Hands-on Activity 9.1 Data Visualization using Pandas and Matplotlib

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Instructions:

 Create a Python notebook to answer all shown procedures, exercises and analysis in this section.

Resources:

 Download the following datasets: earthquakes-1.csv Download earthquakes-1.csv, fb_stock_prices_2018.csv

Procedures:

9.1 Introduction to Matplotlib

Getting Started with Matplotlib We need matplotlib.pyplot for plotting.

```
In [292...
```

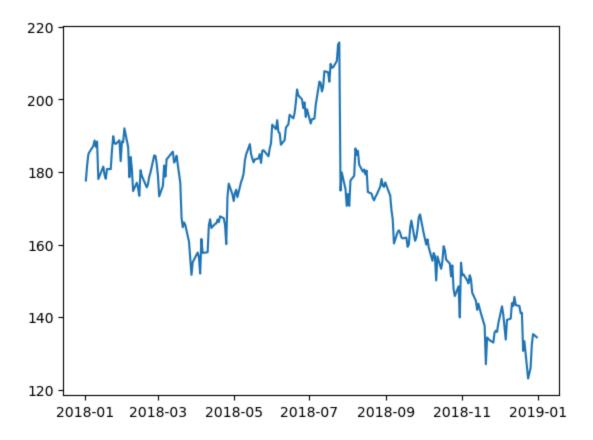
```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import pandas as pd
```

About the Data

In this notebook, we will be working with 2 datasets:

- Facebook's stock price throughout 2018 (obtained using the stock_analysis package)
- Earthquake data from September 18, 2018 October 13, 2018 (obtained from the US Geological Survey (USGS) using the USGS API)

```
In [19]: #Plotting Lines
fb = pd.read_csv(
   'fb_stock_prices_2018.csv', index_col='date', parse_dates=True
)
plt.plot(fb.index, fb.open)
plt.show()
```

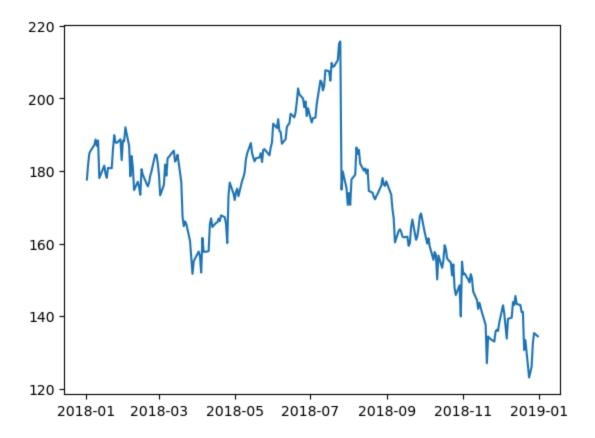


Since we are working in a Jupyter notebook, we can use the magic command %matplotlib inline once and not have to call plt.show() for each plot

```
In [22]: %matplotlib inline
   import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
   import pandas as pd

fb = pd.read_csv(
     "fb_stock_prices_2018.csv", index_col='date', parse_dates=True
)
   plt.plot(fb.index, fb.open)
```

Out[22]: [<matplotlib.lines.Line2D at 0x1c93ef62e40>]

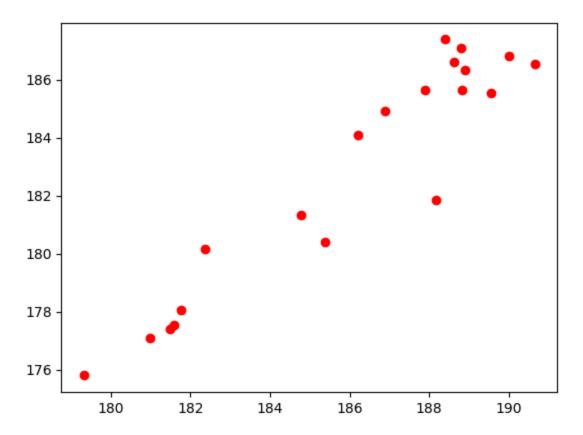


Scatter plots

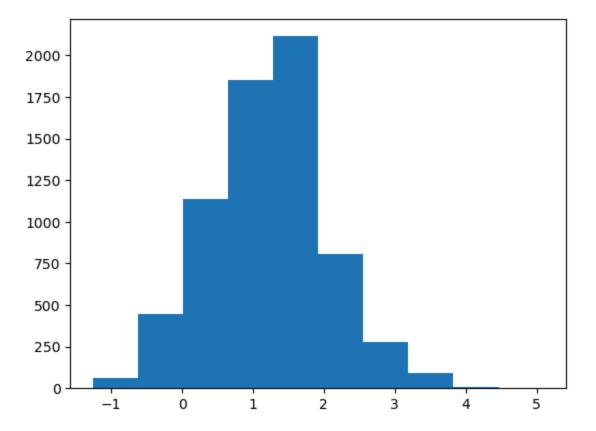
We can pass in a string specifying the style of the plot. This is of the form '[color][marker] [linestyle]'. For example, we can make a black dashed line with 'k--' or a red scatter plot with 'ro':

```
In [25]: plt.plot('high', 'low', 'ro', data=fb.head(20))
```

Out[25]: [<matplotlib.lines.Line2D at 0x1c93f0889b0>]



Histograms



Bin size matters

Notice how our assumptions of the distribution of the data can change based on the number of bins (look at the drop between the two highest peaks on the righthand plot):

```
In [286...
           x = quakes.query('magType == "ml"').mag
           fig, axes = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(10, 3))
           for ax, bins in zip(axes, [7, 35]):
               ax.hist(x, bins=bins)
               ax.set_title(f'bins param: {bins}')
                           bins param: 7
                                                                         bins param: 35
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          500
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```

Plot components

Figure

Top-level object that holds the other plot components

```
In [35]: fig = plt.figure()

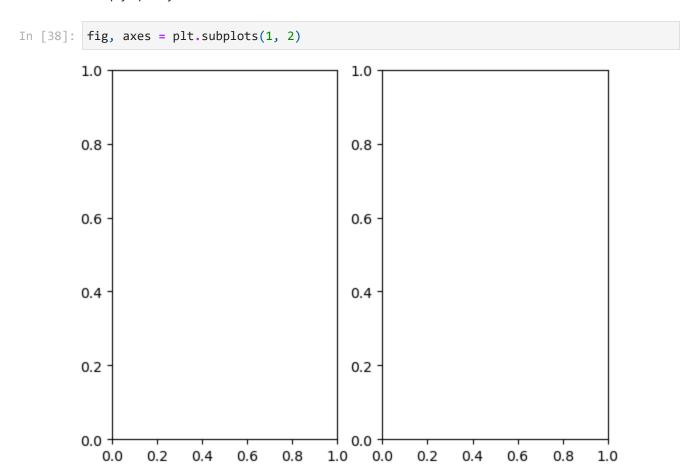
<Figure size 640x480 with 0 Axes>
```

Axes

Individual plots contained within the Figure

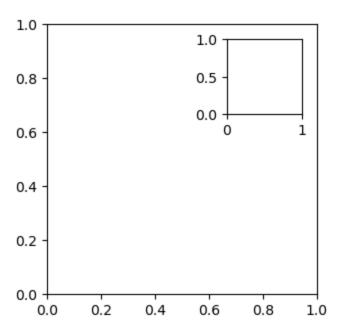
Creating subplots

Simply specify the number of rows and columns to create:



As an alternative to using plt.subplots() we can add the Axes to the Figure on our own. This allows for some more complex layouts, such as picture in picture:

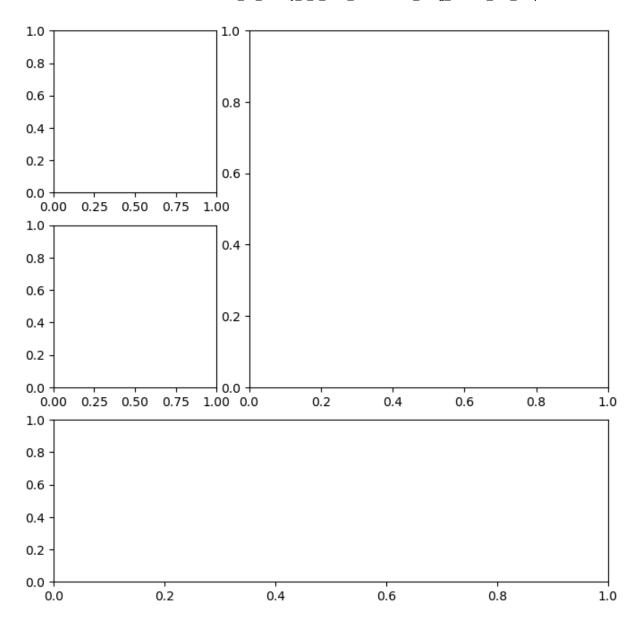
```
In [41]: fig = plt.figure(figsize=(3, 3))
  outside = fig.add_axes([0.1, 0.1, 0.9, 0.9])
  inside = fig.add_axes([0.7, 0.7, 0.25, 0.25])
```



Creating Plot Layouts with gridspec

We can create subplots with varying sizes as well:

```
In [44]: fig = plt.figure(figsize=(8, 8))
    gs = fig.add_gridspec(3, 3)
    top_left = fig.add_subplot(gs[0, 0])
    mid_left = fig.add_subplot(gs[1, 0])
    top_right = fig.add_subplot(gs[:2, 1:])
    bottom = fig.add_subplot(gs[2,:])
```



Saving plots

Use plt.savefig() to save the last created plot. To save a specific Figure object, use its savefig() method.

In [47]: fig.savefig('empty.png')

Cleaning up

It's important to close resources when we are done with them. We use plt.close() to do so. If we pass in nothing, it will close the last plot, but we can pass the specific Figure to close or say 'all' to close all Figure objects that are open. Let's close all the Figure objects that are open with plt.close():

```
In [50]: plt.close('all')
```

Additional plotting options

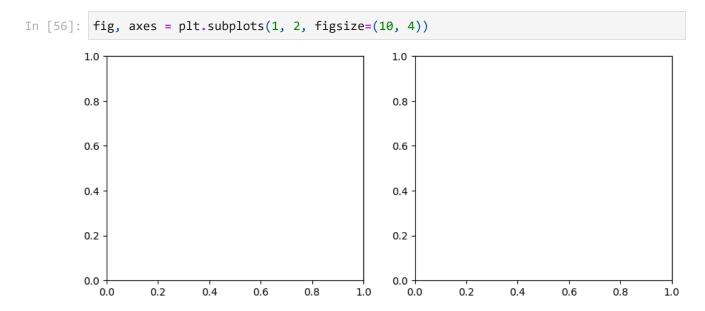
Specifying figure size

Just pass the figsize parameter to plt.figure(). It's a tuple of (width, height):

```
In [53]: fig = plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))
```

<Figure size 1000x400 with 0 Axes>

This can be specified when creating subplots as well:



rcParamsIn

A small subset of all the available plot settings (shuffling to get a good variation of options):

```
import random
import matplotlib as mpl
rcparams_list = list(mpl.rcParams.keys())
random.seed(20) # make this repeatable
random.shuffle(rcparams_list)
sorted(rcparams_list[:20])
```

```
Out[59]: ['axes.edgecolor',
           'axes.formatter.use_locale',
           'boxplot.flierprops.markeredgewidth',
            'boxplot.showfliers',
            'contour.negative_linestyle',
            'date.autoformatter.month',
            'date.epoch',
           'figure.autolayout',
           'image.resample',
            'keymap.grid_minor',
            'legend.facecolor',
            'legend.labelcolor',
            'patch.facecolor',
           'text.parse_math',
            'webagg.open_in_browser',
            'xaxis.labellocation',
            'xtick.alignment',
            'xtick.labelcolor',
            'yaxis.labellocation',
            'ytick.minor.pad']
          We can check the current default figsize using rcParams:
In [62]: mpl.rcParams['figure.figsize']
Out[62]: [6.4, 4.8]
          We can also update this value to change the default (until the kernel is restarted):
In [65]: mpl.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = (300, 10)
          mpl.rcParams['figure.figsize']
Out[65]: [300.0, 10.0]
          Use rcdefaults() to restore the defaults:
In [68]: mpl.rcdefaults()
          mpl.rcParams['figure.figsize']
Out[68]: [6.4, 4.8]
          This can also be done via pyplot:
In [71]: plt.rc('figure', figsize=(20, 20)) # change figsize default to (20, 20)
```

9.2 Plotting with Pandas

plt.rcdefaults() # reset the default

Plotting with Pandas

The plot() method is available on Series and DataFrame objects. Many of the parameters get passed down to matplotlib. The kind argument let's us vary the plot type

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Setup

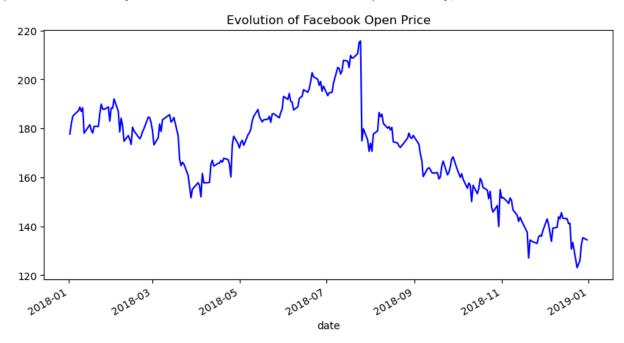
```
In [76]: %matplotlib inline
   import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
   import numpy as np
   import pandas as pd
   fb = pd.read_csv(
        'fb_stock_prices_2018.csv', index_col='date', parse_dates=True
   )
   quakes = pd.read_csv('earthquakes-1.csv')
```

Evolution over time

Line plots help us see how a variable changes over time. They are the default for the kind argument, but we can pass kind='line' to be explicit in our intent:

```
In [80]: fb.plot(
    kind='line',
    y='open',
    figsize=(10, 5),
    style='b-',
    legend=False,
    title='Evolution of Facebook Open Price'
    )
```

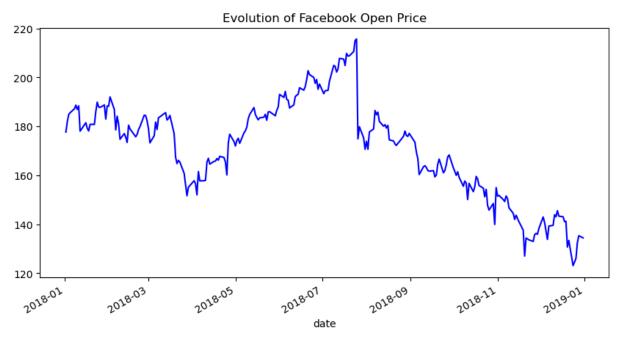
Out[80]: <Axes: title={'center': 'Evolution of Facebook Open Price'}, xlabel='date'>



We provided the style argument in the previous example; however, we can use the color and linestyle arguments to get the same result:

```
In [83]: fb.plot(
    kind='line',
    y='open',
    figsize=(10, 5),
    color='blue',
    linestyle='solid',
    legend=False,
    title='Evolution of Facebook Open Price'
)
```

Out[83]: <Axes: title={'center': 'Evolution of Facebook Open Price'}, xlabel='date'>

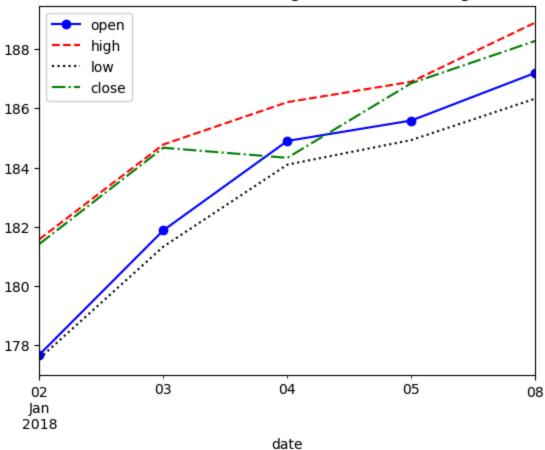


We can also plot many lines at once by simply passing a list of the columns to plot:

```
In [86]: fb.iloc[:5,].plot(
    y=['open', 'high', 'low', 'close'],
    style=['b-o', 'r--', 'k:', 'g-.'],
    title='Facebook OHLC Prices during 1st Week of Trading 2018'
)
```

Out[86]: <Axes: title={'center': 'Facebook OHLC Prices during 1st Week of Trading 2018'}, x
label='date'>

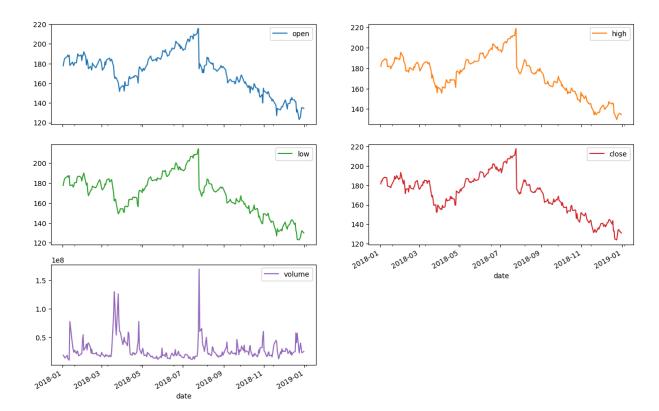
Facebook OHLC Prices during 1st Week of Trading 2018



Creating subplots

When plotting with pandas, creating subplots is simply a matter of passing subplots=True to the plot() method, and (optionally) specifying the layout in a tuple of (rows, columns):

Facebook Stock 2018



Visualizing relationships between variables

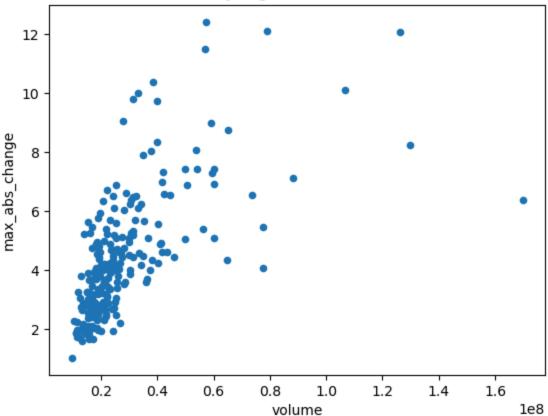
Scatter plots

We make scatter plots to help visualize the relationship between two variables. Creating scatter plots requires we pass in kind='scatter' along with a column for the x- axis and a column for the y-axis:

```
In [92]: fb.assign(
    max_abs_change=fb.high - fb.low
    ).plot(
    kind='scatter', x='volume', y='max_abs_change',
    title='Facebook Daily High - Low vs. Volume Traded'
    )

Out[92]: <Axes: title={'center': 'Facebook Daily High - Low vs. Volume Traded'}, xlabel='volume', ylabel='max_abs_change'>
```

Facebook Daily High - Low vs. Volume Traded

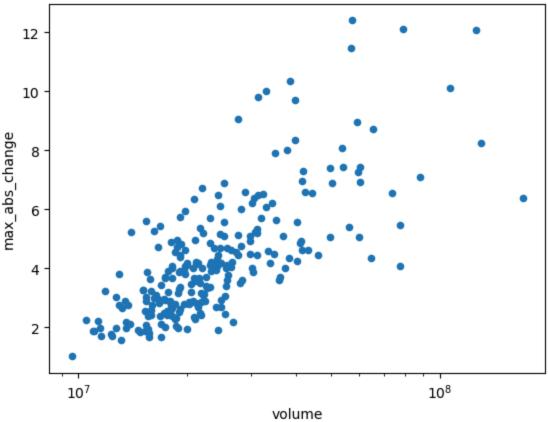


The relationship doesn't seem to be linear, but we can try a log transform on the x-axis since the scales of the axes are very different. With pandas, we simply pass in logx=True:

```
In [95]: fb.assign(
    max_abs_change=fb.high - fb.low
    ).plot(
    kind='scatter', x='volume', y='max_abs_change',
    title='Facebook Daily High - Low vs. log(Volume Traded)',
    logx=True
    )
```

Out[95]: <Axes: title={'center': 'Facebook Daily High - Low vs. log(Volume Traded)'}, xlabe
l='volume', ylabel='max_abs_change'>

Facebook Daily High - Low vs. log(Volume Traded)



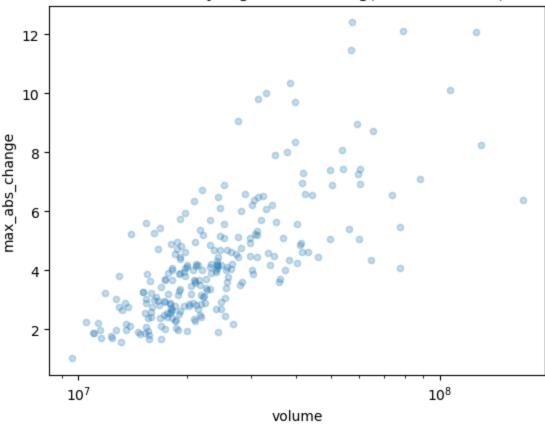
With matplotlib, we could use plt.xscale('log') to do the same thing

Adding Transparency to Plots with alpha

Sometimes our plots have many overlapping values, but this can be impossible to see. This can be addressed by increasing the transparency of what we are plotting using the alpha parameter. It is a float on [0, 1] where 0 is completely transparent and 1 is completely opaque. By default this is 1, so let's put in a lower value and re-plot the scatter plot:

```
In [99]: fb.assign(
    max_abs_change=fb.high - fb.low
    ).plot(
    kind='scatter', x='volume', y='max_abs_change',
    title='Facebook Daily High - Low vs. log(Volume Traded)',
    logx=True, alpha=0.25
    )
```

Facebook Daily High - Low vs. log(Volume Traded)

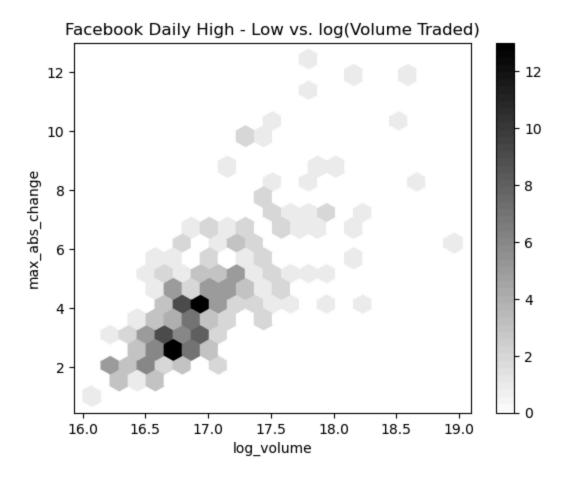


Hexbins

In the previous example, we can start to see the overlaps, but it is still difficult. Hexbins are another plot type that divide up the plot into hexagons, which are shaded according to the density of points there. With pandas, this is the hexbin value for the kind argument. It can also be important to tweak the gridsize, which determines the number of hexagons along the y-axis:

```
In [102... fb.assign(
    log_volume=np.log(fb.volume),
    max_abs_change=fb.high - fb.low
    ).plot(
    kind='hexbin',
    x='log_volume',
    y='max_abs_change',
    title='Facebook Daily High - Low vs. log(Volume Traded)',
    colormap='gray_r',
    gridsize=20,
    sharex=False # we have to pass this to see the x-axis due to a bug in this version
    )
```

Out[102... <Axes: title={'center': 'Facebook Daily High - Low vs. log(Volume Traded)'}, xlabe l='log_volume', ylabel='max_abs_change'>



Visualizing Correlations with Heatmaps

Pandas doesn't offer heatmaps; however, if we are able to get our data into a matrix, we can use matshow() from matplotlib:

```
In [105... fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(20, 10))

fb_corr = fb.assign(
    log_volume=np.log(fb.volume),
    max_abs_change=fb.high - fb.low
).corr()

im = ax.matshow(fb_corr, cmap='seismic')
fig.colorbar(im).set_clim(-1, 1)
labels = [col.lower() for col in fb_corr.columns]
ax.set_xticklabels([''] + labels, rotation=45)
ax.set_yticklabels([''] + labels)
```

```
AttributeError
                                                     Traceback (most recent call last)
         Cell In[105], line 9
               3 fb_corr = fb.assign(
                   log_volume=np.log(fb.volume),
                    max_abs_change=fb.high - fb.low
               6 ).corr()
               8 im = ax.matshow(fb_corr, cmap='seismic')
         ----> 9 fig.colorbar(im).set_clim(-1, 1)
              10 labels = [col.lower() for col in fb_corr.columns]
              11 ax.set_xticklabels([''] + labels, rotation=45)
         AttributeError: 'Colorbar' object has no attribute 'set_clim'
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In [108...
           # Updated
           fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(20, 10))
           fb_corr = fb.assign(
               log_volume=np.log(fb.volume),
               max_abs_change=fb.high - fb.low
           ).corr()
           im = ax.matshow(fb_corr, cmap='seismic')
           im.set_clim(-1, 1)
           fig.colorbar(im)
```

```
labels = [col.lower() for col in fb_corr.columns]
           tick_positions = list(range(len(labels)))
           ax.set_xticks(tick_positions)
           ax.set_yticks(tick_positions)
           ax.set_xticklabels(labels, rotation=45)
           ax.set_yticklabels(labels)
Out[108...
           [Text(0, 0, 'open'),
            Text(0, 1, 'high'),
             Text(0, 2, 'low'),
             Text(0, 3, 'close'),
             Text(0, 4, 'volume'),
            Text(0, 5, 'log_volume'),
             Text(0, 6, 'max_abs_change')]
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                  low
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                 close
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                volume
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             log_volume
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          max_abs_change
In [111...
           fb_corr.loc['max_abs_change', ['volume', 'log_volume']]
Out[111...
           volume
                           0.642027
                           0.731542
            log_volume
           Name: max_abs_change, dtype: float64
```

Visualizing distributions

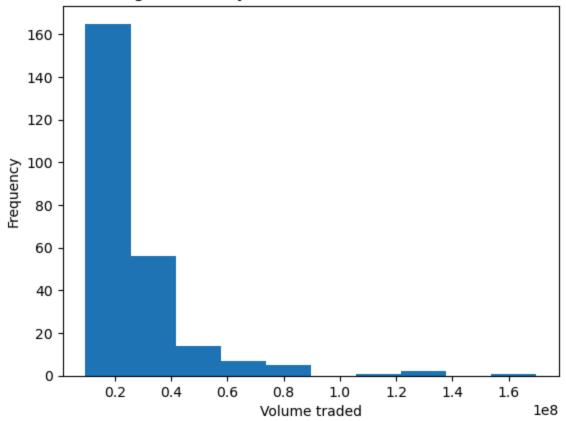
Histograms

With the pandas plot() method, making histograms is as easy as passing in kind='hist':

```
In [114... fb.volume.plot(
    kind='hist',
    title='Histogram of Daily Volume Traded in Facebook Stock'
    )
    plt.xlabel('Volume traded') # Label the x-axis (discussed in chapter 6)
```

Out[114... Text(0.5, 0, 'Volume traded')

Histogram of Daily Volume Traded in Facebook Stock

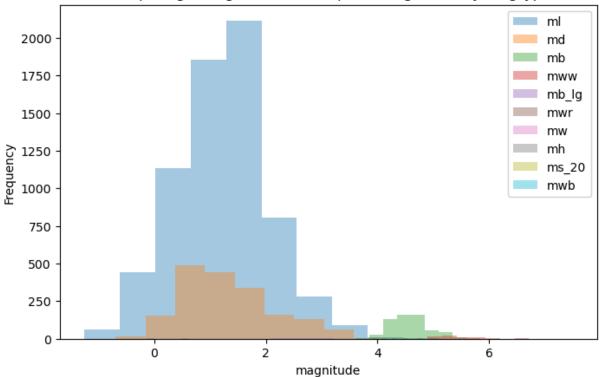


We can overlap histograms to compare distributions provided we use the alpha parameter. For example, let's compare the usage and magnitude of the various magTypes in the data:

```
plt.xlabel('magnitude') # Label the x-axis (discussed in chapter 6)
```

Text(0.5, 0, 'magnitude') Out[125...





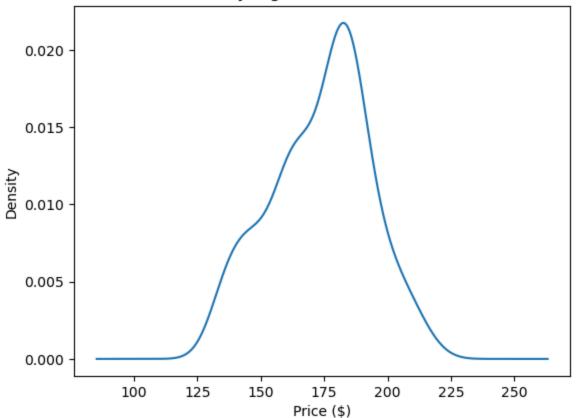
Kernel Density Estimation (KDE)

We can pass kind='kde' for a probability density function (PDF), which tells us the probability of getting a particular value:

```
fb.high.plot(
In [128...
          kind='kde',
          title='KDE of Daily High Price for Facebook Stock'
          plt.xlabel('Price ($)')
```

Out[128... Text(0.5, 0, 'Price (\$)')





Adding to the result of plot()

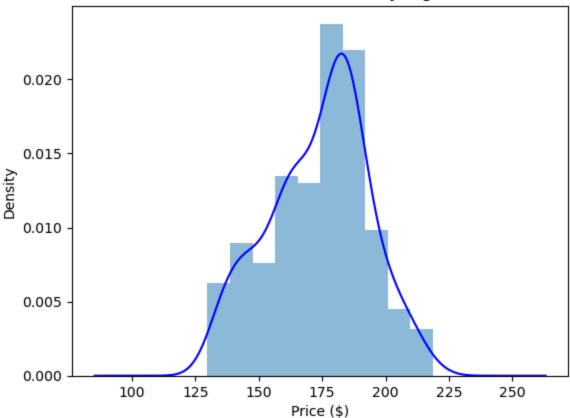
The plot() method returns a matplotlib Axes object. We can store this for additional customization of the plot, or we can pass this into another call to plot() as the ax argument to add to the original plot.

It can often be helpful to view the KDE superimposed on top of the histogram, which can be achieved with this strategy:

```
In [132... ax = fb.high.plot(kind='hist', density=True, alpha=0.5)
fb.high.plot(
    ax=ax, kind='kde', color='blue',
    title='Distribution of Facebook Stock\'s Daily High Price in 2018'
)
plt.xlabel('Price ($)') # label the x-axis (discussed in chapter 6)
```

Out[132... Text(0.5, 0, 'Price (\$)')





Plotting the ECDF

In some cases, we are more interested in the probability of getting less than or equal to that value (or greater than or equal), which we can see with the cumulative disribution function (CDF). Using the statsmodels package, we can estimate the CDF giving us the empirical cumulative distribution function (ECDF):

```
In [135... from statsmodels.distributions.empirical_distribution import ECDF

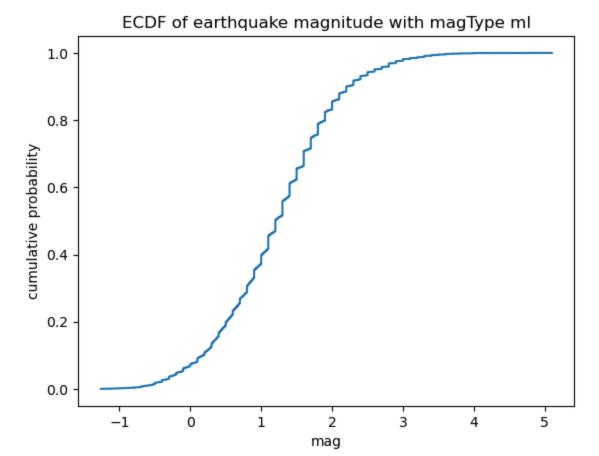
ecdf = ECDF(quakes.query('magType == "ml"').mag)
plt.plot(ecdf.x, ecdf.y)

# axis labels (we will cover this in chapter 6)
plt.xlabel('mag') # add x-axis label

plt.ylabel('cumulative probability') # add y-axis label

# add title (we will cover this in chapter 6)
plt.title('ECDF of earthquake magnitude with magType ml')
```

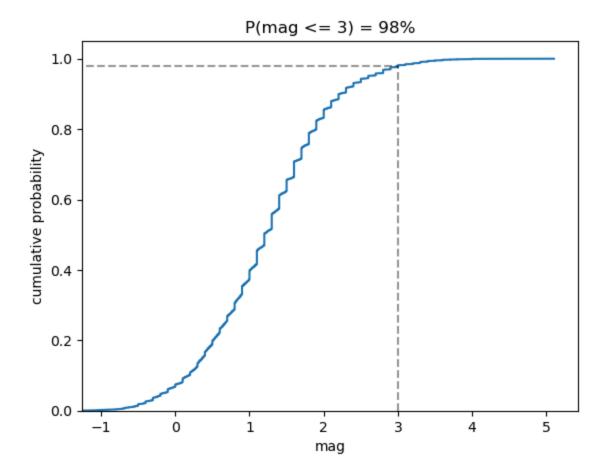
Out[135... Text(0.5, 1.0, 'ECDF of earthquake magnitude with magType ml')



This ECDF tells us the probability of getting an earthquake with magnitude of 3 or less using the ml scale is 98%:

```
In [138...
          from statsmodels.distributions.empirical_distribution import ECDF
          ecdf = ECDF(quakes.query('magType == "ml"').mag)
           plt.plot(ecdf.x, ecdf.y)
          # formatting below will all be covered in chapter 6
           # axis labels
           plt.xlabel('mag') # add x-axis Label
           plt.ylabel('cumulative probability') # add y-axis label
          # add reference lines for interpreting the ECDF for mag <= 3
           plt.plot(
              [3, 3], [0, .98], 'k--',
               [-1.5, 3], [0.98, 0.98], 'k--', alpha=0.4
          # set axis ranges
           plt.ylim(0, None)
           plt.xlim(-1.25, None)
           # add a title
           plt.title('P(mag <= 3) = 98%')</pre>
```

Out[138... Text(0.5, 1.0, 'P(mag \leq 3) = 98%')

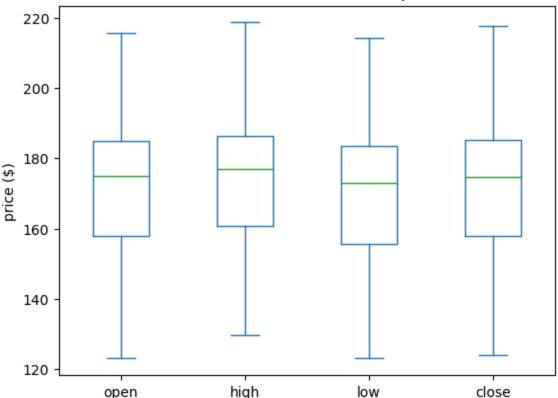


Box plots

To make box plots with pandas, we pass kind='box' to the plot() method:

```
In [141... fb.iloc[:,:4].plot(kind='box', title='Facebook OHLC Prices Boxplot')
plt.ylabel('price ($)') # label the x-axis (discussed in chapter 6)
Out[141... Text(0, 0.5, 'price ($)')
```





This can also be combined with a groupby():

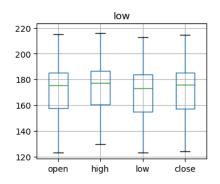
```
In [146...
fb.assign(
    volume_bin=pd.cut(fb.volume, 3, labels=['low', 'med', 'high'])
).groupby('volume_bin').boxplot(
    column=['open', 'high', 'low', 'close'],
    layout=(1, 3), figsize=(12, 3)
)
plt.suptitle('Facebook OHLC Boxplots by Volume Traded', y=1.1)
```

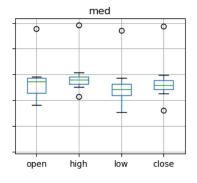
C:\Users\micki\AppData\Local\Temp\ipykernel_23048\2255955200.py:3: FutureWarning: The default of observed=False is deprecated and will be changed to True in a future version of pandas. Pass observed=False to retain current behavior or observed=True to adopt the future default and silence this warning.

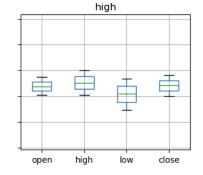
).groupby('volume_bin').boxplot(

Out[146... Text(0.5, 1.1, 'Facebook OHLC Boxplots by Volume Traded')

Facebook OHLC Boxplots by Volume Traded

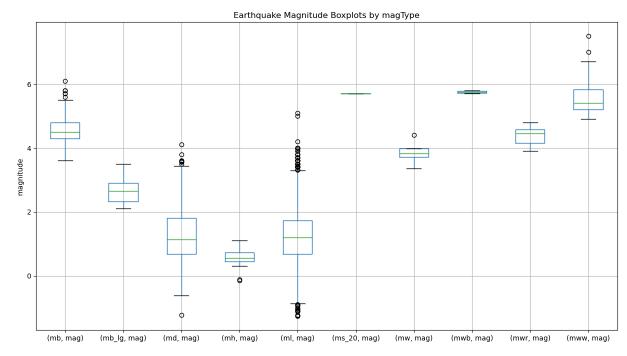






We can use this to see the distribution of magnitudes across the different measurement methods for earthquakes:

Out[150... Text(0, 0.5, 'magnitude')

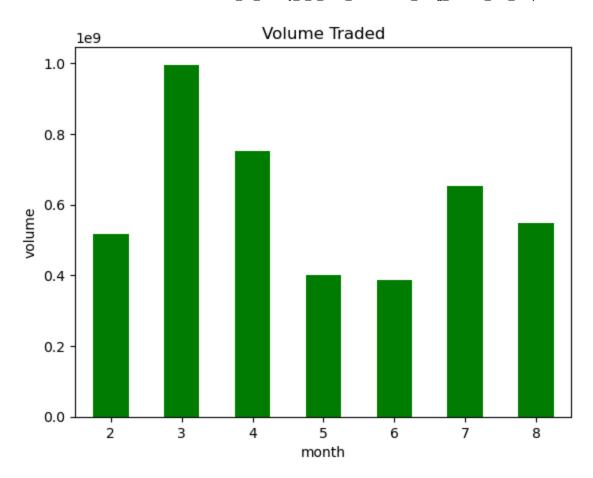


Counts and frequencies

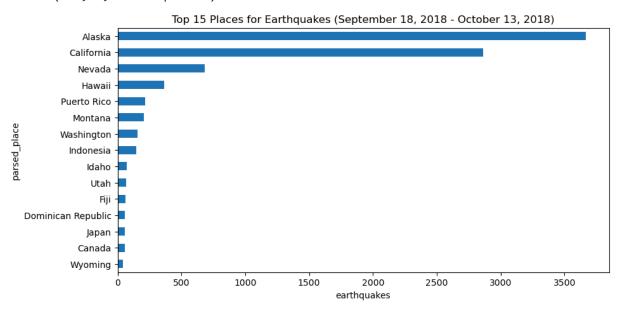
Bar charts

With pandas, we have the option of using the kind argument or using plot.<kind>() . Let's use plot.bar() here to show the evolution of monthly volume traded in Facebook stock over time:

Out[153... Text(0, 0.5, 'volume')

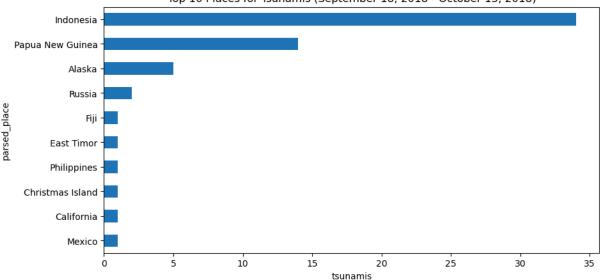


Out[156... Text(0.5, 0, 'earthquakes')



Out[159... Text(0.5, 0, 'tsunamis')





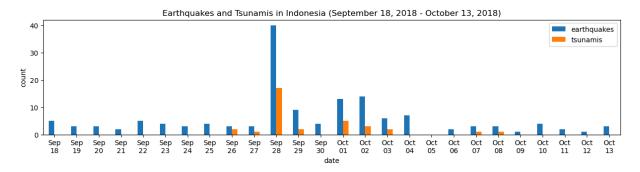
```
In [162...
    indonesia_quakes = quakes.query('parsed_place == "Indonesia"').assign(
        time=lambda x: pd.to_datetime(x.time, unit='ms'),
        earthquake=1
).set_index('time').resample('1D').sum()

indonesia_quakes.index = indonesia_quakes.index.strftime('%b\n%d')

indonesia_quakes.plot(
    y=['earthquake', 'tsunami'], kind='bar', figsize=(15, 3), rot=0,
    label=['earthquakes', 'tsunamis'],
    title='Earthquakes and Tsunamis in Indonesia '\
        '(September 18, 2018 - October 13, 2018)'
)

# Label the axes (discussed in chapter 6)
plt.xlabel('date')
plt.ylabel('count')
```

Out[162... Text(0, 0.5, 'count')

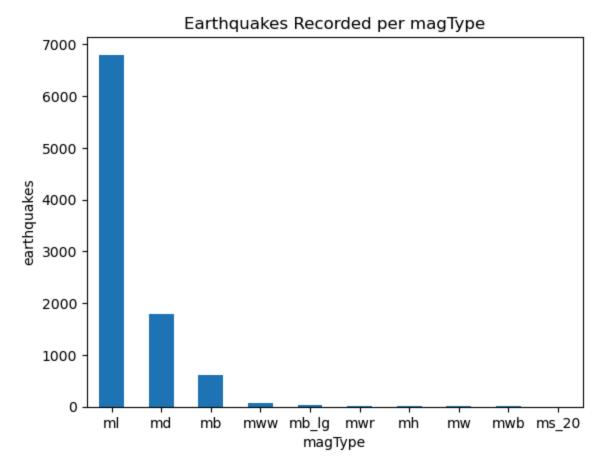


Using the kind arugment for vertical bars when the labels for each bar are shorter:

```
In [165...
    quakes.magType.value_counts().plot(
        kind='bar', title='Earthquakes Recorded per magType', rot=0
)

# label the axes (discussed in chapter 6)
plt.xlabel('magType')
plt.ylabel('earthquakes')
```

Out[165... Text(0, 0.5, 'earthquakes')

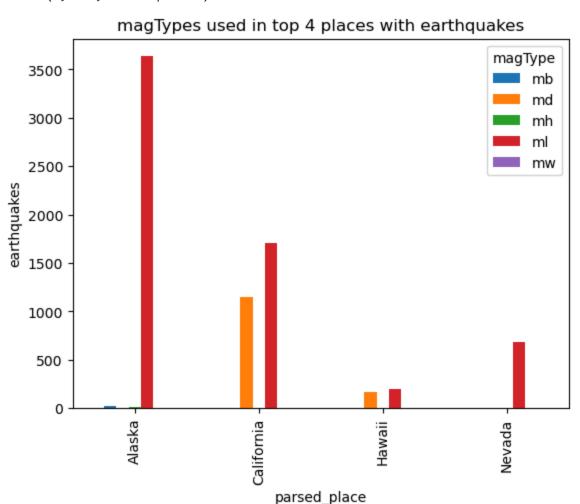


Top 4 places with earthquakes

```
quakes[
    quakes.parsed_place.isin(['California', 'Alaska', 'Nevada', 'Hawaii'])
].groupby(['parsed_place', 'magType']).mag.count().unstack().plot.bar(
```

```
title='magTypes used in top 4 places with earthquakes'
)
plt.ylabel('earthquakes') # Label the axes (discussed in chapter 6)
```

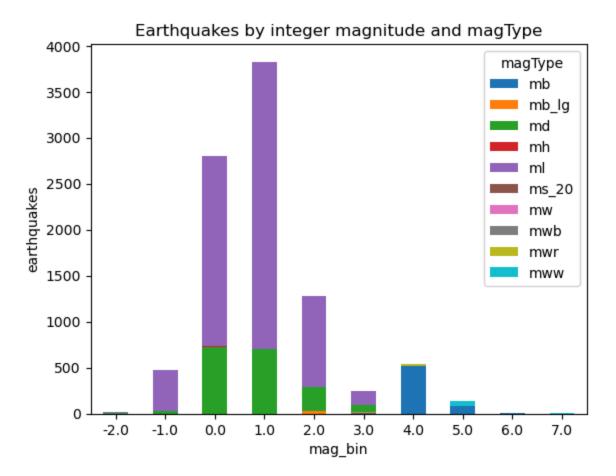
Out[170... Text(0, 0.5, 'earthquakes')



Stacked bar chart

```
In [179...
    pivot = quakes.assign(
        mag_bin=lambda x: np.floor(x.mag)
).pivot_table(
        index='mag_bin', columns='magType', values='mag', aggfunc='count'
)
    pivot.plot.bar(
        stacked=True, rot=0,
        title='Earthquakes by integer magnitude and magType'
)
    plt.ylabel('earthquakes') # label the axes (discussed in chapter 6)
```

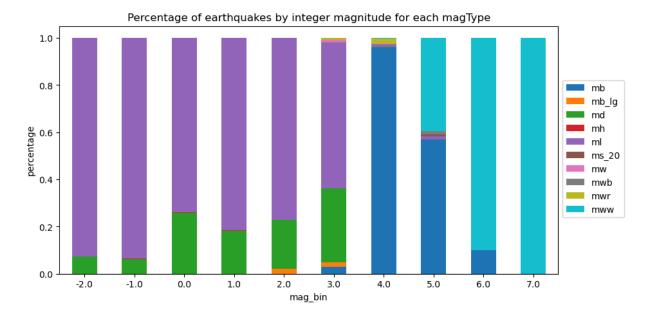
Out[179... Text(0, 0.5, 'earthquakes')



Normalized stacked bars

Plot the percentages to be better able to see the different magTypes.

Out[182... Text(0, 0.5, 'percentage')



9.3 Pandas Plotting Subpackage

pandas.plotting subpackage

Pandas provides some extra plotting functions for a few select plot types.

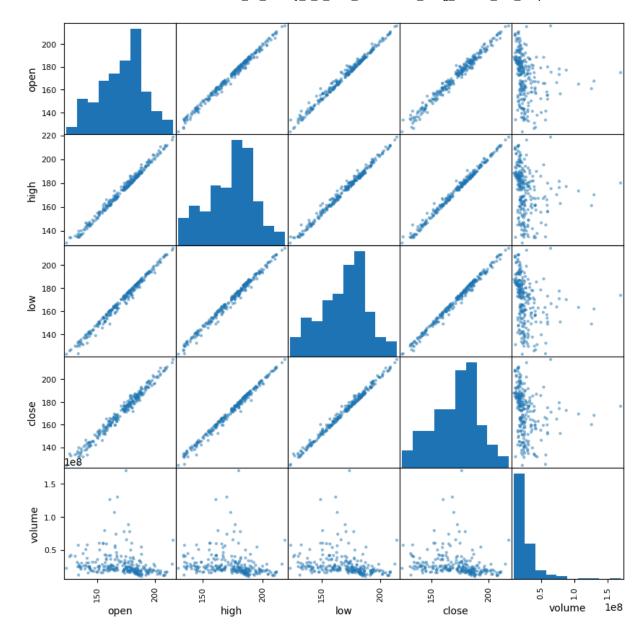
About the Data

In this notebook, we will be working with Facebook's stock price throughout 2018.

Setup

Scatter matrix

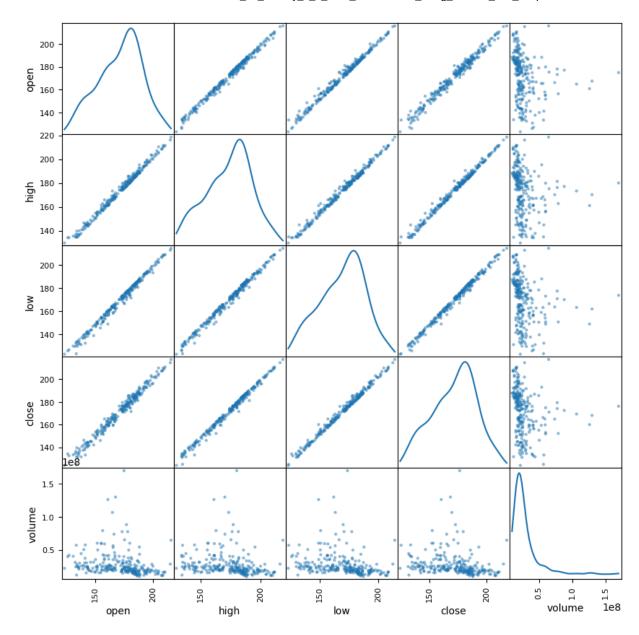
```
Out[194...
          array([[<Axes: xlabel='open', ylabel='open'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='high', ylabel='open'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='low', ylabel='open'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='close', ylabel='open'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='volume', ylabel='open'>],
                  [<Axes: xlabel='open', ylabel='high'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='high', ylabel='high'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='low', ylabel='high'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='close', ylabel='high'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='volume', ylabel='high'>],
                  [<Axes: xlabel='open', ylabel='low'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='high', ylabel='low'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='low', ylabel='low'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='close', ylabel='low'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='volume', ylabel='low'>],
                  [<Axes: xlabel='open', ylabel='close'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='high', ylabel='close'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='low', ylabel='close'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='close', ylabel='close'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='volume', ylabel='close'>],
                  [<Axes: xlabel='open', ylabel='volume'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='high', ylabel='volume'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='low', ylabel='volume'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='close', ylabel='volume'>,
                   <Axes: xlabel='volume', ylabel='volume'>]], dtype=object)
```



Changing the diagonal from histograms to KDE:

In [197... scatter_matrix(fb, figsize=(10, 10), diagonal='kde')

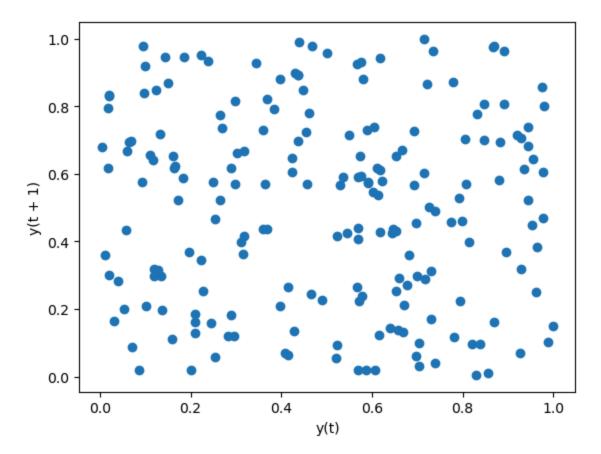
```
array([[<Axes: xlabel='open', ylabel='open'>,
        <Axes: xlabel='high', ylabel='open'>,
        <Axes: xlabel='low', ylabel='open'>,
        <Axes: xlabel='close', ylabel='open'>,
        <Axes: xlabel='volume', ylabel='open'>],
       [<Axes: xlabel='open', ylabel='high'>,
        <Axes: xlabel='high', ylabel='high'>,
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        <Axes: xlabel='close', ylabel='high'>,
        <Axes: xlabel='volume', ylabel='high'>],
       [<Axes: xlabel='open', ylabel='low'>,
        <Axes: xlabel='high', ylabel='low'>,
        <Axes: xlabel='low', ylabel='low'>,
        <Axes: xlabel='close', ylabel='low'>,
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       [<Axes: xlabel='open', ylabel='volume'>,
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        <Axes: xlabel='low', ylabel='volume'>,
        <Axes: xlabel='close', ylabel='volume'>,
        <Axes: xlabel='volume', ylabel='volume'>]], dtype=object)
```



Lag plot

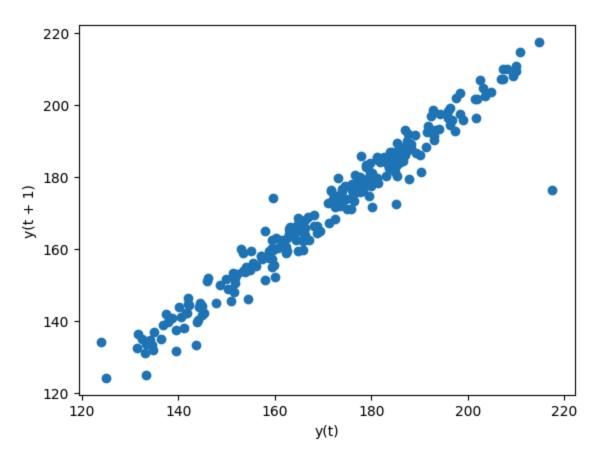
Lag plots let us see how the variable correlations with past observations of itself. Random data has no pattern:

Out[200... <Axes: xlabel='y(t)', ylabel='y(t + 1)'>



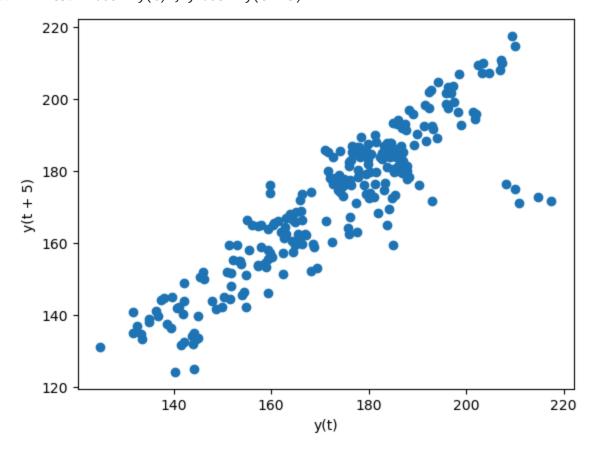
Data with some level of correlation to itself (autocorrelation) may have patterns. Stock prices are highly auto-correlated:

```
In [ ]: lag_plot(fb.close)
Out[ ]: <Axes: xlabel='y(t)', ylabel='y(t + 1)'>
```



In [206... lag_plot(fb.close, lag=5)

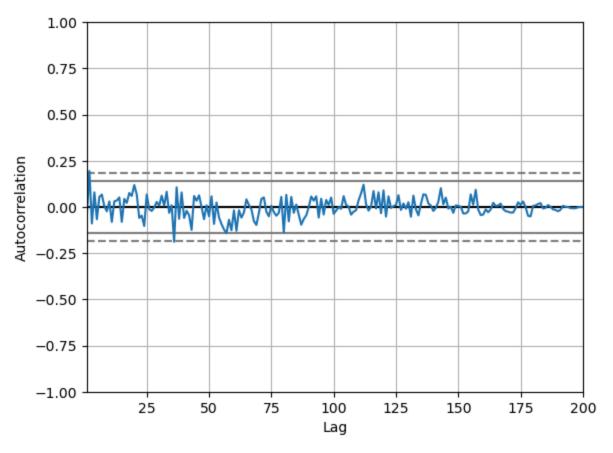
Out[206... <Axes: xlabel='y(t)', ylabel='y(t + 5)'>



Autocorrelation plots

We can use the autocorrelation plot to see if this relationship may be meaningful or just noise. Random data will not have any significant autocorrelation (it stays within the bounds below):

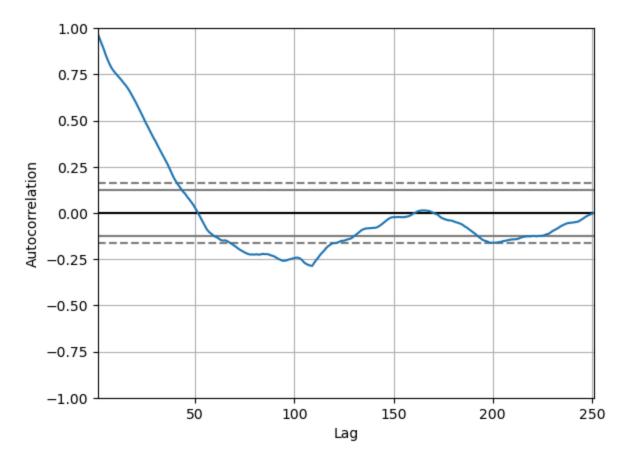
Out[210... <Axes: xlabel='Lag', ylabel='Autocorrelation'>



Stock data, on the other hand, does have significant autocorrelation:

```
In [213... autocorrelation_plot(fb.close)
```

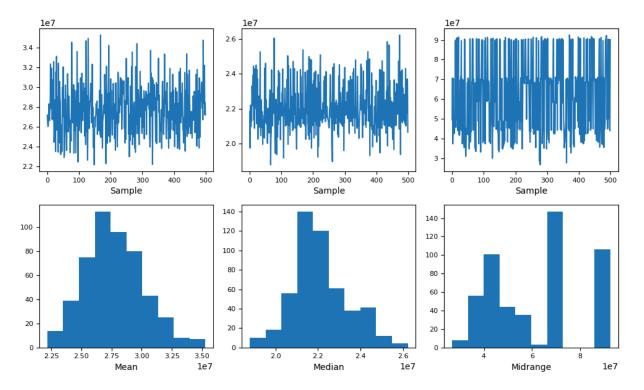
Out[213... <Axes: xlabel='Lag', ylabel='Autocorrelation'>



Bootstrap plot

This plot helps us understand the uncertainty in our summary statistics:

```
In [216...
from pandas.plotting import bootstrap_plot
fig = bootstrap_plot(fb.volume, fig=plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6)))
```



Supplementary Activity:

Using the CSV files provided and what we have learned so far in this module complete the following exercises:

1. Plot the rolling 20-day minimum of the Facebook closing price with the pandas plot() method.

```
In [227...
          import pandas as pd
          import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
          fb = pd.read_csv('fb_stock_prices_2018.csv', index_col='date', parse_dates=True)
          fb['fb_roll_20'] = fb['close'].rolling('20D').min()
In [230...
          fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(10, 6))
          fb.plot(
              kind='line',
              y='fb_roll_20',
              style='green',
              title='FB Rolling 20-Day Minimum Closing Price',
          ax.set_xlabel('Date')
          ax.set_ylabel('Price ($)')
          ax.legend(['20-Day Min Close'])
          ax.grid(True)
```

```
ax.tick_params(axis='x', rotation=0)

plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```



2. Create a histogram and KDE of the change from open to close in the price of Facebook stock.

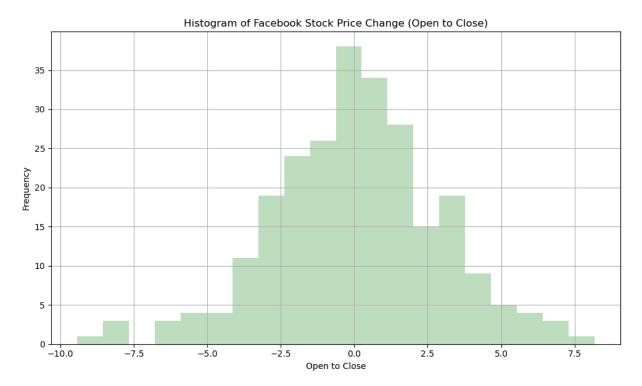
```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(10, 6))

# Create the 'open_to_close' column
fb['open_to_close'] = fb['close'] - fb['open']

fb.open_to_close.plot(
    kind='hist',
    color='green',
    alpha=0.25,
    ax=ax,
    title='Histogram of Facebook Stock Price Change (Open to Close)',
    bins=20
)

ax.set_xlabel('Open to Close')
ax.grid(True)

plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```

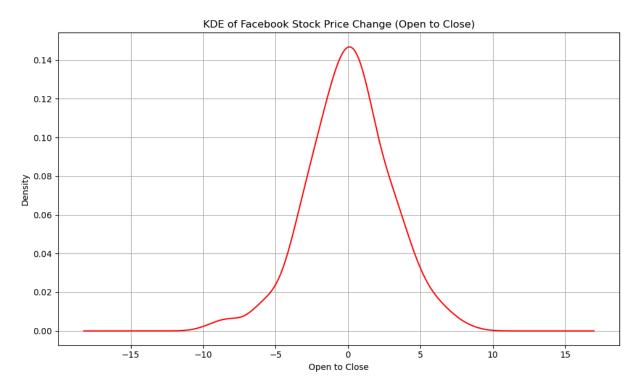


```
In [238... fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(10, 6))

# Plot the KDE on the created axes
fb.open_to_close.plot(
    kind='kde',
    color='red',
    ax=ax, # Use the ax created with plt.subplots()
    title='KDE of Facebook Stock Price Change (Open to Close)'
)

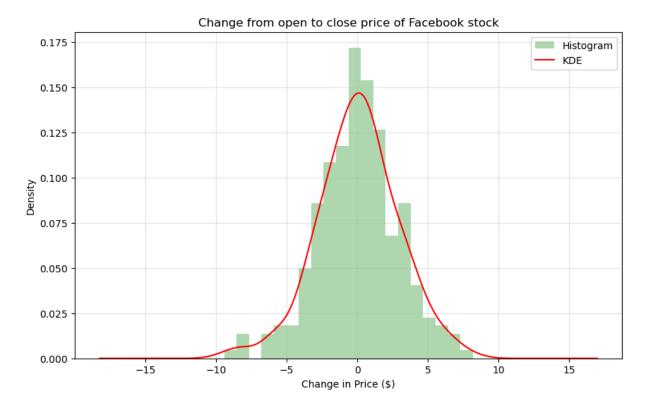
ax.set_xlabel('Open to Close')
ax.grid(True)

plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```



The union of the histogram and KDE allows for better insight.

```
In [243...
          # Combine histogram and KDE into a single figure to allow direct visual comparison
          fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(10, 6))
          fb['change'] = fb['close'] - fb['open']
          # Plot the histogram
          fb['change'].plot(
              kind='hist',
              color='green',
              density=True,
              bins=20,
              alpha=0.3,
              ax=ax,
              title='Change from open to close price of Facebook stock'
          # Plot the KDE
          fb['change'].plot(
              kind='kde',
              color='red',
              ax=ax
          ax.set_xlabel('Change in Price ($)')
          ax.legend(['Histogram', 'KDE'])
          ax.grid(True, alpha=0.3)
          plt.show()
```



3. Using the earthquake data, create box plots for the magnitudes of each magType used in Indonesia.

In [248... earthquakes = pd.read_csv('earthquakes-1.csv')
 earthquakes.head()

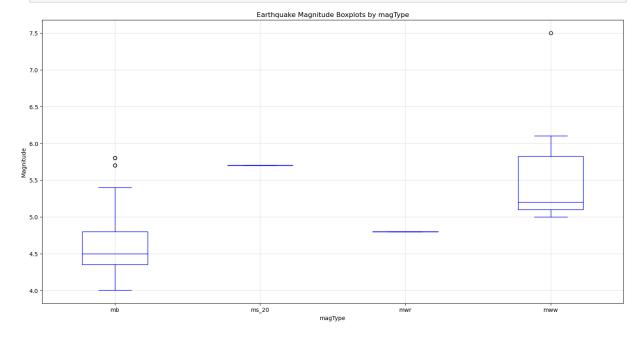
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mag	magType	time	place	tsunami	parsed_place
0 1.35	ml	1539475168010	9km NE of Aguanga, CA	0	California
1 1.29	ml	1539475129610	9km NE of Aguanga, CA	0	California
2 3.42	ml	1539475062610	8km NE of Aguanga, CA	0	California
3 0.44	ml	1539474978070	9km NE of Aguanga, CA	0	California
4 2.16	md	1539474716050	10km NW of Avenal, CA	0	California

```
In [251... mag_indo = earthquakes.query('parsed_place == "Indonesia"')
    mag_indo.head()
```

Out[251...

	mag	magType	time	place	tsunami	parsed_place
9	4.7	mb	1539472814760	219km SSE of Saparua, Indonesia	0	Indonesia
13	4.5	mb	1539470898340	120km SSW of Banda Aceh, Indonesia	0	Indonesia
180	5.2	mww	1539405255580	25km E of Bitung, Indonesia	0	Indonesia
421	4.7	mb	1539331098920	38km SSW of Nggongi Satu, Indonesia	0	Indonesia
660	4.4	mb	1539258833830	51km WSW of Kasiguncu, Indonesia	0	Indonesia



4. Make a line plot of the difference between the weekly maximum high price and the weekly minimum low price for Facebook. This should be a single

line.

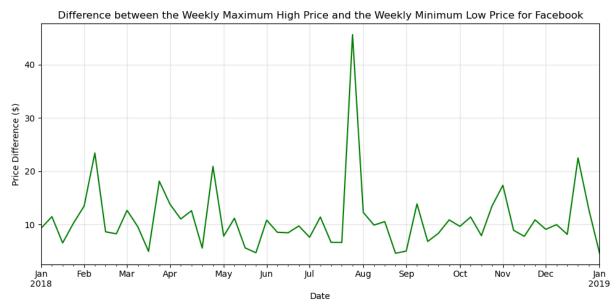
Out[265	date	
	2018-01-07	9.3500
	2018-01-14	11.5000
	2018-01-21	6.5700
	2018-01-28	10.2500
	2018-02-04	13.4800
	2018-02-11	23.4300
	2018-02-18	8.6600
	2018-02-25	8.2800
	2018-03-04	12.6700
	2018-03-11	9.6200
	2018-03-18	4.9900
	2018-03-25	18.1500
	2018-04-01	13.8300
	2018-04-08	11.0650
	2018-04-15	12.6100
	2018-04-22	5.6100
	2018-04-29	20.9100
	2018-05-06	7.8500
	2018-05-13	11.2100
	2018-05-20	5.6400
	2018-05-27	4.7300
	2018-06-03	10.8392
	2018-06-10	8.5700
	2018-06-17	8.4800
	2018-06-24	9.7600
	2018-07-01	7.6400
	2018-07-08	11.4200
	2018-07-15	6.6800
	2018-07-22	6.6600
	2018-07-29	45.6200
	2018-08-05	12.2900
	2018-08-12	9.9200
	2018-08-19	10.5700
	2018-08-26	4.6400
	2018-09-02	5.0401
	2018-09-09	13.8900
	2018-09-16	6.8500
	2018-09-23	8.3844
	2018-09-30	10.8900
	2018-10-07	9.6800
	2018-10-14	11.4300
	2018-10-21	7.9400
	2018-10-28	13.5400
	2018-11-04	17.3700
	2018-11-11	8.9400
	2018-11-18	7.8100
	2018-11-25	10.9000
	2018-12-02	9.1160
	2018-12-09	10.0099
	2018-12-16	8.1800
	2018-12-23	22.5100
	2018-12-30	12.9000
	2019-01-06	4.6900
	rreq: W-SUN,	dtype: float64

```
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(10, 5))

# Plot using the ax
fb_diff.plot(
    kind='line',
    y='max_high_min_low_diff',
    style='g-',
    legend=False,
    ax=ax,
    title='Difference between the Weekly Maximum High Price and the Weekly Minimum
)

ax.set_xlabel('Date')
ax.set_ylabel('Price Difference ($)')
ax.grid(True, alpha=0.3)

plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```



- 5. Using matplotlib and pandas, create two subplots side-by-side showing the effect that after-hours trading has had on Facebook's stock price:
- The first subplot will contain a line plot of the daily difference between that day's opening price and the prior day's closing price (be sure to review the Time series section of Aggregating Pandas DataFrames for an easy way to do this).
- The second subplot will be a bar plot showing the net effect this had monthly, using resample().
- Bonus #1: Color the bars according to whether they are gains in the stock price (green) or drops in the stock price (red).

• Bonus #2: Modify the x-axis of the bar plot to show the threeletter abbreviation for the month.

In [273... fb

fb.head()

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	open	high	low	close	volume	fb_roll_20	open_to_close	change
date								
2018- 01-02	177.68	181.58	177.5500	181.42	18151903	181.42	3.74	3.74
2018- 01-03	181.88	184.78	181.3300	184.67	16886563	181.42	2.79	2.79
2018- 01-04	184.90	186.21	184.0996	184.33	13880896	181.42	-0.57	-0.57
2018- 01-05	185.59	186.90	184.9300	186.85	13574535	181.42	1.26	1.26
2018- 01-08	187.20	188.90	186.3300	188.28	17994726	181.42	1.08	1.08

In [276...

fb['daily_diff_open_close'] = fb['open'] - fb['close'].shift(1)
fb

Out[276...

	open	high	low	close	volume	fb_roll_20	open_to_close	change	daily
date									
2018- 01-02	177.68	181.58	177.5500	181.42	18151903	181.42	3.74	3.74	
2018- 01-03	181.88	184.78	181.3300	184.67	16886563	181.42	2.79	2.79	
2018- 01-04	184.90	186.21	184.0996	184.33	13880896	181.42	-0.57	-0.57	
2018- 01-05	185.59	186.90	184.9300	186.85	13574535	181.42	1.26	1.26	
2018- 01-08	187.20	188.90	186.3300	188.28	17994726	181.42	1.08	1.08	
•••	•••	•••	•••						
2018- 12-24	123.10	129.74	123.0200	124.06	22066002	124.06	0.96	0.96	
2018- 12-26	126.00	134.24	125.8900	134.18	39723370	124.06	8.18	8.18	
2018- 12-27	132.44	134.99	129.6700	134.52	31202509	124.06	2.08	2.08	
2018- 12-28	135.34	135.92	132.2000	133.20	22627569	124.06	-2.14	-2.14	
2018- 12-31	134.45	134.64	129.9500	131.09	24625308	124.06	-3.36	-3.36	

251 rows × 9 columns

```
fig, axs = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(12, 6))

# Plot 1: Daily difference
axs[0].plot(fb.index, fb['daily_diff_open_close'], color='green', alpha=0.7)
axs[0].set_title('Daily Difference of Opening Price and Previous Day\'s Closing Pri

# Label
axs[0].set_xlabel('Date')
axs[0].set_ylabel('Price Difference')
axs[0].axhline(0, color='black', linestyle='-')

# Plot 2: Monthly Net Effect as a bar plot
# Calculate monthly net effect using resample
monthly_net_eff = fb.resample('M')['daily_diff_open_close'].sum()

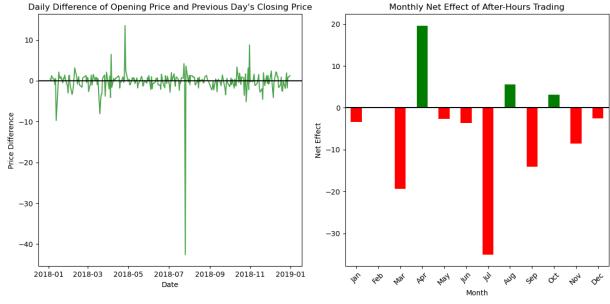
colors = ['green' if val >= 0 else 'red' for val in monthly_net_eff] # green for g
monthly_net_eff.plot(kind='bar', ax=axs[1], color=colors)
```

```
axs[1].axhline(0, color='black', linestyle='-')

# Labels
axs[1].set_title('Monthly Net Effect of After-Hours Trading')
axs[1].set_xlabel('Month')
axs[1].set_ylabel('Net Effect')

# Set the x-axis to show the month abbreviation
axs[1].set_xticks(range(len(monthly_net_eff))) # Set positions for each month
axs[1].set_xticklabels([month.strftime('%b') for month in monthly_net_eff.index], r
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```

C:\Users\micki\AppData\Local\Temp\ipykernel_23048\1964583224.py:15: FutureWarning:
'M' is deprecated and will be removed in a future version, please use 'ME' instead.
 monthly_net_eff = fb.resample('M')['daily_diff_open_close'].sum()



Conclusion

In this activity, I learned a lot about visualizing the obtained data. Although I felt a bit overwhelmed, I explored how after-hours trading affects Facebook's stock price by calculating the daily difference between the opening price and the previous day's close. This showed me how the price changes even when the market isn't officially open.

I chose to use ax for plotting because it gave me more control over the layout and styling. It's also something I remembered from our VDA class, so it felt familiar and flexible for combining multiple plots in one figure.

I then used resampling to see the bigger picture, looking at how these daily changes added up each month. Plotting the results helped me clearly see when Facebook's stock gained or dropped—especially with green bars for gains and red for losses.

Before, I learned how to individually create figures, but today it was expounded by learning to combine both --- cause before I can only do it using Tableau. With that, it was useful in comparing stock changes.

In the end, this activity helped me understand both the technical side of data visualization and the real-world impact of trading behavior.

In []: