# **Assignment 04**

# 1. Plotting with ggplot2

Use the precipitation data in Tongguan from 6/1/2017 to 2/29/2020

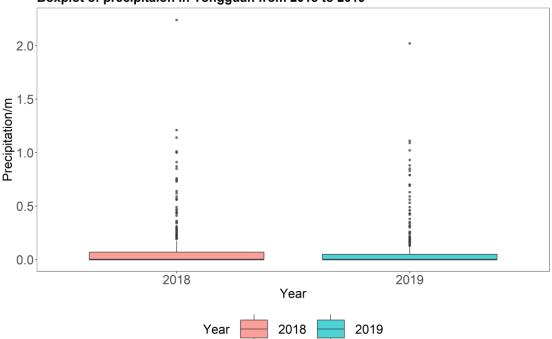
```
#precipitation data from 6/1/2017 to 2/29/2020 in Tongguan Country
install.packages("readxl")
library(readxl)
TG_rain <- read_excel("tongguan.xls", sheet="rain")
head(TG_rain)</pre>
```

```
#Boxplot of precipitation in Tongguan from 2018 to 2019

TG_rain %>%
    filter(date >= "2018-01-01" & date < "2020-01-01") %>%
    mutate(year=substr(date, 1,4)) %>%
    ggplot(aes(x=year, y=precipitation,fill=year)) +
    geom_boxplot(alpha=0.7) +
    labs(title="Boxplot of precipitation in Tongguan from 2018 to 2019", x="Year", y="Precipitation/m", fill="Year") +
    theme_bw() +
    theme_bm() +
    theme(panel.grid.major =element_blank(),
        panel.grid.minor = element_blank()) +
    theme(plot.title=element_text(size=20),
        axis.text.x=element_text(size=20),
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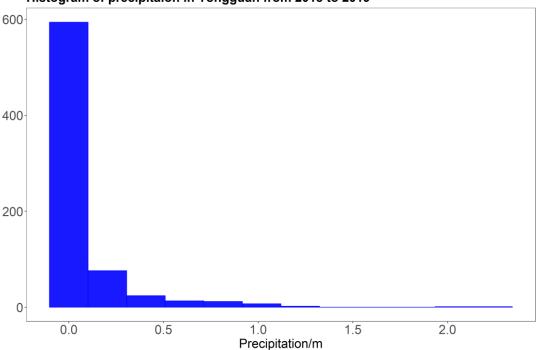
ggsave("boxplot.png")
```

#### Boxplot of precipitaion in Tongguan from 2018 to 2019



```
#Histogram of precipitaion in Tongguan from 2018 to 2019
TG_rain %>%
    filter(date >= "2018-01-01" & date < "2020-01-01") %>%
    ggplot(aes(x=precipitation))+
    geom_histogram(bins=12, color="blue", fill="blue", alpha=0.9) +
    labs(title="Histogram of precipitaion in Tongguan from 2018 to 2019", x="Precipitation/m", y="") +
    theme_bw() +
    theme(panel.grid.major =element_blank(),
        panel.grid.minor = element_blank(),
        panel.background = element_blank()) +
    theme(plot.title=element_text(size=20, face="bold"),
        axis.text.y=element_text(size=20),
        axis.text.y=element_text(size=20),
        axis.title.x=element_text(size=20),
        axis.title.y=element_text(size=20))
ggsave("histogram.png")
```

#### Histogram of precipitaion in Tongguan from 2018 to 2019

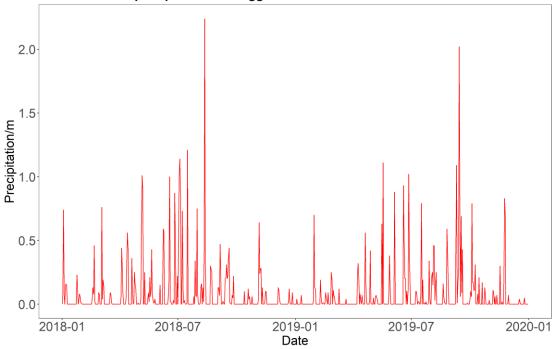


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#Time series of precipitation in Tongguan from 2018 to 2019
# Apply the ts() function
Pre <- ts(TG_rain$precipitation, start=c(2018-01-01), frequency=12)

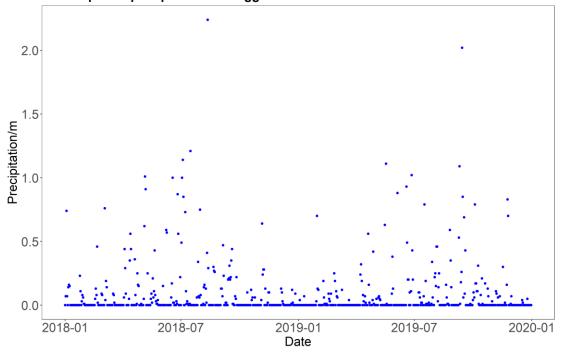
# Quick plot
plot(Pre, type="l")

TG_rain %>%
    filter(date >= "2018-01-01" & date < "2020-01-01") %>%
    ggplot(aes(x=date, y=precipitation))+
    geom_line(color = "red", size=0.5) +
    labs(title="Time sereies of precipitation in Tongguan from 2018 to 2019", x="Date", y="Precipitation/m") +
    theme_bw() +
    theme_ba() +
    theme(panel.grid.major =element_blank(),
        panel.grid.minor = element_blank(),
        panel.background = element_blank(),
        panel.background = element_blank(),
        axis.text.x=element_text(size=20),
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        axis.title.x=element_text(size=20),
        axis.title.y=element_text(size=20),
        axis.title.y=element_text(size=20))
ggsave("time series.png")
```





#### Scatter plot of precipitaion in Tongguan from 2018 to 2019

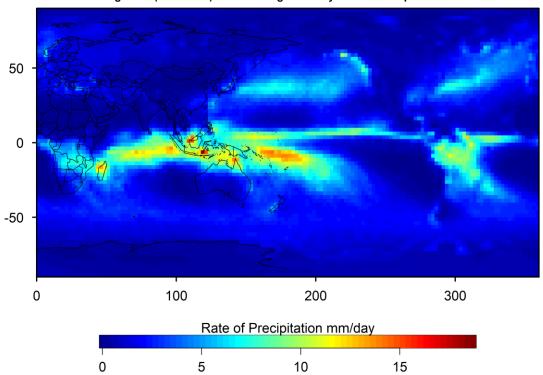


Download the long term (1981-2010) mean average monthly rate of precipitation from Jones (CRU) Air Temperature Anomalies Version 4: CRUTEM4 and move it to my working directory.

```
# Open the NetCDF file
ex.nc <- open.nc("precip.mon.ltm.nc")
# Print the variables and attributes</pre>
print.nc(ex.nc)
# Read the variables
# Lat
Lat
          <- var.get.nc(ex.nc, "lat")
Lon
         <- var.get.nc(ex.nc, "lon")
# Long Term Mean Average Monthly Rate of Precipitation mm/day
          <- var.get.nc(ex.nc, "precip")
precip_T
# Close the NetCDF file
close.nc(ex.nc)
# Original Lat is in decreasing order, we need to reverse it
Lat <- rev(Lat)
# Data transformation of precip_T_Jan
precip_T_Jan <- array(NA,dim=c(length(Lon), length(Lat)))</pre>
for(row in 1:length(Lat)){
  precip_T_Jan[,row] <- precip_T[, (length(Lat)+1-row),1 ]</pre>
image.plot(Lon, Lat,precip_T_Jan)
# Add map
map('world',add=T,lwd=0.75,col="black")
# Add a box box(lwd=2)
# Set the png format
png("Precip_T.png", width=8.5, height=6, units="in", res=400)
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# Set margins on bottom, left, top, right
par(mar=c(4.5,3,2,1))

Long Term (1981-2010) Mean Average Monthly Rate of Precipitation in Jan.



# 2. Analysis of the time series of monthly temperature

2.1 Construct a time series of monthly-averaged temperature from 2010 Jan. to 2020

Aug.

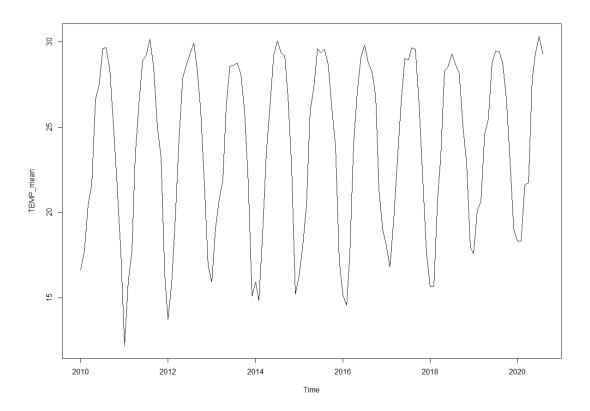
Read the data from 2281305.csv.

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Baoan_Data <- read.csv("2281305.csv", head= TRUE)
names(Baoan_Data)
head(Baoan_Data)
Met_Data <- Baoan_Data %>%
    mutate(temp=substr(TMP, 1,5), temp_quality=substr(TMP, 7,7)) %>%
    mutate(temp_new = as.numeric(temp), temp_quality_new = as.logical(as.numeric(temp_quality)))
# Handel missing values
Met_Data$temp_new[which(Met_Data$temp_new==9999)]<- NA
for(i in 1:length(Met_Data$temp_new)){
    if( is.na(Met_Data$temp_new[i])){
        Met_Data$temp_new[i] <- mean(Met_Data$temp_new[(i-2):(i+2)],na.rm=T )
    }
}
Met_Data$temp_quality_new[!which(Met_Data$temp_quality_new)] <- NA
Met_Data1 <- Met_Data %>%
    mutate(temp_new=temp_new*0.1)
```

```
#2.1 Construct a time series of monthly-averaged temperature from 2010 Jan. to 2020 Aug.
montly_mean <- c()
for (i in 2010:2020) {
   Thisyear_mean <- Met_Data1 %>%
        select(DATE, temp_new, temp_quality_new) %>%
        mutate(month=substr(DATE, 1, 7)) %>%
        mutate(year=substr(DATE, 1, 4)) %>%
        mutate(year2=as.numeric(year)) %>%
        filter(year2=i) %>%
        group_by(month) %>%
        summarise(mean=mean(temp_new, na.rm = T))
        montly_mean <- rbind(montly_mean, Thisyear_mean)
}

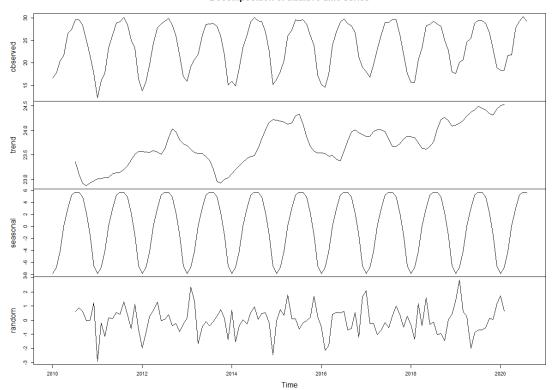
Monthly_mean1 <- montly_mean %>%
        filter(month <= "2020-08" & month >= "2010-01")
# Apply the ts() function
TEMP_mean <- ts(Monthly_mean1$mean, start=c(2010,1), frequency=12)

plot(TEMP_mean, type="l")</pre>
```

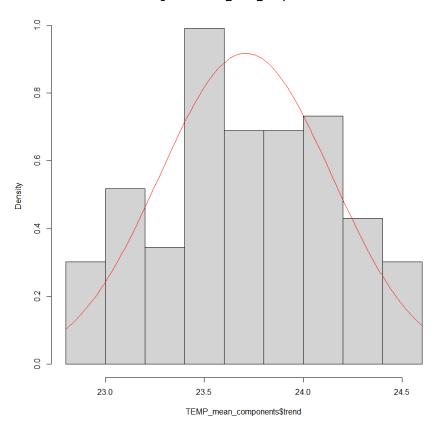


2.2 Decompose the time series into trend, seasonality, and error parts. Check whether the error part follows a white noise distribution.

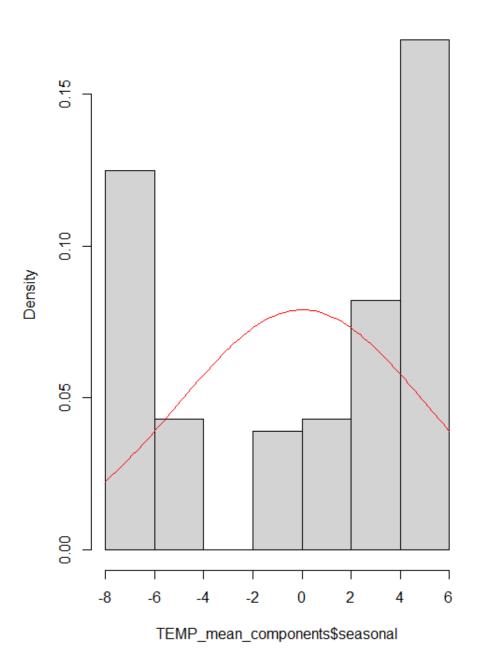
#### Decomposition of additive time series



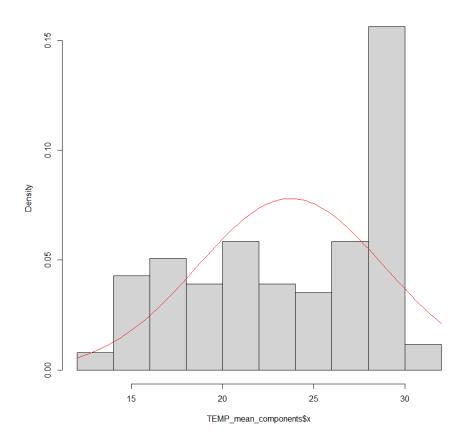
# Histogram of TEMP\_mean\_components\$trend



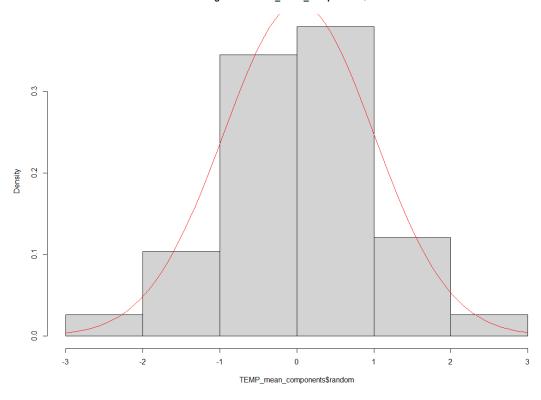
# Histogram of TEMP\_mean\_components\$seasonal



# $Histogram\ of\ TEMP\_mean\_components\$x$



# ${\bf Histogram\ of\ TEMP\_mean\_components\$random}$



**Discussion:** As you can see the distribution of the random is a Gaussian white noise, which is a particularly useful white noise series.

2.3 Fit an ARIMA(p,d,q) model to the time series. Describe the fitting process in details in your report.

Step 1: Take log to the TEMP\_mean time series.

Step 2: Take the difference.

Step 3: Check acf and pacf.

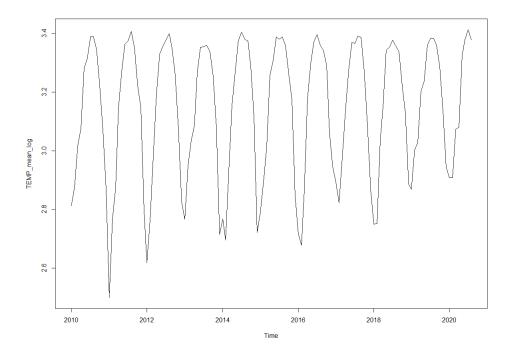
Step 4: Auto ARIMA fitting.

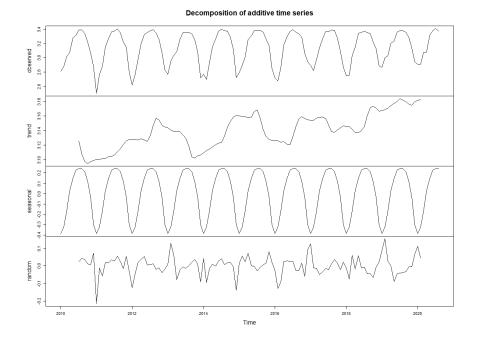
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#2.3 Fit an ARIMA(p,d,q) model to the time series. Describe the fitting process in details in your report.

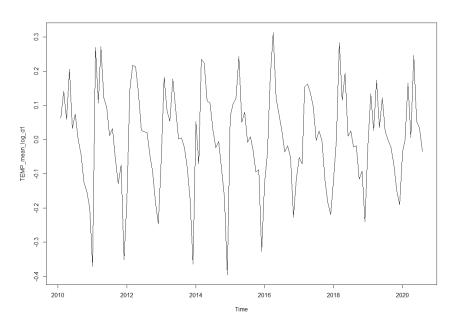
TEMP_mean_log <- log(TEMP_mean)
plot(TEMP_mean_log, type="l")

TEMP_mean_log_components <- decompose(TEMP_mean_log)
plot(TEMP_mean_log_components)

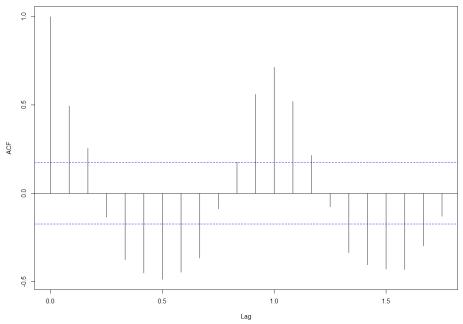
TEMP_mean_log_d1 <- diff(TEMP_mean_log)
plot(TEMP_mean_log_d1)
# Check acf and pacf
acf(TEMP_mean_log_d1)
pacf(TEMP_mean_log_d1)
model <- auto.arima(TEMP_mean_log)
model|
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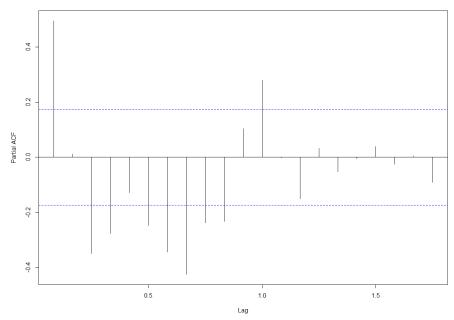




#### Series TEMP\_mean\_log\_d1





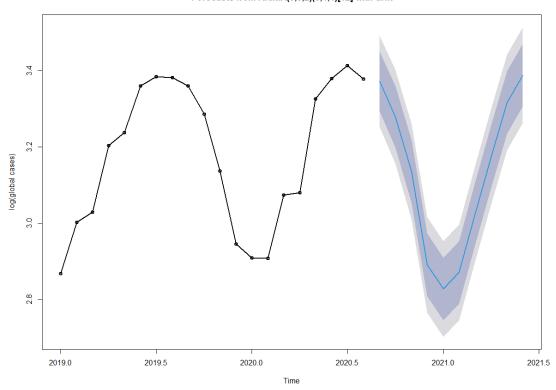


**Discussion:** The best ARIMA models are (0, 0, 2) and (0, 1, 1).

2.4 Predict monthly-averaged temperatures in 2020 Sep. and Oct. with the ARIMA

# model from 2.3. The predictions will be evaluated against actual observations in those two months.

#### Forecasts from ARIMA(0,0,2)(0,1,1)[12] with drift



**Discussion:** The true value for 2020 Sep is 29.45206. The estimated mean in 2020 Sep is 29.11733.

**Further Discussion:** I have a question about the data preprocessing. Above, I have taken log calculation and the difference to make the data smooth and stationary based on the lab 04. But, is the preprocessing necessary? According to 2.1 and 2.2, the original data seem to be stationary without preprocessing. So, I do the ARIMA(p,d,q) model and estimation with the original data again, and compare the result.

The best ARIMA models are (0, 0, 2) and (1, 1, 1). The true value for 2020 Sep is 29.45206. The estimated mean here without preprocessing in 2020 Sep is 29.04313.

The estimated mean here with preprocessing in 2020 Sep is 29.11733. The results are similar. Why?