

Final.R

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# Final
```

```
library(readr)
```

```
## Warning: package 'readr' was built under R version 4.1.2
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```
library(fpp)
```

```
## Loading required package: forecast
```

```
## Warning: package 'forecast' was built under R version 4.1.2
```

```
## Registered S3 method overwritten by 'quantmod':
```

```
##   method      from
```

```
## as.zoo.data.frame zoo
```

```
## Loading required package: fma
```

```
## Loading required package: expsmooth
```

```
## Loading required package: lmtest
```

```
## Warning: package 'lmtest' was built under R version 4.1.2
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```
## Loading required package: zoo
```

```
## Warning: package 'zoo' was built under R version 4.1.2
```

```
##
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```
## Attaching package: 'zoo'
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```
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
```

```
##
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```
##   as.Date, as.Date.numeric
```

```
## Loading required package: tseries
```

```
## Warning: package 'tseries' was built under R version 4.1.2
```

```
library(fpp2)
```

```
## -- Attaching packages ----- fpp2 2.4 --
```

```
## v ggplot2 3.3.5
```

```
##
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```
## Attaching package: 'fpp2'
```

```
## The following objects are masked from 'package:fpp':
```

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##
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```
##      ausair, ausbeer, austa, austourists, debitcards, departures,
```

```
##      elecequip, euretail, guinearice, oil, sunspotarea, usmelec
```

```
IPG3113N <- read_csv("/Users/sarthakmehta/Desktop/IPG3113N.csv")
```

```
## Rows: 121 Columns: 2
```

```
## -- Column specification -----
```

```
## Delimiter: ","
```

```
## dbl (1): IPG3113N
```

```
## date (1): DATE
```

```
##
```

```
## i Use 'spec()' to retrieve the full column specification for this data.
```

```
## i Specify the column types or set 'show_col_types = FALSE' to quiet this message.
```

```
candy_ts <- ts(IPG3113N$IPG3113N,frequency = 12,start=c(2012,10))
```

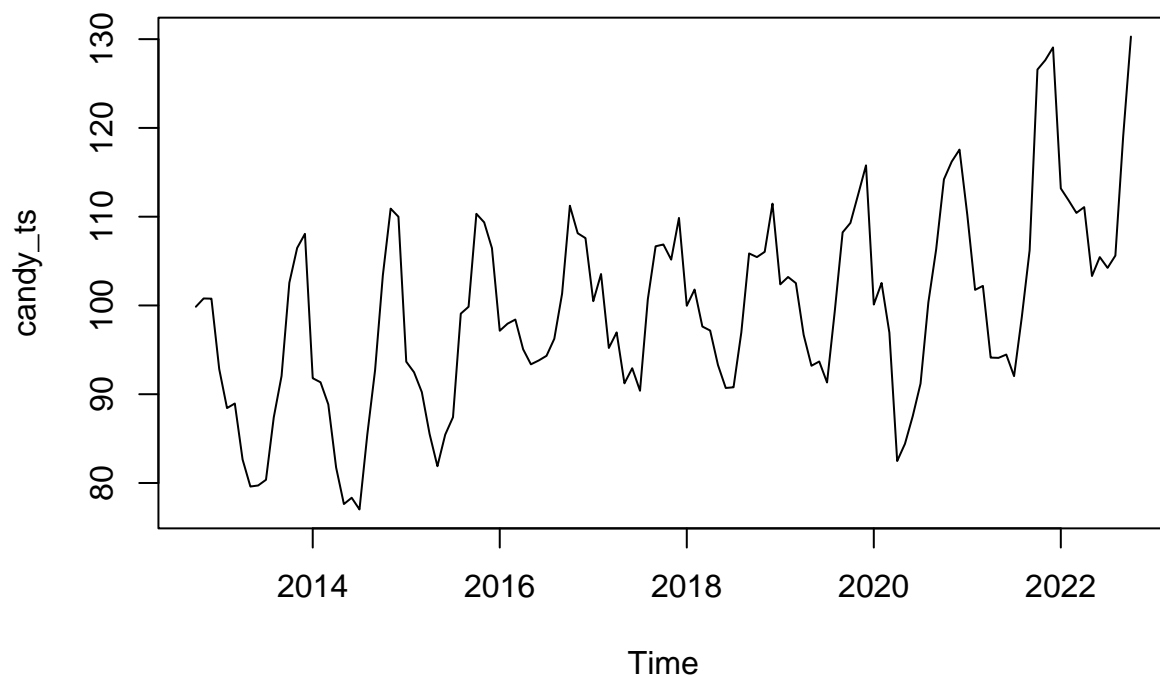
```
#Plot and Inference
```

```
candy_ts
```

```
##      Jan      Feb      Mar      Apr      May      Jun      Jul      Aug
## 2012
## 2013  92.8393  88.4378  88.9572  82.6418  79.6009  79.7216  80.3623  87.3990
## 2014  91.8045  91.3464  88.8527  81.7442  77.6292  78.3359  77.0192  85.4452
## 2015  93.6676  92.4733  90.2388  85.5111  81.8907  85.4442  87.4143  99.0757
## 2016  97.1509  97.9475  98.4111  95.0657  93.3682  93.8015  94.3271  96.2487
## 2017 100.4828 103.5407  95.2095  96.9654  91.2276  92.9268  90.3917 100.6988
## 2018  99.9651 101.7932  97.6257  97.1776  93.2973  90.7030  90.7825  96.9555
## 2019 102.3790 103.2079 102.5133  96.6862  93.2061  93.6885  91.3219  99.4256
## 2020 100.1032 102.5297  96.9412  82.4777  84.4155  87.5411  91.2016 100.3417
## 2021 110.1841 101.7558 102.2030  94.1243  94.0966  94.4684  92.0391  98.7301
## 2022 113.1828 111.8384 110.4263 111.0788 103.3188 105.4497 104.2348 105.6166
##      Sep      Oct      Nov      Dec
## 2012      99.8541 100.7874 100.7643
## 2013  92.0523 102.5585 106.4783 108.0668
## 2014  92.7103 103.4097 110.9082 109.9962
## 2015  99.8525 110.3226 109.3626 106.4516
```

```
## 2016 101.3271 111.2323 108.1348 107.5859
## 2017 106.6639 106.8689 105.1628 109.8611
## 2018 105.8597 105.4468 106.0408 111.4674
## 2019 108.2320 109.2961 112.5268 115.7811
## 2020 106.3095 114.2083 116.2062 117.5581
## 2021 106.2289 126.5753 127.6255 129.0640
## 2022 119.0161 130.2894
```

```
plot(candy_ts) #plotting the candy_ts data
```



#Observation: Through the graph we can see that the monthly production of candies in the US has been pretty volatile. We can see a clear pattern to it. And there are sharp declines and rises throughout the data, so to cut off the data would not be correct. Hence we would be going on with the full data set provided.

#Central Tendency

```
min(candy_ts)
```

```
## [1] 77.0192
```

```
# [1] 77.0192
```

```
max(candy_ts)
```

```
## [1] 130.2894
```

```
# [1] 130.2894
```

```
mean(candy_ts)
```

```
## [1] 99.44454
```

```
# [1] 99.44454
```

```
median(candy_ts)
```

```
## [1] 99.8525
```

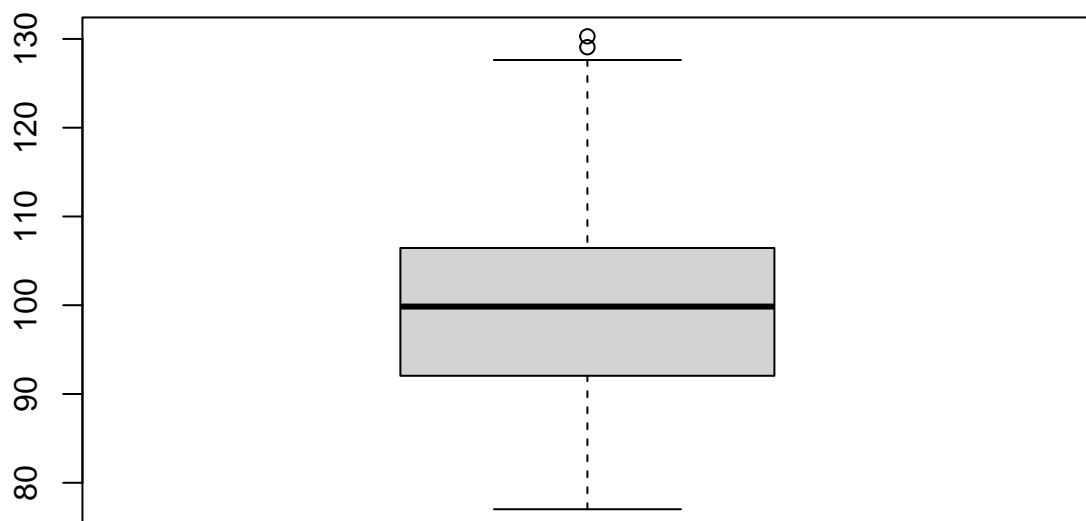
```
# [1] 99.8525
```

```
quantile(candy_ts)
```

```
##      0%      25%      50%      75%     100%  
## 77.0192 92.0523 99.8525 106.4516 130.2894
```

```
# 25% 75%  
# 92.0523 106.4516
```

```
boxplot((candy_ts))
```



*#Summary: Well the summaries show us that the amongst the median values calculated min value of candy p
 #period of 2012 to 2022 was 77.0192 and the max value was 130.2894. Furthermore, the mean value was 99..
 #the median value was 99.8525. The 1st quartile was 92.0523 and the 3rd quartile was 106.4516. The box p
 #that the there are 2 outliers, and the minimum value is a bit more closer to the 1st quartile than the
 #the 3rd quatile, and the median is approximate in between the 1st and 3rd quartile. But when we look cl
 #median we can see that as mean is a bit lower than the median (2nd quartile line) hence would me that*

#Decomposition

```
stl_decomp <- stl(candy_ts,s.window =12)
stl_decomp
```

```
## Call:
## stl(x = candy_ts, s.window = 12)
##
## Components
##      seasonal      trend      remainder
## Oct 2012  10.5991242  88.76885   0.486128404
## Nov 2012  11.9082450  88.94684  -0.067689965
## Dec 2012  12.4396616  89.12484  -0.800204106
## Jan 2013   0.9586825  89.30284   2.577777391
## Feb 2013   0.5607168  89.50068  -1.623601801
## Mar 2013  -2.0268681  89.69853   1.285538278
## Apr 2013  -6.6117581  89.89637  -0.642816560
## May 2013 -10.0729539  90.10035  -0.426498736
## Jun 2013  -9.3367546  90.30433  -1.245976113
## Jul 2013  -9.5950782  90.50831  -0.550930554
## Aug 2013  -2.0496520  90.60483  -1.156182465
## Sep 2013   3.3932326  90.70136  -2.042292762
## Oct 2013  10.5381605  90.79789   1.222453628
## Nov 2013  11.7366414  90.68594   4.055718666
## Dec 2013  12.3879538  90.57399   5.104852222
## Jan 2014   0.9628192  90.46205   0.379632771
## Feb 2014   0.6389851  90.41520   0.292219599
## Mar 2014  -2.0111343  90.36834   0.495491725
## Apr 2014  -6.6100457  90.32149  -1.967244165
## May 2014 -10.0306151  90.46147  -2.801659713
## Jun 2014  -9.3114433  90.60146  -2.954116492
## Jul 2014  -9.5920828  90.74144  -4.130162024
## Aug 2014  -2.0542340  90.98619  -3.486757861
## Sep 2014   3.4924209  91.23094  -2.013059763
## Oct 2014  10.4813530  91.47569   1.452661089
## Nov 2014  11.5692114  91.99909   7.339900617
## Dec 2014  12.3404369  92.52249   5.133272951
## Jan 2015   0.9713533  93.04589  -0.349645527
## Feb 2015   0.7218572  93.63809  -1.886647844
## Mar 2015  -1.9905303  94.23029  -2.000958834
## Apr 2015  -6.6031967  94.82249  -2.708190937
## May 2015  -9.9830309  95.09530  -3.221568015
## Jun 2015  -9.2807779  95.36811  -0.643132352
## Jul 2015  -9.5840192  95.64092   1.357397749
## Aug 2015  -2.0540339  96.13102   4.998711111
```

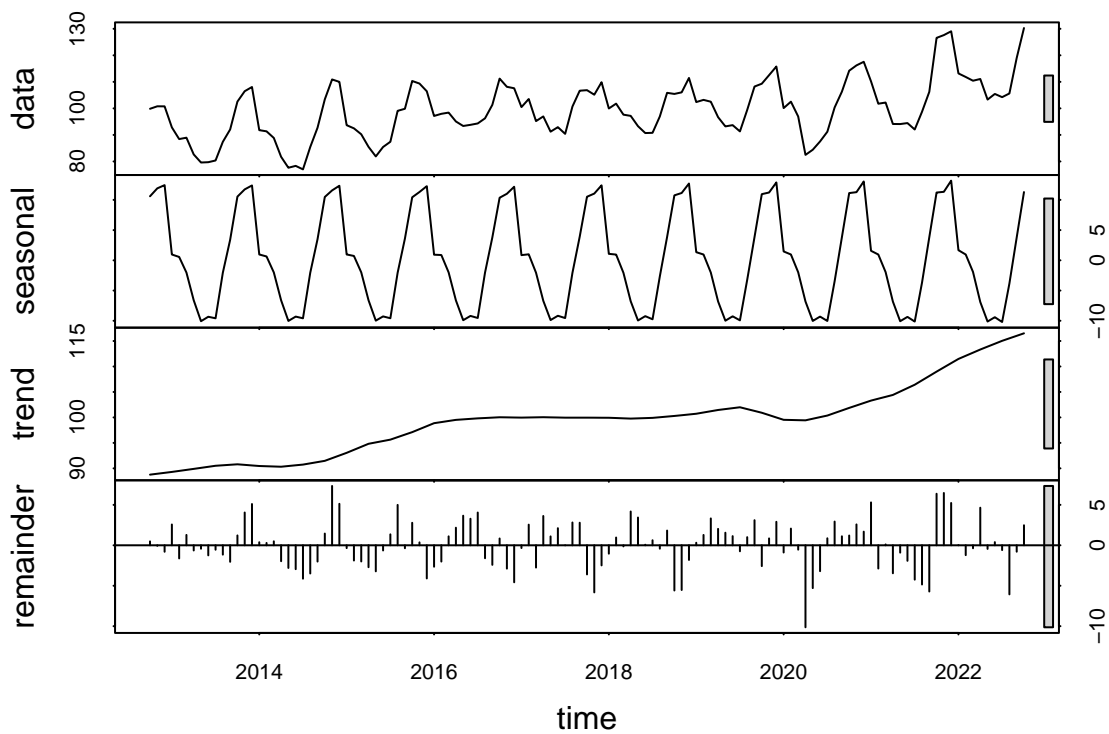
## Sep 2015	3.5954289	96.62112	-0.364053081
## Oct 2015	10.4285374	97.11123	2.782837102
## Nov 2015	11.3025047	97.69738	0.362714208
## Dec 2015	12.2706801	98.28354	-4.102616766
## Jan 2016	0.9304921	98.86969	-2.649284402
## Feb 2016	0.8764821	99.08581	-2.014796319
## Mar 2016	-1.9993279	99.30194	1.108491712
## Apr 2016	-6.6292411	99.51806	2.176882941
## May 2016	-9.9089575	99.61689	3.660265343
## Jun 2016	-9.2001789	99.71573	3.285952692
## Jul 2016	-9.5406504	99.81456	4.053190219
## Aug 2016	-2.0359966	99.88701	-1.602309051
## Sep 2016	3.7863623	99.95945	-2.418713451
## Oct 2016	10.3551207	100.03190	0.845282712
## Nov 2016	11.0123956	100.00919	-2.886783341
## Dec 2016	12.1747194	99.98648	-4.575298361
## Jan 2017	0.8589920	99.96377	-0.339962196
## Feb 2017	0.9960331	99.98942	2.555249318
## Mar 2017	-2.0487293	100.01507	-2.756835789
## Apr 2017	-6.7014192	100.04071	3.626106613
## May 2017	-9.8860464	100.01204	1.101609349
## Jun 2017	-9.1757707	99.98336	2.119209238
## Jul 2017	-9.5560123	99.95469	-0.006973671
## Aug 2017	-2.0792298	99.95389	2.824143474
## Sep 2017	3.9180669	99.95309	2.792746411
## Oct 2017	10.5189014	99.95229	-3.602288426
## Nov 2017	11.0420904	99.94582	-5.825108760
## Dec 2017	12.4069792	99.93935	-2.485228857
## Jan 2018	1.0703083	99.93288	-1.038089254
## Feb 2018	0.9505060	99.87849	0.964202807
## Mar 2018	-2.0618904	99.82410	-0.136510979
## Apr 2018	-6.7759368	99.76971	4.183825153
## May 2018	-9.9575216	99.81734	3.437481672
## Jun 2018	-9.2362093	99.86497	0.074241035
## Jul 2018	-9.7580459	99.91260	0.627949363
## Aug 2018	-2.6602766	100.03749	-0.421708467
## Sep 2018	3.8733267	100.16237	1.823999816
## Oct 2018	10.7524738	100.28726	-5.592935852
## Nov 2018	11.1397392	100.43136	-5.530297287
## Dec 2018	12.7053552	100.57545	-1.813409278
## Jan 2019	1.3426650	100.71955	0.316784921
## Feb 2019	0.9609437	100.96702	1.279936357
## Mar 2019	-2.0251972	101.21449	3.324007384
## Apr 2019	-6.8067104	101.46196	2.030950738
## May 2019	-9.9908230	101.63893	1.557993363
## Jun 2019	-9.2640441	101.81590	1.136644525
## Jul 2019	-9.9317231	101.99287	-0.739246400
## Aug 2019	-3.2172141	101.63460	1.008214976
## Sep 2019	3.8494705	101.27633	3.106200634
## Oct 2019	10.9518486	100.91806	-2.573807143
## Nov 2019	11.2186645	100.45449	0.853641995
## Dec 2019	12.8851579	99.99093	2.905013508
## Jan 2020	1.4674880	99.52736	-0.891651539
## Feb 2020	0.9667147	99.49509	2.067894875

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## Mar 2020 -1.9830794 99.46282 -0.538537889
## Apr 2020 -6.8148633 99.43054 -10.137980898
## May 2020 -10.0329043 99.74307 -5.294666481
## Jun 2020 -9.3135889 100.05560 -3.200908472
## Jul 2020 -10.0346542 100.36812 0.868130191
## Aug 2020 -3.4609873 100.86804 2.934642849
## Sep 2020 3.8269911 101.36796 1.114543976
## Oct 2020 11.1280938 101.86789 1.212320792
## Nov 2020 11.2760261 102.34620 2.583971116
## Dec 2020 13.0449631 102.82452 1.688616745
## Jan 2021 1.5755494 103.30284 5.305713092
## Feb 2021 0.9589601 103.67269 -2.875850112
## Mar 2021 -1.9503607 104.04254 0.110818098
## Apr 2021 -6.8282886 104.41240 -3.459806511
## May 2021 -10.0761009 105.08146 -0.908754977
## Jun 2021 -9.3600919 105.75052 -1.922024797
## Jul 2021 -10.1312918 106.41958 -4.249185771
## Aug 2021 -3.6952153 107.27536 -4.850048264
## Sep 2021 3.8158456 108.13115 -5.718095113
## Oct 2021 11.2130846 108.98694 6.375279931
## Nov 2021 11.3363315 109.81832 6.470852045
## Dec 2021 13.1803233 110.64970 5.233979330
## Jan 2022 1.6748211 111.48108 0.026900529
## Feb 2022 0.9604557 112.09593 -1.217984182
## Mar 2022 -1.9154152 112.71078 -0.369063354
## Apr 2022 -6.8967372 113.32563 4.649908547
## May 2022 -10.1274938 113.89493 -0.448631708
## Jun 2022 -9.4097104 114.46422 0.395188008
## Jul 2022 -10.2055011 115.03352 -0.593218213
## Aug 2022 -3.8402816 115.52604 -6.069163191
## Sep 2022 3.7907091 116.01857 -0.793179360
## Oct 2022 11.2961746 116.51110 2.482129583

```

```
plot(stl_decomp) #Decomposition Plot
```



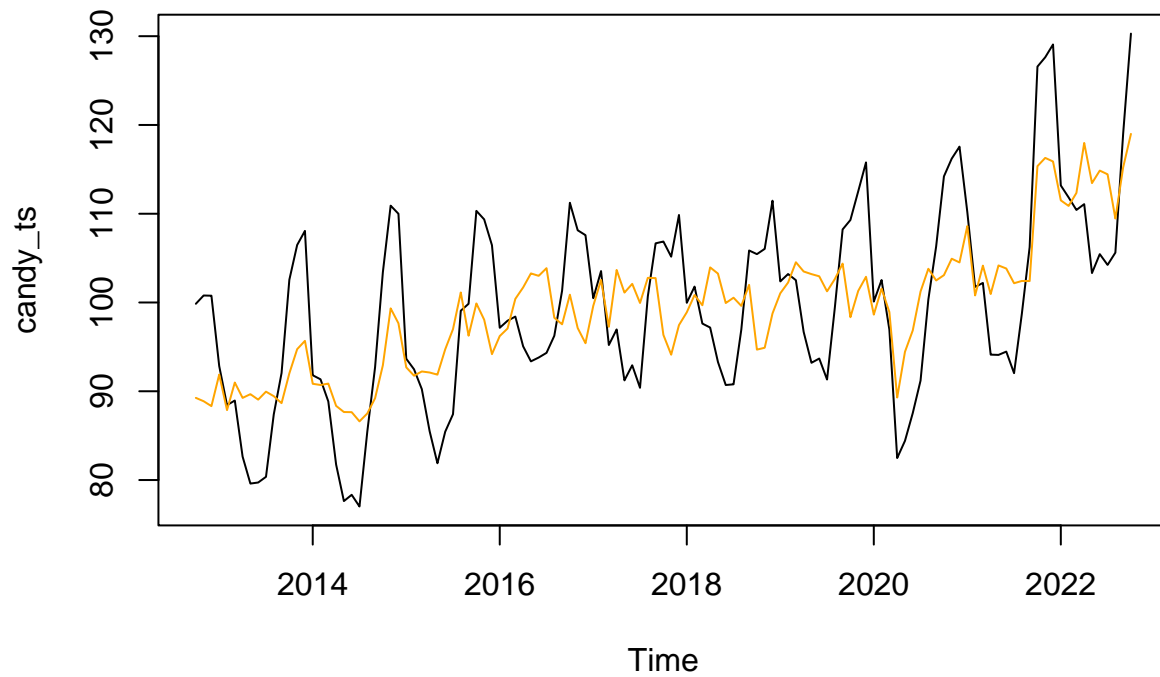
#Yes the time series is seasonal, and it is additive seasonal not multiplicative as the magnitude is constant. #the month of October - December had pretty high seasonal values and later we also see that this trend is increasing. #months of October - December have really high seasonal values. I believe the reason for it is that around those months we have the holiday season meaning thanksgiving, Christmas and new years so naturally the consumers want to buy candies to celebrate the holidays. As for the rest of the years as expected the seasonal values are near zero. #is like the holiday season and the production during those months is really high therefore in the month of October - December the seasonal values tend to become very low or even negative.

```
seasadj(stl_decomp)
```

##	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul
## 2012							
## 2013	91.88062	87.87708	90.98407	89.25356	89.67385	89.05835	89.95738
## 2014	90.84168	90.70741	90.86383	88.35425	87.65982	87.64734	86.61128
## 2015	92.69625	91.75144	92.22933	92.11430	91.87373	94.72498	96.99832
## 2016	96.22041	97.07102	100.41043	101.69494	103.27716	103.00168	103.86775
## 2017	99.62381	102.54467	97.25823	103.66682	101.11365	102.10257	99.94771
## 2018	98.89479	100.84269	99.68759	103.95354	103.25482	99.93921	100.54055
## 2019	101.03634	102.24696	104.53850	103.49291	103.19692	102.95254	101.25362
## 2020	98.63571	101.56299	98.92428	89.29256	94.44840	96.85469	101.23625
## 2021	108.60855	100.79684	104.15336	100.95259	104.17270	103.82849	102.17039
## 2022	111.50798	110.87794	112.34172	117.97554	113.44629	114.85941	114.44030
##	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec		
## 2012			89.25498	88.87915	88.32464		
## 2013	89.44865	88.65907	92.02034	94.74166	95.67885		
## 2014	87.49943	89.21788	92.92835	99.33899	97.65576		


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## 2015 101.12973 96.25707 99.89406 98.06010 94.18092
## 2016 98.28470 97.54074 100.87718 97.12240 95.41118
## 2017 102.77803 102.74583 96.35000 94.12071 97.45412
## 2018 99.61578 101.98637 94.69433 94.90106 98.76204
## 2019 102.64281 104.38253 98.34425 101.30814 102.89594
## 2020 103.80269 102.48251 103.08021 104.93017 104.51314
## 2021 102.42532 102.41305 115.36222 116.28917 115.88368
## 2022 109.45688 115.22539 118.99323
```

```
plot(candy_ts)
lines(seasadj(stl_decomp), col="Orange")
```

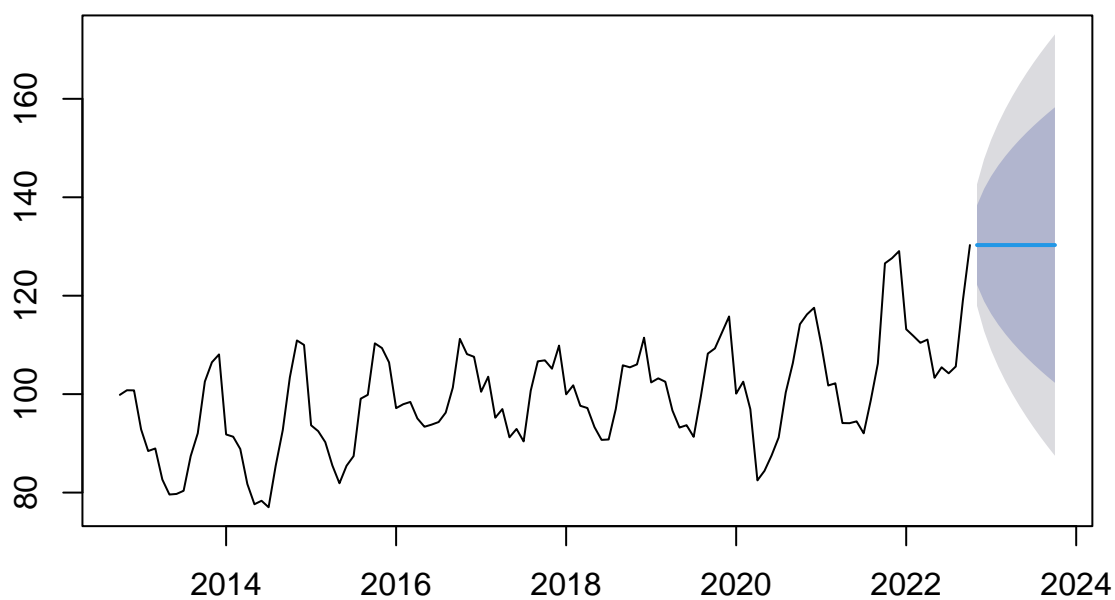


#After taking out the seasonal component the graph still looks the same in the overall direction and trend. The magnitude of values in the timeseries is affected but the seasonality has big fluctuations to the values of the timeseries.

#Naive

```
naive_forecast <- naive(candy_ts,12) #give me the forecast for the next 12 months using Naive forecast
plot(naive_forecast)
```

Forecasts from Naive method



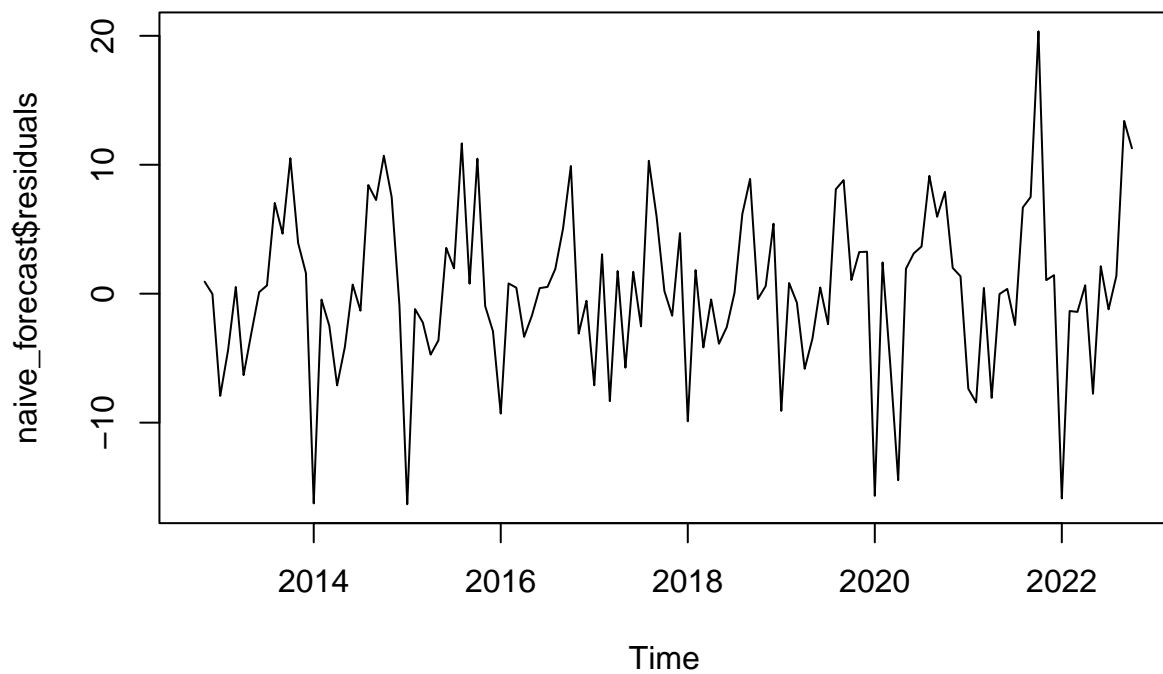
```
attributes(naive_forecast)
```

```
## $names
## [1] "method"    "model"     "lambda"    "x"          "fitted"     "residuals"
## [7] "series"    "mean"      "level"     "lower"      "upper"
##
## $class
## [1] "forecast"
```

```
##$names
##[1] "method"    "model"     "lambda"    "x"          "fitted"     "residuals" "series"    "mean"      "l
##[11] "upper"

##$class
##[1] "forecast"
```

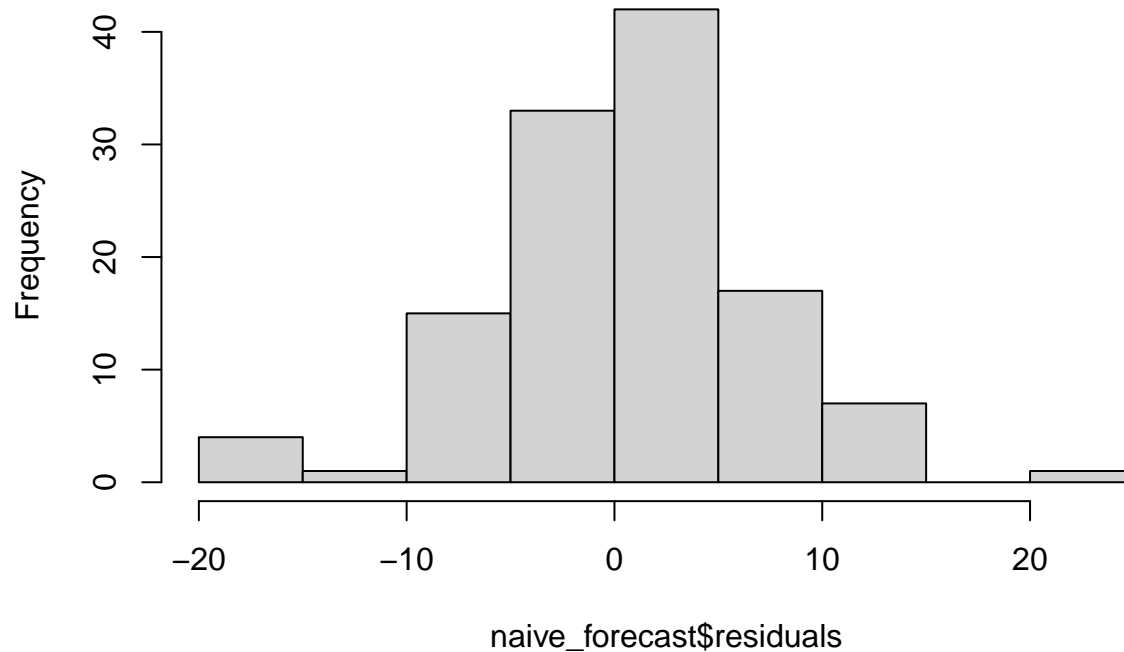
```
plot(naive_forecast$residuals) #the residual plot shows 6 anomalies(not within range from what I can see)
```



#start of year 2014 where there is a sharp decline in production same goes for the start of year 2015,2016,2017,2018,2019,2020,2021,2022 and the 6th one being the sharp increase in the production just at the end of year 2022

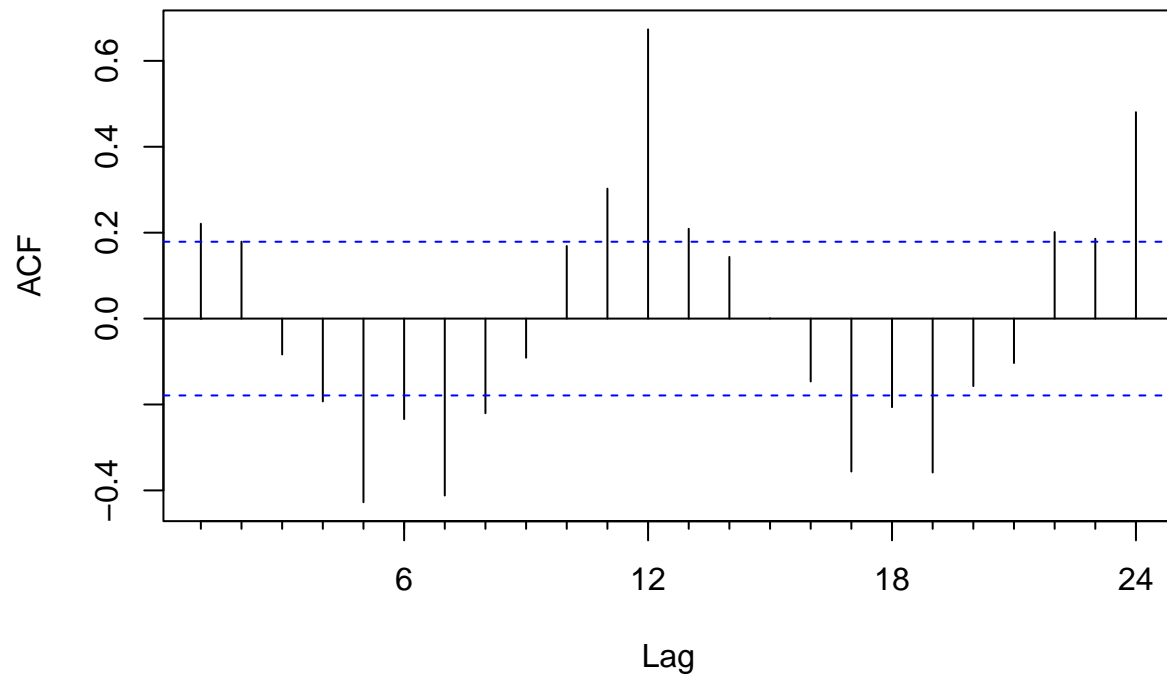
```
hist(naive_forecast$residuals) #shows a pretty decent normal distribution
```

Histogram of naive_forecast\$residuals



`Acf(naive_forecast$residuals)` *#shows most values are out of the threshold region meaning they are dependent*

Series naive_forecast\$residuals



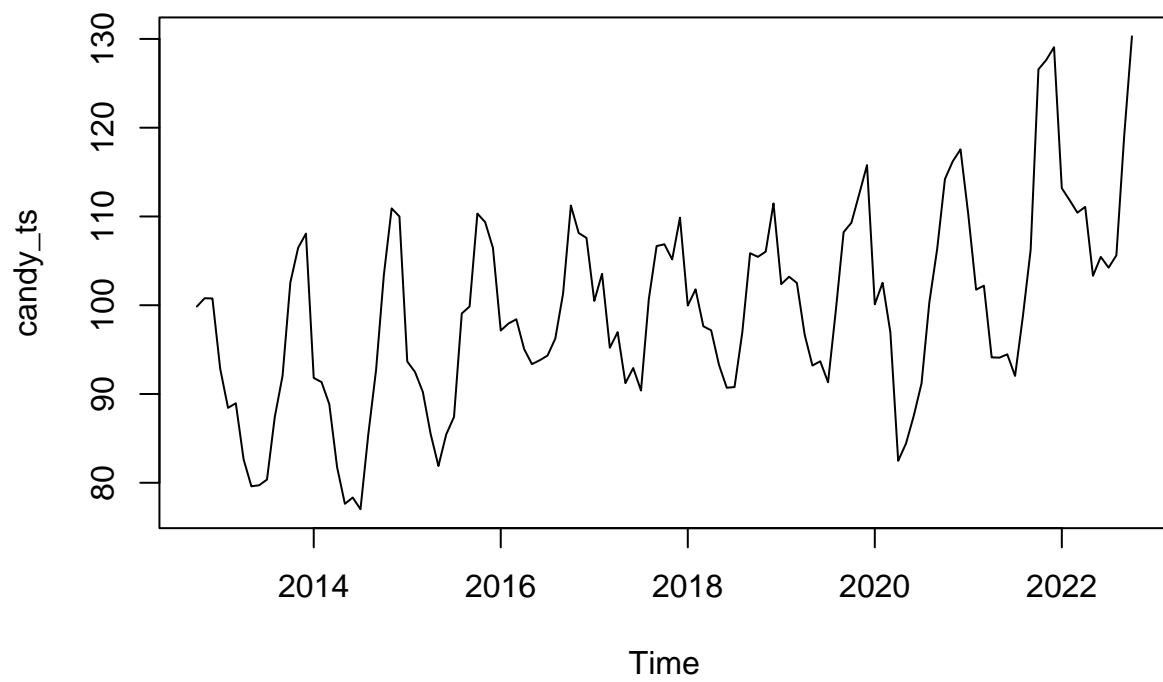
#values (correaltion present).

```
accuracy(naive_forecast)
```

```
##              ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE      ACF1
## Training set 0.2536275 6.305638 4.625101 0.02809525 4.635846 1.05288 0.2207691
```

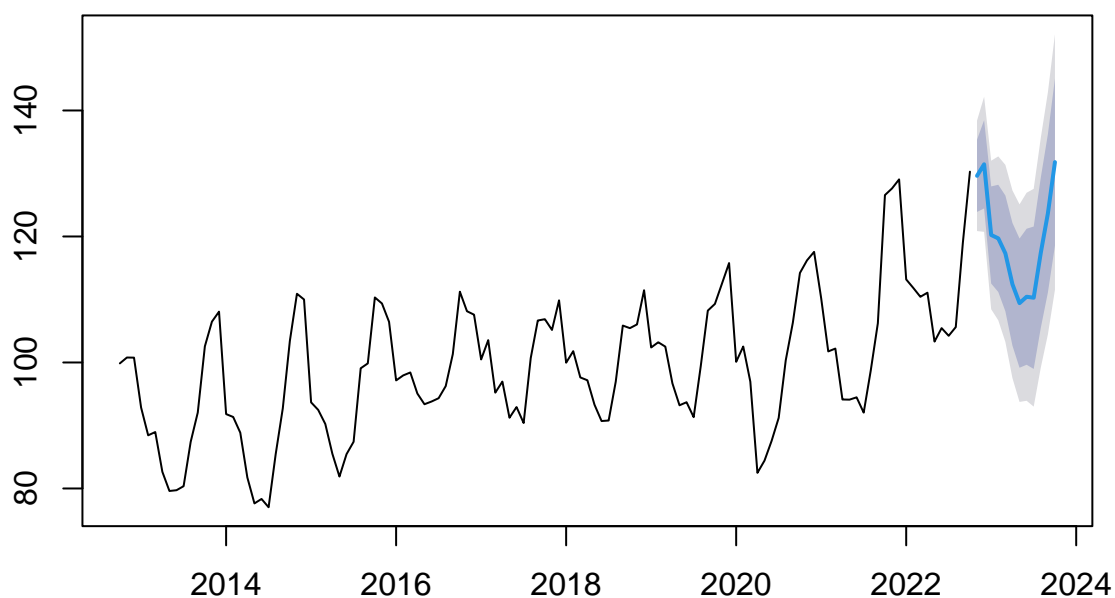
```
#              ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE      ACF1
#Training set 0.2536275 6.305638 4.625101 0.02809525 4.635846 1.05288 0.2207691
```

```
ets_forecast <- ets(candy_ts)
plot(candy_ts)
```



```
forecast_ets <- forecast(ets_forecast, h=12) #forecasting for the next 12 months  
plot(forecast_ets)
```

Forecasts from ETS(M,A,A)



forecast_ets

##	Point Forecast	Lo 80	Hi 80	Lo 95	Hi 95
## Nov 2022	129.6266	123.89521	135.3579	120.86121	138.3919
## Dec 2022	131.4585	124.44955	138.4674	120.73925	142.1777
## Jan 2023	120.2379	112.53103	127.9448	108.45126	132.0245
## Feb 2023	119.7004	111.19327	128.2074	106.68990	132.7108
## Mar 2023	117.3170	108.13076	126.5032	103.26787	131.3661
## Apr 2023	112.4141	102.67755	122.1506	97.52333	127.3049
## May 2023	109.4166	99.16483	119.6684	93.73787	125.0953
## Jun 2023	110.4319	99.63670	121.2271	93.92206	126.9418
## Jul 2023	110.2762	98.97651	121.5760	92.99479	127.5577
## Aug 2023	117.4103	105.49177	129.3289	99.18246	135.6382
## Sep 2023	123.6545	111.09743	136.2116	104.45011	142.8589
## Oct 2023	131.8069	118.54708	145.0667	111.52776	152.0860

#	Point Forecast	Lo 80	Hi 80	Lo 95	Hi 95
#Nov 2022	129.6266	123.89521	135.3579	120.86121	138.3919
#Dec 2022	131.4585	124.44955	138.4674	120.73925	142.1777
#Jan 2023	120.2379	112.53103	127.9448	108.45126	132.0245
#Feb 2023	119.7004	111.19327	128.2074	106.68990	132.7108
#Mar 2023	117.3170	108.13076	126.5032	103.26787	131.3661
#Apr 2023	112.4141	102.67755	122.1506	97.52333	127.3049
#May 2023	109.4166	99.16483	119.6684	93.73787	125.0953
#Jun 2023	110.4319	99.63670	121.2271	93.92206	126.9418

```

#Jul 2023      110.2762  98.97651 121.5760  92.99479 127.5577
#Aug 2023      117.4103 105.49177 129.3289  99.18246 135.6382
#Sep 2023      123.6545 111.09743 136.2116 104.45011 142.8589
#Oct 2023      131.8069 118.54708 145.0667 111.52776 152.0860

```

```
ets_forecast$mse
```

```
## [1] 10.95792
```

```
#[1] 10.95792
```

```

#RSME is 6.305638 on average forecast values were 6.305638 away from the actual
#MPE is 2.8% percentatge of error is around 2.8%

```

```
#Simple Moving Average
```

```
plot(candy_ts)
```

```
MA3_forecast <- ma(candy_ts,order=3) #taking into account the 5 most recent values
```

```
MA6_forecast <- ma(candy_ts,order=6) #taking into account the 9 most recent values
```

```
MA9_forecast <- ma(candy_ts,order=9) #taking into account the 9 most recent values
```

```
rwf_forecast <- rwf(candy_ts,12)
```

```
snaive_forecast <- snaive(candy_ts, 12)
```

```
plot(candy_ts)
```

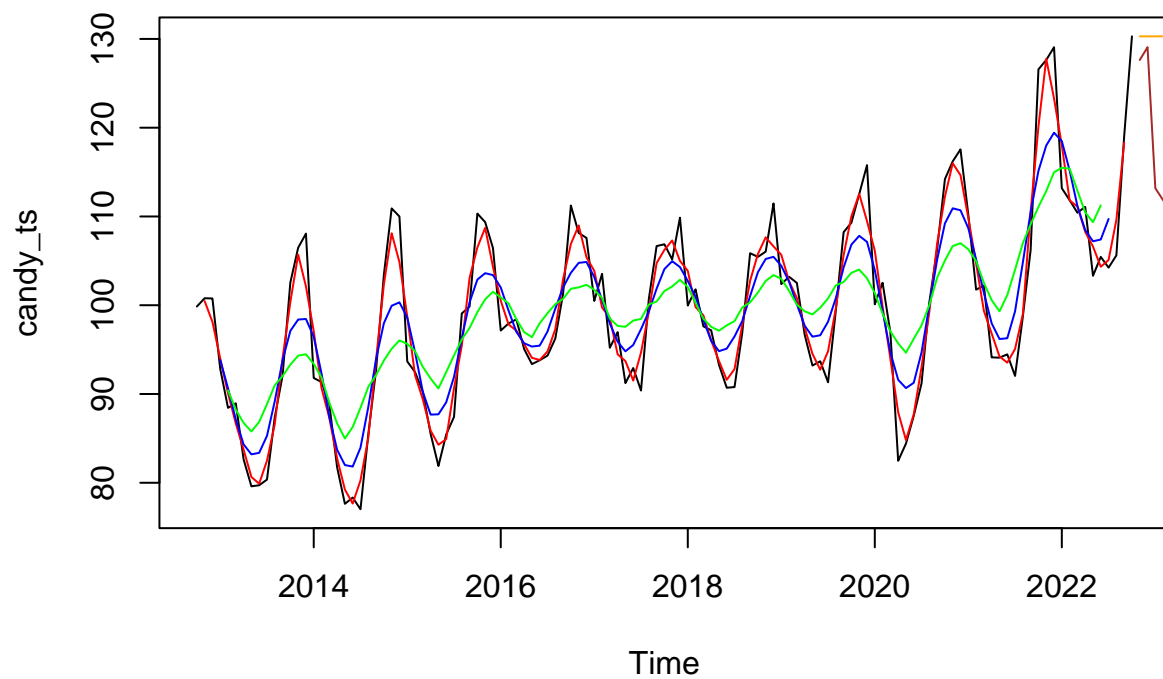
```
lines(rwf_forecast$mean,col="Orange")
```

```
lines(snaive_forecast$mean,col="brown") #works best for my time series: snaive method
```

```
lines(MA3_forecast,col="Red")
```

```
lines(MA6_forecast,col="Blue")
```

```
lines(MA9_forecast,col="Green")
```

*#as the order goes up the line comes up shorter and shorter from the end, and from the start as well, t
#smaller. And also as the order goes up the trend is somewhat followed but the magnitude shrinks in siz*

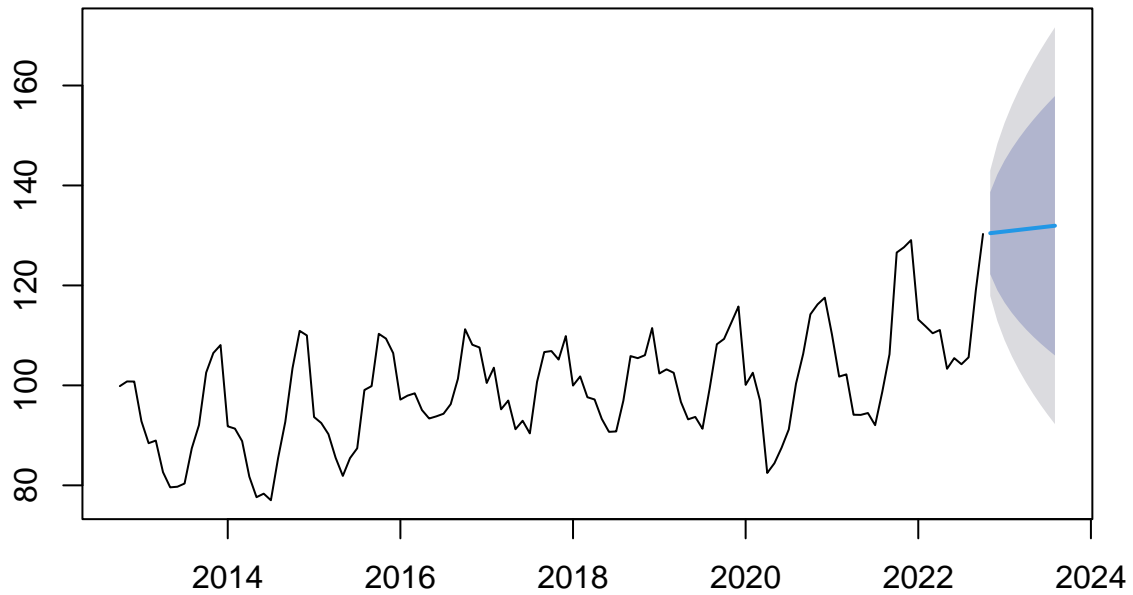
#Simple Smoothing

```
SSE_Simple <- holt(candy_ts,gamma=FALSE)
attributes(SSE_Simple)
```

```
## $names
## [1] "model"      "mean"       "level"      "x"          "upper"      "lower"
## [7] "fitted"     "method"     "series"     "residuals"
##
## $class
## [1] "forecast"
```

```
plot(SSE_Simple)
```

Forecasts from Holt's method



```
attributes(SSE_Simple)
```

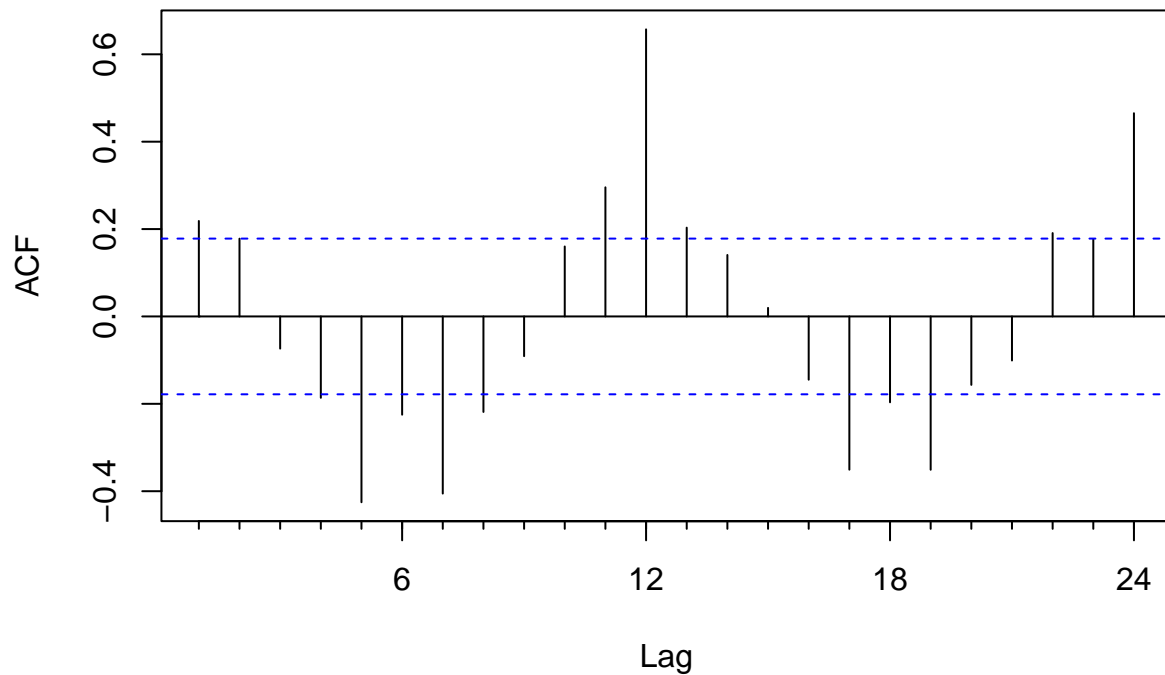
```
## $names
## [1] "model"      "mean"      "level"     "x"         "upper"     "lower"
## [7] "fitted"     "method"    "series"    "residuals"
##
## $class
## [1] "forecast"
```

```
##$names
##[1] "model"      "mean"      "level"     "x"         "upper"     "lower"     "fitted"     "method"     "s"

##$class
##[1] "forecast"
```

```
Acf(SSE_Simple$residuals)
```

Series SSE_Simple\$residuals



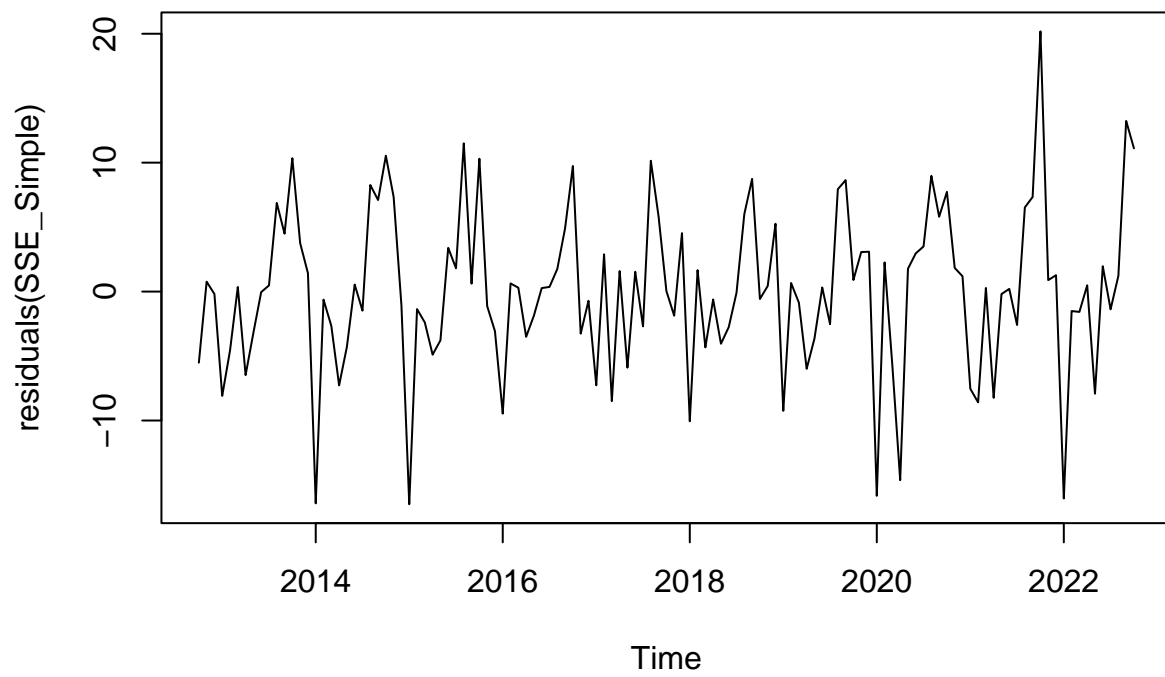
```
Box.test(residuals(SSE_Simple), lag=12, type="Ljung")
```

```
##  
## Box-Ljung test  
##  
## data: residuals(SSE_Simple)  
## X-squared = 147.8, df = 12, p-value < 2.2e-16
```

```
#data: residuals(auto_fit)  
#X-squared = 13.084, df = 12, p-value < 2.2e-16
```

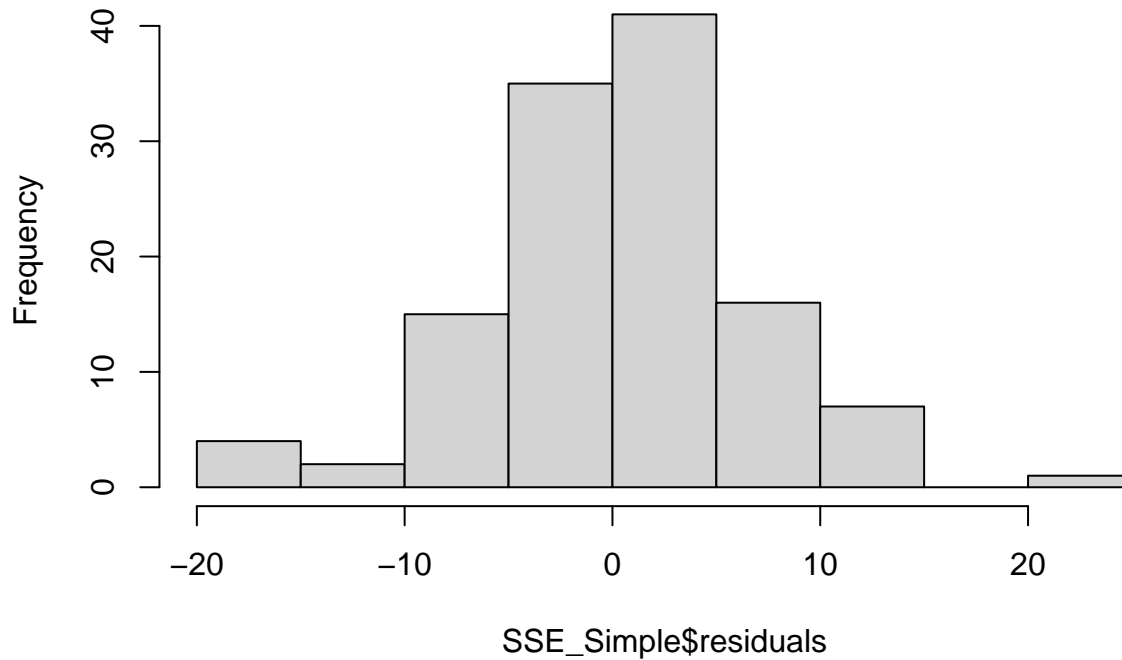
#As we can see from the Ljung box statistic that the p-values are < 2.2e-16 which makes them significant hypothesis which means that the residual values are dependent

```
plot.ts(residuals(SSE_Simple))
```



```
hist(SSE_Simple$residuals) #normal distribution
```

Histogram of SSE_Simple\$residuals



```
accuracy(SSE_Simple)
```

```
##               ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE      ACF1
## Training set 0.04457017 6.29552 4.615979 -0.1819999 4.631386 1.050803 0.2185404
```

```
#           ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE      ACF1
#Training set 0.04457017 6.29552 4.615979 -0.1819999 4.631386 1.050803 0.2185404
```

```
SSE_Simple$mse
```

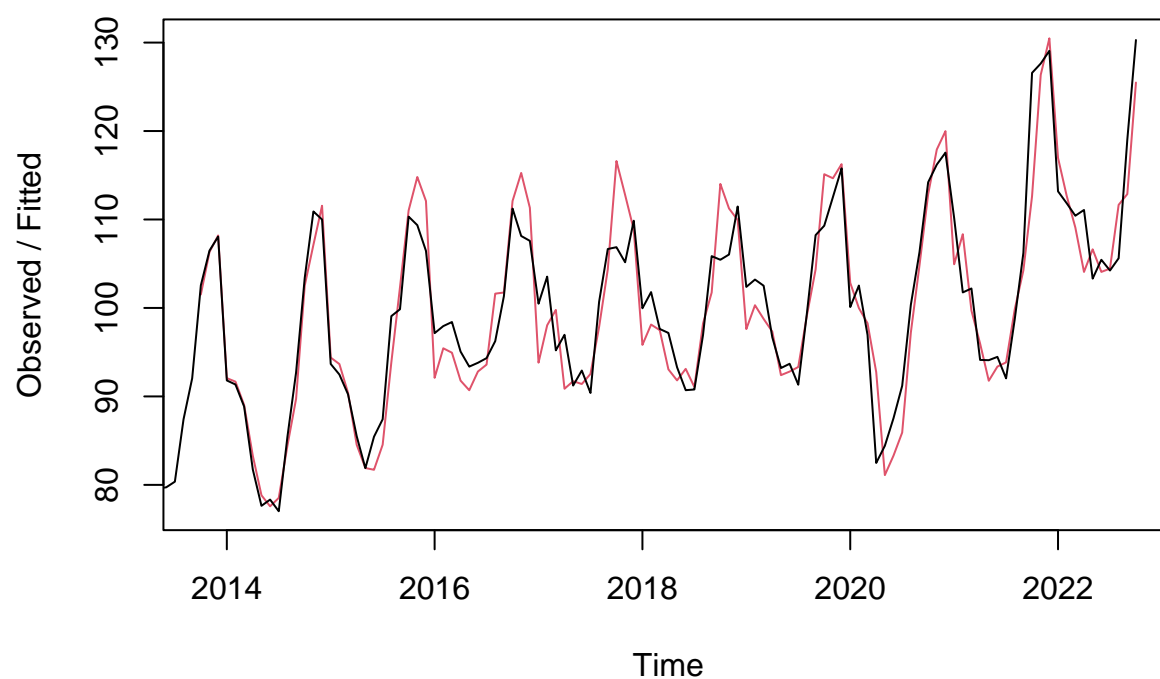
```
## NULL
```

```
#[1] NULL
#RSME is 6.29552 on average forecast values were 6.29552 away from the actual
#MPE is 18% percentatge of error is around 18%
```

```
#Holt Winters
```

```
HW_forecast <- HoltWinters(candy_ts)
plot(HW_forecast)
```

Holt-Winters filtering

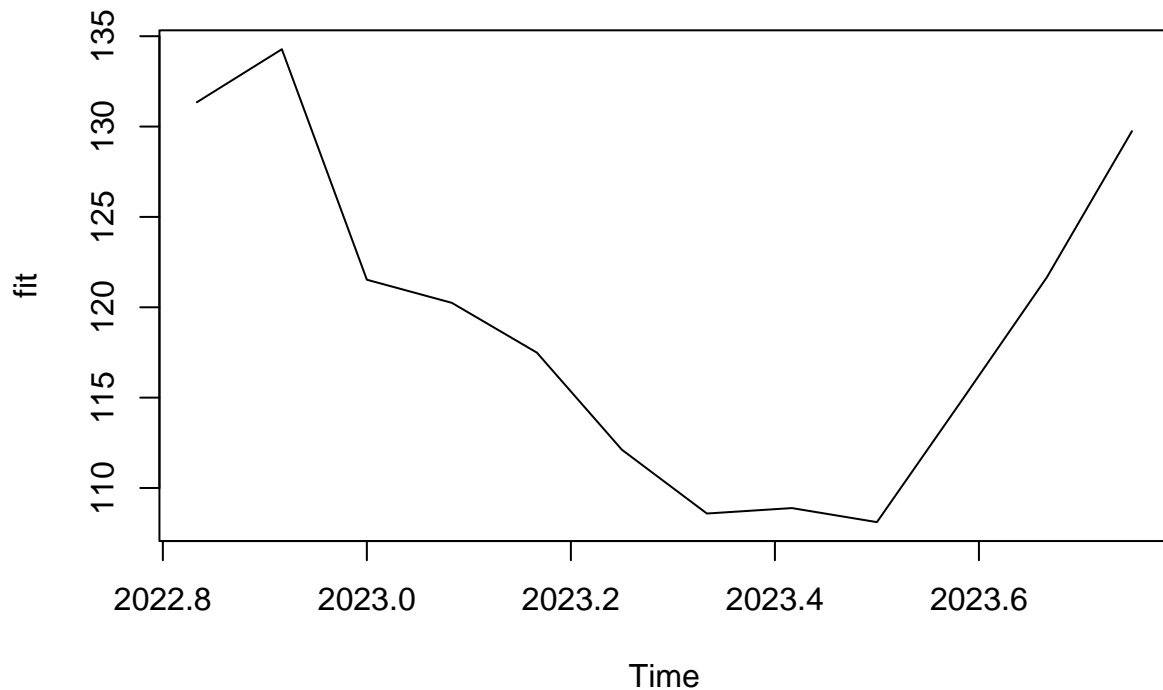


```
HW_forecast
```

```
## Holt-Winters exponential smoothing with trend and additive seasonal component.
##
## Call:
## HoltWinters(x = candy_ts)
##
## Smoothing parameters:
##  alpha: 0.7137653
##  beta : 0
##  gamma: 0.3677262
##
## Coefficients:
##           [,1]
## a  118.58175151
## b    0.02735169
## s1  12.73645821
## s2  15.64347958
## s3   2.86140879
## s4   1.55347367
## s5  -1.22825112
## s6  -6.63034922
## s7 -10.18821076
## s8  -9.91381693
## s9 -10.71852359
## s10 -3.99912312
```

```
## s11 2.78200916
## s12 10.83734441
```

```
HWForecast <- predict(HW_forecast, 12)
plot(HWForecast)
```



```
HWForecast
```

```
##           Jan      Feb      Mar      Apr      May      Jun      Jul      Aug
## 2022
## 2023 121.5252 120.2446 117.4903 112.1155 108.5850 108.8867 108.1094 114.8561
##           Sep      Oct      Nov      Dec
## 2022                131.3456 134.2799
## 2023 121.6646 129.7473
```

```
HW_forecast #Alpha = 0.7137653 (the newest values does not have maximum weight but has relatively more weight)
```

```
## Holt-Winters exponential smoothing with trend and additive seasonal component.
##
## Call:
## HoltWinters(x = candy_ts)
##
## Smoothing parameters:
##  alpha: 0.7137653
```

```
## beta : 0
## gamma: 0.3677262
##
## Coefficients:
##      [,1]
## a  118.58175151
## b    0.02735169
## s1  12.73645821
## s2  15.64347958
## s3   2.86140879
## s4   1.55347367
## s5  -1.22825112
## s6  -6.63034922
## s7 -10.18821076
## s8  -9.91381693
## s9 -10.71852359
## s10 -3.99912312
## s11  2.78200916
## s12 10.83734441
```

```
#beta : 0 (this is the coefficient of trend smoothing in HW)
#gamma: 0.3677262 (seasonal model)

ets_forecast #sigma: 0.0345 (standard dev. of residuals)
```

```
## ETS(M,A,A)
##
## Call:
## ets(y = candy_ts)
##
## Smoothing parameters:
##   alpha = 0.6829
##   beta  = 1e-04
##   gamma = 1e-04
##
## Initial states:
##   l = 90.6178
##   b = 0.2533
##   s = 3.0373 -2.9535 -9.8347 -9.4264 -10.1889 -6.9389
##      -1.7831 0.8532 1.6436 13.117 11.537 10.9375
##
## sigma: 0.0345
##
##      AIC      AICc      BIC
## 894.2047 900.1464 941.7331
```

```
#Initial states:l = 90.6178
#b = 0.2533
```

```
# AIC      AICc      BIC
#894.2047 900.1464 941.7331
```

```
attributes(HW_forecast)
```



```
## $names
## [1] "fitted"      "x"           "alpha"       "beta"        "gamma"
## [6] "coefficients" "seasonal"    "SSE"         "call"
##
## $class
## [1] "HoltWinters"
```

```
##$names
##[1] "fitted"      "x"           "alpha"       "beta"        "gamma"        "coefficients" "seasonal"
##[9] "call"

##$class
##[1] "HoltWinters"

attributes(HWForecast)
```

```
## $dim
## [1] 12  1
##
## $dimnames
## $dimnames[[1]]
## NULL
##
## $dimnames[[2]]
## [1] "fit"
##
##
## $tsp
## [1] 2022.833 2023.750  12.000
##
## $class
## [1] "ts"
```

```
##$dim
##[1] 12  1

##$dimnames
##$dimnames[[1]]
#NULL

##$dimnames[[2]]
##[1] "fit"

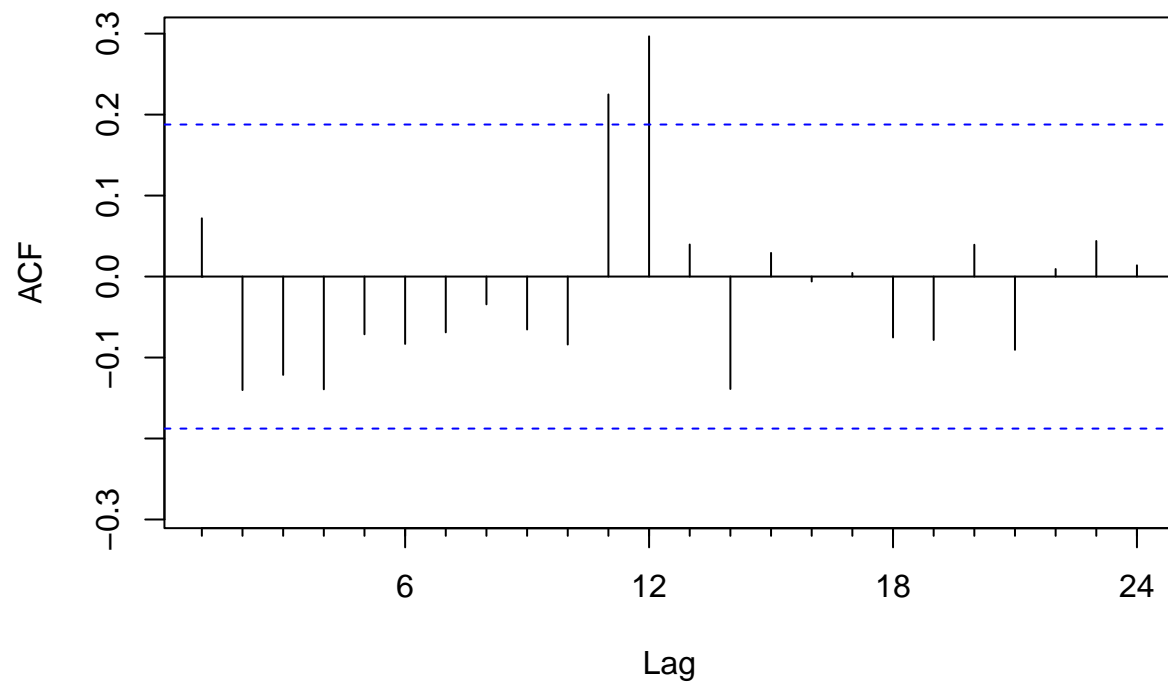
##$tsp
##[1] 2022.833 2023.750  12.000

##$class
##[1] "ts"
```

```
HWFResiduals <-residuals(HW_forecast)
```

```
Acf(HWFResiduals) #most values seem to be in the threshold region meaning apart from the 2 values outside
```

Series HWFResiduals



```
#values are dependent on the last value
```

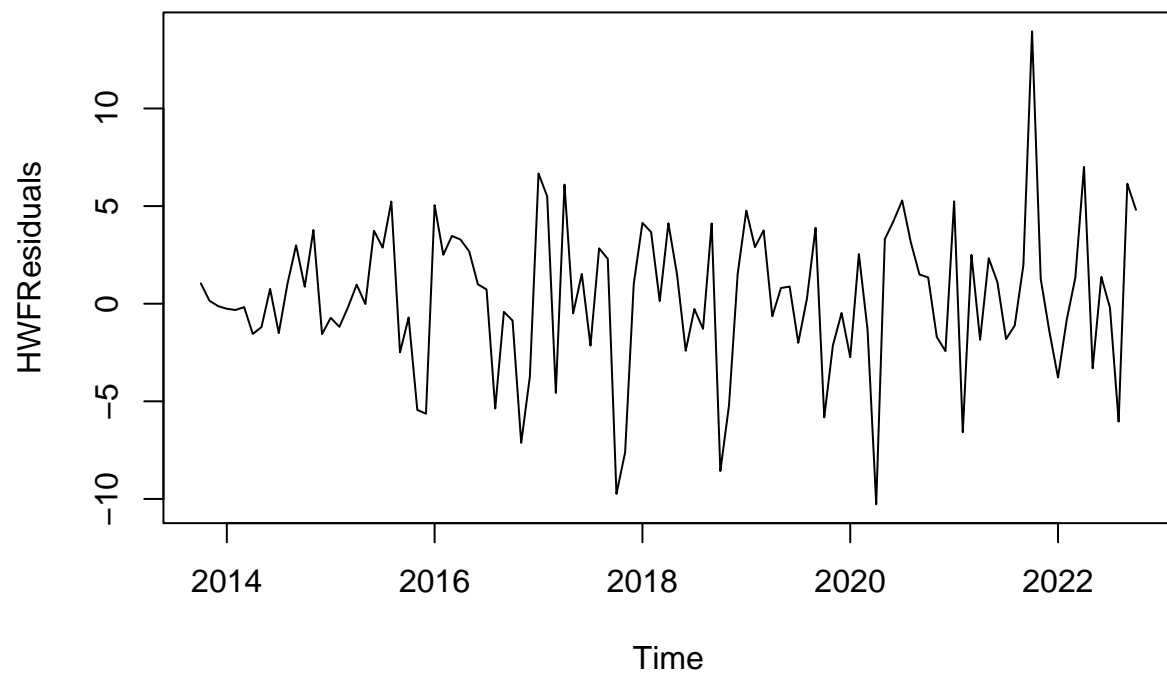
```
Box.test(HWFResiduals, lag=12, type="Ljung")
```

```
##  
## Box-Ljung test  
##  
## data: HWFResiduals  
## X-squared = 27.423, df = 12, p-value = 0.006713
```

```
#Box-Ljung test  
#data: HWFResiduals  
#X-squared = 27.423, df = 12, p-value = 0.006713
```

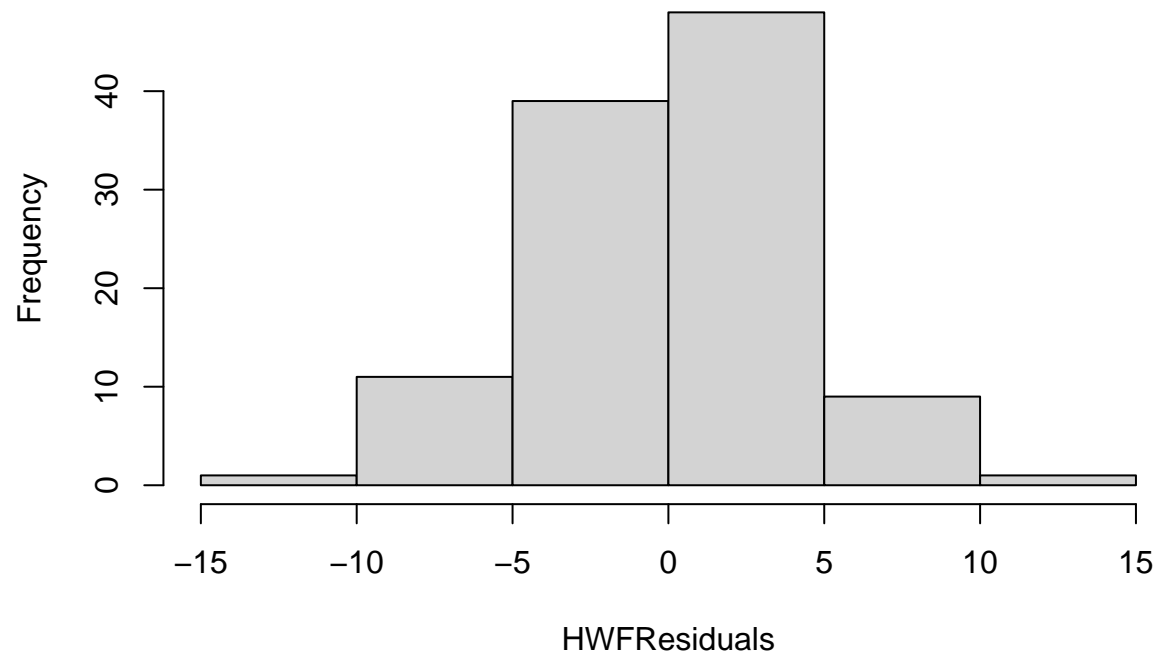
```
#As we can see from the Ljung box statistic that the p-values are 0.006713 which makes them significant  
#hypothesis which means that the residual values are dependent.
```

```
plot.ts(HWFResiduals)
```



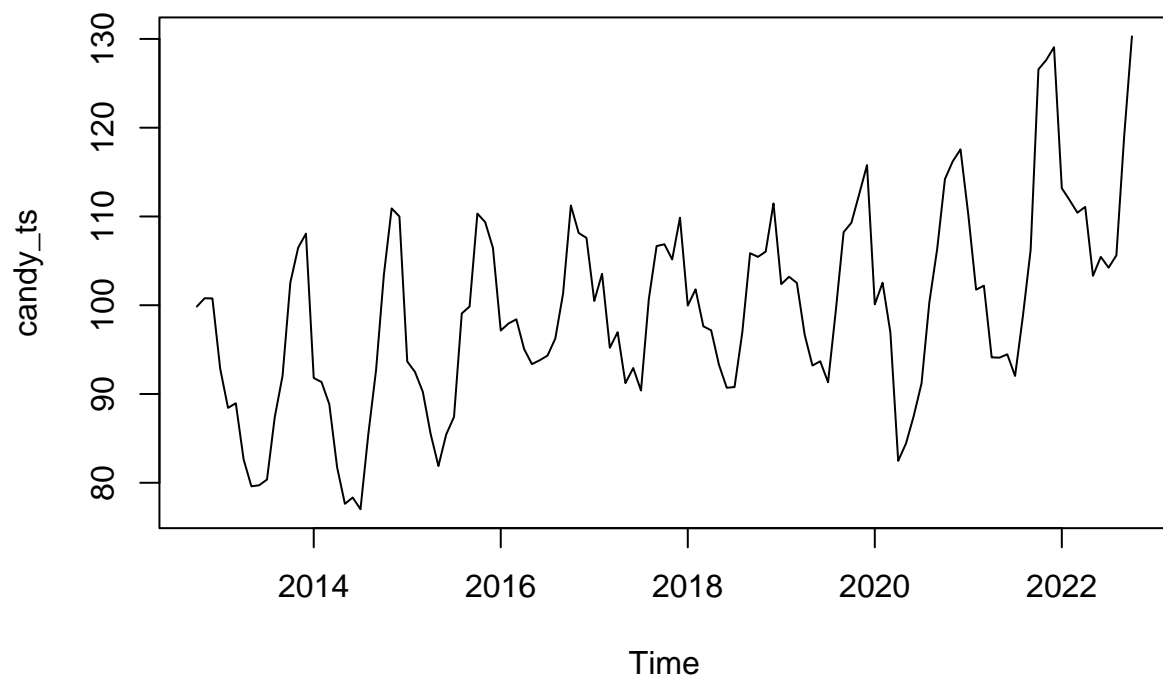
```
hist(HWFResiduals) #normal distribution
```

Histogram of HWFResiduals



#ARIMA or Box-Jenkins

```
plot(candy_ts)
```

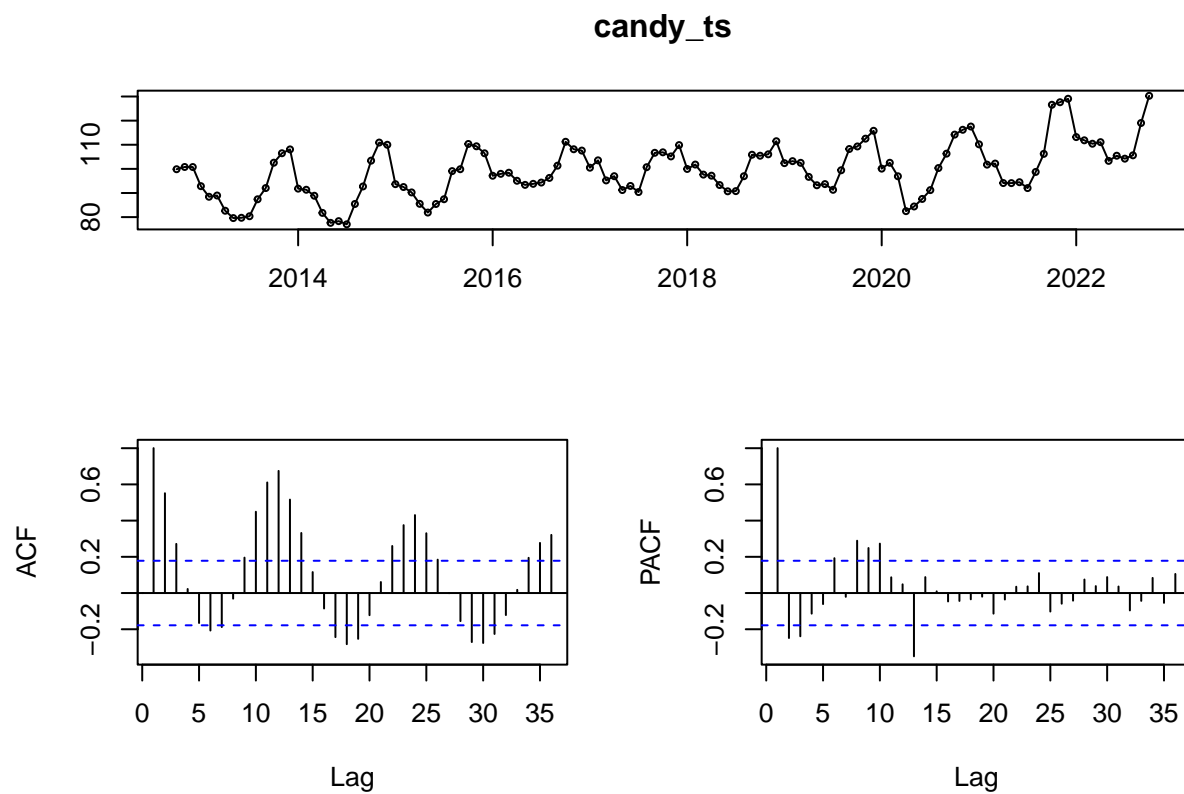


```
ndiffs(candy_ts) #as the ndiffs function gives out the value 1 it means that the model is not stationary
```

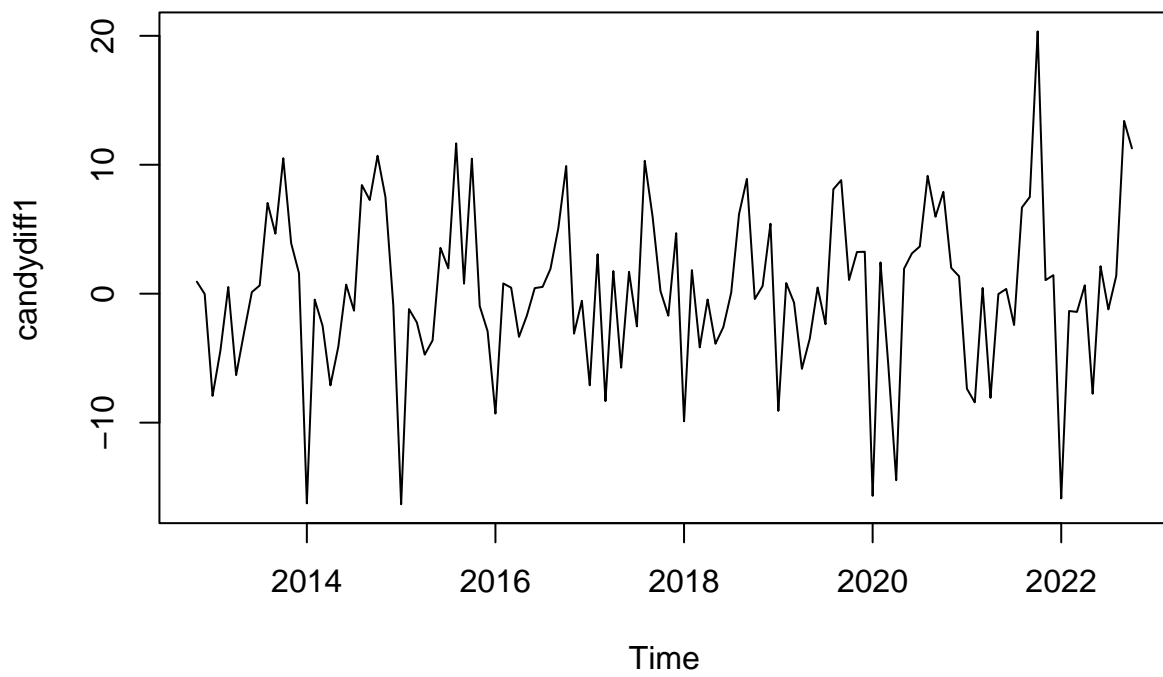
```
## [1] 1
```

```
#that we need 1 difference to get the stationary value.  
#Seasonality is not needed for this.
```

```
tsdisplay(candy_ts)
```

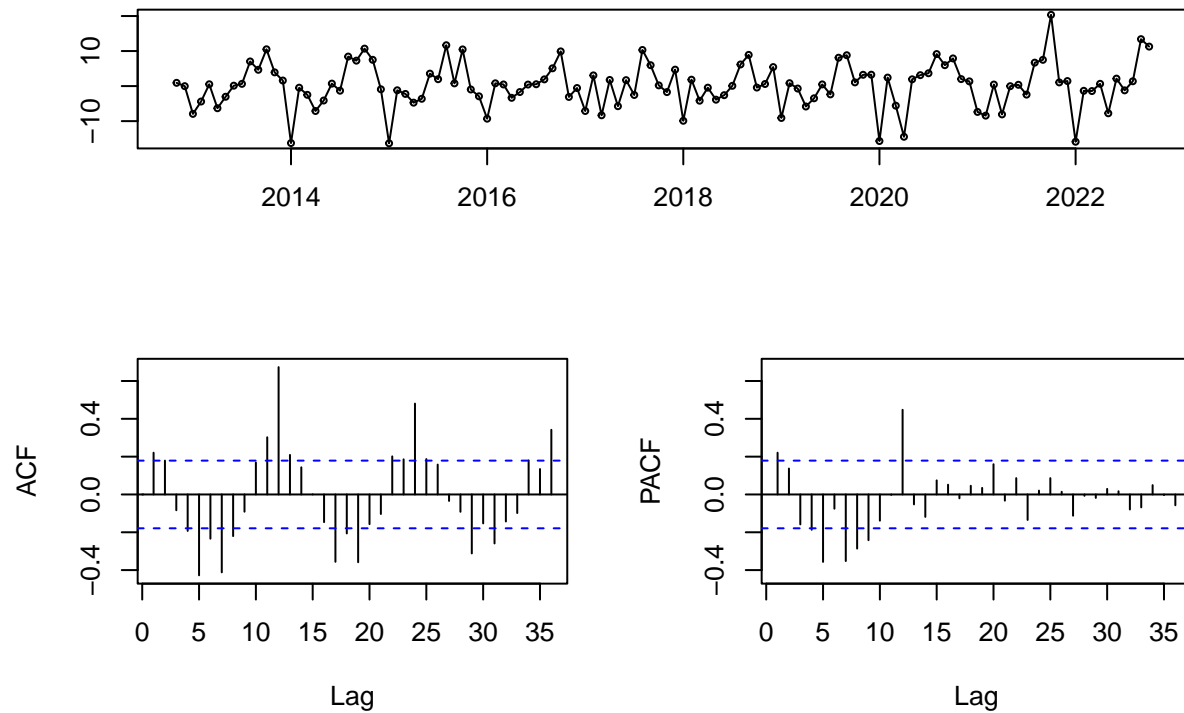


```
candydiff1 <- diff(candy_ts, differences=1)
plot(candydiff1)
```



```
tsdisplay(candydiff1)
```

candydiff1



```
auto_fit <- auto.arima(candy_ts, trace=TRUE, stepwise = FALSE)
```

```
##
## ARIMA(0,0,0)(0,1,0)[12] : 695.7015
## ARIMA(0,0,0)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : 670.7642
## ARIMA(0,0,0)(0,1,1)[12] : 695.999
## ARIMA(0,0,0)(0,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,0)(0,1,2)[12] : 696.3967
## ARIMA(0,0,0)(0,1,2)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,0)(1,1,0)[12] : 696.3465
## ARIMA(0,0,0)(1,1,0)[12] with drift : 672.2067
## ARIMA(0,0,0)(1,1,1)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,0)(1,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,0)(1,1,2)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,0)(1,1,2)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,0)(2,1,0)[12] : 697.5285
## ARIMA(0,0,0)(2,1,0)[12] with drift : 666.0752
## ARIMA(0,0,0)(2,1,1)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,0)(2,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,0)(2,1,2)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,0)(2,1,2)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,1)(0,1,0)[12] : 654.6188
## ARIMA(0,0,1)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : 639.2968
## ARIMA(0,0,1)(0,1,1)[12] : 656.1893
## ARIMA(0,0,1)(0,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
```



```

## ARIMA(0,0,1)(0,1,2)[12] : 657.6255
## ARIMA(0,0,1)(0,1,2)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,1)(1,1,0)[12] : 656.284
## ARIMA(0,0,1)(1,1,0)[12] with drift : 637.5419
## ARIMA(0,0,1)(1,1,1)[12] : 657.9208
## ARIMA(0,0,1)(1,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,1)(1,1,2)[12] : 659.7173
## ARIMA(0,0,1)(1,1,2)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,1)(2,1,0)[12] : 657.8574
## ARIMA(0,0,1)(2,1,0)[12] with drift : 634.4358
## ARIMA(0,0,1)(2,1,1)[12] : 659.7902
## ARIMA(0,0,1)(2,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,1)(2,1,2)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,1)(2,1,2)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,2)(0,1,0)[12] : 636.3448
## ARIMA(0,0,2)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : 626.0602
## ARIMA(0,0,2)(0,1,1)[12] : 637.898
## ARIMA(0,0,2)(0,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,2)(0,1,2)[12] : 636.7653
## ARIMA(0,0,2)(0,1,2)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,2)(1,1,0)[12] : 638.0881
## ARIMA(0,0,2)(1,1,0)[12] with drift : 625.6669
## ARIMA(0,0,2)(1,1,1)[12] : 638.334
## ARIMA(0,0,2)(1,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,2)(1,1,2)[12] : 638.992
## ARIMA(0,0,2)(1,1,2)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,2)(2,1,0)[12] : 637.8508
## ARIMA(0,0,2)(2,1,0)[12] with drift : 621.3809
## ARIMA(0,0,2)(2,1,1)[12] : 638.4469
## ARIMA(0,0,2)(2,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,3)(0,1,0)[12] : 629.9275
## ARIMA(0,0,3)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : 622.7562
## ARIMA(0,0,3)(0,1,1)[12] : 629.7434
## ARIMA(0,0,3)(0,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,3)(0,1,2)[12] : 629.0504
## ARIMA(0,0,3)(0,1,2)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,3)(1,1,0)[12] : 630.4963
## ARIMA(0,0,3)(1,1,0)[12] with drift : 620.9963
## ARIMA(0,0,3)(1,1,1)[12] : 629.6219
## ARIMA(0,0,3)(1,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,3)(2,1,0)[12] : 630.7565
## ARIMA(0,0,3)(2,1,0)[12] with drift : 618.3351
## ARIMA(0,0,4)(0,1,0)[12] : 629.5131
## ARIMA(0,0,4)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : 623.8854
## ARIMA(0,0,4)(0,1,1)[12] : 628.2313
## ARIMA(0,0,4)(0,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(0,0,4)(1,1,0)[12] : 629.5068
## ARIMA(0,0,4)(1,1,0)[12] with drift : 621.9546
## ARIMA(0,0,5)(0,1,0)[12] : 630.6005
## ARIMA(0,0,5)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : 625.8286
## ARIMA(1,0,0)(0,1,0)[12] : 622.9559
## ARIMA(1,0,0)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : 619.2546
## ARIMA(1,0,0)(0,1,1)[12] : 616.096
## ARIMA(1,0,0)(0,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf

```

```

## ARIMA(1,0,0)(0,1,2)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,0)(0,1,2)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,0)(1,1,0)[12] : 620.045
## ARIMA(1,0,0)(1,1,0)[12] with drift : 615.4554
## ARIMA(1,0,0)(1,1,1)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,0)(1,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,0)(1,1,2)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,0)(1,1,2)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,0)(2,1,0)[12] : 619.4956
## ARIMA(1,0,0)(2,1,0)[12] with drift : 613.3055
## ARIMA(1,0,0)(2,1,1)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,0)(2,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,0)(2,1,2)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,0)(2,1,2)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,1)(0,1,0)[12] : 621.839
## ARIMA(1,0,1)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : 619.5991
## ARIMA(1,0,1)(0,1,1)[12] : 615.267
## ARIMA(1,0,1)(0,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,1)(0,1,2)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,1)(0,1,2)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,1)(1,1,0)[12] : 618.9704
## ARIMA(1,0,1)(1,1,0)[12] with drift : 616.1254
## ARIMA(1,0,1)(1,1,1)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,1)(1,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,1)(1,1,2)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,1)(1,1,2)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,1)(2,1,0)[12] : 618.2582
## ARIMA(1,0,1)(2,1,0)[12] with drift : 614.2405
## ARIMA(1,0,1)(2,1,1)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,1)(2,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,2)(0,1,0)[12] : 623.7407
## ARIMA(1,0,2)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : 620.8486
## ARIMA(1,0,2)(0,1,1)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,2)(0,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,2)(0,1,2)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,2)(0,1,2)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,2)(1,1,0)[12] : 621.1253
## ARIMA(1,0,2)(1,1,0)[12] with drift : 618.2083
## ARIMA(1,0,2)(1,1,1)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,2)(1,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,2)(2,1,0)[12] : 620.3847
## ARIMA(1,0,2)(2,1,0)[12] with drift : 616.1228
## ARIMA(1,0,3)(0,1,0)[12] : 624.0376
## ARIMA(1,0,3)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : 622.9934
## ARIMA(1,0,3)(0,1,1)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,3)(0,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(1,0,3)(1,1,0)[12] : 621.5939
## ARIMA(1,0,3)(1,1,0)[12] with drift : 620.4402
## ARIMA(1,0,4)(0,1,0)[12] : 625.2055
## ARIMA(1,0,4)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : 624.5141
## ARIMA(2,0,0)(0,1,0)[12] : 621.502
## ARIMA(2,0,0)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : 619.1749
## ARIMA(2,0,0)(0,1,1)[12] : 615.6749
## ARIMA(2,0,0)(0,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf

```

```

## ARIMA(2,0,0)(0,1,2)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(2,0,0)(0,1,2)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(2,0,0)(1,1,0)[12] : 619.0898
## ARIMA(2,0,0)(1,1,0)[12] with drift : 616.0103
## ARIMA(2,0,0)(1,1,1)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(2,0,0)(1,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(2,0,0)(1,1,2)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(2,0,0)(1,1,2)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(2,0,0)(2,1,0)[12] : 618.3519
## ARIMA(2,0,0)(2,1,0)[12] with drift : 614.0563
## ARIMA(2,0,0)(2,1,1)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(2,0,0)(2,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(2,0,1)(0,1,0)[12] : 623.5522
## ARIMA(2,0,1)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : 621.0785
## ARIMA(2,0,1)(0,1,1)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(2,0,1)(0,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(2,0,1)(0,1,2)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(2,0,1)(0,1,2)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(2,0,1)(1,1,0)[12] : 619.2936
## ARIMA(2,0,1)(1,1,0)[12] with drift : 618.2342
## ARIMA(2,0,1)(1,1,1)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(2,0,1)(1,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(2,0,1)(2,1,0)[12] : 617.3422
## ARIMA(2,0,1)(2,1,0)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(2,0,2)(0,1,0)[12] : 625.7487
## ARIMA(2,0,2)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : 623.077
## ARIMA(2,0,2)(0,1,1)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(2,0,2)(0,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(2,0,2)(1,1,0)[12] : 621.2392
## ARIMA(2,0,2)(1,1,0)[12] with drift : 620.4897
## ARIMA(2,0,3)(0,1,0)[12] : 625.4338
## ARIMA(2,0,3)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : 624.7418
## ARIMA(3,0,0)(0,1,0)[12] : 623.565
## ARIMA(3,0,0)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : 620.9597
## ARIMA(3,0,0)(0,1,1)[12] : 617.5374
## ARIMA(3,0,0)(0,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(3,0,0)(0,1,2)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(3,0,0)(0,1,2)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(3,0,0)(1,1,0)[12] : 621.2407
## ARIMA(3,0,0)(1,1,0)[12] with drift : 618.2282
## ARIMA(3,0,0)(1,1,1)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(3,0,0)(1,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(3,0,0)(2,1,0)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(3,0,0)(2,1,0)[12] with drift : 616.1571
## ARIMA(3,0,1)(0,1,0)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(3,0,1)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(3,0,1)(0,1,1)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(3,0,1)(0,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(3,0,1)(1,1,0)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(3,0,1)(1,1,0)[12] with drift : 620.2729
## ARIMA(3,0,2)(0,1,0)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(3,0,2)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(4,0,0)(0,1,0)[12] : 625.6611
## ARIMA(4,0,0)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : 623.1987

```

```
## ARIMA(4,0,0)(0,1,1)[12] : 619.4666
## ARIMA(4,0,0)(0,1,1)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(4,0,0)(1,1,0)[12] : 623.4068
## ARIMA(4,0,0)(1,1,0)[12] with drift : 620.4931
## ARIMA(4,0,1)(0,1,0)[12] : Inf
## ARIMA(4,0,1)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : Inf
## ARIMA(5,0,0)(0,1,0)[12] : 626.6308
## ARIMA(5,0,0)(0,1,0)[12] with drift : 624.8284
##
##
##
## Best model: ARIMA(1,0,0)(2,1,0)[12] with drift
```

```
# Best model: ARIMA(1,0,0)(2,1,0)[12] with drift
```

```
auto_fit
```

```
## Series: candy_ts
## ARIMA(1,0,0)(2,1,0)[12] with drift
##
## Coefficients:
##      ar1      sar1      sar2      drift
##      0.6441 -0.3042 -0.2351  0.2083
## s.e.  0.0742  0.1040  0.1099  0.0579
##
## sigma^2 = 14.95: log likelihood = -301.36
## AIC=612.72  AICc=613.31  BIC=626.18
```

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```
attributes(auto_fit)
```

```
## $names
## [1] "coef"      "sigma2"    "var.coef"  "mask"      "loglik"    "aic"
## [7] "arma"      "residuals" "call"      "series"    "code"      "n.cond"
## [13] "nobs"      "model"     "xreg"      "bic"       "aicc"      "x"
## [19] "fitted"
##
## $class
## [1] "forecast_ARIMA" "ARIMA"      "Arima"
```

```

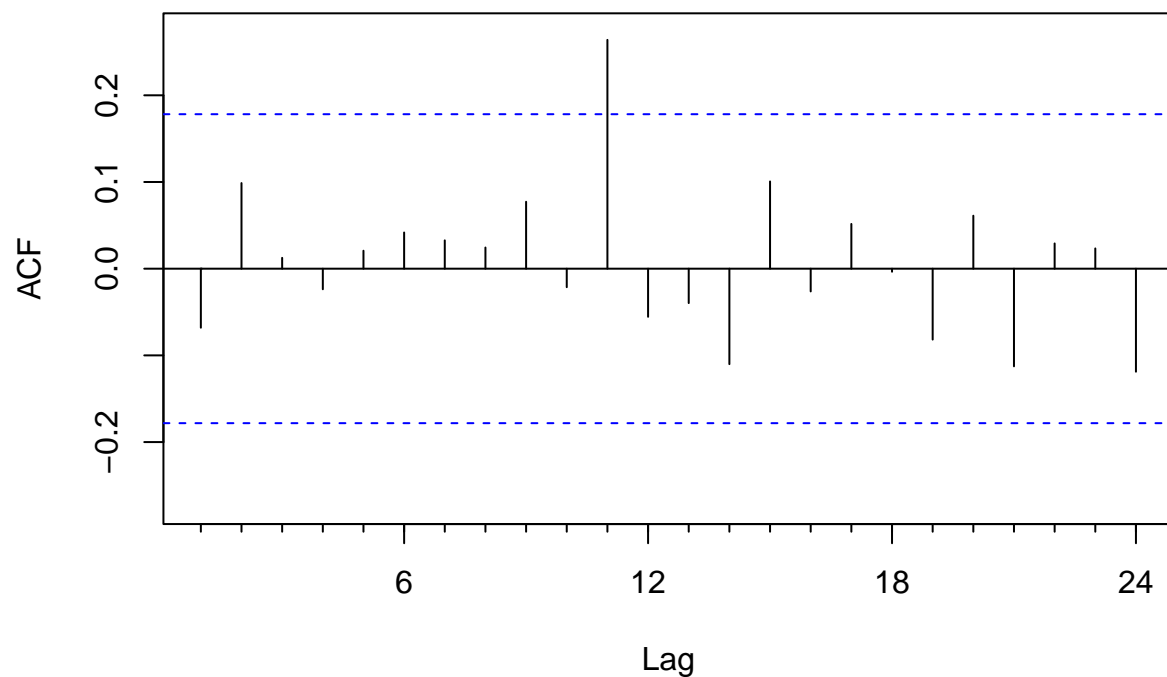
#$names
#[1] "coef"      "sigma2"    "var.coef"  "mask"      "loglik"    "aic"       "arma"      "residuals" "c"
#[11] "code"      "n.cond"    "nobs"      "model"     "xreg"      "bic"       "aicc"      "x"         "."

$class
#[1] "forecast_ARIMA" "ARIMA"      "Arima"

Acf(auto_fit$residuals)

```

Series auto_fit\$residuals



```
Box.test(residuals(auto_fit), lag=12, type="Ljung")
```

```

##
## Box-Ljung test
##
## data: residuals(auto_fit)
## X-squared = 13.084, df = 12, p-value = 0.363

```

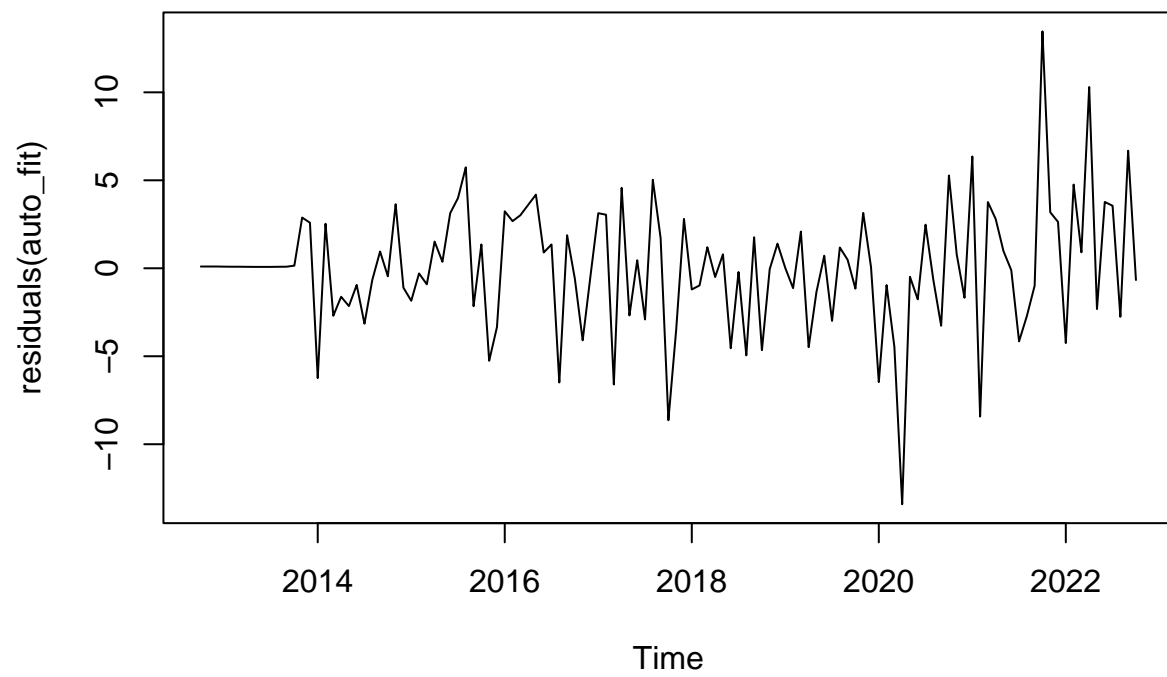
```

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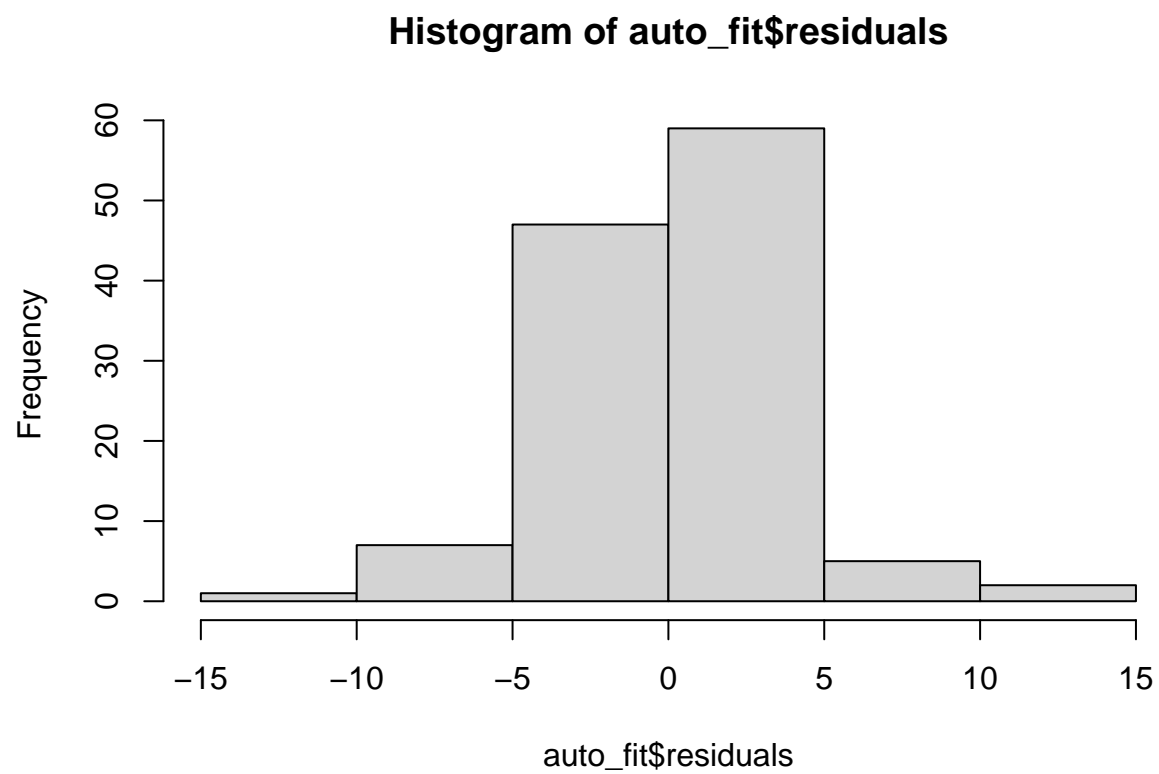
```

#As we can see from the Ljung box statistic that the p-values are 0.363 which makes them non-significant hypothesis which means that the residual values are independent

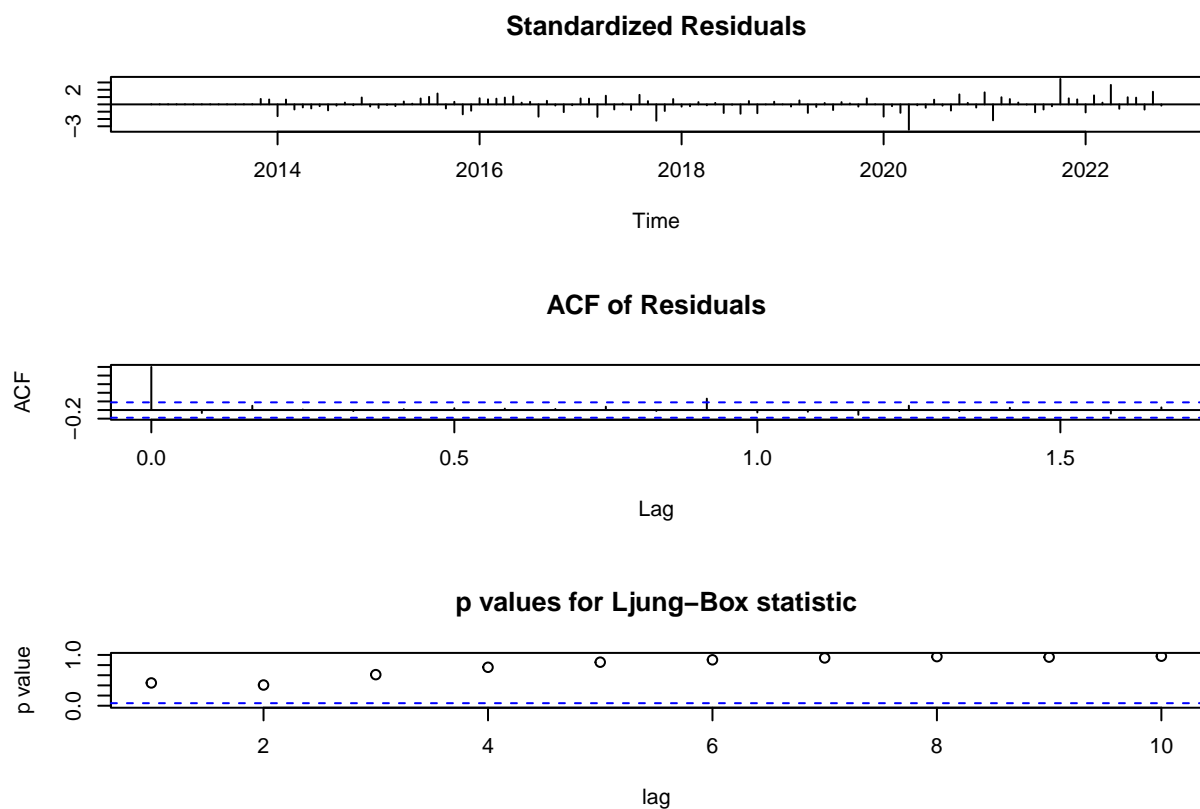
```
plot.ts(residuals(auto_fit))
```



```
hist(auto_fit$residuals) #normal distribution
```



```
tsdiag(auto_fit) #ACF test shows no relative significance amongst residuals as well same as the p-value
```



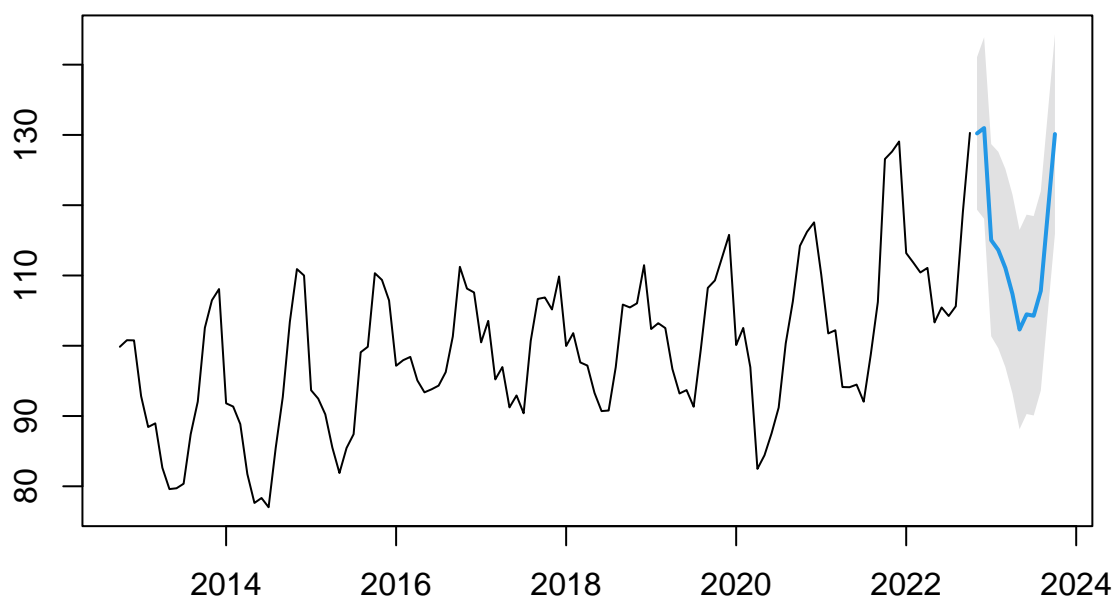
```
accuracy(auto_fit)
```

```
##               ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE
## Training set -0.004444951 3.602064 2.583457 -0.1100037 2.571757 0.5881103
##               ACF1
## Training set -0.06809078
```

```
#           ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE      ACF1
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```

```
ARIMAF12 <- plot(forecast(auto_fit,h=12,level=c(99.5)))
```


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

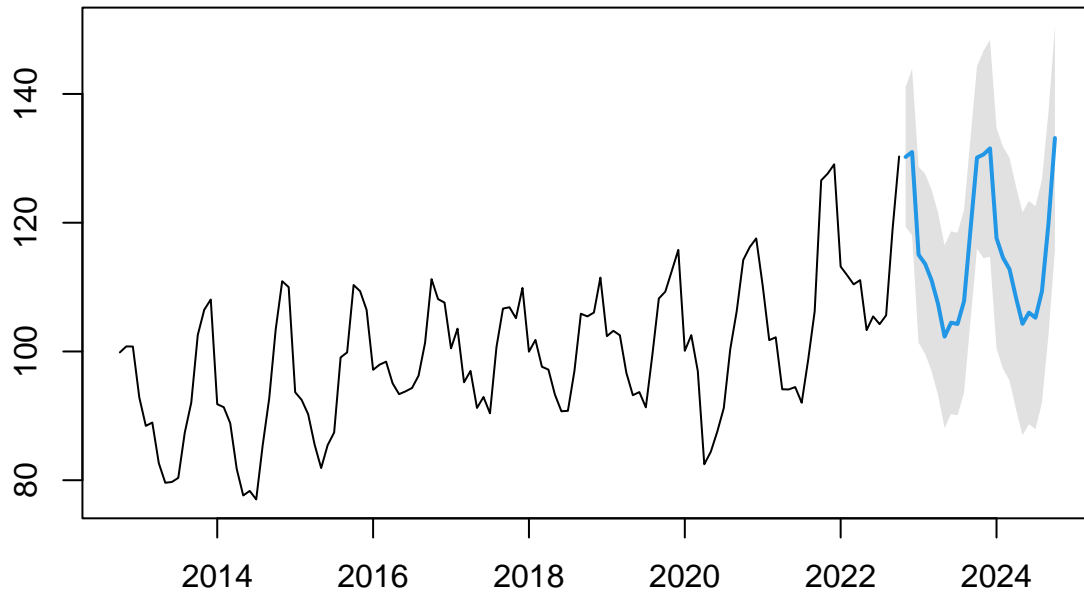


ARIMAF12

```
## $mean
##           Jan           Feb           Mar           Apr           May           Jun           Jul           Aug
## 2022
## 2023 115.0259 113.6240 111.0655 107.3725 102.3049 104.4700 104.2670 107.8069
##           Sep           Oct           Nov           Dec
## 2022
## 2023 119.0309 130.1239 130.2152 130.9781
##
## $lower
##           Jan           Feb           Mar           Apr           May           Jun           Jul
## 2022
## 2023 101.35264 99.64659 96.96380 93.21964 88.13085 90.28708 90.08048
##           Aug           Sep           Oct           Nov           Dec
## 2022
## 2023 93.61892 104.84220 115.93496 119.36102 118.06743
##
## $upper
##           Jan           Feb           Mar           Apr           May           Jun           Jul           Aug
## 2022
## 2023 128.6992 127.6015 125.1672 121.5254 116.4790 118.6528 118.4535 121.9950
##           Sep           Oct           Nov           Dec
## 2022
## 2023 133.2195 144.3128 141.0694 143.8888
```

```
ARIMAF24 <-plot(forecast(auto_fit,h=24,level=c(99.5)))
```

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



```
ARIMAF24
```

```
## $mean
##      Jan      Feb      Mar      Apr      May      Jun      Jul      Aug
## 2022
## 2023 115.0259 113.6240 111.0655 107.3725 102.3049 104.4700 104.2670 107.8069
## 2024 117.6141 114.5620 112.7877 108.3628 104.2936 106.0342 105.2377 109.3693
##      Sep      Oct      Nov      Dec
## 2022
## 2023 119.0309 130.1239 130.6058 131.5482
## 2024 119.8675 133.1484
##
## $lower
##      Jan      Feb      Mar      Apr      May      Jun      Jul
## 2022
## 2023 101.35264 99.64659 96.96380 93.21964 88.13085 90.28708 90.08048
## 2024 100.49160 97.31920 95.49535 91.04988 86.97211 88.70925 87.91127
##      Aug      Sep      Oct      Nov      Dec
## 2022
## 2023 93.61892 104.84220 115.93496 114.50585 114.71910
## 2024 92.04224 102.54024 115.82103
##
## $upper
```

```
##           Jan      Feb      Mar      Apr      May      Jun      Jul      Aug
## 2022
## 2023 128.6992 127.6015 125.1672 121.5254 116.4790 118.6528 118.4535 121.9950
## 2024 134.7366 131.8047 130.0801 125.6757 121.6150 123.3592 122.5642 126.6963
##           Sep      Oct      Nov      Dec
## 2022
## 2023 133.2195 144.3128 146.7058 148.3774
## 2024 137.1948 150.4758
```

```
auto_fit$mse
```

```
## NULL
```

```
#[1] NULL
#RSME is 3.602064 on average forecast values were 3.602064 away from the actual
#MPE is 11% percentatge of error is around 11%
```

```
#accuracy summary
```

```
accuracy(ets_forecast)
```

```
##           ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE
## Training set -0.03996037 3.310275 2.498396 -0.1249896 2.482994 0.5687464
##           ACF1
## Training set 0.07788466
```

```
accuracy(naive_forecast)
```

```
##           ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE      ACF1
## Training set 0.2536275 6.305638 4.625101 0.02809525 4.635846 1.05288 0.2207691
```

```
accuracy(rwf_forecast)
```

```
##           ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE      ACF1
## Training set 0.2536275 6.305638 4.625101 0.02809525 4.635846 1.05288 0.2207691
```

```
accuracy(snaive_forecast)
```

```
##           ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE MASE      ACF1
## Training set 2.731406 5.829941 4.392811 2.525765 4.342721 1 0.6254568
```

```
accuracy(SSE_Simple)
```

```
##           ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE      ACF1
## Training set 0.04457017 6.29552 4.615979 -0.1819999 4.631386 1.050803 0.2185404
```

```
accuracy(auto_fit)
```

```
##                ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE
## Training set -0.004444951 3.602064 2.583457 -0.1100037 2.571757 0.5881103
##                ACF1
## Training set -0.06809078
```

*#I would choose ets_forecast as it has the lowest MAPE. I chose MAPE because the units are in Percent,
#when observations are large numbers and also It can be used to compare same or different techniques as*

#Best MAPE Forecast

```
accuracy(ets_forecast)
```

```
##                ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE
## Training set -0.03996037 3.310275 2.498396 -0.1249896 2.482994 0.5687464
##                ACF1
## Training set 0.07788466
```

#worst MAPE Forecast

```
accuracy(naive_forecast)
```

```
##                ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE      ACF1
## Training set 0.2536275 6.305638 4.625101 0.02809525 4.635846 1.05288 0.2207691
```

#conclusion

#based on my analysis the value of time series will be cyclical as it has been so far in 1 and 2 both y