1. Consider three processes:

1)
$$Z_t = Z_{t-1} - 0.5Z_{t-2} + a_t$$

2)
$$Z_t = (1 - 0.8B + 0.2B^2)a_t$$

3)
$$(1-0.5B)Z_t = (1-0.8B)a_t$$

- (a) Represent each process in terms of AR form.
- (b) Represent each process in terms of MA form.

(a) AR form

2)
$$(1-0.8B+0.2B^2)^{-1}$$
 $Z_t = 9t$, $\pi_{1}=-0.8$, $\pi_{2}=-0.44$, $\pi_{3}=-0.192$

3)
$$(1-0.5B)(1-0.8B)^{-1}$$
 $Z_t = at$
 $\pi_1 = -0.3$, $\pi_2 = -0.24$, $\pi_3 = -0.192$

(b) MA form

1)
$$Z_t = (-B + 0.5B^2)^{-1} A_t$$

 $V_1 = -1, V_2 = -0.5, V_3 = 0, ...$

2)
$$2t = at - 0.8at + 0.2at - 2$$
,
 $4 = 0.8$, $4 = -0.2$, $4 = 0(i = 3.4, . -)$

3)
$$Z_{t} = (1 - 0.8B) (1 - 0.5B)^{-1} Q_{t}$$

$$= (1 - 0.8B) (1 + 0.5B + 0.25B^{2} + \cdots) Q_{t}$$

$$= (1 - 0.3B - 0.15B^{2} - 0.075B^{3} - \cdots) Q_{t}$$

 $Y_{t} = 0.3$ $Y_{t} = 0.15$ $Y_{t} = 0.075$

2. Obtain ACF and PACF of each process given in Problem #1.

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* ACF

$$\rho(1) = \phi$$
, $\rho(2) = \phi^2$,..

(1) ACF:
$$\phi = 1$$
, $\phi_2 = -0.5$

$$P(1) = \frac{1}{1.5} = 0.67$$
, $P(2) = \frac{1}{1.5 - 0.5} = 0.17$, $P(3) = 0.17 - 0.5 \times 0.67$

PACF:
$$P(1) = 0.67$$
, $P(2) = -0.5$, $P(k) = 0$ ($k = 3.4...$)

(2)
$$A(F: \theta_1 = 0.8, \theta_2 = -0.2)$$

$$P(1) = \frac{-0.8 - 0.16}{1 + 0.64 + 0.04} = -0.5714, P(2) = \frac{0.2}{1 + 0.64 + 0.04} = 0.1190, P(3) = 0$$

$$P(1) = -0.51/4, P(2) = \frac{0.1190 - 0.5714^2}{1 - 0.5714^2} = -0.3081,$$

$$P(3) = \frac{(-0.5714)^3 + 2 \times 0.5114 \times 0.119 - 0.5114 \times 0.119^2}{1 - 2 \times 0.5114^2 \times 0.119 - 0.119^2} = -0.1429$$

(3)ACF

$$\phi_{1} = 0.5, \theta_{1} = 0.8$$

$$P(1) = \frac{(6.5 - 0.8) \times (1 - 0.4)}{(1 + 0.64 - 2 \times 0.4)} = 0.2143, P(2) = 0.5 \times 0.2143 = 0.10715, P(3) = 0.5^{2} \times 0.2143$$

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$$= 0.05357$$

$$P(1) = 0.2143, \quad P(2) = \frac{0.10715 - 0.2143^2}{1 - 0.2143^2} = 0.0642$$

$$P(3) = \underbrace{0.2|43^3 - 2\times0.2|43\times0.|00|5 + 0.2|43\times0.|00|5^2}_{1-2\times0.2|43^2 + 2\times0.2|43^2\times0.|00|5 - 0.|00|5^2} = -0.0371$$

3. Time series $\{X_t, t \geq 1\}$ and $\{Y_t, t \geq 1\}$, respectively, follows a stationary process given below. Assume that the mean of each time series has zero.

$$X_t = a_t - \theta a_{t-1}$$
$$Y_t = \phi Y_{t-1} + a_t$$

where a_t 's are white noises (same ones related to X_t 's and Y_t 's) having mean 0, and variance σ_a^2 . Define

$$Z_t = X_t + Y_t$$

- (a) Obtain $Var[Z_t]$
- (b) Obtain $Cov[Z_t, Z_{t-1}]$
- (c) Obtain $Corr[Z_t, Z_{t-1}]$
- (d) What type of model does $\{Z_t, t \geq 1\}$ follow?

$$Var [Yt] = \phi^2 Var [Yt_1] + \sigma_a^2 = \frac{\sigma_a^2}{1 - \phi^2}$$

=
$$0a^2 - \phi Cov[\Omega_{t1}, \Omega_{t1}] = (1 - \theta \cdot \phi) G_a^2$$

:.
$$|ar[\frac{2}{4}] = G_a^2[1+\theta^2 + \frac{1}{1-\phi^2} + 2(1-\theta\phi)]$$

(b)
$$z_t = (1-\theta B)^{-1} a_t = (2+(\phi-\theta)B+\phi^2B^2+\phi^3B^3+\cdots) a_t$$

Cov [
$$\frac{1}{2}$$
t, $\frac{1}{2}$ t, $\frac{1}{2}$ t, $\frac{1}{2}$ [$\frac{1}{2}$ ($\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$) + $\frac{1}{2}$ ($\frac{1}{$

- 4. Consider a times series given by $Z_t = (1/3)Z_{t-1} + (2/9)Z_{t-2} + a_t$
- (a) Is this satisfying the stationarity condition? How about invertibility condition?
- (b) Show that ACF is given by

$$\rho(k) = \frac{16}{21} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^k + \frac{5}{21} \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)^k \; , \;\; k = 1, 2, \ldots$$

(a) AR(z) model $\phi_1 = \frac{1}{3}$, $\phi_2 = \frac{2}{9}$ satisfying the stationarity condition and invertibility condition

(b)
$$\phi_{2}(z) = 1 - \frac{1}{3}z - \frac{2}{9}z^{2} = (\frac{1}{3}z+1)(-\frac{2}{3}z+1) = 0$$

$$r = \frac{2}{3}, -3$$

$$\frac{1}{3} \times (1 - (-\frac{1}{3})^{2}) (\frac{1}{3}z+1) = 0$$

$$P(1) = \frac{\frac{1}{3/2} \times (1 - (-\frac{1}{3})^2) (\frac{1}{3/2})^4 - (-\frac{1}{3}) (1 - (\frac{1}{3})^2) (-\frac{1}{3})^4}{(\frac{1}{3/2} + \frac{1}{3}) (1 + \frac{1}{3/2} \times (-\frac{1}{3}))}$$

$$= \frac{16}{3/2} \times (\frac{2}{3})^4 + \frac{5}{21} \times (-\frac{1}{3})^4$$

- 5. Let P_t be the price of a commodity at time t. It is known that a series of $\ln\left(P_t/P_{t-1}\right)$ follows AR(1) model.
- (a) What type of model does $ln(P_t)$ follows?
- (b) Find the stationarity and invertibility conditions for the parameters in the model of $\ln{(P_t)}$.

(a)
$$ln \frac{Pt}{Pt-1} = \phi \cdot ln \frac{Pt-1}{Pt-2} + at$$

$$l_n P_t = (1+\phi) l_n P_{t-1} - \phi l_n P_{t-2} + Q_t$$

AR(2) model

(b) stationarity (x), Invertibility (x)