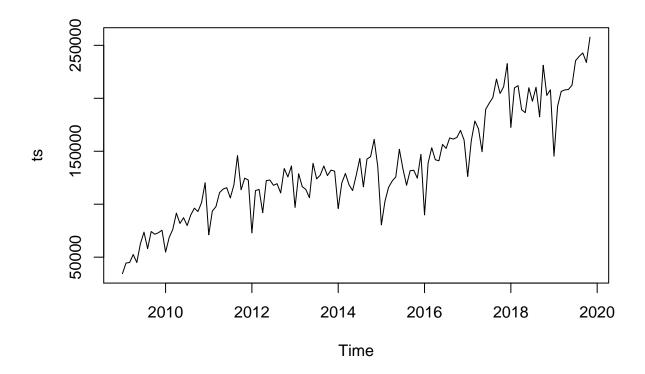
tsf_export

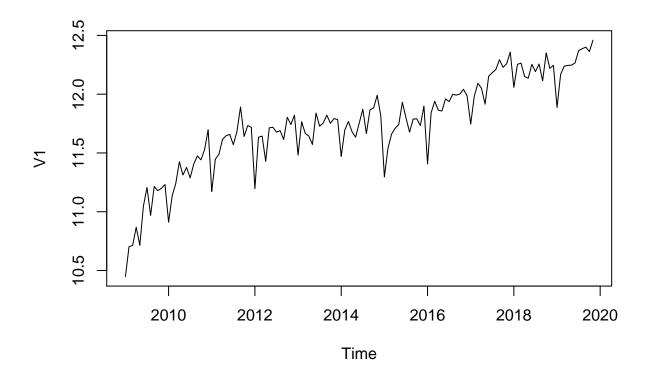
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```
library(readxl)
library(forecast)
# library(readxl)
df <- read_xlsx("Export_for_TS.xlsx")</pre>
## New names:
## * `` -> ...2
df = df[1,]
df = df[-c(1,2)]
df2 = read_xlsx('export_19xlsx.xlsx')
## New names:
## * `` -> ...1
df = t(df)
df2$...1 = c(paste0(2019,"-",1:11))
rownames(df2) =df2$...1
## Warning: Setting row names on a tibble is deprecated.
df2$...1 = NULL
colnames(df2) = "V1"
df = as.data.frame(df)
df3 = rbind(df, df2)
ts = ts(df3, start=c(2009, 1), frequency = c(12))
```



In this case, it appears that an additive model is not appropriate for describing this time series, since the size of the seasonal fluctuations and random fluctuations seem to increase with the level of the time series. Thus, we may need to transform the time series in order to get a transformed time series that can be described using an additive model. For example, we can transform the time series by calculating the natural log of the original data:

```
log_ts <- log(ts)
plot.ts(log_ts)</pre>
```



Decomposing Time Series

Decomposing a time series means separating it into its constituent components, which are usually a trend component and an irregular component, and if it is a seasonal time series, a seasonal component.

Decomposing Seasonal Data

A seasonal time series consists of a trend component, a seasonal component and an irregular component. Decomposing the time series means separating the time series into these three components: that is, estimating these three components.

```
ts_components <- decompose(ts)
```

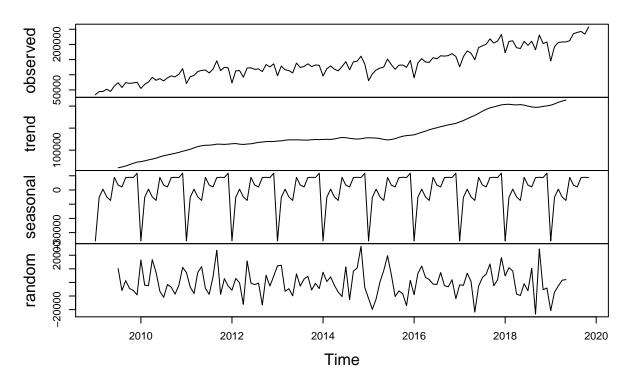
we can print out the estimated values of the seasonal component

ts_components\$seasonal

```
##
                           Feb
               Jan
                                      Mar
                                                 Apr
                                                             May
                                                                        Jun
## 2009 -35872.943
                    -5113.997
                                  579.187
                                           -4874.741
                                                      -7357.388
                                                                   8874.528
## 2010 -35872.943
                                           -4874.741
                                                      -7357.388
                                                                   8874.528
                    -5113.997
                                  579.187
                    -5113.997
## 2011 -35872.943
                                  579.187
                                           -4874.741
                                                       -7357.388
                                                                   8874.528
## 2012 -35872.943
                    -5113.997
                                  579.187
                                           -4874.741
                                                      -7357.388
                                                                   8874.528
## 2013 -35872.943 -5113.997
                                  579.187
                                           -4874.741 -7357.388
                                                                   8874.528
```

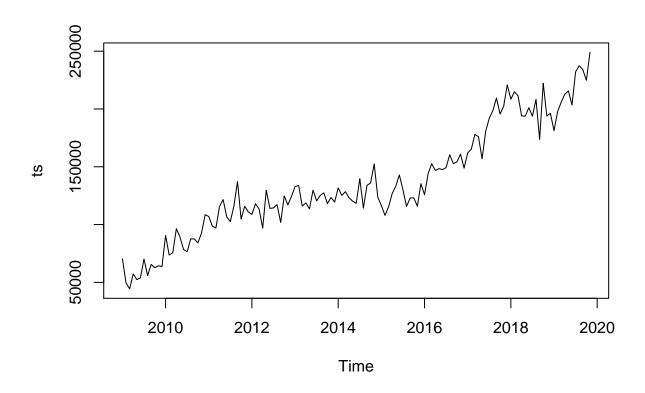
##	2014	-35872.943	-5113.997	579.187	-4874.741	-7357.388	8874.528
##	2015	-35872.943	-5113.997	579.187	-4874.741	-7357.388	8874.528
##	2016	-35872.943	-5113.997	579.187	-4874.741	-7357.388	8874.528
##	2017	-35872.943	-5113.997	579.187	-4874.741	-7357.388	8874.528
##	2018	-35872.943	-5113.997	579.187	-4874.741	-7357.388	8874.528
##	2019	-35872.943	-5113.997	579.187	-4874.741	-7357.388	8874.528
##		Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
##	2009	3440.638	2149.841	8722.117	8915.671	8744.667	11792.421
##	2010	3440.638	2149.841	8722.117	8915.671	8744.667	11792.421
##	2011	3440.638	2149.841	8722.117	8915.671	8744.667	11792.421
##	2012	3440.638	2149.841	8722.117	8915.671	8744.667	11792.421
##	2013	3440.638	2149.841	8722.117	8915.671	8744.667	11792.421
##	2014	3440.638	2149.841	8722.117	8915.671	8744.667	11792.421
##	2015	3440.638	2149.841	8722.117	8915.671	8744.667	11792.421
##	2016	3440.638	2149.841	8722.117	8915.671	8744.667	11792.421
##	2017	3440.638	2149.841	8722.117	8915.671	8744.667	11792.421
##	2018	3440.638	2149.841	8722.117	8915.671	8744.667	11792.421
##	2019	3440.638	2149.841	8722.117	8915.671	8744.667	

Decomposition of additive time series



The plot above shows the original time series (top), the estimated trend component (second from top), the estimated seasonal component (third from top), and the estimated irregular component (bottom)

Seasonally Adjusting



Holt-Winters Exponential Smoothing

```
ts_forcaste <- HoltWinters(ts)</pre>
ts_forcaste
## Holt-Winters exponential smoothing with trend and additive seasonal component.
##
## Call:
## HoltWinters(x = ts)
##
## Smoothing parameters:
    alpha: 0.3631002
##
    beta: 0.00776954
    gamma: 0.3604275
##
## Coefficients:
##
               [,1]
       241120.5637
## a
         1841.9013
## b
         6407.2267
## s1
```

```
-45300.7926
## s2
##
  s3
        -7832.0311
##
   s4
         -255.7858
        -8230.8329
##
   s5
##
   s6
       -12108.1995
         5114.0000
##
   s7
         6623.6290
## s8
         5748.0034
## s9
##
  s10
         4318.7619
## s11
         7502.7160
## s12
         7565.4575
```

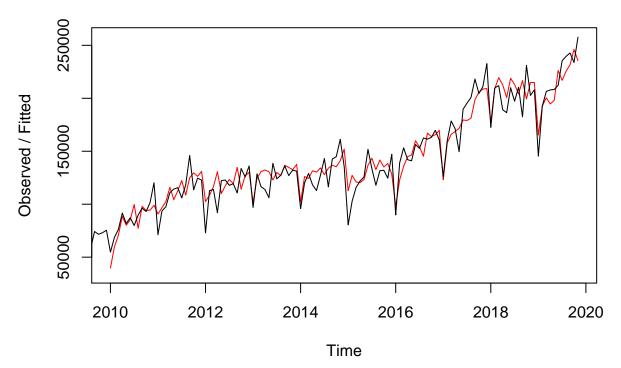
#

The value of alpha (0.35) is relatively low, indicating that the estimate of the level at the current time point is based upon both recent observations and some observations in the more distant past. The value of beta is 0.01, indicating that the estimate of the slope b of the trend component is updated but doesn't have much effect over the time series, and instead is set equal to its initial value. This makes good intuitive sense, as the level changes quite a bit over the time series, but the slope b of the trend component remains roughly the same. In contrast, the value of gamma (0.38) is high, indicating that the estimate of the seasonal component at the current time point is not just based upon very recent observations

ts_forcaste\$SSE

[1] 22399824125

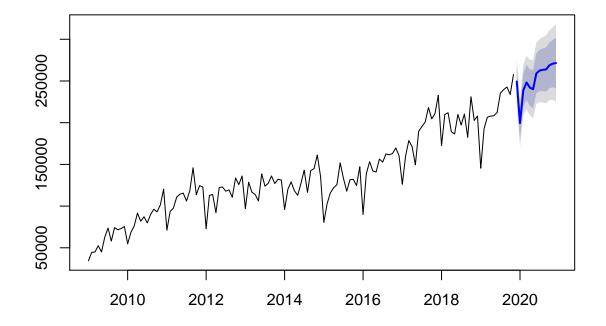
Holt-Winters filtering



```
ts_forcaste2 = forecast:::forecast.HoltWinters(ts_forcaste, h= 13)
(as.data.frame(ts_forcaste2))[1]
```

```
Point Forecast
## Dec 2019
                  249369.7
## Jan 2020
                   199503.6
## Feb 2020
                  238814.2
## Mar 2020
                  248232.4
## Apr 2020
                  242099.2
                  240063.8
## May 2020
## Jun 2020
                  259127.9
## Jul 2020
                  262479.4
## Aug 2020
                  263445.7
## Sep 2020
                  263858.3
                  268884.2
## Oct 2020
## Nov 2020
                  270788.8
## Dec 2020
                  271472.5
```

Forecasts from HoltWinters

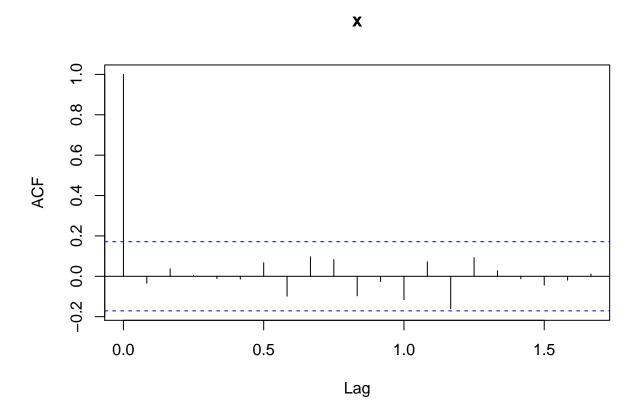


```
\#\# Growth
```

```
year_2019 <- window(ts, 2019)
year_2019_predict_HW <- (as.data.frame(ts_forcaste2))[1][c(1),]
sum_year_2019 = sum(c(year_2019,year_2019_predict_HW))
year_2020 = (as.data.frame(ts_forcaste2))[1][c(2:13),]
growth_HW <- growth(sum(year_2020),sum_year_2019)
growth_HW</pre>
```

[1] 0.1508492

We can investigate whether the predictive model can be improved upon by checking whether the in-sample forecast errors show non-zero autocorrelations at lags 1-20, by making a correlogram and carrying out the Ljung-Box test:

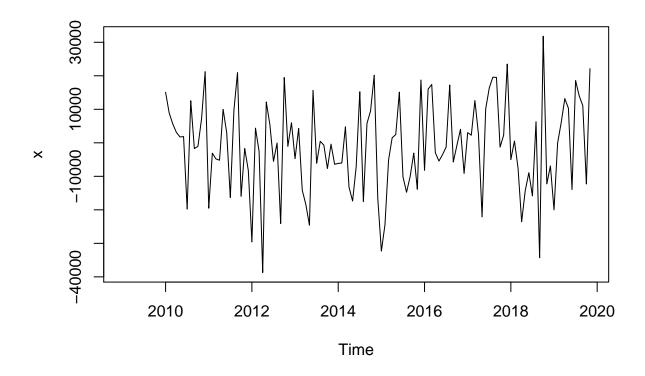


```
##
## Box-Ljung test
##
## data: ts_forcaste2$residuals
## X-squared = 13.33, df = 20, p-value = 0.8628
```

The correlogram shows that the autocorrelations for the in-sample forecast errors do not exceed the significance bounds for lags 1-20. Furthermore, the p-value for Ljung-Box test is 0.9, indicating that there is no evidence of non-zero autocorrelations at lags 1-20.

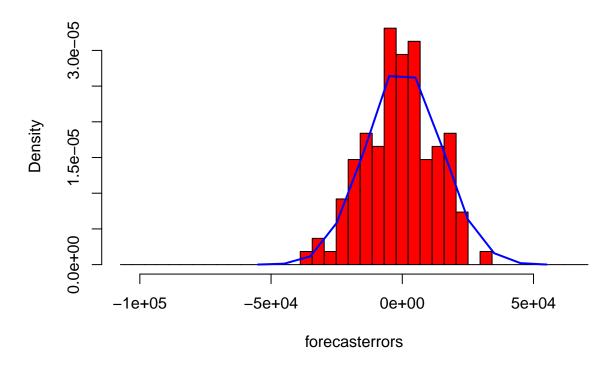
We can check whether the forecast errors have constant variance over time, and are normally distributed with mean zero, by making a time plot of the forecast errors and a histogram (with overlaid normal curve):

```
plot.ts(ts_forcaste2$residuals)
```



plotForecastErrors(ts_forcaste2\$residuals)

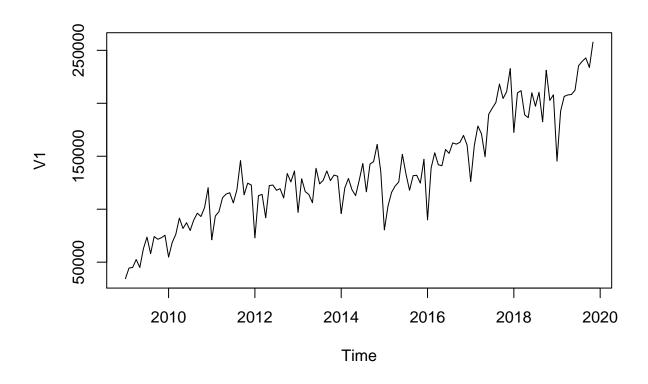
Histogram of forecasterrors



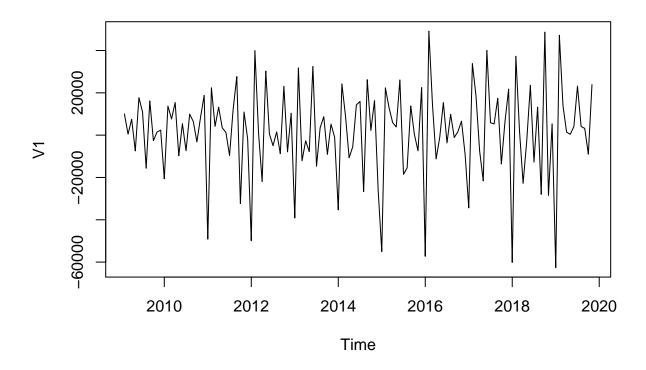
From the time plot, it appears plausible that the forecast errors have constant variance over time. From the histogram of forecast errors, it seems plausible that the forecast errors are normally distributed with mean zero.

Thus, there is little evidence of autocorrelation at lags 1-20 for the forecast errors, and the forecast errors appear to be normally distributed with mean zero and constant variance over time. This suggests that Holt-Winters exponential smoothing provides an adequate predictive model of the log of total productivity, which probably cannot be improved upon. Furthermore, the assumptions upon which the prediction intervals were based are probably valid.

plot.ts(ts)

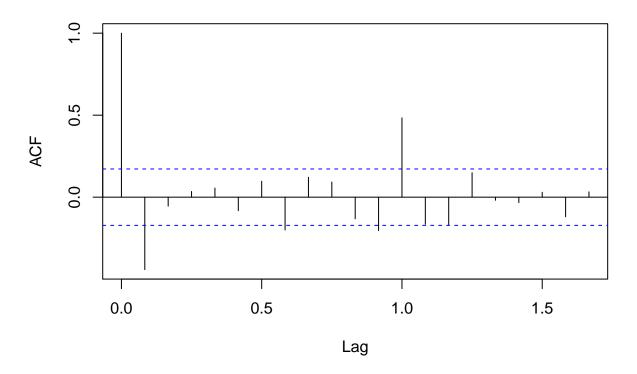


```
ts_diff1 <- diff(ts, differences = 1)
plot.ts(ts_diff1)</pre>
```



The time series of differences (above) does appear to be stationary in mean and variance, as the level of the series stays roughly constant over time, and the variance of the series appears roughly constant over time

acf(ts_diff1, lag.max=20) # plot a correlogram



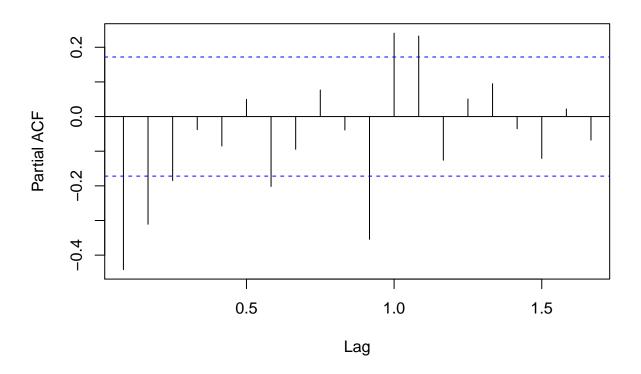
We see from the correlogram that the autocorrelation exceeds the significance bound 3 times but all the others do not exceed

```
acf(ts_diff1, lag.max=20, plot=FALSE) # get the autocorrelation values
```

```
##
## Autocorrelations of series 'ts_diff1', by lag
##
## 0.0000 0.0833 0.1667 0.2500 0.3333 0.4167 0.5000 0.5833 0.6667 0.7500
## 1.000 -0.442 -0.055 0.035 0.056 -0.083 0.097 -0.200 0.122 0.092
## 0.8333 0.9167 1.0000 1.0833 1.1667 1.2500 1.3333 1.4167 1.5000 1.5833
## -0.132 -0.204 0.484 -0.165 -0.168 0.149 -0.019 -0.034 0.030 -0.119
## 1.6667
## 0.033
```

pacf(ts_diff1, lag.max=20) # plot a partial correlogram

Series ts_diff1



```
pacf(ts_diff1, lag.max=20, plot=FALSE) # get the partial autocorrelation values
```

```
## ## Partial autocorrelations of series 'ts_diff1', by lag
##
## 0.0833 0.1667 0.2500 0.3333 0.4167 0.5000 0.5833 0.6667 0.7500 0.8333
## -0.442 -0.311 -0.185 -0.038 -0.085 0.050 -0.202 -0.095 0.077 -0.039
## 0.9167 1.0000 1.0833 1.1667 1.2500 1.3333 1.4167 1.5000 1.5833 1.6667
## -0.354 0.241 0.232 -0.126 0.051 0.095 -0.035 -0.121 0.022 -0.068
```

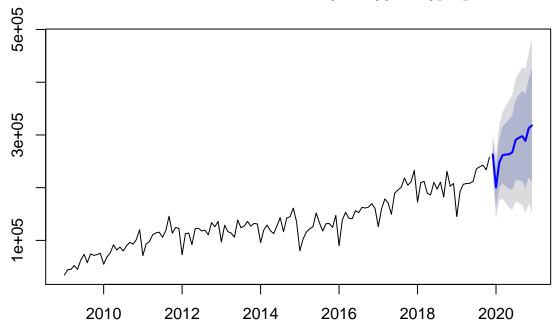
Arima, 0,1,0

```
ts_arima = Arima(ts, order=c(0,1,0),seasonal = list(order = c(0,1,0)))
ts_arima

## Series: ts
## ARIMA(0,1,0)(0,1,0)[12]
##
## sigma^2 estimated as 442379690: log likelihood=-1341.99
## AIC=2685.98 AICc=2686.01 BIC=2688.75
```

```
ts_arima_forecast = forecast(ts_arima,h = 13)
ts_arima_forecast
##
            Point Forecast
                              Lo 80
                                       Hi 80
                                                Lo 95
                                                          Hi 95
## Dec 2019
                  263021.4 236066.8 289976.1 221797.9 304245.0
## Jan 2020
                  200410.5 162290.9 238530.2 142111.6 258709.5
## Feb 2020
                  247610.5 200923.7 294297.4 176209.2 319011.9
## Mar 2020
                  261510.5 207601.2 315419.8 179063.4 343957.7
## Apr 2020
                  262910.5 202638.1 323183.0 170731.8 355089.3
## May 2020
                  263310.5 197285.4 329335.7 162333.8 364287.3
                  267310.5 195995.2 338625.8 158243.2 376377.9
## Jun 2020
## Jul 2020
                  290510.5 214271.3 366749.8 173912.6 407108.4
## Aug 2020
                  294610.5 213746.6 375474.5 170939.8 418281.3
## Sep 2020
                  297810.5 212572.4 383048.6 167450.1 428170.9
## Oct 2020
                  288810.5 199412.1 378209.0 152087.4 425533.7
                  312710.5 219336.9 406084.2 169907.9 455513.2
## Nov 2020
## Dec 2020
                  318032.0 210213.4 425850.6 153137.7 482926.3
forecast:::plot.forecast(ts_arima_forecast)
```

Forecasts from ARIMA(0,1,0)(0,1,0)[12]



Growth

```
this_year_predict_ARIMA <- (as.data.frame(ts_arima_forecast))[1]

# growth_ARIMA <- growth(sum(c(this_year,as.numeric(this_year_predict_ARIMA$`Point Forecast`))), sum(la # growth_ARIMA

year_2019_predict_ARIMA <- (as.data.frame(ts_arima_forecast))[1][c(1),]
sum_year_2019 = sum(c(year_2019,year_2019_predict_ARIMA))
year_2020 = (as.data.frame(ts_arima_forecast))[1][c(2:13),]
growth_ARIMA <- growth(sum_year_2019, sum(year_2020))
-growth_ARIMA</pre>
```

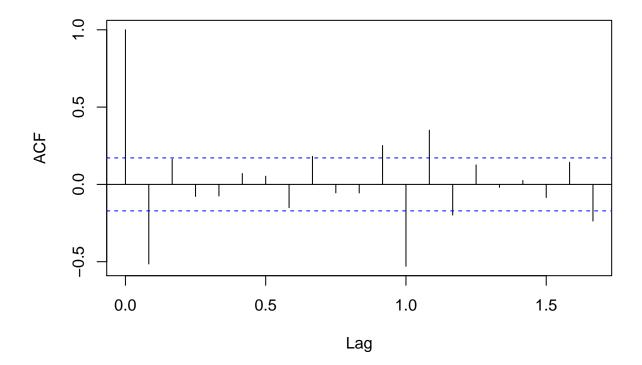
[1] 0.1997026

As in the case of exponential smoothing models, it is a good idea to investigate whether the forecast errors of an ARIMA model are normally distributed with mean zero and constant variance, and whether the are correlations between successive forecast errors.

For example, we can make a correlogram of the forecast errors for our ARIMA(0,1,1) model, and perform the Ljung-Box test for lags 1-20, by typing:

```
acf(ts_arima_forecast$residuals, lag.max=20)
```

Series ts_arima_forecast\$residuals



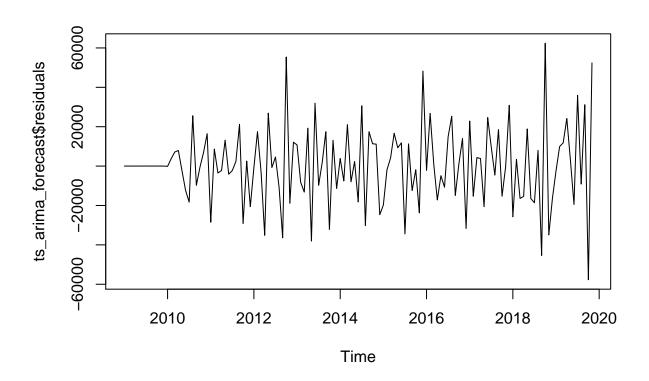
Box.test(ts_arima_forecast\$residuals, lag=20, type="Ljung-Box")

```
##
## Box-Ljung test
##
## data: ts_arima_forecast$residuals
## X-squared = 140.34, df = 20, p-value < 2.2e-16</pre>
```

p value too high to reject

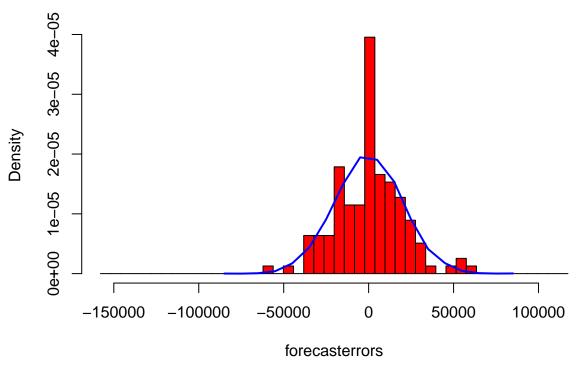
```
plot.ts(ts_arima_forecast$residuals)
```

make time plot of forecast errors



plotForecastErrors(ts_arima_forecast\$residuals)

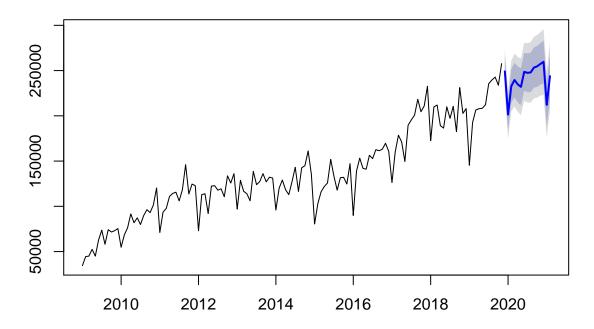
Histogram of forecasterrors



A model chosen automatically

```
fit3 <- auto.arima(ts)</pre>
fit3
## Series: ts
## ARIMA(1,0,1)(0,1,1)[12] with drift
## Coefficients:
##
            ar1
                     ma1
                             sma1
                                       drift
##
         0.9554 -0.5899 -0.8838 1299.0445
## s.e. 0.0387
                  0.0854
                                    204.5971
                           0.1439
## sigma^2 estimated as 160329918: log likelihood=-1299.54
## AIC=2609.07 AICc=2609.6 BIC=2622.97
fit_forecast = forecast(fit3,h=15)
plot(fit_forecast)
```

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



```
# str(fit)
```

Growth

```
year_2019 <- window(ts, 2019)
year_2019_predict_HW <- (as.data.frame(ts_forcaste2))[1][c(1),]
sum_year_2019 = sum(c(year_2019,year_2019_predict_HW))
year_2020 = (as.data.frame(ts_forcaste2))[1][c(2:13),]

year_2019_predict_auto.arima <- (as.data.frame(fit_forecast))[1][c(1),]
year_2019_predict_auto.arima_95_low <- (as.data.frame(fit_forecast))[4][c(1),]
year_2019_predict_auto.arima_95_high <- (as.data.frame(fit_forecast))[5][c(1),]

sum_year_2019 = sum(c(year_2019,year_2019_predict_auto.arima))
sum_year_2019_low = sum(c(year_2019,year_2019_predict_auto.arima_95_low))
sum_year_2019_high = sum(c(year_2019,year_2019_predict_auto.arima_95_high))

year_2020_predict_auto.arima <- (as.data.frame(fit_forecast))[1][c(2:13),]
year_2020_predict_auto.arima_95_high <- (as.data.frame(fit_forecast))[5][c(2:13),]</pre>
```

```
growth_auto.arima <- growth(sum(year_2020_predict_auto.arima),sum_year_2019)
growth_auto.arima_95_low <- growth(sum(year_2020_predict_auto.arima_95_low),sum_year_2019_low)
growth_auto.arima_95_high <- growth(sum(year_2020_predict_auto.arima_95_high),sum_year_2019_high)
growth_auto.arima

## [1] 0.1056297
growth_auto.arima_95_low

## [1] -0.0307078
growth_auto.arima_95_high</pre>
```

[1] 0.2393957