# Can we predict stock market using few variables?

Few steps used to predict market movement using few financial assets price

## Step 1: Importing libraries

```
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns

# Import the statsmodel module.
import statsmodels.api as sm
# Import the ols function from statsmodels.
from statsmodels.formula.api import ols
```

```
data = pd.read_csv('market.csv')
data.head()
```

	Date	oil	gold	rus	sp
0	04/11/2023	81.53	2019.0	1772.44	4136.50
1	04/10/2023	79.74	2003.8	1754.46	4136.25
2	04/06/2023	80.70	2026.4	1752.13	4132.00
3	04/05/2023	80.61	2020.9	1769.65	4117.25
4	04/04/2023	80.71	2022.2	1802.31	4129.00

## Step 2: Data exploration

Start with an exploratory data analysis to familiarize yourself with the data and prepare it for modeling.

The features in the data are:

- Oil Crude oil futures on the New York Mercantile Exchange (NYMEX) are the world's most actively traded futures contract on a physical commodity (in dollars)
- Gold Gold futures on the New York Mercantile Exchange (NYMEX) are the most actively traded futures contract on a physical commodity (in dollars)
- Russell E-mini Russell futures track the Russell 2000 Index, which measures the performance of the 2,000 smallest companies in the Russell 3000 Index (in dollars)
- S&P 500 E-mini S&P 500 futures are based on the underlying SPX and closely track the U.S. benchmark(in dollars)

### Step 3: Model building

```
# Define the OLS formula.
ols_formula_mul = 'sp ~ oil + gold + rus'
# Create an OLS model.
OLS = ols(formula = ols_formula_mul, data = data)
# Fit the model.
model_mul = OLS.fit()
# Save the results summary.
model_results_mul = model_mul.summary()
# Display the model results.
model_results_mul
```

OLS Regression Results									
Dep. V	ariable:		sp	R	-squared:	0.941			
Model:		OLS		Adj. R-squared:		0.941			
Method:		Least Squares		F-statistic:		6685.			
	Date: We	d, 12 Apr	2023	Prob (F	statistic):	0.00			
	Time:	10:	41:46	Log-L	ikelihood:	-8189.3			
No. Obser	vations:		1260		AIC:	1.639e+04			
Df Re	siduals:		1256		BIC:	1.641e+04			
Di	f Model:		3						
Covariance Type:		nonr	obust						
	coef	std err		t P>	[0.02	5 0.975]			
Intercept	-1013.8087	33.302	-30.44	3 0.00	0 -1079.14	2 -948.476			
oil	6.9634	0.263	26.43	6 0.00	0 6.44	7.480			
gold	1.2509	0.021	59.13	2 0.00	0 1.20	9 1.292			
rus	1.1408	0.019	58.93	31 0.00	0 1.10	3 1.179			

## Step 4: Interpret the model results

**Point:** The R-squared on the top right of the output above measures the proportion of variation in the dependent variable (Y) explained by the independent variables (X).

Using oil, gold, russell as Xs result in a linear regression model with R2=0.941. In other words, the above variables explain 94.1% of the variation in S&P500 future.

**Point**: The p-value for all coefficients is 0.000, meaning all coefficients are statistically significant at p=0.05.

**Point:** The relationship between Xs and Y in the form of a linear equation the model coefficients are:

- $\beta$ 0=-1013.81
- *βOil*=6.96
- $\beta Gold=1.25$
- $\beta Russell=1.14$