Assignment 7: Time Series Analysis

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OVERVIEW

This exercise accompanies the lessons in Environmental Data Analytics on time series analysis.

Directions

- 1. Change "Student Name" on line 3 (above) with your name.
- 2. Work through the steps, creating code and output that fulfill each instruction.
- 3. Be sure to **answer the questions** in this assignment document.
- 4. When you have completed the assignment, **Knit** the text and code into a single PDF file.
- 5. After Knitting, submit the completed exercise (PDF file) to the dropbox in Sakai. Add your last name into the file name (e.g., "Fay_A07_TimeSeries.Rmd") prior to submission.

The completed exercise is due on Monday, March 14 at 7:00 pm.

Set up

- 1. Set up your session:
- Check your working directory
- Load the tidyverse, lubridate, zoo, and trend packages
- Set your ggplot theme

```
#1
getwd()
```

[1] "C:/Users/benja/OneDrive/Documents/R/win-library/Environmental_Data_Analytics_2022"

```
library(tidyverse)
```

```
## -- Attaching packages ------ tidyverse 1.3.1 --
## v ggplot2 3.3.5
                   v purrr
                           0.3.4
## v tibble 3.1.2
                   v dplyr
                           1.0.7
## v tidyr
          1.1.3
                  v stringr 1.4.0
## v readr
          2.1.1
                   v forcats 0.5.1
## -- Conflicts ----- tidyverse_conflicts() --
## x dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
## x dplyr::lag()
                 masks stats::lag()
```

```
library(lubridate)
##
## Attaching package: 'lubridate'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##
       date, intersect, setdiff, union
library(zoo)
##
## Attaching package: 'zoo'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##
       as.Date, as.Date.numeric
library(trend)
mytheme <- theme_classic(base_size = 14) +</pre>
  theme(axis.text = element_text(color = "black"),
        legend.position = "top")
theme_set(mytheme)
```

2. Import the ten datasets from the Ozone_TimeSeries folder in the Raw data folder. These contain ozone concentrations at Garinger High School in North Carolina from 2010-2019 (the EPA air database only allows downloads for one year at a time). Import these either individually or in bulk and then combine them into a single dataframe named GaringerOzone of 3589 observation and 20 variables.

```
#2
Garinger2010 <- read.csv("./Data/Raw/Ozone_TimeSeries/EPAair_03_GaringerNC2010_raw.csv", stringsAsFactor
Garinger2011 <- read.csv("./Data/Raw/Ozone_TimeSeries/EPAair_03_GaringerNC2011_raw.csv", stringsAsFactor
Garinger2012 <- read.csv("./Data/Raw/Ozone_TimeSeries/EPAair_03_GaringerNC2012_raw.csv", stringsAsFacto
Garinger2013 <- read.csv("./Data/Raw/Ozone TimeSeries/EPAair 03 GaringerNC2013 raw.csv", stringsAsFacto
Garinger2014 <- read.csv("./Data/Raw/Ozone_TimeSeries/EPAair_03_GaringerNC2014_raw.csv", stringsAsFacto
Garinger2015 <- read.csv("./Data/Raw/Ozone_TimeSeries/EPAair_03_GaringerNC2015_raw.csv", stringsAsFacto
Garinger2016 <- read.csv("./Data/Raw/Ozone_TimeSeries/EPAair_03_GaringerNC2016_raw.csv", stringsAsFacto</pre>
Garinger2017 <- read.csv("./Data/Raw/Ozone_TimeSeries/EPAair_03_GaringerNC2017_raw.csv", stringsAsFacto
Garinger2018 <- read.csv("./Data/Raw/Ozone_TimeSeries/EPAair_03_GaringerNC2018_raw.csv", stringsAsFacto</pre>
Garinger2019 <- read.csv("./Data/Raw/Ozone_TimeSeries/EPAair_03_GaringerNC2019_raw.csv", stringsAsFacto
GaringerOzone <- rbind(Garinger2010, Garinger2011, Garinger2012, Garinger2013, Garinger2014, Garinger2015, Ga
summary(GaringerOzone)
                                                              POC
            Date
                         Source
                                        Site.ID
```

:371190041

Min.

01/01/2010:

AQS

:3588

Min.

1

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01/02/2010:
                   1
                       AirNow:
                                      1st Qu.:371190041
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##
   01/03/2010:
                                      Median :371190041
                                                           Median:1
                   1
##
   01/04/2010:
                                      Mean
                                              :371190041
                                                           Mean
##
   01/05/2010:
                   1
                                      3rd Qu.:371190041
                                                           3rd Qu.:1
    01/07/2010:
                   1
                                      Max.
                                              :371190041
                                                           Max.
##
    (Other)
               :3583
   Daily.Max.8.hour.Ozone.Concentration UNITS
                                                       DAILY AQI VALUE
##
   Min.
           :0.00200
                                           ppm:3589
                                                       Min.
                                                              : 2.00
##
    1st Qu.:0.03200
                                                       1st Qu.: 30.00
##
    Median : 0.04100
                                                       Median: 38.00
    Mean
           :0.04163
                                                       Mean
                                                              : 41.57
    3rd Qu.:0.05100
                                                       3rd Qu.: 47.00
##
##
    Max.
           :0.09300
                                                       Max.
                                                              :169.00
##
##
                                  DAILY_OBS_COUNT PERCENT_COMPLETE
                    Site.Name
##
    Garinger High School:3589
                                  Min.
                                         : 6.00
                                                   Min.
                                                          : 35.0
##
                                  1st Qu.:17.00
                                                   1st Qu.:100.0
##
                                  Median :17.00
                                                   Median:100.0
##
                                  Mean
                                         :16.97
                                                   Mean
                                                          : 99.8
##
                                  3rd Qu.:17.00
                                                   3rd Qu.:100.0
##
                                  Max.
                                         :19.00
                                                   Max.
                                                          :100.0
##
##
    AQS_PARAMETER_CODE AQS_PARAMETER_DESC
                                              CBSA_CODE
                        Ozone:3589
##
    Min.
           :44201
                                            Min.
                                                    :16740
##
    1st Qu.:44201
                                            1st Qu.:16740
   Median :44201
                                            Median :16740
##
    Mean
           :44201
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                                            Mean
    3rd Qu.:44201
##
                                            3rd Qu.:16740
##
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                                                    :16740
    Max.
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##
##
                                  CBSA_NAME
                                                  STATE_CODE
                                                                         STATE
##
    Charlotte-Concord-Gastonia, NC-SC:3589
                                               Min.
                                                       :37
                                                             North Carolina:3589
##
                                                1st Qu.:37
##
                                               Median:37
##
                                                Mean
                                                       :37
##
                                                3rd Qu.:37
##
                                               Max.
                                                       :37
##
##
     COUNTY CODE
                           COUNTY
                                       SITE LATITUDE
                                                        SITE LONGITUDE
##
                                              :35.24
    Min.
           :119
                   Mecklenburg:3589
                                       Min.
                                                        Min.
                                                                :-80.79
                                       1st Qu.:35.24
    1st Qu.:119
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##
   Median:119
                                       Median :35.24
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                                              :35.24
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    Mean
           :119
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    3rd Qu.:119
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##
    Max.
           :119
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                                                                :-80.79
##
```

Wrangle

- 3. Set your date column as a date class.
- $4. \ \, \text{Wrangle your dataset so that it only contains the columns Date, Daily.} \\ \text{Max.} \\ 8. \\ \text{hour.} \\ \text{Ozone.} \\ \text{Concentration, and DAILY_AQI_VALUE.}$

- 5. Notice there are a few days in each year that are missing ozone concentrations. We want to generate a daily dataset, so we will need to fill in any missing days with NA. Create a new data frame that contains a sequence of dates from 2010-01-01 to 2019-12-31 (hint: as.data.frame(seq())). Call this new data frame Days. Rename the column name in Days to "Date".
- 6. Use a left_join to combine the data frames. Specify the correct order of data frames within this function so that the final dimensions are 3652 rows and 3 columns. Call your combined data frame GaringerOzone.

Visualize

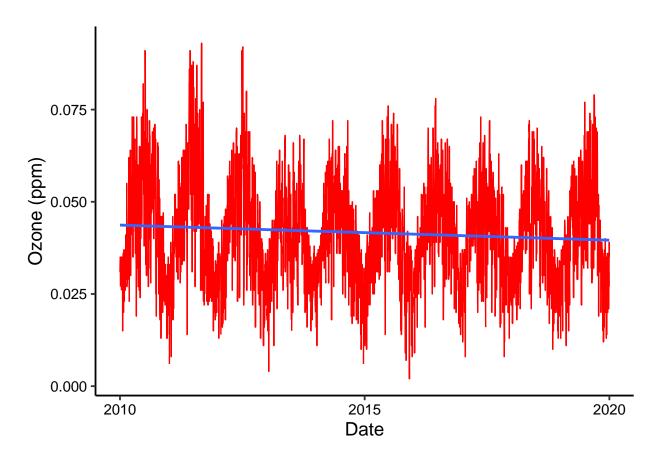
7. Create a line plot depicting ozone concentrations over time. In this case, we will plot actual concentrations in ppm, not AQI values. Format your axes accordingly. Add a smoothed line showing any linear trend of your data. Does your plot suggest a trend in ozone concentration over time?

```
#7
GaringerOzone_plot <-
    ggplot(GaringerOzone, aes(x = Date, y = Daily.Max.8.hour.Ozone.Concentration)) +
    geom_line(color = "red") +
    geom_smooth(method = lm, se = FALSE) +
    labs(x = "Date", y = "Ozone (ppm)")

print(GaringerOzone_plot)</pre>
```

```
## 'geom_smooth()' using formula 'y ~ x'
```

Warning: Removed 63 rows containing non-finite values (stat_smooth).



Answer: There appears to be a slight downward trend of ozone concentration with time.

Time Series Analysis

Study question: Have ozone concentrations changed over the 2010s at this station?

8. Use a linear interpolation to fill in missing daily data for ozone concentration. Why didn't we use a piecewise constant or spline interpolation?

```
#8

GaringerOzone$Daily.Max.8.hour.Ozone.Concentration =
zoo::na.approx(GaringerOzone$Daily.Max.8.hour.Ozone.Concentration)
```

Answer: The Data has a regular seasonality therefore it can be conlcuded that the missing data is either rising or falling between two data points before or after it. The best assumption is to pick a value between this two data points using linear interpolation as opposed to picking the same number using piecewise. Linear is the best option as the change in data is closer to a line than a quadratic curve therefore spline should also not be used.

9. Create a new data frame called GaringerOzone.monthly that contains aggregated data: mean ozone concentrations for each month. In your pipe, you will need to first add columns for year and month

to form the groupings. In a separate line of code, create a new Date column with each month-year combination being set as the first day of the month (this is for graphing purposes only)

```
#9

GaringerOzone.monthly <- GaringerOzone %>%
  mutate(Month = month(Date), Year = year(Date)) %>%
  mutate(Month_Year = my(pasteO(Month, "-", Year))) %>%
  dplyr::group_by(Month_Year) %>%
  dplyr::summarise(MeanOzone =
  mean(Daily.Max.8.hour.Ozone.Concentration))
```

10. Generate two time series objects. Name the first GaringerOzone.daily.ts and base it on the dataframe of daily observations. Name the second GaringerOzone.monthly.ts and base it on the monthly average ozone values. Be sure that each specifies the correct start and end dates and the frequency of the time series.

```
#10
f_month <- month(first(GaringerOzone$Date))
f_year <- year(first(GaringerOzone$Date))

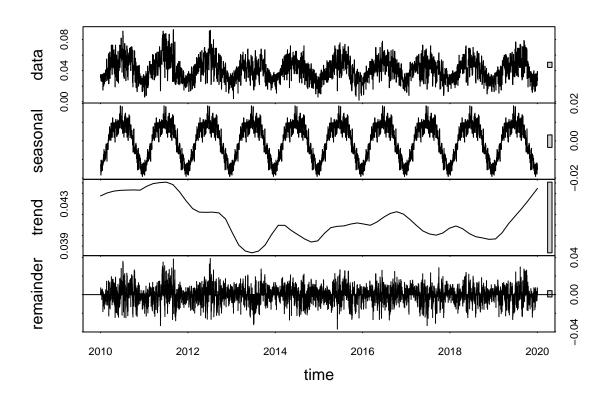
GaringerOzone.daily.ts <-
    ts(GaringerOzone$Daily.Max.8.hour.Ozone.Concentration,
    start = c(f_year,f_month), frequency = 365)

fm_month <- month(first(GaringerOzone.monthly$Month_Year))
fm_year <- year(first(GaringerOzone.monthly$Month_Year))

GaringerOzone.monthly.ts <-
    ts(GaringerOzone.monthly$MeanOzone,
        start = c(fm_year,fm_month), frequency = 12)</pre>
```

11. Decompose the daily and the monthly time series objects and plot the components using the plot() function.

```
#11
daily_data_decomp <-
    stl(GaringerOzone.daily.ts, s.window = "periodic")
plot(daily_data_decomp)</pre>
```



```
monthly_data_decomp <-
   stl(GaringerOzone.monthly.ts,s.window = "periodic")

plot(monthly_data_decomp)</pre>
```



12. Run a monotonic trend analysis for the monthly Ozone series. In this case the seasonal Mann-Kendall is most appropriate; why is this?

```
#12
Ozone_data_trendm <-Kendall::SeasonalMannKendall(GaringerOzone.monthly.ts)
Ozone_data_trendm
```

```
## tau = -0.143, 2-sided pvalue =0.046724
```

```
summary(Ozone_data_trendm)
```

```
## Score = -77 , Var(Score) = 1499
## denominator = 539.4972
## tau = -0.143, 2-sided pvalue =0.046724
```

Answer: Because the data is seasonal, the Seasonal mann kendall allows us to interpret the data while comparing multiple seasons.

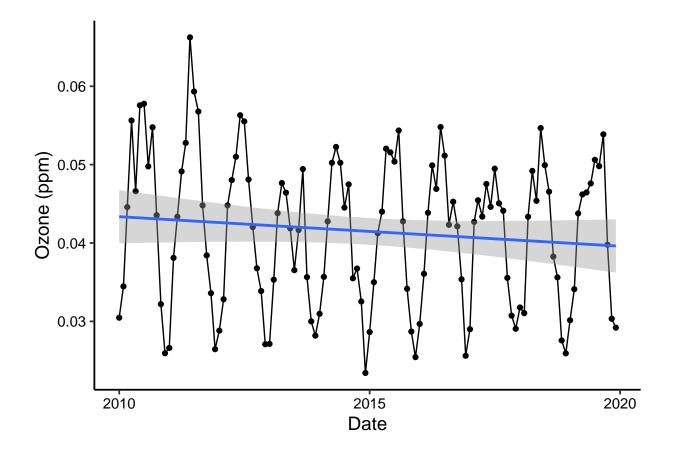
13. Create a plot depicting mean monthly ozone concentrations over time, with both a geom_point and a geom_line layer. Edit your axis labels accordingly.

```
# 13

Ozone_data_plot <-
ggplot(GaringerOzone.monthly, aes(x = Month_Year, y = MeanOzone)) +
    geom_point() +
    geom_line() +
    ylab("Mean Ozone Concentration") +
    geom_smooth( method = lm ) +
    labs( x = "Date", y = "Ozone (ppm)")

print(Ozone_data_plot)</pre>
```

'geom_smooth()' using formula 'y ~ x'



14. To accompany your graph, summarize your results in context of the research question. Include output from the statistical test in parentheses at the end of your sentence. Feel free to use multiple sentences in your interpretation.

Answer: Visually, there is a downward trend. the P value is less than .05 at .047. Over time, Ozone concentration does decrease and it is statistically significant.

15. Subtract the seasonal component from the GaringerOzone.monthly.ts. Hint: Look at how we extracted the series components for the EnoDischarge on the lesson Rmd file.

16. Run the Mann Kendall test on the non-seasonal Ozone monthly series. Compare the results with the ones obtained with the Seasonal Mann Kendall on the complete series.

Answer: The results are more significant removing the seasonality. using the seasonal Mannkendall the p value was .046 while the Mann Kendall with seasonality removed returned a Pvalue of 0.0075.