Sydney Rainfall Forecast

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PROJECT SETUP

```
Install Required Libraries (If Necessary)
 install.packages("fpp3", repos = "http://cran.us.r-project.org")
 ## Installing package into 'C:/Users/logan/AppData/Local/R/win-library/4.2'
 ## (as 'lib' is unspecified)
 ## package 'fpp3' successfully unpacked and MD5 sums checked
 ##
 ## The downloaded binary packages are in
    C:\Users\logan\AppData\Local\Temp\RtmpQ3abA8\downloaded packages
 install.packages("lubridate", repos = "http://cran.us.r-project.org")
 ## Installing package into 'C:/Users/logan/AppData/Local/R/win-library/4.2'
 ## (as 'lib' is unspecified)
 ## package 'lubridate' successfully unpacked and MD5 sums checked
 ## Warning: cannot remove prior installation of package 'lubridate'
 ## Warning in file.copy(savedcopy, lib, recursive = TRUE): problem copying
 ## C:\Users\logan\AppData\Local\R\win-library\4.2\00LOCK\lubridate\libs\x64\lubridate.dll
 ## C:\Users\logan\AppData\Local\R\win-library\4.2\lubridate\libs\x64\lubridate.dll:
 ## Permission denied
 ## Warning: restored 'lubridate'
 ##
 ## The downloaded binary packages are in
     C:\Users\logan\AppData\Local\Temp\RtmpQ3abA8\downloaded_packages
 install.packages("fastDummies", repos = "http://cran.us.r-project.org")
```

```
## Installing package into 'C:/Users/logan/AppData/Local/R/win-library/4.2'
 ## (as 'lib' is unspecified)
 ## package 'fastDummies' successfully unpacked and MD5 sums checked
 ##
 ## The downloaded binary packages are in
    C:\Users\logan\AppData\Local\Temp\RtmpQ3abA8\downloaded_packages
 install.packages("gplots", repos = "http://cran.us.r-project.org")
 ## Installing package into 'C:/Users/logan/AppData/Local/R/win-library/4.2'
 ## (as 'lib' is unspecified)
 ## package 'gplots' successfully unpacked and MD5 sums checked
 ##
 ## The downloaded binary packages are in
 ## C:\Users\logan\AppData\Local\Temp\RtmpQ3abA8\downloaded packages
 install.packages("ggplot2", repos = "http://cran.us.r-project.org")
 ## Installing package into 'C:/Users/logan/AppData/Local/R/win-library/4.2'
 ## (as 'lib' is unspecified)
 ## package 'ggplot2' successfully unpacked and MD5 sums checked
 ##
 ## The downloaded binary packages are in
 ## C:\Users\logan\AppData\Local\Temp\RtmpQ3abA8\downloaded packages
 install.packages("tidyverse", repos = "http://cran.us.r-project.org")
 ## Installing package into 'C:/Users/logan/AppData/Local/R/win-library/4.2'
 ## (as 'lib' is unspecified)
 ## package 'tidyverse' successfully unpacked and MD5 sums checked
 ##
 ## The downloaded binary packages are in
 ## C:\Users\logan\AppData\Local\Temp\RtmpQ3abA8\downloaded_packages
Load Required Libraries
 library(fpp3)
```

- fpp3 0.4.0 —

— Attaching packages —

```
## √ tibble

√ tsibble

                 3.1.8
                                           1.1.3
## √ dplyr
                 1.0.10

√ tsibbledata 0.4.1

## √ tidyr
                 1.2.1

√ feasts
                                          0.3.0
## √ lubridate 1.9.0
                            √ fable
                                           0.3.2
## √ ggplot2
                 3.4.0
## - Conflicts -
                                                                 fpp3_conflicts —
## X lubridate::date()
                          masks base::date()
## X dplyr::filter()
                          masks stats::filter()
## X tsibble::intersect() masks base::intersect()
## X tsibble::interval() masks lubridate::interval()
## X dplyr::lag()
                          masks stats::lag()
## X tsibble::setdiff() masks base::setdiff()
## X tsibble::union()
                          masks base::union()
library(lubridate)
library(fastDummies)
library(gplots)
##
## Attaching package: 'gplots'
## The following object is masked from 'package:stats':
##
##
       lowess
library(ggplot2)
library(tidyverse)
## — Attaching packages
## tidyverse 1.3.2 —
## √ readr
           2.1.3
                       ✓ stringr 1.5.0
## √ purrr
             0.3.5
                       ✓ forcats 0.5.2
## -- Conflicts -
                                                         – tidyverse conflicts() —
## X lubridate::as.difftime() masks base::as.difftime()
## X lubridate::date()
                              masks base::date()
## X dplyr::filter()
                              masks stats::filter()
## X tsibble::intersect()
                              masks lubridate::intersect(), base::intersect()
## X tsibble::interval()
                              masks lubridate::interval()
## X dplyr::lag()
                              masks stats::lag()
## X tsibble::setdiff()
                              masks lubridate::setdiff(), base::setdiff()
## X tsibble::union()
                              masks lubridate::union(), base::union()
```

```
options(max.print = 175)
url <- "https://github.com/LoganSartain/Final-Project-Bana-4090/blob/main/weatherAUS.csv?raw=tru
e"
AUS <- read.csv(url, header = TRUE)
print(AUS)</pre>
```

```
##
            Date Location MinTemp MaxTemp Rainfall Evaporation Sunshine WindGustDir
## 1 2008-12-01
                   Albury
                              13.4
                                       22.9
                                                  0.6
                                                                NA
                                                                          NA
                                                                                        W
## 2 2008-12-02
                   Albury
                               7.4
                                       25.1
                                                  0.0
                                                                NA
                                                                          NA
                                                                                      WNW
## 3 2008-12-03
                   Albury
                              12.9
                                       25.7
                                                  0.0
                                                                NA
                                                                          NA
                                                                                      WSW
## 4 2008-12-04
                               9.2
                                       28.0
                                                  0.0
                                                                NA
                                                                          NA
                                                                                       NE
                   Albury
## 5 2008-12-05
                   Albury
                              17.5
                                       32.3
                                                  1.0
                                                                NA
                                                                          NA
                                                                                        W
                   Albury
## 6 2008-12-06
                              14.6
                                       29.7
                                                  0.2
                                                                NA
                                                                          NA
                                                                                      WNW
## 7 2008-12-07
                              14.3
                                       25.0
                                                                NA
                                                                          NA
                   Albury
                                                  0.0
                                                                                        W
     WindGustSpeed WindDir9am WindDir3pm WindSpeed9am WindSpeed3pm Humidity9am
##
## 1
                 44
                              W
                                        WNW
                                                       20
                                                                     24
## 2
                 44
                            NNW
                                        WSW
                                                        4
                                                                     22
                                                                                   44
                                        WSW
                                                       19
## 3
                 46
                              W
                                                                      26
                                                                                   38
## 4
                 24
                             SE
                                          Ε
                                                       11
                                                                      9
                                                                                   45
                            ENE
                                         NW
                                                        7
                                                                     20
## 5
                 41
                                                                                   82
                                                       19
## 6
                 56
                              W
                                          W
                                                                     24
                                                                                   55
## 7
                 50
                             SW
                                          W
                                                       20
                                                                     24
                                                                                   49
##
     Humidity3pm Pressure9am Pressure3pm Cloud9am Cloud3pm Temp9am Temp3pm
## 1
               22
                        1007.7
                                     1007.1
                                                    8
                                                             NA
                                                                   16.9
                                                                            21.8
## 2
               25
                        1010.6
                                                   NA
                                                             NA
                                                                   17.2
                                                                            24.3
                                     1007.8
## 3
               30
                        1007.6
                                     1008.7
                                                   NA
                                                              2
                                                                   21.0
                                                                            23.2
## 4
                                                                            26.5
               16
                        1017.6
                                     1012.8
                                                   NA
                                                             NA
                                                                   18.1
                                                    7
## 5
               33
                        1010.8
                                     1006.0
                                                              8
                                                                   17.8
                                                                            29.7
               23
## 6
                        1009.2
                                     1005.4
                                                   NA
                                                             NA
                                                                   20.6
                                                                            28.9
## 7
               19
                                     1008.2
                                                    1
                                                             NA
                                                                   18.1
                                                                            24.6
                        1009.6
##
     RainToday RainTomorrow
## 1
             No
                           No
## 2
                           No
             No
## 3
                           No
             No
## 4
             No
                           No
## 5
             No
                           No
## 6
             No
                           No
## 7
             No
                           No
    [ reached 'max' / getOption("max.print") -- omitted 145453 rows ]
```

INTRODUCTION

This dataset has 10 years of weather data taken around multiple locations in Australia. I decided to focus on Temperature in Sydney, Australia. It includes many weather variables that would be useful in predicting and forecasting temperature.

The dataset is from Kaggle.

This dataset was created by Joe Young and Adam Young. They gathered data from the Australia government and compiled it to create this dataset.

Index: Date

Key: Location

Forecast Variable: MaxTemp

Predictor Variables: MinTemp, Rainfall, Evaporation, Sunshine, WindGustDir, WindGustSpeed, WindDir9am, WindSpeed9am, WindSpeed3pm, Humidity9am, Humidity3pm, Pressure9am, Pressure3pm, Cloud9am, Cloud3pm, Temp9am, Temp3pm, RainToday, and RainTomorrow.

I chose this dataset because I have always found weather and storms interesting. I would love to be able to predict the weather for a meteorologist/news station as a future job. It is also interesting to me how hard it can be to accurately predict the weather so I thought it would be cool to see how accurate I could be.

The forecast on this data can be leveraged to make better decisions by a multitude of different organizations in Australia. An obvious one would be weather/news stations making more accurate predictions on temperature but, this forecast could also be useful for farmers, sporting events, wedding venues, outdoor concert coordinators, Uber drivers, restaurants with outdoor dining, and airlines just to name a few. This would allow all of these different types of organizations to plan better according to the weather. For example, a restaurant may want to schedule less waiters on a night where it is going to be too hot or too cold because they won't need anyone for outdoor dining. Or a wedding venue may need to prepare a backup plan in case of extreme heat or cold. The forecast would overall allow for better planning and decision making in this regard.

DATA WRANGLING

Convert to a tsibble

```
AUS$Date <- as.Date(AUS$Date , format="%Y-%m-%d")

AUS <- AUS %>%
   as_tsibble(index = Date, key = Location)
```

Deal with Missing Data

```
summary(Filter(is.numeric, AUS))
```

```
Evaporation
##
      MinTemp
                                       Rainfall
                       MaxTemp
##
                    Min.
   Min.
                           :-4.80
                                    Min. : 0.000
                                                      Min. : 0.00
           :-8.50
##
    1st Qu.: 7.60
                    1st Qu.:17.90
                                    1st Qu.: 0.000
                                                      1st Qu.: 2.60
   Median :12.00
##
                    Median :22.60
                                    Median : 0.000
                                                      Median: 4.80
                                    Mean : 2.361
                                                      Mean : 5.47
   Mean
          :12.19
                           :23.22
##
                    Mean
                                                      3rd Qu.: 7.40
##
    3rd Qu.:16.90
                    3rd Qu.:28.20
                                    3rd Qu.: 0.800
##
   Max.
           :33.90
                    Max.
                           :48.10
                                    Max.
                                           :371.000
                                                      Max.
                                                             :145.00
   NA's
           :1485
                                           :3261
##
                    NA's
                           :1261
                                    NA's
                                                      NA's
                                                             :62790
       Sunshine
                    WindGustSpeed
                                      WindSpeed9am
                                                       WindSpeed3pm
##
                           : 6.00
                                           : 0.00
##
   Min.
           : 0.00
                    Min.
                                     Min.
                                                      Min. : 0.00
##
   1st Qu.: 4.80
                    1st Qu.: 31.00
                                     1st Qu.: 7.00
                                                      1st Qu.:13.00
##
   Median: 8.40
                    Median : 39.00
                                     Median : 13.00
                                                      Median :19.00
         : 7.61
                    Mean : 40.03
                                           : 14.04
##
   Mean
                                     Mean
                                                      Mean
                                                            :18.66
##
    3rd Qu.:10.60
                    3rd Qu.: 48.00
                                     3rd Qu.: 19.00
                                                      3rd Qu.:24.00
                                            :130.00
           :14.50
                           :135.00
##
   Max.
                    Max.
                                     Max.
                                                      Max.
                                                             :87.00
##
   NA's
           :69835
                    NA's
                           :10263
                                     NA's
                                            :1767
                                                      NA's
                                                             :3062
##
    Humidity9am
                      Humidity3pm
                                       Pressure9am
                                                        Pressure3pm
           : 0.00
##
   Min.
                     Min.
                            : 0.00
                                      Min.
                                             : 980.5
                                                       Min.
                                                              : 977.1
    1st Qu.: 57.00
                     1st Qu.: 37.00
                                      1st Qu.:1012.9
                                                       1st Qu.:1010.4
##
##
   Median : 70.00
                     Median : 52.00
                                      Median :1017.6
                                                       Median :1015.2
                     Mean : 51.54
##
   Mean
          : 68.88
                                      Mean
                                             :1017.6
                                                       Mean
                                                              :1015.3
    3rd Qu.: 83.00
                     3rd Qu.: 66.00
                                      3rd Qu.:1022.4
                                                       3rd Qu.:1020.0
##
                     Max.
           :100.00
                           :100.00
                                             :1041.0
##
   Max.
                                      Max.
                                                       Max.
                                                              :1039.6
##
    NA's
           :2654
                     NA's
                            :4507
                                      NA's
                                             :15065
                                                       NA's
                                                              :15028
##
      Cloud9am
                       Cloud3pm
                                       Temp9am
                                                       Temp3pm
##
   Min.
           :0.00
                           :0.00
                                           :-7.20
                                                           :-5.40
                    Min.
                                    Min.
                                                    Min.
                                    1st Qu.:12.30
##
   1st Qu.:1.00
                    1st Qu.:2.00
                                                    1st Qu.:16.60
##
   Median :5.00
                    Median :5.00
                                    Median :16.70
                                                    Median :21.10
##
   Mean
           :4.45
                    Mean
                           :4.51
                                    Mean
                                           :16.99
                                                    Mean
                                                           :21.68
    3rd Qu.:7.00
                    3rd Qu.:7.00
                                    3rd Qu.:21.60
                                                    3rd Qu.:26.40
##
##
   Max.
           :9.00
                    Max.
                           :9.00
                                    Max.
                                           :40.20
                                                    Max.
                                                           :46.70
   NA's
                    NA's
                                                    NA's
##
           :55888
                           :59358
                                    NA's
                                           :1767
                                                           :3609
```

```
# Replacing missing data with the median value of the predictor variable for numeric
AUS$MinTemp[is.na(AUS$MinTemp)] <- median(AUS$MinTemp,na.rm=TRUE)
AUS$MaxTemp[is.na(AUS$MaxTemp)] <- median(AUS$MaxTemp,na.rm=TRUE)
AUS$Rainfall[is.na(AUS$Rainfall)] <- median(AUS$Rainfall,na.rm=TRUE)
AUS$Evaporation[is.na(AUS$Evaporation)] <- median(AUS$Evaporation,na.rm=TRUE)
AUS$Sunshine[is.na(AUS$Sunshine)] <- median(AUS$Sunshine,na.rm=TRUE)
AUS$WindGustSpeed[is.na(AUS$WindGustSpeed)] <- median(AUS$WindGustSpeed,na.rm=TRUE)
AUS$WindSpeed9am[is.na(AUS$WindSpeed9am)] <- median(AUS$WindSpeed9am,na.rm=TRUE)
AUS$WindSpeed3pm[is.na(AUS$WindSpeed3pm)] <- median(AUS$WindSpeed3pm,na.rm=TRUE)
AUS$Humidity9am[is.na(AUS$Humidity9am)] <- median(AUS$Humidity9am,na.rm=TRUE)
AUS$Humidity3pm[is.na(AUS$Humidity3pm)] <- median(AUS$Humidity3pm,na.rm=TRUE)
AUS$Pressure9am[is.na(AUS$Pressure9am)] <- median(AUS$Pressure9am,na.rm=TRUE)
AUS$Pressure3pm[is.na(AUS$Pressure3pm)] <- median(AUS$Pressure3pm,na.rm=TRUE)
AUS$Cloud9am[is.na(AUS$Cloud9am)] <- median(AUS$Cloud9am,na.rm=TRUE)
AUS$Cloud3pm[is.na(AUS$Cloud3pm)] <- median(AUS$Cloud3pm,na.rm=TRUE)
AUS$Temp9am[is.na(AUS$Temp9am)] <- median(AUS$Temp9am,na.rm=TRUE)
AUS$Temp3pm[is.na(AUS$Temp3pm)] <- median(AUS$Temp3pm,na.rm=TRUE)
summary(Filter(is.numeric, AUS))
```

```
##
       MinTemp
                                         Rainfall
                        MaxTemp
                                                          Evaporation
##
    Min.
           :-8.50
                            :-4.80
                                             : 0.000
                                                         Min.
                                                                :
                     Min.
                                      Min.
                                                                   0.00
                     1st Qu.:18.00
    1st Qu.: 7.70
##
                                      1st Qu.:
                                                0.000
                                                         1st Qu.:
                                                                   4.00
##
    Median :12.00
                     Median :22.60
                                     Median :
                                                0.000
                                                         Median :
                                                                   4.80
##
    Mean
           :12.19
                                             : 2.308
                     Mean
                            :23.22
                                     Mean
                                                         Mean
                                                               :
                                                                   5.18
##
    3rd Qu.:16.80
                     3rd Qu.:28.20
                                      3rd Qu.:
                                                0.600
                                                         3rd Qu.:
                                                                   5.20
           :33.90
                                             :371.000
##
    Max.
                     Max.
                            :48.10
                                     Max.
                                                         Max.
                                                                :145.00
##
       Sunshine
                     WindGustSpeed
                                        WindSpeed9am
                                                         WindSpeed3pm
    Min.
           : 0.00
                            : 6.00
##
                     Min.
                                       Min.
                                                 0.00
                                                         Min.
                                                                : 0.00
    1st Qu.: 8.20
                     1st Qu.: 31.00
                                       1st Qu.: 7.00
##
                                                         1st Qu.:13.00
                                                         Median :19.00
    Median: 8.40
                     Median : 39.00
                                       Median : 13.00
##
##
    Mean
           : 7.99
                            : 39.96
                                              : 14.03
                     Mean
                                       Mean
                                                         Mean
                                                                :18.67
    3rd Qu.: 8.70
##
                     3rd Qu.: 46.00
                                       3rd Qu.: 19.00
                                                         3rd Qu.:24.00
##
    Max.
           :14.50
                     Max.
                            :135.00
                                       Max.
                                              :130.00
                                                         Max.
                                                                :87.00
##
     Humidity9am
                     Humidity3pm
                                        Pressure9am
                                                         Pressure3pm
    Min.
                                              : 980.5
##
           : 0.0
                     Min.
                            : 0.00
                                       Min.
                                                         Min.
                                                                : 977.1
    1st Qu.: 57.0
                     1st Qu.: 37.00
##
                                       1st Qu.:1013.5
                                                         1st Qu.:1011.1
##
    Median: 70.0
                     Median : 52.00
                                       Median :1017.6
                                                         Median :1015.2
##
    Mean
           : 68.9
                     Mean
                            : 51.55
                                       Mean
                                              :1017.6
                                                         Mean
                                                                :1015.3
##
    3rd Ou.: 83.0
                     3rd Ou.: 65.00
                                       3rd Qu.:1021.8
                                                         3rd Ou.:1019.4
##
    Max.
           :100.0
                            :100.00
                                              :1041.0
                                                                :1039.6
                     Max.
                                       Max.
                                                         Max.
##
       Cloud9am
                                       Temp9am
                       Cloud3pm
                                                       Temp3pm
##
    Min.
                    Min.
                                   Min.
                                           :-7.20
                                                            :-5.40
           :0.00
                           :0.00
                                                    Min.
##
    1st Qu.:3.00
                    1st Qu.:4.00
                                   1st Qu.:12.30
                                                    1st Qu.:16.70
##
    Median :5.00
                    Median :5.00
                                   Median :16.70
                                                    Median :21.10
##
    Mean
           :4.66
                    Mean
                           :4.71
                                   Mean
                                           :16.99
                                                    Mean
                                                            :21.67
##
    3rd Qu.:6.00
                    3rd Qu.:6.00
                                    3rd Qu.:21.50
                                                    3rd Qu.:26.20
##
    Max.
           :9.00
                    Max.
                           :9.00
                                           :40.20
                                                            :46.70
                                   Max.
                                                    Max.
```

```
# Removing missing data entirely for RainToday and RainTomorrow

AUS <- AUS %>%
  mutate(RainToday = ifelse(is.na(RainToday), "Unknown", RainToday))

AUS <- AUS %>%
  mutate(RainTomorrow = ifelse(is.na(RainTomorrow), "Unknown", RainTomorrow))

summary(AUS)
```

```
##
                           Location
                                              MinTemp
         Date
                                                              MaxTemp
   Min.
                         Length:145460
##
           :2007-11-01
                                            Min.
                                                   :-8.50
                                                           Min.
                                                                   :-4.80
##
   1st Qu.:2011-01-11
                         Class :character
                                            1st Qu.: 7.70
                                                           1st Qu.:18.00
   Median :2013-06-02
                         Mode :character
                                            Median :12.00
                                                           Median :22.60
##
   Mean
          :2013-04-04
                                            Mean :12.19
                                                                   :23.22
##
                                                           Mean
    3rd Qu.:2015-06-14
                                            3rd Qu.:16.80
                                                            3rd Qu.:28.20
##
##
   Max.
           :2017-06-25
                                            Max.
                                                   :33.90
                                                           Max.
                                                                   :48.10
       Rainfall
                      Evaporation
                                          Sunshine
##
                                                       WindGustDir
         : 0.000
                      Min.
   Min.
                            : 0.00
                                             : 0.00
                                                       Length: 145460
##
                                       Min.
    1st Qu.: 0.000
                      1st Qu.: 4.00
                                       1st Qu.: 8.20
##
                                                       Class :character
##
   Median : 0.000
                      Median : 4.80
                                       Median: 8.40
                                                       Mode :character
##
   Mean
         : 2.308
                      Mean
                           : 5.18
                                       Mean
                                            : 7.99
    3rd Qu.: 0.600
                      3rd Qu.: 5.20
                                       3rd Qu.: 8.70
##
##
   Max.
          :371.000
                      Max.
                            :145.00
                                       Max.
                                             :14.50
   WindGustSpeed
                      WindDir9am
                                         WindDir3pm
                                                           WindSpeed9am
##
   Min. : 6.00
                     Length:145460
                                        Length:145460
                                                           Min. : 0.00
##
   1st Qu.: 31.00
                     Class :character
                                        Class :character
                                                           1st Qu.: 7.00
##
   Median : 39.00
##
                     Mode :character
                                        Mode :character
                                                           Median : 13.00
         : 39.96
                                                           Mean : 14.03
##
   Mean
   3rd Qu.: 46.00
                                                           3rd Qu.: 19.00
##
##
   Max.
           :135.00
                                                           Max.
                                                                  :130.00
##
    WindSpeed3pm
                    Humidity9am
                                     Humidity3pm
                                                      Pressure9am
   Min.
          : 0.00
                    Min. : 0.0
                                    Min. : 0.00
                                                            : 980.5
##
                                                    Min.
                                    1st Qu.: 37.00
##
    1st Qu.:13.00
                    1st Qu.: 57.0
                                                    1st Qu.:1013.5
##
   Median :19.00
                    Median : 70.0
                                    Median : 52.00
                                                    Median :1017.6
##
   Mean
           :18.67
                    Mean
                           : 68.9
                                    Mean
                                         : 51.55
                                                            :1017.6
                                                    Mean
    3rd Qu.:24.00
                    3rd Qu.: 83.0
                                    3rd Qu.: 65.00
##
                                                    3rd Qu.:1021.8
##
   Max.
          :87.00
                    Max.
                           :100.0
                                           :100.00
                                                    Max.
                                                            :1041.0
                                                                     Temp3pm
##
    Pressure3pm
                        Cloud9am
                                       Cloud3pm
                                                     Temp9am
##
   Min.
          : 977.1
                                                         :-7.20
                    Min.
                            :0.00
                                    Min.
                                           :0.00
                                                   Min.
                                                                   Min.
                                                                          :-5.40
##
   1st Qu.:1011.1
                     1st Qu.:3.00
                                    1st Qu.:4.00
                                                   1st Qu.:12.30
                                                                   1st Qu.:16.70
   Median :1015.2
                     Median :5.00
                                    Median :5.00
                                                  Median :16.70
                                                                   Median :21.10
##
##
   Mean
           :1015.3
                     Mean :4.66
                                    Mean
                                           :4.71
                                                   Mean :16.99
                                                                   Mean
                                                                          :21.67
   3rd Qu.:1019.4
                     3rd Qu.:6.00
                                    3rd Qu.:6.00
                                                   3rd Qu.:21.50
##
                                                                   3rd Qu.:26.20
##
   Max.
           :1039.6
                    Max.
                            :9.00
                                    Max.
                                           :9.00
                                                   Max.
                                                         :40.20
                                                                   Max.
                                                                          :46.70
##
    RainToday
                       RainTomorrow
##
    Length:145460
                      Length:145460
##
   Class :character
                      Class :character
   Mode :character
                      Mode :character
##
##
##
##
```

```
# Remove variables WindGustDir, WindDir9am, and WindDir3pm

AUS <- AUS[,!names(AUS) %in% c("WindGustDir", "WindDir9am", "WindDir3pm")]</pre>
```

```
AUS$Year <- year(ymd(AUS$Date)) # Add Year Column
AUS$Month <- month(ymd(AUS$Date)) # Add Month Column
AUS2 <- AUS %>% mutate(TempDiff = MaxTemp - MinTemp) # Temperature Difference Variable
```

Aggregate time series to desired format for forecasting

Sunshine

≣vaporatior

dSpeed9am dSpeed3pm

GustSpeed

umidity9am umidity3pm ressure9am

VinTemp

MaxTemp

Rainfall

```
1 0.730.10.360.030.170.170.170.29.010.420.43.04 0 0.9 0.70.04-0.20.240.060.010.050.080.010.08
<mark>0.73 1 -</mark>0.070.450.320.070.010.05<mark>-0.5-0.5</mark>0.310.40.230.2<mark>20.880.97</mark>0.060.16.490.220.04<mark>0.23</mark>0.150.040.16
0.1-0.0<mark>7.1 -</mark>0.040.170.130.080.060.220.250.160.120.160.140.040.080.040.0<del>3</del>0.240.470.040.5-0.220.00.23
0.280.150.150.150.15<mark>0.240.290.240.230.170.16</mark>0.430.430.040.020.170.140.0<del>2</del>0.140.090.040.08
0.030.320.170.28<mark>-1-</mark>0.030.010.02<mark>0.330.43</mark>0.040.040.0530.190.330.040.020.410.230.04<mark>0.23</mark>0.340.040.32
0.170.070.130.150.03 1 0.580.660.240.030.430.38.050.070.150.030.080.060.130.150.020.150.220.020.22
0.170.010.080.150.010.58 1 0.510.270.030.220.170.010.030.13 0 -0.020.05-0.20.110.030.1-0.010.030.09
0.170.050.060.10.020.660.51 1 -0.140.020.280.240.030.010.160.030.030.060.150.080.020.080.090.020.080
0.230.50.220.380.330.240.270.14 1 0.660.130.180.360.280.470.49.040.090.420.340.010.350.250.020.25
0.01<mark>-0.5</mark>0.250.290.430.030.030.030.040.20.66 1 -0.030.050.4 0.4-0.230.590.040.020.720.360.020.370.430.020.43
0.420.340.160.20.040.430.220.280.130.03 1 0.96-0.10.110.40.270.030.030.10.17 0 -0.180.22 0 -0.23
0.430.40.120.230.040.380.170.240.180.05<mark>0.96 1 -</mark>0.040.060.440.360.020.020.010.1 0 -0.10.21 0 -0.21
0.04<mark>0.23</mark>.160.1<del>7</del>0.50.050.010.030.360.4-0.10.04 1 0.560.120.240.060.040.340.240.240.250.030.24
 0 -0.20.140.160.530.070.030.010.280.4-0.140.060.56 1 -0.140.250.05 0 -0.340.20.030.210.290.020.29
0.90.880.010.430.190.150.130.16<mark>0.470.220.40.440.120.11 1 0.85</mark>0.050.140.10.09 0 -0.10.02 0 -0.03
0.70.970.080.430.330.03 0 0.03<mark>0.490.560.270.360.240.25</mark>0.85 1 0.050.170.490.220.040.250.180.040.15
0.040.060.010.040.040.030.020.030.040.010.010.030.020.060.050.050.05 1 -0.110.03 0 0.030.01 0 0.030.01
-<mark>0.2</mark>0.160.030.020.020.060.050.060.090.020.030.020.01 0 -<mark>0.140.170.11 1 0</mark>.030.040.010.040.040.00.01
0.240.490.240.170.440.130.20.150.420.720.1-0.040.390.310.10.490.030.03 1 0.390.020.390.330.020.35
0.06.22<mark>0.47</mark>0.140.230.150.140.080.340.36.170.1-0.240.20.090.22 0 -0.00.39 1 -0.270.90.340.160.29
0.040.040.040.020.010.020.030.020.010.02 0 0 0.040.03 0 -0.010.030.040.0<mark>40.27 1 -0.080.19</mark>.56 0
0.05<mark>0.23</mark>0.5<mark>-0.140.23</mark>0.150.10.080.350.370.180.10.240.21-0.10.230.00.01<mark>0.340.94</mark>0.08 1 -0.280.030.31
0.08.150.220.090.340.220.090.090.250.430.220.240.250.290.020.18 0 -0.00.330.340.190.28 1 -0.270.94
0.010.040.040.040.040.000.020.030.020.020.02 0 0 0.030.02 0 -0.010.030.040.0<mark>20.16.56</mark>0.0<mark>30.27 1 -0.08</mark>
0.080.16.230.0<del>9</del>0.320.220.090.080.250.430.230.240.290.030.190.040.0330.29 0 0.031<mark>0.94</mark>0.08 1
```

essure3pm Cloud9am Cloud3pm Temp9am Year Month

TempDiff nToday_No y_Unknown

Temp3pm

morrow_No

Today_Yes

MinTemp MaxTemp Rainfall Evaporation Sunshine WindGustSp WindSpeed! WindSpeed: Humidity9ar Humidity3pr Pressure9ar Pressure3pr Cloud9am Cloud3pm Temp9am Temp3pm Year Month **TempDiff** RainToday_ RainToday RainToday_ RainTomorre RainTomorro RainTomorre

```
# Look to see which variables are highly correlated with MaxTemp.
# MinTemp, Temp9am, and Temp3pm are all highly positively correlated with MaxTemp
# We will remove these three variables as they may likely cause problems with autocorrelation.

drop <- c("MinTemp", "Temp9am", "Temp3pm")
AUS4 = AUS3[,!(names(AUS3) %in% drop)]

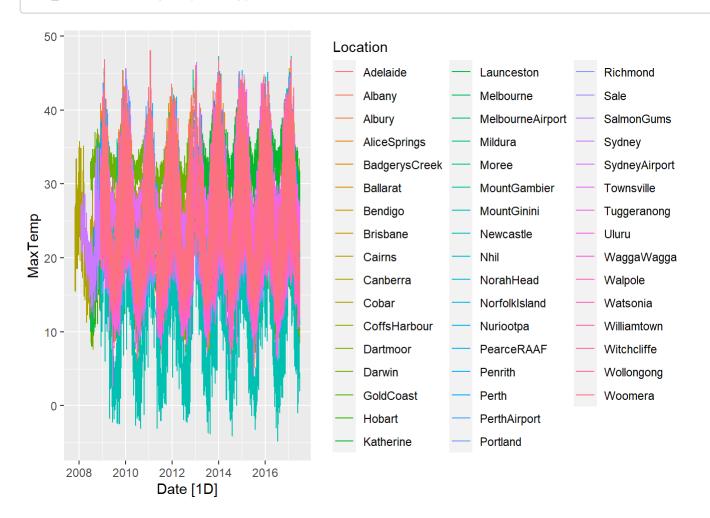
# Convert processed dataset to tsibble again

AUS_Final <- AUS4 %>%
    as_tsibble(index = Date, key = Location)
```

EXPLORATORY ANALYSIS AND VISUALIZATION FOR THE DATASET

Visualize the dataset and comment on characteristics of time series

AUS_Final %>% autoplot(MaxTemp)

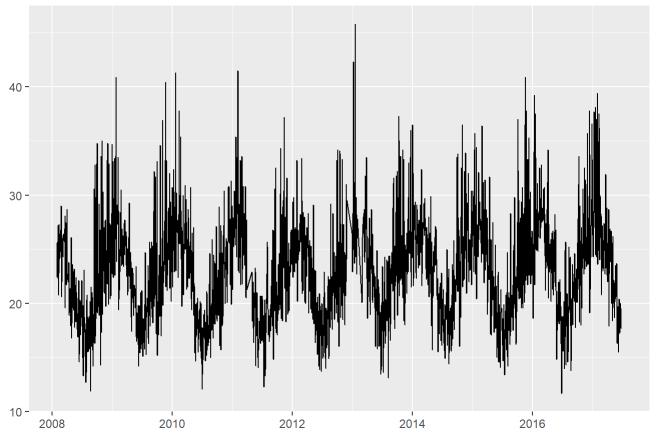


```
# Since there are so many different locations, it makes the plot hard to read. To fix this probl
em
# we will turn our focus on the largest city, Sydney, to further look for seasonality.

Sydney <- AUS_Final %>%
  filter(Location == "Sydney")

Sydney %>%
  autoplot(MaxTemp) + labs(title = "Temperature Highs in Sydney (degrees celsius)", x = " ", y = " ")
```

Temperature Highs in Sydney (degrees celsius)



Comment on any anomalies in the data

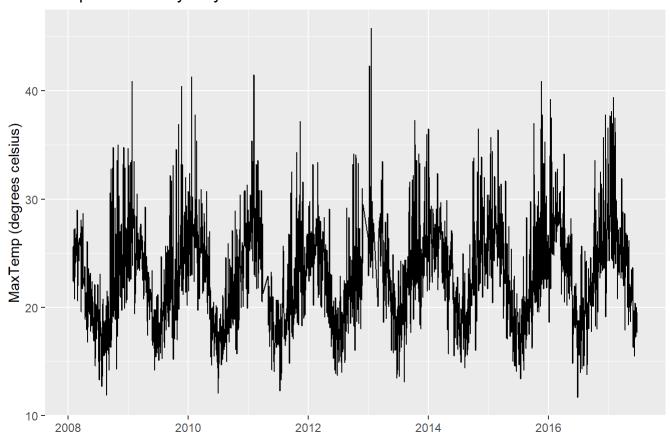
It looks like there is a huge spike upwards in temperature in Jan 2013. There are also some abnormally low drops in temperature in may/june of 2016.

Describe trend/seasonality/cycles with supporting charts:

Trend

```
Sydney %>%
  autoplot(MaxTemp) + labs(y = "MaxTemp (degrees celsius)",x = " ", title = "Temperature in Sydn
ey")
```

Temperature in Sydney



There is no apparent trend in Temperature.

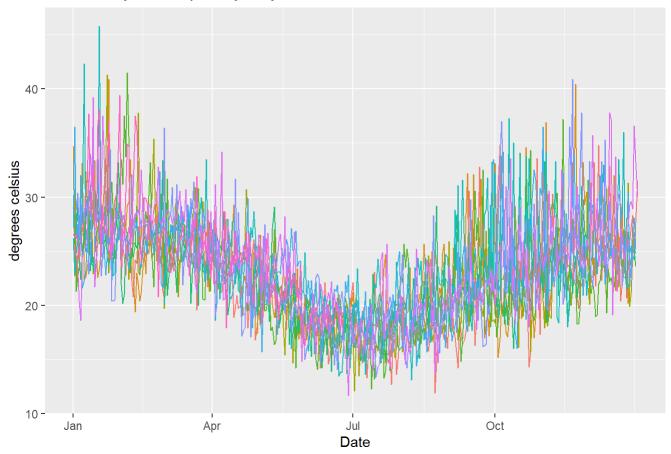
Seasonality

```
Syd_Fill <- Sydney %>% fill_gaps()

Syd_Fill %>% gg_season(MaxTemp, period = "year") +
  theme(legend.position = "none") +
  labs(y="degrees celsius", title="Seasonality of Temp in Sydney")
```

Warning: Removed 31 rows containing missing values (`geom_line()`).

Seasonality of Temp in Sydney

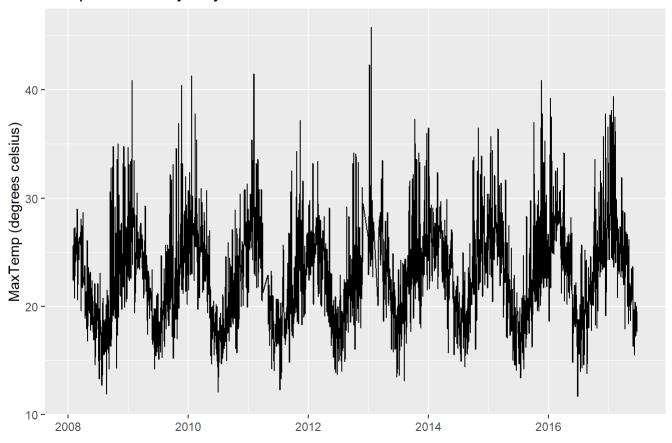


There is a very apparent season trend in the Temperature in Sydney. It starts off with the hottest temperatures in January and February, and then stays warm until the start of a slow decline in temperature in April. The decline in temperature continues until July where we see the lowest temperatures. The temperature then slowly increases until November where it stays very warm through December going into the next year.

Cycles

```
Sydney %>%
  autoplot(MaxTemp) + labs(y = "MaxTemp (degrees celsius)",x = " ", title = "Temperature in Sydn
ey")
```

Temperature in Sydney



There is no evidence of any cyclic behavior here.

MODEL FITTING

Split dataset into training and test sets

```
View(Sydney)
train <- Syd_Fill %>%
  filter(year(Date) < '2015-01-01')
test <- Syd_Fill %>%
  filter(year(Date) >= '2015-01-01')
```

```
train$MaxTemp[is.na(train$MaxTemp)] <- median(train$MaxTemp,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
train$Rainfall[is.na(train$Rainfall)] <- median(train$Rainfall,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
train$Evaporation[is.na(train$Evaporation)] <- median(train$Evaporation,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
train$Sunshine[is.na(train$Sunshine)] <- median(train$Sunshine,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
train$WindGustSpeed[is.na(train$WindGustSpeed)] <- median(train$WindGustSpeed,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
train$WindSpeed9am[is.na(train$WindSpeed9am)] <- median(train$WindSpeed9am,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
train$WindSpeed3pm[is.na(train$WindSpeed3pm)] <- median(train$WindSpeed3pm,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
train$Humidity9am[is.na(train$Humidity9am)] <- median(train$Humidity9am,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
train$Humidity3pm[is.na(train$Humidity3pm)] <- median(train$Humidity3pm,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
train$Pressure9am[is.na(train$Pressure9am)] <- median(train$Pressure9am,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
train$Pressure3pm[is.na(train$Pressure3pm)] <- median(train$Pressure3pm,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
train$Cloud9am[is.na(train$Cloud9am)] <- median(train$Cloud9am,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
train$Cloud3pm[is.na(train$Cloud3pm)] <- median(train$Cloud3pm,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
train$Year[is.na(train$Year)] <- median(train$Year,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
train$Month[is.na(train$Month)] <- median(train$Month,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
train$TempDiff[is.na(train$TempDiff)] <- median(train$TempDiff,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
train$RainToday 1[is.na(train$RainToday 1)] <- median(train$RainToday 1,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
## Warning: Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainToday 1`.
## Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainToday_1`.
## Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainToday 1`.
train$RainToday_2[is.na(train$RainToday_2)] <- median(train$RainToday_2,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
## Warning: Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainToday 2`.
## Warning: Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainToday 2`.
## Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainToday 2`.
train$RainToday_Unknown[is.na(train$RainToday_Unknown)] <- median(train$RainToday_Unknown,na.rm=
TRUE)
train$RainTomorrow_1[is.na(train$RainTomorrow_1)] <- median(train$RainTomorrow_1,na.rm=TRUE)
## Warning: Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainTomorrow_1`.
## Warning: Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainTomorrow 1`.
## Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainTomorrow 1`.
train$RainTomorrow_2[is.na(train$RainTomorrow_2)] <- median(train$RainTomorrow_2,na.rm=TRUE)
## Warning: Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainTomorrow 2`.
## Warning: Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainTomorrow 2`.
## Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainTomorrow_2`.
```

train\$RainTomorrow_Unknown[is.na(train\$RainTomorrow_Unknown)] <- median(train\$RainTomorrow_Unkno
wn,na.rm=TRUE)
summary(train)</pre>

```
##
                            Location
                                                 MaxTemp
                                                                  Rainfall
         Date
                                              Min.
                                                                    : 0.000
##
    Min.
           :2008-02-01
                          Length: 2891
                                                     :11.90
                                                              Min.
##
    1st Qu.:2010-01-23
                          Class :character
                                              1st Qu.:19.60
                                                              1st Qu.: 0.000
                                             Median :22.60
    Median :2012-01-16
##
                          Mode :character
                                                              Median : 0.000
##
    Mean
           :2012-01-16
                                                     :22.78
                                                                    : 3.059
                                             Mean
                                                              Mean
##
    3rd Qu.:2014-01-07
                                              3rd Qu.:25.60
                                                              3rd Qu.: 1.000
##
    Max.
           :2015-12-31
                                             Max.
                                                     :45.80
                                                              Max.
                                                                      :119.400
##
##
     Evaporation
                         Sunshine
                                       WindGustSpeed
                                                         WindSpeed9am
    Min.
           : 0.000
                     Min. : 0.000
##
                                       Min.
                                               :17.00
                                                        Min.
                                                              : 0.00
##
    1st Qu.: 3.200
                     1st Qu.: 4.400
                                       1st Qu.:37.00
                                                        1st Qu.:11.00
##
    Median : 4.800
                     Median : 8.300
                                       Median :39.00
                                                        Median :15.00
         : 5.084
                     Mean : 7.203
##
    Mean
                                       Mean
                                               :40.77
                                                        Mean
                                                              :15.01
##
    3rd Qu.: 6.800
                      3rd Qu.:10.100
                                       3rd Qu.:43.00
                                                        3rd Qu.:20.00
##
    Max.
           :18.400
                             :13.600
                                               :96.00
                     Max.
                                       Max.
                                                        Max.
                                                                :54.00
##
     WindSpeed3pm
                     Humidity9am
                                       Humidity3pm
##
                                                        Pressure9am
                            : 19.00
##
    Min.
           : 0.00
                    Min.
                                      Min.
                                              :10.00
                                                       Min.
                                                              : 986.7
##
    1st Qu.:15.00
                     1st Qu.: 59.00
                                      1st Qu.:45.00
                                                       1st Qu.:1014.1
##
    Median :19.00
                    Median : 70.00
                                      Median :56.00
                                                       Median :1018.6
##
    Mean
           :19.31
                    Mean
                            : 68.78
                                      Mean
                                              :55.01
                                                       Mean
                                                              :1018.4
##
    3rd Qu.:24.00
                     3rd Qu.: 80.00
                                      3rd Qu.:64.00
                                                       3rd Qu.:1023.1
##
           :50.00
                            :100.00
                                              :99.00
    Max.
                    Max.
                                      Max.
                                                       Max.
                                                              :1038.8
##
##
     Pressure3pm
                         Cloud9am
                                         Cloud3pm
                                                            Year
##
    Min.
           : 989.8
                     Min.
                             :0.000
                                      Min.
                                              :0.000
                                                       Min.
                                                              :2008
    1st Qu.:1011.6
                      1st Qu.:2.000
                                                       1st Qu.:2010
##
                                      1st Qu.:2.000
##
    Median :1016.3
                     Median :5.000
                                      Median :5.000
                                                       Median :2012
                                              :4.379
##
    Mean
           :1016.1
                     Mean
                             :4.338
                                      Mean
                                                       Mean
                                                              :2012
##
    3rd Qu.:1020.8
                      3rd Qu.:7.000
                                      3rd Qu.:6.000
                                                       3rd Qu.:2014
##
    Max.
           :1036.7
                     Max.
                             :9.000
                                      Max.
                                              :8.000
                                                       Max.
                                                              :2015
##
                         TempDiff
##
        Month
                                        RainToday_No
                                                         RainToday_Unknown
##
    Min.
           : 1.000
                            : 0.200
                                               :0.0000
                                                         Min.
                     Min.
                                       Min.
                                                                :0.000000
    1st Qu.: 4.000
                      1st Qu.: 6.100
##
                                       1st Qu.:0.0000
                                                         1st Qu.:0.000000
                     Median : 8.000
    Median : 7.000
##
                                       Median :1.0000
                                                         Median :0.000000
##
    Mean
           : 6.608
                     Mean
                             : 8.116
                                       Mean
                                               :0.7402
                                                         Mean
                                                                :0.002421
##
    3rd Qu.: 9.000
                      3rd Qu.:10.000
                                       3rd Qu.:1.0000
                                                         3rd Qu.:0.000000
##
    Max.
           :12.000
                      Max.
                             :24.100
                                                         Max.
                                       Max.
                                               :1.0000
                                                                :1.000000
##
                                       NA's
                                               :89
##
    RainToday Yes
                      RainTomorrow No
                                       RainTomorrow Unknown RainTomorrow Yes
##
    Min.
           :0.0000
                     Min.
                             :0.0000
                                       Min.
                                               :0.000000
                                                             Min.
                                                                     :0.000
                      1st Qu.:0.0000
##
    1st Qu.:0.0000
                                       1st Qu.:0.000000
                                                             1st Qu.:0.000
                                       Median :0.000000
##
    Median :0.0000
                     Median :1.0000
                                                             Median :0.000
##
    Mean
           :0.2573
                     Mean
                             :0.7405
                                       Mean
                                               :0.002421
                                                             Mean
                                                                     :0.257
##
    3rd Qu.:1.0000
                      3rd Qu.:1.0000
                                       3rd Qu.:0.000000
                                                             3rd Qu.:1.000
##
    Max.
           :1.0000
                      Max.
                             :1.0000
                                       Max.
                                               :1.000000
                                                             Max.
                                                                     :1.000
##
    NA's
           :89
                      NA's
                             :89
                                                             NA's
                                                                     :89
```

```
test$MaxTemp[is.na(test$MaxTemp)] <- median(test$MaxTemp,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
test$Rainfall[is.na(test$Rainfall)] <- median(test$Rainfall,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
test$Evaporation[is.na(test$Evaporation)] <- median(test$Evaporation,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
test$Sunshine[is.na(test$Sunshine)] <- median(test$Sunshine,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
test$WindGustSpeed[is.na(test$WindGustSpeed)] <- median(test$WindGustSpeed,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
test$WindSpeed9am[is.na(test$WindSpeed9am)] <- median(test$WindSpeed9am,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
test$WindSpeed3pm[is.na(test$WindSpeed3pm)] <- median(test$WindSpeed3pm,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
test$Humidity9am[is.na(test$Humidity9am)] <- median(test$Humidity9am,na.rm=TRUE)
test$Humidity3pm[is.na(test$Humidity3pm)] <- median(test$Humidity3pm,na.rm=TRUE)
test$Pressure9am[is.na(test$Pressure9am)] <- median(test$Pressure9am,na.rm=TRUE)
test$Pressure3pm[is.na(test$Pressure3pm)] <- median(test$Pressure3pm,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
test$Cloud9am[is.na(test$Cloud9am)] <- median(test$Cloud9am,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
test$Cloud3pm[is.na(test$Cloud3pm)] <- median(test$Cloud3pm,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
test$Year[is.na(test$Year)] <- median(test$Year,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
test$Month[is.na(test$Month)] <- median(test$Month,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
test$TempDiff[is.na(test$TempDiff)] <- median(test$TempDiff,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
test$RainToday 1[is.na(test$RainToday 1)] <- median(test$RainToday 1,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
## Warning: Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainToday 1`.
## Warning: Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainToday_1`.
## Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainToday_1`.
test$RainToday 2[is.na(test$RainToday 2)] <- median(test$RainToday 2,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
## Warning: Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainToday_2`.
## Warning: Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainToday_2`.
## Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainToday_2`.
test$RainToday_Unknown[is.na(test$RainToday_Unknown)] <- median(test$RainToday_Unknown,na.rm=TRU
E)
test$RainTomorrow_1[is.na(test$RainTomorrow_1)] <- median(test$RainTomorrow_1,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
## Warning: Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainTomorrow_1`.
## Warning: Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainTomorrow_1`.
## Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainTomorrow_1`.
test$RainTomorrow_2[is.na(test$RainTomorrow_2)] <- median(test$RainTomorrow_2,na.rm=TRUE)</pre>
## Warning: Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainTomorrow_2`.
```

```
## Warning: Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainTomorrow_2`.
## Unknown or uninitialised column: `RainTomorrow_2`.

test$RainTomorrow_Unknown[is.na(test$RainTomorrow_Unknown)] <- median(test$RainTomorrow_Unknown, na.rm=TRUE)

summary(test)</pre>
```

```
##
                            Location
                                                                  Rainfall
         Date
                                                 MaxTemp
                                                                       : 0.000
##
           :2016-01-01
                          Length:542
                                              Min.
                                                      :11.70
                                                               Min.
    Min.
##
    1st Qu.:2016-05-15
                          Class :character
                                              1st Qu.:20.60
                                                               1st Qu.: 0.000
    Median :2016-09-27
##
                          Mode :character
                                              Median :24.20
                                                               Median : 0.000
           :2016-09-27
                                                      :24.11
                                                                       : 4.154
##
    Mean
                                              Mean
                                                               Mean
    3rd Qu.:2017-02-09
                                              3rd Qu.:27.00
##
                                                               3rd Qu.: 1.400
##
    Max.
           :2017-06-25
                                              Max.
                                                      :39.40
                                                               Max.
                                                                       :94.400
##
     Evaporation
                        Sunshine
                                       WindGustSpeed
                                                         WindSpeed9am
    Min.
           : 0.00
                            : 0.000
                                       Min.
                                              :19.00
                                                       Min.
                                                               : 0.00
##
                     Min.
    1st Qu.: 3.40
##
                     1st Qu.: 4.500
                                       1st Qu.:31.00
                                                       1st Qu.:11.00
##
    Median: 5.20
                     Median : 8.400
                                       Median :39.00
                                                       Median :15.00
##
    Mean
           : 5.65
                            : 7.272
                                       Mean
                                              :41.28
                                                       Mean
                                                               :15.29
                     Mean
    3rd Qu.: 7.80
##
                     3rd Qu.:10.100
                                       3rd Qu.:49.50
                                                       3rd Qu.:20.00
##
    Max.
           :15.80
                     Max.
                            :13.500
                                       Max.
                                              :96.00
                                                       Max.
                                                               :44.00
     WindSpeed3pm
                      Humidity9am
                                                       Pressure9am
##
                                       Humidity3pm
    Min.
           : 2.00
                     Min.
                            :21.00
                                      Min.
                                             :14.00
                                                              : 998.3
##
                                                      Min.
    1st Qu.:15.00
##
                     1st Qu.:56.00
                                      1st Qu.:43.00
                                                       1st Qu.:1013.2
##
    Median :19.00
                     Median:66.00
                                      Median :54.00
                                                      Median :1018.0
           :19.36
##
    Mean
                     Mean
                            :65.57
                                      Mean
                                             :53.14
                                                              :1017.9
                                                      Mean
    3rd Qu.:24.00
                     3rd Qu.:76.00
                                      3rd Qu.:62.75
                                                       3rd Qu.:1022.6
##
##
    Max.
           :57.00
                     Max.
                            :92.00
                                      Max.
                                             :91.00
                                                      Max.
                                                              :1039.0
##
     Pressure3pm
                       Cloud9am
                                        Cloud3pm
                                                           Year
                                                                          Month
##
    Min.
           : 994
                    Min.
                           :0.000
                                            :0.000
                                                             :2016
                                                                     Min.
                                                                             : 1.000
                                     Min.
                                                      Min.
##
    1st Qu.:1011
                    1st Qu.:1.000
                                     1st Qu.:2.000
                                                      1st Qu.:2016
                                                                     1st Qu.: 3.000
##
    Median :1016
                    Median :5.000
                                     Median :4.500
                                                     Median :2016
                                                                     Median : 5.000
##
           :1015
                           :4.332
                                            :4.304
                                                             :2016
    Mean
                    Mean
                                     Mean
                                                     Mean
                                                                     Mean
                                                                             : 5.515
                    3rd Qu.:7.000
##
    3rd Qu.:1020
                                     3rd Qu.:7.000
                                                      3rd Qu.:2017
                                                                     3rd Qu.: 8.000
##
    Max.
           :1036
                    Max.
                           :8.000
                                     Max.
                                            :8.000
                                                      Max.
                                                             :2017
                                                                     Max.
                                                                             :12.000
##
       TempDiff
                       RainToday_No
                                        RainToday_Unknown RainToday_Yes
           : 0.400
##
    Min.
                      Min.
                             :0.0000
                                        Min.
                                               :0
                                                           Min.
                                                                  :0.0000
##
    1st Qu.: 6.400
                      1st Qu.:0.0000
                                        1st Qu.:0
                                                           1st Qu.:0.0000
    Median : 8.150
                      Median :1.0000
##
                                        Median :0
                                                           Median :0.0000
##
    Mean
           : 8.232
                      Mean
                             :0.7325
                                        Mean
                                               :0
                                                                  :0.2675
                                                           Mean
    3rd Qu.:10.200
##
                      3rd Qu.:1.0000
                                        3rd Qu.:0
                                                           3rd Qu.:1.0000
##
    Max.
           :17.100
                      Max.
                             :1.0000
                                        Max.
                                               :0
                                                           Max.
                                                                  :1.0000
##
    RainTomorrow No
                      RainTomorrow Unknown RainTomorrow Yes
##
    Min.
           :0.0000
                      Min.
                             :0
                                            Min.
                                                   :0.0000
##
    1st Qu.:0.0000
                      1st Qu.:0
                                            1st Qu.:0.0000
    Median :1.0000
                                            Median :0.0000
##
                      Median :0
##
    Mean
           :0.7325
                      Mean
                                            Mean
                                                   :0.2675
                             :0
##
    3rd Qu.:1.0000
                                            3rd Qu.:1.0000
                      3rd Qu.:0
##
    Max.
           :1.0000
                      Max.
                             :0
                                            Max.
                                                    :1.0000
```

```
test <- test %>%
  as_tsibble(index = Date, key = NULL)
train <- train %>%
  as_tsibble(index = Date, key = NULL)
```

I chose to split the data at the year 2015 because it is close to 80% of the records in the training set and 20% of the records into the test set.

TSLM and ETS

```
TSLM_ETS_Models <- train %>%
  model(
    TSLM = TSLM(MaxTemp ~ trend()),
    SES = ETS(log(MaxTemp) ~ error("A") + trend("N") + season("N")),
    Holt = ETS(log(MaxTemp) ~ error("A") + trend("A") + season("N")),
    Damped = ETS(log(MaxTemp) ~ error("A") + trend("Ad") + season("N")),
    Additive = ETS(log(MaxTemp) ~ error("A") + trend("A") + season("A")),
    Multiplicative = ETS(log(MaxTemp) ~ error("M") + trend("A") + season("M"))
)
glance(TSLM_ETS_Models)
```

```
## # A tibble: 6 × 18
##
     .model r_squa...¹ adj_r_...² sigma2 stati...³ p_value
                                                            df log_lik
                                                                          AIC
                                                                                AICc
                                                                 <dbl>
##
     <chr>>
                <dbl>
                         <dbl>
                                 <dbl>
                                         <dbl>
                                                  <dbl> <int>
                                                                       <dbl> <dbl>
## 1 TSLM
              0.00535 0.00500 1.89e+1
                                          15.5 8.32e-5
                                                            2 -8352.
                                                                        8507. 8507.
## 2 SES
                      NA
                               1.66e-2
                                                            NA -5597. 11200. 11200.
             NA
                                          NA
                                               NA
## 3 Holt
                               1.67e-2
                                                            NA -5606. 11221. 11221.
             NA
                      NA
                                          NA
                                               NA
## 4 Damped NA
                      NA
                               1.67e-2
                                               NA
                                                            NA -5605. 11222. 11222.
                                          NA
## 5 Additi... NA
                      NA
                               1.67e-2
                                          NA
                                               NA
                                                            NA -5598. 11220. 11220.
                               1.72e-3
                                                            NA -5587. 11198. 11199.
## 6 Multip... NA
                      NA
                                          NA
                                               NA
## # ... with 8 more variables: BIC <dbl>, CV <dbl>, deviance <dbl>,
      df.residual <int>, rank <int>, MSE <dbl>, AMSE <dbl>, MAE <dbl>, and
       abbreviated variable names ¹r_squared, ²adj_r_squared, ³statistic
## #
```

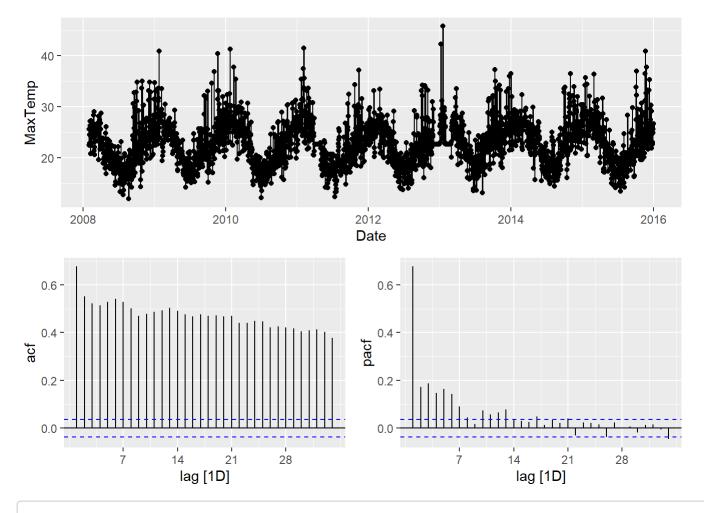
The lowest AICc of the TSLM and different ETS models is the TSLM model at 8507.

ARIMA

```
# Check for stationarity
train %>% features(MaxTemp, unitroot_nsdiffs)
```

```
## # A tibble: 1 × 1
## nsdiffs
## <int>
## 1 0
```

```
# 0 ndsdiffs recommended therefore data is stationary and we can continue with ARIMA model
# PLot ACF and PACF
train %>% gg_tsdisplay(MaxTemp, plot_type = 'partial')
```



```
# PACF dies in somewhat sine wave manner but acf does not die out at all. Therefore there is no
clear ar or
# ma choice based on the ACF and PACF plot.

# Create ARIMA models

ARIMA_Models <- train %>%
    model(
        arima_auto = ARIMA(MaxTemp),
        automatic_exhaustive = ARIMA(MaxTemp, stepwise = FALSE), #exhaustive search
        automatic_no_seas_exhaustive = ARIMA(MaxTemp ~ PDQ(0, 0, 0), stepwise = FALSE), #exhaustive
search no seasonal differences
        automatic_no_seas = ARIMA(MaxTemp ~ PDQ(0,0,0)) #fable algorithm no seasonal differencing
)

glance(ARIMA_Models)
```

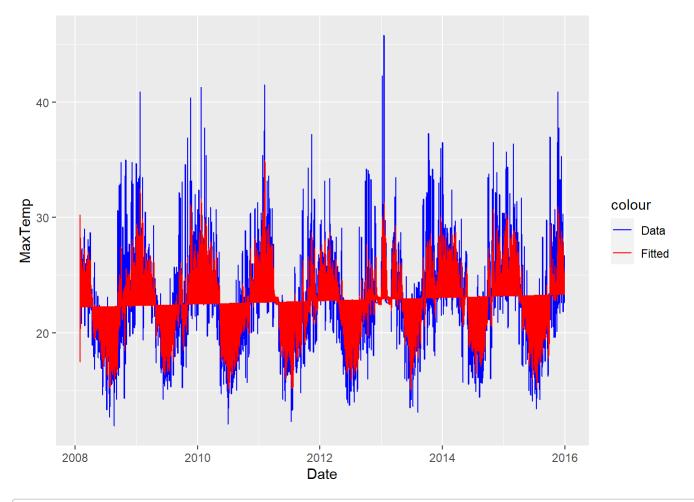
```
## # A tibble: 4 × 8
     .model
                                  sigma2 log lik
##
                                                     AIC
                                                           AICc
                                                                    BIC ar ro...<sup>1</sup> ma ro...<sup>2</sup>
##
     <chr>>
                                   <dbl>
                                           <dbl>
                                                   <dbl>
                                                         <dbl> <dbl> <ti><
                                                                                 t>
## 1 arima_auto
                                         -7238. 14491. 14491. 14539. <cpl>
                                    8.77
                                                                                 <cpl>
## 2 automatic_exhaustive
                                    8.77 -7238. 14491. 14491. 14539. <cpl>
                                                                                 <cpl>
## 3 automatic_no_seas_exhaust...
                                    8.78 -7239. 14495. 14495. 14543. <cpl>
                                                                                 <cpl>
## 4 automatic_no_seas
                                    9.41
                                         -7341. 14691. 14691. 14714. <cpl>
                                                                                 <cpl>
## # ... with abbreviated variable names ¹ar_roots, ²ma_roots
```

Lowest AICc of ARIMA models is arima auto with 14491

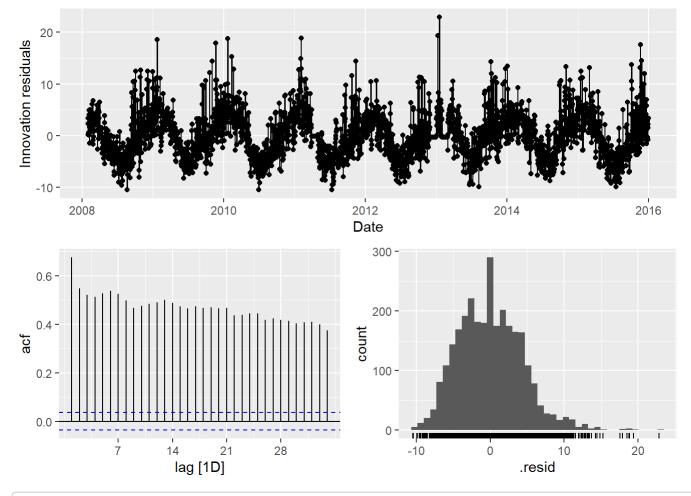
Evaluate residuals of TSLM, ETS, and ARIMA models:

TSLM and ETS residuals

```
aug_TSLM_ETS <- augment(TSLM_ETS_Models)
aug_TSLM_ETS %>%
   ggplot(aes(x = Date)) +
   geom_line(aes(y = MaxTemp, color = "Data")) +
   geom_line(aes(y = .fitted, color = "Fitted")) +
   scale_color_manual(values = c(Data = "Blue", Fitted = "Red"))
```



```
# Using best model for gg_tsresiduals()
TSLM_ETS_Models %>% select(TSLM) %>% gg_tsresiduals()
```



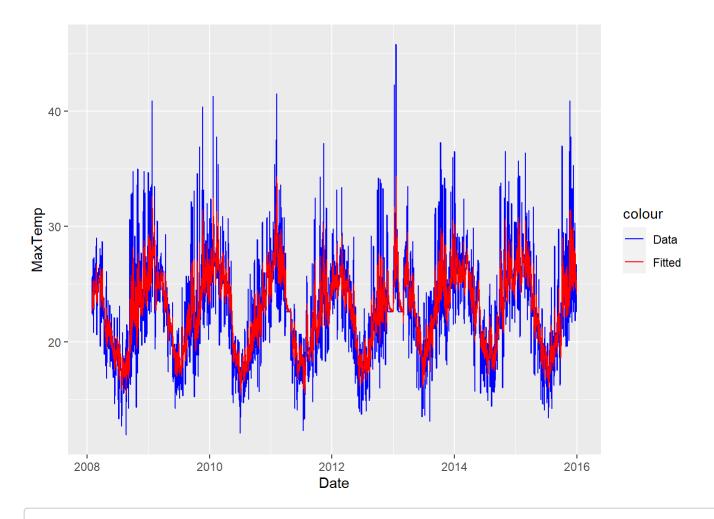
```
# Check if residuals are stationary
aug_TSLM_ETS %>% features(.innov, unitroot_kpss)
```

```
## # A tibble: 6 × 3
##
     .model
                     kpss_stat kpss_pvalue
     <chr>>
                         <dbl>
                                      <dbl>
##
                        0.0198
## 1 Additive
                                        0.1
## 2 Damped
                        0.117
                                        0.1
## 3 Holt
                        0.0145
                                        0.1
## 4 Multiplicative
                        0.0398
                                        0.1
## 5 SES
                        0.0140
                                        0.1
## 6 TSLM
                        0.123
                                        0.1
```

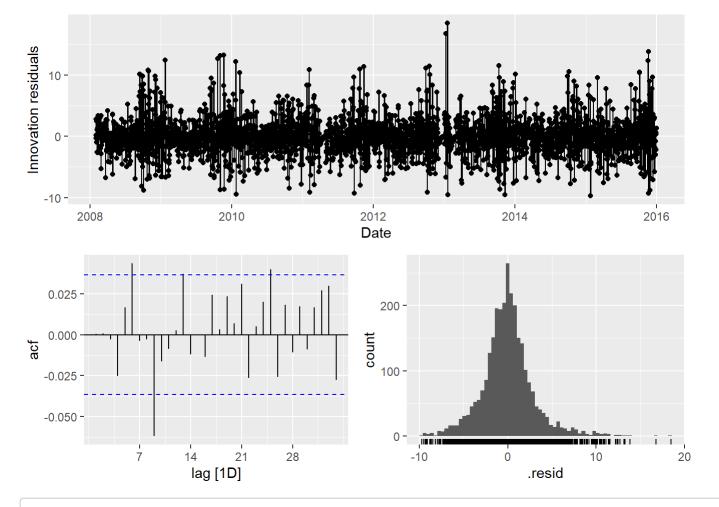
Because the model residuals each have a p-value of 0.1, this means that they are all stationary.

ARIMA residuals

```
aug_ARIMA <- augment(ARIMA_Models)
aug_ARIMA %>%
   ggplot(aes(x = Date)) +
   geom_line(aes(y = MaxTemp, color = "Data")) +
   geom_line(aes(y = .fitted, color = "Fitted")) +
   scale_color_manual(values = c(Data = "Blue", Fitted = "Red"))
```



Using best model for gg_tsresiduals()
ARIMA_Models %>% select(arima_auto) %>% gg_tsresiduals()



Check if residuals are stationary
aug_ARIMA %>% features(.innov, unitroot_kpss)

```
## # A tibble: 4 × 3
     .model
##
                                   kpss_stat kpss_pvalue
     <chr>
                                       <dbl>
                                                    <dbl>
##
## 1 arima_auto
                                      0.0553
                                                      0.1
## 2 automatic_exhaustive
                                      0.0553
                                                      0.1
## 3 automatic_no_seas
                                      0.0765
                                                      0.1
## 4 automatic_no_seas_exhaustive
                                      0.0549
                                                      0.1
```

Because the model residuals each have a p-value of 0.1, this means that they are all stationary.

If there are predictor variables – fit a TSLM with predictor variables, Regression with ARIMA errors:

TSLM with Predictor Variables

```
## # A tibble: 9 × 15
     .model r_squared adj_r_sq...¹ sigma2 stati...²
                                                  p value
                                                             df log lik
                                                                          AIC AICc
                                                                  <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>
                           <dbl> <dbl>
##
     <chr>>
                <dbl>
                                          <dbl>
                                                    <dbl> <int>
## 1 lm
                0.106
                           0.106 17.0
                                           343. 1.69e- 72
                                                              2 -8198. 8198. 8198.
## 2 lm2
                0.112
                           0.112 16.9
                                           183. 1.60e- 75
                                                              3 -8188. 8179. 8179.
## 3 lm3
                                           341. 1.11e-189
                                                              4 -7921. 7649. 7649.
                0.262
                           0.261 14.1
                                                              6 -7867. 7543. 7543.
## 4 lm4
                0.289
                           0.288 13.5
                                           235. 7.69e-211
## 5 lm5
                0.200
                           0.199 15.2
                                           181. 2.03e-138
                                                              5 -8037. 7882. 7882.
## 6 lm6
                0.282
                           0.281 13.7
                                           283. 1.34e-205
                                                              5 -7882. 7571. 7571.
## 7 1m7
                0.114
                           0.113 16.9
                                           124. 1.33e- 75
                                                              4 -8185. 8176. 8176.
## 8 lm8
                0.181
                           0.180 15.6
                                           160. 1.11e-123
                                                              5 -8071. 7950. 7950.
## 9 lm9
                                           410. 0
                                                              9 -7261. 6337. 6337.
                0.533
                           0.531
                                   8.92
## # ... with 5 more variables: BIC <dbl>, CV <dbl>, deviance <dbl>,
       df.residual <int>, rank <int>, and abbreviated variable names
## #
## #
       ¹adj_r_squared, ²statistic
```

Lowest AICc is Im9 with 6337.

ARIMA with Errors

```
ARIMA_Errors <- train %>%
model(

ARIMA1 = ARIMA(MaxTemp ~ TempDiff),
ARIMA2 = ARIMA(MaxTemp ~ TempDiff + Rainfall),
ARIMA3 = ARIMA(MaxTemp ~ Evaporation + Humidity3pm + Cloud3pm),
ARIMA4 = ARIMA(MaxTemp ~ Humidity9am + Humidity3pm + Pressure9am + Pressure3pm + TempDiff),
ARIMA5 = ARIMA(MaxTemp ~ Humidity9am + Humidity3pm + Pressure9am + Pressure3pm),
ARIMA6 = ARIMA(MaxTemp ~ Rainfall + Evaporation + Humidity9am + Humidity3pm),
ARIMA7 = ARIMA(MaxTemp ~ Sunshine + Humidity9am + Humidity3pm),
ARIMA8 = ARIMA(MaxTemp ~ Sunshine + Cloud9am + Cloud3pm + TempDiff),
ARIMA9 = ARIMA(MaxTemp ~ TempDiff + Sunshine + Evaporation + Humidity9am + Humidity3pm + Pressure9am +

Pressure3pm + Rainfall)
)
glance(ARIMA_Errors)
```

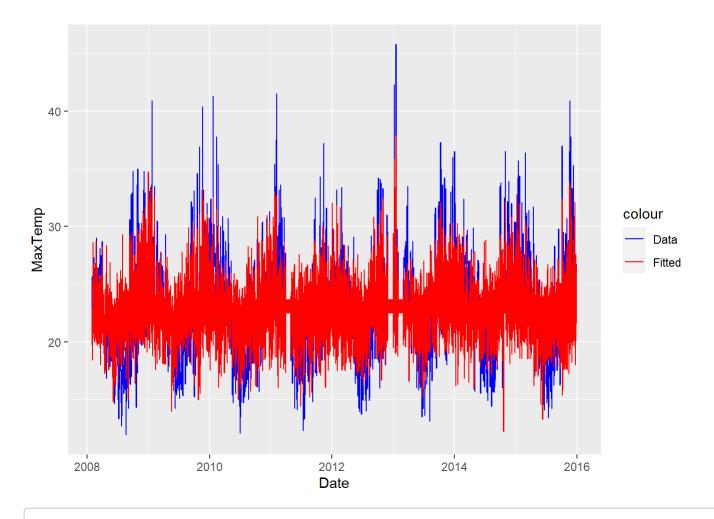
```
## # A tibble: 9 × 8
                                  AICc
##
     .model sigma2 log lik
                            AIC
                                          BIC ar roots ma roots
##
    <chr>>
            <dbl>
                   t>
             3.14 -5753. 11522. 11522. 11570. <cpl [1]> <cpl [16]>
## 1 ARIMA1
## 2 ARIMA2
             3.13 -5749. 11515. 11516. 11569. <cpl [1]> <cpl [16]>
## 3 ARIMA3
             6.71 -6851. 13724. 13724. 13789. <cpl [8]> <cpl [16]>
             2.43 -5380. 10785. 10785. 10857. <cpl [1]> <cpl [4]>
## 4 ARIMA4
## 5 ARIMA5
             5.41 -6537. 13095. 13095. 13154. <cpl [3]> <cpl [2]>
## 6 ARIMA6
             6.68 -6843. 13708. 13708. 13774. <cpl [8]> <cpl [9]>
## 7 ARIMA7
             6.50 -6805. 13630. 13630. 13690. <cpl [8]> <cpl [9]>
             3.09 -5728. 11478. 11478. 11543. <cpl [1]> <cpl [16]>
## 8 ARIMA8
## 9 ARIMA9
             2.39 -5354. 10738. 10738. 10827. <cpl [1]> <cpl [4]>
```

The lowest AICc is ARIMA9 with 10738

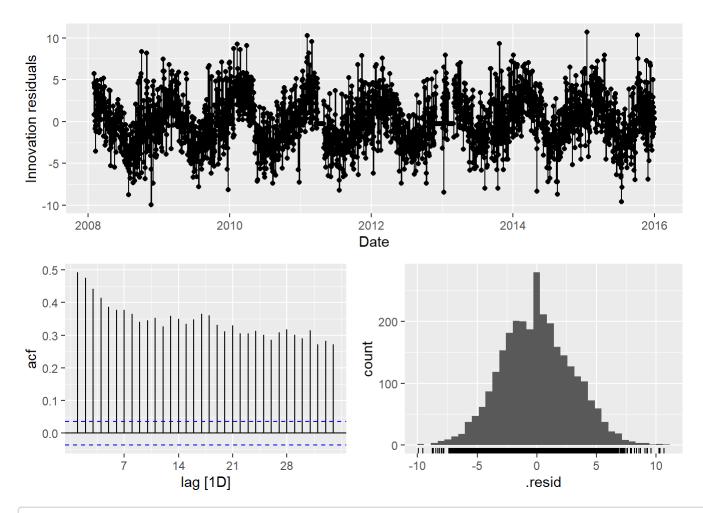
Evaluate Residuals of TSLM w/ predictors and ARIMA with errors:

TSLM w/ Predictors residuals

```
aug_TSLM_Predictors <- augment(TSLM_Predictors)
aug_TSLM_Predictors %>%
    ggplot(aes(x = Date)) +
    geom_line(aes(y = MaxTemp, color = "Data")) +
    geom_line(aes(y = .fitted, color = "Fitted")) +
    scale_color_manual(values = c(Data = "Blue", Fitted = "Red"))
```



Using best model for gg_tsresiduals()
TSLM_Predictors %>% select(lm9) %>% gg_tsresiduals()



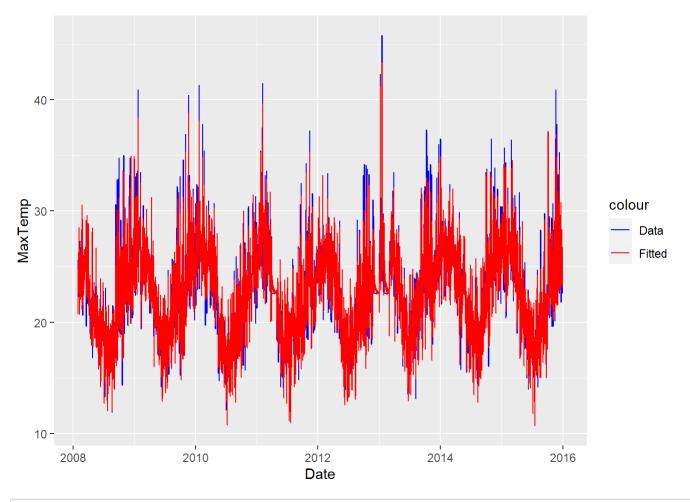
Check if residuals are stationary
aug_TSLM_Predictors %>% features(.innov, unitroot_kpss)

```
## # A tibble: 9 × 3
##
     .model kpss_stat kpss_pvalue
     <chr>>
                 <dbl>
                             <dbl>
##
## 1 lm
                 0.202
                            0.1
##
   2 lm2
                 0.209
                            0.1
  3 lm3
                 0.306
                            0.1
##
  4 lm4
                 0.343
                            0.1
  5 lm5
                 0.492
                            0.0434
                            0.0772
## 6 lm6
                 0.400
## 7 lm7
                 0.340
                            0.1
                            0.1
## 8 lm8
                 0.237
## 9 lm9
                 0.427
                            0.0656
```

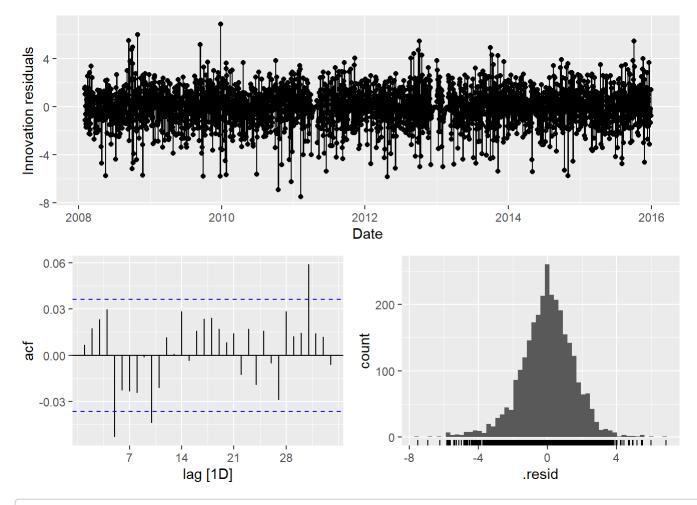
The residuals are stationary for lm1, lm2, lm3, lm4, lm7, and lm8 because they are the only ones with a p-value of 0.1. The others have smaller p-values making them not stationary.

ARIMA w/ Errors residuals

```
aug_ARIMA_e <- augment(ARIMA_Errors)
aug_ARIMA_e %>%
    ggplot(aes(x = Date)) +
    geom_line(aes(y = MaxTemp, color = "Data")) +
    geom_line(aes(y = .fitted, color = "Fitted")) +
    scale_color_manual(values = c(Data = "Blue", Fitted = "Red"))
```



```
# Using best model for gg_tsresiduals()
ARIMA_Errors %>% select(ARIMA9) %>% gg_tsresiduals()
```



Check if residuals are stationary
aug_ARIMA_e %>% features(.innov, unitroot_kpss)

```
## # A tibble: 9 × 3
##
     .model kpss_stat kpss_pvalue
     <chr>>
                 <dbl>
                             <dbl>
##
## 1 ARIMA1
                0.0377
                               0.1
##
  2 ARIMA2
                0.0382
                               0.1
## 3 ARIMA3
                0.0462
                               0.1
  4 ARIMA4
                               0.1
                0.0460
## 5 ARIMA5
                0.0408
                               0.1
## 6 ARIMA6
                0.0479
                               0.1
## 7 ARIMA7
                0.0489
                               0.1
## 8 ARIMA8
                0.0370
                               0.1
## 9 ARIMA9
                0.0454
                               0.1
```

All of the models have stationary residuals here because they all have a p-value of 0.1.

Benchmark Methods

```
benchmark <- train %>%
  model(
    mean = MEAN(MaxTemp),
    naive = NAIVE(MaxTemp),
    s_naive = SNAIVE(MaxTemp),
    drift = RW(MaxTemp ~ drift())
)
glance(benchmark)
```

ACCURACY

Used glance from each of the 4 model families I built

```
glance(TSLM_ETS_Models)
```

```
## # A tibble: 6 × 18
     .model r_squa...¹ adj_r_...² sigma2 stati...³ p_value
##
                                                             df log_lik
                                                                            AIC
                                                                                  AICc
##
     <chr>>
                <dbl>
                          <dbl>
                                  <dbl>
                                         <dbl>
                                                    <dbl> <int>
                                                                  <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>
## 1 TSLM
              0.00535 0.00500 1.89e+1
                                           15.5 8.32e-5
                                                              2 -8352. 8507. 8507.
## 2 SES
                                                             NA -5597. 11200. 11200.
             NA
                       NA
                                1.66e-2
                                           NA
                                                NA
                                                             NA -5606. 11221. 11221.
## 3 Holt
             NA
                       NA
                                1.67e-2
                                           NA
                                                NA
## 4 Damped NA
                       NA
                                1.67e-2
                                           NA
                                                NA
                                                             NA -5605. 11222. 11222.
## 5 Additi... NA
                       NA
                                1.67e-2
                                           NA
                                                             NA -5598. 11220. 11220.
                                                 NA
## 6 Multip... NA
                                                             NA -5587. 11198. 11199.
                       NA
                                1.72e-3
                                           NA
                                                 NA
## # ... with 8 more variables: BIC <dbl>, CV <dbl>, deviance <dbl>,
       df.residual <int>, rank <int>, MSE <dbl>, AMSE <dbl>, MAE <dbl>, and
## #
       abbreviated variable names <sup>1</sup>r squared, <sup>2</sup>adj r squared, <sup>3</sup>statistic
```

```
glance(ARIMA_Models)
```

```
## # A tibble: 4 × 8
##
     .model
                                 sigma2 log_lik
                                                   AIC
                                                         AICc
                                                                 BIC ar_ro...¹ ma_ro...²
##
    <chr>>
                                  <dbl>
                                         <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> dbl> <list></ti>
                                                                             <list>
                                  8.77 -7238. 14491. 14491. 14539. <cpl>
## 1 arima auto
                                                                              <cpl>
## 2 automatic_exhaustive
                                  8.77 -7238. 14491. 14491. 14539. <cpl>
                                                                              <cpl>
## 3 automatic_no_seas_exhaust... 8.78 -7239. 14495. 14543. <cpl>
                                                                              <cpl>
## 4 automatic_no_seas
                                  9.41 -7341. 14691. 14691. 14714. <cpl>
                                                                              <cpl>
## # ... with abbreviated variable names ¹ar_roots, ²ma_roots
```

```
glance(TSLM_Predictors)
```

```
## # A tibble: 9 × 15
##
     .model r_squared adj_r_sq...¹ sigma2 stati...²
                                                p value
                                                           df log lik AIC AICc
     <chr>
               <dbl>
                          <dbl> <dbl>
                                        <dbl>
                                                 <dbl> <int>
                                                                <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>
##
                          0.106 17.0
                                         343. 1.69e- 72 2 -8198. 8198. 8198.
## 1 lm
               0.106
## 2 lm2
                          0.112 16.9
                                         183. 1.60e- 75 3 -8188. 8179. 8179.
               0.112
## 3 lm3
                          0.261 14.1
                                         341. 1.11e-189
                                                           4 -7921. 7649. 7649.
               0.262
                                         235. 7.69e-211
## 4 lm4
               0.289
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## 5 lm5
                                         181. 2.03e-138 5 -8037. 7882. 7882.
               0.200
                          0.199 15.2
## 6 lm6
                          0.281 13.7
                                         283. 1.34e-205 5 -7882. 7571. 7571.
               0.282
                                         124. 1.33e- 75
## 7 lm7
               0.114
                          0.113 16.9
                                                            4 -8185. 8176. 8176.
## 8 lm8
               0.181
                          0.180 15.6
                                         160. 1.11e-123 5 -8071. 7950. 7950.
## 9 lm9
               0.533
                          0.531
                                 8.92
                                         410. 0
                                                            9 -7261. 6337. 6337.
## # ... with 5 more variables: BIC <dbl>, CV <dbl>, deviance <dbl>,
      df.residual <int>, rank <int>, and abbreviated variable names
      ¹adj r squared, ²statistic
## #
```

```
glance(ARIMA_Errors)
```

```
## # A tibble: 9 × 8
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             3.14 -5753. 11522. 11522. 11570. <cpl [1]> <cpl [16]>
## 1 ARIMA1
             3.13 -5749. 11515. 11516. 11569. <cpl [1]> <cpl [16]>
## 2 ARIMA2
## 3 ARIMA3
             6.71 -6851. 13724. 13724. 13789. <cpl [8]> <cpl [16]>
             2.43 -5380. 10785. 10785. 10857. <cpl [1]> <cpl [4]>
## 4 ARIMA4
             5.41 -6537. 13095. 13095. 13154. <cpl [3]> <cpl [2]>
## 5 ARIMA5
             6.68 -6843. 13708. 13708. 13774. <cpl [8]> <cpl [9]>
## 6 ARIMA6
## 7 ARIMA7
             6.50 -6805. 13630. 13630. 13690. <cpl [8]> <cpl [9]>
## 8 ARIMA8
             3.09 -5728. 11478. 11478. 11543. <cpl [1]> <cpl [16]>
             2.39 -5354. 10738. 10738. 10827. <cpl [1]> <cpl [4]>
## 9 ARIMA9
```

MODELS BEST MODEL AICc TSLM and ETS TSLM 8507 ARIMA arima_auto 14491 TSLM_Predictors Im9 6337 ARIMA Errors ARIMA9 10738

The overall model with the lowest AICc is the Im9 model from TSLM_Predictors.

I selected AICc because it was an easy method to compare accuracy of my models performance while also accounting for model complexity.

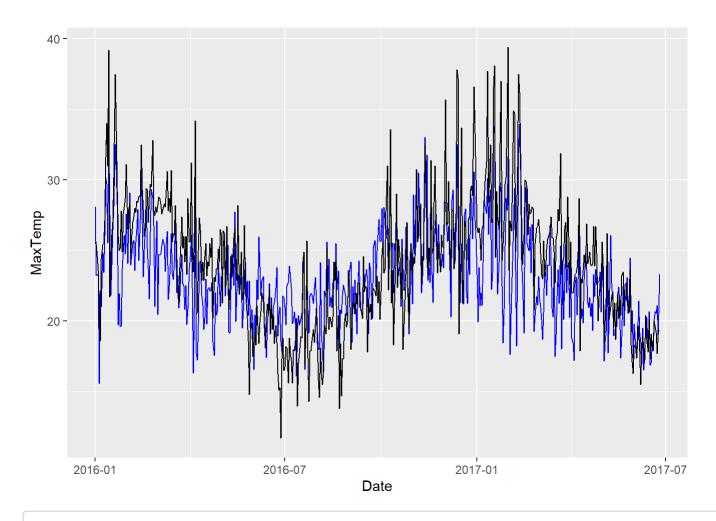
Final Model

```
final_model <- TSLM_Predictors %>% select(lm9)
```

The final model that I will use is Im9 because it had the lowest AICc of any of the models I was able to build.

FORECAST

```
fc <- final_model %>%
  forecast(new_data = test)
fc %>% autoplot(test, level = NULL)
```



```
fc %>% accuracy(test)
```

```
## # A tibble: 1 × 10
##
                      ME
                         RMSE
                                 MAE
                                       MPE
                                                   MASE RMSSE
##
            <chr> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>
                                           <dbl>
                                                 <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>
## 1 lm9
            Test 0.986
                         3.31 2.65
                                     2.34
                                            11.2
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                                                          NaN 0.530
```

I am forecasting about 2 years into the future. This is because the test dataset contains about 20% of the records which ends up being about 2 years out of the almost 10 years of data.

Some considerations when implementing this dataset is that this is the peak temperature recorded of each day, not the average temperature of the day. It is also important to consider that I only focused on temperature in Sydney, not all of Australia. As the many different locations have very different climates and temperatures in the country/continent. So using this forecast to predict on another location would not result in accurate results despite them both being in Australia.