# Problem 1 (6 percent)

# Workday 1

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```
suppressWarnings(suppressPackageStartupMessages({
   library(TSA)
   library(ggplot2)
   library(dplyr)
   library(forecast)
}))
```

# **Simulations**

## Question 1

Please simulate one sample path of a white noise process of length T=200 and save it into a time series object

• Please use name e1 for the object that would contain the data

#### Hints:

- 1. Always specify a seed before generating random numbers. This way your results are reproducible!
- 2. Use ts to convert a vector to a Time-Series

```
# your white noise sample path should be called "e1"
set.seed(42)

T <- 200L

y <- rnorm(T)
e1 <- ts(y)</pre>
```

## Question 2

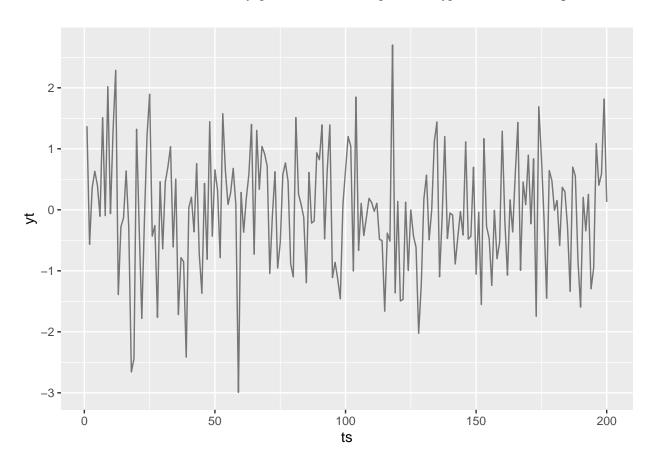
Please plot the sample path  $e_t$ 

#### Hints:

- 1. You can use time(x) to extract the time component of time series
- 2. Use geom\_line if you are using ggplot

```
etplot <- ggplot(data.frame(ts = time(e1), yt = e1), aes(x = ts, y = yt)) + geom_line(alpha = 0.5) etplot
```

## 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.



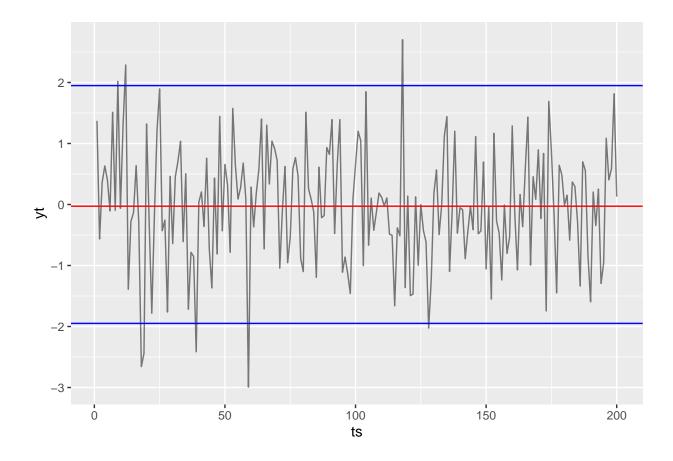
# Question 3

Please compute the mean and standard deviation of that process, add them as horizontal lines to the plot (red for the mean and blue for 2 standard deviations around the mean)

#### Hints:

• geom\_hline function may be helpful

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# Question 4

Please generate a sample path from a random walk with the length of T=200 and plot it.

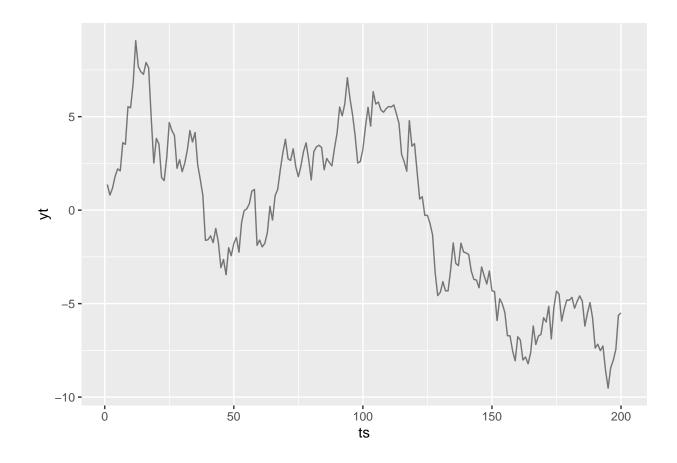
- Please use the variable name Y4 for the array that would contain the sample path.
- Please do not overwrite variables created in the previous chunks (such as e1 that you created earlier)

## $\mathbf{Hints}:$

1. Try avoiding using loops. You don't really need a loop here.

```
set.seed(42)
T <- 200L
# please write your code below
Y4 <- cumsum(rnorm(T))

y4plot <- ggplot(data.frame(ts = 1:T, yt = Y4), aes(x = ts, y = yt)) + geom_line(alpha = 0.5)
y4plot</pre>
```



# Question 5

Please generate 50 sample paths from a random walk with the length of T=200 and plot all of them using different colors.

• Please use the data.frame named randwalk that would contain all the sample paths in one long line called column Y. (That is, randwalk\$Y)

#### Hints:

- 1. Use dplyr chains! Try avoiding using for-loops.
- 2. At this point, you should be using ggplot
- 3. Create the data in the *long* format:
  - I would prefer if you first generate one very long sequence of white noise first, put into a data.frame and then add columns for sample path id and time

```
set.seed(42)

N <- 50L # 50 sample paths
T <- 200L

# please write your code below
randwalk <- data.frame(Y = rep(rnorm(N*T)),</pre>
```

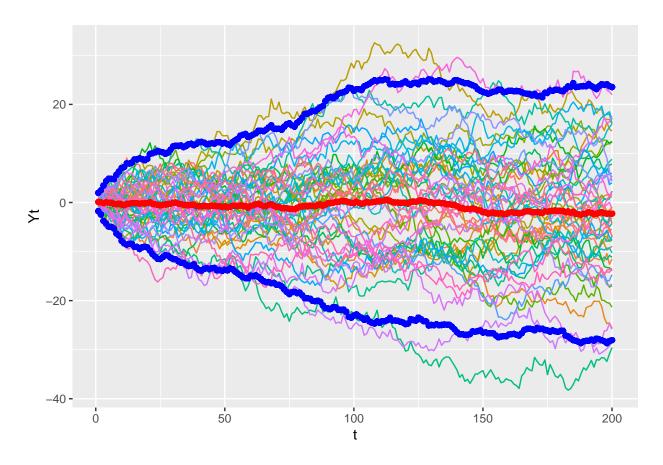


# Question 6

Compute the mean function  $E[Y_t]$  for every t and add to your plot as well as the variance function  $Var[Y_t]$  for every t and add (standard deviation) to your plot too

#### Hints:

- 1. Use dplyr chains! Try avoiding using for-loops.
- 2. Create a separate data.frame with means and standard deviations that will help with extra layers in ggplot
- 3. At this point, you should be using ggplot



# Done!

Congratulations!