

Stata Textbook Examples**Introductory Econometrics: A Modern Approach by Jeffrey M. Wooldridge (1st & 2nd eds.)****Chapter 12 - Serial Correlation and Heteroskedasticity in Time Series Regressions****Example 12.1: Testing for AR(1) Serial Correlation in the Phillips Curve**

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use http://fmwww.bc.edu/ec-p/data/wooldridge/PHILLIPS
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tsset year, yearly
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reg inf unem
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Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs = 49			
Model	25.6369575	1	25.6369575	F(1, 47)	=	2.62	
Residual	460.61979	47	9.80042107	Prob > F	=	0.1125	
Total	486.256748	48	10.1303489	R-squared	=	0.0527	
				Adj R-squared	=	0.0326	
				Root MSE	=	3.1306	

inf	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
unem	.4676257	.2891262	1.62	0.112	-.1140212	1.049273
_cons	1.42361	1.719015	0.83	0.412	-2.034602	4.881822

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predict double uh, resid
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reg uh L.uh
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Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs = 48			
Model	150.91704	1	150.91704	F(1, 46)	=	24.34	
Residual	285.198417	46	6.19996558	Prob > F	=	0.0000	
Total	436.115457	47	9.27905227	R-squared	=	0.3460	
				Adj R-squared	=	0.3318	
				Root MSE	=	2.49	

uh	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
uh						
L1	.5729695	.1161334	4.93	0.000	.3392052	.8067338
_cons	-.1133967	.359404	-0.32	0.754	-.8368393	.610046

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reg cinf unem
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Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs	=	48
Model	33.3829988	1	33.3829988	F(1, 46)	=	5.56
Residual	276.30513	46	6.00663326	Prob > F	=	0.0227
				R-squared	=	0.1078
				Adj R-squared	=	0.0884
Total	309.688129	47	6.58910913	Root MSE	=	2.4508

cinf	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
unem	-.5425869	.2301559	-2.36	0.023	-1.005867	-.079307
_cons	3.030581	1.37681	2.20	0.033	.2592061	5.801955

predict double uh2, resid

reg uh2 L.uh2

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs	=	47
Model	.350023883	1	.350023883	F(1, 45)	=	0.08
Residual	190.837374	45	4.24083054	Prob > F	=	0.7752
				R-squared	=	0.0018
				Adj R-squared	=	-0.0204
Total	191.187398	46	4.15624779	Root MSE	=	2.0593

uh2	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
uh2						
L1	-.0355928	.1238908	-0.29	0.775	-.2851216	.213936
_cons	.1941655	.3003839	0.65	0.521	-.4108387	.7991698

Example 12.2: Testing for AR(1) Serial Correlation in the Minimum Wage Equation

use http://fmwww.bc.edu/ec-p/data/wooldridge/PRMINWGE

tsset year, yearly

reg lprepop lmincov lprgnp lusgnp t

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs	=	38
Model	.284429802	4	.071107451	F(4, 33)	=	66.23
				Prob > F	=	0.0000

Residual		.035428549	33	.001073592		R-squared	=	0.8892	
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Total		.319858351	37	.00864482		Adj R-squared	=	0.8758	
							Root MSE	=	.03277
-----+-----									
lprepop		Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]			
-----+-----									
lmincov		-.2122611	.0401525	-5.29	0.000	-.293952	-.1305703		
lprgnp		.2852399	.0804923	3.54	0.001	.1214771	.4490027		
lusgnp		.4860416	.2219838	2.19	0.036	.0344121	.937671		
t		-.0266632	.0046267	-5.76	0.000	-.0360764	-.01725		
_cons		-6.663407	1.257838	-5.30	0.000	-9.222497	-4.104317		

predict uh, res

reg uh lmincov lprgnp lusgnp t L.uh

Source		SS	df	MS		Number of obs =	37
-----+-----						F(5, 31) =	1.98
Model		.007527219	5	.001505444		Prob > F	= 0.1089
Residual		.023530495	31	.000759048		R-squared	= 0.2424
-----+-----						Adj R-squared =	0.1202
Total		.031057714	36	.000862714		Root MSE	= .02755
-----+-----							
uh		Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
-----+-----							
lmincov		.0375001	.0352124	1.06	0.295	-.0343161	.1093164
lprgnp		-.0784652	.0705241	-1.11	0.274	-.2223	.0653696
lusgnp		.2039314	.1951597	1.04	0.304	-.1940995	.6019622
t		-.0034662	.0040736	-0.85	0.401	-.0117744	.0048419
uh							
L1		.4805079	.1664442	2.89	0.007	.1410428	.819973
_cons		-.8507673	1.092697	-0.78	0.442	-3.079338	1.377804
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reg uh L.uh

Source		SS	df	MS		Number of obs	=	37
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Model		.005111108	1	.005111108		F(1, 35)	=	6.89
Residual		.025946606	35	.000741332		Prob > F	=	0.0127
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Total		.031057714	36	.000862714		R-squared	=	0.1646
							Adj R-squared	= 0.1407
							Root MSE	= .02723
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uh		Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
uh							
	L1	.4173216	.158935	2.63	0.013	.0946664	.7399768
_cons		-.0008953	.0044883	-0.20	0.843	-.0100071	.0082166

Example 12.3: Testing for AR(3) Serial Correlation

use <http://fmwww.bc.edu/ec-p/data/wooldridge/BARIUM>

tsset t, yearly

reg lchnimp lchempi lgas lrtwex befile6 affile6 afdec6

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs = 131			
Model	19.4051456	6	3.23419093	F(6, 124)	=	9.06	
Residual	44.2471061	124	.356831501	Prob > F	=	0.0000	
Total	63.6522517	130	.489632706	R-squared	=	0.3049	
				Adj R-squared	=	0.2712	
				Root MSE	=	.59735	

lchnimp	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
lchempi	3.1172	.479202	6.50	0.000	2.168725	4.065675
lgas	.1963049	.9066233	0.22	0.829	-1.598157	1.990766
lrtwex	.9830093	.4001536	2.46	0.015	.1909934	1.775025
befile6	.0595742	.26097	0.23	0.820	-.4569584	.5761068
affile6	-.0324067	.2642973	-0.12	0.903	-.5555252	.4907118
afdec6	-.5652446	.2858353	-1.98	0.050	-1.130993	.0005035
_cons	-17.80195	21.04551	-0.85	0.399	-59.45692	23.85301

predict uh, res

reg uh lchempi lgas lrtwex befile6 affile6 afdec6 L(1/3).uh

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs = 128			
Model	5.03366421	9	.559296023	F(9, 118)	=	1.72	
Residual	38.3937238	118	.325370541	Prob > F	=	0.0920	
Total	43.427388	127	.341947937	R-squared	=	0.1159	
				Adj R-squared	=	0.0485	
				Root MSE	=	.57041	

uh		Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
lchempi		-.1431572	.4720255	-0.30	0.762	-1.077896	.7915818
lgas		.6232994	.8859803	0.70	0.483	-1.131183	2.377782
lrtwex		.1786641	.3910344	0.46	0.649	-.5956904	.9530186
befile6		-.0859232	.2510069	-0.34	0.733	-.5829851	.4111387
affile6		-.1221207	.2546985	-0.48	0.632	-.6264931	.3822517
afdec6		-.0668277	.2743671	-0.24	0.808	-.6101492	.4764937
uh							
	L1	.2214896	.0916573	2.42	0.017	.0399832	.4029959
	L2	.1340417	.0921595	1.45	0.148	-.0484592	.3165427
	L3	.125542	.0911194	1.38	0.171	-.0548992	.3059831
_cons		-14.36897	20.65581	-0.70	0.488	-55.27309	26.53516

test L1.uh L2.uh L3.uh

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( 1)  L.uh = 0.0
( 2)  L2.uh = 0.0
( 3)  L3.uh = 0.0
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F(   3,   118) =    5.12
Prob > F      =    0.0023
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Example 12.4: Cochrane-Orcutt Estimation in the Event Study

use <http://fmwww.bc.edu/ec-p/data/wooldridge/BARIUM>

reg lchnimp lchempi lgas lrtwex befile6 affile6 afdec6

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs = 131			
Model	19.4051456	6	3.23419093	F(6, 124) = 9.06			
Residual	44.2471061	124	.356831501	Prob > F = 0.0000			
Total	63.6522517	130	.489632706	R-squared = 0.3049			
				Adj R-squared = 0.2712			
				Root MSE = .59735			
lchnimp	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]		
lchempi	3.1172	.479202	6.50	0.000	2.168725	4.065675	
lgas	.1963049	.9066233	0.22	0.829	-1.598157	1.990766	
lrtwex	.9830093	.4001536	2.46	0.015	.1909934	1.775025	
befile6	.0595742	.26097	0.23	0.820	-.4569584	.5761068	

affile6		-.0324067	.2642973	-0.12	0.903	-.5555252	.4907118
afdec6		-.5652446	.2858353	-1.98	0.050	-1.130993	.0005035
_cons		-17.80195	21.04551	-0.85	0.399	-59.45692	23.85301

tsset t

prais lchnimp lchempi lgas lrtwex befile6 affile6 afdec6, corc

Iteration 0: rho = 0.0000
 Iteration 1: rho = 0.2708
 Iteration 2: rho = 0.2912
 Iteration 3: rho = 0.2931
 Iteration 4: rho = 0.2933
 Iteration 5: rho = 0.2934
 Iteration 6: rho = 0.2934
 Iteration 7: rho = 0.2934

Cochrane-Orcutt AR(1) regression -- iterated estimates

Source		SS	df	MS		Number of obs =	130
Model		9.7087769	6	1.61812948		F(6, 123) =	4.88
Residual		40.7583376	123	.331368598		Prob > F =	0.0002
						R-squared =	0.1924
						Adj R-squared =	0.1530
Total		50.4671145	129	.391217942		Root MSE =	.57565

		Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
lchnimp							
lchempi		2.947445	.6455564	4.57	0.000	1.669605	4.225284
lgas		1.054786	.9909084	1.06	0.289	-.9066561	3.016229
lrtwex		1.136903	.5135093	2.21	0.029	.1204431	2.153364
befile6		-.0163727	.3207215	-0.05	0.959	-.6512212	.6184757
affile6		-.0330837	.3231511	-0.10	0.919	-.6727414	.6065741
afdec6		-.5771574	.3434533	-1.68	0.095	-1.257002	.1026874
_cons		-37.32057	23.22152	-1.61	0.111	-83.28615	8.645004
rho		.2933587					

Durbin-Watson statistic (original) 1.458417
 Durbin-Watson statistic (transformed) 2.063302

Example 12.5: Static Phillips Curve

use <http://fmwww.bc.edu/ec-p/data/wooldridge/PHILLIPS>

reg lchnimp lchempi lgas lrtwex befile6 affile6 afdec6

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs =	49
Model	25.6369575	1	25.6369575	F(1, 47) =	2.62
Residual	460.61979	47	9.80042107	Prob > F =	0.1125
				R-squared =	0.0527
				Adj R-squared =	0.0326
Total	486.256748	48	10.1303489	Root MSE =	3.1306

inf	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
unem	.4676257	.2891262	1.62	0.112	-.1140212	1.049273
_cons	1.42361	1.719015	0.83	0.412	-2.034602	4.881822

tsset year

prais inf unem, corc

Iteration 0: rho = 0.0000
 Iteration 1: rho = 0.5727
 Iteration 2: rho = 0.7160
 Iteration 3: rho = 0.7611
 Iteration 4: rho = 0.7715
 Iteration 5: rho = 0.7735
 Iteration 6: rho = 0.7740
 Iteration 7: rho = 0.7740
 Iteration 8: rho = 0.7740
 Iteration 9: rho = 0.7741
 Iteration 10: rho = 0.7741

Cochrane-Orcutt AR(1) regression -- iterated estimates

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs =	48
Model	22.4790685	1	22.4790685	F(1, 46) =	4.33
Residual	238.604008	46	5.18704365	Prob > F =	0.0430
				R-squared =	0.0861
				Adj R-squared =	0.0662
Total	261.083076	47	5.55495907	Root MSE =	2.2775

inf	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
unem	-.6653356	.3196035	-2.08	0.043	-1.308664	-.0220071

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      _cons |      7.583458      2.38053      3.19      0.003      2.7917      12.37522
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      rho |      .7740512
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Durbin-Watson statistic (original)      0.802700
Durbin-Watson statistic (transformed) 1.593634

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Example 12.6: Differencing the Interest Rate Equation

use <http://fmwww.bc.edu/ec-p/data/wooldridge/INTDEF>

tsset year

reg i3 inf def

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs =	49
Model	294.032897	2	147.016449	F(2, 46) =	52.78
Residual	128.133943	46	2.78552049	Prob > F =	0.0000
				R-squared =	0.6965
				Adj R-squared =	0.6833
Total	422.16684	48	8.7951425	Root MSE =	1.669

i3	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]
inf	.6131825	.0757753	8.09	0.000	.4606547 .7657104
def	.7004054	.11807	5.93	0.000	.4627427 .938068
_cons	1.252032	.4416346	2.83	0.007	.3630674 2.140996

dwstat

Durbin-Watson d-statistic(3, 49) = .9142607

predict uh, res

reg uh L.uh

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs =	48
Model	35.6747689	1	35.6747689	F(1, 46) =	18.48
Residual	88.824587	46	1.93096928	Prob > F =	0.0001
				R-squared =	0.2865
				Adj R-squared =	0.2710
Total	124.499356	47	2.64892247	Root MSE =	1.3896

uh		Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
uh							
	L1	.5295517	.1232013	4.30	0.000	.2815602	.7775431
_cons		.0497676	.2005853	0.25	0.805	-.3539896	.4535247

reg ci3 cinf cdef

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs =	48
Model	14.4340809	2	7.21704047	F(2, 45) =	4.32
Residual	75.2395041	45	1.67198898	Prob > F =	0.0193
				R-squared =	0.1610
				Adj R-squared =	0.1237
Total	89.673585	47	1.90794862	Root MSE =	1.2931

ci3	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
cinf	.1683474	.100197	1.68	0.100	-.0334596	.3701544
cdef	-.1075013	.1719174	-0.63	0.535	-.4537607	.238758
_cons	.1144652	.18737	0.61	0.544	-.2629172	.4918477

dwstat

Durbin-Watson d-statistic(3, 48) = 1.806339

predict uh2, res

reg uh2 L.uh2

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs =	47
Model	.342371554	1	.342371554	F(1, 45) =	0.22
Residual	70.8327461	45	1.57406102	Prob > F =	0.6432
				R-squared =	0.0048
				Adj R-squared =	-0.0173
Total	71.1751176	46	1.54728517	Root MSE =	1.2546

uh2		Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
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uh2							
	L1	.0677054	.1451729	0.47	0.643	-.2246878	.3600986
_cons		-.0435038	.1830186	-0.24	0.813	-.4121222	.3251146

Example 12.7: The Puerto Rican Minimum Wage

use <http://fmwww.bc.edu/ec-p/data/wooldridge/PRMINWGE>

tsset t

reg lprepop lmincov lprgnp lusgnp t

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs = 38		
Model	.284429802	4	.071107451	F(4, 33)	=	66.23
Residual	.035428549	33	.001073592	Prob > F	=	0.0000
				R-squared	=	0.8892
				Adj R-squared	=	0.8758
Total	.319858351	37	.00864482	Root MSE	=	.03277

lprepop	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
lmincov	-.2122611	.0401525	-5.29	0.000	-.293952	-.1305703
lprgnp	.2852399	.0804923	3.54	0.001	.1214771	.4490027
lusgnp	.4860416	.2219838	2.19	0.036	.0344121	.937671
t	-.0266632	.0046267	-5.76	0.000	-.0360764	-.01725
_cons	-6.663407	1.257838	-5.30	0.000	-9.222497	-4.104317

newey lprepop lmincov lprgnp lusgnp t, lag(2)

Regression with Newey-West standard errors
maximum lag : 2

Number of obs = 38
F(4, 33) = 37.84
Prob > F = 0.0000

lprepop	Coef.	Newey-West Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
lmincov	-.2122611	.0457188	-4.64	0.000	-.3052768	-.1192455
lprgnp	.2852399	.0996364	2.86	0.007	.082528	.4879518
lusgnp	.4860416	.2791144	1.74	0.091	-.081821	1.053904
t	-.0266632	.0057559	-4.63	0.000	-.0383736	-.0149528
_cons	-6.663407	1.536445	-4.34	0.000	-9.789328	-3.537485

prais lprepop lmincov lprgnp lusgnp t, corc

Cochrane-Orcutt AR(1) regression -- iterated estimates

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs = 37		
Model	.031015685	4	.007753921	F(4, 32)	=	11.06
Residual	.022428371	32	.000700887	Prob > F	=	0.0000
Total	.053444056	36	.001484557	R-squared	=	0.5803
				Adj R-squared	=	0.5279
				Root MSE	=	.02647

lprepop	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
lmincov	-.110755	.0446556	-2.48	0.019	-.2017155	-.0197944
lprgnp	.2673698	.1119371	2.39	0.023	.0393614	.4953782
lusgnp	.3664558	.2201901	1.66	0.106	-.0820568	.8149684
t	-.0243278	.005792	-4.20	0.000	-.0361256	-.01253
_cons	-5.51891	1.339621	-4.12	0.000	-8.24763	-2.790191

rho	.643343
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Durbin-Watson statistic (original)	1.013709
Durbin-Watson statistic (transformed)	1.630403

Example 12.8: Heteroscedasticity and the Efficient Markets Hypothesis

use <http://fmwww.bc.edu/ec-p/data/wooldridge/NYSE>

reg return return_1

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs = 689		
Model	10.6866237	1	10.6866237	F(1, 687)	=	2.40
Residual	3059.73813	687	4.4537673	Prob > F	=	0.1218
Total	3070.42476	688	4.46282668	R-squared	=	0.0035
				Adj R-squared	=	0.0020
				Root MSE	=	2.1104

return	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
return_1	.0588984	.0380231	1.55	0.122	-.0157569	.1335538
_cons	.179634	.0807419	2.22	0.026	.0211034	.3381646

predict uh, res

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gen uh2=uh^2
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bpagan return_1
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Breusch-Pagan LM statistic: 95.21722 Chi-sq( 1) P-value = 1.7e-22
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reg uh2 return_1
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Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs = 689		
Model	3755.56757	1	3755.56757	F(1, 687) = 30.05		
Residual	85846.3162	687	124.958248	Prob > F = 0.0000		
Total	89601.8838	688	130.235296	R-squared = 0.0419		
				Adj R-squared = 0.0405		
				Root MSE = 11.178		

uh2	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
return_1	-1.104132	.2014029	-5.48	0.000	-1.499572	-.7086932
_cons	4.656501	.4276789	10.89	0.000	3.816786	5.496216

Example 12.9: ARCH in Stock Returns

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use http://fmwww.bc.edu/ec-p/data/wooldridge/NYSE
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tsset t
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reg return return_1
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Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs = 689		
Model	10.6866237	1	10.6866237	F(1, 687) = 2.40		
Residual	3059.73813	687	4.4537673	Prob > F = 0.1218		
Total	3070.42476	688	4.46282668	R-squared = 0.0035		
				Adj R-squared = 0.0020		
				Root MSE = 2.1104		

return	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
return_1	.0588984	.0380231	1.55	0.122	-.0157569	.1335538
_cons	.179634	.0807419	2.22	0.026	.0211034	.3381646

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predict uh1, res
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gen uh21=uh1^2
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gen uh21_1=uh1[_n-1]^2
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archlm
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ARCH LM test statistic, order( 1): 78.16118 Chi-sq( 1) P-value = 9.5e-19
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reg uh21 uh21_1
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Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs = 688			
Model	10177.7088	1	10177.7088	F(1, 686)	=	87.92	
Residual	79409.7826	686	115.757701	Prob > F	=	0.0000	
				R-squared	=	0.1136	
				Adj R-squared	=	0.1123	
Total	89587.4914	687	130.403918	Root MSE	=	10.759	

uh21	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
uh21_1	.3370622	.0359468	9.38	0.000	.2664833	.4076411
_cons	2.947434	.4402343	6.70	0.000	2.083065	3.811802

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reg uh1 L.uh1
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Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs = 688			
Model	.006037908	1	.006037908	F(1, 686)	=	0.00	
Residual	3059.0813	686	4.45930219	Prob > F	=	0.9707	
				R-squared	=	0.0000	
				Adj R-squared	=	-0.0015	
Total	3059.08734	687	4.45282	Root MSE	=	2.1117	

uh1	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
uh1						
L1	.0014048	.0381773	0.04	0.971	-.0735537	.0763633
_cons	-.0011708	.080508	-0.01	0.988	-.1592425	.156901

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