Making Houses price prediction in Ames,lowa.

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Introduction

Ask a home buyer to describe their dream house, and they probably won't begin with the height of the basement, ceiling or the proximity to the railroad. But these factors could affect the price of homes dramatically. How much, how, where and why people buy certain house? To answer these questions, we will look at the Ames House Dataframe to establish trends and predict homes prices.

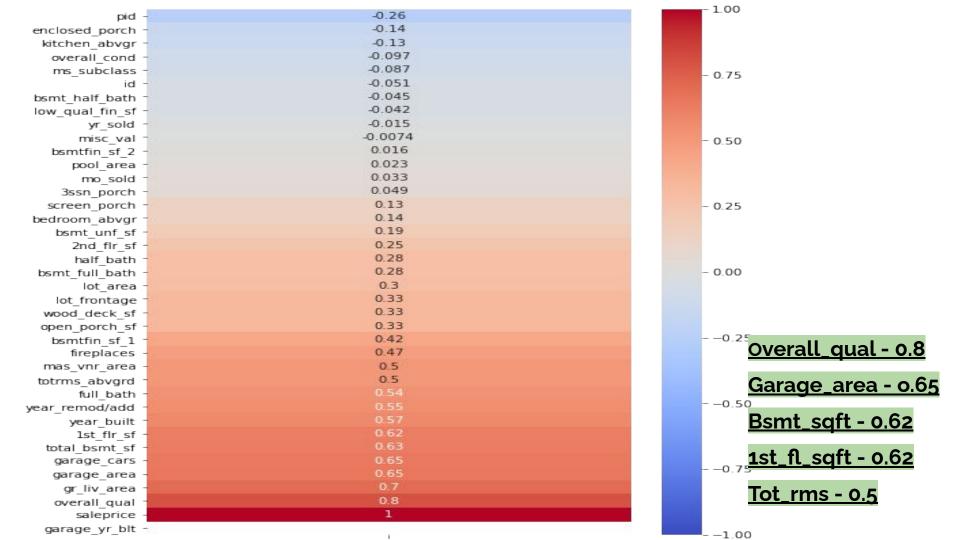


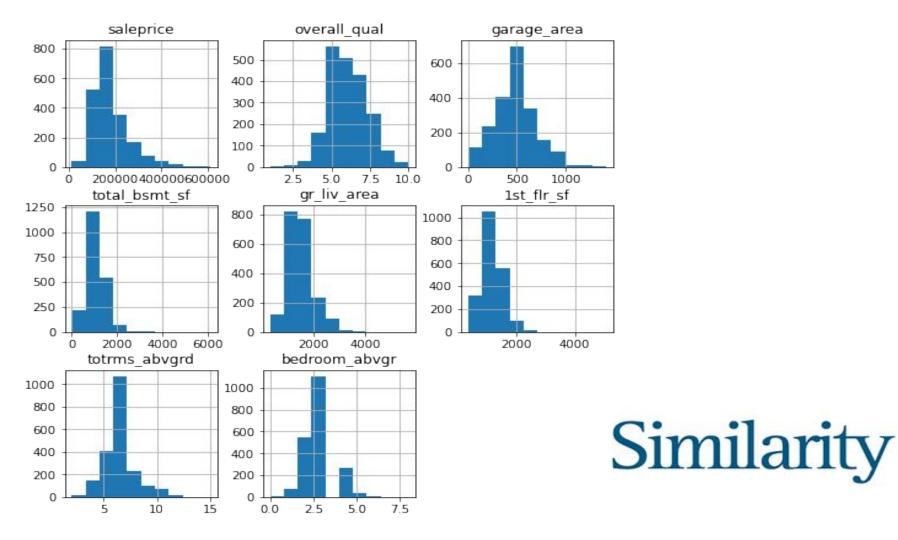


Approach

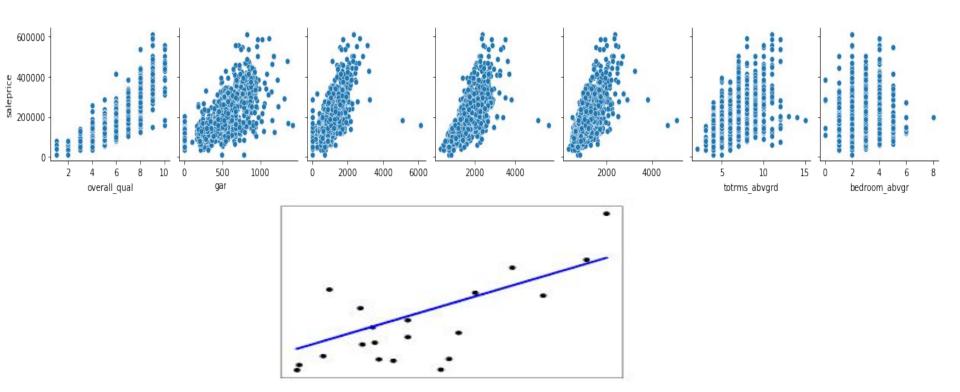
To predict the price I've used next techniques:

- → Data cleaning
- Dummies splits
- Check outliers function
- → Exploratory Data analysis (graphs, plots, heatmap, correlation tables)
- Price prediction (3 models were tested to predict the price: Linear Regression, Lasso and Ridge)

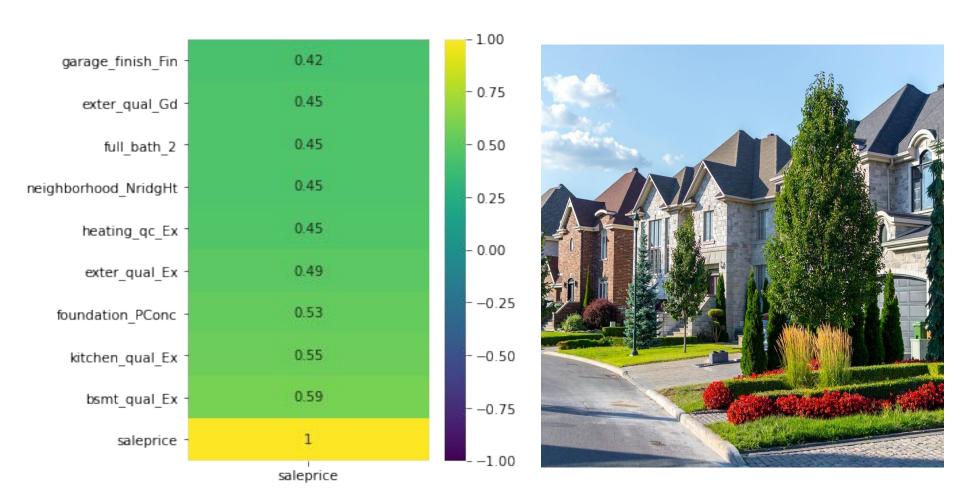




Model Preparation



Additional features from not numerical columns



Next features were chosen as best price predictors after model preparation process:

- overall_qual
- garage_area
- total_bsmt_sf
- gr_liv_area
- 1st_flr_sf
- totrms_abvgrd
- bsmt_qual_Ex
- bsmtfin_type_1_GLQ
- bsmt_exposure_Gd
- exter_qual_Ex
- kitchen_qual_Ex
- neighborhood_NridgHt
- central air Y
- fireplaces
- full_bath_2
- bedroom_abvgr
- bsmt_qual_Gd



Choosing the best model:

Linear Regression R2 training score 0.8243

R2 testing score 0.8814

Cross_val_score 0.8035

RMSE 26974.20

Lasso R2 training score 0.8244

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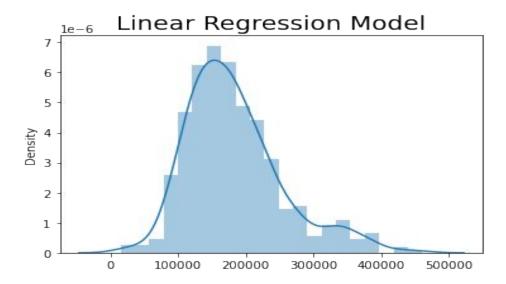
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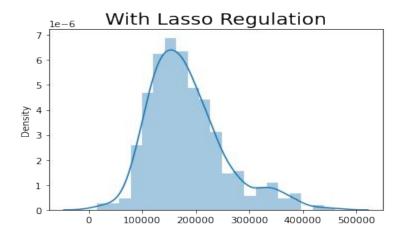
Ridge R2 training score 0.8244

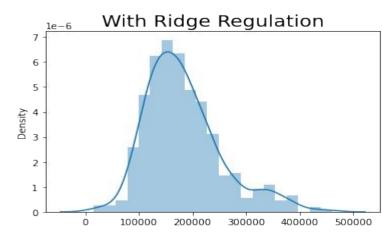
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I'd recommend 3-bedroom houses with two baths in Northridge neighborhood with excellent kitchen quality, paying particular attention to special attributes such as garage and basement sq ft.



Thank you for watching!

For more information and detailed explanation please, read my readme file in my notebook, especially conclusion part or contact me at

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