

Time Series

Homework 2

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$$\begin{aligned}
 1. \quad Y_1 &= \mu + e_1 - e_0 \\
 Y_2 &= \mu + e_2 - e_1 \\
 Y_3 &= \mu + e_3 - e_2 \\
 &\vdots \\
 Y_n &= \mu + e_n - e_{n-1}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \bar{Y}_1 &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \mu + e_i - e_{i-1} \\
 &= \frac{1}{n} (n\mu + \sum_{i=1}^n e_i - e_{i-1}) \\
 &\quad \text{telescopic sum} \\
 &= \frac{1}{n} (n\mu + e_n - e_0)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Var}(\bar{Y}_1) &= \text{Var}\left(\frac{1}{n} (n\mu + e_n - e_0)\right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{n^2} \text{Var}(\underbrace{n\mu}_{\text{constant}} + e_n - e_0) \\
 &= \frac{1}{n^2} \text{Var}(e_n - e_0)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\quad e_i \perp e_j \\
 &\text{for } i \neq j \\
 &= \frac{1}{n^2} (\text{Var}(e_n) + \text{Var}(e_0)) \\
 &= \frac{2\sigma_e^2}{n^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 Y_1 &= \mu + e_1 \\
 Y_2 &= \mu + e_2 \\
 &\vdots \\
 Y_n &= \mu + e_n
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\bar{Y}_2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \mu + e_i = \frac{1}{n} (n\mu + \sum_{i=1}^n e_i)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Var}(\bar{Y}_2) &= \text{Var}\left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \mu + e_i\right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{n^2} \text{Var}\left(\underbrace{n\mu}_{=\text{const.}} + e_1 + \dots + e_n\right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{n^2} \text{Var}(e_1 + \dots + e_n)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\quad e_i \perp e_j \\
 &\text{for } i \neq j \\
 &= \frac{1}{n^2} (\text{Var}(e_1) + \dots + \text{Var}(e_n)) \\
 &= \frac{n\sigma_e^2}{n^2} = \frac{\sigma_e^2}{n}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Var}(\bar{Y}_1) = \frac{2\sigma_e^2}{n^2} \geq \frac{\sigma_e^2}{n} = \text{Var}(\bar{Y}_2) \quad \text{for } n=1,2$$

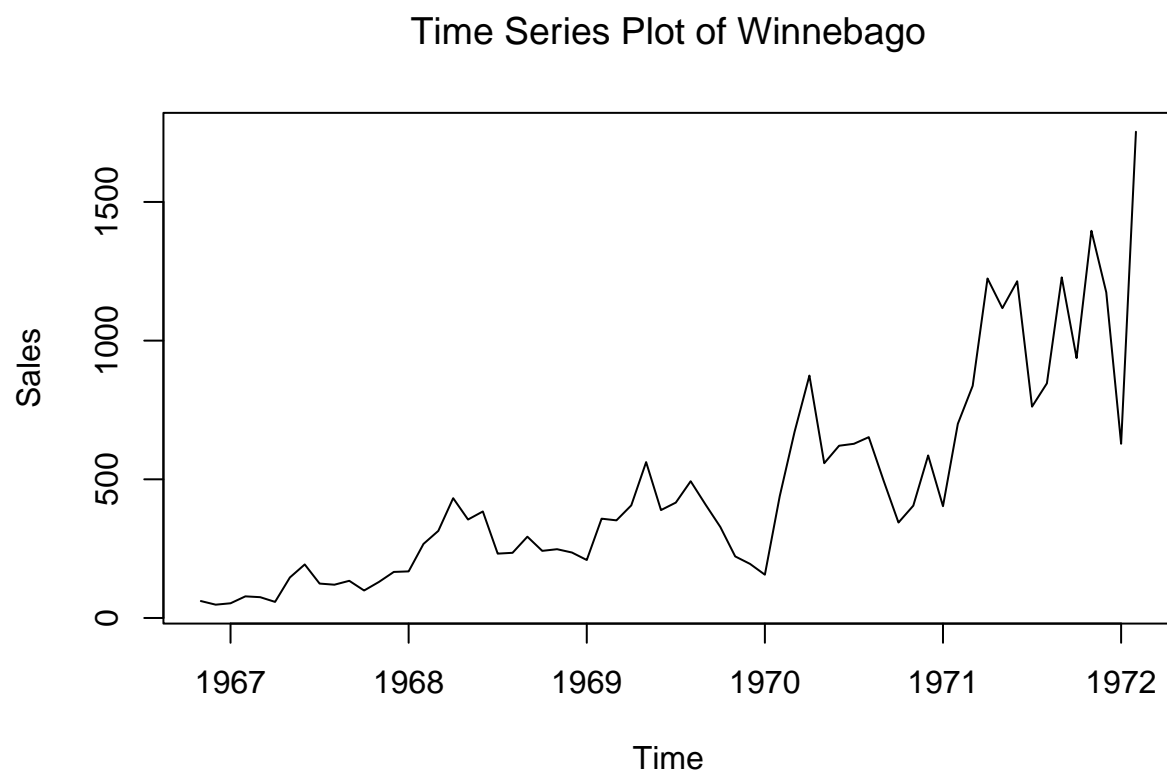
$$\text{Var}(\bar{Y}_1) = \frac{2\sigma_e^2}{n^2} < \frac{\sigma_e^2}{n} = \text{Var}(\bar{Y}_2) \quad \text{for } n \geq 3$$

Problem 2

a)

```
library(TSA)
library(tseries)
```

```
data(winnebago)
plot(winnebago, xlab = expression("Time"), ylab = expression("Sales"),
     main = expression("Time Series Plot of Winnebago"))
```



Interpretation:

- The time series shows an overall upwards trend between the years 1967 and 1972.
- Between the years 1970 and 1972 the increase is at its highest.

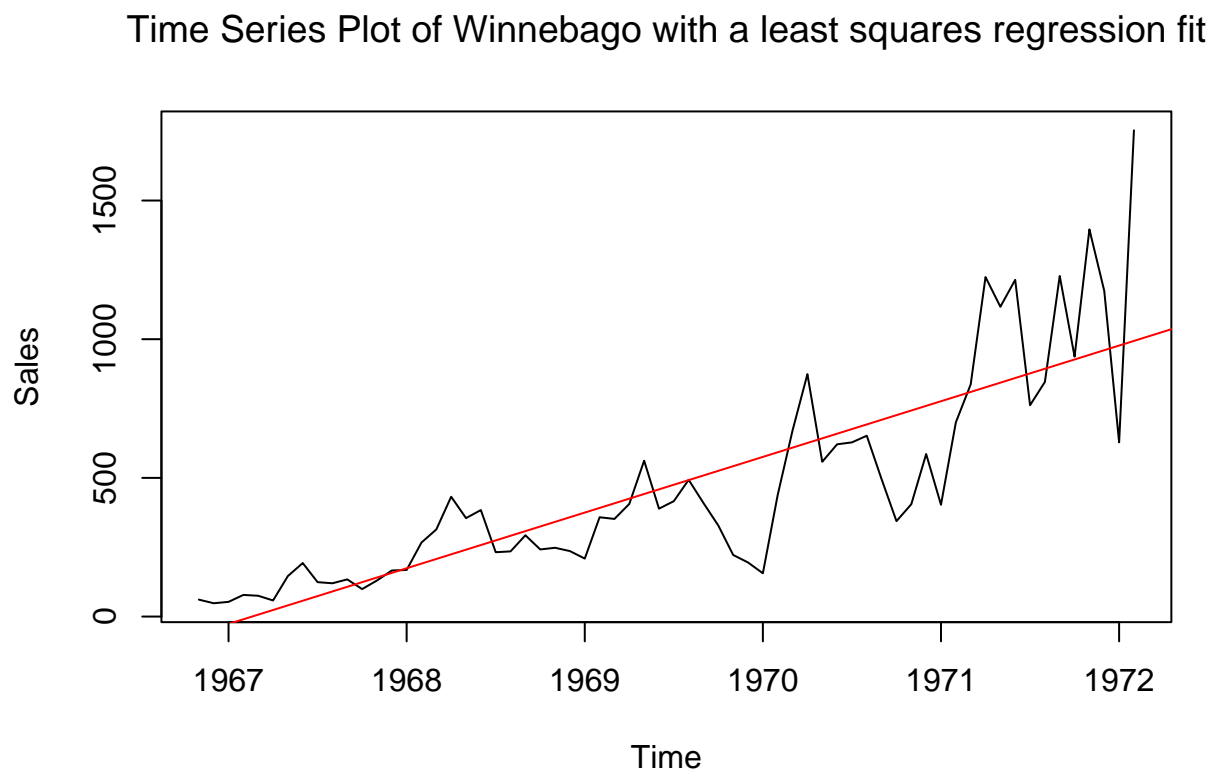
b)

```
lm_model_a <- lm(winnebago ~ time(winnebago))
summary(lm_model_a)
```

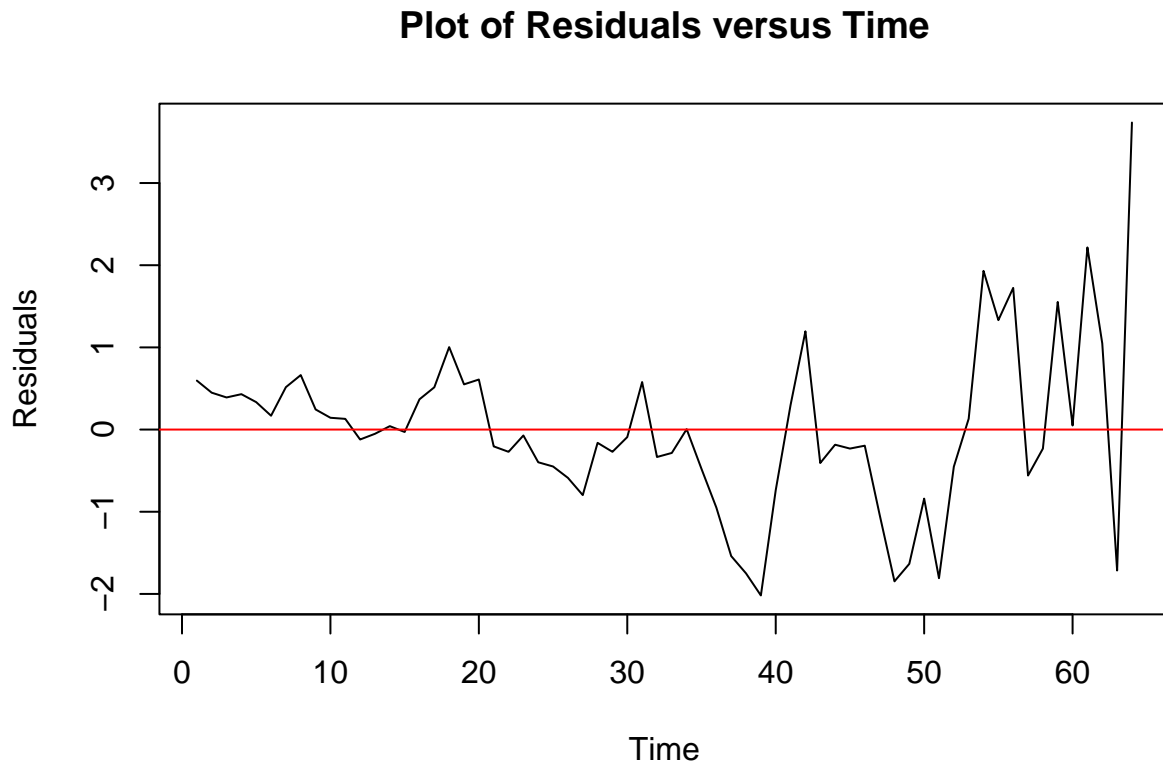
```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = winnebago ~ time(winnebago))
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -419.58  -93.13  -12.78   94.96  759.21
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  -394885.68   33539.77  -11.77  <2e-16 ***
## time(winnebago)    200.74     17.03   11.79  <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 209.7 on 62 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.6915, Adjusted R-squared:  0.6865
## F-statistic: 138.9 on 1 and 62 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

- We expect the wages to increase by \$200.74 per year
- 69.15% of the variance can be explained by the predictor variables
- the linear trend is significant because the p-value $2.2 \cdot 10^{-16}$ is smaller than 10^{-12}

```
plot(winnebago, xlab = expression("Time"), ylab = expression("Sales"),
     main = expression("Time Series Plot of Winnebago with a least squares regression fit"),
     abline(lm_model_a, col = "red"))
```



```
lm_model_a_std_res <- as.ts(rstandard(lm_model_a))
plot(lm_model_a_std_res, xlab = expression("Time"), ylab = expression("Residuals"),
     main = "Plot of Residuals versus Time")
abline(h = 0, col = "red")
```



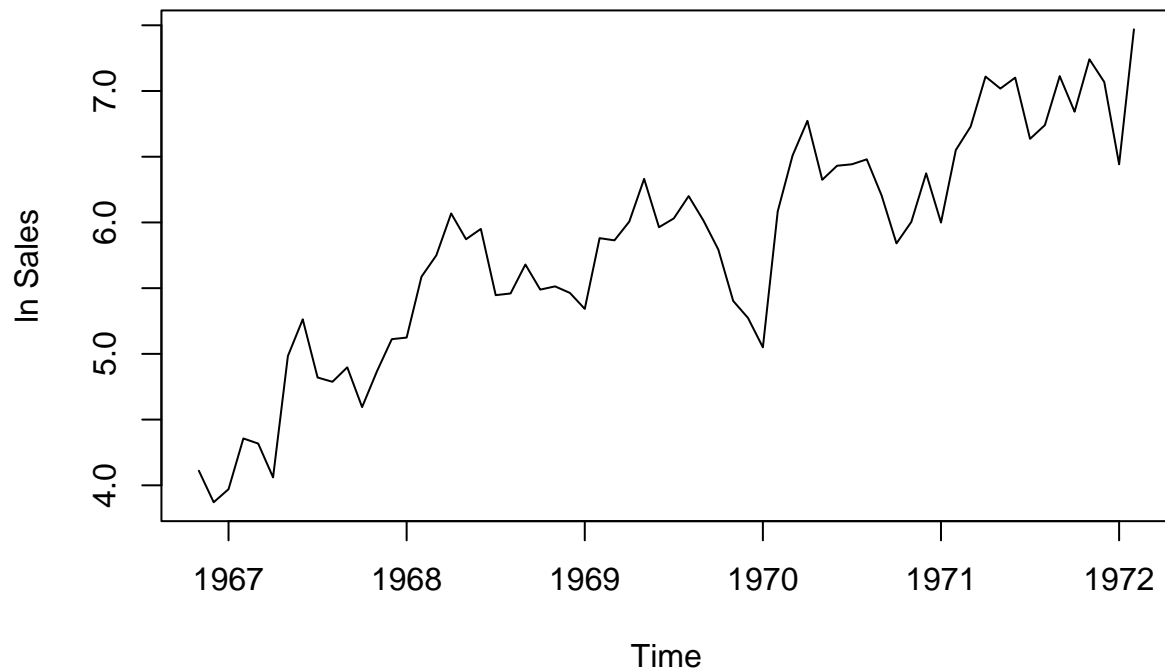
Interpretation:

- The residuals plot shows somewhat random movement around zero.
- More uneven spread between ca. 35 to 65 in comparison to 0 to 35.
- There may be a “seasonal” cyclical trend.

c)

```
ln_winnnebago <- log(winnnebago)
plot(ln_winnnebago, xlab = expression("Time"), ylab = expression("ln Sales"),
     main = expression("Time Series Plot of Winnnebago"))
```

Time Series Plot of Winnebago



Interpretation:

- The time series plot of the transformed values shows a linear upward trend (which corresponds with the untransformed data)
- There is one downward spike around the year 1970
- The “seasonal” trend seems more pronounced

d)

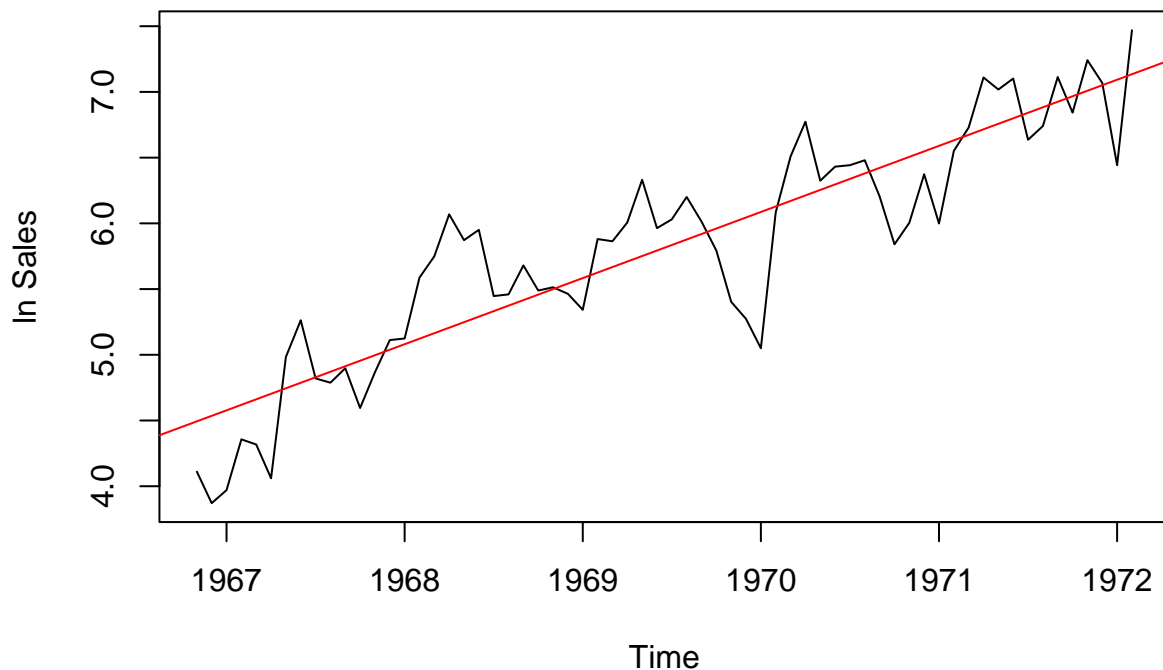
```
lm_model_d <- lm(ln_winnebago ~ time(ln_winnebago))
summary(lm_model_d)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = ln_winnebago ~ time(ln_winnebago))
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -1.03669 -0.20823  0.04995  0.25662  0.86223
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)   -984.93878    62.99472  -15.63  <2e-16 ***
## time(ln_winnebago)  0.50306     0.03199   15.73  <2e-16 ***
```

```
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.3939 on 62 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.7996, Adjusted R-squared:  0.7964
## F-statistic: 247.4 on 1 and 62 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16

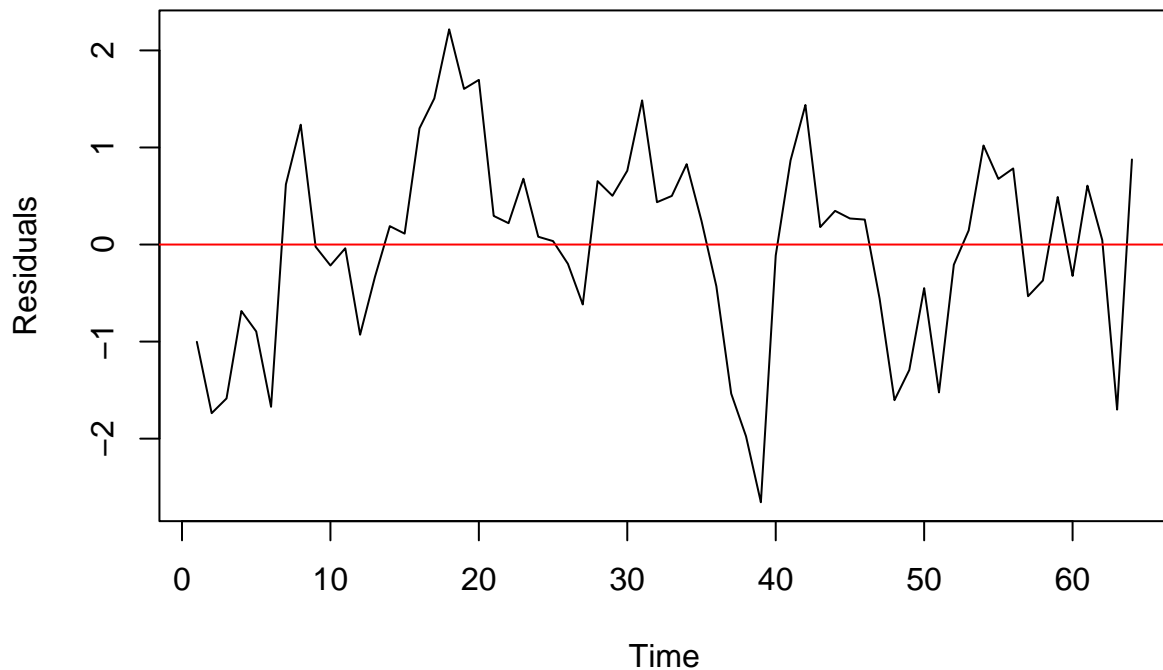
plot(ln_winnebago, xlab = expression("Time"), ylab = expression("ln Sales"),
     main = expression("Time Series Plot of Winnebago with a least squares regression fit"),
     abline(lm_model_d, col = "red"))
```

Time Series Plot of Winnebago with a least squares regression fit



```
lm_model_d_std_res <- as.ts(rstandard(lm_model_d))
plot(lm_model_d_std_res, xlab = expression("Time"), ylab = expression("Residuals"),
     main = "ln Plot of Residuals versus Time")
abline(h = 0, col = "red")
```

In Plot of Residuals versus Time



Interpretation:

- the ln-transformed residuals plot shows random movement around 0
- There seems to be an overall cyclical trend

e)

```
months <- season(winnebago)
lm_model_e <- lm(ln_winnebago ~ months + time(winnebago))
summary(lm_model_e)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = ln_winnebago ~ months + time(winnebago))
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -0.92501 -0.16328  0.03344  0.20757  0.57388
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)   -997.33061    50.63995  -19.695  < 2e-16 ***
## monthsFebruary    0.62445     0.18182   3.434 0.001188 **
## monthsMarch       0.68220     0.19088   3.574 0.000779 ***
```

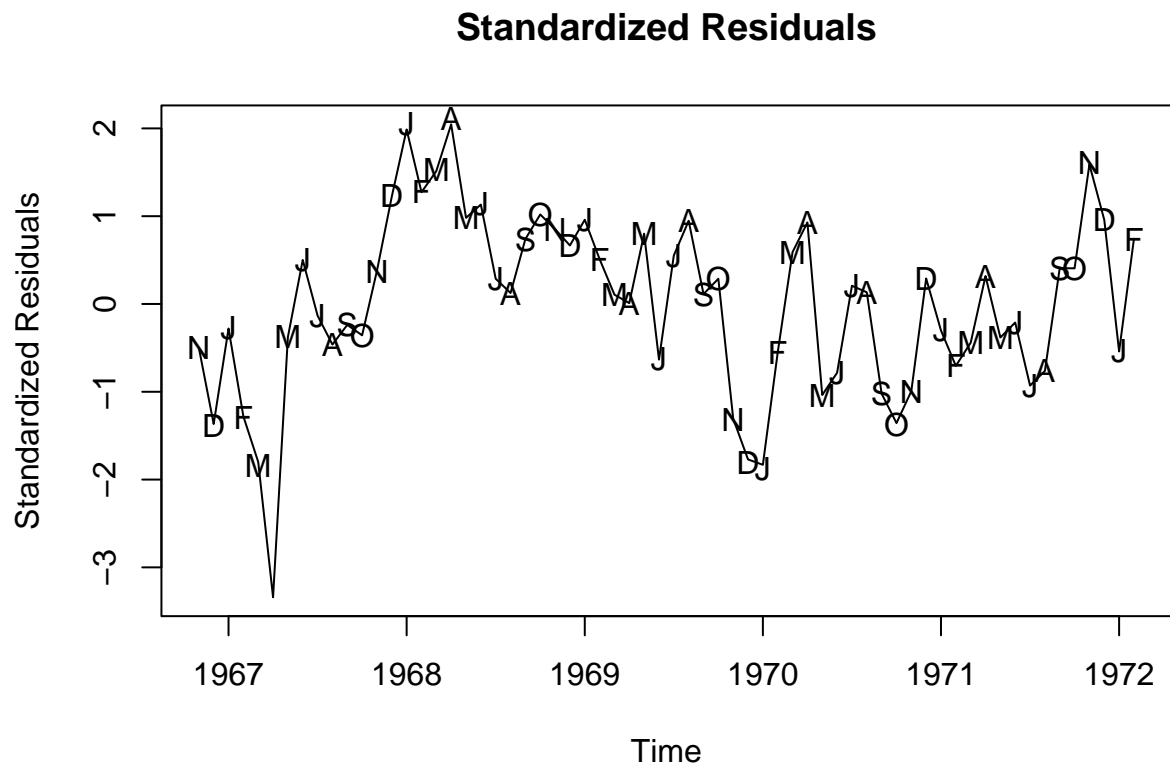


```
## monthsApril      0.80959    0.19079    4.243 9.30e-05 ***
## monthsMay        0.86953    0.19073    4.559 3.25e-05 ***
## monthsJune       0.86309    0.19070    4.526 3.63e-05 ***
## monthsJuly       0.55392    0.19069    2.905 0.005420 **
## monthsAugust     0.56989    0.19070    2.988 0.004305 **
## monthsSeptember  0.57572    0.19073    3.018 0.003960 **
## monthsOctober    0.26349    0.19079    1.381 0.173300
## monthsNovember   0.28682    0.18186    1.577 0.120946
## monthsDecember   0.24802    0.18182    1.364 0.178532
## time(winnebago)  0.50909    0.02571   19.800 < 2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.3149 on 51 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.8946, Adjusted R-squared:  0.8699
## F-statistic: 36.09 on 12 and 51 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

- 89.46% of the variance can be explained by the predictor variables
- the linear trend is significant because the p-value $2.2 \cdot 10^{-16}$ is smaller than 10^{-12}

f)

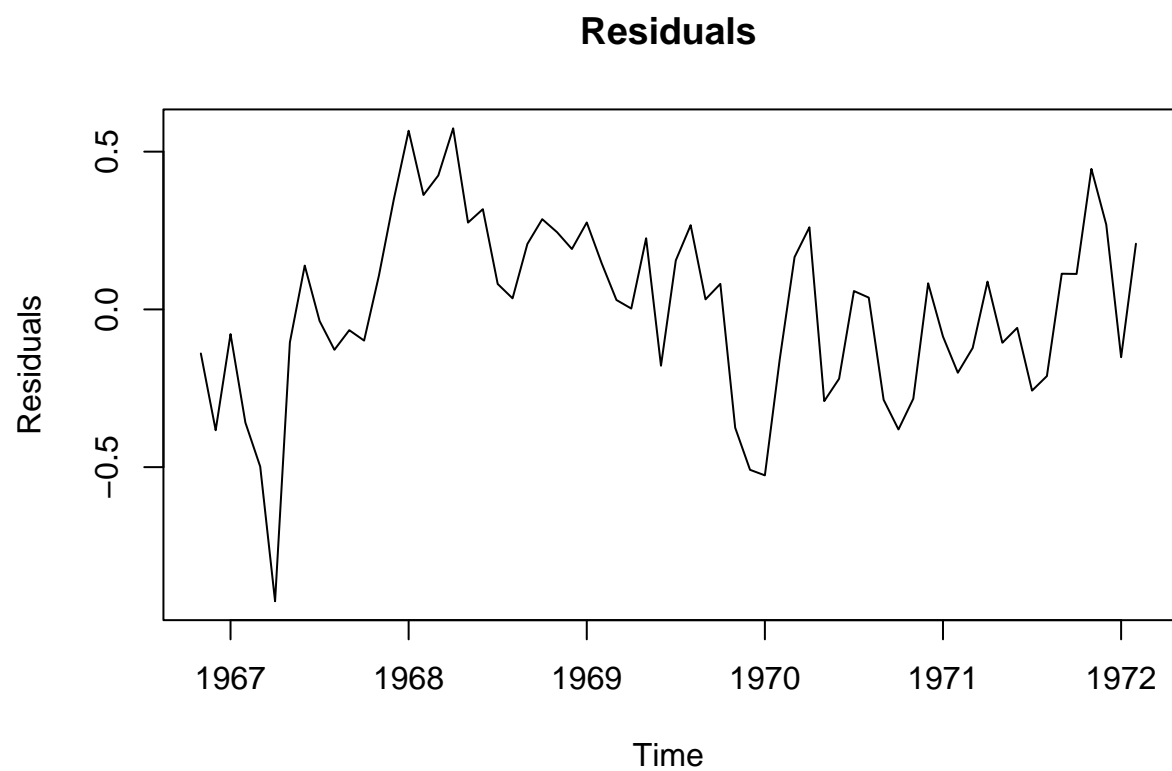
```
lm_model_e_std_res <- as.ts(rstandard(lm_model_e))
plot(lm_model_e_std_res, x = as.vector(time(winnebago)), xlab = "Time",
     ylab = "Standardized Residuals", main = "Standardized Residuals",
     type = "l")
points(y = rstudent(lm_model_e), x = as.vector(time(winnebago)),
       pch = as.vector(season(winnebago)))
```



- looking at the residuals, we can revert our assumption of a seasonal trend
- we do not see an obvious pattern of the months at the highs and lows

g)

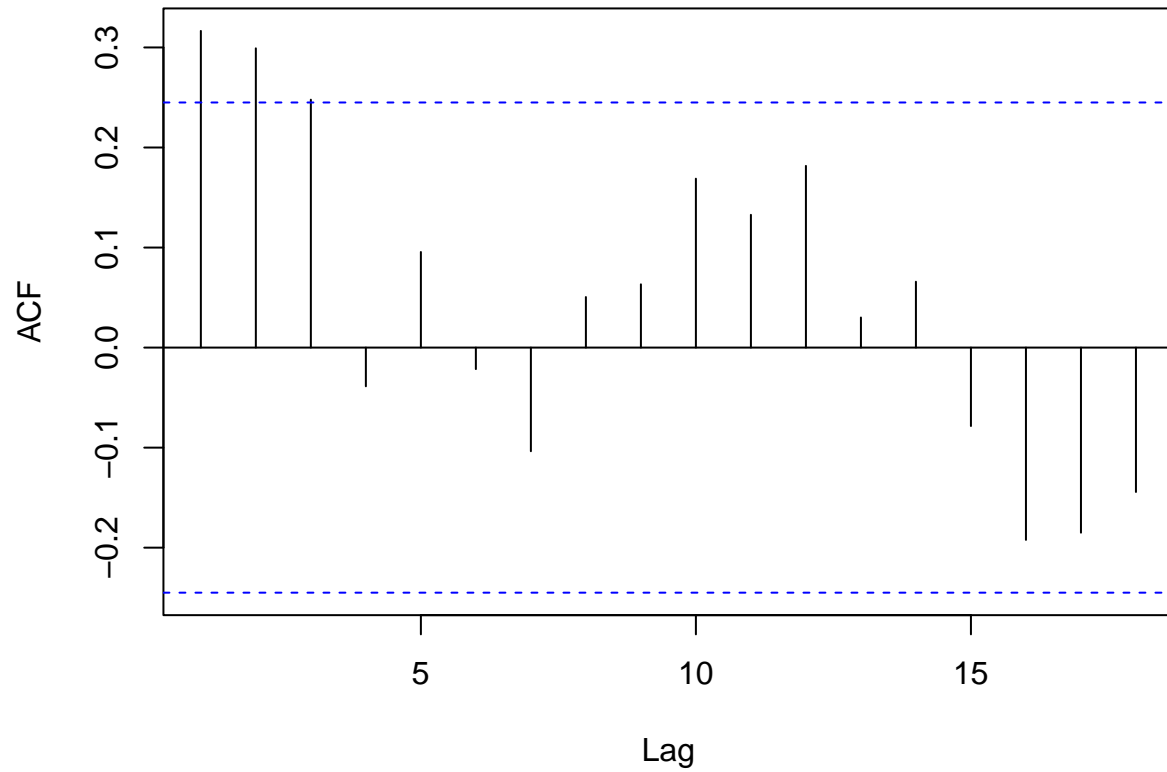
```
lm_model_e_res <- residuals(lm_model_e)
plot(lm_model_e_res, x = as.vector(time(winnebago)), xlab = "Time",
     ylab = "Residuals", main = "Residuals", type = "l")
```



h)

```
acf(lm_model_a_std_res, main = "Autocorrelation Plot of Residuals for linear model a")
```

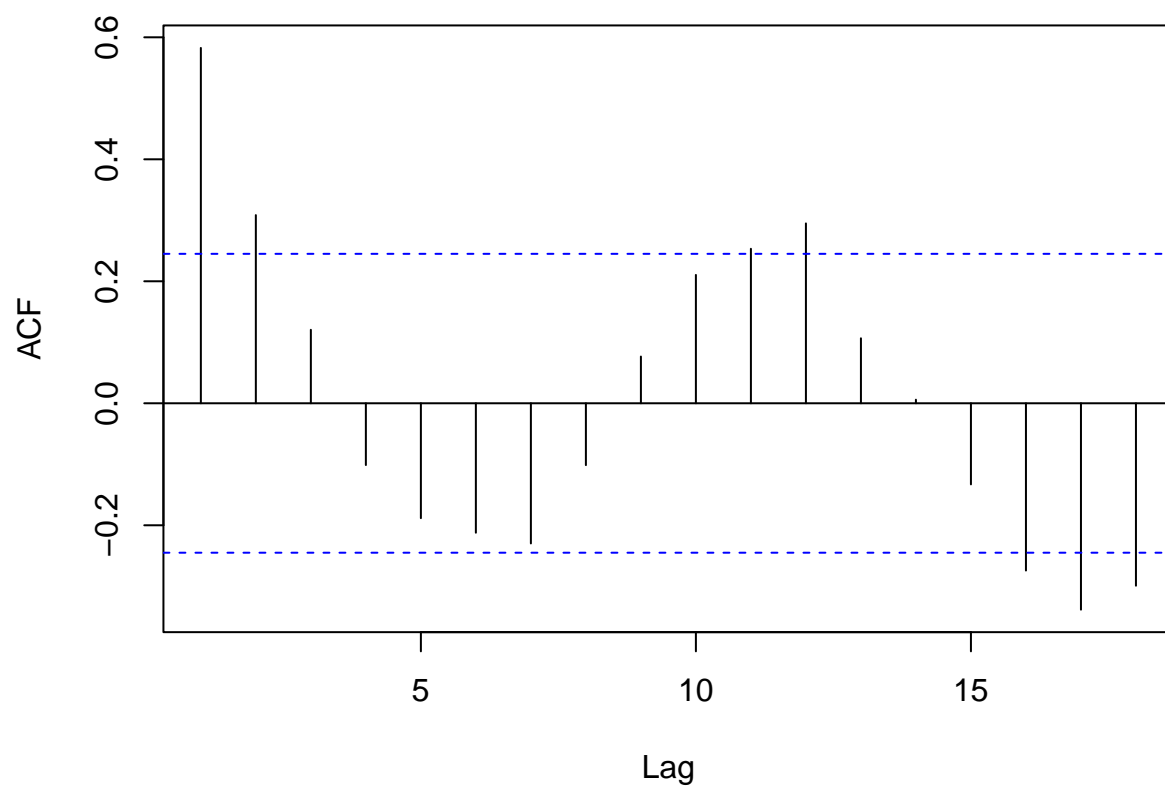
Autocorrelation Plot of Residuals for linear model a



- significant autocorrelation at lags 1, 2, 3
- somewhat periodic behaviour starting at lag 7
- small magnitude with ca. .3

```
acf(lm_model_d_std_res, main = "Autocorrelation Plot of Residuals for linear model d")
```

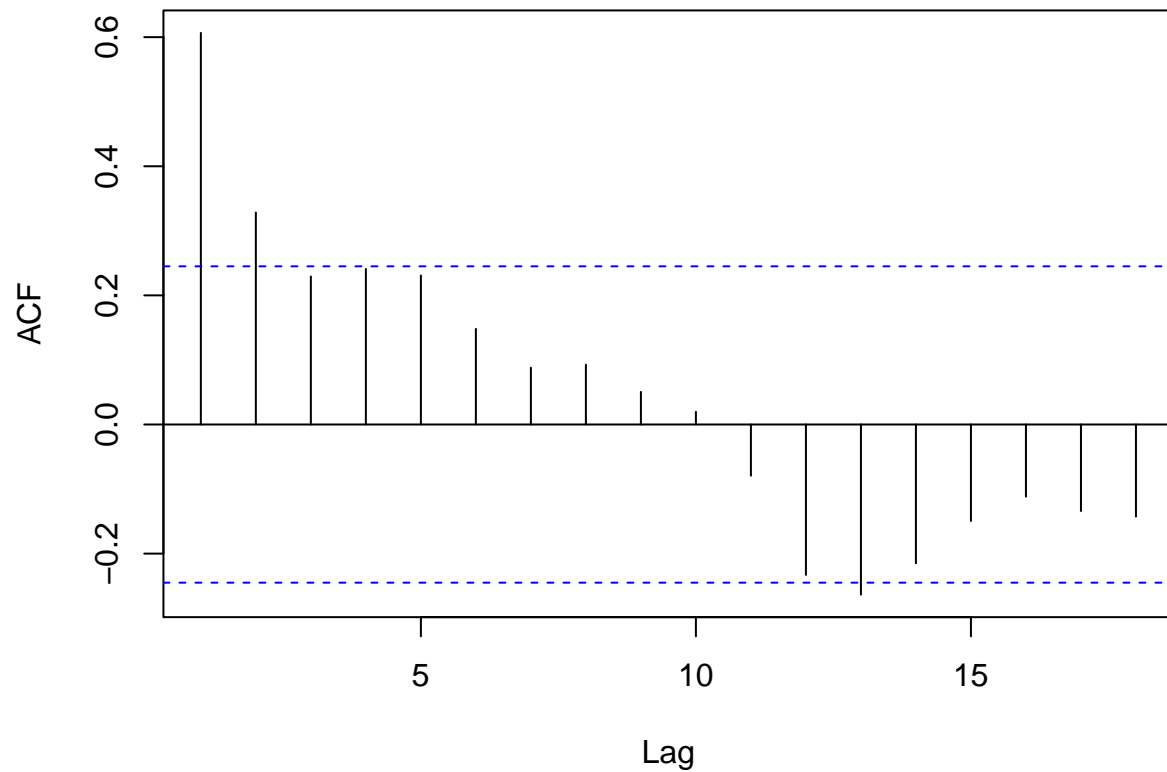
Autocorrelation Plot of Residuals for linear model d



- significant autocorrelation at lags 1, 2, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18
- periodic behaviour

```
acf(lm_model_e_std_res, main = "Autocorrelation Plot of Residuals for linear model e")
```

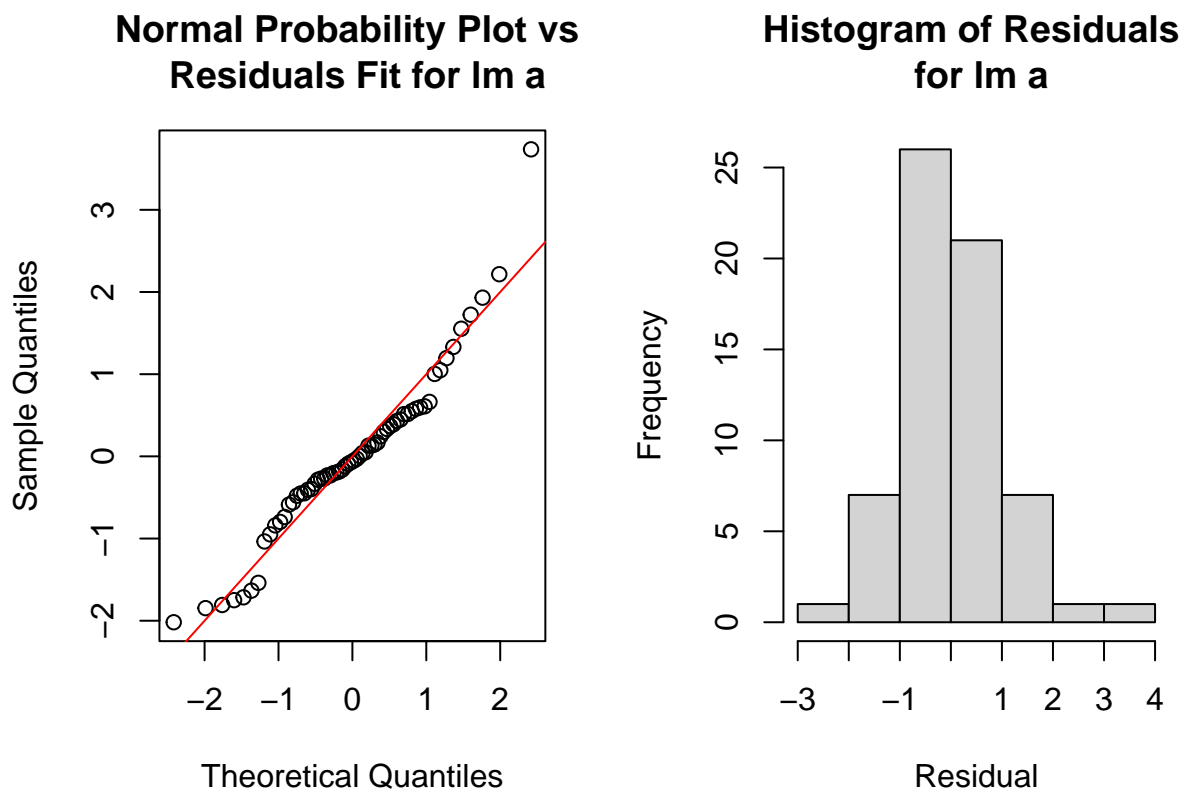
Autocorrelation Plot of Residuals for linear model e



- significant autocorrelation at lags 1, 2, 13
- cyclic trend
- magnitude with about .6

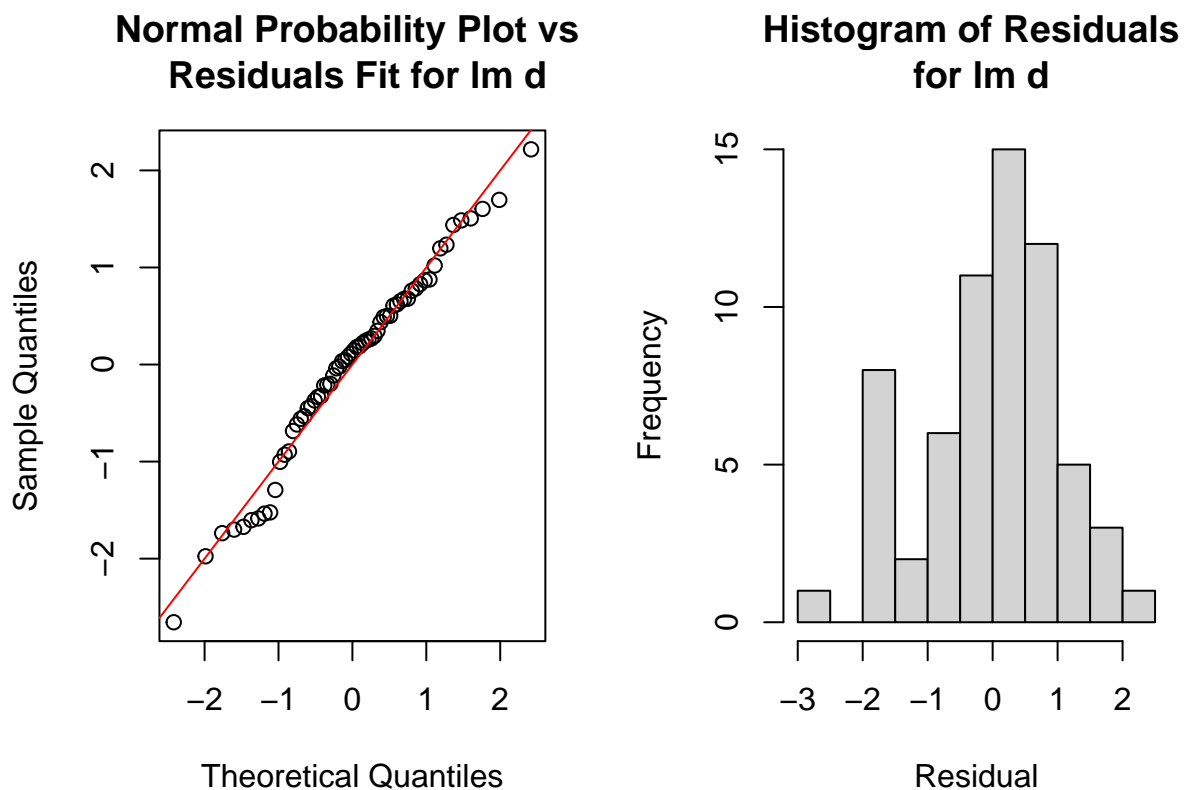
i)

```
par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
qqnorm(lm_model_a_std_res, main = "Normal Probability Plot vs \n Residuals Fit for lm a")
abline(a = 0, b = 1, col = "red")
hist(lm_model_a_std_res, xlab = "Residual", main = "Histogram of Residuals \n for lm a")
```



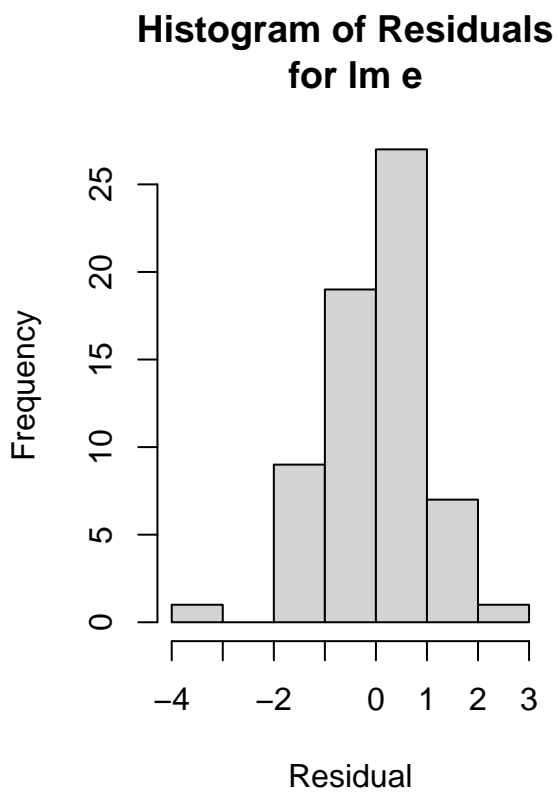
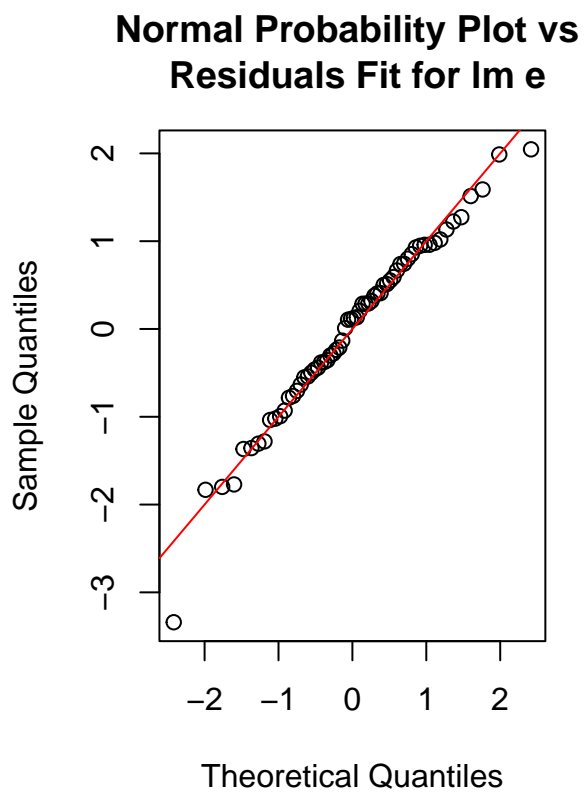
- The quantiles of the linear model a are a little bit off everywhere but somewhat equally spreaded around the line and we have one outlier at about 4.
- Data looks somewhat normally distributed based on the histogram.

```
par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
qqnorm(lm_model_d_std_res, main = "Normal Probability Plot vs \n Residuals Fit for lm d")
abline(a = 0, b = 1, col = "red")
hist(lm_model_d_std_res, xlab = "Residual", main = "Histogram of Residuals \n for lm d")
```



- Again, we have outliers at -3 and 2 but not as bad as in linear model a.
- Looking at the histogram, we have normal distributed data if we do not take the values at -2 into account.

```
par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
qqnorm(lm_model_e_std_res, main = "Normal Probability Plot vs \n Residuals Fit for lm e")
abline(a = 0, b = 1, col = "red")
hist(lm_model_e_std_res, xlab = "Residual", main = "Histogram of Residuals \n for lm e")
```

- The quantiles look great, nearly all of them are very close to the line.
- The histogram shows a nearly normal distribution but the values from -1 to 0 and 0 to 1 are not that symmetric as they should be.

3. $p_k = \varphi^k$

a) show $\text{Var}(\bar{Y}) = \frac{\sigma_0}{n} \left(\frac{1+\varphi}{1-\varphi} - \frac{2\varphi}{n} \frac{1-\varphi^n}{(1-\varphi)^2} \right)$

use 3.2.3 $\text{Var}(\bar{Y}) = \frac{\sigma_0}{n} \left(1 + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \left(1 - \frac{k}{n}\right) p_k \right)$ ①

$$\sum_{k=0}^n \varphi^k = \frac{1-\varphi^{n+1}}{1-\varphi} \quad \text{②}$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^n k \varphi^{k-1} = \frac{d}{d\varphi} \sum_{k=0}^n \varphi^k \quad \text{③}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Var}(\bar{Y}) &\stackrel{\text{①}}{=} \frac{\sigma_0}{n} \left(1 + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \left(1 - \frac{k}{n}\right) p_k \right) \\ &= \frac{\sigma_0}{n} \left(1 + 2 \underbrace{\sum_{k=1}^{n-1} p_k}_{\sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \varphi^k} - \frac{2}{n} \underbrace{\sum_{k=1}^{n-1} k p_k}_{\sum_{k=1}^{n-1} k \varphi^k} \right) \\ &= -1 + \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \varphi^k = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \varphi^k = \varphi \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \varphi^{k-1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\sigma_0}{n} \left(1 - 2 + 2 \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \varphi^k - \frac{2\varphi}{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} k \varphi^{k-1} \right) \\ &\stackrel{\text{②}, \text{③}}{=} \frac{\sigma_0}{n} \left(-1 + 2 \frac{1-\varphi^n}{1-\varphi} - \frac{2\varphi}{n} \frac{d}{d\varphi} \left(\sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \varphi^k \right) \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\stackrel{\text{②}}{=} \frac{\sigma_0}{n} \left(-1 + 2 \frac{1-\varphi^n}{1-\varphi} - \frac{2\varphi}{n} \underbrace{\frac{d}{d\varphi} \frac{1-\varphi^n}{1-\varphi}}_{\frac{(1-\varphi)(-n\varphi^{n-1}) + 1-\varphi^n}{(1-\varphi)^2}} \right) \\ &= \frac{n\varphi^n - n\varphi^{n-1}}{(1-\varphi)^2} + \frac{1-\varphi^n}{(1-\varphi)^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\sigma_0}{n} \left(-1 + 2 \frac{1-\varphi^n}{1-\varphi} - \frac{2\varphi}{n} \cdot \frac{n\varphi^n - n\varphi^{n-1}}{(1-\varphi)^2} - \frac{2\varphi}{n} \frac{1-\varphi^n}{(1-\varphi)^2} \right) \\ &= \frac{\sigma_0}{n} \left(-1 + \underbrace{\frac{(2-2\varphi^n)(1-\varphi)}{(1-\varphi)^2} - \frac{2\varphi^{n+1} - 2\varphi^n}{(1-\varphi)^2}}_{\frac{2-2\varphi-2\varphi^n+2\varphi^{n+1}-2\varphi^{n+1}+2\varphi^n}{(1-\varphi)^2}} - \frac{2\varphi}{n} \frac{1-\varphi^n}{(1-\varphi)^2} \right) \\ &= \frac{2(1-\varphi)}{(1-\varphi)^2} = \frac{2}{1-\varphi} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{\sigma_0}{n} \left(\frac{2}{1-\varphi} - \frac{1-\varphi}{1-\varphi} - \frac{2\varphi}{n} \frac{1-\varphi^n}{(1-\varphi)^2} \right)$$

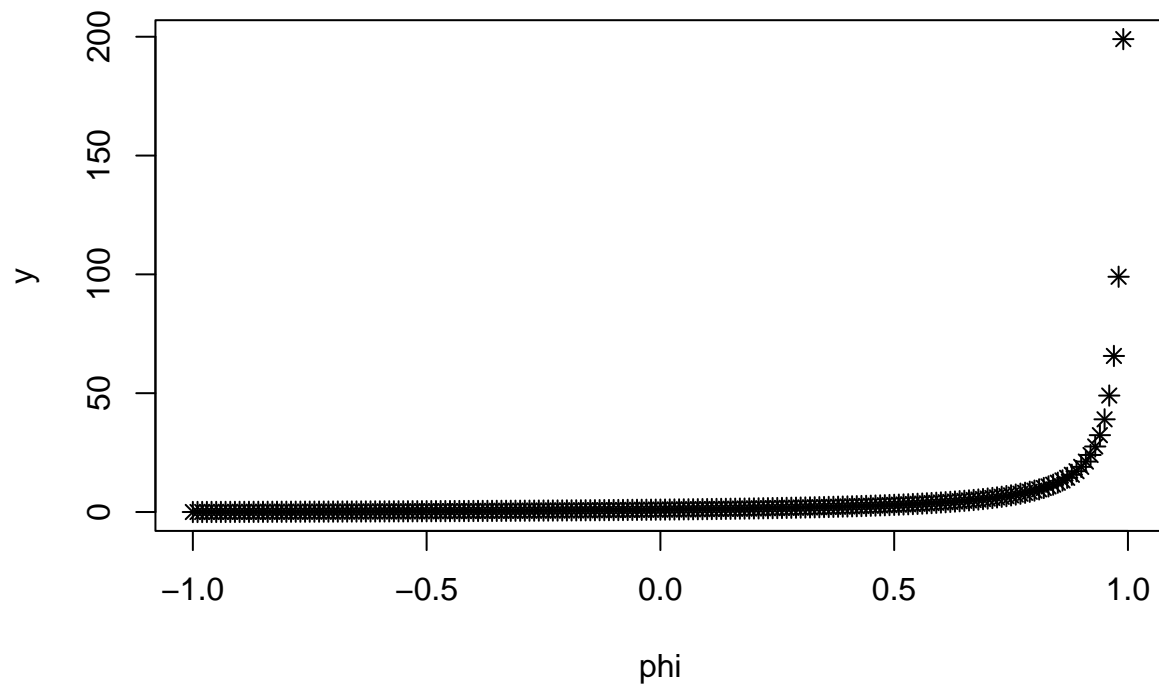
$$= \frac{\sigma_0}{n} \left(\frac{1+\varphi}{1-\varphi} - \frac{2\varphi}{n} \frac{1-\varphi^n}{(1-\varphi)^2} \right)$$

$$b) \quad \text{Var}(\bar{Y}) = \frac{\sigma_0^2}{n} \left(\frac{1+\phi}{1-\phi} - \underbrace{\frac{2\phi}{n}}_{\xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0} \cdot \underbrace{\frac{1-\phi^n}{(1-\phi)^2}}_{\xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{(1-\phi)^2}} \right) \quad \begin{array}{l} \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0 \text{ because } \\ |\phi| < 1 \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{for } n \text{ large enough: } \text{Var}(\bar{Y}) \approx \frac{\sigma_0^2}{n} \frac{1+\phi}{1-\phi}$$

c)

```
phi <- seq(from = -1, to = 1, by = 0.01)
y <- (1 + phi)/(1 - phi)
plot(phi, y, pch = 8)
```



The closer ϕ is to -1, the closer the variance is to 0, thus the precision increases. The closer ϕ is to 1, the more the variance increases, and thus the precision decreases.