

ASSIGNMENT 1 - KSHITIJ MITTAL

Q1

$$E(X) = 2$$

$$\text{VAR}(X) = 9$$

$$\sigma_X = \sqrt{9} = 3$$

$$E(Y) = 0$$

$$\text{VAR}(Y) = 4$$

$$\sigma_Y = \sqrt{4} = 2$$

$$\text{CORR}(X, Y) = 0.25$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{COV}(X, Y) &= \text{CORR}(X, Y) * (\sigma_X) (\sigma_Y) \\ &= 0.25 * 3 * 2 \\ &= 1.5\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{(a) Var}(X+Y) &= \text{Var}(X) + \text{Var}(Y) + 2 \text{COV}(X, Y) \\ &= 9 + 4 + 2 * 1.5 \\ &= 16\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{(b) COV}(X, X+Y) &= \text{COV}(X, X) + \text{COV}(X, Y) \\ &\quad \swarrow \\ &= E[(X - E(X))(X - E(X))] \\ &= E(X - E(X))^2 \\ &= \text{Var}(X) \\ &= 9\end{aligned}$$

\rightarrow
 $= 1.5$
 (from above)

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \text{COV}(X, X+Y) &= 9 + 1.5 \\ &= 10.5\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{(c) CORR}(X+Y, X-Y) = \text{CORR}(X, X) - \text{CORR}(X, Y) + \text{CORR}(X, Y) - \text{CORR}(Y, Y)$$

$$\text{CORR}(X+Y, X-Y) = \frac{\text{COV}(X+Y, X-Y)}{\sqrt{\text{Var}(X+Y)} \sqrt{\text{Var}(X-Y)}}$$

$$\text{COV}(X+Y, X-Y) = \text{COV}(X, X) - \text{COV}(X, Y) + \text{COV}(Y, X) - \text{COV}(Y, Y)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \text{VAR}(X) - \text{VAR}(Y) \\
 &= 9 - 4 = 5
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{VAR}(X+Y) = \text{VAR}(X) + \text{VAR}(Y) + 2\text{COV}(X, Y) = 9 + 4 + 2 \cdot 1.5 = 16$$

$$\text{VAR}(X-Y) = \text{VAR}(X) + \text{VAR}(Y) - 2\text{COV}(X, Y) = 9 + 4 - 3 = 10$$

$$\therefore \text{CORR}(X+Y, X-Y) = \frac{5}{\sqrt{16} \sqrt{10}} = \frac{5}{4 \cdot \sqrt{2} \cdot \sqrt{5}} = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{4\sqrt{2}} = 0.395$$

Q2 X, Y dependent
 $\text{Var}(X) = \text{Var}(Y)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{COV}(X+Y, X-Y) &= \text{COV}(X, X-Y) + \text{COV}(Y, X-Y) \\
 &= \text{COV}(X, X) - \text{COV}(X, Y) + \text{COV}(Y, X) - \text{COV}(Y, Y) \\
 &= \text{VAR}(X) - \text{VAR}(Y) \\
 &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

Q3 $Y_t = 5 + 2t + \gamma_t$
 $\underbrace{\quad}_{u_t}$
 non-constant function

$\gamma_t \rightarrow$ zero mean stationary series

$\gamma_k \rightarrow$ AUTO COVARIANCES

\downarrow
 linear relationship b/w lagged values of a time series y

$$\begin{aligned}
 1) E(Y_t) &= E(5+2t) + E(\gamma_t) \\
 &= 5+2t + 0 \\
 &= 5+2t
 \end{aligned}$$

2) Auto-covariance function for $\{Y_t\}$

$$= \text{Cov}(Y_t, Y_{t-k})$$

lag period

$$\text{let } \varepsilon_t + \alpha_t = u_t$$

$$= \text{Cov}(u_t + x_t, u_{t-k} + x_{t-k})$$

$$= \text{Cov}(u_t, u_{t-k}) + \text{Cov}(u_t, x_{t-k}) + \text{Cov}(x_t, u_{t-k}) + \text{Cov}(x_t, x_{t-k})$$

$$= \text{Cov}(u_t, u_{t-k}) + \text{Cov}(x_t, x_{t-k}) \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Auto covariance for } x_t \text{ at} \\ \text{lag } k \\ \therefore \gamma_k \end{array} \right\}$$

$\hookrightarrow \text{constant}$

$$= \gamma_k$$

3) As mean of $Y_t = E(Y_t) = \varepsilon_t + \alpha_t$, we can see that the mean does not stay constant

Q4

- (1) Monthly Accidental Deaths \rightarrow **A** : Strong auto-correlation at every 12 months lag
 - (2) Monthly Air Passengers \rightarrow **C** : overall upward trend, with spikes every 12 months
 - (3) Annual Milk Trappings \rightarrow **B** : strong auto-correlation at every 12 years lag
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Q5