

## TIME SERIES ANALYSIS FOR ENERGY DATA

# M3 - Trend and Seasonality | Stationarity **Tests**

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# Learning Goals

- □ Trend Component
	- ¤ Linear and Non-linear
	- **□** How to Estimate Linear Trend
	- **□** How to Model/Remove Linear Trend from a Series
- □ Seasonal Trend
	- **□** How to Estimate Seasonal Trend
	- **□** How to Model/Remove Seasonal Trend from a Series
- $\square$  Stationarity Tests

## Time Series Components

 $\Box$  A time series may have the following components:



# Causes of Variation in TS data

#### □ Calendar: seasons, holidays, weekends

#### **Interest**

- Trend of usage over time
- Popularity of games
- Weekly cycle of usage

#### **Knowledge**

- Usage up on the weekend and down during the week
- Increased usage during holidays
- Summer time: weekdays/weekends blend together

**Example** The Complete over time – daily basis



# Causes of Variation in TS data

- □ Natural calamities: earthquake, epidemic, flood, drought
- $\square$  Political movements or changes, policies, war
- □ Example



Source: https://fred.stlouisfed.org/series/GASREGW#



## Trend Component

□ Long-term tendency

 $\blacksquare$  Increase (upward movement) or

- **¤ Decrease (downward movement)**
- $\square$  Trend can be linear or non-linear



## Non-linear Trend

### **Polynomial trend**

□ Example: quadratic trend  $Y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 T_i + \beta_2 T_i^2 + \varepsilon_i$ 

#### □ Or any other order



### **Exponential trend**  $Y_i = (e^{\beta_0 + \beta_1 T_i}) \varepsilon_i$

Can be transformed into linear trend

$$
\ln Y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 T_i + \ln \varepsilon_i
$$



**Most of the time we assume a linear trend to simplify the analysis**

## Linear Trend Component

 $\square$  For a linear trend we can write

$$
Y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 t_i + \varepsilon_i
$$

 $\Box$  **Slope** ( $\beta_1$ ) and the **intercept** ( $\beta_0$ ) are the unknown parameters, and  $\varepsilon_i$  is the **error term** 



## Linear Trend Estimation

- $\Box$  How do we estimate  $\beta_0$  and  $\beta_1$ ?
- □ One approach: Least Squares Method
	- $\blacksquare$  We want to minimize

$$
Q(\beta_0, \beta_1) = \sum_{t=1}^T [Y_t - (\beta_0 + \beta_1 t)]^2
$$

- **□** How de we minimize this function?
	- **n** By taking the partial derivatives of  $Q(\beta_0, \beta_1)$  with respect to the coefficients  $\beta_0$  e  $\beta_1$
	- **n** QR decomposition

#### **We will use R to solve it!**

# Estimating Linear Trend in R

- $\Box$  The function for simple linear regression in R is the *lm()* from package "stats", where *lm* stands for "linear model"
- $\Box$  The arguments you will need to provide are



Note: vectors *Y* and *t* should be in data frame format

## Linear Trend Estimation and Removal

1. Model the trend: find  $\beta_0$  and  $\beta_1$ 

2. For each observation  $t$  remove trend

$$
Y_{detrend_t} = Y_t - (\beta_0 + \beta_1 t)
$$

## Moving Average for Non-Linaer Trend Estimation

- $\square$  Smooth out the trend with something like a rolling average
	- A moving average trendline smooth out fluctuations in data to show a pattern or trend more clearly
	- Which order to use for the moving average?
- $\square$  Looking at the rolling average makes it easier to tell how the trend is moving underneath the noise





# Amazon River Inflow in  $m^3/s$



## Trend visualization



## Trend visualization



Residual standard error: 12400 on 966 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.0005328, Adjusted R-squared: -0.0005018 F-statistic: 0.515 on 1 and 966 DF, p-value: 0.4732

## Linear vs Smoothed Trend





## Do you still see any patterns?





## Seasonal Component

□ Short-term regular wave-like patterns

■ Observed within 1 year - monthly or quarterly

**¤ Equally spaced peaks and troughs Calendar** 



**Related**

**Peaks in the Summer months Jun/Jul/Ago**

# Seasonal Component Estimation

- **1. Smoothing the trend** with a moving average
- **2. De-trend the series**
	- $\blacksquare$  Additive Model
		- take original series and **subtract** the smoothed trend

$$
Y_{seasonal} = Y - Y_{trend}
$$

- **E** Multiplicative model
	- scales the size of the seasonal component as the trend rises or falls
	- **n** take original series and **divide** the original data by the trend

$$
Y_{seasonal} = \frac{Y}{Y_{trend}}
$$

# Additive vs Multiplicative Model



- □ In the **additive model** the magnitude of seasonality does not change in relation to time
- □ In the **multiplicative model** the magnitude of the seasonal pattern depends on the magnitude/level of the data.

## Seasonal Trend Estimation (cont'd)

3. Assume the observed detrended series can be represented as

 $Y_{seasonal_t} = \mu_t + X_t$  where  $E[X_t] = 0$ 

■ For monthly seasonal data assume 12 parameters such as

**Seasonal** 

**Means Model**

$$
\mu_t = \begin{cases}\n\beta_1 & \text{for } t = 1, 13, 25, \cdots \\
\beta_2 & \text{for } t = 2, 14, 26, \cdots \\
\vdots & \vdots \\
\beta_{12} & \text{for } t = 12, 24, 36, \cdots\n\end{cases}
$$

## Seasonal Trend Estimation (cont'd)

4. Estimate the parameters  $\beta_1$ ,  $\beta_2$ , ...  $\beta_{12}$ 

Create dummies (categorical variables with 2 levels)

$$
D_{s,t} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } t \text{ belongs to season } s \\ 0 & \text{o.w.} \end{cases} \quad \text{for } s = 1, 2, \dots 12
$$

At any time period t, one of the seasonal dummies  $D_{1,t}$ ,  $D_{2,t}$ ,...,  $D_{12,t}$  will equal 1, all the others will equal 0



 $Y_{seasonal_{t}}=\beta_1D_{1,t}+\beta_2D_{2,t}+\beta_3D_{3,t}+\beta_4D_{4,t}+\beta_5D_{5,t}+\beta_6D_{6,t}+\beta_7D_{7,t}+\beta_8D_{8,t}+\beta_9D_{9,t}+\beta_{10}D_{10,t}+\beta_1D_{11,t}+\beta_{12}D_{12,t}$ 

# Seasonal Trend Estimation (cont'd)

5. Write series  $Y_{seasonal}$  as a function of the dummies

$$
Y_{seasonal_t} = \sum_{s=1}^{12} \beta_s D_{s,t}
$$

6. Compute coefficients by linear regression

## Estimating Seasonal Trend in R

- ¨ First create seasonal dummies using *seasonaldummy()* from package "forecast"  $dummies = seasonal dummy(Y)$
- $\Box$  This will only work if Y is a time series object and if you specify frequency

$$
Y = ts(Y, frequency = 12)
$$

 $\Box$  Then just run a simple regression on the dummies  $lm(Y \sim dummies, data)$ 

# Back to example: Inflow

## Detrended Series with Additive Model

$$
Y_{detrend_t} = Y_t - Trend_t
$$



## Seasonal Component Visualization



### Seasonal + Trend Decomposition



## Stochastic versus deterministic trend

## Series with Deterministic Trend

□ Deterministic linear trend process

$$
Y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 t_i + \varepsilon_i
$$

□ Or more generally, for a polynomial trend

$$
Y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 T_i + \beta_2 T_i^2 + \dots + \beta_n T_i^n + \varepsilon_i
$$

- $\Box$  Detrending is accomplished by running a regression and obtaining the series of residuals. The residuals will give you the detrended series
- ¨ That's what we call **trend-stationarity**

## Series with Stochastic Trend

- □ But some series have what we call **difference stationarity**
- □ Although trend-stationary and difference-stationary series are both "trending" over time, the stationarity is achieved by a distinct procedure
- $\Box$  In the case of difference-stationarity, stationarity is achieved by differencing the series
- $\square$  Sometimes we need to difference the series more than once

### Trend-stationarity vs difference-stationarity





## Stationarity Assessment

- ¨ **Mann-Kendall Test– monotonic trend**
- ¨ **Spearman's Rank Correlation Test – monotonic trend**

### ¨ **Dickey-Fuller (ADF) Test – unit root**

- $\Box$  Phillips-Perron (PP) Test unit root
- $\Box$  Kitawoski-Phillips-Schmidt-Shin (KPSS) unit root

 $\square$  And others...

## Review: Hypothesis Testing

- $\Box$  Why do we use hypothesis testing?
	- **□** To analyze evidence provided by data
	- $\blacksquare$  To make decisions based on data
- $\square$  What is a statistical hypothesis?
	- An assumption about a population parameter that may or may not be true
- $\Box$  In Hypothesis Testing we usually have

 $\left\{ \right.$  $H_0$ : the null hypothesis  $H_1$ : the alternative hypothesis

# Review: Hypothesis Testing (cont'd)

#### □ Procedure

- 1. State the hypotheses and identify the claim
- 2. Find the critical value(s) from the appropriate table
- 3. Compute the test value
- 4. Make the decision to reject or not reject the null hypothesis

If *P*-value  $\leq \alpha$ , reject the null hypothesis. If *P*-value  $>\alpha$ , **do not reject** the null hypothesis.



# Mann-Kendall Test

 $\Box$  Commonly employed to detect deterministic trends in series of environmental data, climate data or hydrological data

- **□ Cannot be applied to seasonal data**
- $\Box$  Hypothesis Test

 $\left\{ \right\}$  $H_0: Y_t$  is i.i.d. (stationary)  $H_1: Y_t$  follow a trend

## Mann-Kendall Test

□ Mann-Kendall statistic is

$$
S = \sum_{k=1}^{N-1} \sum_{j=k+1}^{N} sgn(Y_j - Y_k)
$$

where

$$
sgn(Y_j - Y_k) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if} \quad Y_j - Y_k > 0 \\ 0 & \text{if} \quad Y_j - Y_k = 0 \\ -1 & \text{if} \quad Y_j - Y_k < 0 \end{cases}
$$

- $\Box$  The test will check the magnitude of S and its significance based on the number of observations
- $\Box$  In other words, the bigger the number of observations the higher S will need to be

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$$

$$
E[S] = 0
$$
  
Var[S] =  $\sigma_S^2 = \frac{1}{18}n(n-1)(2n+5)$   $\tau = \frac{2S}{N(N-1)}$ 

Under  $H_0$ ,  $Z$  follow a standard normal distribution

$$
Z = \begin{cases} \frac{(S-1)}{\sigma_s} & \text{if } s > 0\\ 0 & \text{if } s = 0\\ \frac{(S+1)}{\sigma_s} & \text{if } s < 0 \end{cases}
$$
 Reject  $H_0$  when  $Z < Z_{\alpha/2}$ 

## Mann-Kendall test in R

#### The Mann-Kendall test in R is done with the command MannKendall() from package "Kendall"

```
Description
```
This is a test for monotonic trend in a time series z[t] based on the Kendall rank correlation of z[t] and t.

**Usage** 

```
MannKendall(x)
```
**Arguments** 

```
a vector of data, often a time series
x
```
**Details** 

The test was suggested by Mann (1945) and has been extensively used with environmental time series (Hipel and McLeod, 2005). For autocorrelated time series, the block bootstrap may be used to obtain an improved signficance test.

#### □ For seasonal data you can use SeasonalMannKendall() from the same package

## Spearman's Rank Correlation Coefficient

 $\square$  Spearman's correlation coefficient is a statistical measure of the strength of a monotonic relationship



## Spearman's Rank Correlation Coefficient

 $\Box$  To verify a monotonic trend in your data, compute the spearman correlation between your data and series  $T$ 

 $Y_2$  2  $Y_3$  3  $\ddot{a}$   $\ddot{a}$   $\ddot{a}$   $\ddot{a}$   $\ddot{a}$   $\ddot{a}$  $Y_{N-2}$   $N-2$  $Y_{N-1}$   $N-1$  $Y_N$  N  $Y_t$   $T$ 

- $\Box$  If the correlation is close to 0,  $\frac{Y_1}{Y_2}$  1 1 then there is no trend
	- The function to compute spearman correlation is cor() or the cor.test() from package "stats". The latter provides the significance of the coefficient

## Dickey-Fuller Test

 $\Box$  The first work on testing for a unit root in time series was done by Dickey and Fuller **White noise series**  $\square$  Consider the model Frend Stationary

$$
Y_t = a + \phi Y_{t-1} + \epsilon_t
$$

 $\Box$  The objective is to test

 $\int_{U} H_0: \phi = 1$  (*i.e. contain a unit root*)  $H_1$ :  $|\phi| < 1$  (i.e. is stationary

 $\Box$  More general case can include more lags, the so called Augmented Dickey-Fuller (ADF) test



## Dickey-Fuller Test in R

### $\Box$  The ADF test in R is done with the command adf.test() from package "tseries"

#### **Description**

Computes the Augmented Dickey-Fuller test for the null that x has a unit root.

#### **Usage**

```
\text{adf.test}(x, \text{ alternative} = c("stationary", "explosive"),k = \text{trunc}((\text{length}(x)-1)^(1/3)))
```
#### **Arguments**



# Summary of Stationary Tests





# THANK YOU !

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