# Assignment 8: Time Series Analysis

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#### **OVERVIEW**

This exercise accompanies the lessons in Environmental Data Analytics (ENV872L) on time series analysis.

#### **Directions**

- 1. Change "Student Name" on line 3 (above) with your name.
- 2. Use the lesson as a guide. It contains code that can be modified to complete the assignment.
- 3. Work through the steps, **creating code and output** that fulfill each instruction.
- 4. Be sure to **answer the questions** in this assignment document. Space for your answers is provided in this document and is indicated by the ">" character. If you need a second paragraph be sure to start the first line with ">". You should notice that the answer is highlighted in green by RStudio.
- 5. When you have completed the assignment, **Knit** the text and code into a single PDF file. You will need to have the correct software installed to do this (see Software Installation Guide) Press the **Knit** button in the RStudio scripting panel. This will save the PDF output in your Assignments folder.
- 6. After Knitting, please submit the completed exercise (PDF file) to the dropbox in Sakai. Please add your last name into the file name (e.g., "Salk\_A08\_TimeSeries.pdf") prior to submission.

The completed exercise is due on Tuesday, 19 March, 2019 before class begins.

## Brainstorm a project topic

1. Spend 15 minutes brainstorming ideas for a project topic, and look for a dataset if you are choosing your own rather than using a class dataset. Remember your topic choices are due by the end of March, and you should post your choice ASAP to the forum on Sakai.

Question: Did you do this?

ANSWER: yes

#### Set up your session

## v readr

1.3.1

v forcats 0.3.0

2. Set up your session. Upload the EPA air quality raw dataset for PM2.5 in 2018, and the processed NTL-LTER dataset for nutrients in Peter and Paul lakes. Build a ggplot theme and set it as your default theme. Make sure date variables are set to a date format.

```
#determine location of working directory and load necessary packages
getwd()
```

```
## [1] "/Users/Seabass/Documents/Duke/spring_2019/env_872L/lesson_2/ENV_872L/Assignments"
library(tidyverse)
```

```
## -- Conflicts -----
                                                                           ----- tidyverse_conflicts(
## x dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
## x dplyr::lag()
                     masks stats::lag()
library(trend)
library(ggplot2)
library(lubridate)
##
## Attaching package: 'lubridate'
## The following object is masked from 'package:base':
##
##
       date
library(nlme)
##
## Attaching package: 'nlme'
## The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':
##
##
       collapse
library(lsmeans)
## Loading required package: emmeans
## The 'lsmeans' package is now basically a front end for 'emmeans'.
## Users are encouraged to switch the rest of the way.
## See help('transition') for more information, including how to
## convert old 'lsmeans' objects and scripts to work with 'emmeans'.
library(multcompView)
library(emmeans)
#upload EPA air quality raw dataset for pm2.5 and processed NTL_LTER dataset for peter and paul
RAW_EPA_PM2.5 <- read.csv("../Data/Raw/EPAair_PM25_NC2018_raw.csv")
Peterpaul_Nutrients_Processed<-read.csv("../Data/Processed/NTL-LTER_Lake_Nutrients_PeterPaul_Processed.
#change name of PM2.5 colname
names(RAW_EPA_PM2.5)[5]<-"PM2.5"
names(RAW_EPA_PM2.5)[3]<-"Site.ID"</pre>
names(RAW_EPA_PM2.5)[8]<-"Site.Name"</pre>
# change date category from character to date format
#EPA
```

# Run a hierarchical (mixed-effects) model

Research question: Do PM2.5 concentrations have a significant trend in 2018?

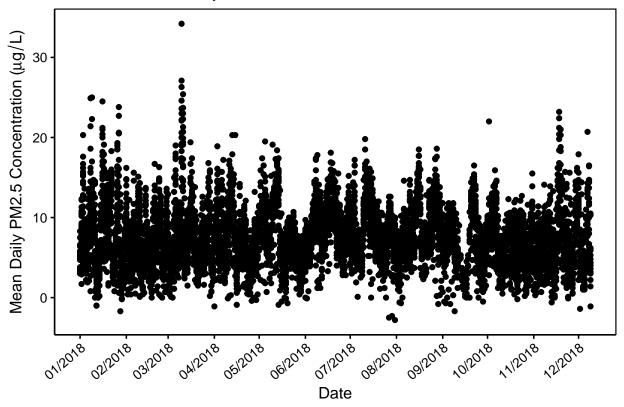
3. Run a repeated measures ANOVA, with PM2.5 concentrations as the response, Date as a fixed effect, and Site.Name as a random effect. This will allow us to extrapolate PM2.5 concentrations across North Carolina.

3a. Illustrate PM2.5 concentrations by date. Do not split aesthetics by site.

```
# 3A PM2.5 plot

PM2.5_by_date_plot <- ggplot(RAW_EPA_PM2.5, aes(x = Date, y =PM2.5))+
geom_point()+
theme_A8+
xlab("Date")+
ylab(expression("Mean Daily PM2.5 Concentration"~"("*mu*g/L*")"))+
scale_x_date(date_breaks = "1 month", date_labels = "%m/%Y")+
ggtitle(" Mean Daily PM2.5 Concentrations in the North Carolina")+
theme(plot.title = element_text(size = 12 ))+
theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5))</pre>
PM2.5_by_date_plot
```

### Mean Daily PM2.5 Concentrations in the North Carolina



- 3b. Insert the following line of code into your R chunk. This will eliminate duplicate measurements on single dates for each site. PM2.5 = PM2.5[order(PM2.5[,`Date'],-PM2.5[,`Site.ID']),] PM2.5 = PM2.5[!duplicated(PM2.5\$Date),]
- 3c. Determine the temporal autocorrelation in your model.

Date

3d. Run a mixed effects model.

(Intercept)

## 90.465022634 -0.004727976

##

##

```
## Random effects:
## Formula: ~1 | Site.Name
           (Intercept) Residual
             1.650184 3.559209
## StdDev:
## Number of Observations: 343
## Number of Groups: 3
ACF (AUTO_EPA)
##
     lag
                  ACF
## 1
       0 1.000000000
## 2
       1 0.513829909
## 3
       2 0.194512680
## 4
       3 0.117925187
## 5
       4 0.126462863
## 6
       5 0.100699787
## 7
       6 0.058215891
## 8
       7 -0.053090104
## 9
       8 0.017671857
## 10
      9 0.012177847
## 11 10 -0.003699721
## 12 11 -0.020305291
## 13 12 -0.044621086
## 14 13 -0.055602646
## 15 14 -0.065787345
## 16 15 -0.123987593
## 17 16 -0.055414056
## 18 17 0.002911218
## 19 18 0.025133456
## 20 19 -0.015306468
## 21 20 -0.143472007
## 22 21 -0.155495492
## 23 22 -0.060369985
## 24 23 0.003954231
## 25 24 0.042295682
## 26 25 0.001320007
# 3D run a mixed effects model
MIXED_EPA <- lme(data = RAW_EPA_PM2.5,
                    PM2.5 ~ Date,
                    random = ~1|Site.Name,
                    correlation = corAR1(form = ~ Date|Site.Name, value = 0.514),
                    method = "REML")
summary(MIXED_EPA)
## Linear mixed-effects model fit by REML
## Data: RAW_EPA_PM2.5
         AIC
                  BIC
                        logLik
    1756.622 1775.781 -873.311
##
## Random effects:
## Formula: ~1 | Site.Name
```

```
(Intercept) Residual
## StdDev: 0.001028133 3.597269
##
## Correlation Structure: ARMA(1,0)
##
    Formula: ~Date | Site.Name
    Parameter estimate(s):
##
        Phi1
## 0.5384349
## Fixed effects: PM2.5 ~ Date
##
                   Value Std.Error DF
                                          t-value p-value
## (Intercept) 83.14801 60.63585 339 1.371268 0.1712
               -0.00426
                           0.00342 339 -1.244145 0.2143
## Date
##
    Correlation:
##
        (Intr)
## Date -1
##
## Standardized Within-Group Residuals:
                       Q1
                                               Q3
                                                         Max
## -2.3220745 -0.6187194 -0.1116751 0.6164257 3.4192603
## Number of Observations: 343
## Number of Groups: 3
Is there a significant increasing or decreasing trend in PM2.5 concentrations in 2018?
     ANSWER: There was no significant decreasing trend in PM2.5 concentrations in 2018 (Mixed
     Effects Linear model; p = 0.214; DF = 339). The equation for PM2.5 concentration in 2018:
     [PM2.5] = 83.15 - 0.0043*(Date).
3e. Run a fixed effects model with Date as the only explanatory variable. Then test whether the mixed effects
model is a better fit than the fixed effect model.
#fixed effects model
Fixed_EPA <- gls(data = RAW_EPA_PM2.5,
                       PM2.5 ~ Date,
                       method = "REML")
summary(Fixed_EPA)
## Generalized least squares fit by REML
     Model: PM2.5 ~ Date
##
##
     Data: RAW_EPA_PM2.5
##
          AIC
                    BIC
                           logLik
##
     1865.202 1876.698 -929.6011
##
## Coefficients:
##
                   Value Std.Error
                                      t-value p-value
## (Intercept) 98.57796 34.60285 2.848840 0.0047
## Date
                -0.00513
                           0.00195 -2.624999 0.0091
##
##
    Correlation:
##
        (Intr)
## Date -1
```

## Standardized residuals:

```
##
                      Q1
                                Med
                                            Q3
                                                       Max
## -2.3531000 -0.6348100 -0.1153454 0.6383004 3.4063068
##
## Residual standard error: 3.584321
## Degrees of freedom: 343 total; 341 residual
# use an anova to determine which model has more explanatory power
anova(Fixed_EPA,MIXED_EPA)
             Model df
                           ATC
                                    BIC
                                           logLik
                                                    Test L.Ratio p-value
## Fixed EPA
                 1
                    3 1865.202 1876.698 -929.6011
## MIXED EPA
                   5 1756.622 1775.781 -873.3110 1 vs 2 112.5802 <.0001
```

Which model is better?

## sample estimates:

##

## probable change point at time K

ANSWER: The fixed effects model of PM2.5 concentration accounts for more of the variability than the mixed effects model, which indicates that the fixed effects model is better model (ANOVA; p<0.001). There was significant decreasing trend in PM2.5 concentrations in 2018 (Fixed Effects Linear model; p=0.0091; DF = 339). The equation for PM2.5 concentration in 2018: [PM2.5] = 98.58 - 0.0051\*(Date).

#### Run a Mann-Kendall test

Research question: Is there a trend in total N surface concentrations in Peter and Paul lakes?

4. Duplicate the Mann-Kendall test we ran for total P in class, this time with total N for both lakes. Make sure to run a test for changepoints in the datasets (and run a second one if a second change point is likely).

```
#wrangle the dataset
PeterPaul.nutrients.surface <-
  Peterpaul_Nutrients_Processed %>%
  select(-lakeid, -depth_id, -comments) %>%
  filter(depth == 0) %>%
  filter(!is.na(tn_ug))
#split the datasets by lakes
Peter.nutrients.surface <- filter(PeterPaul.nutrients.surface, lakename == "Peter Lake")
Paul.nutrients.surface <- filter(PeterPaul.nutrients.surface, lakename == "Paul Lake")
# Test for change points in Peter Lake (36,57)
pettitt.test(Peter.nutrients.surface$tn_ug)
##
##
   Pettitt's test for single change-point detection
##
## data: Peter.nutrients.surface$tn_ug
## U* = 1884, p-value = 3.744e-10
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided
```

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```
#test if there is another change point
pettitt.test(Peter.nutrients.surface$tn_ug[37:98])
##
## Pettitt's test for single change-point detection
##
## data: Peter.nutrients.surface$tn_ug[37:98]
## U* = 522, p-value = 0.002339
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided
## sample estimates:
## probable change point at time K
pettitt.test(Peter.nutrients.surface$tn_ug[58:98])
##
##
  Pettitt's test for single change-point detection
## data: Peter.nutrients.surface$tn_ug[58:98]
## U* = 120, p-value = 0.5882
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided
## sample estimates:
## probable change point at time K
#test for change points in paul lake
pettitt.test(Paul.nutrients.surface$tn_ug)
   Pettitt's test for single change-point detection
##
##
## data: Paul.nutrients.surface$tn_ug
## U* = 704, p-value = 0.09624
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided
## sample estimates:
## probable change point at time K
#mann kendall tests peter lake
mk.test(Peter.nutrients.surface$tn_ug)
##
##
   Mann-Kendall trend test
##
## data: Peter.nutrients.surface$tn_ug
## z = 7.2927, n = 98, p-value = 3.039e-13
## alternative hypothesis: true S is not equal to O
## sample estimates:
##
              S
                        varS
                                      tau
## 2.377000e+03 1.061503e+05 5.001052e-01
mk.test(Peter.nutrients.surface$tn_ug[1:36])
##
  Mann-Kendall trend test
```

```
##
## data: Peter.nutrients.surface$tn_ug[1:36]
## z = 0.040863, n = 36, p-value = 0.9674
## alternative hypothesis: true S is not equal to 0
## sample estimates:
##
              S
                         varS
                                       tau
## 4.000000e+00 5.390000e+03 6.349206e-03
mk.test(Peter.nutrients.surface$tn ug[37:98])
##
   Mann-Kendall trend test
##
## data: Peter.nutrients.surface$tn_ug[37:98]
## z = 2.9642, n = 62, p-value = 0.003035
## alternative hypothesis: true S is not equal to 0
## sample estimates:
                        varS
## 4.890000e+02 2.710433e+04 2.585933e-01
mk.test(Peter.nutrients.surface$tn_ug[58:98])
##
    Mann-Kendall trend test
##
## data: Peter.nutrients.surface$tn_ug[58:98]
## z = 0.14602, n = 41, p-value = 0.8839
\mbox{\tt \#\#} alternative hypothesis: true S is not equal to 0
## sample estimates:
##
              S
                         varS
                                       tau
## 1.400000e+01 7.926667e+03 1.707317e-02
#mann-kendall test paul lake
mk.test(Paul.nutrients.surface$tn_ug)
##
   Mann-Kendall trend test
##
## data: Paul.nutrients.surface$tn_ug
## z = -0.35068, n = 99, p-value = 0.7258
## alternative hypothesis: true S is not equal to 0
## sample estimates:
                           varS
## -1.170000e+02 1.094170e+05 -2.411874e-02
What are the results of this test?
```

ANSWER: For Peter Lake, there was a significant positive monotonic trend in total nitrogen concentration (Mann Kendall Test; p < 0.001; S = 2377). Additionally, there were two change points at 1993-06-02 and 1994-06-29 (Pettitt Test; p < 0.001). There were no significant monotonic trends in total nitrogen concentration for Paul lake (Mann-Kendall; p = 0.73).

5. Generate a graph that illustrates the TN concentrations over time, coloring by lake and adding vertical line(s) representing changepoint(s).

```
TN_PETER_PAUL_PLOT <- ggplot(PeterPaul.nutrients.surface, aes(x = sampledate, y= tn_ug, color = lakenam
geom_point()+</pre>
```

```
theme_A8+
xlab("Date")+
ylab(expression("Total Nitrogen Concentration"~"("*mu*g/L*")"))+
ggtitle(" Total Nitrogen Concentration in Peter and Paul Lake")+
theme(plot.title = element_text(size = 12 ))+
theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5))+
scale_color_manual(values = c('#fdae6b','#e6550d'))+
labs(color="Lake Name")+
geom_vline(xintercept=as.Date("1993-06-02"), linetype="dashed", col = 'black', show.legend =TRUE)+
geom_vline(xintercept=as.Date("1994-06-29"), linetype="dashed", col = 'black', show.legend = TRUE)
TN_PETER_PAUL_PLOT
```



