



Time Series Analysis

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Outline of the lecture

Chapter 9 – Multivariate time series



Transfer function models with ARMA input

$$Y_t = \frac{\omega(B)}{\delta(B)} B^b X_t + \frac{\theta_\varepsilon(B)}{\varphi_\varepsilon(B)} \varepsilon_t$$
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we require $\{\varepsilon_t\}$ and $\{\eta_t\}$ to be mutually uncorrelated.



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From the above we get

$$\delta(B)\varphi_\varepsilon(B)Y_t = \varphi_\varepsilon(B)\omega(B)B^b X_t + \delta(B)\theta_\varepsilon(B)\varepsilon_t$$
$$\varphi_\eta(B)X_t = \theta_\eta(B)\eta_t$$

The term including X_t on the RHS is moved to the LHS



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$$\begin{aligned} \delta(B)\varphi_\varepsilon(B)Y_t - \varphi_\varepsilon(B)\omega(B)B^b X_t &= \delta(B)\theta_\varepsilon(B)\varepsilon_t \\ \varphi_\eta(B)X_t &= \theta_\eta(B)\eta_t \end{aligned}$$

Which can be written in matrix notation



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For multivariate ARMA-models we replace the zeroes by polynomials in B , allow non-zero correlation between ε_t and η_t , and generalize to more dimensions



Multivariate ARMA models

- The model can be written

$$\phi(B)(\mathbf{Y}_t - \mathbf{c}) = \theta(B)\epsilon_t$$

- The individual time series may have been transformed and differenced
- The variance-covariance matrix of the multivariate white noise process $\{\epsilon_t\}$ is denoted Σ .
- The matrices $\phi(B)$ and $\theta(B)$ has elements which are polynomials in the backshift operator
- The diagonal elements has leading terms of unity
- The off-diagonal elements have leading terms of zero (i.e. they normally start in B)



Air pollution in cities NO and NO_2

$$\begin{bmatrix} X_{1,t} \\ X_{2,t} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.9 & -0.1 \\ 0.4 & 0.8 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_{1,t-1} \\ X_{2,t-1} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \xi_{1,t} \\ \xi_{2,t} \end{bmatrix} \quad \Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 30 & 21 \\ 21 & 23 \end{bmatrix}$$

Or

$$\begin{aligned} X_{1,t} - 0.9X_{1,t-1} + 0.1X_{2,t-1} &= \xi_{1,t} \\ -0.4X_{1,t-1} + X_{2,t} - 0.8X_{2,t-1} &= \xi_{2,t} \end{aligned}$$

the LHS can be written using a matrix for which the elements are polynomials in B



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Formulation using the backshift operator:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 - 0.9B & 0.1B \\ -0.4B & 1 - 0.8B \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{X}_t = \boldsymbol{\xi}_t \quad \text{or} \quad \phi(B)\mathbf{X}_t = \boldsymbol{\xi}_t$$



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Alternative formulation:

$$\mathbf{X}_t - \begin{bmatrix} 0.9 & -0.1 \\ 0.4 & 0.8 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{X}_{t-1} = \boldsymbol{\xi}_t \quad \text{or} \quad \mathbf{X}_t - \phi_1 \mathbf{X}_{t-1} = \boldsymbol{\xi}_t$$



Stationarity and Invertability

The multivariate ARMA process

$$\phi(B)(\mathbf{Y}_t - \mathbf{c}) = \boldsymbol{\theta}(B)\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_t$$

is stationary if

$$\det(\boldsymbol{\phi}(z^{-1})) = 0 \Rightarrow |z| < 1$$

is invertible if

$$\det(\boldsymbol{\theta}(z^{-1})) = 0 \Rightarrow |z| < 1$$



Two formulations (centered data)

Matrices with polynomials in B as elements:

$$\phi(B)\mathbf{Y}_t = \theta(B)\epsilon_t$$

Without B , but with matrices as coefficients:

$$\mathbf{Y}_t - \phi_1\mathbf{Y}_{t-1} - \dots - \phi_p\mathbf{Y}_{t-p} = \epsilon_t - \theta_1\epsilon_{t-1} - \dots - \theta_q\epsilon_{t-q}$$



Auto Covariance Matrix Functions

$$\Gamma_k = E[(\mathbf{Y}_{t-k} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_Y)(\mathbf{Y}_t - \boldsymbol{\mu}_Y)^T] = \Gamma_{-k}^T$$

Example for bivariate case $\mathbf{Y}_t = (Y_{1,t} \ Y_{2,t})^T$:

$$\Gamma_k = \begin{bmatrix} \gamma_{11}(k) & \gamma_{12}(k) \\ \gamma_{21}(k) & \gamma_{22}(k) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \gamma_{11}(k) & \gamma_{12}(k) \\ \gamma_{12}(-k) & \gamma_{22}(k) \end{bmatrix}$$

And therefore we will plot autocovariance or autocorrelation functions for $k = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ and one of each pair of cross-covariance or cross-correlation functions for $k = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$



The Theoretical Autocovariance Matrix Functions

Using the matrix coefficients ϕ_1, \dots, ϕ_p and $\theta_1, \dots, \theta_q$, together with Σ , the theoretical Γ_k can be calculated:

Pure Autoregressive Models: Γ_k is found from a multivariate version of Theorem 5.10 in the book, which leads to the Yule-Walker equations

Pure Moving Average Models: Γ_k is found from a multivariate version of (5.65) in the book

Autoregressive Moving Average Models: Γ_k is found multivariate versions of (5.100) and (5.101) in the book

- Examples can be found in the book – note the VAR(1)!



Identification using Autocovariance Matrix Functions

Sample Correlation Matrix Function; R_k near zero for pure moving average processes of order q when $k > q$

Sample Partial Correlation Matrix Function; S_k near zero for pure autoregressive processes of order p when $k > p$

Sample q -conditioned Partial Correlation Matrix Function; $S_k(q)$ near zero for autoregressive moving average processes of order (p, q) when $k > p$ – can be used for univariate processes also.



Identification using (multivariate) prewhitening

- Fit univariate models to each individual series
- Investigate the residuals as a multivariate time series
- The cross correlations can then be compared with $\pm 2/\sqrt{N}$

This is **not** the same form of prewhitening as in Chapter 8

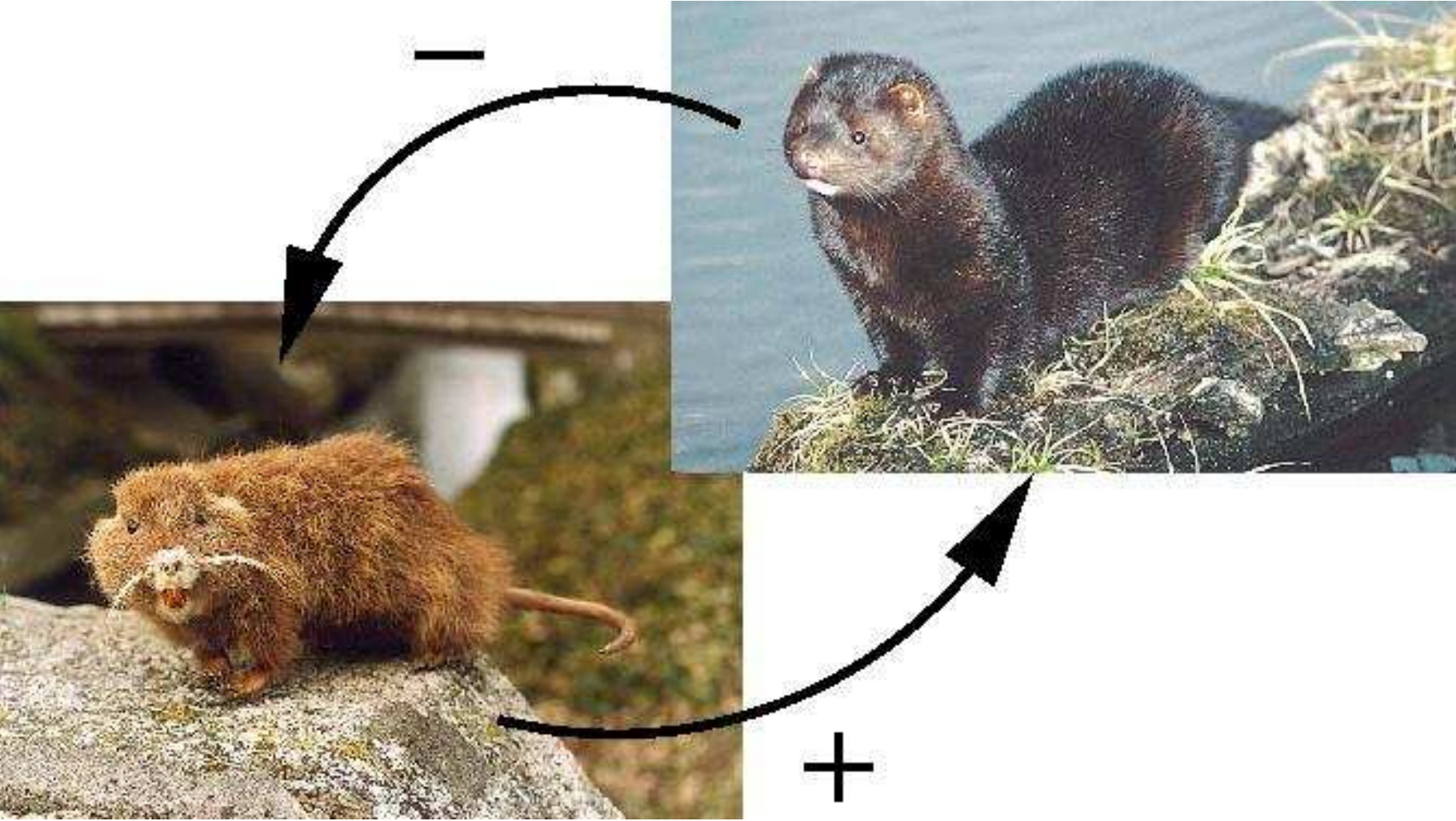
The multivariate model $\phi(B)Y_t = \theta(B)\epsilon_t$ is equivalent to

$$\text{diag}(\det(\phi(B)))Y_t = \text{adj}(\phi(B))\theta(B)\epsilon_t$$

Therefore the corresponding univariate models will have much higher order, so although this approach is often used in the literature: Don't use this approach!



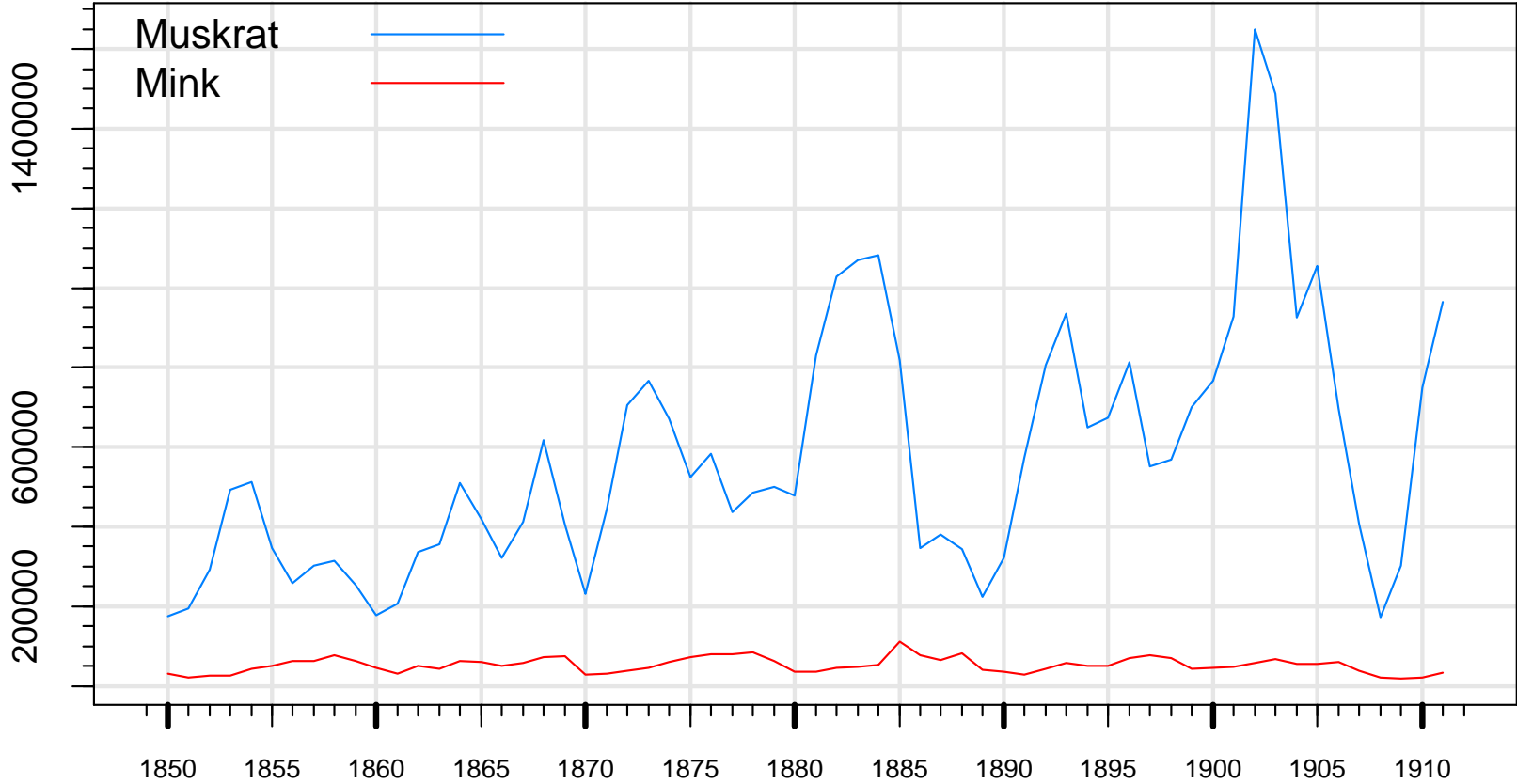
Example – Muskrat and Mink skins traded





Raw data (maybe not exactly as in the paper)

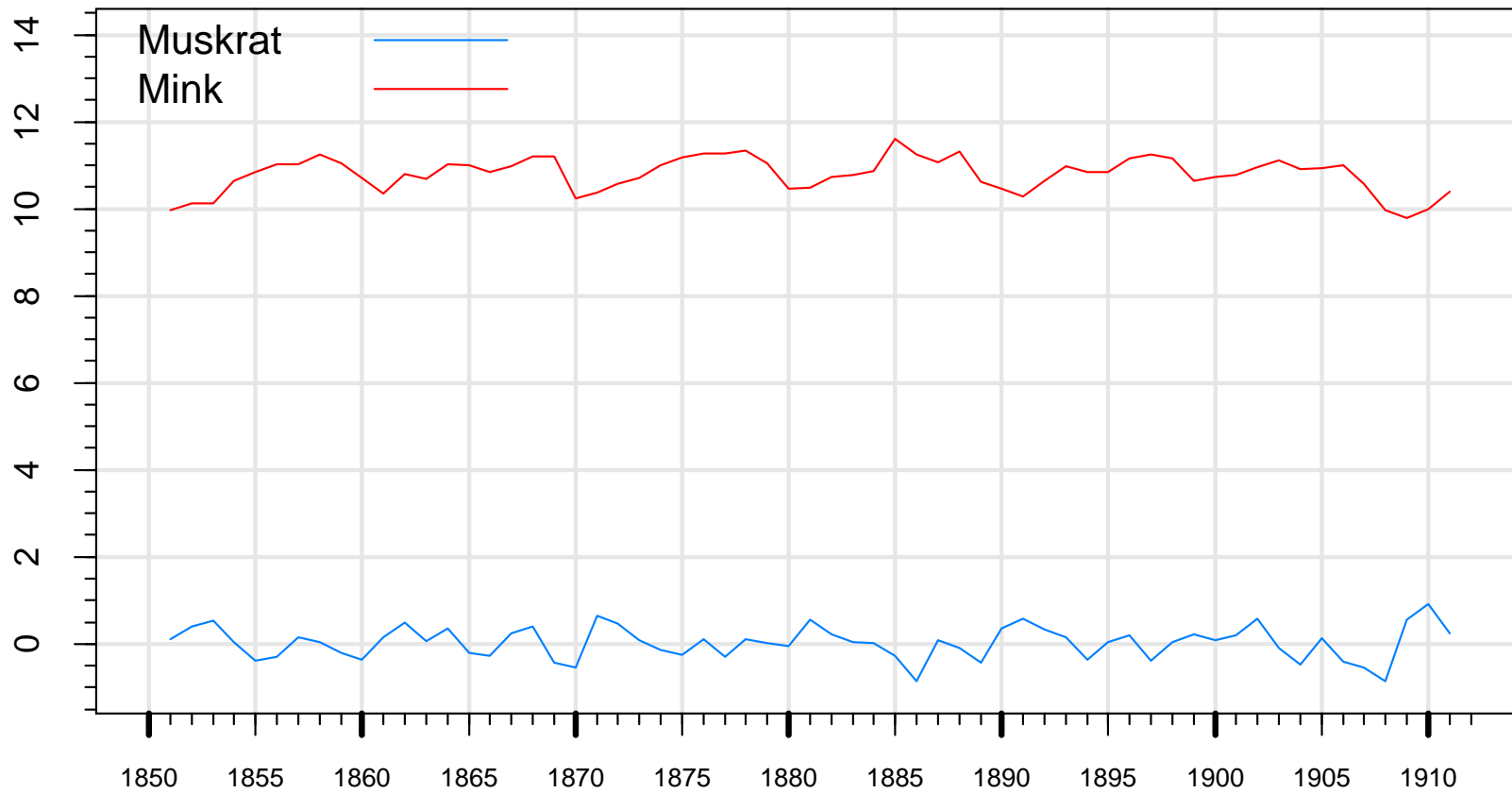
Skins traded





Stationary and Gaussian data

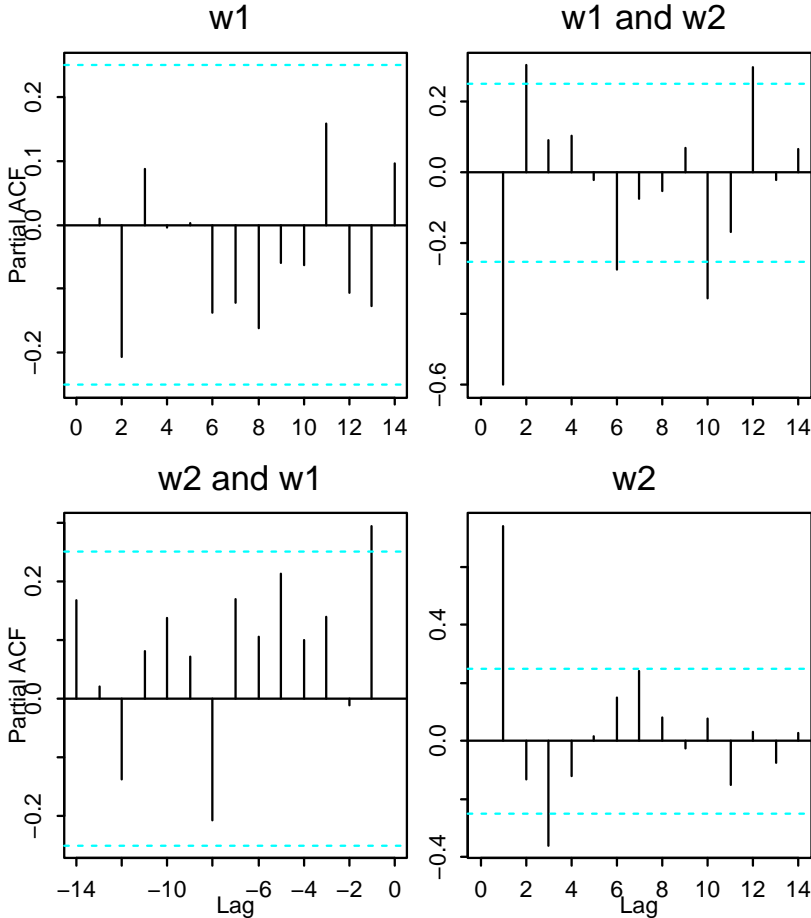
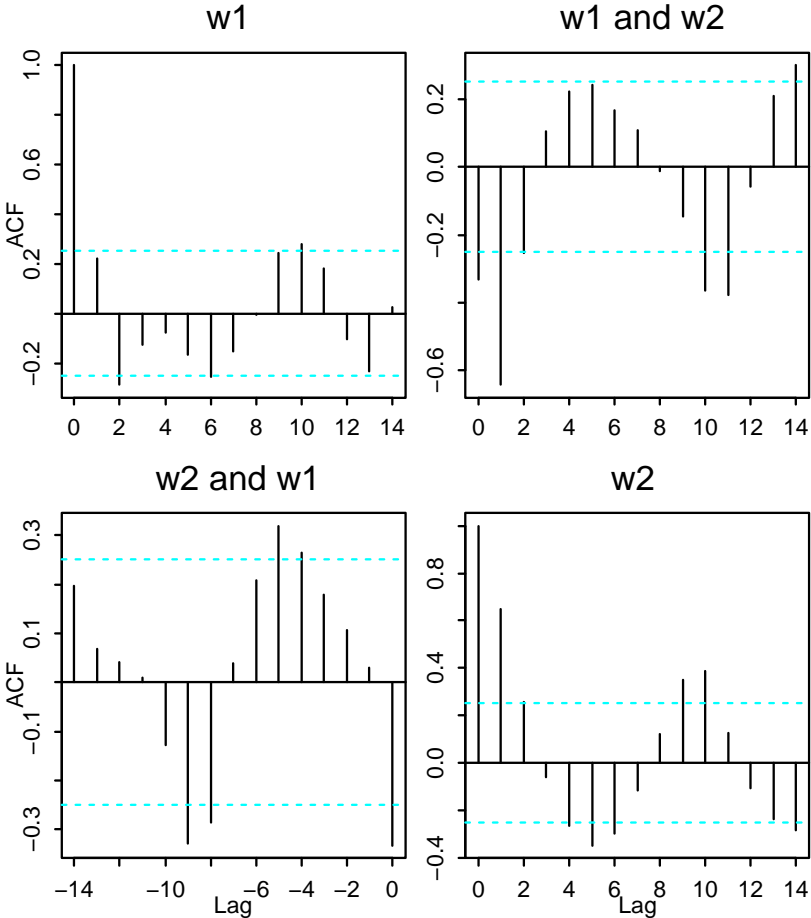
Skins traded log-transformed and muskrat data differenced





SACF

SPACF





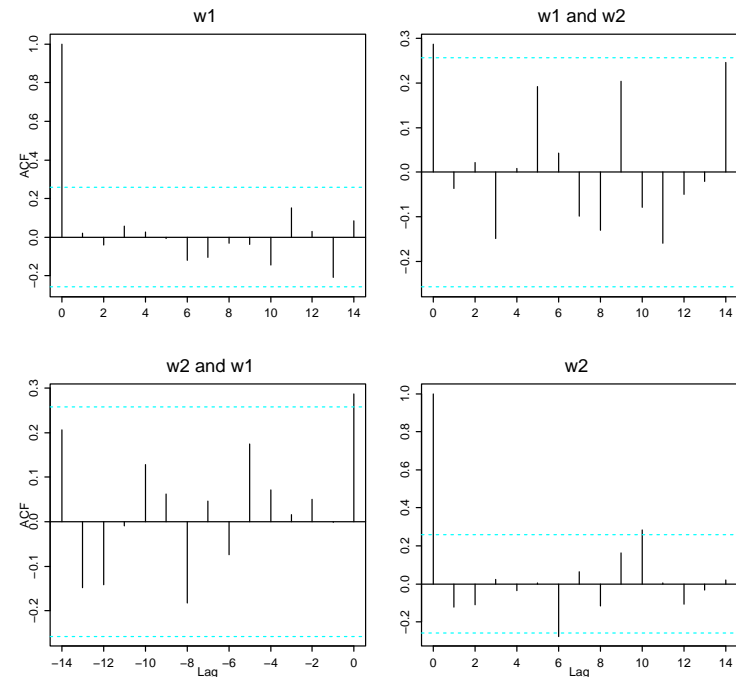
Yule-Walker Estimates

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> fit.ar3yw <- ar(mmdata.tr, order=3)
> fit.ar3yw$ar[1,,] # lag 1
      [,1]      [,2]
[1,] 0.2307413 -0.7228413
[2,] 0.4172876  0.7417832
> fit.ar3yw$ar[2,,] # lag 2
      [,1]      [,2]
[1,] -0.1846027 0.2534646
[2,] -0.2145025 0.1920450
> fit.ar3yw$ar[3,,] # lag 3
      [,1]      [,2]
[1,] 0.08742842 0.09047402
[2,] 0.14015902 -0.36146002
> acf(fit.ar3yw$resid)

```

Multivariate Series : fit.ar3yw\$resid





Maximum likelihood estimates

```
> ## Load module
> module(finmetrics)
S+FinMetrics Version 2.0.2 for Linux 2.4.21 : 2005
> ## Means:
> colMeans(mmdata.tr)
           w1           w2
0.02792121 10.7961
> ## Center non-differences data:
> tmp.dat <- mmdata.tr
> tmp.dat[,2] <- tmp.dat[,2] - mean(tmp.dat[,2])
> colMeans(tmp.dat)
           w1           w2
0.02792121 -1.514271e-15
```



Maximum likelihood estimates (cont'nd)

```
> mgarch(~ -1 + ar(3), ~ dvec(0,0), series=tmp.dat, armaType="full")  
...[deleted]...
```

Convergence reached.

Call:

```
mgarch(formula.mean = ~ -1 + ar(3), formula.var = ~ dvec(0, 0),  
       series = tmp.dat, armaType = "full")
```

Mean Equation: $\sim -1 + \text{ar}(3)$

Conditional Variance Equation: $\sim \text{dvec}(0, 0)$

Coefficients:

```
AR(1; 1, 1) 0.23213
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```




Maximum likelihood estimates (cont'nd)

Coefficients:

AR(1; 1, 1)	0.23213
AR(1; 2, 1)	0.43642
AR(1; 1, 2)	-0.73288
AR(1; 2, 2)	0.74650
AR(2; 1, 1)	-0.17461
AR(2; 2, 1)	-0.25434
AR(2; 1, 2)	0.26512
AR(2; 2, 2)	0.21456
AR(3; 1, 1)	0.07007
AR(3; 2, 1)	0.17788
AR(3; 1, 2)	0.12217
AR(3; 2, 2)	-0.41734
A(1, 1)	0.06228
A(2, 1)	0.01473
A(2, 2)	0.06381



Model Validation

- For the individual residual series; all the methods from Chapter 6 in the book
- with the extension for the cross correlation as mentioned in Chapter 8 in the book



Forecasting

The model:

$$Y_{t+l} = \phi_1 Y_{t+l-1} + \dots + \phi_p Y_{t+l-p} + \epsilon_{t+l} - \theta_1 \epsilon_{t+l-1} - \dots - \theta_q \epsilon_{t+l-q}$$

1-step:

$$\hat{Y}_{t+1|t} = \phi_1 Y_{t+1-1} + \dots + \phi_p Y_{t+1-p} + \mathbf{0} - \theta_1 \epsilon_{t+1-1} - \dots - \theta_q \epsilon_{t+1-q}$$

2-step:

$$\hat{Y}_{t+2|t} = \phi_1 \hat{Y}_{t+2-1|t} + \dots + \phi_p Y_{t+2-p} + \mathbf{0} - \theta_1 \mathbf{0} - \dots - \theta_q \epsilon_{t+2-q}$$

and so on ... in S-PLUS:

```
> predict(fit.ml, 10) # fit.ml from mgarch() above
```

However, this does *not* calculate the variance-covariance matrix of the forecast errors – use the hint given in the text book.