Import necessary libraries

In [19]:
```
import pandas as pd
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression
from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error, mean_absolute_error, r2_score
```

Load your dataset

Replace 'your_dataset.csv' with the actual path to your dataset

In [20]:
```
data = pd.read_csv("predicting_house_prices.csv")
data
```

Out[20]:

	Avg. Area Income	Avg. Area House Age	Avg. Area Number of Rooms	Avg. Area Number of Bedrooms	Area Population	Price	Address
0	79545.45857	5.682861	7.009188	4.09	23086.80050	1.059034e+06	208 Michael Ferry Apt. 674\nLaurabury, NE 3701...
1	79248.64245	6.002900	6.730821	3.09	40173.07217	1.505891e+06	188 Johnson Views Suite 079\nLake Kathleen, CA...
2	61287.06718	5.865890	8.512727	5.13	36882.15940	1.058988e+06	9127 Elizabeth Stravenue\nDanieltown, WI 06482...
3	63345.24005	7.188236	5.586729	3.26	34310.24283	1.260617e+06	USS Barnett\nFPO AP 44820
4	59982.19723	5.040555	7.839388	4.23	26354.10947	6.309435e+05	USNS Raymond\nFPO AE 09386
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4995	60567.94414	7.830362	6.137356	3.46	22837.36103	1.060194e+06	USNS Williams\nFPO AP 30153-7653
4996	78491.27543	6.999135	6.576763	4.02	25616.11549	1.482618e+06	PSC 9258, Box 8489\nAPO AA 42991-3352
4997	63390.68689	7.250591	4.805081	2.13	33266.14549	1.030730e+06	4215 Tracy Garden Suite 076\nJoshualand, VA 01...
4998	68001.33124	5.534388	7.130144	5.44	42625.62016	1.198657e+06	USS Wallace\nFPO AE 73316
4999	65510.58180	5.992305	6.792336	4.07	46501.28380	1.298950e+06	37778 George Ridges Apt. 509\nEast Holly, NV 2...

5000 rows × 7 columns

Define the features (independent variables) and the target variable (house prices)

In [24]:
```
X = data[['Avg. Area Income', 'Avg. Area House Age', 'Avg. Area Number of Rooms', 'Avg. Area Number of Bedrooms
y = data['Price']
y
```

Out[24]:
```
0       1.059034e+06
1       1.505891e+06
2       1.058988e+06
3       1.260617e+06
4       6.309435e+05
            ...
4995    1.060194e+06
4996    1.482618e+06
4997    1.030730e+06
4998    1.198657e+06
4999    1.298950e+06
Name: Price, Length: 5000, dtype: float64
```

Split the data into training and testing sets

In [25]:
```
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2, random_state=42)
```

Create and train a Linear Regression model

In [26]:
```
model = LinearRegression()
```

```
model.fit(X_train, y_train)
```

Out[26]:

```
LinearRegression()
```

Make predictions

In [27]:

```
y_pred = model.predict(X_test)
```

Evaluate the model

In [29]:

```
mse = mean_squared_error(y_test, y_pred)
mae = mean_absolute_error(y_test, y_pred)
r2 = r2_score(y_test, y_pred)
```

Print the evaluation metrics

In [30]:

```
print("Mean Squared Error:", mse)
print("Mean Absolute Error:", mae)
print("R-squared:", r2)
```

```
Mean Squared Error: 10089009299.499422
Mean Absolute Error: 80879.09722218302
R-squared: 0.917997170698532
```

You can also examine the model coefficients to see feature importance

In [31]:

```
coefficients = model.coef_
intercept = model.intercept_
print("Coefficients:", coefficients)
print("Intercept:", intercept)
```

```
Coefficients: [2.16522058e+01 1.64666481e+05 1.19624012e+05 2.44037761e+03
 1.52703134e+01]
Intercept: -2635072.90091678
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