

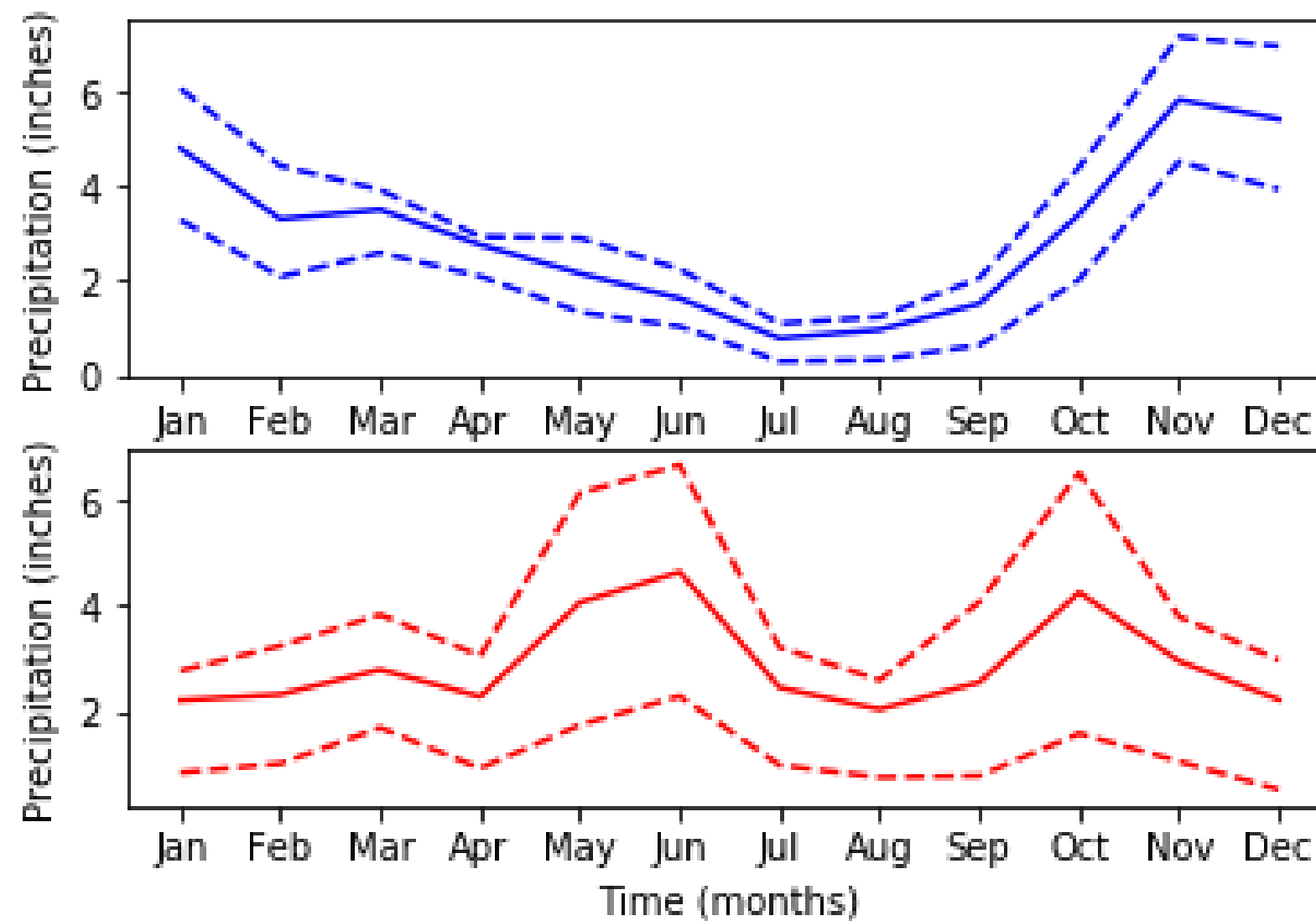


## INTRODUCTION TO MATPLOTLIB

# Plotting time-series data

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# Time-series data





# Climate change time-series

```
date,co2,relative_temp
1958-03-06,315.71,0.1
1958-04-06,317.45,0.01
1958-05-06,317.5,0.08
1958-06-06,-99.99,-0.05
1958-07-06,315.86,0.06
1958-08-06,314.93,-0.06
...
2016-08-06,402.27,0.98
2016-09-06,401.05,0.87
2016-10-06,401.59,0.89
2016-11-06,403.55,0.93
2016-12-06,404.45,0.81
```

```
import pandas as pd
climate_change = pd.read_csv('climate_change.csv', parse_dates=["date"],
                             index_col="date")
```



# DateTimeIndex

```
climate_change.index
```

```
DatetimeIndex(['1958-03-06', '1958-04-06', '1958-05-06', '1958-06-06',  
              '1958-07-06', '1958-08-06', '1958-09-06', '1958-10-06',  
              '1958-11-06', '1958-12-06',  
              ...,  
              '2016-03-06', '2016-04-06', '2016-05-06', '2016-06-06',  
              '2016-07-06', '2016-08-06', '2016-09-06', '2016-10-06',  
              '2016-11-06', '2016-12-06'],  
              dtype='datetime64[ns]', name='date', length=706, freq=None)
```



# Time-series data

```
climate_change['relative_temp']
```

```
0      0.10
1      0.01
2      0.08
3     -0.05
4      0.06
5     -0.06
6     -0.03
7      0.04
8      0.02
9      0.01
10     0.06
```

```
...
701    0.98
702    0.87
703    0.89
704    0.93
705    0.81
```

```
Name:co2, Length: 706, dtype: float64
```

```
climate_change['co2']
```

```
0      315.71
1      317.45
2      317.50
3         NaN
4      315.86
5      314.93
6      313.20
7         NaN
8      313.33
9      314.67
10     315.62
```

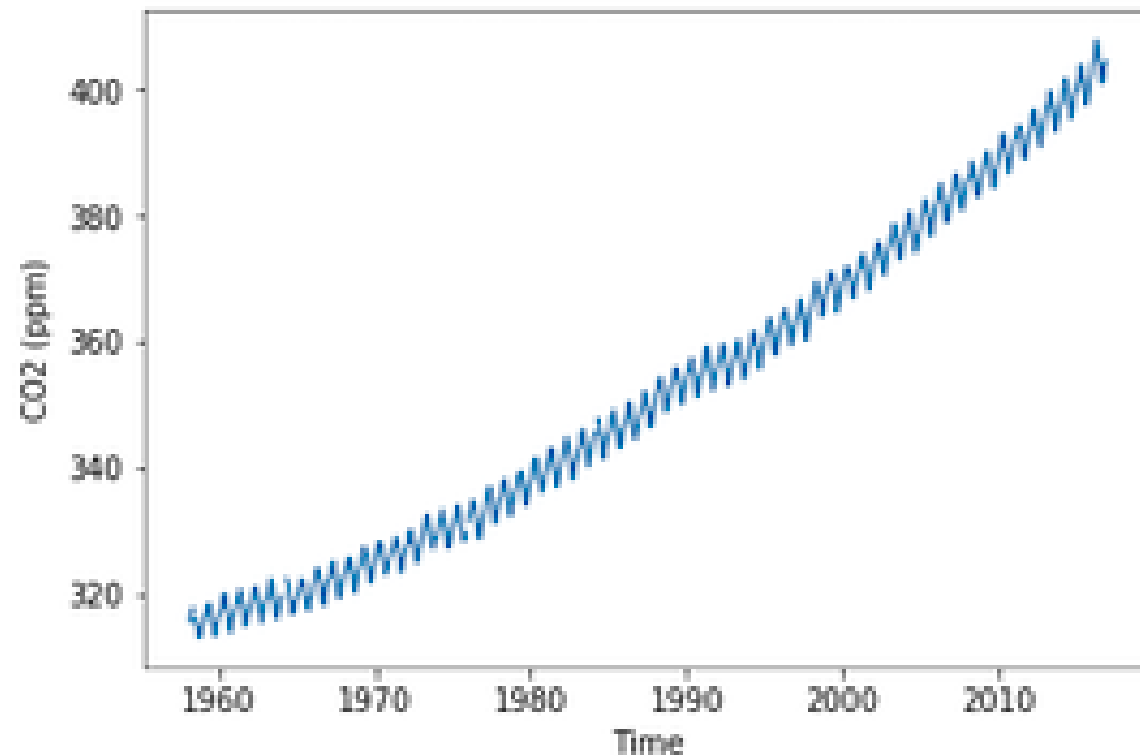
```
...
701    402.27
702    401.05
703    401.59
704    403.55
705    404.45
```

```
Name:co2, Length: 706, dtype: float64
```

# Plotting time-series data

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt  
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
```

```
ax.plot(climate_change.index, climate_change['co2'])  
ax.set_xlabel('Time')  
ax.set_ylabel('CO2 (ppm)')  
plt.show()
```

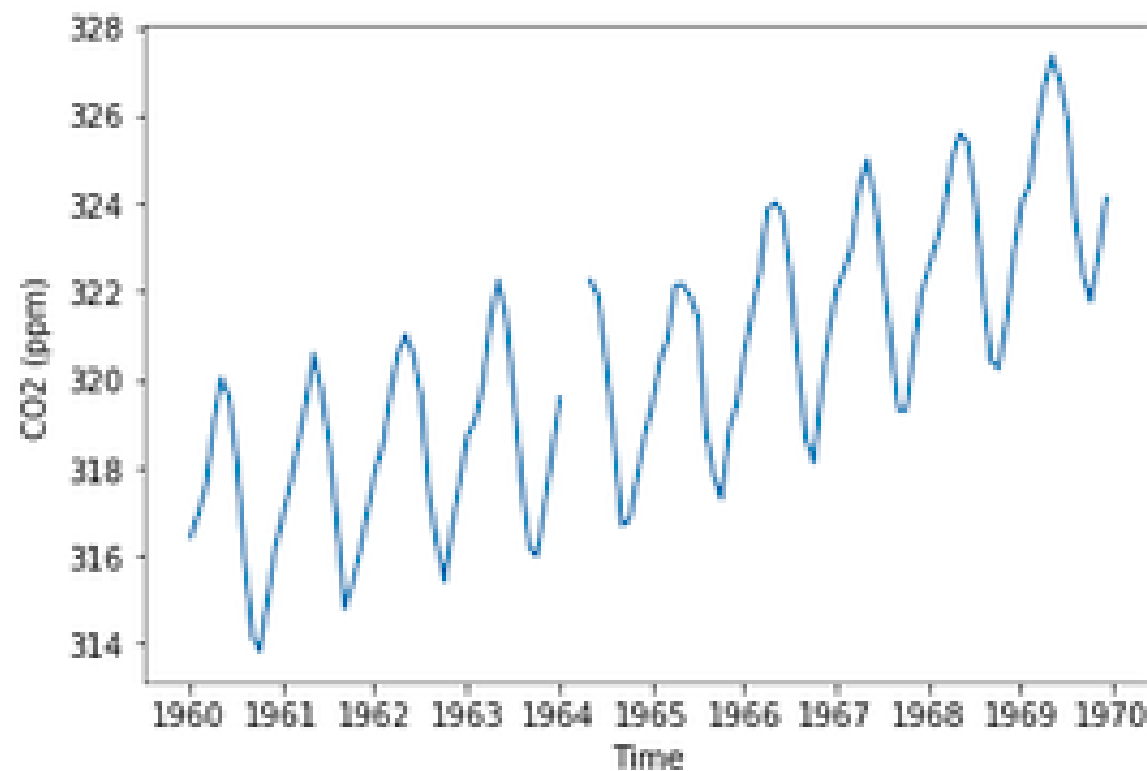




# Zooming in on a decade

```
sixties = climate_change["1960-01-01":"1969-12-31"]
```

```
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
ax.plot(sixties.index, sixties['co2'])
ax.set_xlabel('Time')
ax.set_ylabel('CO2 (ppm)')
plt.show()
```





# Zooming in on one year

```
sixty_nine = climate_change["1969-01-01":"1969-12-31"]

fig, ax = plt.subplots()
ax.plot(sixty_nine.index, sixty_nine['co2'])
ax.set_xlabel('Time')
ax.set_ylabel('CO2 (ppm)')
plt.show()
```







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**Let's practice time-series  
plotting!**



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# Plotting time-series with different variables

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# Plotting two time-series together

```
import pandas as pd
climate_change = pd.read_csv('climate_change.csv', parse_dates=["date"],
                             index_col="date")
```

climate\_change

date	co2	relative_temp
1958-03-06	315.71	0.10
1958-04-06	317.45	0.01
1958-05-06	317.50	0.08
1958-06-06	NaN	-0.05
1958-07-06	315.86	0.06
...	...	...
2016-08-06	402.27	0.98
2016-09-06	401.05	0.87
2016-10-06	401.59	0.89
2016-11-06	403.55	0.93
2016-12-06	404.45	0.81

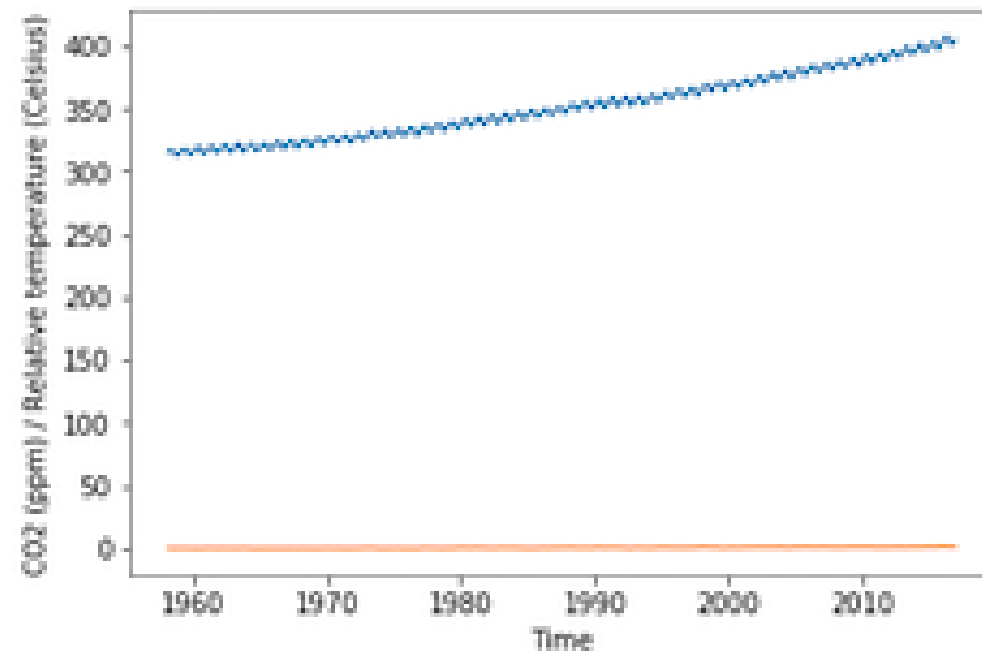
[706 rows x 2 columns]

# Plotting two time-series together

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
ax.plot(climate_change.index, climate_change["co2"])

ax.plot(climate_change.index, climate_change["relative_temp"])

ax.set_xlabel('Time')
ax.set_ylabel('CO2 (ppm) / Relative temperature')
plt.show()
```

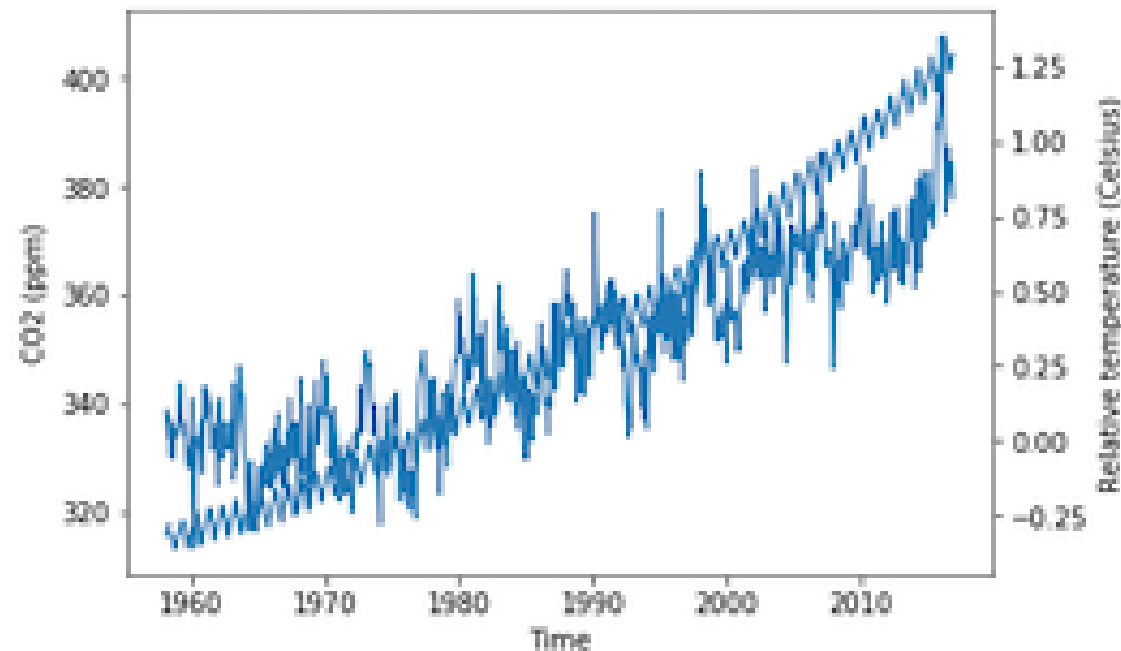


# Using twin axes

```
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
ax.plot(climate_change.index, climate_change["co2"])
ax.set_xlabel('Time')
ax.set_ylabel('CO2 (ppm)')

ax2 = ax.twinx()

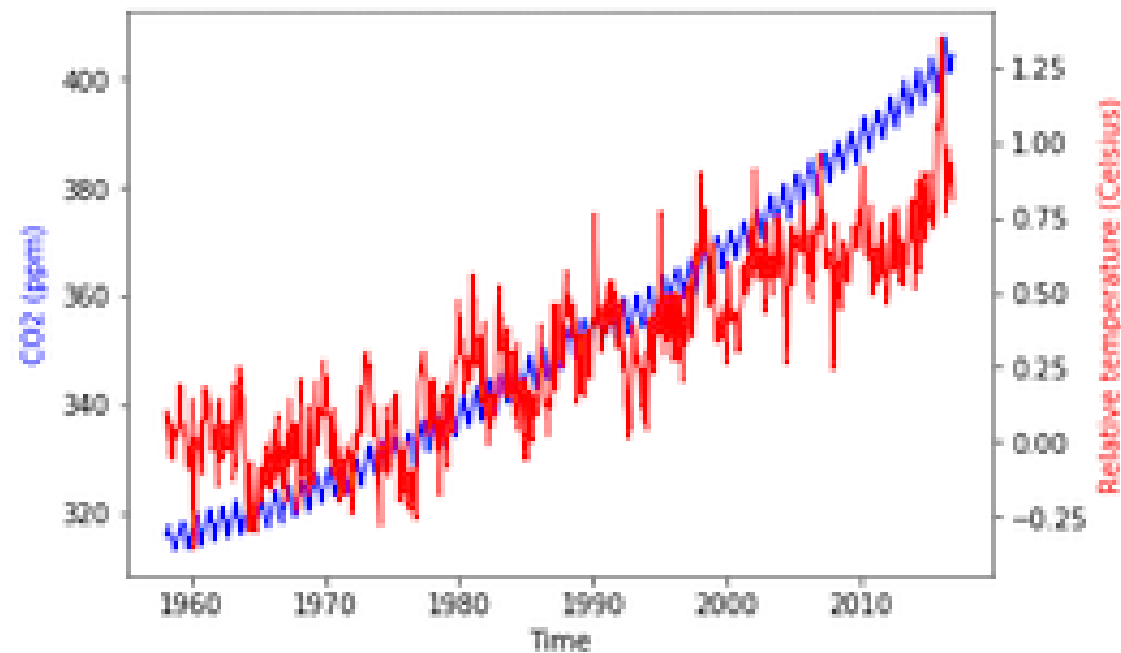
ax2.plot(climate_change.index, climate_change["relative_temp"])
ax2.set_ylabel('Relative temperature (Celsius)')
plt.show()
```



# Separating variables by color

```
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
ax.plot(climate_change.index, climate_change["co2"], color='blue')
ax.set_xlabel('Time')
ax.set_ylabel('CO2 (ppm)', color='blue')

ax2 = ax.twinx()
ax2.plot(climate_change.index, climate_change["relative_temp"], color='red')
ax2.set_ylabel('Relative temperature (Celsius)', color='red')
plt.show()
```



# Coloring the ticks

```
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
ax.plot(climate_change.index, climate_change["co2"], color='blue')
ax.set_xlabel('Time')
ax.set_ylabel('CO2 (ppm)', color='blue')

ax.tick_params('y', colors='blue')

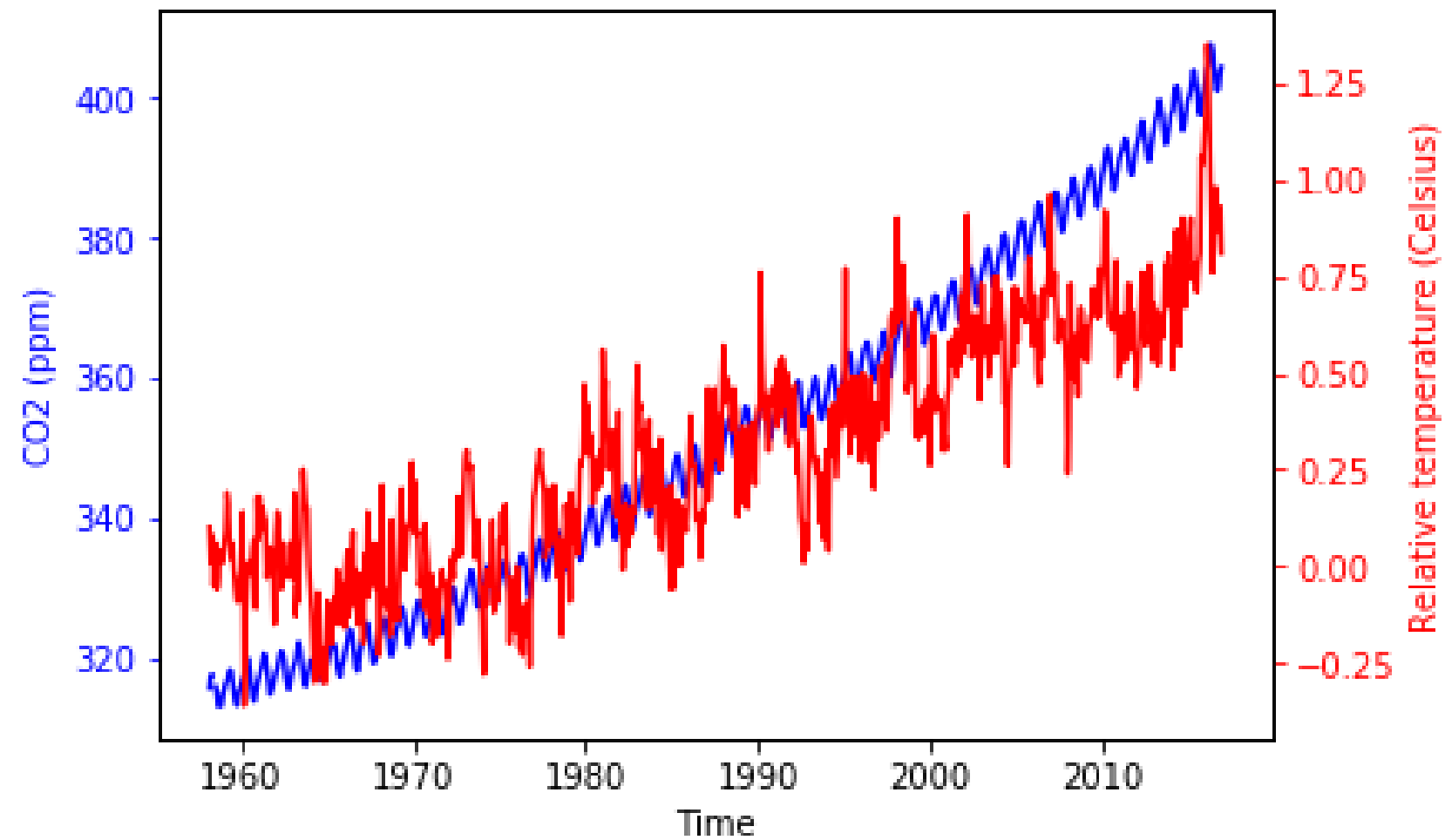
ax2 = ax.twinx()
ax2.plot(climate_change.index, climate_change["relative_temp"], color='red')
ax2.set_ylabel('Relative temperature (Celsius)', color='red')

ax2.tick_params('y', colors='red')

plt.show()
```



# Coloring the ticks







# A function that plots time-series

```
def plot_timeseries(axes, x, y, color, xlabel, ylabel):  
    axes.plot(x, y, color=color)  
    axes.set_xlabel(xlabel)  
    axes.set_ylabel(ylabel, color=color)  
    axes.tick_params('y', colors=color)
```

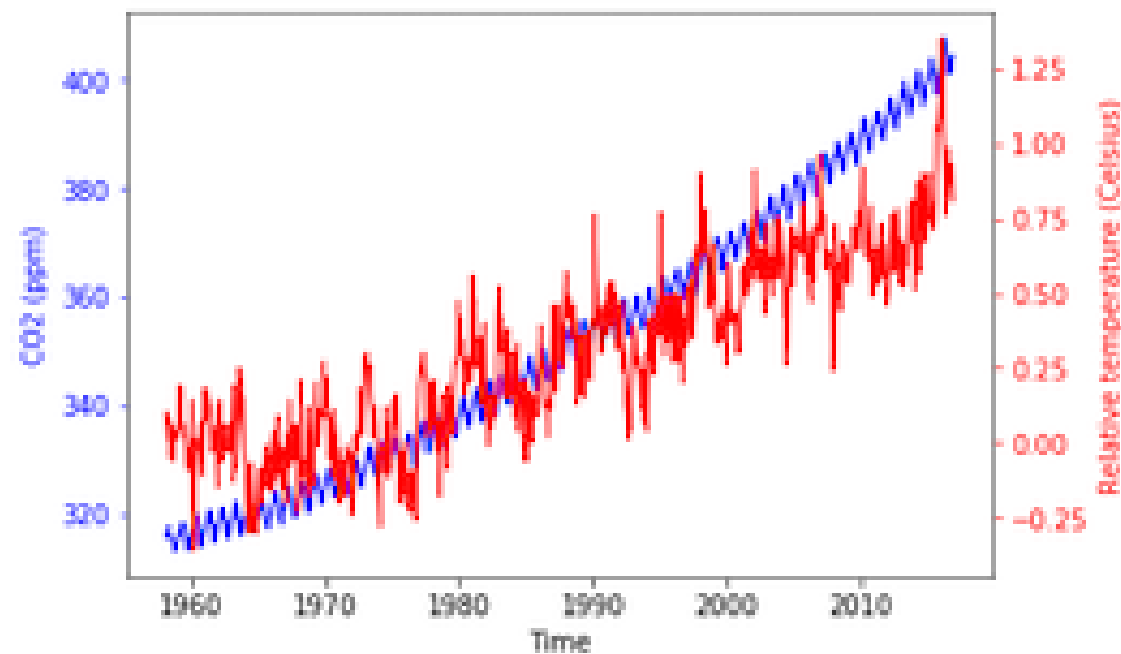


# Using our function

```
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
plot_timeseries(axes, climate_change.index, climate_change['co2'],
                'blue', 'Time', 'CO2 (ppm)')

ax2 = ax.twinx()
plot_timeseries(axes, climate_change.index, climate_change['relative_temp'],
                'red', 'Time', 'Relative temperature (Celsius)')

plt.show()
```





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**Create your own function!**



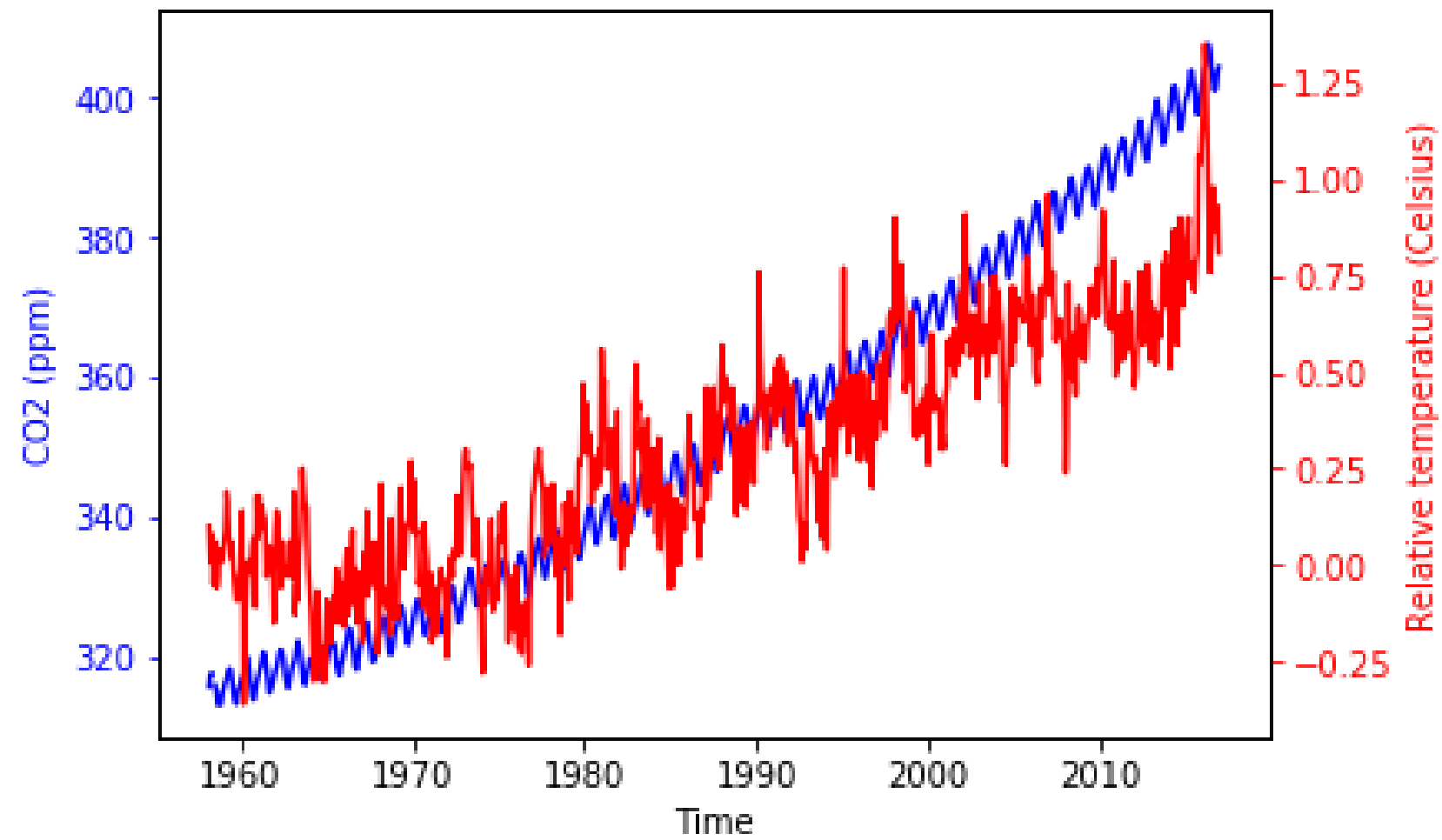
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# Annotating time-series data

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# Time-series data

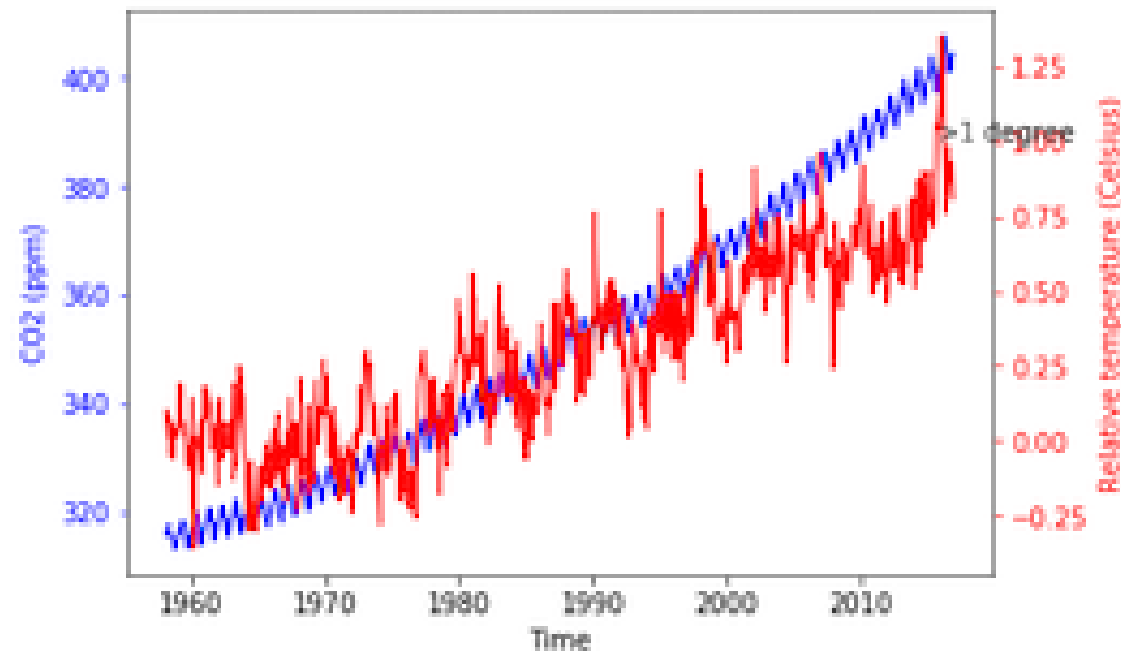


# Annotation

```
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
plot_timeseries(axes, climate_change.index, climate_change['co2'],
                'blue', 'Time', 'CO2 (ppm)')
ax2 = ax.twinx()
plot_timeseries(axes, climate_change.index, climate_change['relative_temp'],
                'red', 'Time', 'Relative temperature (Celsius)')

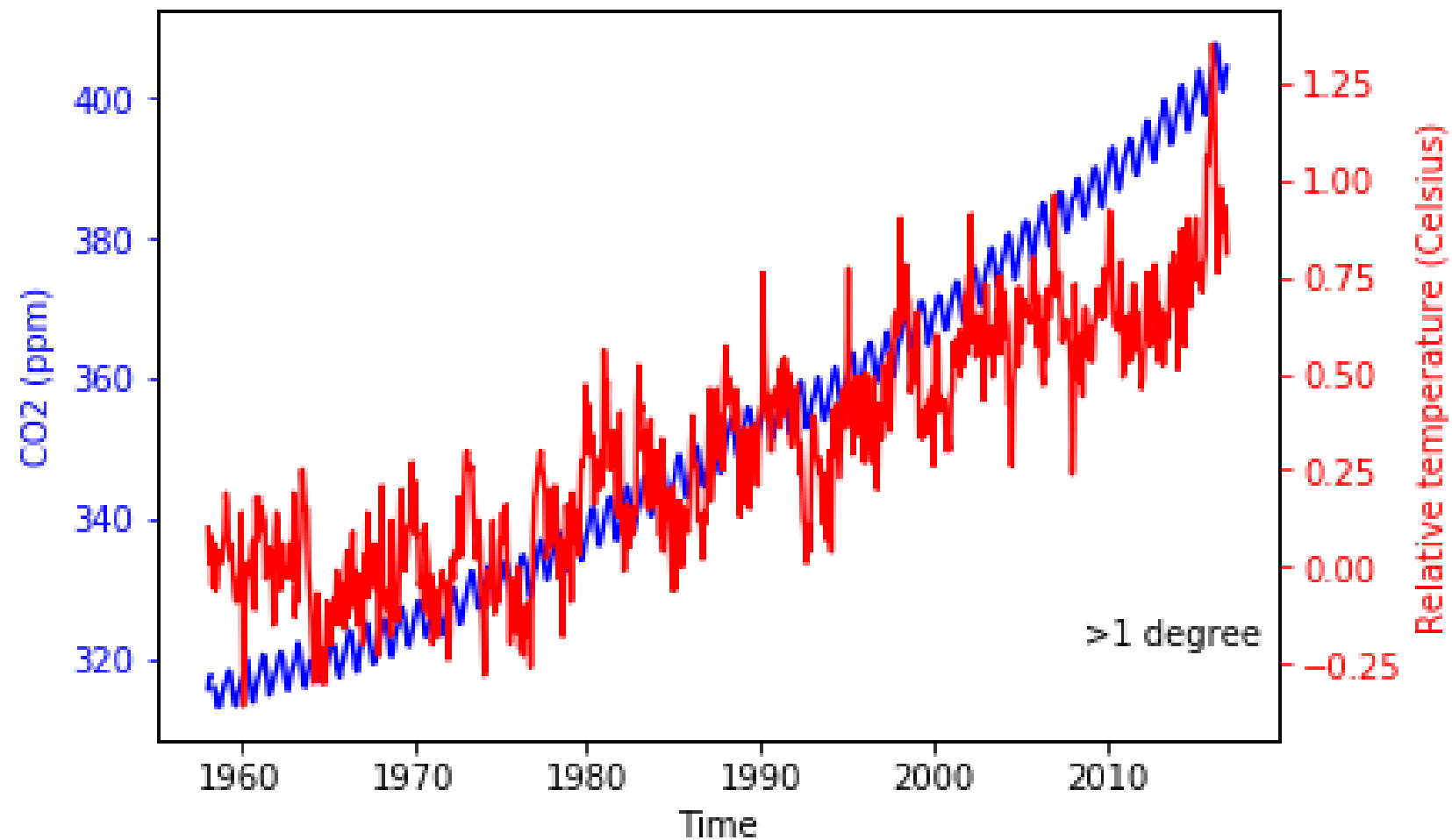
ax2.annotate(">1 degree", xy=[pd.Timestamp("2015-10-06"), 1])

plt.show()
```



# Positioning the text

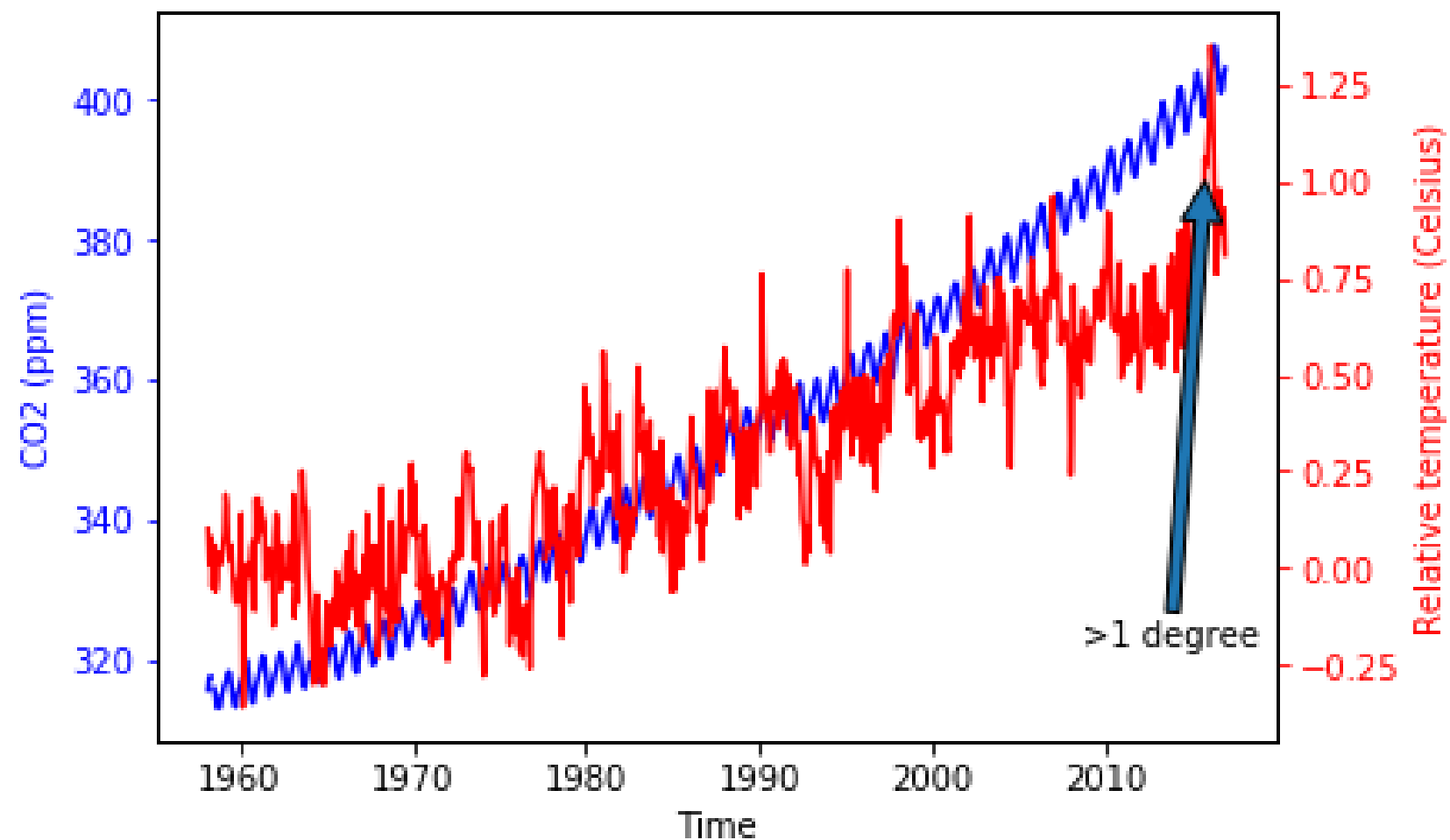
```
ax2.annotate(">1 degree",  
            xy=(pd.Timestamp('2015-10-06'), 1),  
            xytext=(pd.Timestamp('2008-10-06'), -0.2))
```





# Adding arrows to annotation

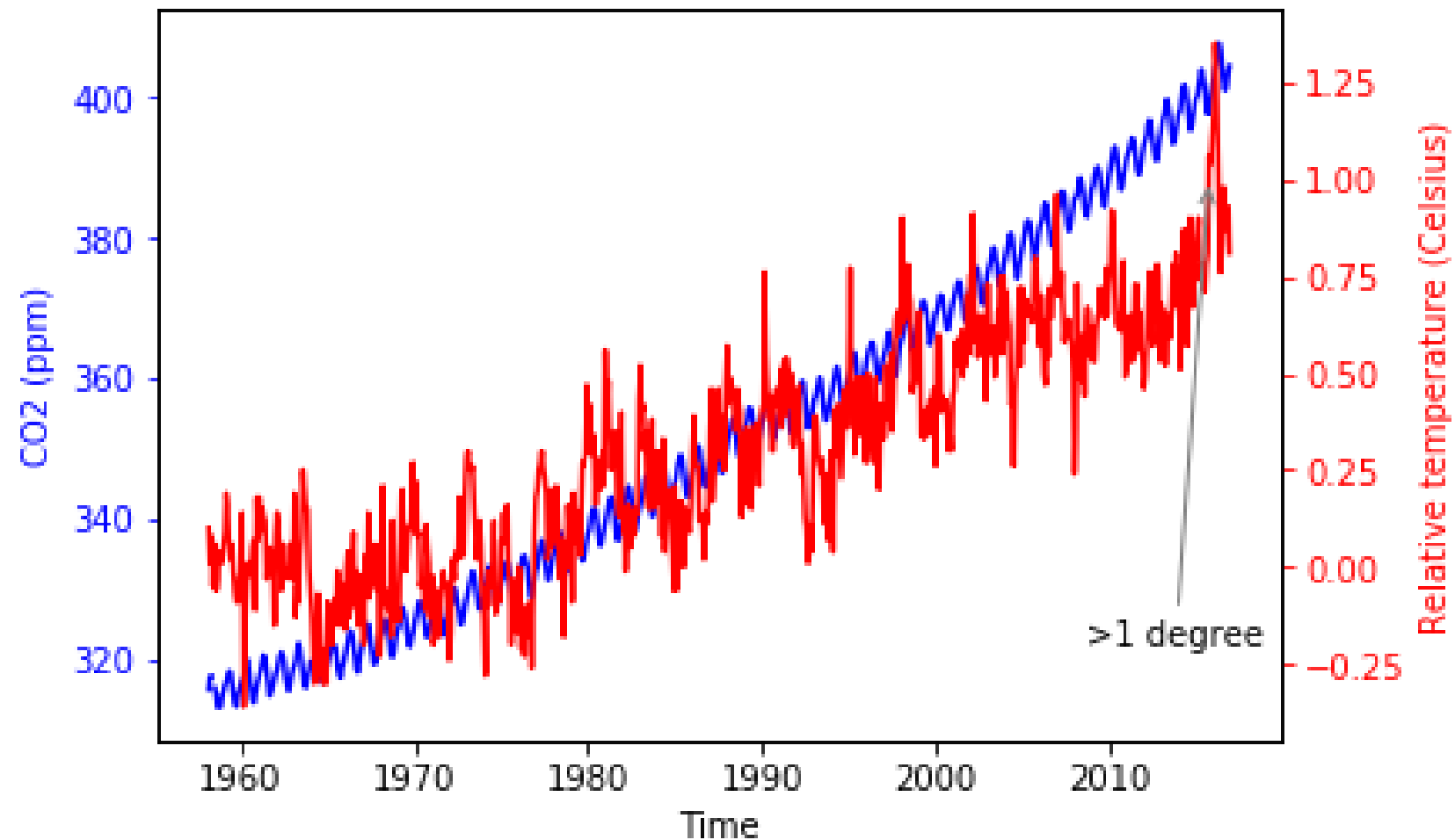
```
ax2.annotate(">1 degree",  
            xy=(pd.Timestamp('2015-10-06'), 1),  
            xytext=(pd.Timestamp('2008-10-06'), -0.2),  
            arrowprops={})
```





# Customizing arrow properties

```
ax2.annotate(">1 degree",  
            xy=(pd.Timestamp('2015-10-06'), 1),  
            xytext=(pd.Timestamp('2008-10-06'), -0.2),  
            arrowprops={"arrowstyle": "->", "color": "gray"})
```





# Customizing annotations

<https://matplotlib.org/users/annotations.html>



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**Practice annotating plots!**