

TIME SERIES FORECASTING ON SALES DATA

Loading the Package:

```
library(plyr)
library(dplyr)

## Warning: package 'dplyr' was built under R version 3.4.3

##
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'

## The following objects are masked from 'package:plyr':
##
##   arrange, count, desc, failwith, id, mutate, rename, summarise,
##   summarize

## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
##
##   filter, lag

## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##   intersect, setdiff, setequal, union

library(ggplot2)

## Warning: package 'ggplot2' was built under R version 3.4.4

#Loading the Data
dataNW<-read.csv("Demand Forecasting dataset.csv")
head(dataNW)

##   Row.ID      Order.ID Order.Date  Ship.Date      Ship.Mode Customer.ID
## 1      1 CA-2016-152156  11/8/2016 11/11/2016    Second Class    CG-12520
## 2      2 CA-2016-152156  11/8/2016 11/11/2016    Second Class    CG-12520
## 3      3 CA-2016-138688   6/12/2016  6/16/2016    Second Class    DV-13045
## 4      4 US-2015-108966 10/11/2015 10/18/2015    Standard Class    SO-20335
## 5      5 US-2015-108966 10/11/2015 10/18/2015    Standard Class    SO-20335
## 6      6 CA-2014-115812   6/9/2014  6/14/2014    Standard Class    BH-11710
##   Customer.Name  Segment      Country      City      State
## 1   Claire Gute  Consumer United States Henderson Kentucky
## 2   Claire Gute  Consumer United States Henderson Kentucky
## 3 Darrin Van Huff Corporate United States Los Angeles California
## 4 Sean O'Donnell Consumer United States Fort Lauderdale Florida
## 5 Sean O'Donnell Consumer United States Fort Lauderdale Florida
## 6 Brosina Hoffman Consumer United States Los Angeles California
##   Postal.Code Region      Product.ID      Category Sub.Category      Sales
## 1      42420  South FUR-BO-10001798 Furniture Bookcases 261.9600
## 2      42420  South FUR-CH-10000454 Furniture Chairs 731.9400
```

```
## 3      90036  West OFF-LA-10000240 Office Supplies      Labels  14.6200
## 4      33311  South FUR-TA-10000577      Furniture      Tables 957.5775
## 5      33311  South OFF-ST-10000760 Office Supplies      Storage  22.3680
## 6      90032  West FUR-FU-10001487      Furniture  Furnishings 48.8600
##  Quantity Discount    Profit
## 1         2      0.00    41.9136
## 2         3      0.00   219.5820
## 3         2      0.00    6.8714
## 4         5      0.45  -383.0310
## 5         2      0.20    2.5164
## 6         7      0.00   14.1694
```

Data Explorations:

1. Checking all the Variables

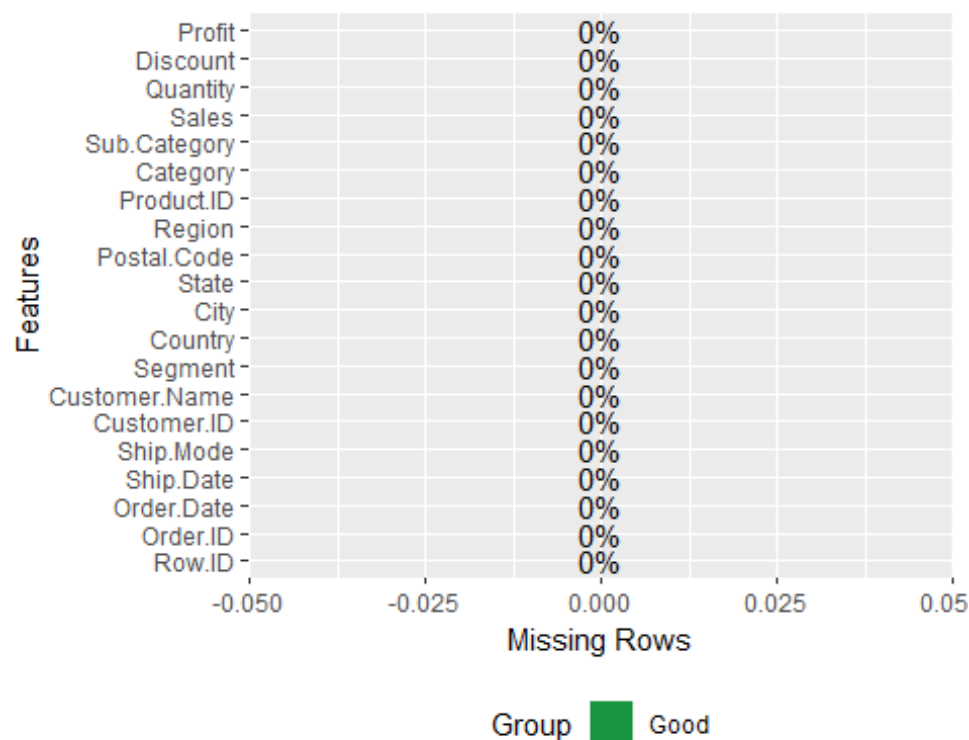
```
library(DataExplorer)
```

```
## Warning: package 'DataExplorer' was built under R version 3.4.4
```

```
plot_str(dataNW)
```

2. Checking Missing Values

```
plot_missing(dataNW)
```



```
str(dataNW)
```

```
## 'data.frame': 9994 obs. of 20 variables:
## $ Row.ID : int 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 ...
## $ Order.ID : Factor w/ 5009 levels "CA-2014-100006",...: 2501 2501
2297 4373 4373 202 202 202 202 202 ...
## $ Order.Date : Factor w/ 1237 levels "1/1/2017","1/10/2014",...: 305 305
836 94 94 922 922 922 922 922 ...
## $ Ship.Date : Factor w/ 1334 levels "1/1/2015","1/1/2016",...: 220 220
907 129 129 897 897 897 897 897 ...
## $ Ship.Mode : Factor w/ 4 levels "First Class",...: 3 3 3 4 4 4 4 4 4 4
...
## $ Customer.ID : Factor w/ 793 levels "AA-10315","AA-10375",...: 144 144
240 706 706 89 89 89 89 89 ...
## $ Customer.Name: Factor w/ 793 levels "Aaron Bergman",...: 167 167 202 688
688 114 114 114 114 114 ...
## $ Segment : Factor w/ 3 levels "Consumer","Corporate",...: 1 1 2 1 1
1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ Country : Factor w/ 1 level "United States": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
...
## $ City : Factor w/ 531 levels "Aberdeen","Abilene",...: 195 195
267 154 154 267 267 267 267 267 ...
## $ State : Factor w/ 49 levels "Alabama","Arizona",...: 16 16 4 9 9
4 4 4 4 4 ...
## $ Postal.Code : int 42420 42420 90036 33311 33311 90032 90032 90032
90032 90032 ...
## $ Region : Factor w/ 4 levels "Central","East",...: 3 3 4 3 3 4 4 4
4 4 ...
## $ Product.ID : Factor w/ 1862 levels "FUR-BO-10000112",...: 13 56 947
320 1317 186 563 1762 795 438 ...
## $ Category : Factor w/ 3 levels "Furniture","Office Supplies",...: 1 1
2 1 2 1 2 3 2 2 ...
## $ Sub.Category : Factor w/ 17 levels "Accessories",...: 5 6 11 17 15 10 3
14 4 2 ...
## $ Sales : num 262 731.9 14.6 957.6 22.4 ...
## $ Quantity : int 2 3 2 5 2 7 4 6 3 5 ...
## $ Discount : num 0 0 0 0.45 0.2 0 0 0.2 0.2 0 ...
## $ Profit : num 41.91 219.58 6.87 -383.03 2.52 ...
```

3. Changing Order date and Shipping Date into “Date” format

```
library(lubridate)
```

```
## Warning: package 'lubridate' was built under R version 3.4.3
```

```
##
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```
## Attaching package: 'lubridate'
```

```
## The following object is masked from 'package:plyr':
```

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##
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## here
```

```
## The following object is masked from 'package:base':
##
##      date

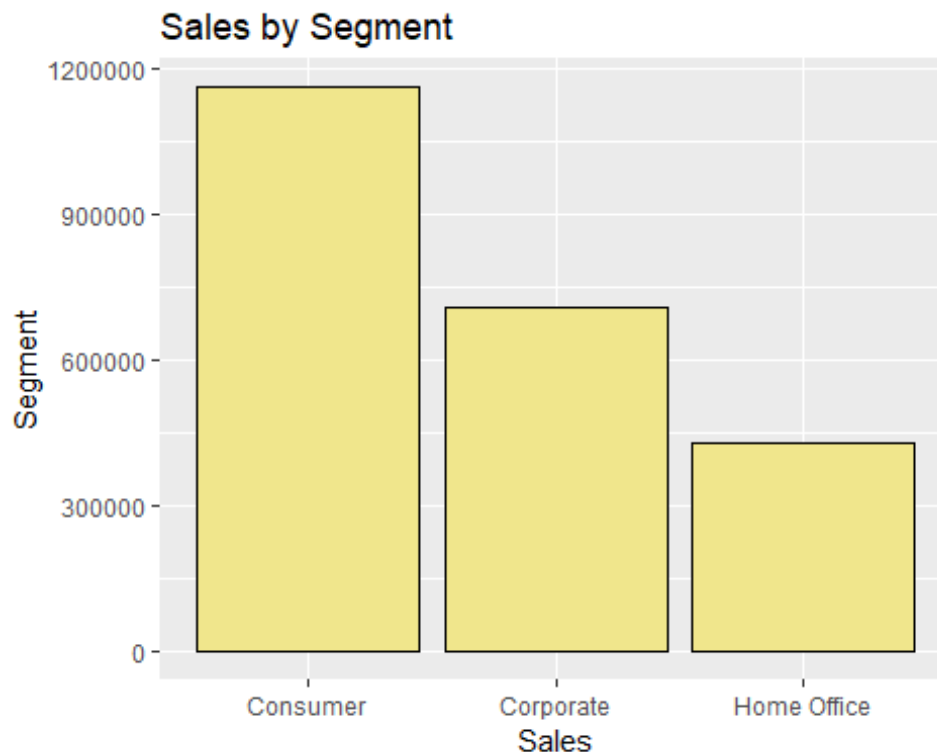
dataNW$Order.Date<-as.Date(dataNW$Order.Date, '%m/%d/%Y')
dataNW$Ship.Date<-as.Date(dataNW$Ship.Date, '%m/%d/%Y')
```

4. Data Visualization to check the Highest Sales with respect to Segment

```
segment_sale = aggregate(Sales ~ Segment, data = dataNW, sum)
segment_sale

##      Segment      Sales
## 1   Consumer 1161401.3
## 2   Corporate  706146.4
## 3 Home Office  429653.1

ggplot(segment_sale, aes(x = Segment, y = Sales)) + geom_bar(stat =
"identity", fill = 'khaki', colour = 'black') + ggtitle("Sales by Segment") +
labs(y = "Segment", x =
"Sales")
```



We can that Sales in Consumer Sector is Highest

Time Series Forecasting

1. Segment- Counsumer:

Extracting the Order Date and Sales filtered with Segment- Consumer.

```
library(dplyr)
Consumer<-dataNW %>%
  select(Order.Date, Sales) %>%
  filter(dataNW$Segment == "Consumer")

## Warning: package 'bindrcpp' was built under R version 3.4.3

## Warning: `as_dictionary()` is soft-deprecated as of rlang 0.3.0.
## Please use `as_data_pronoun()` instead
## This warning is displayed once per session.

## Warning: `new_overscope()` is soft-deprecated as of rlang 0.2.0.
## Please use `new_data_mask()` instead
## This warning is displayed once per session.

## Warning: The `parent` argument of `new_data_mask()` is deprecated.
## The parent of the data mask is determined from either:
##
## * The `env` argument of `eval_tidy()`
## * Quosure environments when applicable
## This warning is displayed once per session.

## Warning: `overscope_clean()` is soft-deprecated as of rlang 0.2.0.
## This warning is displayed once per session.
```

Displaying the data order by Order_Date:

```
counsumer<-Consumer[order(as.Date(Consumer$Order.Date, "%m/%d/%Y"),
decreasing = FALSE),]
tail(counsumer)

##      Order.Date  Sales
## 4034 2017-12-29 300.980
## 4035 2017-12-29 258.750
## 504   2017-12-30 323.136
## 505   2017-12-30  90.930
## 506   2017-12-30  52.776
## 2710 2017-12-30   3.024
```

Adding Year and Month

```
counsumer$year <- format(as.Date(counsumer$Order.Date), "%Y")
counsumer$month <- format(as.Date(counsumer$Order.Date), "%m")

head(counsumer)

##      Order.Date  Sales year month
## 4183 2014-01-03 16.448 2014    01
## 967  2014-01-05 19.536 2014    01
## 2841 2014-01-06 19.440 2014    01
## 4041 2014-01-07 76.728 2014    01
```

```
## 4042 2014-01-07 10.430 2014 01
## 337 2014-01-09 9.344 2014 01
```

Using SQL Package to select year and month and the total sales order by year and month

```
library(sqldf)

## Warning: package 'sqldf' was built under R version 3.4.4
## Loading required package: gsubfn
## Warning: package 'gsubfn' was built under R version 3.4.4
## Loading required package: proto
## Warning: package 'proto' was built under R version 3.4.4
## Loading required package: RSQLite
## Warning: package 'RSQLite' was built under R version 3.4.4

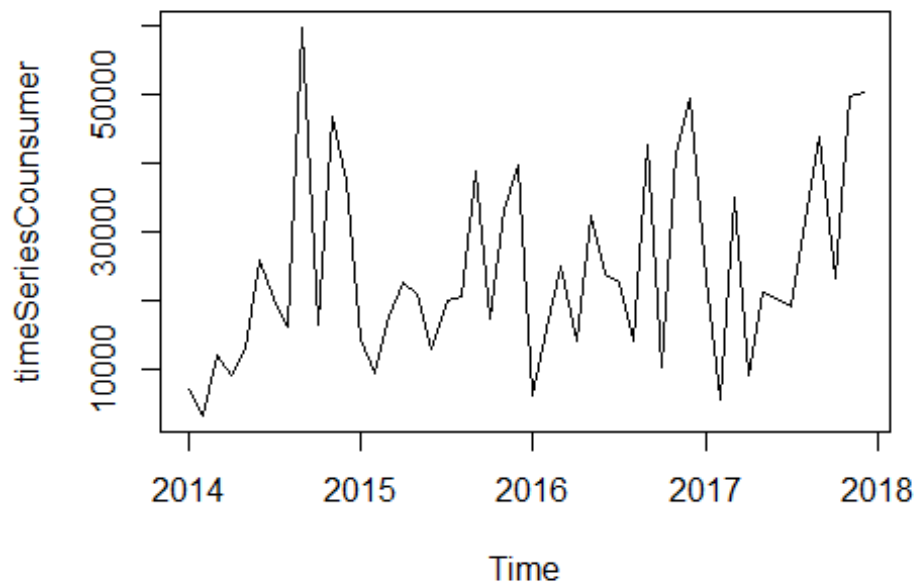
counsumer<-sqldf("select year, month, sum(Sales) as Month_Sales from
counsumer group by year, month order by year, month")
tail(counsumer)

##   year month Month_Sales
## 43 2017    07   18991.37
## 44 2017    08   31629.14
## 45 2017    09   43857.20
## 46 2017    10   23194.24
## 47 2017    11   49790.06
## 48 2017    12   50232.46
```

Analysis- Total sum of Sales in December 2017 is \$50232.46

Changing the data into time series-

```
timeSeriesCounsumer<-ts(counsumer$Month_Sales,
frequency=12,start=c(2014,1),end=c(2017,12))
plot(timeSeriesCounsumer)
```



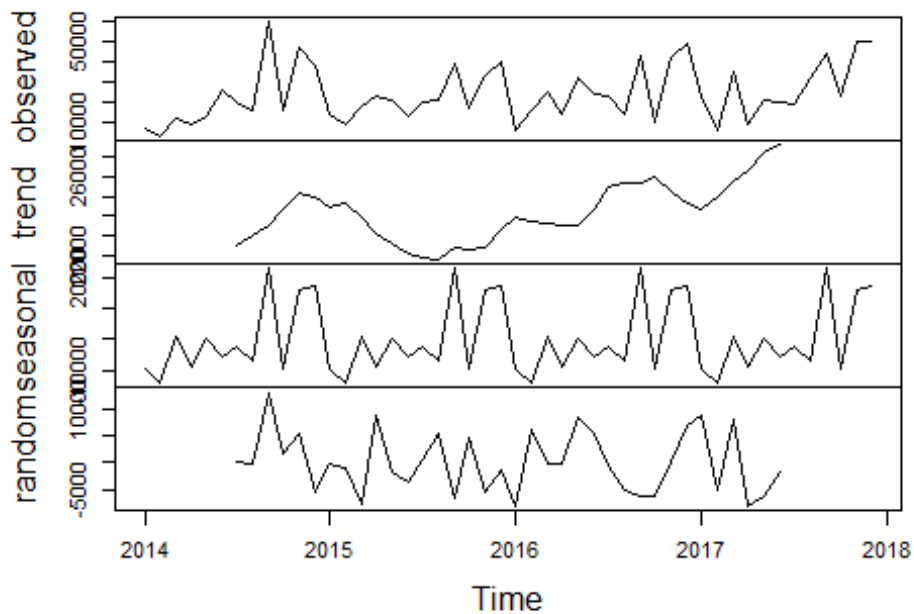
```
head(timeSeriesCounsumer)
```

```
## [1] 6927.817 3167.854 11869.304 9108.612 12819.163 25923.748
```

There is Seasonality on the time series

```
decompose_consumer<-decompose(timeSeriesCounsumer)  
plot(decompose_consumer)
```

Decomposition of additive time series



TIME SERIES FORECASTING

Simple Smoothing

For next 2 years:

```
library(forecast)

## Warning: package 'forecast' was built under R version 3.4.3
##
## Attaching package: 'forecast'
##
## The following object is masked from 'package:ggplot2':
##
##   autolayer

simple_smoothing1 <- forecast(timeSeriesCounsumer)
summary(simple_smoothing1)

##
## Forecast method: ETS(A,N,A)
##
## Model Information:
## ETS(A,N,A)
##
## Call:
## ets(y = object, lambda = lambda, allow.multiplicative.trend =
```



```

allow.multiplicative.trend)
##
## Smoothing parameters:
##   alpha = 0.0894
##   gamma = 1e-04
##
## Initial states:
##   l = 22511.2417
##   s=17756.47 16285.89 -9597.991 22523.04 -5569.22 -2499.559
##         -5228.508 35.49 -8440.917 1294.956 -14603 -11956.65
##
##   sigma: 6417.444
##
##       AIC      AICc      BIC
## 1057.428 1072.428 1085.496
##
## Error measures:
##               ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE
## Training set 1031.312 6417.444 5317.537 -7.274554 29.98308 0.6618447
##               ACF1
## Training set -0.04539999
##
## Forecasts:
##      Point Forecast      Lo 80      Hi 80      Lo 95      Hi 95
## Jan 2018      14981.81  6757.521 23206.09  2403.8474 27559.77
## Feb 2018      12334.80  4077.697 20591.90  -293.3479 24962.94
## Mar 2018      28231.94 19942.149 36521.72 15553.8014 40910.07
## Apr 2018      18496.60 10174.255 26818.94  5768.6730 31224.53
## May 2018      26972.85 18618.079 35327.63 14195.3285 39750.38
## Jun 2018      21710.60 13323.520 30097.68  8883.6693 34537.53
## Jul 2018      24438.23 16018.969 32857.49 11562.0820 37314.37
## Aug 2018      21369.85 12918.536 29821.17  8444.6784 34295.03
## Sep 2018      49461.04 40977.786 57944.30 36487.0225 62435.06
## Oct 2018      17341.01  8825.935 25856.08  4318.3275 30363.69
## Nov 2018      43224.85 34678.082 51771.62 30153.6947 56296.01
## Dec 2018      44695.30 36116.874 53273.72 31575.7311 57814.87
## Jan 2019      14981.81  6371.917 23591.70  1814.1171 28149.50
## Feb 2019      12334.80  3693.558 20976.04  -880.8389 25550.44
## Mar 2019      28231.94 19559.457 36904.41 14968.5243 41495.35
## Apr 2019      18496.60  9792.995 27200.20  5185.5850 31807.61
## May 2019      26972.85 18238.233 35707.47 13614.4053 40331.30
## Jun 2019      21710.60 12945.075 30476.12  8304.8869 35116.31
## Jul 2019      24438.23 15641.908 33234.55 10985.4169 37891.04
## Aug 2019      21369.85 12542.844 30196.86  7870.1074 34869.60
## Sep 2019      49461.04 40603.449 58318.63 35914.5231 63007.56
## Oct 2019      17341.01  8452.937 26229.08  3747.8774 30934.14
## Nov 2019      43224.85 34306.411 52143.30 29585.2720 56864.44
## Dec 2019      44695.30 35746.517 53644.08 31009.3188 58381.28

```

December 2017 Total Sale in December is 50232.46

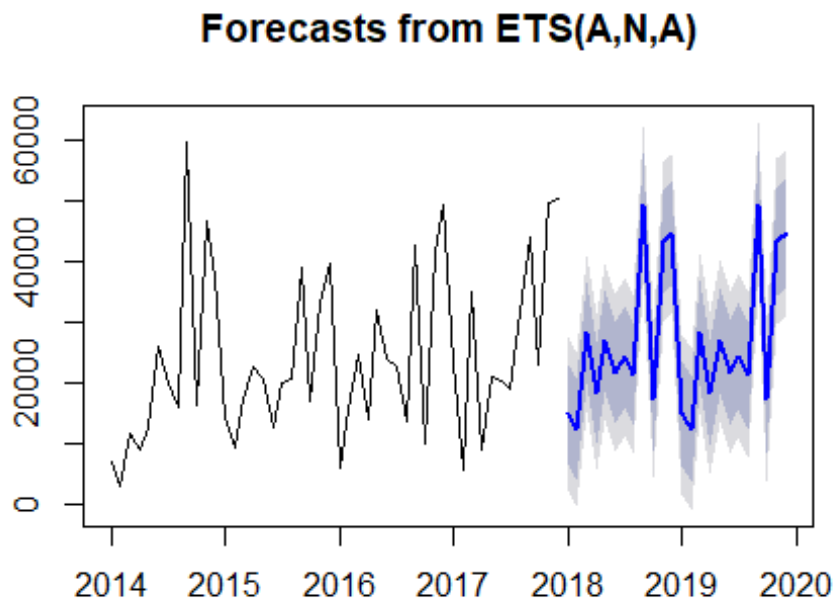
After 1 year, forecasted sale would be 44695.30

$50232.46 - 44695.30 / 50232.46 = 11\%$

```
accuracy(simple_smoothing1)

##              ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE
## Training set 1031.312 6417.444 5317.537 -7.274554 29.98308 0.6618447
##              ACF1
## Training set -0.04539999

plot(simple_smoothing1)
```



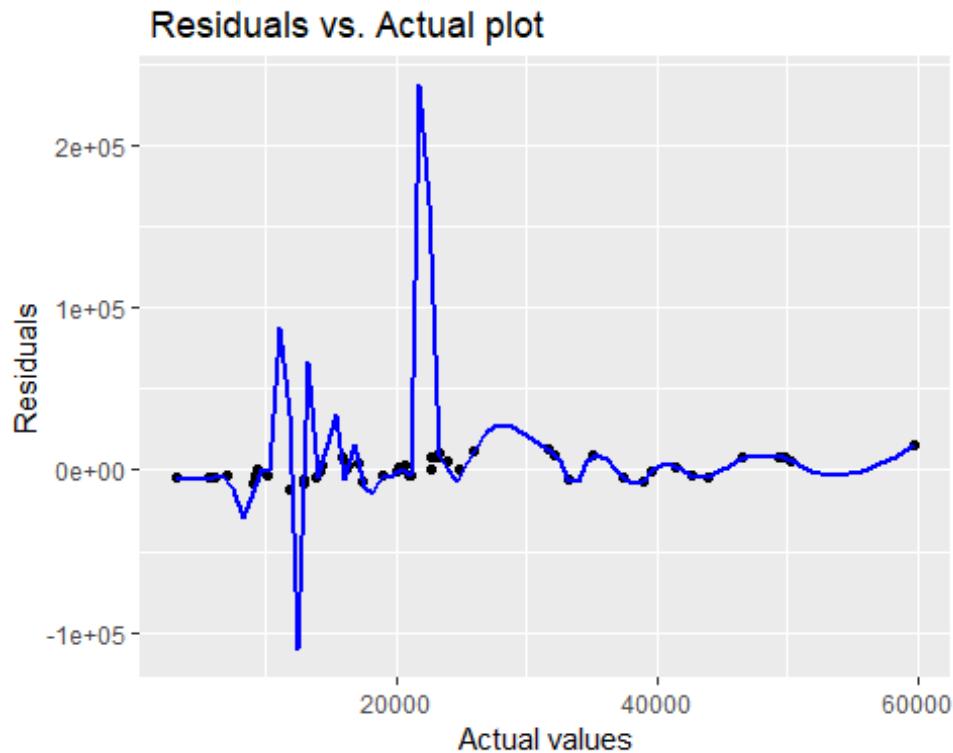
Plot Between Actual and Residual:

```
library(ggplot2)
qplot(y = simple_smoothing1$residuals, x = timeSeriesCounsumer,
      ylab = "Residuals", xlab = "Actual values",
      main = "Residuals vs. Actual plot") +
  stat_smooth(method = "loess", span = 0.1, colour = I("blue"), se = FALSE)

## Don't know how to automatically pick scale for object of type ts.
## Defaulting to continuous.
## Don't know how to automatically pick scale for object of type ts.
## Defaulting to continuous.

## Warning in simpleLoess(y, x, w, span, degree = degree, parametric =
## parametric, : Chernobyl! trL>n 48
```

```
## Warning in simpleLoess(y, x, w, span, degree = degree, parametric =
## parametric, : Chernobyl! trL>n 48
## Warning in sqrt(sum.squares/one.delta): NaNs produced
```



Since the sales of Cousmer might fall down 1 year later- Lets check the forecast of Cosummer in the three 3 Regions :

FOR SOUTH

```
library(dplyr)
Consumer_South<-dataNW %>%
  select(Order.Date, Sales) %>%
  filter(dataNW$Segment == "Consumer",dataNW$Region=="South")
tail(Consumer_South)

##      Order.Date   Sales
## 833 2017-07-16 242.352
## 834 2014-11-06  43.680
## 835 2014-08-12  14.040
## 836 2014-08-12 272.610
## 837 2015-09-06  85.980
## 838 2014-01-21  25.248
```

```
Consumer_South<-Consumer_South[order(as.Date(Consumer_South$Order.Date,
"%m/%d/%Y"), decreasing = FALSE),]
tail(Consumer_South)
```

```
##      Order.Date   Sales
## 771 2017-12-25  120.00
## 641 2017-12-29 1207.84
## 642 2017-12-29   12.53
## 643 2017-12-29   34.58
## 644 2017-12-29  300.98
## 645 2017-12-29  258.75
```

```
Consumer_South$year <- format(as.Date(Consumer_South$Order.Date), "%Y")
Consumer_South$month <- format(as.Date(Consumer_South$Order.Date), "%m")
```

```
head(Consumer_South)
```

```
##      Order.Date   Sales year month
## 229 2014-01-13  545.94 2014     01
## 145 2014-01-15  149.95 2014     01
## 86  2014-01-20  699.93 2014     01
## 87  2014-01-20   22.96 2014     01
## 88  2014-01-20   38.60 2014     01
## 89  2014-01-20    6.63 2014     01
```

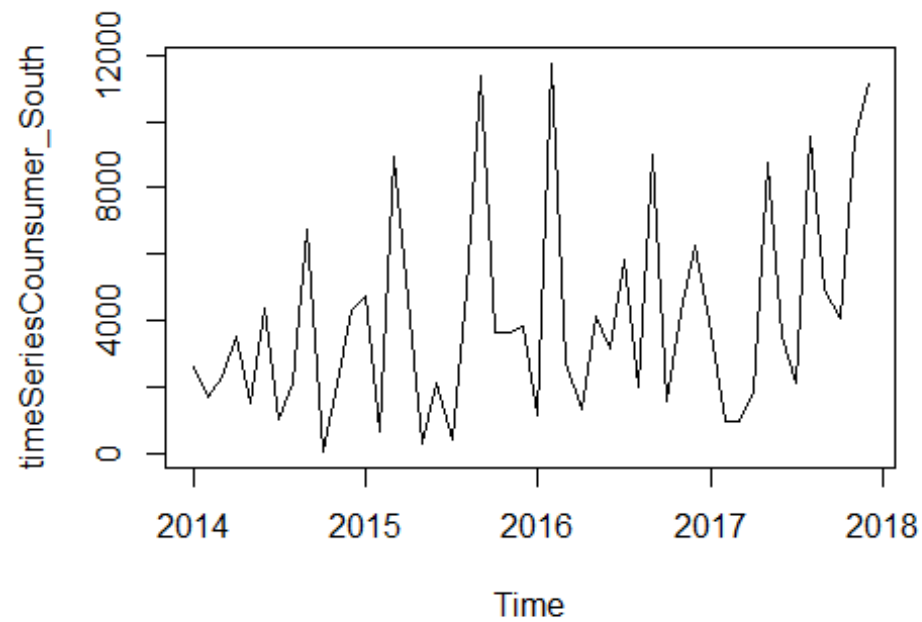
```
library(sqldf)
```

```
Consumer_South<-sqldf("select year, month, sum(Sales) as Month_Sales from
Consumer_South group by year, month order by year, month")
tail(Consumer_South)
```

```
##      year month Month_Sales
## 43 2017     07   2143.372
## 44 2017     08   9568.338
## 45 2017     09   4910.376
## 46 2017     10   4075.180
## 47 2017     11   9475.910
## 48 2017     12  11159.322
```

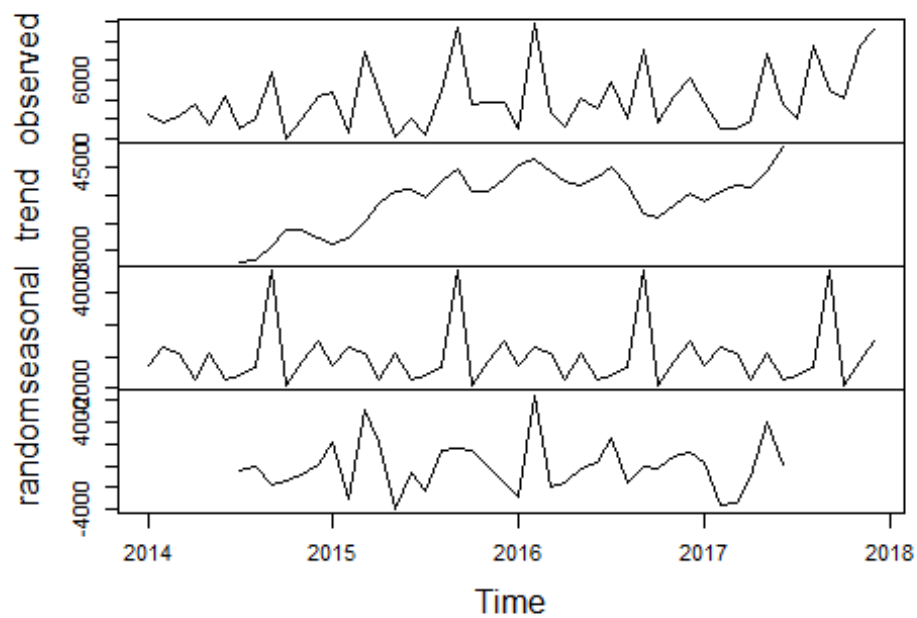
Sum of Total Sales for Counsumer Segment in South in December 2017 is \$11159.3222

```
timeSeriesCounsumer_South<-ts(Consumer_South$Month_Sales,
frequency=12,start=c(2014,1),end=c(2017,12))
plot(timeSeriesCounsumer_South)
```



```
decompose_consumer_south<-decompose(timeSeriesCounsumer_South)
plot(decompose_consumer_south)
```

Decomposition of additive time series



TIME SERIES FORECASTING

Simple Smoothing

For next 2 years:

```
library(forecast)
simple_smoothing1_south <- forecast(timeSeriesCounsumer_South)
summary(simple_smoothing1_south)

##
## Forecast method: ETS(M,A,N)
##
## Model Information:
## ETS(M,A,N)
##
## Call:
## ets(y = object, lambda = lambda, allow.multiplicative.trend =
allow.multiplicative.trend)
##
## Smoothing parameters:
##   alpha = 0.0127
##   beta  = 1e-04
##
## Initial states:
##   l = 2330.6528
##   b = 69.477
##
## sigma: 0.7269
##
##      AIC      AICc      BIC
## 959.4379 960.8665 968.7939
##
## Error measures:
##              ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE
## Training set 38.47471 2954.568 2338.515 -214.7548 244.0591 0.692449
##              ACF1
## Training set -0.1299707
##
## Forecasts:
##      Point Forecast      Lo 80      Hi 80      Lo 95      Hi 95
## Jan 2018      5759.238 394.3470 11124.13 -2445.654 13964.13
## Feb 2018      5828.899 398.4500 11259.35 -2476.256 14134.05
## Mar 2018      5898.561 402.5423 11394.58 -2506.874 14304.00
## Apr 2018      5968.223 406.6240 11529.82 -2537.508 14473.95
## May 2018      6037.884 410.6948 11665.07 -2568.159 14643.93
## Jun 2018      6107.546 414.7545 11800.34 -2598.827 14813.92
## Jul 2018      6177.208 418.8032 11935.61 -2629.512 14983.93
## Aug 2018      6246.869 422.8405 12070.90 -2660.214 15153.95
## Sep 2018      6316.531 426.8664 12206.20 -2690.934 15324.00
## Oct 2018      6386.193 430.8807 12341.50 -2721.671 15494.06
```

## Nov 2018	6455.854	434.8834	12476.83	-2752.426	15664.14
## Dec 2018	6525.516	438.8742	12612.16	-2783.199	15834.23
## Jan 2019	6595.178	442.8530	12747.50	-2813.991	16004.35
## Feb 2019	6664.839	446.8197	12882.86	-2844.801	16174.48
## Mar 2019	6734.501	450.7742	13018.23	-2875.630	16344.63
## Apr 2019	6804.163	454.7164	13153.61	-2906.478	16514.80
## May 2019	6873.825	458.6460	13289.00	-2937.344	16684.99
## Jun 2019	6943.486	462.5630	13424.41	-2968.230	16855.20
## Jul 2019	7013.148	466.4673	13559.83	-2999.136	17025.43
## Aug 2019	7082.810	470.3587	13695.26	-3030.061	17195.68
## Sep 2019	7152.471	474.2371	13830.71	-3061.006	17365.95
## Oct 2019	7222.133	478.1024	13966.16	-3091.972	17536.24
## Nov 2019	7291.795	481.9544	14101.63	-3122.957	17706.55
## Dec 2019	7361.456	485.7930	14237.12	-3153.963	17876.88

After 1 year forecast of total sales would be \$6525.516

2. For Central

```
library(dplyr)
Consumer_Central<-dataNW %>%
  select(Order.Date, Sales) %>%
  filter(dataNW$Segment == "Consumer",dataNW$Region=="Central")

tail(Consumer_Central)

##      Order.Date   Sales
## 1207 2017-01-29  13.480
## 1208 2017-01-29  14.910
## 1209 2017-05-06 191.968
## 1210 2016-09-11  99.568
## 1211 2016-09-22  35.560
## 1212 2016-09-22  97.980

Consumer_Central<-Consumer_Central[order(as.Date(Consumer_Central$Order.Date,
"%m/%d/%Y"), decreasing = FALSE),]
tail(Consumer_Central)

##      Order.Date   Sales
## 941 2017-12-25 31.7440
## 942 2017-12-25 40.9800
## 943 2017-12-25  3.1680
## 124 2017-12-26 44.7500
## 121 2017-12-28 27.1680
## 122 2017-12-28 78.8528

Consumer_Central$year <- format(as.Date(Consumer_Central$Order.Date), "%Y")
Consumer_Central$month <- format(as.Date(Consumer_Central$Order.Date), "%m")

head(Consumer_Central)
```

```
##      Order.Date  Sales year month
## 948 2014-01-03 16.448 2014    01
## 913 2014-01-07 76.728 2014    01
## 914 2014-01-07 10.430 2014    01
## 80   2014-01-09  9.344 2014    01
## 81   2014-01-09 31.200 2014    01
## 762 2014-01-20 13.980 2014    01
```

```
library(sqldf)
```

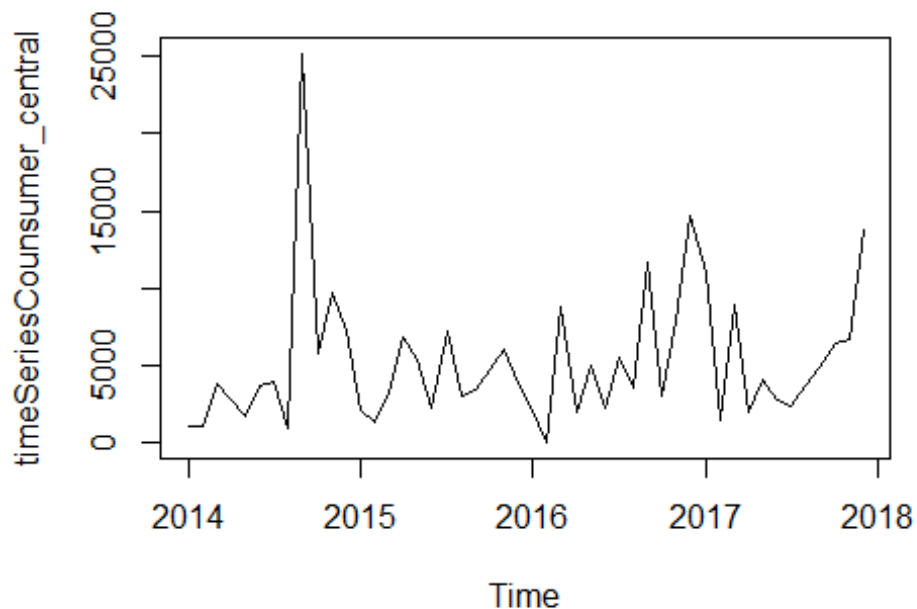
```
Consumer_Central<-sqldf("select year, month, sum(Sales) as Month_Sales from
Consumer_Central group by year, month order by year, month")
```

```
tail(Consumer_Central)
```

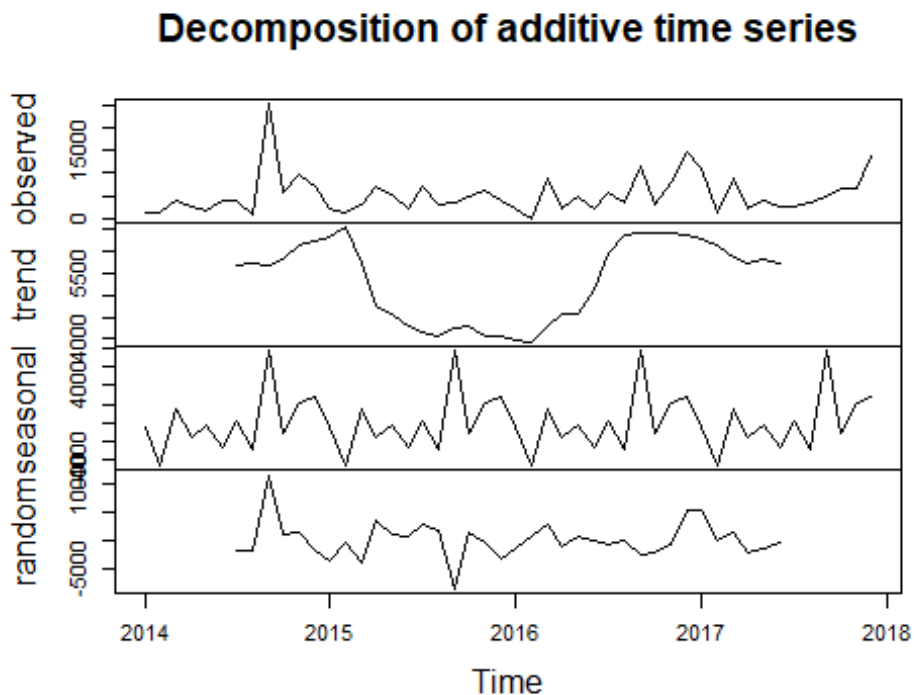
```
##      year month Month_Sales
## 43 2017     07   2444.300
## 44 2017     08   3685.180
## 45 2017     09   4918.147
## 46 2017     10   6455.635
## 47 2017     11   6666.942
## 48 2017     12  13793.727
```

Total Sum of Sales in December 2017 is \$13793.727 for Counsmer Segment in Central region

```
timeSeriesCounsumer_central<-ts(Consumer_Central$Month_Sales,
frequency=12,start=c(2014,1),end=c(2017,12))
plot(timeSeriesCounsumer_central)
```




```
decompose_consumer_central<-decompose(timeSeriesCounsumer_central)
plot(decompose_consumer_central)
```



There is no trend

but there is sesonality.

TIME SERIES FORECASTING

Simple Smoothing

For next 2 years:

```
library(forecast)
simple_smoothing1_central <- forecast(timeSeriesCounsumer_central)
summary(simple_smoothing1_central)

##
## Forecast method: ETS(M,N,M)
##
## Model Information:
## ETS(M,N,M)
##
## Call:
## ets(y = object, lambda = lambda, allow.multiplicative.trend =
allow.multiplicative.trend)
##
## Smoothing parameters:
##   alpha = 1e-04
##   gamma = 1e-04
```

```
##
## Initial states:
## l = 5336.0278
## s=1.7751 1.249 0.8951 2.4845 0.5117 0.8457
##      0.4432 0.7023 0.6477 1.1667 0.1873 1.0917
##
## sigma: 0.4815
##
##      AIC      AICc      BIC
## 951.3362 966.3362 979.4042
##
## Error measures:
##              ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE
## Training set -84.98732 3422.136 2348.882 -58.4567 86.25298 0.7611872
##              ACF1
## Training set 0.02228257
##
## Forecasts:
##      Point Forecast      Lo 80      Hi 80      Lo 95      Hi 95
## Jan 2018      5824.9671 2230.2999 9419.634 327.39805 11322.536
## Feb 2018      999.4334 382.6693 1616.198 56.17414 1942.693
## Mar 2018      6225.8723 2383.8010 10067.944 349.93125 12101.813
## Apr 2018      3456.4686 1323.4343 5589.503 194.27418 6718.663
## May 2018      3747.9618 1435.0431 6060.881 210.65782 7285.266
## Jun 2018      2365.1504 905.5836 3824.717 132.93555 4597.365
## Jul 2018      4513.2703 1728.0691 7298.472 253.67267 8772.868
## Aug 2018      2730.4477 1045.4509 4415.445 153.46741 5307.428
## Sep 2018      13257.3473 5076.0558 21438.639 745.14173 25769.553
## Oct 2018      4776.6902 1828.9289 7724.452 268.47836 9284.902
## Nov 2018      6665.4715 2552.1172 10778.826 374.63904 12956.304
## Dec 2018      9472.7526 3626.9865 15318.519 532.42484 18413.080
## Jan 2019      5824.9671 2230.2996 9419.635 327.39754 11322.537
## Feb 2019      999.4334 382.6693 1616.198 56.17405 1942.693
## Mar 2019      6225.8723 2383.8006 10067.944 349.93070 12101.814
## Apr 2019      3456.4686 1323.4341 5589.503 194.27388 6718.663
## May 2019      3747.9618 1435.0428 6060.881 210.65749 7285.266
## Jun 2019      2365.1504 905.5834 3824.717 132.93534 4597.365
## Jul 2019      4513.2703 1728.0689 7298.472 253.67228 8772.868
## Aug 2019      2730.4477 1045.4507 4415.445 153.46717 5307.428
## Sep 2019      13257.3474 5076.0551 21438.640 745.14055 25769.554
## Oct 2019      4776.6902 1828.9287 7724.452 268.47793 9284.903
## Nov 2019      6665.4715 2552.1169 10778.826 374.63845 12956.305
## Dec 2019      9472.7526 3626.9860 15318.519 532.42400 18413.081
```

Forecast of Total sales after 1 year would be \$9472.7526

3. FOR WEST

```
library(dplyr)
```

```
Consumer_West<-dataNW %>%
```

```

select(Order.Date, Sales) %>%
filter(dataNW$Segment == "Consumer", dataNW$Region=="West")

tail(Consumer_West)

##      Order.Date    Sales
## 1667 2017-10-06    9.344
## 1668 2016-09-29   36.240
## 1669 2017-02-26   91.960
## 1670 2017-02-26  258.576
## 1671 2017-02-26   29.600
## 1672 2017-05-04  243.160

Consumer_West<-Consumer_West[order(as.Date(Consumer_West$Order.Date,
"%m/%d/%Y"), decreasing = FALSE),]
tail(Consumer_West)

##      Order.Date    Sales
## 1400 2017-12-28    4.280
## 336  2017-12-29  393.568
## 337  2017-12-29  302.376
## 960  2017-12-29   19.600
## 961  2017-12-29   68.460
## 898  2017-12-30    3.024

Consumer_West$year <- format(as.Date(Consumer_West$Order.Date), "%Y")
Consumer_West$month <- format(as.Date(Consumer_West$Order.Date), "%m")

head(Consumer_West)

##      Order.Date    Sales year month
## 934 2014-01-06   19.440 2014    01
## 862 2014-01-13 1325.850 2014    01
## 863 2014-01-13  333.999 2014    01
## 864 2014-01-13   19.900 2014    01
## 965 2014-01-19   32.340 2014    01
## 966 2014-01-19   56.064 2014    01

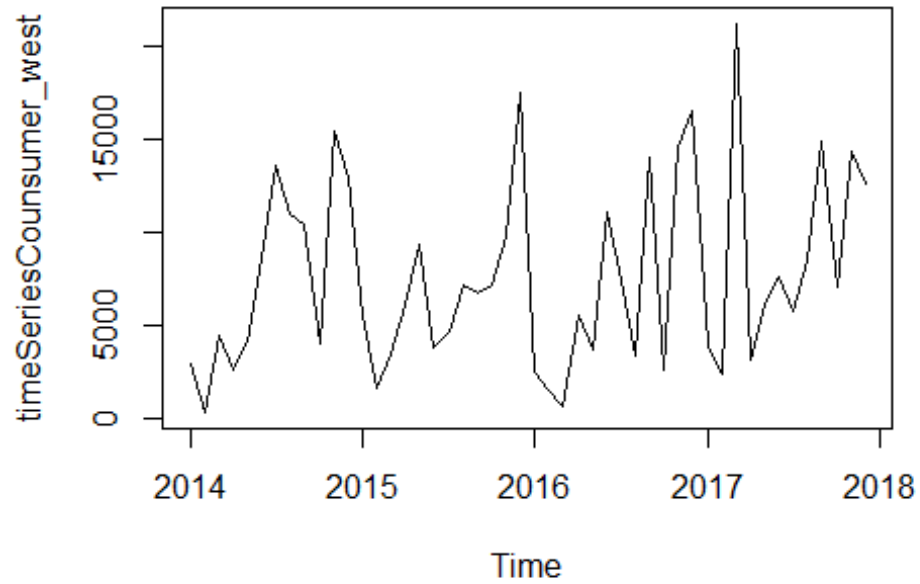
library(sqldf)
Consumer_West<-sqldf("select year, month, sum(Sales) as Month_Sales from
Consumer_West group by year, month order by year, month")
tail(Consumer_West)

##      year month Month_Sales
## 43 2017     07   5730.812
## 44 2017     08   8444.222
## 45 2017     09  14898.420
## 46 2017     10   7013.451
## 47 2017     11  14295.271
## 48 2017     12  12589.989

```

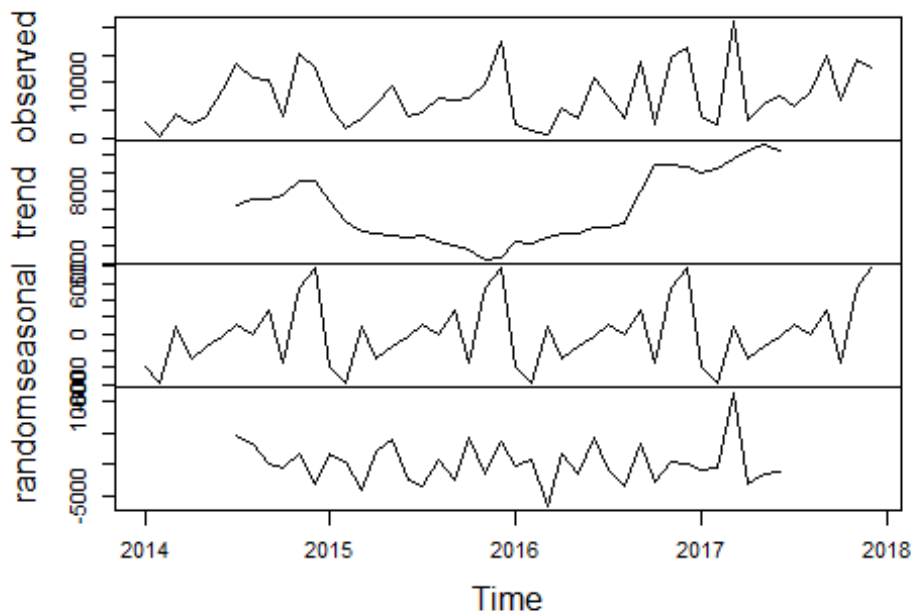
Total Sales in December 2017 is \$12589.989

```
timeSeriesCounsumer_west<-ts(Consumer_West$Month_Sales,  
frequency=12,start=c(2014,1),end=c(2017,12))  
plot(timeSeriesCounsumer_west)
```



```
decompose_consumer_west<-decompose(timeSeriesCounsumer_west)  
plot(decompose_consumer_west)
```

Decomposition of additive time series



TIME SERIES FORECASTING

Simple Smoothing

For next 2 years:

```
library(forecast)
simple_smoothing1_west <- forecast(timeSeriesCounsumer_west)
summary(simple_smoothing1_west)

##
## Forecast method: ETS(M,N,M)
##
## Model Information:
## ETS(M,N,M)
##
## Call:
## ets(y = object, lambda = lambda, allow.multiplicative.trend =
allow.multiplicative.trend)
##
## Smoothing parameters:
##   alpha = 5e-04
##   gamma = 1e-04
##
## Initial states:
##   l = 7060.744
##   s=1.6411 1.7225 0.6817 1.36 1.0907 1.0313
```

```
##          0.983 0.7391 0.6657 1.3756 0.2322 0.477
##
##  sigma: 0.4476
##
##          AIC          AICc          BIC
##  977.2084  992.2084 1005.2764
##
## Error measures:
##              ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE
## Training set 499.7869 3508.182 2613.277 -48.36256 75.6766 0.6726323
##              ACF1
## Training set -0.02950972
##
## Forecasts:
##      Point Forecast      Lo 80      Hi 80      Lo 95      Hi 95
## Jan 2018      3372.676 1438.0003  5307.352  413.8448  6331.508
## Feb 2018      1641.411  699.8447  2582.978  201.4094  3081.413
## Mar 2018      9724.167 4146.0694 15302.266 1193.2027 18255.132
## Apr 2018      4706.303 2006.6144  7405.992  577.4856  8835.120
## May 2018      5225.699 2228.0673  8223.330  641.2171  9810.181
## Jun 2018      6949.518 2963.0468 10935.989  852.7365 13046.299
## Jul 2018      7290.967 3108.6289 11473.306  894.6327 13687.302
## Aug 2018      7710.770 3287.6183 12133.922  946.1432 14475.397
## Sep 2018      9615.613 4099.7796 15131.447 1179.8738 18051.353
## Oct 2018      4819.576 2054.9075  7584.245  591.3803  9047.772
## Nov 2018     12177.834 5192.2235 19163.444 1494.2647 22861.403
## Dec 2018     11603.561 4947.3715 18259.751 1423.7976 21783.325
## Jan 2019      3372.676 1437.9962  5307.356  413.8385  6331.514
## Feb 2019      1641.411  699.8426  2582.980  201.4063  3081.416
## Mar 2019      9724.168 4146.0575 15302.278 1193.1844 18255.151
## Apr 2019      4706.303 2006.6086  7405.997  577.4767  8835.129
## May 2019      5225.699 2228.0609  8223.337  641.2072  9810.190
## Jun 2019      6949.518 2963.0382 10935.997  852.7234 13046.312
## Jul 2019      7290.967 3108.6200 11473.315  894.6190 13687.316
## Aug 2019      7710.770 3287.6088 12133.931  946.1286 14475.412
## Sep 2019      9615.613 4099.7679 15131.459 1179.8557 18051.371
## Oct 2019      4819.576 2054.9016  7584.251  591.3713  9047.781
## Nov 2019     12177.834 5192.2086 19163.460 1494.2418 22861.426
## Dec 2019     11603.561 4947.3573 18259.765 1423.7757 21783.347
```

Forecast of Total Sales after 1 year would be \$11603.561

4. FOR EAST

```
library(dplyr)
Consumer_East<-dataNW %>%
  select(Order.Date, Sales) %>%
  filter(dataNW$Segment == "Consumer",dataNW$Region=="East")
tail(Consumer_East)
```

```
##      Order.Date  Sales
## 1464 2017-12-11  40.20
## 1465 2017-12-11 735.98
## 1466 2017-12-11  22.75
## 1467 2017-08-03  16.52
## 1468 2015-05-17  31.50
## 1469 2015-05-17  55.60
```

```
Consumer_East<-Consumer_East[order(as.Date(Consumer_East$Order.Date,
"%m/%d/%Y"), decreasing = FALSE),]
tail(Consumer_East)
```

```
##      Order.Date  Sales
## 90  2017-12-28  33.264
## 91  2017-12-28  14.850
## 469 2017-12-29   6.030
## 145 2017-12-30 323.136
## 146 2017-12-30  90.930
## 147 2017-12-30  52.776
```

```
Consumer_East$year <- format(as.Date(Consumer_East$Order.Date), "%Y")
Consumer_East$month <- format(as.Date(Consumer_East$Order.Date), "%m")
```

```
head(Consumer_East)
```

```
##      Order.Date  Sales year month
## 298 2014-01-05  19.536 2014    01
## 112 2014-01-11   9.940 2014    01
## 1418 2014-01-13  37.408 2014    01
## 1419 2014-01-13   3.438 2014    01
## 158 2014-01-16 127.104 2014    01
## 159 2014-01-16 124.200 2014    01
```

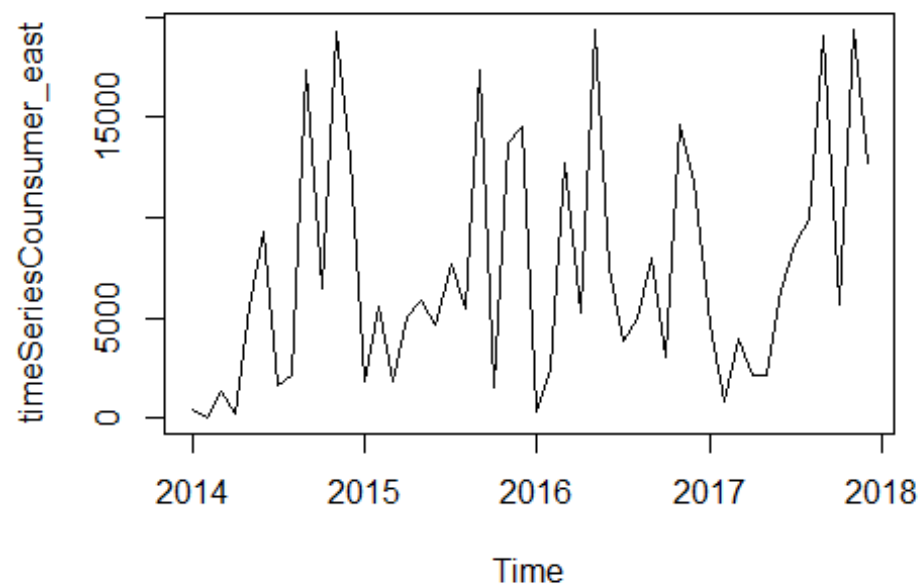
```
library(sqldf)
```

```
Consumer_East<-sqldf("select year, month, sum(Sales) as Month_Sales from
Consumer_East group by year, month order by year, month")
tail(Consumer_East)
```

```
##      year month Month_Sales
## 43 2017    07   8672.889
## 44 2017    08   9931.404
## 45 2017    09  19130.260
## 46 2017   10   5649.974
## 47 2017   11  19351.942
## 48 2017   12  12689.418
```

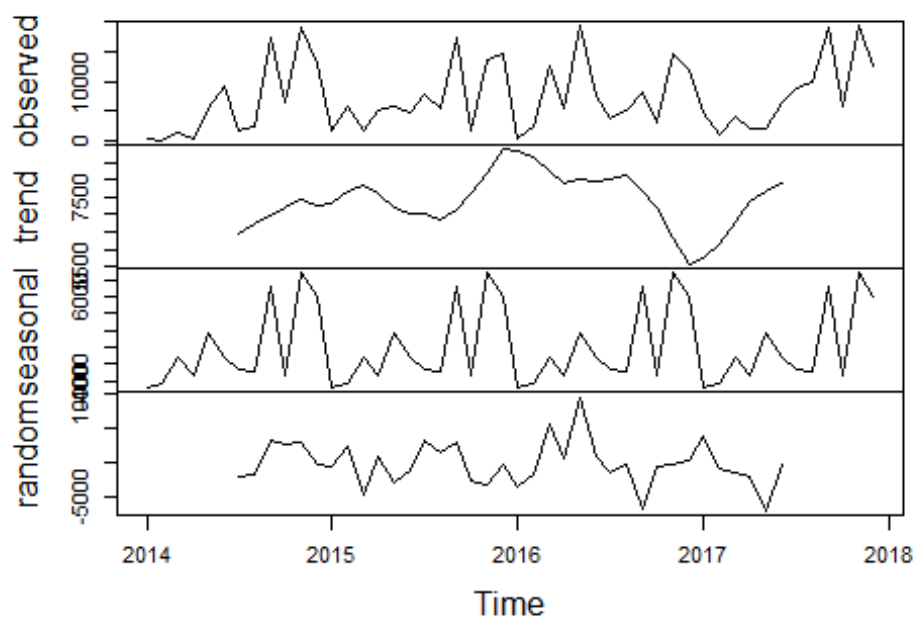
Total Sales in Decemeber 2017 is \$12689.418

```
timeSeriesCounsumer_east<-ts(Consumer_East$Month_Sales,
frequency=12,start=c(2014,1),end=c(2017,12))
plot(timeSeriesCounsumer_east)
```



```
decompose_consumer_east<-decompose(timeSeriesCounsumer_east)
plot(decompose_consumer_east)
```

Decomposition of additive time series



TIME SERIES FORECASTING

Simple Smoothing

For next 2 years:

```
library(forecast)
simple_smoothing1_central <- forecast(timeSeriesCounsumer_east)
summary(simple_smoothing1_central)

##
## Forecast method: ETS(A,N,A)
##
## Model Information:
## ETS(A,N,A)
##
## Call:
## ets(y = object, lambda = lambda, allow.multiplicative.trend =
allow.multiplicative.trend)
##
## Smoothing parameters:
##   alpha = 0.0214
##   gamma = 1e-04
##
## Initial states:
##   l = 6754.4662
##   s=6089.289 8780.633 -3445.884 7380.854 -2388.12 -2557.653
##           -1064.439 1725.577 -3288.694 -1254.146 -4308.31 -5669.105
##
##   sigma: 3359.383
##
##           AIC      AICc      BIC
## 995.2909 1010.2909 1023.3589
##
## Error measures:
##           ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE
## Training set 469.7282 3359.383 2642.819 -319.2025 352.151 0.6147263
##           ACF1
## Training set 0.2265991
##
## Forecasts:
##           Point Forecast      Lo 80      Hi 80      Lo 95      Hi 95
## Jan 2018      1568.976 -2736.2464  5874.199 -5015.2936  8153.246
## Feb 2018      2929.399 -1376.8125  7235.611 -3656.3834  9515.182
## Mar 2018      5983.428  1676.2271 10290.629 -603.8673 12570.723
## Apr 2018      3948.984 -359.2053  8257.174 -2639.8231 10537.792
## May 2018      8963.285 4654.1070 13272.463 2372.9660 15553.604
## Jun 2018      6173.864 1863.6981 10484.031 -417.9661 12765.695
## Jul 2018      4680.648  369.4938  8991.803 -1912.6935 11273.990
## Aug 2018      4850.170  538.0277  9162.312 -1744.6825 11445.022
## Sep 2018     14619.156 10306.0257 18932.285  8022.7927 21215.518
```

## Oct 2018	3792.229	-521.8885	8106.346	-2805.6442	10390.101
## Nov 2018	16018.881	11703.7764	20333.985	9419.4982	22618.263
## Dec 2018	13327.104	9011.0035	17643.204	6726.1979	19928.010
## Jan 2019	1568.976	-2748.1108	5886.063	-5033.4387	8171.391
## Feb 2019	2929.399	-1388.6742	7247.473	-3674.5242	9533.323
## Mar 2019	5983.428	1664.3681	10302.488	-622.0040	12588.860
## Apr 2019	3948.984	-371.0615	8269.030	-2657.9557	10555.924
## May 2019	8963.285	4642.2535	13284.317	2354.8375	15571.733
## Jun 2019	6173.864	1851.8473	10495.882	-436.0904	12783.819
## Jul 2019	4680.648	357.6456	9003.651	-1930.8137	11292.110
## Aug 2019	4850.170	526.1823	9174.158	-1762.7985	11463.138
## Sep 2019	14619.156	10294.1830	18944.128	8004.6809	21233.630
## Oct 2019	3792.229	-533.7286	8118.186	-2823.7520	10408.209
## Nov 2019	16018.881	11691.9391	20345.822	9401.3945	22636.367
## Dec 2019	13327.104	8999.1689	17655.039	6708.0985	19946.109

Forecast of Total Sales after 1 year would be \$13327.104

Sale in the Central Region is going high.

CORPORATE

```
library(dplyr)
Corporate<-dataNW %>%
  select(Order.Date, Sales) %>%
  filter(dataNW$Segment == "Corporate")

Corporate<-Corporate[order(as.Date(Corporate$Order.Date, "%m/%d/%Y"),
decreasing = FALSE),]
tail(Corporate)

##      Order.Date  Sales
## 1984 2017-12-28 113.372
## 1985 2017-12-28   2.960
## 1241 2017-12-29 209.700
## 1452 2017-12-29 101.120
## 365  2017-12-30  13.904
## 366  2017-12-30  20.720

Corporate$year <- format(as.Date(Corporate$Order.Date), "%Y")
Corporate$month <- format(as.Date(Corporate$Order.Date), "%m")

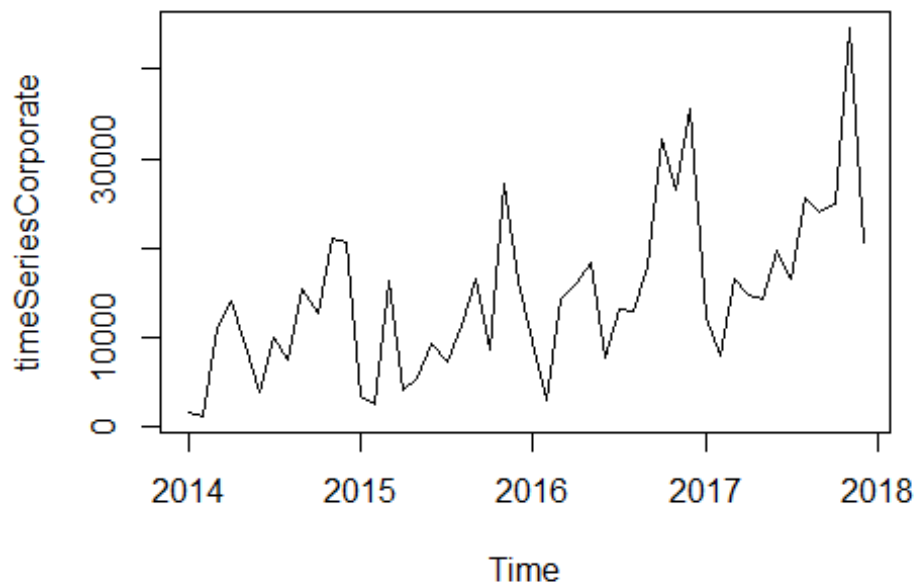
head(Corporate)

##      Order.Date  Sales year month
## 2115 2014-01-06  12.78 2014    01
## 252  2014-01-10   2.89 2014    01
## 253  2014-01-10  51.94 2014    01
## 214  2014-01-13  11.36 2014    01
## 215  2014-01-13  50.94 2014    01
## 216  2014-01-13 646.74 2014    01
```

```
library(sqldf)
Corporate<-sqldf("select year, month, sum(Sales) as Month_Sales from
Corporate group by year, month order by year, month")
tail(Corporate)

##   year month Month_Sales
## 43 2017    07   16525.60
## 44 2017    08   25678.44
## 45 2017    09   24105.10
## 46 2017    10   24877.17
## 47 2017    11   44644.08
## 48 2017    12   20524.43

timeSeriesCorporate<-ts(Corporate$Month_Sales,
frequency=12,start=c(2014,1),end=c(2017,12))
plot(timeSeriesCorporate)
```

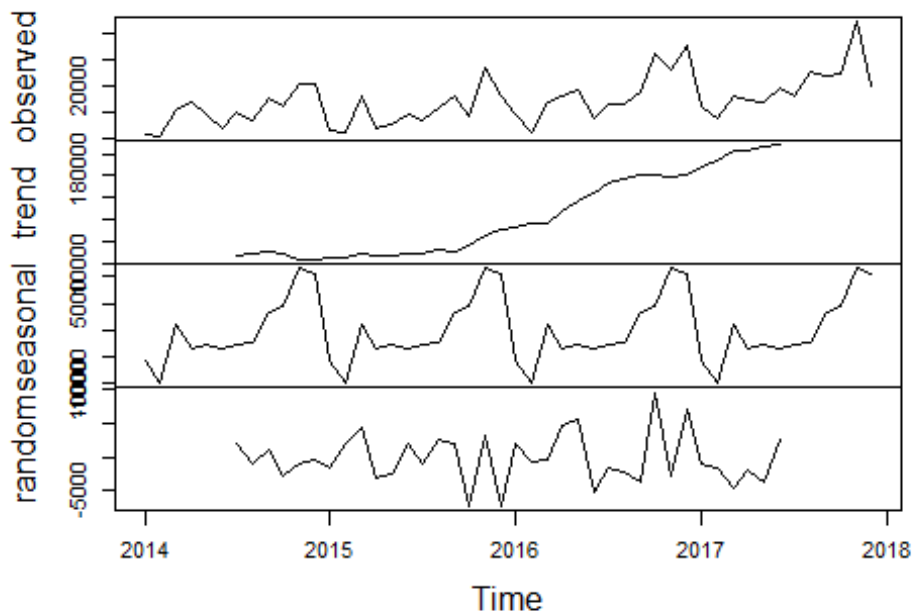


```
head(timeSeriesCorporate)

##           Jan           Feb           Mar           Apr           May           Jun
## 2014  1701.528  1183.668  11106.799  14131.729  9142.000  3970.914

timeSeriesCorporate_decompose<-decompose(timeSeriesCorporate)
plot(timeSeriesCorporate_decompose)
```

Decomposition of additive time series



```
simple_smoothing2 <- forecast(timeSeriesCorporate)
summary(simple_smoothing2)

##
## Forecast method: ETS(M,N,M)
##
## Model Information:
## ETS(M,N,M)
##
## Call:
## ets(y = object, lambda = lambda, allow.multiplicative.trend =
allow.multiplicative.trend)
##
## Smoothing parameters:
##   alpha = 0.1973
##   gamma = 3e-04
##
## Initial states:
##   l = 11069.1814
##   s=1.5103 1.8084 1.2989 1.1727 0.8978 0.7807
##       0.7659 0.8646 0.9993 1.1011 0.2643 0.536
##
## sigma: 0.3688
##
##      AIC      AICc      BIC
## 1018.479 1033.479 1046.547
##
```

```
## Error measures:
##           ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE
## Training set 1030.707 4919.005 3845.256 -9.17516 35.99377 0.607545
##           ACF1
## Training set -0.2638244
##
## Forecasts:
##           Point Forecast      Lo 80      Hi 80      Lo 95      Hi 95
## Jan 2018      10798.512  5694.347 15902.676  2992.3659 18604.658
## Feb 2018      5324.184  2752.537  7895.831  1391.1886  9257.179
## Mar 2018      22187.978 11245.125 33130.831  5452.3290 38923.628
## Apr 2018      20134.176 10002.442 30265.910  4639.0259 35629.326
## May 2018      17420.910  8482.434 26359.387  3750.6903 31091.131
## Jun 2018      15430.908  7363.146 23498.670  3092.3301 27769.486
## Jul 2018      15732.429  7355.765 24109.093  2921.4267 28543.431
## Aug 2018      18092.392  8287.418 27897.366  3096.9780 33087.806
## Sep 2018      23632.259 10603.370 36661.149  3706.2923 43558.226
## Oct 2018      26170.974 11499.829 40842.119  3733.3940 48608.554
## Nov 2018      36442.858 15679.323 57206.393  4687.7720 68197.945
## Dec 2018      30433.043 12817.617 48048.470  3492.5729 57373.514
## Jan 2019      10798.586  4450.902 17146.271  1090.6409 20506.532
## Feb 2019      5324.221  2147.187  8501.255   465.3665 10183.075
## Mar 2019      22188.131  8752.842 35623.421  1640.6289 42735.634
## Apr 2019      20134.315  7767.015 32501.615  1220.1613 39048.468
## May 2019      17421.031  6569.715 28272.347   825.3748 34016.686
## Jun 2019      15431.014  5686.969 25175.060   528.7824 30333.246
## Jul 2019      15732.537  5664.331 25800.744   334.5447 31130.530
## Aug 2019      18092.517  6361.408 29823.625   151.3347 36033.699
## Sep 2019      23632.422  8111.452 39153.393  -104.8538 47369.698
## Oct 2019      26171.155  8765.388 43576.921  -448.6687 52790.978
## Nov 2019      36443.110 11905.102 60981.117 -1084.5348 73970.754
## Dec 2019      30433.253  9692.508 51173.999 -1286.9798 62153.486
```

30433.043

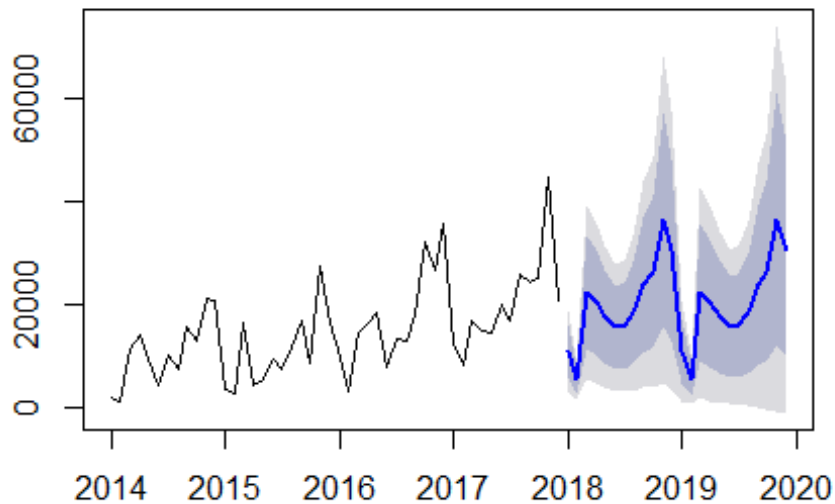
20524.43

```
accuracy(simple_smoothing2)
```

```
##           ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE
## Training set 1030.707 4919.005 3845.256 -9.17516 35.99377 0.607545
##           ACF1
## Training set -0.2638244
```

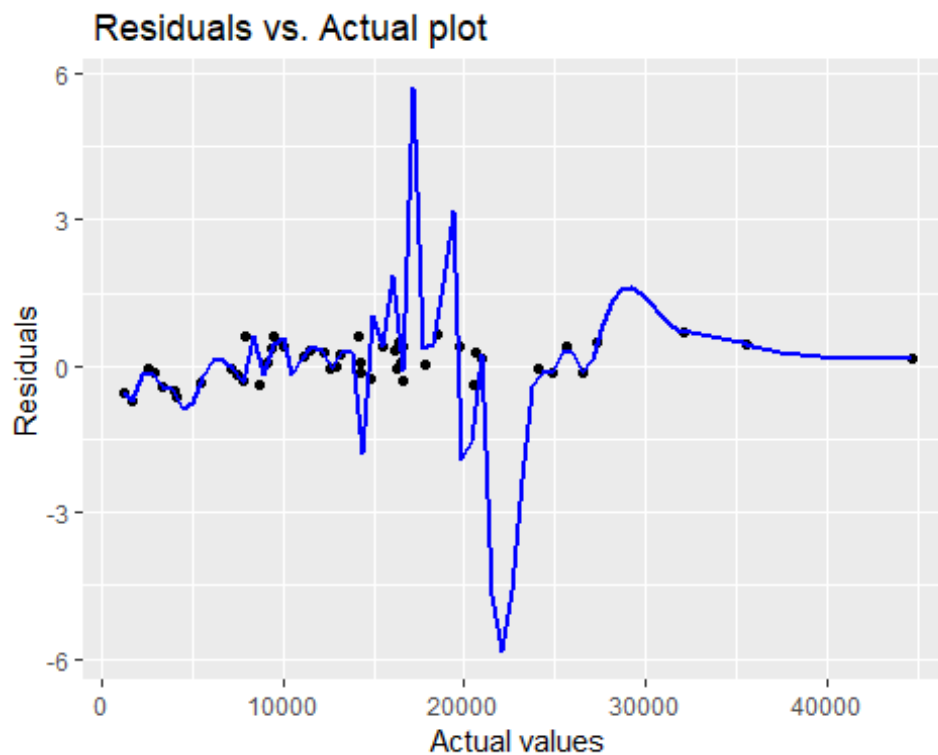
```
plot(simple_smoothing2)
```

Forecasts from ETS(M,N,M)



```
library(ggplot2)
qplot(y = simple_smoothing2$residuals, x = timeSeriesCorporate,
      ylab = "Residuals", xlab = "Actual values",
      main = " Residuals vs. Actual plot") +
  stat_smooth(method = "loess", span = 0.1, colour = I("blue"), se = FALSE)

## Don't know how to automatically pick scale for object of type ts.
## Defaulting to continuous.
## Don't know how to automatically pick scale for object of type ts.
## Defaulting to continuous.
```



3. Home Office

```
library(dplyr)
Home_Office<-dataNW %>%
  select(Order.Date, Sales) %>%
  filter(dataNW$Segment == "Home Office")

Home_Office<-Home_Office[order(as.Date(Home_Office$Order.Date, "%m/%d/%Y"),
decreasing = FALSE),]
tail(Home_Office)

##      Order.Date   Sales
## 903  2017-12-25  90.480
## 704  2017-12-26   3.132
## 779  2017-12-28  64.784
## 1330 2017-12-28   2.480
## 1331 2017-12-28  25.900
## 95   2017-12-30 209.300

Home_Office$year <- format(as.Date(Home_Office$Order.Date), "%Y")
Home_Office$month <- format(as.Date(Home_Office$Order.Date), "%m")

head(Home_Office)

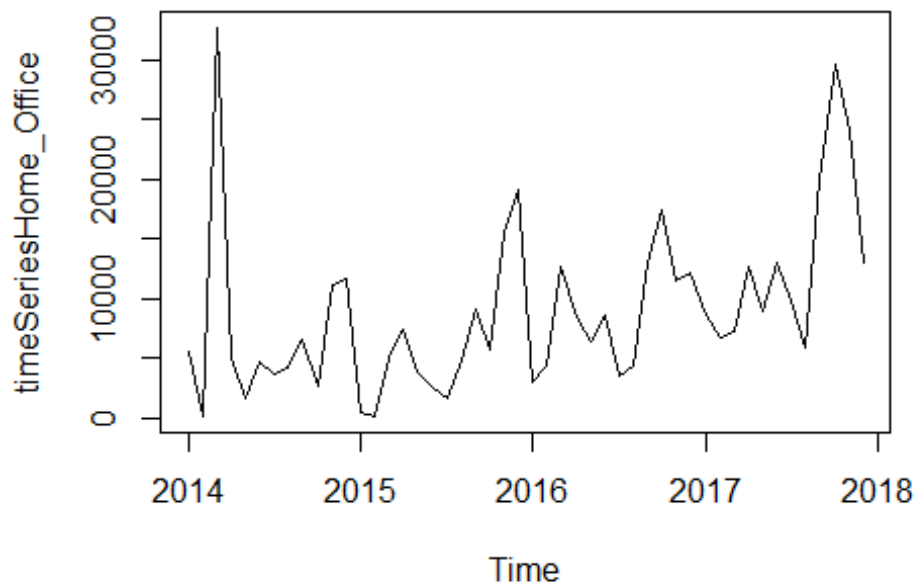
##      Order.Date   Sales year month
## 120  2014-01-04  11.784 2014     01
## 121  2014-01-04 272.736 2014     01
## 122  2014-01-04   3.540 2014     01
```

```
## 1321 2014-01-06 2573.820 2014    01
## 1322 2014-01-06  609.980 2014    01
## 1323 2014-01-06   5.480 2014    01

library(sqldf)
Home_Office<-sqldf("select year, month, sum(Sales) as Month_Sales from
Home_Office group by year, month order by year, month")
tail(Home_Office)

##   year month Month_Sales
## 43 2017    07   9747.444
## 44 2017    08   5813.300
## 45 2017    09  19904.346
## 46 2017    10  29705.515
## 47 2017    11  24013.684
## 48 2017    12  13072.431

timeSeriesHome_Office<-ts(Home_Office$Month_Sales,
frequency=12,start=c(2014,1),end=c(2017,12))
plot(timeSeriesHome_Office)
```



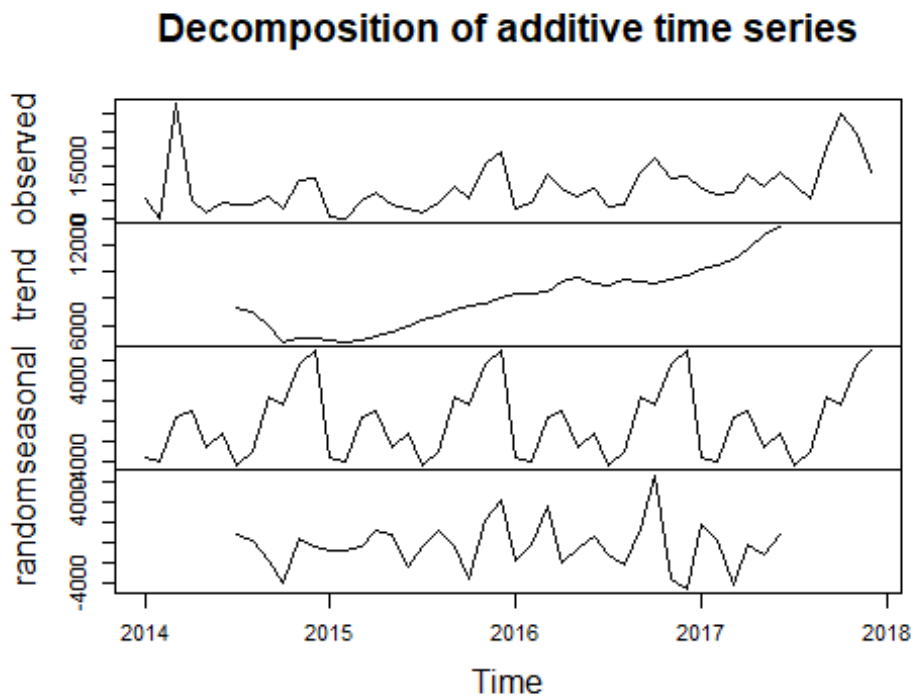
```
head(timeSeriesHome_Office)

##           Jan           Feb           Mar           Apr           May           Jun
## 2014  5607.550   168.370 32714.906  5055.004  1687.124  4700.466

timeSeriesHome_Office_decompose<-decompose(timeSeriesHome_Office)
plot<-timeSeriesHome_Office_decompose
```



```
plot(timeSeriesHome_Office_decompose)
```



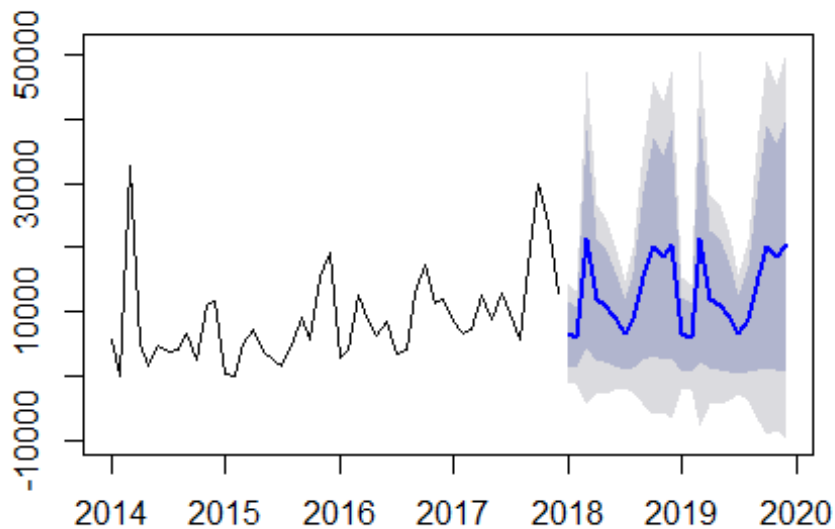
```
simple_smoothing3 <- forecast(timeSeriesHome_Office)
summary(simple_smoothing3)

##
## Forecast method: ETS(M,N,M)
##
## Model Information:
## ETS(M,N,M)
##
## Call:
## ets(y = object, lambda = lambda, allow.multiplicative.trend =
allow.multiplicative.trend)
##
## Smoothing parameters:
##   alpha = 0.1286
##   gamma = 1e-04
##
## Initial states:
##   l = 7008.2519
##   s=1.5737 1.4167 1.5365 1.1958 0.674 0.5056
##         0.6981 0.8596 0.9213 1.6465 0.4608 0.5113
##
## sigma: 0.6006
##
##      AIC      AICc      BIC
```

```
## 1012.907 1027.907 1040.975
##
## Error measures:
##           ME      RMSE      MAE      MPE      MAPE      MASE
## Training set 1128.939 5245.177 3613.119 -106.5412 140.5028 0.7314989
##           ACF1
## Training set -0.07726769
##
## Forecasts:
##           Point Forecast      Lo 80      Hi 80      Lo 95      Hi 95
## Jan 2018      6655.676 1532.8435 11778.51 -1179.020 14490.37
## Feb 2018      5998.195 1329.8021 10666.59 -1141.496 13137.89
## Mar 2018      21435.206 4568.6607 38301.75 -4359.949 47230.36
## Apr 2018      11993.674 2454.1208 21533.23 -2595.813 26583.16
## May 2018      11188.493 2194.4888 20182.50 -2566.649 24943.63
## Jun 2018      9088.627 1705.9068 16471.35 -2202.269 20379.52
## Jul 2018      6581.047 1179.9356 11982.16 -1679.240 14841.33
## Aug 2018      8773.585 1499.6247 16047.55 -2350.977 19898.15
## Sep 2018      15567.802 2531.1909 28604.41 -4369.974 35505.58
## Oct 2018      20000.426 3085.8865 36914.96 -5868.130 45868.98
## Nov 2018      18444.767 2693.3525 34196.18 -5644.942 42534.48
## Dec 2018      20486.942 2822.7900 38151.09 -6528.047 47501.93
## Jan 2019      6655.710 862.3327 12449.09 -2204.496 15515.92
## Feb 2019      5998.226 728.0834 11268.37 -2061.761 14058.21
## Mar 2019      21435.315 2427.1375 40443.49 -7635.184 50505.81
## Apr 2019      11993.734 1260.5987 22726.87 -4421.180 28408.65
## May 2019      11188.549 1085.3351 21291.76 -4262.983 26640.08
## Jun 2019      9088.673 808.2357 17369.11 -3575.163 21752.51
## Jul 2019      6581.080 532.2446 12629.92 -2669.816 15831.98
## Aug 2019      8773.629 639.1123 16908.15 -3667.041 21214.30
## Sep 2019      15567.880 1009.3608 30126.40 -6697.454 37833.21
## Oct 2019      20000.527 1136.9980 38864.06 -8848.751 48849.80
## Nov 2019      18444.860 901.5989 35988.12 -8385.243 45274.96
## Dec 2019      20487.046 838.5843 40135.51 -9562.683 50536.78
```

```
plot(simple_smoothing3)
```

Forecasts from ETS(M,N,M)



```
library(ggplot2)
qplot(y = simple_smoothing3$residuals, x = timeSeriesHome_Office,
      ylab = "Residuals", xlab = "Actual values",
      main = " Residuals vs. Actual plot") +
  stat_smooth(method = "loess", span = 0.1, colour = I("blue"), se = FALSE)

## Don't know how to automatically pick scale for object of type ts.
## Defaulting to continuous.
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## Defaulting to continuous.

## Warning in simpleLoess(y, x, w, span, degree = degree, parametric =
## parametric, : Chernobyl! trL>n 48

## Warning in simpleLoess(y, x, w, span, degree = degree, parametric =
## parametric, : Chernobyl! trL>n 48

## Warning in sqrt(sum.squares/one.delta): NaNs produced
```

Residuals vs. Actual plot

