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Time Series Analysis STA 6856 | Professor Dr.Tharindu De Alwis

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1. (5 points) Suppose Y_t follows ARIMA(3,2,4) model. What ARIMA(p,d,q) mode is followed by the second differences $Z_t = \nabla^2 Y_t = Y_t - 2Y_{t-1} + Y_{t-2}$?

ARIMA (3,2,4) by definition:

$$\phi(B)(1 - B)^2 Y_t = \theta(B)\varepsilon_t$$

$$\text{Order 3 : } \theta(B) = 1 - \theta_1 B - \theta_2 B^2 - \theta_3 B^3$$

$$\text{Order 4 : } \phi(B) = 1 + \phi_1 B + \phi_2 B^2 + \phi_3 B^3 + \phi_4 B^4$$

$$\phi(B)Z_t = \theta(B)\varepsilon_t$$

$$Z_t = \text{ARIMA}(3, 0, 4)$$

therfore this is an ARMA(3, 4) model

2. (10 points) Consider the oil filter sales data in the TSA R package. The data are in the file named oilfilters.

- a. Fit an AR(1) model to this series. Is the estimate of the ϕ parameter significantly different from zero statistically?

Oil Filters Dataset

```
library(TSA)
data(oilfilters)
oilfilters
```

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
1983							2385	3302	3958	3302	2441	3107
1984	5862	4536	4625	4492	4486	4005	3744	2546	1954	2285	1778	3222
1985	5472	5310	1965	3791	3622	3726	3370	2535	1572	2146	2249	1721
1986	5357	5811	2436	4608	2871	3349	2909	2324	1603	2148	2245	1586
1987	5332	5787	2886	5475	3843	2537						

```
model <- arima(oilfilters, order = c(1,0,0))
(model)
```

Call:
`arima(x = oilfilters, order = c(1, 0, 0))`

Coefficients:

	ar1	intercept
	0.3115	3370.6744
s.e.	0.1368	253.1499

`sigma^2 estimated as 1482802: log likelihood = -409.19, aic = 822.37`

$H_0 : \phi = 0$ Not significantly different from zero

$H_1 : \phi \neq 0$ Significantly different from zero

$$t = \frac{\phi}{SE \phi} = t = \frac{0.3115}{0.1368} = 2.28$$

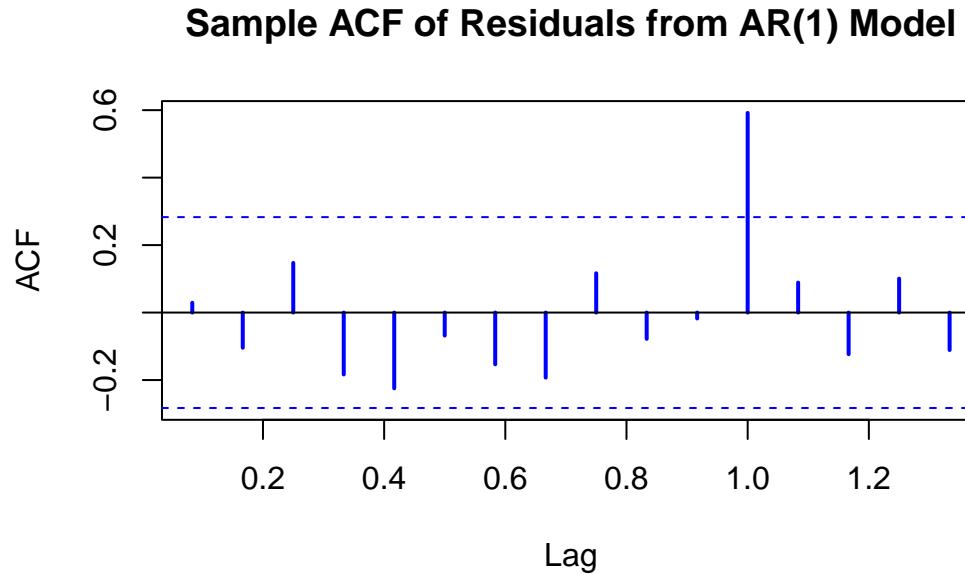
Therefore, ($t = 2.28 > 1.96$) we reject H_0

AR(1) coefficient ($\phi = 0.3115$) is statistically significantly different from zero at the 5% level.

- b. Display the sample ACF of the residuals from the AR(1) fitted model. Comment on the display.

```
res <- residuals(model)

acf(res, main = "Sample ACF of Residuals from AR(1) Model",
  col = "blue", lwd = 2, )
```



The AR(1) coefficient $\phi = 0.3115$ is significant, and the residuals show no strong correlation, confirming the model is statistically appropriate.

3. (20 points) The data file named `robot` contains a time series obtained from an industrial robot. The robot was put through a sequence of maneuvers, and the distance from a desired ending point was recorded in inches. This was repeated 324 times to form the time series. Compare the fits of an AR(1) model and an ARIMA(0,1,1) model for these data in terms of the diagnostic tests. Note: The data set is available in the `TSA` R package.

```
library(TSA)
data(robot)
plot(robot, main = "Robot Distance Time Series", ylab = "Distance (inches)")
```



Model 1 AR(1)

```
model_ar1 <- arima(robot, order = c(1,0,0))
(model_ar1)
```

Call:
arima(x = robot, order = c(1, 0, 0))

Coefficients:

	ar1	intercept
0.3074	0.0015	
s.e.	0.0528	0.0002

sigma² estimated as 6.482e-06: log likelihood = 1475.54, aic = -2947.08

Model 2 ARIMA(0,1,1)

```
model_ma1 <- arima(robot, order = c(0,1,1))
(model_ma1)
```

Call:
arima(x = robot, order = c(0, 1, 1))

Coefficients:

	ma1
-0.8713	
s.e.	0.0389

sigma² estimated as 6.069e-06: log likelihood = 1480.95, aic = -2959.9

Model	logLik	AIC	σ^2 (Residual variance)	Interpretation
AR(1)	1475.54	-2947.08	6.482e-06	Good fit
ARIMA(0,1,1)	1480.95	-2959.90	6.069e-06	Better fit

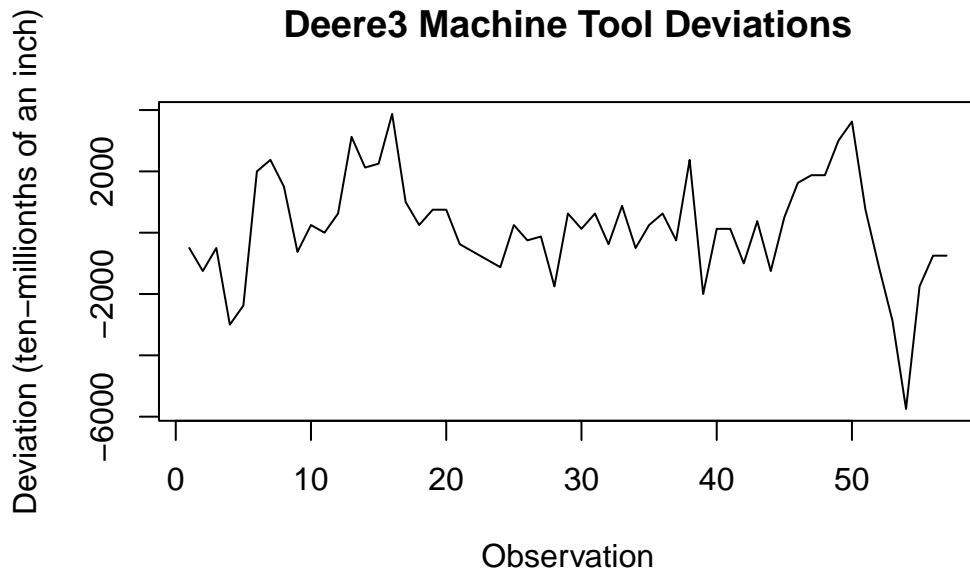
- AIC is lower for ARIMA(0,1,1) (-2959.9 vs. -2947.08) → better for model.
- Log likelihood is higher for ARIMA(0,1,1) better explanation of data.
- Residual variance (σ^2) is smaller for ARIMA(0,1,1) → more precise model.

Conclusion: ARIMA(0,1,1) fits the data better statistically.

4. (10 points) The data file named `deere3` contains 57 consecutive values from a complex machine tool process at Deere & Co. The values given are deviations from a target value in units of ten millionths of an inch. The process employs a control mechanism that resets some of the parameters of the machine tool depending on the magnitude of deviation from target of the last item produced.

```
library(TSA)
data(deere3)

plot(deere3, main = "Deere3 Machine Tool Deviations",
     ylab = "Deviation (ten-millionths of an inch)", xlab = "Observation")
```



- a. Using an AR(1) model for this series, forecast the next ten values.

AR(1) model

```
model_ar1 <- arima(deere3, order = c(1, 0, 0))
(model_ar1)
```

```
Call:
arima(x = deere3, order = c(1, 0, 0))
```

```

Coefficients:
ar1 intercept
0.5255 124.3832
s.e. 0.1108 394.2067

sigma^2 estimated as 2069355: log likelihood = -495.51, aic = 995.02

forecast_values <- predict(model_ar1, n.ahead = 10)
forecast_values

$pred
Time Series:
Start = 58
End = 67
Frequency = 1
[1] -335.145928 -117.120772 -2.538388 57.679997 89.327566 105.959839
[7] 114.700873 119.294695 121.708962 122.977772

$se
Time Series:
Start = 58
End = 67
Frequency = 1
[1] 1438.525 1625.088 1672.953 1685.934 1689.502 1690.486 1690.758 1690.833
[9] 1690.854 1690.859

```

- b. Plot the series, the forecasts, and 95% forecast limits, and interpret the results.
 Note: The data set is available in the TSA R package.

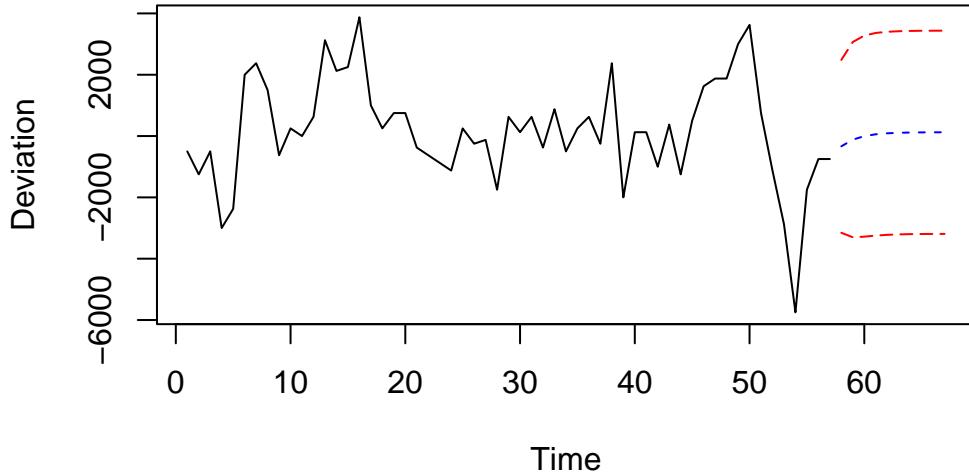
```

ts.plot(deere3, forecast_values$pred,
        col = c("black", "blue"), lty = c(1,2),
        main = "AR(1) Deere3 Series Forecast",
        ylab = "Deviation")

upper <- forecast_values$pred + 1.96 * forecast_values$se
lower <- forecast_values$pred - 1.96 * forecast_values$se
lines(58:67, upper, col = "red", lty = 5)
lines(58:67, lower, col = "red", lty = 5)

```

AR(1) Deere3 Series Forecast



The 95% forecast interval widens slightly as the horizon increases, representing growing uncertainty. Since deviations are small and mean-centered, the process appears stable and well-regulated. Overall, the results indicate that the machine tool process is well-controlled and self-correcting. Short-term deviations occur but are quickly minimized, and the process consistently returns to its target value over time.