# Time Series Analysis on London Mortality 

A 618 Project

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Introduction

## Introduction

## Dataset

Various time series from London from 2002 to 2006

- Ozone
- Relative Humidity
- Temperature
- Number of Deaths


## Research Question

Investigation of the associations between environmental factors and human mortality

## Exploratory Data Analysis

## Overall Series



Figure 1: Individual Series for London (2002-2007)
what's that weird spike?

## Pairs Plot



Figure 2: Pairs Plot for All Variables

## Decomposed Seasonality Components



Figure 3: Decomposed Seasonality Components for London (2002-2007)

## ACF/CCF Plots



Figure 4: ACF/CCF Plots

## PACF/PCCF Plots



Figure 5: PACF/PCCF Plots

## Variables under Consideration

## Independent Variables

- Time
- Mean Centered Temperature
- (Mean Centered Temperature) ${ }^{2}$
- Ozone levels
- Relative Humidity

Response Variable

- Number of Deaths

Model Analysis

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- Testing/validation data is 365 observations (all of 2006)


## Vector ARMA Model - Model Fitting

Parameter Selection:

- VARselect() $\rightarrow p=4$
- intutition about series $\rightarrow$ season $=365$
$\Rightarrow$ fit <- VAR(\# Deaths, $p=4$, season=365, type='none')


## Vector ARMA Model - Evaluating Fit 1



Figure 6: Fitted Values vs Original Series

## Vector AR Model - Evaluating Fit 2



Figure 7: Residuals for Individual Series

## Vector AR Model - Model Forecasting 1



Figure 8: Forecasting Individual Series

## Vector AR Model - Model Forecasting 2



Figure 9: Forecasting Response Series

## Vector AR Model - Model Forecasting 3



Figure 10: Forecasting Response Series (season=NULL)

## Vector AR Model - Model Inference

|  | Num Deaths |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Coefficient | Estimate | Std. Error | t value | $\operatorname{Pr}(>\|\mathrm{t}\|)$ |
| Ozone lag 1 | 0.045 | 0.040 | 1.122 | 0.262 |
| Temperature lag 1 | 0.516 | 0.245 | 2.108 | 0.035 |
| Relative Humidity lag 1 | 0.048 | 0.042 | 1.152 | 0.250 |
| Num Deaths lag 1 | 0.375 | 0.028 | 13.222 | 0.000 |
| Ozone lag 2 | 0.061 | 0.049 | 1.244 | 0.214 |
| Temperature lag 2 | -0.345 | 0.340 | -1.015 | 0.310 |
| Relative Humidity lag 2 | 0.068 | 0.045 | 1.489 | 0.137 |
| Num Deaths lag 2 | 0.182 | 0.030 | 6.014 | 0.000 |
| Ozone lag 3 | -0.039 | 0.049 | -0.790 | 0.430 |
| Temperature lag 3 | -0.791 | 0.338 | -2.340 | 0.019 |
| Relative Humidity lag 3 | -0.026 | 0.046 | -0.577 | 0.564 |
| Num Deaths lag 3 | 0.158 | 0.030 | 5.237 | 0.000 |
| Ozone lag 4 | 0.054 | 0.040 | 1.353 | 0.176 |
| Temperature lag 4 | 0.482 | 0.246 | 1.958 | 0.050 |
| Relative Humidity lag 4 | 0.165 | 0.042 | 3.967 | 0.000 |
| Num Deaths lag 4 | 0.151 | 0.028 | 5.304 | 0.000 |

Table 1: VAR(4) Summary for Number of Deaths

## Summary

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- Temperature and Number of Deaths move in phase
- There is a non-linear relationship between Temperature and Number of Deaths
- Generalizability of the fitted model is good
- Captures seasonality
- Captures downward linear trend
- Captures daily volatility


## Questions?

## Back up Slides

## Time Series Regression Model - Model Fitting

fit <- forecast: auto.arima(Num Deaths, xreg=..., seasonal=T)

## Time Series Regression Model - Evaluating Fit 1



Figure 11: Visualizing Model Fit

## Time Series Regression Model - Evaluating Fit 2



Figure 12: Visualizing Model Residuals

## Time Series Regression Model - Model Forecasting



Figure 13: Visualizing Forecasted Series

## Neural Network Time Series Model - Model Fitting

fit <- forecast::nnetar(Num Deaths, xreg=..., seasonal=T)

## Neural Network Time Series Model - Evaluating Fit 1



Figure 14: Visualizing Model Fit

## Neural Network Time Series Model - Evaluating Fit 2



Figure 15: Visualizing Model Residuals

## Neural Network Time Series Model - Model Forecasting



Figure 16: Visualizing Forecasted Series

