HOUSING PRICE REGRESSION ANALYSIS

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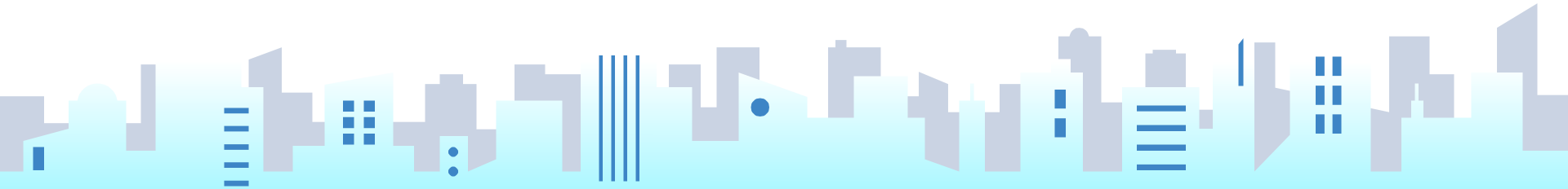
DATASET OVERVIEW



Data Source:

Kaggle’s Ames Housing dataset

Programming Language: Python

Number of Observations: 1460

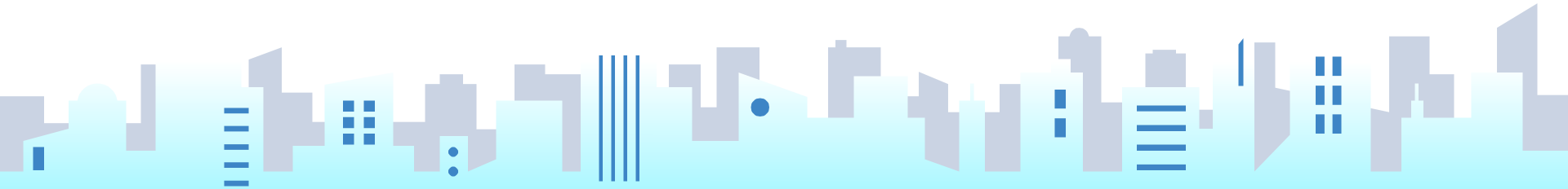
Response Variable: SalePrice

Features: 81

Numerical Variables: 38

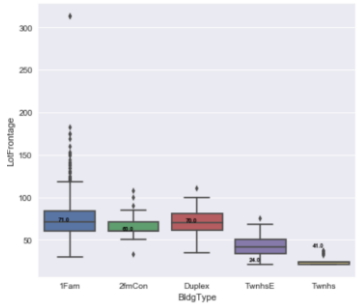
Categorical Variables: 43

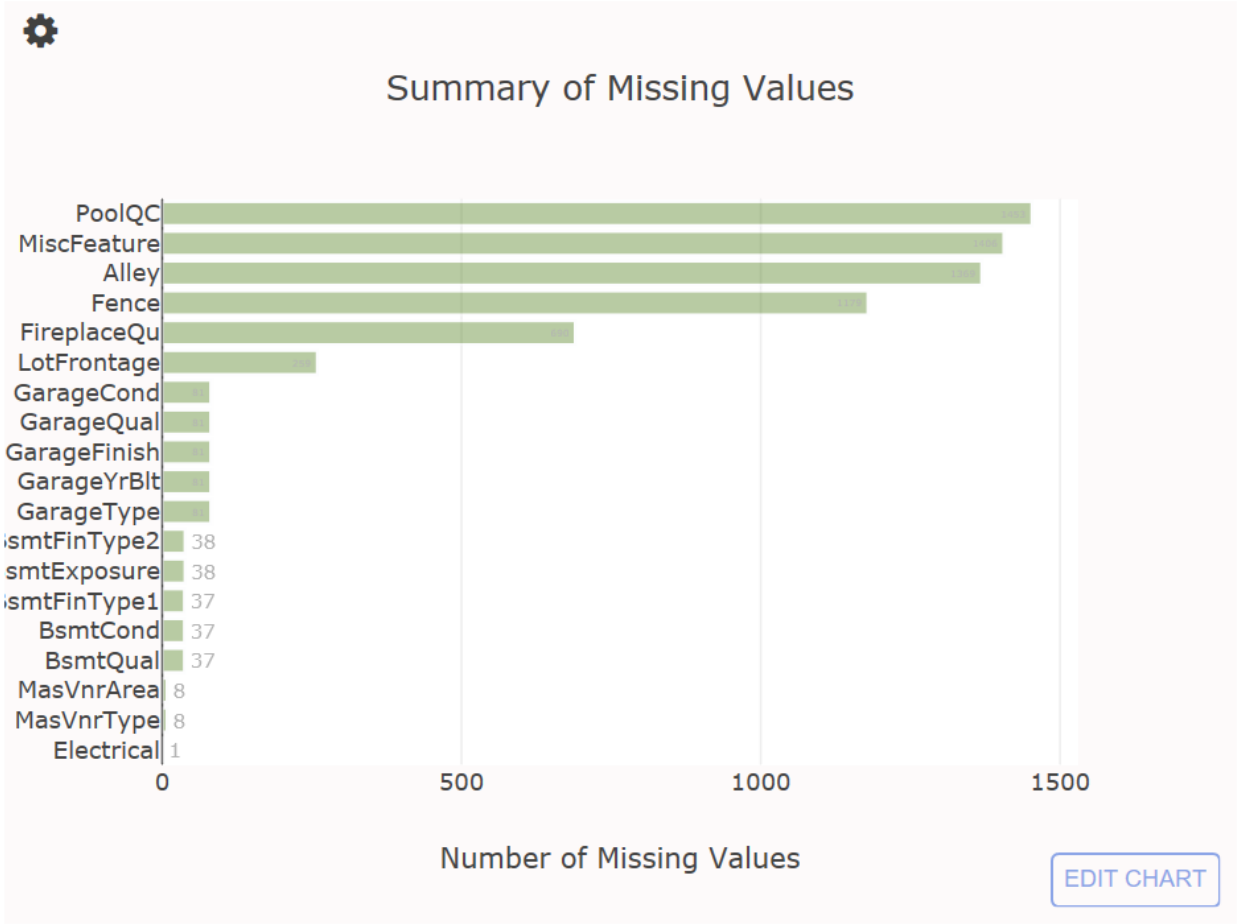
DATA PREPROCESSING



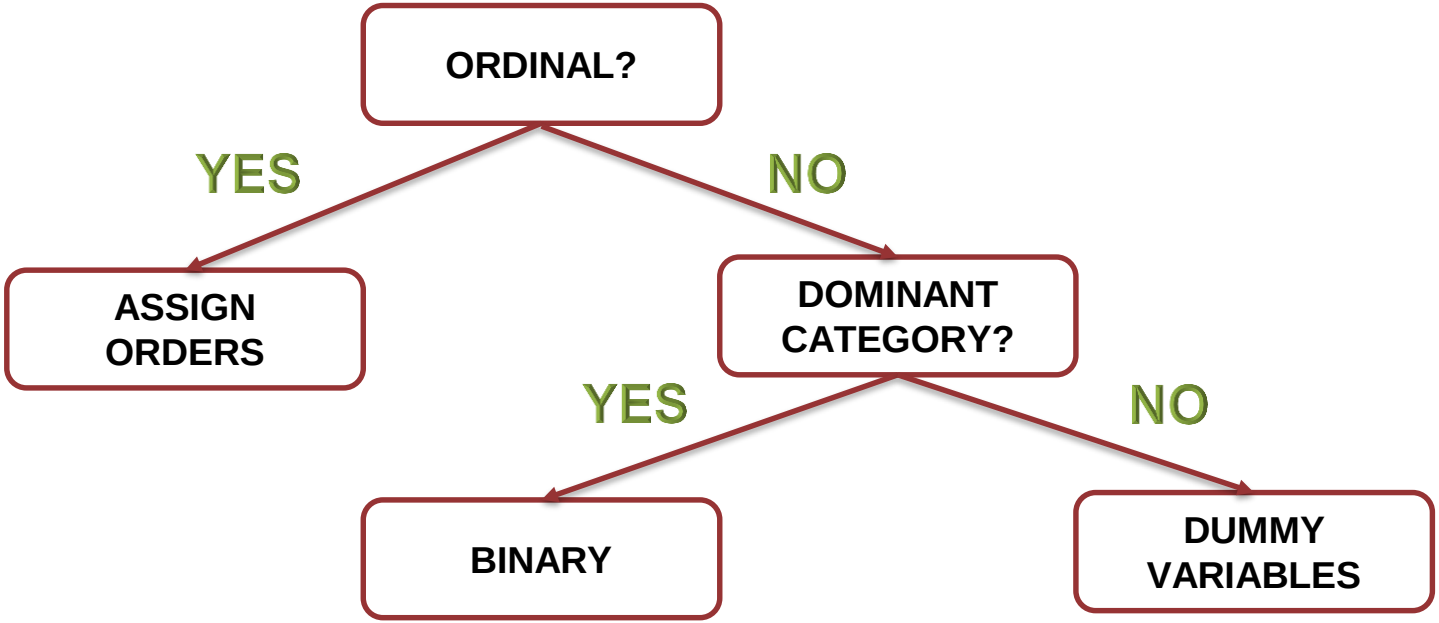
IMPUTE – STEP1 MISSING VALUES:

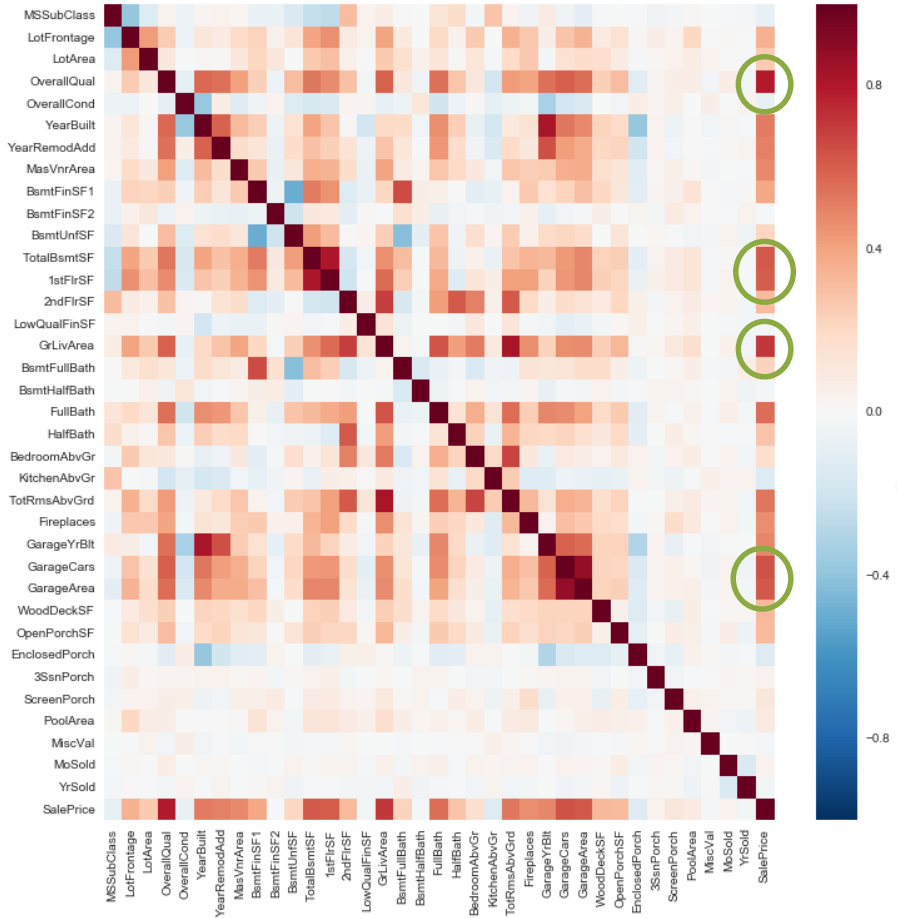
1) Delete the columns with over 90% missing values
2) Assign 0 to Missing values of Ordinal variables
   eg: Fence, FireplaceQu
3) Assign group medians to missing values:
   eg: LotFrontage





ENCODING – STEP2
CATEGORICAL VARIABLES





FEATURE – STEP3 ENGINEERING

OverallQual: [Ordinal]
Rates of the overall material and finish of the house from 1 to 10

GrLivArea: [Numeric]
Above ground Living Area

GarageCars: [Numeric]
Size of garage in car capacity

GarageArea: [Numeric]
Size of garage in square feet

TotalBsmtSF: [Numeric]
Total Square Feet of Basement

MULTICOLLINEARITY

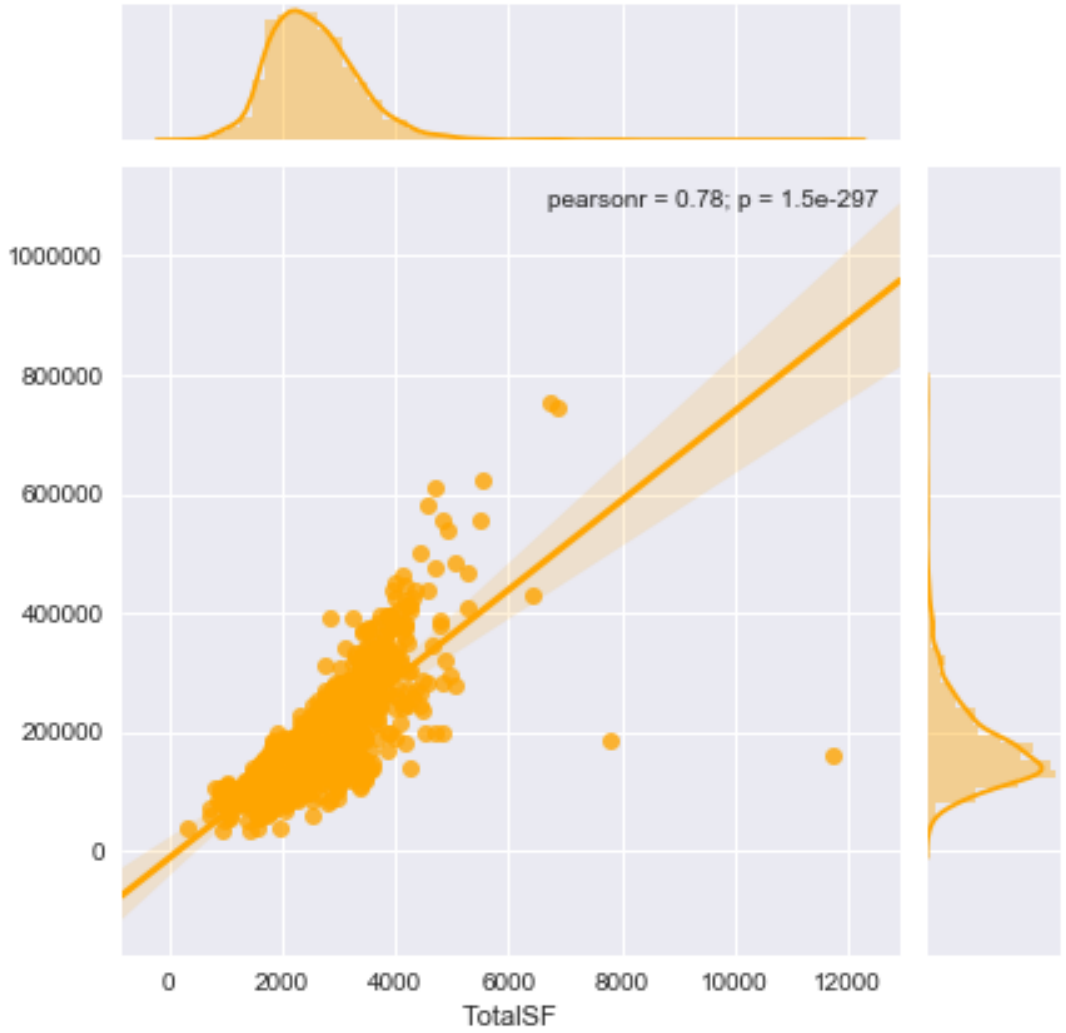
VIF	FEATURES
5.290448	Fireplaces
5.481232	FireplaceQu
5.769224	BsmtQual
6.085164	TotRmsAbvGrd
6.259153	GarageYrBlt
7.244331	GarageCars
7.303996	GarageArea
16.606101	YearBuilt
19.048027	GarageQual
20.162878	GarageCond
20.220397	BldgType

1) Construct 2 new variables:

Total Square Feet =
GrLivArea + TotalBsmtArea

Porch =
OpenPorchSF+EnclosedPorch+3SsnPorch+ScreenPorch

2) Pick between Quality and Condition variables



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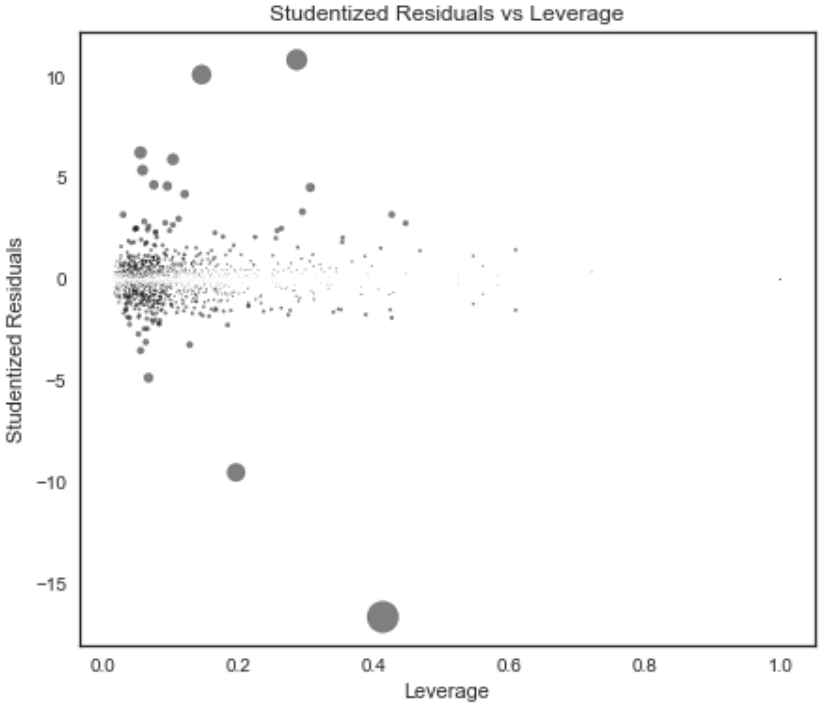

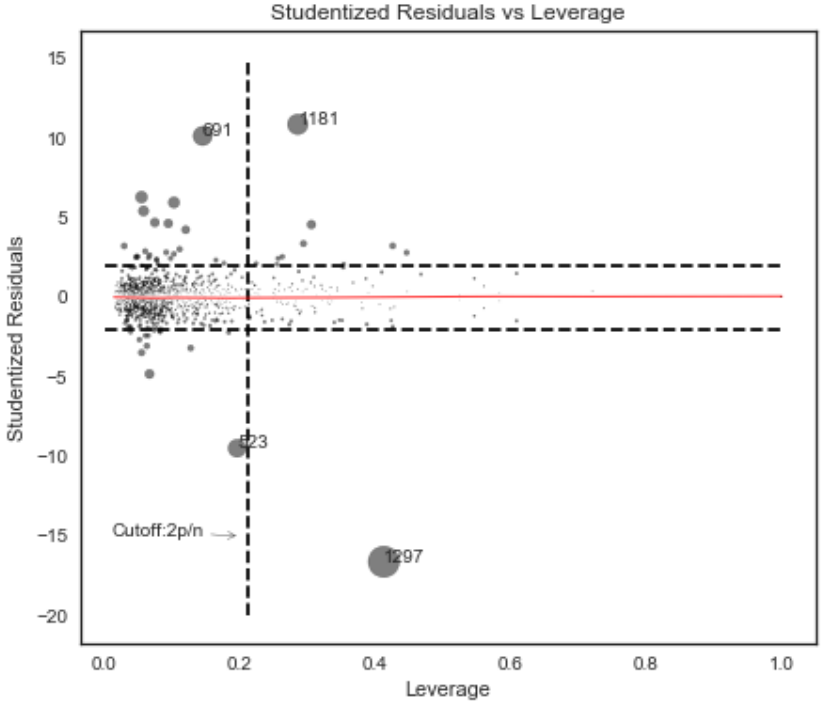

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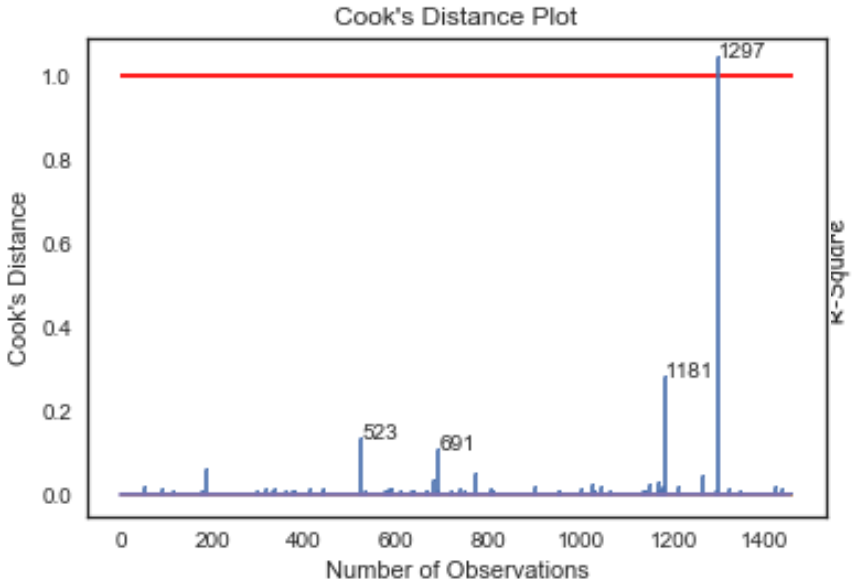
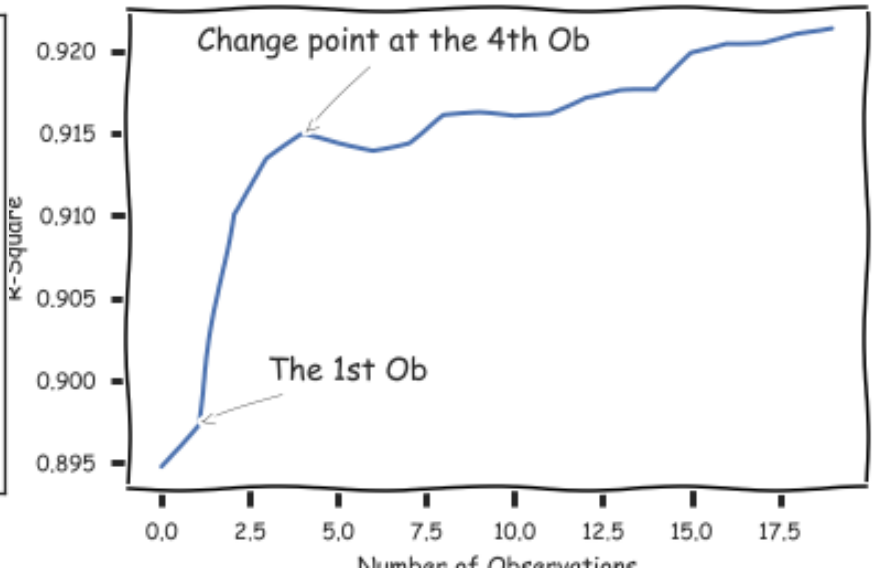
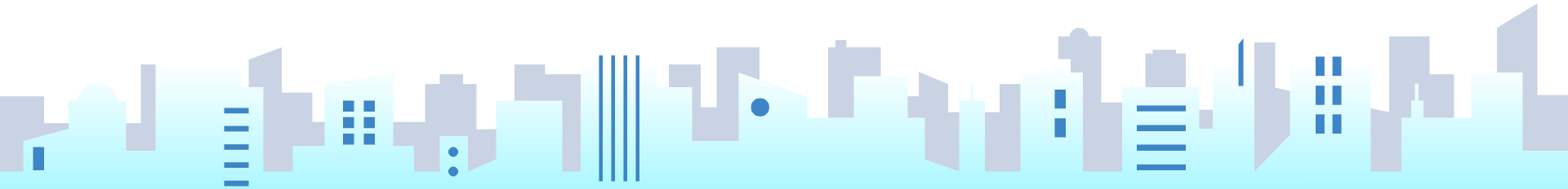
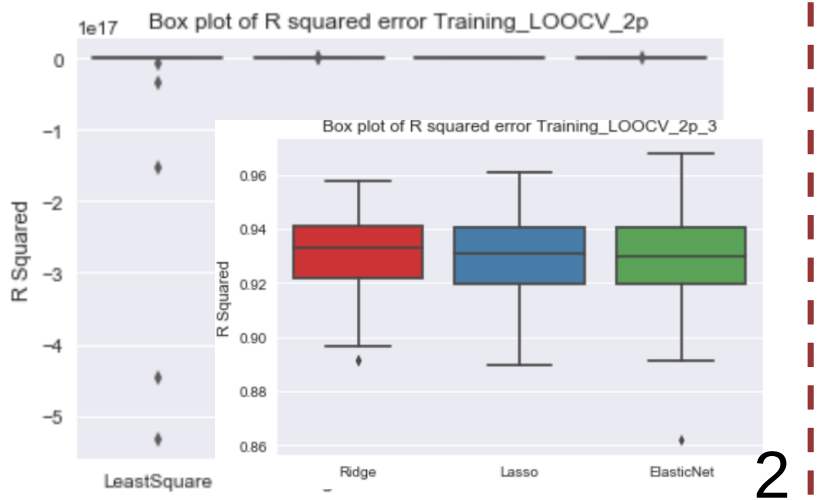




REGRESSION AND MODEL SELECTION

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R Squared
0
−1
−2
−3
−4
−5
Box plot of R squared error Training_LOOCV_2p_3
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0.94
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0.88
0.86
LeastSquare
Ridge
Lasso
ElasticNet

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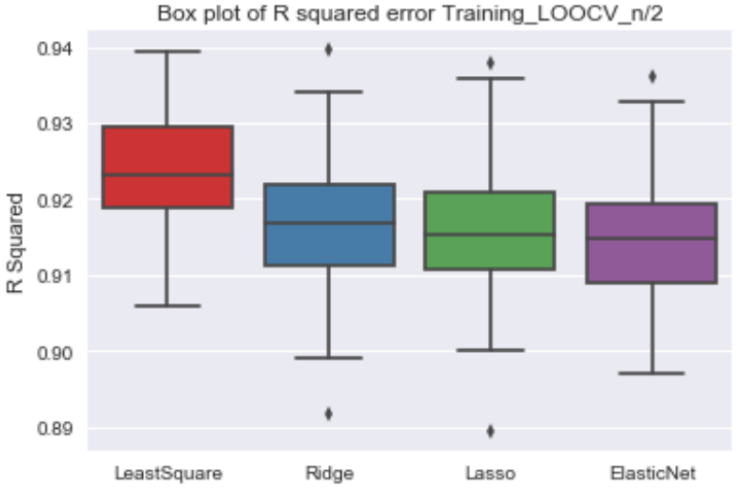
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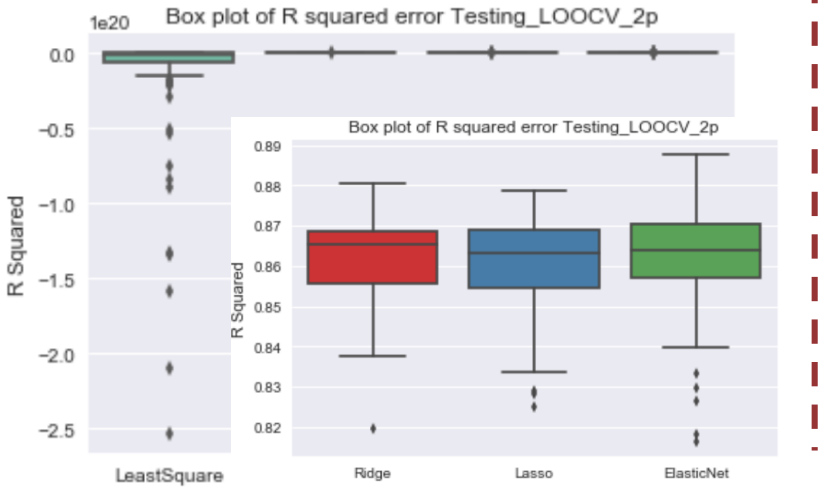
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R Squared
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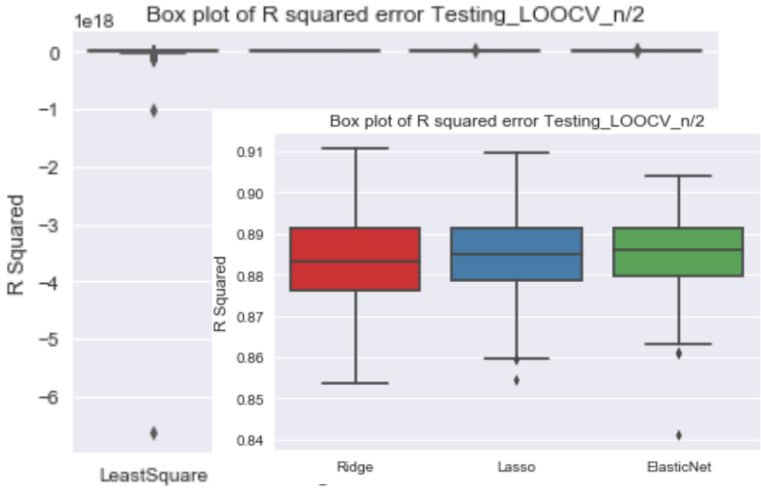
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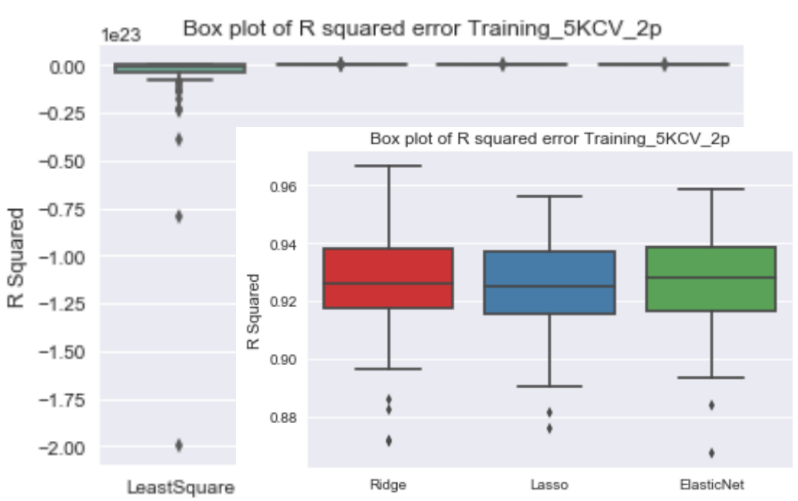
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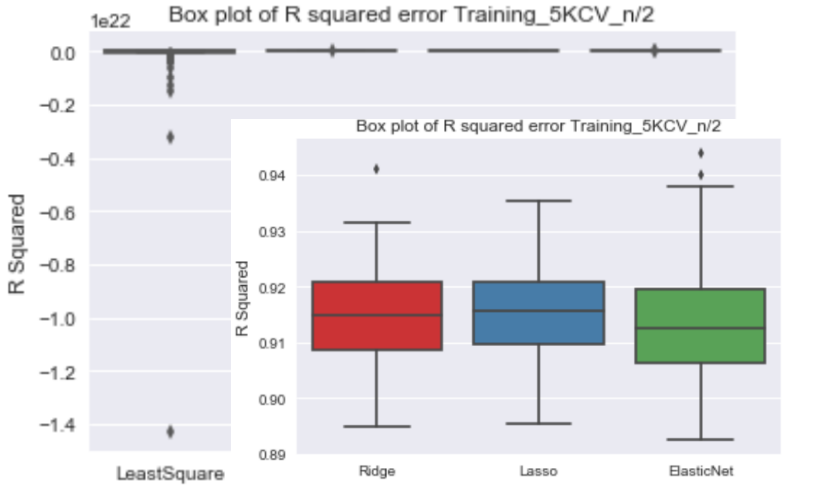
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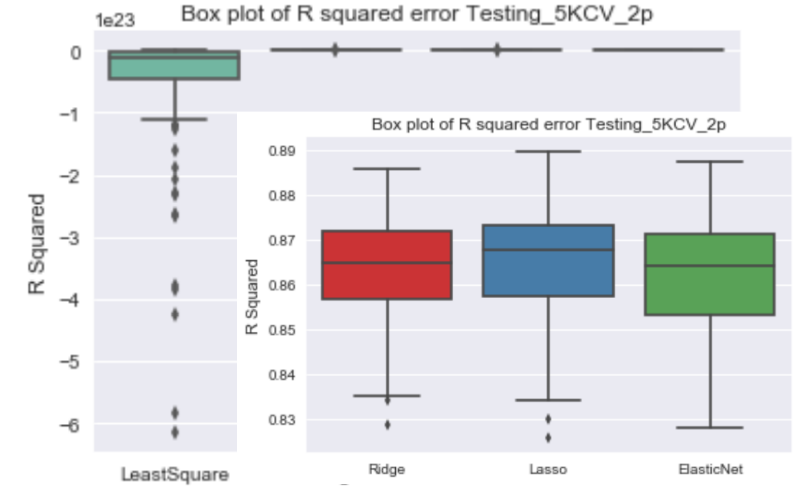
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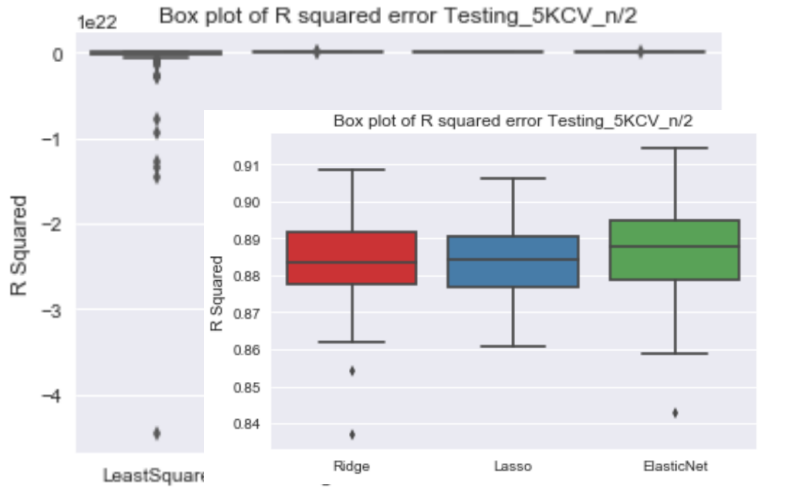
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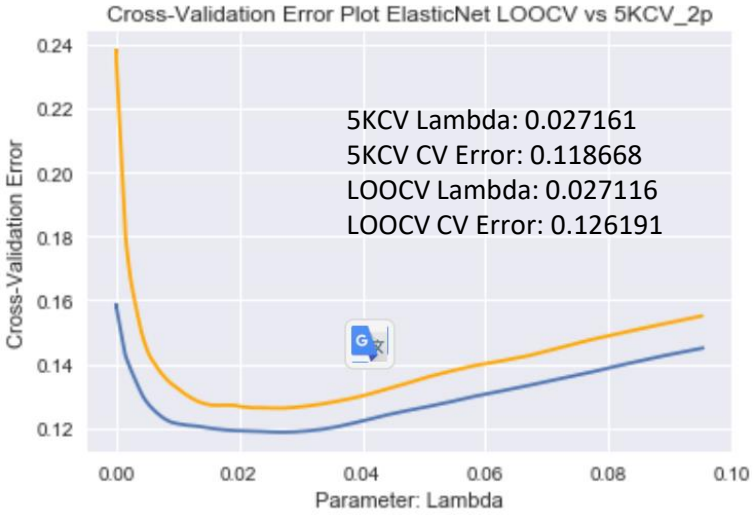

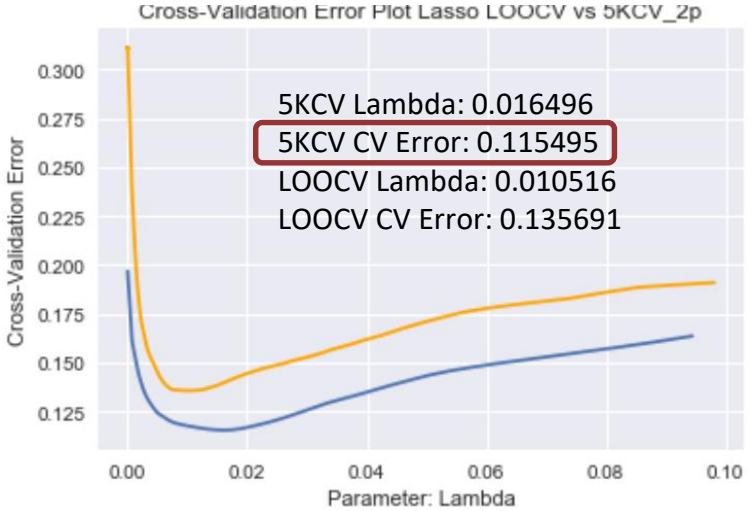

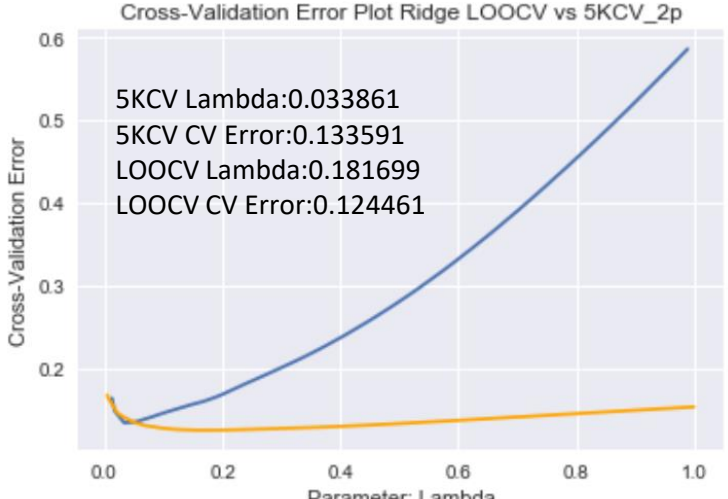

Blue: 5KCV
Orange: LOOCV

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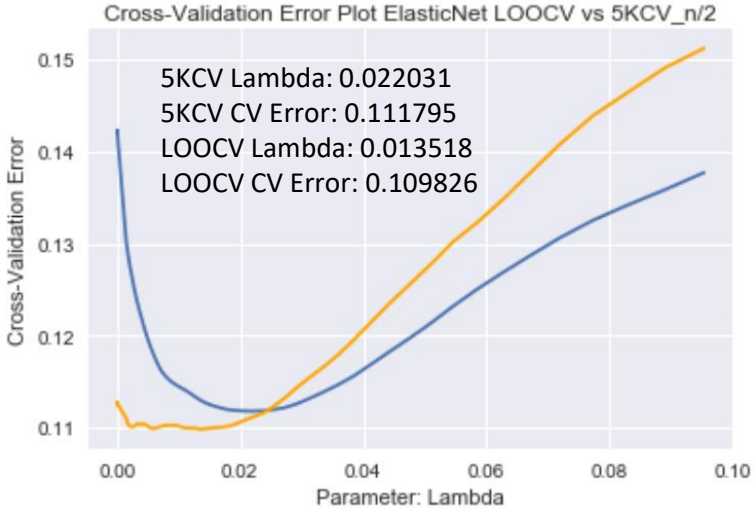

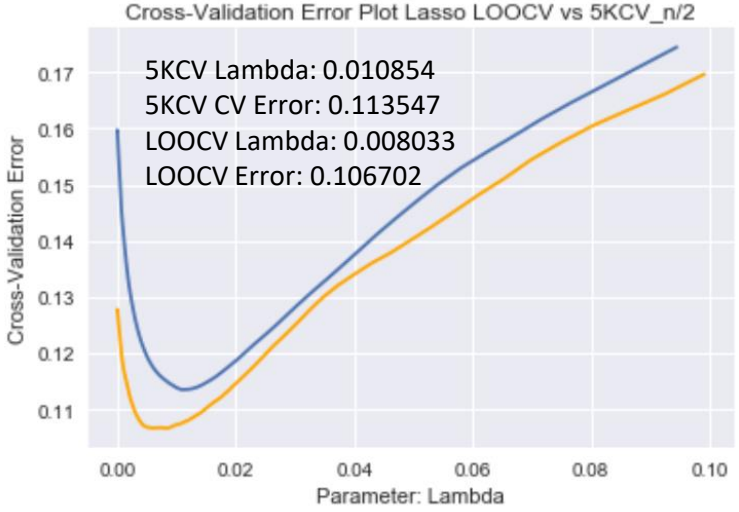

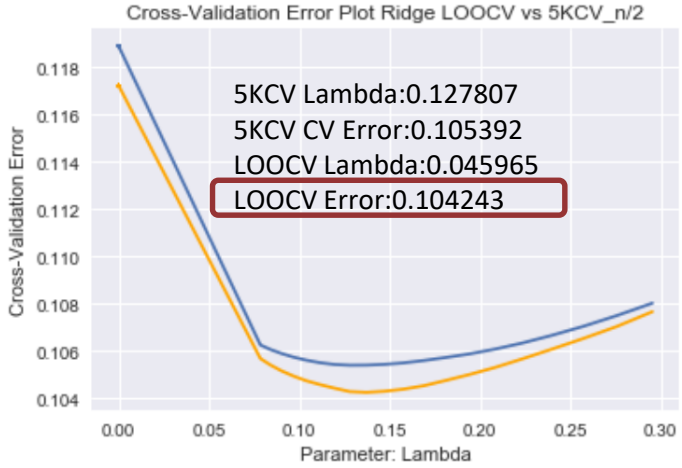

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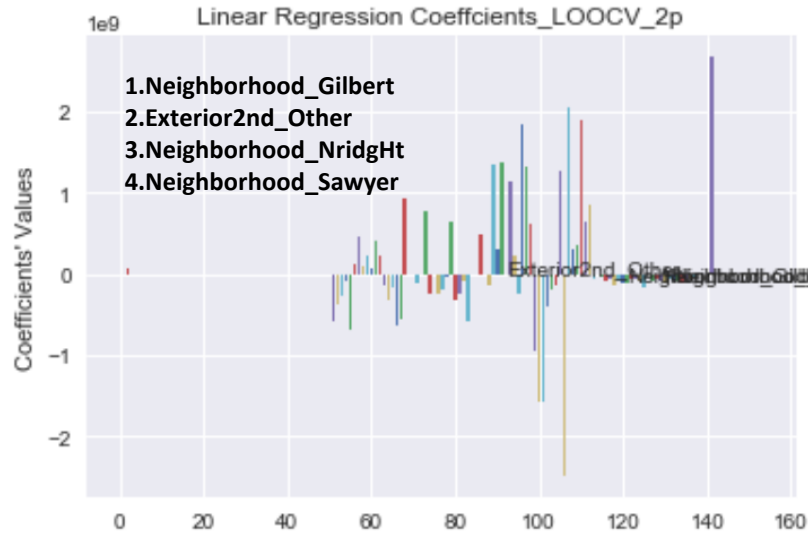
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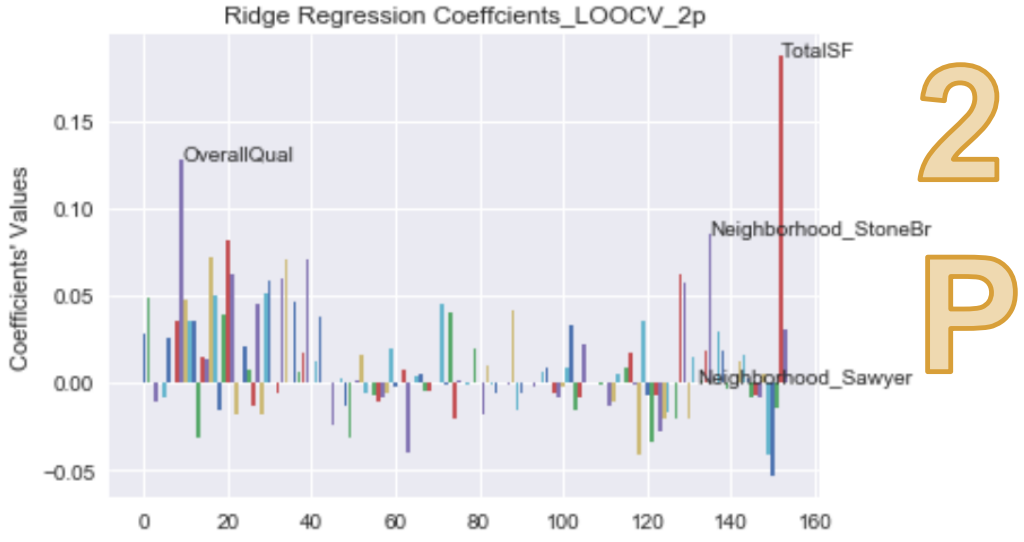
3.Neighborhood_NridgHt
4.Neighborhood_Sawyer
Coefficients' Values
Exterior2nd_Other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OverallQual
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Coefficients' Values

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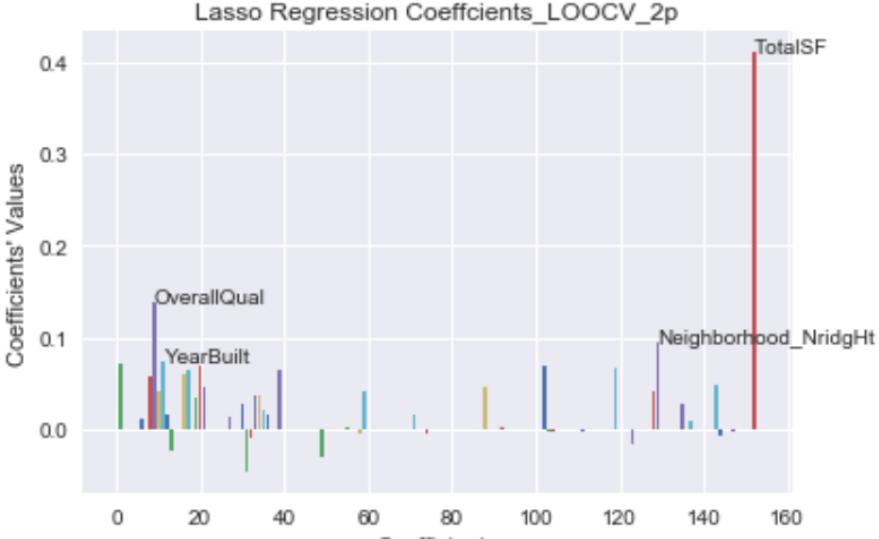
LOOCV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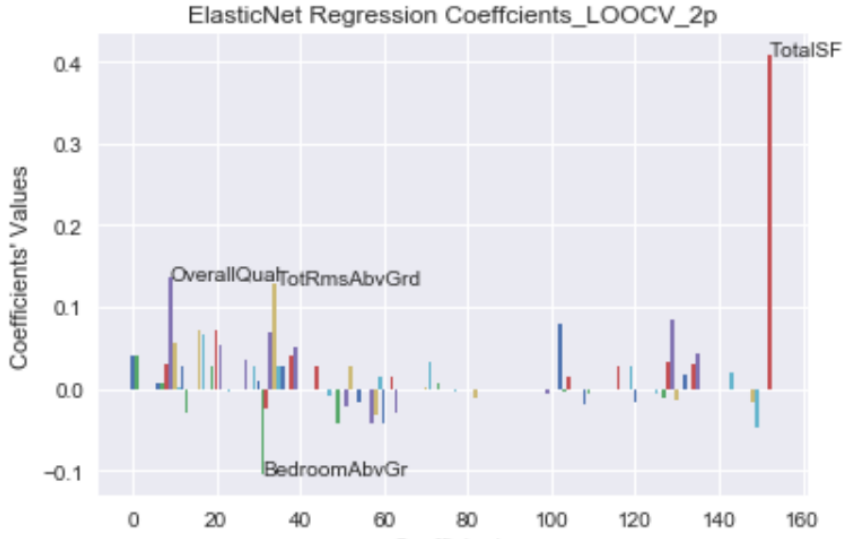
OverallQual
YearBuilt
Neighborhood_NridgHt
Coefficients' Values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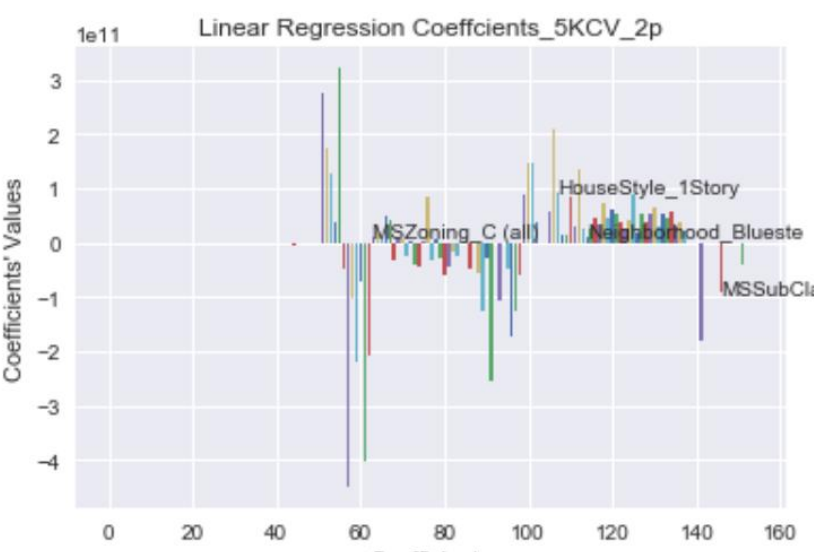
TotRmsAbvGrd
BedroomAbvGr
Coefficients' Values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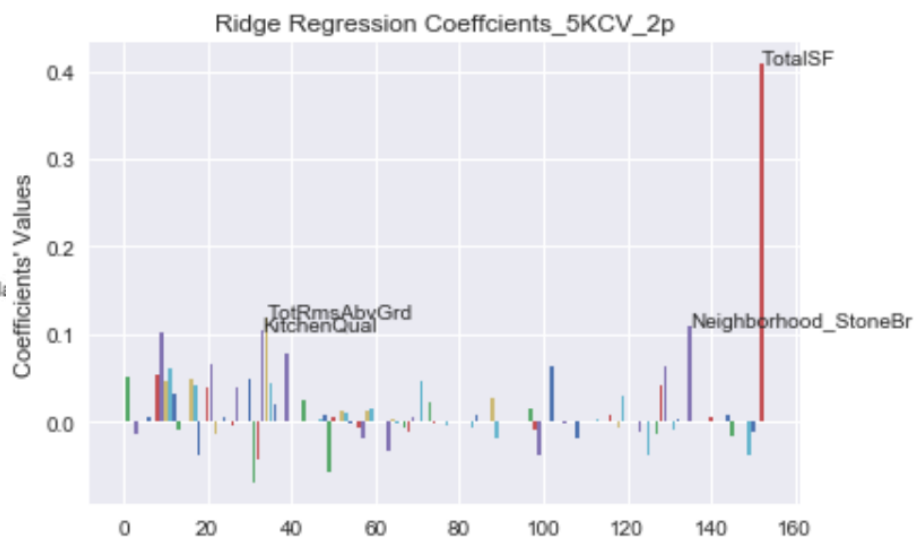
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KitchenQual
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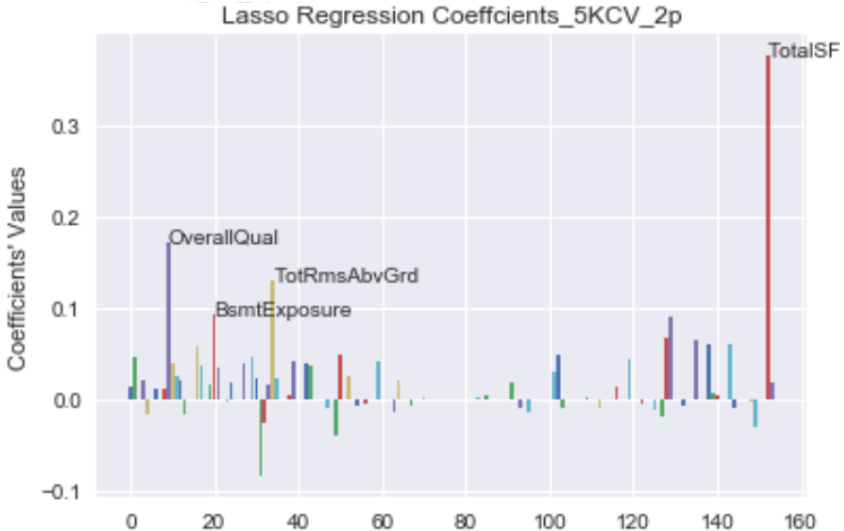
5KCV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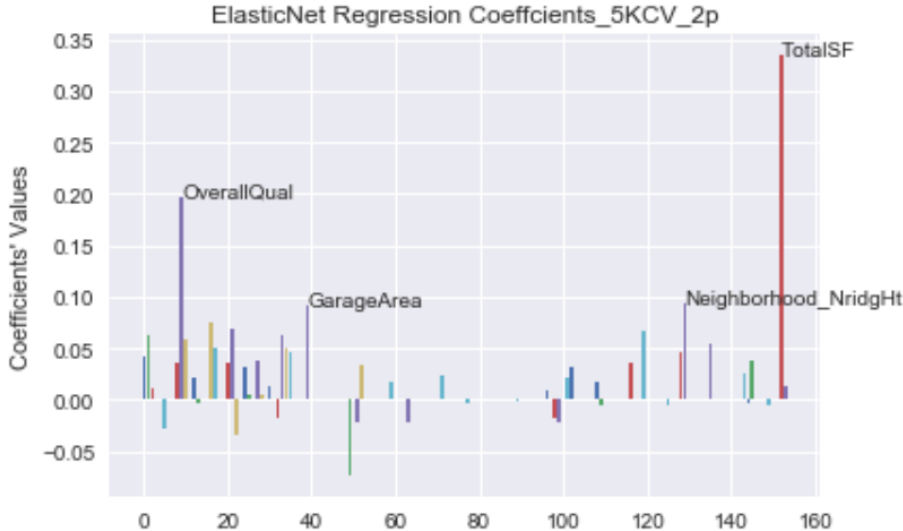
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OverallQual
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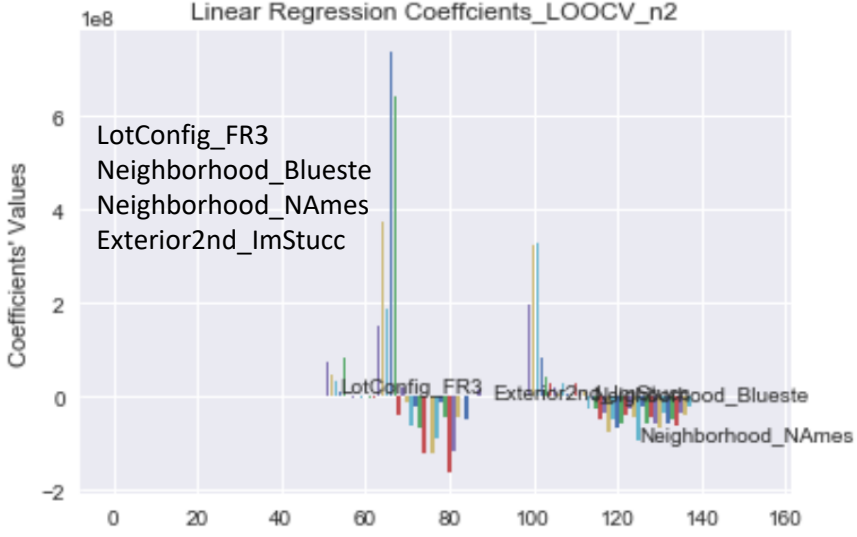
Neighborhood_NridgHt

LOOCV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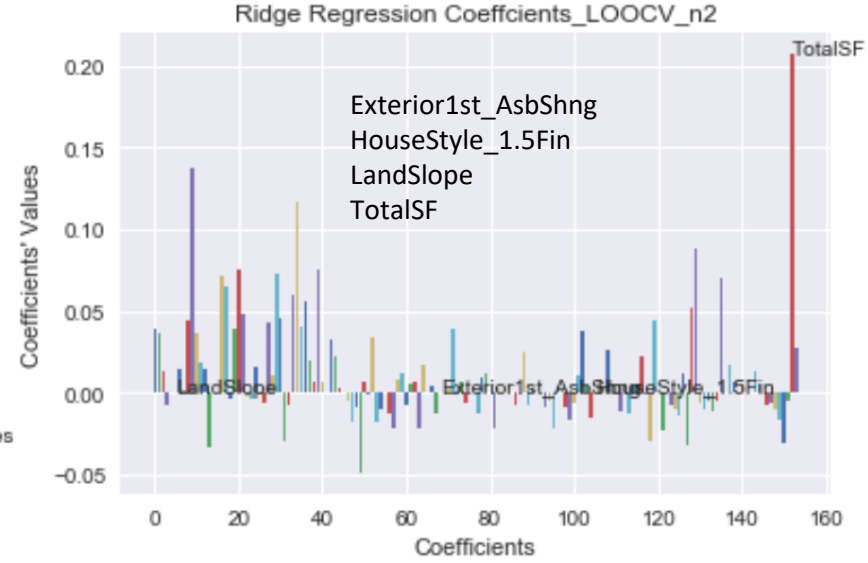
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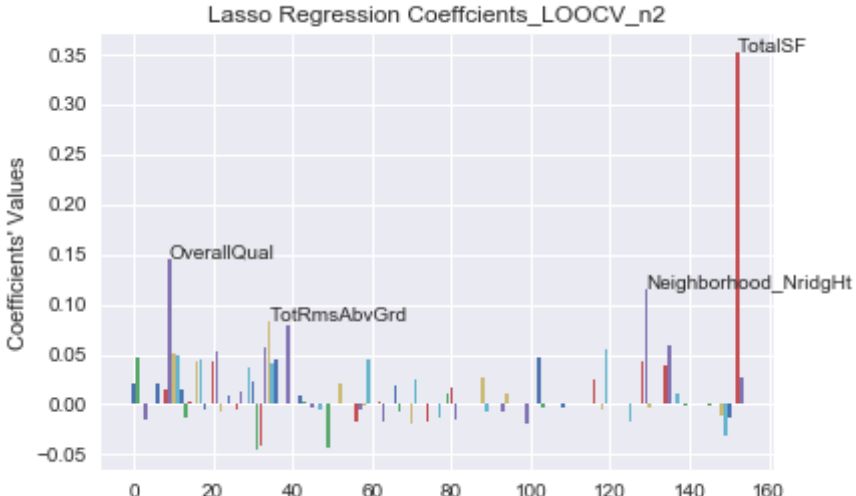
Coefficients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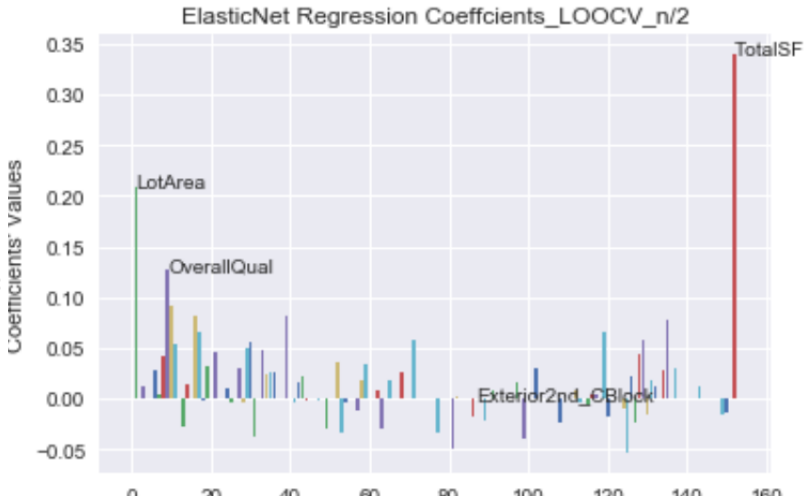
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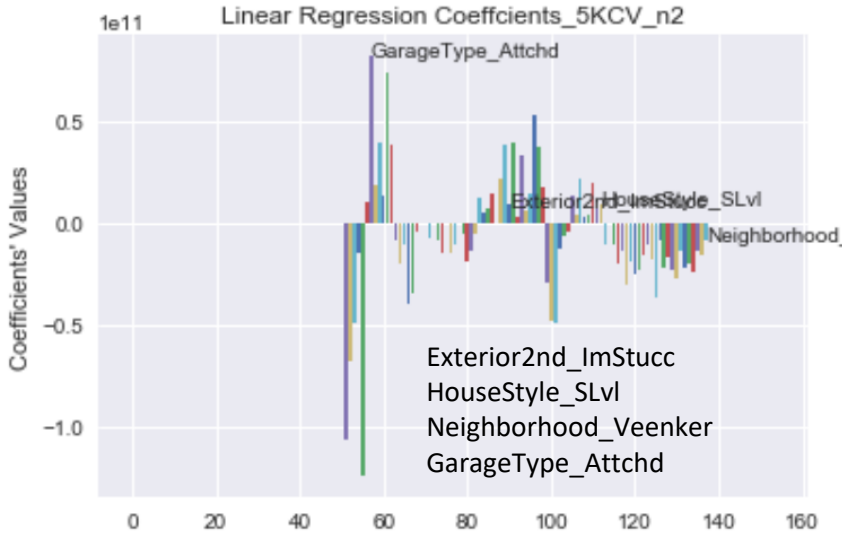
5KCV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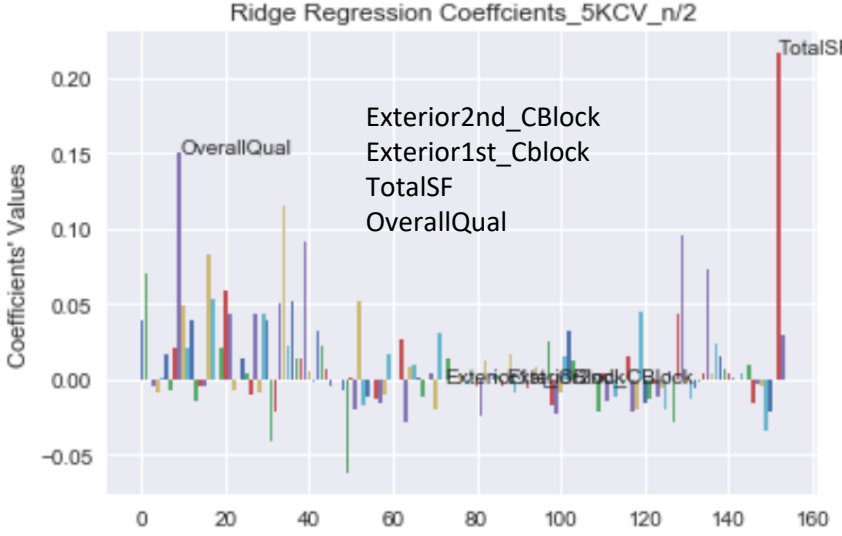
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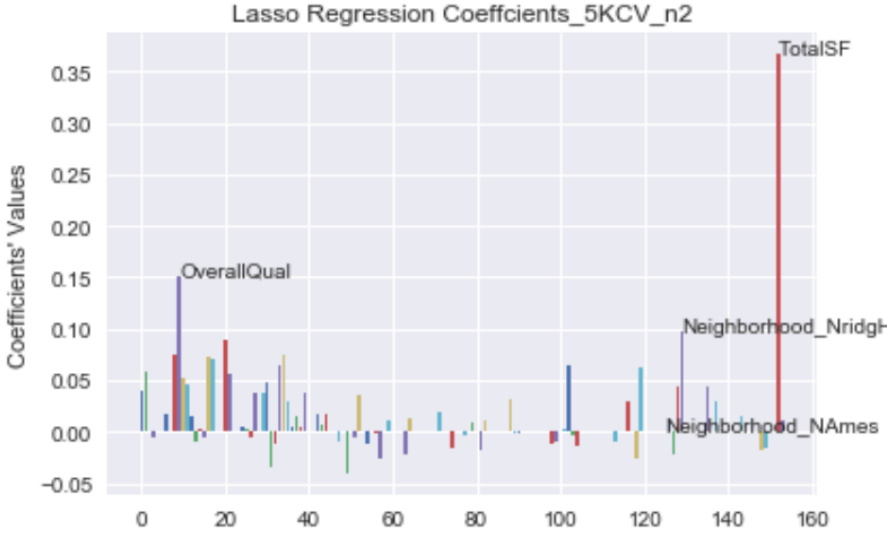
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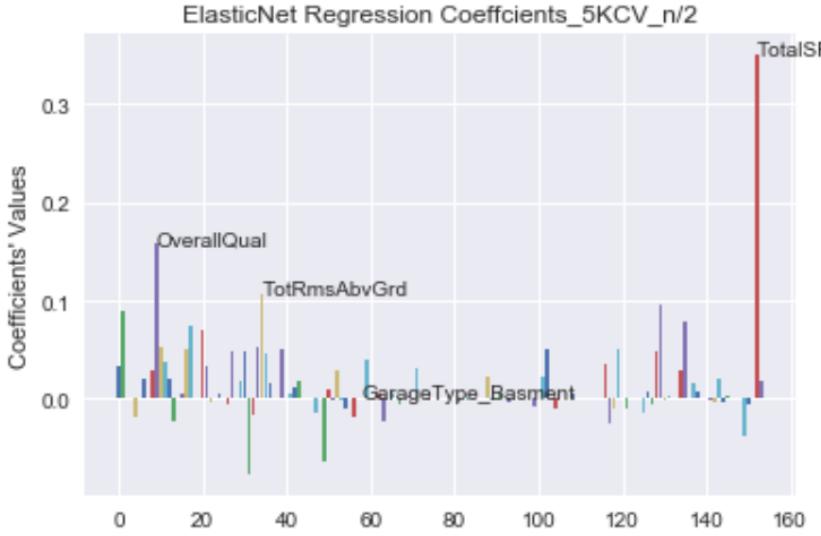
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TotRmsAbvGrd
GarageType_Basment
Coefficients' Values

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CONCLUSION:

R square:
1. LOOCV method has more variation than the 5 Fold method
2. Increasing sample size increases the testing R square but reduces training R square

Parameter Tuning:
1.LOOCV method leads to the lower CV error
2.Increasing sample size leads to lower CV error

Coefficients:
1. 5 Fold method shrinks more aggressively
2. Increasing sample size mitigate effect of regularizations

Top variables:
1.TotalSF : Total Square Feet
2.OverallQuality
3.Neighborhood_NridgHt (Northridge Heights)
4.Total Rooms Above Ground
5.GarageArea

THANKS FOR WATCHING

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