

# Lecture 9

## ARIMA Models

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$MA(\infty)$

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From last time,

$$MA(q) : \quad y_t = \delta + w_t + \theta_1 w_{t-1} + \theta_2 w_{t-2} + \cdots + \theta_q w_{t-q}$$

Properties:

$$E(y_t) = \delta$$

$$\gamma(0) = \text{Var}(y_t) = (1 + \theta_1^2 + \theta_2^2 + \cdots + \theta_q^2) \sigma_w^2$$

$$\gamma(h) = \begin{cases} \theta_h + \theta_1 \theta_{1+h} + \theta_2 \theta_{2+h} + \cdots + \theta_{q-h} \theta_q & \text{if } h \in \{1, \dots, q\} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

and is stationary for any values of  $(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_q)$

If we let  $q \rightarrow \infty$  then process will be stationary if and only if the moving average coefficients ( $\theta$ 's) are square summable, i.e.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \theta_i^2 < \infty$$

which is necessary such that  $Var(y_t) < \infty$  so that the weak stationarity are met.

Sometimes, a slightly stronger condition known as absolute summability,

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} |\theta_i| < \infty$$

, is necessary (e.g. for some CLT related asymptotic results).

## Invertibility

If an  $MA(q)$  process,  $y_t = \delta + \theta_q(L)w_t$ , can be rewritten as a stationary  $AR$  process then the process is said to be invertible.

$MA(1)$  w/  $\delta = 0$  example:

$$y_t = w_t + \theta v_{t-1}$$

$$w_t = y_t - \theta w_{t-1}$$

$$= y_t - \theta (y_{t-1} - \theta w_{t-2})$$

$$= y_t - \theta y_{t-1} + \theta^2 w_{t-2}$$

$$= y_t - \theta y_{t-1} + \theta^2 y_{t-2} - \theta^3 w_{t-3}$$

$\vdots$

$$= y_t + \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} (-\theta)^i y_{t-i} = y_t + \sum_{i=1}^p (-\theta)^i y_{t-i} + (-\theta)^{p+1} v_{t-p-1}$$

stationary if  $|\theta| < 1$

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So using our results w.r.t.  $\phi(L)$  it follows that if all of the roots of  $\theta_q(L)$  are outside the complex unit circle then the moving average process is invertible.



$$\text{AR}(1): \quad Y_t = \phi Y_{t-1} + w_t$$

$$Y_1 = v_1$$

$$Y_2 = \phi Y_{t-1} + w_2 = \phi v_1 + w_2$$

$$Y_3 = \phi Y_2 + w_3 = \phi^2 v_1 + \phi w_2 + w_3$$

⋮

$$Y_t = v_t + \sum_{i=1}^{t-1} \phi^i w_i$$

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Note that  $\Delta$  can even be expressed in terms of the lag operator  $L$ ,

$$\Delta^d = (1 - L)^d$$

Using the two component time series model

$$y_t = \mu_t + x_t$$

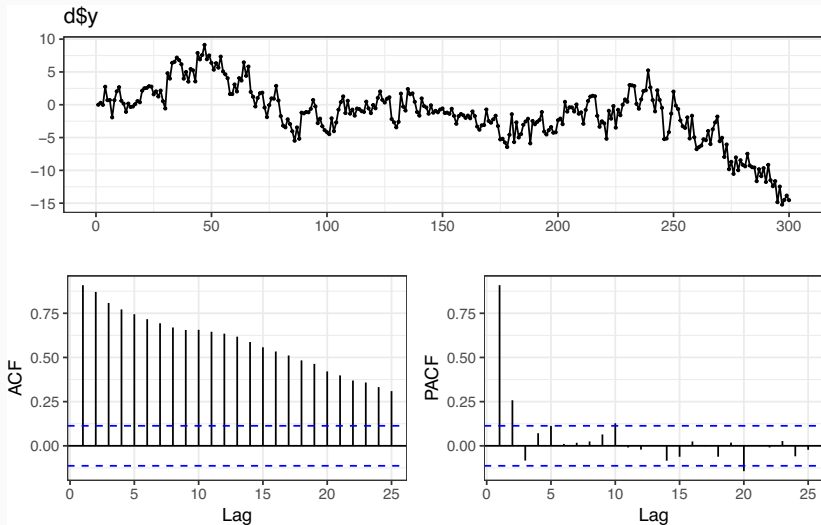
where  $\mu_t$  is a non-stationary trend component and  $x_t$  is a mean zero stationary component.

We have already shown that differencing can address deterministic trend (e.g.  $\mu_t = \beta_0 + \beta_1 t$ ). In fact, if  $\mu_t$  is any  $k$ -th order polynomial of  $t$  then  $\Delta^k y_t$  is stationary.

Differencing can also address stochastic trend such as in the case where  $\mu_t$  follows a random walk.

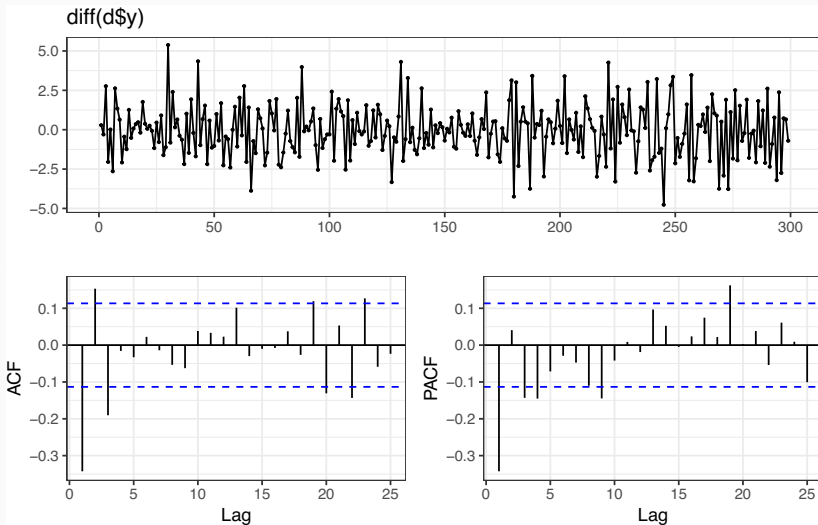
## Stochastic trend - Example 1

Let  $y_t = \mu_t + w_t$  where  $w_t$  is white noise and  $\mu_t = \mu_{t-1} + v_t$  with  $v_t$  being a stationary process with mean 0.



# Differenced stochastic trend

```
forecast::ggtstdisplay(diff(d$y))
```





# Stationary?

Is  $y_t$  stationary?

$$\mu_0 = 0$$

$$\mu_1 = v_1$$

$$\mu_2 = v_1 + v_2$$

$$\mu_3 = v_1 + v_2 + v_3$$

⋮

$$\mu_t = \sum_{i=1}^t v_i$$

$$y_t = \mu_t + w_t$$

$$\mu_t = \mu_{t-1} + v_t$$

$$y_t = \sum_{i=1}^t v_i + w_t$$

$$(1) E(y_t) = 0$$

$$(2) \text{Var}(y_t) = \text{Var}\left(\sum v_i\right) + \text{Var}(w_t)$$
$$= \sum_{i=1}^t \sigma_v^2 + \sigma_w^2$$
$$= t \sigma_v^2 + \sigma_w^2$$

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \text{Var}(y_t) = \infty$$



# Difference Stationary?

Is  $\Delta y_t$  stationary?

$$y_t = \sum_{i=1}^t v_i + w_t$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta y_t &= y_t - y_{t-1} \\ &= \left( \sum_{i=1}^t v_i + w_t \right) - \left( \sum_{i=1}^{t-1} v_i + w_{t-1} \right) \\ &= v_t + w_t - w_{t-1}\end{aligned}$$

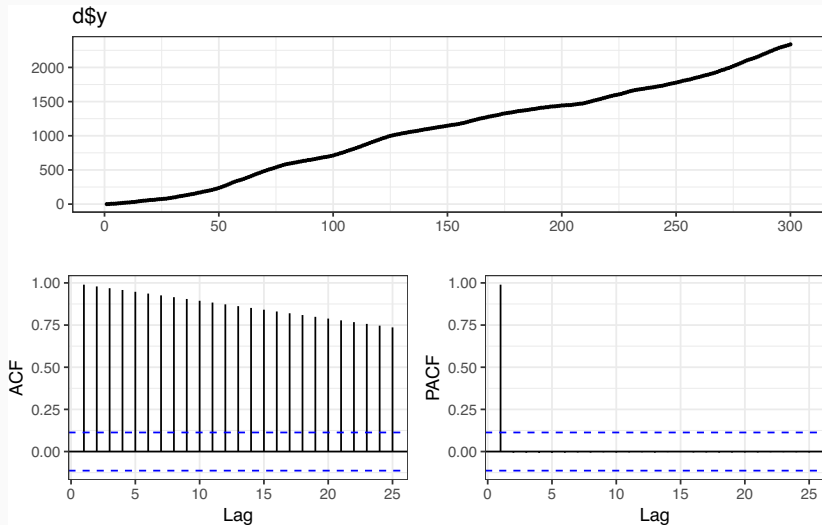
✓ (1)  $E(\Delta y_t) = 0$

✓ (2)  $\text{Var}(\Delta y_t) = \sigma_v^2 + 2\sigma_w^2$

✓ (3)  $\gamma(h) = \begin{cases} \sigma_v^2 + 2\sigma_w^2 & \text{if } h=0 \\ \sigma_w^2 & \text{if } |h|=1 \\ 0 & \text{if } |h| > 1 \end{cases}$

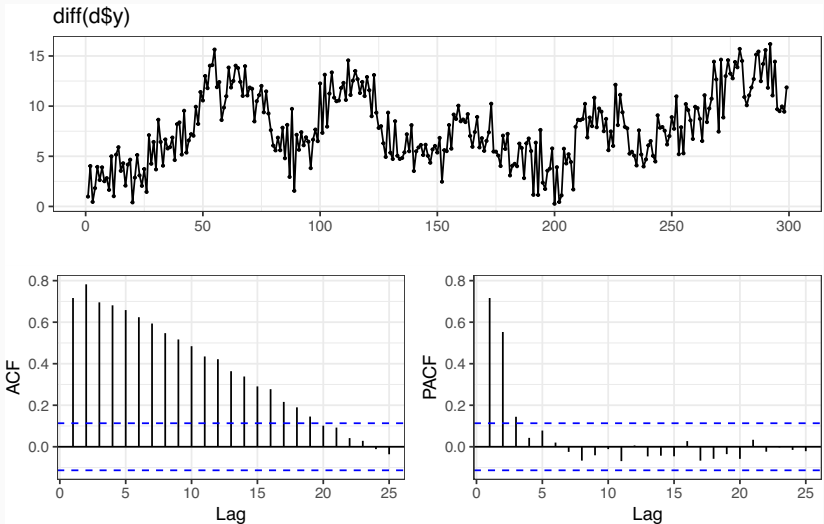
## Stochastic trend - Example 2

Let  $y_t = \mu_t + w_t$  where  $w_t$  is white noise and  $\mu_t = \mu_{t-1} + v_t$  but now  $v_t = v_{t-1} + e_t$  with  $e_t$  being stationary.



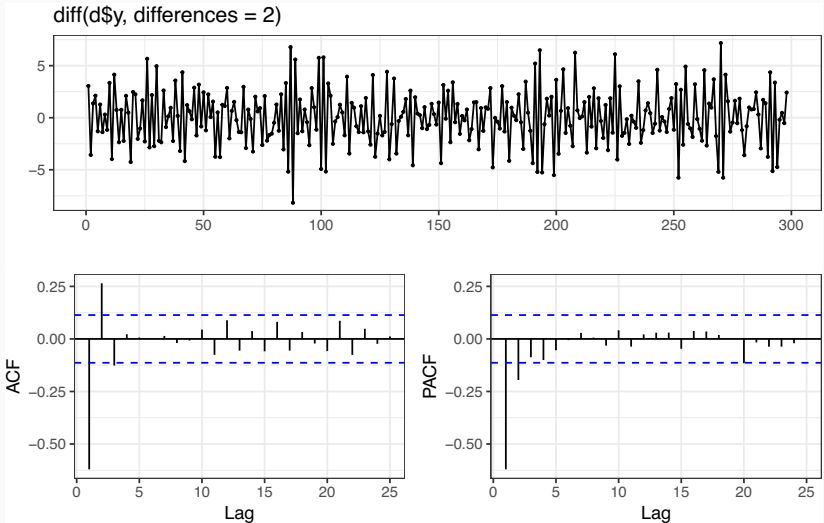
# Differenced stochastic trend

```
forecast::ggsdisplay(diff(d$y))
```



# Twice differenced stochastic trend

```
forecast::ggsdisplay(diff(d$y,differences = 2))
```



# Difference stationary?

Is  $y_t$  stationary?

$$v_t = v_{t-1} + e_t$$

$$v_0 = 0$$

$$v_1 = e_1$$

$$v_2 = e_1 + e_2$$

$$v_3 = e_1 + e_2 + e_3$$

$\vdots$

$t$

$$v_t = \sum_{i=1}^t e_i$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_t &= \mu_{t-1} + v_t \\ &= \mu_{t-1} + \sum_{i=1}^t e_i \end{aligned}$$

$$\mu_0 = 0$$

$$\mu_1 = \mu_0 + e_1 = e_1$$

$$\mu_2 = \mu_1 + e_2 + e_1 = 2e_1 + e_2$$

$$\mu_3 = 3e_1 + 2e_2 + e_3$$

$\vdots$

$$\mu_t = \sum_{i=1}^t (t+1-i) e_i$$

$$y_t = \sum_{i=1}^t (t+1-i) e_i + w_t$$

(1)  $E(y_t) = 0$

~~(2)  $\text{Var}(y_t) < \infty$~~

## Difference stationary?

Is  $\Delta y_t$  stationary?

$$y_t = \sum_{i=1}^t (t+1-i) e_i + w_t$$

①  $E(\Delta y_t) = 0$

$$\Delta y_t = y_t - y_{t-1}$$

$$= (\mu_t + w_t) - (\mu_{t-1} + w_{t-1})$$

$$= (\mu_t - \mu_{t-1}) + (w_t - w_{t-1})$$

$$= (\cancel{\mu_{t-1}} + w_t - \cancel{\mu_{t-1}}) + (w_t - w_{t-1})$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^t e_i + (w_t - w_{t-1})$$

~~②~~  $\text{Var}(\Delta y_t)$   
 $= t\sigma_e^2 + 2\sigma_w^2$

## 2nd order difference stationary?

What about  $\Delta^2 y_t$ , is it stationary?  $\Delta y_t = v_t + w_t - w_{t-1}$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta^2 y_t &= (v_t + w_t - w_{t-1}) - (v_{t-1} + w_{t-1} - v_{t-2}) \\ &= (v_t - v_{t-1}) + (w_t - 2w_{t-1} + v_{t-2}) \\ &= (\cancel{v_{t-1}} + e_t - \cancel{v_{t-1}}) + (w_t - 2w_{t-1} + v_{t-2}) \\ &= e_t + (w_t - 2w_{t-1} + v_{t-2})\end{aligned}$$

①  $E(\Delta^2 y_t) = 0$

②  $\text{Var}(\Delta^2 y_t) = \sigma_e^2 + \sigma_v^2 + 4\sigma_w^2 + \sigma_v^2 = \sigma_e^2 + 6\sigma_w^2$

③  $\text{Cov}(\Delta^2 y_t, \Delta^2 y_{t-1}) = ?$



→ differencing

ARIMA

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Autoregressive integrated moving average are just an extension of an *ARMA* model to include differencing of degree  $d$  to  $y_t$  before including the autoregressive and moving average components.

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Box-Jenkins approach:

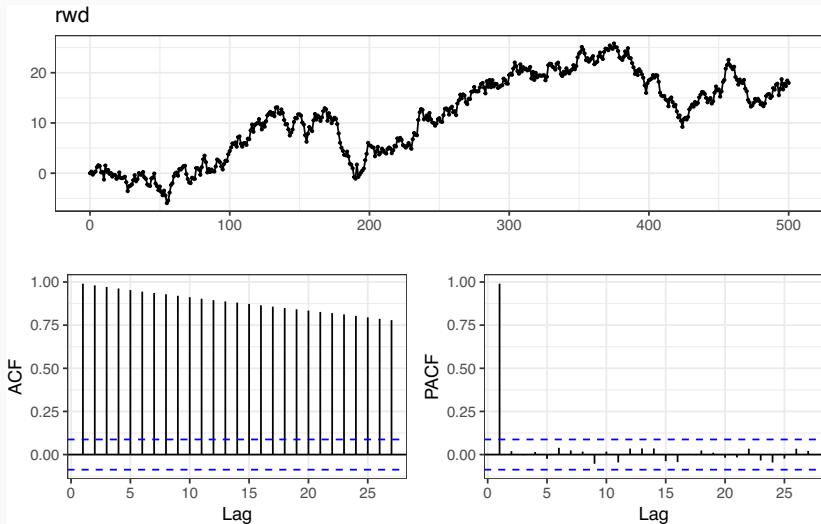
1. Transform data if necessary to stabilize variance
2. Choose order  $(p, d, q)$  of ARIMA model
3. Estimate model parameters  $(\delta, \phi_s, \text{ and } \theta_s) + \sigma_w^2$
4. Diagnostics

## Using forecast - random walk with drift

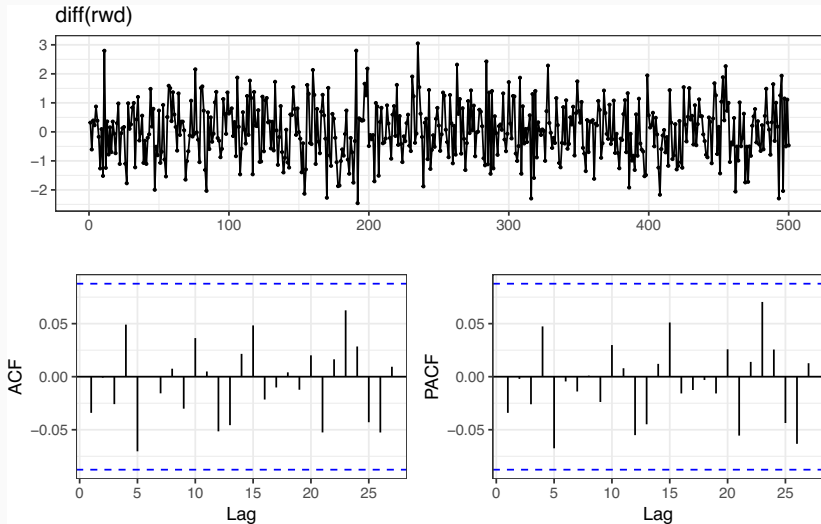
Some of R's base timeseries handling is a bit wonky, the `forecast` package offers some useful alternatives and additional functionality.

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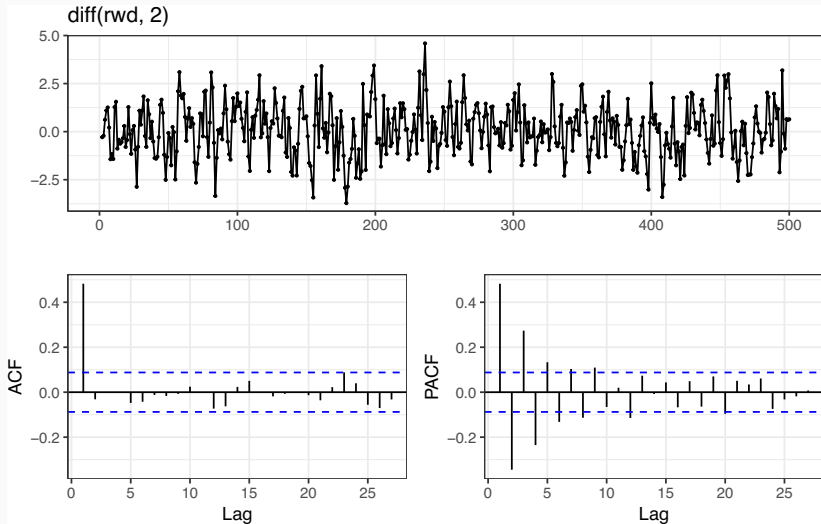
forecast::Arima(rwd, order = c(0,1,0), include.constant = TRUE)
## Series: rwd
## ARIMA(0,1,0) with drift
##
## Coefficients:
##      drift
##      0.0359
## s.e.  0.0435
##
## sigma^2 estimated as 0.95:  log likelihood=-696.15
## AIC=1396.31  AICc=1396.33  BIC=1404.74
```



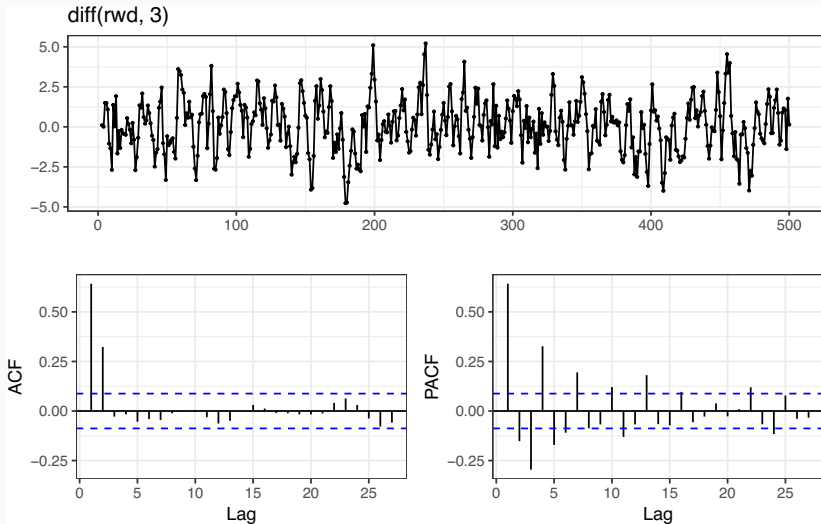
# Differencing - Order 1



## Differencing - Order 2

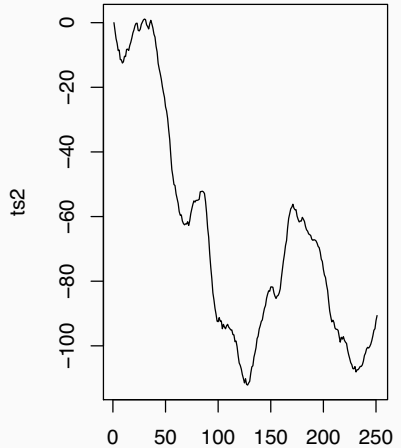
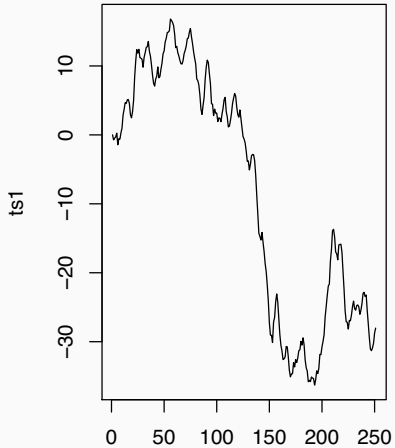


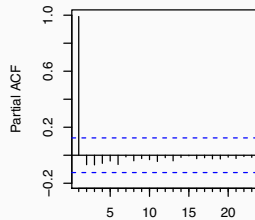
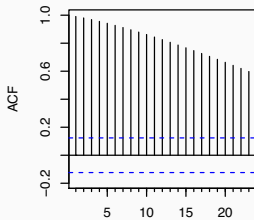
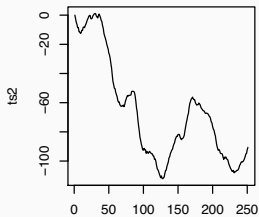
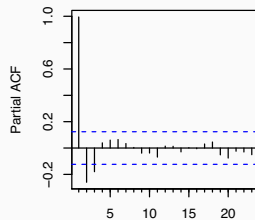
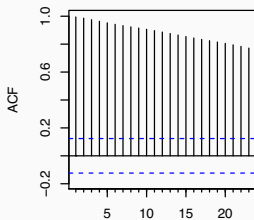
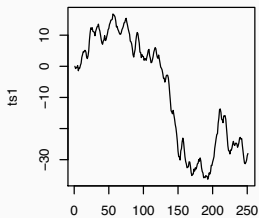
## Differencing - Order 3





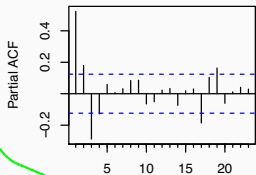
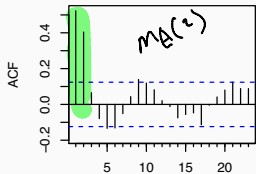
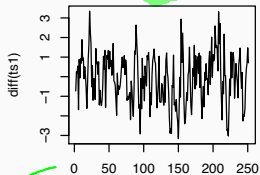
# AR or MA - Time Series 1?



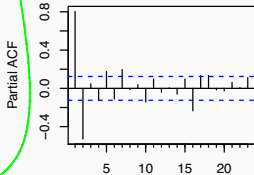
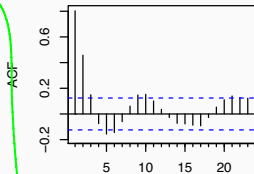
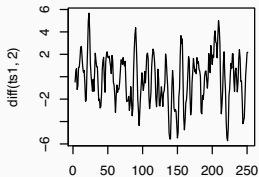


# ts1 - Finding $d$

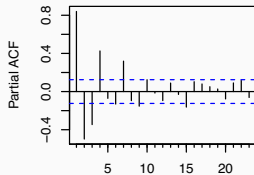
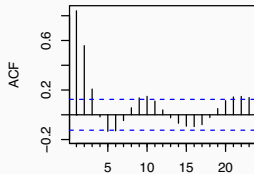
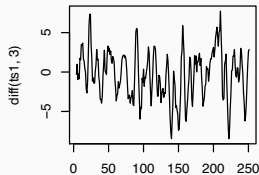
**d=1**



**d=2**

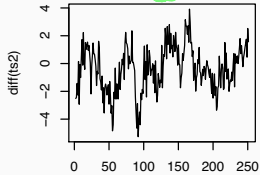


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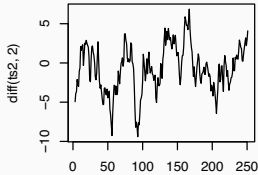


# ts2 - Finding $d$

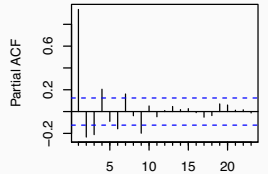
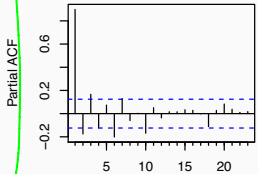
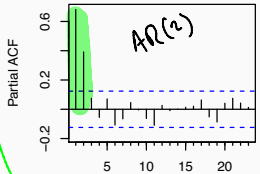
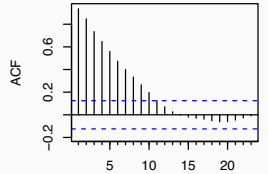
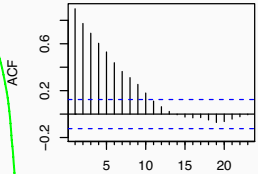
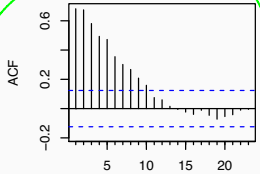
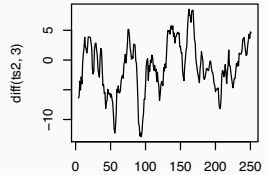
**d=1**



**d=2**



**d=3**



p	d	q	aic	aicc	bic
0	1	0	830.71	830.73	834.23
1	1	0	751.57	751.62	758.61
2	1	0	745.00	745.10	755.56
0	1	1	784.70	784.75	791.74
1	1	1	749.63	749.73	760.20
2	1	1	739.39	739.55	753.47
0	1	2	726.90	727.00	737.47
1	1	2	723.19	723.35	737.27
2	1	2	725.14	725.39	742.75

p	d	q	aic	aicc	bic
0	1	0	967.07	967.09	970.60
1	1	0	800.69	800.74	807.74
2	1	0	756.04	756.14	766.61
0	1	1	885.78	885.83	892.82
1	1	1	762.34	762.43	772.90
2	1	1	756.77	756.93	770.85
0	1	2	822.62	822.72	833.19
1	1	2	756.88	757.05	770.97
2	1	2	758.50	758.74	776.10

Fitted:

```
forecast::Arima(ts1, order = c(0,1,2))
## Series: ts1
## ARIMA(0,1,2)
##
## Coefficients:
##          ma1      ma2
##      0.3823  0.5217
## s.e.  0.0522  0.0613
##
## sigma^2 estimated as 1.052: log likelihood=-360.45
## AIC=726.9   AICc=727   BIC=737.47
```

Truth:

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ts1 = arima.sim(n=250, model=list(order=c(0,1,2), ma=c(0.4,0.5)))
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Fitted:

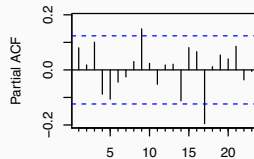
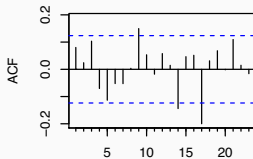
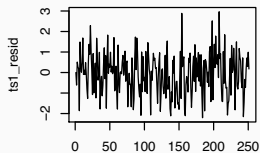
```
forecast::Arima(ts2, order = c(2,1,0))
## Series: ts2
## ARIMA(2,1,0)
##
## Coefficients:
##          ar1      ar2
##          0.4148  0.4148
## s.e.      0.0573  0.0578
##
## sigma^2 estimated as 1.181: log likelihood=-375.02
## AIC=756.04  AICc=756.14  BIC=766.61
```

Truth:

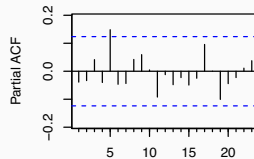
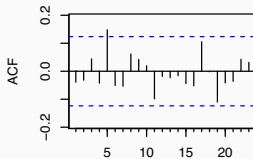
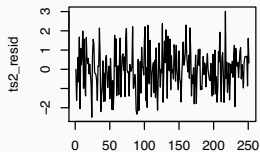
```
ts2 = arima.sim(n=250, model=list(order=c(2,1,0), ar=c(0.4,0.5)))
```



## ts1 Residuals



## ts2 Residuals



ts1:

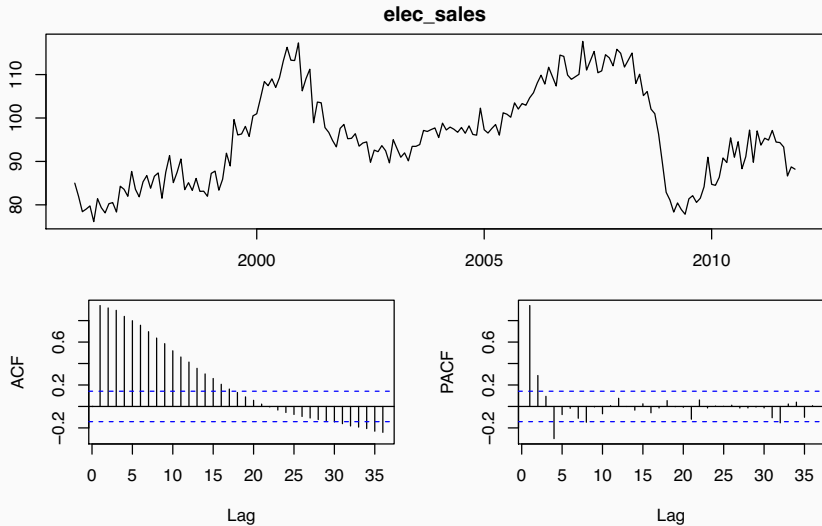
```
forecast::auto.arima(ts1)
## Series: ts1
## ARIMA(1,1,2)
##
## Coefficients:
##          ar1      ma1      ma2
##      0.2804  0.1838  0.4512
## s.e.  0.1199  0.1092  0.0736
##
## sigma^2 estimated as 1.033:  log likelihood=-357.59
## AIC=723.19  AICc=723.35  BIC=737.27
```

ts2:

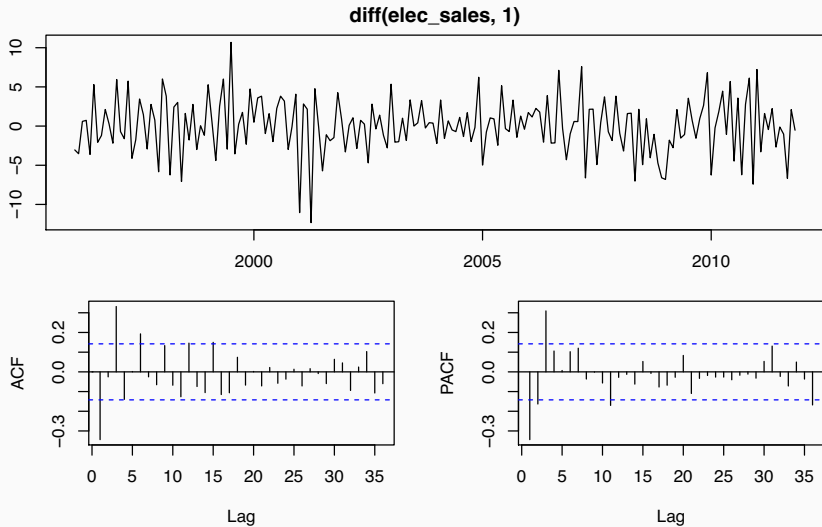
```
forecast::auto.arima(ts2)
## Series: ts2
## ARIMA(1,2,1)
##
## Coefficients:
##          ar1      ma1
##      -0.3052  -0.2661
## s.e.   0.1184   0.1217
##
## sigma^2 estimated as 1.227:  log likelihood=-377.92
## AIC=761.84  AICc=761.94  BIC=772.4
```

## Electrical Equipment Sales

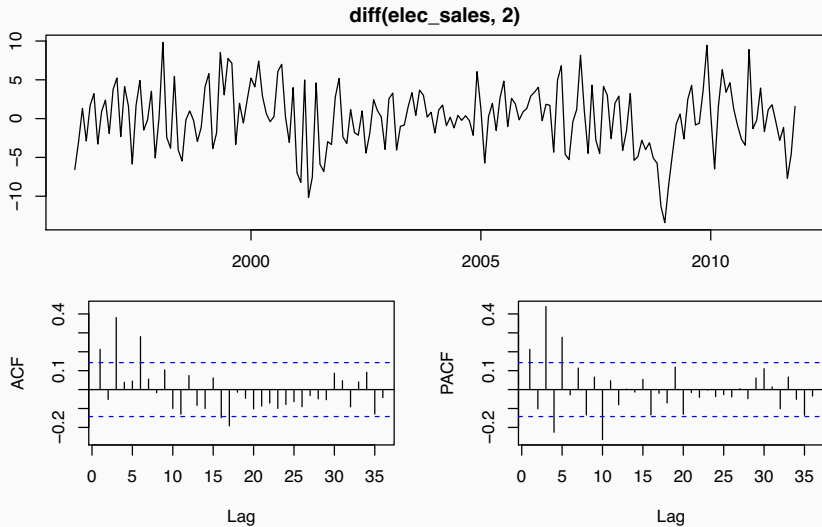
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# 1st order differencing



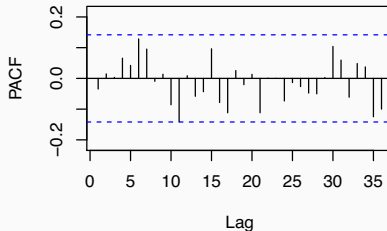
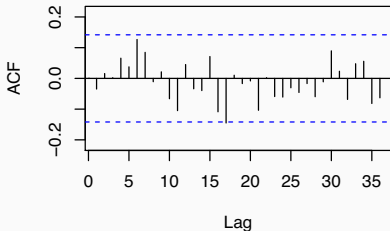
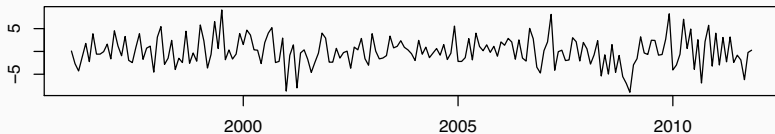
## 2nd order differencing



```
forecast::Arima(elec_sales, order = c(3,1,0))
## Series: elec_sales
## ARIMA(3,1,0)
##
## Coefficients:
##          ar1      ar2      ar3
##      -0.3488  -0.0386  0.3139
## s.e.   0.0690   0.0736  0.0694
##
## sigma^2 estimated as 9.853:  log likelihood=-485.67
## AIC=979.33  AICc=979.55  BIC=992.32
```

# Residuals

```
forecast::Arima(elec_sales, order = c(3,1,0)) %>% residuals() %>%  
forecast::tsdisplay(points=FALSE)
```





# Model Comparison

Model choices:

```
forecast::Arima(elec_sales, order = c(3,1,0))$aicc  
## [1] 979.5477
```

```
forecast::Arima(elec_sales, order = c(3,1,1))$aicc  
## [1] 978.4925
```

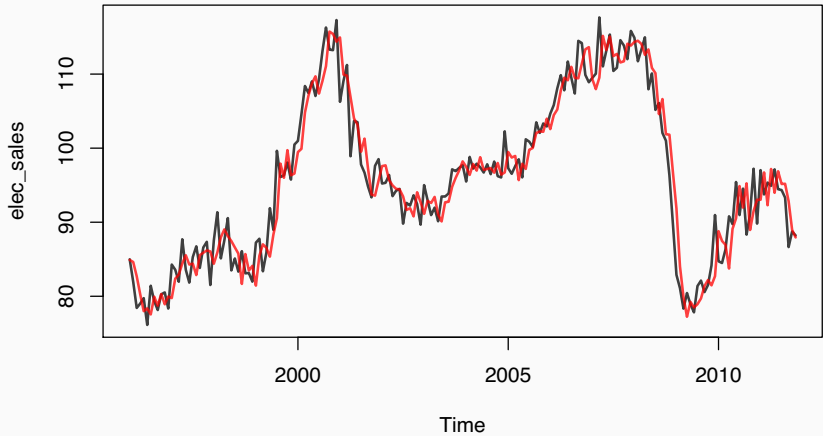
```
forecast::Arima(elec_sales, order = c(4,1,0))$aicc  
## [1] 979.2309
```

```
forecast::Arima(elec_sales, order = c(2,1,0))$aicc  
## [1] 996.8085
```

Automatic selection:

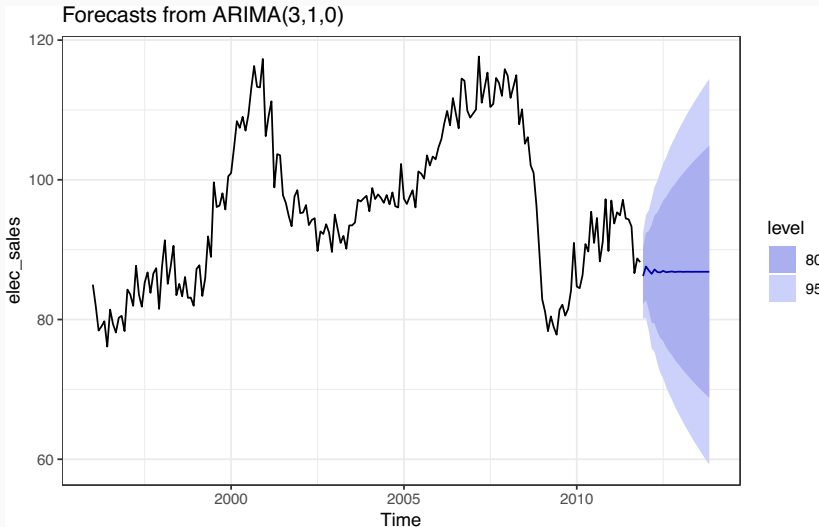
```
forecast::auto.arima(elec_sales)  
## Series: elec_sales  
## ARIMA(3,1,1)  
##  
## Coefficients:  
##          ar1      ar2      ar3      ma1  
##          0.0519  0.1191  0.3730 -0.4542  
## s.e.      0.1840  0.0888  0.0679  0.1993  
##  
## sigma^2 estimated as 9.737: log likelihood=-484.08  
## AIC=978.17  AICc=978.49  BIC=994.4
```

# Model fit



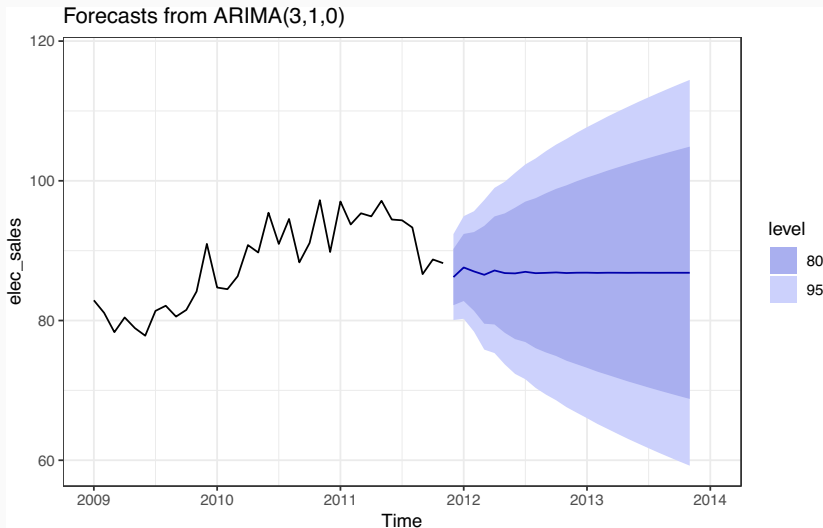
# Model forecast

```
forecast::Arima(elec_sales, order = c(3,1,0)) %>%  
  forecast::forecast() %>% autoplot()
```



## Model forecast - Zoom

```
forecast::Arima(elec_sales, order = c(3,1,0)) %>%  
  forecast::forecast() %>% autoplot() + xlim(2009,2014)
```



## General Guidance

1. Positive autocorrelations out to a large number of lags usually indicates a need for differencing
2. Slightly too much or slightly too little differencing can be corrected by adding AR or MA terms respectively.
3. A model with no differencing usually includes a constant term, a model with two or more orders (rare) differencing usually does not include a constant term.
4. After differencing, if the PACF has a sharp cutoff then consider adding AR terms to the model.
5. After differencing, if the ACF has a sharp cutoff then consider adding an MA term to the model.
6. It is possible for an AR term and an MA term to cancel each other's effects, so try models with one fewer AR term and one fewer MA term.