

1) The sample ACF + its first difference where $n=100$

lag	1	2	3	4	5	6
ACF γ_k	.97	.97	.93	.85	.8	0.71
ACF $\nabla \gamma_k$	-.46	.6	-.02	.07	-.1	-.09

↳ ARIMA(p, q, d) where p is the order of autoregressive, d is the order of differencing, and q is the order of moving average.

↳ Spike at lag 1, therefore MA's order is 1

↳ Only 1 significant spike for partial autocorrelation so AR order is 1

↳ ARIMA(1, 0, 1)

2) Assume that $\{e_t\}$ and $\{N_t\}$ are independent Gaussian white noise series with mean zero and variance 1. Let $\{e_t\}$ and X_t follows the series $X_t = X_{t-1} + N_t$. What is the model for the observed time series $Y_t = X_t + e_t$.

$$\Rightarrow Y_t = X_t + e_t \Rightarrow Y_t = (X_{t-1} + N_t) + e_t \Rightarrow Y_t = X_{t-1} + (N_t + e_t)$$

↳ The parameters are:

↳ X_{t-1} : Lagged value of the latent process

↳ $N_t + e_t$: Sum of the white noise from random walk model and observational noise

↳ Since N_t and e_t have mean 0 and variance 1

↳ Mean: 0

Variance: 2

