# **Problem Statement**

In this assignment students will build the random forest model after normalizing the variable to house pricing from boston data set.

Following the code to get data into the environment:

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In [16]: import numpy as np
    import pandas as pd
    import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
    import seaborn as sns
    from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
    from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
    from sklearn import datasets
    boston = datasets.load_boston()
    features = pd.DataFrame(boston.data, columns=boston.feature_names)
    targets = boston.target
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In [17]: features.head()

Out[17]:

	CRIM	ZN	INDUS	CHAS	NOX	RM	AGE	DIS	RAD	TAX	PTRATIO	В	LSTAT
0	6.32e-03	18.0	2.31	0.0	0.54	6.58	65.2	4.09	1.0	296.0	15.3	396.90	4.98
1	2.73e-02	0.0	7.07	0.0	0.47	6.42	78.9	4.97	2.0	242.0	17.8	396.90	9.14
2	2.73e-02	0.0	7.07	0.0	0.47	7.18	61.1	4.97	2.0	242.0	17.8	392.83	4.03
3	3.24e-02	0.0	2.18	0.0	0.46	7.00	45.8	6.06	3.0	222.0	18.7	394.63	2.94
4	6.91e-02	0.0	2.18	0.0	0.46	7.15	54.2	6.06	3.0	222.0	18.7	396.90	5.33

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In [18]: features.info()
         <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
         RangeIndex: 506 entries, 0 to 505
         Data columns (total 13 columns):
         CRIM
                     506 non-null float64
         ΖN
                     506 non-null float64
         INDUS
                     506 non-null float64
         CHAS
                     506 non-null float64
         NOX
                     506 non-null float64
         RM
                     506 non-null float64
         AGE
                     506 non-null float64
         DIS
                     506 non-null float64
         RAD
                     506 non-null float64
                     506 non-null float64
         TAX
         PTRATIO
                     506 non-null float64
                     506 non-null float64
         LSTAT
                     506 non-null float64
         dtypes: float64(13)
         memory usage: 51.5 KB
In [19]: features.isnull().sum()
Out[19]: CRIM
                     0
         ΖN
                     0
         INDUS
                     0
         CHAS
                     0
         NOX
                     0
         RM
                     0
                     0
         AGE
                     0
         DIS
                     0
         RAD
                     0
         TAX
         PTRATIO
                     0
         LSTAT
         dtype: int64
In [20]: targets.shape
Out[20]: (506,)
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In [21]: # Combining the data
names = ['CRIM','ZN','INDUS','CHAS','NOX','RM','AGE','DIS','RAD','TAX','PTRATIO','B','LSTAT','MEDV']
dataset = pd.DataFrame(data=np.c\_[boston['data'], boston['target']], columns=names )
dataset.head()

Out[21]:

	CRIM	ZN	INDUS	CHAS	NOX	RM	AGE	DIS	RAD	TAX	PTRATIO	В	LSTAT	MEDV
0	6.32e-03	18.0	2.31	0.0	0.54	6.58	65.2	4.09	1.0	296.0	15.3	396.90	4.98	24.0
1	2.73e-02	0.0	7.07	0.0	0.47	6.42	78.9	4.97	2.0	242.0	17.8	396.90	9.14	21.6
2	2.73e-02	0.0	7.07	0.0	0.47	7.18	61.1	4.97	2.0	242.0	17.8	392.83	4.03	34.7
3	3.24e-02	0.0	2.18	0.0	0.46	7.00	45.8	6.06	3.0	222.0	18.7	394.63	2.94	33.4
4	6.91e-02	0.0	2.18	0.0	0.46	7.15	54.2	6.06	3.0	222.0	18.7	396.90	5.33	36.2

Out[22]:

	CRIM	ZN	INDUS	CHAS	NOX	RM	AGE	DIS	RAD	TAX	PTRATIO	В	LSTAT	MEDV
count	5.06e+02	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00
mean	3.59e+00	11.36	11.14	0.07	0.55	6.28	68.57	3.80	9.55	408.24	18.46	356.67	12.65	22.53
std	8.60e+00	23.32	6.86	0.25	0.12	0.70	28.15	2.11	8.71	168.54	2.16	91.29	7.14	9.20
min	6.32e-03	0.00	0.46	0.00	0.39	3.56	2.90	1.13	1.00	187.00	12.60	0.32	1.73	5.00
25%	8.20e-02	0.00	5.19	0.00	0.45	5.89	45.02	2.10	4.00	279.00	17.40	375.38	6.95	17.02
50%	2.57e-01	0.00	9.69	0.00	0.54	6.21	77.50	3.21	5.00	330.00	19.05	391.44	11.36	21.20
75%	3.65e+00	12.50	18.10	0.00	0.62	6.62	94.07	5.19	24.00	666.00	20.20	396.23	16.96	25.00
max	8.90e+01	100.00	27.74	1.00	0.87	8.78	100.00	12.13	24.00	711.00	22.00	396.90	37.97	50.00

In [23]: # descriptions
 pd.set\_option('precision', 1)
 dataset.describe()

Out[23]:

	CRIM	ZN	INDUS	CHAS	NOX	RM	AGE	DIS	RAD	TAX	PTRATIO	В	LSTAT	MEDV
count	5.1e+02	506.0	506.0	5.1e+02	506.0	506.0	506.0	506.0	506.0	506.0	506.0	506.0	506.0	506.0
mean	3.6e+00	11.4	11.1	6.9e-02	0.6	6.3	68.6	3.8	9.5	408.2	18.5	356.7	12.7	22.5
std	8.6e+00	23.3	6.9	2.5e-01	0.1	0.7	28.1	2.1	8.7	168.5	2.2	91.3	7.1	9.2
min	6.3e-03	0.0	0.5	0.0e+00	0.4	3.6	2.9	1.1	1.0	187.0	12.6	0.3	1.7	5.0
25%	8.2e-02	0.0	5.2	0.0e+00	0.4	5.9	45.0	2.1	4.0	279.0	17.4	375.4	6.9	17.0
50%	2.6e-01	0.0	9.7	0.0e+00	0.5	6.2	77.5	3.2	5.0	330.0	19.1	391.4	11.4	21.2
75%	3.6e+00	12.5	18.1	0.0e+00	0.6	6.6	94.1	5.2	24.0	666.0	20.2	396.2	17.0	25.0
max	8.9e+01	100.0	27.7	1.0e+00	0.9	8.8	100.0	12.1	24.0	711.0	22.0	396.9	38.0	50.0

In [24]: # descriptions
 pd.set\_option('precision', 2)
 dataset.describe()

Out[24]:

	CRIM	ZN	INDUS	CHAS	NOX	RM	AGE	DIS	RAD	TAX	PTRATIO	В	LSTAT	MEDV
count	5.06e+02	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00	506.00
mean	3.59e+00	11.36	11.14	0.07	0.55	6.28	68.57	3.80	9.55	408.24	18.46	356.67	12.65	22.53
std	8.60e+00	23.32	6.86	0.25	0.12	0.70	28.15	2.11	8.71	168.54	2.16	91.29	7.14	9.20
min	6.32e-03	0.00	0.46	0.00	0.39	3.56	2.90	1.13	1.00	187.00	12.60	0.32	1.73	5.00
25%	8.20e-02	0.00	5.19	0.00	0.45	5.89	45.02	2.10	4.00	279.00	17.40	375.38	6.95	17.02
50%	2.57e-01	0.00	9.69	0.00	0.54	6.21	77.50	3.21	5.00	330.00	19.05	391.44	11.36	21.20
75%	3.65e+00	12.50	18.10	0.00	0.62	6.62	94.07	5.19	24.00	666.00	20.20	396.23	16.96	25.00
max	8.90e+01	100.00	27.74	1.00	0.87	8.78	100.00	12.13	24.00	711.00	22.00	396.90	37.97	50.00

In [30]: #sns.pairplot(dataset)

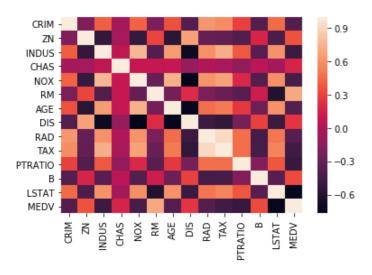
In [26]: corr = dataset.corr() corr

Out[26]:

	CRIM	ZN	INDUS	CHAS	NOX	RM	AGE	DIS	RAD	TAX	PTRATIO	В	LSTAT	MEDV
CRIM	1.00	-0.20	0.40	-5.53e-02	0.42	-0.22	0.35	-0.38	6.22e-01	0.58	0.29	-0.38	0.45	-0.39
ZN	-0.20	1.00	-0.53	-4.27e-02	-0.52	0.31	-0.57	0.66	-3.12e-01	-0.31	-0.39	0.18	-0.41	0.36
INDUS	0.40	-0.53	1.00	6.29e-02	0.76	-0.39	0.64	-0.71	5.95e-01	0.72	0.38	-0.36	0.60	-0.48
CHAS	-0.06	-0.04	0.06	1.00e+00	0.09	0.09	0.09	-0.10	-7.37e-03	-0.04	-0.12	0.05	-0.05	0.18
NOX	0.42	-0.52	0.76	9.12e-02	1.00	-0.30	0.73	-0.77	6.11e-01	0.67	0.19	-0.38	0.59	-0.43
RM	-0.22	0.31	-0.39	9.13e-02	-0.30	1.00	-0.24	0.21	-2.10e-01	-0.29	-0.36	0.13	-0.61	0.70
AGE	0.35	-0.57	0.64	8.65e-02	0.73	-0.24	1.00	-0.75	4.56e-01	0.51	0.26	-0.27	0.60	-0.38
DIS	-0.38	0.66	-0.71	-9.92e-02	-0.77	0.21	-0.75	1.00	-4.95e-01	-0.53	-0.23	0.29	-0.50	0.25
RAD	0.62	-0.31	0.60	-7.37e-03	0.61	-0.21	0.46	-0.49	1.00e+00	0.91	0.46	-0.44	0.49	-0.38
TAX	0.58	-0.31	0.72	-3.56e-02	0.67	-0.29	0.51	-0.53	9.10e-01	1.00	0.46	-0.44	0.54	-0.47
PTRATIO	0.29	-0.39	0.38	-1.22e-01	0.19	-0.36	0.26	-0.23	4.65e-01	0.46	1.00	-0.18	0.37	-0.51
В	-0.38	0.18	-0.36	4.88e-02	-0.38	0.13	-0.27	0.29	-4.44e-01	-0.44	-0.18	1.00	-0.37	0.33
LSTAT	0.45	-0.41	0.60	-5.39e-02	0.59	-0.61	0.60	-0.50	4.89e-01	0.54	0.37	-0.37	1.00	-0.74
MEDV	-0.39	0.36	-0.48	1.75e-01	-0.43	0.70	-0.38	0.25	-3.82e-01	-0.47	-0.51	0.33	-0.74	1.00

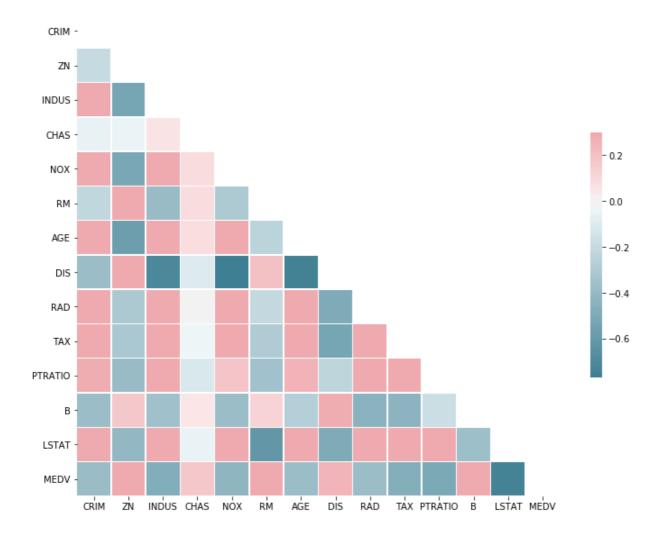
In [27]: sns.heatmap(corr)

Out[27]: <matplotlib.axes.\_subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x1ab758b23c8>



In [ ]:

Out[28]: <matplotlib.axes.\_subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x1ab77561f28>



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In [29]: print( boston.DESCR )
         Boston House Prices dataset
         Notes
         ____
         Data Set Characteristics:
             :Number of Instances: 506
             :Number of Attributes: 13 numeric/categorical predictive
             :Median Value (attribute 14) is usually the target
             :Attribute Information (in order):
                 - CRIM
                            per capita crime rate by town
                 - ZN
                            proportion of residential land zoned for lots over 25,000 sq.ft.
                 - INDUS
                            proportion of non-retail business acres per town
                 - CHAS
                            Charles River dummy variable (= 1 if tract bounds river; 0 otherwise)
                 - NOX
                            nitric oxides concentration (parts per 10 million)
                 - RM
                            average number of rooms per dwelling
                 - AGE
                            proportion of owner-occupied units built prior to 1940
                 - DIS
                            weighted distances to five Boston employment centres
                 - RAD
                            index of accessibility to radial highways
                 - TAX
                            full-value property-tax rate per $10,000
                 - PTRATIO pupil-teacher ratio by town
                            1000(Bk - 0.63)^2 where Bk is the proportion of blacks by town

    LSTAT

                            % lower status of the population

    MEDV

                            Median value of owner-occupied homes in $1000's
             :Missing Attribute Values: None
             :Creator: Harrison, D. and Rubinfeld, D.L.
         This is a copy of UCI ML housing dataset.
         http://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/Housing (http://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/Housing)
         This dataset was taken from the StatLib library which is maintained at Carnegie Mellon University.
         The Boston house-price data of Harrison, D. and Rubinfeld, D.L. 'Hedonic
         prices and the demand for clean air', J. Environ. Economics & Management,
         vol.5, 81-102, 1978. Used in Belsley, Kuh & Welsch, 'Regression diagnostics
         ...', Wiley, 1980. N.B. Various transformations are used in the table on
         pages 244-261 of the latter.
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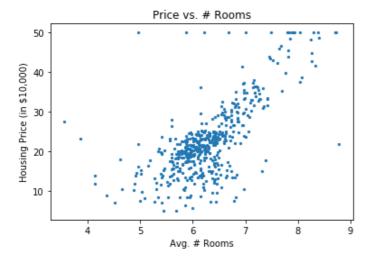
The Boston house-price data has been used in many machine learning papers that address regression problems.

### \*\*References\*\*

- Belsley, Kuh & Welsch, 'Regression diagnostics: Identifying Influential Data and Sources of Collinearity', Wiley, 1980. 244-261.
- Quinlan, R. (1993). Combining Instance-Based and Model-Based Learning. In Proceedings on the Tenth International Conference of Machine Learning, 236-243, University of Massachusetts, Amherst. Morgan Kaufmann.
  - many more! (see http://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/Housing) (http://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/Housing))

```
In [35]: # Drawing the chart between Price vs average no of rooms.
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
%matplotlib inline
plt.scatter( dataset['RM'], dataset['MEDV'], s=5 )
plt.xlabel( "Avg. # Rooms" )
plt.ylabel( "Housing Price (in $10,000)" )
plt.title( "Price vs. # Rooms")
```

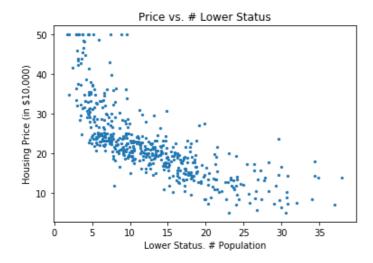
## Out[35]: Text(0.5,1,'Price vs. # Rooms')



This shows that increase in average no of rooms increase the price also

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In [42]: # Drawing the chart between Price vs average no of rooms.
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
%matplotlib inline
plt.scatter( dataset['LSTAT'], dataset['MEDV'], s=5)
plt.xlabel( "Lower Status. # Population" )
plt.ylabel( "Housing Price (in $10,000)" )
plt.title( "Price vs. # Lower Status")
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Out[42]: Text(0.5,1,'Price vs. # Lower Status')



More is the Lower Status of Populaton, lesser is the price

We are not plotting graph for others as its value are not co-related to the Price Negatively or Positively

# **Data Preprocessing**

### Splitting the data

```
In [61]: X = dataset.drop('LSTAT', axis=1)
y = dataset['LSTAT']
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size = 0.2, random_state = 10)
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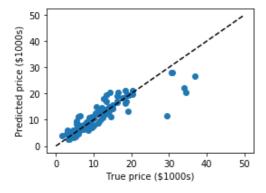
```
In [62]: from sklearn.ensemble import GradientBoostingRegressor

clf = GradientBoostingRegressor()
    clf.fit(X_train, y_train)

y_train_pred = clf.predict(X_train)

predicted = clf.predict(X_test)
    y_test_pred = predicted
    expected = y_test

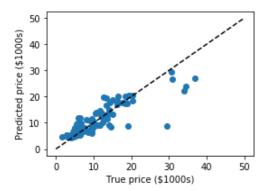
plt.figure(figsize=(4, 3))
    plt.scatter(expected, predicted)
    plt.plot([0, 50], [0, 50], '--k')
    plt.axis('tight')
    plt.xlabel('True price ($1000s)')
    plt.ylabel('Predicted price ($1000s)')
    plt.tight_layout()
```



# In [64]: import math from math import sqrt # Importing Regression Metrics - Performance Evaluation from sklearn.metrics import mean\_squared\_error from sklearn.metrics import r2\_score print('GradientBoostingRegressor -', 'RMSE Train:', math.sqrt(mean\_squared\_error(y\_train\_pred, y\_train))) print('GradientBoostingRegressor -', 'RMSE Test:' ,math.sqrt(mean\_squared\_error(y\_test\_pred, y\_test))) print('GradientBoostingRegressor -', 'R2\_score Train:', r2\_score(y\_train\_pred, y\_train)) print('GradientBoostingRegressor -', 'R2\_score Test:' ,r2\_score(y\_test\_pred, y\_test))

```
GradientBoostingRegressor - RMSE Train: 1.6537539141392041
GradientBoostingRegressor - RMSE Test: 3.454942596221226
GradientBoostingRegressor - R2_score Train: 0.9372409354164829
GradientBoostingRegressor - R2_score Test: 0.6568459385504346
```

```
'''from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestRegressor
In [65]:
             from sklearn.cross validation import cross val score, ShuffleSplit
             boston = load_boston()
             X = boston["data"]
             Y = boston["target"]
             names = boston["feature names"]
             rf = RandomForestRegressor(n estimators=20, max depth=4)
             scores = []
             for i in range(X.shape[1]):
                 score = cross val score(rf, X[:, i:i + 1],
                                         Y, scoring="r2", cv=ShuffleSplit(len(X), 3, .3))
                 scores.append((round(np.mean(score), 3), names[i]))
             print sorted(scores, reverse=True)
         from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestRegressor
         clf = RandomForestRegressor(n estimators=20, max depth=4)
         clf.fit(X train, y train)
         y_train_pred = clf.predict(X_train)
         predicted = clf.predict(X_test)
         y test pred = predicted
         expected = y_test
         plt.figure(figsize=(4, 3))
         plt.scatter(expected, predicted)
         plt.plot([0, 50], [0, 50], '--k')
         plt.axis('tight')
         plt.xlabel('True price ($1000s)')
         plt.ylabel('Predicted price ($1000s)')
         plt.tight layout()
```



```
In [66]: print('Random Forest Regresson -', 'RMSE Train:', math.sqrt(mean_squared_error(y_train_pred, y_train)))
    print('Random Forest Regresson -', 'RMSE Test:' ,math.sqrt(mean_squared_error(y_test_pred, y_test)))
    print('Random Forest Regresson -', 'R2_score Train:', r2_score(y_train_pred, y_train))
    print('Random Forest Regresson -', 'R2_score Test:' ,r2_score(y_test_pred, y_test))

Random Forest Regresson - RMSE Train: 2.6275844186846284
    Random Forest Regresson - RMSE Test: 3.7783922769719287
    Random Forest Regresson - R2_score Train: 0.8164160478334849
    Random Forest Regresson - R2_score Test: 0.5632285769990709
In []:
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