

Homework 2 - Solutions

Problem 1:

$$X_t - 0.2 X_{t-1} + 0.25 X_{t-2} - 0.05 X_{t-3} = a_t - a_{t-1} + a_{t-2}$$

Green's Function coefficients:

$$X_t = (G_0 + G_1 B + G_2 B^2 + G_3 B^3 + \dots) a_t \Rightarrow$$

$$(1 - 0.2B + 0.25B^2 - 0.05B^3) \underbrace{(G_0 + G_1 B + G_2 B^2 + G_3 B^3 + \dots)}_{X_t} a_t =$$

$$= (1 - B + B^2) a_t$$

$$B^0: G_0 = 1$$

$$B^1: G_1 - 0.2 G_0 = -1 \Rightarrow G_1 = -1 + 0.2 = -0.8 //$$

$$B^2: G_2 - 0.2 G_1 + 0.25 G_0 = 1 \Rightarrow G_2 = 1 - 0.25 G_0 + 0.2 G_1 = 0.59 //$$

$$B^3: G_3 - 0.2 G_2 + 0.25 G_1 - 0.05 G_0 = 0 \Rightarrow G_3 = 0.05 G_0 - 0.25 G_1 + 0.2 G_2 = 0.368 //$$

$$B^4: G_4 - 0.2 G_3 + 0.25 G_2 - 0.05 G_1 = 0 \Rightarrow G_4 = 0.05 G_1 - 0.25 G_2 + 0.2 G_3 = -0.1139 //$$

$$B^5: G_5 - 0.2 G_4 + 0.25 G_3 - 0.05 G_2 = 0 \Rightarrow G_5 = 0.05 G_2 - 0.25 G_3 + 0.2 G_4 = -0.08528 //$$

Problem 2:

$$(1 - B + B^2) X_t = (1 - 3B) a_t$$

Char. AR poly is $s^2 - s + 1$

Roots of this poly are

$$\lambda_{1/2} = \frac{1}{2} \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} j$$

(a) Easiest way to find 3 Green's Fun coefficients is to use the implicit method:

$$X_t = (G_0 + G_1 B + G_2 B^2 + G_3 B^3 + \dots) a_t$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 - B + B^2) (G_0 + G_1 B + G_2 B^2 + G_3 B^3 + \dots) a_t = (1 - 3B) a_t$$

Equating coefficients yields

$$B^0: G_0 = 1 //$$

$$B^1: -G_0 + G_1 = -3 \Rightarrow G_1 = -3 + G_0 = -2 //$$

$$B^2: G_2 - G_1 + G_0 = 0 \Rightarrow G_2 = G_1 - G_0 = -2 - 1 = -3 //$$

$$B^3: G_3 - G_2 + G_1 = 0 \Rightarrow G_3 = G_2 - G_1 = -3 + 2 = -1 //$$

$$(b) \quad G_\ell = g_1 \lambda_1^\ell + g_2 \lambda_2^\ell$$

$$\lambda_1 = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}j = e^{-\frac{\pi}{3}j}$$

$$\lambda_2 = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}j = e^{\frac{\pi}{3}j} = \lambda_1^*$$

$$g_1 = \frac{\lambda_1 - \theta_1}{\lambda_1 - \lambda_2} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}j - 3}{-\sqrt{3}j} = \frac{5 + \sqrt{3}j}{\sqrt{3}j} = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{5\sqrt{3}}{6}j$$

$$g_2 = \frac{\lambda_2 - \theta_1}{\lambda_2 - \lambda_1} = g_1^* = \frac{5 - \sqrt{3}j}{\sqrt{3}j} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{5\sqrt{3}}{6}j$$

Using Euler's notation yields

$$g_1 = 1.5275 e^{-1.2373j}$$

$$g_2 = 1.5275 e^{1.2373j}$$

$$\Rightarrow G_\ell = 1.5275 (e^{-\frac{\pi}{3}\ell j} e^{-1.2373j} + e^{\frac{\pi}{3}\ell j} e^{1.2373j}) =$$

$$= 1.5275 \cdot 2 \cdot \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\ell + 1.2373\right) =$$

$$= 3.0550 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\ell + 1.2373\right), \quad \ell = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

Problem 3.2 from the textbook

$$(i) \quad \phi_1 = 1.5 \quad \phi_2 = -0.6 \quad \theta_1 = 0.5$$

$$G_0 = 1$$

$$G_1 = \phi_1 - \theta_1 = 1.5 - 0.5 = 1.0$$

$$G_2 = \phi_1 G_1 + \phi_2 G_0 = 1.5(1) - 0.6(1) = 0.9$$

$$G_3 = \phi_1 G_2 + \phi_2 G_1 = 1.5(0.9) - 0.6(1) = 0.75$$

$$G_4 = 0.5850, \quad G_5 = 0.4275$$

$$(iii) \quad \phi_1 = 2 \quad \phi_2 = -0.6 \quad \phi_3 = 0.2 \quad \theta_1 = 0.6 \quad \theta_2 = 0.5$$

$$G_0 = 1$$

$$G_1 = \phi_1 G_0 - \theta_1 = 2(1) - 0.6 = 1.4$$

$$G_2 = \phi_1 G_1 + \phi_2 G_0 - \theta_2 = 1.7, \quad G_3 = \phi_1 G_2 + \phi_2 G_1 + \phi_3 G_0 = 2.76$$

$$G_4 = 4.78 \quad G_5 = 8.244$$

Problem 3.10 from the textbook

$$(ii) \quad G_j = A(0.8)^j \sin(0.6+0.8j), \quad \phi_2 = -r^2 = -0.64$$

$$G_0 = 1 = A \sin(0.6); \quad A = 1.771$$

$$G_1 = \phi_1 - \theta_1 = 1.771(0.8) \sin(1.4) = 1.396$$

$$G_2 = \phi_1 G_1 + \phi_2 G_0 = \phi_1 (1.396) - 0.64 = 1.771(0.8)^2 \sin(2.2) = 0.916,$$

$$\text{i.e. } \phi_1 = 1.115. \quad \text{Now } \theta_1 = \phi_1 - 1.396 = -0.281$$

$$\text{ARMA}(2,1) \text{ model: } X_t - 1.115X_{t-1} + 0.64X_{t-2} = a_t + 0.281a_{t-1}$$

$$(iii) \quad G_j = A(0.4)^j \cos(0.6+0.8j) + 0.4(0.6)^j$$

$$G_0 = 1 = A \cos(0.6) + 0.4; \quad A = 0.727$$

$$r = \sqrt{\lambda_1 \lambda_2} = 0.4; \quad \lambda_1 \lambda_2 = 0.16; \quad \lambda_3 = 0.6$$

$$\text{Hence } \phi_3 = \lambda_1 \lambda_2 \lambda_3 = (0.16)(0.6) = 0.096$$

$$\cos(0.8) = \frac{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2}{2\sqrt{\lambda_1 \lambda_2}} = \frac{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2}{0.8}, \quad \text{so } \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 0.557,$$

$$\text{and } \phi_1 = \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 + \lambda_3 = 0.557 + 0.6 = 1.157$$

$$G_1 = \phi_1 - \theta_1 = 0.289; \quad \theta_1 = 0.868$$

$$G_3 = \phi_1 G_2 + \phi_2 G_1 + \phi_3 G_0 = 0.040; \quad \phi_2 = -0.496$$

$$G_2 = \phi_1 G_1 + \phi_2 G_0 - \theta_2 = 0.0755; \quad \theta_2 = -0.0237$$

$$\text{ARMA}(3,2) \text{ model: } X_t - 1.157X_{t-1} + 0.496X_{t-2} - 0.096X_{t-3} = a_t - 0.868a_{t-1} + 0.0237a_{t-2}$$

Problem 3.11 from the textbook

(a) Equation (3.1.4): $X_t = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} G_j a_{t-j}$

$$X_5 = G_0 a_5 + G_1 a_4 + G_2 a_3 + G_3 a_2 + G_4 a_1 + G_5 a_0$$

From $G_j = 0.4(0.9)^{j-1}$ we have $G_0 = 1$; $G_1 = 0.4$; $G_2 = 0.36$; $G_3 = 0.324$; $G_4 = 0.2916$

$G_5 = 0.26244$. By substitution we get $X_5 = 1.382$

(b) Since there is only one root, AR orders $n=1$ with $\lambda_1 = \phi_1 = 0.9$.

Since $G_j - \phi_1 G_{j-1} = 0$, $j \geq 2$, by Eq. (3.1.12), MA order $m=1$.

Hence $G_1 = 0.4 = \phi_1 - \theta_1 = 0.9 - \theta_1$ gives $\theta_1 = 0.5$ and the model is ARMA(1,1):

$$X_t = 0.9X_{t-1} + a_t - 0.5a_{t-1}$$

(c) Difference form: $X_t = 0.9X_{t-1} + a_t - 0.5a_{t-1}$

$$X_0 = 0; a_0 = 0$$

$$X_1 = a_1 = 0.5$$

$$X_2 = 0.9X_1 + a_2 - 0.5a_1 = -0.8$$

$$X_3 = 0.9X_2 + a_3 - 0.5a_2 = 0.78$$

$$X_4 = 0.9X_3 + a_4 - 0.5a_3 = -1.798$$

$$X_5 = 0.9X_4 + a_5 - 0.5a_4 = 1.3818 \quad \text{checks with (a)}$$