

Brockwell & Davis | Section 1.3.3 | General approach to time series modelling

Modeling X_t is like dissecting a pen.

$$X_t = \boxed{m_t} + \boxed{s_t} + \boxed{Y_t} \quad (\star)$$

Remove the **frame** giving it its **shape**

$$X_t - \boxed{\hat{m}_t} = \boxed{s_t} + \boxed{Y_t}$$

Polynomial regression
MA smoothing
Exponential smoothing

Take off the **spring** pushing **back & forth**

$$X_t - \boxed{\hat{m}_t} - \boxed{\hat{s}_t} = \boxed{Y_t}$$

Harmonic regression
Season (S1) method

Examine the tube of **residual** ink

$$X_t - \boxed{\hat{m}_t} - \boxed{\hat{s}_t} = \boxed{\hat{Y}_t}$$

WN Hypothesis test
Autocorrelation Function

Put the **spring** back on the tube

$$X_t - \boxed{\hat{m}_t} = \boxed{\hat{s}_t} + \boxed{\hat{Y}_t}$$

Put the **body** of the pen back on

$$X_t = \boxed{\hat{m}_t} + \boxed{\hat{s}_t} + \boxed{\hat{Y}_t}$$

= unknown

= estimated

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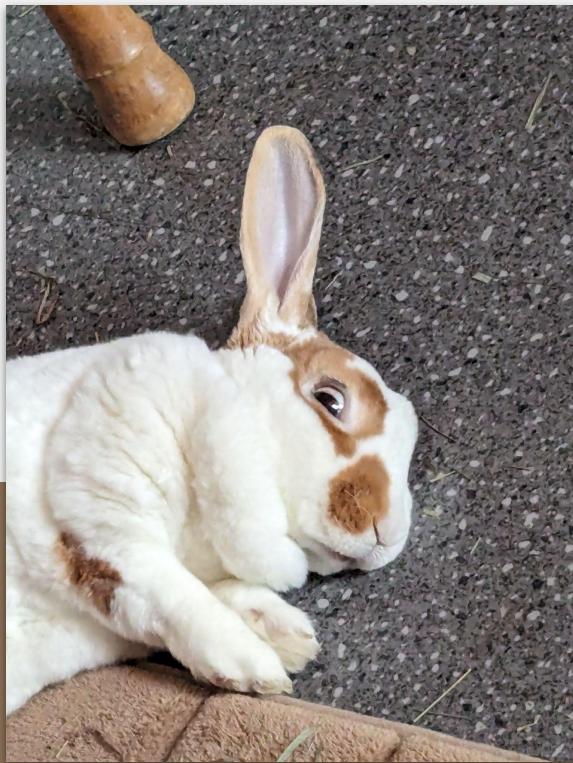
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Discrete Time Series Analysis

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We learned something last time, in Time Series



ACVF of a classical-decomposition (★) time series is the same as the ACVF of its noise

Not true for sample ACVFs

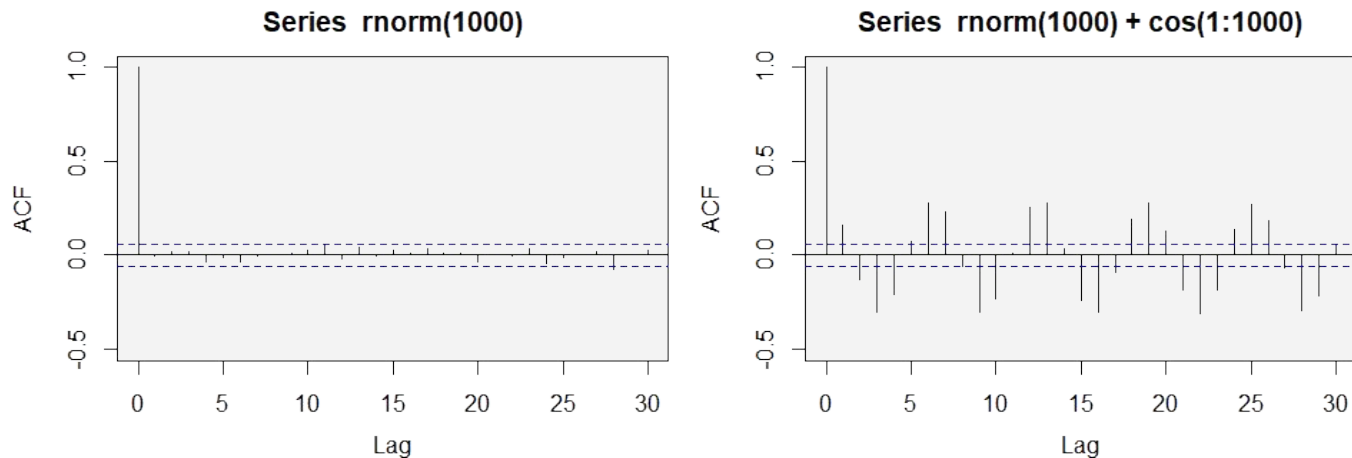
Theoretically, trend/seasonality don't affect ACVF
In practice, they can influence the sample ACVF

How to test if a time series is white noise!
If ACF doesn't look enough like the indicator fn: $1(h=0)$
Then reject the hypothesis that $X_t \sim wn$

What did we tell quin?

ACFs in R

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🕒 Function `acf()` plots 2 horizontal dashed blue lines at $\pm 1.96/\sqrt{N}$

🕒 $\hat{\rho}(h)$ that fall outside blue lines = evidence $\{X_t\}$ is not $wn(0, \sigma^2)$

Interpretation: If we compute $\hat{\rho}$ for white noise at m different lags,
We expect $\hat{\rho}$ to fall outside the blue lines $m \times \alpha$ times

Something Skye forgot to say about ∇ !

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Applying ∇ to a polynomial

Output: Polynomial with reduced degree

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Consider the polynomial $m_t = c_0 + c_1t + c_2t^2 + \dots + c_kt^k$

$$\nabla m_t = m_t - m_{t-1}$$

$$= [c_0 + c_1t + c_2t^2 + \dots + c_kt^k] \\ - [c_0 + c_1(t-1) + c_2(t-1)^2 + \dots + c_k(t-1)^k]$$

$$= [c_0 + c_1t + c_2t^2 + \dots + c_kt^k] \times \\ - [c_0 + c_1(t-1) + c_2(t-1)^2 + \dots + c_kt^k + c_kp_t]$$



Something Skye

forgot to say about ∇ !

$$m_t = c_0 + c_1 t + c_2 t^2 + \dots + c_k t^k$$

- ⌚ The polynomial p_t is of degree strictly less than k
- ⌚ Input polynomial of degree $k \rightarrow$ output polynomial of smaller degree
- ⌚ Applying ∇ k -many times will reduce a k^{th} degree polynomial to a **constant**
 $\nabla^k m_t = \text{some constant}$
- ⌚ ∇^k will eliminate polynomial trends up to degree k

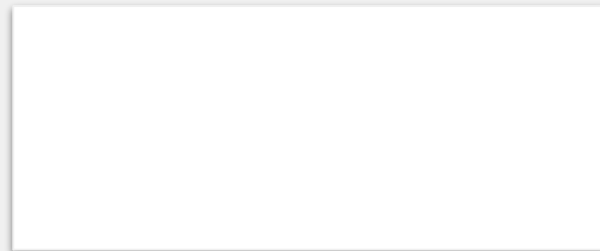
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Linear Filters

Definition: A linear filter is a sequence of coefficients $\{a_j\}_{j \in \mathbb{Z}}$
Satisfying $\sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} |a_j| < \infty$ (absolute summability)

Input process Y_t

Output process



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Typical uses for Linear Filters

- 1) Shape desirable properties in the output X_t

Example:

a filter might pass/block select range of frequencies

low-pass / high-pass / band-pass

Another example:

The linear filter ∇ can be used to eliminate polynomial trends

- 2) Represent various time series models, themselves

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Linear Filters we've seen

$$X_t = \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} a_j Y_{t-j}$$

Difference operator

MA smoother with parameter q

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End of Unit 1!



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What do we tell quin?