

TMA4285 Time series models  
Solution to exercise 2, autumn 2020

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**Problem 2.9**

a)

$$E(Y_t) = E(X_t) + E(W_t) = E(X_t)$$

To find  $E(X_t)$ , we must express  $X_t$  as  $X_t = \psi(B)Z_t$ .

$$\psi(B) = \frac{1}{1 - \phi(B)} \iff (1 - \phi B)(1 + \psi_1 B + \psi_2 B^2 + \psi_3 B^3 + \dots) = 1$$

By collecting terms with same power of  $B$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned}\psi_1 - \phi &= 1 \rightarrow \psi_1 = \phi \\ \psi_2 - \phi\psi_1 &= 0 \rightarrow \psi_2 = \phi^2 \\ \psi_3 - \phi\psi_2 &= 0 \rightarrow \psi_3 = \phi^3 \\ &\vdots\end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $E(Y_t) = E(X_t) = E(Z_t + \phi Z_{t-1} + \phi^2 Z_{t-2} + \dots) = 0$ .

Next, we find the autocovariance function

$$\begin{aligned}Cov(Y_t, Y_{t+h}) &= Cov(X_t + W_t, X_{t+h} + W_{t+h}) \\ &= Cov(X_t, X_{t+h}) + Cov(X_t, W_{t+h}) + Cov(W_t, X_{t+h}) + Cov(W_t, W_{t+h}) \\ &= Cov(X_t, X_{t+h}) + Cov(W_t, W_{t+h}) \\ &= \begin{cases} \frac{\sigma_z^2}{1-\phi^2} + \sigma_w^2, & h = 0 \\ \frac{\sigma_z^2 \phi^h}{1-\phi^2}, & h > 0 \end{cases},\end{aligned}$$

where we have used that the AR(1) process has  $Cov(X_t, X_{t+h}) = \frac{\sigma_z^2 \phi^h}{1-\phi^2}$ ,  $h \geq 0$ .

b)

$$Cov(U_t, U_{t+h}) = Cov(Y_t, Y_{t+h}) - \phi Cov(Y_t, Y_{t-1+h}) - \phi Cov(Y_{t-1}, Y_{t+h}) + \phi^2 Cov(Y_{t-1}, Y_{t-1+h})$$

We first look at the case  $h = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma(0) &= Cov(U_t, U_t) = Cov(Y_t, Y_t) - \phi Cov(Y_t, Y_{t-1}) - \phi Cov(Y_{t-1}, Y_t) + \phi^2 Cov(Y_{t-1}, Y_{t-1}) \\ &= \dots = \sigma_z^2 + \sigma_w^2(1 + \phi^2) \end{aligned}$$

For  $h = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma(1) &= Cov(U_t, U_{t+1}) = Cov(Y_t, Y_{t+1}) - \phi Cov(Y_t, Y_t) - \phi Cov(Y_{t-1}, Y_{t+1}) + \phi^2 Cov(Y_{t-1}, Y_t) \\ &= \dots = -\phi \sigma_z^2 \end{aligned}$$

For  $h > 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma(h) &= Cov(U_t, U_{t+h}) = Cov(Y_t, Y_{t+h}) - \phi Cov(Y_t, Y_{t-1+h}) - \phi Cov(Y_{t-1}, Y_{t+h}) \\ &\quad + \phi^2 Cov(Y_{t-1}, Y_{t-1+h}) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

c) Since  $U_t$  is an MA(1) process,  $U_t = V_t + \theta V_{t-1}$ , where  $\{V_t\} \sim WN(0, \sigma_v^2)$ , and from before we have  $U_t = Y_t - \phi Y_{t-1}$ , so the ARMA equation becomes

$$Y_t - \phi Y_{t-1} = V_t + \theta V_{t-1},$$

where  $\phi$  is the same as before.

To find the parameters  $\theta$  and  $\sigma_v^2$ , we use  $\gamma(0)$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} Cov(U_t, U_t) &= Cov(V_t, V_t) + \theta^2 Cov(V_{t-1}, V_{t-1}) \\ &\quad \downarrow \\ \sigma_z^2 + \sigma_w^2(1 + \phi^2) &= \sigma_v^2 + \theta^2 \sigma_v^2 \end{aligned}$$

and  $\gamma(1)$

$$\begin{aligned} Cov(U_t, U_{t+1}) &= Cov(V_t + \theta V_{t-1}, V_{t+1} + \theta V_t) \\ &\quad \downarrow \\ -\phi \sigma_z^2 &= \theta \sigma_v^2 \end{aligned}$$

To find  $\theta$ , we must solve

$$\frac{\theta}{1 + \theta^2} = \frac{-\phi \sigma_w^2}{\sigma_z^2 + \sigma_w^2(1 + \phi^2)},$$

and then  $\sigma_v^2$  can be obtained from  $\sigma_v^2 = -\frac{\phi \sigma_w^2}{\theta}$ .

### Problem 2.13

a) Assume an AR(1)-model

$$X_t = \phi X_{t-1} + Z_t.$$

Since  $\rho(h) = \phi^h$ , ( $h > 0$ ) for an AR(1)-model, and it has been observed  $\rho(\hat{2}) = 0.145$ , we assume that  $\phi^2 \ll 1$ . Using Bartlett's formula,

$$\text{Var}[\rho(\hat{1})] \approx \frac{1}{n}(1 - \phi^2)$$

and

$$\text{Var}[\rho(\hat{2})] \approx \frac{1}{n}(1 - \phi^2)(1 + 3\phi^2)$$

That is, 95% confidence bounds for  $\rho(1)$  are approximately

$$\rho(\hat{1}) \pm \frac{1.96}{\sqrt{n}} \sqrt{1 - \phi^2}$$

Correspondingly, 95% confidence bounds for  $\rho(2)$  are approximately

$$\rho(\hat{2}) \pm \frac{1.96}{\sqrt{n}} \sqrt{(1 - \phi^2)(1 + 3\phi^2)}$$

With  $\phi = \hat{\phi} = \rho(\hat{1})$ ,  $n = 100$ ,  $\rho(\hat{1}) = 0.438$ ,  $\rho(\hat{2}) = 0.145$ , these bounds become 0.262, 0.614 for  $\rho(1)$  and -0.073, 0.369 for  $\rho(2)$ . These values are not consistent with  $\phi = 0.8$ , since both  $\rho(1) = 0.8$  and  $\rho(2) = 0.64$  are outside these bounds.

b) Assume an MA(1)-model

$$X_t = Z_t + \theta Z_{t-1}.$$

Using Bartlett's formula,

$$\text{Var}[\rho(\hat{1})] \approx \frac{1}{n}(1 - 3\rho(1)^2 + 4\rho(1)^4)$$

and

$$\text{Var}[\rho(\hat{2})] \approx \frac{1}{n}(1 + 2\rho(1)^2)$$

That is, 95% confidence bounds for  $\rho(1)$  are approximately

$$\hat{\rho}(1) \pm \frac{1.96}{\sqrt{n}} \sqrt{1 - 3\rho(1)^2 + 4\rho(1)^4}$$

Correspondingly, 95% confidence bounds for  $\rho(2)$  are approximately

$$\hat{\rho}(2) \pm \frac{1.96}{\sqrt{n}} \sqrt{1 + 2\rho(1)^2}$$

With the numbers as in a), these bounds become 0.290, 0.586 for  $\rho(1)$  and -0.082, 0.378 for  $\rho(2)$ .  $\theta = 0.6$  leads to  $\rho(1) = \frac{\theta}{1+\theta^2} = 0.4412$ ,  $\rho(2) = 0$ . It follows that the confidence bounds are consistent with these two values, and the data are therefore consistent with the MA(1)- model with  $\theta = 0.6$

## Problem 2.15

Let  $\hat{X}_{n+1} = P_n X_{n+1} = a_0 + a_1 X_n + \cdots + a_n X_1$ . We may assume that  $\mu_X(t) = 0$ . Let  $S(a_0, \dots, a_n) = \mathbb{E}[(X_{n+1} - \hat{X}_{n+1})^2]$  and minimize this with respect to  $a_0, \dots, a_n$ .

$$\begin{aligned} S(a_0, \dots, a_n) &= \mathbb{E}[(X_{n+1} - \hat{X}_{n+1})^2] \\ &= \mathbb{E}[(X_{n+1} - a_0 - a_1 X_n - \cdots - a_n X_1)^2] \\ &= a_0^2 - 2a_0 \mathbb{E}[X_{n+1} - a_1 X_n - \cdots - a_n X_1] \\ &\quad + \mathbb{E}[(X_{n+1} - a_1 X_n - \cdots - a_n X_1)^2] \\ &= a_0^2 + \mathbb{E}[(X_{n+1} - a_1 X_n - \cdots - a_n X_1)^2] \end{aligned}$$

where  $\mathbb{E}[X_{n+1} - a_1 X_n - \cdots - a_n X_1] = 0$  from the properties of  $P_n X_{n+h}$ .

Differentiation with respect to  $a_i$  gives

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial S}{\partial a_0} &= 2a_0 \\ \frac{\partial S}{\partial a_i} &= -2\mathbb{E}[(X_{n+1} - a_1 X_n - \cdots - a_n X_1)X_{n+1-i}], \quad i = 1, \dots, n \end{aligned}$$

Putting the partial derivatives equal to zero, we get that  $S(a_0, \dots, a_n)$  is minimized if

$$\begin{aligned} a_0 &= 0 \\ \mathbb{E}[(X_{n+1} - \hat{X}_{n+1})X_k] &= 0, \quad k = 1, \dots, n. \end{aligned}$$

Plugging in the expression for  $X_{n+1}$  we get that for  $k = 1, \dots, n$ ,

$$\mathbb{E}[(\phi_1 X_n + \cdots + \phi_p X_{n-p+1} + Z_{n+1} - a_1 X_n - \cdots - a_n X_1)X_k] = 0$$

This is clearly satisfied if we let

$$\begin{cases} a_i = \phi_i, & 1 \leq i \leq p \\ a_i = 0, & i > p \end{cases}$$

Since the best linear predictor is unique, this is the one. The mean square error is

$$\mathbb{E}[(X_{n+1} - \hat{X}_{n+1})^2] = \mathbb{E}[Z_{n+1}^2] = \sigma^2.$$

### Problem 2.18

Given the MA(1) process  $X_t = Z_t - \theta Z_{t-1}$ , where  $|\theta| < 1$ , and  $Z_t \sim WN(0, \sigma^2)$ . Represented as an AR( $\infty$ ) process, it assumes the form

$$Z_t = X_t + \theta X_{t-1} + \theta^2 X_{t-2} + \dots$$

Setting  $t = n + 1$  in the last equation and applying  $\hat{P}_n$  to each side, leads to the result

$$\hat{P}_n X_{n+1} = - \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \theta^j X_{n+1-j} = \theta Z_n$$

Prediction error =  $X_{n+1} - \hat{P}_n X_{n+1} = Z_{n+1}$ . Hence,  $MSE = E[Z_{n+1}^2] = \sigma^2$ .

### Problem 2.19

The given MA(1)-model is  $X_t = Z_t - Z_{t-1} : t \in Z$ , where  $Z_t \sim WN(0, \sigma^2)$ . The vector  $\mathbf{a} = (a_1, \dots, a_n)^T$  of the coefficients that provide the best linear predictor (BLP) of  $X_{n+1}$  in terms of  $X = (X_n, \dots, X_1)^T$  satisfies the equation

$$\Gamma_n \mathbf{a} = \gamma_n$$

where the covariance matrix  $\Gamma_n = Cov(\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{X})$  and  $\gamma_n = Cov(X_{n+1}, \mathbf{X}) = (\gamma(1), \dots, \gamma(n))^T$ . Since  $\gamma(0) = 2\sigma^2$ ,  $\gamma(1) = -\sigma^2$ ,  $\gamma(h) = 0$  for  $|h| > 1$ , it follows that

$$\Gamma_n = \sigma^2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 & -1 & \dots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 & -2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

and  $\gamma_n = \sigma^2(-1, 0, \dots, 0)^T$ .

By solving the system  $\Gamma_n \mathbf{a} = \gamma_n$ , (by for example looking at a finite  $n$  or by performing Gauss elimination), the solution is given as follows

$$a_j = \frac{j}{n+1} - 1$$

Hence it is obtained that

$$P_n X_{n+1} = \sum_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{j}{n+1} - 1 \right) X_{n+1-j}$$

The mean square error is

$$\mathbb{E}[(X_{n+1} - P_n X_{n+1})^2] = \gamma(0) - \mathbf{a}^T \boldsymbol{\gamma}_n = 2\sigma^2 + a_1 \sigma^2 = \sigma^2 \left( 1 + \frac{1}{n+1} \right)$$

### **Problem 2.20**

We have to prove that  $\text{Cov}(X_n - \hat{X}_n, X_j) = \mathbb{E}[(X_n - \hat{X}_n)X_j] = 0$  for  $j = 1, \dots, n-1$ . This follows from equations (2.5.5) for suitable values of  $n$  and  $h$  with  $a_0 = 0$  (since we may assume that  $\mathbb{E}[X_n] = 0$ ). This clearly implies that

$$\mathbb{E}[(X_n - \hat{X}_n)(X_k - \hat{X}_k)] = 0$$

for  $k = 1, \dots, n-1$ , since  $\hat{X}_k$  is a linear combination of  $X_1, \dots, X_{k-1}$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
\gamma(0) &= 1 + 0.3^2 + 0.4^2 = 1.25 \\
\gamma(1) &= 0.3 - 0.4 \cdot 0.3 = 0.18 \\
\gamma(2) &= -0.4 \\
\gamma(h) &= 0, \quad h > 2 \\
\gamma(-h) &= \gamma(h)
\end{aligned}$$

b)

$$Y_t = \tilde{Z}_t - 1.2\tilde{Z}_{t-1} - 1.6\tilde{Z}_{t-2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\gamma(0) &= 0.25(1 + 1.2^2 + 1.6^2) = 1.25 \\
\gamma(1) &= 0.25(-1.2 + 1.6 \cdot 1.2) = 0.18 \\
\gamma(2) &= -1.6 \cdot 0.25 = -0.4 \\
\gamma(h) &= 0, \quad h > 2 \\
\gamma(-h) &= \gamma(h)
\end{aligned}$$

That is, we obtain the same ACVF as in a).

## Exercise 2.5

$\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \theta^j X_{n-j}$  converges absolutely (with probability 1) since

$$\begin{aligned}
E\left[\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |\theta|^j |X_{n-j}|\right] &\leq \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |\theta|^j E[|X_{n-j}|] \\
&\leq \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |\theta|^j \sqrt{\gamma(0) + \mu^2} \quad \text{by Cauchy-Schwartz inequality} \\
&< \infty \quad \text{since } |\theta| < 1
\end{aligned}$$

That is,  $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |\theta|^j |X_{n-j}| < \infty$  with probability 1.



Mean square convergence of  $S_m = \sum_{j=1}^m \theta^j X_{n-j}$  as  $m \rightarrow \infty$  can be verified by invoking Cauchy's criterion. For  $m > k$

$$\begin{aligned} E[|S_m - S_k|^2] &= E\left[\left(\sum_{j=k+1}^m \theta^j X_{n-j}\right)^2\right] \\ &= \sum_{i=k+1}^m \sum_{j=k+1}^m \theta^{i+j} E[X_{n-i} X_{n-j}] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} E[|S_m - S_k|^2] &= E\left[\left(\sum_{j=k+1}^m \theta^j X_{n-j}\right)^2\right] = \sum_{i=k+1}^m \sum_{j=k+1}^m \theta^{i+j} E[X_{n-i} X_{n-j}] \\ &= \sum_{i=k+1}^m \sum_{j=k+1}^m \theta^{i+j} (\gamma(i-j) + \mu^2) \\ &\leq \sum_{i=k+1}^m \sum_{j=k+1}^m |\theta|^{i+j} (\gamma(0) + \mu^2) = (\gamma(0) + \mu^2) \left(\sum_{j=k+1}^m |\theta|^j\right)^2 \\ &\rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } k, m \rightarrow \infty \end{aligned}$$

since  $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |\theta|^j < \infty$ . Hence, by Cauchy's mutual convergence criterion, mean square convergence is guaranteed.

### Exercise 2.7

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{1 - \phi z} &= \frac{-\frac{1}{\phi z}}{1 - \frac{1}{\phi z}} \\ &= -\frac{1}{\phi z} \left(1 + \frac{1}{\phi z} + \frac{1}{(\phi z)^2} + \dots\right) \\ &= -\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} (\phi z)^{-j} \end{aligned}$$

since  $|\phi z| > 1$ .

### Exercise 2.8

$$X_t = \phi X_{t-1} + Z_t$$

$$\begin{aligned}
X_t &= \phi X_{t-1} + Z_t \\
&= Z_t + \phi(Z_{t-1} + \phi X_{t-2}) \\
&= \dots \\
&= Z_t + \phi Z_{t-1} + \dots + \phi^n Z_{t-n} + \phi^{n+1} X_{t-n-1}
\end{aligned}$$

That is

$$X_t - \phi^{n+1} X_{t-n-1} = Z_t + \phi Z_{t-1} + \dots + \phi^n Z_{t-n}$$

First we calculate

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Var}(X_t - \phi^{n+1} X_{t-n-1}) &= \gamma(0)(1 + \phi^{2n+2}) - 2\phi^{n+1}\gamma(n+1) \\
&\leq \gamma(0)(1 + |\phi|^{2n+2} + 2|\phi|^{n+1}) = 4\gamma(0)
\end{aligned}$$

if  $X_t$  is stationary and  $|\phi| = 1$

Next we calculate

$$\text{Var}(Z_t + \phi Z_{t-1} + \dots + \phi^n Z_{t-n}) = n\sigma^2$$

if  $|\phi| = 1$

Since clearly  $n\sigma^2 > 4\gamma(0)$  for sufficiently large  $n$ , we have reached a contradiction. Hence  $X_t$  cannot be stationary if  $|\phi| = 1$ .

## Exercise 2.10

$$X_t - \phi X_{t-1} = Z_t + \theta Z_{t-1}$$

where  $\phi = \theta = 0.5$

According to Section 2.3, equation (2.3.3), we obtain that

$$X_t = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j Z_{t-j}$$

where  $\psi_0 = 1$ ,  $\psi_j = (\phi + \theta)\phi^{j-1} = 0.5^{j-1}$  for  $j = 1, 2, \dots$

From Section 2.3, equation (2.3.5), we get

$$Z_t = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \pi_j X_{t-j}$$

where  $\pi_0 = 1$ ,  $\pi_j = -(\phi + \theta)(-\theta)^{j-1} = -(-0.5)^{j-1}$  for  $j = 1, 2, \dots$

Agrees with the results from ITSM.

# GT Exercises

## Exercise 2

- a Let's remember that the expected value can be seen as an inner product. That is,

$$\langle X_n, Y_m \rangle = E(X_n Y_m)$$

So, using inner product notation, we can make use of the argument in the proof proposition 2.1.2 in *Time Series Theory and Methods*:

$$\begin{aligned} |\langle X_n, Y_m \rangle - \langle X, Y \rangle| &= |\langle X_n, Y_m \rangle - \langle X, Y \rangle + \langle X_n, Y \rangle - \langle X_n, Y \rangle| \\ &= |\langle X_n, Y_m - Y \rangle + \langle X_n - X, Y \rangle| \\ &\leq \|X_n\| \|Y_m - Y\| + \|X_n - X\| \|Y\| \quad \text{By Cauchy-Schwarz} \end{aligned}$$

Now, given that  $X_n \rightarrow X$  and  $Y_m \rightarrow Y$ , then we conclude  $|\langle X_n, Y_m \rangle - \langle X, Y \rangle| \rightarrow 0$  as  $m, n \rightarrow \infty$

- b From exercise 1 we know that  $E(X_n Y_m | W) = P_{M(W)} X_n Y_m$  and  $\hat{E}(X_n Y_m | W) = P_{\bar{sp}(1, W)} X_n Y_m$ . Now, based on the property (iv) of projections in *Time Series Theory and Methods*:

Let  $P_M$  denote the projection mapping onto a closed subspace  $M$

$$P_{M(W)} X_n Y_m \rightarrow P_{M(W)} XY \quad \text{if} \quad \|X_n Y_m - XY\| \rightarrow 0$$

From part a we know that  $\|X_n Y_m - XY\| \rightarrow 0$ , so

$$P_{M(W)} X_n Y_m \rightarrow P_{M(W)} XY \equiv E(X_n Y_m | W) \rightarrow E(XY | W)$$

$$P_{\bar{sp}(1, W)} X_n Y_m \rightarrow P_{\bar{sp}(1, W)} XY \equiv \hat{E}(X_n Y_m | W) \rightarrow \hat{E}(XY | W)$$

- c – If  $\sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \psi_j Z_{t-j}$  exists  $\implies \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} |\psi_j|^2 < \infty$

If  $\sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \psi_j Z_{t-j} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{j=-n}^n \psi_j Z_{t-j}$  exists, then  $(\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{j=-n}^n \psi_j Z_{t-j})^2 = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\sum_{j=-n}^n \psi_j Z_{t-j})^2$  exists.

Taking the expected value of  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\sum_{j=-n}^n \psi_j Z_{t-j})^2 < \infty$ , we get:

$$\begin{aligned}
\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} E\left(\sum_{j=-n}^n \psi_j Z_{t-j}\right)^2 &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} E\left(\sum_{j=-n}^n \sum_{k=-n}^n \psi_j \psi_k Z_{t-j} Z_{t-k}\right) \\
&= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{j=-n}^n \sum_{k=-n}^n \psi_j \psi_k E(Z_{t-j} Z_{t-k}) \\
&= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{j=-n}^n |\psi_j|^2 \sigma^2 \quad \text{since } E(Z_{t-j} Z_{t-k}) = 0 \text{ for } t \neq k
\end{aligned}$$

Then,

$$\begin{aligned}
&\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{j=-n}^n |\psi_j|^2 < \infty \\
- \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} |\psi_j|^2 < \infty &\implies \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \psi_j Z_{t-j} \text{ exists}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
E\left(\sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \psi_j Z_{t-j}\right)^2 &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} E\left(\sum_{j=-n}^n \psi_j Z_{t-j}\right)^2 \\
&= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{j=-n}^n \psi_j^2 \sigma^2 \\
&= \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} |\psi_j|^2 \sigma^2 < \infty
\end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $\sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \psi_j Z_{t-j}$  exists.

**d** First of all, let's proof the convergence in mean square by making use of the Cauchy criterion. In order to do it, we will prove:

$$E(W_m - W_n)^2 \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } m, n \rightarrow \infty$$

Let's assume  $m > n > 0$ . Then,

$$\begin{aligned}
E\left(\sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \psi_j Y_{m-j} - \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \psi_k Y_{n-k}\right)^2 &= E\left(\sum_{j=n+1}^m \psi_j Y_j\right)^2 \\
&= E\left(\sum_{j=n+1}^m \sum_{k=n+1}^m \psi_j \psi_k Y_j Y_k\right) \\
&= \sum_{j=n+1}^m \sum_{k=n+1}^m \psi_j \psi_k \gamma(k-j) \\
&\leq \sum_{j=n+1}^m \sum_{k=n+1}^m |\psi_j| |\psi_k| |\gamma(k-j)| \\
&\leq \left(\sum_{j=n+1}^m |\psi_j|\right)^2 \gamma(0)
\end{aligned}$$

which converges to 0 as  $m, n \rightarrow \infty$  since  $\sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} |\psi_j| < \infty$

Now, we can prove that  $W$  converges absolutely with probability one.

$$\begin{aligned}
E|W| &= E\left|\sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \psi_j Y_{t-j}\right| \\
&\leq \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} |\psi_j| E|Y_{t-j}| \\
&= \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} |\psi_j| c < \infty
\end{aligned}$$

Given the stationarity of  $Y_t$ , we can state

$$E|Y_t| \leq (E|Y_t|^2)^{1/2} = c$$

**e. Linearity:**

We aim to prove:  $P_M(\alpha X + \beta Y) = \alpha P_M(X) + \beta P_M(Y)$ .

Since  $M$  is a linear subspace of  $\mathcal{H}$ , we know  $\alpha P_M(X) + \beta P_M(Y) \in M$

As well,

$$\alpha X + \beta Y - (\alpha P_M(X) + \beta P_M(Y)) = \alpha(X - P_M(X)) + \beta(Y - P_M(Y))$$

By properties of projections,  $(X - P_M(X)) \in M^\perp$  and  $(Y - P_M(Y)) \in M^\perp$ . Thus,  $\alpha(X - P_M(X)) + \beta(Y - P_M(Y)) \in M^\perp$  because  $M^\perp$  is a linear subspace of  $\mathcal{H}$ .

So, we can represent  $\alpha X + \beta Y$  as the sum of an element of  $M$  and an element of  $M^\perp$ :

$$\alpha X + \beta Y = \alpha(X - P_M(X)) + \beta(Y - P_M(Y)) + (\alpha P_M(X) + \beta P_M(Y))$$

And given that, the representation

$$X = P_M(X) + (I - P_M)X \quad P_M(X) \in M \quad (I - P_M)X \in M^\perp$$

is unique for each  $X \in \mathcal{H}$ , we can conclude  $\alpha(X - P_M(X)) + \beta(Y - P_M(Y))$  is  $P_M(\alpha X + \beta Y)$ .

### Continuity:

Now we aim to prove that if  $\|X_n - X\| \rightarrow 0$  then  $P_M(X_n) \rightarrow P_M(X)$

First of all, let's see that  $\|X\|^2 = \|P_M(X)\|^2 + \|(I - P_M)X\|^2$ . By properties of projections  $X = P_M(X) + (I - P_M)X$ . Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \|X\|^2 &= \langle X, X \rangle = \langle P_M X + (I - P_M)X, P_M X + (I - P_M)X \rangle \\ &= \langle P_M X, P_M X \rangle + \langle P_M X, (I - P_M)X \rangle + \langle (I - P_M)X, P_M X \rangle \\ &\quad + \langle (I - P_M)X, (I - P_M)X \rangle \\ &= \langle P_M X, P_M X \rangle + \langle (I - P_M)X, (I - P_M)X \rangle \\ &= \|P_M(X)\|^2 + \|(I - P_M)X\|^2 \end{aligned}$$

Since  $P_M X$  and  $(I - P_M)X$  are orthogonal.

Thus,

$$\|X_n - X\|^2 = \|P_M(X_n - X)\|^2 + \|(I - P_M)(X_n - X)\|^2$$

which let us conclude  $\|P_M(X_n - X)\|^2 \leq \|X_n - X\|^2$ .

Thus, if  $\|X_n - X\|^2 \rightarrow 0$  then  $\|P_M(X_n - X)\| = \|P_M(X_n) - P_M(X)\| \rightarrow 0$