**GOLD PRICES MONTHLY (2000-2020)**

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| **VARIABLE** | **VARIABLE NAME** | **MEASUREMENT UNIT** | **ALLOWED UNITS** | **DESCRIPTION** |
| Date of survey | Date | yyyy-mm | 2000-2020/1-12 | This column represents the specific month and year for which the gold price is recorded. |
| Rate of gold | Price | Numeric | 0-100,00,000 | This column denotes the price of gold for the corresponding month. |

**DATA COLLECTION METHODOLOGY**

1. The monthly gold price data used in this analysis has been sourced from Kaggle, a reputable platform for sharing and accessing datasets.
2. The dataset contains records of monthly gold prices over a specified period.
3. Each entry includes the date (in the format YYYY-MM) and the corresponding gold price.
4. The data is collected and acquired by Bojan Tunguz.

**WHY DOES THIS DATA SET INTRIGUE YOU?**

1. This dataset is intriguing due to the potential insights it can provide into the trends and fluctuations in gold prices over time.
2. Gold is an asset in the global financial. It's often considered a safe investment, particularly in times of economy. Analyzing its monthly price trends can provide insights into broader economic conditions.
3. Understanding the patterns in gold prices over time can be invaluable for investors.
4. With time series analysis, it's possible to develop forecasting models for future gold prices. This can be an exciting challenge, especially given the dataset's monthly periodicity.