STAT 626 Project - Version 3

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Packages

```
library(readxl) # for read_excel function
library(astsa) # for time series functions
```

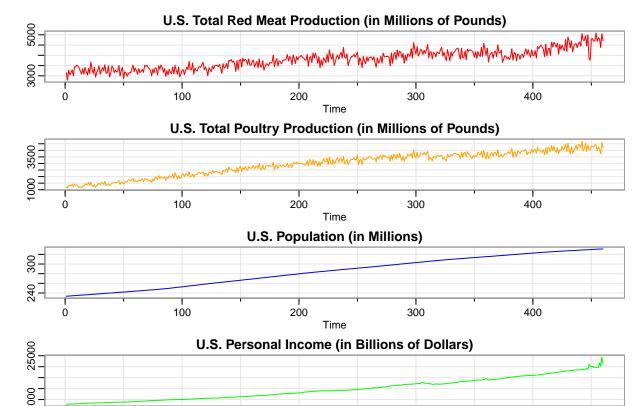
Data

```
# Read data from Excel file (compiled by Jack Kramer)
setwd("C:/Users/keoka/OneDrive - Texas A&M University/Courses/STAT_626/Project/Data Analysis/Jack/")
data = read.csv("consolidated_data.csv")
class(data) # data frame
dim(data) # 460 rows, 41 columns
head(data) # preview the first six rows of data set
names(data) # display the column names of data set
# Keep only the columns desired for analysis
match("year", colnames(data)) # column 41
match("month", colnames(data)) # column 40
match("total.red.meat", colnames(data)) # column 7
match("total.poultry", colnames(data)) # column 16
match("Population_Millions", colnames(data)) # column 21
match("Personal.Income", colnames(data)) # column 19
data = data[,c(41,40,7,16,21,19)]
# Change column names to have a consistent format
colnames(data) = c("Year", "Month", "Red_Meat", "Poultry", "Population",
                   "Personal_Income")
# Review structure of the data set
class(data) # data frame
dim(data) # 460 rows, 6 columns
head(data) # preview the first six rows of reduced data set
str(data)
# Create variables to store data columns
year = data[,1]
mont = data[,2]
meat = data[,3] # total U.S. red meat production in millions of pounds
poul = data[,4] # total U.S. poultry production in millions of pounds
popu = data[,5] # U.S. population in millions
inco = data[,6] # U.S. personal income in billions of dollars
```

```
# Range of observations for the Great Depression
data[which(data$Year==2007 & data$Month==12),] # row 300
data[which(data$Year==2009 & data$Month==6),] # row 318

# Start of observations for the COVID-19 Pandemic
data[which(data$Year==2020 & data$Month==3),] # row 447
```

Exploratory Data Analysis: Time Series Plotted Separately



Note the upward trend in all of the series, and the apparent seasonality in the meat and poultry series.

Time

300

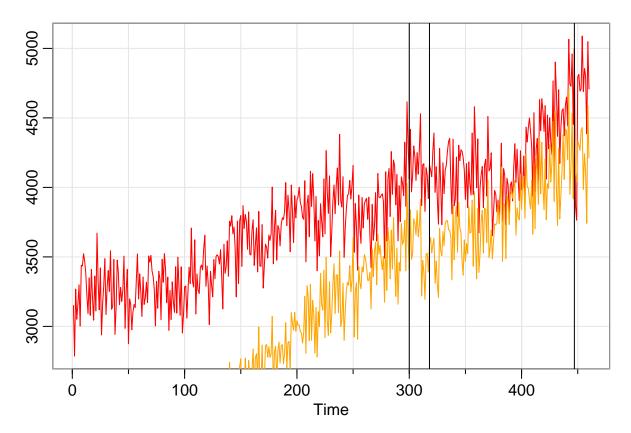
400

200

Exploratory Data Analysis: Time Series Plotted Together

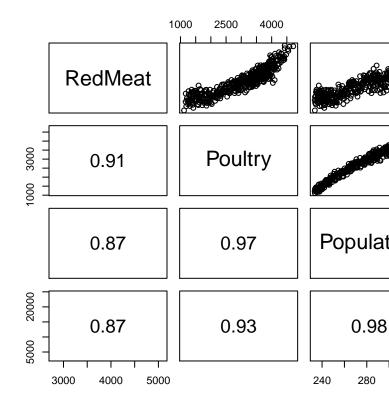
100

```
tsplot(meat, main="", ylab="", col="red")
lines(poul, col="orange")
```



Note that poultry has a steeper upward trend than red meat. Both series display a downard trend during the Great Recession (December 2007 to June 2009), and a leveling off during the COVID-19 pandemic (March 2020 to present). Both series have similar seasonality.

```
# Code from page 43 of textbook: Shumway, Stoffer (2019)
panel.cor = function(x, y, ...){
  usr = par("usr"); on.exit(par(usr))
  par(usr = c(0,1,0,1))
  r = round(cor(x, y), 2)
  text(0.5, 0.5, r, cex=1.75)
}
pairs(cbind(RedMeat=meat, Poultry=poul, Population=popu, Income=inco), lower.panel=panel.cor)
```



Exploratory Data Analysis: Scatterplot Matrix

The scatterplot matrix indicates that red meat is nonlinearly related to population and income, and the same is true for poultry. Population and income are highly correlated, and have nearly identical correlation coefficients for red meat and poultry.

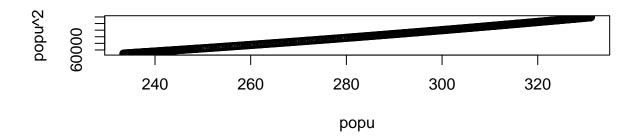
For ease, let M_t denote total red meat production, P_t denote total population, and I_t denote total personal income. Also, let L and I denote the mean of population, and the mean of personal income, respectively.

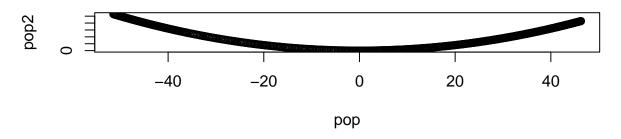
```
par(mfrow=2:1)
plot(popu, popu^2) # collinear
cor(popu, popu^2)
```

Exploratory Data Analysis: Collinearity

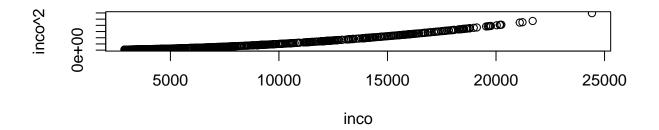
```
## [1] 0.9990233

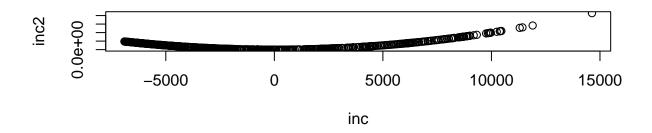
pop = popu - mean(popu) # center population
pop2 = pop^2
plot(pop, pop2) # not collinear
```





```
cor(pop, pop2)
## [1] -0.1503336
par(mfrow=2:1)
plot(inco, inco^2) # collinear
cor(inco, inco^2)
## [1] 0.9763314
inc = inco - mean(inco) # center income
inc2 = inc^2
plot(inc, inc2)
```





cor(inc, inc2)

[1] 0.4068634

For this data set, L_t and L_t^2 are highly collinear, but $L_t - L$ and $(L_t - L)^2$ are not. Similarly, I_t and I_t^2 are highly collinear, while $I_t - I$ and $(I_t - I)^2$ are moderately collinear. Therefore, it is better to include L_t instead of I_t in the model.

Model Formulation: Multiple Linear Regression

Based on the scatterplot, three models will be entertained for each of red meat and poultry. They are

M1: $M_t = \beta_0 + \beta_1 + w_t$

M2: $M_t = \beta_0 + \beta_1 + \beta_2(L_t - L) + w_t$ M3: $M_t = \beta_0 + \beta_1 + \beta_2(L_t - L) + \beta_3(L_t - L)^2 + w_t$

P1: $P_t = \beta_0 + \beta_1 + w_t$ P2: $P_t = \beta_0 + \beta_1 + \beta_2(L_t - L_*) + w_t$ P3: $P_t = \beta_0 + \beta_1 + \beta_2(L_t - L_*) + \beta_3(L_t - L_*)^2 + w_t$

where we adjust population for its mean, L, to avoid collinearity problems.

Note that M1 and P1 are trend only models, M2 and P2 add a linear population term, M3 and P3 add a curvilinear population term.

Multiple Linear Regression: Total Meat Production

```
trend_m = time(meat)
num_m = length(meat) # 460 observations
```

```
# Model M1
fit_m1 = lm(meat ~ trend_m, na.action=NULL)
(m1_out = summary(fit_m1))
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = meat ~ trend_m, na.action = NULL)
## Residuals:
               1Q Median
      Min
                               ЗQ
                                      Max
## -687.72 -146.80 13.56 166.01 634.52
##
## Coefficients:
               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 3.109e+03 2.105e+01 147.68 <2e-16 ***
## trend m
             2.991e+00 7.914e-02 37.79 <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 225.4 on 458 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.7572, Adjusted R-squared: 0.7567
## F-statistic: 1428 on 1 and 458 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
summary(aov(fit m1))
##
                   Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
## trend_m
               1 72568456 72568456
                                     1428 <2e-16 ***
## Residuals
              458 23268197
                              50804
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
AIC(fit_m1)/num_m - log(2*pi)
## [1] 11.84442
BIC(fit m1)/num m
## [1] 13.70923
rss_m1 = m1_out$sigma
# Model M2
fit_m2 = lm(meat ~ trend_m + pop, na.action=NULL)
(m2_out = summary(fit_m2))
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = meat ~ trend_m + pop, na.action = NULL)
## Residuals:
               1Q Median
                               3Q
## -682.01 -146.13
                   15.06 164.16 639.33
##
## Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 3171.069
                         274.895 11.536 <2e-16 ***
```

```
## trend m
                 2.722
                            1.192
                                   2.284 0.0228 *
                 1.179
                            5.206 0.226 0.8210
## pop
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 225.6 on 457 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.7572, Adjusted R-squared: 0.7562
## F-statistic: 712.7 on 2 and 457 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
summary(aov(fit_m2))
##
               Df
                    Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
## trend m
               1 72568456 72568456 1425.444 <2e-16 ***
                                      0.051 0.821
## pop
                      2609
                               2609
                1
## Residuals 457 23265587
                              50909
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
AIC(fit_m2)/num_m - log(2*pi)
## [1] 11.84865
BIC(fit m2)/num m
## [1] 13.72245
rss_m2 = m2_out$sigma
# Model M3
fit_m3 = lm(meat ~ trend_m + pop + pop2, na.action=NULL)
(m3_out = summary(fit_m3))
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = meat ~ trend_m + pop + pop2, na.action = NULL)
##
## Residuals:
               10 Median
                               3Q
                                     Max
## -680.54 -147.82
                   14.43 161.39 638.49
##
## Coefficients:
               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
##
## (Intercept) 3.411e+03 3.805e+02 8.964 <2e-16 ***
             1.607e+00 1.706e+00 0.942
                                             0.347
## trend m
              6.106e+00 7.499e+00 0.814
                                             0.416
## pop
## pop2
              1.808e-02 1.980e-02 0.913
                                             0.362
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 225.7 on 456 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.7577, Adjusted R-squared: 0.7561
## F-statistic: 475.3 on 3 and 456 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
summary(aov(fit_m3))
                    Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
               Df
## trend_m
                1 72568456 72568456 1424.925 <2e-16 ***
## pop
                1
                      2609
                               2609
                                      0.051 0.821
```

```
## pop2
                      42465
                               42465
                                        0.834 0.362
                 1
## Residuals
              456 23223123
                               50928
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
AIC(fit_m3)/num_m - log(2*pi)
## [1] 11.85117
BIC(fit_m3)/num_m
## [1] 13.73395
rss_m3 = m3_out$sigma
# Comparison of M1 (reduced) to M2 (full) model using residual sums of squares
((rss_m1 - rss_m2)/(3-2))/(rss_m2/(460-3-1)) # 4.1159 significant
## [1] -0.4725471
qf(.05, 3-2, 460-3-1, lower.tail=FALSE) # 3.8619
## [1] 3.861932
# Comparison of M1 (reduced) to M3 (full) model using residual sums of squares
((rss_m1 - rss_m3)/(4-2))/(rss_m3/(460-4-1)) # 2.1425 nonsignificant
## [1] -0.2770796
qf(.05, 3-2, 460-3-1, lower.tail=FALSE) # 3.8619
## [1] 3.861932
```

R-squared is nearly the same for all three models for meat production. M1 has the lowest AIC and BIC scores of the three models. Both of the estimated coefficients for M1 are statistically significant. Comparison of M1 (reduced) to M2 (full) models using residual sums of squares produced a statistically significant F-test, whereas comparison of M1 to M3 did not. However, the estimated coefficients of the linear and quadradtic terms, in M2 and M3, were not statistically significant. Therefore, M1 does the best of the three models.

Multiple Linear Regression: Total Poultry Production

```
trend_p = time(poul)
num_p = length(poul)
# Model P1
fit_p1 = lm(poul ~ trend_p, na.action=NULL)
(p1_out = summary(fit_p1))
##
## lm(formula = poul ~ trend_p, na.action = NULL)
##
## Residuals:
##
       Min
                1Q
                                 3Q
                                        Max
                    Median
##
  -704.93 -185.50
                     -3.61
                           177.14
                                     629.47
##
## Coefficients:
##
                Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 1.448e+03 2.163e+01
                                       66.96
                                               <2e-16 ***
```

```
6.546e+00 8.131e-02 80.50 <2e-16 ***
## trend p
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 231.6 on 458 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.934, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9339
## F-statistic: 6481 on 1 and 458 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
summary(aov(fit p1))
               Df
                     Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
## trend_p
                1 347532050 347532050
                                        6481 <2e-16 ***
## Residuals
              458 24559260
                               53623
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
AIC(fit_p1)/num_p - log(2*pi)
## [1] 11.89842
BIC(fit_p1)/num_p
## [1] 13.76324
rss_p1 = p1_out$sigma
# Model P2
fit_p2 = lm(poul ~ trend_p + pop, na.action=NULL)
(p2_out = summary(fit_p2))
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = poul ~ trend_p + pop, na.action = NULL)
## Residuals:
      Min
               1Q Median
                              3Q
                                     Max
## -508.45 -135.67
                    4.86 134.34 589.22
## Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 4278.504 249.275 17.164 < 2e-16 ***
               -5.733
                         1.081 -5.305 1.76e-07 ***
## trend_p
## pop
                53.759
                           4.721 11.387 < 2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 204.6 on 457 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.9486, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9484
## F-statistic: 4216 on 2 and 457 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
summary(aov(fit_p2))
##
               Df
                     Sum Sq
                             Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
## trend_p
                1 347532050 347532050 8301.8 <2e-16 ***
## pop
                1
                    5428313
                             5428313
                                      129.7 <2e-16 ***
## Residuals
              457 19130947
                               41862
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

```
AIC(fit_p2)/num_p - log(2*pi)
## [1] 11.65298
BIC(fit_p2)/num_p
## [1] 13.52678
rss_p2 = p2_out$sigma
# Model P3
fit_p3 = lm(poul ~ trend_p + pop + pop2, na.action=NULL)
(p3_out = summary(fit_p3))
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = poul ~ trend p + pop + pop2, na.action = NULL)
## Residuals:
##
      Min
               1Q Median
                              3Q
## -445.65 -109.53 0.46 105.22 598.55
##
## Coefficients:
##
               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 1603.4964 294.0508 5.453 8.13e-08 ***
                          1.3184 5.066 5.91e-07 ***
               6.6791
## trend_p
## pop
                           5.7947 -0.192
                -1.1104
                                             0.848
               -0.2013
                           0.0153 -13.158 < 2e-16 ***
## pop2
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 174.4 on 456 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.9627, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9625
## F-statistic: 3927 on 3 and 456 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
summary(aov(fit p3))
##
              Df
                     Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
## trend_p
              1 347532050 347532050 11428.9 <2e-16 ***
               1 5428313 5428313 178.5 <2e-16 ***
## pop
                                     173.1 <2e-16 ***
## pop2
              1 5264801
                             5264801
## Residuals 456 13866146
                              30408
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
AIC(fit_p3)/num_p - log(2*pi)
## [1] 11.33547
BIC(fit_p3)/num_p
## [1] 13.21826
rss_p3 = p3_out$sigma
# Model P4
fit_p4 = lm(poul ~ trend_p + pop2, na.action=NULL)
(p4_out = summary(fit_p4))
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = poul ~ trend_p + pop2, na.action = NULL)
##
## Residuals:
                            3Q
##
     Min
              1Q Median
                                  Max
## -446.8 -109.6
                    0.4 106.0
                               600.6
##
## Coefficients:
##
                 Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 1659.71755
                            19.78891
                                       83.87
                                               <2e-16 ***
                 6.42678
                             0.06149
                                     104.52
                                               <2e-16 ***
## trend_p
## pop2
                 -0.19919
                             0.01061
                                     -18.77
                                               <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 174.2 on 457 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.9627, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9626
## F-statistic: 5903 on 2 and 457 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
summary(aov(fit_p4))
##
                Df
                      Sum Sq
                               Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
                 1 347532050 347532050 11453.0 <2e-16 ***
## trend_p
                   10691997
                             10691997
                                         352.4 <2e-16 ***
## pop2
                 1
                   13867263
## Residuals
               457
                                 30344
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
AIC(fit_p4)/num_p - log(2*pi)
## [1] 11.33121
BIC(fit_p4)/num_p
## [1] 13.20501
rss_p4 = p4_out$sigma
# Comparison of P1 (reduced) to P2 (full) model using residual sums of squares
((rss_p1 - rss_p2)/(3-2))/(rss_p2/(460-3-1)) # 4.1159 significant
## [1] 60.09494
qf(.05, 3-2, 460-3-1, lower.tail=FALSE) # 3.8619
## [1] 3.861932
# Comparison of P1 (reduced) to P3 (full) model using residual sums of squares
((rss_p1 - rss_p3)/(4-2))/(rss_p3/(460-4-1)) # 2.1425 nonsignificant
## [1] 74.60703
qf(.05, 3-2, 460-3-1, lower.tail=FALSE) # 3.8619
```

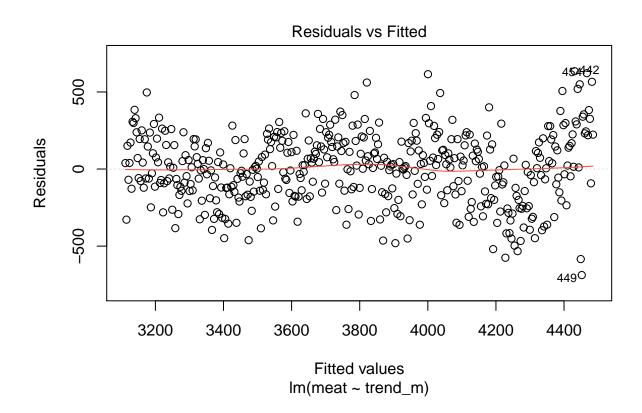
[1] 3.861932

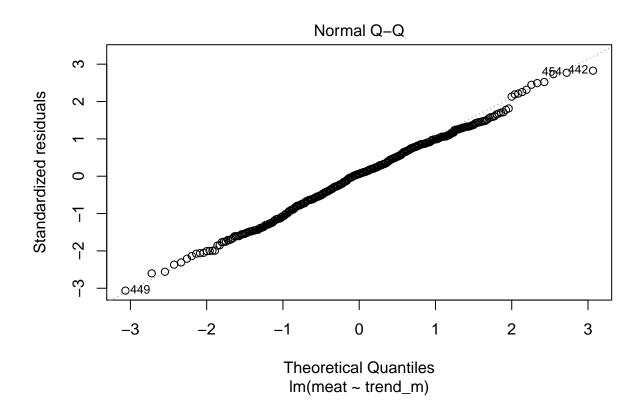
P3 has the highest R-squared, as well as the lowest AIC and BIC of the three poultry models. The income term, I, in the P3 model has an estimated coefficient that is not statistically significant. However, when a

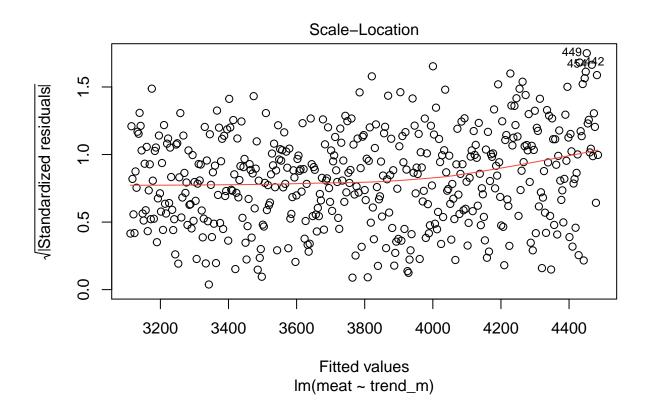
fourth model was fitted with that term removed, there is essentially no change in R-squared, AIC, or BIC. Therefore, I will leave the linear term in the model and select P3 from the three poultry models.

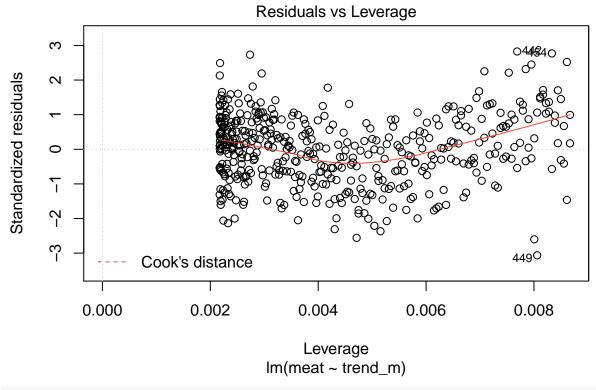
Model Formulation: Total Meat Production

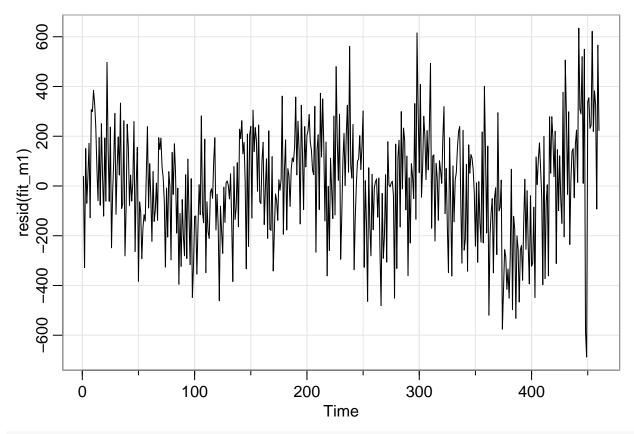
plot(fit_m1)



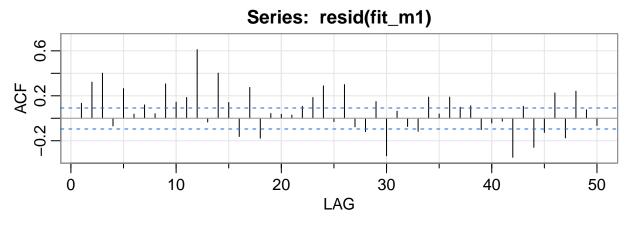


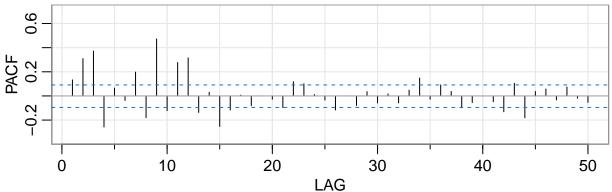






acf2(resid(fit_m1), max.lag=50)





The residual plots for the M2 model show that the assumption of constant variance is valid. The Q-Q plot shows that the assumption of normality is valid. There are three outliers, but none have high leverage based on Cook's distance. Therefore, log transformation of the series may not be necessary. The time series plot suggests that the data alternate between upward and downward trends. Therefore, differencing is indicated to detrend the data.

The time series plot suggests the possibility of a seasonal pattern in the data, and therefore autocorrelated errors. The correlograms confirm the presence of significant autocorrelation (within a confidence band of two standard errors).

Seasonal: It appears that at the seasons (s = 12) the ACF is tailing off at lags 1s, 2s, 3s, 4s. This slow decay indicates seasonal differencing. Typically, differencing of order one is sufficient to obtain seasonal stationarity. The PACF appears to cut off after lag 1s. These results imply an SAR(1), P = 1, D = 1, Q = 0, in the seasonal component.

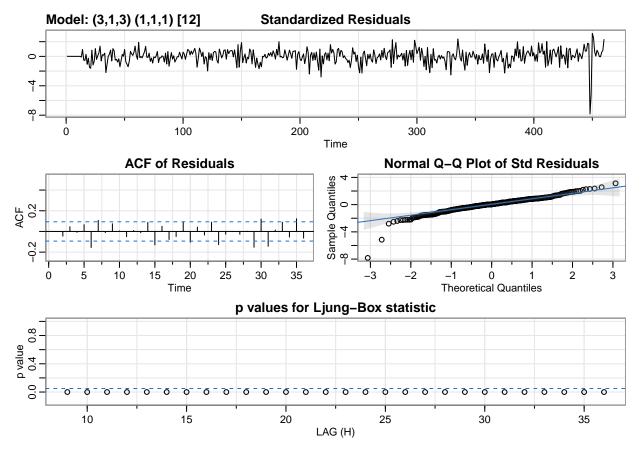
Non-Seasonal: Inspecting the sample ACF and PACF at the first few lags, it appears as though the ACF tails off, whereas the PACF cuts off at lag 3. This suggests an AR(3) within the seasons, p = 3 and q = 0.

Therefore, I would choose the following model:

 $ARIMA(3,1,0)x(1,1,0)_{12}$

Model Estimation: Total Meat Production

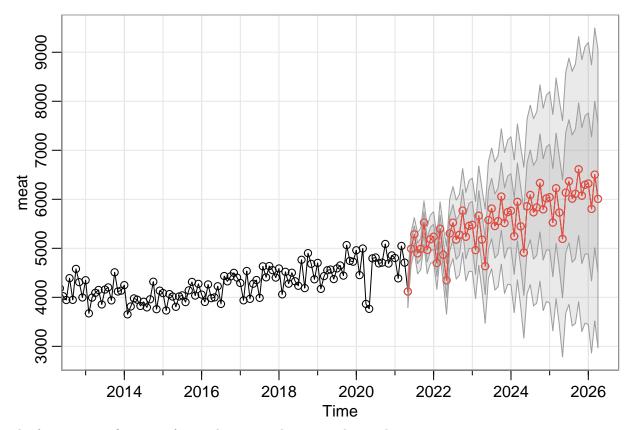
```
sarima(meat, 3,1,3, 1,1,1,12, xreg=cbind(trend_m+pop+pop2))
```



The plot of standardized residuals displays no obvious pattern. The ACF plot of residuals suggests that most of the autocorrelation is nonsignificant. the Q-Q plot suggests that the normality assumption is valid, despite the presence of four outliers which were previously not found to have problematic leverage. The q-statistic has p-values that are all significant, leading to rejection of the null hypothesis that the residuals are white.

Forecasting: Total Meat Production

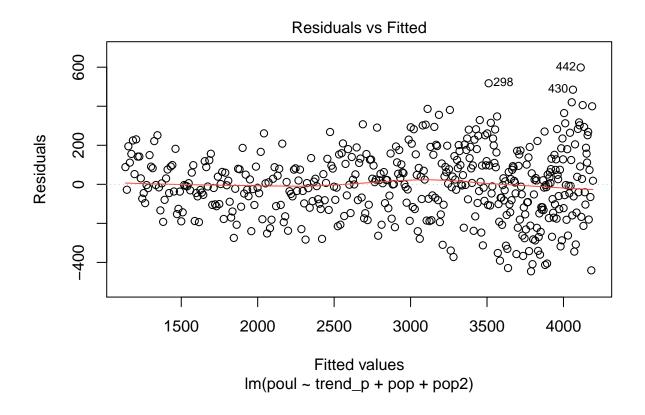
```
# End of data set
data[which(data$Year==2021 & data$Month==4),] # row 460
meat = ts(meat, start = c(1983,1), frequency = 12)
sarima.for(meat, 60, 3,1,0, 1,1,0,12)
abline(v=460)
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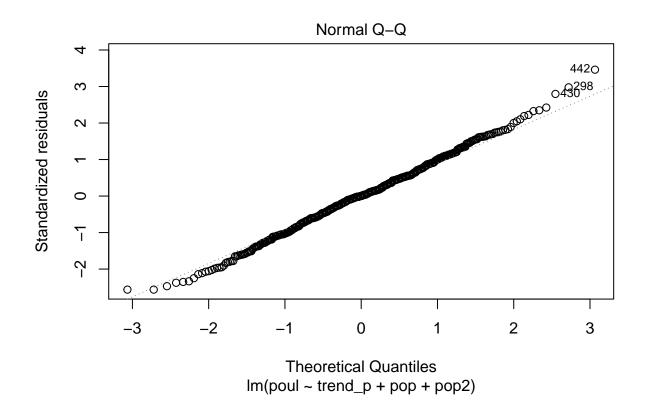


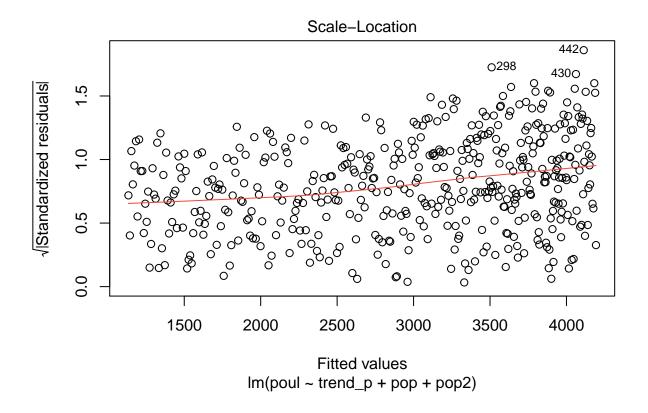
The forecasts out five years for total meat production is shown above.

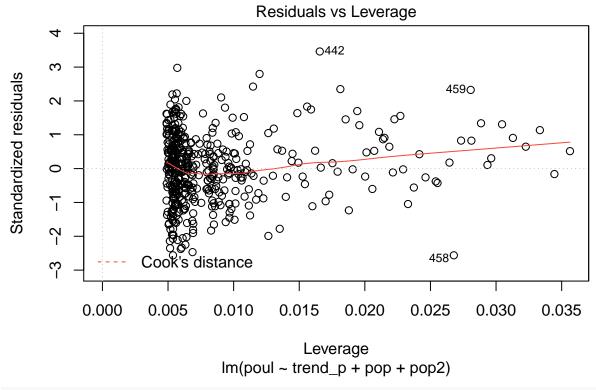
Model Formulation: Total Poultry Production

plot(fit_p3)

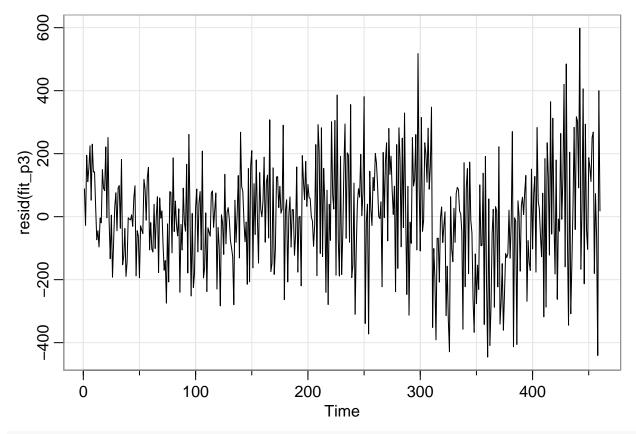




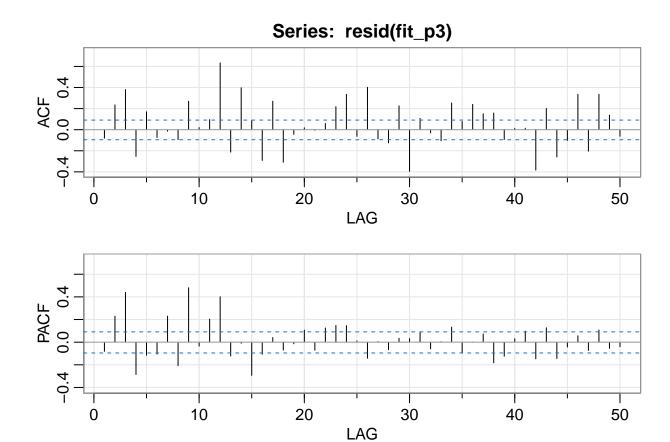




tsplot(resid(fit_p3))



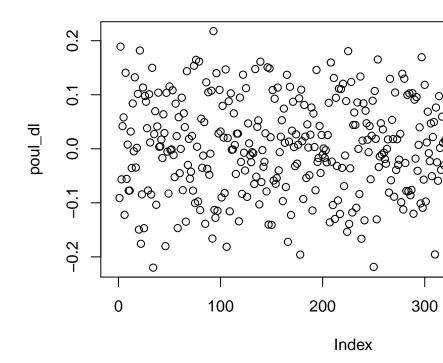
acf2(resid(fit_p3), max.lag=50)



The residual plots for the P3 model suggest that the variance is nonconstant. The Q-Q plot shows that the assumption of normality is valid. There is a high-leverage outlier at month 459, corresponding to an unusual rise and fall in production for February and March 2021. The time series plot suggests a shifting trend, and therefore a lack of stationarity. Therefore, the data can be logged to stabilize the variance, then differenced to remove the trend.

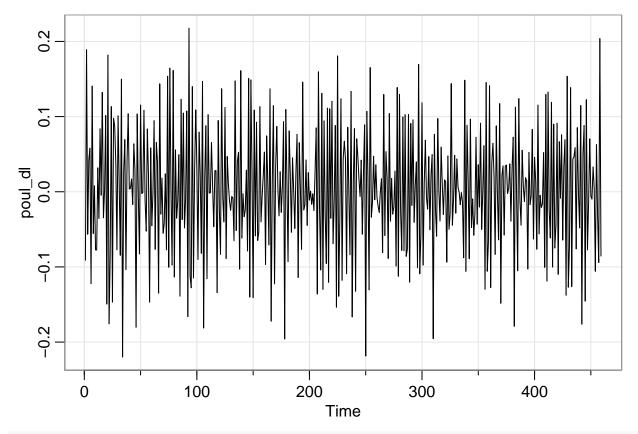
The time series plot suggests the possibility of a seasonal pattern in the data, and therefore autocorrelated errors. The correlograms confirm the presence of significant autocorrelation (within a confidence band of two standard errors).

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poul_dl = diff(log(poul)) # apply logarithm, then difference
plot(poul_dl)
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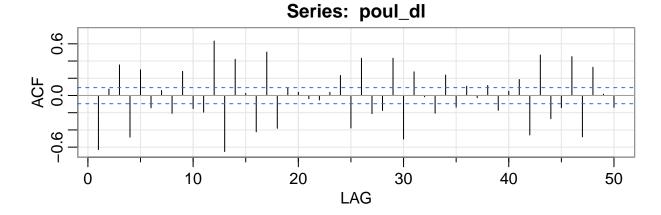


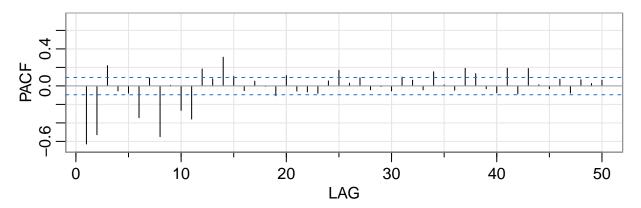
Transformations: Total Poultry Production

tsplot(poul_dl)



acf2(poul_dl, max.lag=50)





Seasonal: It appears that at the seasons (s = 12) the ACF is tailing off at lags approximately near 1s, 2s, 3s, 4s. This slow decay indicates seasonal differencing. Typically, differencing of order one is sufficient to obtain seasonal stationarity. The PACF appears to cut off after about lag 1s. These results imply an SAR(1), P = 1, D = 1, Q = 0, in the seasonal component.

Non-Seasonal: Inspecting the sample ACF and PACF at the first few lags, it appears as though the ACF tails off, whereas the PACF cuts off at lag 2. This suggests and ARMA(2,0) within the seasons, p = 2 and q = 0.

Therefore, I would choose the following model:

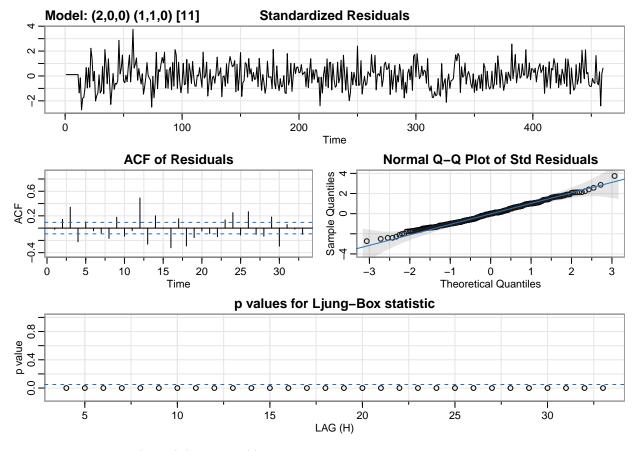
 $ARIMA(2,1,0)x(1,1,0)_{12}$

Model Estimation: Total Poultry Production

```
sarima(log(poul), p=2,d=0,q=0, P=1,D=1,Q=0,S=11, xreg=cbind(trend_p, pop, pop2))
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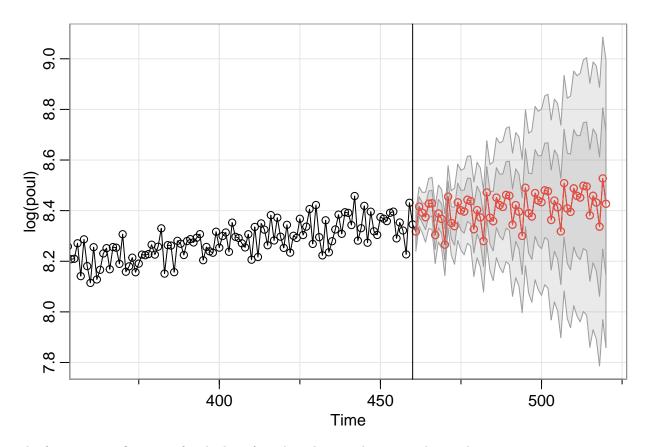


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The plot of standardized residuals displays no obvious pattern. The ACF plot of residuals shows the presence of significant autocorrelation. the Q-Q plot suggests that the normality assumption is valid. The q-statistic has p-values that are all significant, leading to rejection of the null hypothesis that the residuals are white.

Forecasting: Total Poultry Production

```
sarima.for(log(poul), 60, 3,1,0, 1,1,0,12)
abline(v=460)
```



The forecasts out five years for the log of total poultry production is shown above.