The talk will provide detailed information on Team Poland's winning methodology in the electricity price forecasting track of GEFCom2014, a forecasting competition with over 400 researchers and practitioners from around the world (http://gefcom.org/). A new hybrid model is proposed, consisting of four major blocks: point forecasting, pre-filtering, quantile regression modeling and post-processing. This universal model structure enables independent development of a single block, without affecting performance of the remaining ones. The four-block model design is complemented by including expert judgements, which may be of great importance in periods of unusually high or low electricity demand.

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