

Time Series Analysis I

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1. Review of Multiple Linear Regression and Generalized Linear Models
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4. Build Regression Models of Time Series

Models Discussed in Class So Far

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Multiple Linear Regression:

$$Y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X_1 + \dots + \beta_k X_k + \varepsilon$$

Generalized Linear Models:

$$g(E[Y]) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X_1 + \dots + \beta_k X_k$$

where $g(E[Y]) = \log\left(\frac{P(Y=1)}{1-P(Y=1)}\right)$ for logistic regression

So far, we have only used the above models for cross-sectional data. What if we have a time series or longitudinal data?

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A time series is a sequence of data that have been observed in successive order at different points in time.

It is commonly assumed time series data are **spaced equally in time**.

Examples:

- Company earnings
- Global temperature
- Air pollution
- Stock prices

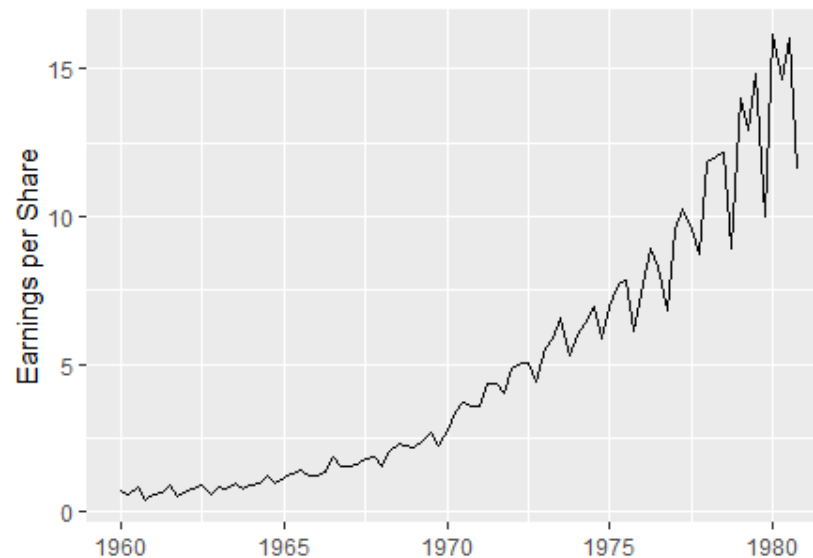
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Johnson & Johnson quarterly earnings per share, 1960-I to 1980-IV:

```
1 require(stats)
2 JJ = JohnsonJohnson
3
4 library(forecast)
5 library(ggplot2)
6 autoplot(JJ,ylab="Earnings per Share",xlab="")
```



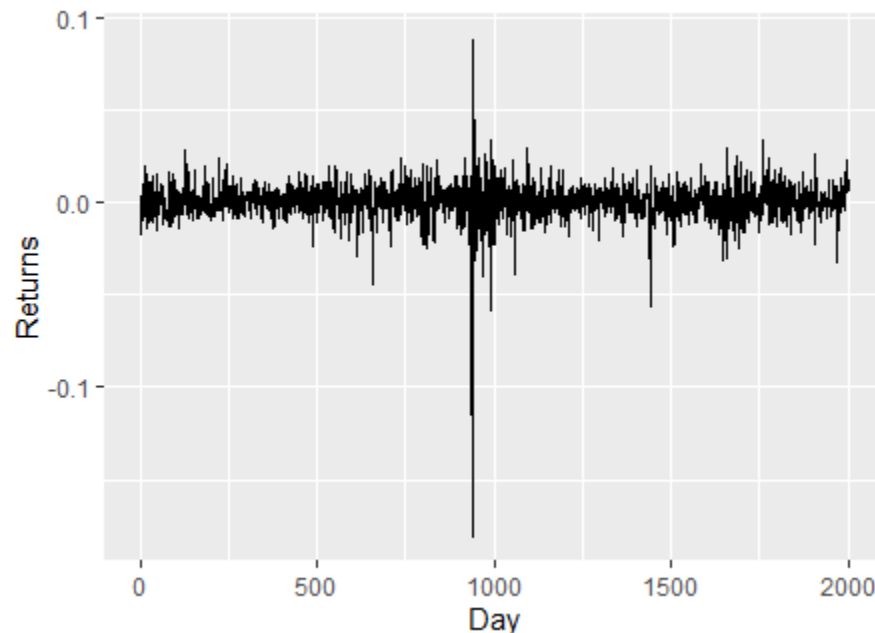
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Returns of the NYSE. Daily value-weighted market returns of 2000 trading days, Feb 2, 1984 – Dec 31, 1991:

```
8 library(astsa)
9 data(nyse)
10 autoplot(nyse, ylab="Returns", x="Day")
```



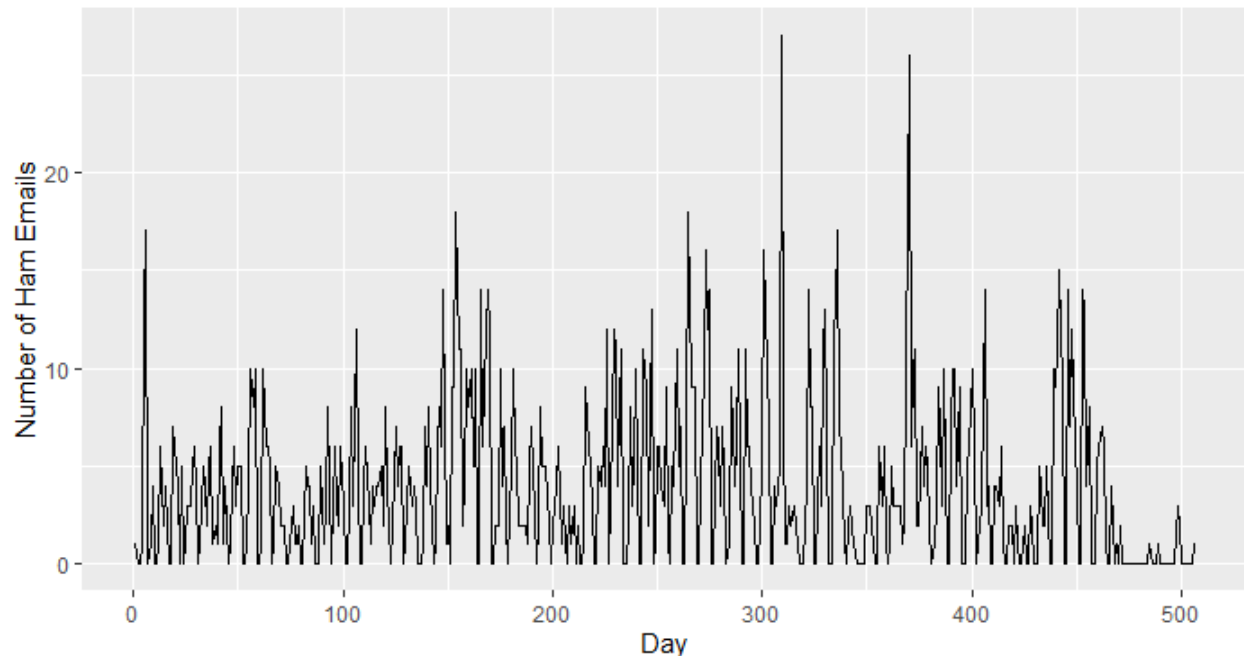
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Ham emails received per day, January 2000 – June 2001:

```
ham<-read.table('D:/GoogleDrive/Julie_SYS4021/2020/Data/Spam/ham_ts.csv',  
               header=T,sep=',')  
ham.ts<-ts(ham$count)  
autoplot(ham.ts,ylab="Number of Ham Emails",xlab="Day")
```



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If we want to predict the value of some variable Y at time t , Y_t , can we use MLR or GLM?

These methods both assume adjacent observations are independent and identically distributed (iid).

This is often violated with time series data. If we don't account for that, we might get biased estimates or underestimate variability.

In time series analysis we'll need to account for this "auto-correlation" (correlation of a variable with itself).

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Autocorrelation is one common element of time series data we'll need to account for in applying MLR or GLM to make forecasts.

What other common elements might time series include? Let's consider an example.

Time Series Components

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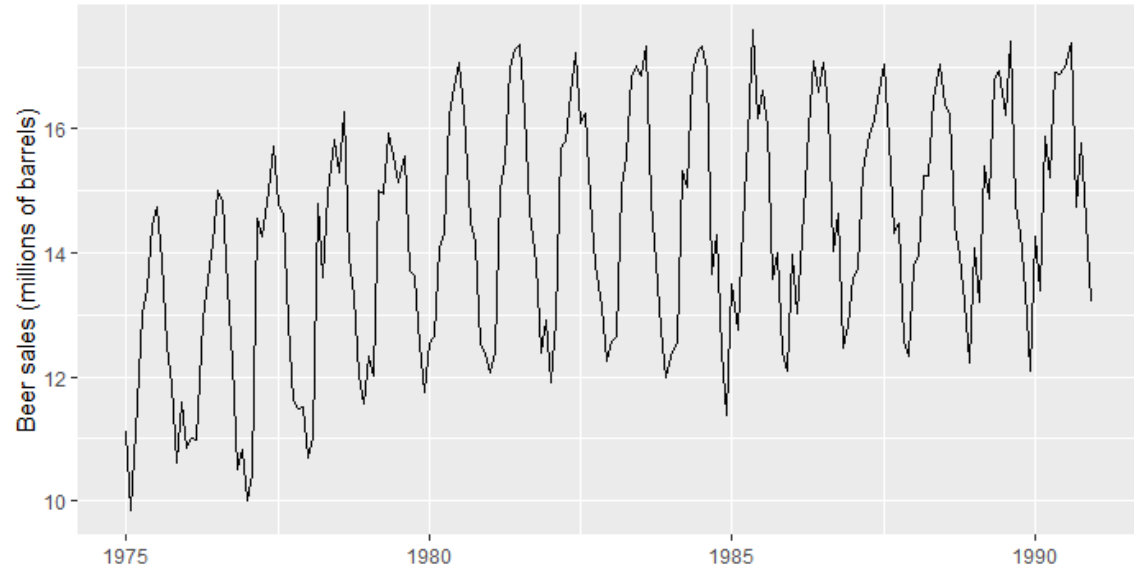
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```
library(TSA)
data(beersales)
autoplot(beersales,ylab="Beer sales (millions of barrels)",xlab="")
```

Trend: long term upward/downward movement

How could we model this?

$$Y_t = \beta_0 + \beta_1 t + \varepsilon_t$$



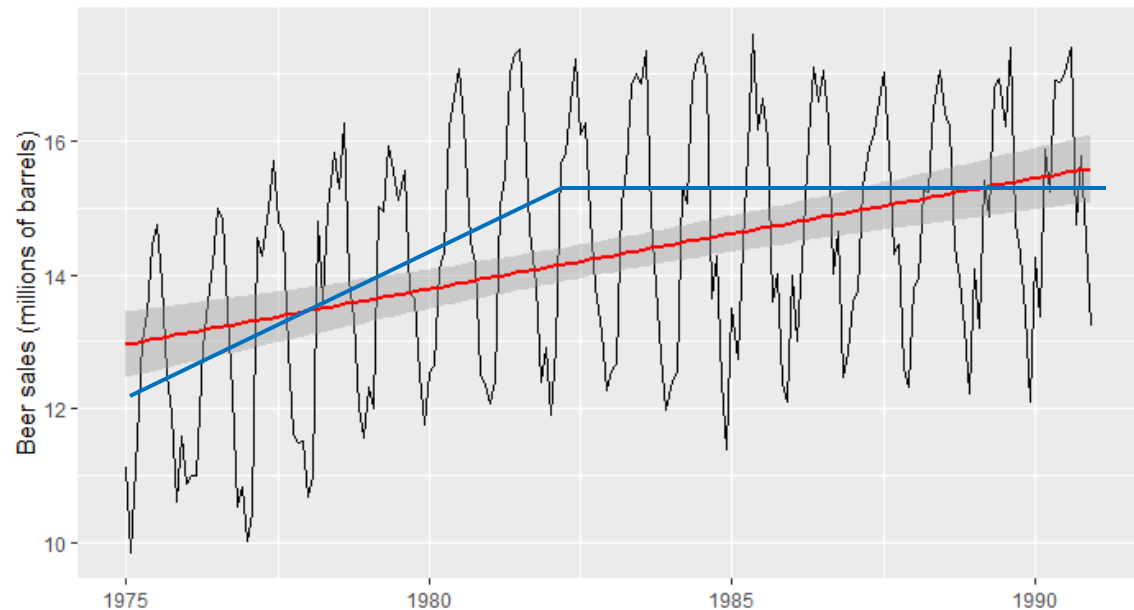
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ggplot(beer, aes(x=time,y=sales)) + geom_line() +  
  stat_smooth(method="lm",col="red") +  
  ylab("Beer sales (millions of barrels)") + xlab("")
```

Might there be a better way to model this trend?



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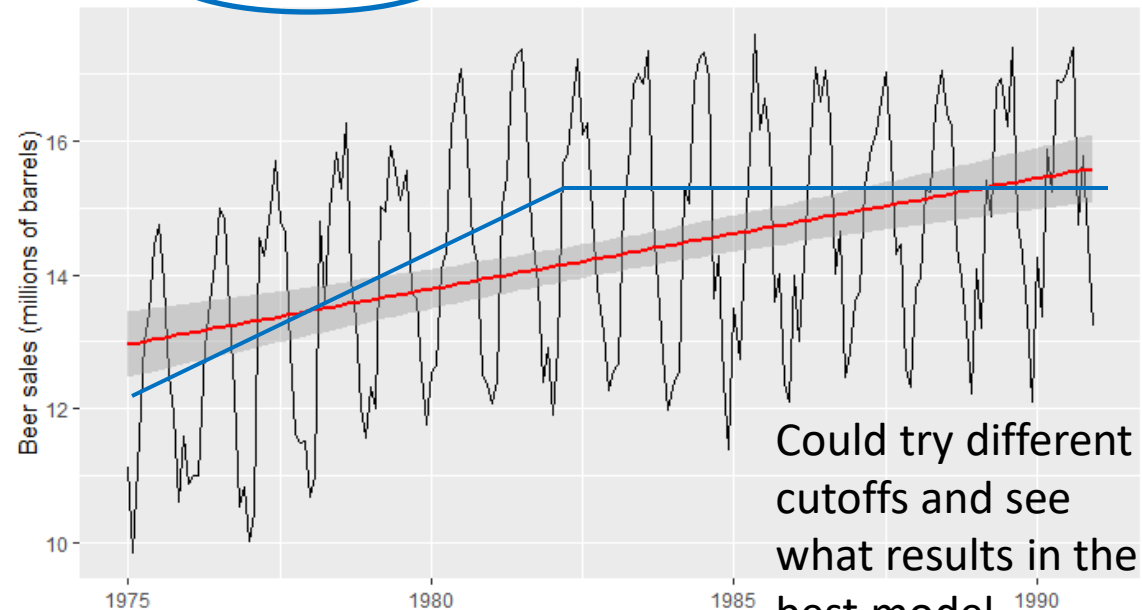
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$$Y_t = \beta_0 + \beta_1 t + \beta_2 X_1 + \beta_3 X_1 t + \varepsilon_t$$

where $X_1 = 1$ if $t > 1982.0$ otherwise



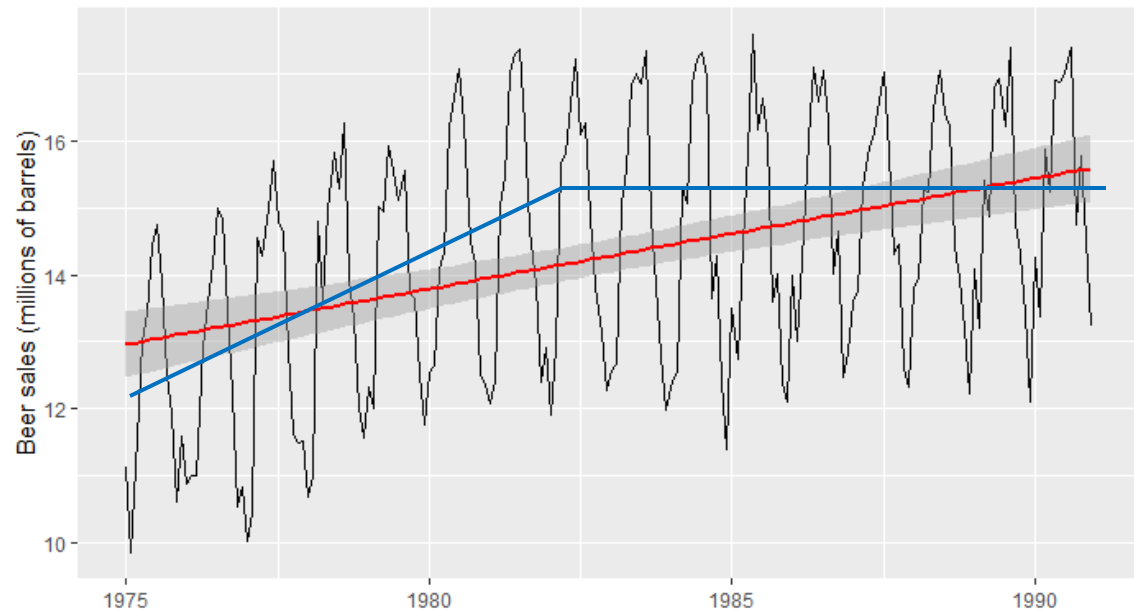
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What else do we need to model in this dataset?



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Cycles and **seasons** are recurring long-term up and down movements

Cycles can have a **duration of any length of time**. They are measured from peak to peak, or trough to trough

Seasons are periodic patterns that complete themselves within a **specified time period** and are then **repeated in the same amount of time**.

Example cycles vs. seasons

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Cycles

Business cycle: Recurrent periods of prosperity (expansion) alternating with recession (contraction). Expansion ends at the peak and contraction ends at the trough.

Climate cycles: e.g. El Nino-Southern Oscillations

Seasons

Weather measurements (e.g. daily temperature repeats over a year)

Sales in a department store (repeats over a year)

Tides (high tides repeat twice per day; spring tides repeat twice per month)

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We model trends by including time as a predictor. How can we model seasonality?

There are a couple ways. One is through dummy variables.

For L seasons, we can use $L-1$ dummy variables to adjust the mean in each season relative to the base case season.

Seasonality

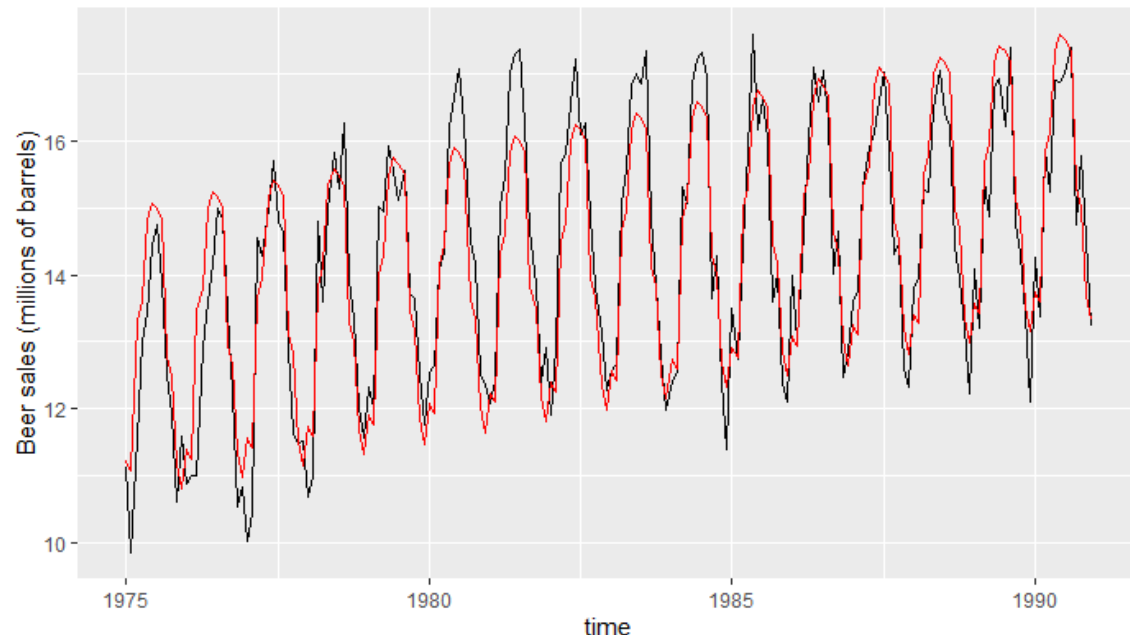
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```
library(zoo)
beer$month = month(as.yearmon(time(beersales)))

beer.trendseason<-lm(sales ~ time + as.factor(month), data=beer)

ggplot(beer, aes(x=time,y=sales)) + geom_line() +
  ylab("Beer sales (millions of barrels)") +
  geom_line(aes(x=time,y=beer.trendseason$fitted.values), color="red")
```



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For monthly data exhibiting an annual season, we need 11 dummy variables.

What if we had daily data? Is it reasonable to use 364 dummy variables? We would need significantly > 364 observations to do that.

For smoothly varying seasons that require more dummy variables than we have enough data to estimate, we can instead use trigonometric functions, e.g. $\sin(2\pi t/T)$ and $\cos(2\pi t/T)$ where $T = \#$ of time steps in a season.

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Dummy variables allow for easier interpretation and testing.

Trigonometric models have better parsimony. Using trigonometric terms usually requires less parameters, but requires smoothly varying seasons.

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While trends and cycles/seasons are common in time series data, modeling them still does not account for the autocorrelation in the dataset that violates the assumptions of MLR and GLMs.

To account for autocorrelation, we can regress the response variable on past values of itself. This is called an **autoregressive** model:

$$Y_t = \beta_0 + \beta_1 Y_{t-1} + \dots + \beta_k Y_{t-k} + \varepsilon_t$$

We might also use past values of other predictors, X:

$$Y_t = \beta_0 + \beta_1 Y_{t-1} + \dots + \beta_k Y_{t-k} + \beta_{k+1} X_{t-1} + \dots + \beta_{2k} X_{t-k} + \varepsilon_t$$

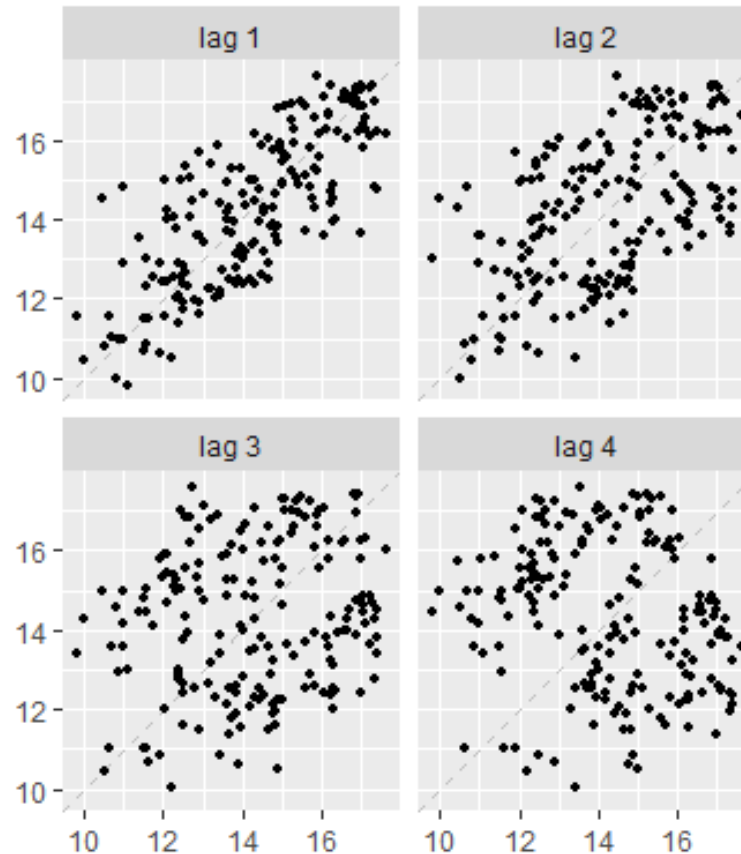
This significantly increases the complexity of our model selection problem.

Lag Plots of Beer Sales

```
gglagplot(beersales, lags=4, do.lines=FALSE, colour=FALSE)
```

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Rather than making pairwise scatterplots of Y_t with past observations of itself at different lags k (i.e. k time steps ago: Y_{t-k}), we will often plot these correlations on one plot.

This is called an Autocorrelation Function (ACF). It shows $\text{Corr}(Y_t, Y_{t-k})$ at different lags k .

The standard error for the autocorrelation is $\sim \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$ where n is the number of observations in the time series.

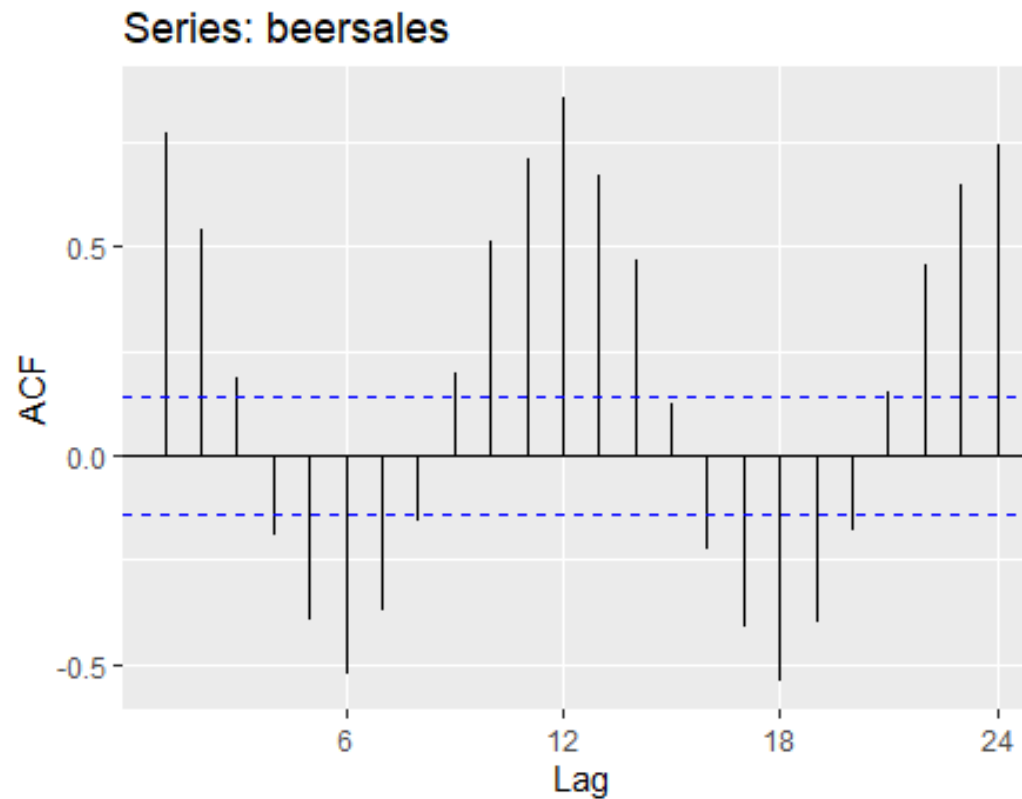
Any observation within $\pm \frac{2}{\sqrt{n}}$ of 0 is not statistically significant.

Beer Sales ACF

```
ggAcf(beersales)
```

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Often we won't build the autoregressive model directly to the observations, but to the residuals of our trend + seasonality model. This will account for the fact that the residuals are not iid.

For example, to model a variable Y that exhibits a trend and seasonality over L seasons, use:

$$Y_t = \beta_0 + \beta_1 t + \sum_{i=1}^{L-1} \beta_{i+1} X_i + \varepsilon_t = E[Y_t] + \varepsilon_t$$
$$\varepsilon_t = \sum_{j=1}^k \varphi_j \varepsilon_{t-j} + w_t$$

where $X_i = 1$ if season i , 0 otherwise and $w_t \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2)$ and iid.

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Time series can be modeled with MLR and GLMs, but we have to account for autocorrelation to meet the iid assumptions of these methods.

There are many other common elements of time series that may need to be modeled:

- **Trends**: use t as a predictor
- **Seasonality/cycles**: use dummy variables or trigonometric functions
- **Auto-correlation**: consider past observations/past residuals as predictors

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A time series is a sequence of data that have been observed in successive order at discrete points in time.

It is commonly assumed time series data are **spaced equally in time**.

Time series often exhibit:

- Trends
- Cycles (repeated up and down movements)
- Seasons (cycles with constant period)
- Autocorrelation

Simple Time Series Models

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We can capture trends, seasonality and autocorrelation through a series of models.

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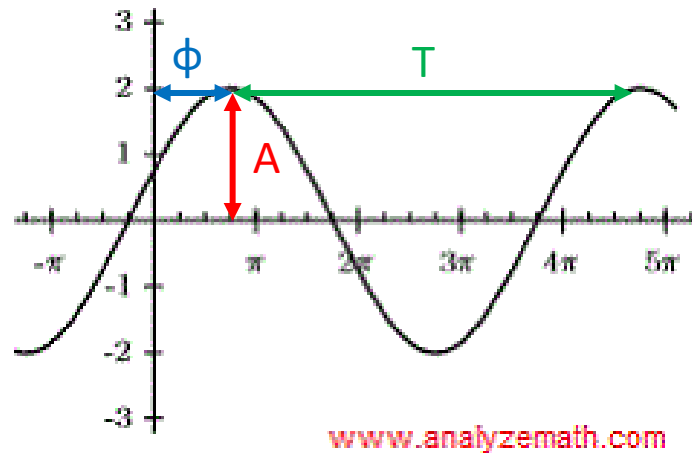
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Instead of using L-1 dummy variables to capture seasons, we noted this can also be captured with trigonometric functions.



$$A \cos\left(\frac{2\pi t}{T} - \phi\right)$$

Sometimes we will know the **period** (T) intuitively. But what about the **phase shift** (ϕ) and **amplitude** (A)? And what if there are multiple seasons in the dataset?

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Using trigonometric identities, we can rewrite the cosine function in a way that allows us to estimate the amplitude and phase like in a regression equation.

Recall $\cos(\alpha \pm \beta) = \cos(\alpha) \cos(\beta) \mp \sin(\alpha) \sin(\beta)$. So

$$A \cos\left(\frac{2\pi t}{T} - \phi\right) = A \cos\left(\frac{2\pi t}{T}\right) \cos(\phi) + A \sin\left(\frac{2\pi t}{T}\right) \sin(\phi)$$

$$A \cos\left(\frac{2\pi t}{T} - \phi\right) = \beta_1 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi t}{T}\right) + \beta_2 \sin\left(\frac{2\pi t}{T}\right)$$

where $\beta_1 = A \cos(\phi)$ and $\beta_2 = A \sin(\phi)$

Therefore we can use $X_1 = \cos\left(\frac{2\pi t}{T}\right)$ and $X_2 = \sin\left(\frac{2\pi t}{T}\right)$ as predictors in a regression model, and estimate β_1 and β_2 instead of A and ϕ . We just need to know the period T .

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Sometimes the period T is intuitive, e.g. monthly temperatures should have a period of 12, corresponding to 1 year.

If there are multiple seasons, it may not be obvious. They may add up to create cycles of non-constant period (e.g. El Nino Southern Oscillations).

To find these periods we will consider **spectral analysis**.

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There are two branches of time series analysis:

- **Time domain**: The present value is modeled with the past values (time series analysis)
- **Frequency domain**: The present value is modeled with periodic sines and cosines (spectral analysis)

Spectral analysis acknowledges that any time series can be represented as a sum of sinusoids with different **amplitudes, A**, oscillating at different **frequencies, f**.

The frequency is the inverse of the period, i.e. $T = 1/f$.

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The **periodogram** is used in spectral analysis to discover the periodic components of a time series

It plots the **squared amplitude** (often smoothed) of the data with sinusoids oscillating at a frequency $f_j = j/n$ where n is the number of time steps in the time series and $j \in (1, \dots, n/2)$.

A **peak** in the periodogram at some frequency indicates a strong (high amplitude) sinusoid at that frequency. This suggests there is seasonality at the corresponding period.

Example Periodogram

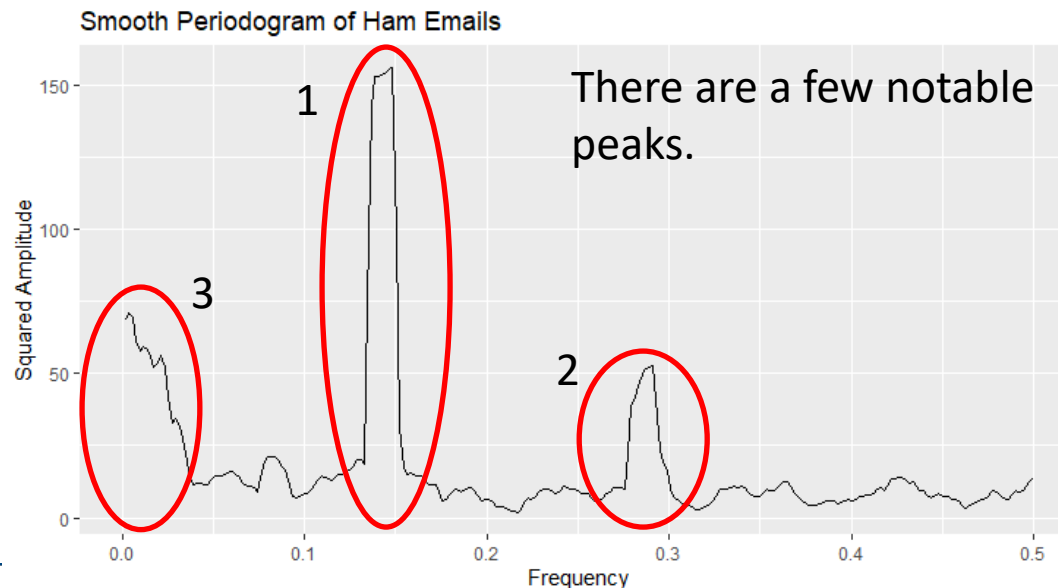
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               header=T,sep=',')  
ham.ts<-ts(ham$count)
```

```
ham.pg <- spec.pgram(ham.ts,spans=9,demean=T,log='no')
```

```
ham.spec <- data.frame(freq=ham.pg$freq, spec=ham.pg$spec)  
ggplot(ham.spec) + geom_line(aes(x=freq,y=spec)) +  
  ggtitle("Smooth Periodogram of Ham Emails") + xlab("Frequency") +  
  ylab("Squared Amplitude")
```



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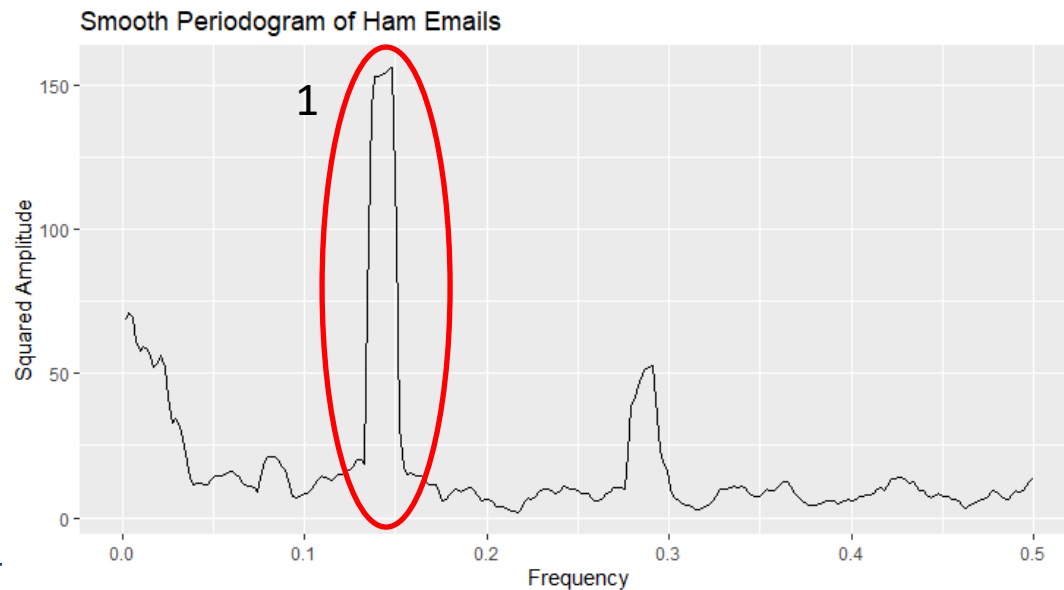
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```
# Find the peak, max.omega.precip
max.omega <- ham.pg$freq[which(ham.pg$spec==max(ham.pg$spec))]  
  
# What is the period?  
1/max.omega
```

```
> 1/max.omega  
[1] 6.736842
```

This corresponds to ~ 7 days,
the expected weekly season.



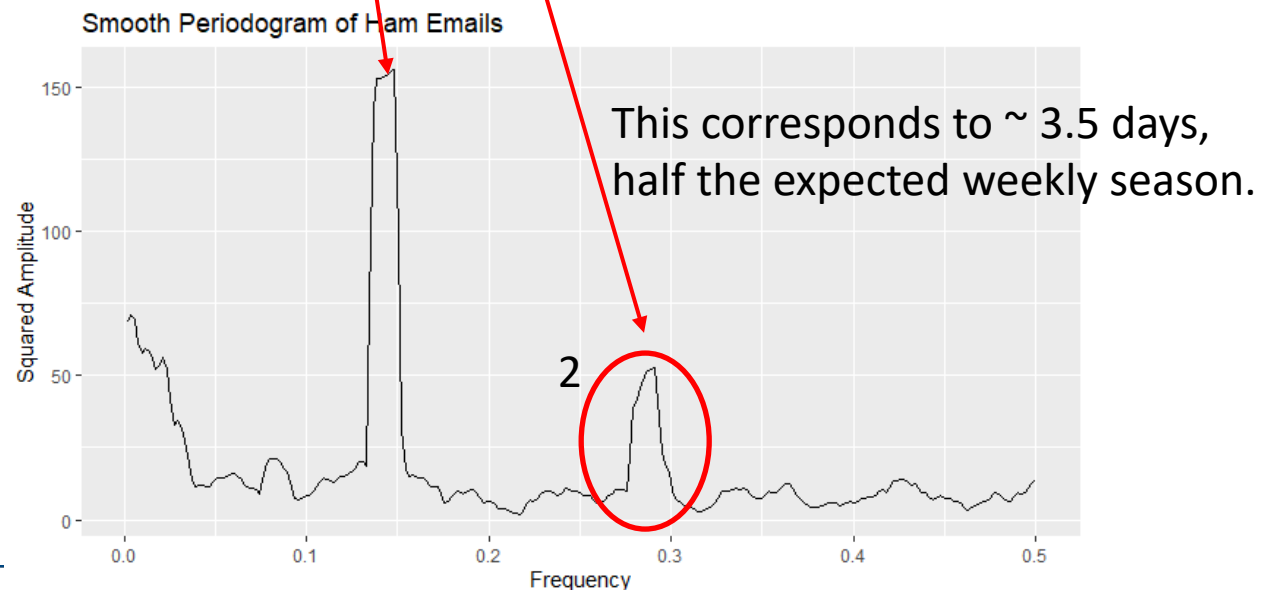
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# sort spectrum from largest to smallest and find index  
sorted.amp <- sort(ham.pg$spec, decreasing=T, index.return=T)  
sorted.f <- ham.pg$freq[sorted.amp$ix]  
sorted.T <- 1/ham.pg$freq[sorted.amp$ix]
```

```
> sorted.T[1:25]  
[1] 6.736842 6.826667 6.918919 7.013699 7.211268 7.111111 7.314286  
[8] 6.649351 7.420290 256.000000 170.666667 512.000000 128.000000 85.333333  
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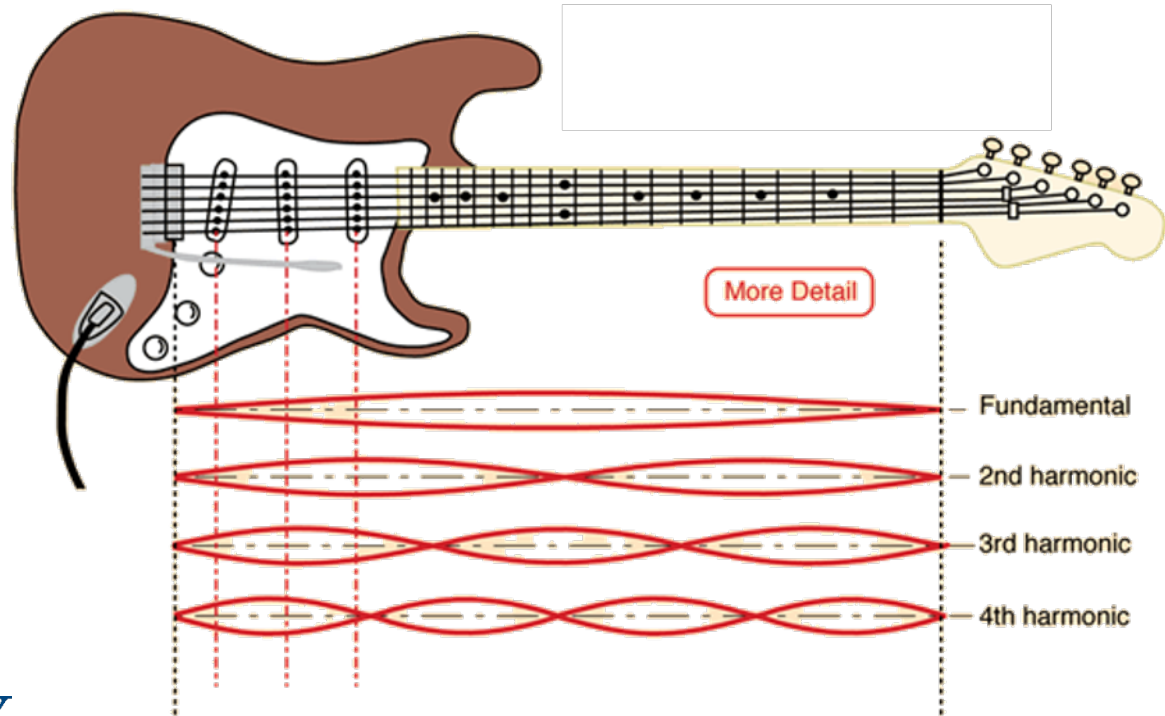


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We will often get modulated peaks at **harmonics** like this. Their weighted sum (different amplitudes and phases) allows for asymmetric seasons (e.g. rise faster than fall).



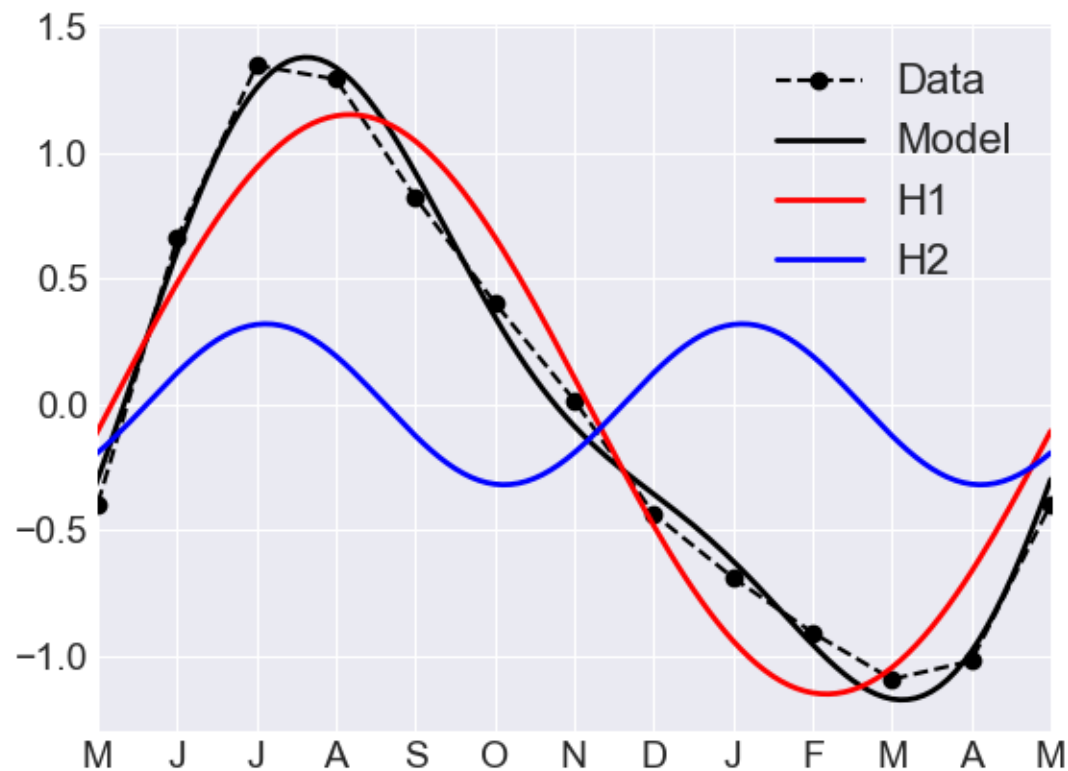
Example of harmonics in hydrologic data

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Q = Flow

$$Z = \frac{\log(Q) - \mu_{\log(Q)}}{\sigma_{\log(Q)}}$$



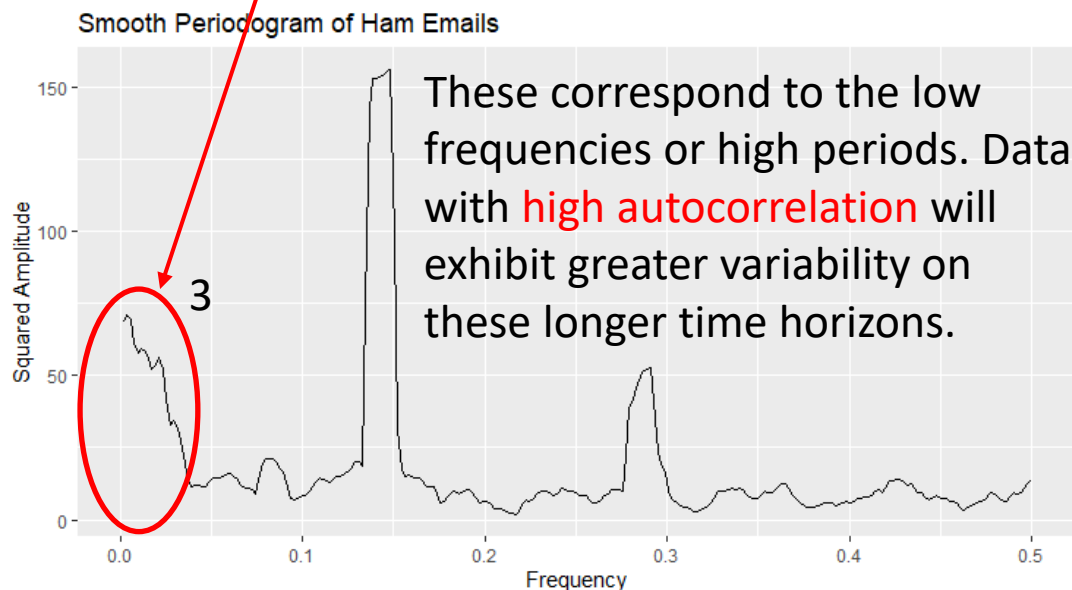
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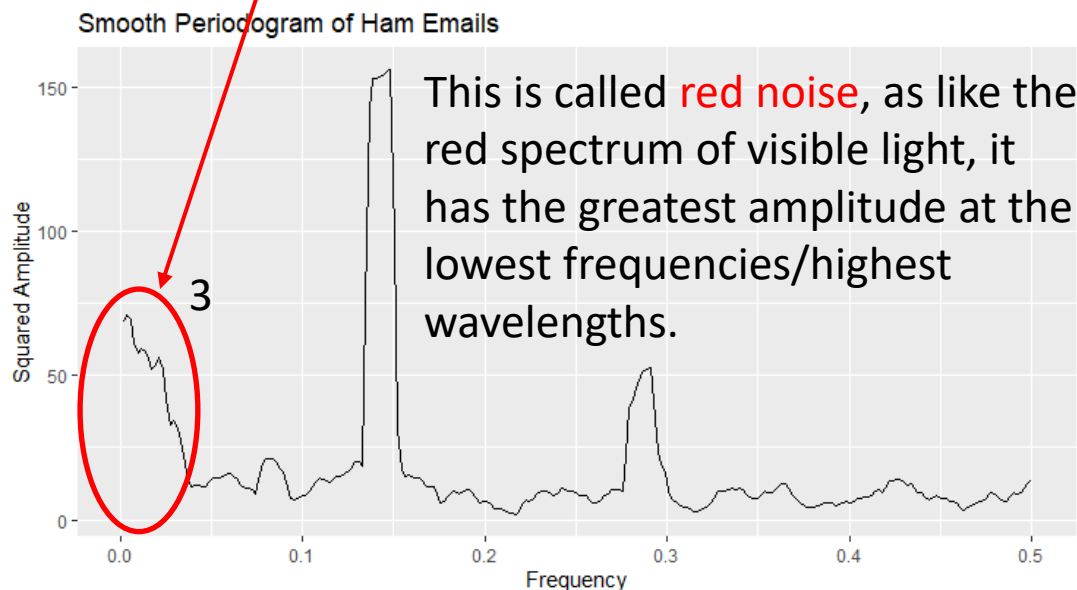
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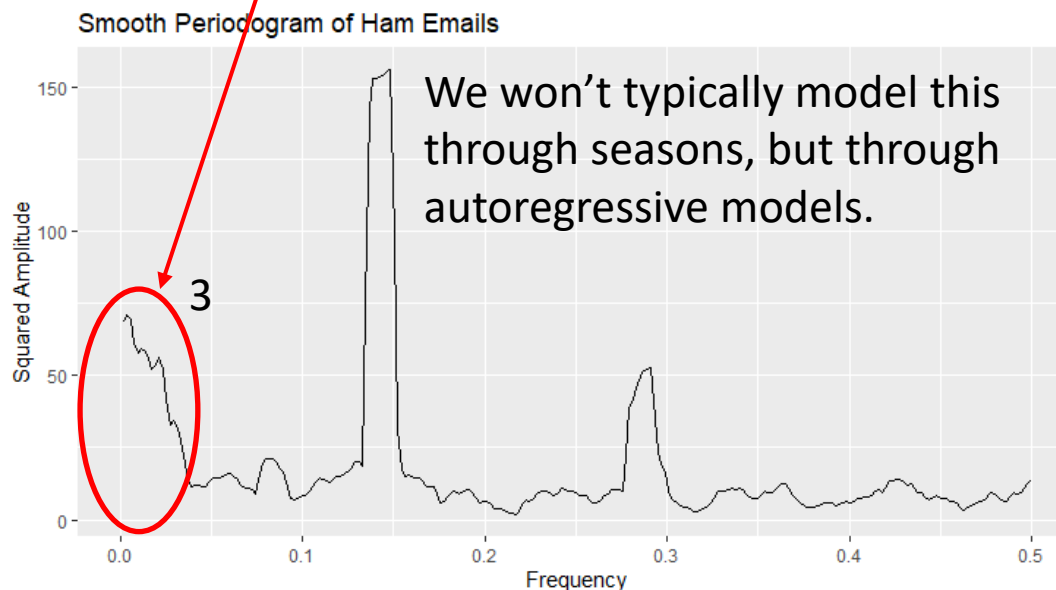
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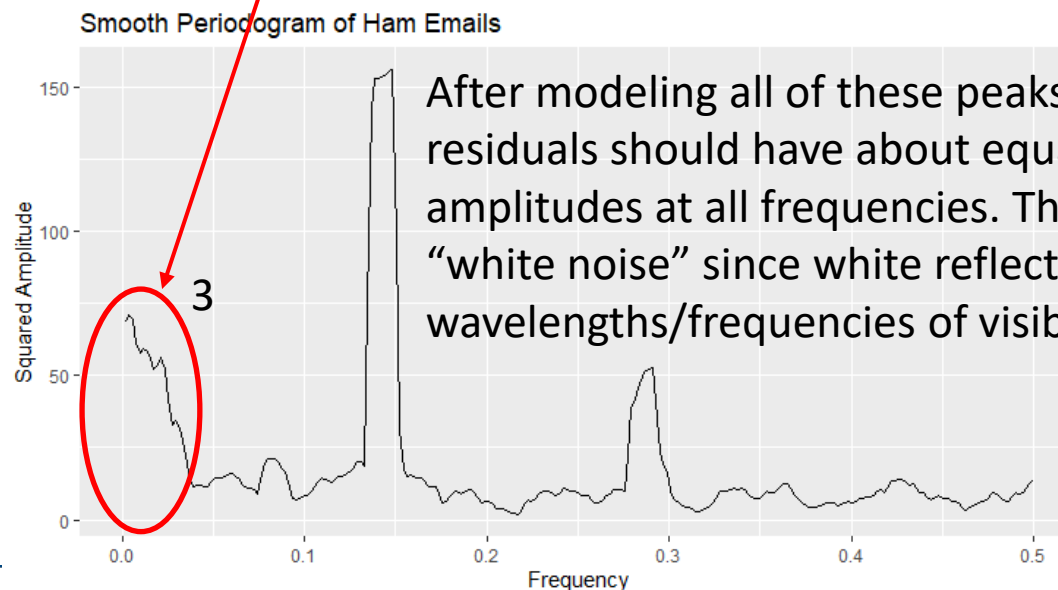
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We define a **weakly stationary** time series as one with:

- Constant mean
- Autocorrelation is a function of the lag

We can detect nonstationary time series by looking at the time series plot or the autocorrelation function.

- A time series with a trend is nonstationary
- An ACF with slow or linear decay is nonstationary

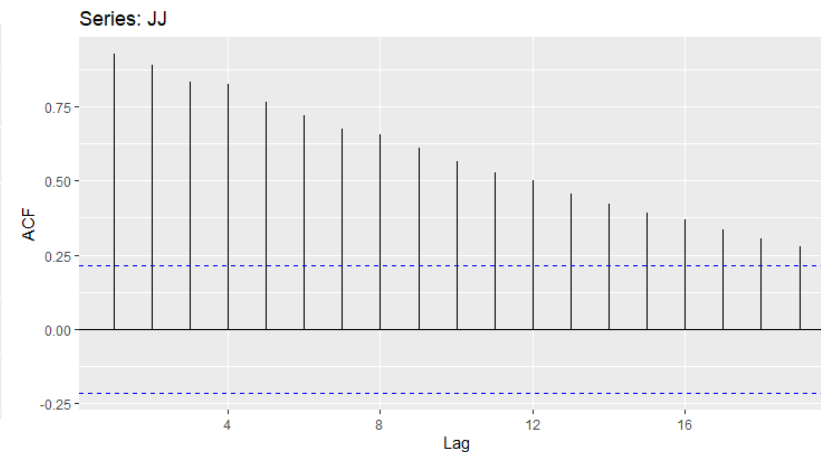
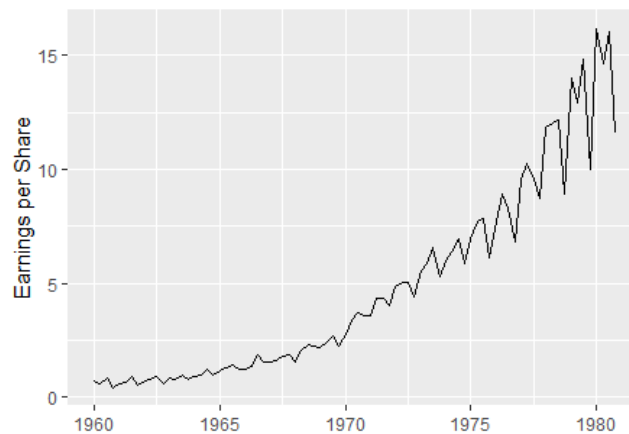
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```
require(stats)
JJ = JohnsonJohnson

library(forecast)
library(ggplot2)
autoplot(JJ, ylab="Earnings per Share", xlab="")
ggAcf(JJ)
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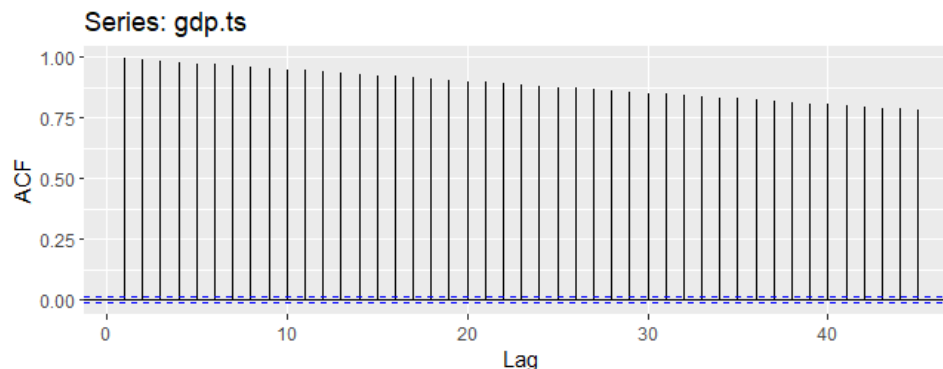
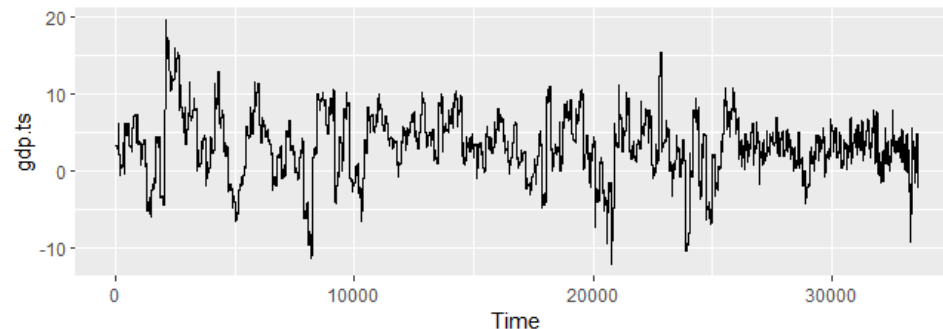


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```
library(scoringRules)
library(ggpubr)
data("gdp")
gdp.ts = ts(gdp$val)
tsplot = autoplot(gdp.ts)
acf = ggAcf(gdp.ts)
ggarrange(tsplot, acf, nrow=2, ncol=1)
```



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Before modeling the correlation structure in the series, we make the time series stationary

Two popular approaches are to 1) regress on time and model the residuals, or 2) take differences and model those.

First difference: $z_t = x_t - x_{t-1}$ where $t = 2, 3, \dots, n$

If first differences don't work, consider the second differences: $a_t = z_t - z_{t-1}$ where $t = 3, \dots, n$. This could capture a quadratic trend.

You can take higher order differences, but that is rare.

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We can use OLS regression to estimate ϕ_1, \dots, ϕ_p , but how do we decide on the order p ?

One could build multiple models and select the model with the lowest AIC/ BIC or highest adjusted R^2 .

You can also estimate the model order from plots of the ACF and what is called the partial ACF or PACF.

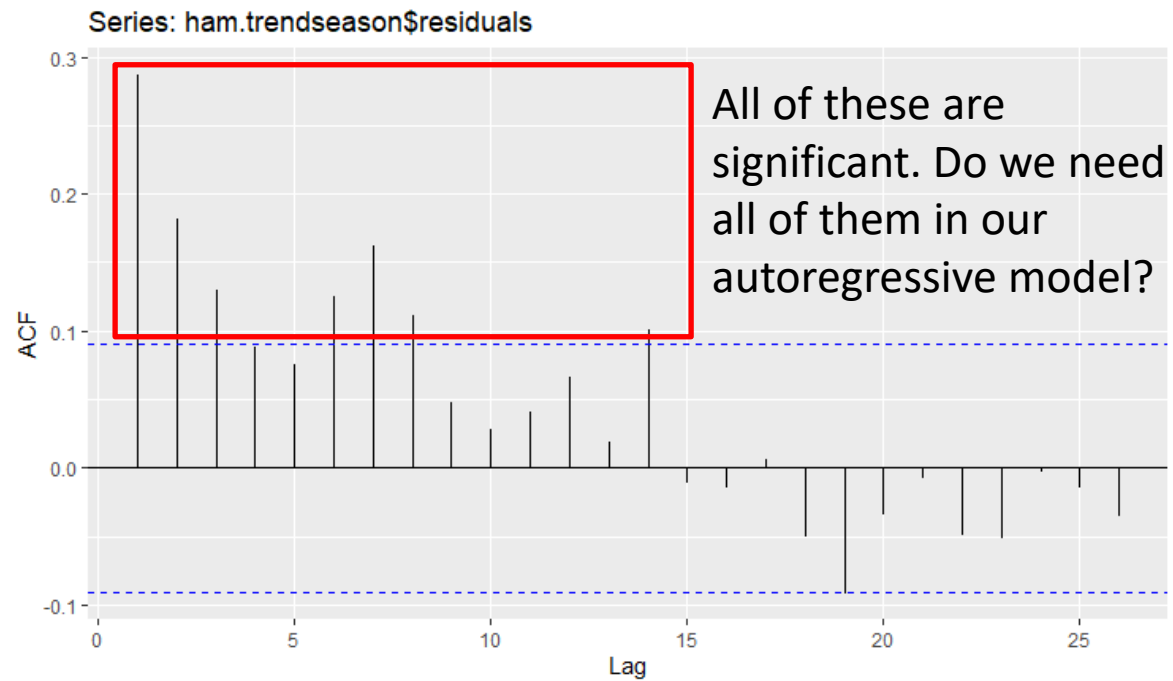
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Recall the ACF shows $\text{Corr}(Y_t, Y_{t-k})$ at different lags k .

Any correlation outside $\pm \frac{2}{\sqrt{n}}$ of 0 is statistically significant.



Partial Autocorrelation

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If $\text{Corr}(Y_t, Y_{t-1})$ is high, so too will $\text{Corr}(Y_{t-1}, Y_{t-2})$ be high.

Therefore $\text{Corr}(Y_t, Y_{t-2})$ will likely be high as well.

If we put but Y_{t-2} and Y_{t-1} in our model, we might have problems with multicollinearity.

We only want to add Y_{t-2} in addition to Y_{t-1} if it adds predictive value **while controlling for** Y_{t-1} .

The partial autocorrelation assesses this value.

Partial Autocorrelation Function

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Partial autocorrelation is the correlation between values of the time series and itself at a specified lag k **while controlling for correlations** at $t < k$.

It is estimated by fitting $AR(\rho)$ regression models progressively, incrementing ρ by one. The last coefficient in each regression (ϕ_ρ for $x_{t-\rho}$) is the partial autocorrelation at lag ρ .

For example, the partial autocorrelation at lag 1 is ϕ_1 in:

$$x_t = \phi_1 x_{t-1} + w_t$$

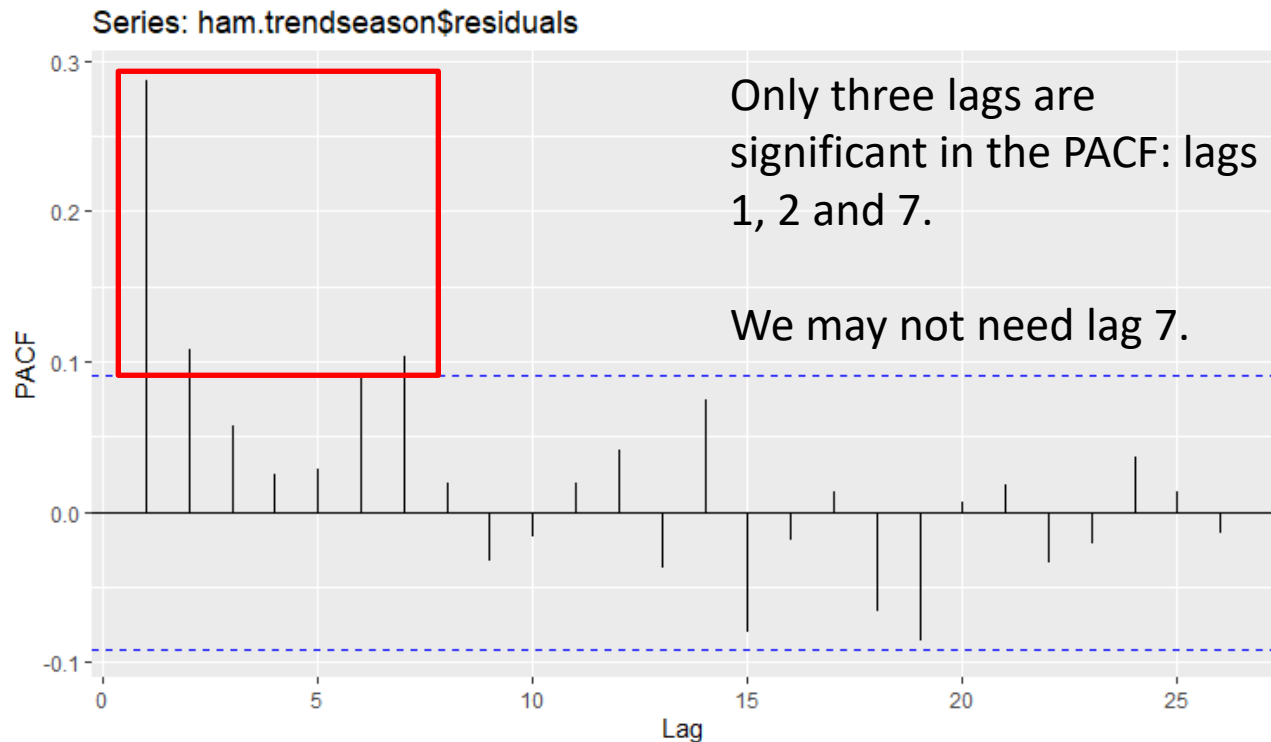
The partial autocorrelation at lag 2 is ϕ_2 in:

$$x_t = \phi_1 x_{t-1} + \phi_2 x_{t-2} + w_t \text{ etc.}$$

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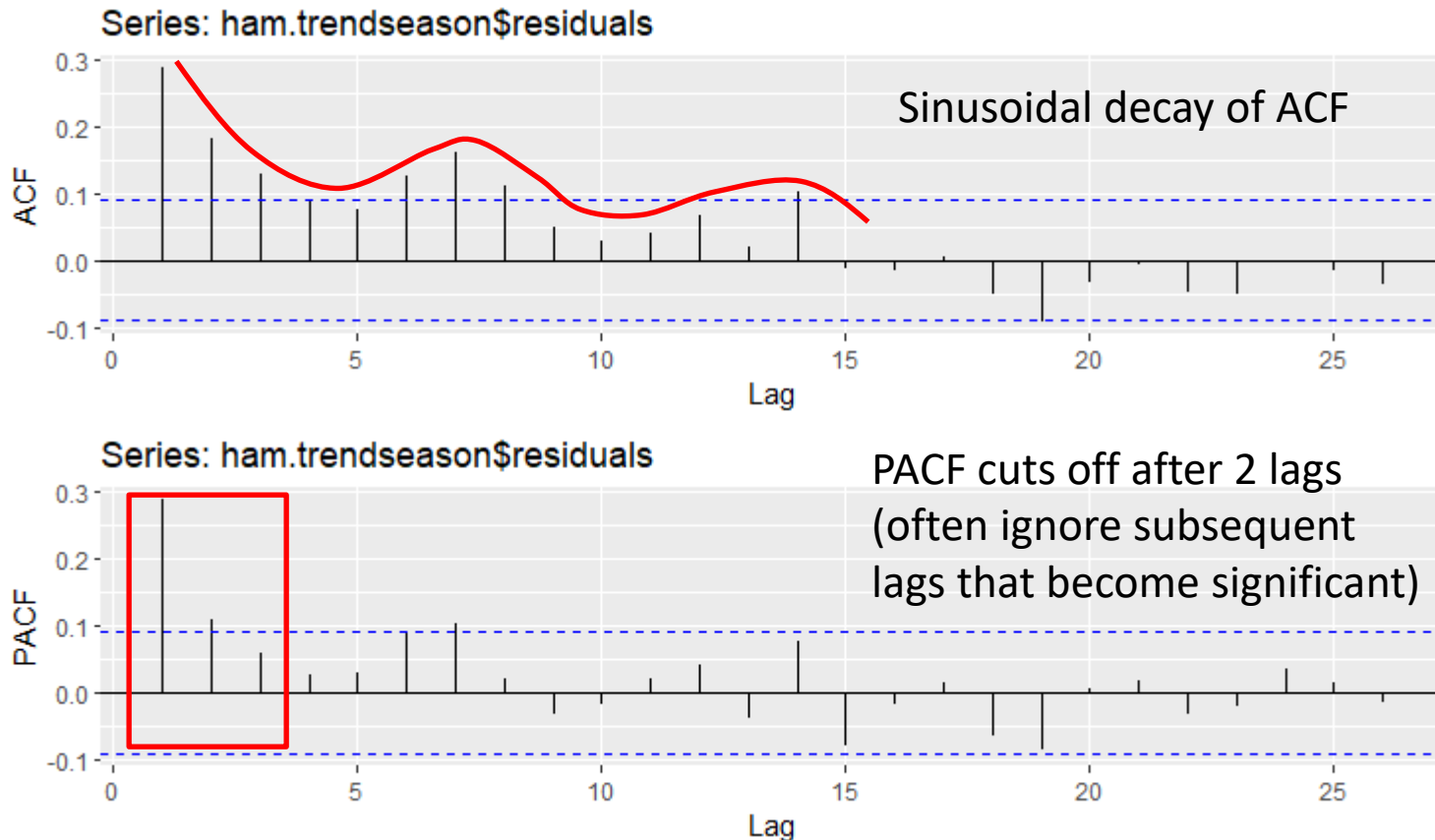
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What order would you choose for these residuals?

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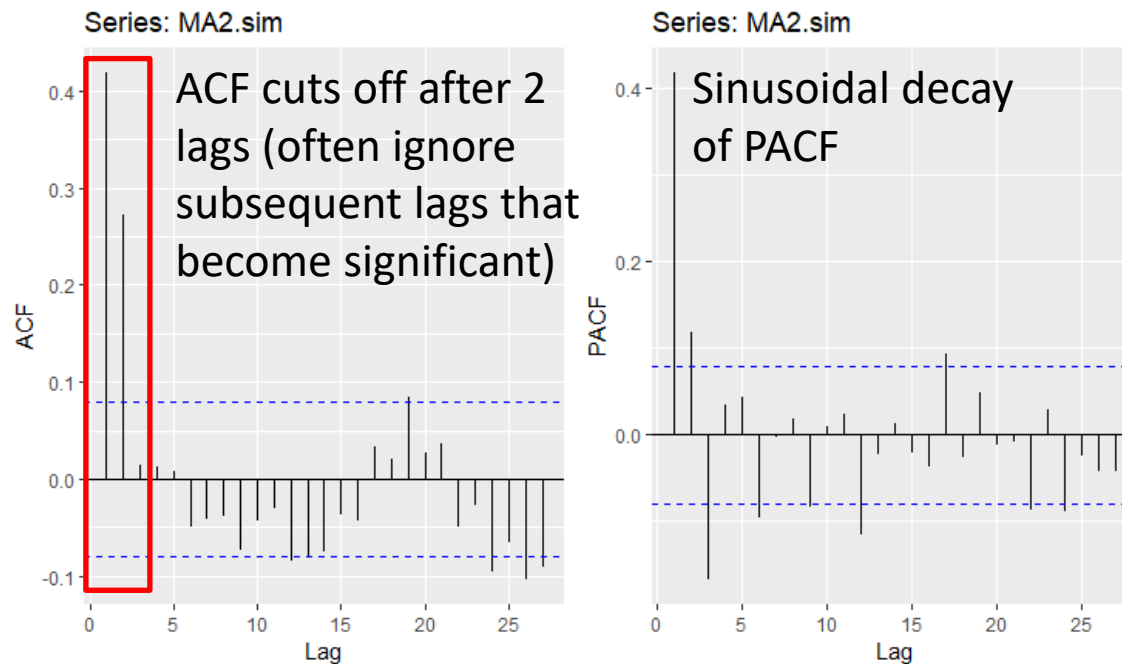
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Some time series contain autoregressive and moving average components

An autoregressive moving average model, abbreviated as $\text{ARMA}(p, q)$ has p AR terms and q MA terms:

$$x_t = \phi_1 x_{t-1} + \phi_2 x_{t-2} + \dots + \phi_p x_{t-p} + \theta_1 w_{t-1} + \theta_2 w_{t-2} + \dots + \theta_q w_{t-q} + w_t$$

where

- x_t is stationary with 0 mean
- $\phi_p \neq 0$ and $\theta_q \neq 0$ (but ϕ_i for $i < p$ and θ_j for $j < q$ might be 0)
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- w_{t-k} are past residuals of the ARMA model at lag k .

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Like MA models, the coefficients of ARMA models must be estimated through maximum likelihood estimation.

Since both AR and MA components are embedded in the time series, both the ACF and PACF tail off in a sinusoidal pattern or exponentially decay.

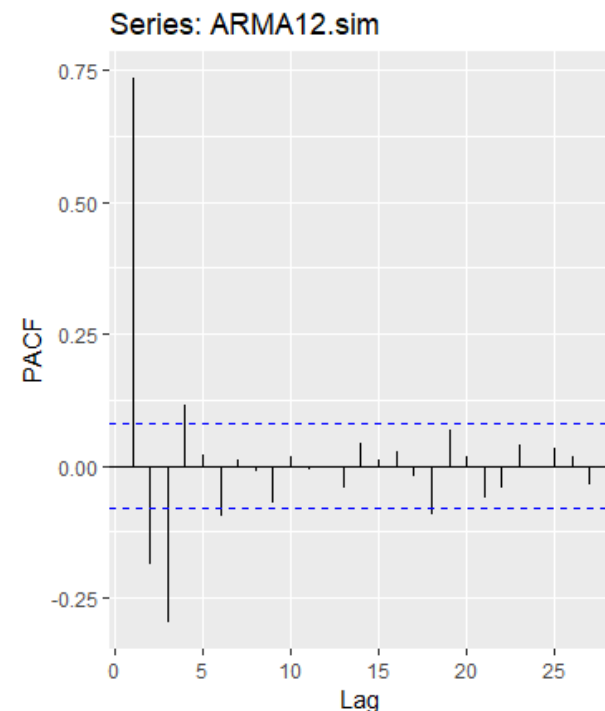
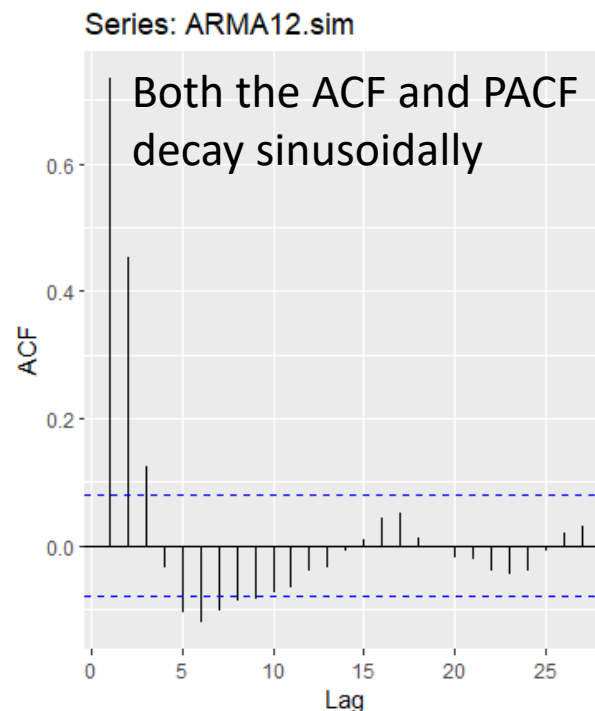
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To see if there are seasonal components in a time series, and to estimate their periods, one can use the **periodogram**.

Peaks in the periodogram at low frequencies can be a sign of autocorrelation, not seasonality.

Autocorrelation can be modeled through **autoregressive** (AR), **moving average** (MA), and **autoregressive moving average** (ARMA) models.

The ACF and PACF can help identify the orders of these models. When unclear, metrics like AIC can be used.

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Cycles	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Plot of time series 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Possibly sum of multiple seasons from periodogram
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We can capture trends, seasonality and autocorrelation through a series of models.

For example, to model a variable Y that exhibits a trend and seasonality over L seasons, use:

$$Y_t = \beta_0 + \beta_1 t + \sum_{i=1}^{L-1} \beta_{i+1} X_i + \varepsilon_t = E[Y_t] + \varepsilon_t$$
$$\varepsilon_t = \sum_{j=1}^k \varphi_j \varepsilon_{t-j} + w_t$$

where $X_i = 1$ if season i , 0 otherwise and $w_t \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2)$ and iid.

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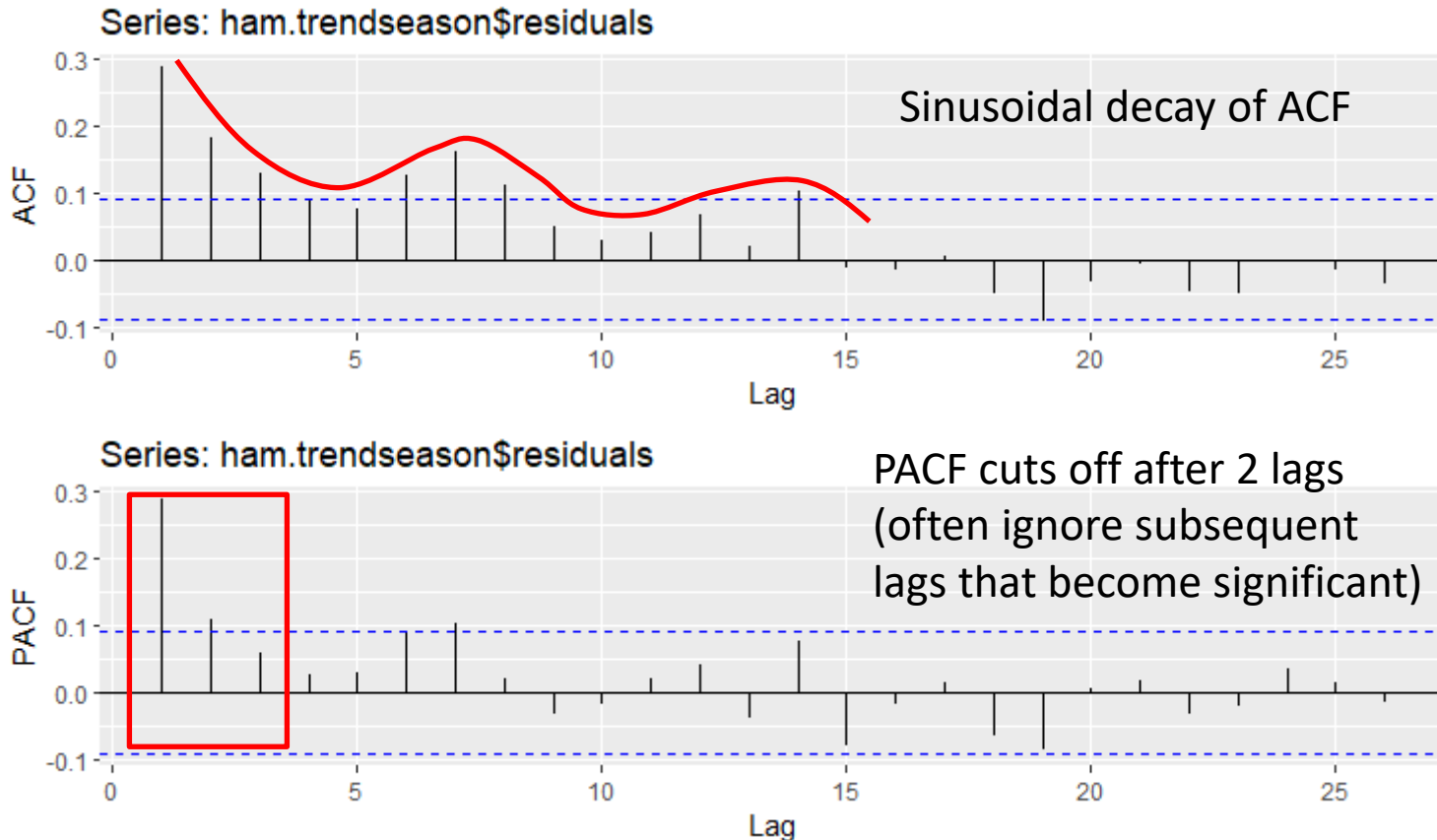
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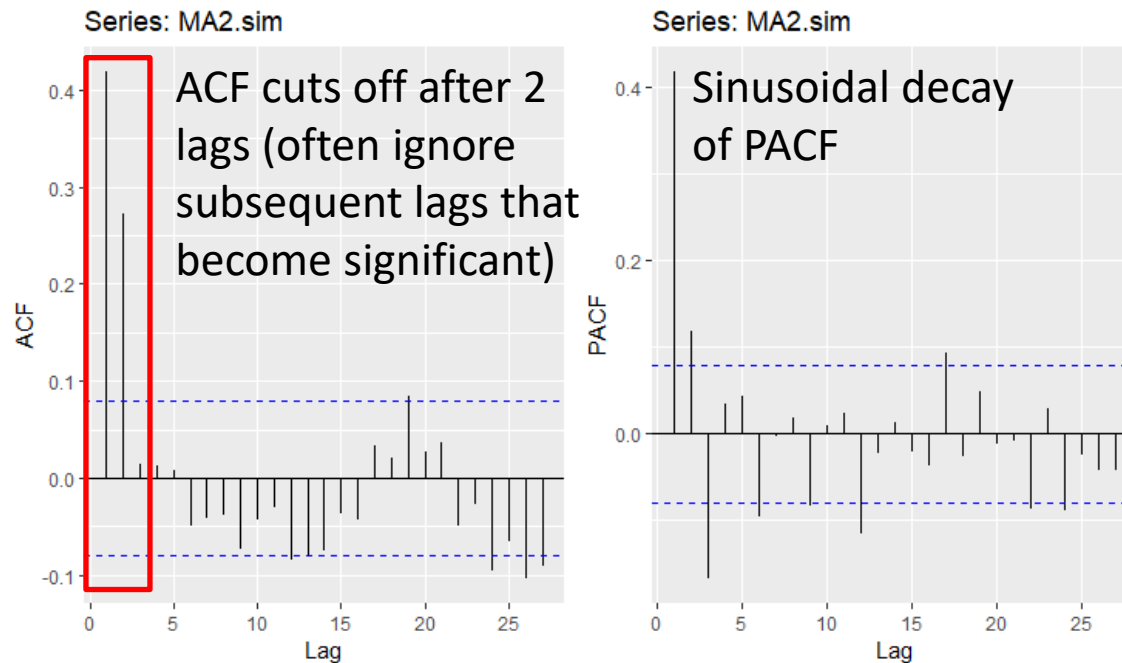
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Some time series contain autoregressive and moving average components

An autoregressive moving average model, abbreviated as $\text{ARMA}(p, q)$ has p AR terms and q MA terms:

$$x_t = \phi_1 x_{t-1} + \phi_2 x_{t-2} + \dots + \phi_p x_{t-p} + \theta_1 w_{t-1} + \theta_2 w_{t-2} + \dots + \theta_q w_{t-q} + w_t$$

where

- x_t is stationary with 0 mean
- $\phi_p \neq 0$ and $\theta_q \neq 0$ (but ϕ_i for $i < p$ and θ_j for $j < q$ might be 0)
- w_t is assumed iid $\mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2)$
- w_{t-k} are past residuals of the ARMA model at lag k .

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Like MA models, the coefficients of ARMA models must be estimated through maximum likelihood estimation.

Since both AR and MA components are embedded in the time series, both the ACF and PACF tail off in a sinusoidal pattern or exponentially decay.

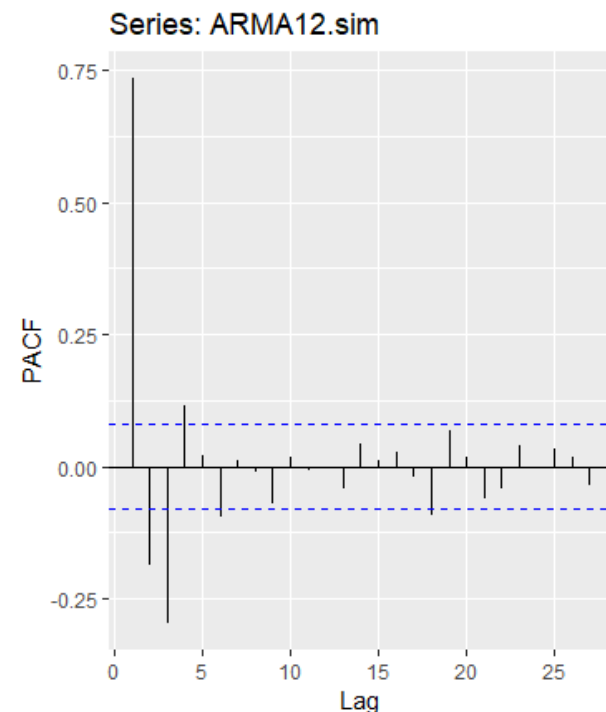
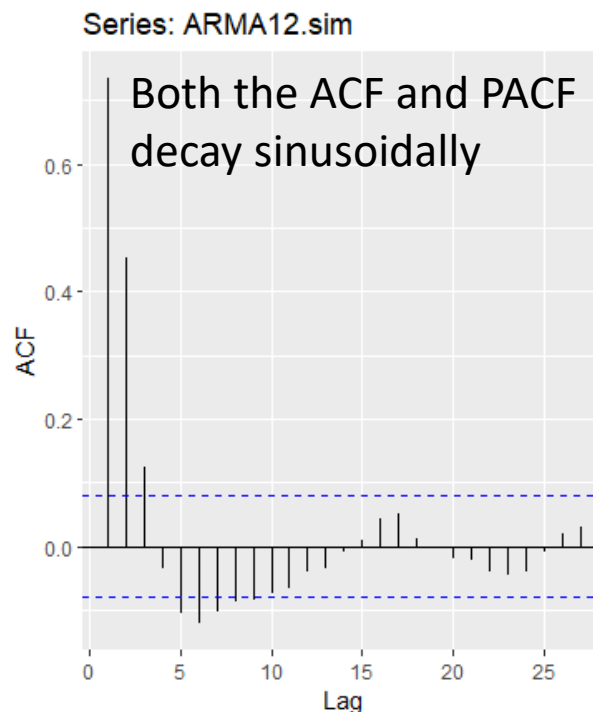
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```
# simulate ARMA12 data
ARMA12.sim <- arima.sim(n=12*50, list(ar=c(0.45),ma=c(0.45,0.45)))

ARMA12_ACF = ggAcf(ARMA12.sim)
ARMA12_PACF = ggPacf(ARMA12.sim)
ggarrange(ARMA12_ACF, ARMA12_PACF)
```



Recap: Behavior of ACF and PACF

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We can often identify appropriate time series models from the autocorrelation and partial autocorrelation functions

	Nonstationary	AR(p)	MA(q)	ARMA(p,q)
ACF	Slow, linear decay	Sinusoidal or exponential decay	Cuts off after q lags	Sinusoidal or exponential decay
PACF		Cuts off after p lags	Sinusoidal or exponential decay	Sinusoidal or exponential decay

Backshift Operator

To simplify the notation of ARMA models, we often use the **backshift operator**, B :

$$Bx_t = x_{t-1}$$

We can extend it to powers:

$$B^2x_t = B(Bx_t) = Bx_{t-1} = x_{t-2}$$

We can use similar notation for differencing with ∇ :

$$\nabla x_t = x_t - x_{t-1}$$

Writing this definition using the backshift operator we see

$$\nabla x_t = x_t - Bx_t = (1 - B)x_t$$

Differences of order d can be written generally as:

$$\nabla^d x_t = (1 - B)^d x_t$$

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ARMA models can only model x_t if it is stationary.

If it is not stationary we can take differences.

This can be done in one step with autoregressive integrated moving average (ARIMA) models.

A stochastic process, x_t , is said to be

ARIMA(p, d, q) if

$$\nabla^d x_t = (1 - B)^d x_t$$

is ARMA(p, q).

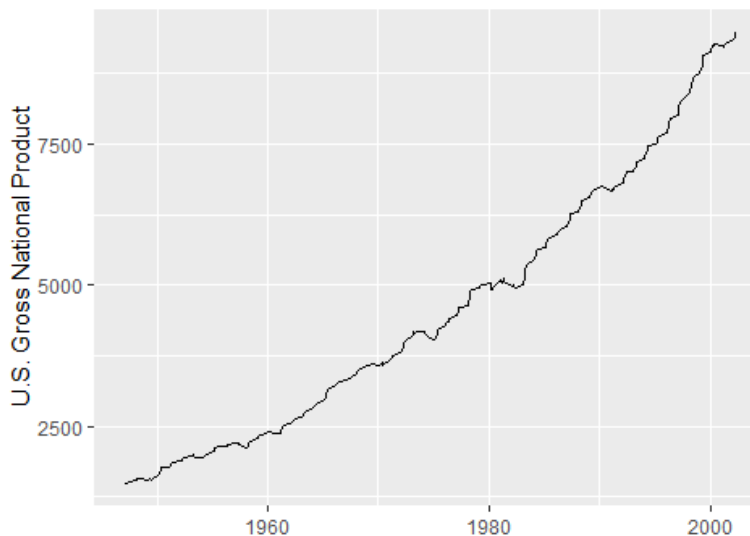
Example ARIMA time series: GNP

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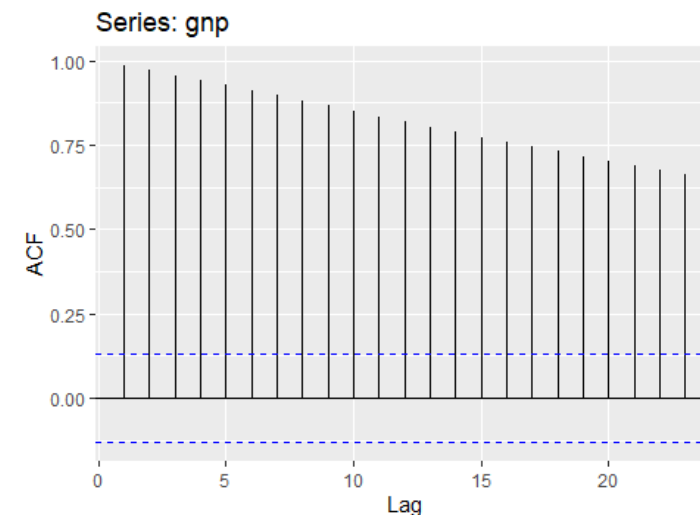
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```
#GNP data
gnp96 <- read.table("D:/GoogleDrive/Julie_SYS4021/2020/Lectures/TS/gnp96.dat")

ggplot(gnp96, aes(x=V1,y=V2)) + geom_line() +
  ylab("U.S. Gross National Product") + xlab("")
```



```
gnp <- ts(gnp96[,2])
ggAcf(gnp)
```

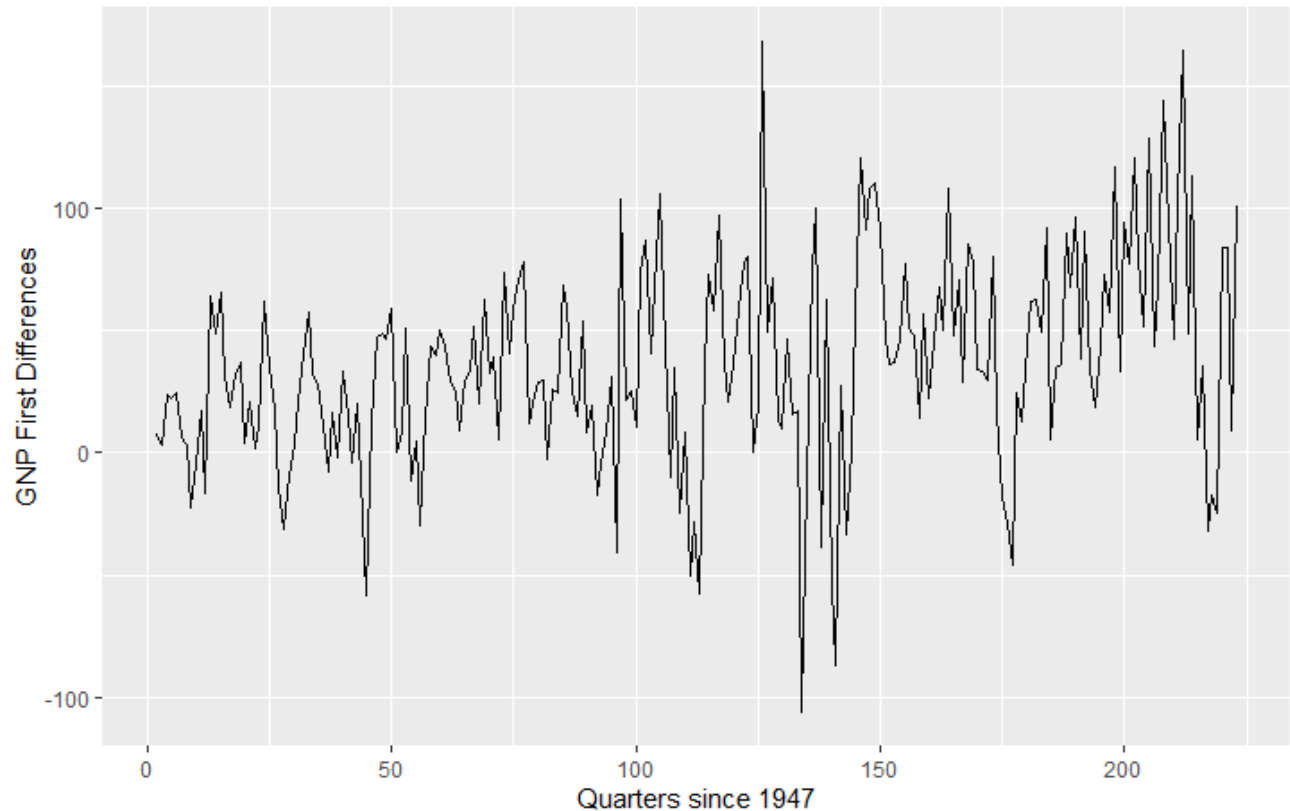


Example ARIMA time series: GNP

```
# plot the first differences of gnp  
autoplot(diff(gnp), ylab="GNP First Differences", xlab="Quarters since 1947")
```

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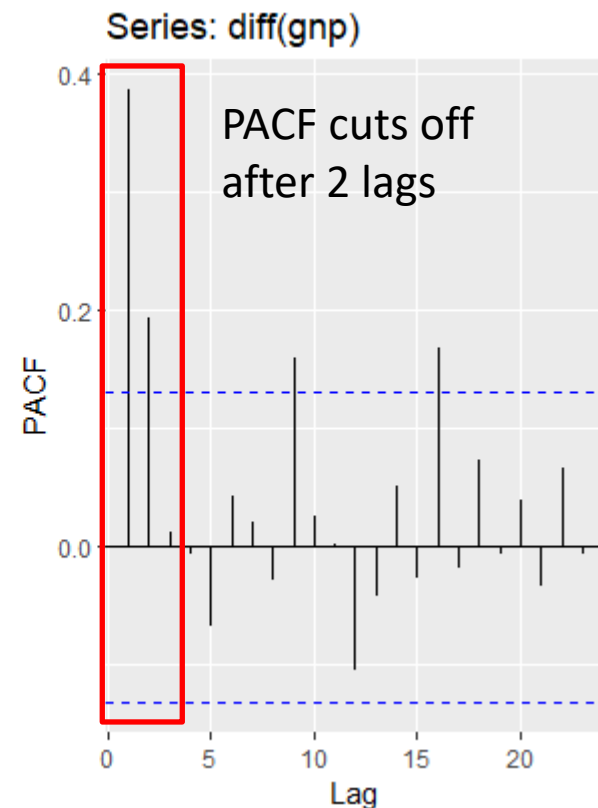
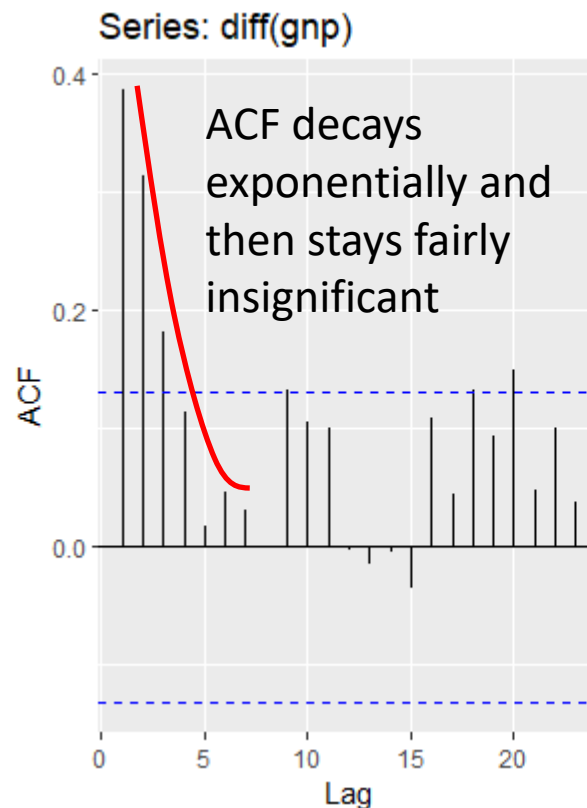
Example ARIMA time series: GNP

```
acf = ggAcf(diff(gnp))  
pacf = ggPacf(diff(gnp))  
ggarrange(acf, pacf)
```

AR(2) model of first differences seems appropriate, so ARIMA(2,1,0) of GNP

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We now know several models we can capture autocorrelation in a time series, or in the residuals of a trend + seasonality model of a time series.

But how do we know if these models are adequate?

We want a model that is parsimonious as possible: we need enough parameters to model correlated observations, but we don't want to overfit the data and increase the variance of our forecasts.

As with MLR, we will assess model performance with both metrics like AIC, BIC, Adjusted R^2 and diagnostics.

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More importantly, we want them to be independent.

We can still use the residuals vs. fitted to check for lack of fit and heteroscedasticity, and the qqplot to check for normality.

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```
# compare two ARIMA models
ARIMA210 = arima(gnp,order=c(2,1,0))
auto = auto.arima(gnp,approximation=FALSE)
```

Finds ARIMA model that minimizes the AIC

```
> summary(auto)
Series: gnp
ARIMA(2,2,1)
```

Optimal model for AIC is an ARMA(2,1) model on the second differences ($d=2$)

Coefficients:

	ar1	ar2	ma1
	0.2799	0.1592	-0.9735
s.e.	0.0682	0.0682	0.0142

sigma² estimated as 1471: log likelihood=-1119.01
AIC=2246.02 AICc=2246.21 BIC=2259.62

Training set error measures:

	ME	RMSE	MAE	MPE	MAPE	MASE
Training set	3.735674	37.91694	29.15062	0.08532321	0.7254322	0.6516533

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Training set -0.009664696

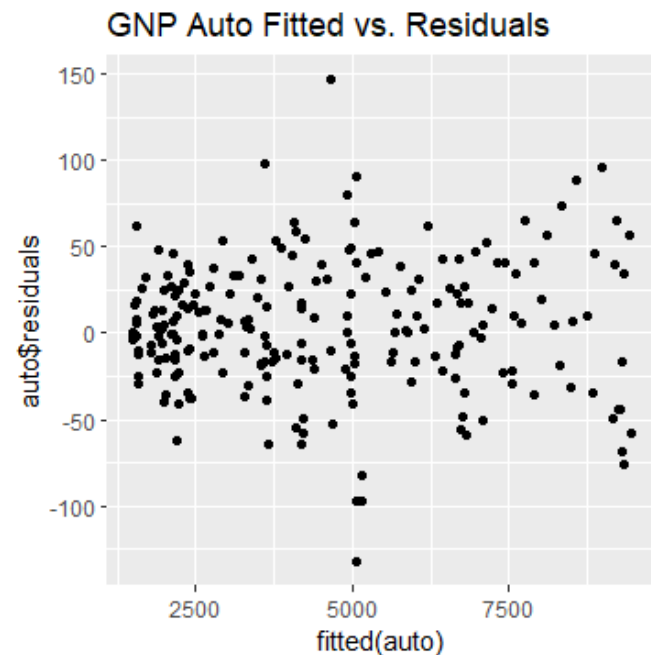
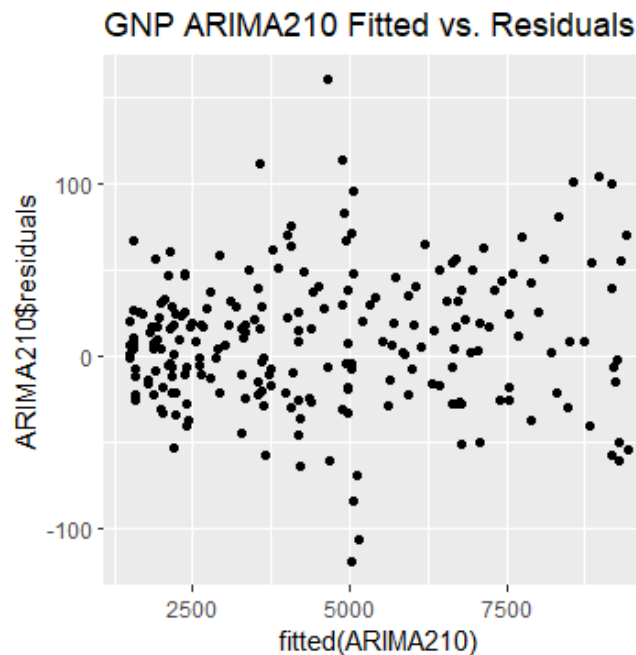
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```
# diagnostics
model1 = ggplot() + geom_point(aes(x=fitted(ARIMA210), y=ARIMA210$residuals)) +
  ggtitle("GNP ARIMA210 Fitted vs. Residuals")
model2 = ggplot() + geom_point(aes(x=fitted(auto), y=auto$residuals)) +
  ggtitle("GNP Auto Fitted vs. Residuals")

ggarrange(model1,model2)
```



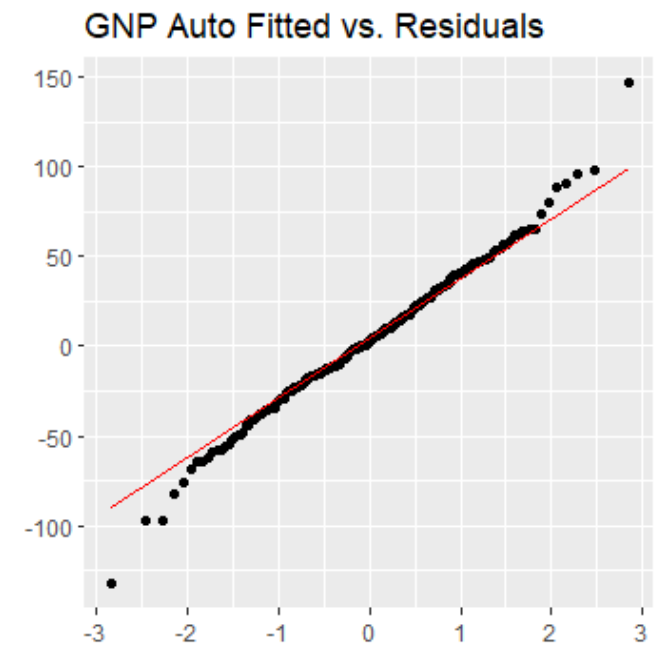
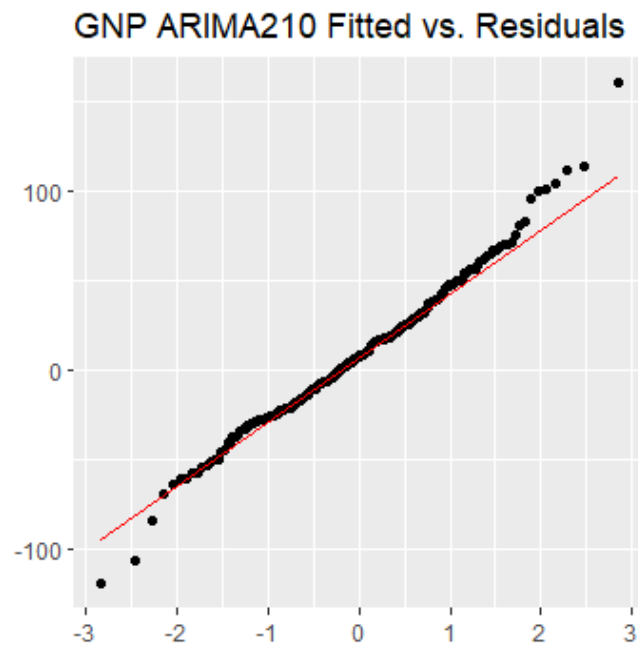
Residuals vs. fitted look similar for both models

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```
model1 = qqplot(sample=ARIMA210$residuals) + stat_qq_line(color="red") +  
  ggtitle("GNP ARIMA210 Fitted vs. Residuals")  
model2 = qqplot(sample=auto$residuals) + stat_qq_line(color="red") +  
  ggtitle("GNP Auto Fitted vs. Residuals")  
  
ggarrange(model1,model2)
```



Residuals are about equally Gaussian for both models

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We can use the ACF and PACF to check for independence, as well as the Ljung-Box test.

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The Ljung-Box test determines whether the first H sample autocorrelations of the residuals, considered together, are significant.

H_0 : Autocorrelation is not significant
(model is adequate up to lag H)

H_a : Autocorrelation is significant
(model is not adequate up to lag H)

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The test statistic of the Ljung-Box test is the Q-statistic:

$$Q = n'(n' + 2) \sum_{h=1}^H \frac{\hat{\rho}_w^2(h)}{n' - h}$$

where

$n' = n - d$, $n = \#$ of observations in original time series, $d =$ degree of differencing used to transform original time series into stationary time series

$\hat{\rho}_w^2(h)$ is the squared sample autocorrelation of the residuals, w , at lag h

Under H_0 , $Q \sim \chi_{H-p-q}^2$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

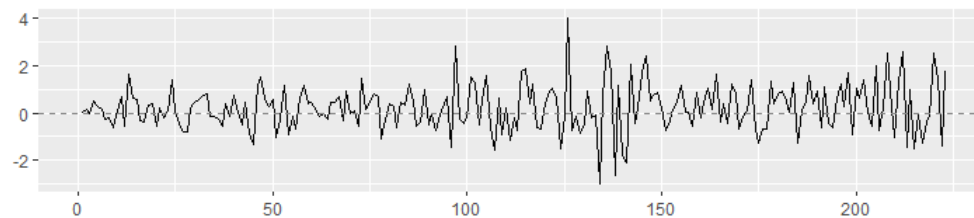
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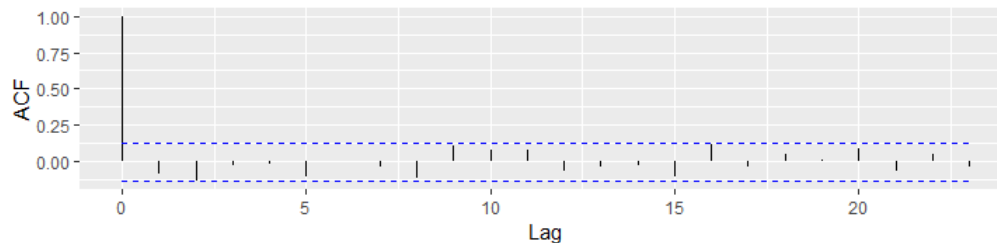
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```
ggtsdiag(ARIMA210, gof.lag=20)
```

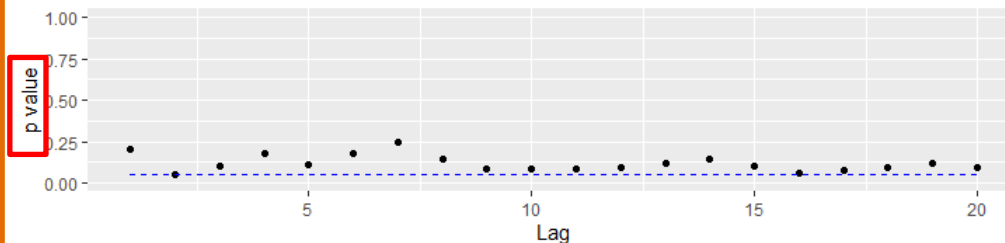
Standardized Residuals



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p values for Ljung-Box statistic



If the p-value is < 0.05 , i.e. below the blue line, we reject H_0 that the correlations are not significant.

That is, we reject that the model is adequate at that lag. So the higher the dots, the better.

This model becomes inadequate after only 1 lag.

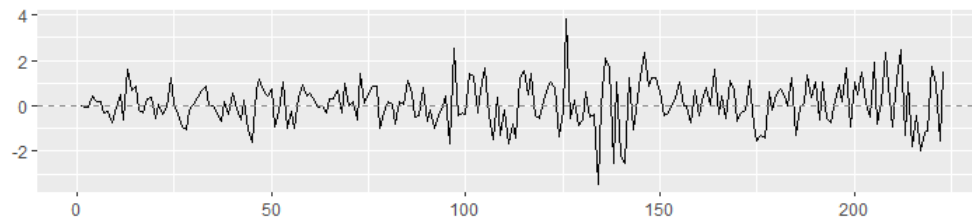
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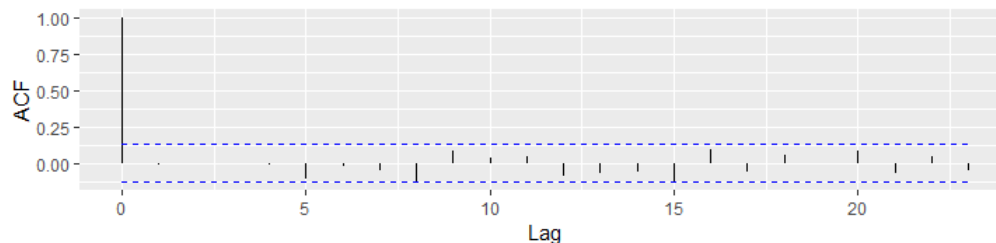
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```
ggtsdiag(ARIMA210,gof.lag=20)  
ggtsdiag(auto,gof.lag=20)
```

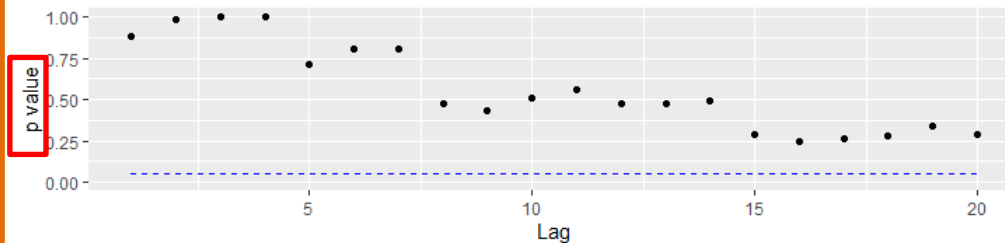
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p values for Ljung-Box statistic



The auto.arima model, which was $ARIMA(2,2,1)$, is good for at least 20 lags.

Therefore this model outperforms the $ARIMA(2,1,0)$ model in both AIC and diagnostics.

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Another important criterion for performance is how well the model does out of sample, specifically in **forecasting** future values of the time series.

The standard criterion is to find which model has a lower MSE in forecasting future observations: $E[(x_{n+m} - \hat{x}_{n+m})^2]$

where

- n is the number of observations the model was built to
- m is the number of forecast observations
- $\hat{x}_{n+m} = E[x_{n+m} | x_n, x_{n-1}, \dots]$.

If the time series is $AR(p)$, then for $n \geq p$, the one-step-ahead prediction is $\hat{x}_{n+1} = \phi_1 x_n + \phi_2 x_{n-1} + \dots + \phi_p x_{n-p+1}$.

For ARMA models it is more complicated, because it also depends on the error you made in modeling/ forecasting previous time steps, w_{t-k} .

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We will often be interested in probabilistic forecasts.

We can report a $100(1-\alpha)\%$ prediction interval around our point forecast as $(\hat{x}_{n+m} \pm t_{n-n_p}^{1-\alpha/2} \sigma_{n+m})$ where σ_{n+m} is the standard error of the forecast and n_p is the number of parameters in our time series model.

The variance σ_{n+m}^2 of our forecast error gets bigger and then levels off with increasing forecast lead time, m .

ARMA forecasts quickly settle to the mean with a constant prediction error as the forecast lead time grows.

Example Forecast with GNP data

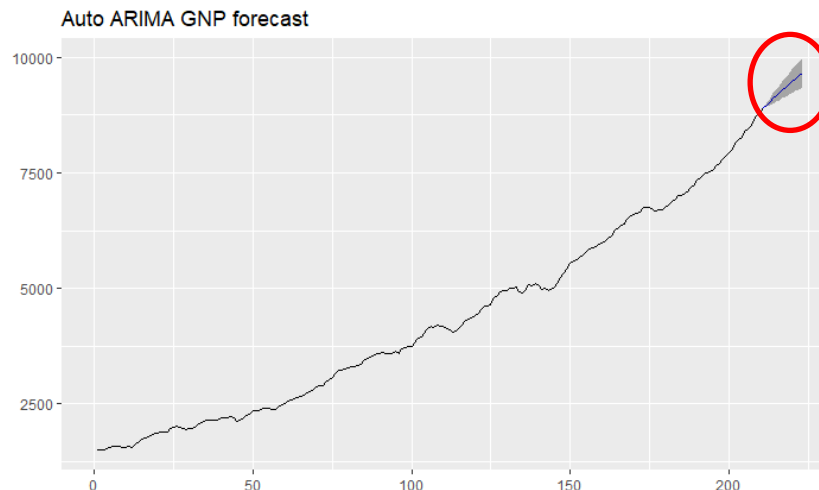
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Build a forecast to all but the last 3 years of quarterly GNP and then forecast the remainder.

```
# forecast
ARIMA210 = arima(gnp[1:(length(gnp)-12)],order=c(2,1,0))
ARIMA210.forecast <- predict(ARIMA210,n.ahead=12)

auto = auto.arima(gnp[1:(length(gnp)-12)],approximation=FALSE)
auto.forecast <- forecast(auto, h=12)
autoplot(auto.forecast,main="Auto ARIMA GNP forecast")
```



Forecast and 95% confidence interval

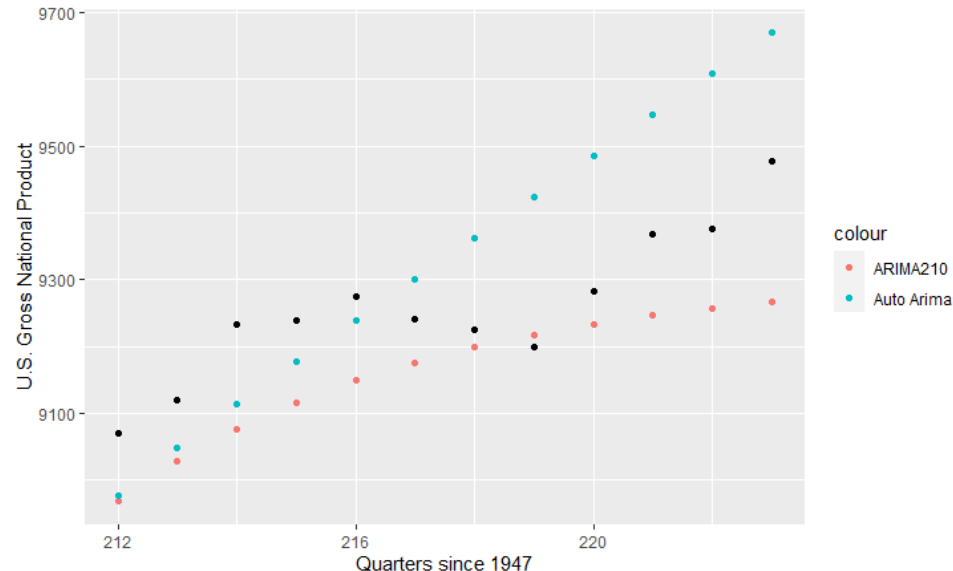
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Build a forecast to all but the last 3 years of quarterly GNP and then forecast the remainder.

```
# compare forecasts
x = (length(gnp)-12+1):(length(gnp))
ggplot() + geom_point(aes(x=x,y=gnp[(length(gnp)-12+1):(length(gnp))])) +
  geom_point(aes(x=x,y=ARIMA210.forecast$pred[1:12],color="ARIMA210")) +
  geom_point(aes(x=x,y=auto.forecast$mean[1:12],color="Auto Arima")) +
  xlab("Quarters since 1947") + ylab("U.S. Gross National Product")
```



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Build a forecast to all but the last 3 years of quarterly GNP and then forecast the remainder.

```
# MSE
ARIMA210.mse = mean((ARIMA210.forecast$pred[1:12] -
                    gnp[(length(gnp)-12+1):(length(gnp))])^2)
auto.mse = mean((auto.forecast$mean[1:12] -
                 gnp[(length(gnp)-12+1):(length(gnp))])^2)
```

```
> ARIMA210.mse
[1] 12925.77
> auto.mse
[1] 22428.5
```

While the auto.arima model (ARIMA(2,2,1)) had better diagnostics and a lower AIC, the ARIMA(2,1,0) model had a lower forecast MSE

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After deciding on a model, you can not only use it for forecasting but for simulation.

This is useful for risk analysis, e.g. if you want to estimate the probability of seeing a value above some threshold. Simulated data can also be used as input to a decision-making model to capture events outside of what has occurred historically.

Simulations simply generate random normal Gaussian noise for the w_t term of the regression model and propagate it through to estimate Y_t .

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```
> summary(auto)
Series: gnp[1:(length(gnp) - 12)]
ARIMA(2,2,1)
```

Coefficients:

	ar1	ar2	ma1
	0.2869	0.1403	-0.9672
s.e.	0.0709	0.0706	0.0181

```
sigma^2 estimated as 1363:  log likelihood=-1050.2
AIC=2108.4    AICc=2108.59    BIC=2121.77
```

Training set error measures:

	ME	RMSE	MAE	MPE	MAPE	MASE
Training set	3.857783	36.47993	27.71966	0.08578358	0.7327909	0.6319825

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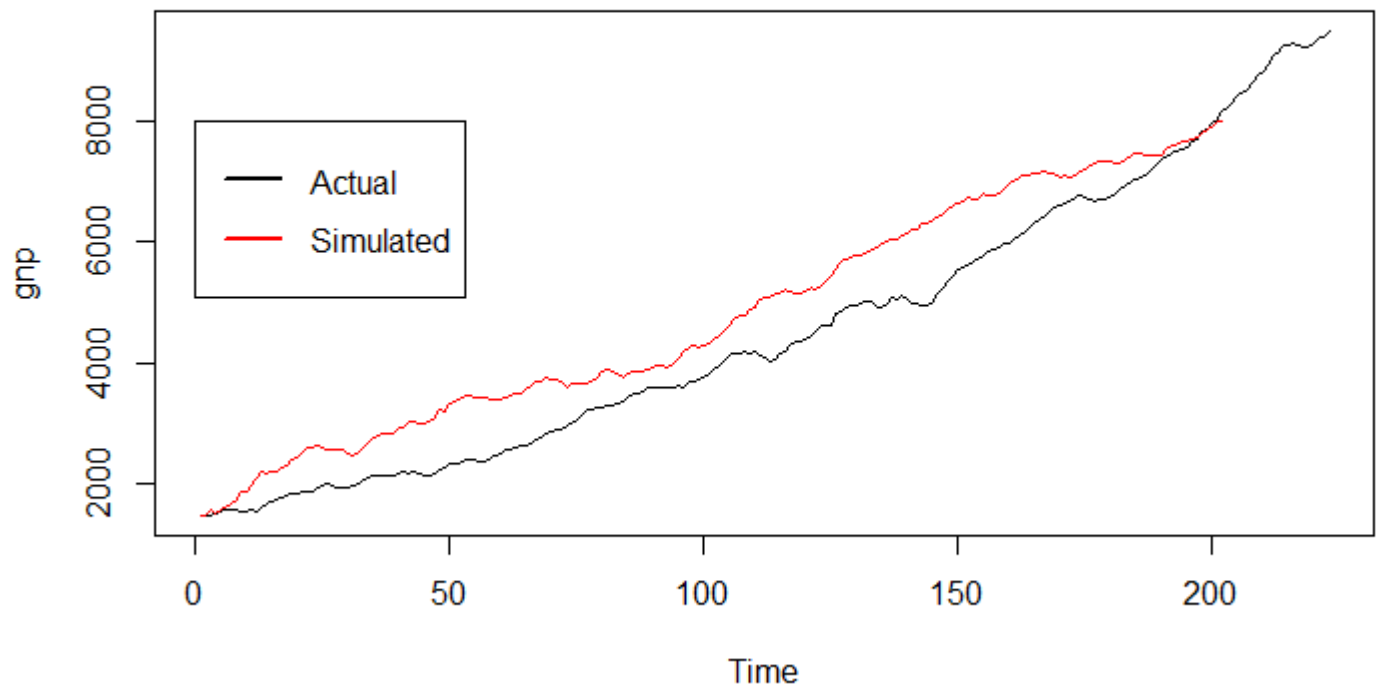
```
Training set -0.01264807
```

```
# simulate 50 years of quarterly returns Set seed for reproducibility
set.seed(2) Number of time steps to simulate
auto.sim = gnp[1] + arima.sim(n=4*50, list(order = c(2,2,1),
If the model uses differences, add the ar=c(auto$coef[1],auto$coef[2]),
simulated differences to an initial value ma=c(auto$coef[3])),
sd=sqrt(auto$sigma2) Stdev. of residuals
```

Example Simulation

```
plot(gnp,main="Simulations from auto.arima")  
lines(auto.sim,col="red")  
legend(0,8000, legend = c("Actual", "Simulated"),  
      lwd = 2, col = c("black", "red"))
```

Simulations from auto.arima



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When generating synthetic data, you should check that it reproduces the statistics of the raw data, such as:

- Mean
- Variance
- Seasonality (compare periodogram)
- Trend (compare coefficient on time in regression)
- Autocorrelation (compare ACF and PACF)

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1. **Tentative Identification:** Historical time series data are used to identify possible ARIMA models.
2. **Estimation:** Estimate the parameters of the tentatively identified models.
3. **Diagnostic checking:** Check the adequacy of the tentatively identified models.
4. **Forecasting & Simulation:** Once a final model is selected, it is used to forecast/ simulate future time series values.