

Melbourne housing(Data Cleaning)

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Load the data:

In [5]: `import pandas as pd`

```
# Define the file path
melbourne_file_path = '/Users/admin/Downloads/melb_data.csv'

# Read the CSV data into a Pandas DataFrame
melbourne_data = pd.read_csv(melbourne_file_path)

# Display the first few rows of the DataFrame
print(melbourne_data.head())
```

	Suburb	Address	Rooms	Type	Price	Method	SellerG	\
0	Abbotsford	85 Turner St	2	h	1480000.0	S	Biggin	
1	Abbotsford	25 Bloomburg St	2	h	1035000.0	S	Biggin	
2	Abbotsford	5 Charles St	3	h	1465000.0	SP	Biggin	
3	Abbotsford	40 Federation La	3	h	850000.0	PI	Biggin	
4	Abbotsford	55a Park St	4	h	1600000.0	VB	Nelson	

	Date	Distance	Postcode	...	Bathroom	Car	Landsize	BuildingArea	\
0	3/12/2016	2.5	3067.0	...	1.0	1.0	202.0	NaN	
1	4/02/2016	2.5	3067.0	...	1.0	0.0	156.0	79.0	
2	4/03/2017	2.5	3067.0	...	2.0	0.0	134.0	150.0	
3	4/03/2017	2.5	3067.0	...	2.0	1.0	94.0	NaN	
4	4/06/2016	2.5	3067.0	...	1.0	2.0	120.0	142.0	

	YearBuilt	CouncilArea	Latitude	Longitude	Regionname	\
0	NaN	Yarra	-37.7996	144.9984	Northern Metropolitan	
1	1900.0	Yarra	-37.8079	144.9934	Northern Metropolitan	
2	1900.0	Yarra	-37.8093	144.9944	Northern Metropolitan	
3	NaN	Yarra	-37.7969	144.9969	Northern Metropolitan	
4	2014.0	Yarra	-37.8072	144.9941	Northern Metropolitan	

Examine our Data:

```
In [6]: # print a summary of the data in Melbourne data
melbourne_data.describe()
```

Out[6]:

	Rooms	Price	Distance	Postcode	Bedroom2	Bathroom	Car	Landsize	BuildingArea	YearBuilt	Latitude
count	13580.000000	1.358000e+04	13580.000000	13580.000000	13580.000000	13580.000000	13518.000000	13580.000000	7130.000000	8205.000000	13580.000000
mean	2.937997	1.075684e+06	10.137776	3105.301915	2.914728	1.534242	1.610075	558.416127	151.967650	1964.684217	-37.814560
std	0.955748	6.393107e+05	5.868725	90.676964	0.965921	0.691712	0.962634	3990.669241	541.014538	37.273762	0.054986
min	1.000000	8.500000e+04	0.000000	3000.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	1196.000000	-38.280130
25%	2.000000	6.500000e+05	6.100000	3044.000000	2.000000	1.000000	1.000000	177.000000	93.000000	1940.000000	-37.814560
50%	3.000000	9.030000e+05	9.200000	3084.000000	3.000000	1.000000	2.000000	440.000000	126.000000	1970.000000	-37.814560
75%	3.000000	1.330000e+06	13.000000	3148.000000	3.000000	2.000000	2.000000	651.000000	174.000000	1999.000000	-37.814560
max	10.000000	9.000000e+06	48.100000	3977.000000	20.000000	8.000000	10.000000	433014.000000	44515.000000	2018.000000	-37.814560

```
In [8]: # Examine data types
melbourne_data.dtypes
```

Out[8]: Suburb object
Address object
Rooms int64
Type object
Price float64
Method object
SellerG object
Date object
Distance float64
Postcode float64
Bedroom2 float64
Bathroom float64

Checked for Nulls:

```
In [9]: # Check for nulls  
melbourne_data.isnull().mean()
```

```
Out[9]: Suburb          0.000000  
Address        0.000000  
Rooms          0.000000  
Type           0.000000  
Price          0.000000  
Method         0.000000  
SellerG        0.000000  
Date           0.000000  
Distance       0.000000  
Postcode       0.000000  
Bedroom2       0.000000  
Bathroom       0.000000  
Car            0.004566  
Landsize       0.000000  
BuildingArea   0.474963  
YearBuilt      0.395803  
CouncilArea    0.100810  
Lattitude      0.000000  
Longitude      0.000000  
Regionname     0.000000  
Propertycount  0.000000  
dtype: float64
```

Processed Date:

```
In [10]: # Convert Date from string to datetime
melbourne_data["Date"] = pd.to_datetime(melbourne_data["Date"])
melbourne_data.dtypes

/var/folders/2j/nvmx9r313gq5c9b1ndl9hp200000gn/T/ipykernel_6520/3817734885.py:2: UserWarning: Parsing dates in DD/M
M/YYYY format when dayfirst=False (the default) was specified. This may lead to inconsistently parsed dates! Specif
y a format to ensure consistent parsing.
  melbourne_data["Date"] = pd.to_datetime(melbourne_data["Date"])

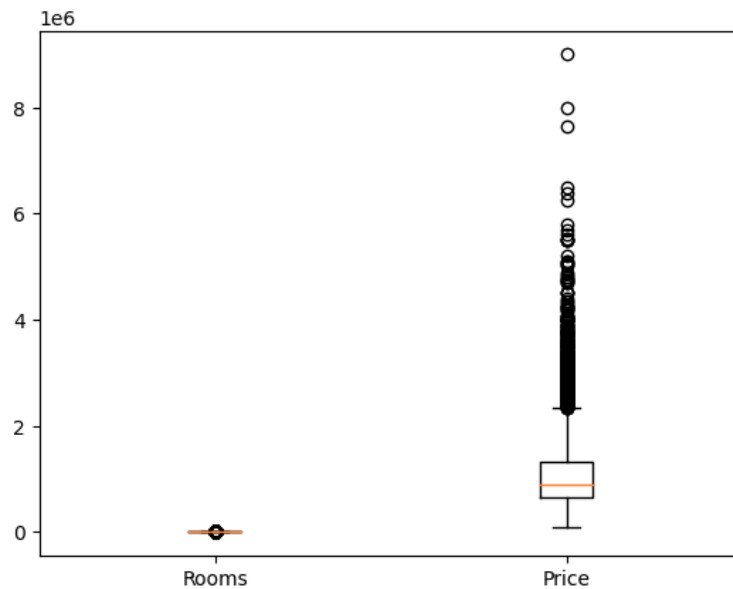
Out[10]: Suburb                object
Address                object
Rooms                  int64
Type                   object
Price                  float64
Method                 object
SellerG                object
Date                   datetime64[ns]
Distance               float64
Postcode               float64
Bedroom2               float64
Bathroom               float64
Car                    float64
Landsize               float64
BuildingArea           float64
YearBuilt              float64
CouncilArea            object
Latitude               float64
Longitude              float64
Regionname             object
Propertycount          float64
dtype: object
```

Plotted boxplot to identify outliers:

```
In [18]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

def boxPlotAll(data):
    plt.boxplot(data)
    plt.xticks(range(1, len(data.columns) + 1), data.columns)
    plt.show()

# Now you can use the function
boxPlotAll(melbourne_data[["Rooms", "Price"]])
```



Removed all columns containing nulls:

```
In [22]: # Remove columns containing nulls
melbourne_data_dropcols = melbourne_data.dropna(axis=1)
melbourne_data_dropcols
```

Out[22]:

	Suburb	Address	Rooms	Type	Price	Method	SellerG	Date	Distance	Postcode	Bedroom2	Bathroom	Landsize	Latitude	Longitude
0	Abbotsford	85 Turner St	2	h	1480000.0	S	Biggin	2016-03-12	2.5	3067.0	2.0	1.0	202.0	-37.79960	144.99840
1	Abbotsford	25 Bloomburg St	2	h	1035000.0	S	Biggin	2016-04-02	2.5	3067.0	2.0	1.0	156.0	-37.80790	144.99340
2	Abbotsford	5 Charles St	3	h	1465000.0	SP	Biggin	2017-04-03	2.5	3067.0	3.0	2.0	134.0	-37.80930	144.99440
3	Abbotsford	40 Federation La	3	h	850000.0	PI	Biggin	2017-04-03	2.5	3067.0	3.0	2.0	94.0	-37.79690	144.99690
4	Abbotsford	55a Park St	4	h	1600000.0	VB	Nelson	2016-04-06	2.5	3067.0	3.0	1.0	120.0	-37.80720	144.99410
...
1575	Wheelers Hill	12 Strada Cr	4	h	1245000.0	S	Barry	2017-08-26	16.7	3150.0	4.0	2.0	652.0	-37.90562	145.16761
1576	Williamstown	77 Merrett Dr	3	h	1031000.0	SP	Williams	2017-08-26	6.8	3016.0	3.0	2.0	333.0	-37.85927	144.87904
1577	Williamstown	83 Power St	3	h	1170000.0	S	Raine	2017-08-26	6.8	3016.0	3.0	2.0	436.0	-37.85274	144.88738
1578	Williamstown	96 Verdon St	4	h	2500000.0	PI	Sweeney	2017-08-26	6.8	3016.0	4.0	1.0	866.0	-37.85908	144.89299
1579	Yarraville	6 Agnes St	4	h	1285000.0	SP	Village	2017-08-26	6.3	3013.0	4.0	1.0	362.0	-37.81188	144.88449

580 rows x 17 columns

Removed all rows containing nulls:

```
In [25]: # Remove rows containing nulls
melbourne_data_droprows = melbourne_data.dropna()
melbourne_data_droprows
```

Out[25]:

	Suburb	Address	Rooms	Type	Price	Method	SellerG	Date	Distance	Postcode	...	Bathroom	Car	Landsize	BuildingArea	Yearl
1	Abbotsford	25 Bloomburg St	2	h	1035000.0	S	Biggin	2016-04-02	2.5	3067.0	...	1.0	0.0	156.0	79.00	19
2	Abbotsford	5 Charles St	3	h	1465000.0	SP	Biggin	2017-04-03	2.5	3067.0	...	2.0	0.0	134.0	150.00	19
4	Abbotsford	55a Park St	4	h	1600000.0	VB	Nelson	2016-04-06	2.5	3067.0	...	1.0	2.0	120.0	142.00	20
6	Abbotsford	124 Yarra St	3	h	1876000.0	S	Nelson	2016-07-05	2.5	3067.0	...	2.0	0.0	245.0	210.00	19
7	Abbotsford	98 Charles St	2	h	1636000.0	S	Nelson	2016-08-10	2.5	3067.0	...	1.0	2.0	256.0	107.00	18
...
12205	Whittlesea	30 Sherwin St	3	h	601000.0	S	Ray	2017-07-29	35.5	3757.0	...	2.0	1.0	972.0	149.00	19
12206	Williamstown	75 Cecil St	3	h	1050000.0	VB	Williams	2017-07-29	6.8	3016.0	...	1.0	0.0	179.0	115.00	18
12207	Williamstown	2/29 Dover Rd	1	u	385000.0	SP	Williams	2017-07-29	6.8	3016.0	...	1.0	1.0	0.0	35.64	19
12209	Windsor	201/152 Peel St	2	u	560000.0	PI	hockingstuart	2017-07-29	4.6	3181.0	...	1.0	1.0	0.0	61.60	20
12212	Yarraville	54 Pentland Pde	6	h	2450000.0	VB	Village	2017-07-29	6.3	3013.0	...	3.0	2.0	1087.0	388.50	19

6196 rows x 21 columns

Impute nulls with the mean for the column:

```
In [26]: mean = melbourne_data["BuildingArea"].mean() # calculate the mean for the column  
melbourne_data["BuildingArea"].fillna(value=mean) # replace nulls with the mean
```

```
Out[26]: 0      151.96765  
1      79.000000  
2      150.00000  
3      151.96765  
4      142.00000  
...  
13575   151.96765  
13576   133.00000  
13577   151.96765  
13578   157.00000  
13579   112.00000  
Name: BuildingArea, Length: 13580, dtype: float64
```

```
In [27]: median = melbourne_data["BuildingArea"].median() # calculate the median for the column  
melbourne_data["BuildingArea"].fillna(value=median) # replace nulls with the mean
```

```
Out[27]: 0      126.0  
1      79.0  
2      150.0  
3      126.0  
4      142.0  
...  
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13575   126.0  
13576   133.0  
13577   126.0  
13578   157.0  
13579   112.0  
Name: BuildingArea, Length: 13580, dtype: float64
```

Computed the mean of each region name, property size and year built:

```
In [31]: melbourne_data.groupby(['Regionname', 'Rooms', 'YearBuilt'])['Price'].mean()
```

```
Out[31]: Regionname      Rooms  YearBuilt      Price
Eastern Metropolitan    1      1960.0      409000.0
                  1970.0      382600.0
                  1992.0      421000.0
                  1999.0      1310000.0
                  2      1920.0      1320000.0
                  ...
Western Victoria        4      1986.0      320000.0
                  1990.0      347500.0
                  2004.0      420000.0
                  2010.0      456000.0
                  5      2000.0      710000.0
Name: Price, Length: 1296, dtype: float64
```

```
In [36]: melbourne_data.groupby(['Regionname', 'Rooms', 'YearBuilt'])['BuildingArea'].mean()
```

```
Out[36]: Regionname      Rooms  YearBuilt      BuildingArea
Eastern Metropolitan    1      1960.0          59.0
                  1970.0          NaN
                  1992.0          58.0
                  1999.0          NaN
                  2      1920.0         114.0
                  ...
Western Victoria        4      1986.0         200.0
                  1990.0         149.0
                  2004.0         199.5
                  2010.0         189.0
                  5      2000.0         280.0
Name: BuildingArea, Length: 1296, dtype: float64
```