DSC383 HW3

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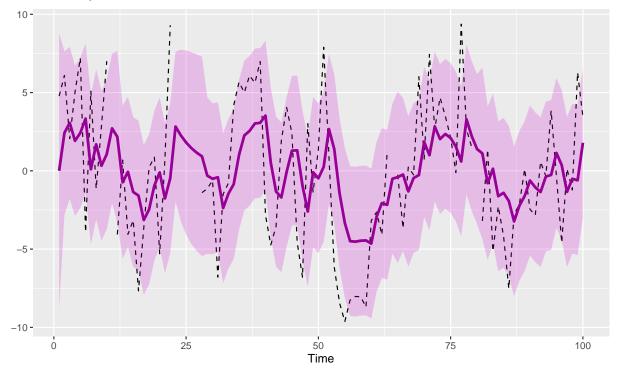
Setting variables to use later

a.

Apply a Kalman filter to this data to make one-step ahead predictions of θ_t given $y_{1:(t-1)}$. Create a timesseries plot containing the observations and one-step ahead predictions of y_t . Include a 95% confidence band around your θ_t predictions. Report the numerical values found for a_{40} and R_{40} .

```
dlmSvd2var(dlm_data_filtered$U.R,
             dlm_data_filtered$D.R))
# SE
dlm_data$p_theta_SE <- sqrt(dlm_data$R_t)</pre>
# Plot observed and one-step ahead predictions
dlm_theta_plot <- dlm_data_plot +</pre>
  geom_line(data = dlm_data,
            aes(y = pred_theta,
                x = time),
            color = "darkmagenta",
            size = 1.2) +
  geom_ribbon(data = dlm_data,
              aes(x = time,
                  ymin = pred_theta - 1.96 * p_theta_SE, # 95% CI
                  ymax = pred_theta + 1.96 * p_theta_SE), # 95% CI
              fill = "magenta3",
              alpha = 0.2) +
  labs(title = expression(paste("One-Step-Ahead Predictions of ",
                                theta[t],
                                 " w/ Standard Errors")),
       x = "Time",
       y = "")
## Warning: Using `size` aesthetic for lines was deprecated in ggplot2 3.4.0.
## i Please use `linewidth` instead.
## This warning is displayed once every 8 hours.
## Call `lifecycle::last_lifecycle_warnings()` to see where this warning was
## generated.
dlm_theta_plot
```

One–Step–Ahead Predictions of θ_t w/ Standard Errors



Predictions

```
a40 <- dlm_data$pred_theta[dlm_data$time == 40]
a40

## [1] 3.528942
R40 <- dlm_data$R_t[dlm_data$time == 40]
R40

## [1] 5.950985
```

 $a_{40} = \mathbf{3.529}$ $R_{40} = \mathbf{5.951}$

b.

Apply a Kalman filter to this data to make one-step-ahead predictions of y_t given $y_{1:(t-1)}$. Create a time-series plot showing the observed values of y_t and one-step ahead predictions of y_t . Include a 95% confidence band around your y_t predictions. Report the numerical values of f_{40} and G_{40} . (Hint: R's DLM package does not provide these values directly, so you will need to calculate them.)

Plot

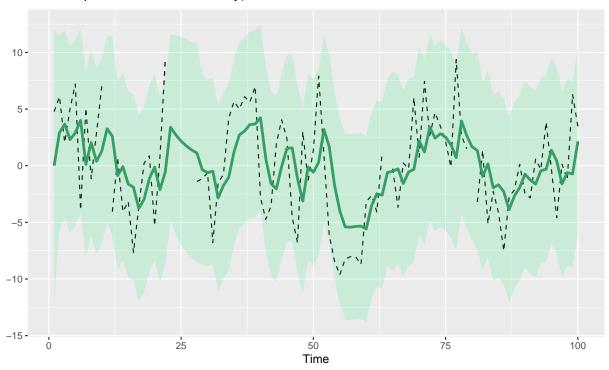
Using $Q_t = Var[y_t|y_{1:(t-1)}] = F_tR_tF_t' + V_t$, with $F_t' = F_t$

```
# One-step-ahead predictions of y
dlm_data$pred_y <- dlm_data_filtered$f

# Variance
dlm_data$Q_t <- F_t * dlm_data$R_t * F_t + sigma2v_tr</pre>
```

```
dlm_data$p_y_SE <- sqrt(dlm_data$Q_t)</pre>
# Plot observed and one-step ahead predictions
dlm_forecast_plot <- dlm_data_plot +</pre>
  geom_line(data = dlm_data,
            aes(y = pred_y,
                x = time),
            color = "seagreen",
            size = 1.2) +
  geom_ribbon(data = dlm_data,
              aes(x = time,
                  ymin = pred_y - 1.96 * p_y_SE, # 95% CI
                  ymax = pred_y + 1.96 * p_y_SE), # 95% CI
              fill = "seagreen2",
              alpha = 0.2) +
  labs(title = expression(paste("One-Step-Ahead Predictions of ",
                                 y[t],
                                 " w/ Standard Errors")),
       x = "Time",
dlm_forecast_plot
```

One-Step-Ahead Predictions of y_t w/ Standard Errors



Predictions

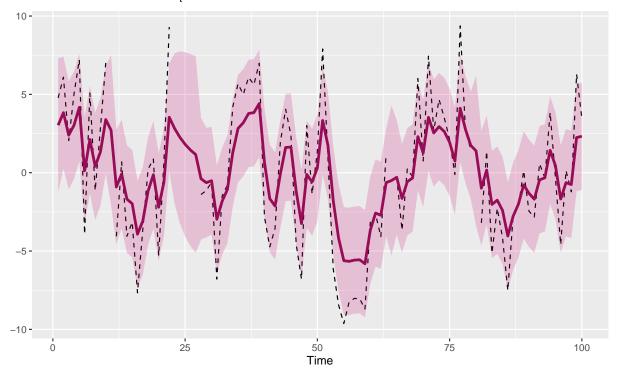
c.

 $Q_{40} = 17.569$

Apply a Kalman filter to this data to find the filtering distribution of the values of θ_t given $y_{1:(t)}$. Create a time-series plot showing the observed values of y_t and filtered predictions of θ_t . Include a 95% confidence band around your θ_t predictions. Report the numerical values of m_{40} and C_{40} .

```
# Predictions of theta
dlm_data$filtered <- dropFirst(dlm_data_filtered$m)</pre>
# Variance
dlm_data$C_t <- dropFirst(unlist(</pre>
  dlmSvd2var(dlm_data_filtered$U.C,
             dlm_data_filtered$D.C)))
# SE
dlm_data$filtered_SE <- sqrt(dlm_data$C_t)</pre>
# Plot observed and one-step ahead predictions
dlm_filtered_plot <- dlm_data_plot +</pre>
  geom_line(data = dlm_data,
            aes(y = filtered,
                x = time),
            color = "deeppink4",
            size = 1.2) +
  geom_ribbon(data = dlm_data,
              aes(x = time,
                  ymin = filtered - 1.96 * filtered_SE, # 95% CI
                  ymax = filtered + 1.96 * filtered_SE), # 95% CI
              fill = "deeppink3",
              alpha = 0.2) +
  labs(title = expression(paste("Filtered Predictions of ",
                                 theta[t],
                                  " w/ Standard Errors")),
       x = "Time",
       y = "")
dlm_filtered_plot
```

Filtered Predictions of θ_t w/ Standard Errors



Predictions

```
m40 <- dlm_data$filtered[dlm_data$time == 40]
m40

## [1] 0.6630937
C40 <- dlm_data$C_t[dlm_data$time == 40]
C40
## [1] 3.048414</pre>
```

 $m_{40} = \mathbf{0.663}$ $C_{40} = \mathbf{3.048}$

d.

The filtering distribution of $\theta_{22}|y_{1:22}$ is $N(m_{22}=3.539,C_{22}=3.048)$ (your answer should match this). Analytically (i.e., not using code) show that the *predictive* distribution of $\theta_{30}|y_{1:29}$ is $N(a_{30}=0.594,R_{30}=10.884)$. You may assume that the observations at t=28 to t=29 are missing as well, just like the ones from t=23 to t=27. (Meanwhile, think about why we would get the same distribution if we are asked to find the *forecasting* distribution of $\theta_{30}|y_{1:22}$; this part is not to be graded.)

Answer

```
Keeping in mind that G and W are fixed, \theta_{t+k}|y_{1:t} \sim N(a_t(k), R_t(k)), with a_t(k) = G_{t+k}a_t(k-1) = G_ta_t(k-1), R_t(k) = G_{t+k}R_t(k-1)G'_{t+k} + W_{t+k} = G_t^2R_t(k-1) + W_t Let t=22 and k=8 so that t+k=30.
```

```
t <- 22
k <- 8
```

```
We start with the initial m_{22}=3.539 and move towards t=30: a_{22}(1)=G*m_{22} for t=23 a_{22}(2)=G*a_{22}(2-1)=G*G*m_{22} for t=24 a_{22}(3)=G*a_{22}(3-1)=G^3*m_{22} for t=24 ... a_{22}(k)=G^k*m_{22} for t=30. a_{22}(8)=0.8^8*3.539=\mathbf{0.594}.
```

Calculation:

```
m_22 <- 3.539

G_t^k * m_22

## [1] 0.5937457
```

Following the same propagation for R_t , we begin with the initial $C_{22} = 3.048$ to obtain

```
R_{22}(1) = G^2 * C_{22} + W \text{ for } t = 23
R_{22}(2) = G^2 * R_{22}(2-1) + W = G^2 * (G^2 * C_{22} + W) + W \text{ for } t = 24
R_{22}(3) = G^6 C_{22} + G^4 W + G^2 W + W \text{ for } t = 25
...
R_{22}(k) = G^{2k} C_{22} + \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} G^{2i} W + W
R_{22}(8) = 0.8^{(2*8)}(3.048) + \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} 4G^{2i} + 4 = \mathbf{10.884}
```

Calculation:

```
C_22 <- 3.048
i <- seq(1, k - 1)

summation <- sum(G_t^(2*i) * sigma2w_tr)
G_t^(2*k)*C_22 + summation +sigma2w_tr
## [1] 10.88415</pre>
```

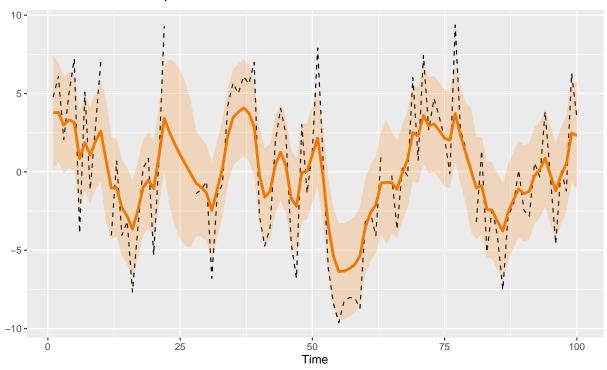
Therefore, we have obtained $N(a_{30} = 0.594, R_{30} = 10.884)$.

e.

Apply a Kalman smoother to this data to create the smoothing distribution for θ_t given $y_{1:T}$. Create a time-series plot showing the observed values of y_t and smoothed estimates of θ_t . Include a 95% confidence band around your θ_t predictions. Additionally, report your values of θ_t for the values of t such that t is missing.

```
aes(y = smoothed,
                x = time),
            color = "darkorange2",
            size = 1.2) +
  geom_ribbon(data = dlm_data,
              aes(x = time,
                  ymin = smoothed - 1.96 * smoothed_SE,
                  ymax = smoothed + 1.96 * smoothed_SE),
              fill = "darkorange1",
              alpha = 0.2) +
  labs(title = expression(paste("Smoothed Values of ",
                                 theta[t],
                                 " w/ Standard Errors")),
       x = "Time",
       y = "")
{\tt dlm\_smoothed\_plot}
```

Smoothed Values of θ_t w/ Standard Errors



Predicted theta for missing y values

```
# Filter to rows where yt is NA

dlm_data[is.na(dlm_data$yt), c("time", "smoothed")]

## time smoothed

## 11 11 0.7579377

## 23 23 2.5279545

## 24 24 1.7674532

## 25 25 1.0953245

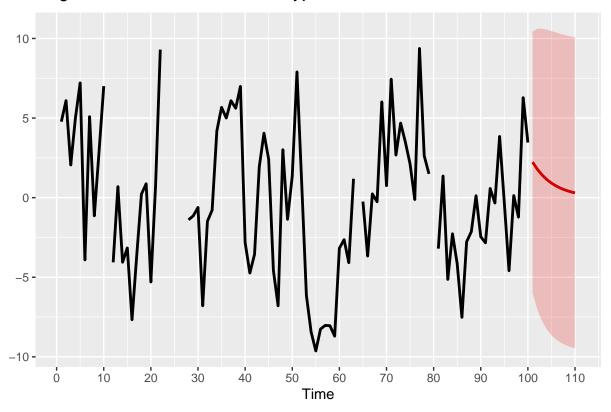
## 26 26 0.4779620
```

f.

Create a plot showing forecasted values (using the DLM forecasting methods discussed in lecture) of $y_{101:110}$ (including confidence bands), along with the original plot of $y_{1:100}$. Report the numerical values of Q_{101} and Q_{110} and provide a non-technical explanation for why the predictive variance of y_{101} is less than that y_{110} ?

```
# Forecast the next 10 values
forecast future <- dlmForecast(dlm data filtered,</pre>
                                 nAhead = 10)
forecast_data <- data.frame(</pre>
  time = 101:110,
  forecast = forecast_future$f
)
# Variance
forecast_data$Q_t <- unlist(forecast_future$Q)</pre>
forecast_data$forecast_SE <- sqrt(forecast_data$Q_t)</pre>
# Plot observed and future predictions
dlm_future_forecast_plot <- ggplot() +</pre>
  geom_line(data = dlm_data,
            aes(y = yt,
                 x = time),
             color = "black",
             size = 1) +
  geom_line(data = forecast_data,
             aes(y = forecast,
                 x = time),
             color = "red3",
            size = 1) +
  geom_ribbon(data = forecast_data,
               aes(x = time,
                   ymin = forecast - 1.96 * forecast_SE, # 95% CI
                   ymax = forecast + 1.96 * forecast_SE), # 95% CI
               fill = "red2",
```

Original and forecasted values of y_t w/ Standard Errors



Future variances

```
Q_101 <- forecast_data$Q_t[forecast_data$time == 101]
Q_101
## [1] 17.56942
Q_110 <- forecast_data$Q_t[forecast_data$time == 110]
Q_110
## [1] 24.86614</pre>
```

 $Q_{101} =$ **17.569** $Q_{110} =$ **24.866**

The predictive variance at t=101 is less than that at t=110 because there is more uncertainty as time moves further from the original data, thus we expect more variance at later time points.