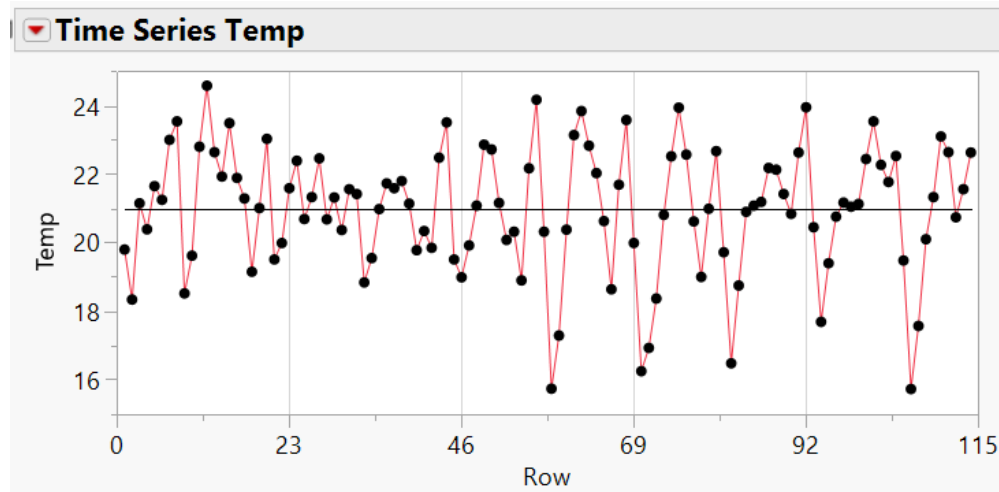


Q1:

The following plot shows the time series plot of the temp data. We can make out from the plot that it is a seasonal data and the period being 12.

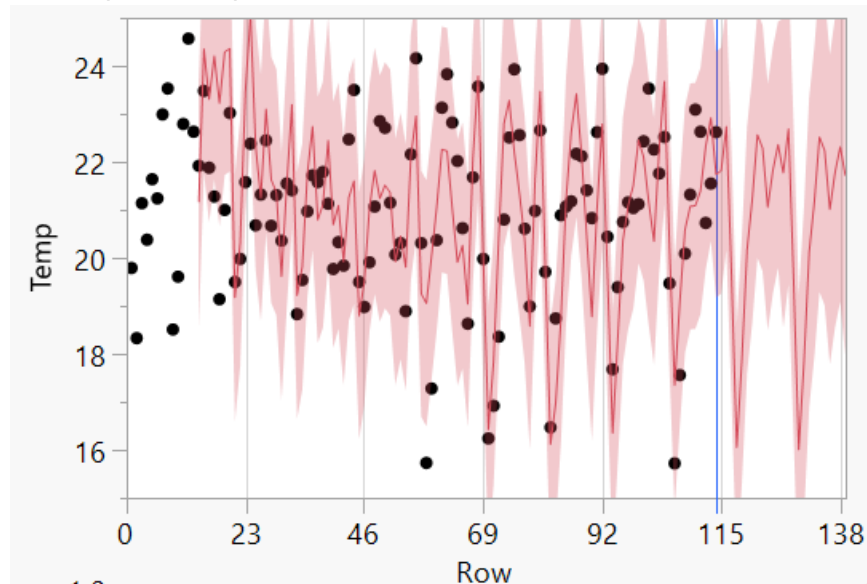


We are using Holt-Winters Additive model because the seasonal pattern remains almost constant in time and remains independent of the average.

The following model was used:

$$y_t = L_t + S_t + \varepsilon_t$$

The following is the exponential parameter that is fit to the model.

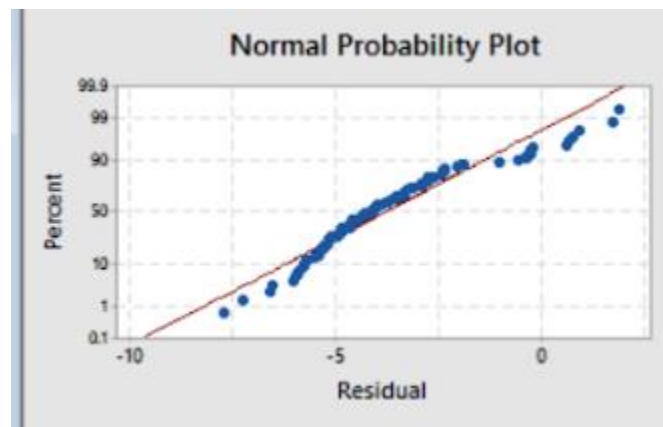
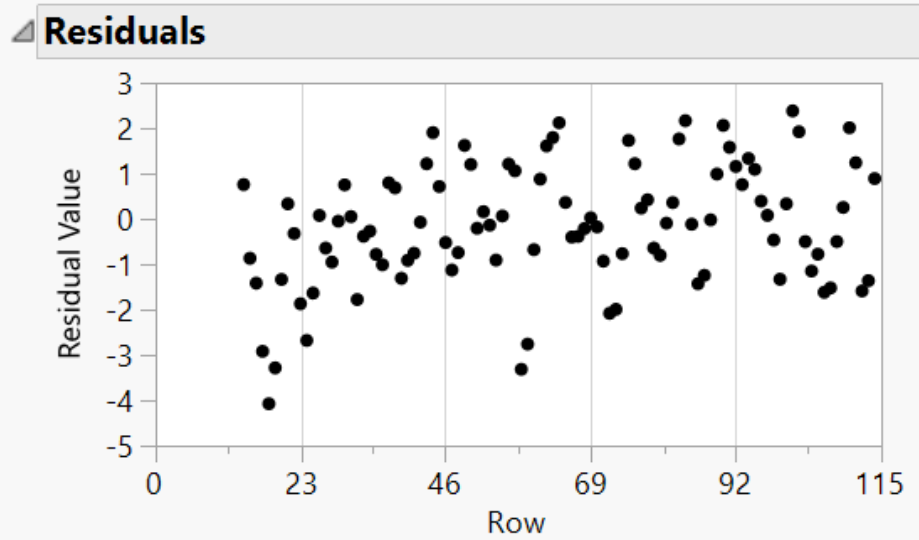


The following are the parameter estimates:

From the parameter estimates we can come to know that the linear and trend are insignificant and can be taken as 0. The seasonal trend has a value of $\delta=0.7608$.

Parameter Estimates				
Term	Estimate	Std Error	t Ratio	Prob> t
Level Smoothing Weight	1.74478e-8	1.8354e-7	0.10	0.9245
Trend Smoothing Weight	0.00009885	0.0012006	0.08	0.9346
Seasonal Smoothing Weight	0.76083326	0.1390828	5.47	<.0001*

From the above table we can see that only the Seasonal parameter is significant. We check the model for any adequacies



From the residual plot and the normal probability plot for the additive method we do not see unusual pattern. Hence, we can say that the model is close to adequate.

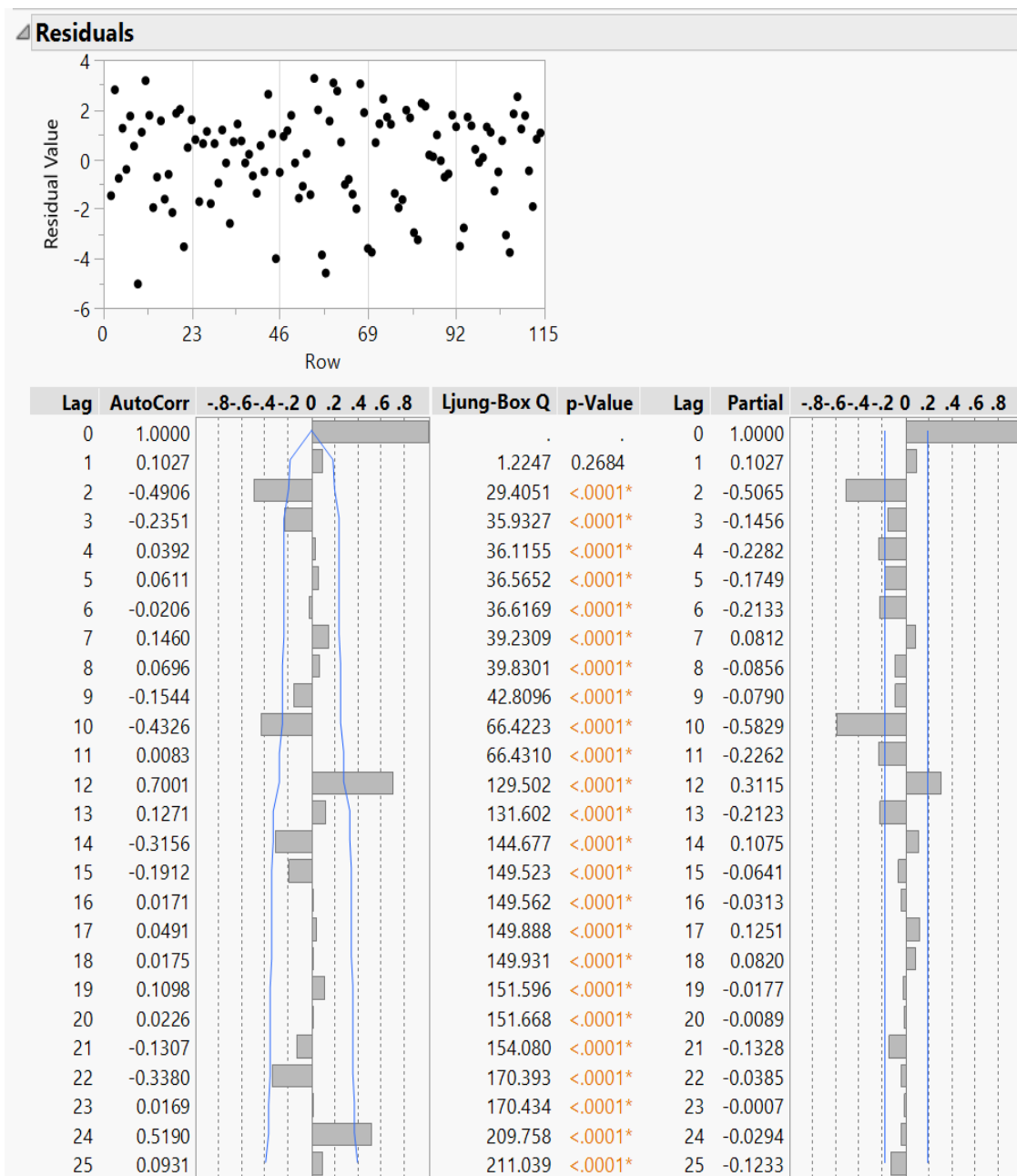
Q2:

To fit an ARIMA model to the seasonal data we first take the first difference of the data that is: $d=1$, $D=1$, $d=1$ and $D=1$ together.

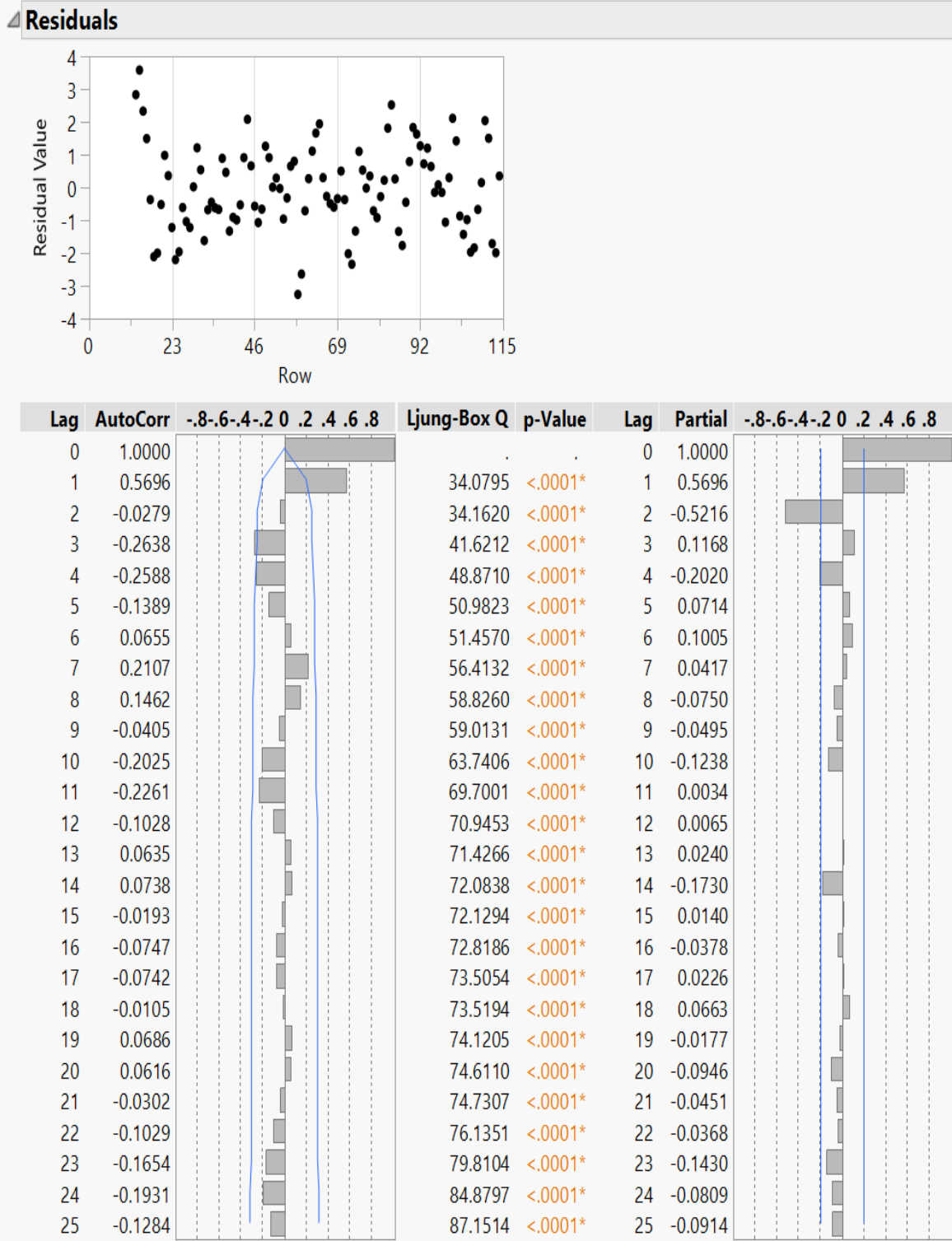
The following are the plots and adequacy checks for the three types of differences.

1) $d=1$

Even though the residuals look normal, the ACF and PACF of $d=1$ does not capture the seasonal difference. Which shows that just the ARIMA difference will not work for this model.

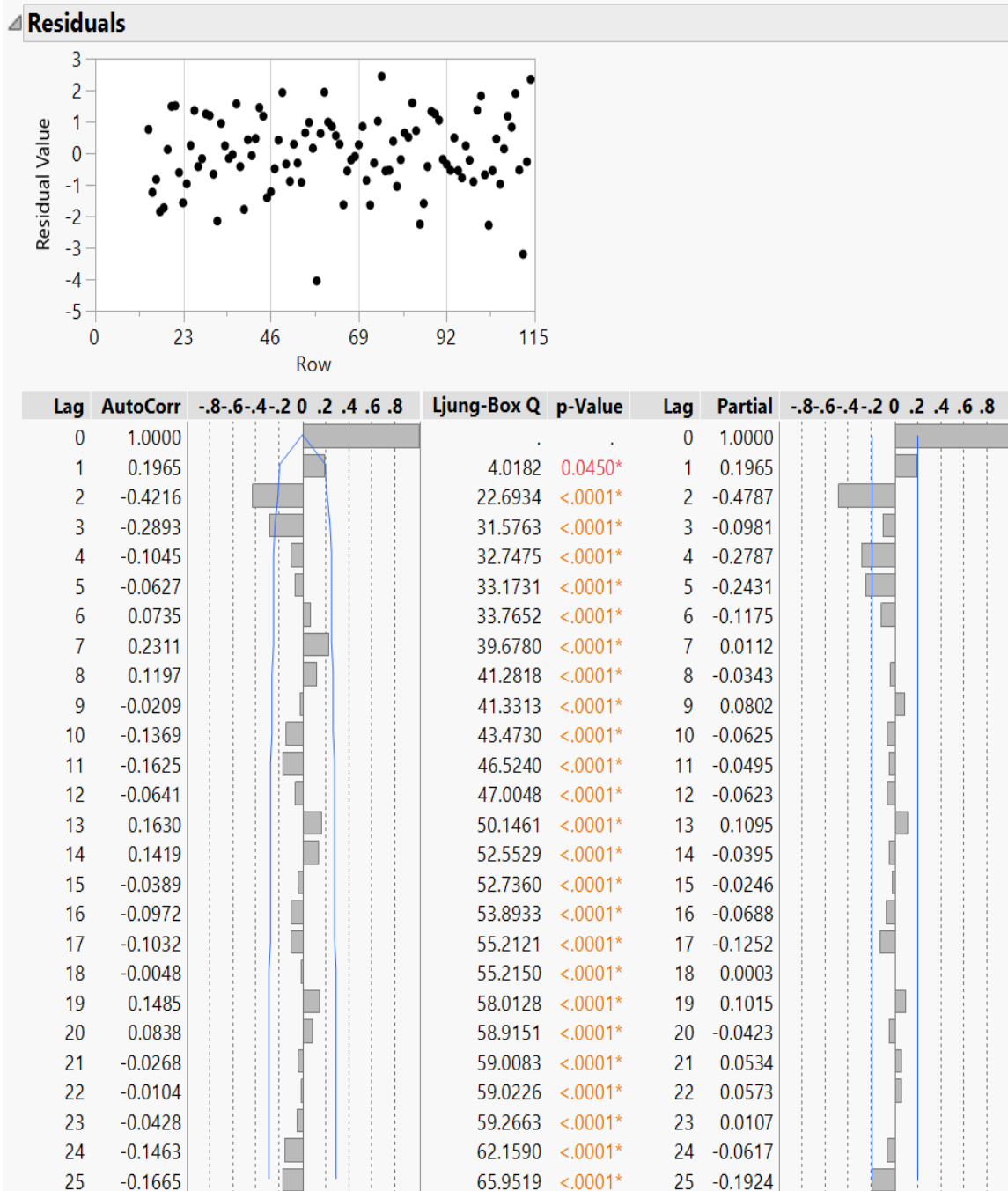


It can be seen from the below plot that the residuals are not in any pattern. Also, the ACF and PACF are well within limits for the difference part. This is a good candidate for the ARIMA model.

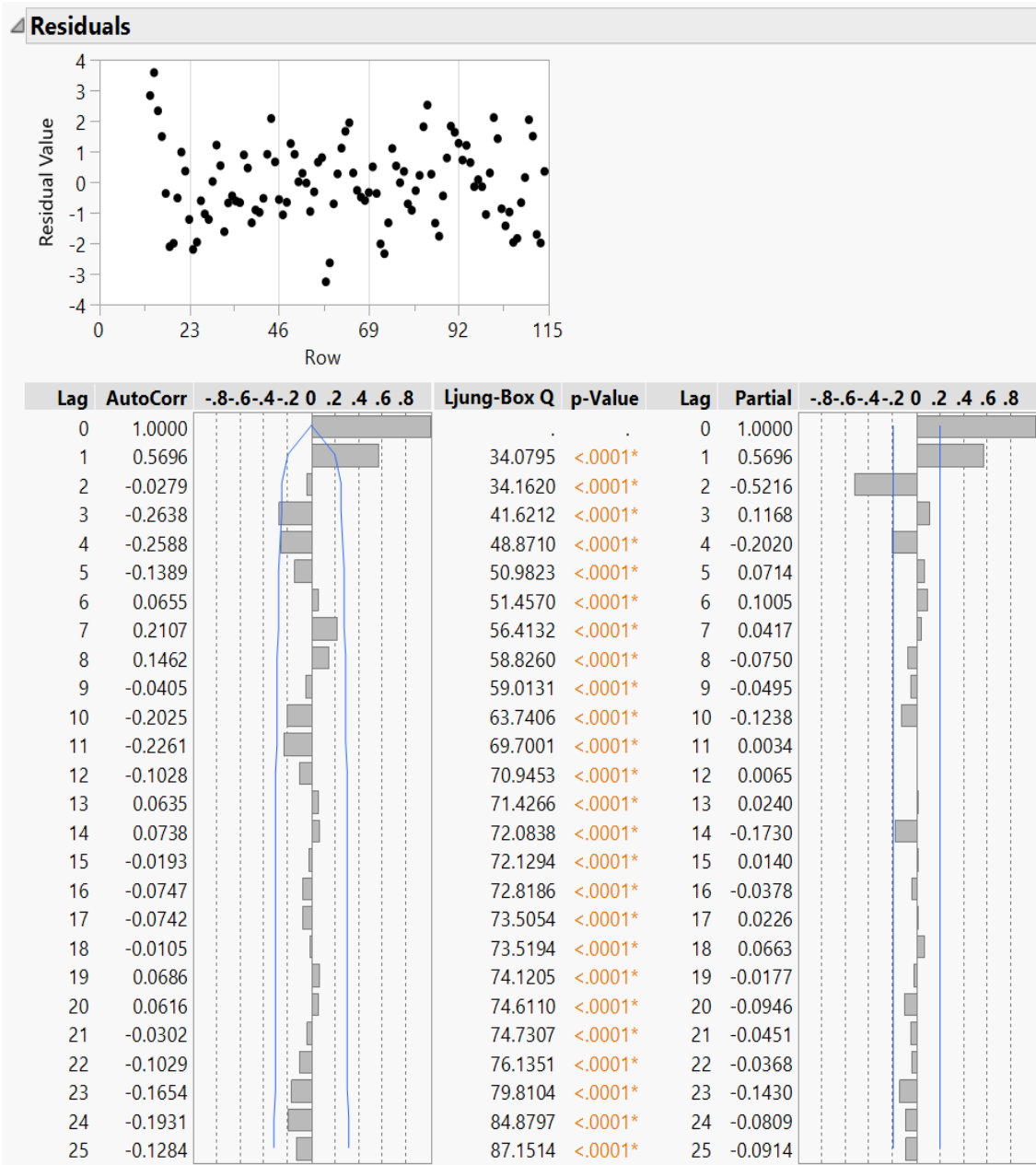


3) $d=1$ and $D=1$ together

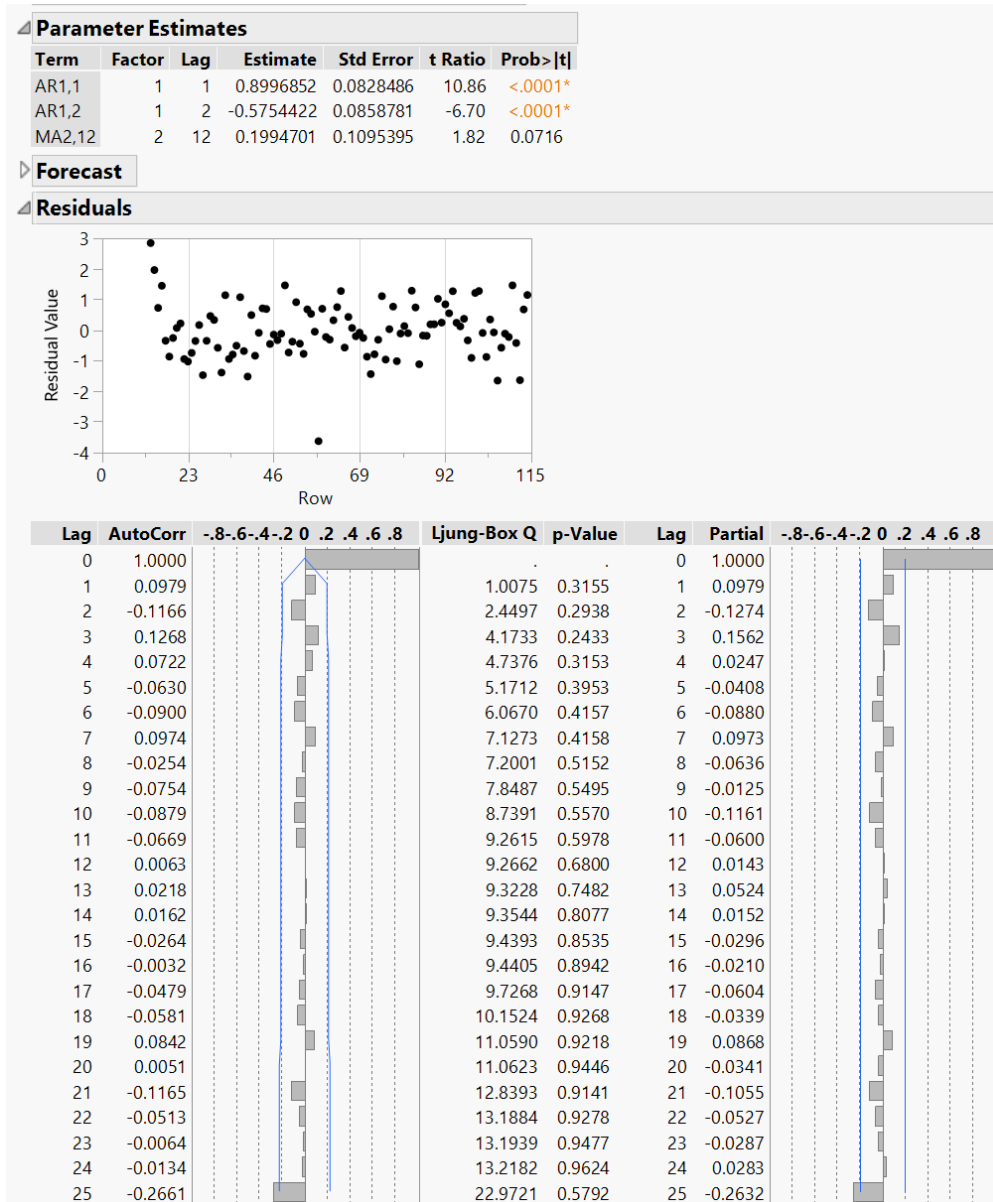
Even though this model has ACF and PACF within limits. The initial lags have may insignificant values. An ARIMA model can be fit into this difference but the model will be complex to identify.



Hence, we go ahead with using only the **seasonal difference**. The ACF and PACF shown below is of seasonal difference 1 ($D=1$).



An initial guess can be made an AR2 term is required and an Seasonal MA1 can be fit along with D=1



Although the residuals are pretty much in limits the Seasonal MA is not significant hence, we do not use this model.

An optimal ARIMA was found using R software. The output was $(2,0,1) \times (0,1,1)_{12}$. This model has parameters that are close to the initial guess. Hence, we check the parameter estimates to check to if all parameters are significant.

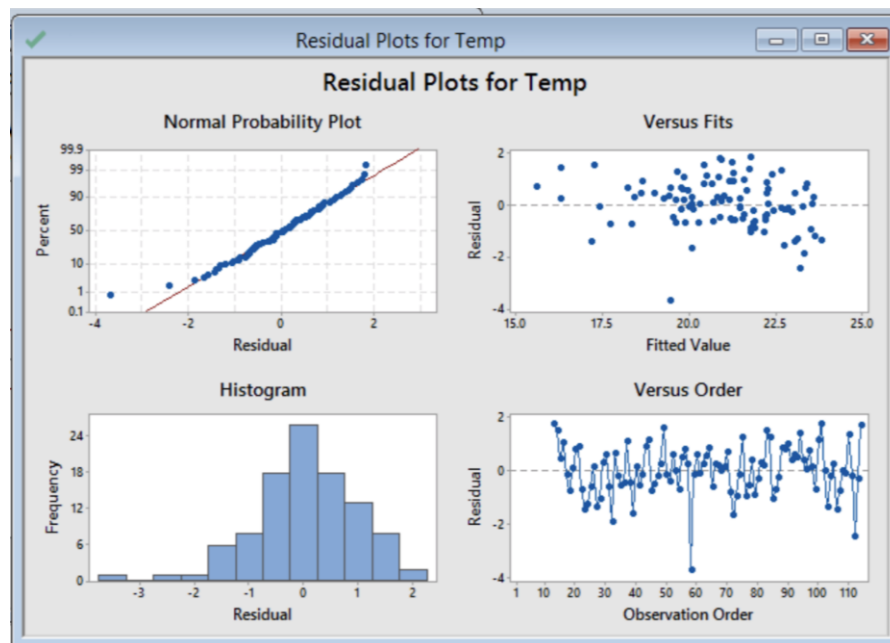
Parameter Estimates						
Term	Factor	Lag	Estimate	Std Error	t Ratio	Prob> t
AR1,1	1	1	0.6383751	0.1631358	3.91	0.0002*
AR1,2	1	2	-0.4142309	0.1365723	-3.03	0.0031*
MA1,1	1	1	-0.3819288	0.1769813	-2.16	0.0334*
MA2,12	2	12	0.1795443	0.1043152	1.72	0.0884

From the above estimates we can see that the final term is not significant. Hence, we do not use this model.

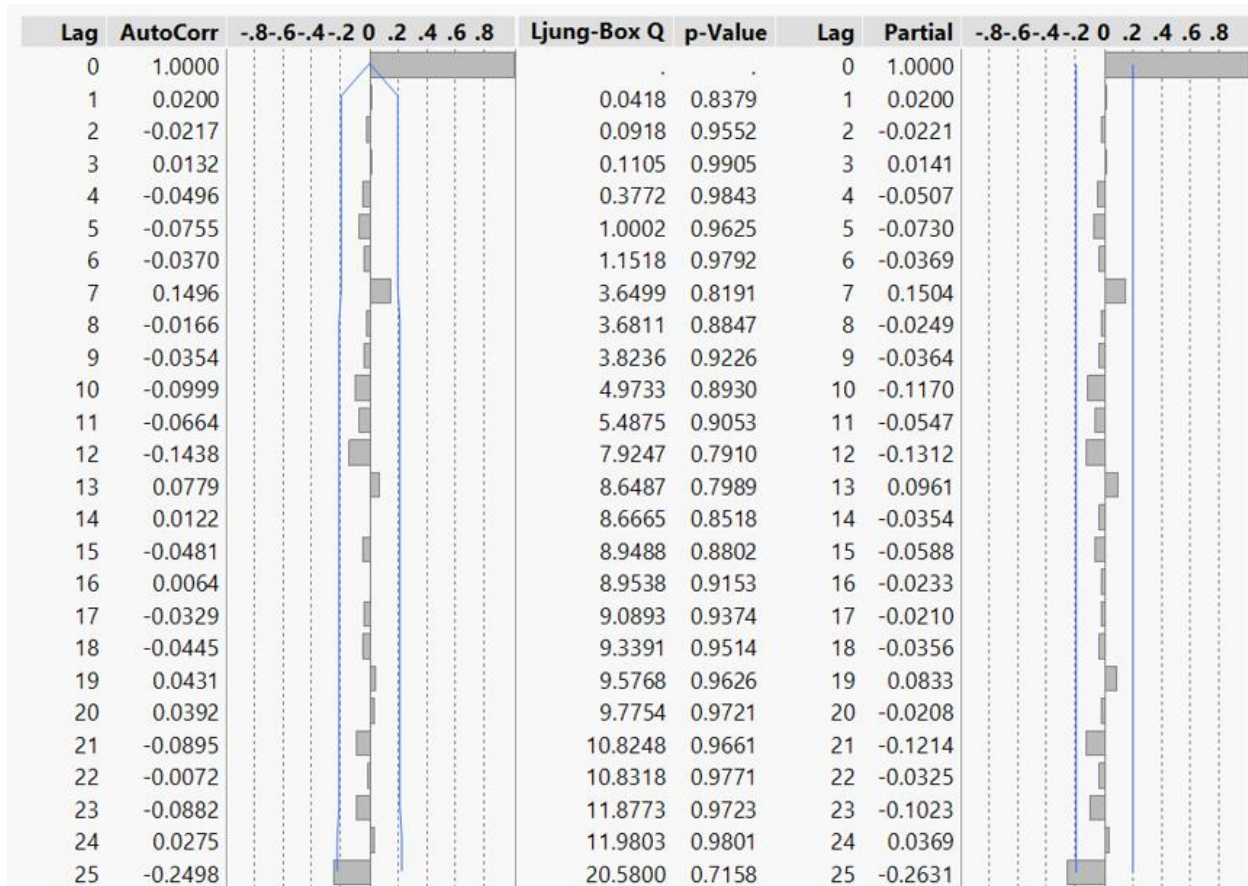
So, we fit another seasonal ARIMA of the order $(2,0,1) \times (0,1,0)_{12}$

Parameter Estimates						
Term	Factor	Lag	Estimate	Std Error	t Ratio	Prob> t
AR1,1	1	1	0.6246971	0.1625715	3.84	0.0002*
AR1,2	1	2	-0.3922484	0.1379396	-2.84	0.0054*
MA1,1	1	1	-0.4022916	0.1713703	-2.35	0.0209*

We can see that all the parameters that were fit into the model are significant. From the residual plot and the normal probability plot we do not see any unusual pattern.



Also, from the ACF and PACF we can see that the values are within limits. Hence, we use this model as the optimal ARIMA.

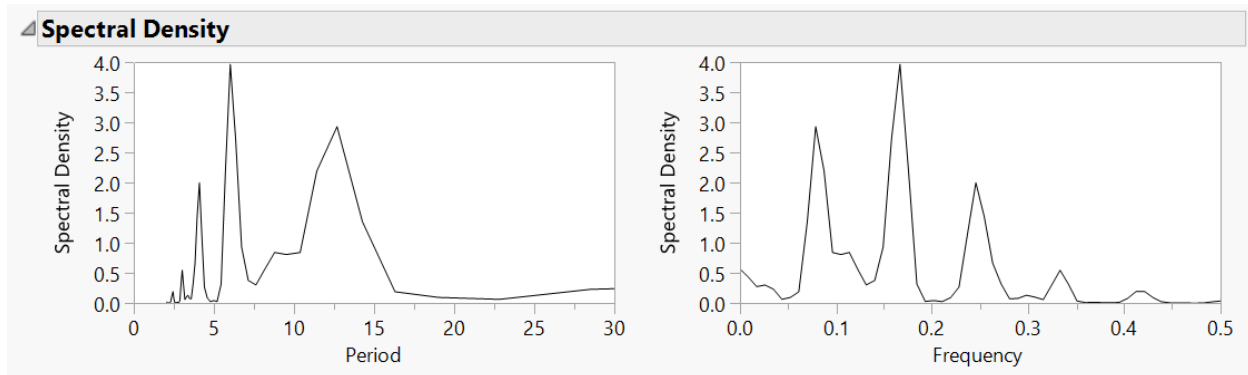


When we compare the statistics between Holt-Winters model and Optimal ARIMA we get the following results.

We can clearly see that the ARIMA is a better fit to the temp variable.

Parameter	ARIMA	WINTERS
MAD	0.70	1.056
MAPE	3.43	5.09
MSE	0.81	181.40

Q3:



White Noise test

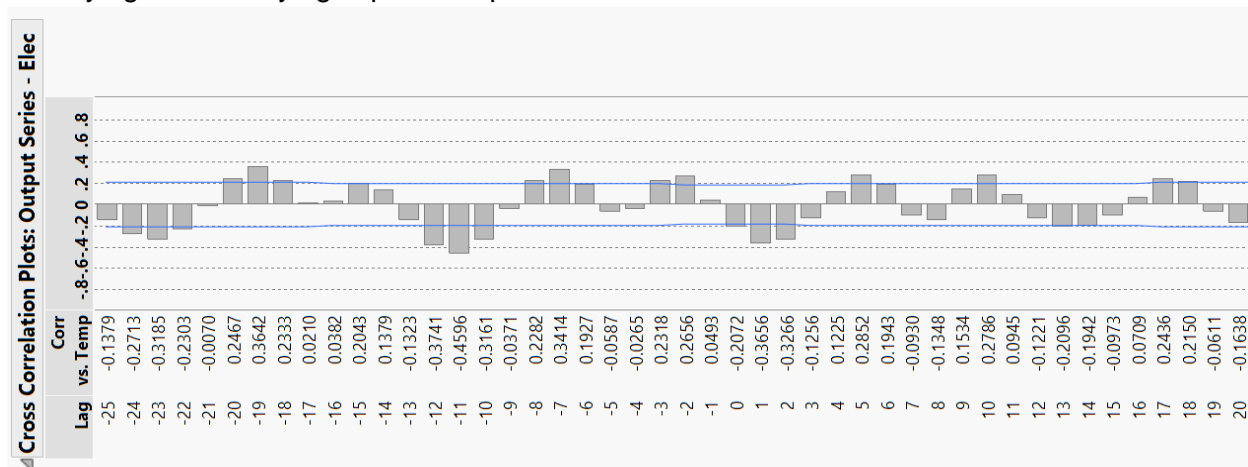
Fisher's Kappa	11.752839
Prob > Kappa	0.0001323
Bartlett's Kolmogorov-Smirnov	0.3899686

We see that the 1st spike is at frequency of 0.08 ~ 12 months, 2nd is at frequency of 0.16 ~ 4 months and so on. Thus, there is periodicity in the data with period = 12 months.

We can also look at the kappa value which is significant. Meaning that there is at least one periodic component.

Q4:

We begin by looking at the cross correlation of electricity and temperature. It shows there is autocorrelation between the two variables. A process called pre-whitening must be done to remove the auto correlation and introduce a noise term in the model. It will also help us in identifying the underlying impulse response function.

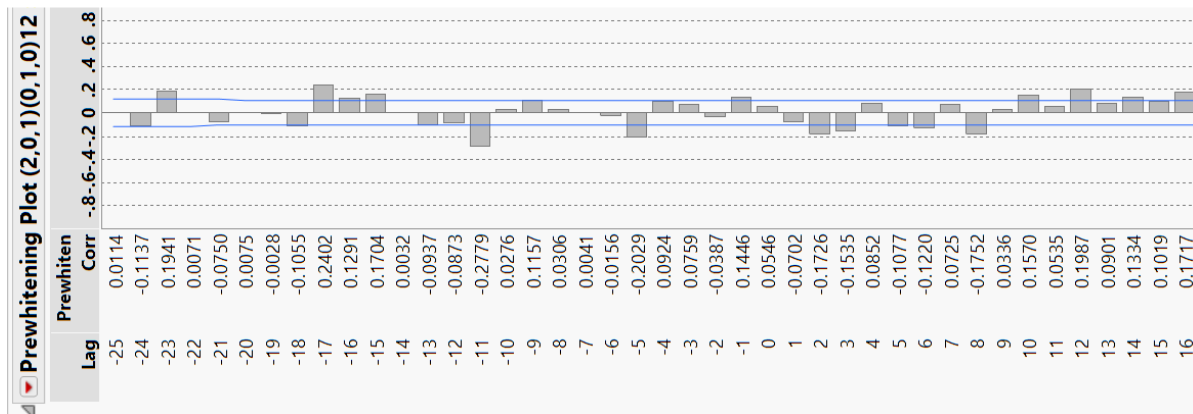


We use the ARIMA model got from question 2. The ARIMA model (2,0,1)x(0,1,0)¹² for the temp data to find out the underlying impulse response function.

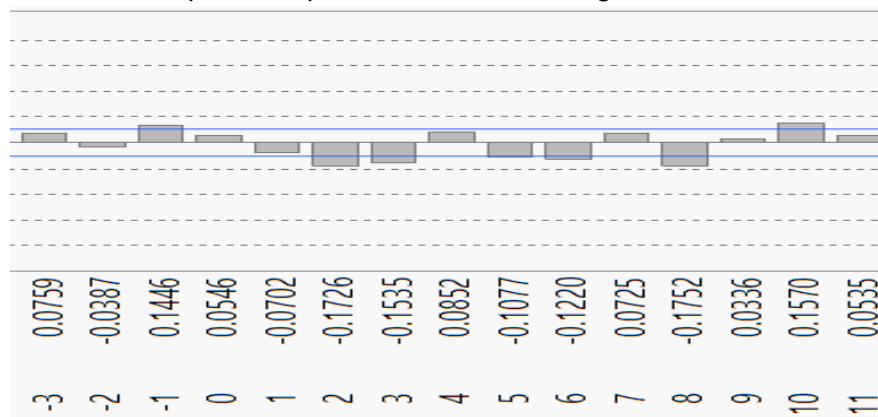
The following is the ACF and PACF of temp using the above ARIMA model.

Lag	AutoCorr	- .8 - .6 - .4 - .2 0 .2 .4 .6 .8	Ljung-Box Q	p-Value	Lag	Partial	- .8 - .6 - .4 - .2 0 .2 .4 .6 .8
0	1.0000		.	.	0	1.0000	
1	0.0200		0.0418	0.8379	1	0.0200	
2	-0.0217		0.0918	0.9552	2	-0.0221	
3	0.0132		0.1105	0.9905	3	0.0141	
4	-0.0496		0.3772	0.9843	4	-0.0507	
5	-0.0755		1.0002	0.9625	5	-0.0730	
6	-0.0370		1.1518	0.9792	6	-0.0369	
7	0.1496		3.6499	0.8191	7	0.1504	
8	-0.0166		3.6811	0.8847	8	-0.0249	
9	-0.0354		3.8236	0.9226	9	-0.0364	
10	-0.0999		4.9733	0.8930	10	-0.1170	
11	-0.0664		5.4875	0.9053	11	-0.0547	
12	-0.1438		7.9247	0.7910	12	-0.1312	
13	0.0779		8.6487	0.7989	13	0.0961	
14	0.0122		8.6665	0.8518	14	-0.0354	
15	-0.0481		8.9488	0.8802	15	-0.0588	
16	0.0064		8.9538	0.9153	16	-0.0233	
17	-0.0329		9.0893	0.9374	17	-0.0210	
18	-0.0445		9.3391	0.9514	18	-0.0356	
19	0.0431		9.5768	0.9626	19	0.0833	
20	0.0392		9.7754	0.9721	20	-0.0208	
21	-0.0895		10.8248	0.9661	21	-0.1214	
22	-0.0072		10.8318	0.9771	22	-0.0325	
23	-0.0882		11.8773	0.9723	23	-0.1023	
24	0.0275		11.9803	0.9801	24	0.0369	
25	-0.2498		20.5800	0.7158	25	-0.2631	

Hence, we use the above model to pre-white the temp variable.



Zoomed in version of the impulse response function from lag 0.



From the above plot we can conclude the following models for the impulse response.

1) $b = 2, r = 1, s = 1$

2) $b = 2, r = 1, s = 2$

We compare all the two above functions and look for parameters that can help us decide which impulse response function is a better performing one.

1) $b = 2, r = 1, s = 1$

Model Summary							
DF							107
Sum of Squared Errors							4843.74737
Variance Estimate							45.2686664
Standard Deviation							6.72819934
Akaike's 'A' Information Criterion							742.130779
Schwarz's Bayesian Criterion							752.9689
RSquare							0.22439723
RSquare Adj							0.20324443
MAPE							4.07791606
MAE							4.79979714
-2LogLikelihood							734.13078
Parameter Estimates							
Variable	Term	Factor	Lag	Estimate	Std Error	t Ratio	Prob> t
Temp	Num0,0	0	0	-1.3865	0.328937	-4.22	<.0001*
Temp	Num1,1	1	1	-1.4306	0.318899	-4.49	<.0001*
Temp	Den1,1	1	1	0.7532	0.120491	6.25	<.0001*
	Intercept	0	0	117.0371	6.397970	18.29	<.0001*

$$\text{Elec}_t = 117.0371 + \frac{\left(\frac{-1.3865 + 1.4306 \cdot B}{1 - 0.7532 \cdot B} \right) \cdot \text{Temp}_{t-2}}{1} + e_t$$

2) $b = 2, r = 1, s = 2$

Model Summary							
DF							106
Sum of Squared Errors							10744.9801
Variance Estimate							101.367737
Standard Deviation							10.0681546
Akaike's 'A' Information Criterion							824.154972
Schwarz's Bayesian Criterion							834.956894
RSquare							-0.7205349
RSquare Adj							-0.7674586
MAPE							5.9832423
MAE							7.10472166
-2LogLikelihood							816.154973

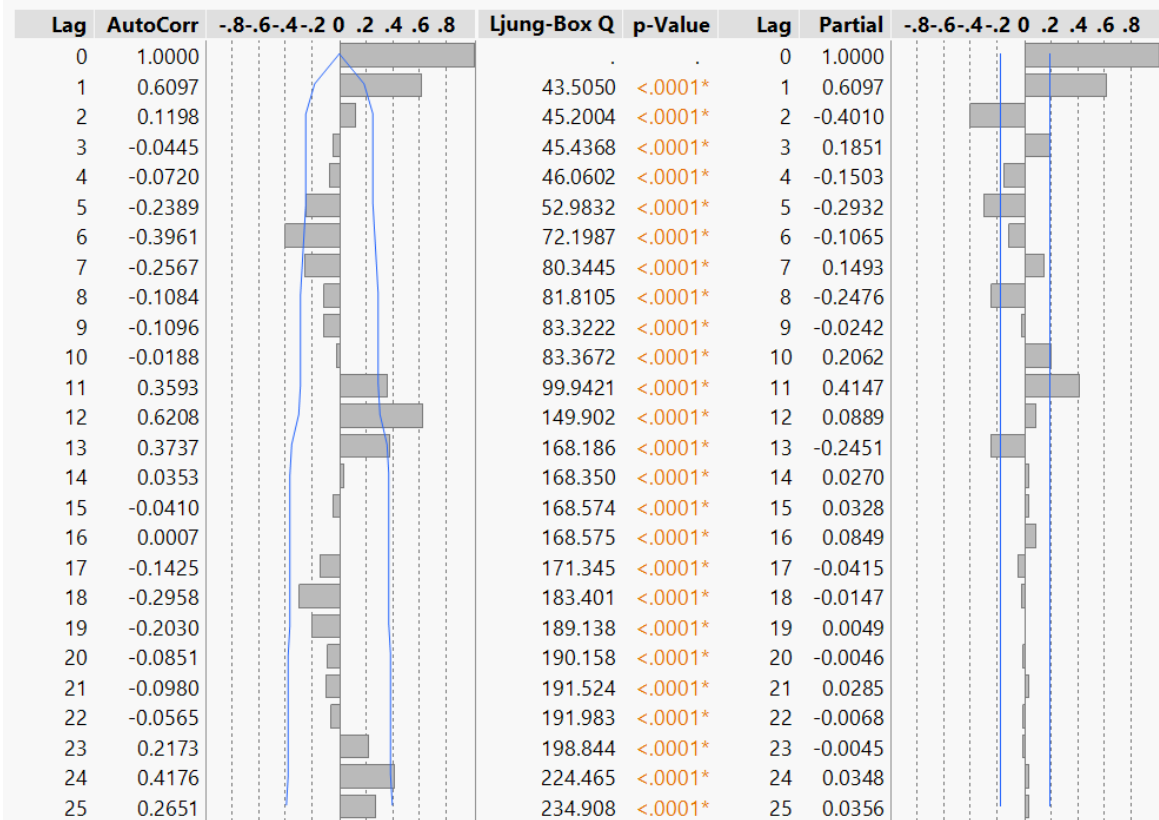
Parameter Estimates							
Variable	Term	Factor	Lag	Estimate	Std Error	t Ratio	Prob> t
Temp	Num0,0	0	0	2.125054	0.5048264	4.21	<.0001*
Temp	Num1,1	1	1	1.559626	0.7751758	2.01	0.0468*
Temp	Num1,2	1	2	-3.768415	0.5132162	-7.34	<.0001*
Temp	Den1,1	1	1	0.247684	0.0638740	3.88	0.0002*

$$\text{Elec}_t = \left(\frac{\left(\left(2.1251 - 1.5596 \cdot B \right) + 3.7684 \cdot B^2 \right)}{\left(1 - 0.2477 \cdot B \right)} \right) \cdot \text{Temp}_{t-2} + e_t$$

From the above two functions we can see Model (1) $b = 2, r = 1, s = 1$ is the best one. Also, model (2) has close parameters we will try fitting a model in those ones also to see if we are able to get an adequate transfer function model.

Using (1) $b = 2, r = 1, s = 1$ we fit the noise term.

The ACF and PACF of the response function is shown below:



Looking at the above pattern we can try:

Seasonal ARIMA (2,1,1)x(1,1,0)₁₂

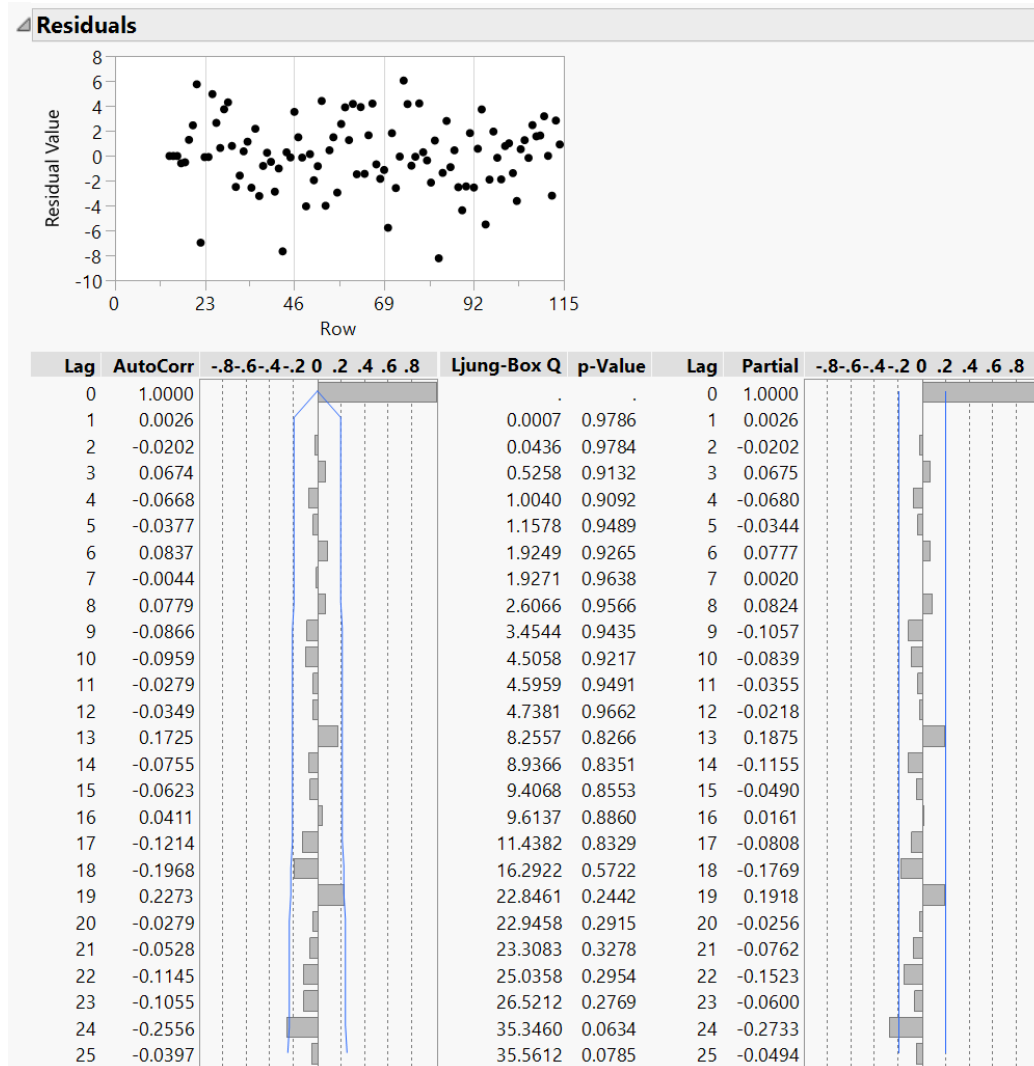
We can see that all the parameters are significant. The intercept term can be ignored as it is insignificant.

Model Summary		
DF		90
Sum of Squared Errors		780.494935
Variance Estimate		8.67211342
Standard Deviation		2.94484523
Akaike's 'A' Information Criterion		503.120047
Schwarz's Bayesian Criterion		523.799787
RSquare		0.43730574
RSquare Adj		0.39495241
MAPE		1.61009529
MAE		1.93621525
-2LogLikelihood		487.120047
Parameter Estimates		
Variable	Term	Factor Lag Estimate Std Error t Ratio Prob> t
Temp	Num0,0	0 0 -0.135726 0.0134464 -10.09 <.0001*
Temp	Num1,1	1 1 -0.136886 0.0135261 -10.12 <.0001*
Temp	Den1,1	1 1 0.952139 0.0995505 9.56 <.0001*
Elec	AR1,1	1 1 1.002047 0.0848539 11.81 <.0001*
Elec	AR1,2	1 2 -0.526135 0.0855363 -6.15 <.0001*
Elec	AR2,12	2 12 -0.244629 0.1078992 -2.27 0.0258*
Elec	MA1,1	1 1 1.000000 0.0314689 31.78 <.0001*
	Intercept	0 0 -0.424804 0.6036267 -0.70 0.4834

$$(1-B) \cdot (1-B^{12}) \cdot \text{Elec}_t = -0.4248 + \left(\frac{(-0.1357 + 0.1369 \cdot B)}{(1 - 0.9521 \cdot B)} \right) \cdot \text{Temp}_{t-2} + \left(\frac{(1-B)}{\left(\left((1 - 1.002 \cdot B) + 0.5261 \cdot B^2 \right) \cdot (1 + 0.2446 \cdot B^{12}) \right)} \right) \cdot e_t$$

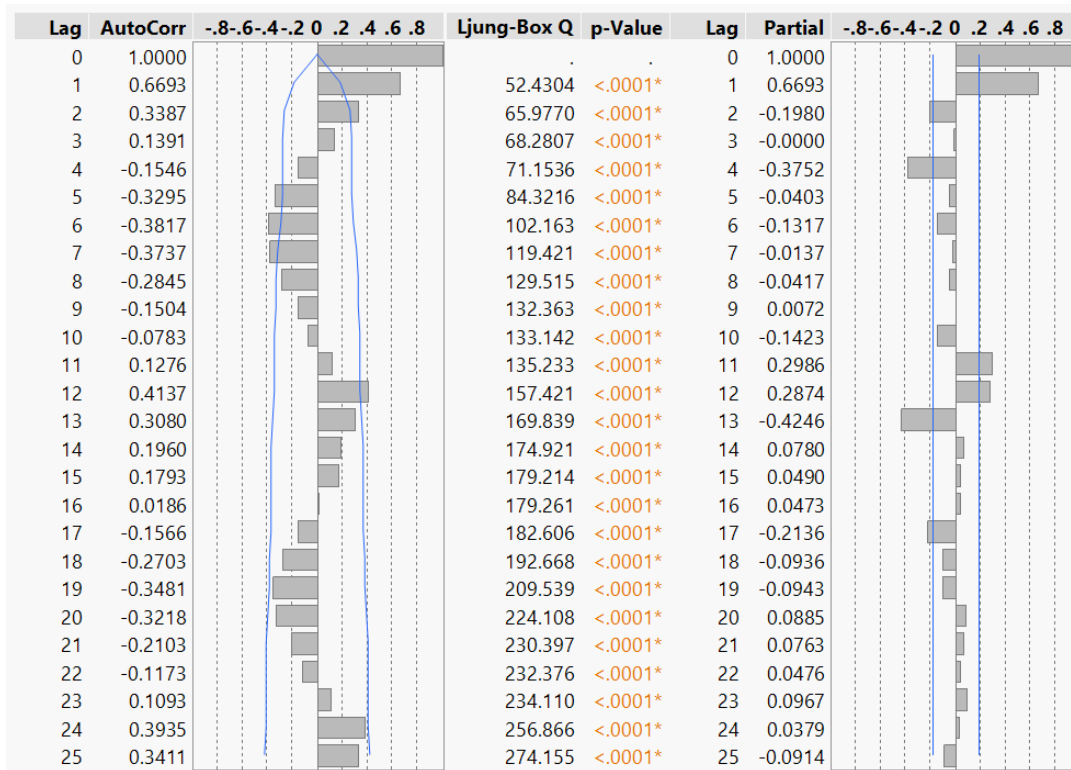
Model Adequacy checks:

If we look at the residual plot, we do not see any specific pattern. Also, the ACF and PACF plots are well within limits. We can conclude that the model is adequate.

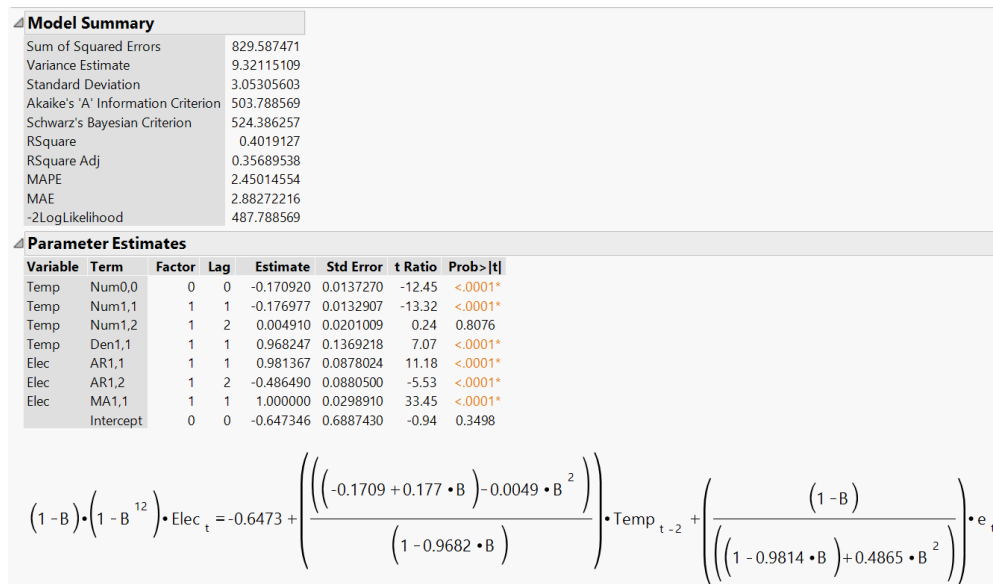


(2) $b = 2$, $r = 1$, $s = 2$ we try to fit an ARIMA model:

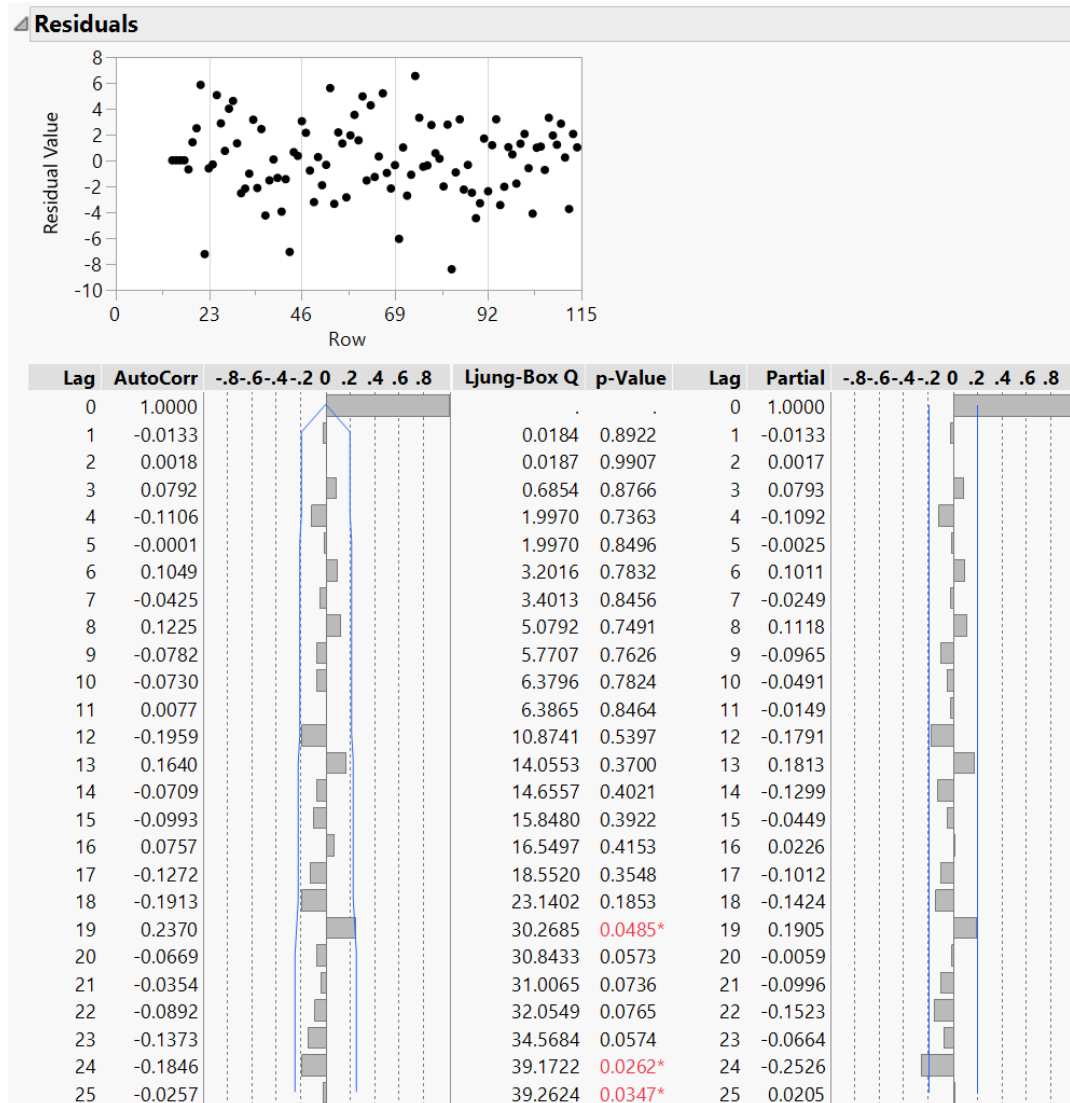
We need to fit a noise model to the following model.



We try to fit $(2,1,1) \times (0,1,0)_{12}$ as a noise model.



The following plot shows that the residuals do not have any pattern also the ACF and PACF are in limits there is an insignificant term in the model.



We compare the AIC BIC of the of both the models and select which is a better model.

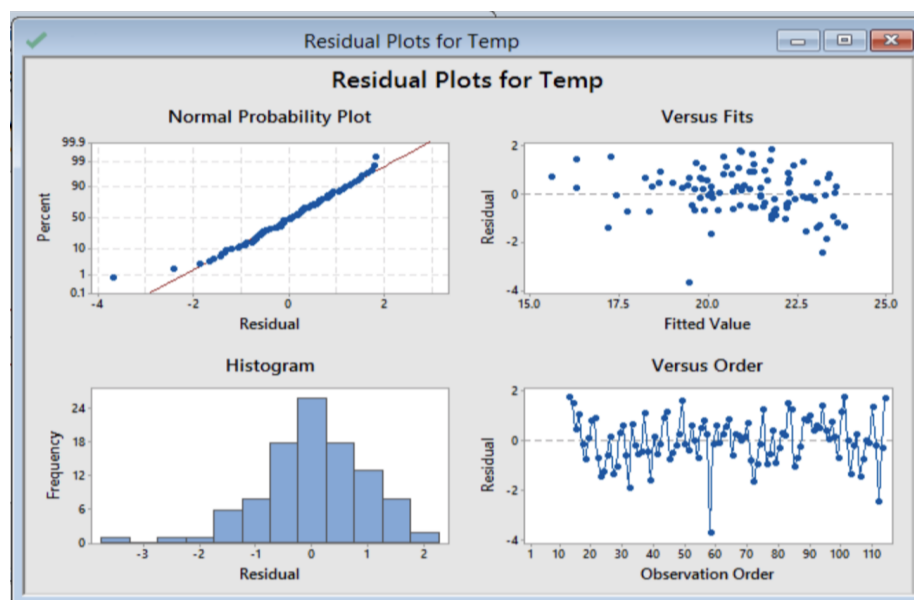
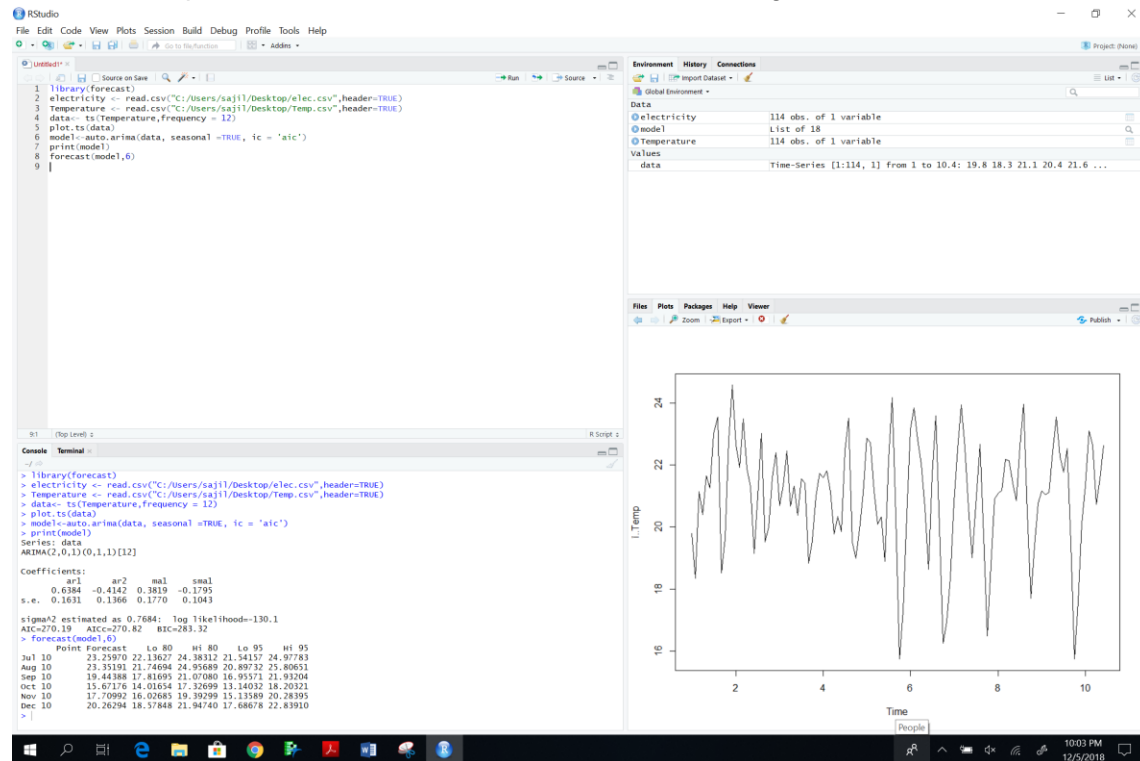
No.	Model (b,r,s) (p,d,q)(P,D,Q) ₁₂	AIC	BIC	MAPE	MAE
1	(2,1,1) (2,1,1)(1,1,0) ₁₂	503.12	523.8	1.61	1.94
2	(2,0,2) (2,1,1)(0,1,0) ₁₂	503.79	524.38	2.45	2.88

From the above comparisons we can see that model one has better statistics. Hence, we choose model 1 as the transfer function model.

Q5:

Optimal ARIMA from R software has been used to find the forecast values of the next 6 data points.

Optimal ARIMA for temp: The optimal ARIMA for temperature is $(2,0,1)(0,1,1)_{12}$. The model seems to be adequate, which can be seen from the measures given below.



Optimal ARIMA for elec: The optimal ARIMA for electricity is $(2,0,0)(1,1,1)_{12}$. The model seems to be adequate, which can be seen from the measures given below.

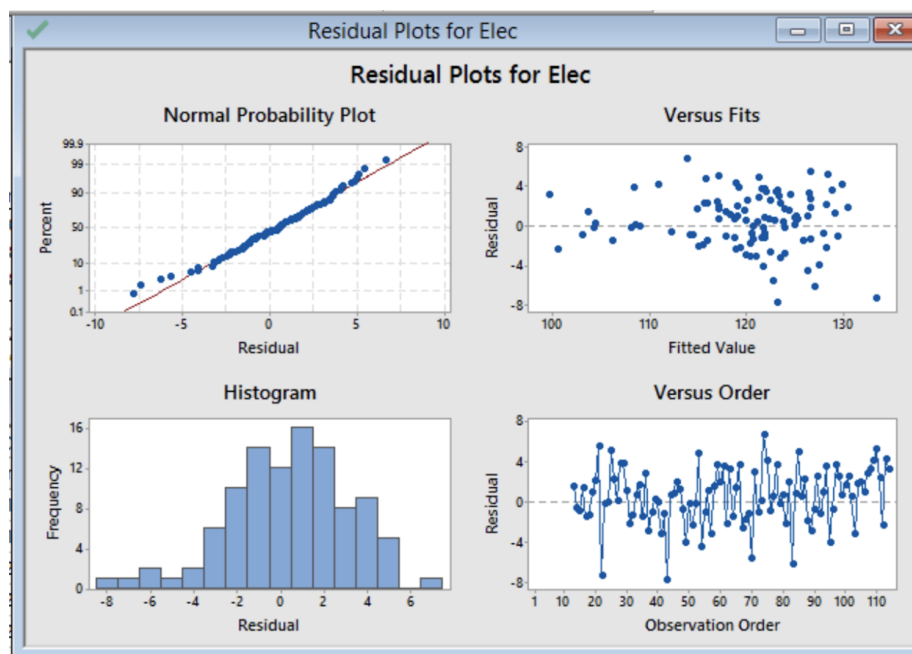
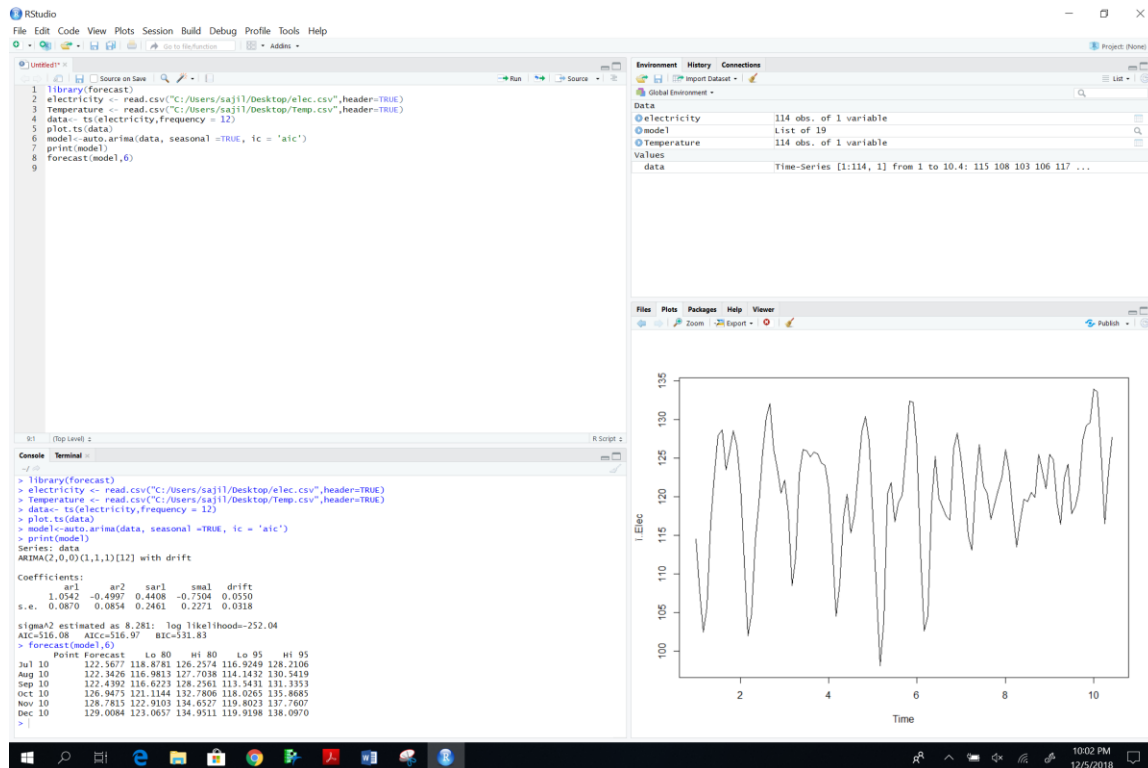


Table-

Forecast for temperature: $(2,0,1)(0,1,1)_{12}$

Temp	Forecast
Jul 10	23.2597
Aug 10	23.35191
Sep 10	19.44388
Oct 10	15.67176
Nov 10	17.70992
Dec 10	20.26294

Forecast for electricity: $(2,0,0)(1,1,1)_{12}$

Elec	Forecast
Jul 10	122.5677
Aug 10	122.3426
Sep 10	122.4392
Oct 10	126.9475
Nov 10	128.7815
Dec 10	129.0084