

# Homework 4

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```
library(ggplot2)
```

1a)  $Y_t = .8Y_{t-1} - .15Y_{t-2} + W_t - .3W_{t-2}$

We suspect this may be an ARMA(2,1) model.

First we will check for parameter redundancy.

$$\phi(z) = 1 - .8z + .15z^2 \text{ with } z = (2, 3\frac{1}{3})$$

we also have

$$\theta(z) = 1 - .3z$$

which gives us

$$z = 3\frac{1}{3}$$

This shows that the two characteristic polynomials have shared factors and as such this is not an ARMA(2,1) model, this is just a white noise model, as there is parameter redundancy.

with  $\phi > 1$ , this model is stationary as we would expect since it is just white noise.

with  $\theta > 1$ , this model is invertable.

1b)  $Y_t = Y_{t-1} - .5Y_{t-2} + W_t - W_{t-1}$

We suspect this may be an ARMA(2,1) model.

First we will check for parameter redundancy.

$$\phi(z) = 1 - z + .5z^2 \text{ with } z = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2} \text{ or } z = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2}$$

we also have  $\theta(z) = 1 - \theta$  with  $z = 1$

This shows that the two characteristic polynomials have no shared factors and as such this is indeed an ARMA(2,1) model.

with  $\phi < 1$ , this model is not stationary.

with  $\theta = 1$ , this model is not invertable.

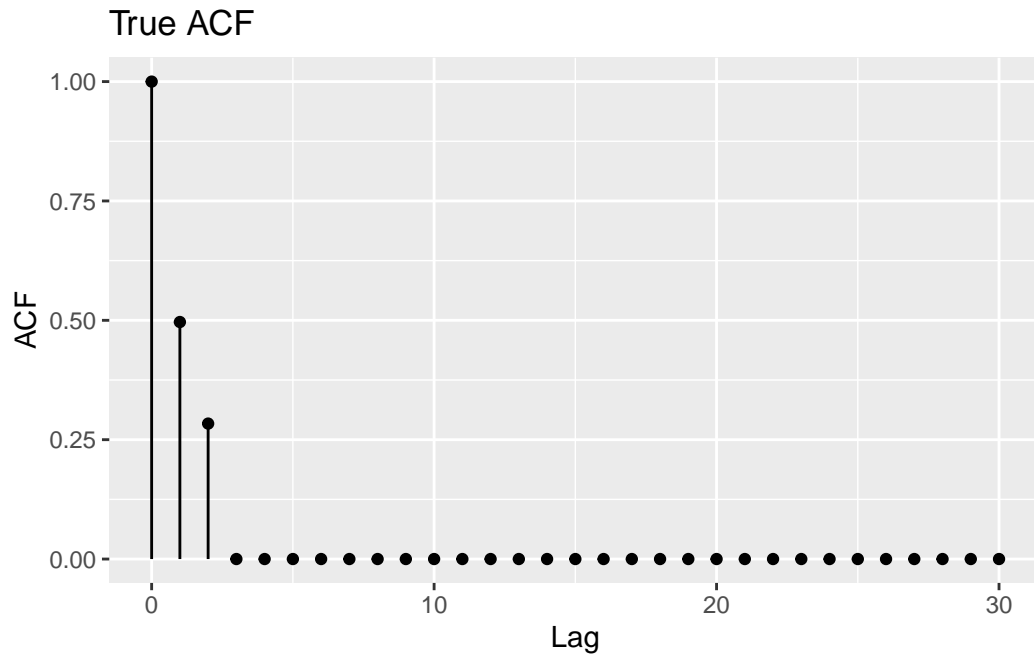
$$2a) Y_t = W_t + .5W_{t-1} + .4W_{t-2}$$

Plot the True autocorrelation function (ACF)

Length of the series

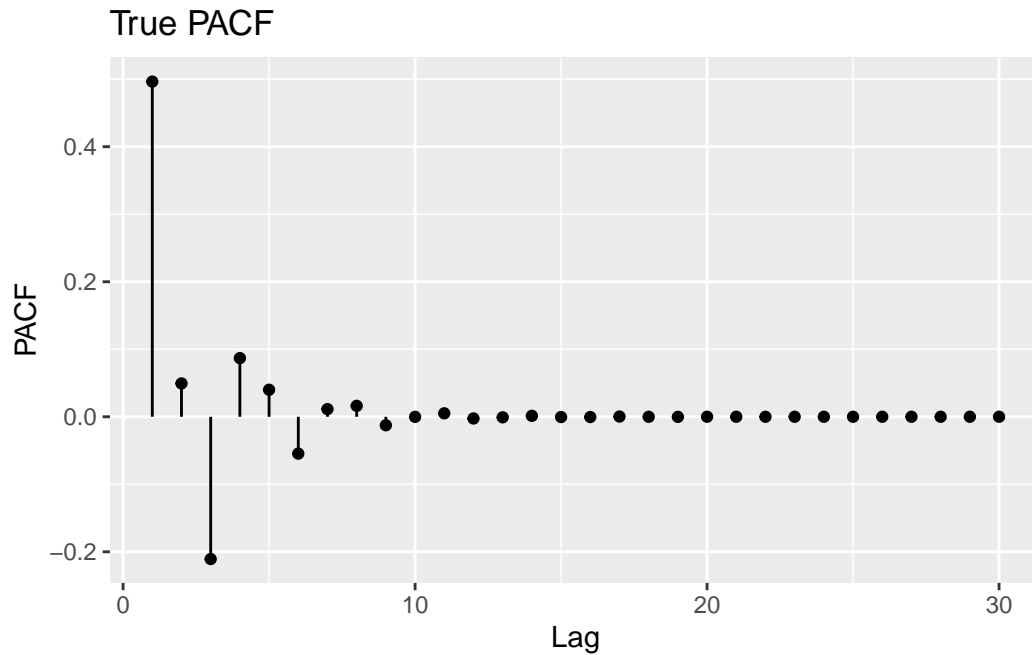
```
# Simulated series length
n <- 100
# MA coefficients and simulated data
theta = c(.5, .4)
MA2 <- arima.sim(n = n, model = list(ma = theta))
# True ACF
MA2_acf <- ARMAacf(ma = theta, lag.max = 30, pacf = FALSE)
# TRUE pacf
MA2_pacf <- ARMAacf(ma = theta, lag.max = 30, pacf = TRUE)

# Plot the true ACF
ggplot(data = data.frame(x = 0:30, y = MA2_acf)) +
  geom_point(
    aes(x = x, y = y),
  ) +
  geom_segment(
    aes(
      x = x,
      xend = x,
      y = 0,
      yend = y
    )
  ) +
  labs(
    title = "True ACF",
    y = "ACF",
    x = "Lag"
  )
```



We can see from the true ACF that there are zero lags after 2, this suggests this may be an MA(2) model.

```
# Plot the true PACF
ggplot(data = data.frame(x = 1:30, y = MA2_pacf)) +
  geom_point(
    aes(x = x, y = y)
  ) +
  geom_segment(
    aes(
      x = x,
      xend = x,
      y = 0,
      yend = y
    )
  ) +
  labs(
    title = "True PACF",
    y = "PACF",
    x = "Lag"
  )
```



We can see from the true PACF that the model tails off, this leads us to the conclusion that this is indeed a MA(2) model, or an ARMA(0, 2) model.

2b)  $Y_t = W_t + 1.2W_{t-1} - .7W_{t-2}$

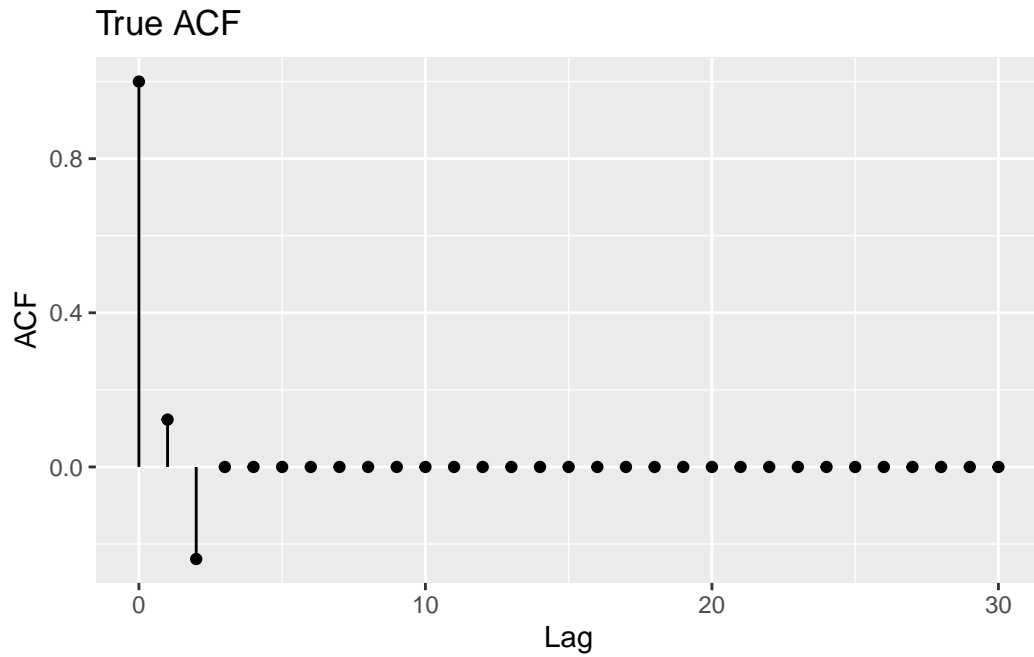
```
# MA coefficients
theta = c(1.2, -.7)
# True ACF
MA2_acf <- ARMAacf(ma = theta, lag.max = 30, pacf = FALSE)
# TRUE pacf
MA2_pacf <- ARMAacf(ma = theta, lag.max = 30, pacf = TRUE)

# Plot the true ACF
ggplot(data = data.frame(x = 0:30, y = MA2_acf)) +
  geom_point(
    aes(x = x, y = y),
  ) +
  geom_segment(
    aes(
      x = x,
      xend = x,
      y = 0,
    )
  )
```

```

    yend = y
  )
) +
labs(
  title = "True ACF",
  y = "ACF",
  x = "Lag"
)

```



We can see from the true ACF plot that there are zero lags after after 2, this leads us to believe this is an MA(2) model

```

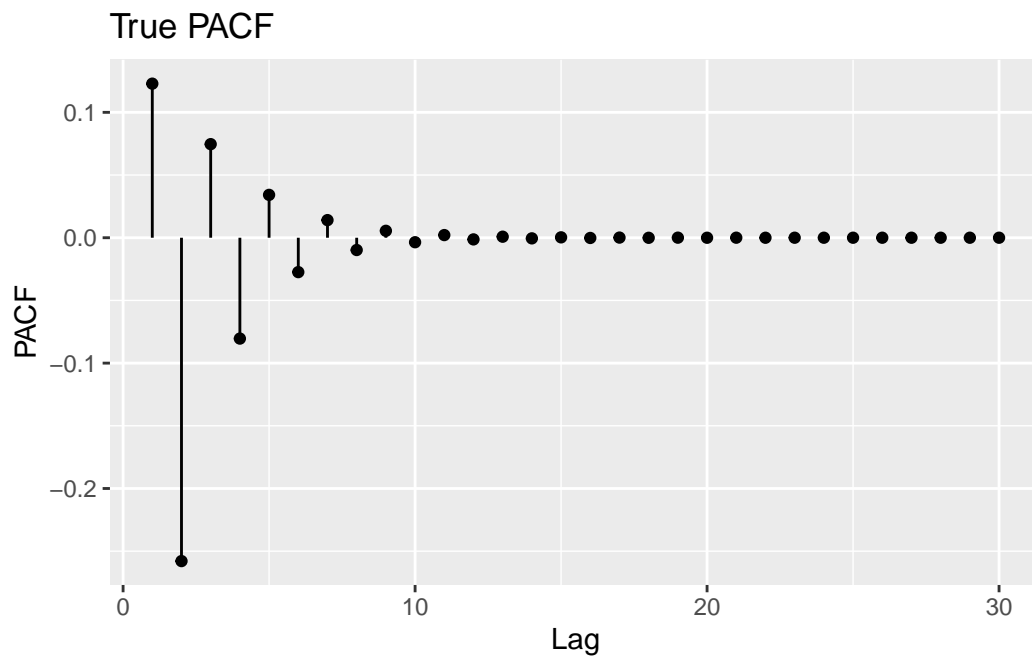
# Plot the true PACF
ggplot(data = data.frame(x = 1:30, y = MA2_pacf)) +
  geom_point(
    aes(x = x, y = y)
  ) +
  geom_segment(
    aes(
      x = x,
      xend = x,

```

```

    y = 0,
    yend = y
  )
) +
labs(
  title = "True PACF",
  y = "PACF",
  x = "Lag"
)

```



We can see from the true ACF plot that there is tailoff, which leads us to believe that this is actually an ARMA model, and there is some Autoregressive features that are present.

2c)  $Y_t = .6Y_{t-1} + .3Y_{t-2} + W_t$

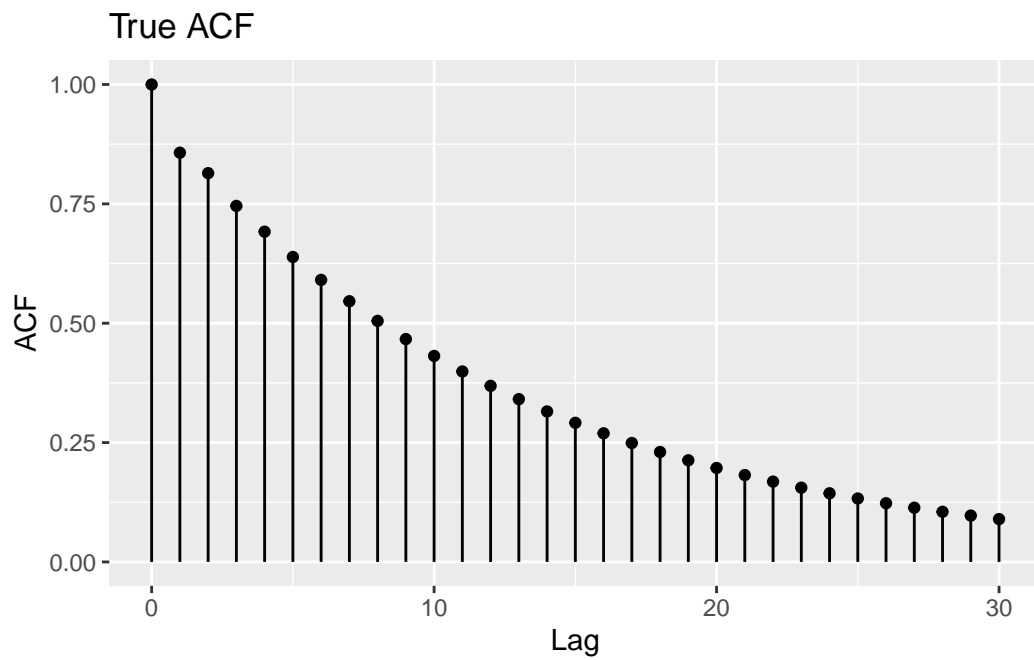
```

# MA coefficients
theta = c()
# AR coefficients
phi = c(.6, .3)
# True ACF
AR2_acf <- ARMAacf(ar = phi, lag.max = 30, pacf = FALSE)
# TRUE pacf

```

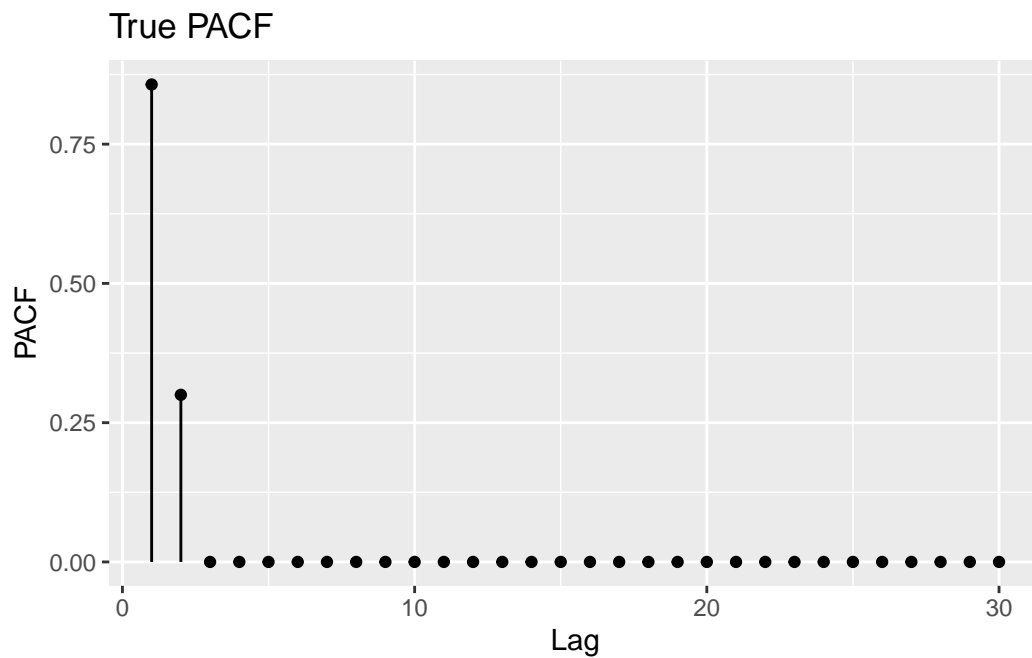
```
AR2_pacf <- ARMAacf(ar = phi, lag.max = 30, pacf = TRUE)
```

```
# Plot the true ACF
ggplot(data = data.frame(x = 0:30, y = AR2_acf)) +
  geom_point(
    aes(x = x, y = y),
  ) +
  geom_segment(
    aes(
      x = x,
      xend = x,
      y = 0,
      yend = y
    )
  ) +
  labs(
    title = "True ACF",
    y = "ACF",
    x = "Lag"
  )
)
```



We can see from the plot that there is tailoff in the ACF plot, we are still unsure if this is from an ARMA model or an AR model at this time.

```
# Plot the true PACF
ggplot(data = data.frame(x = 1:30, y = AR2_pacf)) +
  geom_point(
    aes(x = x, y = y)
  ) +
  geom_segment(
    aes(
      x = x,
      xend = x,
      y = 0,
      yend = y
    )
  ) +
  labs(
    title = "True PACF",
    y = "PACF",
    x = "Lag"
  )
)
```



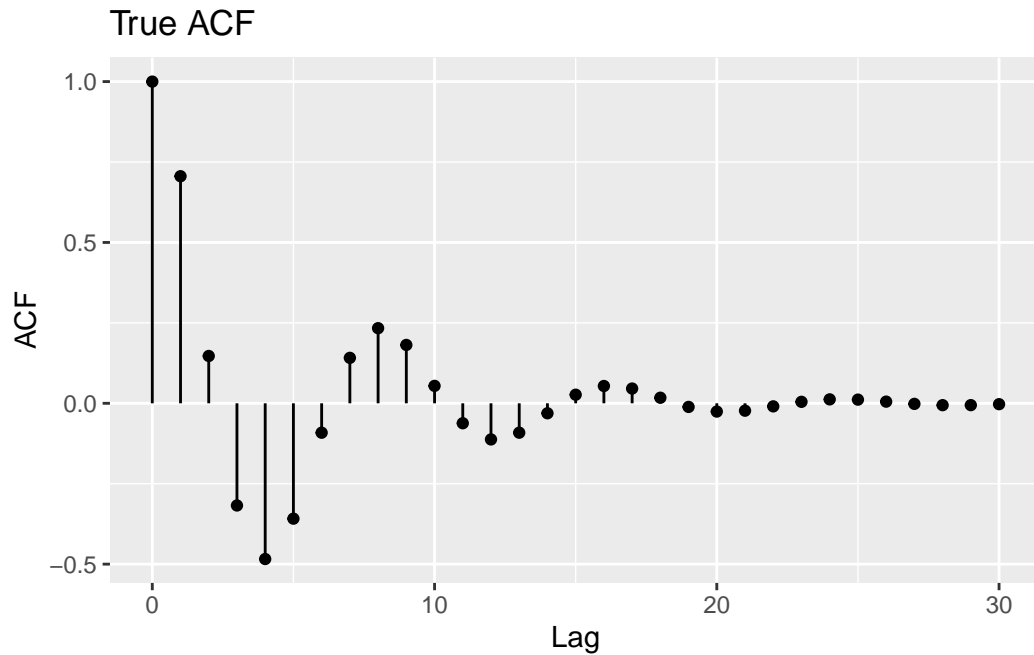


We can see there are zero lags  $> 2$ , this suggests that this model is an AR(2) model with no MA parts.

$$2d) Y_t = 1.2Y_{t-1} + .7Y_{t-2} + W_t$$

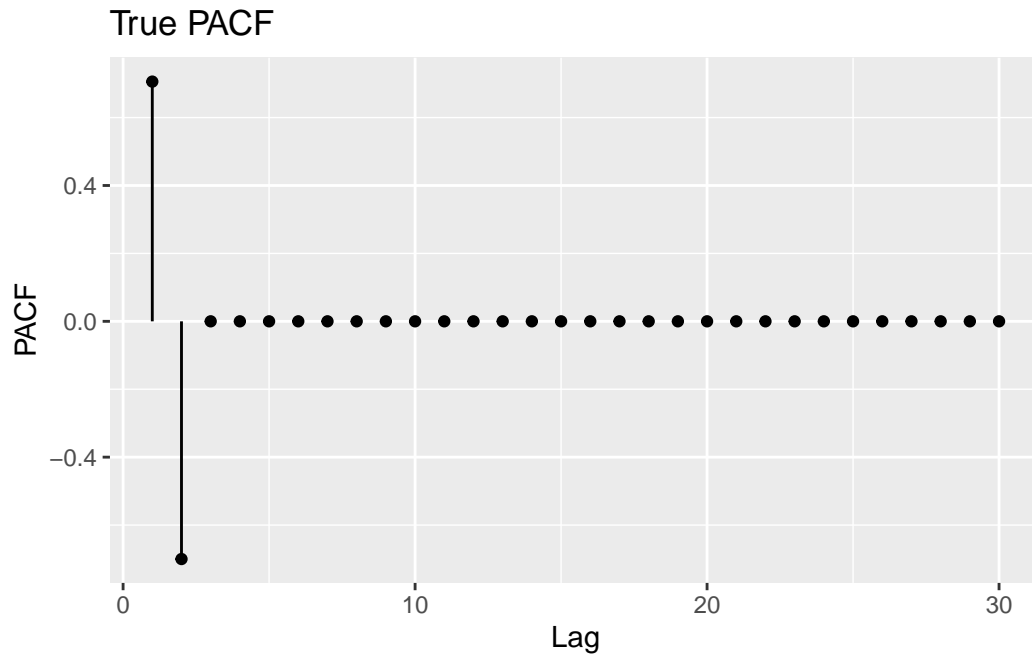
```
# MA coefficients
theta = c()
# AR coefficients
phi = c(1.2, -.7)
# True ACF
AR2_acf <- ARMAacf(ar = phi, lag.max = 30, pacf = FALSE)
# TRUE pacf
AR2_pacf <- ARMAacf(ar = phi, lag.max = 30, pacf = TRUE)

# Plot the true ACF
ggplot(data = data.frame(x = 0:30, y = AR2_acf)) +
  geom_point(
    aes(x = x, y = y),
  ) +
  geom_segment(
    aes(
      x = x,
      xend = x,
      y = 0,
      yend = y
    )
  ) +
  labs(
    title = "True ACF",
    y = "ACF",
    x = "Lag"
  )
```



We can see from the true ACF that this model exhibits tail off, which leads us to believe it could be either an AR or an ARMA model

```
# Plot the true PACF
ggplot(data = data.frame(x = 1:30, y = AR2_pacf)) +
  geom_point(
    aes(x = x, y = y)
  ) +
  geom_segment(
    aes(
      x = x,
      xend = x,
      y = 0,
      yend = y
    )
  ) +
  labs(
    title = "True PACF",
    y = "PACF",
    x = "Lag"
  )
```



We can see from the true PACF that this model cuts off at lag 2, which indicates that this model is an AR(2)

2e)  $Y_t = .7Y_{t-1} + W_t + .4W_{t-1}$

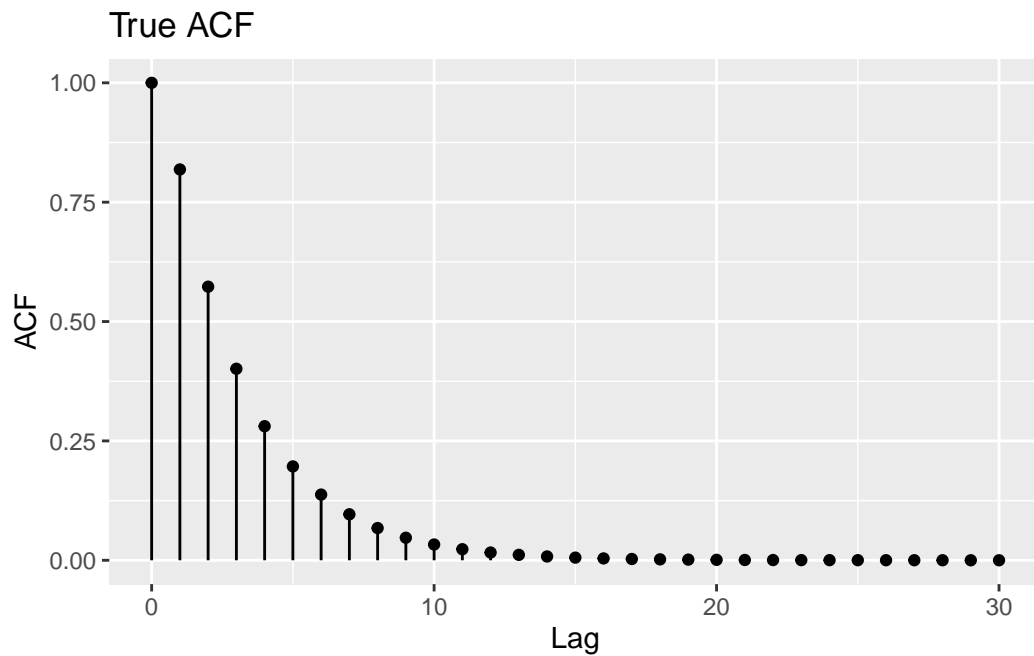
```
# MA coefficients
theta = c(.4)
# AR coefficients
phi = c(.7)
# True ACF
AR2_acf <- ARMAacf(ar = phi, ma = theta, lag.max = 30, pacf = FALSE)
# TRUE pacf
AR2_pacf <- ARMAacf(ar = phi, ma = theta, lag.max = 30, pacf = TRUE)
```

```
# Plot the true ACF
ggplot(data = data.frame(x = 0:30, y = AR2_acf)) +
  geom_point(
    aes(x = x, y = y),
  ) +
  geom_segment(
    aes(
      x = x,
```

```

    xend = x,
    y = 0,
    yend = y
  )
) +
labs(
  title = "True ACF",
  y = "ACF",
  x = "Lag"
)

```



We can see there is tailoff in the ACF plot, which doesn't help us to distinguish if this is AR or ARMA.

```

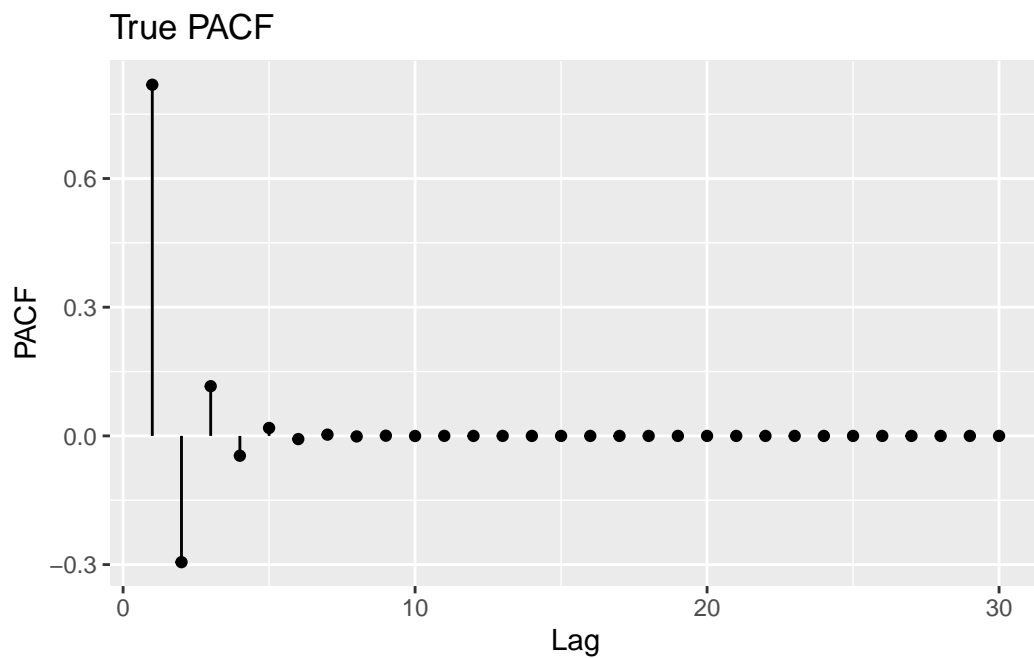
# Plot the true PACF
ggplot(data = data.frame(x = 1:30, y = AR2_pacf)) +
  geom_point(
    aes(x = x, y = y)
  ) +
  geom_segment(
    aes(

```

```

    x = x,
    xend = x,
    y = 0,
    yend = y
  )
) +
labs(
  title = "True PACF",
  y = "PACF",
  x = "Lag"
)

```



We can see that the true PACF exhibits tail off, which leads us to the conclusion that this is an ARMA model.

2f)  $Y_t = .7Y_{t-1} + W_t - .4W_{t-1}$

```

# MA coefficients
theta = c(-.4)
# AR coefficients
phi = c(.7)
# True ACF

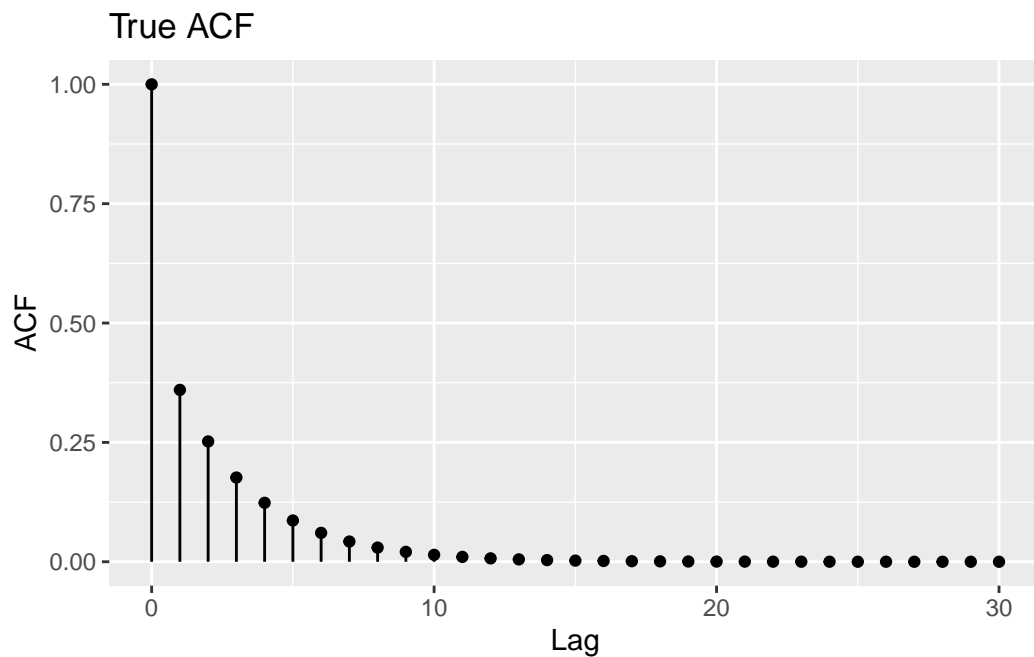
```

```

AR2_acf <- ARMAacf(ar = phi, ma = theta, lag.max = 30, pacf = FALSE)
# TRUE pacf
AR2_pacf <- ARMAacf(ar = phi, ma = theta, lag.max = 30, pacf = TRUE)

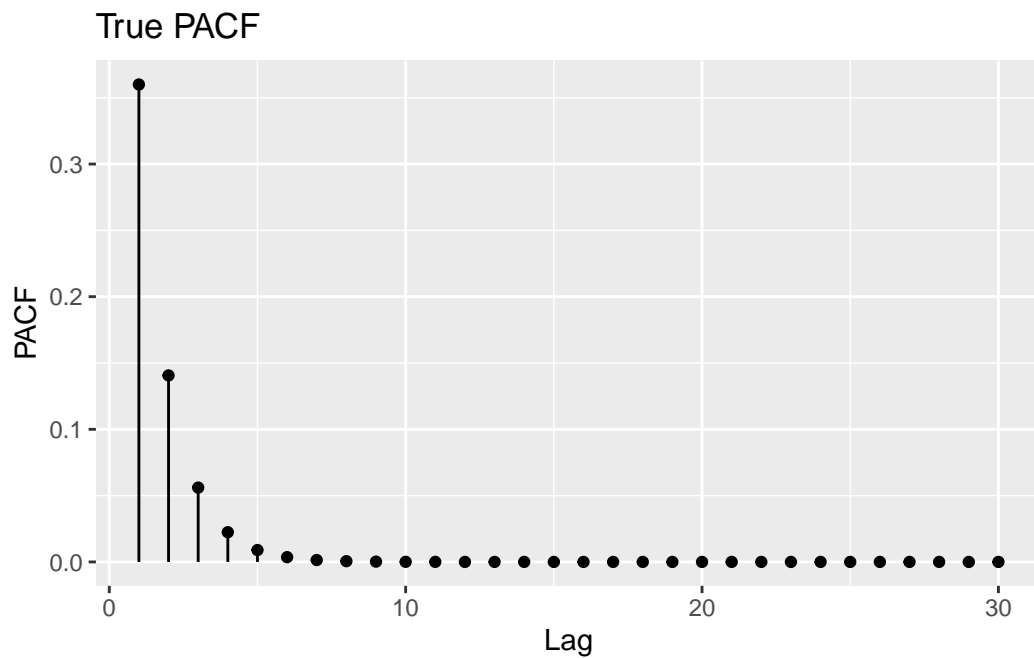
# Plot the true ACF
ggplot(data = data.frame(x = 0:30, y = AR2_acf)) +
  geom_point(
    aes(x = x, y = y),
  ) +
  geom_segment(
    aes(
      x = x,
      xend = x,
      y = 0,
      yend = y
    )
  ) +
  labs(
    title = "True ACF",
    y = "ACF",
    x = "Lag"
  )

```



We can see from the true ACF plot that this model exhibits tail off, which suggests that it could either be an AR model or an ARMA model

```
# Plot the true PACF
ggplot(data = data.frame(x = 1:30, y = AR2_pacf)) +
  geom_point(
    aes(x = x, y = y)
  ) +
  geom_segment(
    aes(
      x = x,
      xend = x,
      y = 0,
      yend = y
    )
  ) +
  labs(
    title = "True PACF",
    y = "PACF",
    x = "Lag"
  )
)
```



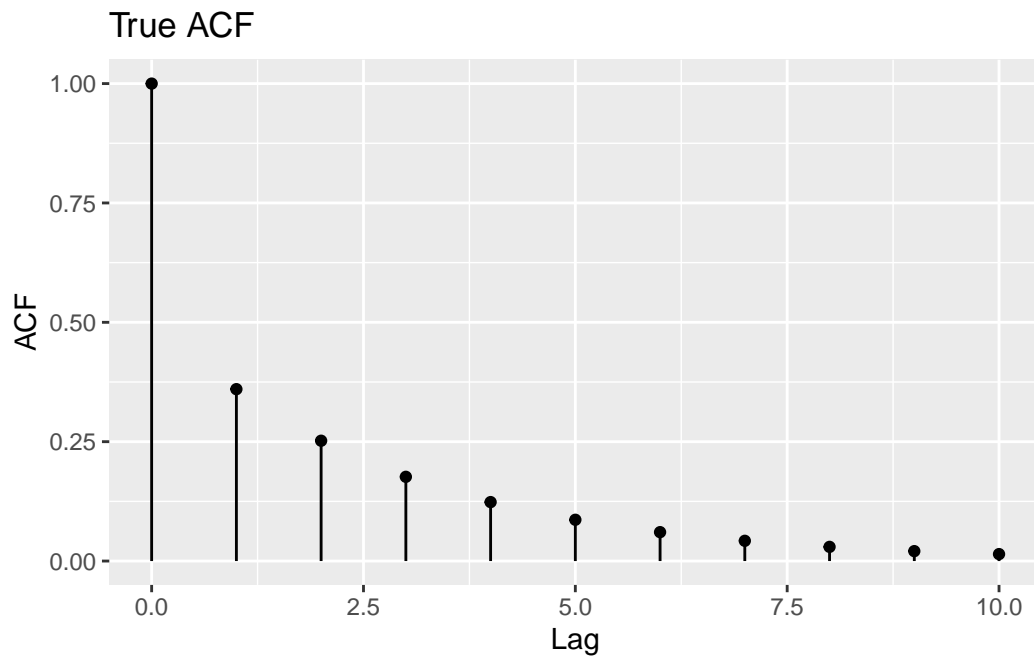
We can see that this model has cutoff after lag 2, which suggests that it is an AR model, and it is the inverse of the previous model.

3) Consider AR(2)  $Y_t = .7Y_{t-1} - .2Y_{t-2} + W_t$

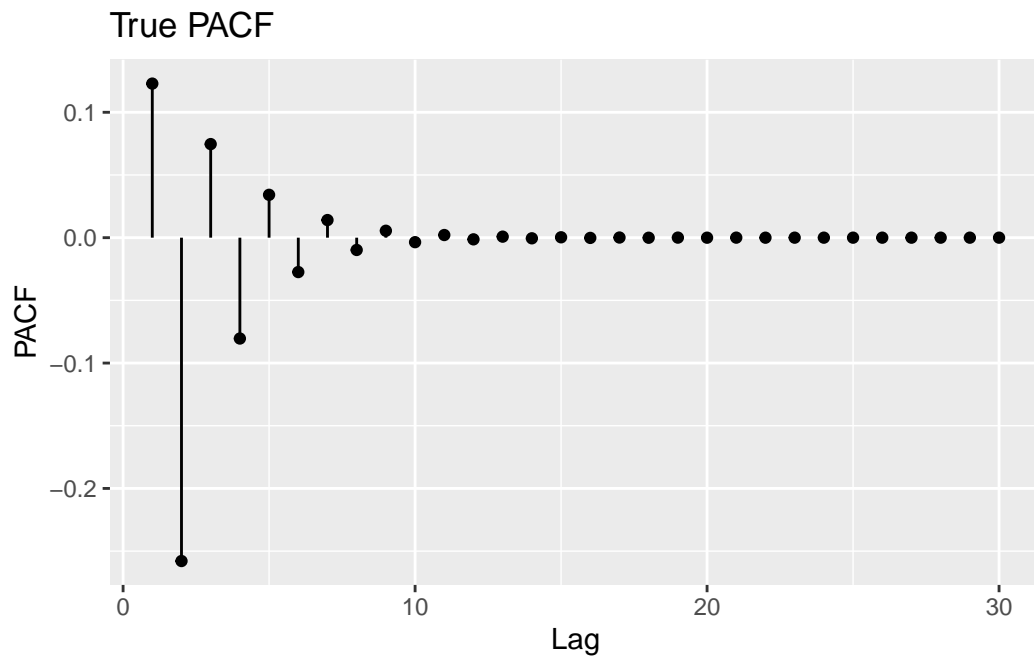
```
# MA coefficients
theta = c(-.4)
# AR coefficients
phi = c(.7)
# True ACF
AR2_acf <- ARMAacf(ar = phi, ma = theta, lag.max = 10, pacf = FALSE)
# TRUE pacf
AR2_pacf <- ARMAacf(ar = phi, ma = theta, lag.max = 10, pacf = TRUE)

# Plot the true ACF
ggplot(data = data.frame(x = 0:10, y = AR2_acf)) +
  geom_point(
    aes(x = x, y = y),
  ) +
  geom_segment(
    aes(
      x = x,
      xend = x,
      y = 0,
      yend = y
    )
  ) +
  labs(
    title = "True ACF",
    y = "ACF",
    x = "Lag"
  )
```





```
# Plot the true PACF
ggplot(data = data.frame(x = 1:30, y = MA2_pacf)) +
  geom_point(
    aes(x = x, y = y)
  ) +
  geom_segment(
    aes(
      x = x,
      xend = x,
      y = 0,
      yend = y
    )
  ) +
  labs(
    title = "True PACF",
    y = "PACF",
    x = "Lag"
  )
```

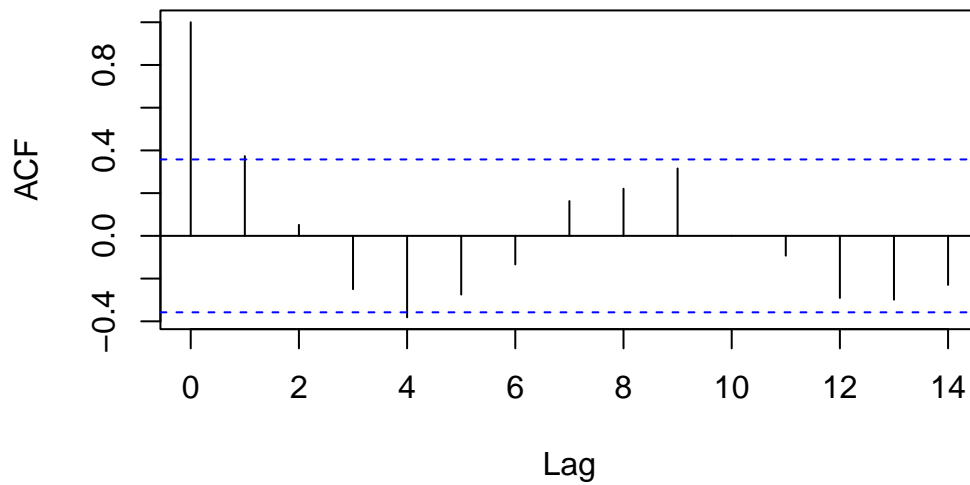


b)

```
n <- 30
phi <- c(.7, -.2)
AR2 <- arima.sim(n = n, model = list(ar = phi))

#Autocorrelation at lag 1
sim_acf <- acf(AR2)
```

## Series AR2



```
sim_acf$acf[2]
```

```
[1] 0.3731831
```

c)

```
first_lag <- numeric(1000)
for (i in 1:1000) {
  sim <- arima.sim(n = n, model = list(ar = phi))
  sim_acf <- acf(sim, plot = FALSE)
  first_lag[i] <- sim_acf$acf[2]
}
mean_first_lag <- mean(first_lag)
```

```
mean_first_lag
```

```
[1] 0.4977027
```

We see with the sample size of 30 the autocorrelation coefficient does not appear to be an unbiased estimate of the true autocorrelation at lag 1.

```

# increase sample size
n <- 10000
first_lag <- numeric(1000)
for (i in 1:1000) {
  sim <- arima.sim(n = n, model = list(ar = phi))
  sim_acf <- acf(sim, plot = FALSE)
  first_lag[i] <- sim_acf$acf[2]
}
mean_first_lag <- mean(first_lag)
mean_first_lag

```

```
[1] 0.583266
```