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# 《Python金融数据分析》

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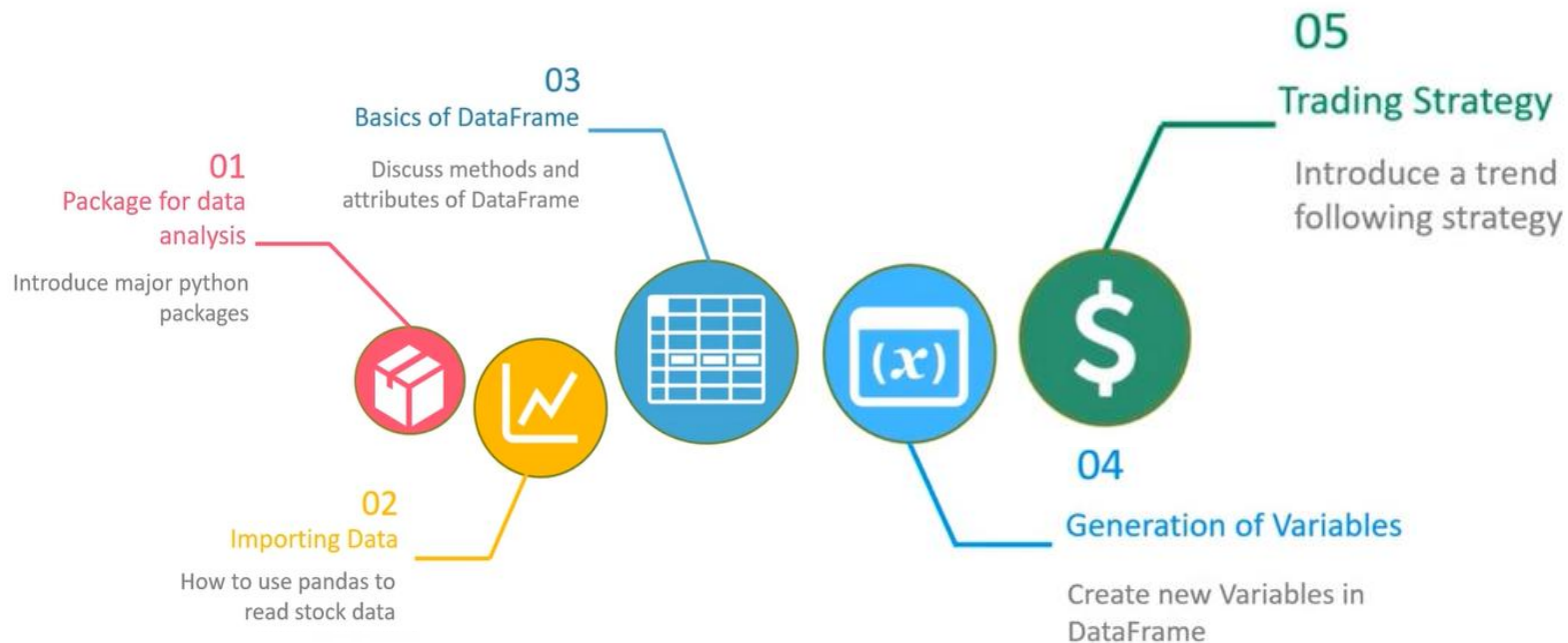
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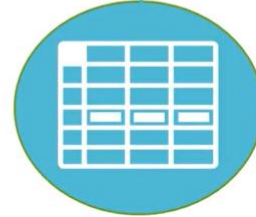
## 通过以下步骤介绍Python教程



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## 03 Basics of DataFrame



**We will present basic attributes and methods of DataFrame, which we will use a lot in this course.**

**Then** we will discuss one of the most important skills for beginners, [how to select some portion of data](#).



**To begin with**, let's first take a look at what DataFrame looks like.

print serveral rows at the top DataFrame, fb which is historical data for Facebook.

## Basic structure of a DataFrame

In [3] `fb.head()`

Out [3]

	Open	High	Low	Close	Adj Close	Volume
Date						
2014-12-31	20.400000	20.510000	19.990000	20.049999	19.459270	4157500
2015-01-02	20.129999	20.280001	19.809999	20.129999	19.536913	2842000
2015-01-05	20.129999	20.190001	19.700001	19.790001	19.206934	4948800
2015-01-06	19.820000	19.840000	19.170000	19.190001	18.624611	4944100
2015-01-07	19.330000	19.500000	19.080000	19.139999	18.576082	8045200



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**Pandas DataFrame 是什么数据结构？ ？ ？**

**Pandas DataFrame is a tabular structure of data.**



## Attributes of DataFrame

```
In [1] fb.index  
fb.index[0] #the first index  
fb.index[-1] #the last index  
fb.columns
```

Another important attribute of a DataFrame is the **size**. **The size of DataFrame can be described by the number of rows and columns.**

```
In [2] fb.shape #number of rows and columns
```

Out [2]

(786, 6)

Number of observations

Out [2]

(786, 6)

Number of variables



As methods, **head** and **tail** are often used to check whether data is correct or to check contents of index and columns.

## Methods of DataFrame

```
In [3] fb.tail()
```

```
out [3]
```

	Open	High	Low	Close	Adj Close	Volume
Date						
2018-01-30	241.110001	246.419998	238.410004	242.720001	242.720001	14270800
2018-01-31	245.770004	249.270004	244.449997	245.800003	245.800003	11964400
2018-02-01	238.520004	246.899994	238.059998	240.500000	240.500000	12980600
2018-02-02	237.000000	237.970001	231.169998	233.520004	233.520004	17961600
2018-02-05	227.000000	233.229996	205.000000	213.699997	213.699997	28869000

**With tail, you can get the last five rows.**





There is **another method called describe**, which can give you some summary statistics for each column.

## Methods of DataFrame

In [3] `fb.describe()`

Out [3]

	Open	High	Low	Close	Adj Close	Volume
count	780.000000	780.000000	780.000000	780.000000	780.000000	7.800000e+02
mean	80.212705	81.285654	79.022397	80.264897	79.914215	1.204453e+07
std	64.226121	65.048907	63.190963	64.198375	64.327846	8.221848e+06
min	19.250000	19.500000	18.940001	19.139999	18.576082	1.311200e+06
25%	25.525000	26.085000	24.845000	25.475000	25.134513	7.215200e+06
50%	53.379999	54.034999	52.930000	53.420000	53.035403	9.728700e+06
75%	113.322502	115.779999	110.297499	113.702501	113.261238	1.408885e+07
max	245.770004	249.270004	244.449997	246.850006	246.850006	9.232320e+07

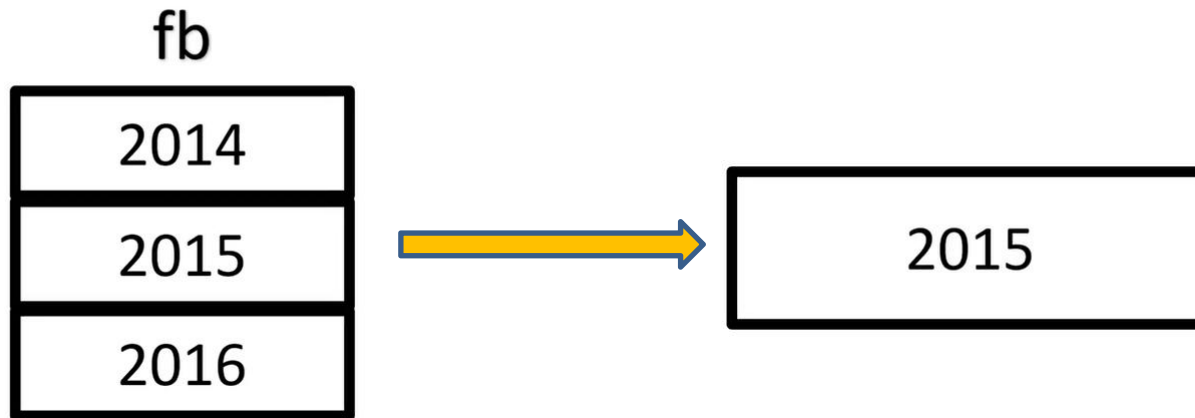




**Next**, we will discuss selection of data from DataFrame.

For example, select only close price of 2015. **How to do that.**

Slicing DataFrame





There are **two ways to slice a DataFrame**, selection **by label** and selection **by position**.

## Slicing DataFrame

- Selection by label
  - .loc
- Selection by position
  - .iloc

2015



**For example**, if you want the close price on the first day of 2015, you can use a method **loc** along with labels of index and the column.

**The first entry** is the index label. **The second entry** of label is a column name.

## Slicing DataFrame

```
In [3] fb.loc['2015-01-02', 'Close']
```

	Open	High	Low	Close	Adj Close	Volume
Date						
2014-12-31	20.400000	20.510000	19.990000	20.049999	19.459270	4157500
2015-01-02	20.129999	20.280001	19.809999	20.129999	19.536913	2842000
2015-01-05	20.129999	20.190001	19.700001	19.790001	19.206934	4948800
2015-01-06	19.820000	19.840000	19.170000	19.190001	18.624611	4944100
2015-01-07	19.330000	19.500000	19.080000	19.139999	18.576082	8045200



Alternatively, you also can select by position using **iloc**.

**The first entry** stands for row number. **The second** is a column number.  
**The position starts with zero.**

## Slicing DataFrame

```
In [3] fb.iloc[1, 3]
```

(1) →

	Open	High	Low	Close	Adj Close	Volume
Date						
2014-12-31	20.400000	20.510000	19.990000	20.049999	19.459270	4157500
2015-01-02	20.129999	20.280001	19.809999	20.129999	19.536913	2842000
2015-01-05	20.129999	20.190001	19.700001	19.790001	19.206934	4948800
2015-01-06	19.820000	19.840000	19.170000	19.190001	18.624611	4944100
2015-01-07	19.330000	19.500000	19.080000	19.139999	18.576082	8045200

→ (3)



You can select multiple rows. For example, we can get close price for the whole year of 2015. **This selects close price from 2015, January 1 to 2015, December 31.**

## Slicing DataFrame

```
In [4] fb.loc['2015-01-01':'2015-12-31', 'Close']
```

```
Out [4]
Date
2015-01-02    20.129999
2015-01-05    19.790001
2015-01-06    19.139999
...
2015-12-31    32.959999
Name: Close, Length: 252, dtype: float64
```



We also can **select multiple columns**. The colon sign in the second entry of iloc means all columns.

## Slicing DataFrame

```
In [5] fb.iloc[624: , : ]
```

Out [5]



	Open	High	Low	Close	Adj Close	Volume
Date						
2017-06-23	158.679993	159.320007	153.220001	153.830002	153.587982	27214700
2017-06-26	155.160004	156.600006	148.330002	152.149994	151.910614	26599000
2017-06-27	151.440002	151.789993	146.350006	146.580002	146.349380	24987300
2017-06-28	149.320007	151.940002	145.750000	151.750000	151.511246	24873700
2017-06-29	150.600006	150.720001	144.080002	146.679993	146.449219	26610600



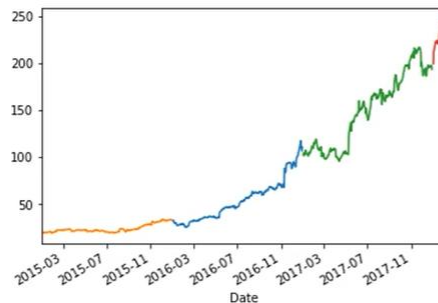
DataFrame has built in method of plot, which **means you can plot data directly without importing matplotlib.**

**There is a method called plot in pandas DataFrame.** You can easily visualize the close price with this method. You even can slice close price into different years, and visualize them one by one.

## Visualizing stock price

```
In [6] fb.loc['2015-01-01':'2015-12-31', 'Close'].plot() # 2015  
fb.loc['2016-01-01':'2016-12-31', 'Close'].plot() # 2016  
fb.loc['2017-01-01':'2017-12-31', 'Close'].plot() # 2017  
fb.loc['2018-01-01':'2018-12-31', 'Close'].plot() # 2018
```

Out [6]







**Lab 1:** Please, get familiar with this part, and **do some practice in Jupyter Notebook**. We will use these skills a lot in our formal analysis of financial data.

## Instructions

In this Jupyter Notebook, you will practice the following basics of DataFrame:

1. Import stock data (in csv format) into a new DataFrame
2. Display the size of a DataFrame using ".shape"
3. Display the summary statistics of a DataFrame using ".describe()"
4. Slice row(s) of data of a DataFrame using "Selection by label" - loc and "Selection of position - iloc"
5. Plot the data of a DataFrame



## 1. Import stock data (in csv format) into a new DataFrame

```
In [1]: #import the packages "Pandas" and "Matplotlib" into Jupyter Notebook
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
%matplotlib inline
```

```
In [2]: #import Facebook's stock data
fb = pd.DataFrame.from_csv('../data/facebook.csv')
```

```
In [3]: print(fb.head())
```

	Open	High	Low	Close	Adj Close	Volume
Date						
2014-12-31	20.400000	20.510000	19.990000	20.049999	19.459270	4157500
2015-01-02	20.129999	20.280001	19.809999	20.129999	19.536913	2842000
2015-01-05	20.129999	20.190001	19.700001	19.790001	19.206934	4948800
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2015-01-07	19.330000	19.500000	19.080000	19.139999	18.576082	8045200

```
In [2]: #It is your turn to import Microsoft's stock data - "microsoft.csv", which is located in the same folder of facebook.csv
#Replace "None" with your code
ms = None
```

```
In [5]: # print head of ms, 1 line
```

Expected Output:

	Date	Open	High	Low	Close	Adj Close	Volume
	2014-12-31	46.730000	47.439999	46.450001	46.450001	42.848763	21552500
	2015-01-02	46.660000	47.419998	46.540001	46.759998	43.134731	27913900
	2015-01-05	46.369999	46.730000	46.250000	46.330002	42.738068	39673900
	2015-01-06	46.380001	46.750000	45.540001	45.650002	42.110783	36447900
	2015-01-07	45.980000	46.459999	45.490002	46.230000	42.645817	29114100



## 2. Display the size of a DataFrame using ".shape"

```
In [6]: print(fb.shape)
(780, 6)
```

```
In [7]: # print the shape of ms, 1 line
```

## 3. Display the summary statistics of a DataFrame using ".describe()"

```
In [8]: # print summary statistics of Facebook
print(fb.describe())
```

	Open	High	Low	Close	Adj Close \
count	780.000000	780.000000	780.000000	780.000000	780.000000
mean	80.212705	81.285654	79.022397	80.264897	79.914215
std	64.226121	65.048907	63.190963	64.198375	64.327846
min	19.250000	19.500000	18.940001	19.139999	18.576082
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75%	113.322502	115.779999	110.297499	113.702501	113.261238
max	245.770004	249.270004	244.449997	246.850006	246.850006

	Volume
count	7.800000e+02
mean	1.204453e+07
std	8.221848e+06
min	1.311200e+06
25%	7.215200e+06
50%	9.728700e+06
75%	1.408885e+07
max	9.232320e+07

```
In [21]: # print summary statistics of Microsoft
```



## 4. Slice row(s) of data of a DataFrame using "Selection by label" - loc and "Selection of position - iloc"

```
In [10]: # select all the price information of Facebook in 2016.  
fb_2015 = fb.loc['2015-01-01':'2015-12-31']
```

```
In [11]: # print the price of Facebook on '2015-03-16'  
print(fb_2015.loc['2015-03-16'])
```

```
Open      2.288000e+01  
High      2.311000e+01  
Low       2.273000e+01  
Close     2.297000e+01  
Adj Close  2.237908e+01  
Volume    5.923900e+06  
Name: 2015-03-16 00:00:00, dtype: float64
```

```
In [12]: # select all the price information of Microsoft in 2016.
```

```
In [8]: # print the price of Microsoft on '2016-03-16'
```

```
Out[8]: Open      5.345000e+01  
High      5.460000e+01  
Low       5.340000e+01  
Close     5.435000e+01  
Adj Close  5.187095e+01  
Volume    3.169170e+07  
Name: 2016-03-16 00:00:00, dtype: float64
```

### Expected Output:

```
Open  5.345000e+01  
High  5.460000e+01  
Low   5.340000e+01  
Close 5.435000e+01  
Adj Close 5.187095e+01  
Volume 3.169170e+07
```

```
In [14]: # print the opening price of the first row  
print(fb.iloc[0, 0])
```

```
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```

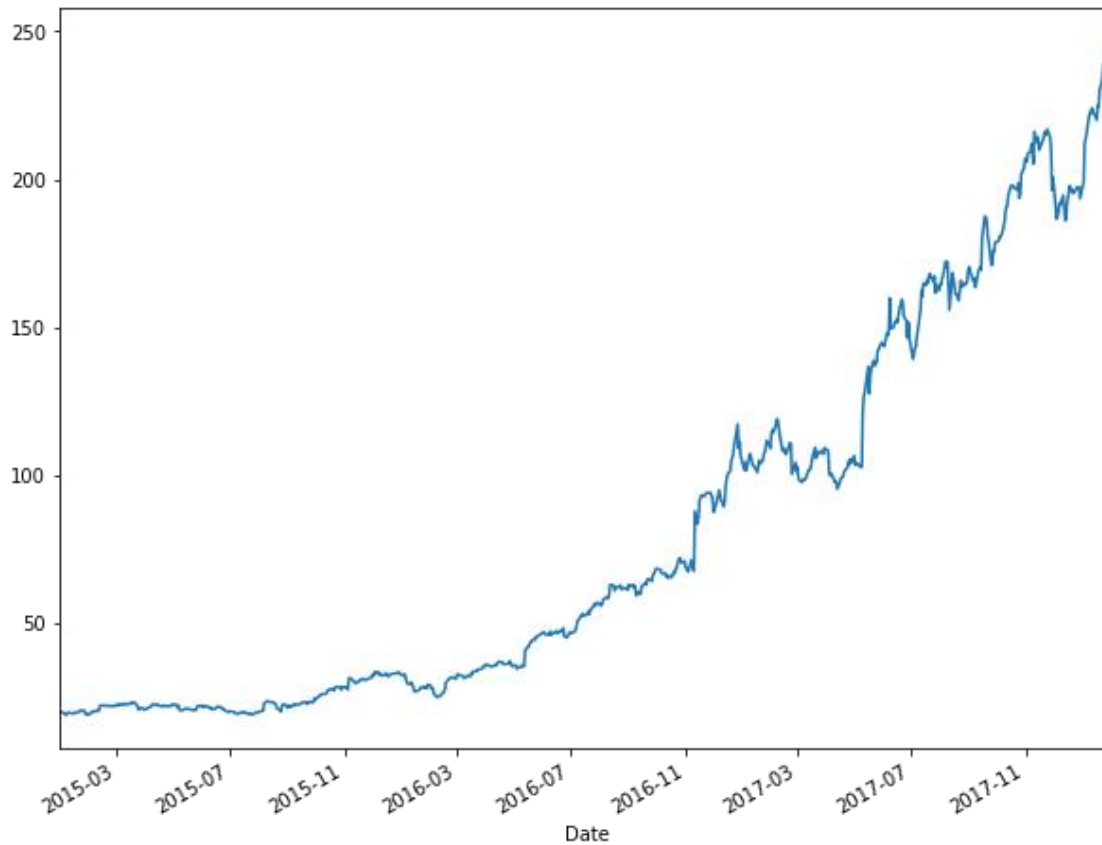
```
In [15]: # print the opening price of the last row
```

**Expected Output:** 90.559998



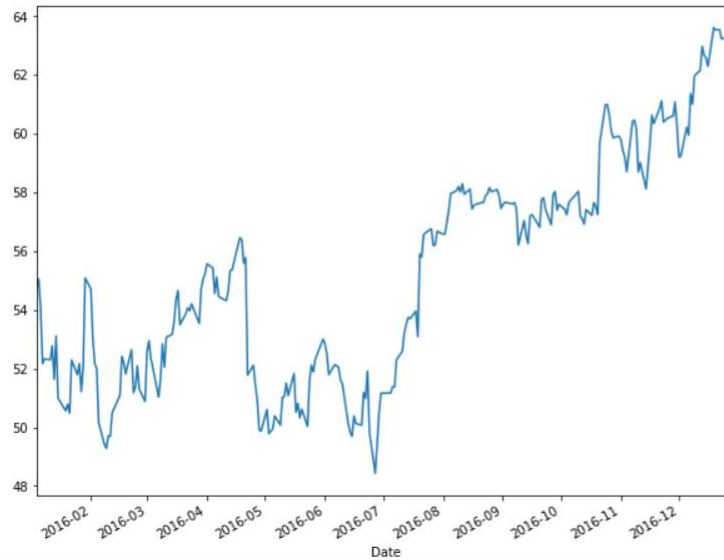
## 5. Plot the data of a DataFrame

```
In [16]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))  
fb['Close'].plot()  
plt.show()
```





```
In [34]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))  
# plot only the Close price of 2016 of Microsoft, 1 line
```





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## Data和DataFrame. ipynb在Github中下载

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## Generation of Variables

we will learn more methods which **help us to create new variables.**



To create new variables for other columns, we will learn a new method of DataFrame slicing, which is a special one.

**It is to select particular columns.**

For example, we want to select column of Close price.

## Select a single column from a DataFrame

```
In [3] fb['Close']
```

	Open	High	Low	Close	Adj Close	Volume
Date						
2014-12-31	20.400000	20.510000	19.990000	20.049999	19.459270	4157500
2015-01-02	20.129999	20.280001	19.809999	20.129999	19.536913	2842000
2015-01-05	20.129999	20.190001	19.700001	19.790001	19.206934	4948800
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2015-01-07	19.330000	19.500000	19.080000	19.139999	18.576082	8045200



If you want to select multiple columns for example both Open and Close prices, you can **use lists of names by putting all names in a square bracket**, and give this names list an entry to over 10 multiple columns.

## Select multiple columns from a DataFrame

```
In [4] fb[['Open', 'Close']]
```

	Open	High	Low	Close	Adj Close	Volume
Date						
2014-12-31	20.400000	20.510000	19.990000	20.049999	19.459270	4157500
2015-01-02	20.129999	20.280001	19.809999	20.129999	19.536913	2842000
2015-01-05	20.129999	20.190001	19.700001	19.790001	19.206934	4948800
2015-01-06	19.820000	19.840000	19.170000	19.190001	18.624611	4944100
2015-01-07	19.330000	19.500000	19.080000	19.139999	18.576082	8045200



If you want to **create a new column** called Price1 which is Close price of tomorrow, you can do this.

The fb now has a new column. **What is the right side of this code?**

Create a new column in a DataFrame

```
In [3] fb['Price1'] = fb['Close'].shift(-1)
```

Out [3]



	Open	High	Low	Close	Adj Close	Volume	Price1
Date							
2014-12-31	20.400000	20.510000	19.990000	20.049999	19.459270	4157500	20.129999
2015-01-02	20.129999	20.280001	19.809999	20.129999	19.536913	2842000	19.790001
2015-01-05	20.129999	20.190001	19.700001	19.790001	19.206934	4948800	19.190001
2015-01-06	19.820000	19.840000	19.170000	19.190001	18.624611	4944100	19.139999
2015-01-07	19.330000	19.500000	19.080000	19.139999	18.576082	8045200	19.860001



Here's a demonstration of a shift(-1). It shifts a whole column upwards by one row.

What .shift() does?

Date	Close
2014-12-31	20.12999
2015-01-02	19.79001
2015-01-05	19.19001
2015-01-06	19.13999



```
fb['close'].shift(-1)
```



**Next**, we create a new variable called **PriceDiff** which is the price change between tomorrow and today.

Create a “Price difference” column

$$\text{PriceDiff} = (\text{Close price of tomorrow} \\ - \text{Close price of today})$$



We do not need to compute a price difference one day by one day. **Instead**, we can take this job nicely **with only one line of code**. It is very intuitive and clean. That is why a lot of practitioners like to use Python to pre-process data. We can check the updated DataFrame fb, the new column is generated.

## Price difference

In [3]

```
fb['PriceDiff'] = fb['Price1'] - fb['Close']  
fb.head()
```

Out [3]

	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	Price1	PriceDiff
Date							
2014-12-31	20.400000	20.510000	19.990000	20.049999	4157500	20.129999	0.080000
2015-01-02	20.129999	20.280001	19.809999	20.129999	2842000	19.790001	-0.339998
2015-01-05	20.129999	20.190001	19.700001	19.790001	4948800	19.190001	-0.600000
2015-01-06	19.820000	19.840000	19.170000	19.190001	4944100	19.139999	-0.050002
2015-01-07	19.330000	19.500000	19.080000	19.139999	8045200	19.860001	0.720002





**Similarly**, we can calculate the daily return. We know daily return should be PriceDiff divided by Close, as we can see from the formula.

Create a “Daily return” column

$$\text{Daily return} = \frac{\text{Price difference}}{\text{Close price of today}}$$



## Daily return

```
In [3] fb['Return'] = fb['PriceDiff'] / fb['Close']
```

```
Out [3]
```

	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	Price1	PriceDiff
Date							
2014-12-31	20.400000	20.510000	19.990000	20.049999	4157500	20.129999	0.080000
2015-01-02	20.129999	20.280001	19.809999	20.129999	2842000	19.790001	-0.339998
2015-01-05	20.129999	20.190001	19.700001	19.790001	4948800	19.190001	-0.600000
2015-01-06	19.820000	19.840000	19.170000	19.190001	4944100	19.139999	-0.050002
2015-01-07	19.330000	19.500000	19.080000	19.139999	8045200	19.860001	0.720002



We double check if the new variable is created.

## Daily return

In [3]

```
fb.head()
```

Out [3]

	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	Price1	PriceDiff	Return
Date								
2014-12-31	20.400000	20.510000	19.990000	20.049999	4157500	20.129999	0.080000	0.003990
2015-01-02	20.129999	20.280001	19.809999	20.129999	2842000	19.790001	-0.339998	-0.016890
2015-01-05	20.129999	20.190001	19.700001	19.790001	4948800	19.190001	-0.600000	-0.030318
2015-01-06	19.820000	19.840000	19.170000	19.190001	4944100	19.139999	-0.050002	-0.002606
2015-01-07	19.330000	19.500000	19.080000	19.139999	8045200	19.860001	0.720002	0.037618



**Next**, we will create a new variable direction.

Create a “Direction” column

Rules

PriceDiff > 0            Up      **1**

PriceDiff <= 0            Down      **-1**



Here's the code for the List comprehension.

Direction

List comprehension

Condition



```
In [3] fb['Direction'] = [1 if fb.loc[ei, 'PriceDiff'] > 0 else -1  
                        for ei in fb.index]
```

	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	Price1	PriceDiff	Return	
Date									
2014-12-31	20.400000	20.510000	19.990000	20.049999	4157500	20.129999	0.080000	0.003990	1
2015-01-02	20.129999	20.280001	19.809999	20.129999	2842000	19.790001	-0.339998	-0.016890	-1
2015-01-05	20.129999	20.190001	19.700001	19.790001	4948800	19.190001	-0.600000	-0.030318	-1
2015-01-06	19.820000	19.840000	19.170000	19.190001	4944100	19.139999	-0.050002	-0.002606	-1
2015-01-07	19.330000	19.500000	19.080000	19.139999	8045200	19.860001	0.720002	0.037618	

List comprehension is a very important tool for creation of new variables following very complicated rules.



**A Moving average** is a widely used signal in stock trading, which is loading average price over a defined number of days.

**Random fluctuations are very common in stock price.** Taking an average price in a period can smooth out noise.

**For example**, we want to calculate the moving average of close price over three days, which is the average of Close price of today, yesterday, and the day before yesterday.

Create a “Moving average” column

```
In [3] fb['Average3'] = (fb['Close'] + fb['Close'].shift(1) + fb['Close'].shift(2))/3
```

Out [3]

	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	Price1	PriceDiff	Return
Date								
2014-12-31	20.400000	20.510000	19.990000	20.049999	4157500	20.129999	0.080000	0.003990
2015-01-02	20.129999	20.280001	19.809999	20.129999	2842000	19.790001	-0.339998	-0.016890
2015-01-05	20.129999	20.190001	19.700001	19.790001	4948800	19.190001	-0.600000	-0.030318
2015-01-06	19.820000	19.840000	19.170000	19.190001	4944100	19.139999	-0.050002	-0.002606
2015-01-07	19.330000	19.500000	19.080000	19.139999	8045200	19.860001	0.720002	0.037618



Let us take a close look, **what is a shift(1).**

What .shift(1) does?

Date	Close
2014-12-31	20.04999
2015-01-02	20.12999
2015-01-05	19.79001
2015-01-06	19.19001



```
fb['close'].shift(1)
```

What .shift(1) does?

Date	Close
2014-12-31	NaN
2015-01-02	20.04999
2015-01-05	20.12999
2015-01-06	19.79001



```
fb['close'].shift(1)
```





**What is shift(2)?** It shifts the column of Close price downward by two rows, which get the Close price two days ago.

What .shift(2) does?

Date	Close
2014-12-31	20.04999
2015-01-02	20.12999
2015-01-05	19.79001
2015-01-06	19.19001

```
fb['close'].shift(2)
```

Date	Close
2014-12-31	NaN
2015-01-02	NaN
2015-01-05	20.04999
2015-01-06	20.12999



```
fb['close'].shift(2)
```



## Check the new update fb.

### Moving average

In [3] `fb.head()`

Out [3]

	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	Price1	PriceDiff	Return	Average3
Date									
2014-12-31	20.400000	20.510000	19.990000	20.049999	4157500	20.129999	0.080000	0.003990	NaN
2015-01-02	20.129999	20.280001	19.809999	20.129999	2842000	19.790001	-0.339998	-0.016890	NaN
2015-01-05	20.129999	20.190001	19.700001	19.790001	4948800	19.190001	-0.600000	-0.030318	19.990000
2015-01-06	19.820000	19.840000	19.170000	19.190001	4944100	19.139999	-0.050002	-0.002606	19.703334
2015-01-07	19.330000	19.500000	19.080000	19.139999	8045200	19.860001	0.720002	0.037618	19.373334

In Python, **if** some valuable data is missing, we call it is missing values. It will also show **NaN value** if read into DataFrame.

DataFrame has very nice methods to handle NaN values.



In DataFrame, it has building method to compute moving average over any number of days.

MA40 is a moving average Close price over 40 days, and MA200 is a moving average price over 200 days.

Rolling is a very nice method to provide us rolling window calculation.

Calculate moving average using .rolling()

```
In [3] fb['MA40'] = fb['Close'].rolling(40).mean()  
fb['MA200'] = fb['Close'].rolling(200).mean()
```



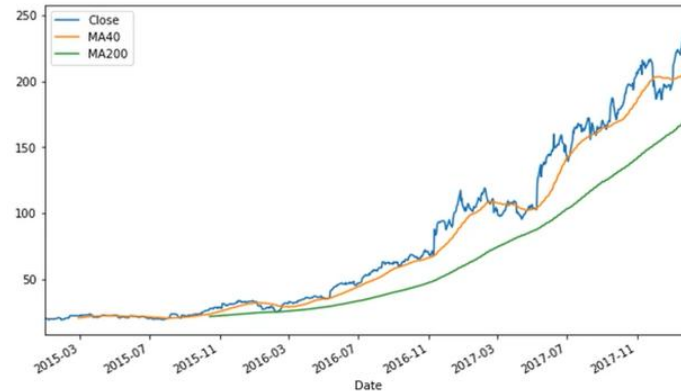
Now, let us plot these moving averages and compare them with Close price.

## Plot moving average

In [4]

```
fb['Close'].plot()  
fb['MA40'].plot()  
fb['MA200'].plot()
```

Out [4]



Fast signal

Slow signal

**we call moving average 40 is a fast signal** and **MA200 is a slow signal** which reflects the price over a long history.



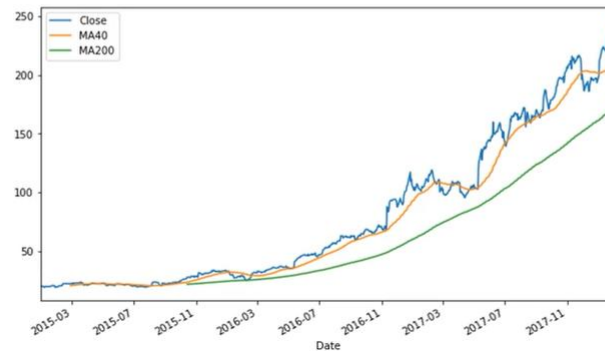
If MA40 is above MA200, some traders who we call **trend-following traders**, they believe the stock price will move upwards for a while.

## Plot moving average

In [4]

```
fb['Close'].plot()  
fb['MA40'].plot()  
fb['MA200'].plot()
```

Out [4]



Fast signal

Slow signal

MA40 > MA200



## What have learnt so far...

- Building new variables with column-wise operations
  - ✓ Price difference
  - ✓ Daily return
  - ✓ Direction
  - ✓ Moving average
- List comprehension

***Next Lesson, we will build a simple strategy for stock trading based on our discussion about slow and fast signals.***



## Lab 2: Create features and columns in DataFrame

### Instructions

In this Jupyter Notebook, you will practice the following codes to create new features/columns in a DataFrame

- 1. Create new columns in the DataFrame by arithmetic calculation - Price Difference and Daily Return**
- 2. Create a new column using List Comprehension - Direction**
- 3. Create a new column using Rolling Window Calculation - Any days of Moving Average**



## 1. Create new columns in the DataFrame by arithmetic calculation - Price Difference and Daily Return

```
In [1]: import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
%matplotlib inline
```

```
In [2]: fb = pd.DataFrame.from_csv('../data/facebook.csv')
ms = pd.DataFrame.from_csv('../data/microsoft.csv')
```

```
In [3]: #Create a new column PriceDiff in the DataFrame fb
fb['PriceDiff'] = fb['Close'].shift(-1) - fb['Close']
```

```
In [5]: #Your turn to create PriceDiff in the DataFrame ms
```

```
In [7]: #Run this code to display the price difference of Microsoft on 2015-01-05
print(ms['PriceDiff'].loc['2015-01-05'])
```

**Expected Output: -0.68**

Daily Return is calculated as PriceDiff/Close

```
In [ ]: #Create a new column Return in the DataFrame fb
fb['Return'] = fb['PriceDiff'] / fb['Close']
```

```
In [ ]: #Your turn to create a new column Return in the DataFrame MS
ms['Return'] = None
```

```
In [ ]: #Run this code to print the return on 2015-01-05
print(ms['Return'].loc['2015-01-05'])
```

**Expected Output: -0.0146773142811**





## 2. Create a new column using List Comprehension - Direction

```
In [ ]: #Create a new column Direction.  
#The List Comprehension means : if the price difference is larger than 0, denote as 1, otherwise, denote as 0,  
#for every record in the DataFrame - fb  
  
fb['Direction'] = [1 if fb['PriceDiff'].loc[ei] > 0 else 0 for ei in fb.index ]  
  
In [ ]: # Your turn to create a new column Direction for MS  
  
ms['Direction'] = None  
  
In [ ]: # Run the following code to show the price difference on 2015-01-05  
print('Price difference on {} is {}. direction is {}'.format('2015-01-05', ms['PriceDiff'].loc['2015-01-05'], ms['Direction'].loc['2015-01-05']))
```

**Expected Output:** Price difference on 2015-01-05 is -0.6799999999999997. direction is 0



### 3. Create a new column using Rolling Window Calculation - Any days of Moving Average

```
In [ ]: fb['ma50'] = fb['Close'].rolling(50).mean()

#plot the moving average
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))
fb['ma50'].loc['2015-01-01':'2015-12-31'].plot(label='MA50')
fb['Close'].loc['2015-01-01':'2015-12-31'].plot(label='Close')
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```

```
In [ ]: # You can use .rolling() to calculate any numbers of days' Moving Average. This is your turn to calculate "60 days"
# moving average of Microsoft, rename it as "ma60". And follow the codes above in plotting a graph
```

```
ms['ma60'] = None
```

```
#plot the moving average
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))
ms['ma60'].loc['2015-01-01':'2015-12-31'].plot(label='MA60')
ms['Close'].loc['2015-01-01':'2015-12-31'].plot(label='Close')
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```

Expected Output:





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## 05

### Trading Strategy



You will learn how to **build** a simple strategy of stock trading.

We hope with this **money-making case**, you are highly **motivated to** learn Python we covered so far, and get ready for the next several topics.



## Fast Signal?? Slow Signal??

Moving Average of short period is more closely associated with recent change of stock price, which we call **Fast Signal**.

Moving Average over long period reflects the price change over long-term history, which we call **slow signal**.



We **create MA10 and MA50**, which are fast signal and slow signal respectively.

## Strategy – Fast signal and slow signal

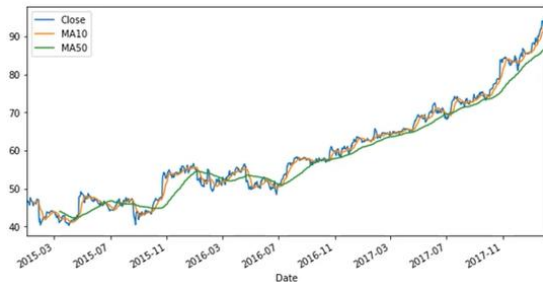
```
In [3]: ms=pd.DataFrame.from_csv('data/microsoft.csv')  
ms['MA10']=ms['Close'].rolling(10).mean() # fast signal  
ms['MA50']=ms['Close'].rolling(50).mean() # slow signal
```

**Then**, we plot close price MA10 and MA50.

Plot the stock price with two moving averages

```
In [3]: ms['Close'].plot(legend=True)  
ms['MA10'].plot(legend=True) # fast signal  
ms['MA50'].plot(legend=True) # slow signal
```

Out[3]:



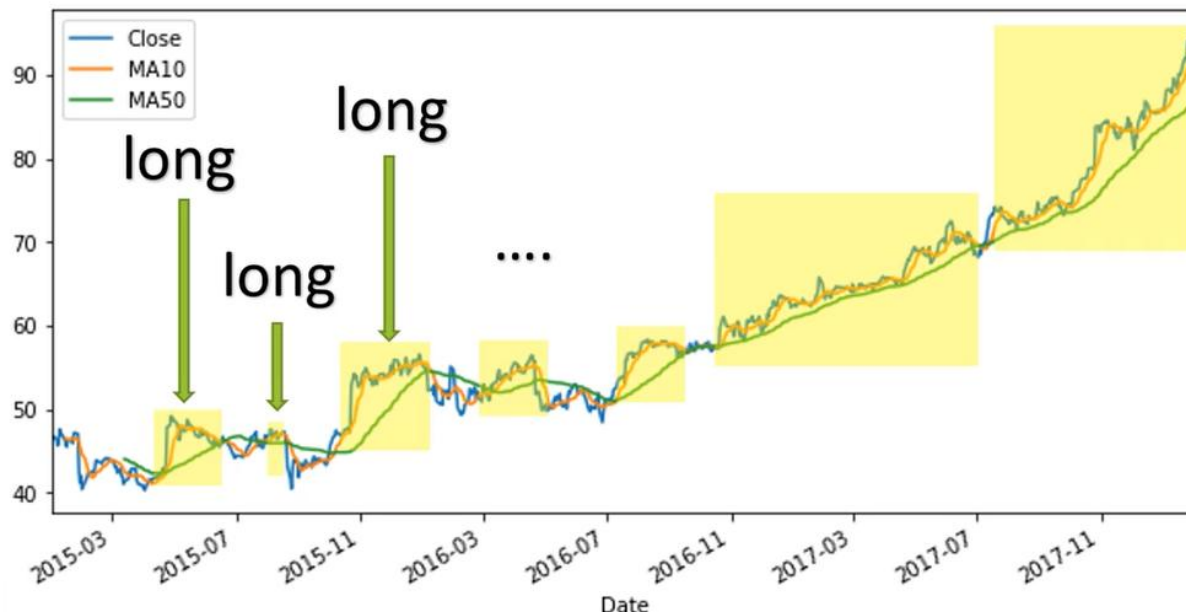
**If MA10 is larger than MA50,  
the stock price is believed by  
some traders, that it goes up  
in the next several days.  
Otherwise, the price will  
decrease.**



**Our strategy is**, if MA10 is larger than MA50, we will buy and hold one share of stock. Alternately speaking, we will long one share of stock. **This yellow area labels the days on which we buy and hold one share of stock.**

Plot the stock price with two moving averages

MA10 > MA50 → Buy and hold one share of stock





We can create a new variable called **shares**, to denote whether we long or not.  
It is created **using list comprehension**.

Long or not?

```
In [3]: ms['Shares'] = [ 1 if ms.loc[ei, 'MA10'] > ms.loc[ei, 'MA50'] else 0
                        for ei in ms.index]
```

Next, we will compute **daily profit**.

Daily profit

```
In [4]: ms['Close1'] = ms['Close'].shift(-1)
        ms.iloc[500:505, :]
```

```
Out [4]:
```

	Open	High	Low	Close	Adj Close	Volume	MA10	MA50	Shares	Close1
2016-12-23	63.450001	63.540001	62.799999	63.240002	61.569557	12398000	63.020000	60.4170	1	63.279999
2016-12-27	63.209999	64.070000	63.209999	63.279999	61.608490	11763200	63.131000	60.5342	1	62.990002
2016-12-28	63.400002	63.400002	62.830002	62.990002	61.326157	14653300	63.132000	60.6496	1	62.900002
2016-12-29	62.860001	63.200001	62.730000	62.900002	61.238541	10181600	63.154001	60.7544	1	62.139999
2016-12-30	62.959999	62.990002	62.029999	62.139999	60.498604	25579900	63.110000	60.8466	1	62.580002

First, we **create variable Close1**, which is the close price of tomorrow.

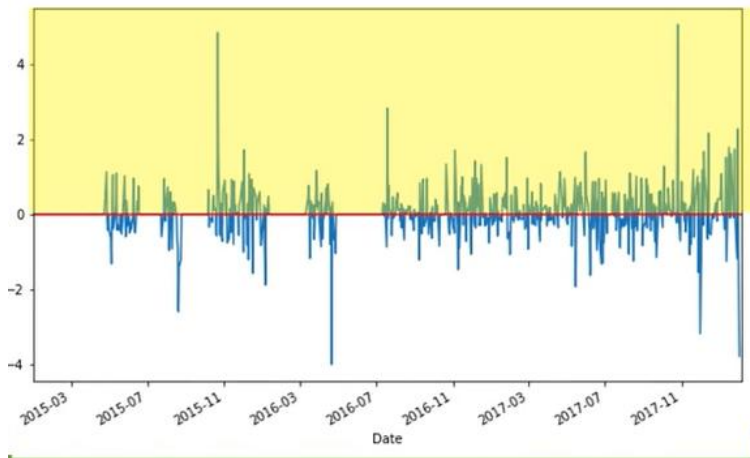




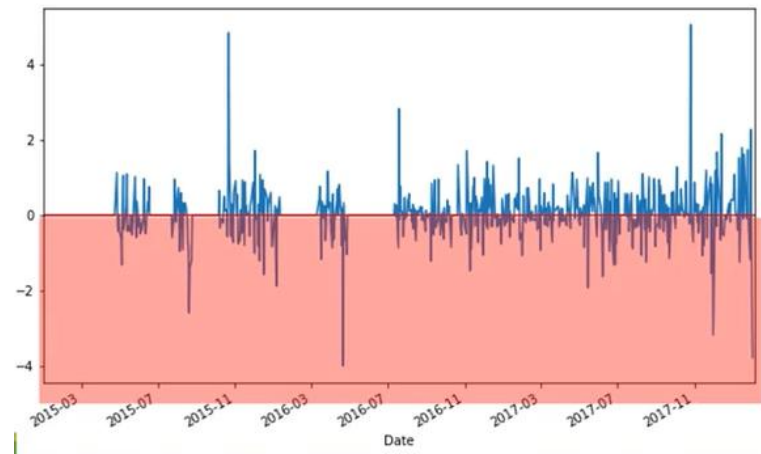
Then, we'll create a new variable called **Profit**, which indeed is the daily profit.

## Daily profit

```
In [11] ms['Profit']=[ms.loc[ei,'Close1']-ms.loc[ei,'Close']  
                    if ms.loc[ei,'Shares']==1  
                    else 0 for ei in ms.index]  
ms['Profit'].plot()  
plt.axhline(y=0,color='red')
```



Make money



Lose money



We can compute the **cumulative wealth**.

Using DataFrame method, Cumsum to compute cumulative sum and create a new variable Wealth.

Then, we check tail part of DataFrame, and check whether we make money or lose money

## Cumulative wealth

```
In [12] ms['wealth']=ms['Profit'].cumsum()  
ms.tail()
```

Out[12]

ms.index[-2]

	Open	High	Low	Close	Adj Close	Volume	MA10	MA50	Shares	Close1	Profit	wealth
Date												
2018-01-30	93.300003	93.660004	92.099998	92.739998	92.739998	38635100	91.862	86.5244	1	95.010002	2.270004	30.540009
2018-01-31	93.750000	95.400002	93.510002	95.010002	95.010002	48756300	92.349	86.7606	1	94.260002	-0.750000	29.790009
2018-02-01	94.790001	96.070000	93.580002	94.260002	94.260002	47227900	92.765	86.9978	1	91.779999	-2.480003	27.310006
2018-02-02	93.639999	93.970001	91.500000	91.779999	91.779999	47867800	92.943	87.1828	1	88.000000	-3.779999	23.530007
2018-02-05	90.559998	93.239998	88.000000	88.000000	88.000000	50354600	92.582	87.2684	1	NaN	NaN	NaN

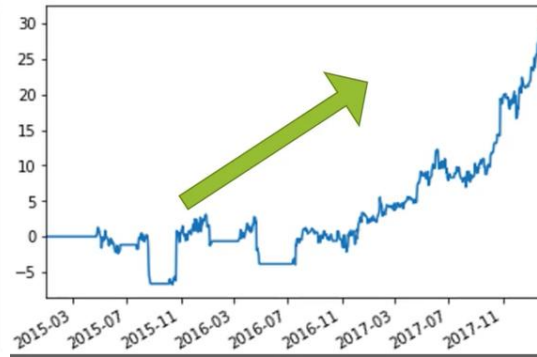
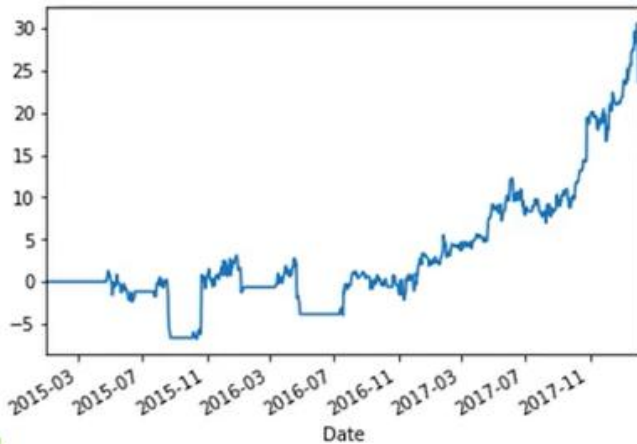


Then, we print out wealth, which in fact is a sum of profit. To realize this profit, we need to buy one share of stock initially. So, our **initial investment is a stock price on the first day**.

## Cumulative wealth

```
In [12] print("Total money you win is ", ms.loc[ms.index[-2], 'wealth'])  
        print("Total money you spent is ", ms.loc[ms.index[0], 'Close'])  
        ms['wealth'].plot()
```

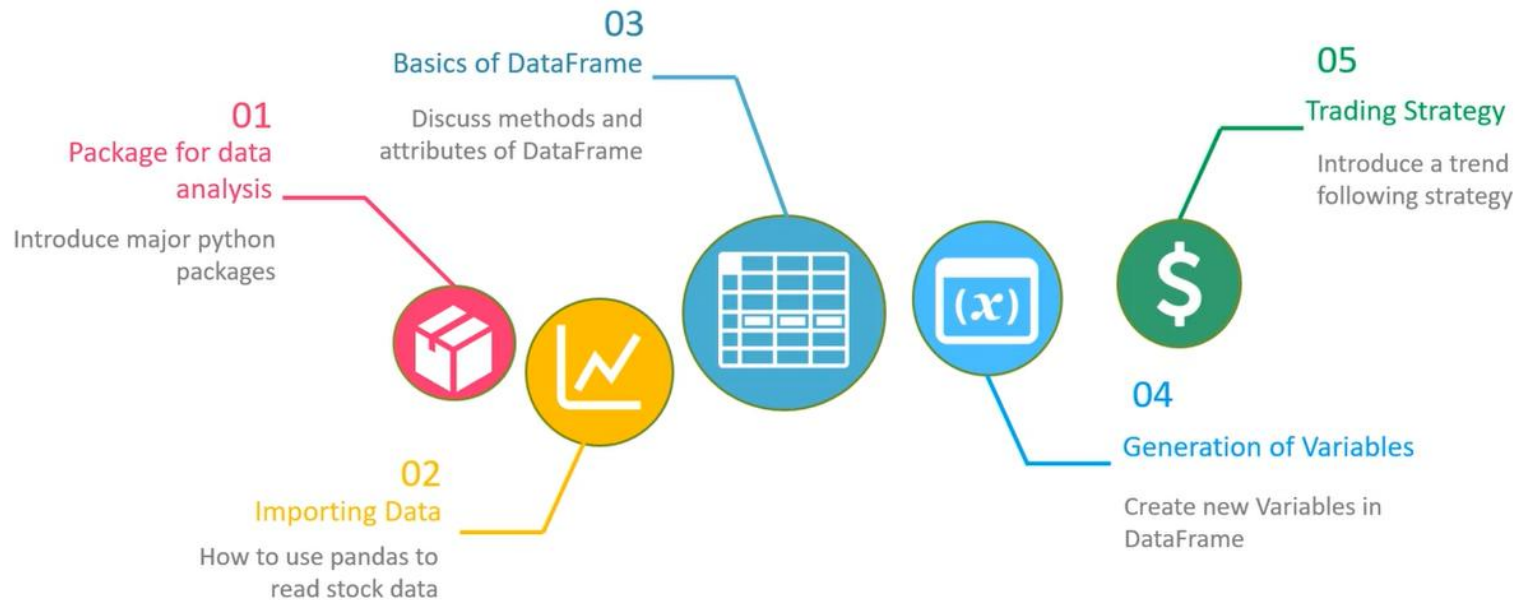
```
Out[12] Total money you win is 23.530007  
        Total money you spent is 46.450001
```



This strategy seems to be very promising, **but** there are lots of questions if you want to implement it in real market.



# Summary



You should know **how to read the data into DataFrame**, explore **basic attributes** and methods of DataFrame. Most importantly, know **how to create new variables** using column-wise transformation or list comprehension.



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## Lab 3: Build a simple trading strategy

### Instructions

In this Jupyter Notebook, you are going to **mimic the steps illustrated** from the lecture in **creating your first trading strategy - Trend following trading strategy**.



## Build a simple trading strategy

```
In [1]: import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
%matplotlib inline
```

### 1. Munging the stock data and add two columns - MA10 and MA50

```
In [4]: #import FB's stock data, add two columns - MA10 and MA50
#use dropna to remove any "Not a Number" data
fb = pd.DataFrame.from_csv('./data/facebook.csv')
fb['MA10'] = fb['Close'].rolling(10).mean()
fb['MA50'] = fb['Close'].rolling(50).mean()
fb = fb.dropna()
fb.head()
```

```
Out[4]:
```

	Open	High	Low	Close	Adj Close	Volume	MA10	MA50
Date								
2015-03-13	22.559999	22.760000	22.250000	22.700001	22.116024	8982200	22.648	21.0174
2015-03-16	22.879999	23.110001	22.730000	22.969999	22.379078	5923900	22.685	21.0758
2015-03-17	22.920000	23.260000	22.760000	23.250000	22.651876	7497500	22.792	21.1382
2015-03-18	23.250000	23.370001	22.660000	22.870001	22.281652	10337600	22.836	21.1998
2015-03-19	22.950001	23.299999	22.780001	23.219999	22.622650	7768900	22.872	21.2804



## 2. Add "Shares" column to make decisions base on the strategy

In [6]: *#Add a new column "Shares", if MA10>MA50, denote as 1 (long one share of stock), otherwise, denote as 0 (do nothing)*

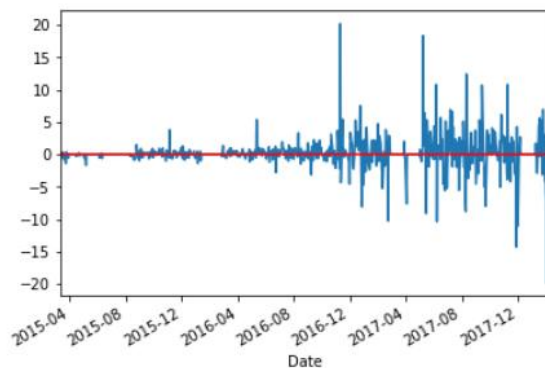
```
fb['Shares'] = [1 if fb.loc[ei, 'MA10']>fb.loc[ei, 'MA50'] else 0 for ei in fb.index]
```

In [7]: *#Add a new column "Profit" using List Comprehension, for any rows in fb, if Shares=1, the profit is calculated as the close price of #tomorrow - the close price of today. Otherwise the profit is 0.*

*#Plot a graph to show the Profit/Loss*

```
fb['Close1'] = fb['Close'].shift(-1)
fb['Profit'] = [fb.loc[ei, 'Close1'] - fb.loc[ei, 'Close'] if fb.loc[ei, 'Shares']==1 else 0 for ei in fb.index]
fb['Profit'].plot()
plt.axhline(y=0, color='red')
```

Out[7]: <matplotlib.lines.Line2D at 0x7f0c99862128>







### 3. Use .cumsum() to display our model's performance if we follow the strategy

In [8]: *#Use .cumsum() to calculate the accumulated wealth over the period*

```
fb['wealth'] = fb['Profit'].cumsum()  
fb.tail()
```

Out[8]:

	Open	High	Low	Close	Adj Close	Volume	MA10	MA50	Shares	Close1	Profit	wealth
Date												
2018-01-30	241.110001	246.419998	238.410004	242.720001	242.720001	14270800	235.692003	210.030001	1	245.800003	3.080002	177.820011
2018-01-31	245.770004	249.270004	244.449997	245.800003	245.800003	11964400	237.800003	210.713801	1	240.500000	-5.300003	172.520008
2018-02-01	238.520004	246.899994	238.059998	240.500000	240.500000	12980600	239.406003	211.296601	1	233.520004	-6.979996	165.540012
2018-02-02	237.000000	237.970001	231.169998	233.520004	233.520004	17961600	239.747003	211.685401	1	213.699997	-19.820007	145.720005
2018-02-05	227.000000	233.229996	205.000000	213.699997	213.699997	28869000	237.748003	211.638401	1	NaN	NaN	NaN

In [12]: *#plot the wealth to show the growth of profit over the period*

```
fb['wealth'].plot()  
plt.title('Total money you win is {}'.format(fb.loc[fb.index[-2], 'wealth']))
```

Out[12]: <matplotlib.text.Text at 0x7f0c93b9e400>







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You can create your own simple trading strategy by copying the codes above and modify the codes accordingly **using the data of Microsoft (microsoft.csv)**.

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## Quiz 1

1. Which of the following library has DataFrame object?

☐ Pandas

☐ Numpy

☐ Matplotlib

☐ Statsmodels



## Quiz 1

2. Which of the following is the correct way to import a library, eg Pandas?

☐ `import pandas as pd`

☐ `#include <pandas>`

☐ `pandas import`

☐ `pandas`



## Quiz 1

3. What is the method of DataFrame object to import a csv file?

☐ import\_csv()

☐ read\_csv()

☐ sv()

☐ from\_csv()



## Quiz 1

4. Which of the following attributes of a DataFrame return a list of column names of this DataFrame?

☐ columns

☐ shape

☐ dtype

☐ column



## Quiz 1

5. Which of the following can slice 'Close' from '2015-01-01' to '2016-12-31' from data, which is a DataFrame object?

☐ data.iloc['2015-01-01':'2016-12-31', 'Close']

☐ data.loc['2015-01-01':'2016-12-31', 'Close']



## Quiz 1

6. What is the method of DataFrame to plot a line chart?

☐ plot\_graph()

☐ scatter()

☐ plot()

☐ axhline()



## Quiz 1

7. Suppose you have a DataFrame - data, which contains columns 'Open', 'High', 'Low', 'Close', 'Adj Close' and 'Volume'. What does data[['Open', 'Low']] return?

- ☐ Columns 'Open' and 'Low'
- ☐ No results are shown
- ☐ The first row of data which contains only columns 'Open' and 'High'
- ☐ All columns of data except 'Open' and 'High'





## Quiz 1

8. Suppose you have a DataFrame `ms`, which contains the daily data of 'Open', 'High', 'Low', 'Close', 'AdjClose' and 'Volume' of Microsoft's stock.

Which of the following syntax calculates the Price difference, (ie 'Close' of tomorrow – 'Close' of today)?

- ☐ `ms['Close'].shift(1) – ms['Close'].shift(1)`
- ☐ `ms['Close'].shift(-1) – ms['Close']`
- ☐ `ms['Close'].shift(1) – ms['Close']`
- ☐ `ms['Close'].shift(-1) – ms['Close'].shift(-1)`



## Quiz 1

9. Suppose you have a DataFrame - ms , which contains the daily data of 'Open', 'High', 'Low', 'Close', 'AdjClose' and 'Volumn' of Microsoft's stock.

What is the method of DataFrame to calculate the 60 days moving average?

☐ rolling(60).median()

☐ rolling().mean(60)

☐ moving\_average(60)

☐ rolling(60).mean()



## Quiz 1

10. Which of the following idea(s) is/are correct to the simple trading strategy that we introduced in the lecture?

- ☐ If fast signal is larger than slow signal, this indicates an upward trend at the current moment
- ☐ We short one share of stocks if fast signal is larger than slow signal
- ☐ Use longer moving average as slow signal and shorter moving average as fast signal



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# Thank You

