

# Wind Power Forecast Analysis

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# Overview

## Analysis of Wind Power

The weekly returns for an ETF is analyzed and modeled.

Methods of analysis:

- Descriptive statistics
- Wind Power transformation
- Wind Direction: von Mises
- Wind Speed: log-normal
- Regression Model
- Residual analysis
- AR(1) Time-series model

# Descriptive Statistics: Wind Power

Summary Statistics					
Min.	1st Qu.	Median	Mean	3rd Qu.	Max.
2.5e-05	0.051	0.193	0.276	0.439	0.936

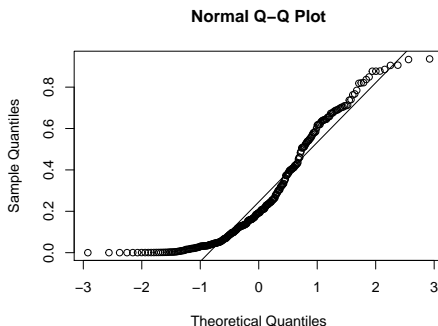


Figure: Wind power plotted to test normality

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Transformation 2: ( $\lambda \in (0, 1)$ )

$$y^\lambda = 2 \log\left(\frac{y^\lambda}{(1 - y)^{1-\lambda}}\right) \quad (2)$$

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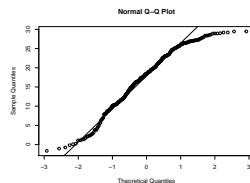
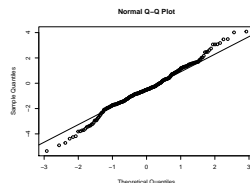
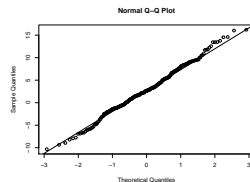
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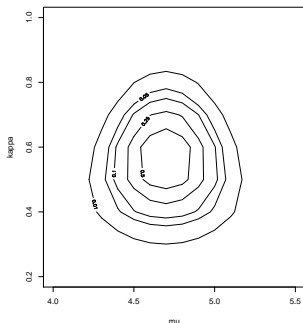
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Lambda values = (T1 0.35, T2 0.25, BC 0.25)



# Wind Direction

von Mises distribution is a continuous probability distribution on the circle.



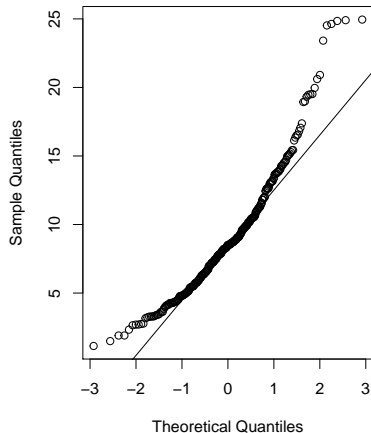
## Conclusion

Wind direction according to this model is most frequently in the southwest direction (0 = north) but with low confidence.

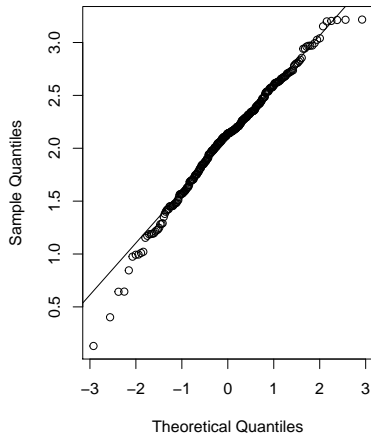
Parameters for WD		
Parameter	Value	95% CI
$\mu$	4.696	[1.238, 8.154]
$\kappa$	0.564	[0.352, 0.776]

# Wind Speed

Normal Q-Q Plot



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$$\mu = 2.08$$

# Regression models

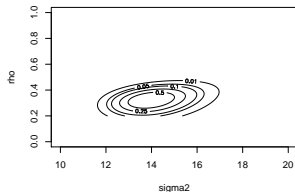
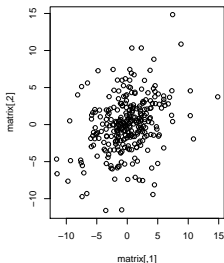
$$y^\lambda = \beta_0 + \beta_1 ws + \beta_2 ws^2 \quad (4)$$

Model	AIC
m1	1583.305
m2 (with ws log)	1585.400
m3 ( $ws^3 term$ )	1585.258
m4 (without $ws^2$ )	1601.692
m5 (with wd)	1585.300
m6 (with wd using von misses)	1585.208

Regression Model Summary ( $\lambda = 0.2$ )				
	Value	95% CI	t	p
Intercept	-7.146	[-8.926, -5.366]	-7.869	7.49e-14
WS30	1.7048	[1.370, 2.039]	9.994	< 2e-16
WS30 <sup>2</sup>	-0.0321	[-0.046, -0.018]	4.572	7.20e-06



# Residual Analysis



## Results

$$\sigma^2 = 13.94 \quad \rho = 0.32$$

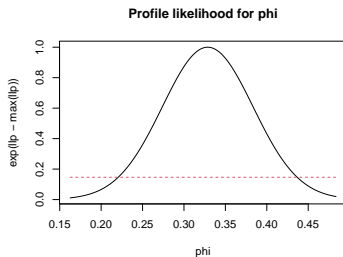
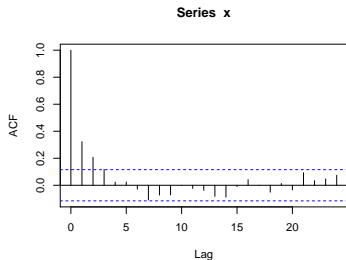
The information matrix was computed by numerical methods and compared with the algebraic form for the Fisher information:

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1.477 & -7.429 \\ -7.429 & 395.142 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$e = \begin{bmatrix} e_1 & e_2 \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ e_{n-1} & e_n \end{bmatrix} \quad \Sigma = \sigma^2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \rho \\ \rho & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# AR(1) Time-series Model

$$x_t = \theta_0 + \phi_1 x_{t-1} + e_t \quad (5)$$



## AR and Linear Model Combination

AR(1) model plus the linear model. Residuals are more normal, likelihood is less