

$$1) a) \mathbb{E}[r_t] = \mathbb{E}[t + a_t + .25 a_{t-1}] = t$$

$$r_t = t + a_t + .25 a_{t-1}$$

$$\text{Cov}(r_t, r_{t-1}) = .25 \sigma_a^2$$

$$r_{t-1} = (t-1) + a_{t-1} + .25 a_{t-2}$$

$$\text{Cov}(r_t, r_{t-2}) = 0 \quad ? \dots$$

$$r_{t-2} = (t-2) + a_{t-2} + .25 a_{t-3}$$

Weakly stationary b/c constant mean & γ_k depends on k .

$$b) \mathbb{E}[w_t] = \mathbb{E}[r_t - r_{t-1}] = t - t = 0$$

$$\text{Cov}(w_t, w_{t-1}) = -.75 \sigma_a^2 + (.75)(.25) \sigma_a^2 = \gamma_1$$

$$\text{Cov}(w_t, w_{t-2}) = .25 \sigma_a^2 = \gamma_2$$

$$\text{Cov}(w_t, w_{t-3}) = 0 = \gamma_3$$

$$w_t = [t + a_t + .25 a_{t-1}] - [(t-1) + a_{t-1} + .25 a_{t-2}] = 1 + a_t - .75 a_{t-1} - .25 a_{t-2}$$

$$w_{t-1} = 1 + a_{t-1} - .75 a_{t-2} - .25 a_{t-3}$$

$$w_{t-2} = 1 + a_{t-2} - .75 a_{t-3} - .25 a_{t-4}$$

$$w_{t-3} = 1 + a_{t-3} - .75 a_{t-4} - .25 a_{t-5}$$

Weakly stationary b/c constant mean & γ_k depends on k .

$$2) a) \mathbb{E}[r_t] = \mu = \phi_0 + \phi_1 \mathbb{E}[r_{t-1}] = \phi_0 + \phi_1 \mu \Rightarrow \mu - \phi_1 \mu = \phi_0 \Rightarrow 1 - \phi_1 = \frac{\phi_0}{\mu}$$

$$= \frac{\phi_0}{1 - \phi_1} \quad \text{also } \phi_0 = (1 - \phi_1) \mu$$

$$r_t - \mu = \phi_1 (r_{t-1} - \mu) + a_t$$

many \therefore substitutions

$$r_t - \mu = a_t + \phi_1 a_{t-1} + \phi_1^2 a_{t-2} + \dots = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \phi_1^i a_{t-i}$$

$$\underline{\psi_i = \phi_1^i}$$

$$r_t = \mu + \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \psi_i a_{t-i} \quad \checkmark$$

$$b) \text{ from above (and } \mathbb{E}[a_t] = 0), \text{ we know } \mu = \mathbb{E}[r_t] = \frac{\phi_0}{1 - \phi_1}$$

$$\mathbb{E}[(r_t - \mu) a_{t+1}] = 0 \quad \text{b/c } a_t \text{'s are indep.}$$

$$\text{Cov}(r_{t-1}, a_t) = \mathbb{E}[(r_t - \mu) a_t] = 0$$

$$\gamma_0 = \text{Var}(r_t) = \phi_1^2 \text{Var}(r_{t-1}) + \sigma_a^2 \implies \text{Var}(r_t) = \phi_1^2 \text{Var}(r_t) + \sigma_a^2$$

$$= \frac{\sigma_a^2}{1 - \phi_1^2} \quad (\phi_1^2 < 1)$$

$$c) \mathbb{E}[a_t(r_t - \mu)] = \mathbb{E}[\phi_1 a_t(r_{t-1} - \mu)] + \mathbb{E}[a_t^2] = \mathbb{E}[a_t^2] = \sigma_a^2$$

$$\gamma_k = \begin{cases} \phi_1 \gamma_1 + \sigma_a^2 & \text{if } k=0 \\ \phi_1 \gamma_{k-1} & \text{if } k>0 \end{cases} \quad \text{and } \gamma_k = \gamma_{k-1}$$

$$\rho_k = \phi_1 \rho_{k-1} \quad \text{for } k \geq 0$$

$$\rho_k = \phi_1^k \quad (\text{b/c } \rho_0 = 1)$$

$$3) a) r_t = \phi_0 + \phi_1 r_{t-1} + a_t \quad (\phi_0 = 0, \phi_1 = .8, a_t \sim N(0,1), t=1, \dots, T)$$

$$\rho_k = \phi_1^k \quad \text{so } \rho_1 = \phi_1 = .8 \quad \& \quad \rho_5 = \phi_1^5 = .32768 \quad (\text{and } \rho_0 = \phi_1^0 = 1)$$

b) See R code

$$c) \hat{\rho}_1 \xrightarrow{\text{approx.}} N(.8, \frac{.36}{T}) \quad \text{and} \quad \hat{\rho}_5 \xrightarrow{\text{approx.}} N(.32768, \frac{1}{T} \cdot 4.555)$$

d)

e) See R code; the distributions are close to theoretical

(mean is off, and std.dev. is too high, but this makes sense for 10 rounds of $T \odot n=1000$)

$$4) a) \text{ For MA(2) model, } r_{n+1} = \mu + a_{n+1} - \theta_1 a_{n+1-1} - \theta_2 a_{n+1-2}$$

$$r_t = 0.08 + a_t - 0.3 a_{t-1} + 0.12 a_{t-2}$$

$$\mu = .08, \theta_1 = .3, \theta_2 = -.12; \text{ Since } a_t \sim t_4 \quad \text{Var}(a_t) = \frac{4}{4-2} = 2 = \sigma_a$$

$$\text{Var}(r_t) = (1 + \theta_1^2 + \theta_2^2) \sigma_a^2 = (1.1044) 2^2 = 4.4176$$

$$b) \hat{r}_n(1) = \mu - \theta_1 a_n - \theta_2 a_{n-1} \quad e_n(1) = r_{n+1} - \hat{r}_n(1) = a_{n+1} \quad a_{100} = -1.36$$

$$\hat{r}_{100}(1) = .08 - .3(-1.36) + .12(.34) \quad e_{100}(1) = a_{101} \quad a_{99} = 0.34$$

$$= .5288$$

$$c) \hat{r}_n(2) = \mu - \theta_2 a_n \quad e_n(2) = r_{n+2} - \hat{r}_n(2)$$

$$\hat{r}_{100}(2) = .08 + .12 a_{100} \quad = \mu + a_{n+2} - \theta_1 a_{n+1} - \theta_2 a_n - \mu + \theta_2 a_n$$

$$= .08 + .12(-1.36) = a_{n+2} - \theta_1 a_{n+1}$$

$$= \underline{-0.08}$$

$$e_{100}(2) = \underline{a_{102} - .3 a_{101}}$$

$$\mathbb{E}[e_{100}(2)] = 0 \quad \& \quad \text{Var}(e_{100}(2)) = 2 + (.09)2 = 2.18$$

d) With MA(2), for 10-step ahead

$$\hat{r}_{100}(10) = \mu \quad (\text{b/c } 10 > 2)$$

$$e_n(10) = r_{n+10} - \hat{r}_n(10)$$

$$= \mu + a_{n+10} - \theta_1 a_{n+9} - \theta_2 a_{n+8} - \mu$$

$$= a_{n+10} - \theta_1 a_{n+9} - \theta_2 a_{n+8}$$

$$e_{100}(10) = a_{110} - .3 a_{109} + .12 a_{108} \quad \mathbb{E}[e_{100}(100)] = 0 \quad \& \quad \text{Var}(e_{100}(100)) = 2 + (.09)2 + (.0144)2$$

e) We always predict $\mu (= .08)$, so a 95% C.I. = 2.2088

of the error of the prediction is: $(-.109, .087)$

See R code

Stat 461 HW4

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3b

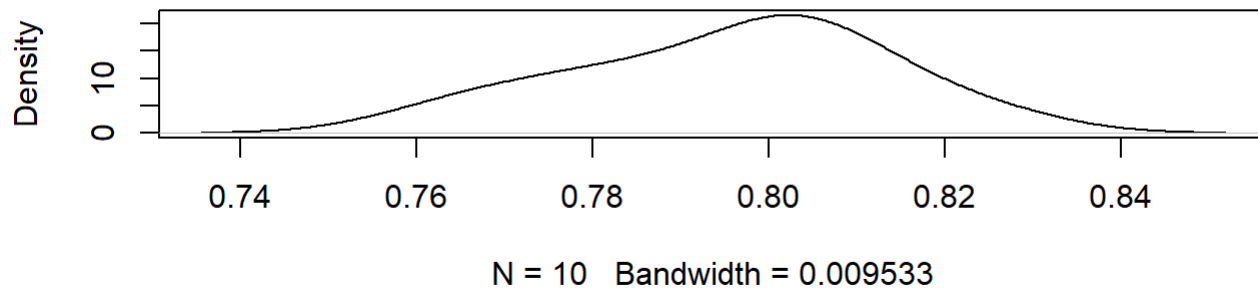
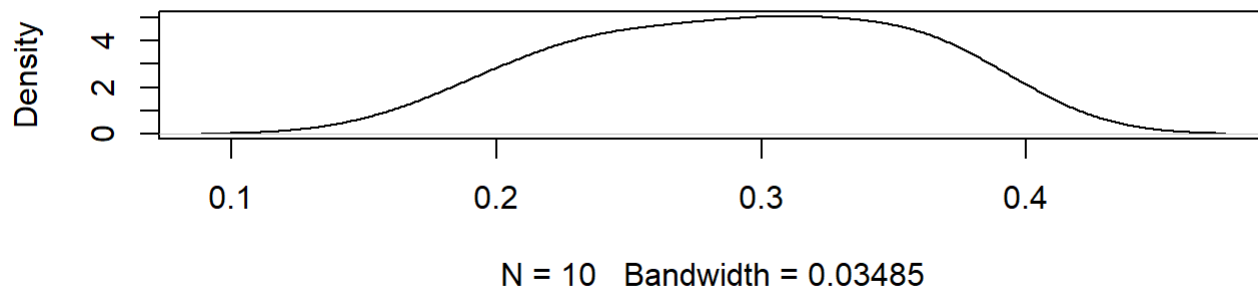
```
set.seed(1234)
T = 1000
N = 10000
Y = matrix(, nrow=1000, ncol=N/T)
for (i in 1:(N/T)) {
  Y[,i] = arima.sim(model=list(ar=c(0.8)), n=T)
}
print(acf(Y[,1], lag=5, main="", plot=FALSE)[c(1,5)])
```

```
##
## Autocorrelations of series 'Y[, 1]', by lag
##
##      1      5
## 0.801 0.298
```

```
my_acfs = matrix(, nrow=2, ncol=N/T)
for (i in 1:(N/T)) {
  my_acfs[1,i] = acf(Y[,i], lag=5, main="", plot=FALSE)[1]$acf
  my_acfs[2,i] = acf(Y[,i], lag=5, main="", plot=FALSE)[5]$acf
}
```

3e

```
acf1 = my_acfs[1,]
acf2 = my_acfs[2,]
par(mfrow=c(2,1))
plot(density(acf1), main="acf1")
plot(density(acf2), main="acf5")
```

acf1**acf5**

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paste("acf1; mean:", mean(acf1), "sd:", sd(acf1))
```

```
## [1] "acf1; mean: 0.795480109270835 sd: 0.0177323385836998"
```

```
paste("acf5; mean:", mean(acf2), "sd:", sd(acf2))
```

```
## [1] "acf5; mean: 0.292728570789667 sd: 0.0613727922762759"
```

4e

```
ten_predict_error <- function(a110, a109, a108) {  
  return(a110 - (.3 * a109) + (.12 * a108))  
}  
  
n_samples = 1000  
  
a110 = rt(n_samples, 4)  
a109 = rt(n_samples, 4)  
a108 = rt(n_samples, 4)  
  
predictions = ten_predict_error(a110, a109, a108)  
  
a = mean(predictions)  
s = sd(predictions)  
  
error = qnorm(.975)*s/sqrt(n_samples)  
paste0("95% C.I. of 10-step ahead prediction error(n=", n_samples, "): (", a-error, ", ", a+erro  
r, ")")
```

```
## [1] "95% C.I. of 10-step ahead prediction error(n=1000): (-0.109011459873612, 0.0866523929473  
549)"
```