

# Time Series Analysis

## Syllabus

# Instructor

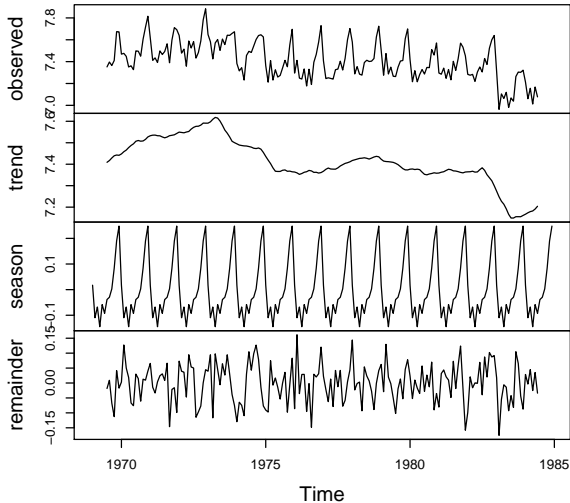
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# Overview

- Introduction
- Smoothing and decomposition methods
- Stochastic processes
- ARIMA models
- Stationarity, unit roots, and cointegration
- Time series regression and structural change
- GARCH models
- Multivariate time series models

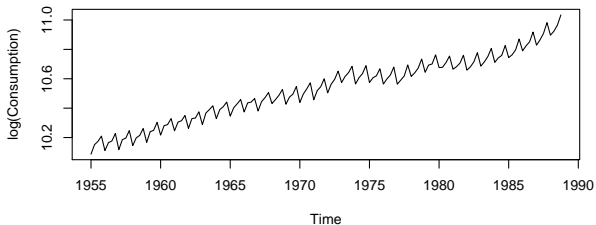
# Time series decomposition

## UK driver deaths (in logs)

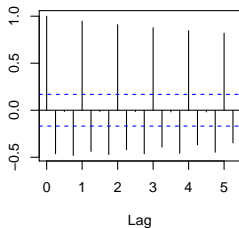


# ARIMA models

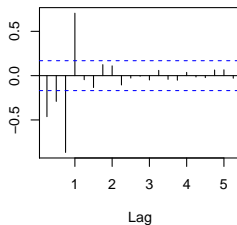
**Consumption of Non-Durables in the UK**



**ACF of returns**

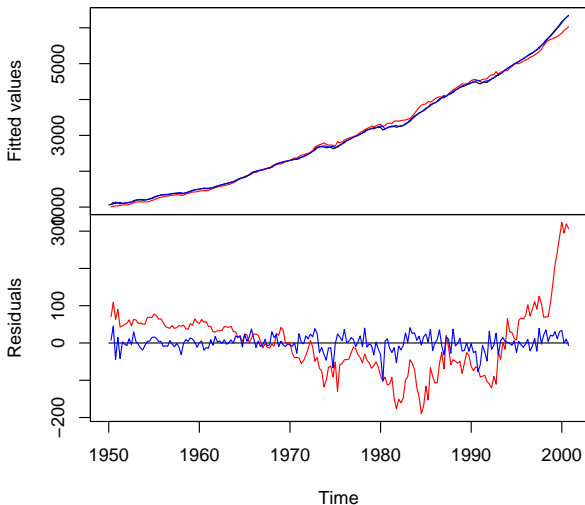


**Partial ACF of returns**



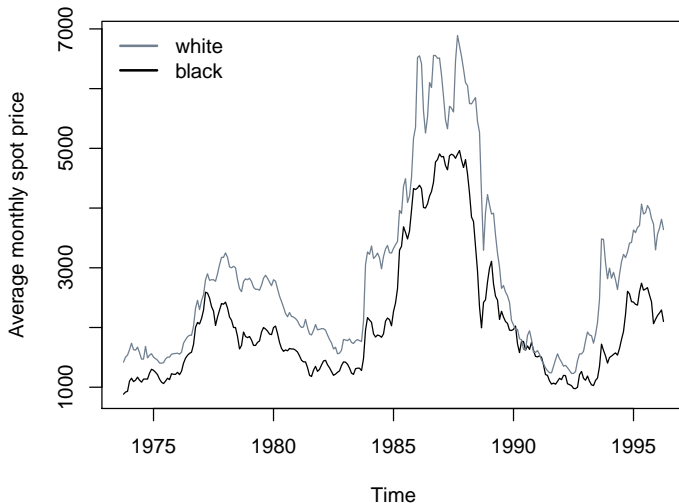
# Time series regression

## US consumption functions



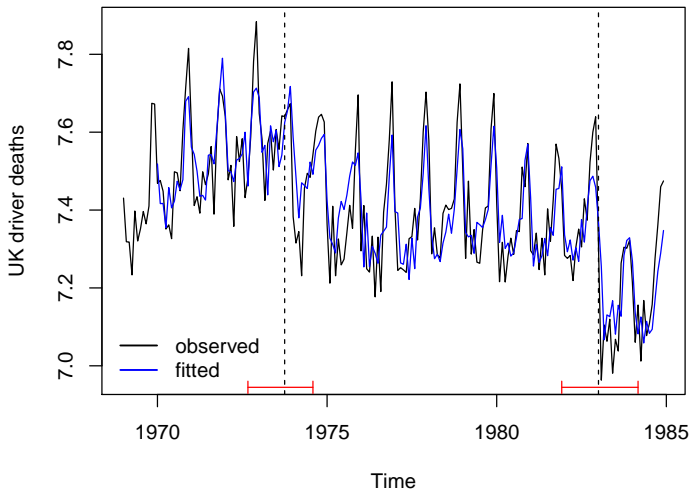
# Cointegration

**European pepper prices**



# Structural change analysis

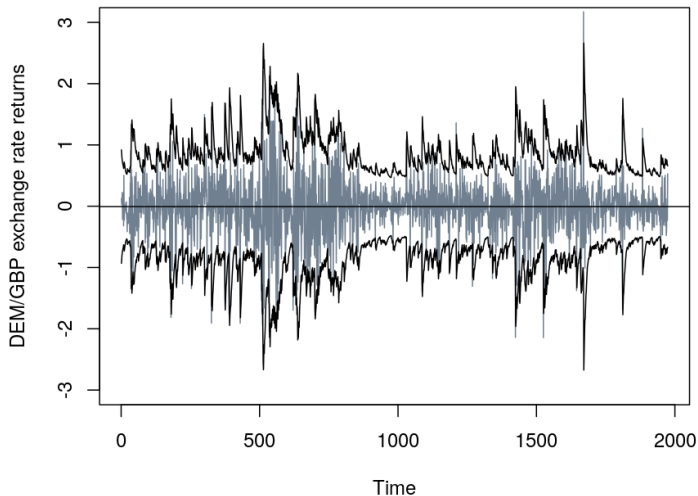
## Change in seatbelt legislation in the UK





# GARCH models

## Volatility in DEM/GBP exchange rate returns



# Requirements

## Linear regression:

- Ordinary/weighted/generalized least squares estimation
- Gauss-Markov theorem
- Inference ( $t$  and  $F$  tests) for linear hypotheses
- Robust standard errors
- Regression diagnostics
- Factors and interactions
- Model selection

# Books

## Primary reference:

- Cryer JD, Chan KS (2008). *Time Series Analysis – With Applications in R*, 2nd ed. New York: Springer-Verlag.

## Econometrics with R:

- Kleiber C, Zeileis A (2008). *Applied Econometrics with R*. New York: Springer-Verlag.

## Further references:

- Brockwell PJ, Davis RA (2002). *Introduction to Time Series and Forecasting*, 2nd ed. New York: Springer-Verlag.
- Cochrane JH (2005). *Time Series for Macroeconomics and Finance*. Lecture Notes, Graduate School of Business, University of Chicago.

# Books

- Franke J, Härdle W, Hafner C (2004). *Einführung in die Statistik der Finanzmärkte*. New York: Springer-Verlag.
- Hamilton JD (1994). *Time Series Analysis*. Princeton: Princeton University Press.
- Kirchgässner G, Wolters J (2005). *Einführung in die moderne Zeitreihenanalyse*. München: Verlag Vahlen.
- Lütkepohl H (2005). *New Introduction to Multiple Time Series Analysis*. New York: Springer-Verlag.
- Neusser K (2006). *Zeitreihenanalyse in den Wirtschaftswissenschaften*. Wiesbaden: Vieweg+Teubner Verlag.
- Tsay RS (2005). *Analysis of Financial Time Series*, 2nd ed. Hoboken, NJ: John Wiley & Sons.
- Zivot E, Wang J (2006). *Modelling Financial Time Series with S-PLUS*, 2nd ed. New York: Springer-Verlag.

# R

- Open-source software, freely available under GPL  
<https://www.R-project.org/>
- Current version: 3.5.2
- Comprehensive R Archive Network  
<https://CRAN.R-project.org/>
- Windows setup program  
<https://CRAN.R-project.org/bin/windows/base/>
- Econometrics task view:  
<https://CRAN.R-project.org/view=Econometrics>
- Time series task view:  
<https://CRAN.R-project.org/view=TimeSeries>
- Extension package *AER* for “Applied Econometrics with R”  
<https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=AER>
- Extension package *TSA* for “Time Series Analysis”  
<https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=TSA>

# Format

- Credit hours  
VU: 3
- Time/place  
Thu, 13:00–17:00, SR 7 (Sowi)
- Content  
V part: Theory + application in R  
U part: Exercises, practical case studies, discussions
- Exam  
Oral exam  
Regular participation in VU activities (exercises, . . . )