

# HW2

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Analyzing Apple Stock Data

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Importing Data:

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In [28]: library(TSA)
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AAPL <- read.csv("AAPL.csv", header = T)
AAPL.AdjClose <- ts(AAPL$Adj.Close)
```

This dataset is 5 years worth of adjusted closing prices for Apple stock from 9/12/2013 to 9/11/2018. The dataset consists of 1259 floating point values.

Summary statistics:

```
In [37]: cat("Mean: ", mean(AAPL.AdjClose), "\n")
cat("Standard Deviation: ", sd(AAPL.AdjClose), "\n")
cat("Median: ", median(AAPL.AdjClose), "\n")
cat("Variance: ", var(AAPL.AdjClose), "\n")
```

Mean: 119.1819

Standard Deviation: 36.73071

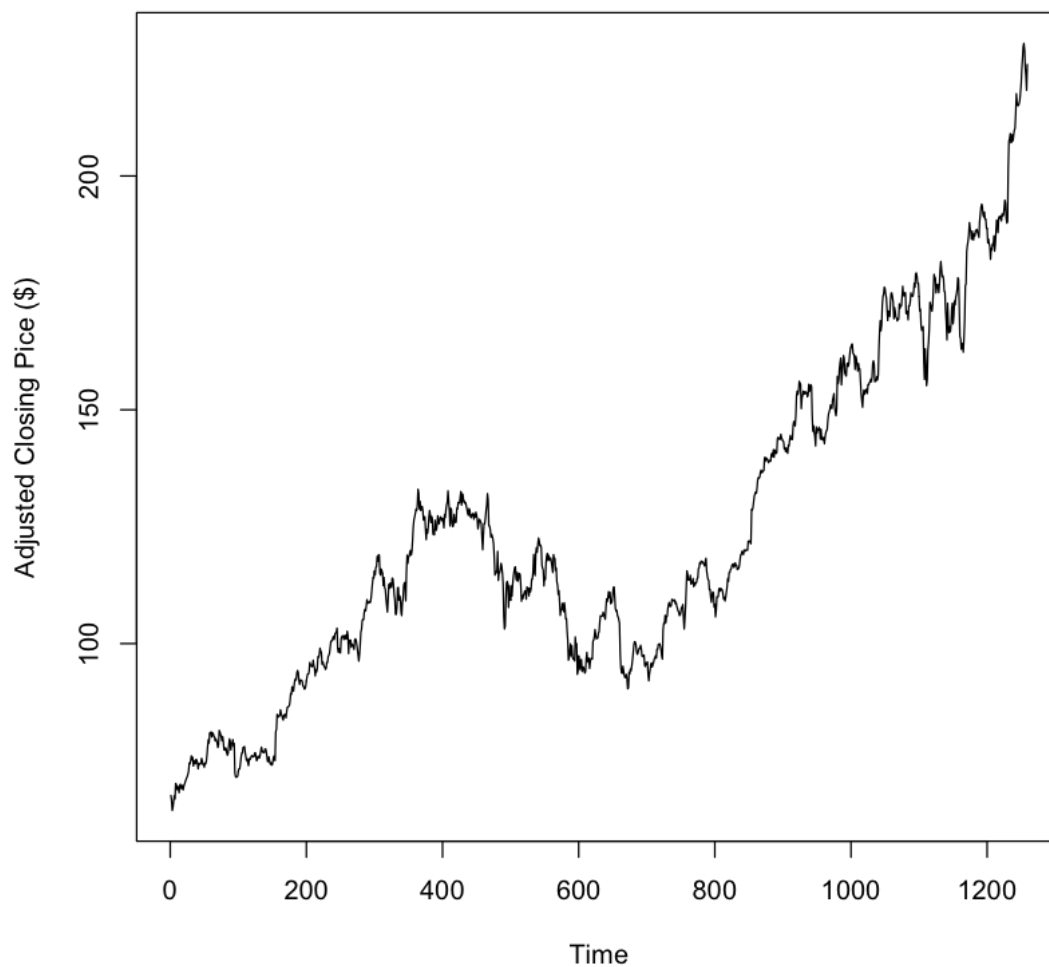
Median: 109.9198

Variance: 1349.145

Plotting Adjusted Closing Prices:

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In [5]: plot(AAPL.AdjClose,
ylab="Adjusted Closing Price ($)",
xlab="Time",
main="Apple Adjusted Closing Price 9/12/2013 - 9/11/2018")
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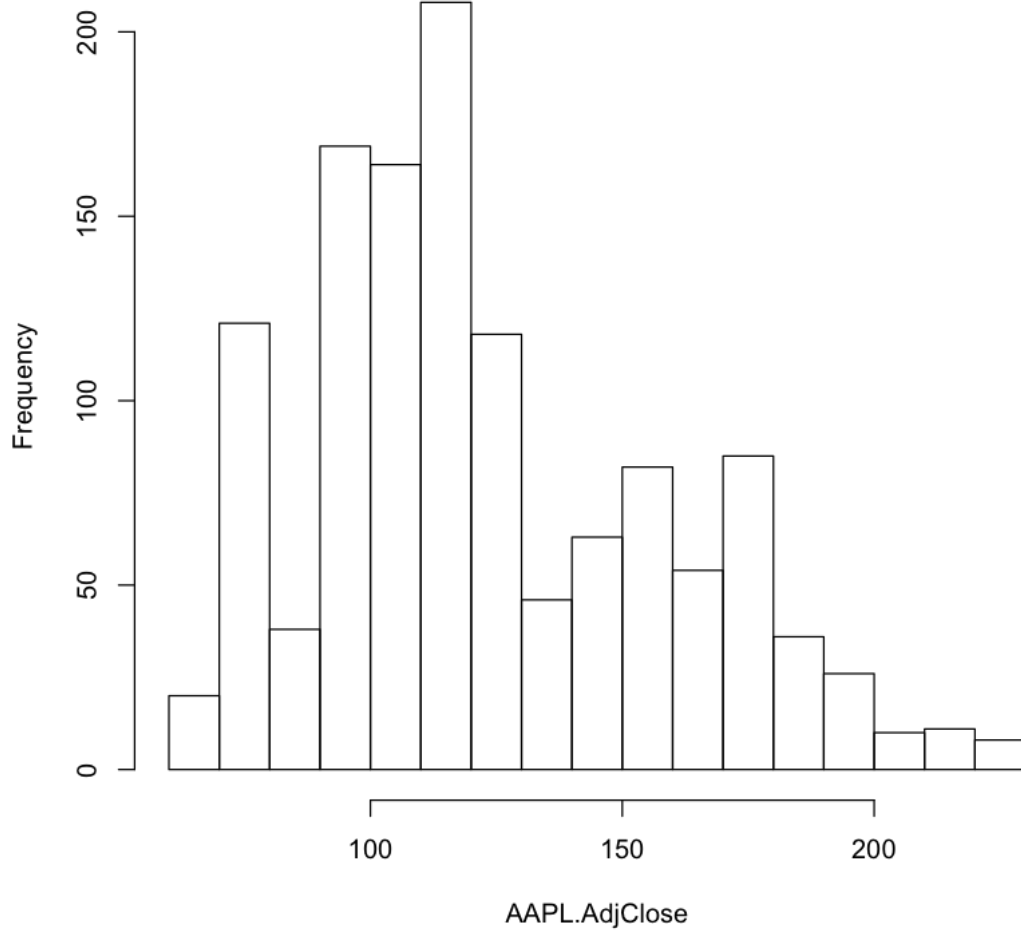
**Apple Adjusted Closing Price 9/12/2013 - 9/11/2018**

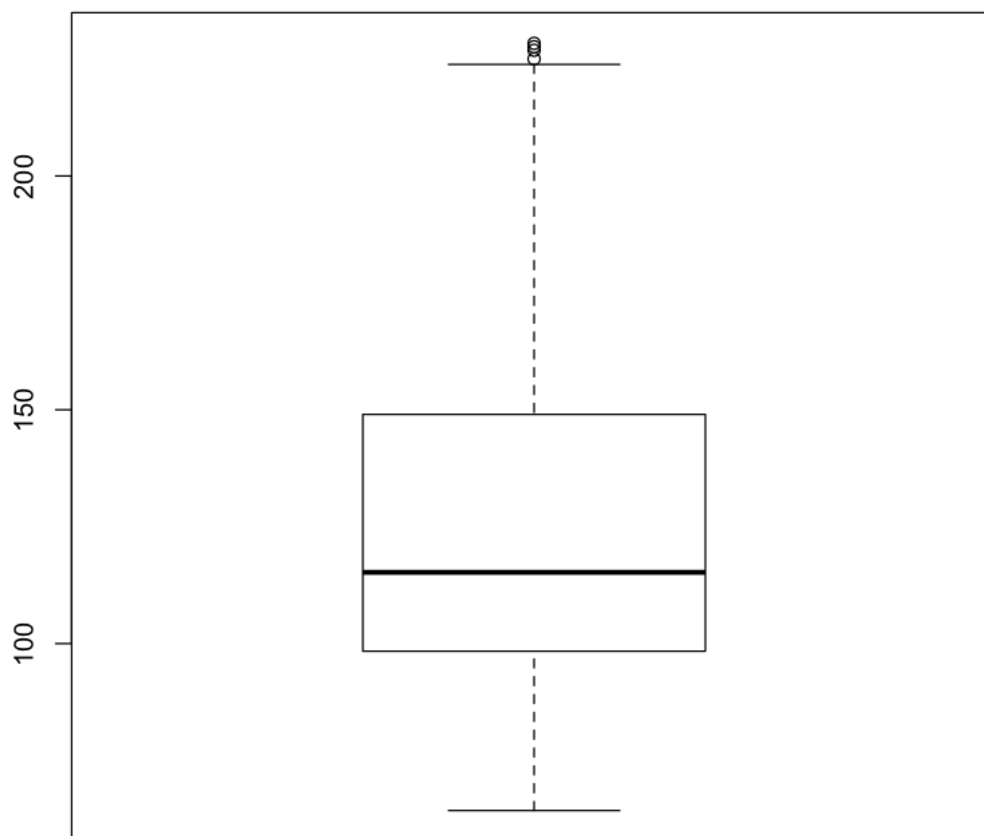


These data show an upward trend in the adjusted closing price of Apple stock, meaning the mean tends to increase with time. Variance appears to remain reasonably constant over time.  
Checking For Outliers:

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In [6]: hist(AAPL.AdjClose)
        boxplot(AAPL.AdjClose)
```

**Histogram of AAPL.AdjClose**

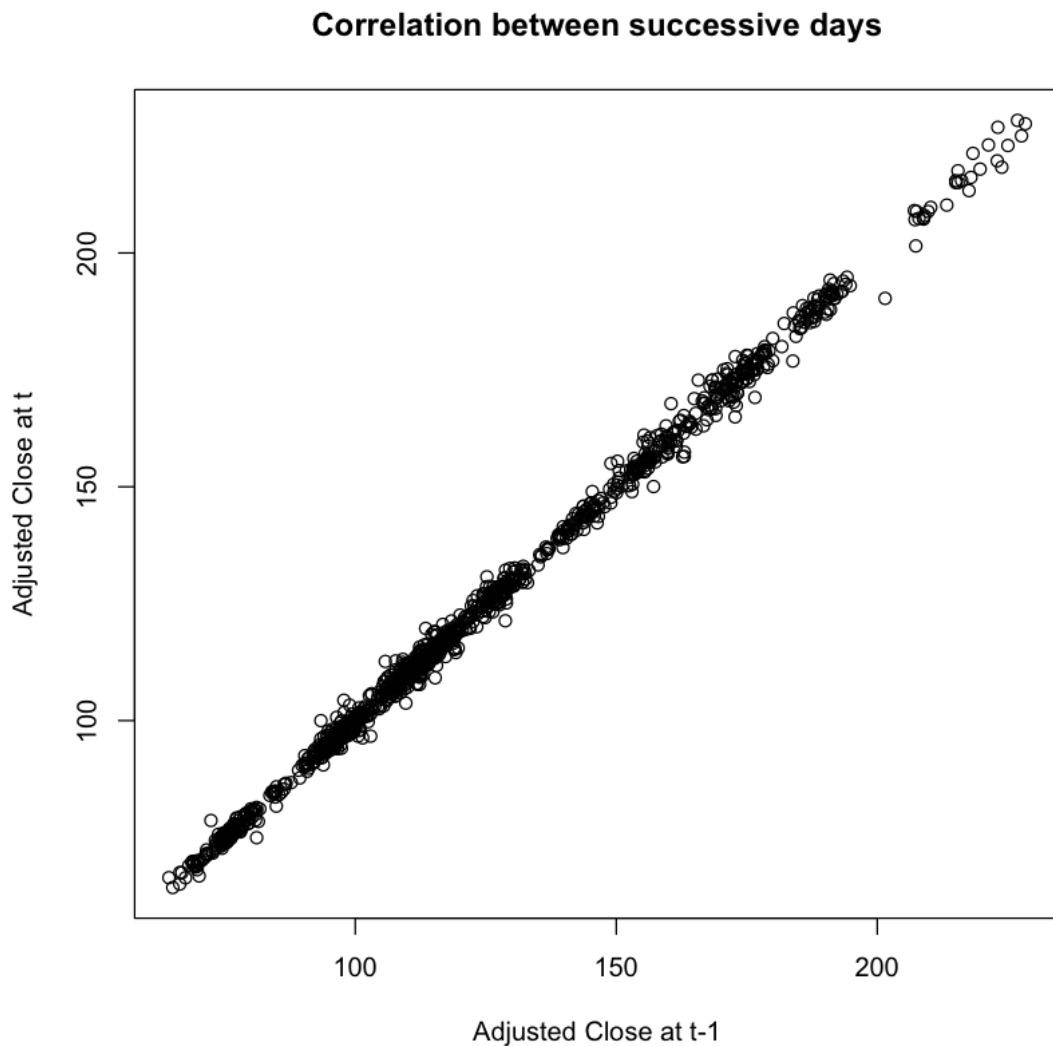




The boxplot shows that 4 observations are outliers. These observations are likely due to the large, recent spike in the stock price, and may not be indicative of the true, overall trend of the stock. The histogram is positively skewed.

Checking for Autocorrelation With Lag of 1 Timestep:

```
In [7]: plot(AAPL.AdjClose,
            zlag(AAPL.AdjClose),
            ylab="Adjusted Close at t",
            xlab="Adjusted Close at t-1",
            main="Correlation between successive days")
```



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In [22]: cor(AAPL.AdjClose[2:length(AAPL.AdjClose)], na.omit(zlag(AAPL.AdjClose)))
```

0.99892613190851

The plot and correlation of .9989 suggest that successive data points are highly correlated.

Linear Model for Stock Price:

```
In [53]: lm <- lm(AAPL.AdjClose ~ time(AAPL.AdjClose))
```

```
plot(AAPL.AdjClose,
     ylab="Adjusted Closing Price ($)",
     xlab="Time",
     main="Apple Adjusted Closing Price 9/12/2013 - 9/11/2018")
abline(lm)
```

```
summary(lm)
qqnorm(resid(lm))
qqline(resid(lm))

plot(resid(lm), col='blue', ylab="Residuals")
abline(h=0, col='red')
```

Call:

```
lm(formula = AAPL.AdjClose ~ time(AAPL.AdjClose))
```

Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-37.158	-7.154	1.770	10.961	52.819

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )
(Intercept)	62.281302	0.928441	67.08	<2e-16 ***
time(AAPL.AdjClose)	0.090318	0.001277	70.75	<2e-16 ***

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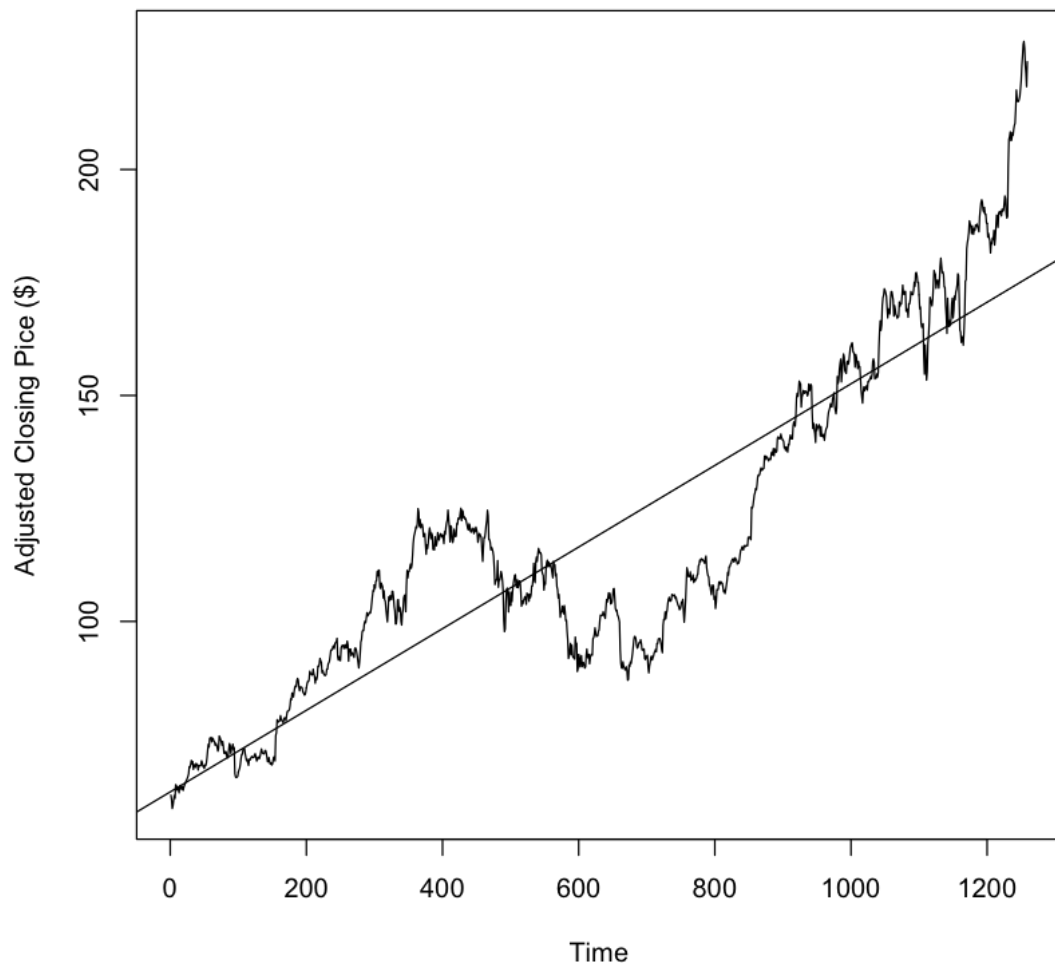
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Residual standard error: 16.46 on 1257 degrees of freedom

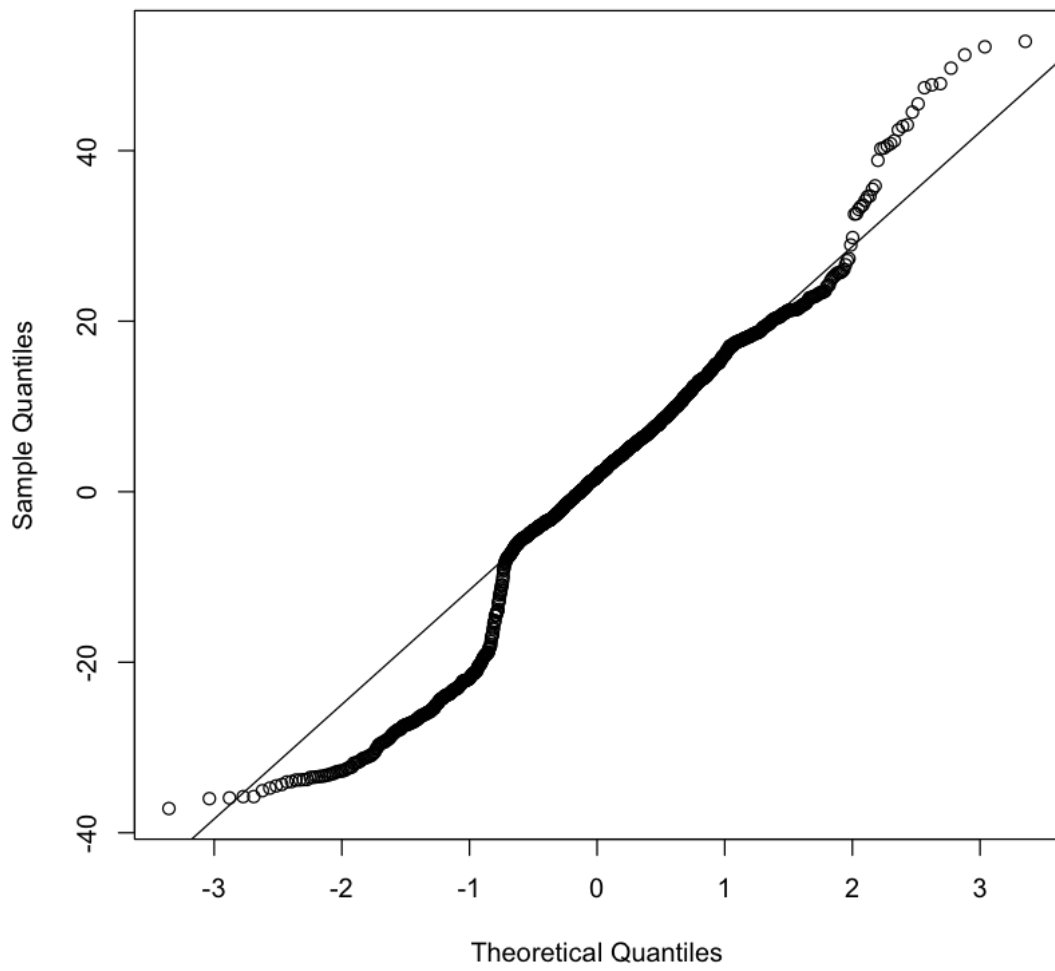
Multiple R-squared: 0.7993, Adjusted R-squared: 0.7991

F-statistic: 5006 on 1 and 1257 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16

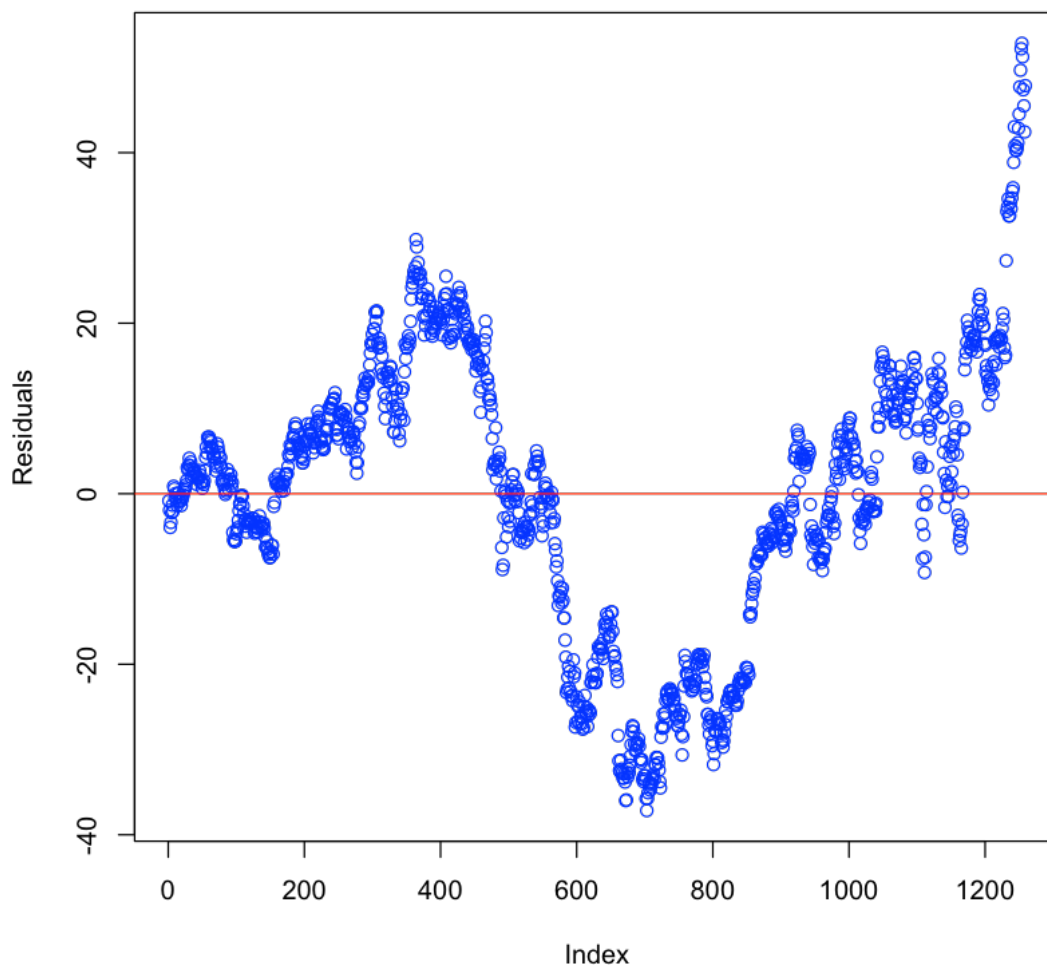
**Apple Adjusted Closing Price 9/12/2013 - 9/11/2018**



Normal Q-Q Plot







The QQ Plot suggests that the error term is not normally distributed due to the skew on the ends of the plot. Furthermore, the residual plot has a very apparent pattern rather than being closely and evenly distributed about the mean. These findings suggest that a linear model is a very poor fit for these data. On the other hand, the f statistic is very statistically significant with a p-value of  $< 2.2 * 10^{-16}$

Linear Model for Lag of 1:

```
In [56]: lm <- lm(AAPL.AdjClose[2:length(AAPL.AdjClose)] ~ na.omit(zlag(AAPL.AdjClose)))

plot(AAPL.AdjClose,
     zlag(AAPL.AdjClose),
     ylab="Adjusted Close at t",
     xlab="Adjusted Close at t-1",
     main="Correlation between successive days")
```

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abline(lm)

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qqline(resid(lm))

plot(resid(lm), col="blue", ylab="Residuals")
abline(h=0, col="red")

```

Call:

```
lm(formula = AAPL.AdjClose[2:length(AAPL.AdjClose)] ~ na.omit(zlag(AAPL.AdjClose)))
```

Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-7.3818	-0.8053	-0.0329	0.8453	10.9582

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )
(Intercept)	-0.01223	0.16326	-0.075	0.94
na.omit(zlag(AAPL.AdjClose))	1.00119	0.00131	764.107	<2e-16 ***

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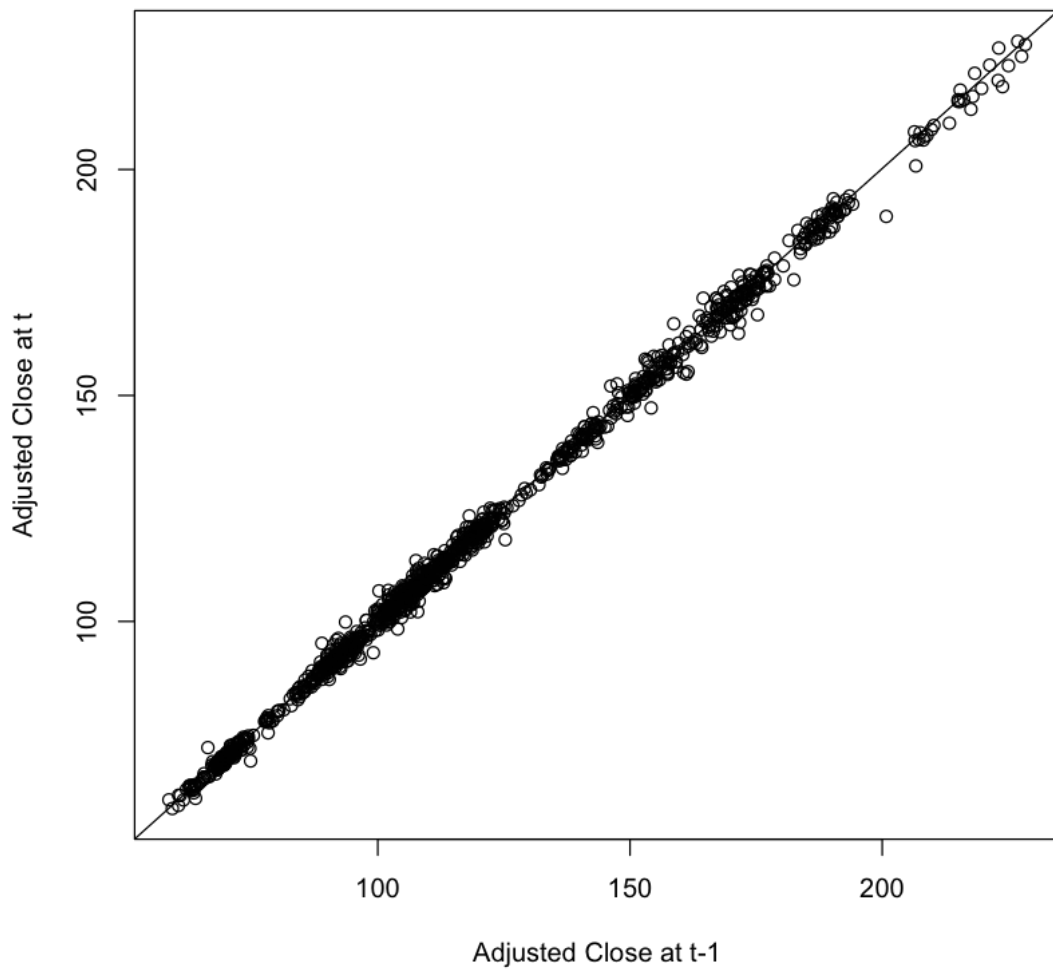
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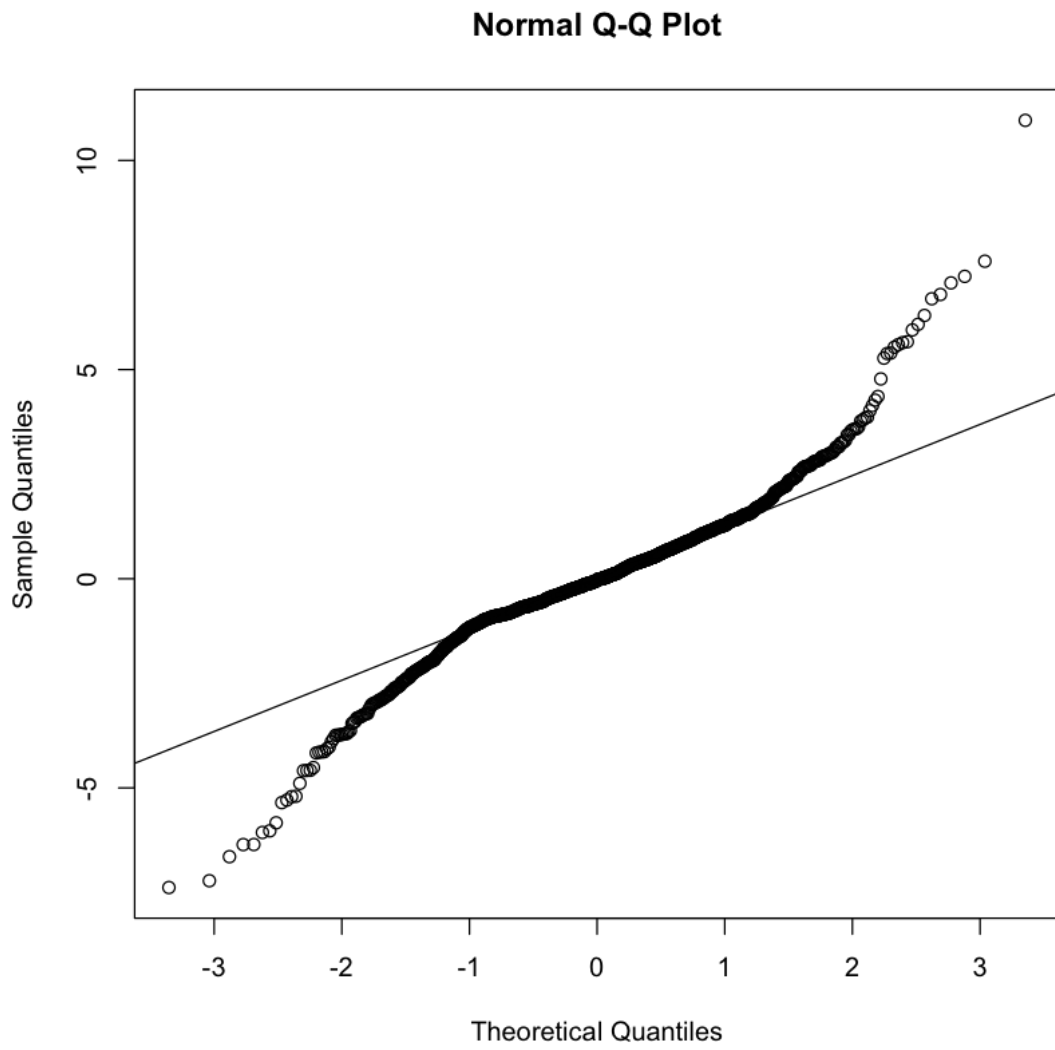
Residual standard error: 1.701 on 1256 degrees of freedom

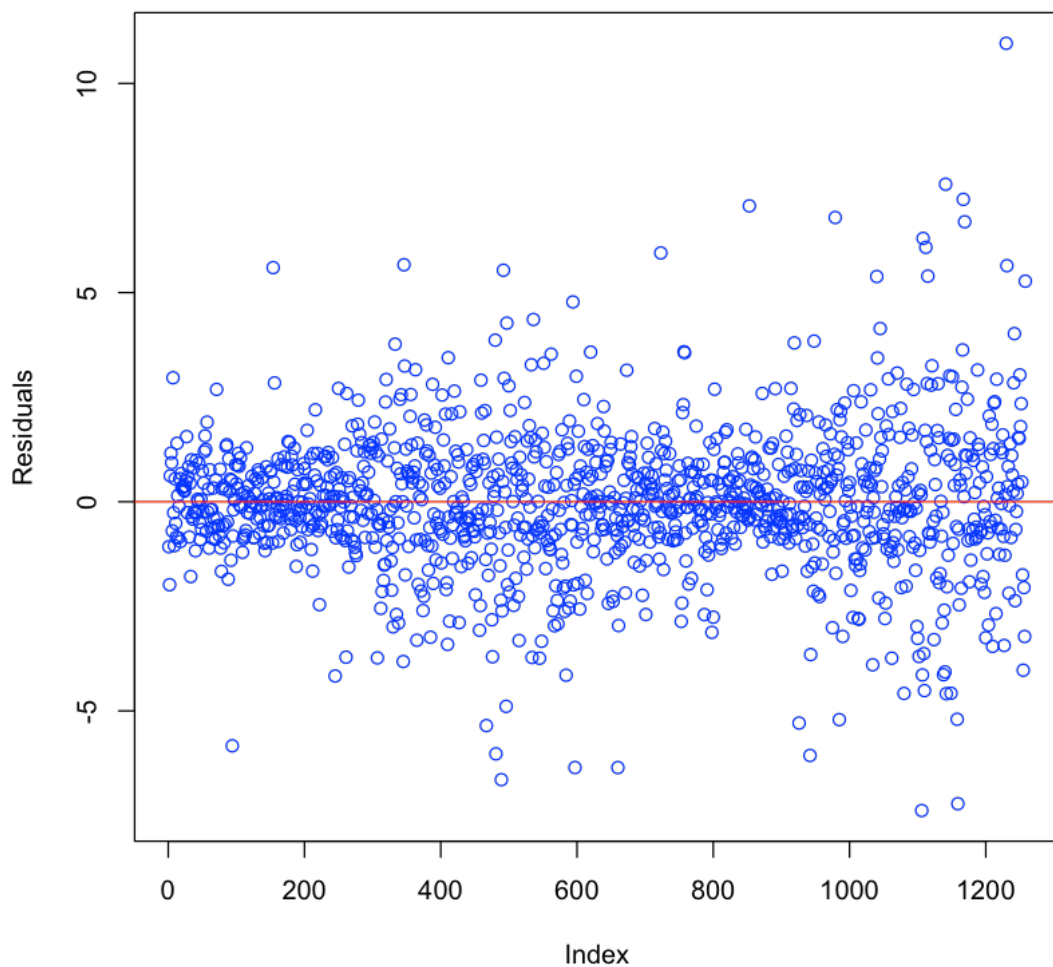
Multiple R-squared: 0.9979, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9979

F-statistic: 5.839e+05 on 1 and 1256 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16

**Correlation between successive days**







There are a few flaws with this model. The intercept value is not statistically significant and the qq plot shows a skew on both ends of the plot. Also, the residual plot shows an uneven distribution about the x axis. Despite these flaws, the F Statistic is very statistically significant with its p-value of  $< 2.2 * 10^{-16}$