

Time Series Management

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Syllabus

- Time series data
- Trend, seasonality, cycles and residuals
- Stationary processes
- Autoregressive processes.
- Moving average processes.
- ACF & PACF
- Fitting AR(p) MA(q) models

Time series data

• A univariate time series is a sequence of measurements of the same variable collected over time. Most often, the measurements are made at regular time intervals.



https://www.kaggle.com/code/anushkaml/walmart-time-series-sales-forecasting

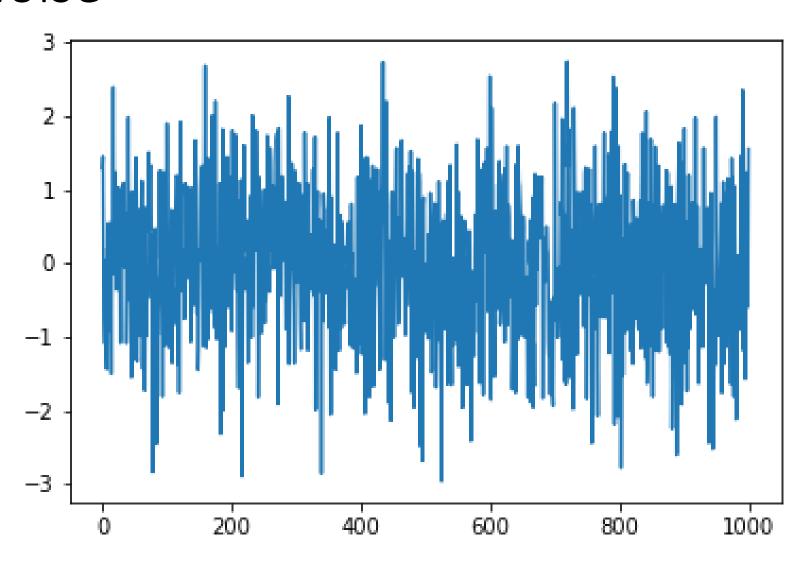
TS Trend



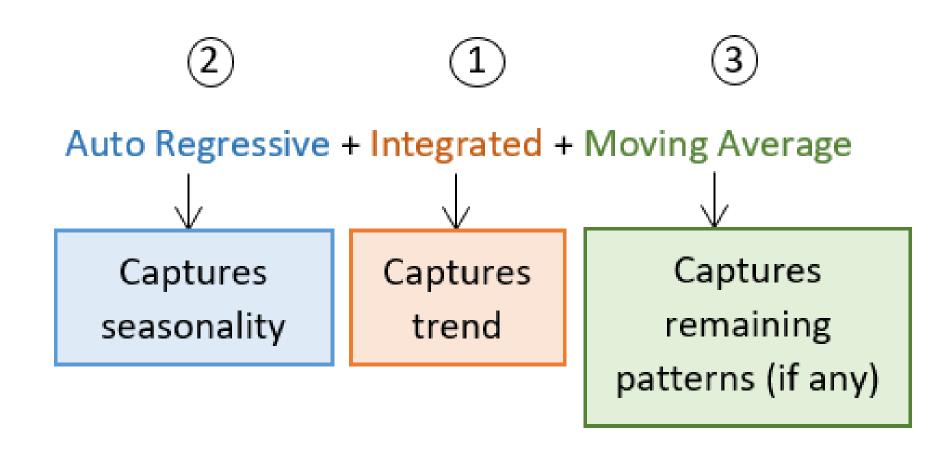
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TS Noise



Predictive models



https://www.linkedin.com/pulse/time-series-part-2-introduction-arima-models-using-excel-agarwal

ACF — Autocorrelation function

• The sample autocorrelation function (ACF) for a series gives correlations between the series $X_{[t]}$ and lagged values of the series for lags of 1,2,3 and so on. We represent a lagged series with $X_{[t-h]}$, where h := lag.

• Example:
$$X_{[t]} = [1,2,3,4,...]$$
, $X_{[t-1]} = [2,3,4,...]$, $X_{[t-2]} = [3,4,...]$, ...

$$\frac{Covariance(X_{[t]}, X_{[t-h]})}{Std.Dev.(X_{[t]})Std.Dev.(X_{[t-h]})}$$

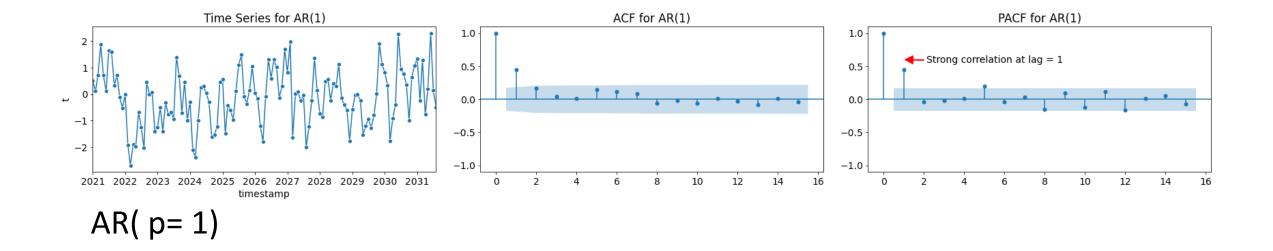
PACF — Partial Autocorrelation function

In general, a partial correlation is a conditional correlation, namely the correlation between two variables under the assumption that we know and take into account the values of some other set of variables.

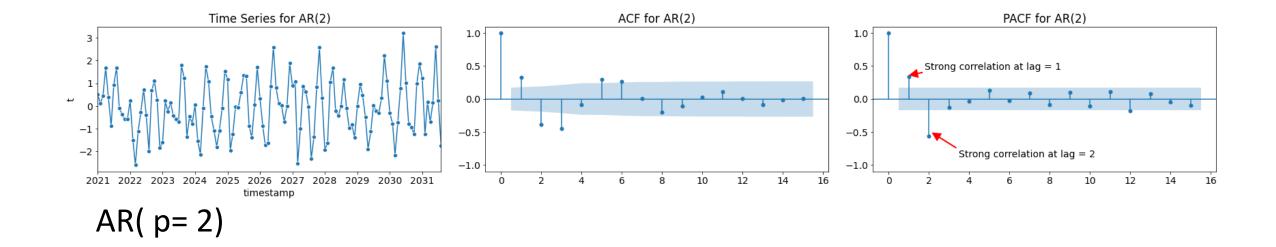
If we assume that
$$X_t = C + \varphi_1 X_{t-1} + \varphi_2 X_{t-2} + \dots$$

We may want to consider the (partial) dependency between X_{t-3} to X_t . Hence, PACF of order 3:

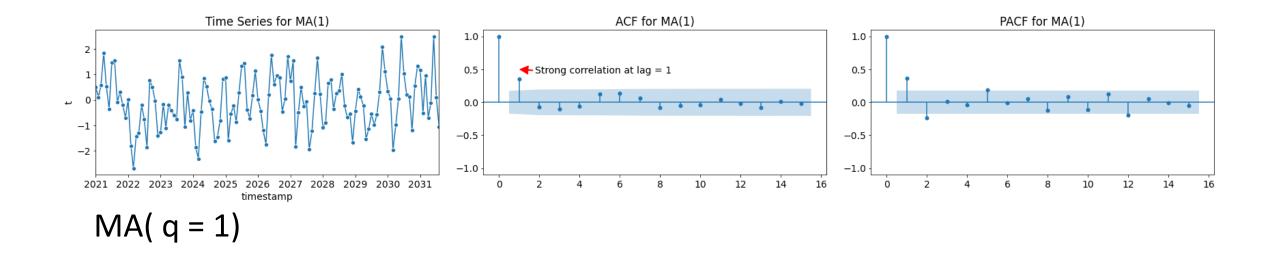
$$\frac{Covariance(X_{[t]}, X_{[t-3]}|X_{[t-2]}, X_{[t-1]})}{\sqrt{Variance(X_{[t]}|X_{[t-1]}, X_{[t-2]})Variance(X_{[t-3]}|X_{[t-1]}, X_{[t-2]})}}$$



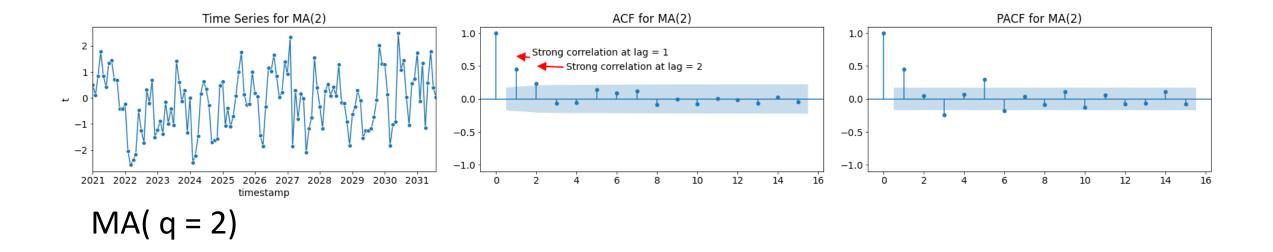
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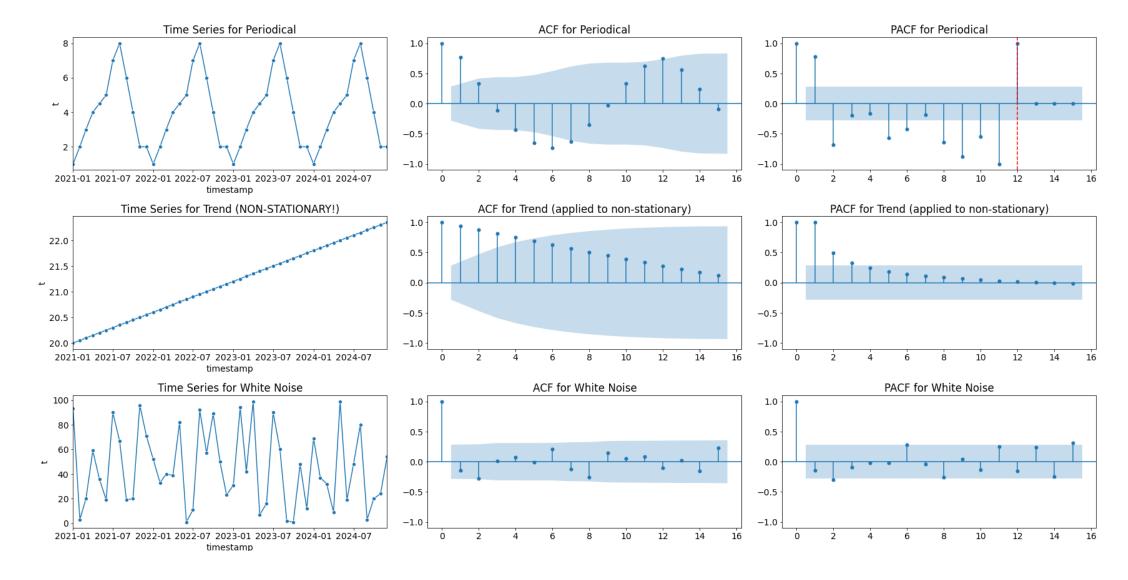


ACF Significant at lag q / Cuts off after lag q PACF Tails off (Geometric decay)



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ACF – PACF Examples ... continue



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