

# Data Exploration DATA621 Final

## Modeling Housing Prices

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### Abstract

This document provides an introduction to R Markdown, argues for its...

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keywords: “pandoc, r markdown, knitr”

## 1. Introduction (Jaan)

### Data Set Origin

### Variables

### Cases

Describe the background and motivation of your problem.

Number of complete cases original: 0

Number of complete cases after repairing known NA's: 2,861 ( $\approx 98\%$ )

Number of true NA's: 58

## 2. Data Exploration (Kai)

## 3. Data Preparation (Kyle)

“The ggplot2 package is used to plot images in layers (Wickham 2009).” “You have to reference the” Wickham (2009) R Core Team (2015) Chang et al. (2015)

### Missing Value Imputation

Literature review

Methodology

### Variable Transformations

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## 4. Modeling (????)

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## 5. Model Selection, Diagnostics & Conclusions (Ilya)

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## Appendix

### Tables & Outputs

|    |           |               |          |      |      |
|----|-----------|---------------|----------|------|------|
| ## | tidyverse | knitr         | ggthemes | mice | VIM  |
| ## | TRUE      | TRUE          | TRUE     | TRUE | TRUE |
| ## | RCurl     | knitcitations |          |      |      |
| ## | TRUE      | TRUE          |          |      |      |

| Variable    | NA_qty | Pct_of_Tot |
|-------------|--------|------------|
| PoolQC      | 2909   | 99.66      |
| MiscFeature | 2814   | 96.40      |
| Alley       | 2721   | 93.22      |
| Fence       | 2348   | 80.44      |
| FireplaceQu | 1420   | 48.65      |
| LotFrontage | 486    | 16.65      |
| GarageYrBlt | 159    | 5.45       |

| Variable       | NA_qty | Pct_of_Tot |
|----------------|--------|------------|
| GarageFinish   | 159    | 5.45       |
| GarageQual     | 159    | 5.45       |
| GarageCond     | 159    | 5.45       |
| Garage_Age_Yrs | 159    | 5.45       |
| GarageType     | 157    | 5.38       |
| BsmtCond       | 82     | 2.81       |
| BsmtExposure   | 82     | 2.81       |
| BsmtQual       | 81     | 2.77       |
| BsmtFinType2   | 80     | 2.74       |
| BsmtFinType1   | 79     | 2.71       |
| MasVnrType     | 24     | 0.82       |
| MasVnrArea     | 23     | 0.79       |
| MSZoning       | 4      | 0.14       |
| Utilities      | 2      | 0.07       |
| BsmtFullBath   | 2      | 0.07       |
| BsmtHalfBath   | 2      | 0.07       |
| Functional     | 2      | 0.07       |
| Exterior1st    | 1      | 0.03       |
| Exterior2nd    | 1      | 0.03       |
| BsmtFinSF1     | 1      | 0.03       |
| BsmtFinSF2     | 1      | 0.03       |
| BsmtUnfSF      | 1      | 0.03       |
| TotalBsmtSF    | 1      | 0.03       |
| Electrical     | 1      | 0.03       |
| KitchenQual    | 1      | 0.03       |
| GarageCars     | 1      | 0.03       |
| GarageArea     | 1      | 0.03       |
| SaleType       | 1      | 0.03       |

| Variable       | NA_qty | Pct_of_Tot |
|----------------|--------|------------|
| PoolQC         | 2887   | 99.65      |
| MiscFeature    | 2793   | 96.41      |
| Alley          | 2700   | 93.20      |
| Fence          | 2331   | 80.46      |
| FireplaceQu    | 1414   | 48.81      |
| LotFrontage    | 486    | 16.78      |
| GarageYrBlt    | 158    | 5.45       |
| GarageFinish   | 158    | 5.45       |
| GarageQual     | 158    | 5.45       |
| GarageCond     | 158    | 5.45       |
| Garage_Age_Yrs | 158    | 5.45       |
| GarageType     | 157    | 5.42       |
| BsmtQual       | 78     | 2.69       |
| BsmtCond       | 78     | 2.69       |
| BsmtExposure   | 78     | 2.69       |
| BsmtFinType1   | 78     | 2.69       |
| BsmtFinType2   | 78     | 2.69       |
| MasVnrType     | 23     | 0.79       |
| MasVnrArea     | 22     | 0.76       |
| MSZoning       | 4      | 0.14       |
| Utilities      | 2      | 0.07       |

| Variable     | NA_qty | Pct_of_Tot |
|--------------|--------|------------|
| BsmtFullBath | 2      | 0.07       |
| BsmtHalfBath | 2      | 0.07       |
| Functional   | 2      | 0.07       |
| Exterior1st  | 1      | 0.03       |
| Exterior2nd  | 1      | 0.03       |
| BsmtFinSF1   | 1      | 0.03       |
| BsmtFinSF2   | 1      | 0.03       |
| BsmtUnfSF    | 1      | 0.03       |
| TotalBsmtSF  | 1      | 0.03       |
| Electrical   | 1      | 0.03       |
| KitchenQual  | 1      | 0.03       |
| GarageCars   | 1      | 0.03       |
| GarageArea   | 1      | 0.03       |
| SaleType     | 1      | 0.03       |

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##      Id      MSSubClass      MSZoning      LotFrontage
##  Min.   : 1.0    Min.   : 20.00    C (all): 25    Min.   : 0.00
##  1st Qu.: 730.5  1st Qu.: 20.00    FV      : 139   1st Qu.: 43.00
##  Median :1460.0  Median : 50.00    RH      : 26    Median : 63.00
##  Mean   :1460.0  Mean   : 57.14    RL      :2265   Mean   : 57.77
##  3rd Qu.:2189.5  3rd Qu.: 70.00    RM      : 460   3rd Qu.: 78.00
##  Max.   :2919.0  Max.   :190.00    NA's    : 4     Max.   :313.00
##
##      LotArea      Street      Alley      LotShape      LandContour
##  Min.   : 1300    Grvl: 12    Grvl: 120   IR1: 968    Bnk: 117
##  1st Qu.: 7478    Pave:2907   Pave: 78    IR2: 76     HLS: 120
##  Median : 9453                    NoA :2700    IR3: 16     Low: 60
##  Mean   : 10168                    NA's: 21    Reg:1859    Lvl:2622
##  3rd Qu.: 11570
##  Max.   :215245
##
##      Utilities      LotConfig      LandSlope      Neighborhood      Condition1
##  AllPub:2916    Corner : 511    Gtl:2778    Names : 443    Norm :2511
##  NoSeWa: 1      CulDSac: 176    Mod: 125    CollgCr: 267    Feedr : 164
##  NA's : 2      FR2 : 85      Sev: 16     OldTown: 239    Artery : 92
##                      FR3 : 14                      Edwards: 194    RRAn : 50
##                      Inside :2133                    Somerst: 182    PosN : 39
##                      NridgHt: 166    RRAe : 28
##                      (Other):1428    (Other): 35
##
##      Condition2      BldgType      HouseStyle      OverallQual
##  Norm :2889      1Fam :2425      1Story :1471    Min. : 1.000
##  Feedr : 13      2fmCon: 62      2Story : 872    1st Qu.: 5.000
##  Artery : 5      Duplex: 109      1.5Fin : 314    Median : 6.000
##  PosA : 4      Twnhs : 96      SLvl : 128      Mean : 6.089
##  PosN : 4      TwnhsE: 227      SFoyer : 83     3rd Qu.: 7.000
##  RRNn : 2                      2.5Unf : 24     Max. :10.000
##  (Other): 2                      (Other): 27
##
##      OverallCond      YearBuilt      YearRemodAdd      RoofStyle
##  Min. :1.000    Min. :1872    Min. :1950    Flat : 20
##  1st Qu.:5.000  1st Qu.:1954  1st Qu.:1965  Gable :2310
##  Median :5.000  Median :1973  Median :1993  Gambrel: 22
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## Mean :5.565 Mean :1971 Mean :1984 Hip : 551
## 3rd Qu.:6.000 3rd Qu.:2001 3rd Qu.:2004 Mansard: 11
## Max. :9.000 Max. :2010 Max. :2010 Shed : 5
##
## RoofMatl Exterior1st Exterior2nd MasVnrType
## CompShg:2876 VinylSd:1025 VinylSd:1014 BrkCmn : 25
## Tar&Grv: 23 MetalSd: 450 MetalSd: 447 BrkFace: 879
## WdShake: 9 HdBoard: 442 HdBoard: 406 None :1742
## WdShngl: 7 Wd Sdng: 411 Wd Sdng: 391 Stone : 249
## ClyTile: 1 Plywood: 221 Plywood: 270 NA's : 24
## Membran: 1 (Other): 369 (Other): 390
## (Other): 2 NA's : 1 NA's : 1
## MasVnrArea ExterQual ExterCond Foundation BsmtQual
## Min. : 0.0 Ex: 107 Ex: 12 BrkTil: 311 Ex : 258
## 1st Qu.: 0.0 Fa: 35 Fa: 67 CBlock:1235 Fa : 88
## Median : 0.0 Gd: 979 Gd: 299 PConc :1308 Gd :1209
## Mean : 102.2 TA:1798 Po: 3 Slab : 49 TA :1283
## 3rd Qu.: 164.0 TA:2538 Stone : 11 NoB : 78
## Max. :1600.0 Wood : 5 NA's: 3
## NA's :23
## BsmtCond BsmtExposure BsmtFinType1 BsmtFinSF1 BsmtFinType2
## Fa : 104 Av : 418 Unf :851 Min. : 0.0 Unf :2493
## Gd : 122 Gd : 276 GLQ :849 1st Qu.: 0.0 Rec : 105
## Po : 5 Mn : 239 ALQ :429 Median : 368.5 LwQ : 87
## TA :2606 No :1904 Rec :288 Mean : 441.4 NoB : 78
## NoB : 78 NoB : 78 BLQ :269 3rd Qu.: 733.0 BLQ : 68
## NA's: 4 NA's: 4 (Other):232 Max. :5644.0 (Other): 86
## NA's : 1 NA's :1 NA's : 2
## BsmtFinSF2 BsmtUnfSF TotalBsmtSF Heating
## Min. : 0.00 Min. : 0.0 Min. : 0.0 Floor: 1
## 1st Qu.: 0.00 1st Qu.: 220.0 1st Qu.: 793.0 GasA :2874
## Median : 0.00 Median : 467.0 Median : 989.5 GasW : 27
## Mean : 49.58 Mean : 560.8 Mean :1051.8 Grav : 9
## 3rd Qu.: 0.00 3rd Qu.: 805.5 3rd Qu.:1302.0 OthW : 2
## Max. :1526.00 Max. :2336.0 Max. :6110.0 Wall : 6
## NA's :1 NA's :1 NA's :1
## HeatingQC CentralAir Electrical X1stFlrSF X2ndFlrSF
## Ex:1493 N: 196 FuseA: 188 Min. : 334 Min. : 0.0
## Fa: 92 Y:2723 FuseF: 50 1st Qu.: 876 1st Qu.: 0.0
## Gd: 474 FuseP: 8 Median :1082 Median : 0.0
## Po: 3 Mix : 1 Mean :1160 Mean : 336.5
## TA: 857 SBrkr:2671 3rd Qu.:1388 3rd Qu.: 704.0
## NA's : 1 Max. :5095 Max. :2065.0
##
## LowQualFinSF GrLivArea BsmtFullBath BsmtHalfBath
## Min. : 0.000 Min. : 334 Min. :0.0000 Min. :0.00000
## 1st Qu.: 0.000 1st Qu.:1126 1st Qu.:0.0000 1st Qu.:0.00000
## Median : 0.000 Median :1444 Median :0.0000 Median :0.00000
## Mean : 4.694 Mean :1501 Mean :0.4299 Mean :0.06136
## 3rd Qu.: 0.000 3rd Qu.:1744 3rd Qu.:1.0000 3rd Qu.:0.00000
## Max. :1064.000 Max. :5642 Max. :3.0000 Max. :2.00000
## NA's :2 NA's :2
## FullBath HalfBath BedroomAbvGr KitchenAbvGr
## Min. :0.000 Min. :0.0000 Min. :0.00 Min. :0.000

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## 1st Qu.:1.000 1st Qu.:0.0000 1st Qu.:2.00 1st Qu.:1.000
## Median :2.000 Median :0.0000 Median :3.00 Median :1.000
## Mean :1.568 Mean :0.3803 Mean :2.86 Mean :1.045
## 3rd Qu.:2.000 3rd Qu.:1.0000 3rd Qu.:3.00 3rd Qu.:1.000
## Max. :4.000 Max. :2.0000 Max. :8.00 Max. :3.000
##
## KitchenQual TotRmsAbvGrd Functional Fireplaces FireplaceQu
## Ex : 205 Min. : 2.000 Typ :2717 Min. :0.0000 Ex : 43
## Fa : 70 1st Qu.: 5.000 Min2 : 70 1st Qu.:0.0000 Fa : 74
## Gd :1151 Median : 6.000 Min1 : 65 Median :1.0000 Gd : 744
## TA :1492 Mean : 6.452 Mod : 35 Mean :0.5971 Po : 46
## NA's: 1 3rd Qu.: 7.000 Maj1 : 19 3rd Qu.:1.0000 TA : 592
## Max. :15.000 (Other): 11 Max. :4.0000 NoFp:1414
## NA's : 2 NA's: 6
## GarageType GarageYrBlt GarageFinish GarageCars
## 2Types : 23 Min. :1895 Fin : 719 Min. :0.000
## Attchd :1723 1st Qu.:1961 RFn : 811 1st Qu.:1.000
## Basment: 36 Median :1984 Unf :1230 Median :2.000
## BuiltIn: 186 Mean :2412 NoG : 158 Mean :1.767
## CarPort: 15 3rd Qu.:2003 NA's: 1 3rd Qu.:2.000
## Detchd : 779 Max. :9999 Max. :5.000
## NoG : 157 NA's :1 NA's :1
## GarageArea GarageQual GarageCond PavedDrive WoodDeckSF
## Min. : 0.0 Ex : 3 Ex : 3 N: 216 Min. : 0.00
## 1st Qu.: 320.0 Fa : 124 Fa : 74 P: 62 1st Qu.: 0.00
## Median : 480.0 Gd : 24 Gd : 15 Y:2641 Median : 0.00
## Mean : 472.9 Po : 5 Po : 14 Mean : 93.71
## 3rd Qu.: 576.0 TA :2604 TA :2654 3rd Qu.: 168.00
## Max. :1488.0 NoG : 158 NoG : 158 Max. :1424.00
## NA's :1 NA's: 1 NA's: 1
## OpenPorchSF EnclosedPorch X3SsnPorch ScreenPorch
## Min. : 0.00 Min. : 0.0 Min. : 0.000 Min. : 0.00
## 1st Qu.: 0.00 1st Qu.: 0.0 1st Qu.: 0.000 1st Qu.: 0.00
## Median : 26.00 Median : 0.0 Median : 0.000 Median : 0.00
## Mean : 47.49 Mean : 23.1 Mean : 2.602 Mean : 16.06
## 3rd Qu.: 70.00 3rd Qu.: 0.0 3rd Qu.: 0.000 3rd Qu.: 0.00
## Max. :742.00 Max. :1012.0 Max. :508.000 Max. :576.00
##
## PoolArea PoolQC Fence MiscFeature MiscVal
## Min. : 0.000 Ex : 4 GdPrv: 118 Gar2: 5 Min. : 0.00
## 1st Qu.: 0.000 Fa : 2 GdWo : 112 Othr: 4 1st Qu.: 0.00
## Median : 0.000 Gd : 4 MnPrv: 329 Shed: 95 Median : 0.00
## Mean : 2.252 NoP :2887 MnWw : 12 TenC: 1 Mean : 50.83
## 3rd Qu.: 0.000 NA's: 22 NoF :2331 NoM :2793 3rd Qu.: 0.00
## Max. :800.000 NA's : 17 NA's: 21 Max. :17000.00
##
## MoSold YrSold SaleType SaleCondition
## Min. : 1.000 Min. :2006 WD :2525 Abnorml: 190
## 1st Qu.: 4.000 1st Qu.:2007 New : 239 AdjLand: 12
## Median : 6.000 Median :2008 COD : 87 Alloca : 24
## Mean : 6.213 Mean :2008 ConLD : 26 Family : 46
## 3rd Qu.: 8.000 3rd Qu.:2009 CWD : 12 Normal :2402
## Max. :12.000 Max. :2010 (Other): 29 Partial: 245
## NA's : 1

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##      SalePrice          d_name      House_Age_Yrs      RemodAdd_Age_Yrs
##  Min.       : 34900      Length:2919      Min.        : -1.00      Min.        : -2.00
##  1st Qu.:129975      Class :character      1st Qu.:   7.00      1st Qu.:   4.00
##  Median :163000      Mode  :character      Median :  35.00      Median :15.00
##  Mean  :180921                      Mean  :  36.48      Mean  :23.53
##  3rd Qu.:214000                      3rd Qu.: 54.50      3rd Qu.:43.00
##  Max.   :755000                      Max.    :136.00      Max.    :60.00
##  NA's    :1459
##  Garage_Age_Yrs
##  Min.       : -200.00
##  1st Qu.:    5.00
##  Median :   25.00
##  Mean  :   28.07
##  3rd Qu.:   46.00
##  Max.   :  114.00
##  NA's     :1

## [1] 176

## [1] 0

## [1] 2861

## [1] 58
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|               | n    | mean         | sd           | median | min  | max    | kurtosis    |
|---------------|------|--------------|--------------|--------|------|--------|-------------|
| LotFrontage   | 2919 | 5.776670e+01 | 33.4816355   | 63.0   | 0    | 313    | 2.1693381   |
| LotArea       | 2919 | 1.016811e+04 | 7886.9963591 | 9453.0 | 1300 | 215245 | 264.3133838 |
| OverallQual   | 2919 | 6.089072e+00 | 1.4099472    | 6.0    | 1    | 10     | 0.0629498   |
| OverallCond   | 2919 | 5.564577e+00 | 1.1131307    | 5.0    | 1    | 9      | 1.4717941   |
| YearBuilt     | 2919 | 1.971313e+03 | 30.2914415   | 1973.0 | 1872 | 2010   | -0.5142007  |
| YearRemodAdd  | 2919 | 1.984264e+03 | 20.8943442   | 1993.0 | 1950 | 2010   | -1.3473139  |
| MasVnrArea    | 2896 | 1.022013e+02 | 179.3342530  | 0.0    | 0    | 1600   | 9.2278531   |
| BsmtFinSF1    | 2918 | 4.414232e+02 | 455.6108259  | 368.5  | 0    | 5644   | 6.8841727   |
| BsmtFinSF2    | 2918 | 4.958225e+01 | 169.2056111  | 0.0    | 0    | 1526   | 18.7872826  |
| BsmtUnfSF     | 2918 | 5.607721e+02 | 439.5436594  | 467.0  | 0    | 2336   | 0.3985396   |
| TotalBsmtSF   | 2918 | 1.051778e+03 | 440.7662581  | 989.5  | 0    | 6110   | 9.1250560   |
| X1stFlrSF     | 2919 | 1.159582e+03 | 392.3620787  | 1082.0 | 334  | 5095   | 6.9357030   |
| X2ndFlrSF     | 2919 | 3.364837e+02 | 428.7014555  | 0.0    | 0    | 2065   | -0.4253575  |
| LowQualFinSF  | 2919 | 4.694416e+00 | 46.3968245   | 0.0    | 0    | 1064   | 174.5095701 |
| GrLivArea     | 2919 | 1.500760e+03 | 506.0510451  | 1444.0 | 334  | 5642   | 4.1076200   |
| BsmtFullBath  | 2917 | 4.298937e-01 | 0.5247356    | 0.0    | 0    | 3      | -0.7380409  |
| BsmtHalfBath  | 2917 | 6.136440e-02 | 0.2456869    | 0.0    | 0    | 2      | 14.8083680  |
| FullBath      | 2919 | 1.568003e+00 | 0.5529693    | 2.0    | 0    | 4      | -0.5409486  |
| HalfBath      | 2919 | 3.802672e-01 | 0.5028716    | 0.0    | 0    | 2      | -1.0350789  |
| BedroomAbvGr  | 2919 | 2.860226e+00 | 0.8226931    | 3.0    | 0    | 8      | 1.9326437   |
| KitchenAbvGr  | 2919 | 1.044536e+00 | 0.2144620    | 1.0    | 0    | 3      | 19.7264407  |
| TotRmsAbvGrd  | 2919 | 6.451524e+00 | 1.5693791    | 6.0    | 2    | 15     | 1.1621540   |
| Fireplaces    | 2919 | 5.971223e-01 | 0.6461294    | 1.0    | 0    | 4      | 0.0721322   |
| GarageYrBlt   | 2918 | 2.412418e+03 | 1815.6634616 | 1984.0 | 1895 | 9999   | 13.5081444  |
| GarageCars    | 2918 | 1.766621e+00 | 0.7616243    | 2.0    | 0    | 5      | 0.2335170   |
| GarageArea    | 2918 | 4.728746e+02 | 215.3948150  | 480.0  | 0    | 1488   | 0.9334205   |
| WoodDeckSF    | 2919 | 9.370983e+01 | 126.5265893  | 0.0    | 0    | 1424   | 6.7212891   |
| OpenPorchSF   | 2919 | 4.748681e+01 | 67.5754934   | 26.0   | 0    | 742    | 10.9070384  |
| EnclosedPorch | 2919 | 2.309832e+01 | 64.2442456   | 0.0    | 0    | 1012   | 28.3058078  |
| X3SsnPorch    | 2919 | 2.602261e+00 | 25.1881693   | 0.0    | 0    | 508    | 149.0477443 |

|                  | n    | mean         | sd          | median | min  | max   | kurtosis    |
|------------------|------|--------------|-------------|--------|------|-------|-------------|
| ScreenPorch      | 2919 | 1.606235e+01 | 56.1843651  | 0.0    | 0    | 576   | 17.7300026  |
| PoolArea         | 2919 | 2.251799e+00 | 35.6639460  | 0.0    | 0    | 800   | 297.9135190 |
| MiscVal          | 2919 | 5.082597e+01 | 567.4022106 | 0.0    | 0    | 17000 | 562.7189675 |
| MoSold           | 2919 | 6.213087e+00 | 2.7147618   | 6.0    | 1    | 12    | -0.4573565  |
| YrSold           | 2919 | 2.007793e+03 | 1.3149645   | 2008.0 | 2006 | 2010  | -1.1564874  |
| House_Age_Yrs    | 2919 | 3.647996e+01 | 30.3361823  | 35.0   | -1   | 136   | -0.5057903  |
| RemodAdd_Age_Yrs | 2919 | 2.352826e+01 | 20.8920609  | 15.0   | -2   | 60    | -1.3388441  |
| Garage_Age_Yrs   | 2918 | 2.806923e+01 | 25.8003331  | 25.0   | -200 | 114   | 1.6139352   |

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## C (all): 25      Grv1: 12      Grv1: 120      IR1: 968      Bnk: 117
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## RH      : 26              NoA :2700      IR3: 16      Low: 60
## RL      :2265              NA's: 21      Reg:1859      Lvl:2622
## RM      : 460
## NA's    : 4
##
##      Utilities      LotConfig      LandSlope      Neighborhood      Condition1
## AllPub:2916      Corner : 511      Gtl:2778      NAmes : 443      Norm :2511
## NoSeWa: 1      CulDSac: 176      Mod: 125      CollgCr: 267      Feedr : 164
## NA's : 2      FR2 : 85      Sev: 16      OldTown: 239      Artery : 92
##              FR3 : 14              Edwards: 194      RRAn : 50
##              Inside :2133              Somerst: 182      PosN : 39
##              NridgHt: 166      RRAe : 28
##              (Other):1428      (Other): 35
##
##      Condition2      BldgType      HouseStyle      RoofStyle      RoofMatl
## Norm :2889      1Fam :2425      1Story :1471      Flat : 20      CompShg:2876
## Feedr : 13      2fmCon: 62      2Story : 872      Gable :2310      Tar&Grv: 23
## Artery : 5      Duplex: 109      1.5Fin : 314      Gambrel: 22      WdShake: 9
## PosA : 4      Twnhs : 96      SLvl : 128      Hip : 551      WdShngl: 7
## PosN : 4      TwnhsE: 227      SFoyer : 83      Mansard: 11      ClyTile: 1
## RRNn : 2              2.5Unf : 24      Shed : 5      Membran: 1
## (Other): 2              (Other): 27              (Other): 2
##
##      Exterior1st      Exterior2nd      MasVnrType      ExterQual      ExterCond
## VinylSd:1025      VinylSd:1014      BrkCmn : 25      Ex: 107      Ex: 12
## MetalSd: 450      MetalSd: 447      BrkFace: 879      Fa: 35      Fa: 67
## HdBoard: 442      HdBoard: 406      None :1742      Gd: 979      Gd: 299
## Wd Sdng: 411      Wd Sdng: 391      Stone : 249      TA:1798      Po: 3
## Plywood: 221      Plywood: 270      NA's : 24              TA:2538
## (Other): 369      (Other): 390
## NA's : 1      NA's : 1
##
##      Foundation      BsmtQual      BsmtCond      BsmtExposure      BsmtFinType1
## BrkTil: 311      Ex : 258      Fa : 104      Av : 418      Unf :851
## CBlock:1235      Fa : 88      Gd : 122      Gd : 276      GLQ :849
## PConc :1308      Gd :1209      Po : 5      Mn : 239      ALQ :429
## Slab : 49      TA :1283      TA :2606      No :1904      Rec :288
## Stone : 11      NoB : 78      NoB : 78      NoB : 78      BLQ :269
## Wood : 5      NA's: 3      NA's: 4      NA's: 4      (Other):232
##              NA's : 1
##
##      BsmtFinType2      Heating      HeatingQC      CentralAir      Electrical      KitchenQual
## Unf :2493      Floor: 1      Ex:1493      N: 196      FuseA: 188      Ex : 205
## Rec : 105      GasA :2874      Fa: 92      Y:2723      FuseF: 50      Fa : 70

```



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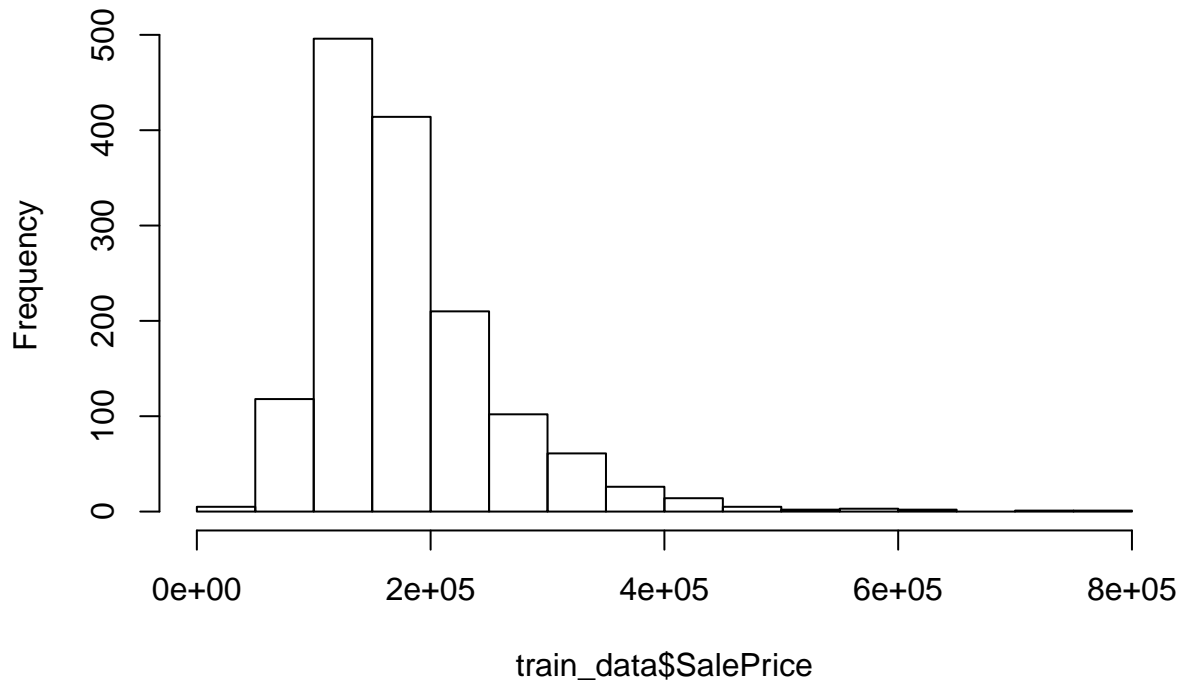
## LwQ      : 87   GasW : 27   Gd: 474           FuseP: 8   Gd :1151
## NoB      : 78   Grav : 9    Po: 3           Mix : 1   TA :1492
## BLQ      : 68   OthW : 2    TA: 857         SBrkr:2671 NA's: 1
## (Other): 86   Wall : 6           NA's : 1
## NA's     : 2
## Functional FireplaceQu GarageType GarageFinish GarageQual
## Typ      :2717 Ex : 43   2Types : 23   Fin : 719   Ex : 3
## Min2     : 70   Fa : 74   Attchd :1723 RFn : 811   Fa : 124
## Min1     : 65   Gd : 744 Basment: 36   Unf :1230   Gd : 24
## Mod      : 35   Po : 46   BuiltIn:186 NoG : 158   Po : 5
## Maj1     : 19   TA : 592 CarPort: 15   NA's: 1    TA :2604
## (Other): 11   NoFp:1414 Detchd : 779           NoG : 158
## NA's     : 2   NA's: 6    NoG : 157           NA's: 1
## GarageCond PavedDrive PoolQC Fence MiscFeature
## Ex : 3   N: 216   Ex : 4   GdPrv: 118 Gar2: 5
## Fa : 74   P: 62   Fa : 2   GdWo : 112 Othr: 4
## Gd : 15   Y:2641   Gd : 4   MnPrv: 329 Shed: 95
## Po : 14           NoP :2887 MnWw : 12 TenC: 1
## TA :2654           NA's: 22 NoF :2331 NoM :2793
## NoG : 158           NA's : 17 NA's: 21
## NA's: 1
## SaleType SaleCondition
## WD :2525 Abnorml: 190
## New : 239 AdjLand: 12
## COD : 87 Alloca : 24
## ConLD : 26 Family : 46
## CWD : 12 Normal :2402
## (Other): 29 Partial: 245
## NA's : 1
## [1] 1460 84
## [1] 1459 84

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| Id   | MSSubClass | MSZoning | LotFrontage | LotArea | Street | Alley | LotShape | LandContour | Utilities | LotCor |
|------|------------|----------|-------------|---------|--------|-------|----------|-------------|-----------|--------|
| 524  | 60         | RL       | 130         | 40094   | Pave   | NA    | IR1      | Bnk         | AllPub    | Inside |
| 2296 | 60         | RL       | 134         | 16659   | Pave   | NA    | IR1      | Lvl         | AllPub    | Corner |
| 2550 | 20         | RL       | 128         | 39290   | Pave   | NA    | IR1      | Bnk         | AllPub    | Inside |
| 2593 | 20         | RL       | 68          | 8298    | Pave   | NA    | IR1      | HLS         | AllPub    | Inside |

## Plots

**Plot 3.1**



## Code

```
##Use PDF for Final Paper
# html_document:
#   theme: yeti
#   code_folding: hide
#   toc: true
#   toc_float:
#     collapsed: true
#     smooth_scroll: false

knitr::opts_chunk$set(
  error = F
  , message = F
  #, tidy = T
  , cache = T
  , warning = T
  , results = 'hide' #suppress code output
  , echo = F #suppress code
  , fig.show = 'hide' #suppress plots
)
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install_load <- function(pkg){
  # Load packages & Install them if needed.
  # CODE SOURCE: https://gist.github.com/stevenworthington/3178163
  new.pkg <- pkg[!(pkg %in% installed.packages()[, "Package"])]
  if (length(new.pkg)) install.packages(new.pkg, dependencies = TRUE)
  sapply(pkg, require, character.only = TRUE, quietly = TRUE, warn.conflicts = FALSE)
}

# required packages
packages <- c("tidyverse", "knitr", "ggthemes", "mice", "VIM", "RCurl", "knitcitations")

install_load(packages)

##Read data
url_train <- "https://raw.githubusercontent.com/kaisercx/DATA621FinalProject/master/house-prices-advanced-regression-techniques/train.csv"
url_test <- "https://raw.githubusercontent.com/kaisercx/DATA621FinalProject/master/house-prices-advanced-regression-techniques/test.csv"

stand_read <- function(url){
  return(read.csv(text = getURL(url)))
}

o_train <-
  stand_read(url_train) %>%
  mutate(d_name = 'train')
o_test <- stand_read(url_test) %>%
  mutate(SalePrice = NA, d_name = 'test')

full_set <- rbind(o_train, o_test)
# x <- plot_missing(full_set)
na_review <- function(df){
  # returns df of vars w/ NA qty desc.
  na_qty <- colSums(is.na(df)) %>% as.data.frame(stringsAsFactors=F)
  colnames(na_qty) <- c("NA_qty")
  na_qty <- cbind('Variable' = rownames(na_qty), na_qty) %>%
    select(Variable, NA_qty)
  rownames(na_qty) <- NULL

  na_qty <- na_qty %>%
    arrange(desc(NA_qty)) %>% filter(NA_qty > 0) %>%
    mutate(Variable = as.character(Variable)) %>%
    mutate(Pct_of_Tot = round(NA_qty/nrow(df), 4) * 100)

  return(na_qty)
}

first_pass <- full_set %>%
  # first_pass is train.csv and test.csv combined for NA reviews
  # and imputation planning and calculated columns
  mutate(House_Age_Yrs = YrSold - YearBuilt,
         RemodAdd_Age_Yrs = YrSold - YearRemodAdd,
         Garage_Age_Yrs = YrSold - GarageYrBlt)
naVars <- na_review(first_pass %>% select(-SalePrice))
naVars

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set_aside <- c(2600, 2504, 2421, 2127, 2041, 2186, 2525, 1488, 949, 2349, 2218, 2219, 333)
#View(first_pass[is.na(first_pass$PoolQC), ]) # 2600, 2504, 2421
#View(first_pass[is.na(first_pass$GarageFinish), ]) # 2127
#View(first_pass[is.na(first_pass$GarageQual), ]) # 2127
#View(first_pass[is.na(first_pass$GarageCond), ]) # 2127
#View(first_pass[is.na(first_pass$BsmtCond), ]) # 2041, 2186, 2525
#View(first_pass[is.na(first_pass$BsmtExposure), ]) # 1488, 949, 2349
#View(first_pass[is.na(first_pass$BsmtQual), ]) # 2218, 2219
#View(first_pass[is.na(first_pass$BsmtFinType2), ]) # 333
#View(first_pass[is.na(first_pass$MasVnrType), ]) #

#qty
# first_pass[first_pass$PoolArea == 0, ] # 2,906
# first_pass[is.na(first_pass$PoolQC), ]
# first_pass[is.na(first_pass$Alley), ] # 2,721
# first_pass[is.na(first_pass$Fence), ] # 2,348
# first_pass[first_pass$Fireplaces == 0, ] # 1,420
# first_pass[is.na(first_pass$GarageType),] # 157
# first_pass[is.na(first_pass$GarageArea),] # 1
# first_pass[is.na(first_pass$GarageFinish),] # 159
# first_pass[first_pass$GarageArea == 0, ] # 158
# first_pass[first_pass$TotalBsmtSF == 0, ] # 79
# first_pass[is.na(first_pass$Electrical),] # 1
set_asideA <- '2600|2504|2421|2127|2041|2186|2525|1488|949|2349|2218|2219|333' # 13
set_asideB <- '|2550|524|2296|2593' # negative values in '_Age' columns

x <- first_pass %>%
  # exclude set_aside observations to fill in known NA's
  filter(!grepl(paste0(set_asideA, set_asideB), Id))

naVarsx <- na_review(x %>% select(-SalePrice))
naVarsx

nrow(x[x$PoolArea==0, ]) # 2,887
# x[is.na(x$MiscFeature),] # 2,793
# x[is.na(x$Alley),] # 2,700
# x[is.na(x$Fence),] # 2,331
# x[is.na(x$FireplaceQu),] # 1,414
# nrow(x[x$LotFrontage==0, ])# 486
# x[is.na(x$GarageArea),] # 158
# x[x$TotalBsmtSF == 0, ] # 78
obtain_data <- function(df){
  # like first_pass but with imputation that addresses
  # observations that have known NA's
  df %>%
    mutate(PoolQC = fct_explicit_na(PoolQC, na_level='NoP'),
           MiscFeature = fct_explicit_na(MiscFeature, na_level='NoM'),
           Alley = fct_explicit_na(Alley, na_level='NoA'),
           Fence = fct_explicit_na(Fence, na_level = 'NoF'),
           FireplaceQu = fct_explicit_na(FireplaceQu, na_level = 'NoFp'),
           LotFrontage = ifelse(is.na(LotFrontage), 0, LotFrontage),

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    # Note GarageYrBlt set to 9999 may be a problem
    GarageYrBlt = ifelse(is.na(GarageYrBlt), 9999, GarageYrBlt),
    GarageFinish = fct_explicit_na(GarageFinish, na_level = 'NoG'),
    GarageQual = fct_explicit_na(GarageQual, na_level = 'NoG'),
    GarageCond = fct_explicit_na(GarageCond, na_level = 'NoG'),
    # NOTE: Garage_Age_Yrs: 0 doesn't seem appropriate...
    Garage_Age_Yrs = ifelse(is.na(Garage_Age_Yrs), 0, Garage_Age_Yrs),
    GarageType = fct_explicit_na(GarageType, na_level = 'NoG'),

    BsmtQual = fct_explicit_na(BsmtQual, na_level = 'NoB'),
    BsmtCond = fct_explicit_na(BsmtCond, na_level = 'NoB'),
    BsmtExposure = fct_explicit_na(BsmtExposure, na_level = 'NoB'),
    BsmtFinType1 = fct_explicit_na(BsmtFinType1, na_level = 'NoB'),
    BsmtFinType2 = fct_explicit_na(BsmtFinType2, na_level = 'NoB')
  )
}

probl_obs <- full_set %>%
  mutate(House_Age_Yrs = YrSold - YearBuilt,
         RemodAdd_Age_Yrs = YrSold - YearRemodAdd,
         Garage_Age_Yrs = YrSold - GarageYrBlt) %>%
  filter(grepl(paste0(set_asideA, set_asideB), Id))

known_obs <- full_set %>%
  filter(!grepl(paste0(set_asideA, set_asideB), Id)) %>%
  mutate(House_Age_Yrs = YrSold - YearBuilt,
         RemodAdd_Age_Yrs = YrSold - YearRemodAdd,
         Garage_Age_Yrs = YrSold - GarageYrBlt)

full_set_clean <- rbind(obtain_data(known_obs), probl_obs) %>% arrange(Id)
#View(full_set_clean)
summary(full_set_clean)
naVarsy <- na_review(full_set_clean %>% select(-SalePrice))
sum(naVarsy$NA_qty) # 176
# unique(full_set_clean$Alley) # NoA Grvl Pave <NA>, levels: Grvl Pave NoA
# unique(full_set_clean$PoolQC) # NoP Ex <NA> Fa Gd, levels: Ex Fa Gd NoP
# unique(full_set_clean$GarageYrBlt) # character!
var_types <- function(df){
  # returns df of Variable name and Type from df
  var_df <- sapply(df, class) %>% as.data.frame()
  colnames(var_df) <- c("Var_Type")
  var_df <- cbind(var_df, 'Variable' = rownames(var_df)) %>%
    select(Variable, Var_Type) %>%
    mutate(Variable = as.character(Variable), Var_Type = as.character(Var_Type))
  return(var_df)
}

var_review <- var_types(full_set_clean %>% select(-c(Id, SalePrice, d_name)))

fac_vars <- var_review %>% filter(Var_Type == 'factor') %>%
  select(Variable) %>% t() %>% as.character() # 43 total length(fac_vars)
num_vars <- var_review %>% filter(grepl('character|integer|numeric', Var_Type)) %>%
  select(Variable) %>% t() %>% as.character() # 39 total but see GarageYrBlt #length(num_vars)
sum(complete.cases(full_set %>% select(-SalePrice))) # 0

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sum(complete.cases(full_set_clean %>% select(-SalePrice))) # 2,861 ~ 98%
nrow(full_set_clean) - 2861 # 58 NA
stat_info <- psych::describe(full_set_clean %>% select(num_vars, -Id, -d_name))
stat_info[c(2:nrow(stat_info)),c(2:5,8:9,13:ncol(stat_info)-1)]
summary(full_set_clean %>% select(fac_vars, -Id, -SalePrice, -d_name))

train_data <- full_set_clean %>% filter(d_name == 'train') %>% select(-d_name)
test_data <- full_set_clean %>% filter(d_name == 'test') %>% select(-d_name)
##View(train_data)
dim(train_data)
dim(test_data)
# Data Exploration Plots
#plot_boxplot()
full_set_clean %>%
  filter(Garage_Age_Yrs < 0 | RemodAdd_Age_Yrs < 0 | Garage_Age_Yrs < 0) # Ids c(524, 2296, 2550, 2593)
hist(train_data$SalePrice, main = "Plot 3.1")
# init = mice(first_pass, maxit=0)
# meth = init$method
# predM = init$predictorMatrix
#
# # The code below will remove the variable as a
# # predictor but still will be imputed. Just for
# # illustration purposes, I select the BMI
# # variable to not be included as predictor during
# # imputation.
# predM[, c('SalePrice')] = 0
#
# # If you want to skip a variable from imputation
# # use the code below. This variable will be
# # used for prediction.
# meth[] = ""
#
# # Now let specify the methods for imputing the
# # missing values. There are specific methods
# # for continues, binary and ordinal variables.
# # I set different methods for each variable.
# # You can add more than one variable in each method.
#
# meth[c("BsmtExposure", "BsmtFinType2", "MasVnrType",
#        "MasVnrArea", "Electrical")]="norm"
#
#
# imputed = mice(clinsurf, method=meth,
#                predictorMatrix=predM, m=5,
#                printFlag = F)
# #Create a dataset after imputation.
# imputed <- complete(imputed)
# sapply(imputed, FUN = function(x) sum(is.na(x)))
# NA Qtys
# CAR_AGE 510
# HOME_VAL 464
# YOJ 454
# INCOME 445

```

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