

Final Project: How Avocado Price Can Impact Chipotle's Share Price

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Introduction

This project will examine the degree to which price fluctuations of avocados, a key ingredient used by Chipotle, can affect the price of Chipotle's stock. A major buyer of Hass avocados in specific, Chipotle estimates that it uses upwards of 400,000 each day nationally. The goal is to visualize and understand the relationship between prices.

The datasets I used are explained more in-depth below; all the data was available for free online. My project will include the following figures:

- graphs (scatter and line) that compare the percent change in avocado prices (both organic and non-organic) with the percent change in Chipotle's share price (weekly average closing)
- a scatter comparing the percent change in avocado prices (both organic and non-organic) with the percent difference of the weekly average closing price and weekly high/low prices for Chipotle
- a scatter plot comparing the percent change in avocado prices (both organic and non-organic) with the transaction volume for Chipotle during the week

Data Report

For the avocado data, I will be using weekly data from the Hass Avocado Board.

(<https://www.kaggle.com/neuromusic/avocado-prices/version/1> (<https://www.kaggle.com/neuromusic/avocado-prices/version/1>))

This dataset provides the average price per week of avocados, and for each of these values, the total volume bought, type of avocado (either normal or organic), and region from the US is also shown.

For the share price of Chipotle, I will be taking daily data from a site called Macro Trends.

(<https://www.macrotrends.net/stocks/charts/CMG/chipotle-mexican-grill/stock-price-history>
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For this dataset specifically, it was originally downloaded as a csv file, but I manually edited some non-relevant text out and converted it to an excel file.

This dataset provides the daily prices of Chipotle when the market opens and closes, as well as the maximum and minimum values per day.

Important Variables

It's important to firstly note that we will be using weekly values, as the avocado dataset gives values by weeks. We will convert the Chipotle share data to weekly, treating the different variables differently. The values that we will need to find are below:

Percent Change in Avocado Prices - We will need this for both organic and conventional (non-organic) data. This is the core of our exploration, as we will need to examine how it impacts the other variables. This will be explained below, but we will be constructing graphs with only the data from weeks where the percent change in avocado prices is higher or lower than 1 standard deviation (this is to make sure the changes in prices are significant).

Percent Change in Weekly Closing Price - We explore this to see if there is a correlation between meaningful avocado prices and Chipotle share price.

Percent Difference between Weekly Average Close Price and Weekly High/Low - We explore this to see if a significant temporary high or low price, compared to the weekly average (closing) price, was created when there was a meaningful change in avocado prices.

Total Volume Traded - We also want to see if the total transaction volume was meaningfully different when avocado prices are meaningfully high or low.

Requisite Packages These are the packages we need for the data analysis.

```
In [309]: import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import numpy as np
import datetime as dt
```

Grabbing Avocado Data I've uploaded the data I used into my Github repository and it is used here.

```
In [310]: avocado_url = 'https://raw.githubusercontent.com/mike-ding/data.bootcamp.final.project/master/avocado.csv'
avocado_df = pd.read_csv(avocado_url)
```

```
In [311]: avocado_df.head(3) ### This is what the data looks like (some columns will be removed)
```

Out[311]:

	Unnamed: 0	Date	AveragePrice	Total Volume	4046	4225	4770	Total Bags	Small Bags	Lar Ba
0	0	2015-12-27	1.33	64236.62	1036.74	54454.85	48.16	8696.87	8603.62	93.
1	1	2015-12-20	1.35	54876.98	674.28	44638.81	58.33	9505.56	9408.07	97.
2	2	2015-12-13	0.93	118220.22	794.70	109149.67	130.50	8145.35	8042.21	103.

```
In [312]: avocado_df['region'].unique() ### The dataset provides us with averages per week at select city, regional, and national levels.
```

```
Out[312]: array(['Albany', 'Atlanta', 'BaltimoreWashington', 'Boise', 'Boston', 'BuffaloRochester', 'California', 'Charlotte', 'Chicago', 'CincinnatiDayton', 'Columbus', 'DallasFtWorth', 'Denver', 'Detroit', 'GrandRapids', 'GreatLakes', 'HarrisburgScranton', 'HartfordSpringfield', 'Houston', 'Indianapolis', 'Jacksonville', 'LasVegas', 'LosAngeles', 'Louisville', 'MiamiFtLauderdale', 'MidSouth', 'Nashville', 'NewOrleansMobile', 'NewYork', 'Northeast', 'NorthernNewEngland', 'Orlando', 'Philadelphia', 'PhoenixTucson', 'Pittsburgh', 'Plains', 'Portland', 'RaleighGreensboro', 'RichmondNorfolk', 'Roanoke', 'Sacramento', 'SanDiego', 'SanFrancisco', 'Seattle', 'SouthCarolina', 'SouthCentral', 'Southeast', 'Spokane', 'StLouis', 'Syracuse', 'Tampa', 'TotalUS', 'West', 'WestTexNewMexico'], dtype=object)
```

There is data for both organic and conventional (non-organic) avocados. Since Chipotle uses organic when it can and non-organic when it can't, we'll be working on both types of data.

```
In [313]: organic = avocado_df[avocado_df['type'] == 'organic']
organic_us = organic[organic['region'] == 'TotalUS'] ### We will be using the average price per week at the US level.

nonorganic = avocado_df[avocado_df['type'] == 'conventional']
nonorganic_us = nonorganic[nonorganic['region'] == 'TotalUS']
```

```
In [314]: organic_us.head(2)
```

```
Out[314]:
```

	Unnamed: 0	Date	AveragePrice	Total Volume	4046	4225	4770	Total Bags	
11778	0	2015-12-27	1.52	549787.59	89709.92	206198.62	5836.04	248043.01	1422
11779	1	2015-12-20	1.53	531478.24	93849.30	205909.13	8733.11	222986.70	1304

```
In [315]: nonorganic_us.head(2)
```

```
Out[315]:
```

	Unnamed: 0	Date	AveragePrice	Total Volume	4046	4225	4770	Total E
2652	0	2015-12-27	0.95	27297983.67	9626901.09	10197890.05	1184340.09	628885
2653	1	2015-12-20	0.98	25083647.17	8710021.76	9329861.85	1201020.01	584274

The date here is not a datetime object, so we need to convert it first, as we'll need to use the datetime function to match it up to Chipotle data.

```
In [316]: organic_us.dtypes ### We will convert the date to a datetime object for both the organic and nonorganic groups.
```

```
Out[316]: Unnamed: 0      int64
Date          object
AveragePrice  float64
Total Volume  float64
4046          float64
4225          float64
4770          float64
Total Bags    float64
Small Bags    float64
Large Bags    float64
XLarge Bags   float64
type          object
year          int64
region        object
dtype: object
```

```
In [317]: organic_us['Date1'] = pd.to_datetime(organic_us['Date'])
organic_us.set_index('Date1', inplace=True)

nonorganic_us['Date1'] = pd.to_datetime(nonorganic_us['Date'])
nonorganic_us.set_index('Date1', inplace=True)
```

/anaconda3/lib/python3.7/site-packages/ipykernel_launcher.py:1: Setting WithCopyWarning:

A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame.
Try using .loc[row_indexer,col_indexer] = value instead

See the caveats in the documentation: <http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/indexing.html#indexing-view-versus-copy>

"""Entry point for launching an IPython kernel.

/anaconda3/lib/python3.7/site-packages/ipykernel_launcher.py:4: Setting WithCopyWarning:

A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame.
Try using .loc[row_indexer,col_indexer] = value instead

See the caveats in the documentation: <http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/indexing.html#indexing-view-versus-copy>

after removing the cwd from sys.path.

Cleaning Avocado Data I'm deleting some columns here that are necessary, and I also add the price percentage change - it will show as a decimal, that can be converted into a percent. Then, I sort the data by date.

```
In [318]: del organic_us['Unnamed: 0']
del organic_us['Total Bags']
del organic_us['Small Bags']
del organic_us['Large Bags']
del organic_us['XLarge Bags']
del organic_us['Date']
del organic_us['4046']
del organic_us['4225']
del organic_us['4770']

del nonorganic_us['Unnamed: 0']
del nonorganic_us['Total Bags']
del nonorganic_us['Small Bags']
del nonorganic_us['Large Bags']
del nonorganic_us['XLarge Bags']
del nonorganic_us['Date']
del nonorganic_us['4046']
del nonorganic_us['4225']
del nonorganic_us['4770']
```

```
In [319]: organic_us['price % change'] = organic_us['AveragePrice'].pct_change()
nonorganic_us['price % change'] = nonorganic_us['AveragePrice'].pct_change()

organic_us.sort_values('Date1', inplace=True)
nonorganic_us.sort_values('Date1', inplace=True)
```

/anaconda3/lib/python3.7/site-packages/ipykernel_launcher.py:1: Setting WithCopyWarning:

A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame.
Try using .loc[row_indexer,col_indexer] = value instead

See the caveats in the documentation: <http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/indexing.html#indexing-view-versus-copy>

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A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame.
Try using .loc[row_indexer,col_indexer] = value instead

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/anaconda3/lib/python3.7/site-packages/ipykernel_launcher.py:4: Setting WithCopyWarning:

A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame

See the caveats in the documentation: <http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/indexing.html#indexing-view-versus-copy>

after removing the cwd from sys.path.

/anaconda3/lib/python3.7/site-packages/ipykernel_launcher.py:5: Setting WithCopyWarning:

A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame

See the caveats in the documentation: <http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/indexing.html#indexing-view-versus-copy>

"""

```
In [320]: organic_us.head(3)
```

Out[320]:

	AveragePrice	Total Volume	type	year	region	price % change
Date1						
2015-01-04	1.46	612910.15	organic	2015	TotalUS	0.028169
2015-01-11	1.42	669528.88	organic	2015	TotalUS	0.000000
2015-01-18	1.42	713120.00	organic	2015	TotalUS	-0.071895

```
In [321]: nonorganic_us.head(3)
```

```
Out[321]:
```

	AveragePrice	Total Volume	type	year	region	price % change
Date1						
2015-01-04	0.95	31324277.73	conventional	2015	TotalUS	-0.059406
2015-01-11	1.01	29063542.75	conventional	2015	TotalUS	-0.019417
2015-01-18	1.03	29043458.85	conventional	2015	TotalUS	-0.009615

Significant Stats for Percent Change in Avocado Prices between Weeks The mean and standard deviations (first and second) for the weekly percent change in prices between 2015-2018 are shown here. These will be used later.

```
In [327]: org_mean = organic_us['price % change'].mean()
org_stan_dev = np.std(organic_us['price % change'])

org_sd_up = org_mean + org_stan_dev
org_sd_down = org_mean - org_stan_dev

org_sd2_up = org_mean + 2*org_stan_dev
org_sd2_down = org_mean - 2*org_stan_dev

nonorg_mean = nonorganic_us['price % change'].mean()
nonorg_stan_dev = np.std(nonorganic_us['price % change'])

nonorg_sd_up = nonorg_mean + nonorg_stan_dev
nonorg_sd_down = nonorg_mean - nonorg_stan_dev

nonorg_sd2_up = nonorg_mean + 2*nonorg_stan_dev
nonorg_sd2_down = nonorg_mean - 2*nonorg_stan_dev
```

```
In [329]: print('For the organic data, \n'
              'The upper standard deviation is ' + str(org_sd_up) + '\n'
              'The mean is ' + str(org_mean) + '\n'
              'The lower standard deviation is ' + str(org_sd_down) + '\n'
              '\n'
              'For the non-organic data, \n'
              'The upper standard deviation is ' + str(nonorg_sd_up) + '\n'
              'The mean is ' + str(nonorg_mean) + '\n'
              'The lower standard deviation is ' + str(nonorg_sd_down)
              )
```

For the organic data,
 The upper standard deviation is 0.08387012486772391
 The mean is 0.0031025682071763364
 The lower standard deviation is -0.07766498845337125

For the non-organic data,
 The upper standard deviation is 0.06923249028962009
 The mean is 0.0031193927000917154
 The lower standard deviation is -0.06299370488943665

Grabbing Chipotle Data This data is also on my Github

```
In [330]: chipotle_url = 'https://raw.githubusercontent.com/mike-ding/data.bootcam
p.final.project/master/Chipotle.xlsx'
chip_df = pd.read_excel(chipotle_url)
```

```
In [331]: chip_df.head(3)
```

Out[331]:

	date	open	high	low	close	volume
0	2006-01-26	45.00	48.28	39.51	44.0	13218600
1	2006-01-27	44.88	44.90	41.75	42.2	1150800
2	2006-01-30	42.20	45.51	41.25	44.8	735800

We need to convert the date column to a datetime object for the Chipotle data.

```
In [332]: chip_df.dtypes
```

```
Out[332]: date          object
open          float64
high          float64
low           float64
close         float64
volume        int64
dtype: object
```



```
In [333]: chip_df['date1'] = pd.to_datetime(chip_df['date'])
chip_df.set_index(['date1'], inplace=True)
```

After doing so, we need to resample the Chipotle data, which is daily, so that it matches the weekly avocado data.

```
In [334]: weekly_close = chip_df['close'].resample('w').mean()
weekly_high = chip_df['high'].resample('w').max()
weekly_low = chip_df['low'].resample('w').min()
weekly_volume = chip_df['volume'].resample('w').sum()
```

```
In [335]: weekly = pd.concat([weekly_close, weekly_high, weekly_low, weekly_volume], axis = 1)
```

```
In [336]: weekly.rename(columns = {'close':'avg close'}, inplace = True)
```

We also need to add a few of the statistics mentioned above. This includes:

- the percent change in average close price
- percent difference between average close price and high that week
- percent difference between average close price and low that week
- percent change in total volume traded

```
In [337]: weekly['close % change'] = weekly['avg close'].pct_change()
weekly['high from close'] = weekly['high']/weekly['avg close'] - 1
weekly['low from close'] = weekly['low']/weekly['avg close'] - 1
weekly['volume change'] = weekly['volume'].pct_change()
```

```
In [338]: weekly.head()
```

Out[338]:

	avg close	high	low	volume	close % change	high from close	low from close	volume change
date1								
2006-01-29	43.100	48.28	39.51	14369400	NaN	0.120186	-0.083295	NaN
2006-02-05	46.036	49.30	41.25	3100500	0.068121	0.070901	-0.103962	-0.784229
2006-02-12	45.218	48.00	41.50	1387200	-0.017769	0.061524	-0.082224	-0.552588
2006-02-19	43.096	45.00	41.00	926100	-0.046928	0.044180	-0.048636	-0.332396
2006-02-26	44.860	46.75	42.81	551600	0.040932	0.042131	-0.045698	-0.404384

Combining the Chipotle and Avocado Data The Chipotle data runs from 2006 to 2019, while the avocado data runs only from 2015 to 2018. We only need the Chipotle data between the same date ranges the avocado data has.

```
In [339]: organic_us.head(1)
```

Out[339]:

	AveragePrice	Total Volume	type	year	region	price % change
Date1						
2015-01-04	1.46	612910.15	organic	2015	TotalUS	0.028169

```
In [340]: organic_us.tail(1)
```

Out[340]:

	AveragePrice	Total Volume	type	year	region	price % change
Date1						
2018-03-25	1.55	1559967.2	organic	2018	TotalUS	0.047297

```
In [341]: chip_1518 = weekly.loc['2015-01-04':'2018-03-25']
org_combined = pd.concat([organic_us, chip_1518], axis = 1)
nonorg_combined = pd.concat([nonorganic_us, chip_1518], axis = 1)
```

```
In [342]: org_combined.head(3)
```

Out[342]:

	AveragePrice	Total Volume	type	year	region	price % change	avg close	high	low	v
2015-01-04	1.46	612910.15	organic	2015	TotalUS	0.028169	685.1275	696.56	671.0115	14
2015-01-11	1.42	669528.88	organic	2015	TotalUS	0.000000	692.1180	727.97	653.7700	32
2015-01-18	1.42	713120.00	organic	2015	TotalUS	-0.071895	709.4780	724.48	696.5700	16

```
In [343]: nonorg_combined.head(3)
```

```
Out[343]:
```

	AveragePrice	Total Volume	type	year	region	price % change	avg close	high	
2015-01-04	0.95	31324277.73	conventional	2015	TotalUS	-0.059406	685.1275	696.56	671.0
2015-01-11	1.01	29063542.75	conventional	2015	TotalUS	-0.019417	692.1180	727.97	653.7
2015-01-18	1.03	29043458.85	conventional	2015	TotalUS	-0.009615	709.4780	724.48	696.5

Using Significant Data Now that the data is combined and sorted by week, we want to create new datasets for when the percentage change in price for avocados is greater than or less than 1 standard deviation (I was considering doing 2 standard deviations, but there is very little data for when the price exceeds 2 standard deviations).

```
In [344]: org_sig_up = org_combined[org_combined['price % change'] >= org_sd_up]
nonorg_sig_up = nonorg_combined[nonorg_combined['price % change'] >= nonorg_sd_up]

org_sig_down = org_combined[org_combined['price % change'] <= org_sd_down]
nonorg_sig_down = nonorg_combined[nonorg_combined['price % change'] <= nonorg_sd_down]
```

Data Visualisation

Now that all the data is organized, We will create graphs to represent our data.

Between % Change in Avocado Price and % Change in Weekly Average Closing Price

Here we're trying to see if significant changes in avocado prices will also cause a change in Avocado's share price. Specifically, we want to see if there is a relevant negative relationship - where if a decrease in input prices will increase share price.

```

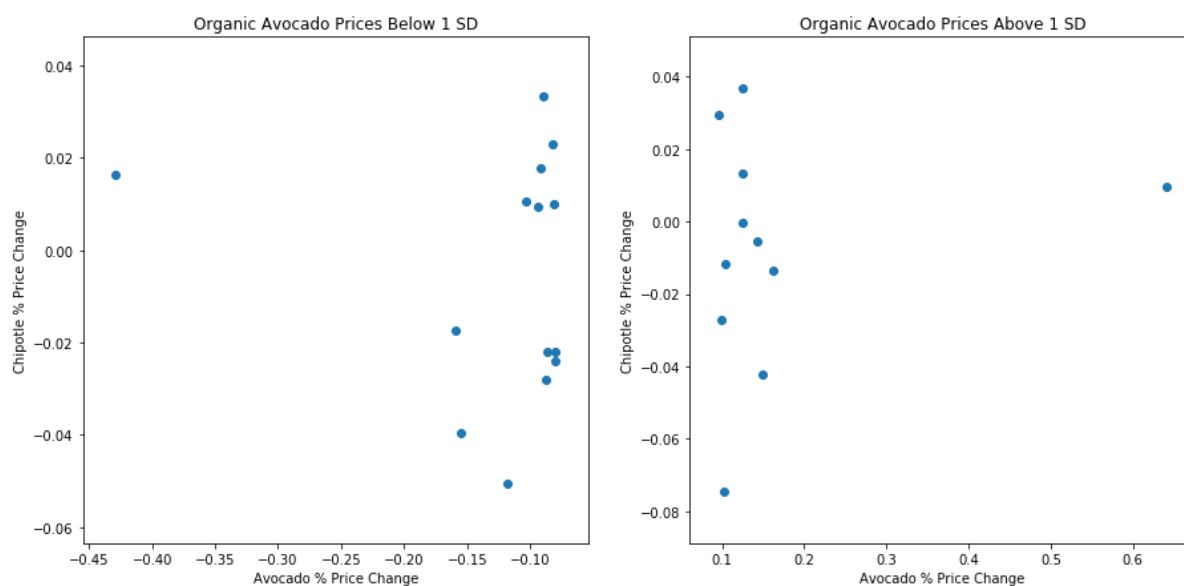
In [350]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize = (15,7))

plt.subplot(122)
plt.scatter(org_sig_up['price % change'], org_sig_up['close % change'])
plt.title('Organic Avocado Prices Above 1 SD')
plt.ylabel('Chipotle % Price Change')
plt.xlabel('Avocado % Price Change')

plt.subplot(121)
plt.scatter(org_sig_down['price % change'], org_sig_down['close % change'])
plt.title('Organic Avocado Prices Below 1 SD')
plt.ylabel('Chipotle % Price Change')
plt.xlabel('Avocado % Price Change')

```

Out[350]: Text(0.5, 0, 'Avocado % Price Change')



```

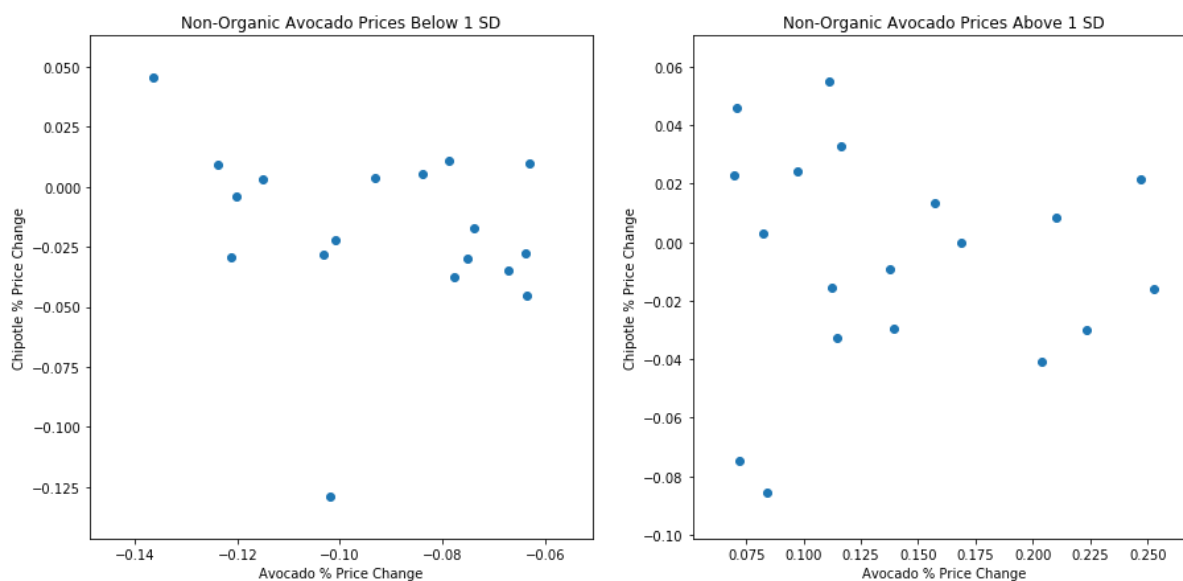
In [351]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize = (15,7))

plt.subplot(122)
plt.scatter(nonorg_sig_up['price % change'], nonorg_sig_up['close % change'])
plt.title('Non-Organic Avocado Prices Above 1 SD')
plt.ylabel('Chipotle % Price Change')
plt.xlabel('Avocado % Price Change')

plt.subplot(121)
plt.scatter(nonorg_sig_down['price % change'], nonorg_sig_down['close % change'])
plt.title('Non-Organic Avocado Prices Below 1 SD')
plt.ylabel('Chipotle % Price Change')
plt.xlabel('Avocado % Price Change')

```

Out[351]: Text(0.5, 0, 'Avocado % Price Change')



```

In [292]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize = (45,12))

start = 'January 01 2015'
end = 'May 01 2018'

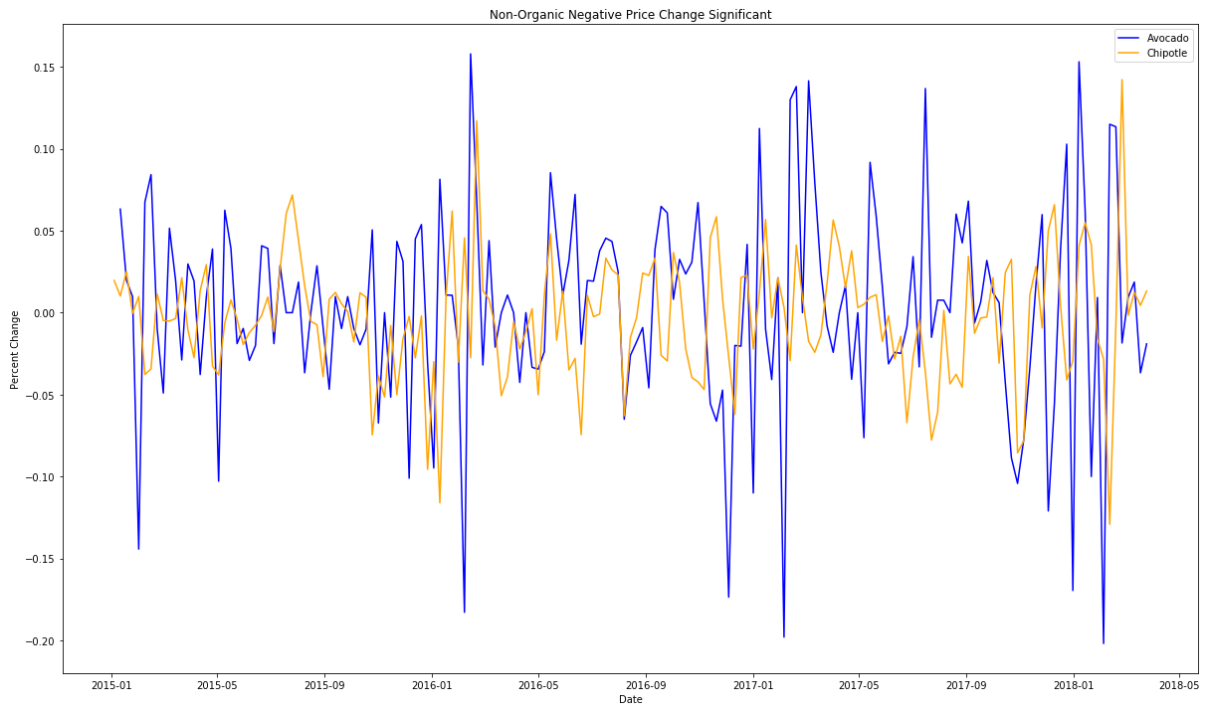
plt.subplot(122)
plt.plot(nonorg_combined['price % change'], color = 'blue')
plt.plot(nonorg_combined['close % change'], color = 'orange')
plt.legend(('Avocado', 'Chipotle'))
plt.title('Non-Organic Negative Price Change Significant')
plt.ylabel('Percent Change')
plt.xlabel('Date')

```

```

Out[292]: Text(0.5, 0, 'Date')

```



Between % Change in Avocado Price and % Difference between Weekly High/Low and Weekly Average Close

Here we are trying to see if significant changes in avocado prices can cause Chipotle's stock to reach a high or fall to a low that is significant with regard to normal weekly fluctuations.

```

In [356]: (nonorg_combined['high from close'].mean(), nonorg_combined['low from close'].mean())

```

```

Out[356]: (0.032527347216595046, -0.030950372119756715)

```

```

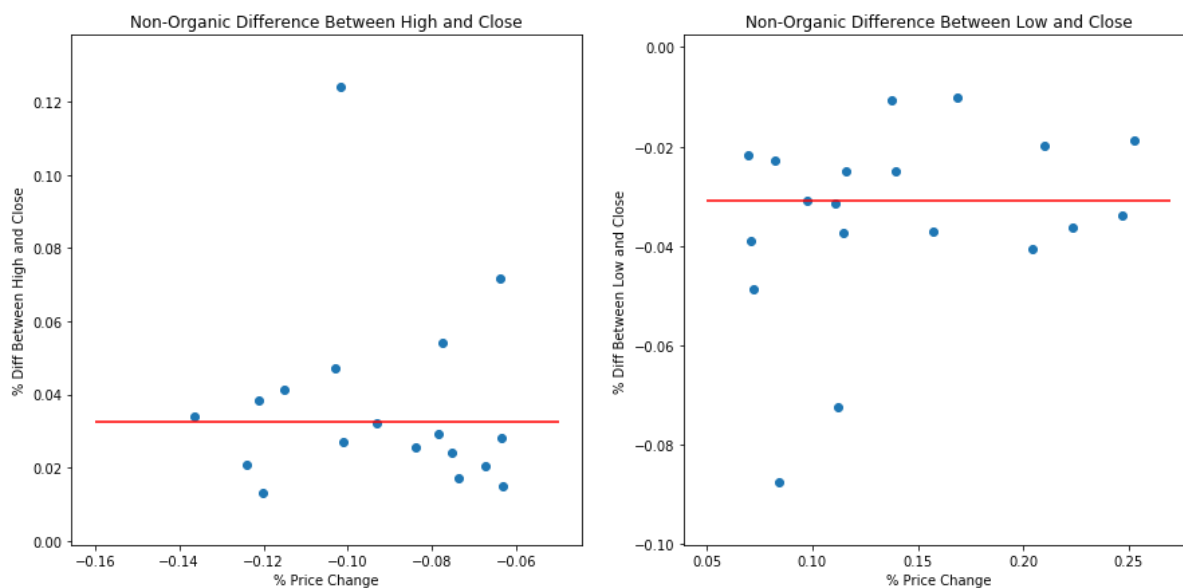
In [382]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize = (15,7))

plt.subplot(122)
plt.scatter(nonorg_sig_up['price % change'], nonorg_sig_up['low from clo
se'])
plt.title('Non-Organic Difference Between Low and Close')
plt.ylabel('% Diff Between Low and Close')
plt.xlabel('% Price Change')
plt.hlines(-.03095, .05, .27, color = 'red')

plt.subplot(121)
plt.scatter(nonorg_sig_down['price % change'], nonorg_sig_down['high fro
m close'])
plt.title('Non-Organic Difference Between High and Close')
plt.ylabel('% Diff Between High and Close')
plt.xlabel('% Price Change')
plt.hlines(.03252, -.16, -.05, color = 'red')

```

Out[382]: <matplotlib.collections.LineCollection at 0x1253a76d8>



```

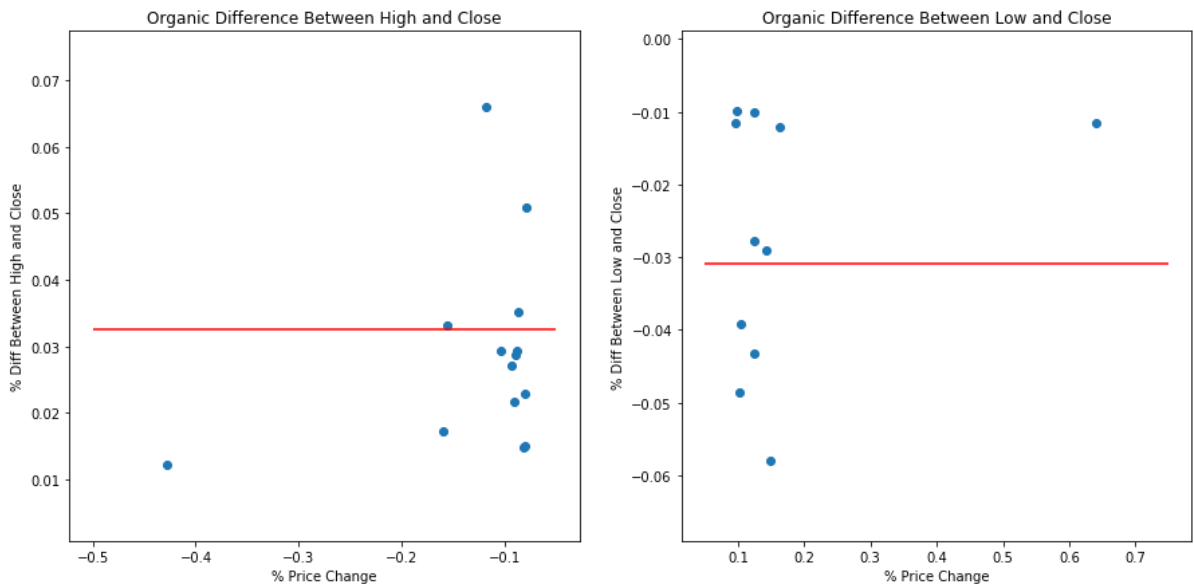
In [386]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize = (15,7))

plt.subplot(122)
plt.scatter(org_sig_up['price % change'], org_sig_up['low from close'])
plt.title('Organic Difference Between Low and Close')
plt.ylabel('% Diff Between Low and Close')
plt.xlabel('% Price Change')
plt.hlines(-.03095, .05, .75, color = 'red')

plt.subplot(121)
plt.scatter(org_sig_down['price % change'], org_sig_down['high from close'])
plt.title('Organic Difference Between High and Close')
plt.ylabel('% Diff Between High and Close')
plt.xlabel('% Price Change')
plt.hlines(.03252, -.5, -.05, color = 'red')

```

Out[386]: <matplotlib.collections.LineCollection at 0x126ede048>



Between % Change in Avocado Price and % Change in Volume of Transactions

Here we are trying to see if significant changes in avocado prices can impact the number of transactions that occur during the week.

```

In [387]: nonorg_combined['volume'].mean( )

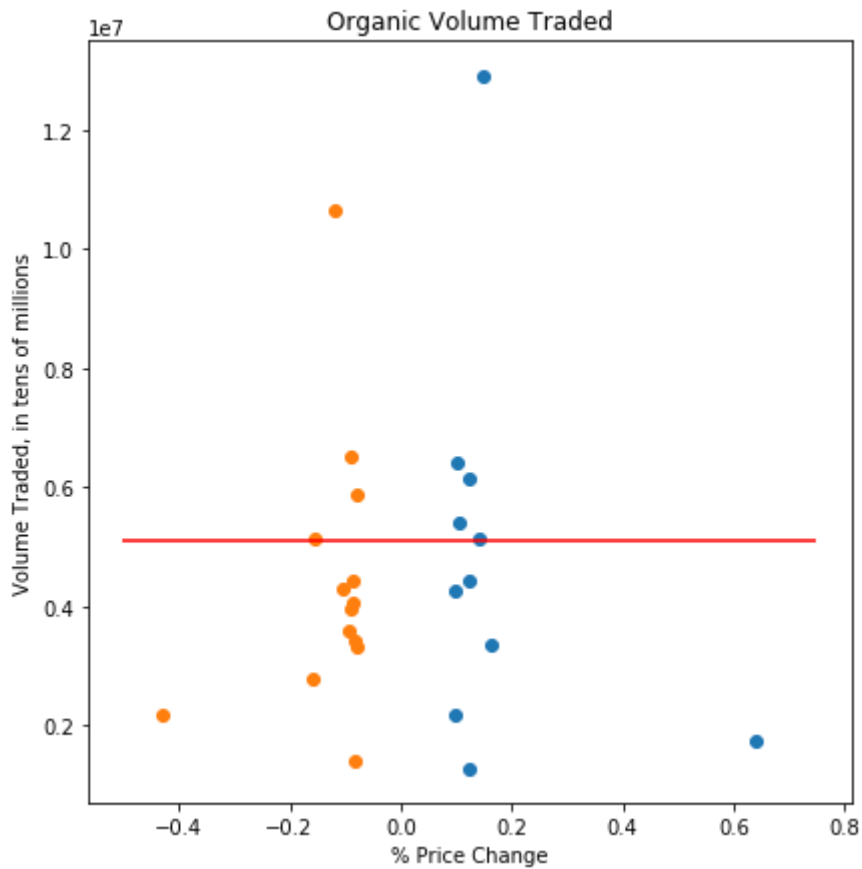
```

Out[387]: 5108740.928994083


```
In [403]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize = (15,7))

plt.subplot(122)
plt.scatter(org_sig_up['price % change'], org_sig_up['volume'])
plt.scatter(org_sig_down['price % change'], org_sig_down['volume'])
plt.title('Organic Volume Traded')
plt.ylabel('Volume Traded, in tens of millions')
plt.xlabel('% Price Change')
plt.hlines(5108741, -.5, .75, color = 'red')
```

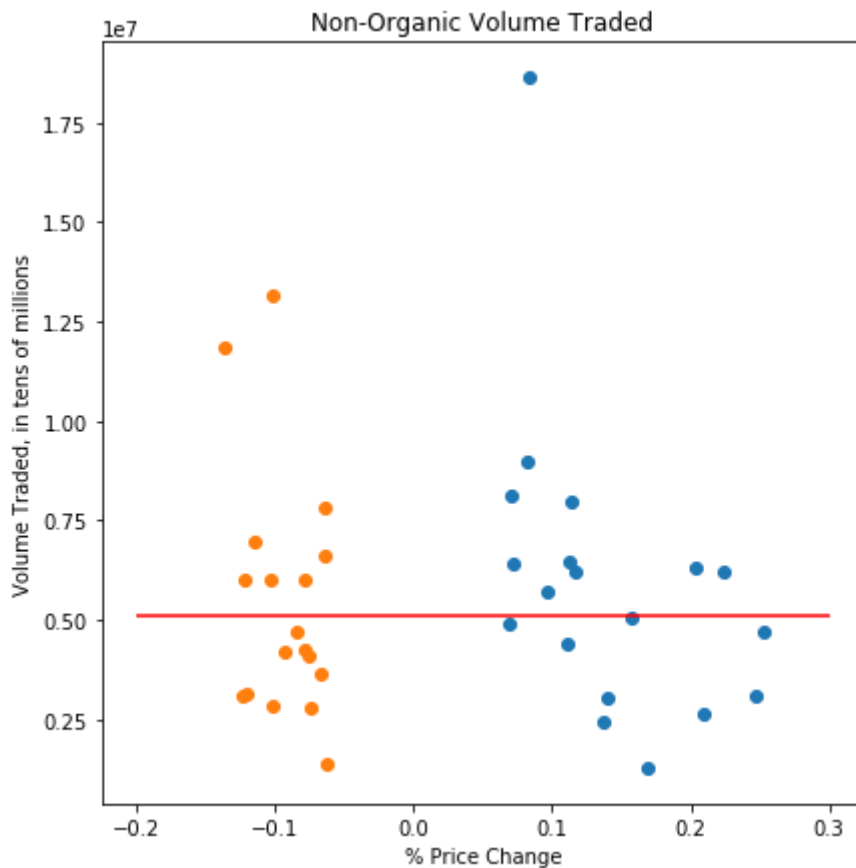
Out[403]: <matplotlib.collections.LineCollection at 0x12815deb8>



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In [402]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize = (15,7))

plt.subplot(122)
plt.scatter(nonorg_sig_up['price % change'], nonorg_sig_up['volume'])
plt.scatter(nonorg_sig_down['price % change'], nonorg_sig_down['volume'
])
plt.title('Non-Organic Volume Traded')
plt.ylabel('Volume Traded, in tens of millions')
plt.xlabel('% Price Change')
plt.hlines(5108741, -.2, .3, color = 'red')
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Summary

Looking at all three data comparisons observed, we draw the conclusion that we cannot observe a relationship between avocado prices and Chipotle trading price/activity; this is true for both organic and inorganic avocados.

In the comparison (scatter plot) between percent change of avocado prices and percent change of Chipotle's weekly average closing price, no correlation was observed. In a line graph with both percent change of Chipotle and avocado prices, the trend, over certain periods, seemed to positive instead of inverse - as in, Chipotle's share price would increase as avocado prices were increasing. This may be due to macroeconomic factors.

In the scatter plot that compared the change in avocado prices with the difference between the average share price and the high/low share price, no relationship could be seen again. On both graphs, I marked, with a line, the mean of the weekly difference between average share price and high/low share price, but the data points fell pretty equally on both sides of the line.

I took a similar approach to compare the change in avocado prices with the transaction volume. Marking the mean transaction volume per week, I saw that the number of transactions, again, for weeks where there was meaningful avocado price change, again fell on both sides of the line.

Therefore, I draw the conclusion that there is no **regular** relationship between avocado price and Chipotle share price. However, in situations where quarterly earnings are released that attribute higher earnings with lower avocado prices, it's possible that the share price will increase. The relationship between avocado and Chipotle price may not exist so concretely because, perhaps, people do not trade Chipotle's stock with avocado prices as a consistent factor/variable.

Lastly, I'd also like to acknowledge that perhaps the results may be different if I qualified meaningful change in avocado prices on its second standard deviation instead of its first.