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1. Problem Statement

The problem is to analyze commodity prices for various commodities using the commodity prices dataset. The goal is to leverage Python, data science techniques, statistical analysis and data modeling. Perform all necessary steps to get the key insights from the data.

2. Project Objective

- 1.** The maximum price of Robusta coffe
- 2.** 75th percentile of sugar prices in the European Union(EU)
- 3.** The skewness of the price distribution for Arabica Coffee
- 4.** How the distribution of sugar prices in the US significantly different from a normal distribution prices change
- 5.** How many times does the price of Dubai oil exceed the price of Brent oil by a certain threshold of \$10
- 6.** What will be the overall price trend for each commodity
- 7.** Which commodity experienced the highest price fluctuations during the observed period
- 8.** How has brent oil prices vary on a quarterly basis since the last five years
- 9.** How much the difference between global sugar prices and the prices of EU sugar and US sugar
- 10.** The difference Between the distribution of sugar prices between Europe(EU) and the United States(US)

3. Data Description

Attributes	Description
date	The date of the recorded commodity price
oil_brent	The price of Brent oil (\$/bbl)
Oil_Dubai	The price of Dubai oil (\$/bbl)
Coffee_Arabica	The price of Arabica coffee (\$/kg)
Coffee_Robustas	The price of Robusta coffee (\$/kg)
Tea_Columbo	The price of Columbo tea (\$/kg)
Tea_Kolkata	The price of Kolkata tea (\$/kg)
Tea_Mombasa	The price of Mombasa tea (\$/kg)
Sugar_EU	The price of EU sugar (\$/kg)
Sugar_US	The price of US sugar (\$/kg)
Sugar_World	The price of global sugar (\$/kg)

Columns and Descriptions:

- 1.sl : Serial number (integer).
- 2.Date : Date in YYYY-MM-DD format (string).
- 3.oil_brent : Price of Brent oil (float).
- 4.oil_dubai : Price of Dubai oil (float).
- 5.coffee_arabica : Price of Arabica coffee (float).
- 6.coffee_robustas : Price of Robusta coffee (float).
- 7.tea_columbo : Price of tea from Colombo market (float).
- 8.tea_kolkata : Price of tea from Kolkata market (float).
- 9.tea_mombasa : Price of tea from Mombasa market (float).
- 10.sugar_eu : Price of sugar in the EU market (float).
- 11.sugar_us : Price of sugar in the US market (float).
- 12.sugar_world : World sugar price (float).

Data Types

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data.info()

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... <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 756 entries, 0 to 755
Data columns (total 12 columns):
#   Column                Non-Null Count  Dtype
---  -
0   sl                     756 non-null   int64
1   date                  756 non-null   object
2   oil_brent              756 non-null   float64
3   oil_dubai              756 non-null   float64
4   coffee_arabica         756 non-null   float64
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dtypes: float64(10), int64(1), object(1)
memory usage: 71.0+ KB
```

No-Null Values in the DataSet:

```
data.notnull()

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756 rows x 13 columns
```


4. Data Pre-processing Steps and Inspiration

1. Loading the Data:

- The dataset is loaded using `pd.read_csv()`.

```
data = pd.read_csv('DataSet - Commodity_Prices.csv')
```

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2. Data Overview:

- Data structure and details are checked with `data.info()`.

```
data.info()
```

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3. Missing Data Handling:

- `data.notnull()` is used to examine missing data.
- Missing values in commodity columns are filled using forward-fill (`fillna(method='ffill')`).

```
data.notnull()
```

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	sl	date	oil_brent	oil_dubai	coffee_arabica	coffee_robustas	tea_columbo	tea_kolkata	tea_mombasa	sugar_eu	sugar_us	sugar_world	Quarter
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4. Feature Exploration:

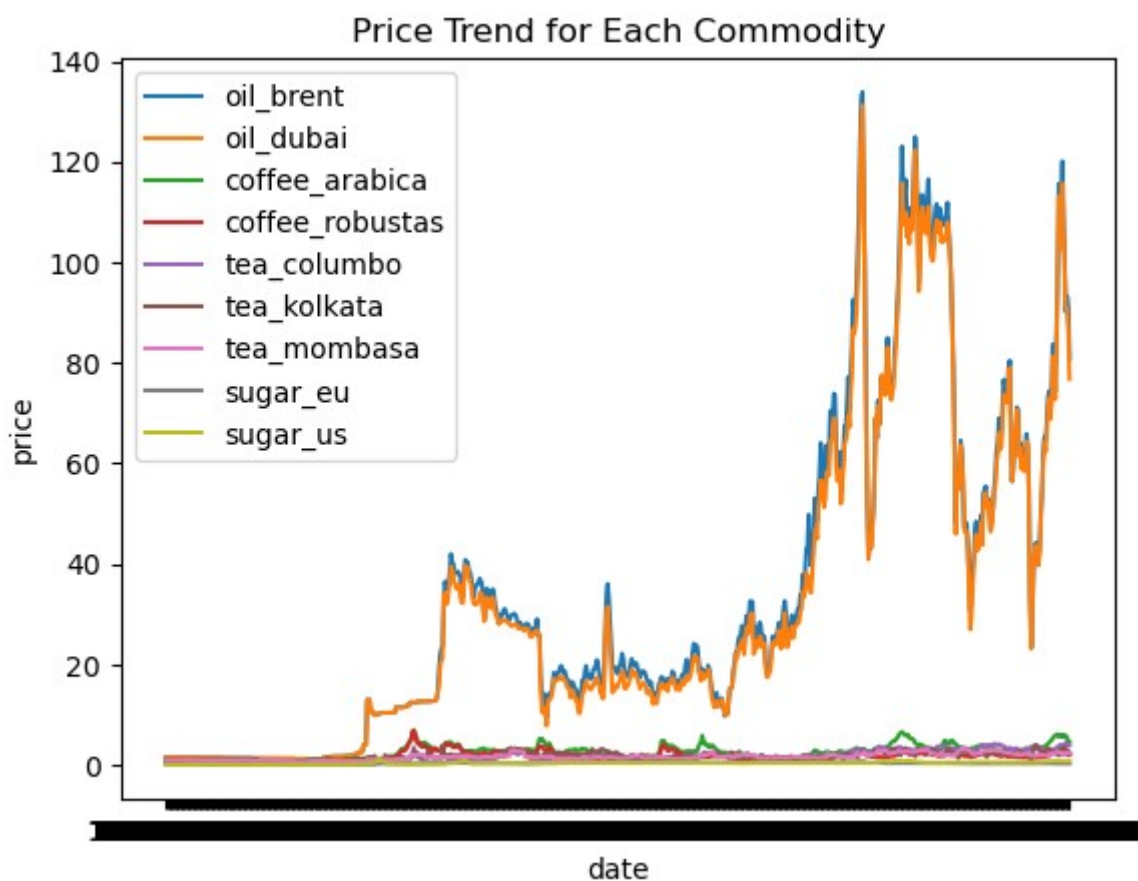
- Various features like maximum, percentiles, and skewness are calculated for specific columns.
- Statistical tests (e.g., normality test using normaltest) are performed on features to understand distributions.

5. Conditional Analysis:

- Certain conditions are evaluated, such as checking when one feature exceeds another by a specific threshold.

6. Data Visualization:

- Trends in commodity prices are visualized with line plots for different commodities.



5. Model Evaluation and Techniques

1. Data Analysis and Statistics:

- Descriptive Statistics:
 - Maximum value computation (`max()`).
 - Percentile computation using `np.percentile()`.
- Skewness Measurement:
 - Skewness of distributions is calculated using `scipy.stats.skew()`.
- Normality Test:
 - The normality of a distribution is tested using `scipy.stats.normaltest()`.

2. Data Cleaning:

- Missing Value Handling:
 - Forward-fill imputation using `fillna(method='ffill')`.

3. Conditional Analysis:

- Logical conditions and thresholds are used to analyze specific patterns (e.g., checking when one commodity price exceeds another).

4. Visualization:

- Line plots are created using `matplotlib.pyplot` to visualize trends in commodity prices.

5. Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA):

- Overview of the dataset using `data.info()` and null-value checks.

6. Conclusion

The analyzing commodity prices has the potential to generate valuable insights that can guide decision-making in industries reliant on commodities. By adding advanced data analysis, statistical modeling, and machine learning techniques, you can uncover patterns, predict future trends, and identify anomalies in pricing data. Exploring these possibilities will not only deepen your understanding of market dynamics but also provide practical solutions for managing risks and optimizing strategies in commodity trading and related fields.

7. Global Commodity Prices Project Code

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commodity_analysis.ipynb
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```
[34] import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
from scipy.stats import skew, normaltest
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
```

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```
[35] data = pd.read_csv('DataSet - Commodity Prices.csv')
```

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[36] data.info()
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1: What is the maximum price of Robusta coffee?

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```
max_robust_coffee = data['coffee_robustas'].max()
print("maximum price of Robusta coffee",max_robust_coffee)
```

[38] ✓ 0.0s Python

... maximum price of Robusta coffee 6.883547

2: What is the 75th percentile of sugar prices in the European Union (EU)?

```
percentile75_sug_eu = np.percentile(data['sugar_eu'], 75)
print("75th percentile of EU sugar prices: ",percentile75_sug_eu)
```

[39] ✓ 0.0s Python

... 75th percentile of EU sugar prices: 0.56951937998

3: What is the skewness of the price distribution for Arabica coffee?

```
skewness_arabica_coffee = skew(data['coffee_arabica'])
print("Skewness of Arabica coffee prices: ",skewness_arabica_coffee)
```

[40] ✓ 0.0s Python

... Skewness of Arabica coffee prices: 0.5892256240650386

4: Is the distribution of sugar prices in the US significantly different from a normal distribution?

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```
us_sugar_prices = data['sugar_us']
stat, p_value = normaltest(us_sugar_prices)
if p_value < 0.05:
    print("The us sugar prices is different from a normal distribut")
else:
    print("The US sugar prices is not different from a normal distr")
```

[41] ✓ 0.0s

Python

... The US sugar prices is not different from a normal distribution.

5: How many times does the price of Dubai oil exceed the price of Brent oil by a certain threshold \$10?

```
threshold_exceed_count = ((data['oil_dubai'] - data['oil_brent']) >
if threshold_exceed_count>10:
    print(f"Dubai oil price exceeds Brent oil price by $10 or more")
else:
    print("The Dubai oil price is not exceeds Brent oil price")
```

[42] ✓ 0.0s

Python

... The Dubai oil price is not exceeds Brent oil price

6: What is the overall price trend for each commodity?

```
commodity_columns = data.columns[2:11]
```


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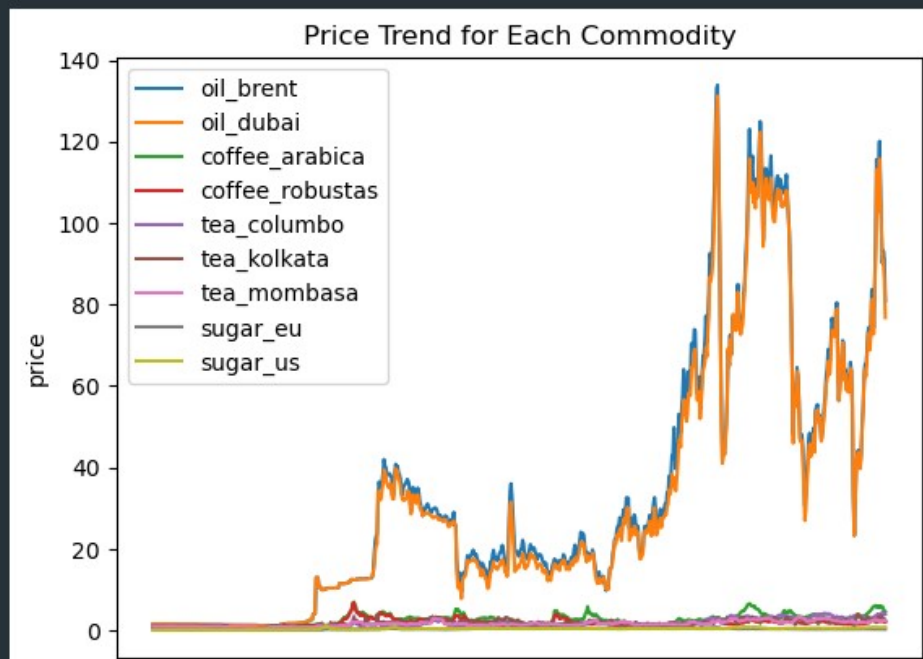
```
commodity_columns = data.columns[2:11]
for column in commodity_columns:
    data[column].fillna(method='ffill', inplace=True)
    plt.plot(data['date'], data[column], label=column)
plt.xlabel('date')
plt.ylabel('price')
plt.title('Price Trend for Each Commodity')
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```

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Python

... /tmp/ipykernel_85106/2554639718.py:3: FutureWarning: A value is trying to be set on a CategoricalSeries. The behavior will change in pandas 3.0. This inplace method will never work because the CategoricalSeries does not have an 'inplace' attribute. For example, when doing 'df[col].method(value, inplace=True)', try using 'df.method({col: value})'.

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data[column].fillna(method='ffill', inplace=True)
/tmp/ipykernel_85106/2554639718.py:3: FutureWarning: Series.fillna with 'method' is deprecated. Use 'inplace=False' instead.
data[column].fillna(method='ffill', inplace=True)
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7: Which commodity experienced the highest price fluctuations during the observed period?

```
numeric_data = data.select_dtypes(include=(parameter) columns: Hashable | Sequence[Hashable] | Index[Any])
fluctuations = numeric_data.std()
max_fluctuation_commodity = fluctuations.idxmax()
print(f"During the observed period the {max_fluctuation_commodity} has highest price fluctuations")
```

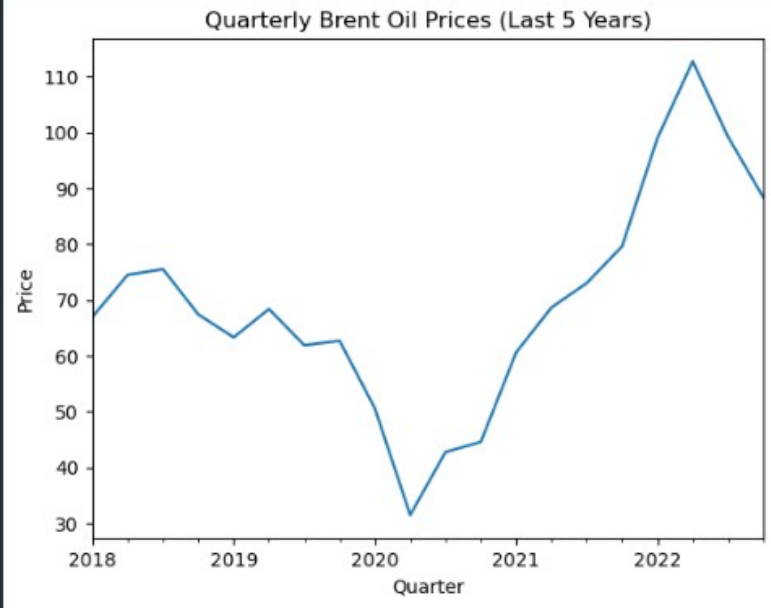
[44] ✓ 0.0s Python

During the observed period the oil_brent has highest price fluctuations

8: How has Brent oil prices varied on a quarterly basis since the last five years?

```
data['date'] = pd.to_datetime(data['date'])
data['Quarter'] = data['date'].dt.to_period('Q')
last_five_years = data[data['date'] > (data['date'].max() - pd.DateOffset(years=5))]
brent_quarterly = last_five_years.groupby('Quarter')['oil_brent'].mean()
brent_quarterly.plot(kind='line', title='Quarterly Brent Oil Prices (Last 5 Years)')
plt.xlabel('Quarter')
plt.ylabel('Price')
plt.show()
```

[45] ✓ 0.0s Python



Year	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
2018	68	75	76	68
2019	65	68	62	63
2020	32	43	45	60
2021	68	72	78	80
2022	100	112	100	88

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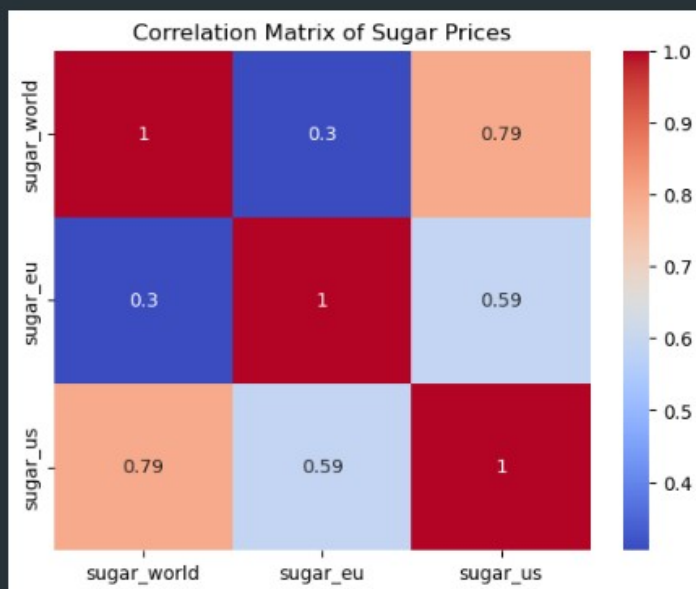
9: Is there a correlation between global sugar prices and the prices of EU sugar and US sugar?

```
correlation = data[['sugar_world', 'sugar_eu', 'sugar_us']].corr()
print("Correlation between sugar prices:\n", correlation)
sns.heatmap(correlation, annot=True, cmap='coolwarm')
plt.title('Correlation Matrix of Sugar Prices')
plt.show()
```

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Python

```
Correlation between sugar prices:
          sugar_world  sugar_eu  sugar_us
sugar_world    1.000000  0.304783  0.794707
sugar_eu        0.304783  1.000000  0.590955
sugar_us        0.794707  0.590955  1.000000
```



10: Is there a significant difference in the distribution of sugar prices between Europe (EU) and the United States (US)?

```
from scipy.stats import ttest_ind
eu_sugar_prices = data['sugar_eu']
us_sugar_prices = data['sugar_us']
t_stat, p_value = ttest_ind(eu_sugar_prices, us_sugar_prices, equal_var=False)
if p_value < 0.05:
    print("There is a difference in the sugar price distributions between EU and US.")
else:
    print("There is no difference in the sugar price distributions between EU and US.")
```

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Python

```
There is a difference in the sugar price distributions between EU and US.
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