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Econometrics II

WRITTEN EXAMINATION

Tuesday January 10 , 2017, 10 am - 3 pm

Tools allowed: Pocket calculator

Passing rate: 50% of overall total, which is 100 points. For detailed grading criteria, see the course description.

The exam will be handed back on Friday January 27 at 15 pm in room B705.

For the maximum number of points on each problem detailed and clear solutions are required.

Observe:: If not indicated otherwise, the error terms ϵ_t in the models are assumed independent and $N(0, \sigma^2)$.

You may answer in Swedish.

1. (20p) Below we have a table of cod catch (in tons) for 12 months recorded by the Bay City Seafood Company. A first-order exponential smoothing was carried out with the starting value $\tilde{y}_0 = (1/6)\sum_{t=1}^{6} y_t$

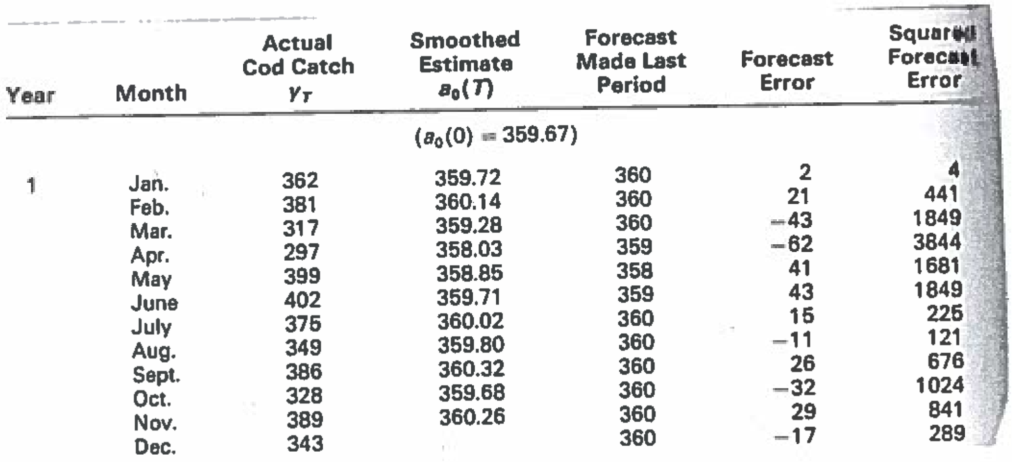
   (a) Is it reasonable to use a first-order smoother here. Why/why not?

   (b) Which underlying model do we believe in if we think that first-order exponential smoothing is appropriate?

   (c) Which value of the discount factor λ was used here? What is the smoothed value for December?

   (d) In order to choose the "optimal" value of λ, which sum should be minimized? What is the value of that sum here?

   (e) It turns out that the value chosen for λ here is "optimal" for this data set. The value is close to zero. How can we interpret that result in terms of how data behave?



Year	Month	Actual Cod Catch y_T	Smoothed Estimate $a_0(T)$	Forecast Made Last Period	Forecast Error	Squared Forecast Error
			$(a_0(0) = 359.67)$			
1	Jan.	362	359.72	360	2	4
	Feb.	381	360.14	360	21	441
	Mar.	317	359.28	360	−43	1849
	Apr.	297	358.03	359	−62	3844
	May	399	358.85	358	41	1681
	June	402	359.71	359	43	1849
	July	375	360.02	360	15	225
	Aug.	349	359.80	360	−11	121
	Sept.	386	360.32	360	26	676
	Oct.	328	359.68	360	−32	1024
	Nov.	389	360.26	360	29	841
	Dec.	343		360	−17	289

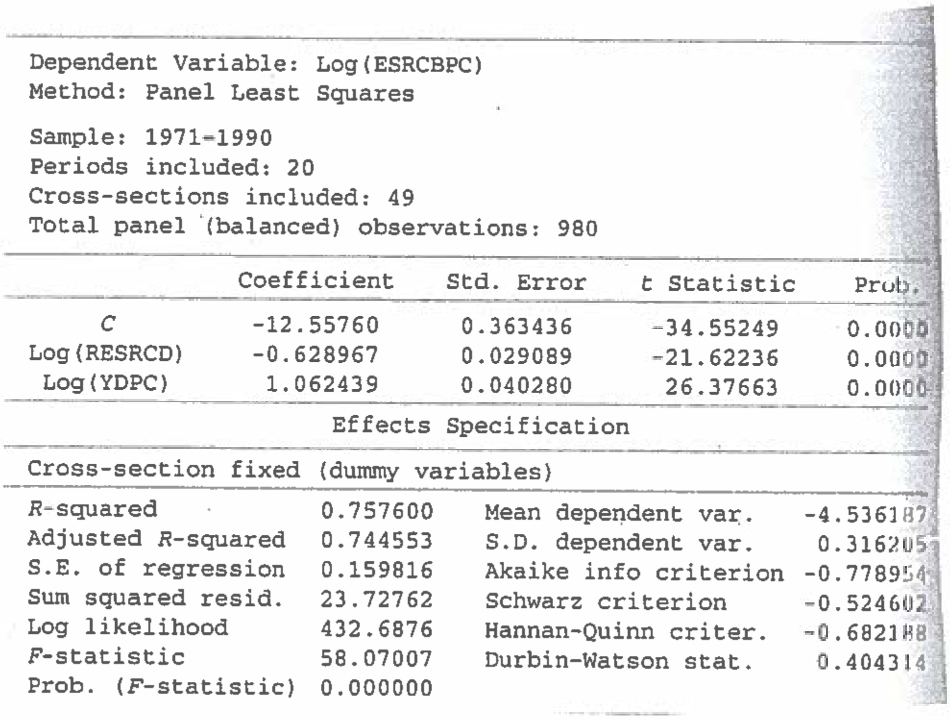
2. (20p) Below we have results for an FEM, where we want to model residential electricity consumption per capita, using regressors measuring electricity price and disposable income per capita. Observe that all three variables are "logged". 49 states in the USA are included and we have yearly observations for 20 years. (The estimated dummy coefficients are not displayed.)

   (a) Write down the underlying model used here with appropriate notation.

   (b) Do we have problems with autocorrelation here? Why/why not?

   (c) An REM was also tested and we got rejection in the Hausman test. What does that mean? What could be the theoretical reason for rejection?

   (d) If we want to test FEM versus the pooled OLS model, we can use the restricted F-test. Which degrees of freedom will we get here in the test statistic?



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Dependent Variable: Log(ESRCBPC)
Method: Panel Least Squares

Sample: 1971-1990
Periods included: 20
Cross-sections included: 49
Total panel (balanced) observations: 980

                   Coefficient    Std. Error    t Statistic     Prob.

        C           -12.55760      0.363436      -34.55249     0.0000
Log(RESRCD)         -0.628967      0.029089      -21.62236     0.0000
  Log(YDPC)          1.062439      0.040280       26.37663     0.0000

                          Effects Specification

Cross-section fixed (dummy variables)

R-squared            0.757600    Mean dependent var.      -4.536187
Adjusted R-squared   0.744553    S.D. dependent var.       0.316205
S.E. of regression   0.159816    Akaike info criterion    -0.778954
Sum squared resid.   23.72762    Schwarz criterion        -0.524602
Log likelihood       432.6876    Hannan-Quinn criter.     -0.682188
F-statistic          58.07007    Durbin-Watson stat.       0.404314
Prob. (F-statistic)  0.000000
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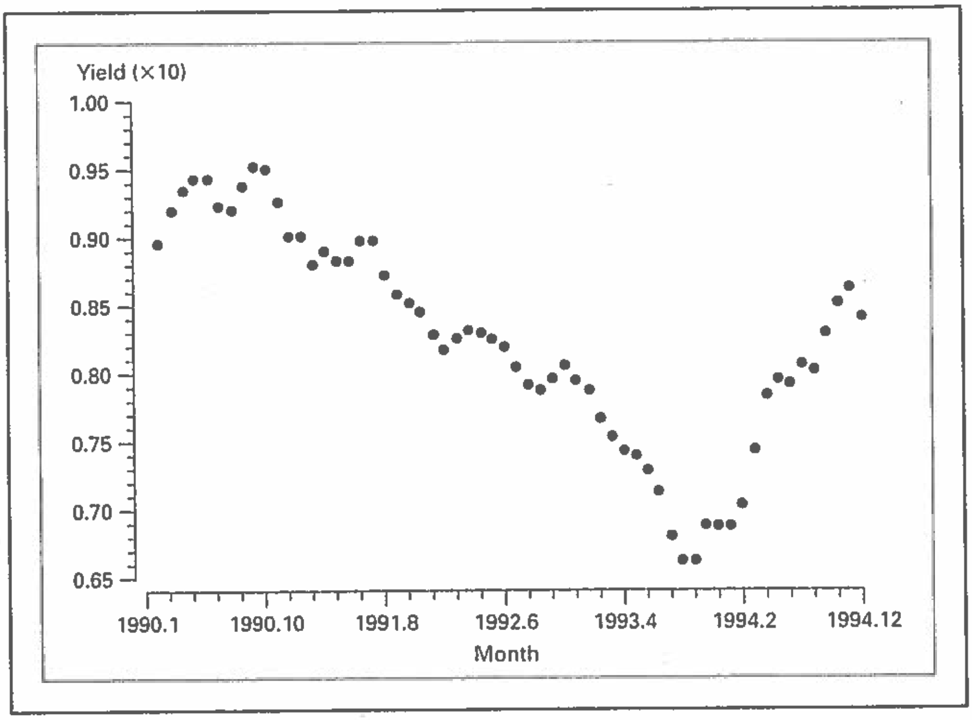
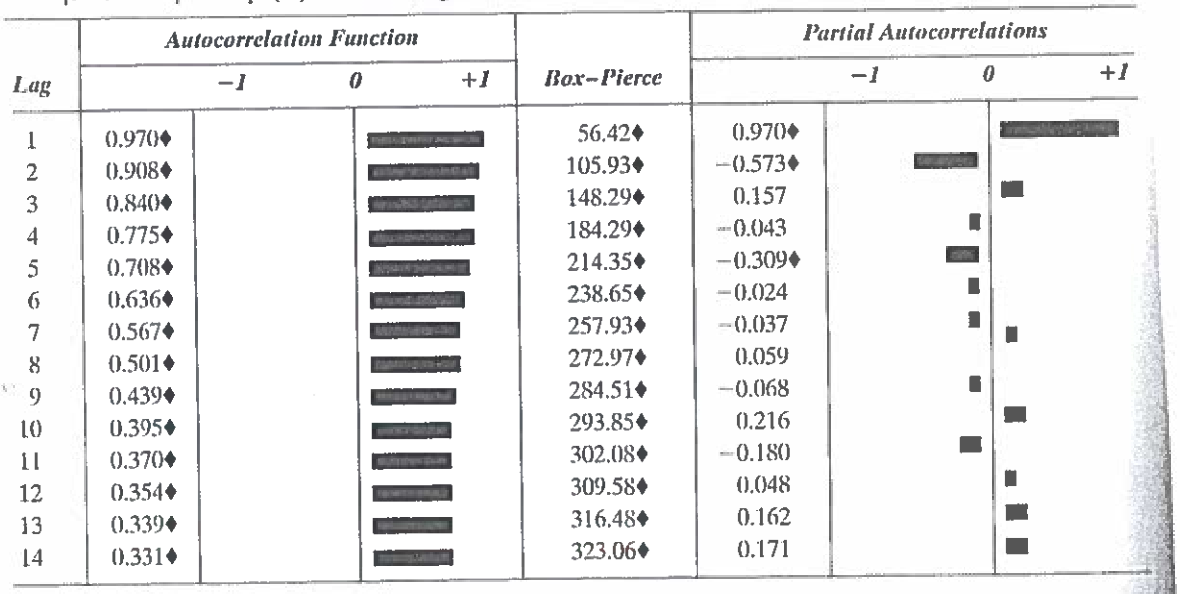
3. (24p) The plot below shows five years of monthly averages of the yield on a Moody's Aaa rated corporate bond. From the figure it would appear that stationarity may not be a reasonable assumption. However, let us also look at the estimated ACF:s and PACF:s.



Time-series identification for YIELD
Box–Pierce statistic = 323.0587
Degrees of freedom = 14
Significance level = 0.0000
♦ → |coefficient| > 2/sqrt(N) or > 95% significant

Box–Ljung Statistic = 317.4389
Degrees of freedom = 14
Significance level = 0.0000



Lag	*Autocorrelation Function*	*Box–Pierce*	*Partial Autocorrelations*
1	0.970♦	56.42♦	0.970♦
2	0.908♦	105.93♦	−0.573♦
3	0.840♦	148.29♦	0.157
4	0.775♦	184.29♦	−0.043
5	0.708♦	214.35♦	−0.309♦
6	0.636♦	238.65♦	−0.024
7	0.567♦	257.93♦	−0.037
8	0.501♦	272.97♦	0.059
9	0.439♦	284.51♦	−0.068
10	0.395♦	293.85♦	0.216
11	0.370♦	302.08♦	−0.180
12	0.354♦	309.58♦	0.048
13	0.339♦	316.48♦	0.162
14	0.331♦	323.06♦	0.171

(a) What are the arguments(s) for modelling data according to an AR(2) process?

(b) The Ljung-Box statistic (here called Box-Ljung), what does that test for exactly? How would you compute it here? (You do not have to check that the test stastistic value is 317.4389, but explain which parameter values should be put into the "formula".

(c) Assuming an AR(2) process, estimate ϕ_1, ϕ_2 and δ from the given information and that the estimated mean $\hat{\mu} = 0.82$. Check that your results agree with the assumption that the process is actually stationary.

(d) Below we have estimated ACF:s and PACF:s for residuals based on a fitted (estimated) AR(2) process. Do the results support the assumption of stationarity? (Pay special attention to the LB statistic.)

Time-series identification for U

Box–Pierce statistic = 13.7712 Box–Ljung statistic = 16.1336

Significance level = 0.4669 Significance level = 0.3053

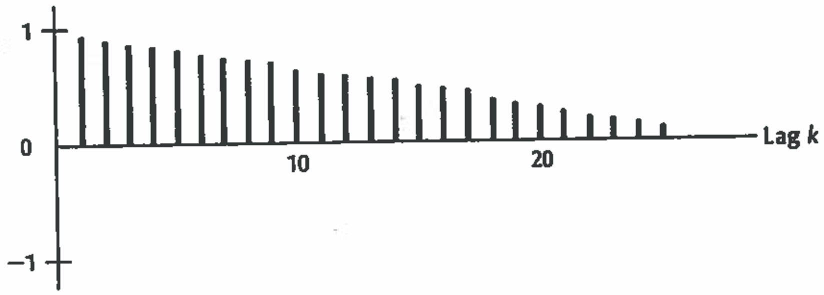
♦ → |coefficient| > 2/sqrt(N) or > 95% significant

Lag	*Autocorrelation Function*	*−1*	*0*	*+1*	*Box–Pierce*	*Partial Autocorrelations*	*−1*	*0*	*+1*
1	0.154			■	1.38	0.154			■
2	−0.147		■		2.64	−0.170		■	
3	−0.207		■		5.13	−0.179		■	
4	0.161			■	6.64	0.183			■
5	0.117			■	7.43	0.068			■
6	0.114			■	8.18	0.094			■
7	−0.110		■		8.89	−0.066		■	
8	0.041			■	8.99	0.125			■
9	−0.168		■		10.63	−0.258		■	
10	0.014			■	10.64	0.035			■
11	−0.016		■		10.66	0.015			■
12	−0.009		■		10.66	−0.089		■	
13	−0.195		■		12.87	−0.166		■	
14	−0.125		■		13.77	−0.132		■	

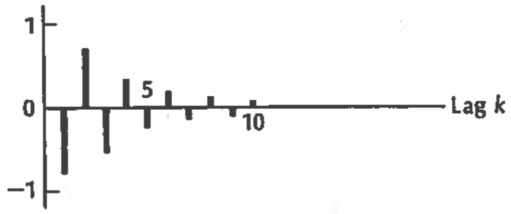
4. (12) Which types of times series models could have generated the following estimated ACF:s? Try to be as specified as possible. Motivations also needed.

(a)

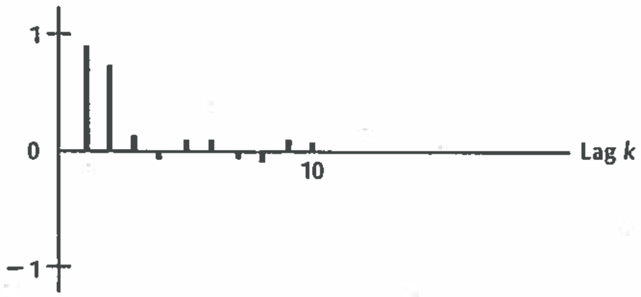
(b)



(c)



(d)



5. (12p) Suppose we have the model $y_t = \phi y_{t-1} + \epsilon_t$, where $|\phi| < 1$ and ϵ_t is modelled as

$$\epsilon_t = \sqrt{h_t} e_t,$$

where $h_t = \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 Z_{t-1}^2$ and e_t are independent and $N(0,1)$, where $\alpha_0 > 0$, $\alpha_1 > 0$ and e_t and Z_{t-1}, $Z_{t-2} \ldots$ are independent for all t.

Show that Z_t is white noise.

6. (12p) True or false? Short motivation/comment also needed.

   (a) All MA processes are stationary.

   (b) The mean (expectation) for a stationary AR model without constant term is always zero.

   (c) The Koyck model and the FEM are both examples of dynamic models.

   (d) The unit root test is used for detection of autocorrelation.

Formula sheet, Econometrics II, Fall 2016

Under the simple linear model $y_t = \beta_1 + \beta_2 x_t + u_t$, where $u_t \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$ and given independent pairs of observations $(y_1, x_1), \ldots, (y_n, x_n)$, the OLS (and ML) estimators are:

$$\begin{aligned}
\widehat{\beta}_1 &= \overline{y} - \widehat{\beta}_2 \overline{x} \\
\widehat{\beta}_2 &= \frac{\sum (x_t - \overline{x})(y_t - \overline{y})}{\sum (x_t - \overline{x})^2} \\
\widehat{\sigma}^2 &= \frac{RSS}{n-2} = \frac{\sum (y_t - \widehat{y}_t)^2}{n-2}
\end{aligned}$$

where $\widehat{y}_t = \widehat{\beta}_1 + \widehat{\beta}_2 x_t$ and where $E(\widehat{\beta_1}) = \beta_1$, $E(\widehat{\beta_2}) = \beta_2$ and $E(\widehat{\sigma}^2) = \sigma^2$

Comparing an "old" model with a "new" (larger):

$$\begin{aligned}
F &= \frac{(ESS_{new} - ESS_{old})/\text{number of new regressors}}{RSS_{new}/(n - \text{number of parameters in the new model})} \\
&= \frac{(R^2_{new} - R^2_{old})/\text{number of new regressors}}{(1 - R^2_{new})/(n - \text{number of parameters in the new model})}
\end{aligned}$$

Comparing an "unrestricted" model with a "restricted":

$$F = \frac{(RSS_R - RSS_{UR})/m}{RSS_{UR}/(n-k)} = \frac{(R^2_{UR} - R^2_R)/m}{(1 - R^2_{UR})/(n-k)}$$

where m is the number of linear constraints and k is the number of parameters in the unrestricted model.

Dynamic models: $y_t = \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 x_t + \alpha_2 y_{t-1} + v_t$

Koyck: $y_t = \alpha(1-\lambda) + \beta_0 x_t + \lambda y_{t-1} + v_t$
Adaptive expectations: $y_t = \gamma\beta_0 + \gamma\beta_1 x_t + (1-\gamma) y_{t-1} + (u_t - (1-\gamma) u_{t-1})$
Partial adjustment: $y_t = \delta\beta_0 + \delta\beta_1 x_t + (1-\delta) y_{t-1} + \delta u_t$

The Durbin Watson d statistic:

$$d = \frac{\sum_{t=2}^{n} (\widehat{u}_t - \widehat{u}_{t-1})^2}{\sum_{t=1}^{n} \widehat{u}_t^2}$$

The Durbin h statistic:

$$h = \widehat{\rho} \sqrt{\frac{n}{1 - n\left[var(\widehat{\alpha}_2)\right]}} \approx N(0,1), \text{ if } \rho = 0$$

$$MSE = \frac{1}{n}\sum_{t=1}^{n}\left[e_t(t-1)\right]^2 = \frac{1}{n}\sum_{t=1}^{n}\left[y_t - \widehat{y}_t(t-1)\right]^2$$

Autocorrelation function:

$$\rho_k = \frac{Cov(y_t, y_{t+k})}{V(y_t)}, \quad k = 0, 1, 2, \ldots$$

Sample correlation function:

$$\hat{\rho}_k = \frac{\sum_{t=1}^{n-k}(y_t - \bar{y})(y_{t+k} - \bar{y})}{\sum_{t=1}^{n-k}(y_t - \bar{y})^2}, \quad k = 0, 1, 2, \ldots$$

Simple moving average:

$$M_T = \frac{1}{N}\sum_{t=T-N+1}^{T} y_t$$

First-order exponential smoothing:

$$\tilde{y}_T = \lambda y_T + (1-\lambda)\,\tilde{y}_{T-1}$$

Second-order exponential smoothing:

$$\tilde{y}_T^{(2)} = \lambda \tilde{y}_T^{(1)} + (1-\lambda)\tilde{y}_{T-1}^{(2)},$$

where $\tilde{y}_0^{(2)} = \tilde{y}_1^{(1)}$

Holt's method:

$$\begin{aligned} L_t &= \alpha y_t + (1-\alpha)\,(L_{t-1} + T_{t-1}) \\ T_t &= \gamma\,(L_t - L_{t-1}) + (1-\gamma)\,T_{t-1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\widehat{y}_{T+\tau}(T) = L_T + \tau T_T, \quad \tau = 1, 2, \ldots$$

Forecast under a constant process:

$$\widehat{y}_{T+\tau}(T) = \widetilde{y}_T \quad \tau = 1, 2, ...$$

Forecast under a linear trend:

$$\hat{y}_{T+\tau}(T) = \hat{y}_T + \hat{\beta}_{1,T}\tau,$$

where $\hat{y}_T = \hat{\beta}_{0,T} + \hat{\beta}_{1,T}T = 2\tilde{y}_T^{(1)} - \tilde{y}_T^{(2)}$

The Ljung-Box statistic;:

$$Q_{LB} = T\,(T+2)\sum_{k=1}^{K}\left(\frac{\hat{\rho}_k^2}{T-k}\right) \approx \chi^2(K)$$

ARMA(p,q):

$$y_t = \delta + \sum_{i=1}^{p}\phi_i y_{t-i} + \epsilon_t - \sum_{i=1}^{q}\theta_i \epsilon_{t-i}$$

Stationarity and invertibility conditions for some time series models:

Model	Stationarity conditions	Invertibility conditions
AR(1)	$\lvert\phi_1\rvert < 1$	None
AR(2)	$\phi_1 + \phi_2 < 1$ $\phi_2 - \phi_1 < 1$ $\lvert\phi_2\rvert < 1$	None
MA(1)	None	$\lvert\theta_1\rvert < 1$
MA(2)	None	$\theta_1 + \theta_2 < 1$ $\theta_2 - \theta_1 < 1$ $\lvert\theta_2\rvert < 1$
ARMA(1,1)	$\lvert\phi_1\rvert < 1$	$\lvert\theta_1\rvert < 1$
ARMA(2,2)	$\phi_1 + \phi_2 < 1$ $\phi_2 - \phi_1 < 1$ $\lvert\phi_2\rvert < 1$	$\theta_1 + \theta_2 < 1$ $\theta_2 - \theta_1 < 1$ $\lvert\theta_2\rvert < 1$

The Yule-Walker equations for AR(p):

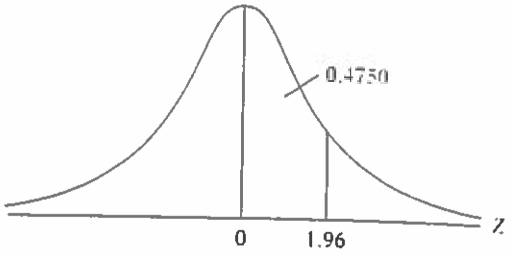
$$\rho_k = \sum_{i=1}^{p}\phi_i \rho_{k-i}, \quad k = 1, 2, \ldots$$

TABLE D.1
Areas Under the Standardized Normal Distribution

Example

$\Pr(0 \le Z \le 1.96) = 0.4750$

$\Pr(Z \ge 1.96) = 0.5 - 0.4750 = 0.025$



Z	.00	.01	.02	.03	.04	.05	.06	.07	.08	.09
0.0	.0000	.0040	.0080	.0120	.0160	.0199	.0239	.0279	.0319	.0359
0.1	.0398	.0438	.0478	.0517	.0557	.0596	.0636	.0675	.0714	.0753
0.2	.0793	.0832	.0871	.0910	.0948	.0987	.1026	.1064	.1103	.1141
0.3	.1179	.1217	.1255	.1293	.1331	.1368	.1406	.1443	.1480	.1517
0.4	.1554	.1591	.1628	.1664	.1700	.1736	.1772	.1808	.1844	.1879
0.5	.1915	.1950	.1985	.2019	.2054	.2088	.2123	.2157	.2190	.2224
0.6	.2257	.2291	.2324	.2357	.2389	.2422	.2454	.2486	.2517	.2549
0.7	.2580	.2611	.2642	.2673	.2704	.2734	.2764	.2794	.2823	.2852
0.8	.2881	.2910	.2939	.2967	.2995	.3023	.3051	.3078	.3106	.3133
0.9	.3159	.3186	.3212	.3238	.3264	.3289	.3315	.3340	.3365	.3389
1.0	.3413	.3438	.3461	.3485	.3508	.3531	.3554	.3577	.3599	.3621
1.1	.3643	.3665	.3686	.3708	.3729	.3749	.3770	.3790	.3810	.3830
1.2	.3849	.3869	.3888	.3907	.3925	.3944	.3962	.3980	.3997	.4015
1.3	.4032	.4049	.4066	.4082	.4099	.4115	.4131	.4147	.4162	.4177
1.4	.4192	.4207	.4222	.4236	.4251	.4265	.4279	.4292	.4306	.4319
1.5	.4332	.4345	.4357	.4370	.4382	.4394	.4406	.4418	.4429	.4441
1.6	.4452	.4463	.4474	.4484	.4495	.4505	.4515	.4525	.4535	.4545
1.7	.4454	.4564	.4573	.4582	.4591	.4599	.4608	.4616	.4625	.4633
1.8	.4641	.4649	.4656	.4664	.4671	.4678	.4686	.4693	.4699	.4706
1.9	.4713	.4719	.4726	.4732	.4738	.4744	.4750	.4756	.4761	.4767
2.0	.4772	.4778	.4783	.4788	.4793	.4798	.4803	.4808	.4812	.4817
2.1	.4821	.4826	.4830	.4834	.4838	.4842	.4846	.4850	.4854	.4857
2.2	.4861	.4864	.4868	.4871	.4875	.4878	.4881	.4884	.4887	.4890
2.3	.4893	.4896	.4898	.4901	.4904	.4906	.4909	.4911	.4913	.4916
2.4	.4918	.4920	.4922	.4925	.4927	.4929	.4931	.4932	.4934	.4936
2.5	.4938	.4940	.4941	.4943	.4945	.4946	.4948	.4949	.4951	.4952
2.6	.4953	.4955	.4956	.4957	.4959	.4960	.4961	.4962	.4963	.4964
2.7	.4965	.4966	.4967	.4968	.4969	.4970	.4971	.4972	.4973	.4974
2.8	.4974	.4975	.4976	.4977	.4977	.4978	.4979	.4979	.4980	.4981
2.9	.4981	.4982	.4982	.4983	.4984	.4984	.4985	.4985	.4986	.4986
3.0	.4987	.4987	.4987	.4988	.4988	.4989	.4989	.4989	.4990	.4990

Note: This table gives the area in the right-hand tail of the distribution (i.e., $Z \ge 0$). But since the normal distribution is symmetrical about $Z = 0$, the area in the left-hand tail is the same as the area in the corresponding right-hand tail. For example, $P(-1.96 \le Z \le 0) = 0.4750$. Therefore, $P(-1.96 \le Z \le 1.96) = 2(0.4750) = 0.95$.

TABLE D.2 Percentage Points of the *t* Distribution

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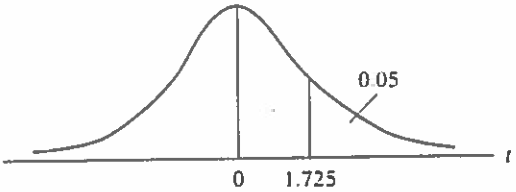
Example

$\Pr(t > 2.086) = 0.025$

$\Pr(t > 1.725) = 0.05$ for df = 20

$\Pr(|t| > 1.725) = 0.10$



Pr df	0.25 0.50	0.10 0.20	0.05 0.10	0.025 0.05	0.01 0.02	0.005 0.010	0.001 0.002
1	1.000	3.078	6.314	12.706	31.821	63.657	318.31
2	0.816	1.886	2.920	4.303	6.965	9.925	22.327
3	0.765	1.638	2.353	3.182	4.541	5.841	10.214
4	0.741	1.533	2.132	2.776	3.747	4.604	7.173
5	0.727	1.476	2.015	2.571	3.365	4.032	5.893
6	0.718	1.440	1.943	2.447	3.143	3.707	5.208
7	0.711	1.415	1.895	2.365	2.998	3.499	4.785
8	0.706	1.397	1.860	2.306	2.896	3.355	4.501
9	0.703	1.383	1.833	2.262	2.821	3.250	4.297
10	0.700	1.372	1.812	2.228	2.764	3.169	4.144
11	0.697	1.363	1.796	2.201	2.718	3.106	4.025
12	0.695	1.356	1.782	2.179	2.681	3.055	3.930
13	0.694	1.350	1.771	2.160	2.650	3.012	3.852
14	0.692	1.345	1.761	2.145	2.624	2.977	3.787
15	0.691	1.341	1.753	2.131	2.602	2.947	3.733
16	0.690	1.337	1.746	2.120	2.583	2.921	3.686
17	0.689	1.333	1.740	2.110	2.567	2.898	3.646
18	0.688	1.330	1.734	2.101	2.552	2.878	3.610
19	0.688	1.328	1.729	2.093	2.539	2.861	3.579
20	0.687	1.325	1.725	2.086	2.528	2.845	3.552
21	0.686	1.323	1.721	2.080	2.518	2.831	3.527
22	0.686	1.321	1.717	2.074	2.508	2.819	3.505
23	0.685	1.319	1.714	2.069	2.500	2.807	3.485
24	0.685	1.318	1.711	2.064	2.492	2.797	3.467
25	0.684	1.316	1.708	2.060	2.485	2.787	3.450
26	0.684	1.315	1.706	2.056	2.479	2.779	3.435
27	0.684	1.314	1.703	2.052	2.473	2.771	3.421
28	0.683	1.313	1.701	2.048	2.467	2.763	3.408
29	0.683	1.311	1.699	2.045	2.462	2.756	3.396
30	0.683	1.310	1.697	2.042	2.457	2.750	3.385
40	0.681	1.303	1.684	2.021	2.423	2.704	3.307
60	0.679	1.296	1.671	2.000	2.390	2.660	3.232
120	0.677	1.289	1.658	1.980	2.358	2.617	3.160
∞	0.674	1.282	1.645	1.960	2.326	2.576	3.090

Note: The smaller probability shown at the head of each column is the area in one tail; the larger probability is the area in both tails.

TABLE D.3 Upper Percentage Points of the *F* Distribution

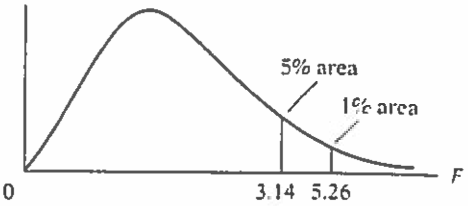
Example

$\Pr(F > 1.59) = 0.25$

$\Pr(F > 2.42) = 0.10$ for df $N_1 = 10$

$\Pr(F > 3.14) = 0.05$ and $N_2 = 9$

$\Pr(F > 5.26) = 0.01$



df for denominator N_2		df for numerator N_1											
	Pr	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	.25	5.83	7.50	8.20	8.58	8.82	8.98	9.10	9.19	9.26	9.32	9.36	9.41
	.10	39.9	49.5	53.6	55.8	57.2	58.2	58.9	59.4	59.9	60.2	60.5	60.7
	.05	161	200	216	225	230	234	237	239	241	242	243	244
2	.25	2.57	3.00	3.15	3.23	3.28	3.31	3.34	3.35	3.37	3.38	3.39	3.39
	.10	8.53	9.00	9.16	9.24	9.29	9.33	9.35	9.37	9.38	9.39	9.40	9.41
	.05	18.5	19.0	19.2	19.2	19.3	19.3	19.4	19.4	19.4	19.4	19.4	19.4
	.01	98.5	99.0	99.2	99.2	99.3	99.3	99.4	99.4	99.4	99.4	99.4	99.4
3	.25	2.02	2.28	2.36	2.39	2.41	2.42	2.43	2.44	2.44	2.44	2.45	2.45
	.10	5.54	5.46	5.39	5.34	5.31	5.28	5.27	5.25	5.24	5.23	5.22	5.22
	.05	10.1	9.55	9.28	9.12	9.01	8.94	8.89	8.85	8.81	8.79	8.76	8.74
	.01	34.1	30.8	29.5	28.7	28.2	27.9	27.7	27.5	27.3	27.2	27.1	27.1
4	.25	1.81	2.00	2.05	2.06	2.07	2.08	2.08	2.08	2.08	2.08	2.08	2.08
	.10	4.54	4.32	4.19	4.11	4.05	4.01	3.98	3.95	3.94	3.92	3.91	3.90
	.05	7.71	6.94	6.59	6.39	6.26	6.16	6.09	6.04	6.00	5.96	5.94	5.91
	.01	21.2	18.0	16.7	16.0	15.5	15.2	15.0	14.8	14.7	14.5	14.4	14.4
5	.25	1.69	1.85	1.88	1.89	1.89	1.89	1.89	1.89	1.89	1.89	1.89	1.89
	.10	4.06	3.78	3.62	3.52	3.45	3.40	3.37	3.34	3.32	3.30	3.28	3.27
	.05	6.61	5.79	5.41	5.19	5.05	4.95	4.88	4.82	4.77	4.74	4.71	4.68
	.01	16.3	13.3	12.1	11.4	11.0	10.7	10.5	10.3	10.2	10.1	9.96	9.89
6	.25	1.62	1.76	1.78	1.79	1.79	1.78	1.78	1.78	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.77
	.10	3.78	3.46	3.29	3.18	3.11	3.05	3.01	2.98	2.96	2.94	2.92	2.90
	.05	5.99	5.14	4.76	4.53	4.39	4.28	4.21	4.15	4.10	4.06	4.03	4.00
	.01	13.7	10.9	9.78	9.15	8.75	8.47	8.26	8.10	7.98	7.87	7.79	7.72
7	.25	1.57	1.70	1.72	1.72	1.71	1.71	1.70	1.70	1.69	1.69	1.69	1.68
	.10	3.59	3.26	3.07	2.96	2.88	2.83	2.78	2.75	2.72	2.70	2.68	2.67
	.05	5.59	4.74	4.35	4.12	3.97	3.87	3.79	3.73	3.68	3.64	3.60	3.57
	.01	12.2	9.55	8.45	7.85	7.46	7.19	6.99	6.84	6.72	6.62	6.54	6.47
8	.25	1.54	1.66	1.67	1.66	1.66	1.65	1.64	1.64	1.63	1.63	1.63	1.62
	.10	3.46	3.11	2.92	2.81	2.73	2.67	2.62	2.59	2.56	2.54	2.52	2.50
	.05	5.32	4.46	4.07	3.84	3.69	3.58	3.50	3.44	3.39	3.35	3.31	3.28
	.01	11.3	8.65	7.59	7.01	6.63	6.37	6.18	6.03	5.91	5.81	5.73	5.67
9	.25	1.51	1.62	1.63	1.63	1.62	1.61	1.60	1.60	1.59	1.59	1.58	1.58
	.10	3.36	3.01	2.81	2.69	2.61	2.55	2.51	2.47	2.44	2.42	2.40	2.38
	.05	5.12	4.26	3.86	3.63	3.48	3.37	3.29	3.23	3.18	3.14	3.10	3.07
	.01	10.6	8.02	6.99	6.42	6.06	5.80	5.61	5.47	5.35	5.26	5.18	5.11

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F-table continued

df for numerator N_1													df for denominator N_2
15	20	24	30	40	50	60	100	120	200	500	∞	Pr	
9.49	9.58	9.63	9.67	9.71	9.74	9.76	9.78	9.80	9.82	9.84	9.85	.25	1
61.2	61.7	62.0	62.3	62.5	62.7	62.8	63.0	63.1	63.2	63.3	63.3	.10	
246	248	249	250	251	252	252	253	253	254	254	254	.05	
3.41	3.43	3.43	3.44	3.45	3.45	3.46	3.47	3.47	3.48	3.48	3.48	.25	2
9.42	9.44	9.45	9.46	9.47	9.47	9.47	9.48	9.48	9.49	9.49	9.49	.10	
19.4	19.4	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.5	.05	
99.4	99.4	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.5	.01	
2.46	2.46	2.46	2.47	2.47	2.47	2.47	2.47	2.47	2.47	2.47	2.47	.25	3
5.20	5.18	5.18	5.17	5.16	5.15	5.15	5.14	5.14	5.14	5.14	5.13	.10	
8.70	8.66	8.64	8.62	8.59	8.58	8.57	8.55	8.55	8.54	8.53	8.53	.05	
26.9	26.7	26.6	26.5	26.4	26.4	26.3	26.2	26.2	26.2	26.1	26.1	.01	
2.08	2.08	2.08	2.08	2.08	2.08	2.08	2.08	2.08	2.08	2.08	2.08	.25	4
3.87	3.84	3.83	3.82	3.80	3.80	3.79	3.78	3.78	3.77	3.76	3.76	.10	
5.86	5.80	5.77	5.75	5.72	5.70	5.69	5.66	5.66	5.65	5.64	5.63	.05	
14.2	14.0	13.9	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.6	13.6	13.5	13.5	13.5	.01	
1.89	1.88	1.88	1.88	1.88	1.88	1.87	1.87	1.87	1.87	1.87	1.87	.25	5
3.24	3.21	3.19	3.17	3.16	3.15	3.14	3.13	3.12	3.12	3.11	3.10	.10	
4.62	4.56	4.53	4.50	4.46	4.44	4.43	4.41	4.40	4.39	4.37	4.36	.05	
9.72	9.55	9.47	9.38	9.29	9.24	9.20	9.13	9.11	9.08	9.04	9.02	.01	
1.76	1.76	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.74	1.74	1.74	1.74	1.74	1.74	.25	6
2.87	2.84	2.82	2.80	2.78	2.77	2.76	2.75	2.74	2.73	2.73	2.72	.10	
3.94	3.87	3.84	3.81	3.77	3.75	3.74	3.71	3.70	3.69	3.68	3.67	.05	
7.56	7.40	7.31	7.23	7.14	7.09	7.06	6.99	6.97	6.93	6.90	6.88	.01	
1.68	1.67	1.67	1.66	1.66	1.66	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	.25	7
2.63	2.59	2.58	2.56	2.54	2.52	2.51	2.50	2.49	2.48	2.48	2.47	.10	
3.51	3.44	3.41	3.38	3.34	3.32	3.30	3.27	3.27	3.25	3.24	3.23	.05	
6.31	6.16	6.07	5.99	5.91	5.86	5.82	5.75	5.74	5.70	5.67	5.65	.01	
1.62	1.61	1.60	1.60	1.59	1.59	1.59	1.58	1.58	1.58	1.58	1.58	.25	8
2.46	2.42	2.40	2.38	2.36	2.35	2.34	2.32	2.32	2.31	2.30	2.29	.10	
3.22	3.15	3.12	3.08	3.04	2.02	3.01	2.97	2.97	2.95	2.94	2.93	.05	
5.52	5.36	5.28	5.20	5.12	5.07	5.03	4.96	4.95	4.91	4.88	4.86	.01	
1.57	1.56	1.56	1.55	1.55	1.54	1.54	1.53	1.53	1.53	1.53	1.53	.25	9
2.34	2.30	2.28	2.25	2.23	2.22	2.21	2.19	2.18	2.17	2.17	2.16	.10	
3.01	2.94	2.90	2.86	2.83	2.80	2.79	2.76	2.75	2.73	2.72	2.71	.05	
4.96	4.81	4.73	4.65	4.57	4.52	4.48	4.42	4.40	4.36	4.33	4.31	.01	

(Continued)

TABLE D.3 Upper Percentage Points of the F Distribution *(Continued)*

df for denominator N_2		df for numerator N_1											
	Pr	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
10	.25	1.49	1.60	1.60	1.59	1.59	1.58	1.57	1.56	1.56	1.55	1.55	1.54
	.10	3.29	2.92	2.73	2.61	2.52	2.46	2.41	2.38	2.35	2.32	2.30	2.28
	.05	4.96	4.10	3.71	3.48	3.33	3.22	3.14	3.07	3.02	2.98	2.94	2.91
	.01	10.0	7.56	6.55	5.99	5.64	5.39	5.20	5.06	4.94	4.85	4.77	4.71
11	.25	1.47	1.58	1.58	1.57	1.56	1.55	1.54	1.53	1.53	1.52	1.52	1.51
	.10	3.23	2.86	2.66	2.54	2.45	2.39	2.34	2.30	2.27	2.25	2.23	2.21
	.05	4.84	3.98	3.59	3.36	3.20	3.09	3.01	2.95	2.90	2.85	2.82	2.79
	.01	9.65	7.21	6.22	5.67	5.32	5.07	4.89	4.74	4.63	4.54	4.46	4.40
12	.25	1.46	1.56	1.56	1.55	1.54	1.53	1.52	1.51	1.51	1.50	1.50	1.49
	.10	3.18	2.81	2.61	2.48	2.39	2.33	2.28	2.24	2.21	2.19	2.17	2.15
	.05	4.75	3.89	3.49	3.26	3.11	3.00	2.91	2.85	2.80	2.75	2.72	2.69
	.01	9.33	6.93	5.95	5.41	5.06	4.82	4.64	4.50	4.39	4.30	4.22	4.16
13	.25	1.45	1.55	1.55	1.53	1.52	1.51	1.50	1.49	1.49	1.48	1.47	1.47
	.10	3.14	2.76	2.56	2.43	2.35	2.28	2.23	2.20	2.16	2.14	2.12	2.10
	.05	4.67	3.81	3.41	3.18	3.03	2.92	2.83	2.77	2.71	2.67	2.63	2.60
	.01	9.07	6.70	5.74	5.21	4.86	4.62	4.44	4.30	4.19	4.10	4.02	3.96
14	.25	1.44	1.53	1.53	1.52	1.51	1.50	1.49	1.48	1.47	1.46	1.46	1.45
	.10	3.10	2.73	2.52	2.39	2.31	2.24	2.19	2.15	2.12	2.10	2.08	2.05
	.05	4.60	3.74	3.34	3.11	2.96	2.85	2.76	2.70	2.65	2.60	2.57	2.53
	.01	8.86	6.51	5.56	5.04	4.69	4.46	4.28	4.14	4.03	3.94	3.86	3.80
15	.25	1.43	1.52	1.52	1.51	1.49	1.48	1.47	1.46	1.46	1.45	1.44	1.44
	.10	3.07	2.70	2.49	2.36	2.27	2.21	2.16	2.12	2.09	2.06	2.04	2.02
	.05	4.54	3.68	3.29	3.06	2.90	2.79	2.71	2.64	2.59	2.54	2.51	2.48
	.01	8.68	6.36	5.42	4.89	4.56	4.32	4.14	4.00	3.89	3.80	3.73	3.67
16	.25	1.42	1.51	1.51	1.50	1.48	1.47	1.46	1.45	1.44	1.44	1.44	1.43
	.10	3.05	2.67	2.46	2.33	2.24	2.18	2.13	2.09	2.06	2.03	2.01	1.99
	.05	4.49	3.63	3.24	3.01	2.85	2.74	2.66	2.59	2.54	2.49	2.46	2.42
	.01	8.53	6.23	5.29	4.77	4.44	4.20	4.03	3.89	3.78	3.69	3.62	3.55
17	.25	1.42	1.51	1.50	1.49	1.47	1.46	1.45	1.44	1.43	1.43	1.42	1.41
	.10	3.03	2.64	2.44	2.31	2.22	2.15	2.10	2.06	2.03	2.00	1.98	1.96
	.05	4.45	3.59	3.20	2.96	2.81	2.70	2.61	2.55	2.49	2.45	2.41	2.38
	.01	8.40	6.11	5.18	4.67	4.34	4.10	3.93	3.79	3.68	3.59	3.52	3.46
18	.25	1.41	1.50	1.49	1.48	1.46	1.45	1.44	1.43	1.42	1.42	1.41	1.40
	.10	3.01	2.62	2.42	2.29	2.20	2.13	2.08	2.04	2.00	1.98	1.96	1.93
	.05	4.41	3.55	3.16	2.93	2.77	2.66	2.58	2.51	2.46	2.41	2.37	2.34
	.01	8.29	6.01	5.09	4.58	4.25	4.01	3.84	3.71	3.60	3.51	3.43	3.37
19	.25	1.41	1.49	1.49	1.47	1.46	1.44	1.43	1.42	1.41	1.41	1.40	1.40
	.10	2.99	2.61	2.40	2.27	2.18	2.11	2.06	2.02	1.98	1.96	1.94	1.91
	.05	4.38	3.52	3.13	2.90	2.74	2.63	2.54	2.48	2.42	2.38	2.34	2.31
	.01	8.18	5.93	5.01	4.50	4.17	3.94	3.77	3.63	3.52	3.43	3.36	3.30
20	.25	1.40	1.49	1.48	1.46	1.45	1.44	1.43	1.42	1.41	1.40	1.39	1.39
	.10	2.97	2.59	2.38	2.25	2.16	2.09	2.04	2.00	1.96	1.94	1.92	1.89
	.05	4.35	3.49	3.10	2.87	2.71	2.60	2.51	2.45	2.39	2.35	2.31	2.28
	.01	8.10	5.85	4.94	4.43	4.10	3.87	3.70	3.56	3.46	3.37	3.29	3.23

F-table continued

df for numerator N_1													df for denominator N_2
15	20	24	30	40	50	60	100	120	200	500	∞	Pr	
1.53	1.52	1.52	1.51	1.51	1.50	1.50	1.49	1.49	1.49	1.48	1.48	.25	10
2.24	2.20	2.18	2.16	2.13	2.12	2.11	2.09	2.08	2.07	2.06	2.06	.10	
2.85	2.77	2.74	2.70	2.66	2.64	2.62	2.59	2.58	2.56	2.55	2.54	.05	
4.56	4.41	4.33	4.25	4.17	4.12	4.08	4.01	4.00	3.96	3.93	3.91	.01	
1.50	1.49	1.49	1.48	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.46	1.46	1.46	1.45	1.45	.25	11
2.17	2.12	2.10	2.08	2.05	2.04	2.03	2.00	2.00	1.99	1.98	1.97	.10	
2.72	2.65	2.61	2.57	2.53	2.51	2.49	2.46	2.45	2.43	2.42	2.40	.05	
4.25	4.10	4.02	3.94	3.86	3.81	3.78	3.71	3.69	3.66	3.62	3.60	.01	
1.48	1.47	1.46	1.45	1.45	1.44	1.44	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.42	1.42	.25	12
2.10	2.06	2.04	2.01	1.99	1.97	1.96	1.94	1.93	1.92	1.91	1.90	.10	
2.62	2.54	2.51	2.47	2.43	2.40	2.38	2.35	2.34	2.32	2.31	2.30	.05	
4.01	3.86	3.78	3.70	3.62	3.57	3.54	3.47	3.45	3.41	3.38	3.36	.01	
1.46	1.45	1.44	1.43	1.42	1.42	1.42	1.41	1.41	1.40	1.40	1.40	.25	13
2.05	2.01	1.98	1.96	1.93	1.92	1.90	1.88	1.88	1.86	1.85	1.85	.10	
2.53	2.46	2.42	2.38	2.34	2.31	2.30	2.26	2.25	2.23	2.22	2.21	.05	
3.82	3.66	3.59	3.51	3.43	3.38	3.34	3.27	3.25	3.22	3.19	3.17	.01	
1.44	1.43	1.42	1.41	1.41	1.40	1.40	1.39	1.39	1.39	1.38	1.38	.25	14
2.01	1.96	1.94	1.91	1.89	1.87	1.86	1.83	1.83	1.82	1.80	1.80	.10	
2.46	2.39	2.35	2.31	2.27	2.24	2.22	2.19	2.18	2.16	2.14	2.13	.05	
3.66	3.51	3.43	3.35	3.27	3.22	3.18	3.11	3.09	3.06	3.03	3.00	.01	
1.43	1.41	1.41	1.40	1.39	1.39	1.38	1.38	1.37	1.37	1.36	1.36	.25	15
1.97	1.92	1.90	1.87	1.85	1.83	1.82	1.79	1.79	1.77	1.76	1.76	.10	
2.40	2.33	2.29	2.25	2.20	2.18	2.16	2.12	2.11	2.10	2.08	2.07	.05	
3.52	3.37	3.29	3.21	3.13	3.08	3.05	2.98	2.96	2.92	2.89	2.87	.01	
1.41	1.40	1.39	1.38	1.37	1.37	1.36	1.36	1.35	1.35	1.34	1.34	.25	16
1.94	1.89	1.87	1.84	1.81	1.79	1.78	1.76	1.75	1.74	1.73	1.72	.10	
2.35	2.28	2.24	2.19	2.15	2.12	2.11	2.07	2.06	2.04	2.02	2.01	.05	
3.41	3.26	3.18	3.10	3.02	2.97	2.93	2.86	2.84	2.81	2.78	2.75	.01	
1.40	1.39	1.38	1.37	1.36	1.35	1.35	1.34	1.34	1.34	1.33	1.33	.25	17
1.91	1.86	1.84	1.81	1.78	1.76	1.75	1.73	1.72	1.71	1.69	1.69	.10	
2.31	2.23	2.19	2.15	2.10	2.08	2.06	2.02	2.01	1.99	1.97	1.96	.05	
3.31	3.16	3.08	3.00	2.92	2.87	2.83	2.76	2.75	2.71	2.68	2.65	.01	
1.39	1.38	1.37	1.36	1.35	1.34	1.34	1.33	1.33	1.32	1.32	1.32	.25	18
1.89	1.84	1.81	1.78	1.75	1.74	1.72	1.70	1.69	1.68	1.67	1.66	.10	
2.27	2.19	2.15	2.11	2.06	2.04	2.02	1.98	1.97	1.95	1.93	1.92	.05	
3.23	3.08	3.00	2.92	2.84	2.78	2.75	2.68	2.66	2.62	2.59	2.57	.01	
1.38	1.37	1.36	1.35	1.34	1.33	1.33	1.32	1.32	1.31	1.31	1.30	.25	19
1.86	1.81	1.79	1.76	1.73	1.71	1.70	1.67	1.67	1.65	1.64	1.63	.10	
2.23	2.16	2.11	2.07	2.03	2.00	1.98	1.94	1.93	1.91	1.89	1.88	.05	
3.15	3.00	2.92	2.84	2.76	2.71	2.67	2.60	2.58	2.55	2.51	2.49	.01	
1.37	1.36	1.35	1.34	1.33	1.33	1.32	1.31	1.31	1.30	1.30	1.29	.25	20
1.84	1.79	1.77	1.74	1.71	1.69	1.68	1.65	1.64	1.63	1.62	1.61	.10	
2.20	2.12	2.08	2.04	1.99	1.97	1.95	1.91	1.90	1.88	1.86	1.84	.05	
3.09	2.94	2.86	2.78	2.69	2.64	2.61	2.54	2.52	2.48	2.44	2.42	.01	

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TABLE D.3 Upper Percentage Points of the F Distribution (*Continued*)

df for denominator N_2	df for numerator N_1												
	Pr	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
22	.25	1.40	1.48	1.47	1.45	1.44	1.42	1.41	1.40	1.39	1.39	1.38	1.37
	.10	2.95	2.56	2.35	2.22	2.13	2.06	2.01	1.97	1.93	1.90	1.88	1.86
	.05	4.30	3.44	3.05	2.82	2.66	2.55	2.46	2.40	2.34	2.30	2.26	2.23
	.01	7.95	5.72	4.82	4.31	3.99	3.76	3.59	3.45	3.35	3.26	3.18	3.12
24	.25	1.39	1.47	1.46	1.44	1.43	1.41	1.40	1.39	1.38	1.38	1.37	1.36
	.10	2.93	2.54	2.33	2.19	2.10	2.04	1.98	1.94	1.91	1.88	1.85	1.83
	.05	4.26	3.40	3.01	2.78	2.62	2.51	2.42	2.36	2.30	2.25	2.21	2.18
	.01	7.82	5.61	4.72	4.22	3.90	3.67	3.50	3.36	3.26	3.17	3.09	3.03
26	.25	1.38	1.46	1.45	1.44	1.42	1.41	1.39	1.38	1.37	1.37	1.36	1.35
	.10	2.91	2.52	2.31	2.17	2.08	2.01	1.96	1.92	1.88	1.86	1.84	1.81
	.05	4.23	3.37	2.98	2.74	2.59	2.47	2.39	2.32	2.27	2.22	2.18	2.15
	.01	7.72	5.53	4.64	4.14	3.82	3.59	3.42	3.29	3.18	3.09	3.02	2.96
28	.25	1.38	1.46	1.45	1.43	1.41	1.40	1.39	1.38	1.37	1.36	1.35	1.34
	.10	2.89	2.50	2.29	2.16	2.06	2.00	1.94	1.90	1.87	1.84	1.81	1.79
	.05	4.20	3.34	2.95	2.71	2.56	2.45	2.36	2.29	2.24	2.19	2.15	2.12
	.01	7.64	5.45	4.57	4.07	3.75	3.53	3.36	3.23	3.12	3.03	2.96	2.90
30	.25	1.38	1.45	1.44	1.42	1.41	1.39	1.38	1.37	1.36	1.35	1.35	1.34
	.10	2.88	2.49	2.28	2.14	2.05	1.98	1.93	1.88	1.85	1.82	1.79	1.77
	.05	4.17	3.32	2.92	2.69	2.53	2.42	2.33	2.27	2.21	2.16	2.13	2.09
	.01	7.56	5.39	4.51	4.02	3.70	3.47	3.30	3.17	3.07	2.98	2.91	2.84
40	.25	1.36	1.44	1.42	1.40	1.39	1.37	1.36	1.35	1.34	1.33	1.32	1.31
	.10	2.84	2.44	2.23	2.09	2.00	1.93	1.87	1.83	1.79	1.76	1.73	1.71
	.05	4.08	3.23	2.84	2.61	2.45	2.34	2.25	2.18	2.12	2.08	2.04	2.00
	.01	7.31	5.18	4.31	3.83	3.51	3.29	3.12	2.99	2.89	2.80	2.73	2.66
60	.25	1.35	1.42	1.41	1.38	1.37	1.35	1.33	1.32	1.31	1.30	1.29	1.29
	.10	2.79	2.39	2.18	2.04	1.95	1.87	1.82	1.77	1.74	1.71	1.68	1.66
	.05	4.00	3.15	2.76	2.53	2.37	2.25	2.17	2.10	2.04	1.99	1.95	1.92
	.01	7.08	4.98	4.13	3.65	3.34	3.12	2.95	2.82	2.72	2.63	2.56	2.50
120	.25	1.34	1.40	1.39	1.37	1.35	1.33	1.31	1.30	1.29	1.28	1.27	1.26
	.10	2.75	2.35	2.13	1.99	1.90	1.82	1.77	1.72	1.68	1.65	1.62	1.60
	.05	3.92	3.07	2.68	2.45	2.29	2.17	2.09	2.02	1.96	1.91	1.87	1.83
	.01	6.85	4.79	3.95	3.48	3.17	2.96	2.79	2.66	2.56	2.47	2.40	2.34
200	.25	1.33	1.39	1.38	1.36	1.34	1.32	1.31	1.29	1.28	1.27	1.26	1.25
	.10	2.73	2.33	2.11	1.97	1.88	1.80	1.75	1.70	1.66	1.63	1.60	1.57
	.05	3.89	3.04	2.65	2.42	2.26	2.14	2.06	1.98	1.93	1.88	1.84	1.80
	.01	6.76	4.71	3.88	3.41	3.11	2.89	2.73	2.60	2.50	2.41	2.34	2.27
∞	.25	1.32	1.39	1.37	1.35	1.33	1.31	1.29	1.28	1.27	1.25	1.24	1.24
	.10	2.71	2.30	2.08	1.94	1.85	1.77	1.72	1.67	1.63	1.60	1.57	1.55
	.05	3.84	3.00	2.60	2.37	2.21	2.10	2.01	1.94	1.88	1.83	1.79	1.75
	.01	6.63	4.61	3.78	3.32	3.02	2.80	2.64	2.51	2.41	2.32	2.25	2.18

F-table continued

df for numerator N_1													df for denominator N_2
15	20	24	30	40	50	60	100	120	200	500	∞	Pr	
1.36	1.34	1.33	1.32	1.31	1.31	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.29	1.29	1.28	.25	22
1.81	1.76	1.73	1.70	1.67	1.65	1.64	1.61	1.60	1.59	1.58	1.57	.10	
2.15	2.07	2.03	1.98	1.94	1.91	1.89	1.85	1.84	1.82	1.80	1.78	.05	
2.98	2.83	2.75	2.67	2.58	2.53	2.50	2.42	2.40	2.36	2.33	2.31	.01	
1.35	1.33	1.32	1.31	1.30	1.29	1.29	1.28	1.28	1.27	1.27	1.26	.25	24
1.78	1.73	1.70	1.67	1.64	1.62	1.61	1.58	1.57	1.56	1.54	1.53	.10	
2.11	2.03	1.98	1.94	1.89	1.86	1.84	1.80	1.79	1.77	1.75	1.73	.05	
2.89	2.74	2.66	2.58	2.49	2.44	2.40	2.33	2.31	2.27	2.24	2.21	.01	
1.34	1.32	1.31	1.30	1.29	1.28	1.28	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.25	1.25	.25	26
1.76	1.71	1.68	1.65	1.61	1.59	1.58	1.55	1.54	1.53	1.51	1.50	.10	
2.07	1.99	1.95	1.90	1.85	1.82	1.80	1.76	1.75	1.73	1.71	1.69	.05	
2.81	2.66	2.58	2.50	2.42	2.36	2.33	2.25	2.23	2.19	2.16	2.13	.01	
1.33	1.31	1.30	1.29	1.28	1.27	1.27	1.26	1.25	1.25	1.24	1.24	.25	28
1.74	1.69	1.66	1.63	1.59	1.57	1.56	1.53	1.52	1.50	1.49	1.48	.10	
2.04	1.96	1.91	1.87	1.82	1.79	1.77	1.73	1.71	1.69	1.67	1.65	.05	
2.75	2.60	2.52	2.44	2.35	2.30	2.26	2.19	2.17	2.13	2.09	2.06	.01	
1.32	1.30	1.29	1.28	1.27	1.26	1.26	1.25	1.24	1.24	1.23	1.23	.25	30
1.72	1.67	1.64	1.61	1.57	1.55	1.54	1.51	1.50	1.48	1.47	1.46	.10	
2.01	1.93	1.89	1.84	1.79	1.76	1.74	1.70	1.68	1.66	1.64	1.62	.05	
2.70	2.55	2.47	2.39	2.30	2.25	2.21	2.13	2.11	2.07	2.03	2.01	.01	
1.30	1.28	1.26	1.25	1.24	1.23	1.22	1.21	1.21	1.20	1.19	1.19	.25	40
1.66	1.61	1.57	1.54	1.51	1.48	1.47	1.43	1.42	1.41	1.39	1.38	.10	
1.92	1.84	1.79	1.74	1.69	1.66	1.64	1.59	1.58	1.55	1.53	1.51	.05	
2.52	2.37	2.29	2.20	2.11	2.06	2.02	1.94	1.92	1.87	1.83	1.80	.01	
1.27	1.25	1.24	1.22	1.21	1.20	1.19	1.17	1.17	1.16	1.15	1.15	.25	60
1.60	1.54	1.51	1.48	1.44	1.41	1.40	1.36	1.35	1.33	1.31	1.29	.10	
1.84	1.75	1.70	1.65	1.59	1.56	1.53	1.48	1.47	1.44	1.41	1.39	.05	
2.35	2.20	2.12	2.03	1.94	1.88	1.84	1.75	1.73	1.68	1.63	1.60	.01	
1.24	1.22	1.21	1.19	1.18	1.17	1.16	1.14	1.13	1.12	1.11	1.10	.25	120
1.55	1.48	1.45	1.41	1.37	1.34	1.32	1.27	1.26	1.24	1.21	1.19	.10	
1.75	1.66	1.61	1.55	1.50	1.46	1.43	1.37	1.35	1.32	1.28	1.25	.05	
2.19	2.03	1.95	1.86	1.76	1.70	1.66	1.56	1.53	1.48	1.42	1.38	.01	
1.23	1.21	1.20	1.18	1.16	1.14	1.12	1.11	1.10	1.09	1.08	1.06	.25	200
1.52	1.46	1.42	1.38	1.34	1.31	1.28	1.24	1.22	1.20	1.17	1.14	.10	
1.72	1.62	1.57	1.52	1.46	1.41	1.39	1.32	1.29	1.26	1.22	1.19	.05	
2.13	1.97	1.89	1.79	1.69	1.63	1.58	1.48	1.44	1.39	1.33	1.28	.01	
1.22	1.19	1.18	1.16	1.14	1.13	1.12	1.09	1.08	1.07	1.04	1.00	.25	∞
1.49	1.42	1.38	1.34	1.30	1.26	1.24	1.18	1.17	1.13	1.08	1.00	.10	
1.67	1.57	1.52	1.46	1.39	1.35	1.32	1.24	1.22	1.17	1.11	1.00	.05	
2.04	1.88	1.79	1.70	1.59	1.52	1.47	1.36	1.32	1.25	1.15	1.00	.01	

TABLE D.4

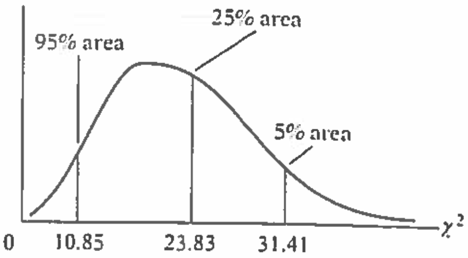
Upper Percentage Points of the χ^2 Distribution

Example

$\Pr(\chi^2 > 10.85) = 0.95$

$\Pr(\chi^2 > 23.83) = 0.25$ for df = 20

$\Pr(\chi^2 > 31.41) = 0.05$



Degrees of freedom \ Pr	.995	.990	.975	.950	.900
1	392704×10^{-10}	157088×10^{-9}	982069×10^{-9}	393214×10^{-8}	.0157908
2	.0100251	.0201007	.0506356	.102587	.210720
3	.0717212	.114832	.215795	.351846	.584375
4	.206990	.297110	.484419	.710721	1.063623
5	.411740	.554300	.831211	1.145476	1.61031
6	.675727	.872085	1.237347	1.63539	2.20413
7	.989265	1.239043	1.68987	2.16735	2.83311
8	1.344419	1.646482	2.17973	2.73264	3.48954
9	1.734926	2.087912	2.70039	3.32511	4.16816
10	2.15585	2.55821	3.24697	3.94030	4.86518
11	2.60321	3.05347	3.81575	4.57481	5.57779
12	3.07382	3.57056	4.40379	5.22603	6.30380
13	3.56503	4.10691	5.00874	5.89186	7.04150
14	4.07468	4.66043	5.62872	6.57063	7.78953
15	4.60094	5.22935	6.26214	7.26094	8.54675
16	5.14224	5.81221	6.90766	7.96164	9.31223
17	5.69724	6.40776	7.56418	8.67176	10.0852
18	6.26481	7.01491	8.23075	9.39046	10.8649
19	6.84398	7.63273	8.90655	10.1170	11.6509
20	7.43386	8.26040	9.59083	10.8508	12.4426
21	8.03366	8.89720	10.28293	11.5913	13.2396
22	8.64272	9.54249	10.9823	12.3380	14.0415
23	9.26042	10.19567	11.6885	13.0905	14.8479
24	9.88623	10.8564	12.4011	13.8484	15.6587
25	10.5197	11.5240	13.1197	14.6114	16.4734
26	11.1603	12.1981	13.8439	15.3791	17.2919
27	11.8076	12.8786	14.5733	16.1513	18.1138
28	12.4613	13.5648	15.3079	16.9279	18.9392
29	13.1211	14.2565	16.0471	17.7083	19.7677
30	13.7867	14.9535	16.7908	18.4926	20.5992
40	20.7065	22.1643	24.4331	26.5093	29.0505
50	27.9907	29.7067	32.3574	34.7642	37.6886
60	35.5346	37.4848	40.4817	43.1879	46.4589
70	43.2752	45.4418	48.7576	51.7393	55.3290
80	51.1720	53.5400	57.1532	60.3915	64.2778
90	59.1963	61.7541	65.6466	69.1260	73.2912
100*	67.3276	70.0648	74.2219	77.9295	82.3581

*For df greater than 100 the expression $\sqrt{2\chi^2} - \sqrt{(2k-1)} = Z$ follows the standardized normal distribution, where k represents the degrees of freedom.

χ^2-table continued

.750	.500	.250	.100	.050	.025	.010	.005
.1015308	.454937	1.32330	2.70554	3.84146	5.02389	6.63490	7.87944
.575364	1.38629	2.77259	4.60517	5.99147	7.37776	9.21034	10.5966
1.212534	2.36597	4.10835	6.25139	7.81473	9.34840	11.3449	12.8381
1.92255	3.35670	5.38527	7.77944	9.48773	11.1433	13.2767	14.8602
2.67460	4.35146	6.62568	9.23635	11.0705	12.8325	15.0863	16.7496
.45460	5.34812	7.84080	10.6446	12.5916	14.4494	16.8119	18.5476
4.25485	6.34581	9.03715	12.0170	14.0671	16.0128	18.4753	20.2777
5.07064	7.34412	10.2188	13.3616	15.5073	17.5346	20.0902	21.9550
5.89883	8.34283	11.3887	14.6837	16.9190	19.0228	21.6660	23.5893
6.73720	9.34182	12.5489	15.9871	18.3070	20.4831	23.2093	25.1882
7.58412	10.3410	13.7007	17.2750	19.6751	21.9200	24.7250	26.7569
8.43842	11.3403	14.8454	18.5494	21.0261	23.3367	26.2170	28.2995
9.29906	12.3398	15.9839	19.8119	22.3621	24.7356	27.6883	29.8194
10.1653	13.3393	17.1170	21.0642	23.6848	26.1190	29.1413	31.3193
11.0365	14.3389	18.2451	22.3072	24.9958	27.4884	30.5779	32.8013
11.9122	15.3385	19.3688	23.5418	26.2962	28.8454	31.9999	34.2672
12.7919	16.3381	20.4887	24.7690	27.5871	30.1910	33.4087	35.7185
13.6753	17.3379	21.6049	25.9894	28.8693	31.5264	34.8053	37.1564
14.5620	18.3376	22.7178	27.2036	30.1435	32.8523	36.1908	38.5822
15.4518	19.3374	23.8277	28.4120	31.4104	34.1696	37.5662	39.9968
16.3444	20.3372	24.9348	29.6151	32.6705	35.4789	38.9321	41.4010
17.2396	21.3370	26.0393	30.8133	33.9244	36.7807	40.2894	42.7956
18.1373	22.3369	27.1413	32.0069	35.1725	38.0757	41.6384	44.1813
19.0372	23.3367	28.2412	33.1963	36.4151	39.3641	42.9798	45.5585
19.9393	24.3366	29.3389	34.3816	37.6525	40.6465	44.3141	46.9278
20.8434	25.3364	30.4345	35.5631	38.8852	41.9232	45.6417	48.2899
21.7494	26.3363	31.5284	36.7412	40.1133	43.1944	46.9630	49.6449
22.6572	27.3363	32.6205	37.9159	41.3372	44.4607	48.2782	50.9933
23.5666	28.3362	33.7109	39.0875	42.5569	45.7222	49.5879	52.3356
24.4776	29.3360	34.7998	40.2560	43.7729	46.9792	50.8922	53.6720
33.6603	39.3354	45.6160	51.8050	55.7585	59.3417	63.6907	66.7659
42.9421	49.3349	56.3336	63.1671	67.5048	71.4202	76.1539	79.4900
52.2938	59.3347	66.9814	74.3970	79.0819	83.2976	88.3794	91.9517
61.6983	69.3344	77.5766	85.5271	90.5312	95.0231	100.425	104.215
71.1445	79.3343	88.1303	96.5782	101.879	106.629	112.329	116.321
80.6247	89.3342	98.6499	107.565	113.145	118.136	124.116	128.299
90.1332	99.3341	109.141	118.498	124.342	129.561	135.807	140.169

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TABLE D.5A Durbin–Watson *d* Statistic: Significance Points of d_L and d_U at 0.05 Level of Significance

	$k'=1$		$k'=2$		$k'=3$		$k'=4$		$k'=5$		$k'=6$		$k'=7$		$k'=8$		$k'=9$		$k'=10$	
n	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U
6	0.610	1.400	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	0.700	1.356	0.467	1.896	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8	0.763	1.332	0.559	1.777	0.368	2.287	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
9	0.824	1.320	0.629	1.699	0.455	2.128	0.296	2.588	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10	0.879	1.320	0.697	1.641	0.525	2.016	0.376	2.414	0.243	2.822	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	0.927	1.324	0.658	1.604	0.595	1.928	0.444	2.283	0.316	2.645	0.203	3.005	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
12	0.971	1.331	0.812	1.579	0.658	1.864	0.512	2.177	0.379	2.506	0.268	2.832	0.171	3.149	—	—	—	—	—	—
13	1.010	1.340	0.861	1.562	0.715	1.816	0.574	2.094	0.445	2.390	0.328	2.692	0.230	2.985	0.147	3.266	—	—	—	—
14	1.045	1.350	0.905	1.551	0.767	1.779	0.632	2.030	0.505	2.296	0.389	2.572	0.286	2.848	0.200	3.111	0.127	3.360	—	—
15	1.077	1.361	0.946	1.543	0.814	1.750	0.685	1.977	0.562	2.220	0.447	2.472	0.343	2.727	0.251	2.979	0.175	3.216	0.111	3.438
16	1.106	1.371	0.982	1.539	0.857	1.728	0.734	1.935	0.615	2.157	0.502	2.388	0.398	2.624	0.304	2.860	0.222	3.090	0.155	3.304
17	1.133	1.381	1.015	1.536	0.897	1.710	0.779	1.900	0.664	2.104	0.554	2.318	0.451	2.537	0.356	2.757	0.272	2.975	0.198	3.184
18	1.158	1.391	1.046	1.535	0.933	1.696	0.820	1.872	0.710	2.060	0.603	2.257	0.502	2.461	0.407	2.667	0.321	2.873	0.244	3.073
19	1.180	1.401	1.074	1.536	0.967	1.685	0.859	1.848	0.752	2.023	0.649	2.206	0.549	2.396	0.456	2.589	0.369	2.783	0.290	2.974
20	1.201	1.411	1.100	1.537	0.998	1.676	0.894	1.828	0.792	1.991	0.692	2.162	0.595	2.339	0.502	2.521	0.416	2.704	0.336	2.885
21	1.221	1.420	1.125	1.538	1.026	1.669	0.927	1.812	0.829	1.964	0.732	2.124	0.637	2.290	0.547	2.460	0.461	2.633	0.380	2.806
22	1.239	1.429	1.147	1.541	1.053	1.664	0.958	1.797	0.863	1.940	0.769	2.090	0.677	2.246	0.588	2.407	0.504	2.571	0.424	2.734
23	1.257	1.437	1.168	1.543	1.078	1.660	0.986	1.785	0.895	1.920	0.804	2.061	0.715	2.208	0.628	2.360	0.545	2.514	0.465	2.670
24	1.273	1.446	1.188	1.546	1.101	1.656	1.013	1.775	0.925	1.902	0.837	2.035	0.751	2.174	0.666	2.318	0.584	2.464	0.506	2.613
25	1.288	1.454	1.206	1.550	1.123	1.654	1.038	1.767	0.953	1.886	0.868	2.012	0.784	2.144	0.702	2.280	0.621	2.419	0.544	2.560
26	1.302	1.461	1.224	1.553	1.143	1.652	1.062	1.759	0.979	1.873	0.897	1.992	0.816	2.117	0.735	2.246	0.657	2.379	0.581	2.513
27	1.316	1.469	1.240	1.556	1.162	1.651	1.084	1.753	1.004	1.861	0.925	1.974	0.845	2.093	0.767	2.216	0.691	2.342	0.616	2.470
28	1.328	1.476	1.255	1.560	1.181	1.650	1.104	1.747	1.028	1.850	0.951	1.958	0.874	2.071	0.798	2.188	0.723	2.309	0.650	2.431
29	1.341	1.483	1.270	1.563	1.198	1.650	1.124	1.743	1.050	1.841	0.975	1.944	0.900	2.052	0.826	2.164	0.753	2.278	0.682	2.396
30	1.352	1.489	1.284	1.567	1.214	1.650	1.143	1.739	1.071	1.833	0.998	1.931	0.926	2.034	0.854	2.141	0.782	2.251	0.712	2.363
31	1.363	1.496	1.297	1.570	1.229	1.650	1.160	1.735	1.090	1.825	1.020	1.920	0.950	2.018	0.879	2.120	0.810	2.226	0.741	2.333
32	1.373	1.502	1.309	1.574	1.244	1.650	1.177	1.732	1.109	1.819	1.041	1.909	0.972	2.004	0.904	2.102	0.836	2.203	0.769	2.306
33	1.383	1.508	1.321	1.577	1.258	1.651	1.193	1.730	1.127	1.813	1.061	1.900	0.994	1.991	0.927	2.085	0.861	2.181	0.795	2.281
34	1.393	1.514	1.333	1.580	1.271	1.652	1.208	1.728	1.144	1.808	1.080	1.891	1.015	1.979	0.950	2.069	0.885	2.162	0.821	2.257
35	1.402	1.519	1.343	1.584	1.283	1.653	1.222	1.726	1.160	1.803	1.097	1.884	1.034	1.967	0.971	2.054	0.908	2.144	0.845	2.236
36	1.411	1.525	1.354	1.587	1.295	1.654	1.236	1.724	1.175	1.799	1.114	1.877	1.053	1.957	0.991	2.041	0.930	2.127	0.868	2.216
37	1.419	1.530	1.364	1.590	1.307	1.655	1.249	1.723	1.190	1.795	1.131	1.870	1.071	1.948	1.011	2.029	0.951	2.112	0.891	2.198
38	1.427	1.535	1.373	1.594	1.318	1.656	1.261	1.722	1.204	1.792	1.146	1.864	1.088	1.939	1.029	2.017	0.970	2.098	0.912	2.180
39	1.435	1.540	1.382	1.597	1.328	1.658	1.273	1.722	1.218	1.789	1.161	1.859	1.104	1.932	1.047	2.007	0.990	2.085	0.932	2.164
40	1.442	1.544	1.391	1.600	1.338	1.659	1.285	1.721	1.230	1.786	1.175	1.854	1.120	1.924	1.064	1.997	1.008	2.072	0.952	2.149
45	1.475	1.566	1.430	1.615	1.383	1.666	1.336	1.720	1.287	1.776	1.238	1.835	1.189	1.895	1.139	1.958	1.089	2.022	1.038	2.088
50	1.503	1.585	1.462	1.628	1.421	1.674	1.378	1.721	1.335	1.771	1.291	1.822	1.246	1.875	1.201	1.930	1.156	1.986	1.110	2.044
55	1.528	1.601	1.490	1.641	1.452	1.681	1.414	1.724	1.374	1.768	1.334	1.814	1.294	1.861	1.253	1.909	1.212	1.959	1.170	2.010
60	1.549	1.616	1.514	1.652	1.480	1.689	1.444	1.727	1.408	1.767	1.372	1.808	1.335	1.850	1.298	1.894	1.260	1.939	1.222	1.984
65	1.567	1.629	1.536	1.662	1.503	1.696	1.471	1.731	1.438	1.767	1.404	1.805	1.370	1.843	1.336	1.882	1.301	1.923	1.266	1.964
70	1.583	1.641	1.554	1.672	1.525	1.703	1.494	1.735	1.464	1.768	1.433	1.802	1.401	1.837	1.369	1.873	1.337	1.910	1.305	1.948
75	1.598	1.652	1.571	1.680	1.543	1.709	1.515	1.739	1.487	1.770	1.458	1.801	1.428	1.834	1.399	1.867	1.369	1.901	1.339	1.935
80	1.611	1.662	1.586	1.688	1.560	1.715	1.534	1.743	1.507	1.772	1.480	1.801	1.453	1.831	1.425	1.861	1.397	1.893	1.369	1.925
85	1.624	1.671	1.600	1.696	1.575	1.721	1.550	1.747	1.525	1.774	1.500	1.801	1.474	1.829	1.448	1.857	1.422	1.886	1.396	1.916
90	1.635	1.679	1.612	1.703	1.589	1.726	1.566	1.751	1.542	1.776	1.518	1.801	1.494	1.827	1.469	1.854	1.445	1.881	1.420	1.909
95	1.645	1.687	1.623	1.709	1.602	1.732	1.579	1.755	1.557	1.778	1.535	1.802	1.512	1.827	1.489	1.852	1.465	1.877	1.442	1.903
100	1.654	1.694	1.634	1.715	1.613	1.736	1.592	1.758	1.571	1.780	1.550	1.803	1.528	1.826	1.506	1.850	1.484	1.874	1.462	1.898
150	1.720	1.746	1.706	1.760	1.693	1.774	1.679	1.788	1.665	1.802	1.651	1.817	1.637	1.832	1.622	1.847	1.608	1.862	1.594	1.877
200	1.758	1.778	1.748	1.789	1.738	1.799	1.728	1.810	1.718	1.820	1.707	1.831	1.697	1.841	1.686	1.852	1.675	1.863	1.665	1.874

	k′ = 11		k′ = 12		k′ = 13		k′ = 14		k′ = 15		k′ = 16		k′ = 17		k′ = 18		k′ = 19		k′ = 20	
n	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U
16	0.098	3.503	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
17	0.138	3.378	0.087	3.557	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
18	0.177	3.265	0.123	3.441	0.078	3.603	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
19	0.220	3.159	0.160	3.335	0.171	3.496	0.070	3.642	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20	0.263	3.063	0.200	3.234	0.145	3.395	0.100	3.542	0.063	3.676	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
21	0.307	2.976	0.240	3.141	0.182	3.300	0.132	3.448	0.091	3.583	0.058	3.705	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
22	0.349	2.897	0.281	3.057	0.220	3.211	0.166	3.358	0.120	3.495	0.083	3.619	0.052	3.731	—	—	—	—	—	—
23	0.391	2.826	0.322	2.979	0.259	3.128	0.202	3.272	0.153	3.409	0.110	3.535	0.076	3.650	0.048	3.753	—	—	—	—
24	0.431	2.761	0.362	2.908	0.297	3.053	0.239	3.193	0.186	3.327	0.141	3.454	0.101	3.572	0.070	3.678	0.044	3.773	—	—
25	0.470	2.702	0.400	2.844	0.335	2.983	0.275	3.119	0.221	3.251	0.172	3.376	0.130	3.494	0.094	3.604	0.065	3.702	0.041	3.790
26	0.508	2.649	0.438	2.784	0.373	2.919	0.312	3.051	0.256	3.179	0.205	3.303	0.160	3.420	0.120	3.531	0.087	3.632	0.060	3.724
27	0.544	2.600	0.475	2.730	0.409	2.859	0.348	2.987	0.291	3.112	0.238	3.233	0.191	3.349	0.149	3.460	0.112	3.563	0.081	3.658
28	0.578	2.555	0.510	2.680	0.445	2.805	0.383	2.928	0.325	3.050	0.271	3.168	0.222	3.283	0.178	3.392	0.138	3.495	0.104	3.592
29	0.612	2.515	0.544	2.634	0.479	2.755	0.418	2.874	0.359	2.992	0.305	3.107	0.254	3.219	0.208	3.327	0.166	3.431	0.129	3.528
30	0.643	2.477	0.577	2.592	0.512	2.708	0.451	2.823	0.392	2.937	0.337	3.050	0.286	3.160	0.238	3.266	0.195	3.368	0.156	3.465
31	0.674	2.443	0.608	2.553	0.545	2.665	0.484	2.776	0.425	2.887	0.370	2.996	0.317	3.103	0.269	3.208	0.224	3.309	0.183	3.406
32	0.703	2.411	0.638	2.517	0.576	2.625	0.515	2.733	0.457	2.840	0.401	2.946	0.349	3.050	0.299	3.153	0.253	3.252	0.211	3.348
33	0.731	2.382	0.668	2.484	0.606	2.588	0.546	2.692	0.488	2.796	0.432	2.899	0.379	3.000	0.329	3.100	0.283	3.198	0.239	3.293
34	0.758	2.355	0.695	2.454	0.634	2.554	0.575	2.654	0.518	2.754	0.462	2.854	0.409	2.954	0.359	3.051	0.312	3.147	0.267	3.240
35	0.783	2.330	0.722	2.425	0.662	2.521	0.604	2.619	0.547	2.716	0.492	2.813	0.439	2.910	0.388	3.005	0.340	3.099	0.295	3.190
36	0.808	2.306	0.748	2.398	0.689	2.492	0.631	2.586	0.575	2.680	0.520	2.774	0.467	2.868	0.417	2.961	0.369	3.053	0.323	3.142
37	0.831	2.285	0.772	2.374	0.714	2.464	0.657	2.555	0.602	2.646	0.548	2.738	0.495	2.829	0.445	2.920	0.397	3.009	0.351	3.097
38	0.854	2.265	0.796	2.351	0.739	2.438	0.683	2.526	0.628	2.614	0.575	2.703	0.522	2.792	0.472	2.880	0.424	2.968	0.378	3.054
39	0.875	2.246	0.819	2.329	0.763	2.413	0.707	2.499	0.653	2.585	0.600	2.671	0.549	2.757	0.499	2.843	0.451	2.929	0.404	3.013
40	0.896	2.228	0.840	2.309	0.785	2.391	0.731	2.473	0.678	2.557	0.626	2.641	0.575	2.724	0.525	2.808	0.477	2.892	0.430	2.974
45	0.988	2.156	0.938	2.225	0.887	2.296	0.838	2.367	0.788	2.439	0.740	2.512	0.692	2.586	0.644	2.659	0.598	2.733	0.553	2.807
50	1.064	2.103	1.019	2.163	0.973	2.225	0.927	2.287	0.882	2.350	0.836	2.414	0.792	2.479	0.747	2.544	0.703	2.610	0.660	2.675
55	1.129	2.062	1.087	2.116	1.045	2.170	1.003	2.225	0.961	2.281	0.919	2.338	0.877	2.396	0.836	2.454	0.795	2.512	0.754	2.571
60	1.184	2.031	1.145	2.079	1.106	2.127	1.068	2.177	1.029	2.227	0.990	2.278	0.951	2.330	0.913	2.382	0.874	2.434	0.836	2.487
65	1.231	2.006	1.195	2.049	1.160	2.093	1.124	2.138	1.088	2.183	1.052	2.229	1.016	2.276	0.980	2.323	0.944	2.371	0.908	2.419
70	1.272	1.986	1.239	2.026	1.206	2.066	1.172	2.106	1.139	2.148	1.105	2.189	1.072	2.232	1.038	2.275	1.005	2.318	0.971	2.362
75	1.308	1.970	1.277	2.006	1.247	2.043	1.215	2.080	1.184	2.118	1.153	2.156	1.121	2.195	1.090	2.235	1.058	2.275	1.027	2.315
80	1.340	1.957	1.311	1.991	1.283	2.024	1.253	2.059	1.224	2.093	1.195	2.129	1.165	2.165	1.136	2.201	1.106	2.238	1.076	2.275
85	1.369	1.946	1.342	1.977	1.315	2.009	1.287	2.040	1.260	2.073	1.232	2.105	1.205	2.139	1.177	2.172	1.149	2.206	1.121	2.241
90	1.395	1.937	1.369	1.966	1.344	1.995	1.318	2.025	1.292	2.055	1.266	2.085	1.240	2.116	1.213	2.148	1.187	2.179	1.160	2.211
95	1.418	1.929	1.394	1.956	1.370	1.984	1.345	2.012	1.321	2.040	1.296	2.068	1.271	2.097	1.247	2.126	1.222	2.156	1.197	2.186
100	1.439	1.923	1.416	1.948	1.393	1.974	1.371	2.000	1.347	2.026	1.324	2.053	1.301	2.080	1.277	2.108	1.253	2.135	1.229	2.164
150	1.579	1.892	1.564	1.908	1.550	1.924	1.535	1.940	1.519	1.956	1.504	1.972	1.489	1.989	1.474	2.006	1.458	2.023	1.443	2.040
200	1.654	1.885	1.643	1.896	1.632	1.908	1.621	1.919	1.610	1.931	1.599	1.943	1.588	1.955	1.576	1.967	1.565	1.979	1.554	1.991

Note: n = number of observations, k' = number of explanatory variables excluding the constant term.

Source: This table is an extension of the original Durbin–Watson table and is reproduced from N. E. Savin and K. J. White, "The Durbin-Watson Test for Serial Correlation with Extreme Small Samples or Many Regressors," *Econometrica*, vol. 45, November 1977, pp. 1989–96 and as corrected by R. W. Farebrother, *Econometrica*, vol. 48, September 1980, p. 1554. Reprinted by permission of the Econometric Society.

EXAMPLE 1

If $n = 40$ and $k' = 4$, $d_L = 1.285$ and $d_U = 1.721$. If a computed d value is less than 1.285, there is evidence of positive first-order serial correlation; if it is greater than 1.721, there is no evidence of positive first-order serial correlation; but if d lies between the lower and the upper limit, there is inconclusive evidence regarding the presence or absence of positive first-order serial correlation.

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EXERCISE ①

$T = 12$

$$\tilde{y}_0 = \frac{1}{6} \sum_{t=1}^{6} y_t$$

a) The process we have here does not show any particular trend so is reasonable to use a first-order smoother.
If we have instead a model with trend is better to use a second-order smoother. Ok

b) If there is no trend the underlying model should be a random walk model.

$$Y_t = Y_{t-1} + \varepsilon_t$$

why a nonstationary model?

c)
$$\tilde{y}_2 = \lambda y_2 + (1-\lambda)\tilde{y}_1$$
$$\Longleftrightarrow$$
$$360{,}14 = \lambda \cdot 381 + 359{,}72 - \lambda \cdot 359{,}72$$
$$\Longleftrightarrow$$
$$\lambda = \frac{360{,}14 - 359{,}72}{381 - 359{,}72} = 0{,}02$$

$$\tilde{y}_{12} = \lambda y_{12} + (1-\lambda)\tilde{y}_{11} = 0{,}02 \cdot 343 + (1-0{,}02) \cdot 360{,}26 =$$
$$= 359{,}91$$

Ok

d) In order to choose the optimal value of λ we should minimize the sum of the squared forecast errors.

The value of this sum here is:

$$\sum_{t=1}^{T} (y_t - \tilde{y}_t)^2 = 12844$$

Ok

e) The more λ is small the less weight is given to the previous observation and thus the smoothing of the data is "bigger".

This could be interpretated as sign of the fact that the value of the process at time point T is not much influenced by the value of the process at time point T-1.

OK

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EXERCISE ②

⊛ $D_{ji} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if state } j \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

$N = 49$
$T = 20$

FEM

a)
$$\text{Log}(ESRCBPC)_{it} = \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 D_{1i} + \dots + \alpha_{48} D_{48i} + \beta_1 \cdot \text{Log}(RESRCD)_{it} + $$
$$+ \beta_2 \cdot \log(YDPC)_{it} + u_{it} \quad ⊛$$

OK

b) Generally we decide to use a FEM when we ~~have~~ believe that there is heterogeneity among the subjects (American states here).
An alternative to FEM is the pooled OLS model but, using this, all the subjects will have the same regression parameters and the consequence of this is that the heterogeneity will be camouflaged. In this situation there ~~[illegible]~~ will probably be autocorrelation ~~because the error terms will~~ " and the estimated would be biased as well as inconsistent.

This is the reason why we use FEM, because hence we allow for different intercepts for each subject, taking this in account the heterogeneity. In this way the autocorrelation problem should be overcomed.

In this precise example we can see that the Durbin-Watson d value is 0,4 so we are not sure that there is no autocorrelation, and maybe this is because we have a lot of dummy variables. By the way there should not be big problems with autocorrelation for what stated before.

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c) The Hausman test is used to decide ~~the~~ wether the FEM or the REM is more appropriate.
The null hypothesis is the following:

H0: Both FEM and REM can be used and they give similar results.

H1: FEM is better.

So, if in this example, H0 is rejected, this means that the FEM is more appropriate here.

A theoretical reason could be that we can't consider the subjects to be drawn from an imaginary population and thus to be random, because we are considering almost all the American states.
If the subjects can't be considered as random it is not good to use REM.

OK

d) Since FEM and pooled OLS model are nested models we can use the restricted F-test to compare them. In this example we have:

m = 48

n = 980

K = 51

$\left.\begin{matrix} n = 980 \\ K = 51 \end{matrix}\right\} n-K = 929$

So: $F_{48;929}$

OK

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EXERCISE ③

a) From the time series plot the process does not seem to be stationary and this is strengthen by the SACF, indeed we can see that there is a slow decay in the values of the SACF.

From the SPACF we can see that there are two * spikes and this is a sign that the model could be an AR(2). OK
* significant

b) The Ljung-Box ~~stati~~ is used for testing ~~wee~~ wether the values of the autocorrelation function up to a pre-decided lag K are 0.

$H_0: \rho_1 = \rho_2 = \dots = \rho_K = 0$

$$Q_{LB} = T(T+2)\sum_{k=1}^{K}\left(\frac{\hat{\rho}_k^2}{T-K}\right) \approx \chi^2_K$$

What is the value of T here?

Since the d.f. of the L-B test statistic in this example are 14, to compute the statistic I would use the estimated correlations up to lag 14:

$\hat{\rho}_1 = 0,970$
$\hat{\rho}_2 = 0,908$
$\vdots$
$\hat{\rho}_{14} = 0,331$

c) $\hat{\Phi}_1, \hat{\Phi}_2, \hat{\delta}$? $\hat{\mu} = 0,82$

From Yule-Walker equation we know:

$$\rho_K = \sum_{i=1}^{p} \Phi_i \cdot \rho_{K-i}$$

So:

$\hat{\rho}_1 = \hat{\Phi}_1 \cdot \hat{\rho}_0 + \hat{\Phi}_2 \cdot \hat{\rho}_1$ $(\rho_0 = 1, \rho_{-1} = \rho_1)$

~~$\hat{\rho}_1 = \hat{\Phi}$~~ $\Longleftrightarrow$

(1) $\hat{\Phi}_1 = \hat{\rho}_1(1-\hat{\Phi}_2) \Longleftrightarrow \hat{\Phi}_1 = 0,97(1-\hat{\Phi}_2)$

$\hat{\rho}_2 = \hat{\Phi}_1 \cdot \hat{\rho}_1 + \hat{\Phi}_2 \cdot \hat{\rho}_0$

(2) $\hat{\Phi}_2 = \hat{\rho}_2 - \hat{\Phi}_1 \cdot \hat{\rho}_1 \Longleftrightarrow \hat{\Phi}_2 = 0,908 - \hat{\Phi}_1 \cdot 0,97$

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So, from (1) and (2)

$$\hat{\Phi}_1 = 0{,}97 - 0{,}97 \cdot 0{,}908 + \hat{\Phi}_1 \cdot 0{,}97^2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow$$

- $\hat{\Phi}_1 = \dfrac{0{,}97 - 0{,}97 \cdot 0{,}908}{(1 - 0{,}97^2)} \approx \underline{\underline{1{,}51}}$

- $\hat{\Phi}_2 = 0{,}908 - 1{,}51 \cdot 0{,}97 \approx -\underline{\underline{0{,}56}}$

Assumptions of stationarity:

$$\begin{cases} \Phi_1 + \Phi_2 < 1 & \Rightarrow \Phi_1 + \Phi_2 = 0{,}95 < 1 \\ \Phi_2 - \Phi_1 < 1 & \Rightarrow \Phi_2 - \Phi_1 = -2{,}07 < 1 \\ |\Phi_2| < 1 & \Rightarrow |-0{,}56| < 1 \end{cases}$$

So the process ~~seem~~ seems to be stationary.

Given:

AR(2): $Y_t = \delta + \Phi_1 Y_{t-1} + \Phi_2 Y_{t-2} + \varepsilon_t$

$$E(Y_t) = \delta + \Phi_1 E(Y_{t-1}) + \Phi_2 E(Y_{t-2}) + 0 =$$

$$= \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{due to} \\ \text{stationarity} \end{array} : E(Y_t) = E(Y_{t-1}) = E(Y_{t-2}) \right\} =$$

$$E(Y_t) = \delta + \Phi_1 E(Y_t) + \Phi_2 E(Y_t)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow$$

$$\widehat{E(Y_t)} = \hat{\mu} = \frac{\hat{\delta}}{(1 - \hat{\Phi}_1 - \hat{\Phi}_2)}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow$$

- $\hat{\delta} = \cancel{\hat{\mu}}(1 - \hat{\Phi}_1 - \hat{\Phi}_2) = 0{,}82 \cdot (1 - 1{,}51 + 0{,}56) \approx \underline{\underline{0{,}041}}$ OK

d) From the SACF and the SPACF it may seem that the residuals are all not significant and thus that there is no correlation among residuals and this could be a good sign.

But if we look at the LB statistic value we can see that the p-value of this statistic is very high ≈ 0,3, this means that, with the usual values of α (0,05; 0,005; 0,001) the null hp would be rejected:

$H_0: \rho_1 = \ldots = \rho_{14} = 0$

This would mean that the errors seem to be correlated and, as expected from before, that the process does not really satisfy the assumptions of stationarity.

More precisely I would say that this is a near-non-stationary process.

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EXERCISE ④

(b) Is a clear pattern of nonstationarity since the SACF is clearly slowly decaying. (So every non-stationary process will generate a similar SACF.)
A model that could generate such a SACF is the random walk:

ARIMA(0,1,0): $Y_t = Y_{t-1} + \varepsilon_t$

OK

(c) This graph shows that for lag such as: 1,3,5,7,9.... the values of the autocorrelation function are negative.
On the contrary for lag 2,4,6,8,10..... the values of the SACF are positive.

This is a common pattern we can have in the case of AR(1) when the parameter ϕ is negative:

$$AR(1): Y_t = \delta + \phi Y_{t-1} + \varepsilon_t$$

Since for AR(1): $\rho_k = \phi^k$

If $\phi < 0 \Rightarrow \rho_1 < 0$

$\rho_2 > 0$

$\rho_3 < 0$

$\vdots$

OK

(d) This SACF shows 2 clearly significant spikes and this is a sign of MA(2)

$$MA(2): Y_t = \mu + \varepsilon_t - \theta_1 \varepsilon_{t-1} - \theta_2 \varepsilon_{t-2}$$

This because for MA(q) processes we have that

$\rho_k = 0$ for $k > q$.

So after lag q the estimated correlations will be close to zero.

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(a) This SACF graph could have been generated from an:

$$ARMA(1,1): Y_t = \delta + \phi Y_{t-1} - \theta \varepsilon_{t-1} + \varepsilon_t$$

Since for this type of models is common to show both in SACF and SPACF sinusoidal pattern or exponential decay. Ok

EXERCISE ⑥ /12

(a) T

Since MA processes are all a "restricted" form of infinite MA processes with finite number of parameters they are all stationary.

INFINITE MA: $Y_t = \mu + \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \Psi_i \cdot \varepsilon_{t-i}$

This is stationary if

$$\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} |\Psi_i| < \infty$$

Since in MA processes the parameters are of finite number, this condition is always satisfied. Ok

(b) T

$$AR(p): Y_t = \Phi_1 Y_{t-1} + \Phi_2 Y_{t-2} + \dots + \Phi_p Y_{t-p} + \varepsilon_t$$

$$E(Y_t) = \Phi_1 E(Y_{t-1}) + \dots + \Phi_p E(Y_{t-p})$$

{Stationarity: $E(Y_t)$ = constant for all t}

$$\Leftrightarrow E(Y_t) = \frac{0}{1-\Phi_1 - \dots -\Phi_p} = 0$$

Ok

(c) F

The Koyck model is a dynamic model but the FEM is not a dynamic model because it does not have a lagged Y variable as explanatory variable (regressor)

Ok

(d) F

The unit root test is used to detect a random walk model, more generally, to detect if a model is stationary.

$H_0 \quad \delta = 1$

Given: $Y_t = \delta Y_{t-1} + \varepsilon_t$

we know that if $|\delta| < 1$ the process is stationary, so under H_0 the process is not stationary, indeed is a RWM.

OK

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EXERCISE ⑤

$$y_t = \phi y_{t-1} + \varepsilon_t \qquad |\phi| < 1 \Rightarrow y_t \text{ stationary}$$

$$\varepsilon_t = \sqrt{h_t} \cdot e_t$$

$$h_t = \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 \cdot \varepsilon^2_{t-1}$$

$$e_t \overset{\shortparallel}{\sim} N(0,1)$$

$$\alpha_0 > 0 \; ; \; \alpha_1 > 0$$

e_t and $\varepsilon_{t-1}, \varepsilon_{t-2}$ are indip. for all t.

Is ε_t white noise? $\begin{cases} \rightarrow E(\varepsilon_t) = 0 \\ \rightarrow Var(\varepsilon_t) = 1 \; \sigma^2 \\ \rightarrow \varepsilon_t \text{ is uncorrelated} \end{cases}$

$$E(\varepsilon_t) = E\left(\sqrt{\alpha_0 + \alpha_1 \cdot \varepsilon^2_{t-1}} \cdot e_t\right) \overset{\shortparallel}{=}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} & COV\left(\sqrt{\alpha_0 + \alpha_1 \cdot \varepsilon^2_{t-1}} \, ; e_t\right) = \\ & = E\left(\sqrt{\alpha_0 + \alpha_1 \cdot \varepsilon^2_{t-1}} \cdot e_t\right) - E(\sqrt{h_t}) \cdot \overbrace{E(e_t)}^{\overset{0}{\shortparallel}} \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$= E(\sqrt{h_t}) \cdot E(e_t) = 0$$

OK

$$Var(\varepsilon_t) = E(\varepsilon_t^2) - E(\varepsilon_t)^2 = \overset{0}{\shortparallel}$$

$$= E\left((\alpha_0 + \alpha_1 \varepsilon^2_{t-1}) \cdot e_t^2\right) - E(\varepsilon_t)^2 \overset{\shortparallel}{=}$$

$$= E(\alpha_0 + \alpha_1 \varepsilon^2_{t-1}) \cdot \underbrace{E(e_t^2)}_{Var(e_t) = 1} =$$

$$= \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 \cdot E(\varepsilon^2_{t-1}) =$$

$$= \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 \cdot Var(\varepsilon_{t-1})$$

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$$\text{Cov}(\varepsilon_t, \varepsilon_{t+k}) = E(\varepsilon_t \cdot \varepsilon_{t+k}) - \overbrace{E(\varepsilon_t)\cdot E(\varepsilon_{t+k})}^{0} =$$

$$= E\left(\sqrt{\alpha_0 + \alpha_1 \varepsilon_{t-1}^2} \cdot e_t \cdot \sqrt{\alpha_0 + \alpha_1 \varepsilon_{t+k-1}^2} \cdot e_{t+k}\right) =$$

$$= E(e_t) \cdot E\left(\sqrt{h_t} \cdot \sqrt{h_{t+k}} \; e_{t+k}\right) =$$

$$= 0$$

$\Rightarrow$ So ε_t:s are indipendent $\Rightarrow$ uncorrelated. OK

~~$\varepsilon_t = y_t - \phi y_{t-1}$~~

~~$E(\varepsilon_t) = E(y_t) - \phi E(y_t)$~~

~~$= (1-\phi) \cdot E(y_t)$~~

~~$\text{Var}(\varepsilon_t) =$~~

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