

# Price and sales - Avocados

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## 1 Avocado Prices

Historical data on avocado prices and sales volume in multiple US markets

This dataset is available on Kaggle: <https://www.kaggle.com/neuromusic/avocado-prices>

To get a better picture of what is going, we will answer the following questions:

- What are the regions which the avocado is most and least expensive?
- Has the volume sales of avocado increased between 2015 and 2018?
- Has the price of avocados increased between 2015 and 2018?
- How do organic vs conventional avocados vary in prices?
- What is the annual average price by region?

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[43]: Image('avacadopic.jpg')
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```
[2]: #Import useful libraries
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
import statistics as st
import numpy as np
from IPython.display import Image
```

1 - Data Importing

```
[4]: avocado = pd.read_csv("avocado.csv")
# Data visualization
avocado.head()
```

```
[4]: Unnamed: 0      Date  AveragePrice  Total Volume      4046      4225  \
0          0  2015-12-27          1.33      64236.62  1036.74  54454.85
1          1  2015-12-20          1.35      54876.98   674.28  44638.81
2          2  2015-12-13          0.93     118220.22   794.70 109149.67
3          3  2015-12-06          1.08      78992.15  1132.00   71976.41
4          4  2015-11-29          1.28      51039.60   941.48   43838.39
```

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      4770  Total Bags  Small Bags  Large Bags  XLarge Bags      type  \
0    48.16    8696.87    8603.62      93.25         0.0  conventional
1    58.33    9505.56    9408.07      97.49         0.0  conventional
2   130.50    8145.35    8042.21     103.14         0.0  conventional
3    72.58    5811.16    5677.40     133.76         0.0  conventional
4    75.78    6183.95    5986.26     197.69         0.0  conventional
```

```
      year  region
0    2015  Albany
1    2015  Albany
2    2015  Albany
3    2015  Albany
4    2015  Albany
```

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[5]: #option 2 in order to visualize the data
display(avocado)
```

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```

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...      ...      ...      ...      ...      ...
18244      7  2018-02-04          1.63      17074.83  2046.96   1529.20
18245      8  2018-01-28          1.71      13888.04  1191.70   3431.50
18246      9  2018-01-21          1.87      13766.76  1191.92   2452.79
18247     10  2018-01-14          1.93      16205.22  1527.63   2981.04
18248     11  2018-01-07          1.62      17489.58  2894.77   2356.13
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|       |        |          |          |        |     |         |
|-------|--------|----------|----------|--------|-----|---------|
| 18244 | 0.00   | 13498.67 | 13066.82 | 431.85 | 0.0 | organic |
| 18245 | 0.00   | 9264.84  | 8940.04  | 324.80 | 0.0 | organic |
| 18246 | 727.94 | 9394.11  | 9351.80  | 42.31  | 0.0 | organic |
| 18247 | 727.01 | 10969.54 | 10919.54 | 50.00  | 0.0 | organic |
| 18248 | 224.53 | 12014.15 | 11988.14 | 26.01  | 0.0 | organic |

|       |      |                  |
|-------|------|------------------|
|       | year | region           |
| 0     | 2015 | Albany           |
| 1     | 2015 | Albany           |
| 2     | 2015 | Albany           |
| 3     | 2015 | Albany           |
| 4     | 2015 | Albany           |
| ...   | ...  | ...              |
| 18244 | 2018 | WestTexNewMexico |
| 18245 | 2018 | WestTexNewMexico |
| 18246 | 2018 | WestTexNewMexico |
| 18247 | 2018 | WestTexNewMexico |
| 18248 | 2018 | WestTexNewMexico |

[18249 rows x 14 columns]

```
[20]: #check if there is nul values
avocado.info()
```

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<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 18249 entries, 0 to 18248
Data columns (total 14 columns):
#   Column          Non-Null Count  Dtype
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0   Unnamed: 0      18249 non-null  int64
1   Date            18249 non-null  object
2   AveragePrice    18249 non-null  float64
3   Total Volume    18249 non-null  float64
4   4046            18249 non-null  float64
5   4225            18249 non-null  float64
6   4770            18249 non-null  float64
7   Total Bags      18249 non-null  float64
8   Small Bags      18249 non-null  float64
9   Large Bags      18249 non-null  float64
10  XLarge Bags     18249 non-null  float64
11  type            18249 non-null  object
12  year            18249 non-null  int64
13  region          18249 non-null  object
dtypes: float64(9), int64(2), object(3)
memory usage: 1.9+ MB
```

```
[21]: avocado.describe()
```

```
[21]:
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|       | Unnamed: 0   | AveragePrice | Total Volume | 4046         | 4225         | \ |
|-------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---|
| count | 18249.000000 | 18249.000000 | 1.824900e+04 | 1.824900e+04 | 1.824900e+04 |   |
| mean  | 24.232232    | 1.405978     | 8.506440e+05 | 2.930084e+05 | 2.951546e+05 |   |
| std   | 15.481045    | 0.402677     | 3.453545e+06 | 1.264989e+06 | 1.204120e+06 |   |
| min   | 0.000000     | 0.440000     | 8.456000e+01 | 0.000000e+00 | 0.000000e+00 |   |
| 25%   | 10.000000    | 1.100000     | 1.083858e+04 | 8.540700e+02 | 3.008780e+03 |   |
| 50%   | 24.000000    | 1.370000     | 1.073768e+05 | 8.645300e+03 | 2.906102e+04 |   |
| 75%   | 38.000000    | 1.660000     | 4.329623e+05 | 1.110202e+05 | 1.502069e+05 |   |
| max   | 52.000000    | 3.250000     | 6.250565e+07 | 2.274362e+07 | 2.047057e+07 |   |

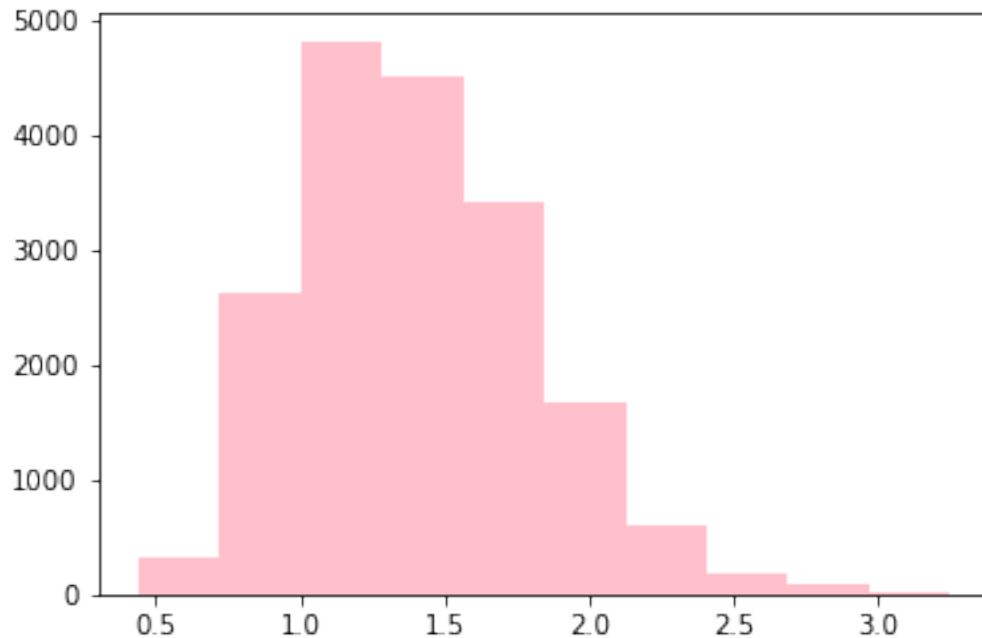
|       | 4770         | Total Bags   | Small Bags   | Large Bags   | XLarge Bags   | \ |
|-------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---|
| count | 1.824900e+04 | 1.824900e+04 | 1.824900e+04 | 1.824900e+04 | 18249.000000  |   |
| mean  | 2.283974e+04 | 2.396392e+05 | 1.821947e+05 | 5.433809e+04 | 3106.426507   |   |
| std   | 1.074641e+05 | 9.862424e+05 | 7.461785e+05 | 2.439660e+05 | 17692.894652  |   |
| min   | 0.000000e+00 | 0.000000e+00 | 0.000000e+00 | 0.000000e+00 | 0.000000      |   |
| 25%   | 0.000000e+00 | 5.088640e+03 | 2.849420e+03 | 1.274700e+02 | 0.000000      |   |
| 50%   | 1.849900e+02 | 3.974383e+04 | 2.636282e+04 | 2.647710e+03 | 0.000000      |   |
| 75%   | 6.243420e+03 | 1.107834e+05 | 8.333767e+04 | 2.202925e+04 | 132.500000    |   |
| max   | 2.546439e+06 | 1.937313e+07 | 1.338459e+07 | 5.719097e+06 | 551693.650000 |   |

|       | year         |
|-------|--------------|
| count | 18249.000000 |
| mean  | 2016.147899  |
| std   | 0.939938     |
| min   | 2015.000000  |
| 25%   | 2015.000000  |
| 50%   | 2016.000000  |
| 75%   | 2017.000000  |
| max   | 2018.000000  |

```
[8]: #Average Price
plt.hist(avocado['AveragePrice'],bins=10, histtype='bar', color='pink')
```

```
[8]: (array([ 331., 2632., 4824., 4506., 3412., 1672., 598., 177., 86.,
11.]),
array([0.44 , 0.721, 1.002, 1.283, 1.564, 1.845, 2.126, 2.407, 2.688,
2.969, 3.25 ]),
<BarContainer object of 10 artists>)
```



```
[23]: prices = avocado['AveragePrice']
      st.mean(prices)
```

```
[23]: 1.405978409775878
```

```
[24]: avocado['Total Volume'].sum(), avocado['4046'].sum() + avocado['4225'].sum() +
      ↪ avocado['4770'].sum()
```

```
[24]: (15523402593.400002, 11150188799.32)
```

```
[25]: #Conventional X Organic percentage
      type_data = (avocado['type'].value_counts()/avocado.shape[0])*100
      display(round(type_data,4))
```

```
conventional    50.0082
organic         49.9918
Name: type, dtype: float64
```

## 2 Question 1:

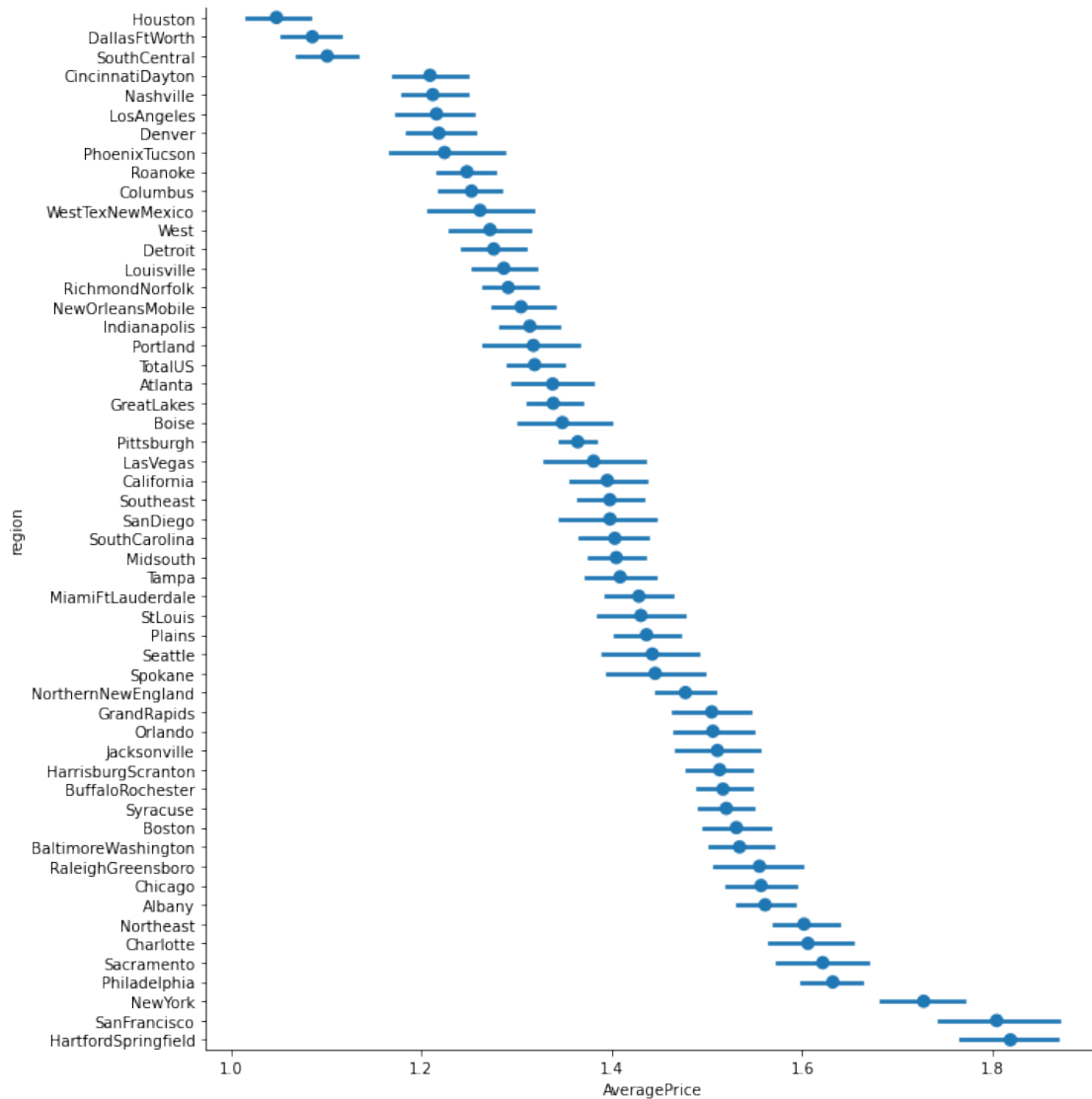
What are the regions which the avocado is most and least expensive?

```
[9]: #Ordering graph by region & average price
      order = (
          avocado.groupby('region')['AveragePrice']
                  .mean()
```

```
.sort_values()
.index)
```

```
[10]: #Graph comparing all regions with their mean/IQR prices
graph = sns.factorplot('AveragePrice', 'region', data=avocado,
                      size=10,
                      order=order,
                      join=False,)
```

```
C:\Users\ginna\anaconda3\lib\site-packages\seaborn\categorical.py:3704:
UserWarning: The `factorplot` function has been renamed to `catplot`. The
original name will be removed in a future release. Please update your code. Note
that the default `kind` in `factorplot` (`'point'`) has changed to `strip` in
`catplot`.
  warnings.warn(msg)
C:\Users\ginna\anaconda3\lib\site-packages\seaborn\categorical.py:3710:
UserWarning: The `size` parameter has been renamed to `height`; please update
your code.
  warnings.warn(msg, UserWarning)
C:\Users\ginna\anaconda3\lib\site-packages\seaborn\_decorators.py:36:
FutureWarning: Pass the following variables as keyword args: x, y. From version
0.12, the only valid positional argument will be `data`, and passing other
arguments without an explicit keyword will result in an error or
misinterpretation.
  warnings.warn(
```



#The graph above shows the Average Price in each analyzed region in US.

The TOP 3 most expensive regions for buying avocados are:

1-Hartford Springfield, 2 -San Francisco and 3 -New York

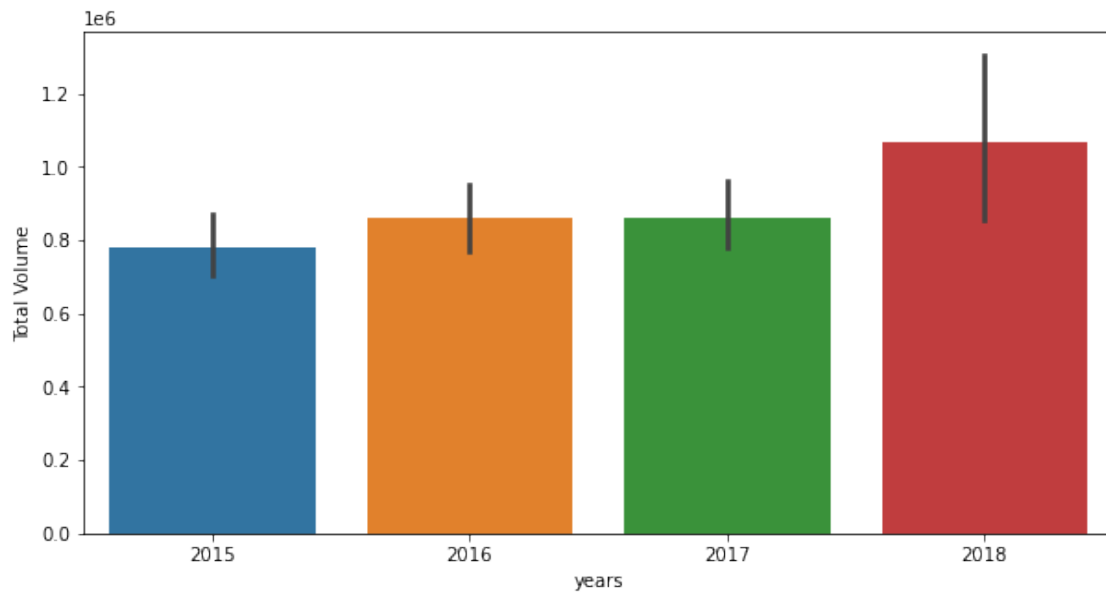
The TOP 3 least expensive regions for avocados are:

1- Houston, 2- Dallas Fort Worth and 3- South Central.

### 3 Question 2:

Has the volume sales of avocado increased between 2015 and 2018?

```
[28]: # plotting total volume x years
plt.figure(figsize=(10,5))
sns.barplot(x=avocado['year'],y=avocado['Total Volume'])
plt.xlabel('years')
plt.ylabel('Total Volume')
plt.show()
```

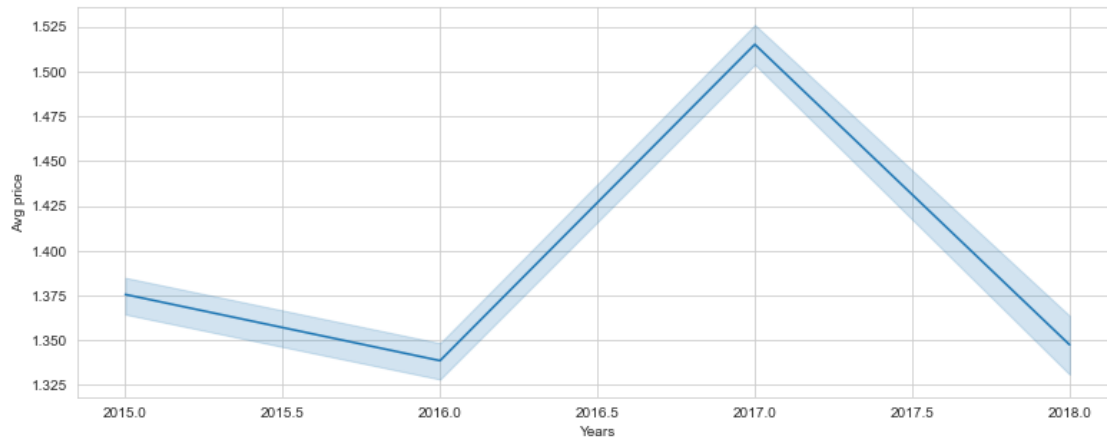


#### 4 Question 3:

Has the price of avocados increased between 2015 and 2018?

```
[40]: # plotting avg price x years
plt.figure(figsize=(13,5))
sns.lineplot(x=avocado['year'],y=avocado['AveragePrice'])
plt.xlabel('Years')
plt.ylabel('Avg price')
plt.show()
```





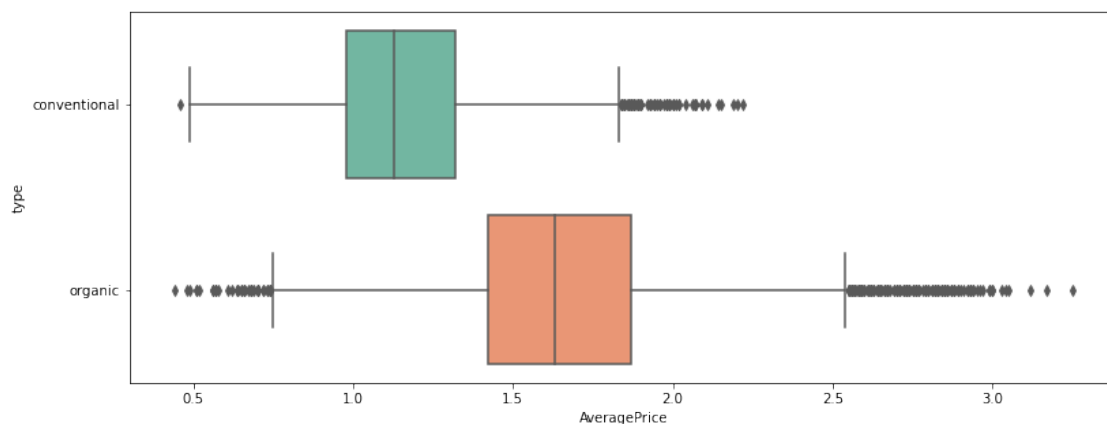
It can be seen that the Average Price had an increase in the beginning of 2017, which reached 1.52 dollar.

## 5 Question 4:

How do organic vs conventional avocados vary in prices?

```
[30]: # Analysing Type of avocado X Avg price
plt.figure(figsize=(13,5))
sns.boxplot(y="type", x="AveragePrice", data=avocado, palette = 'Set2')
```

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[30]: <AxesSubplot:xlabel='AveragePrice', ylabel='type'>
```



It can be seen that organic avocado is 0.5 dollar more expensive than conventional avocado.

## 6 Question 5:

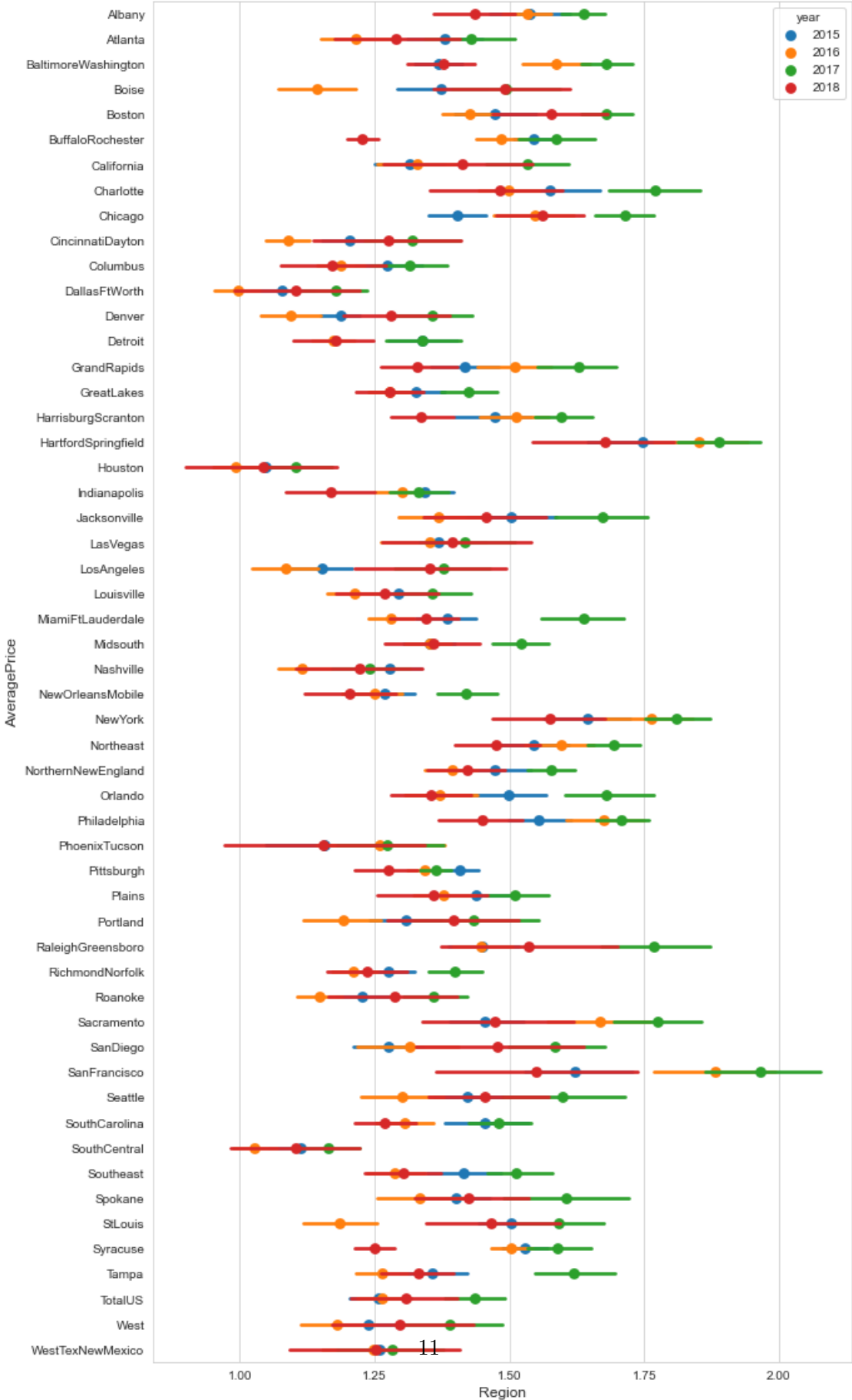
What is the annual average price by region?

```
[39]: # Annual Average price by region

plt.figure(figsize=(10,20))
sns.set_style('whitegrid')
sns.pointplot(x='AveragePrice',y='region',data=avocado, hue='year',join=False)
plt.xticks(np.linspace(1,2,5))
plt.xlabel('Region',{'fontsize' : 'large'})
plt.ylabel('AveragePrice',{'fontsize':'large'})
plt.title("Annual Average Price by Region',{'fontsize':20})
```

```
[39]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'Annual Average Price by Region')
```

Annual Average Price by Region



The green line shows that the Average Price in 2017 was most expensive in almost all regions.

```
[52]: Image('avocadopic2.jpg')
```

[52]:



## 7 Conclusions:

- Average price is 1,40
- Avocados Average price had an increase in the beginning of 2017
- Top 3 most expensive regions for avocados are: Hartford Springfield, San Francisco and New York
- Top 3 least expensive regions for avocados are: Houston, Dallas Fort Worth and South Central
- Organic avocado is 0.5 dollar more expensive than conventional avocado
- Average Price was more expensive in almost all regions in 2017
- The ideal region for millennial to live would be Houston, the region on USA where the average price was least expensive
- When it comes to Total Volume, 2018 holds the biggest volume
- Avocado has been more purchased over time