



ENV 797 - TIME SERIES ANALYSIS FOR ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT APPLICATIONS

M5 – ARIMA Models

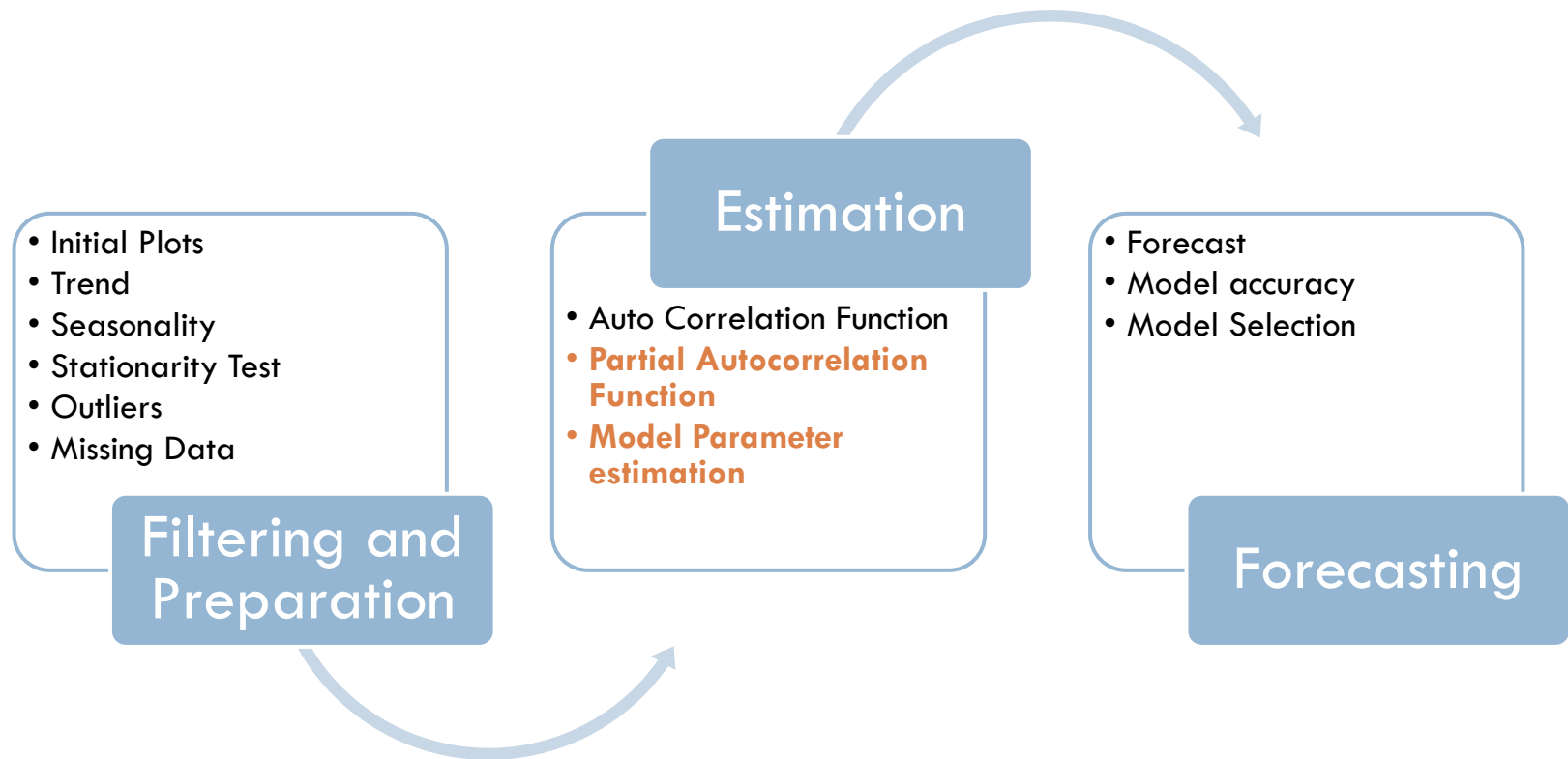
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Learning Goals



- Discuss Models for Stationary Time Series
 - ▣ Autoregressive Model (AR)
 - ▣ Moving Average Model (MA)
 - ▣ ARMA Model
 - ▣ ARIMA Model
- Learn how to implement those models in R

What do we know so far?



Introduction

- Basic concepts of parametric time series models the ARMA or ARIMA models
 - ▣ AR stands for Auto Regressive; and
 - ▣ MA stands for Moving Average
 - ▣ And the I stands for Integrated (more on that later)
- Traditional Box-Jenkins models
- To model a time series with the Box-Jenkins approach, the series has to be stationary
- Recall: series is stationary if tends to wonder more or less uniformly about some fixed level

Review: Achieving Stationarity


- Is the trend stochastic or deterministic?
 - ▣ Run the tests
 - ▣ If stochastic: use differencing
 - ▣ If determinist: use regression
- Check if variance changes with time
 - ▣ If yes: make it constant with log transformation



AR models

Auto Regressive Models

- The simplest family of these models are the autoregressive (AR)
- They generalize the idea of regression to represent the linear dependence between a dependent variable y_t and an explanatory variable y_{t-1} , such that:

$$y_t = c + \phi y_{t-1} + a_t$$


where c and ϕ are constants to be determined and a_t are i.i.d. $N(0, \sigma^2)$

First order autoregressive process

Auto Regressive Models

- From the unit root test, the condition $-1 < \phi < 1$ is necessary for the process to be stationary, **but why?**
- Suppose $y_0 = h$ where h is constant

$$y_1 = c + \phi h + a_1$$

$$y_2 = c + \phi y_1 + a_2 = c + \phi(c + \phi h + a_1) + a_2 = c(1 + \phi) + \phi^2 h + \phi a_1 + a_2$$

$$y_3 = c(1 + \phi + \phi^2) + \phi^3 h + \phi^2 a_1 + \phi a_2 + a_3$$

**General
Form**

$$y_t = c \sum_{i=0}^{t-1} \phi^i + \phi^t h + \sum_{i=0}^{t-1} \phi^i a_{t-i}$$

$$E[a_t] = 0 \quad \longrightarrow \quad E[y_t] = c \sum_{i=0}^{t-1} \phi^i + \phi^t h$$

Auto Regressive Models

- Hence the process is stationary if this function does not depend on t

$$E[y_t] = c \sum_{i=0}^{t-1} \phi^i + \phi^t h$$

The first term is a geometric progression with ratio ϕ , thus

$$\sum_{i=0}^{t-1} \phi^i \approx \frac{1-\phi^{t-1}}{1-\phi} \approx \frac{1}{1-\phi} \text{ if } |\phi| < 1$$

Second term needs to converge to zero, this is only true if

$$|\phi| < 1$$

Review: Geometric Progression

- Sequence of numbers where each term is found by multiplying the previous one by a fixed ratio

Ex.: $a, ar, ar^2, ar^3, ar^4, ar^5, \dots$ where $r \neq 0$ This shows the terms to consider or the order.

- The sum of the first n element of a geometric progression is given by

$$\sum_{k=1}^n ar^{k-1} = a \sum_{k=1}^n r^{k-1} = a \frac{(1 - r^n)}{1 - r}$$

Auto Regressive Models (cont'd)

- This linear dependence can be generalized so that the present value of the series, y_t , depends not only on y_{t-1} , but also on the previous p lags,

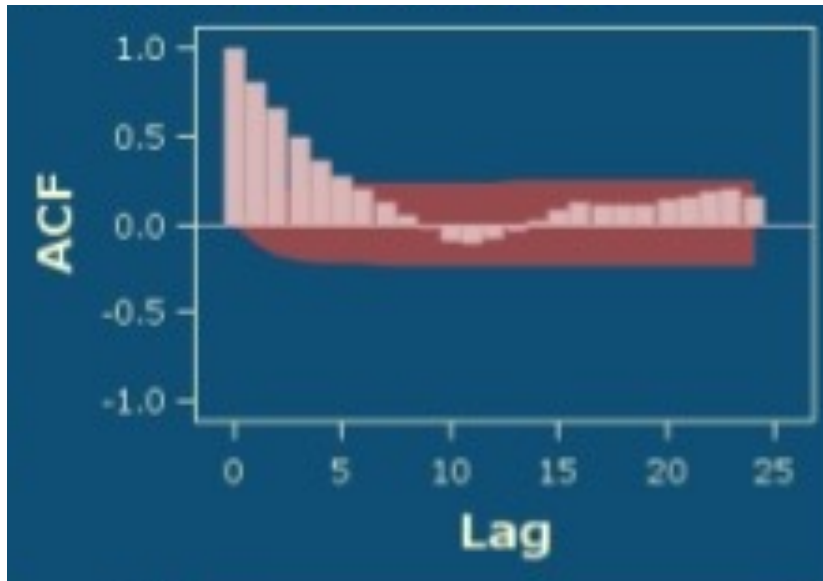
$$y_{t-2} \dots, y_{t-p}$$

- Thus, AR process of order p is obtained

$$y_t = c + \phi_1 y_{t-1} + \dots + \phi_p y_{t-p} + a_t$$

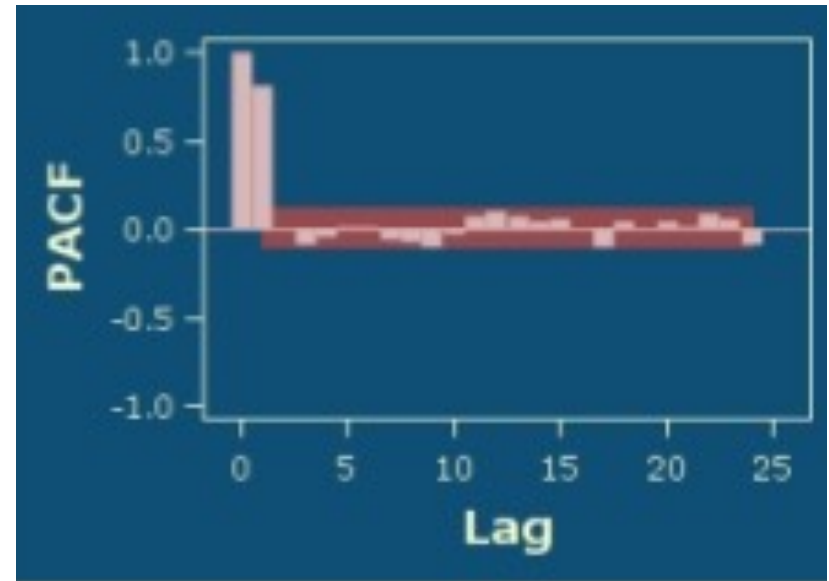
ACF and PACF for AR Process

- For AR models ACF will decay exponentially with time



- The PACF will identify the order of the AR model

This shows the legs to consider or the order.



$$p = 1$$



MA models

Moving Average Models

- The AR process have infinite non-zero autocorrelation coefficients that decay with the lag
- Therefore, we say AR processes have a relatively **“long memory”**
- There is another family of model, that have a **“short memory”**, the moving average or MA process
- The MA processes are a function of a finite and generally small number of its past residuals

Moving Average Models

- A first order moving average process $MA(1)$, is defined by

$$y_t = \mu + a_t - \theta a_{t-1}$$

Meaning that this model considers the past memory of our dataset, that is the error of the previous term.

where μ is the process mean and a_t are i.i.d. $N(0, \sigma^2)$

- Or

$$\tilde{y}_t = a_t - \theta a_{t-1} \quad \text{where} \quad \tilde{y}_t = y_t - \mu$$

- Note: This process will always be stationary for any value of θ

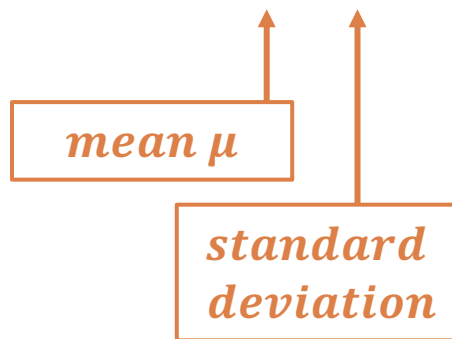
MA(q) Process Basic Concepts

- A q-order moving average process, denoted MA(q) takes the form

$$y_t = \mu + a_t - \theta_1 a_{t-1} - \cdots + \theta_q a_{t-q}$$

- Assume that error terms are i.i.d (independent and identically distributed)

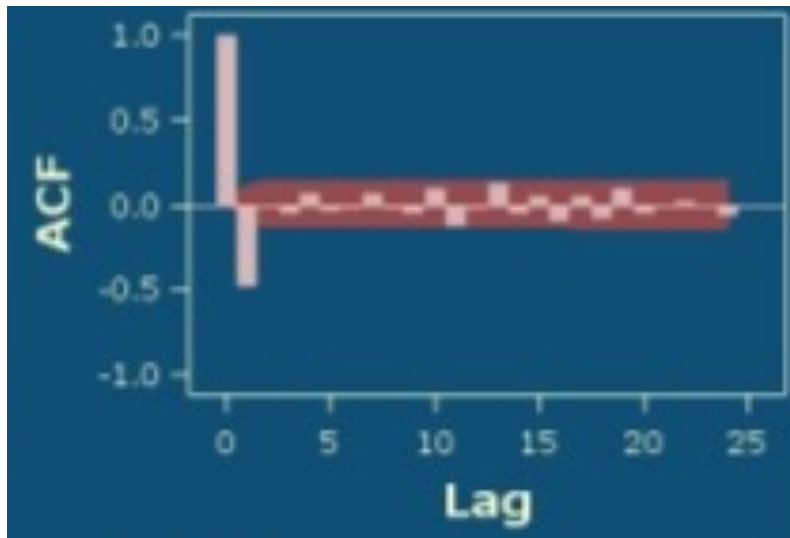
$$a_i \sim N(0, \sigma)$$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{cov}(a_i, a_j) &= 0 \quad \text{if } i \neq j \\ \text{cov}(a_i, a_j) &= \sigma^2 \quad \text{if } i = j \end{aligned}$$

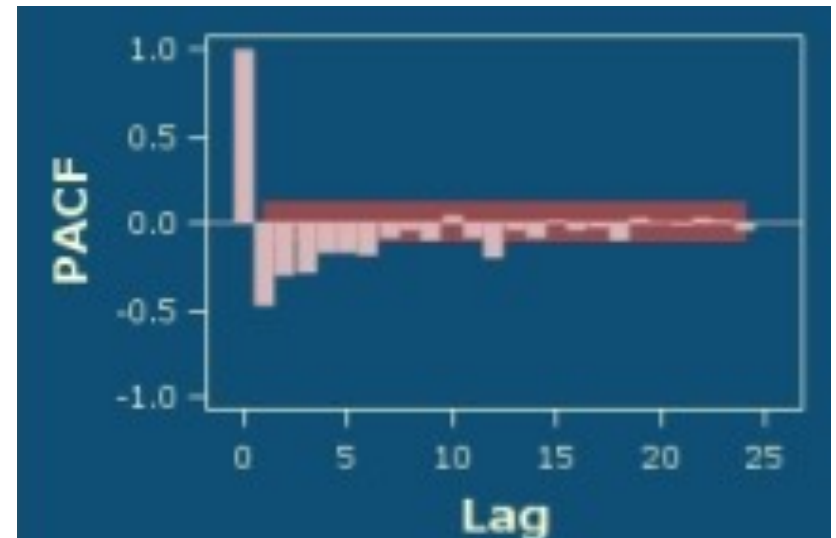
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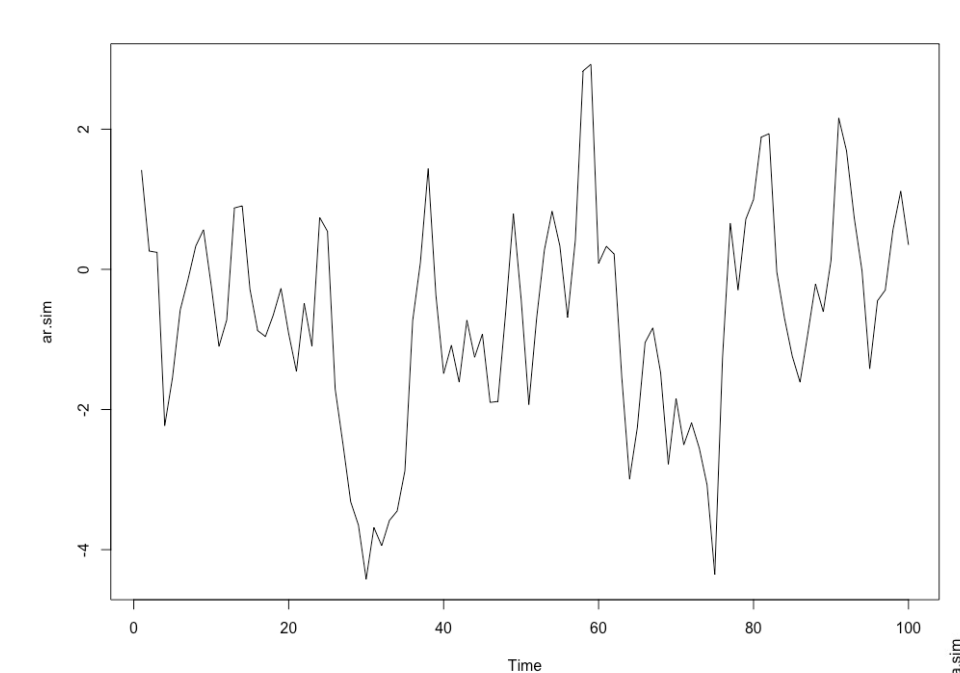
- The PACF will decay exponentially

If there is more than 1 lag, sign for moving average process.

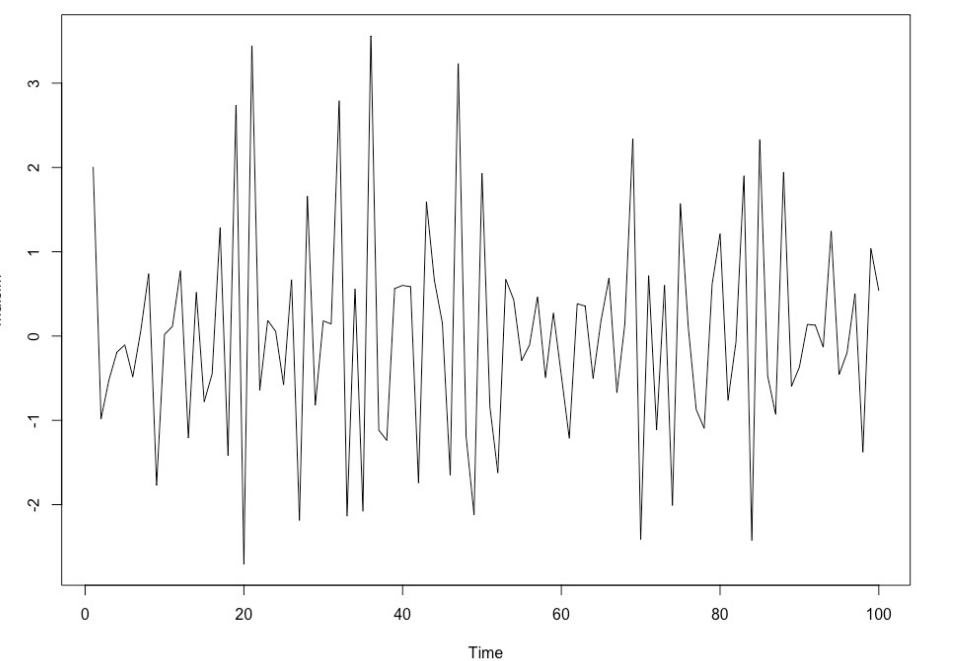


$$q = 1$$

AR model, sign of memory process

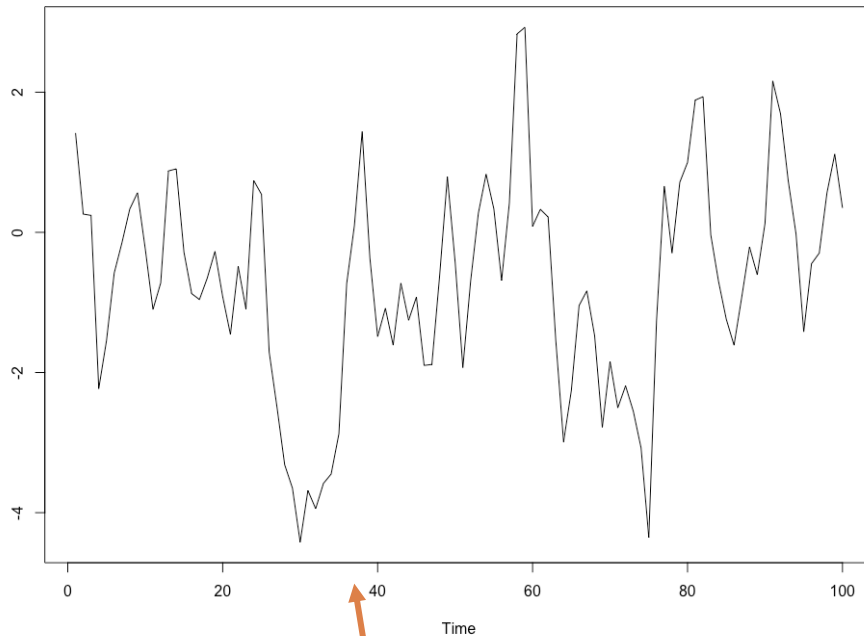


Moving average proces,
no idea on the impact of previous observation on the next



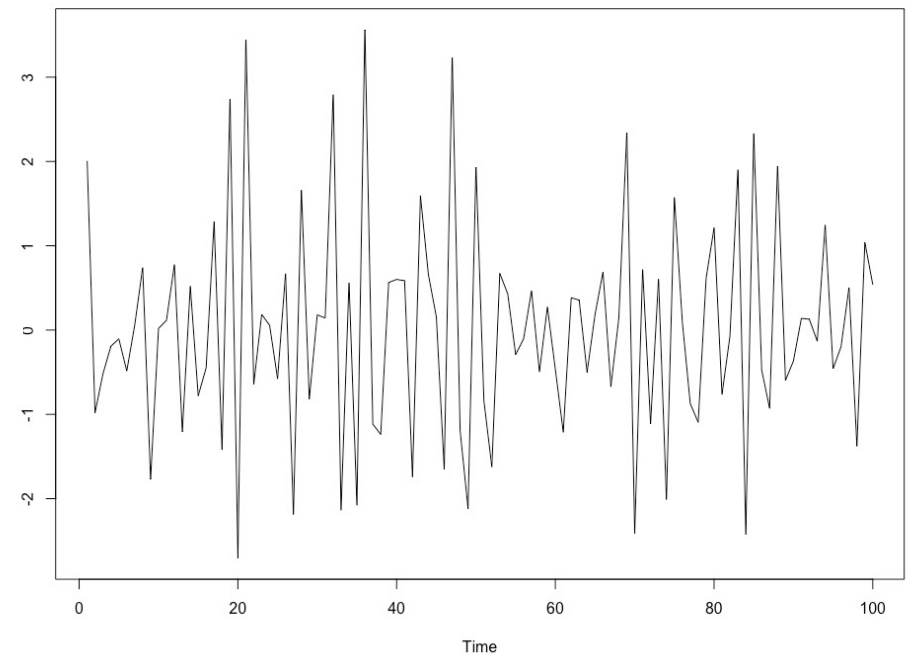
AR vs MA - Comparing Series Plots

AR

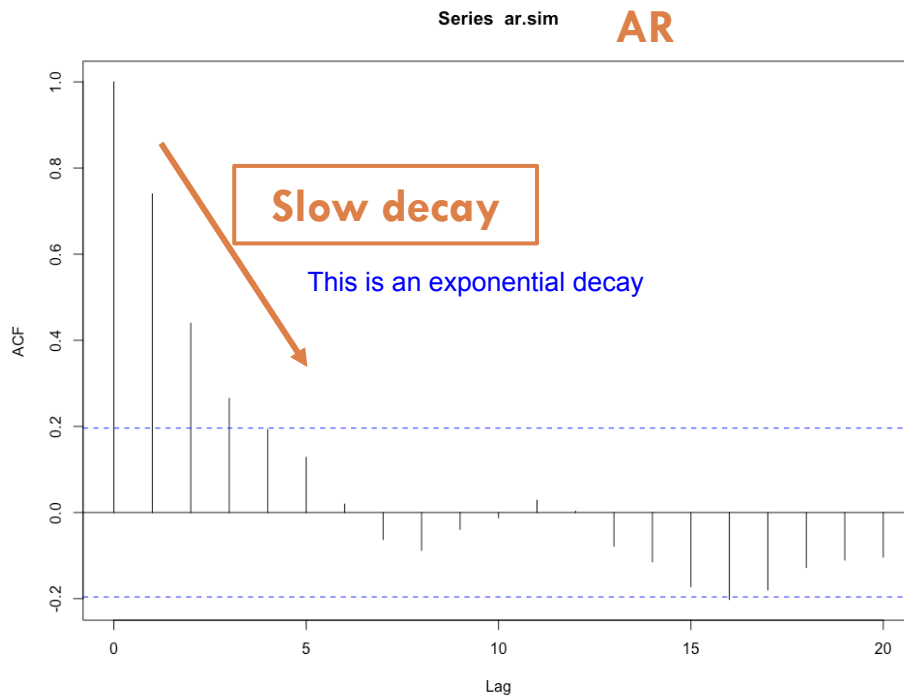


Dependency on previous observations

MA



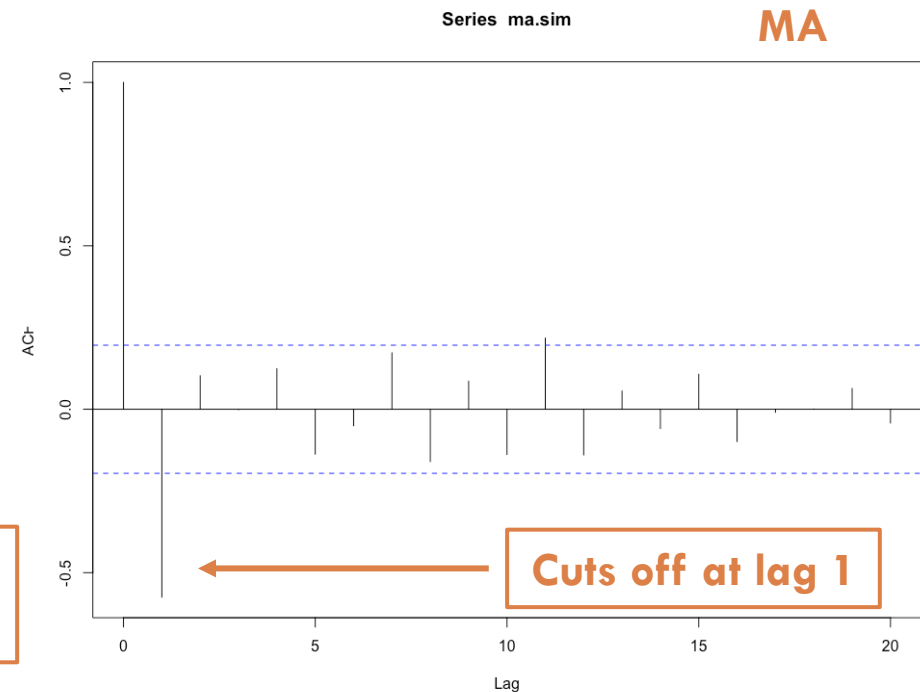
AR vs MA - Comparing ACF Plots



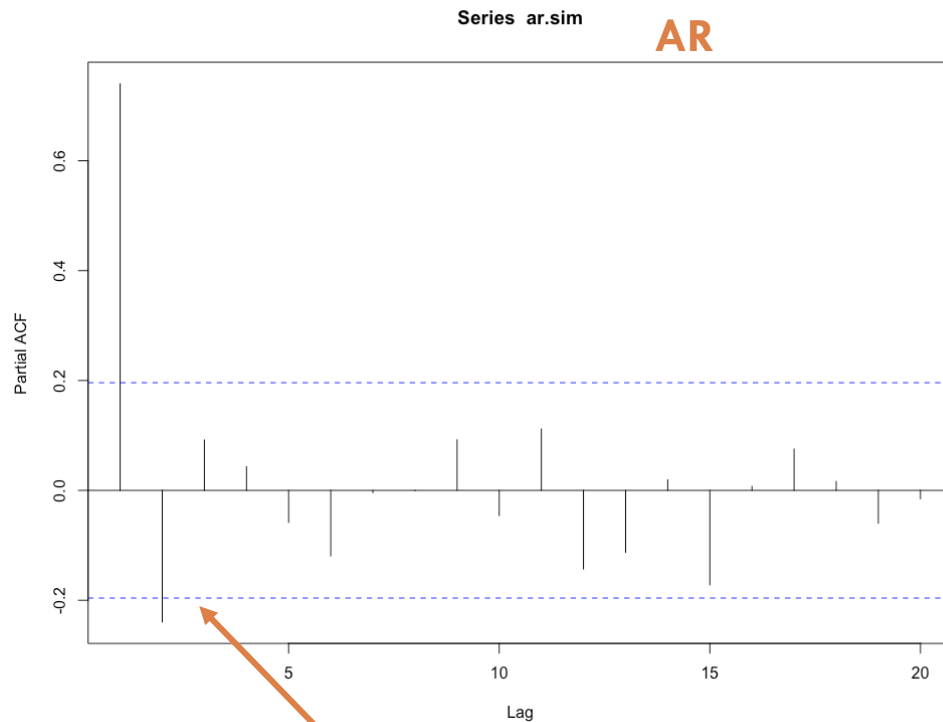
Often if the stationary series has positive autocorrelation at lag 1 AR terms work best

We need a model that have one or two lines.

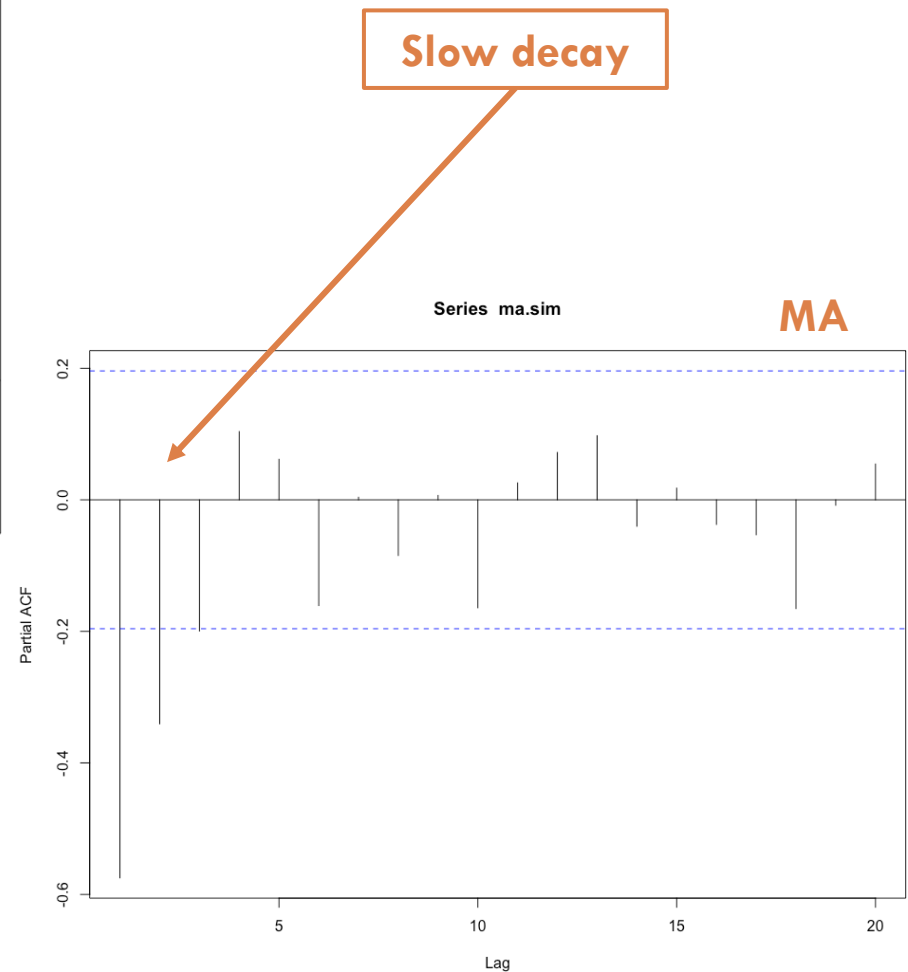
Often if it has negative autocorrelation at lag 1, MA terms work best



AR vs MA - Comparing PACF Plots



**Cuts off at
lag 1**



In summary...

□ **AR Process**

- Series current values depend on its own previous values
- $AR(p)$ – current value depend on its own p -previous values
- p is order of the AR process

□ **MA Process**

- The current deviation from mean depends on previous deviations
- $MA(q)$ – current deviation depends on q -previous deviations
- q is the order of the MA process

□ But we can also have **ARMA Process**

- Takes into account both of the above factors when making predictions



ARMA models

ARMA Process

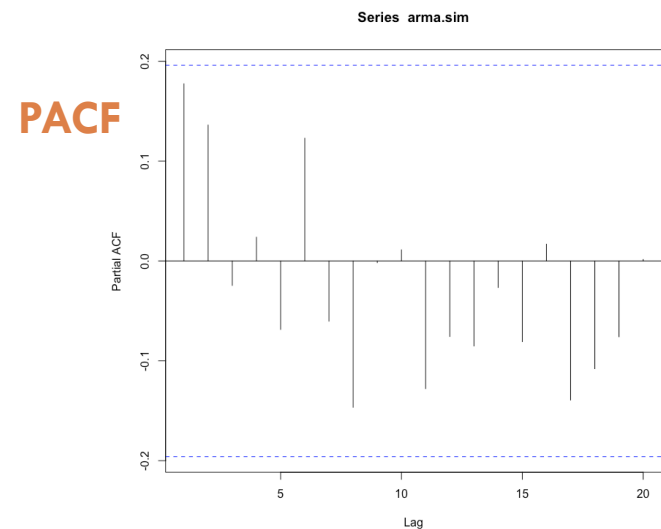
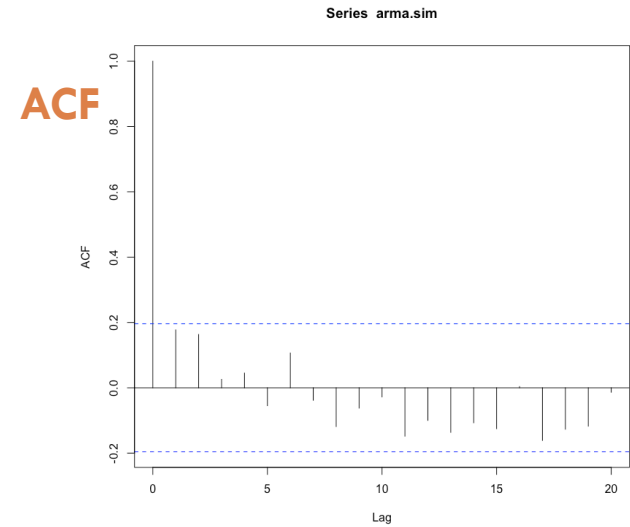
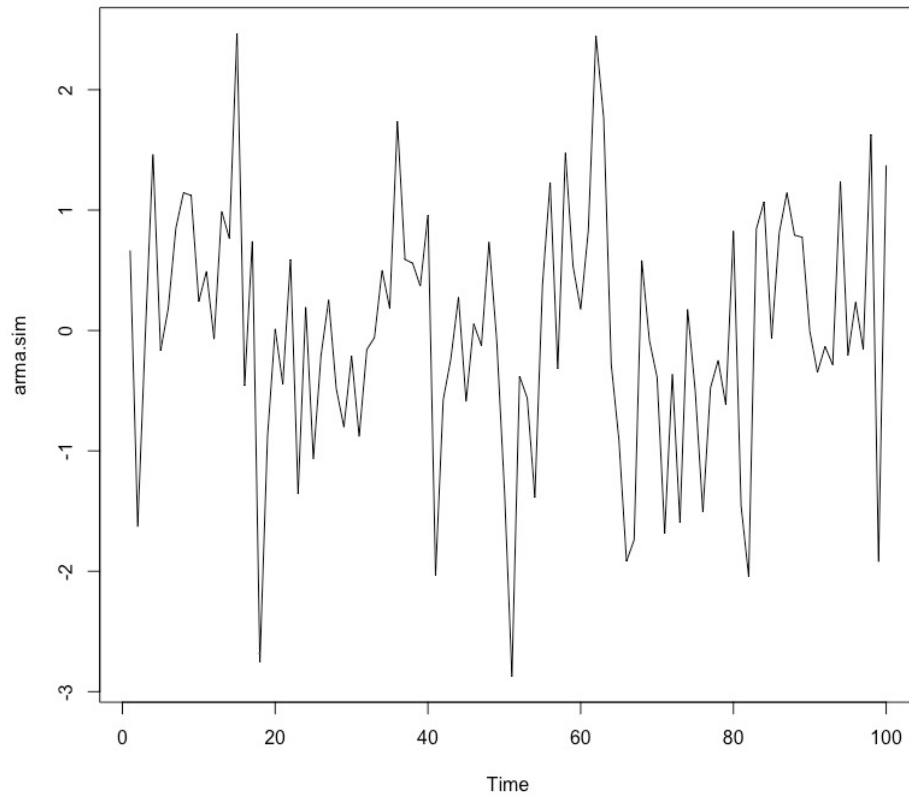
- The simplest process, the ARMA(1,1) is written as

$$\tilde{y}_t = \phi_1 \tilde{y}_{t-1} + a_t - \theta_1 a_{t-1}$$

where $|\phi_1| < 1$ for the process to be stationary

- The ACF and PACF of the ARMA processes are the result of superimposing the AR and MA properties
 - ▣ In the ACF initial coefficients depend on the MA order and later a decay dictated by the AR part
 - ▣ In the PACF initial values dependent on the AR followed by the decay due to the MA part

ARMA Model Plots





ARIMA models

ARIMA Models

- **A**uto-**R**egressive **I**ntegrated **M**oving **A**verage
- We know the AR and MA part already
- The Integrated part refers to a series that needs to be differenced to achieve stationarity
- The non-seasonal ARIMA model is described by three numbers

ARIMA(*p, d, q*)

p: number of autoregressive terms

d: number of differences (non-seasonal)

q: number of moving average terms

ARIMA Models

□ Equation

$$\hat{y}_t = \mu + \underbrace{\phi_1 y_{t-1} + \dots + \phi_p y_{t-p}}_{\text{AR terms convention (+)}} + \underbrace{a_t}_{\text{Error term}} - \underbrace{\theta_1 a_{t-1} - \dots - \theta_q a_{t-q}}_{\text{MA terms convention (-)}}$$

constant

AR terms convention (+)

Error term

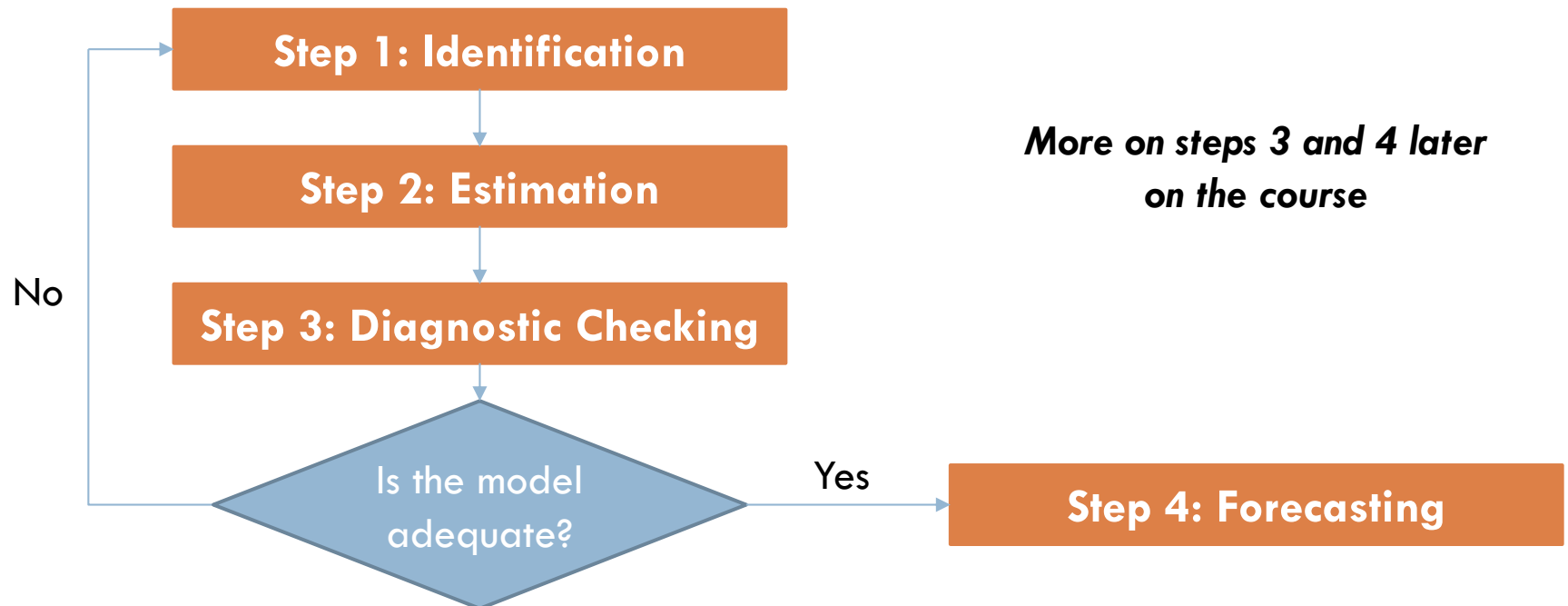
MA terms convention (-)

- \hat{y}_t is an estimate for the differenced version of the series therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \text{If } d = 0: & \quad \hat{Y}_t = \hat{y}_t \\ \text{If } d = 1: & \quad \hat{Y}_t = \hat{y}_t + Y_{t-1} \\ & \quad \vdots \end{aligned}$$

Drawbacks

- There is no systematic approach for identification and selection
- The identification is mainly trial-and-error



ARIMA class models in R

Fit ARIMA Models in R

□ *arima()* from package “stats”

```
arima(x, order = c(0L, 0L, 0L),
      seasonal = list(order = c(0L, 0L, 0L), period = NA),
      xreg = NULL, include.mean = TRUE,
      transform.pars = TRUE,
      fixed = NULL, init = NULL,
      method = c("CSS-ML", "ML", "CSS"), n.cond,
      SSinit = c("Gardner1980", "Rossignol2011"),
      optim.method = "BFGS",
      optim.control = list(), kappa = 1e6)
```

Arguments

Most relevant arguments

x	a univariate time series
order	A specification of the non-seasonal part of the ARIMA model: the three integer components (p , d , q) are the AR order, the degree of differencing, and the MA order.
seasonal	A specification of the seasonal part of the ARIMA model, plus the period (which defaults to <code>frequency(x)</code>). This should be a list with components <code>order</code> and <code>period</code> , but a specification of just a numeric vector of length 3 will be turned into a suitable list with the specification as the <code>order</code> .
xreg	Optionally, a vector or matrix of external regressors, which must have the same number of rows as <code>x</code> .
include.mean	Should the ARMA model include a mean/intercept term? The default is <code>TRUE</code> for undifferenced series, and it is ignored for ARIMA models with differencing.

Simulate ARIMA Models in R

□ `arima.sim()` from package “stats”

```
arima.sim(model, n, rand.gen = rnorm, innov = rand.gen(n, ...),  
          n.start = NA, start.innov = rand.gen(n.start, ...),  
          ...)
```

Arguments

<code>model</code>	A list with component <code>ar</code> and/or <code>ma</code> giving the AR and MA coefficients respectively. Optionally a component <code>order</code> can be used. An empty list gives an ARIMA(0, 0, 0) model, that is white noise.
<code>n</code>	length of output series, before un-differencing. A strictly positive integer.
<code>rand.gen</code>	optional: a function to generate the innovations.
<code>innov</code>	an optional times series of innovations. If not provided, <code>rand.gen</code> is used.
<code>n.start</code>	length of 'burn-in' period. If NA, the default, a reasonable value is computed.



THANK YOU !

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