

# USA Real Estate Prices 2001-2022 and COVID impact review

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library(dplyr)

##
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'

## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
##
##   filter, lag

## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##   intersect, setdiff, setequal, union

library(tidyverse)

## — Attaching core tidyverse packages ————— tidyverse
## 2.0.0 —
## ✓ forcats   1.0.0   ✓ readr     2.1.5
## ✓ ggplot2   3.5.1   ✓ stringr  1.5.1
## ✓ lubridate 1.9.3   ✓ tibble   3.2.1
## ✓ purrr     1.0.2   ✓ tidyr    1.3.1

## — Conflicts —————
tidyverse_conflicts() —
## ✗ dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
## ✗ dplyr::lag()     masks stats::lag()
## ⓘ Use the conflicted package (<http://conflicted.r-lib.org/>) to force all
## conflicts to become errors

library(ggplot2)
library(magrittr)

##
## Attaching package: 'magrittr'
##
## The following object is masked from 'package:purrr':
##
##   set_names

## The following object is masked from 'package:tidyr':
##
##   extract
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temp_file <- tempfile(fileext= ".csv")
datapath <- "C:/Users/98910/Desktop/Real_Estate_Sales_2001-2022_GL.csv"
org_data_set <- read_csv(datapath)

## Rows: 1048575 Columns: 14
## — Column specification

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## Delimiter: ","
## chr (8): Town, Address, Property Type, Residential Type, Non Use Code,
Asse...
## dbl (5): Serial Number, List Year, Assessed Value, Sale Amount, Sales
Ratio
## date (1): Date Recorded
##
## i Use `spec()` to retrieve the full column specification for this data.
## i Specify the column types or set `show_col_types = FALSE` to quiet this
message.

str(org_data_set)

## spc_tbl_ [1,048,575 x 14] (S3: spec_tbl_df/tbl_df/tbl/data.frame)
## $ Serial Number : num [1:1048575] 220008 2020348 20002 210317 200212
...
## $ List Year : num [1:1048575] 2022 2020 2020 2021 2020 ...
## $ Date Recorded : Date[1:1048575], format: "2023-01-30" "2021-09-13"
...
## $ Town : chr [1:1048575] "Andover" "Ansonia" "Ashford" "Avon"
...
## $ Address : chr [1:1048575] "618 ROUTE 6" "230 WAKELEE AVE" "390
TURNPIKE RD" "53 COTSWOLD WAY" ...
## $ Assessed Value : num [1:1048575] 139020 150500 253000 329730 130400
...
## $ Sale Amount : num [1:1048575] 232000 325000 430000 805000 179900
...
## $ Sales Ratio : num [1:1048575] 0.599 0.463 0.588 0.41 0.725 ...
## $ Property Type : chr [1:1048575] "Residential" "Commercial"
"Residential" "Residential" ...
## $ Residential Type: chr [1:1048575] "Single Family" NA "Single Family"
"Single Family" ...
## $ Non Use Code : chr [1:1048575] NA NA NA NA ...
## $ Assessor Remarks: chr [1:1048575] NA NA NA NA ...
## $ OPM remarks : chr [1:1048575] NA NA NA NA ...
## $ Location : chr [1:1048575] "POINT (-72.343628962 41.728431984)"
NA NA "POINT (-72.846365959 41.781677018)" ...
## - attr(*, "spec")=
## .. cols(
## .. `Serial Number` = col_double(),
## .. `List Year` = col_double(),
## .. `Date Recorded` = col_date(format = ""),
## .. Town = col_character(),

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## .. Address = col_character(),
## .. `Assessed Value` = col_double(),
## .. `Sale Amount` = col_double(),
## .. `Sales Ratio` = col_double(),
## .. `Property Type` = col_character(),
## .. `Residential Type` = col_character(),
## .. `Non Use Code` = col_character(),
## .. `Assessor Remarks` = col_character(),
## .. `OPM remarks` = col_character(),
## .. Location = col_character()
## .. )
## - attr(*, "problems")=<externalptr>
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summary(org_data_set)
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## Serial Number      List Year      Date Recorded      Town
## Min.   :0.000e+00   Min.   :2001      Min.   :1999-04-05   Length:1048575
## 1st Qu.:3.056e+04   1st Qu.:2004      1st Qu.:2005-09-09   Class :character
## Median :8.007e+04   Median :2011      Median :2011-10-26   Mode  :character
## Mean   :5.116e+05   Mean   :2011      Mean   :2012-02-16
## 3rd Qu.:1.607e+05   3rd Qu.:2017      3rd Qu.:2017-12-29
## Max.   :2.001e+09   Max.   :2022      Max.   :2023-09-29
##                                     NA's   :2
## Address            Assessed Value      Sale Amount      Sales Ratio
## Length:1048575     Min.   :          0      Min.   :0.000e+00   Min.   :
0.0
## Class :character    1st Qu.:    88340      1st Qu.:1.440e+05   1st Qu.:
0.5
## Mode  :character    Median :   139730      Median :2.320e+05   Median :
0.6
##                      Mean   :   280725      Mean   :4.047e+05   Mean   :
10.0
##                      3rd Qu.:   226800      3rd Qu.:3.750e+05   3rd Qu.:
0.8
##                      Max.    :881510000      Max.    :5.000e+09   Max.
:1226420.0
##
## Property Type      Residential Type      Non Use Code      Assessor Remarks
## Length:1048575     Length:1048575     Length:1048575     Length:1048575
## Class :character    Class :character    Class :character    Class :character
## Mode  :character    Mode  :character    Mode  :character    Mode  :character
##
##
##
## OPM remarks        Location
## Length:1048575     Length:1048575
## Class :character    Class :character
## Mode  :character    Mode  :character
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##

org_data_set$`Date Recorded` <- as.Date(org_data_set$`Date Recorded`, format=
"%Y-%m-%d")

org_data_set <- org_data_set[, c("Date Recorded", "Town", "Sale Amount")]

colSums(is.na(org_data_set))

## Date Recorded      Town      Sale Amount
##              2          0              0

org_data_set <- na.omit(org_data_set)

org_data_set$period <- ifelse(year(org_data_set$`Date Recorded`) < 2020,
"Pre-Covid", "Post-Covid")

yearly_prices <- aggregate(org_data_set$`Sale Amount` ~ year + period,
                           data = transform(org_data_set,
                                              year = year(`Date Recorded`)),
                           FUN = median)

str(yearly_prices)

## 'data.frame':    24 obs. of  3 variables:
##  $ year          : num  2020 2021 2022 2023 1999 ...
##  $ period        : chr   "Post-Covid" "Post-Covid" "Post-Covid"
##  "Post-Covid" ...
##  $ org_data_set$`Sale Amount`: num  270000 291000 315000 326500 95000 ...

colnames(yearly_prices)[which(names(yearly_prices) == "org_data_set$`Sale
Amount`")] <- "median_price"

ggplot(yearly_prices, aes(x = year, y = median_price, color = period)) +
  geom_line(size = 1) +
  labs(title = "Median Real Estate Prices Over Time",
       x = "Year", y = "Median Price") +
  theme_minimal()

## Warning: Using `size` aesthetic for lines was deprecated in ggplot2 3.4.0.
## i Please use `linewidth` instead.
## This warning is displayed once every 8 hours.
## Call `lifecycle::last_lifecycle_warnings()` to see where this warning was
## generated.
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Median Real Estate Prices Over Time

