits. The residual Partial Auto-Correlation Function (PACF) for the proposed models (Figures J.15 and J.16 in Appendix J) also indicated that each residual partial auto-correlation is small relative to its standard error limits (the dashed line). This suggests that the developed models adequately represent the auto correlation pattern in the data for both series. Chi-square tests were performed to determine if the first 20 residuals auto correlation is not equal to zero (Null Hypothesis) for both models. The Chi-square values for the inbound and outbound models are

19.088 and 18.274, respectively. These two values are less than the critical chi-square value for 17 degrees of freedom (27.587 for 95% confidence level). The results of these joint tests for both models suggest that the two models have adequately captured the auto-correlation patterns in the data.

The normal probability plots for the residuals for the imported and the exported freight units volume time series models shown in Figures J.17 and J.18 in Appendix J are very close to straight lines, suggesting that the residuals are approximately normal. All of these residuals fall well within two standard deviations from zero. Thus we have no outliers that call for special attention.

Also, the P values for the parameters are less than 0.05 which indicated that all parameters are significant at the 95% confidence level (Figures J.11, J.12, J.19 and J.20 in Appendix J).

4.3.5 Alternative Approach: Regression Models

Another approach was conducted to predict the monthly number of freight units volume. Using the same monthly data for imported and exported monthly freight units obtained from the monthly "Trailer/Container Reports", non-linear regression models for predicting both imported and exported freight units (on the basis of the month index) were developed. Figures 4.16 through 4.19 illustrate the original data and the non-linear fitted models. Also, Figures 4.20 and 4.21 present the two non-linear regression models statistics.

4.3.5.1 Regression Model for Monthly Imported Freight Units

$$\text{IMPFU} = \text{Exp} (8.771 + 0.009506 (\text{Month Index})) \dots\dots\dots(7)$$

Where;

IMPFU = Total number of imported freight units handled by the Port of Miami in a specific month.

Month Index=1,2,3,4,5...etc. for Nov 86, Dec 86, Jan 87, Feb 87,.....etc

Exp: is the exponential function.

4.3.5.2 Regression Model for Monthly Exported Freight Units

$$\text{EXPFU} = \text{Exp} (8.767 + 0.00885 (\text{Month Index}))\dots\dots\dots(8)$$

Where;

EXPFU = Total number of exported freight units handled by the Port of Miami in a specific month.

Month Index =1,2,3,4,5...etc. for Nov 86, Dec 86, Jan 87, Feb 87,.....etc

Exp: is the exponential function.

4.3.6 Models Testing and Validation

The R-squared values for both models indicated that almost 90% of the variability in the monthly number of freight units (dependent variable) were explained by the model. Also, the "Month Index" variable is significant for both models at the 95% confidence level. These results indicate that both non-linear regression models are adequate for representation of the actual operation.

4.3.7 Comparison of ARIMA Time Series Models and Non-Linear Regression Models

After calculating the monthly number of freight units by both Time Series and Regression approaches, a test to check if there is a significant difference between the results of the two approaches was performed. Figures 4.22 and 4.23 show the forecasted values for 60 points using both methods. Also, Figures 4.24 and 4.25 show the results of t- statistical tests to check if there is any significant difference between the two models for the 60 points. It is clear that at the 95% confidence level, there is no significant difference between both methods (P-value >0.05). In conclusion, using either approach will yield almost the same forecasts of monthly freight units.

The nonlinear regression models developed in Section 4.3.5 could be easier to use for predicting the monthly freight units. However, these models do not identify the seasonal patterns in monthly freight units. Time series models identify the seasonal pattern. Therefore, time series models are the recommended approach in forecasting monthly freight units.

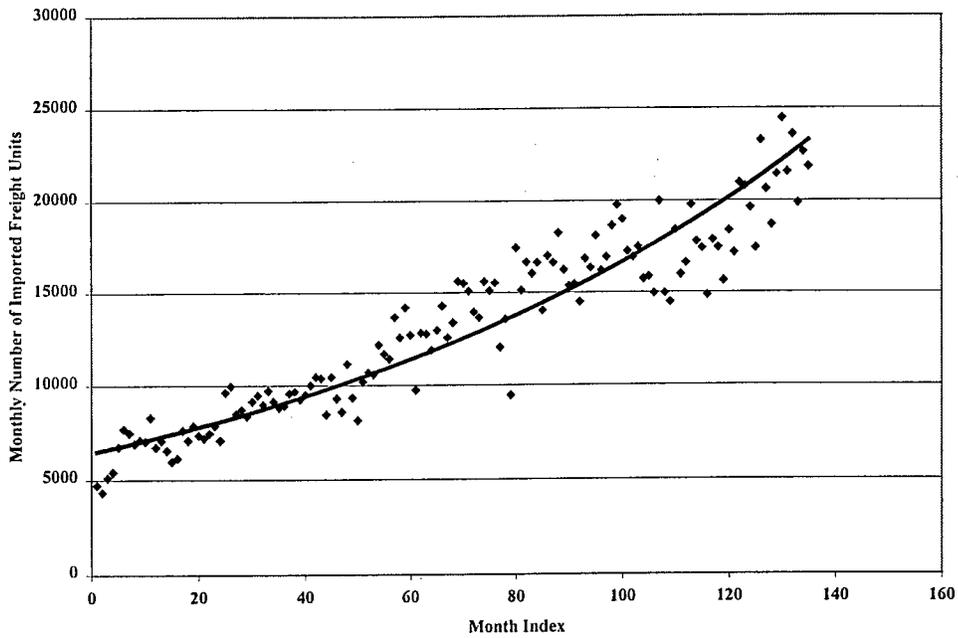


Figure 4.18 Monthly Number of Imported Freight Units and the Fitted Regression Model.

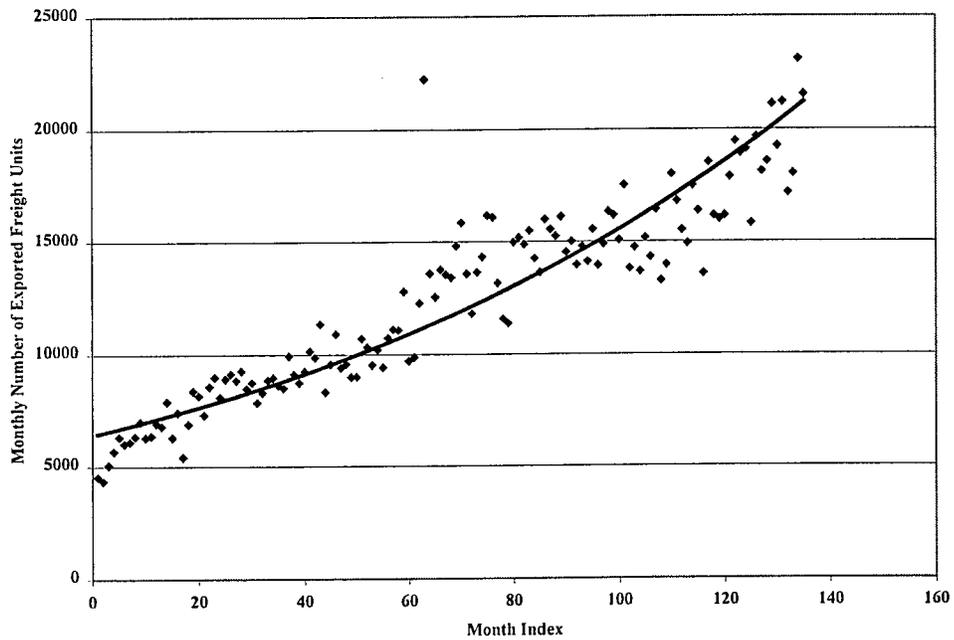


Figure 4.19 Monthly Number of Exported Freight Units and the Fitted Regression Model.

SUMMARY OUTPUT

<i>Regression Statistics</i>								
Multiple R	0.94479652							
R Square	0.89264047							
Adjusted R Square	0.89183325							
Standard Error	0.12943618							
SSE / Mean	0.01374							
Observations	135							

ANOVA					
	<i>df</i>	<i>SS</i>	<i>MS</i>	<i>F</i>	<i>Significance F</i>
Regression	1	18.52673953	18.52674	1105.828	2.59641E-66
Residual	133	2.228245463	0.016754		
Total	134	20.75498499			

	<i>Coefficients</i>	<i>Standard Error</i>	<i>t Stat</i>	<i>P-value</i>	<i>Lower 95%</i>	<i>Upper 95%</i>	<i>Lower 95.0%</i>	<i>Upper 95.0%</i>
Intercept	8.77131315	0.022404541	391.4971	1.7E-205	8.72699786	8.815628432	8.72699786	8.815628432
Month Point	0.00950608	0.000285863	33.25399	2.6E-66	0.008940653	0.010071503	0.008940653	0.010071503

Figure 4.20 Monthly Number of Imported Freight Units Regression Model Statistics.

SUMMARY OUTPUT

<i>Regression Statistics</i>								
Multiple R	0.931405485							
R Square	0.867516178							
Adjusted R Square	0.866520059							
Standard Error	0.135795952							
SSE / Mean	0.014494178							
Observations	135							

ANOVA					
	<i>df</i>	<i>SS</i>	<i>MS</i>	<i>F</i>	<i>Significance F</i>
Regression	1	16.05979604	16.059796	870.896161	3.11457E-60
Residual	133	2.452591905	0.01844054		
Total	134	18.51238794			

	<i>Coefficients</i>	<i>Standard Error</i>	<i>t Stat</i>	<i>P-value</i>	<i>Lower 95%</i>	<i>Upper 95%</i>	<i>Lower 95.0%</i>	<i>Upper 95.0%</i>
Intercept	8.767161748	0.023505375	372.985402	1.03E-202	8.720669057	8.81365444	8.72066906	8.813654439
Month Point	0.008850583	0.000299908	29.5109498	3.1146E-60	0.008257376	0.00944379	0.00825738	0.00944379

Figure 4.21 Monthly Number of Exported Freight Units Regression Model Statistics.

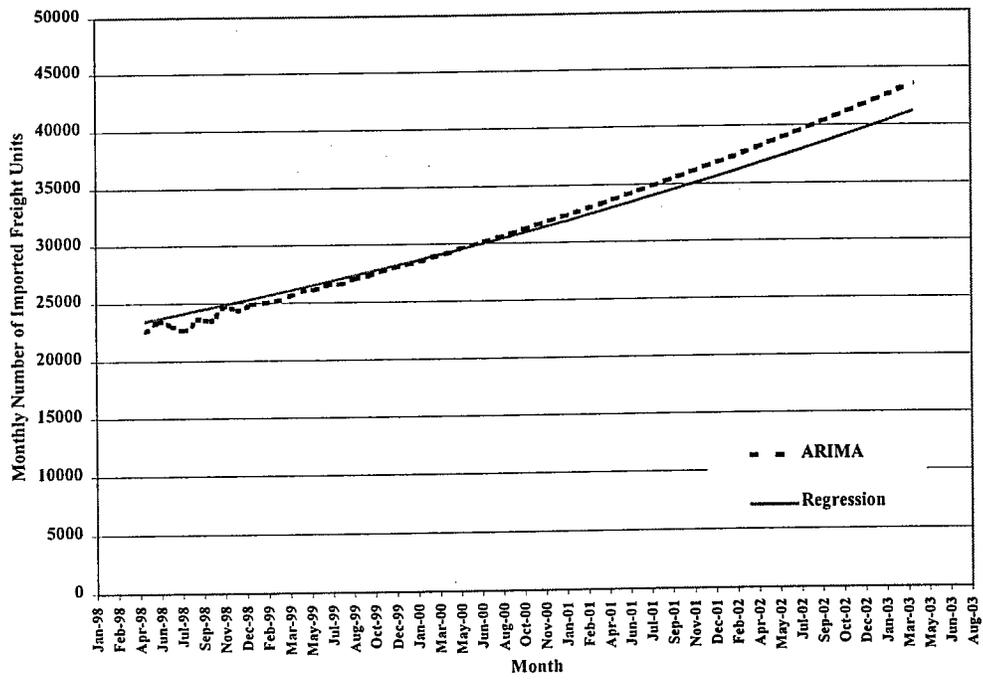


Figure 4.22 ARIMA Time Series Forecasts and Regression Model Forecasts for Monthly Imported Freight Units.

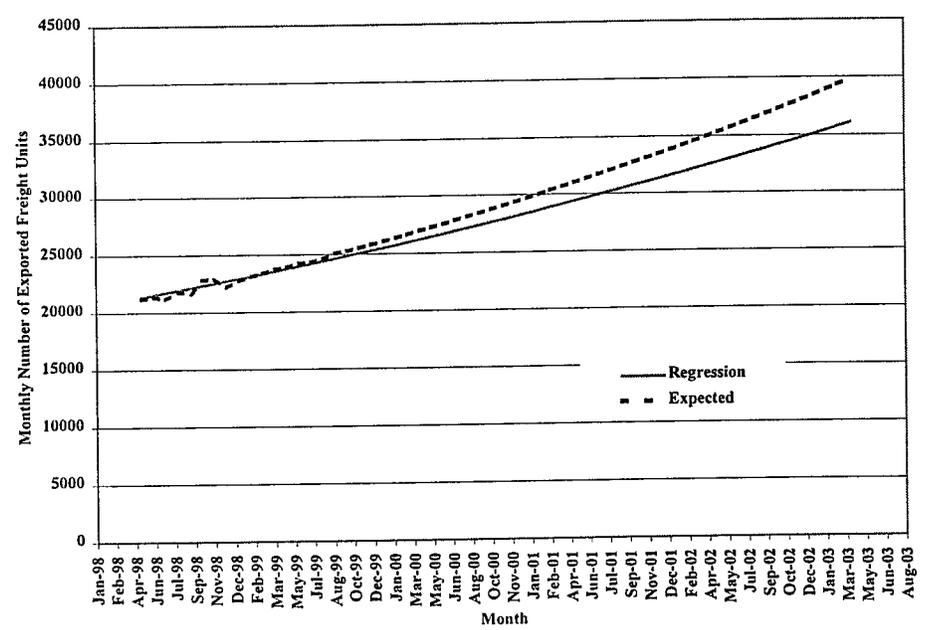


Figure 4.23 ARIMA Time Series Forecasts and Regression Model Forecasts for Monthly Exported Freight Units.

t-Test: Two-Sample Assuming Unequal Variances

	<i>ARIMA</i>	<i>egression</i>
Mean	31965	31500
Variance	38119378	27200840
Observations	60	60
Hypothesized Mean Difference	0	
df	115	
t Stat	0.445181	
P(T<=t) one-tail	0.328513	
t Critical one-tail	1.658211	
P(T<=t) two-tail	0.657026	
t Critical two-tail	1.980807	

Figure 4.24 Statistical Test for Number of Imported Freight Units (ARIMA Time Series Forecasts versus the Regression Model Forecasts) .

t-Test: Two-Sample Assuming Unequal Variances

	<i>ARIMA</i>	<i>Regression</i>
Mean	29443	28106
Variance	30550705	18785950
Observations	60	60
Hypothesized Mean Difference	0	
df	112	
t Stat	1.48	
P(T<=t) one-tail	0.07	
t Critical one-tail	1.66	
P(T<=t) two-tail	0.14	
t Critical two-tail	1.98	

Figure 4.25 Statistical Test for Number of Exported Freight Units (ARIMA Time Series Forecasts versus the Regression Model Forecasts) .

4.4 Forecasting For Daily Truck Movements

A challenging task in this study is to forecast the daily and hourly truck movements for the next 5 years. The following sections present the steps to be conducted in forecasting daily truck volumes.

Step 1: Forecast of the Monthly Imported/Exported Freight Units

Tables 4-2 and 4-3 present the forecast values for Imported and exported monthly freight units with 95% confidence limits for 5 years based on the results of the time series ARIMA models discussed earlier in section 4.3.

Step 2: Forecast for the Weekly Imported/Exported Freight Units

Table 4-4 presents the distribution of the total number of weekly imported and exported freight units based on the first 6 months of the year 1997. This resulted in 6 observations with each observation representing one month, as shown in Table 4-4. By multiplying the monthly number of freight units from Step 1 by the average percentage of each week of the month, we can estimate the total number of weekly imported and exported number of freight units.

Table 4-2 Forecasts of Monthly Imported Freight Units with 95% Confidence Limits for 5 years Using the Time Series ARIMA Model.

Month	Lower Limit	Expected	Upper Limit
May-98	18029	22594	28316
Jun-98	18454	23405	29686
Jul-98	17944	23020	29532
Aug-98	17485	22676	29409
Sep-98	18027	23625	30961
Oct-98	17736	23479	31082
Nov-98	18480	24703	33021
Dec-98	18037	24339	32842
Jan-99	18259	24864	33857
Feb-99	18353	25017	34101
Mar-99	18360	25163	34487
Apr-99	18578	25597	35270
May-99	18793	26031	36055
Jun-99	18782	26150	36408
Jul-99	18966	26541	37141
Aug-99	18917	26605	37418
Sep-99	19142	27054	38238
Oct-99	19218	27295	38766
Nov-99	19323	27629	39504
Dec-99	19458	27969	40203
Jan-00	19546	28243	40810
Feb-00	19638	28523	41427
Mar-00	19785	28882	42161
Apr-00	19889	29180	42810
May-00	20049	29561	43584
Jun-00	20149	29853	44231
Jul-00	20286	30201	44963
Aug-00	20417	30530	45654
Sep-00	20544	30863	46364
Oct-00	20685	31216	47108
Nov-00	20827	31572	47861
Dec-00	20959	31914	48595
Jan-01	21104	32276	49362
Feb-01	21238	32622	50110
Mar-01	21388	32995	50901
Apr-01	21531	33359	51683
May-01	21679	33732	52487
Jun-01	21830	34110	53299
Jul-01	21980	34488	54115
Aug-01	22132	34871	54941
Sep-01	22289	35262	55786
Oct-01	22445	35653	56635
Nov-01	22606	36054	57502
Dec-01	22765	36454	58372
Jan-02	22929	36861	59258
Feb-02	23094	37271	60153
Mar-02	23260	37686	61059
Apr-02	23429	38107	61979
May-02	23600	38532	62911
Jun-02	23772	38961	63854
Jul-02	23947	39396	64809
Aug-02	24123	39834	65776
Sep-02	24302	40278	66757
Oct-02	24482	40727	67750
Nov-02	24665	41181	68757
Dec-02	24849	41640	69777
Jan-03	25036	42104	70809
Feb-03	25224	42573	71855
Mar-03	25415	43048	72915
Apr-03	25607	43528	73989
May-03	25802	44013	75077
Jun-03	25999	44504	76179
Jul-03	26198	45000	77296
Aug-03	26399	45501	78427
Sep-03	26602	46008	79573
Oct-03	26807	46521	80734
Nov-03	27014	47040	81910
Dec-03	27224	47564	83102

Table 4-3 Forecasts of Monthly Exported Freight Units with 95% Confidence Limits for 5 years Using the Time Series ARIMA Model.

Month	Lower Limit	Expected	Upper Limit
May-98	16879	21231	26705
Jun-98	16861	21409	27184
Jul-98	16535	21187	27148
Aug-98	16881	21821	28207
Sep-98	16658	21716	28310
Oct-98	17384	22850	30034
Nov-98	17314	22940	30395
Dec-98	16640	22218	29667
Jan-99	16940	22791	30662
Feb-99	17183	23143	31169
Mar-99	17292	23404	31678
Apr-99	17461	23749	32302
May-99	17508	23927	32699
Jun-99	17664	24255	33305
Jul-99	17645	24342	33580
Aug-99	17777	24636	34143
Sep-99	18027	25097	34939
Oct-99	18094	25303	35383
Nov-99	18172	25557	35942
Dec-99	18282	25832	36500
Jan-00	18383	26095	37041
Feb-00	18510	26394	37637
Mar-00	18617	26667	38198
Apr-00	18760	26992	38836
May-00	18877	27279	39422
Jun-00	18973	27537	39967
Jul-00	19106	27850	40595
Aug-00	19238	28156	41208
Sep-00	19367	28462	41829
Oct-00	19500	28775	42462
Nov-00	19630	29084	43093
Dec-00	19766	29403	43740
Jan-01	19896	29715	44380
Feb-01	20034	30039	45041
Mar-01	20178	30373	45719
Apr-01	20317	30701	46391
May-01	20458	31033	47074
Jun-01	20602	31370	47767
Jul-01	20747	31710	48466
Aug-01	20895	32055	49177
Sep-01	21044	32403	49894
Oct-01	21195	32756	50623
Nov-01	21348	33112	51359
Dec-01	21501	33470	52102
Jan-02	21657	33834	52858
Feb-02	21815	34202	53622
Mar-02	21975	34573	54395
Apr-02	22136	34949	55178
May-02	22299	35328	55971
Jun-02	22464	35712	56774
Jul-02	22630	36100	57587
Aug-02	22799	36492	58410
Sep-02	22969	36889	59244
Oct-02	23141	37289	60087
Nov-02	23315	37694	60942
Dec-02	23491	38104	61807
Jan-03	23668	38517	62683
Feb-03	23848	38936	63570
Mar-03	24029	39359	64469
Apr-03	24212	39786	65378
May-03	24397	40218	66300
Jun-03	24584	40655	67232
Jul-03	24773	41097	68177
Aug-03	24964	41543	69133
Sep-03	25157	41994	70102
Oct-03	25352	42451	71083
Nov-03	25548	42912	72076
Dec-03	25747	43378	73081

Table 4-4 Percentages of Freight Units Volumes by Week of the Month

Observation	First week of the month		Second week of the month		Third week of the month		Fourth week of the month	
	Imported	Exported	Imported	Exported	Imported	Exported	Imported	Exported
1	26.79%	19.42%	26.91%	32.09%	22.56%	26.24%	23.74%	22.25%
2	27.20%	25.91%	22.11%	21.74%	24.59%	26.81%	26.10%	25.54%
3	22.50%	25.22%	19.03%	23.46%	31.19%	26.53%	27.28%	24.80%
4	23.88%	23.18%	24.24%	28.02%	31.10%	29.08%	20.78%	19.71%
5	19.12%	20.41%	33.47%	30.21%	25.41%	26.80%	22.00%	22.58%
6	21.19%	20.67%	30.56%	28.44%	25.56%	23.22%	22.69%	27.66%
Average	23%	22%	26%	27%	27%	26%	24%	24%
Stdev	3%	3%	5%	4%	4%	2%	2%	3%

Exported freight units should be used for day-groups in the attraction model
 Imported freight units should be used for day-groups in the production model

Step 3: Forecast for Each Group of Days

Table 4-5 presents the distribution of the total number of imported and exported freight units for each group within the week. By multiplying the weekly number of freight units resulting from Step 2 by the average percentage of each group, we can predict the total number of freight units for each group.

Table 4-5 Percentages of Freight Units Volumes by the Day-Groups of the Week.

Observation	Group 1 of the week		Group 2 of the week		Group 3 of the week	
	Imported	Exported	Imported	Exported	Imported	Exported
1	22.81%	10.21%	65.16%	58.03%	12.03%	31.77%
2	37.19%	18.43%	40.64%	54.70%	22.17%	26.87%
3	33.19%	8.90%	50.28%	65.46%	16.53%	25.65%
4	58.45%	14.38%	28.93%	52.90%	12.63%	32.72%
5	40.55%	4.33%	42.74%	66.00%	16.71%	34.00%
6	59.78%	4.57%	34.47%	57.73%	5.75%	37.95%
7		14.20%		56.63%		38.80%
8		17.57%		53.06%		32.74%
9		11.85%		46.92%		35.50%
10				65.70%		34.30%
11				45.38%		42.77%
Average	42%	12%	44%	57%	14%	34%
Stdev	15%	5%	13%	7%	6%	5%

Exported freight units should be used for day-groups in the attraction model
 Imported freight units should be used for day-groups in the production model

Step 4: Forecast of Loaded Trucks for Each Group of Days

By applying the attraction and the production models developed in section 4.1, we can predict the total number of loaded trucks generated by the Port of Miami for each group of days for each direction.

Step 5: Forecast for Each Day of The Week Within Each Group

Gate passes indicated that truck volumes generated from the Port of Miami on Saturday and Sunday are very low and can be neglected. Tables 4-6 and 4-7 present the distribution of inbound and outbound loaded freight truck volumes for each day within each group. By multiplying the regression model results for the number of loaded truck for each group by the average of truck movements percentage shown in Tables 4-6 and 4-7, we can estimate the daily number of inbound and outbound loaded freight trucks.

Table 4-6 Daily Percentages of Inbound Loaded Trucks per Group (Attraction Model).

GROUP 1		GROUP 2				GROUP 3	
Observation	Monday	Observation	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Observation	Friday
1	100.00%	1	34.23%	26.15%	39.62%	1	100.00%
2	100.00%	2	22.79%	31.54%	45.67%	2	100.00%
3	100.00%	3	31.05%	34.14%	34.80%	3	100.00%
4	100.00%	4	32.14%	31.69%	36.17%	4	100.00%
5	100.00%	5	33.05%	30.73%	36.23%	5	100.00%
6	100.00%	6	30.40%	18.90%	50.70%	6	100.00%
7	100.00%	7	28.69%	32.79%	38.52%	7	100.00%
8	100.00%	8	33.46%	32.77%	33.77%	8	100.00%
9	100.00%	9	31.01%	31.46%	37.53%	9	100.00%
10	100.00%	10	32.39%	31.62%	35.99%	10	100.00%
11	100.00%	11	25.34%	32.31%	42.35%	11	100.00%
AVERAGE	100%	AVERAGE	30%	30%	39%	AVERAGE	100%
STDEV	0%	STDEV	4%	4%	5%	STDEV	0%

Table 4-7 Daily Percentages of Outbound Loaded Trucks per Group (Production Model).

GROUP 1			GROUP 2			GROUP 3	
Observation	Monday	Tuesday	Observation	Wednesday	Thursday	Observation	Friday
1	47.69%	52.31%	1	33.11%	66.89%	1	100.00%
2	58.24%	41.76%	2	36.47%	63.53%	2	100.00%
3	53.59%	46.41%	3	48.23%	51.77%	3	100.00%
4	32.22%	67.78%	4	55.38%	44.62%	4	100.00%
5	45.49%	54.51%	5	44.50%	55.50%	5	100.00%
6	48.70%	51.30%	6	35.15%	64.85%	6	100.00%
7	45.93%	54.07%	7	49.89%	50.11%	7	100.00%
8	52.87%	47.13%	8	44.22%	55.78%	8	100.00%
9	46.48%	53.52%	9	41.97%	58.03%	9	100.00%
10	53.07%	46.93%	10	44.57%	55.43%	10	100.00%
11			11	42.51%	57.49%	11	100.00%
12			12	51.37%	48.63%	12	100.00%
AVERAGE	48%	52%	AVERAGE	44%	56%	AVERAGE	100%
STDEV	7%	7%	STDEV	7%	7%	STDEV	0%

Step 6: Adjustment for SEABOARD Freight Truck Volumes

As mentioned in Chapter 3, daily number of loaded trucks for inbound and outbound direction produced from Step 5 includes only truck movements generated from the two terminal companies UNIVERSAL & POMTOC. Therefore, an adjustment is needed to factor up these values and reflect the truck movements generated from the SEABOARD terminal company. Daily truck volumes generated from the SEABOARD terminal were estimated from terminal company data to be 33% of the total truck movements generated by the Port of Miami (see Table 3-3, page 3-6).

Step 7: Forecast of Total Daily Truck Volumes

The completion of Step 6 provides the inbound (attraction) and outbound (production) loaded trucks. Final adjustments are required to compute all daily generated trucks, including chassis and bobtail configurations. Constant daily percentages of the total daily loaded truck configurations for both inbound and outbound directions are shown in Table 4-8. These

percentages were based on 57 days of gate pass data. Finally, by multiplying these daily percentages by the total daily number of loaded trucks provided by Step 6 we can predict the total daily inbound and outbound freight truck movement volumes.

Table 4-8 Daily Percentages of Bobtails and Chassis Trucks from Total Loaded Truck Volume.

Day	BOBTAIL		CHASSIS	
	Inbound	Outbound	Inbound	Outbound
Monday	32%	31%	30%	30%
Tuesday	25%	36%	27%	33%
Wednesday	23%	25%	30%	38%
Thursday	27%	27%	32%	36%
Friday	18%	50%	19%	55%

Finally, using the time series ARIMA model, the regression models, and steps 1 through 6, Table 4-9 present forecasts of daily truck volumes for the year 2003.

Table 4-9 Forecasts of the Daily Truck Volumes for the Year 2003.

Day	Inbound	Outbound
Wednesday 01-Jan-03	3856	3374
Thursday 02-Jan-03	4770	4352
Friday 03-Jan-03	3659	0
Saturday 04-Jan-03	0	0
Sunday 05-Jan-03	0	0
Monday 06-Jan-03	2958	3613
Tuesday 07-Jan-03	3955	4108
Wednesday 08-Jan-03	3981	3496
Thursday 09-Jan-03	5378	3946
Friday 10-Jan-03	6462	3396
Saturday 11-Jan-03	0	0
Sunday 12-Jan-03	0	0
Monday 13-Jan-03	3495	4037
Tuesday 14-Jan-03	4674	4591
Wednesday 15-Jan-03	4704	3909
Thursday 16-Jan-03	6355	4411
Friday 17-Jan-03	7636	3728
Saturday 18-Jan-03	0	0
Sunday 19-Jan-03	0	0
Monday 20-Jan-03	3227	4178
Tuesday 21-Jan-03	4314	4751
Wednesday 22-Jan-03	4342	4046
Thursday 23-Jan-03	5867	4566
Friday 24-Jan-03	7049	3839
Saturday 25-Jan-03	0	0
Sunday 26-Jan-03	0	0
Monday 27-Jan-03	2958	3754
Tuesday 28-Jan-03	3955	4269
Wednesday 29-Jan-03	3981	3634
Thursday 30-Jan-03	5378	4101
Friday 31-Jan-03	6462	3507
Saturday 01-Feb-03	0	0
Sunday 02-Feb-03	0	0
Monday 03-Feb-03	3669	3235
Tuesday 04-Feb-03	4906	3679
Wednesday 05-Feb-03	4938	3131
Thursday 06-Feb-03	6672	3985
Friday 07-Feb-03	8016	3424
Saturday 08-Feb-03	0	0
Sunday 09-Feb-03	0	0
Monday 10-Feb-03	3534	3616
Tuesday 11-Feb-03	4724	4112
Wednesday 12-Feb-03	4756	3501
Thursday 13-Feb-03	6425	4456
Friday 14-Feb-03	7720	3761
Saturday 15-Feb-03	0	0
Sunday 16-Feb-03	0	0
Monday 17-Feb-03	3262	3743
Tuesday 18-Feb-03	4361	4256
Wednesday 19-Feb-03	4390	3625
Thursday 20-Feb-03	5930	4613
Friday 21-Feb-03	7126	3973
Saturday 22-Feb-03	0	0
Sunday 23-Feb-03	0	0
Monday 24-Feb-03	2990	3362
Tuesday 25-Feb-03	3998	3823
Wednesday 26-Feb-03	4024	3255
Thursday 27-Feb-03	5436	4142
Friday 28-Feb-03	6532	3536

Day	Inbound	Outbound
Saturday 01-Mar-03	0	0
Sunday 02-Mar-03	0	0
Monday 03-Mar-03	3709	3268
Tuesday 04-Mar-03	4959	3716
Wednesday 05-Mar-03	4992	3163
Thursday 06-Mar-03	6744	4026
Friday 07-Mar-03	8104	3453
Saturday 08-Mar-03	0	0
Sunday 09-Mar-03	0	0
Monday 10-Mar-03	3572	3653
Tuesday 11-Mar-03	4776	4154
Wednesday 12-Mar-03	4807	3537
Thursday 13-Mar-03	6494	4502
Friday 14-Mar-03	7803	3793
Saturday 15-Mar-03	0	0
Sunday 16-Mar-03	0	0
Monday 17-Mar-03	3297	3781
Tuesday 18-Mar-03	4408	4299
Wednesday 19-Mar-03	4437	3662
Thursday 20-Mar-03	5995	4660
Friday 21-Mar-03	7203	3907
Saturday 22-Mar-03	0	0
Sunday 23-Mar-03	0	0
Monday 24-Mar-03	3022	3396
Tuesday 25-Mar-03	4041	3862
Wednesday 26-Mar-03	4068	3288
Thursday 27-Mar-03	5495	4184
Friday 28-Mar-03	6603	3566
Saturday 29-Mar-03	0	0
Sunday 30-Mar-03	0	0
Monday 31-Mar-03	3750	3301
Tuesday 01-Apr-03	3754	3754
Wednesday 02-Apr-03	5046	3195
Thursday 03-Apr-03	6817	4067
Friday 04-Apr-03	8191	3482
Saturday 05-Apr-03	0	0
Sunday 06-Apr-03	0	0
Monday 07-Apr-03	3611	3690
Tuesday 08-Apr-03	4828	4196
Wednesday 09-Apr-03	4859	3573
Thursday 10-Apr-03	6565	4548
Friday 11-Apr-03	7888	3826
Saturday 12-Apr-03	0	0
Sunday 13-Apr-03	0	0
Monday 14-Apr-03	3333	3819
Tuesday 15-Apr-03	4456	4343
Wednesday 16-Apr-03	4486	3699
Thursday 17-Apr-03	6660	4708
Friday 18-Apr-03	7281	3941
Saturday 19-Apr-03	0	0
Sunday 20-Apr-03	0	0
Monday 21-Apr-03	3055	3819
Tuesday 22-Apr-03	4085	4343
Wednesday 23-Apr-03	4112	3699
Thursday 24-Apr-03	5555	4708
Friday 25-Apr-03	6675	3941
Saturday 26-Apr-03	0	0
Sunday 27-Apr-03	0	0
Monday 28-Apr-03	3055	3430
Tuesday 29-Apr-03	4085	3901
Wednesday 30-Apr-03	4112	3321

Day	Inbound	Outbound
Thursday 01-May-03	5555	4237
Friday 02-May-03	6675	3597
Saturday 03-May-03	0	0
Sunday 04-May-03	0	0
Monday 05-May-03	3790	3334
Tuesday 06-May-03	5068	3791
Wednesday 07-May-03	5101	3227
Thursday 08-May-03	6891	4107
Friday 09-May-03	8280	3511
Saturday 10-May-03	0	0
Sunday 11-May-03	0	0
Monday 12-May-03	3650	3727
Tuesday 13-May-03	4880	4238
Wednesday 14-May-03	4912	3610
Thursday 15-May-03	6636	4594
Friday 16-May-03	7974	3859
Saturday 17-May-03	0	0
Sunday 18-May-03	0	0
Monday 19-May-03	3369	3858
Tuesday 20-May-03	4505	4388
Wednesday 21-May-03	4534	3737
Thursday 22-May-03	6126	4756
Friday 23-May-03	7360	3975
Saturday 24-May-03	0	0
Sunday 25-May-03	0	0
Monday 26-May-03	3088	3465
Tuesday 27-May-03	4129	3940
Wednesday 28-May-03	4156	3355
Thursday 29-May-03	5615	4270
Friday 30-May-03	6747	3627
Saturday 31-May-03	0	0
Sunday 01-Jun-03	0	0
Monday 02-Jun-03	3831	3367
Tuesday 03-Jun-03	5123	3829
Wednesday 04-Jun-03	5156	3260
Thursday 05-Jun-03	6966	4149
Friday 06-Jun-03	8370	3541
Saturday 07-Jun-03	0	0
Sunday 08-Jun-03	0	0
Monday 09-Jun-03	3690	3765
Tuesday 10-Jun-03	4933	4282
Wednesday 11-Jun-03	4965	3647
Thursday 12-Jun-03	6708	4641
Friday 13-Jun-03	8060	3893
Saturday 14-Jun-03	0	0
Sunday 15-Jun-03	0	0
Monday 16-Jun-03	3406	3898
Tuesday 17-Jun-03	4554	4432
Wednesday 18-Jun-03	4584	3775
Thursday 19-Jun-03	6192	4805
Friday 20-Jun-03	7440	4010
Saturday 21-Jun-03	0	0
Sunday 22-Jun-03	0	0
Monday 23-Jun-03	3406	3500
Tuesday 24-Jun-03	4554	3980
Wednesday 25-Jun-03	4584	3389
Thursday 26-Jun-03	6192	4313
Friday 27-Jun-03	7440	3658
Saturday 28-Jun-03	0	0
Sunday 29-Jun-03	0	0
Monday 30-Jun-03	3443	3535

Table 4-9 Forecasts of the Daily Truck Volumes for the Year 2003 (continued).

Day	Inbound	Outbound
Tuesday 01-Jul-03	4603	4020
Wednesday 02-Jul-03	4633	3423
Thursday 03-Jul-03	6259	4357
Friday 04-Jul-03	7521	3690
Saturday 05-Jul-03	0	0
Sunday 06-Jul-03	0	0
Monday 07-Jul-03	3156	3401
Tuesday 08-Jul-03	4219	3868
Wednesday 09-Jul-03	4547	3293
Thursday 10-Jul-03	5738	4191
Friday 11-Jul-03	6894	3571
Saturday 12-Jul-03	0	0
Sunday 13-Jul-03	0	0
Monday 14-Jul-03	3873	3804
Tuesday 15-Jul-03	5178	4325
Wednesday 16-Jul-03	5212	3684
Thursday 17-Jul-03	7042	4689
Friday 18-Jul-03	8461	3927
Saturday 19-Jul-03	0	0
Sunday 20-Jul-03	0	0
Monday 21-Jul-03	3730	3938
Tuesday 22-Jul-03	4987	4478
Wednesday 23-Jul-03	5019	3814
Thursday 24-Jul-03	6781	4854
Friday 25-Jul-03	8148	4045
Saturday 26-Jul-03	0	0
Sunday 27-Jul-03	0	0
Monday 28-Jul-03	3443	3535
Tuesday 29-Jul-03	4603	4020
Wednesday 30-Jul-03	4633	3423
Thursday 31-Jul-03	6259	4357
Friday 01-Aug-03	7521	3690
Saturday 02-Aug-03	0	0
Sunday 03-Aug-03	0	0
Monday 04-Aug-03	3190	3436
Tuesday 05-Aug-03	4265	3907
Wednesday 06-Aug-03	4293	3326
Thursday 07-Aug-03	5800	4234
Friday 08-Aug-03	6969	3602
Saturday 09-Aug-03	0	0
Sunday 10-Aug-03	0	0
Monday 11-Aug-03	3915	3842
Tuesday 12-Aug-03	5235	4369
Wednesday 13-Aug-03	5269	3722
Thursday 14-Aug-03	7118	4737
Friday 15-Aug-03	8553	3951
Saturday 16-Aug-03	0	0
Sunday 17-Aug-03	0	0
Monday 18-Aug-03	3770	3978
Tuesday 19-Aug-03	5041	4524
Wednesday 20-Aug-03	5974	3853
Thursday 21-Aug-03	6855	4984
Friday 22-Aug-03	8236	4081
Saturday 23-Aug-03	0	0
Sunday 24-Aug-03	0	0
Monday 25-Aug-03	3480	3571
Tuesday 26-Aug-03	4653	4061
Wednesday 27-Aug-03	4684	3458
Thursday 28-Aug-03	6327	4401
Friday 29-Aug-03	7603	3721
Saturday 30-Aug-03	0	0
Sunday 31-Aug-03	0	0

Day	Inbound	Outbound
Monday 01-Sep-03	3225	3471
Tuesday 02-Sep-03	4312	3947
Wednesday 03-Sep-03	4340	3360
Thursday 04-Sep-03	5863	4277
Friday 05-Sep-03	7045	3632
Saturday 06-Sep-03	0	0
Sunday 07-Sep-03	0	0
Monday 08-Sep-03	3958	3471
Tuesday 09-Sep-03	5291	3947
Wednesday 10-Sep-03	5326	3360
Thursday 11-Sep-03	7196	4277
Friday 12-Sep-03	8646	3632
Saturday 13-Sep-03	0	0
Sunday 14-Sep-03	0	0
Monday 15-Sep-03	3811	3882
Tuesday 16-Sep-03	5095	4414
Wednesday 17-Sep-03	5129	3760
Thursday 18-Sep-03	6929	4785
Friday 19-Sep-03	8326	3996
Saturday 20-Sep-03	0	0
Sunday 21-Sep-03	0	0
Monday 22-Sep-03	3518	4019
Tuesday 23-Sep-03	4704	4570
Wednesday 24-Sep-03	4734	3893
Thursday 25-Sep-03	6396	4955
Friday 26-Sep-03	7685	4117
Saturday 27-Sep-03	0	0
Sunday 28-Sep-03	0	0
Monday 29-Sep-03	3260	3644
Tuesday 30-Sep-03	4358	4144
Wednesday 01-Oct-03	4387	3529
Thursday 02-Oct-03	5927	4492
Friday 03-Oct-03	7121	3786
Saturday 04-Oct-03	0	0
Sunday 05-Oct-03	0	0
Monday 06-Oct-03	4001	3506
Tuesday 07-Oct-03	5349	3987
Wednesday 08-Oct-03	5384	3394
Thursday 09-Oct-03	7274	4320
Friday 10-Oct-03	8740	3663
Saturday 11-Oct-03	0	0
Sunday 12-Oct-03	0	0
Monday 13-Oct-03	3852	3921
Tuesday 14-Oct-03	5151	4459
Wednesday 15-Oct-03	5185	3799
Thursday 16-Oct-03	7004	4834
Friday 17-Oct-03	8416	4031
Saturday 18-Oct-03	0	0
Sunday 19-Oct-03	0	0
Monday 20-Oct-03	3556	4060
Tuesday 21-Oct-03	4755	4617
Wednesday 22-Oct-03	4786	3953
Thursday 23-Oct-03	6466	5006
Friday 24-Oct-03	7769	4153
Saturday 25-Oct-03	0	0
Sunday 26-Oct-03	0	0
Monday 27-Oct-03	3260	3644
Tuesday 28-Oct-03	4387	4144
Wednesday 29-Oct-03	4387	3529
Thursday 30-Oct-03	5927	4492
Friday 31-Oct-03	7121	3786

Day	Inbound	Outbound
Saturday 01-Nov-03	0	0
Sunday 02-Nov-03	0	0
Monday 03-Nov-03	3295	3541
Tuesday 04-Nov-03	4406	4027
Wednesday 05-Nov-03	4435	3429
Thursday 06-Nov-03	5991	4364
Friday 07-Nov-03	7199	3695
Saturday 08-Nov-03	0	0
Sunday 09-Nov-03	0	0
Monday 10-Nov-03	4044	3962
Tuesday 11-Nov-03	5407	4505
Wednesday 12-Nov-03	5443	3838
Thursday 13-Nov-03	7353	4884
Friday 14-Nov-03	8835	4066
Saturday 15-Nov-03	0	0
Sunday 16-Nov-03	0	0
Monday 17-Nov-03	3894	4102
Tuesday 18-Nov-03	5207	4664
Wednesday 19-Nov-03	5241	3974
Thursday 20-Nov-03	7081	5057
Friday 21-Nov-03	8508	4190
Saturday 22-Nov-03	0	0
Sunday 23-Nov-03	0	0
Monday 24-Nov-03	3595	3681
Tuesday 25-Nov-03	4806	4186
Wednesday 26-Nov-03	4838	3565
Thursday 27-Nov-03	6536	4537
Friday 28-Nov-03	7853	3819
Saturday 29-Nov-03	0	0
Sunday 30-Nov-03	0	0
Monday 01-Dec-03	3331	3577
Tuesday 02-Dec-03	4454	4068
Wednesday 03-Dec-03	4483	3464
Thursday 04-Dec-03	6056	4408
Friday 05-Dec-03	7277	3727
Saturday 06-Dec-03	0	0
Sunday 07-Dec-03	0	0
Monday 08-Dec-03	4088	3577
Tuesday 09-Dec-03	5466	4068
Wednesday 10-Dec-03	5502	3464
Thursday 11-Dec-03	7433	4408
Friday 12-Dec-03	8931	3727
Saturday 13-Dec-03	0	0
Sunday 14-Dec-03	0	0
Monday 15-Dec-03	3937	4002
Tuesday 16-Dec-03	5263	4551
Wednesday 17-Dec-03	5298	3877
Thursday 18-Dec-03	7157	4934
Friday 19-Dec-03	8600	4102
Saturday 20-Dec-03	0	0
Sunday 21-Dec-03	0	0
Monday 22-Dec-03	3654	4144
Tuesday 23-Dec-03	4858	4712
Wednesday 24-Dec-03	4890	4015
Thursday 25-Dec-03	6607	5110
Friday 26-Dec-03	7938	4228
Saturday 27-Dec-03	0	0
Sunday 28-Dec-03	0	0
Monday 29-Dec-03	3402	4497
Tuesday 30-Dec-03	4788	4720
Wednesday 31-Dec-03	4820	4986

Step 8: Forecasts of Hourly Truck Volumes

Finally, we can predict the total hourly volume of trucks by using the results from Step 7 and multiplying these figures by the percentages of trucks for each hour. Table 4-10 presents a sample of the 24-hourly distribution for inbound truck volumes on Mondays. Figures K.1 through K.10 in Appendix K illustrate a complete list of inbound and outbound hourly truck volume distributions for each day.

**Table 4-10 Hourly Distributions of Inbound Truck Volume (Attraction Model)
on Mondays.**

Time	Mon 3/17/97	Mon 3/24/97	Mon 3/31/97	Mon 4/7/97	Mon 4/14/97	Mon 4/21/97	Mon 4/28/97	Average - One Stdev	Average	Average + One Stdev
0:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
1:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
2:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
3:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
4:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
5:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
6:00	3%	1%	0%	1%	2%	0%	1%	0%	1%	2%
7:00	8%	2%	3%	4%	6%	6%	5%	3%	5%	7%
8:00	9%	8%	7%	9%	8%	10%	10%	8%	9%	10%
9:00	9%	11%	9%	10%	9%	11%	8%	8%	10%	11%
10:00	11%	11%	11%	8%	11%	9%	8%	8%	10%	11%
11:00	10%	10%	11%	12%	11%	7%	11%	9%	10%	12%
12:00	10%	9%	10%	8%	13%	11%	13%	9%	11%	13%
13:00	7%	11%	11%	11%	9%	10%	11%	8%	10%	11%
14:00	7%	11%	10%	8%	10%	9%	11%	8%	9%	11%
15:00	10%	13%	10%	11%	9%	11%	11%	10%	11%	12%
16:00	8%	10%	10%	10%	9%	10%	9%	8%	9%	10%
17:00	5%	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	4%
18:00	1%	1%	2%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%
19:00	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
20:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
21:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
22:00	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
23:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
0:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

Chapter 5

CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The immediate implementation of the developed trip generation models in this study is for short-term prediction of heavy truck volumes. The regression models forecast current or near-term (5 years or less) truck trip generation, based primarily on internal port activity.

There is a potential benefit for planners and other users of the model for predicting truck traffic even for very short time horizons, e.g., few weeks in the future. Although no infrastructure modifications could be applied for this time frame, transportation system management (TSM) solutions can be implemented to alleviate anticipated traffic problems, e.g., traffic signal adjustments.

The implementation of time series and production/attraction models for long-term prediction should be applied with caution. Truck volumes over the long term are expected to be vastly higher than the present period. For this latter situation, truck traffic over the long term needs to be quantified in the near future to assist with long-term planning solutions, such as infrastructure improvements and roadway expansions.

A much more extensive and complicated analysis is required for long-range forecasting. The developed and validated regression models for near-term truck trip generation at the port combined with the time series analysis for long-term prediction of the independent variable (freight units) provide the foundation for a potential long-term forecasting tool.

The success from these truck trip generation models for this small urban region can be utilized to build a freight movement model for a larger region, which might also include effects on the interstate highways (I-95 and I-395). This is planned for Phase III of this study.

It cannot be assumed for the long-term (20 years) that the dependent variable of truck trip generation will necessarily be related to the independent variable of internal freight activity according to the regression models. Unexpected variables can significantly alter the long-term trend. For example, demand for port usage can be a function of economic activities in regions several thousand miles outside of the United States. This is applicable to the Port of Miami's situation with its freight activity being dominated by international imports and exports.

Another influencing scenario could emerge from the continuing development and competition of nearby ports (i.e., Freeport, Everglades, Canaveral, Jacksonville, etc.). A third major influence might be from cruiseship service. Port of Miami is currently the world's largest cruise port by passenger volume and revenue. Cruiseship service could become more profitable in the future and affect the financial viability of maintaining or expanding cargo operations.

A viable alternative has been proposed by Beiswenger, Hoch, and Associates (17) for relieving truck traffic from the street network that is destined for the nearby intermodal rail yard. The proposal is to build an elevated, dedicated truck route over the railroad's (Florida East Coast's) right-of-way. This would be a long-term solution involving a major infrastructure change. However, this alternative may be resisted by the local community. A trip distribution and modal split analysis would be required to model this scenario. As the main goal of this multi-phase study is to develop a statewide heavy truck model on road networks connecting with Florida seaports, the future tasks will focus on mode choice, trip distribution, and trip assignment models. These are planned in Phases II and III of this study.

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APPENDIX A

Sample of Gate Pass Cards

Figure A-1: A Gate Pass Card With Weight Information



PORT of MIAMI



METRO-DADE

METROPOLITAN DADE COUNTY FLORIDA
SEAPORT DEPARTMENT

GATE PASS

SCALE FILE COPY **S264773** *246*

REGISCOPE NO. _____

DATE & TIME IN	DATE & TIME OUT	TRAC/LIC. No. LS9110	STATE FL
CARRIER (Trucking Co.)	DRIVER [Signature] DRIVER ID: 04		

IN EMPTY TRAILER/CONTAINER No. _____
 LOAD TRAILER/CONTAINER No. **PMUS8019782**
 CHASSIS/FLATBED CHASSIS/FLATBED No. **113733**

OUT EMPTY TRAILER/CONTAINER No. _____
 LOAD TRAILER/CONTAINER No. _____
 CHASSIS/FLATBED CHASSIS/FLATBED No. _____

IN EMPTY TRAILER/CONTAINER No. _____
 LOAD TRAILER/CONTAINER No. _____
 CHASSIS/FLATBED CHASSIS/FLATBED No. _____

OUT EMPTY TRAILER/CONTAINER No. _____
 LOAD TRAILER/CONTAINER No. _____
 CHASSIS/FLATBED CHASSIS/FLATBED No. _____

SEAPORT SCALE

WEIGHT GROSS

117441 21FE837 GROSS 66300 LB

COMPANY NAME DATE & TIME DEL/REC. CLERK	COMPANY NAME DATE & TIME DEL/REC. CLERK
PRINT DRIVER'S NAME	DRIVER'S SIGNATURE

WARNING - Restricted Area • Authorized Vehicles Only • All Vehicles Are Subject To Search By Authority of Chapter 28A, Dade County Ordinance 78-65

Figure A-2: A Gate Pass Card Without Weight Information

 PORT of MIAMI		 METRO-DADE		GATE PASS		REGISCOPE NO B 1292742
METROPOLITAN DADE COUNTY FLORIDA SEAPORT DEPARTMENT		SEAPORT SECURITY		DATE & TIME OUT MAR 97 03 57		
DATE & TIME IN:	CARRIER: 11111111 (Trucking Co.)	TRAC./LIC. No. 1P440K	STATE FL	DRIVER		
<input type="checkbox"/> EMPTY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOAD <input type="checkbox"/> CHASSIS/FLATBED CHASSIS/FLATBED No.	TRAILER/CONTAINER No. TRAILER/CONTAINER No.	<input type="checkbox"/> EMPTY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOAD <input type="checkbox"/> CHASSIS/FLATBED CHASSIS/FLATBED No.	N	TRAILER/CONTAINER No. TRAILER/CONTAINER No.		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EMPTY <input type="checkbox"/> LOAD <input type="checkbox"/> CHASSIS/FLATBED CHASSIS/FLATBED No.	TRAILER/CONTAINER No. 280220719	<input type="checkbox"/> EMPTY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOAD <input type="checkbox"/> CHASSIS/FLATBED CHASSIS/FLATBED No.	O	TRAILER/CONTAINER No.		
<input type="checkbox"/> CHASSIS/FLATBED CHASSIS/FLATBED No. 2052 40255-4	TRAILER/CONTAINER No.	<input type="checkbox"/> EMPTY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOAD <input type="checkbox"/> CHASSIS/FLATBED CHASSIS/FLATBED No.	U	TRAILER/CONTAINER No.		
<input type="checkbox"/> GENERAL CARGO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MISCELLANEOUS M.T.O.C.	TRAILER/CONTAINER No.	<input type="checkbox"/> EMPTY <input type="checkbox"/> TRAILER <input type="checkbox"/> TRUCK <input type="checkbox"/> FLATBED <input type="checkbox"/> VAN <input type="checkbox"/> LOAD <input type="checkbox"/> PICK-UP <input type="checkbox"/> CAR/CARRIER <input type="checkbox"/> BOAT <input type="checkbox"/> STORES	T	CHASSIS/FLATBED CHASSIS/FLATBED No.		
<input type="checkbox"/> GENERAL CARGO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MISCELLANEOUS MAR - 7 1997	TRAILER/CONTAINER No.	<input type="checkbox"/> EMPTY <input type="checkbox"/> TRAILER <input type="checkbox"/> TRUCK <input type="checkbox"/> FLATBED <input type="checkbox"/> VAN <input type="checkbox"/> LOAD <input type="checkbox"/> PICK-UP <input type="checkbox"/> CAR/CARRIER <input type="checkbox"/> BOAT <input type="checkbox"/> STORES		TRAILER/CONTAINER No.		
<input type="checkbox"/> GENERAL CARGO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MISCELLANEOUS LANE #	TRAILER/CONTAINER No.	<input type="checkbox"/> EMPTY <input type="checkbox"/> TRAILER <input type="checkbox"/> TRUCK <input type="checkbox"/> FLATBED <input type="checkbox"/> VAN <input type="checkbox"/> LOAD <input type="checkbox"/> PICK-UP <input type="checkbox"/> CAR/CARRIER <input type="checkbox"/> BOAT <input type="checkbox"/> STORES		TRAILER/CONTAINER No.		
COMPANY NAME DATE & TIME DEL/REC. CLERK	COMPANY NAME DATE & TIME DEL/REC. CLERK	COMPANY NAME DATE & TIME DEL/REC. CLERK		COMPANY NAME DATE & TIME DEL/REC. CLERK		
WARNING - Restricted Area - Authorized Vehicles Only - All Vehicles Are Subject To Search By Authority Of Chapter 28A, Dade County Ordinance 78-85						

APPENDIX B

Sample of Daily Dock Reports

TIDES: HIGH
LOW

1025-2257
0434-1657

PORT OF MIAMI
DAILY DOCK REPORT
07/31/96
07:49

SUNRISE: 0649 PAGE:
SUNSET: 2011

VESSELS IN PORT	FLAG/ BERTH	INBOUND DATE/TIME	OUTBOUND DATE/TIME	VESSEL LENGTH/WT	AGENT/ STEVEDORE	PURPOSE & CARGO	PORT OF CAL LAST/NEXT
MSRC 451 (WCB770)MARINE SPILL RESPONC	UNITED STATES NOAA-E	07/01/96 0001	07/31/96 2400	300 869	MARINE SPILL RE NONE		MIAMI MIAMI
NORDSEE (V2NW)SEABOARD MARINE LTD	ANTIGUA & BARBUD 93	07/27/96 1845	07/31/96 2100	291 2579	SEABOARD MARINE CONTINENTAL	CONT. CONT.	SEA PORT AU PRINC
SEABOARD VENTURE (LATJ2)SEABOARD MARINE LTD.	NORWAY 74	07/29/96 1550	08/01/96 1500	373 6991	SEABOARD MARINE CONTINENTAL	CONT CONT	MONTEGO BAY KINGSTON
TROPICANA (C6DQ5)JUBILEE OF THE BAHAM	BAHAMAS 6 (6-8) PST	07/29/96 1745	07/31/96 1930	385 4548	TROPICANA CRUIS OCEANIC	PASSENGERS	FREEPORT SEA
MAYVIEW MAERSK (OWEB2)MAERSK LINE	DENMARK G/C 102-1/2W	07/31/96 0605	07/31/96 1800	965 52181	MAERSK LINE AGE UNIVERSAL MARIT	CONT CONT	MANZANILLO CHARLESTON, S
THORKIL MAERSK (9VFE)MAERSK LINE	SINGAPORE G/C 111-1/2W	07/31/96 0645	07/31/96 1700	529 17700	MAERSK LINE AGE UNIVERSAL	CONT CONT	MANZANILLO CHARLESTON, S
SEABOARD UNIVERSE (ELRU3)SEABOARD MARINE LTD	LIBERIA 91	07/31/96 0715	07/31/96 2130	527 15375	SEABOARD MARINE CONTINENTAL	TRLS./CONT TRLS./CONT	SANTO THOMAS D PUERTO CORTES
<u>VESSELS DUE IN PORT WITHIN 1 DAY</u>							
JAMAICA PROVIDER (V3NY4)SEABOARD MARINE LTD	BELIZE 76	07/31/96 0900	07/31/96 1800	301 2676	SEABOARD MARINE CONTINENTAL	TRLS./CONT TRLS./CONT	NASSAU NASSAU
CSAV RENG0 (DIKV)CHILEAN LINE	GERMANY G/C 111W	07/31/96 2000	08/01/96 1900	603 16800	CHILEAN LINE FLA. STEVEDORES	CONT. CONT.	BALBOA NEW YORK
MSC CHIARA (3EZQ8)MEDITERRANEAN SHIPPI	PANAMA G/C 116-1/2W	07/31/96 2000	08/01/96 1600	683 26699	MEDITERRANEAN S FL. STEVEDORES	CONT. CONT.	CHARLESTON, S. NEW ORLEANS,
TROPICANA (C6DQ5)JUBILEE OF THE BAHAM	BAHAMAS 6 (6-8) PST	07/31/96 2400	08/01/96 1930	385 4548	TROPICANA CRUIS OCEANIC	PASSENGERS PASSENGERS	SEA SEA
BELGRANO (P3HR2)FROTA AMAZONICA	CYPRUS TBA	08/01/96 0500	08/01/96 2000	425 7240	FAR0VI SHIPPING FL.STEVE.	CONT CONT	HOUSTON, TEXAS MANAUS
NOBLEZA (ELDF7)NYK/NOS	LIBERIA 55-W	08/01/96 0600	08/01/96 2100	539 29933	WILHELMSSEN LINE OCEANIC	CONT CONT	JACKSONVILLE, RIO HAINA
ROYAL SEAS (ELSH9)DISCOVERY CRUISES, I	UKRAINE 10 (10-2) SST	08/01/96 0800	08/02/96 1000	513 15409	SUNSHINE SHIPPI CONTINENTAL	PASSENGERS PASSENGERS	TAMPA, FLORIDA SEA
ATLANTIS (V2CT)SEABOARD MARINE LTD	ANTIGUA & BARBUD 183W	08/01/96 0930	08/01/96 2100	291 2563	SEABOARD MARINE CONTINENTAL	CONT. CONT.	KINGSTON PORT AU PRINC
HOOD ISLAND (C6LU4)ECUADORIAN LINE	BAHAMAS G/C 123W	08/01/96 1000	08/01/96 1900	586 14061	ECUADORIAN LINE CONTINENTAL	CONT. CONT.	GUAYAQUIL ZEEBRUGGE

APPENDIX C

Sample of Ganty Crane Activities Reports

PGM: FISB590
 RUN DATE: 04/08/97

FISCAL OPERATIONS
 CRANE ACTIVITY BY SHIPLINE

SHIPLINE /VESSEL NAME	SERVICE DATE	S/T HRS.	O/T HRS.	D/T MINS
*** VACANT	***			
MEHMET KALKAVAN	03/03/97	5	1	
CURRENT MONTH LINE TOTALS	----->	5	1	
*** CCNI	***			
CCNI ANAKENA	01/12/97		-2	
CCNI ANAKENA	03/28/97		6	
CCNI ARAUCO	03/14/97	5	1	
CCNI ARAUCO	03/22/97		11	
CURRENT MONTH LINE TOTALS	----->	5	16	
*** CHILEAN LINE (CSAV)	***			
CSAV LONGUIMAY	03/07/97		9	
CSAV LONGUIMAY	03/15/97		13	
CSAV RANCO	03/13/97	6		
CSAV RENGU	03/08/97		8	
CSAV ROMERAL	03/03/97		16	
CSAV RUNGUE	03/23/97		9	
CSAV RUNGUE	03/31/97	7	5	
CSAV RUPANCO	03/07/97	8	2	30
CSAV RUPANCO	03/07/97			-15
CURRENT MONTH LINE TOTALS	----->	21	62	15
*** CHO YANG	***			
HANSA CARRIER	03/18/97	2	9	
HAVELLAND	02/22/97			
HAVELLAND	03/28/97		4	
CURRENT MONTH LINE TOTALS	----->	2	13	
*** COLUMBIA COASTAL	***			
COLUMBIA MIAMI (BARGE)	03/05/97		4	
COLUMBIA MIAMI (BARGE)	03/12/97		3	
COLUMBIA MIAMI (BARGE)	03/19/97		11	
COLUMBIA MIAMI (BARGE)	03/27/97		1	
CURRENT MONTH LINE TOTALS	----->		19	
*** COLUMBUS LINE	***			
HEICON	03/16/97		12	

S/T = Standard Time
 O/T = Over Time

APPENDIX D

Sample of Trailer/Container Activity Reports

SEAPORT DEPARTMENT
 TRAILER/CONTAINER ACTIVITY REPORT
 AS OF MAY 1996

FOREIGN <----- I N B O U N D A C T I V I T Y -----> <----- O U T B O U N D A C T I V I T Y ----->

SHIPPING LINE/ VESSEL NAME	ARRIVAL DATE	-GROSS WEIGHTS- CNTNRS TRAILERS		-QUANTITIES- CONTAINERS				-GROSS WEIGHTS- TRAILERS CNTNRS TRAILERS				-QUANTITIES- CONTAINERS				-QUANTITIES- TRAILERS			
		20"	40"	20"	40"	FUL	EMP	FUL	EMP	FUL	EMP	FUL	EMP	FUL	EMP	FUL	EMP	FUL	EMP
JAMAICA PROVIDER	50896	18	88	8		2	9	83	331	6		6		6		14			
JAMAICA PROVIDER	51096	2	90	1		1	11	80	358	6		6		6		16			
JAMAICA PROVIDER	51296	23	50	10		1	5	73	256	4		4		4		12			
JAMAICA PROVIDER	51596	9	110	4		1	14	120	469	9		9		9		18			
JAMAICA PROVIDER	51796		40				6	89	203	6		6		6		9			
JAMAICA PROVIDER	52096	20	84	9		1	9	113	156	6		6		6		7			
VESSEL TOTAL		148	876	1	60	13	101	905	3464	58		58		58		148			
KIRK CHALLENGER	42696	72	193	32			29	355	874	32		32		32		39			
KIRK CHALLENGER	50396	9	596	4		23	18	466	984	24		24		24		41			
KIRK CHALLENGER	51096	61	130	27			20	217	994	17		17		17		45			
KIRK CHALLENGER	51796	23	195	9			29	297	930	17		17		17		40			
VESSEL TOTAL		165	1114	1	72	23	96	1335	3782	90		90		90		165			
KIRK MARINER	42596	81	807	36		41	18	119	1775	10		10		10		79			
KIRK MARINER	50396	94	367	2	38	3	42	280	1369	19		19		19		63			
KIRK MARINER	50996	63	661	28		18	40	273	1568	21		21		21		69			
KIRK MARINER	51696	65	817	3	16	26	32	336	1281	29		29		29		62			
VESSEL TOTAL		303	2652	5	118	88	132	1008	5993	79		79		79		273			
SEABOARD CARIBE	42896	20	3118	9		143		199	2520	23		23		23		124			
SEABOARD CARIBE	50596	27	2666	12		108		101	2538	15		15		15		18			
SEABOARD CARIBE	51296	267	2147	16		83	55	107	2506	20		20		20		124			
SEABOARD CARIBE	51996	242	2031	9	30	92	41	70	2596	8		8		8		125			
VESSEL TOTAL		556	9962	37	39	426	96	477	10160	66		66		66		497			
SEABOARD EXPRESS	50896							341	1683	27		27		27		84			
SEABOARD EXPRESS	51596	114	1505	14	14	55	98	519	2054	33		33		33		100			
VESSEL TOTAL		114	1505	14	14	55	98	860	3737	60		60		60		184			
SEABOARD SUN	43096	71	1595	2	28	25	108	580	2600	62		62		62		115			
SEABOARD SUN	51296	348	1780	19	33	61	26	601	2360	48		48		48		102			
VESSEL TOTAL		419	3375	21	61	86	134	1181	4960	110		110		110		217			
SHIPLINE TOTAL		2471	19484	87	480	2	73	691	657	7917	32146	549	1	64		1485			

APPENDIX E

Sample of Monthly Trailer/Container Performance Reports

PERSONNEL:	THIS MONTH	LAST MONTH	SAME MONTH LAST YEAR
BUDGETED	212	202	214
EMPLOYED	197	202	214

	THIS MONTH		LAST MONTH		SAME MONTH LAST YEAR		THIS YEAR TO DATE		LAST YEAR TO DATE	
	U.S.	FOREIGN	U.S.	FOREIGN	U.S.	FOREIGN	U.S.	FOREIGN	U.S.	FOREIGN
SHIPS DOCKED:										
CARGO	25	196	18	193	16	199	182	2,074	187	2,133
PASSENGER		109		93		117	1	1,286		1,598
TOTAL	25	305	18	286	16	316	183	3,360	187	3,731
NO. BERTH DAYS:										
CARGO SHIPS		321		311		321		3,226		3,313
PASSENGER SHIPS		90		83		102		1,155		1,306
TOTAL		411		394		423		4,381		4,619
SHIPS TONNAGE:										
CARGO SHIPS		2,897,179		2,811,531		2,966,468		30,999,202		31,276,426
PASSENGER SHIPS		4,135,452		3,649,229		3,480,277		44,552,660		42,074,163
TOTAL SHIPS TONNAGE		7,032,631		6,460,760		6,446,745		75,551,862		73,350,589
PASSENGERS:										
U.S. FLAG SHIPS										
FOREIGN FLAG SHIPS		324,236		283,429		246,039		3,010,462		2,877,479
TOTAL		324,236		283,429		246,039		3,010,462		2,877,479
PARKING LOT VEHICLES		16,832		14,287		14,239		153,733		142,300
CARGO TONNAGE:										
U.S. FLAG SHIPS:										
INBOUND IN TRAILERS		5,351		5,206		1,537		44,469		14,599
INBOUND IN CONTAINERS		45,746		29,985		15,330		267,349		148,263
INBOUND OTHERS		2						7		936
OUTBOUND IN TRAILERS		1,837		1,277		1,069		15,391		15,558
OUTBOUND IN CONTAINERS		10,007		11,049		6,492		72,734		83,991
OUTBOUND OTHERS								11		99
TOTAL U.S. FLAG-SHIPS		62,943		47,517		24,428		399,961		263,446
FOREIGN SHIPS:										
INBOUND IN TRAILERS		61,372		65,287		55,971		808,297		709,983
INBOUND IN CONTAINERS		176,841		224,681		192,686		1,927,417		1,835,843
INBOUND OTHERS		4,177		4,067		7,853		58,368		51,983
OUTBOUND IN TRAILERS		100,847		102,773		81,678		1,182,867		968,493
OUTBOUND IN CONTAINERS		145,811		155,000		140,752		1,661,002		1,451,331
OUTBOUND OTHERS		12,023		13,014		13,480		158,791		167,327
TOTAL FOREIGN SHIPS		501,071		564,822		492,420		5,796,742		5,184,960
GRAND TOTAL ALL CARGO		564,014		612,339		516,848		6,196,703		5,448,406
NUMBER OF TRAILERS:										
INBOUND		5,585		6,313		3,809		62,317		52,589
OUTBOUND		5,332		5,937		4,295		65,557		53,429
TOTAL		10,917		12,250		8,104		127,874		106,018
NUMBER OF CONTAINERS:										
INBOUND		15,065		16,950		13,609		146,902		133,713
OUTBOUND		12,790		13,729		12,085		130,304		118,870
TOTAL		27,855		30,679		25,694		277,206		252,583

APPENDIX F

Shceffe's Test

EXPLANATION OF SCHEFFE'S STATISTICAL TEST

Scheffe's Equation determines whether there are significant differences between mean values. Scheffe's method is rigorous. In other words, it reduces the probability of making a Type I error versus less rigorous methods. Application of Scheffe's involves a series of statistical F-tests.

$$F = \frac{(N_1 * N_2) * (\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2)^2}{(N_1 + N_2) * S^2}$$

\bar{X}_1 = Mean value of data set X_1

\bar{X}_2 = Mean value of data set X_2

S = Sum of squares/ degrees of freedom of groups added together

N_1 = Number of values in data set X_1

N_2 = Number of values in data set X_2

Each of the following comparisons of data sets A, B, and C would represent a different F-test:

\bar{A} versus \bar{B}

\bar{A} versus \bar{C}

\bar{B} versus \bar{C}

These tests are used to evaluate the differences between two variances in order to decide if it is practical to pool the two together.

APPENDIX G

Wilcoxon Rank Sum test

The Wilcoxon Rank Sum Test for Large Samples

($n_1 \geq 10$ and $n_2 \geq 10$)

Ho: Relative frequency distributions for populations 1 and 2 are identical.

Ha: Relative frequency distribution for population 1 is shifted either to the left or to the right of the distribution of population 2.

Test Statistic :

$$Z = \frac{T_1 - \left[\frac{n_1 * n_2 + n_1 * (n_1 + 1)}{2} \right]}{\sqrt{\frac{n_1 * n_2 * (n_1 + n_2 + 1)}{12}}}$$

n_1 = Size of Sample 1

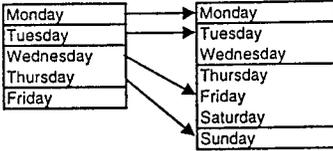
n_2 = Size of Sample 2

T_1 = Sum of Rank of Sample 1

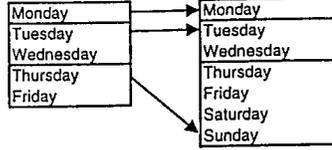
Rejection Region : $Z > Z_{\alpha/2}$ or $Z < -Z_{\alpha/2}$

APPENDIX H

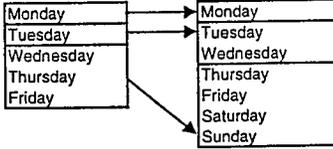
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Model A-21

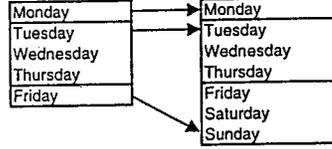
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R square Value	0.315
SSE/Mean	0.38

Model A-31

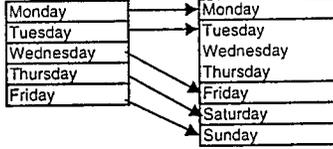
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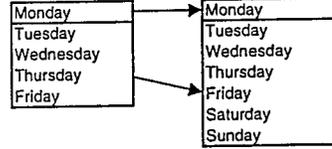
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Model A-32

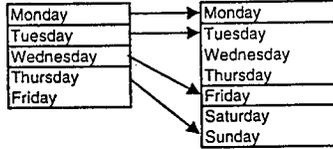
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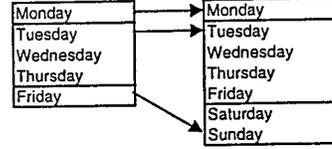
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SSE/Mean	0.27

Model A-33

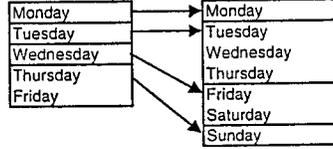
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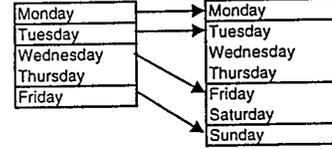
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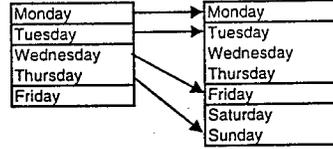
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Model A-25

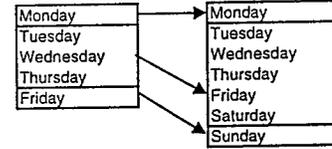
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Model A-35

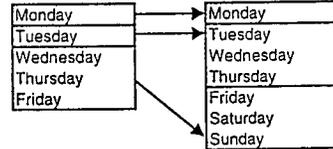
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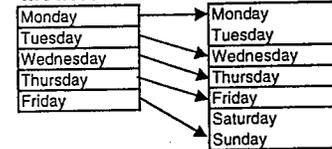
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Model A-36

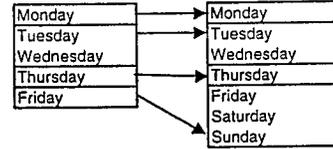
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Model A-27

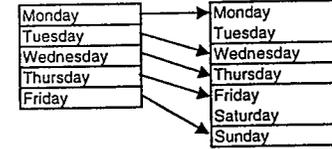
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Model A-37

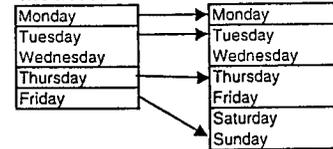
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Model A-28

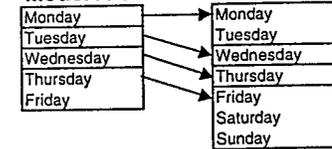
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Model A-38

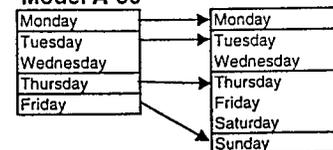
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Model A-29

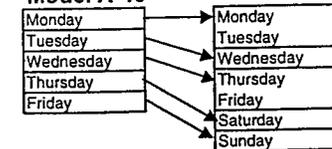
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Model A-39

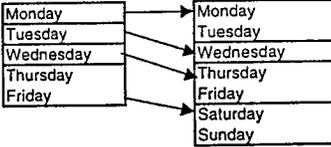
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Model A-30

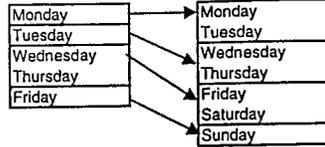
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Model A-40

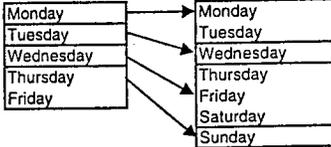
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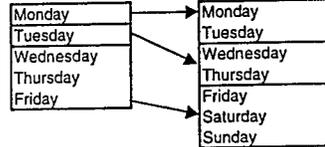
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Model A-51

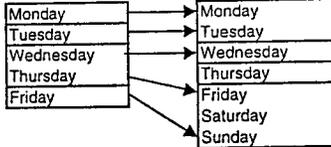
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SSE/Mean	0.42

Model A-42

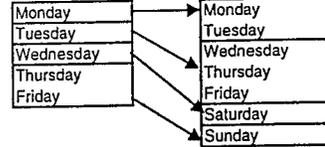
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SSE/Mean	0.56

Model A-52

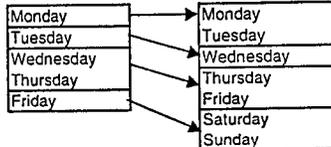
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SSE/Mean	0.47

Model A-43

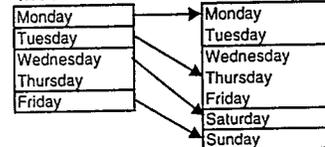
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SSE/Mean	0.4

Model A-53

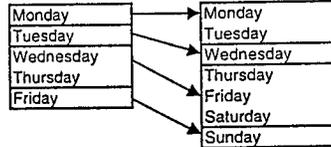
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SSE/Mean	0.57

Model A-44

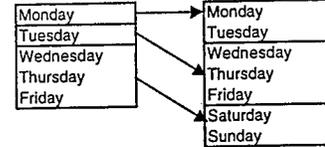
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SSE/Mean	0.39

Model A-54

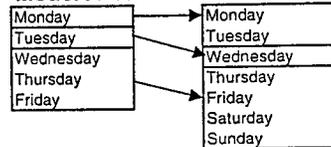
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% of outlier	20.83
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SSE/Mean	0.4

Model A-45

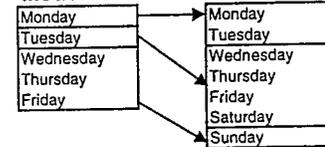
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SSE/Mean	0.34

Model A-55

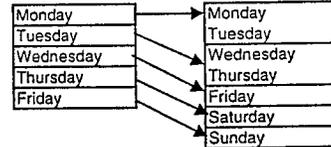
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SSE/Mean	0.73

Model A-46

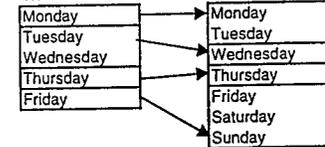
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Model A-56

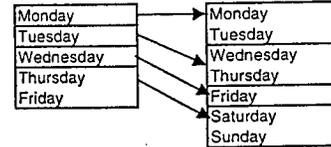
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Model A-47

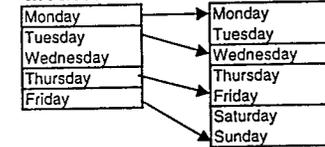
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SSE/Mean	0.27

Model A-57

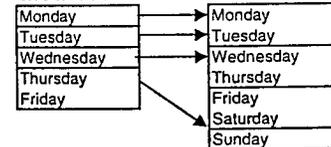
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SSE/Mean	0.34

Model A-48

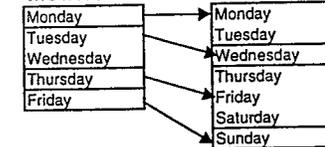
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Model A-58

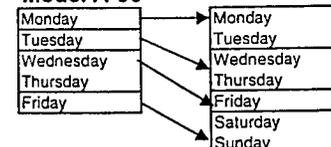
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SSE/Mean	0.31

Model A-49

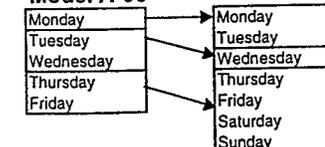
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Model A-59

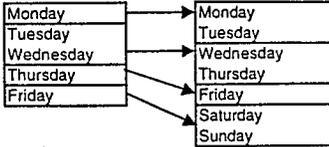
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Model A-50

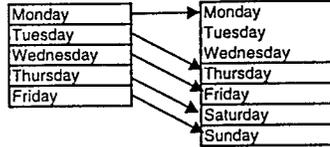
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Model A-60

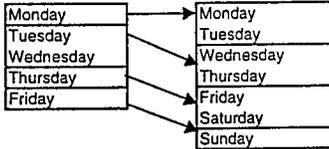
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Model A-61

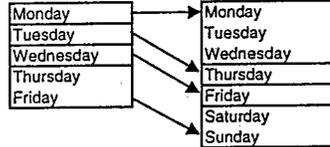
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Model A-71

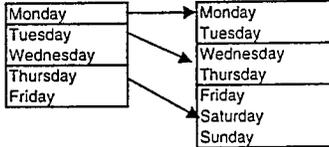
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Model A-62

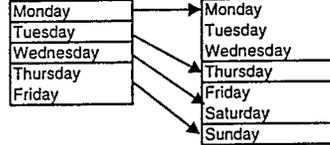
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Model A-72

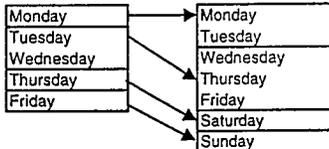
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Model A-63

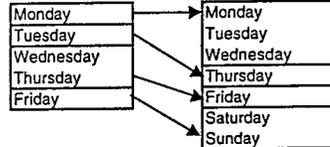
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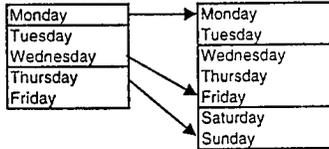
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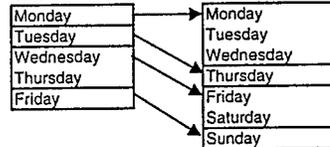
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Model A-74

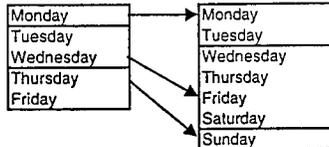
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Model A-65

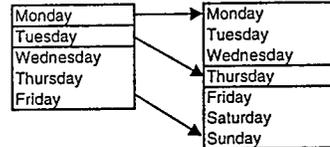
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Model A-75

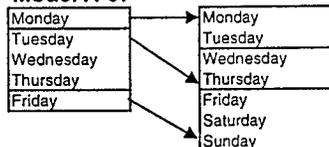
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Model A-66

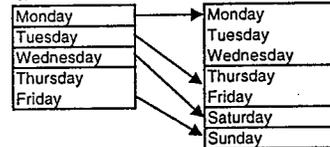
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Model A-76

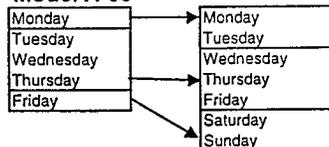
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Model A-67

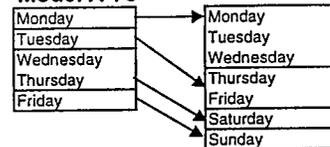
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Model A-77

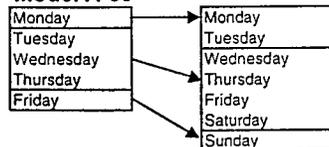
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Model A-68

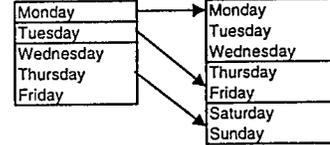
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Model A-78

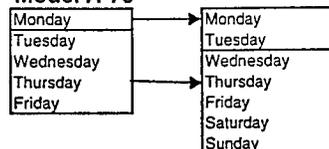
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Model A-69

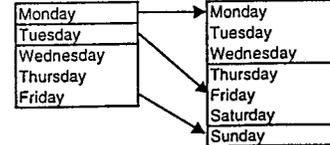
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Model A-79

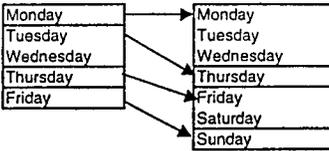
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SSE/Mean	0.73

Model A-70

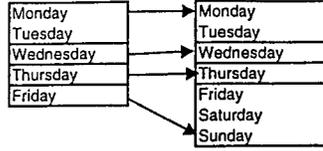
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Model A-80

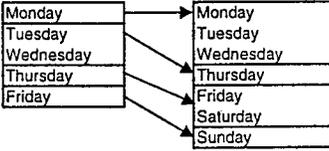
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SSE/Mean	0.65

Model A-81

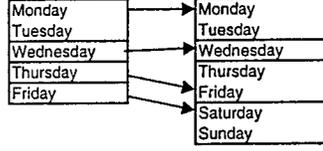
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SSE/Mean	0.34

Model A-91

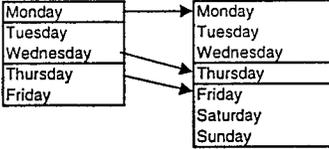
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SSE/Mean	0.29

Model A-82

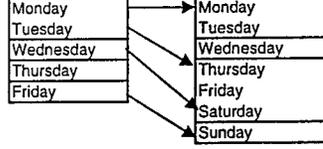
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SSE/Mean	0.33

Model A-92

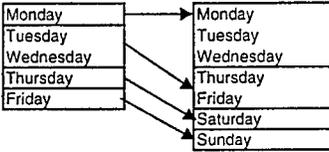
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Model A-83

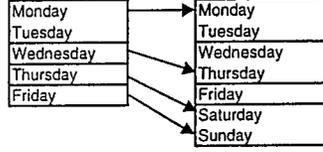
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SSE/Mean	0.43

Model A-93

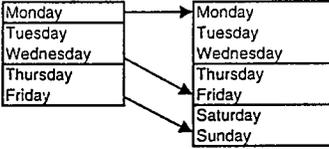
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Model A-84

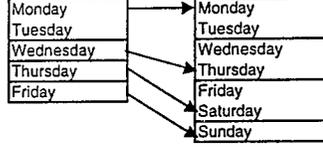
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Model A-94

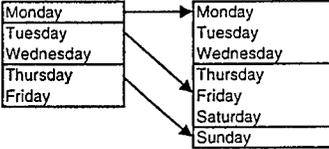
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% of outlier	6.25
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SSE/Mean	0.29

Model A-85

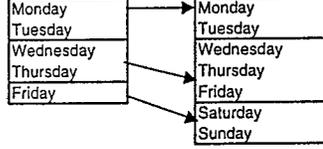
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SSE/Mean	0.44

Model A-95

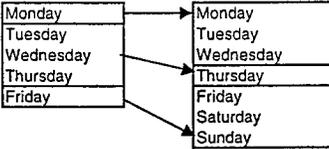
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% of outlier	8.33
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SSE/Mean	0.32

Model A-86

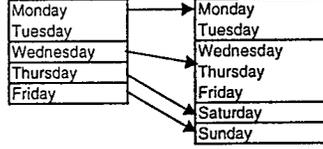
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SSE/Mean	0.43

Model A-96

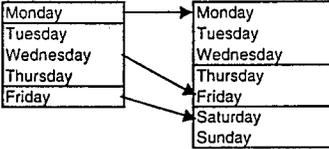
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Model A-87

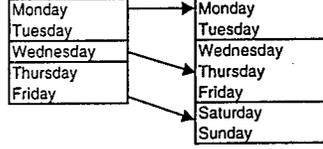
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SSE/Mean	0.43

Model A-97

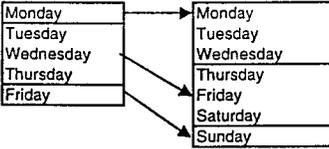
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R square Value	0.21
SSE/Mean	0.26

Model A-88

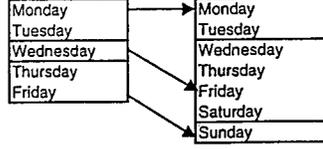
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SSE/Mean	0.55

Model A-98

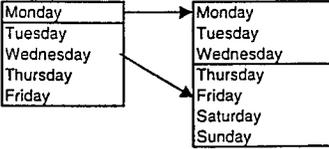
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SSE/Mean	0.46

Model A-89

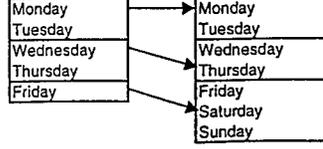
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SSE/Mean	0.34

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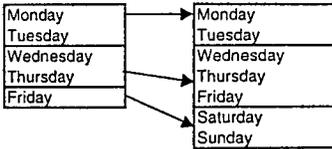
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SSE/Mean	0.36

Model A-90

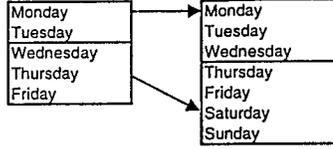
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Model A-100

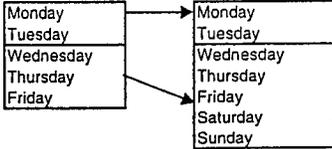
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SSE/Mean	0.25

Model A-101

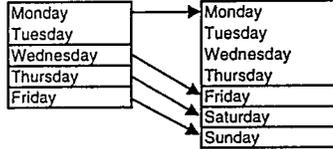
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R square Value	0.13
SSE/Mean	0.25

Model A-111

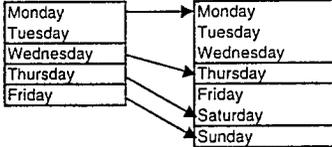
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% of outlier	4.17
Model sample Size	23
R square Value	0.396
SSE/Mean	0.32

Model A-102

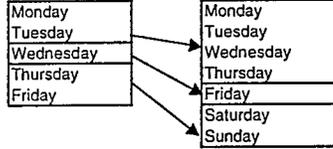
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SSE/Mean	0.22

Model A-112

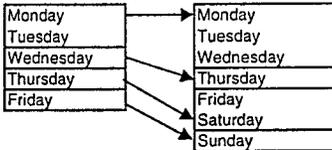
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R square Value	0.133
SSE/Mean	0.29

Model A-103

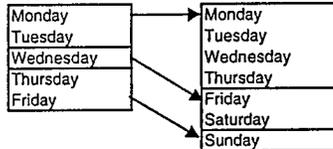
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SSE/Mean	0.29

Model A-113

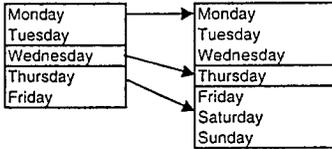
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R square Value	0.07
SSE/Mean	0.44

Model A-104

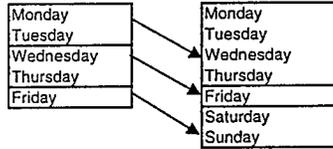
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SSE/Mean	0.3

Model A-114

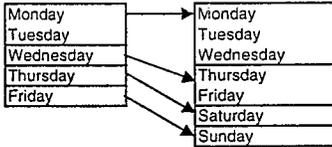
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SSE/Mean	0.41

Model A-105

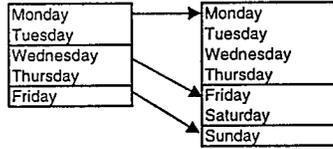
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SSE/Mean	0.33

Model A-115

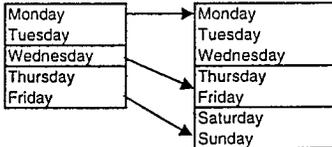
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R square Value	0.37
SSE/Mean	0.2

Model A-106

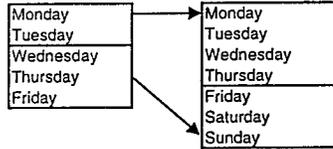
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SSE/Mean	0.45

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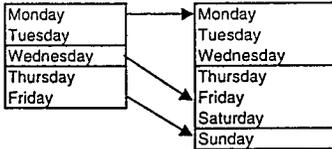
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Model sample Size	32
R square Value	0.006
SSE/Mean	0.26

Model A-107

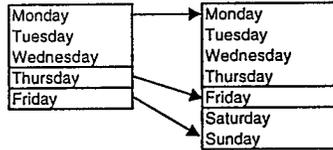
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R square Value	0
SSE/Mean	0.3

Model A-117

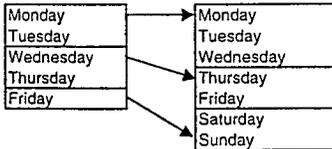
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SSE/Mean	0.41

Model A-108

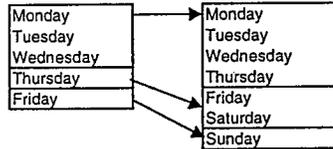
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SSE/Mean	0.35

Model A-118

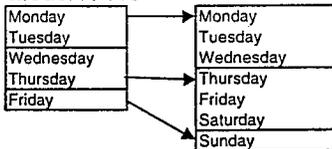
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SSE/Mean	0.35

Model A-109

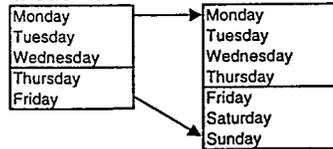
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Model A-119

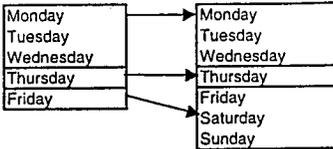
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SSE/Mean	0.38

Model A-110

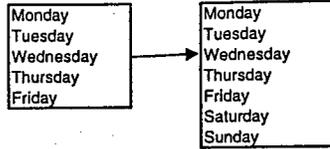
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SSE/Mean	0.25

Model A-120

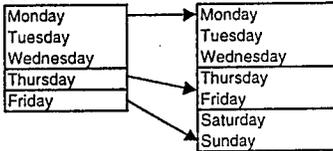
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R square Value	0.075
SSE/Mean	0.19

Model A-121

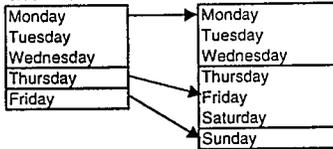
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SSE/Mean	0.41

Model A-131

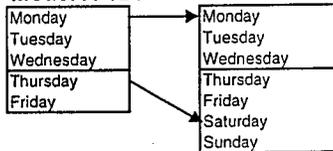
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SSE/Mean	0.08

Model A-122

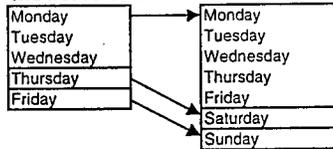
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Model A-123

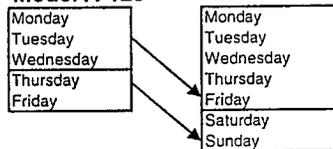
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Model A-124

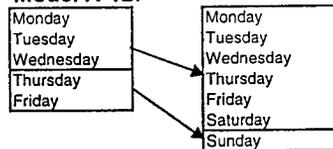
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Model sample Size	22
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SSE/Mean	0.19

Model A-125

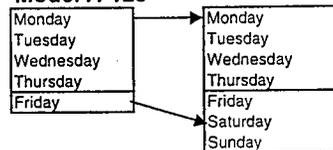
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SSE/Mean	0.28

Model A-126

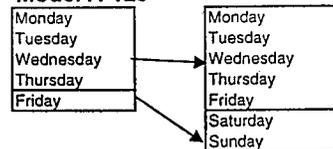
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Model sample Size	22
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SSE/Mean	0.2

Model A-127

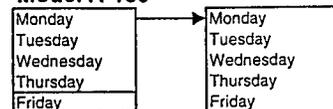
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% of outlier	12.50
Model sample Size	21
R square Value	0.002
SSE/Mean	0.21

Model A-128

Total sample Size	24
% of outlier	4.17
Model sample Size	23
R square Value	0.2
SSE/Mean	0.44

Model A-129

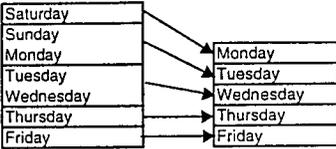
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Model sample Size	23
R square Value	0.485
SSE/Mean	0.35

Model A-130

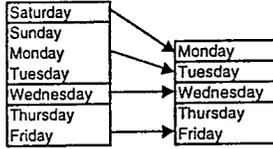
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Model sample Size	22
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SSE/Mean	0.29

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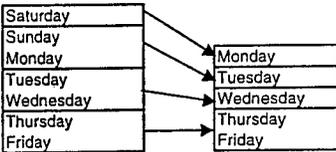
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(Production Model)**

Model B-21

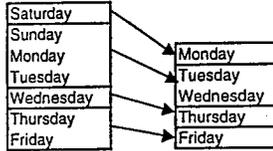
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% of outlier	8.77
Model sample Size	52
R square Value	0.0005049
SSE/Mean	0.26

Model B-31

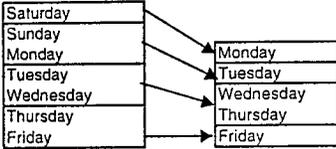
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Model sample Size	38
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SSE/Mean	0.44

Model B-22

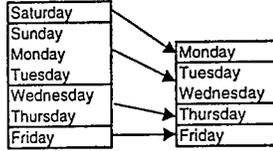
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SSE/Mean	0.41

Model B-32

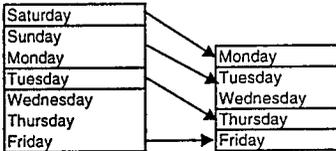
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Model sample Size	40
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SSE/Mean	0.41

Model B-23

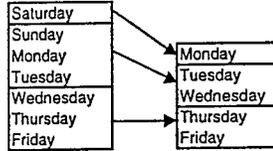
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Model B-33

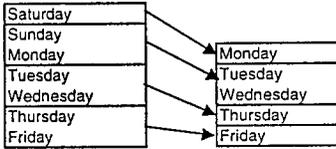
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SSE/Mean	0.39

Model B-24

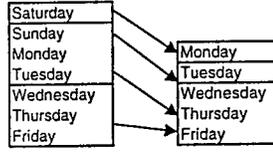
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SSE/Mean	0.44

Model B-34

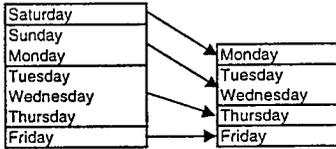
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R square Value	0.28857
SSE/Mean	0.34

Model B-25

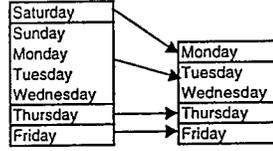
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% of outlier	14.58
Model sample Size	41
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SSE/Mean	0.39

Model B-35

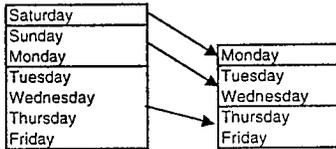
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Model B-26

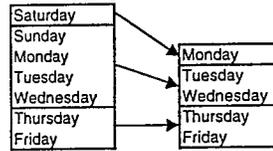
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Model B-36

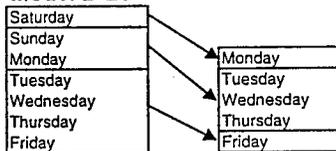
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Model B-27

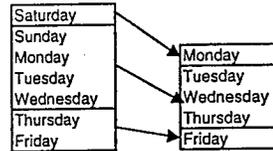
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Model B-37

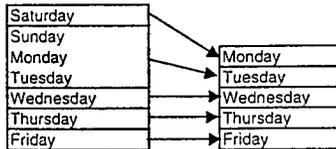
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Model B-28

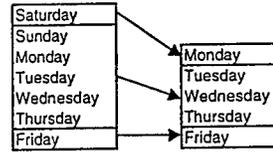
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Model B-38

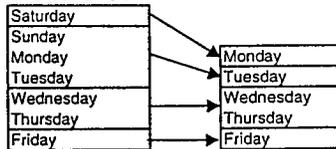
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Model B-29

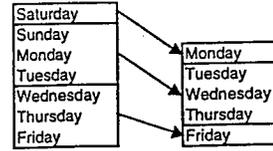
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Model B-39

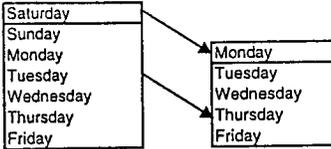
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Model B-30

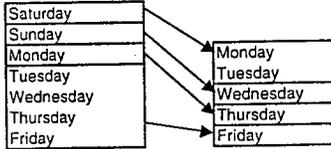
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Model B-40

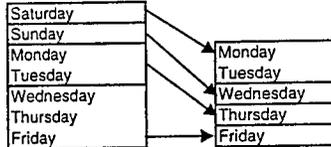
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Model B-41

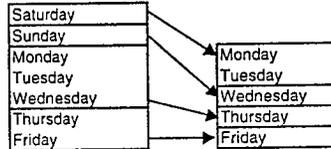
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Model B-42

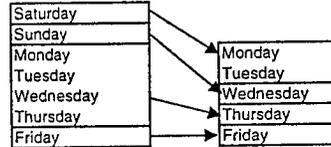
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Model B-43

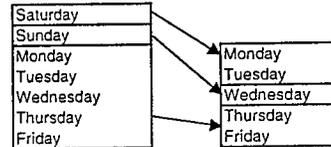
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Model B-44

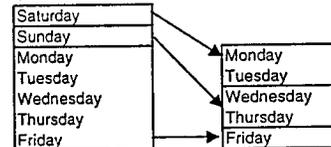
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Model B-45

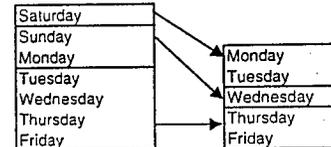
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Model B-46

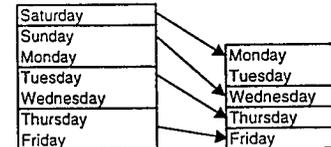
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Model B-47

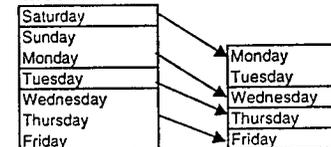
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Model B-48

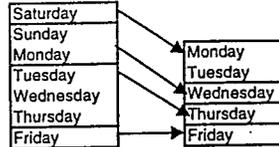
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Model B-49

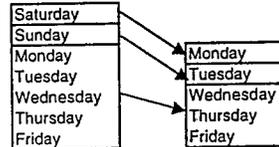
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SSE/Mean	0.41

Model B-50

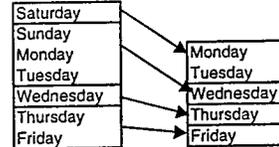
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SSE/Mean	0.42

Model B-51

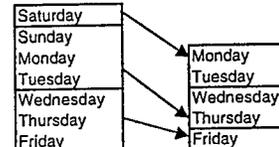
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Model B-52

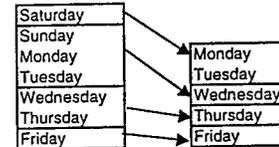
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Model B-53

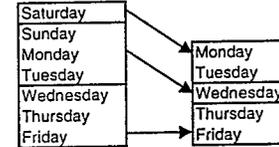
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SSE/Mean	0.41

Model B-54

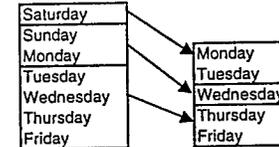
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Model B-55

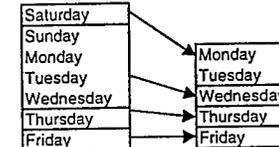
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Model B-56

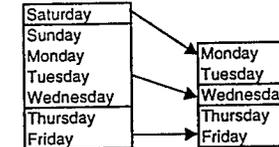
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Model B-57

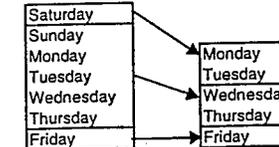
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Model B-58

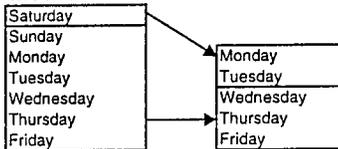
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Model B-59

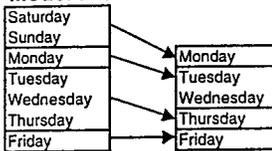
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Model B-60

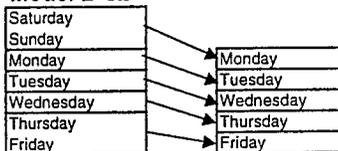
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Model B-61

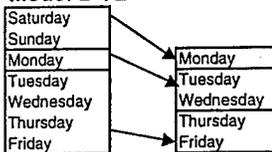
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Model B-71

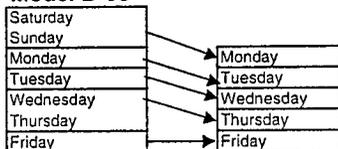
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Model B-62

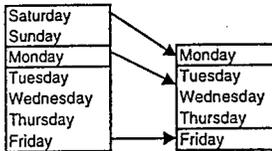
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Model B-72

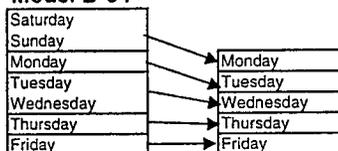
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Model B-63

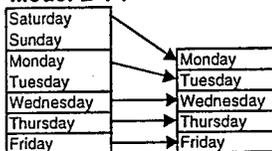
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Model B-73

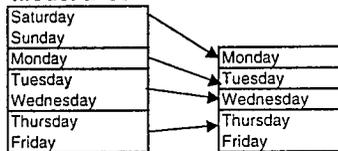
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Model B-64

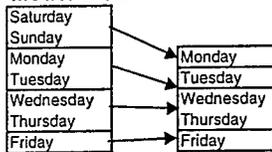
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Model B-74

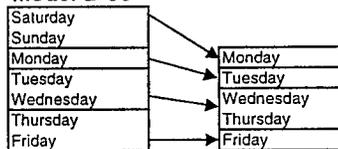
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Model B-65

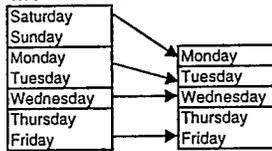
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Model B-75

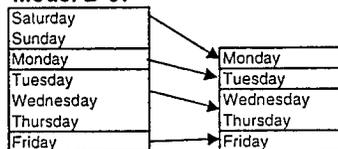
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Model B-66

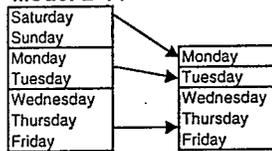
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Model B-76

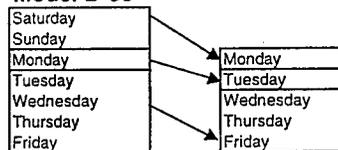
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Model B-67

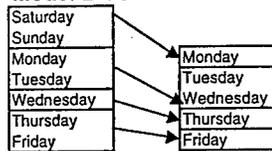
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Model B-77

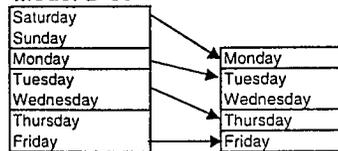
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Model B-68

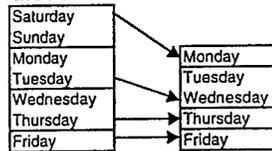
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Model B-78

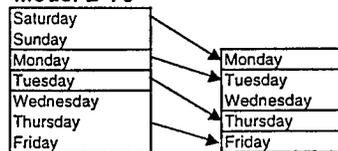
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SSE/Mean	0.37

Model B-69

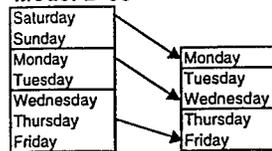
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Model B-79

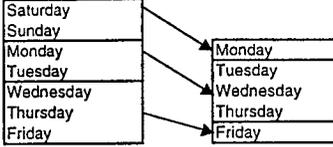
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Model B-70

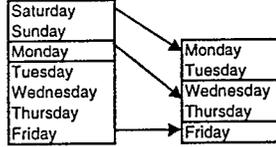
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SSE/Mean	0.38

Model B-80

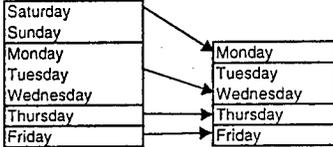
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SSE/Mean	0.37

Model B-81

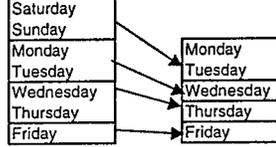
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SSE/Mean	0.62

Model B-91

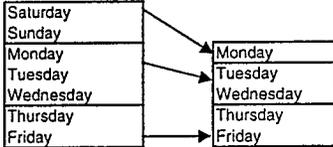
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SSE/Mean	0.42

Model B-82

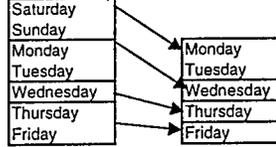
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SSE/Mean	0.39

Model B-92

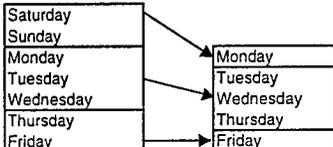
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Model B-83

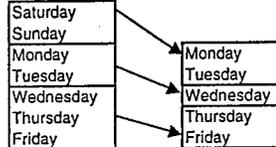
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Model B-93

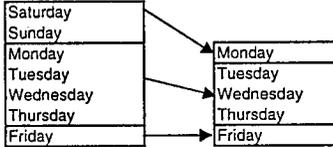
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Model B-84

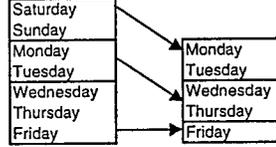
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Model B-94

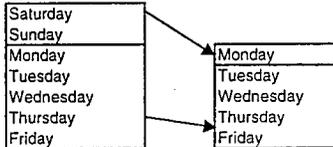
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Model B-85

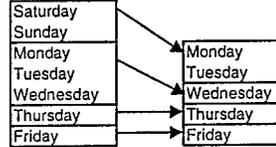
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Model B-95

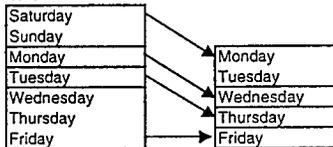
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Model B-86

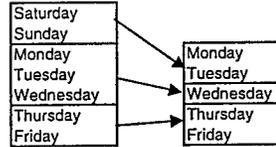
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Model sample Size	21
R square Value	0.6191242
SSE/Mean	0.41

Model B-96

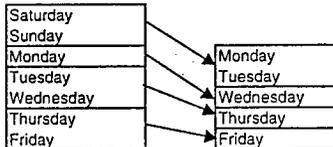
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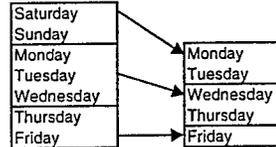
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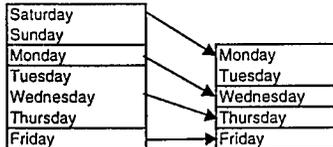
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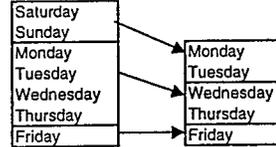
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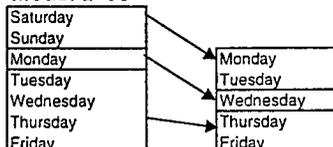
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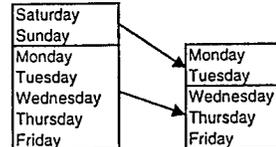
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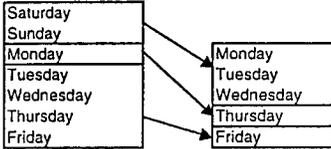
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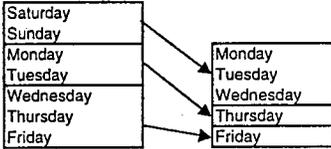
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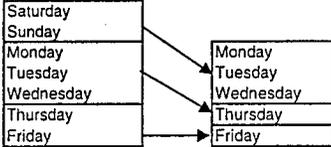
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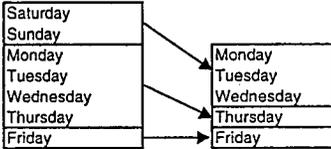
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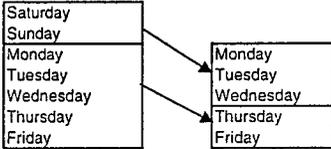
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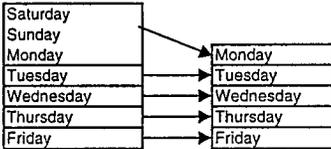
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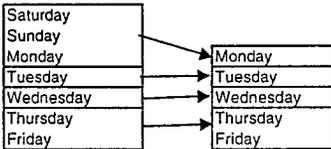
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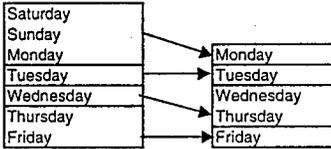
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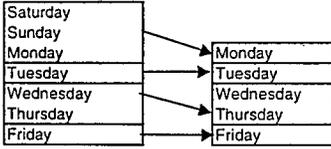
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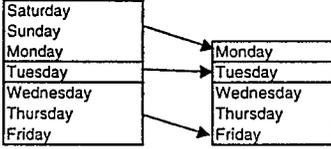
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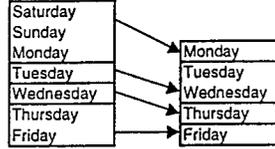
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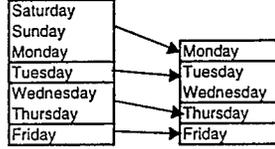
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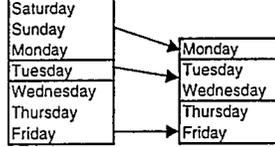
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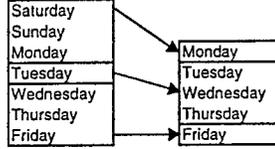
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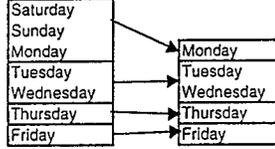
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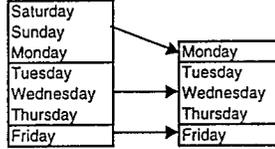
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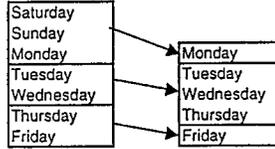
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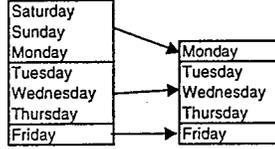
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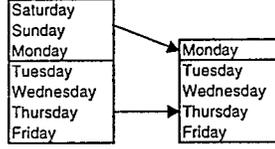
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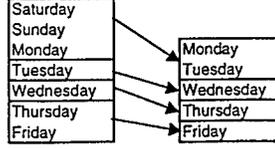
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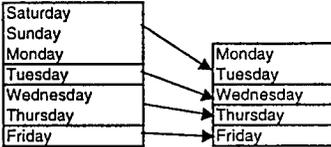
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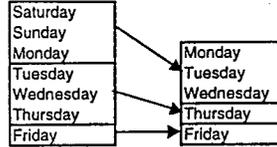
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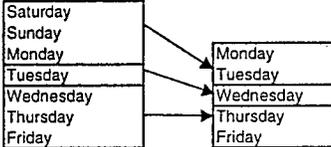
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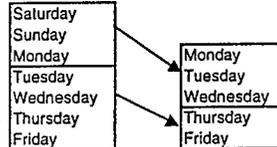
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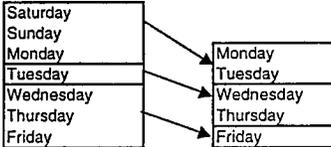
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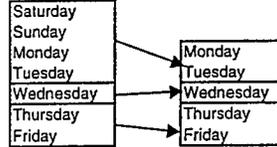
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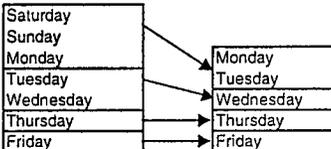
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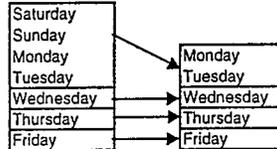
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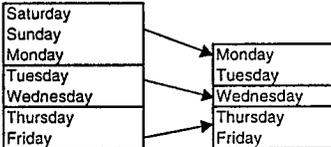
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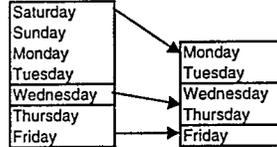
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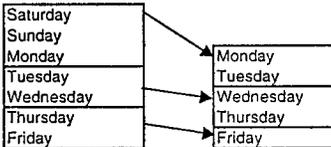
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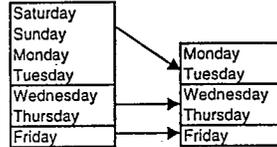
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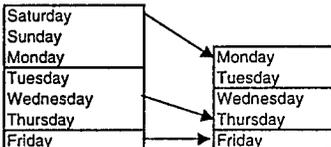
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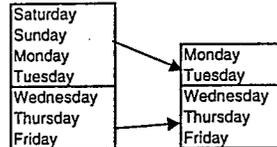
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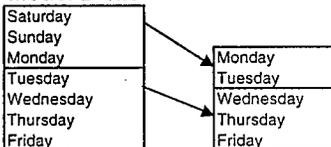
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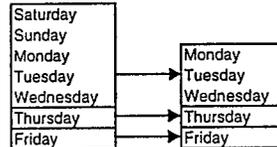
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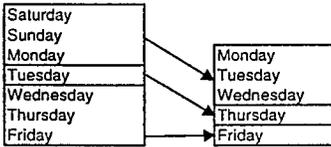
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Model B-128

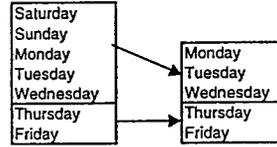
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Model B-138

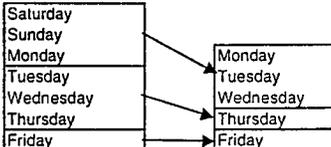
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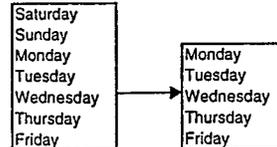
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% of outlier	19.44
Model sample Size	29
R square Value	0.0106895
SSE/Mean	0.57

Model B-139

Total sample Size	24
% of outlier	8.33
Model sample Size	22
R square Value	0.1115356
SSE/Mean	0.29

Model B-130

Total sample Size	36
% of outlier	16.67
Model sample Size	30
R square Value	0.1166968
SSE/Mean	0.51

Model B-140

Total sample Size	11
% of outlier	0.00
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SSE/Mean	0.19

APPENDIX J

Time Series Models

Discussion & Statistical Details

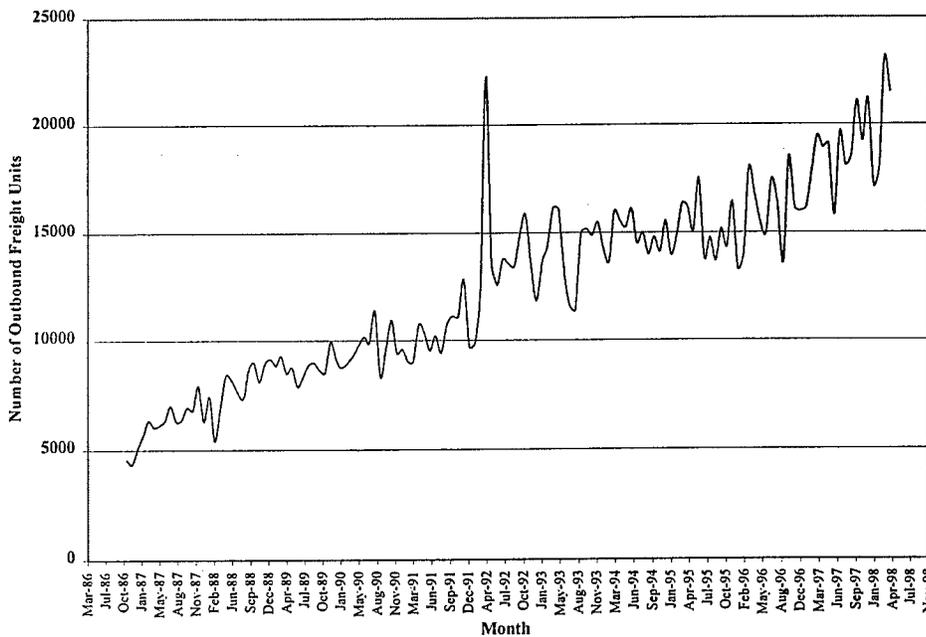


Figure J.2 Number of Outbound Freight Units Time Series

Taking the natural logarithms of the monthly numbers of inbound and outbound freight units yields new series with roughly constant variances. The new natural logs series for inbound and outbound directions are plotted in Figures J.3 and J.4. Using these new series result in building ARIMA models as function of the natural logs of the numbers of freight units and these model produce forecasts in the natural logs metric. Therefore, an additional process to transform forecasts back to the original numbers of freight units is needed.

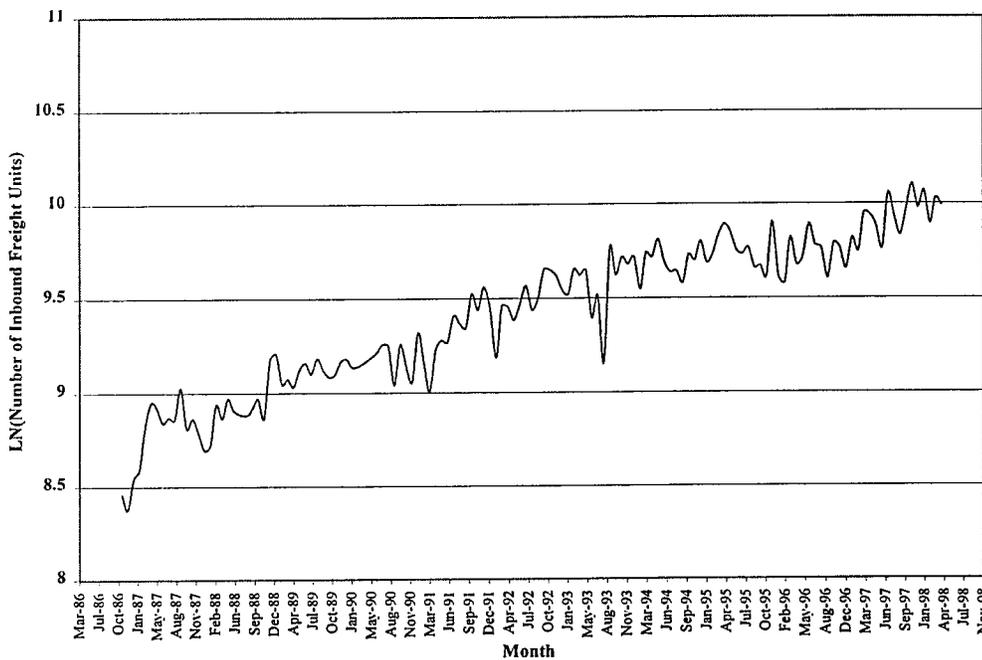


Figure J.3 Natural Logarithm of the Number of Inbound Freight Units

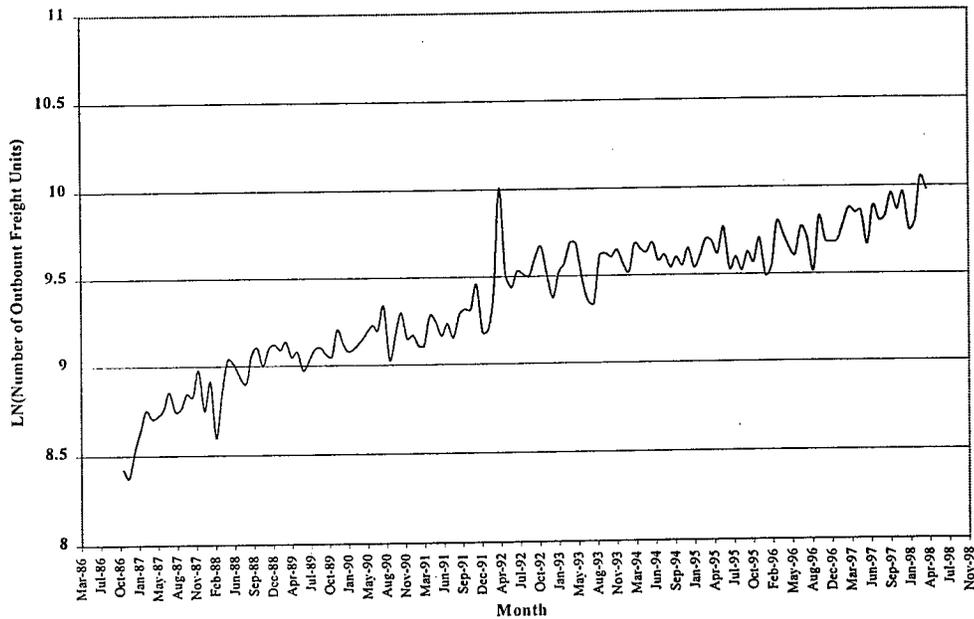


Figure J.4 Natural Logarithm of the Number of Outbound Freight Units

Differencing ("d" value)

Inspection of the monthly numbers of inbound and outbound freight units time series illustrated in Figures J.1 and J.2 indicated that the numbers of freight units for both series do not fluctuate around constant means. These means increase as their overall number of freight units levels increase. In such cases, differencing the data is the recommended approach to convert the original time series to a new time series with a constant mean. Figures J.5 and J.6 plot the first difference time series (difference of two consecutive months) for the natural logarithm of inbound and outbound monthly numbers of freight units. It is clear from these figures that both series performed a constant mean. Therefore, no higher order of differencing is required. As a conclusion, the "d" value in the proposed ARIMA models has to equal to "1".

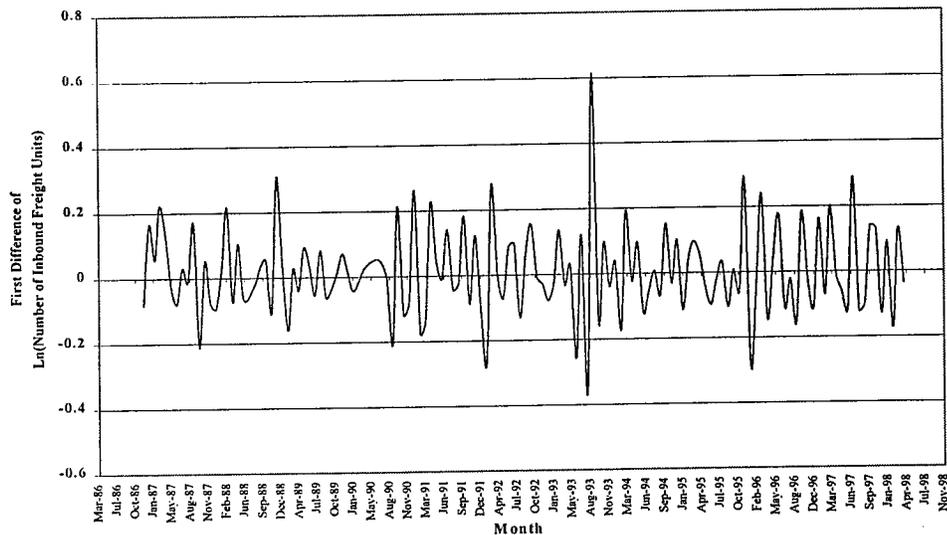


Figure J.5 First Difference of the Natural Logarithm of the Number of Inbound Freight Units

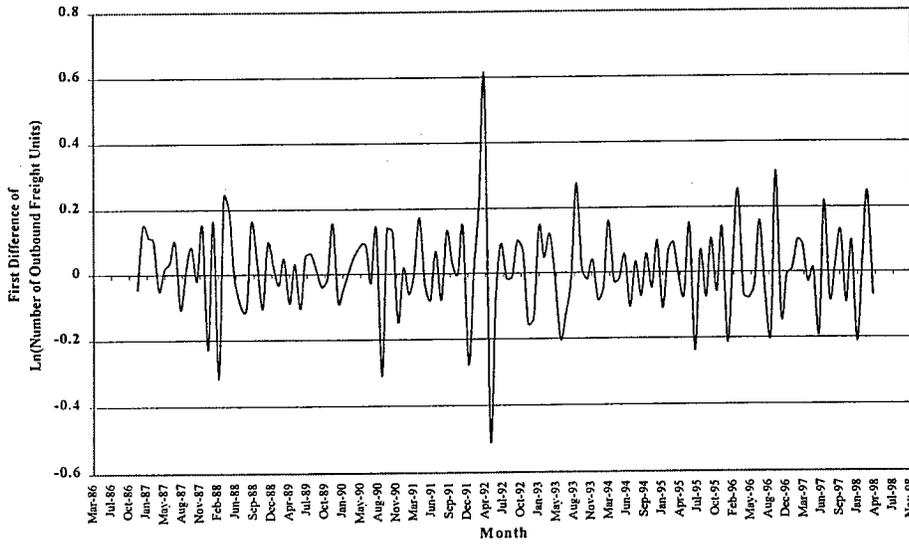


Figure J.6 First Difference of the Natural Logarithm of the Number of Outbound Freight Units

Moving Average Process ("q" value)

Figures J.7 and J.8 show the autocorrelation pattern for both new inbound and outbound numbers of freight units time series, respectively. It is clear that for both cases, the Auto-Correlation Functions (ACF) spike at lag 1 (significant than zero at 95% confidence) and they cutoff to zero after this lag which indicate that a Moving Average (MA) process of order equal to 1 is needed for both series to construct adequate time series models. Therefore, the "q" value in the proposed ARIMA models should be equal to 1.

In conclusion, the nonseasonal part required for the model is ARIMA(0,1,1). However, seasonal effects must be checked before jumping to the final model.

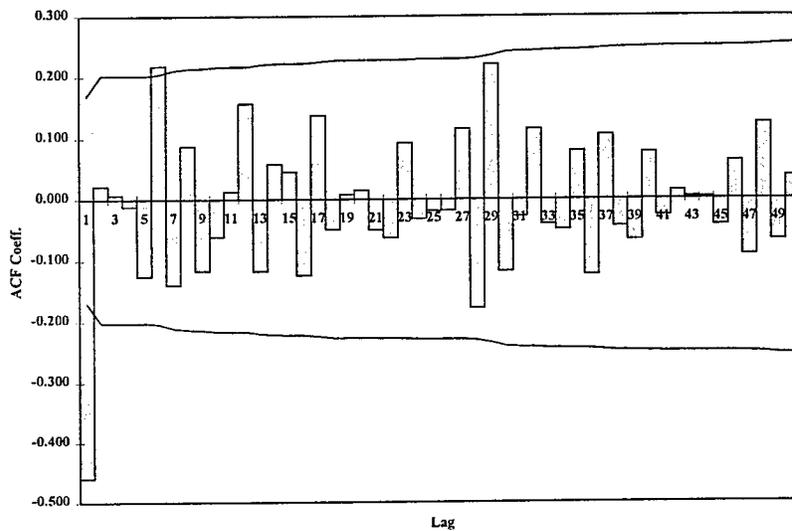


Figure J.7 Auto-Correlation Function for the first difference of natural logarithm of the Inbound Number of Freight Units

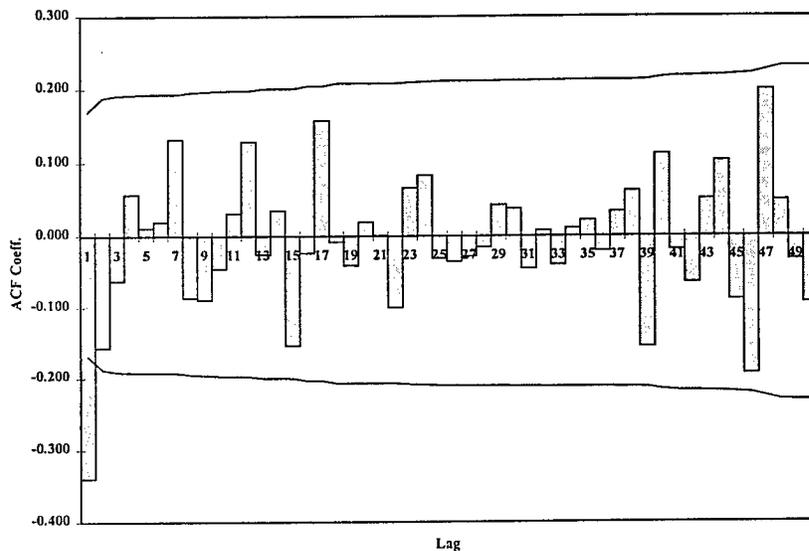


Figure J.8 Auto-Correlation Function for the first difference of natural logarithm of the Outbound Number of Freight Units

Seasonal Pattern

The seasonal and nonseasonal patterns occur together within a time series and in the Auto-Correlation Function (ACF) and the Partial Auto-Correlation Function (PACF). The PACF for both models have spikes at lag 9 then a cutoff to zero, with last nonzero spike at this lag (see Figures J.9 and J.10). This indicates that the Auto-Regressive part in the seasonal term has a maximum of 9. In other words, the "P" value in the seasonal part has to equal to 1 and the s value should be equal to 9.

As a conclusion from this section, the nonseasonal part in the model is $(1,0,0)_9$,

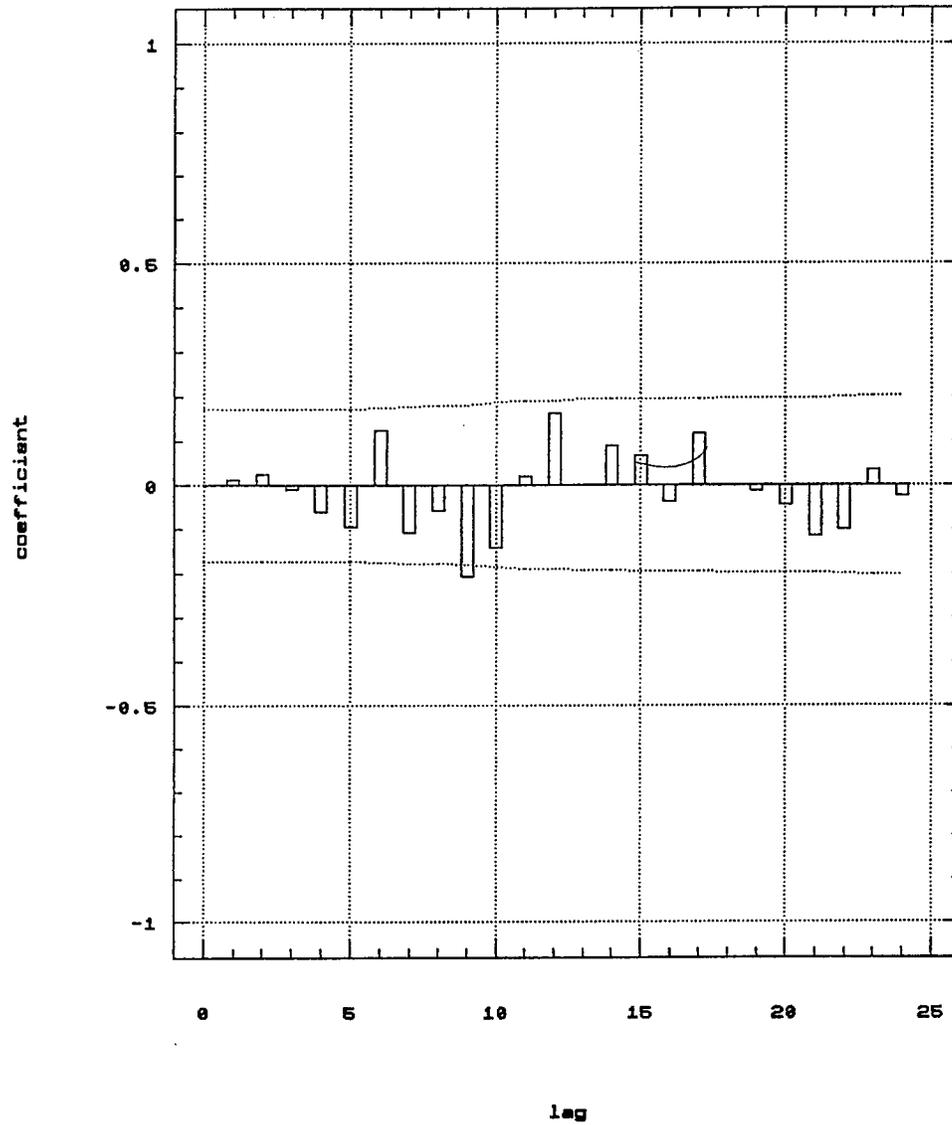


Figure J.9 Partial Auto-Correlation Function for the first difference of natural logarithm of the Inbound Number of Freight Units

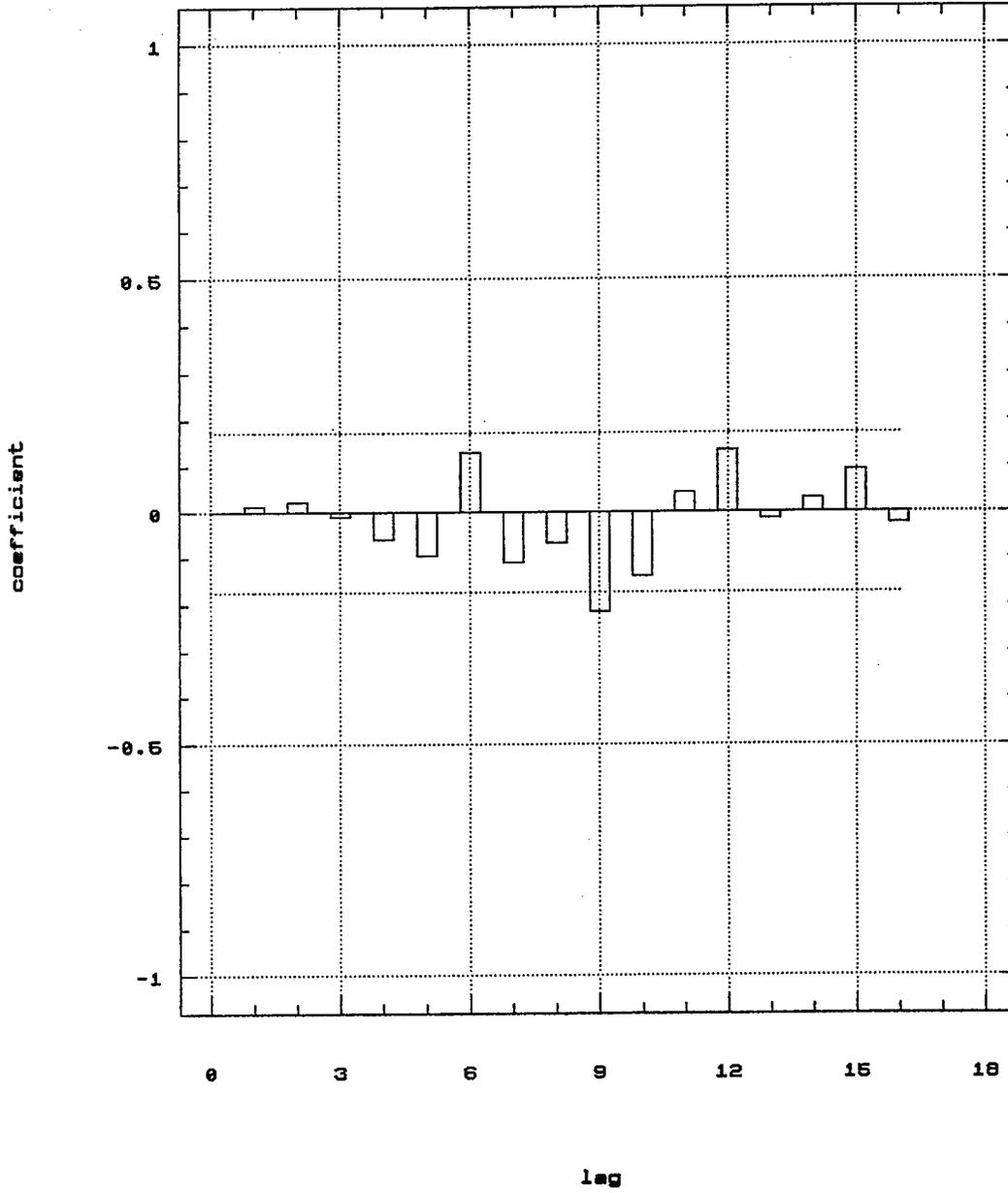


Figure J.10 Partial Auto-Correlation Function for the first difference of natural logarithm of the Outbound Number of Freight Units

Models Statistics

Initial: RSS = 1.94221 b = 0.1 0.459153 0.0114277
 Iteration 1: RSS = 1.75272 b = -0.0921418 0.564956 0.0117824
 Iteration 2: RSS = 1.70924 b = -0.18583 0.638518 0.0113426
 Iteration 3: RSS = 1.70515 b = -0.213463 0.664301 0.0111525
 Final: RSS = 1.70499 ...stopped on criterion 2

 Summary of Fitted Model for: lncontin

Parameter	Estimate	Std.error	T-value	P-value
SAR(9)	-.21803	.08710	-2.50310	.01354
MA (1)	.67010	.06509	10.29443	.00000
MEAN	.01108	.00279	3.97720	.00011
CONSTANT	.01350			

 Model fitted to differences of order 1
 Estimated white noise variance = 0.0130152 with 131 degrees of freedom.
 Estimated white noise standard deviation (std err) = 0.114084
 Chi-square test statistic on first 20 residual autocorrelations = 19.0881
 with probability of a larger value given white noise = 0.323497
 Backforecasting: no Number of iterations performed: 4

Figure J.11 Inbound Time Series Model Statistics

Estimation begins.....
 Initial: RSS = 2.15724 b = 0.1 0.339362 0.0115904
 Iteration 1: RSS = 1.88969 b = -0.074523 0.502438 0.0117256
 Iteration 2: RSS = 1.7686 b = -0.161645 0.667535 0.0111272
 Iteration 3: RSS = 1.76043 b = -0.179953 0.71484 0.0108877
 Final: RSS = 1.76038 ...stopped on criterion 2

 Summary of Fitted Model for: lncontout

Parameter	Estimate	Std.error	T-value	P-value
SAR(9)	-.18032	.08866	-2.03393	.04398
MA (1)	.70997	.06016	11.80195	.00000
MEAN	.01080	.00248	4.36016	.00003
CONSTANT	.01275			

 Model fitted to differences of order 1
 Estimated white noise variance = 0.013438 with 131 degrees of freedom.
 Estimated white noise standard deviation (std err) = 0.115922
 Chi-square test statistic on first 20 residual autocorrelations = 18.2744
 with probability of a larger value given white noise = 0.371733
 Backforecasting: no Number of iterations performed: 4

Figure J.12 Outbound Time Series Model Statistics

Estimated Residual ACF

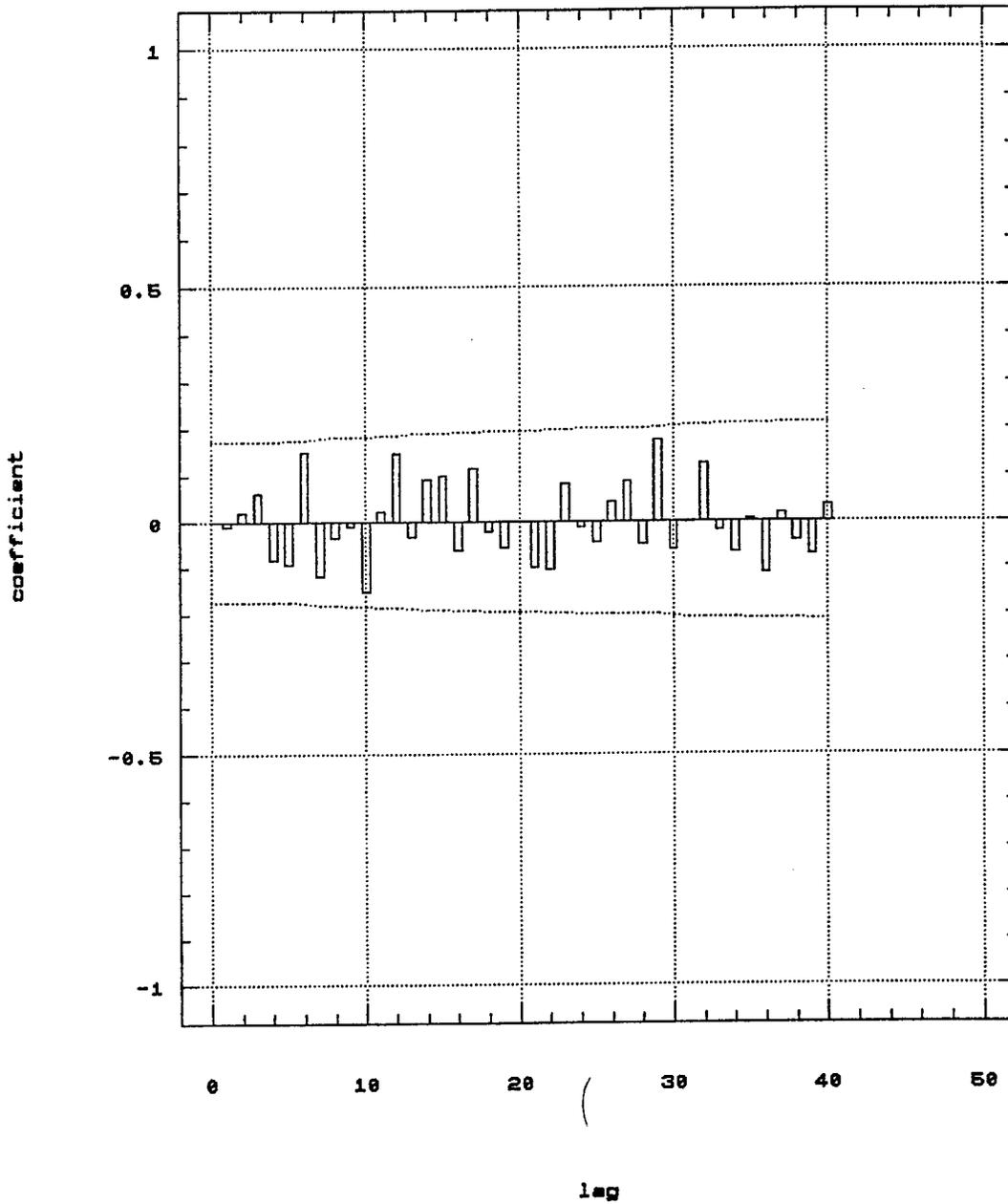


Figure J.13 Auto-Correlation Residuals for the Inbound ARIMA Model

Estimated Residual ACF

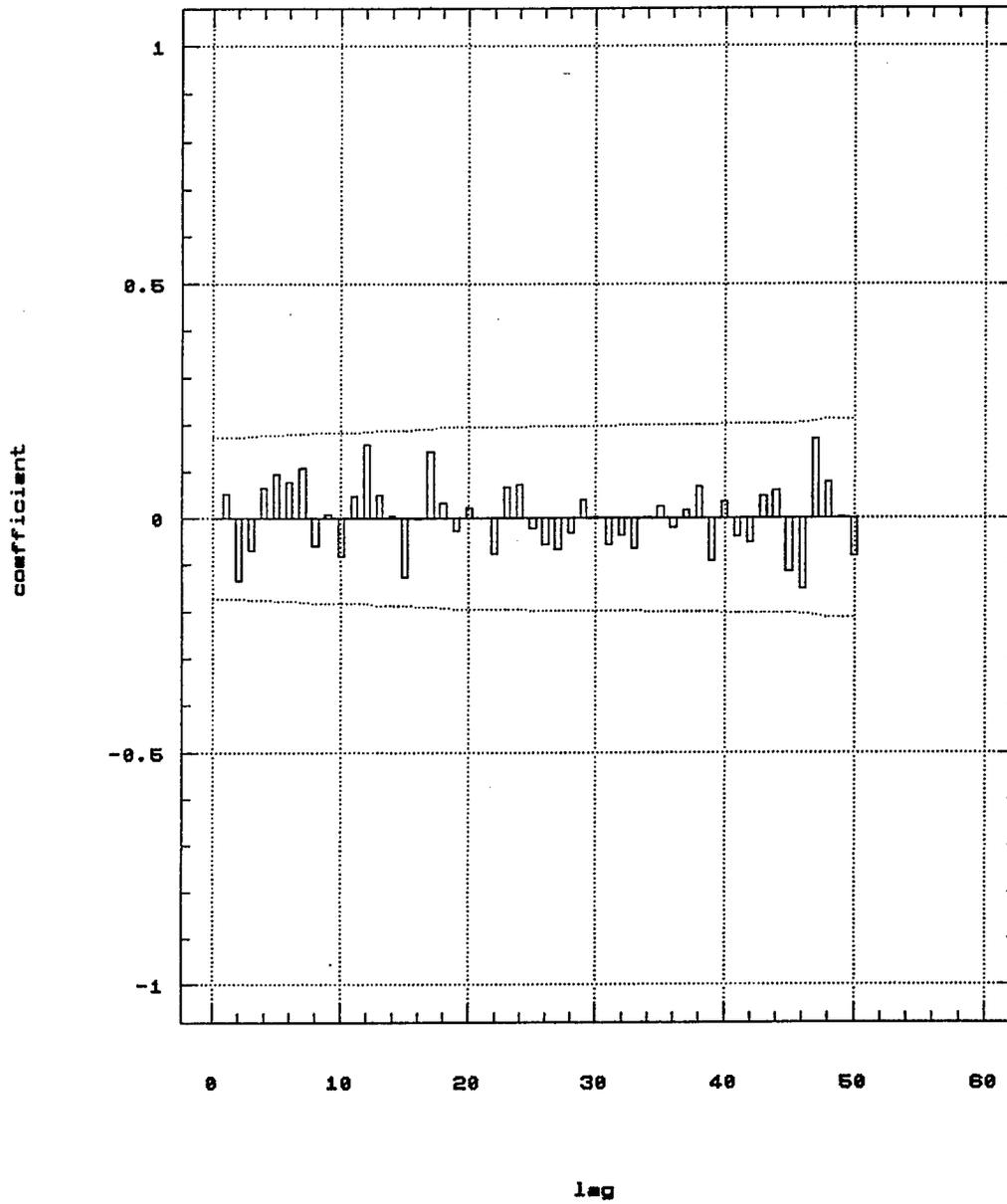


Figure J.14 Auto-Correlation Residuals for the Outbound ARIMA Model

Estimated Residual PACF

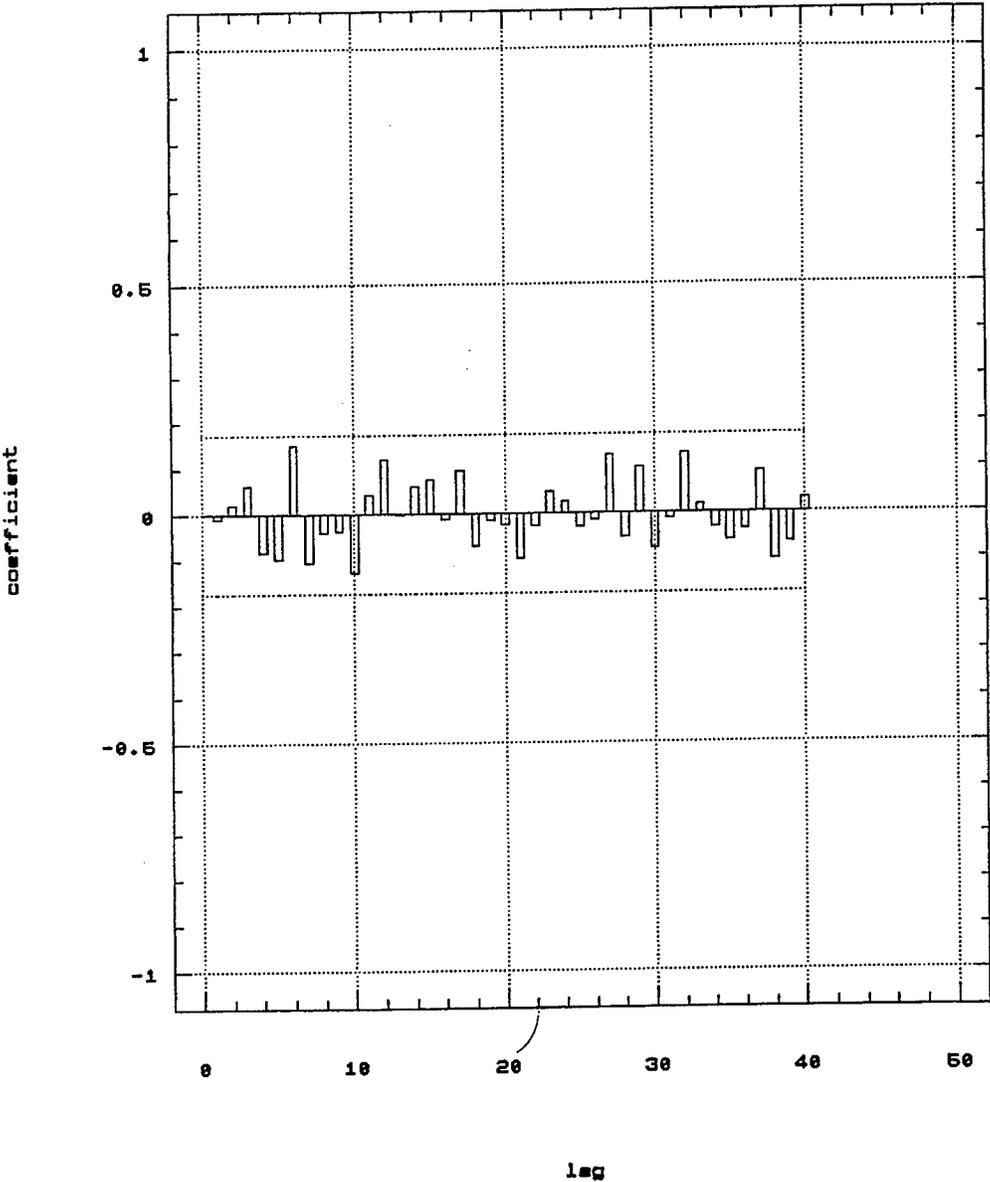


Figure J.15 Partial Auto-Correlation Residuals for the Inbound ARIMA Model

Estimated Residual PACF

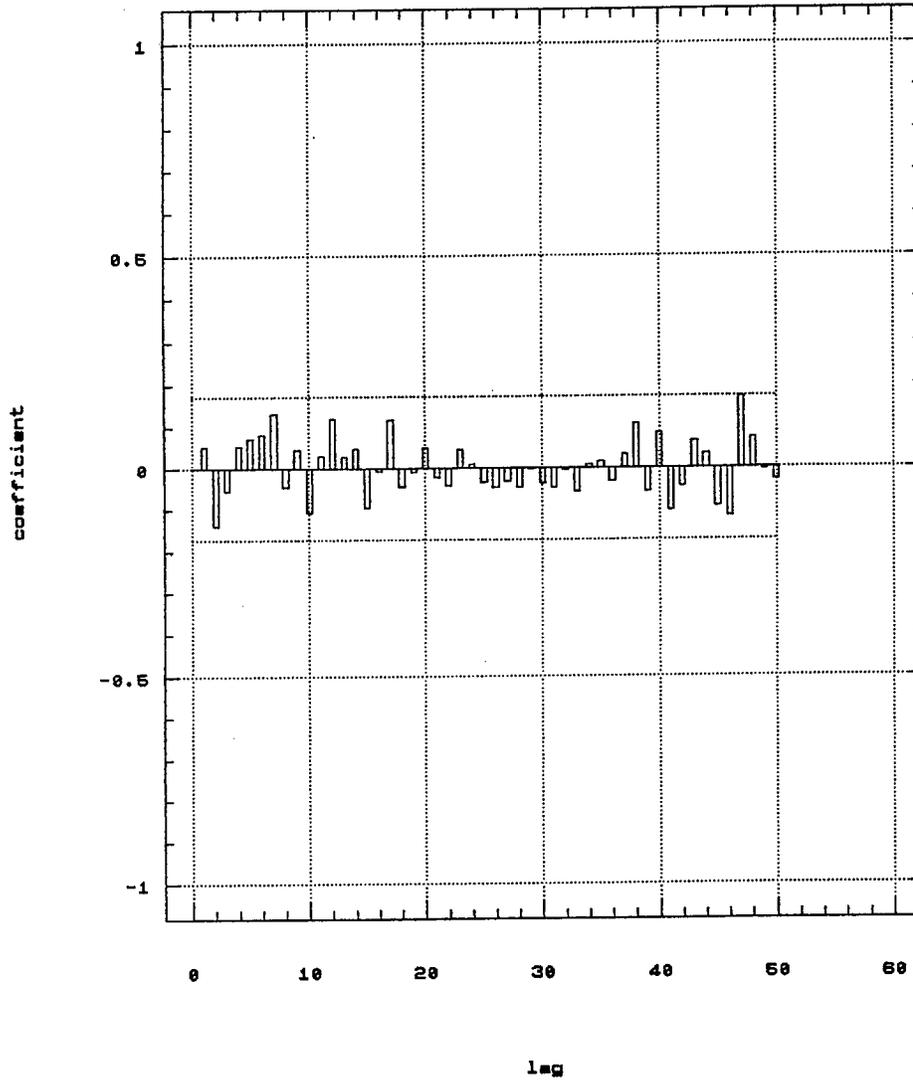


Figure J.26 Partial Auto-Correlation Residuals for the Outbound ARIMA Model

Normal Probability Plot

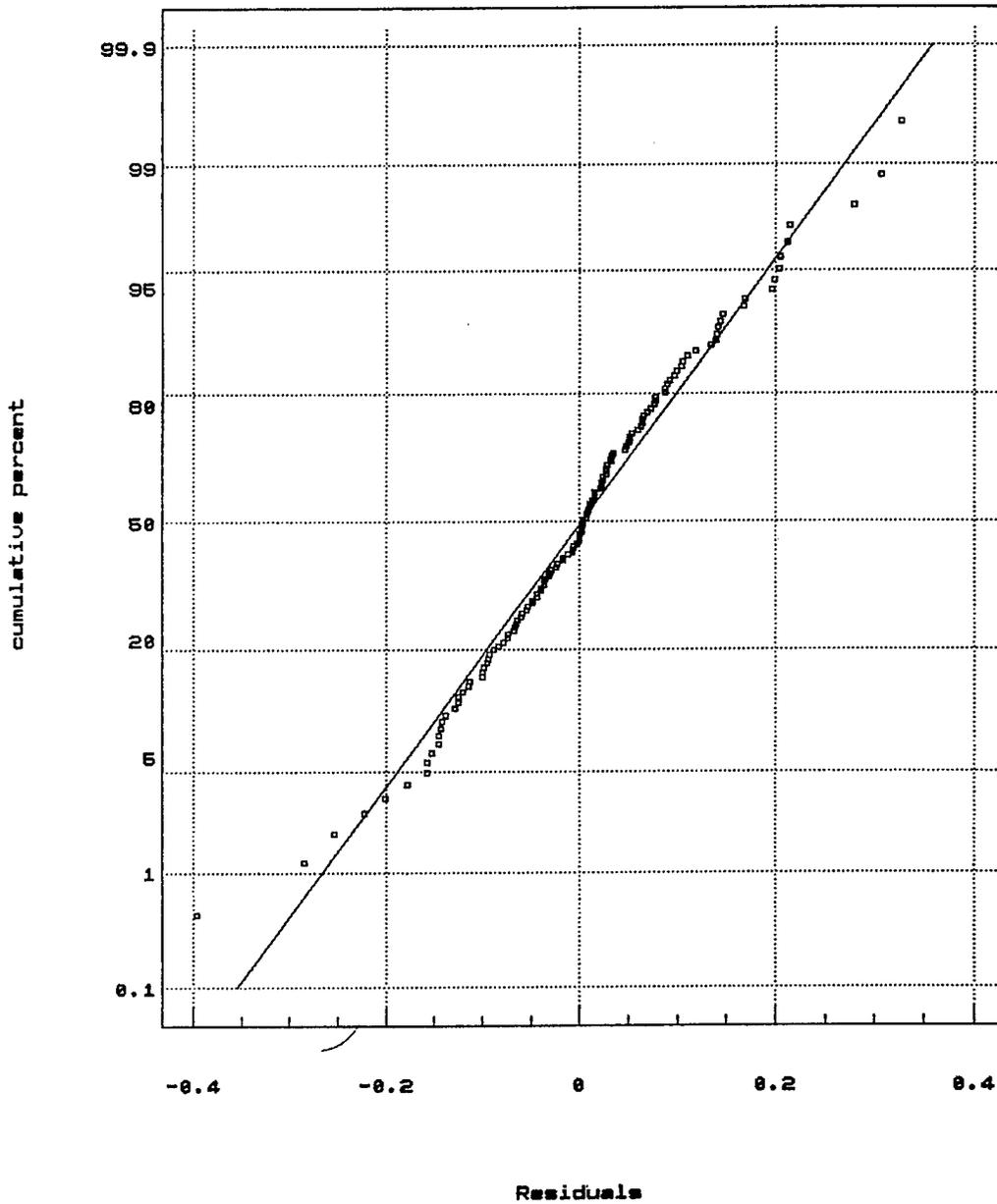


Figure J.37 Normal Probability Plot for the Inbound ARIMA Model

Normal Probability Plot

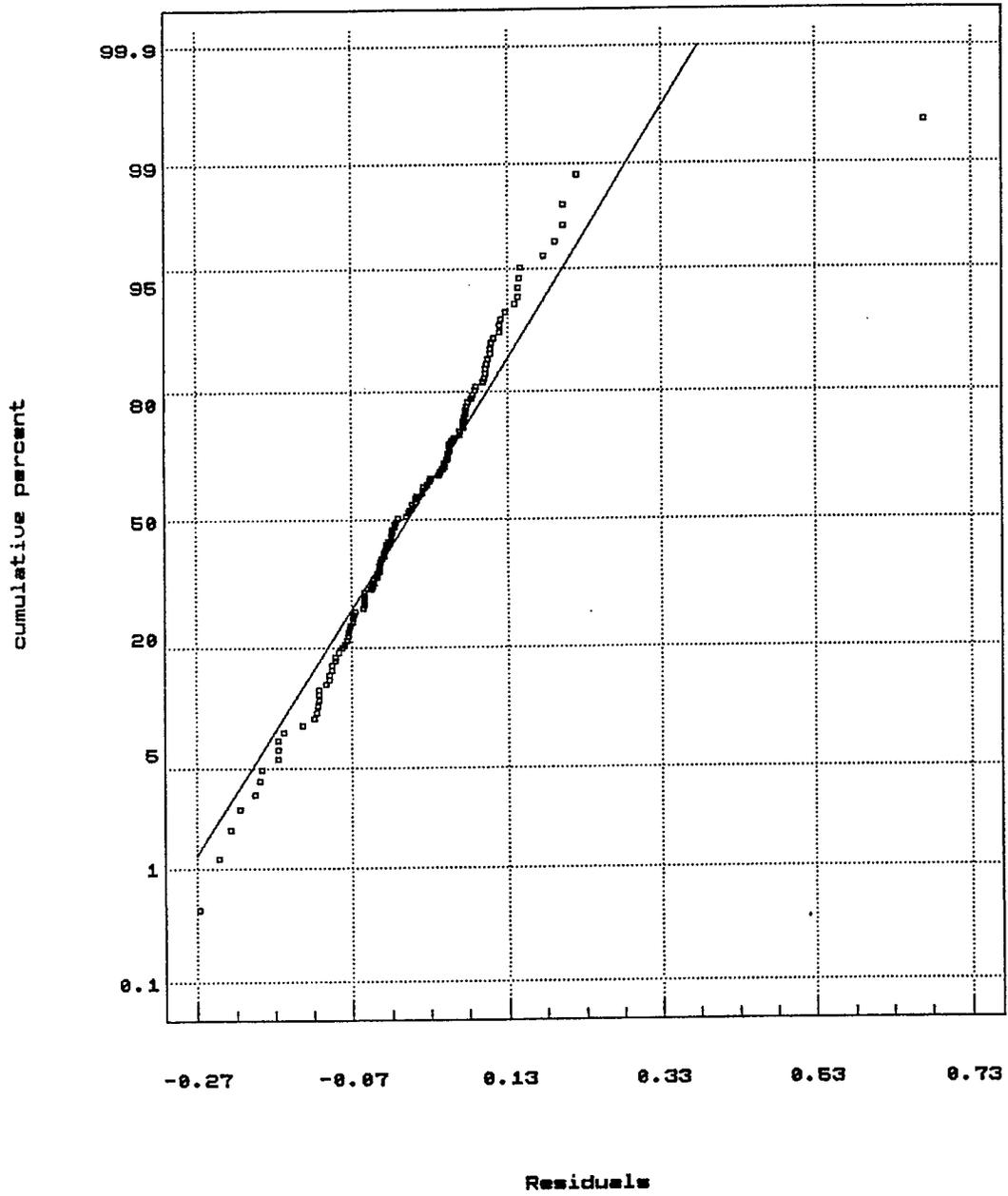


Figure J.48 Normal Probability Plot for the Outbound ARIMA Model

Forecasting for Number of Freight Units

Plot of Forecast Function
with 95 Percent Limits

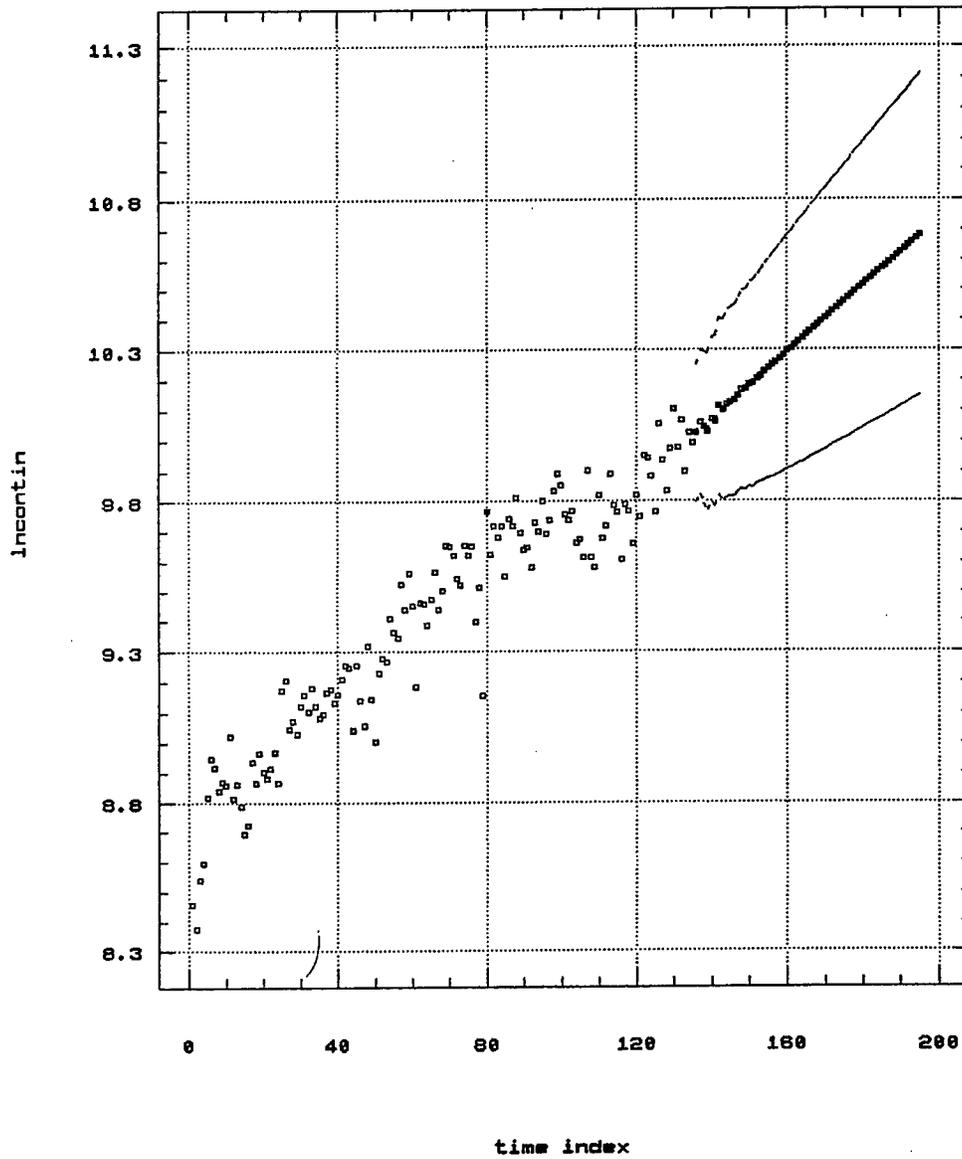


Figure J.19 Forecasts for Inbound number of Freight Units with 95% confidence limits

Plot of Forecast Function
with 95 Percent Limits

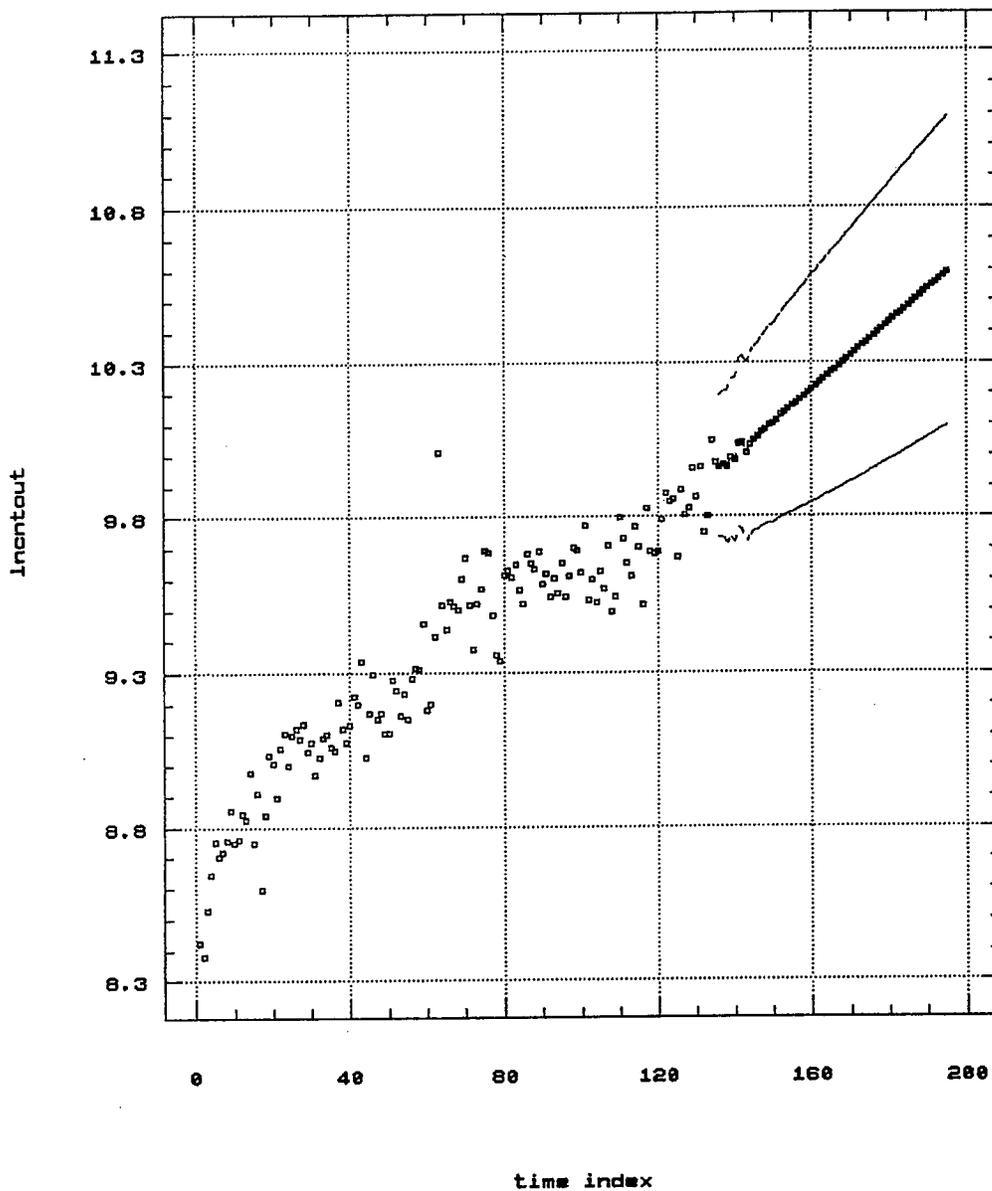


Figure J.20 Forecasts for Outbound number of Freight Units with 95% confidence limits

APPENDIX K

Hourly Distributions of Daily Truck Volumes

Time	Mon 3/17/97	Mon 3/24/97	Mon 3/31/97	Mon 4/7/97	Mon 4/14/97	Mon 4/21/97	Mon 4/28/97	Average - One Stdev	Average	Average + One Stdev
0:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
1:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
2:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
3:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
4:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
5:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
6:00	3%	1%	0%	1%	2%	0%	1%	0%	1%	2%
7:00	8%	2%	3%	4%	6%	6%	5%	3%	5%	7%
8:00	9%	8%	7%	9%	8%	10%	10%	8%	9%	10%
9:00	9%	11%	9%	10%	9%	11%	8%	8%	10%	11%
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16:00	8%	10%	10%	10%	9%	10%	9%	8%	9%	10%
17:00	5%	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	4%
18:00	1%	1%	2%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%
19:00	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
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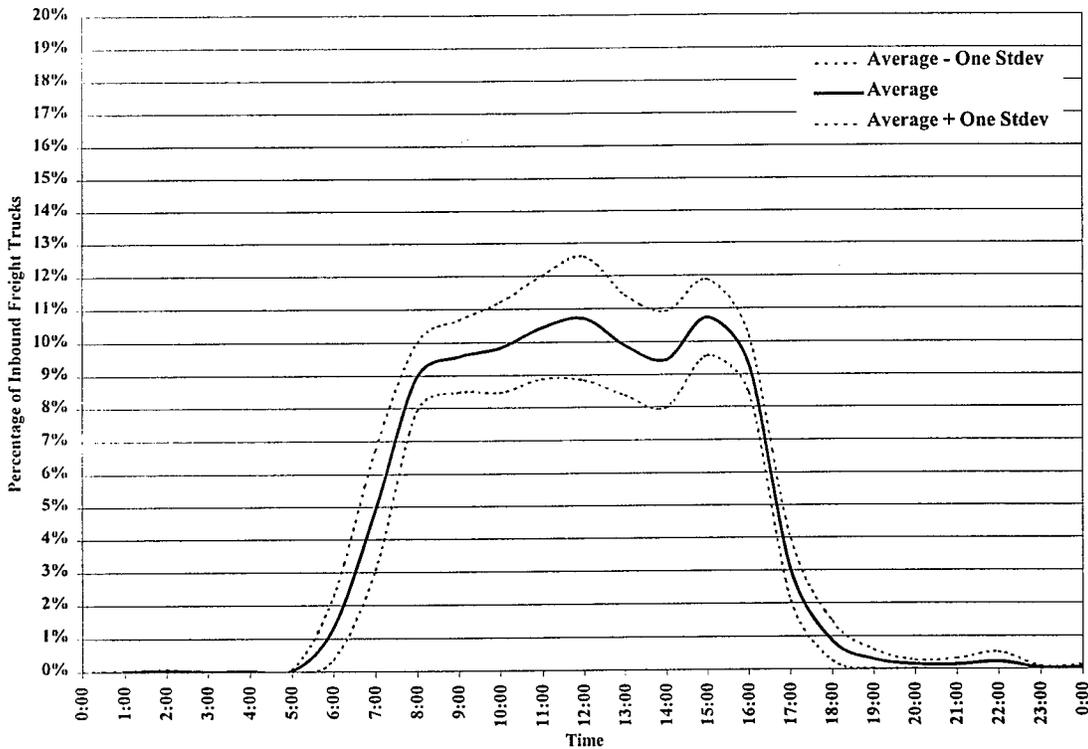


Figure K.1 Hourly Truck Volume Distributions for Inbound Direction on Mondays (Trip Attraction Model)

Time	Tue 1/21/97	Tue 2/25/97	Tue 3/18/97	Tue 3/25/97	Tue 4/1/97	Tue 4/8/97	Tue 4/15/97	Tue 4/22/97	Tue 4/29/97	Average One Stdev	Average	Average + One Stdev
0:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
1:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
2:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
3:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
4:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
5:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
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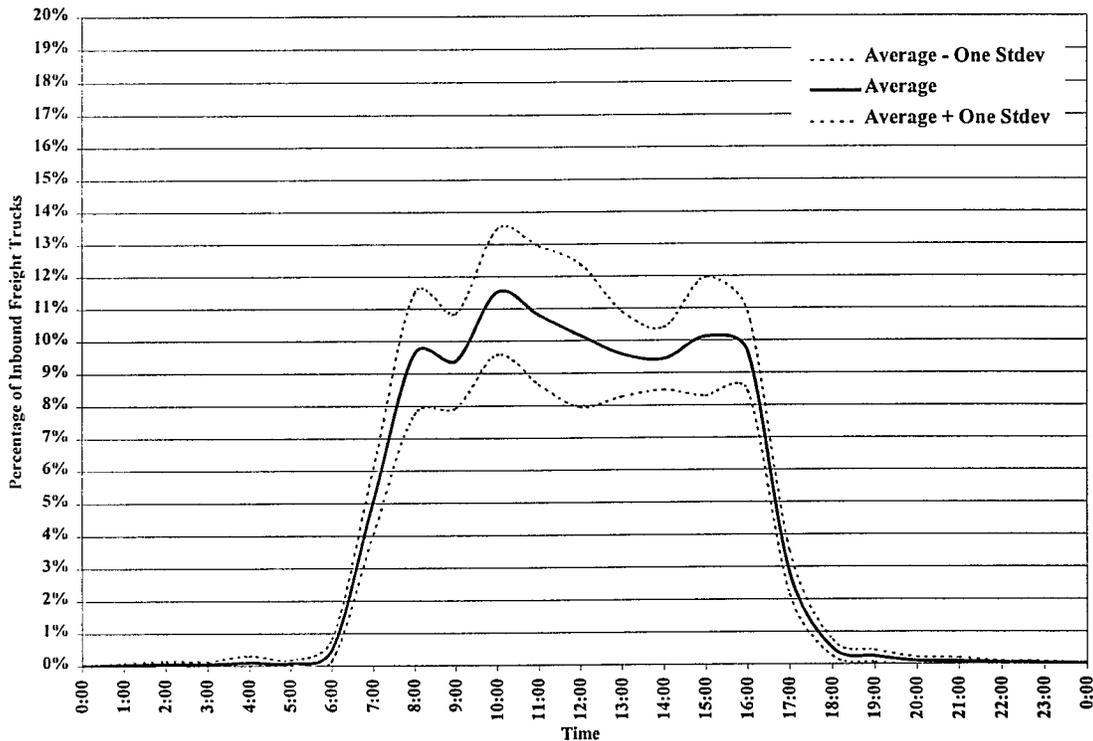


Figure K.2 Hourly Truck Volume Distributions for Inbound Direction on Tuesdays (Trip Attraction Model)

Time	Wed 1/22/97	Wed 2/26/97	Wed 3/19/97	Wed 3/26/97	Wed 4/2/97	Wed 4/23/97	Wed 4/9/97	Wed 4/16/97	Wed 4/30/97	Average - One Stdev	Average	Average + One Stdev
0:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
1:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
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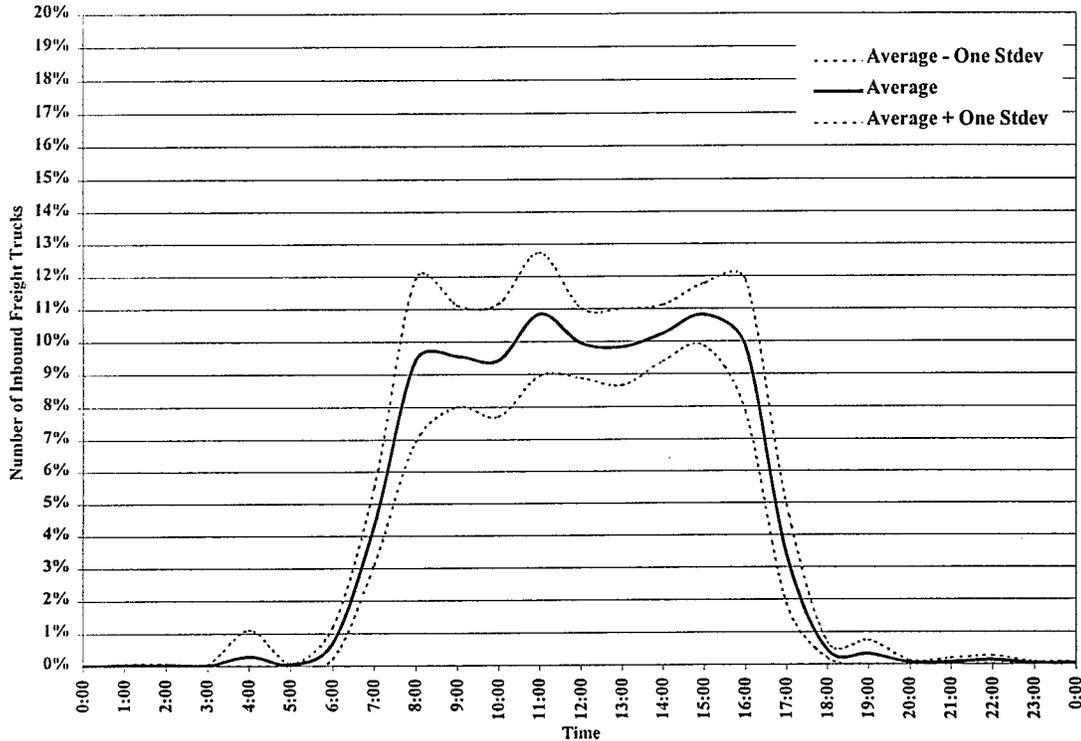


Figure K.3 Hourly Truck Volume Distributions for Inbound Direction on Wednesdays (Trip Attraction Model)

Time	Thu 1/23/97	Thu 2/27/97	Thu 3/20/97	Thu 3/27/97	Thu 4/3/97	Thu 4/10/97	Thu 4/17/97	Thu 4/24/97	Thu 5/1/97	Average - One Stdev	Average	Average + One Stdev
0:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
1:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
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3:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	3%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
4:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	3%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
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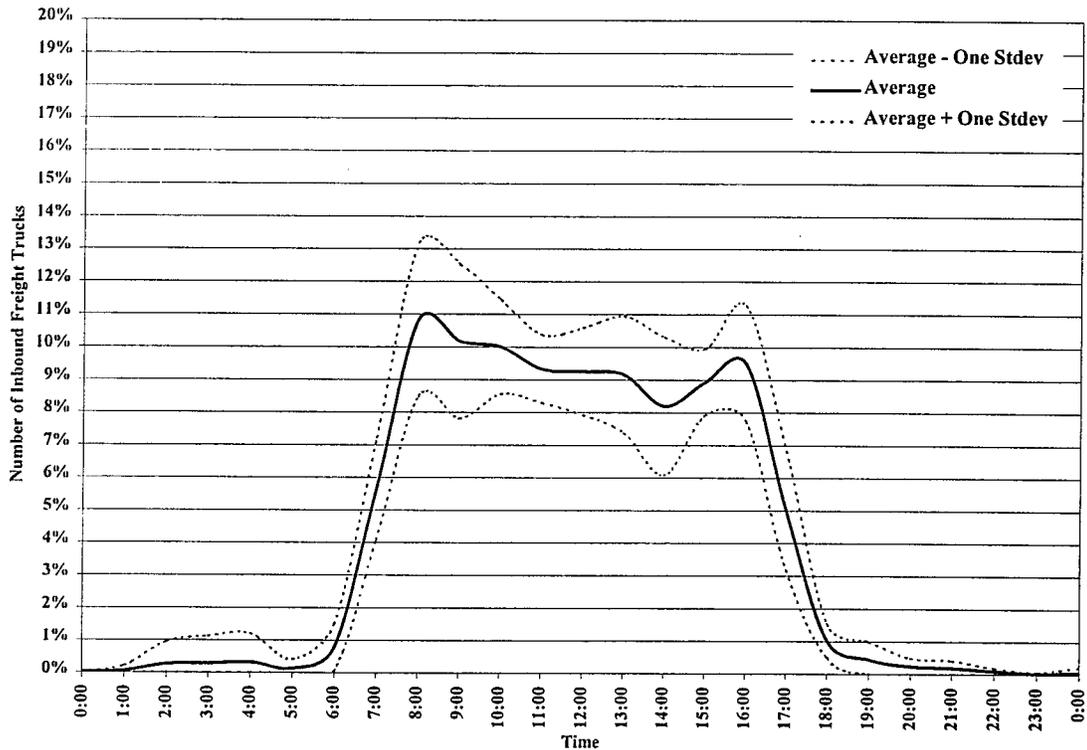


Figure K.4 Hourly Truck Volume Distributions for Inbound Direction on Thursdays (Trip Attraction Model)

Time	Fri 1/17/97	Fri 1/24/97	Fri 2/28/97	Fri 4/4/97	Fri 4/11/97	Fri 4/18/97	Fri 4/25/97	Average - One Stdev	Average	Average + One Stdev
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1:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
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5:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
6:00	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
7:00	3%	4%	7%	7%	5%	2%	4%	3%	5%	7%
8:00	7%	8%	7%	9%	8%	3%	8%	5%	7%	9%
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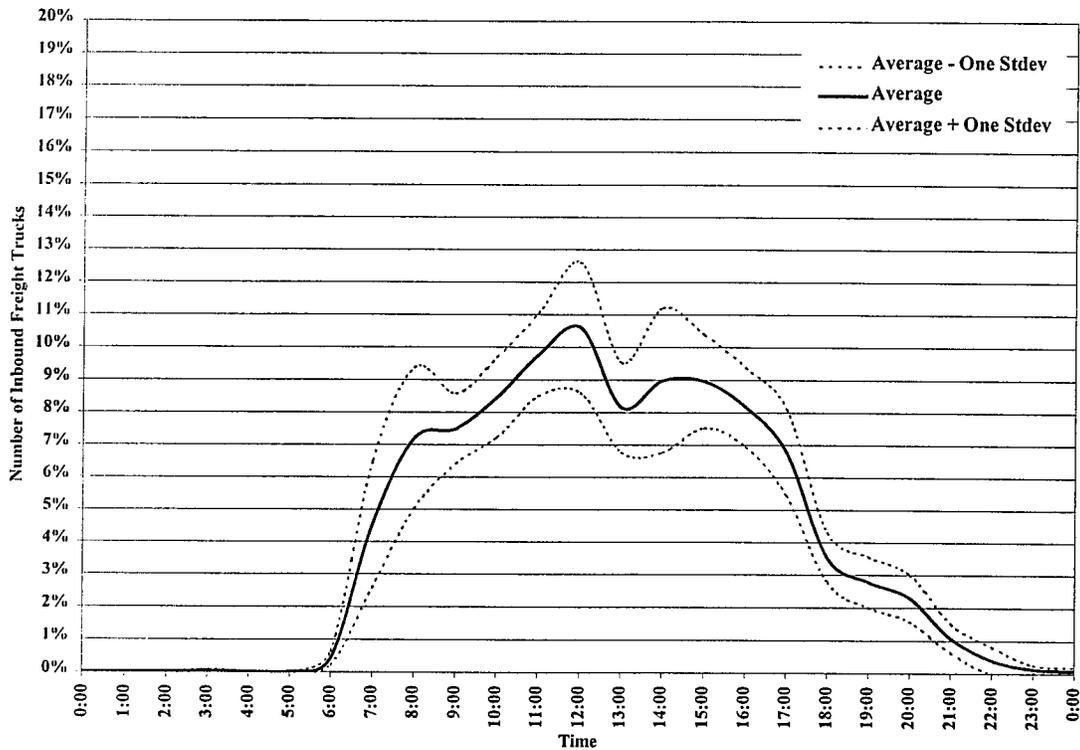


Figure K.5 Hourly Truck Volume Distributions for Inbound Direction on Fridays (Trip Attraction Model)

Time	Mon 3/17/97	Mon 3/24/97	Mon 3/31/97	Mon 4/7/97	Mon 4/14/97	Mon 4/21/97	Mon 4/28/97	Average - One Stdev	Average	Average + One Stdev
0:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
1:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	4%	0%	1%	2%
2:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	5%	0%	1%	3%
3:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	7%	0%	1%	4%
4:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	5%	0%	1%	3%
5:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	5%	0%	1%	2%
6:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
7:00	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
8:00	3%	3%	2%	6%	3%	3%	1%	1%	3%	5%
9:00	7%	7%	7%	10%	8%	11%	4%	6%	8%	10%
10:00	12%	9%	10%	6%	7%	9%	5%	6%	8%	10%
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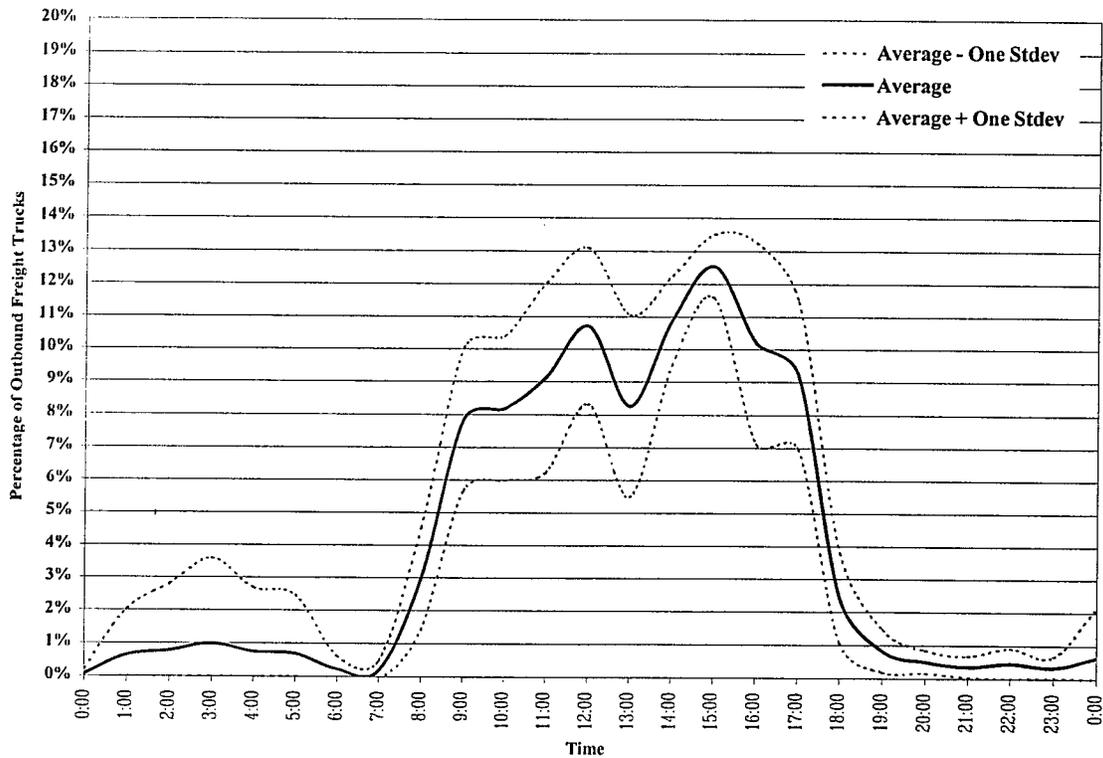


Figure K.6 Hourly Truck Volume Distributions for Outbound Direction on Mondays (Trip Production Model)

Time	Tue 1/21/97	Tue 2/25/97	Tue 3/18/97	Tue 3/25/97	Tue 4/1/97	Tue 4/8/97	Tue 4/15/97	Tue 4/22/97	Tue 4/29/97	Average One Stdev	Average	Average+ One Stdev
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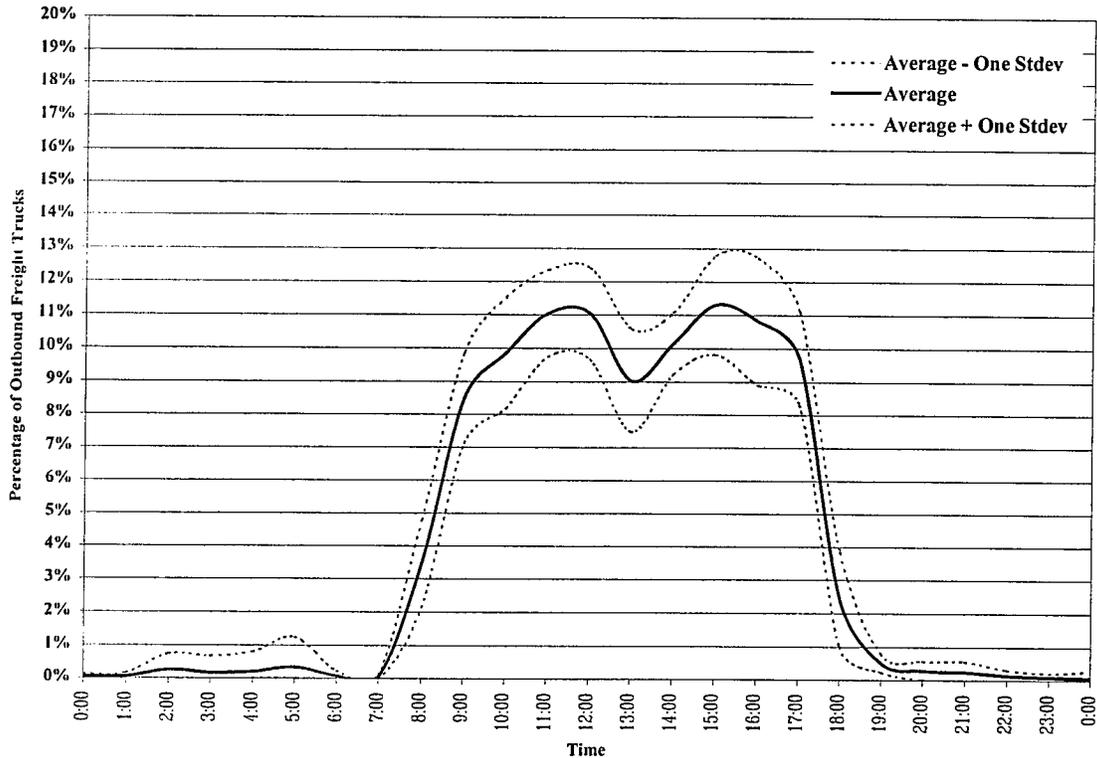


Figure K.7 Hourly Truck Volume Distributions for Outbound Direction on Tuesdays (Trip Production Model)

Time	Wed 1/22/97	Wed 2/26/97	Wed 3/19/97	Wed 3/26/97	Wed 4/2/97	Wed 4/23/97	Wed 4/9/97	Wed 4/16/97	Wed 4/30/97	Average - One Stdev	Average	Average + One Stdev
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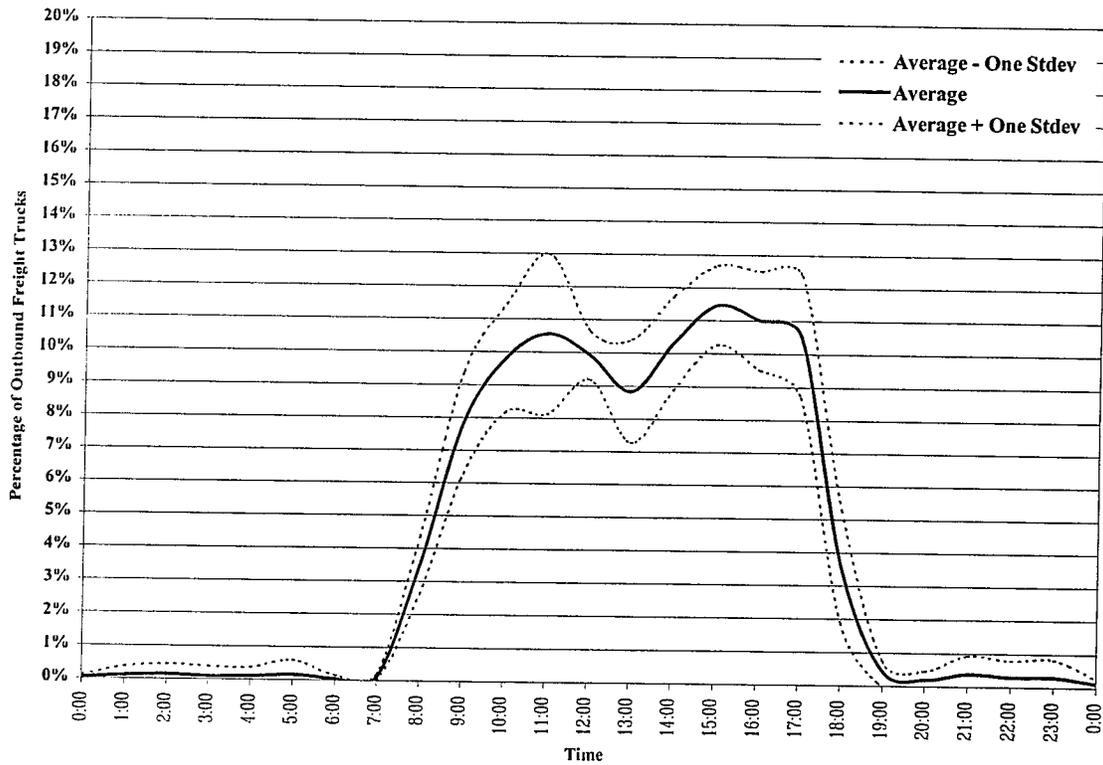


Figure K.8 Hourly Truck Volume Distributions for Outbound Direction on Wednesdays (Trip Production Model)

Time	Thu 1/23/97	Thu 2/27/97	Thu 3/20/97	Thu 3/27/97	Thu 4/3/97	Thu 4/10/97	Thu 4/17/97	Thu 4/24/97	Thu 5/1/97	Average - One Stdev	Average	Average + One Stdev
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23:00	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	7%	0%	1%	3%
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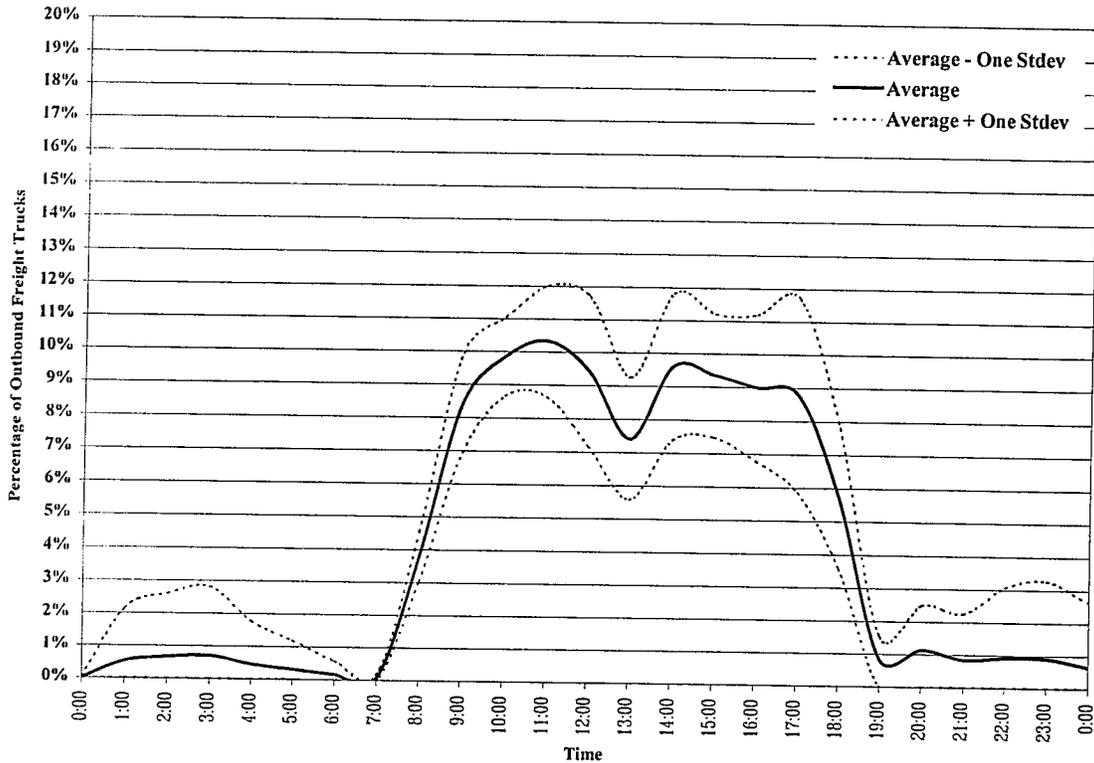


Figure K.9 Hourly Truck Volume Distributions for Outbound Direction on Thursdays (Trip Production Model)

Time	Fri 1/17/97	Fri 1/24/97	Fri 2/28/97	Fri 4/4/97	Fri 4/11/97	Fri 4/18/97	Fri 4/25/97	Average - One Stdev	Average	Average + One Stdev
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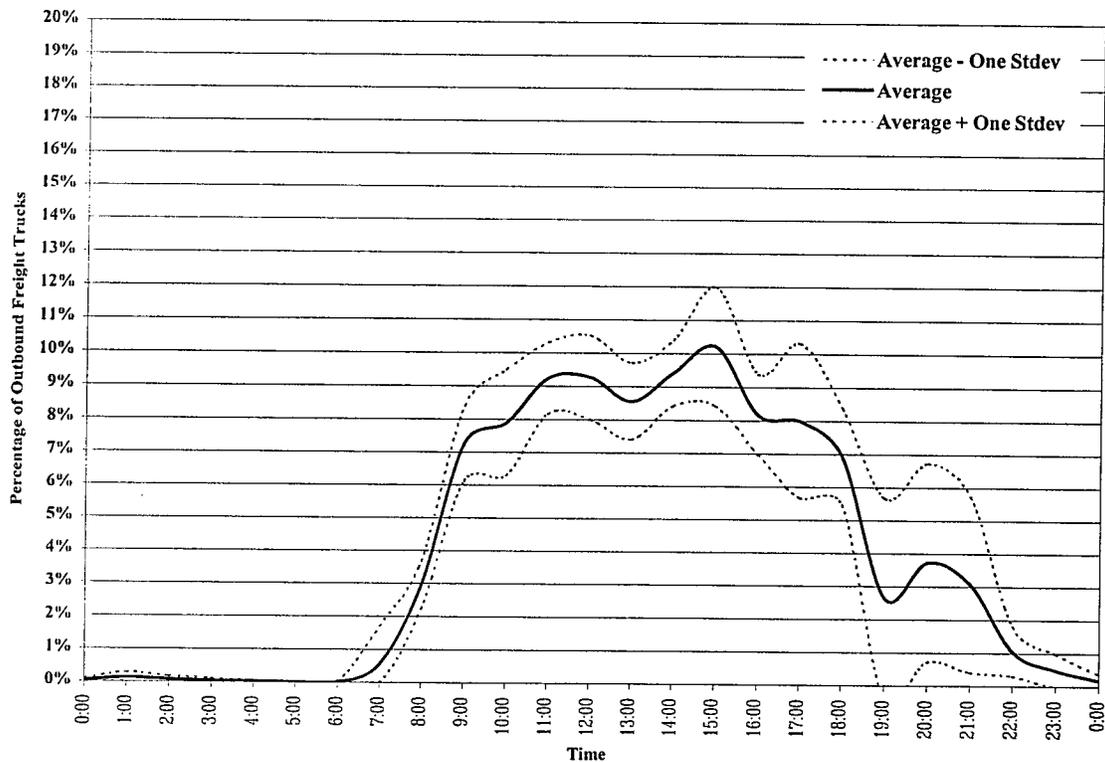


Figure K.10 Hourly Truck Volume Distributions for Outbound Direction on Fridays (Trip Production Model)

