King County House Sales Analysis

An Inspection of Housing Prices and Their Determinants

Methodology/Results:

- Began with nineteen data features to compare with price
- Narrowed down to three based on various statistical methods
- Sqft_living, latitude, and longitude all appear to be the most useful predictors for housing prices in King County.

Sqft_living

- Assumed to be living room size in square feet
- Chosen as a predictor over bathrooms, sqft_above, grade, sqft_living15
 - Strongly correlated features

Sqft_living

 Positive linear relationship between price and sqft_living



Recommendations Regarding Sqft_living

- Use large living rooms as indicator for higher house price
- Use smaller living rooms as indicator for lower house price
- Collect data on dwelling size, compare to sqft_living

Linear Relationships Between Price and Coordinates

Price/Latitude Relationship

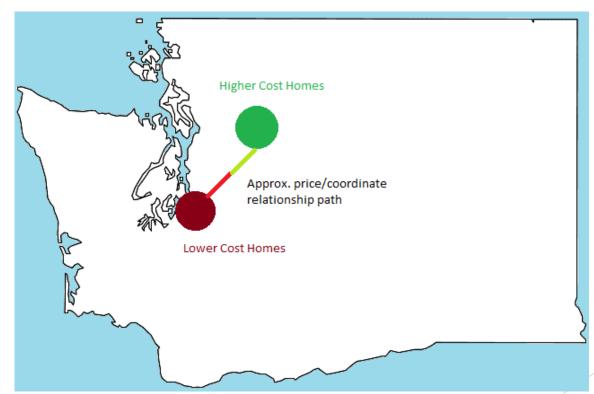


Price/Longitude Relationship



Recommendations Regarding Latitude/Longitude

- Pay attention to the Northeast area of the county for higher cost homes
- Look towards the Southwest section of the county for lower cost homes
- Collect location based data for further analysis



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Conclusion

Price seems most dependent on location and living room size

Thanks!

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