Florida Property Distress Score – Core Model (ATTOM-Only)

Purpose:

Compute a property distress score (0–100) for Florida residential real estate leads using only ATTOM APIs. All input addresses are pre-qualified as divorce-related, so no need to include a divorce flag. The model identifies financial, structural, and market-based seller distress using property-level and neighborhood-level data from ATTOM.

Inputs

• Street address, city, state, zip

🔌 ATTOM API Endpoints Used

- /property/detail basic property info (year built, property type)
- /attomavm/detail estimated property value (AVM)
- /mortgage/detail current mortgage amount
- /sale/snapshot local market trends (median DOM, inventory, turnover)
- /sale/comparable price change history, DOM
- /neighborhood/detail income, education, vacancy
- /neighborhood/crime crime index
- /neighborhood/hazard environmental risk (flood, hurricane, wind)

■ Distress Score Formula (Normalized 0–100)

Metric	Weight	Description
Loan-to-Value Ratio (LTV)	25%	Higher LTV = more financial pressure (Mortgage ÷ AVM)
DOM vs Median (DOM Index)	15%	Longer time-on-market signals trouble (Listing DOM ÷ Median DOM)
Price Reduction Index	15%	More/faster price drops = seller urgency (from comparable sales)
Foreclosure Indicator	10%	Presence of any pre-foreclosure/REO info
Neighborhood Hazard Risk	10%	High risk = fewer buyers, higher insurance, lower marketability
Year Built Risk	10%	Older buildings may face engineering/legal scrutiny in FL (e.g., >30 yrs)

Metric	Weight	Description
Crime Rate Index	5%	Higher crime = lower buyer demand, lower appraisal risk tolerance
Income & Vacancy Factors	10%	Low income + high vacancy area = market stress and fewer qualified buyers

Output

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"address": "123 Ocean Dr, Miami Beach, FL",
"distress_score": 78,
"estimated_discount_range": "10-15%",
"risk_breakdown": {
    "ltv": 23,
    "dom_index": 12,
    "price_cuts": 15,
    "foreclosure": 8,
    "hazard_risk": 7,
    "building_age": 5,
    "crime": 4,
    "income_vacancy": 4
}
```

Best Used For:

- Quick distress analysis with zero 3rd-party setup
- Consistent results across all addresses using existing ATTOM access