Zillow Zestimate ADS Nutritional Label

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1 Zillow ADS Preliminary Analysis

```
[1]: # Importing Dependencies
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import sklearn as sk
```

1.1 Load the Datasets

```
[]: # Packages for reading csv file into Colaboratory:
!pip install -U -q PyDrive==1.3.1

from pydrive.auth import GoogleAuth
from pydrive.drive import GoogleDrive
from google.colab import auth
from oauth2client.client import GoogleCredentials

# Authenticate and create the PyDrive client.
# Please follow the steps as instructed when you run the following commands.
auth.authenticate_user()
gauth = GoogleAuth()
gauth.credentials = GoogleCredentials.get_application_default()
drive = GoogleDrive(gauth)
```

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We must load the datasets that are needed to train our machine learning algorithms, handle our data, and to make predictions.

It should be noted that these datasets were the ones provided when entering the competition amd accepting the Terms and Conditions.

```
[]: \# train = pd.read_csv('../input/train_2016_v2.csv', _ 
     ⇒parse_dates=["transactiondate"])
     # properties = pd.read_csv('../input/properties_2016.csv')
     # test = pd.read csv('../input/sample submission.csv')
     # test= test.rename(columns={'ParcelId': 'parcelid'}) #To make it easier for
     →merging datasets on same column_id later
[]: # https://drive.google.com/file/d/1U-1rtYTUk4-_n3GWge_uBjgnsJc80cn4/view?
     →usp=sharing
    fileid = '1U-1rtYTUk4-_n3GWge_uBjgnsJc80cn4'
    filename = 'train_2016_v2.csv'
    downloaded = drive.CreateFile({'id':fileid})
    downloaded.GetContentFile(filename)
    train = pd.read_csv(filename, parse_dates=["transactiondate"])
[]: train.head(3)
[]:
       parcelid logerror transactiondate
    0 11016594
                   0.0276
                               2016-01-01
    1 14366692
                  -0.1684
                               2016-01-01
    2 12098116
                  -0.0040
                               2016-01-01
[]: train.tail(3)
[]:
           parcelid logerror transactiondate
    90272 12995401
                      -0.2679
                                   2016-12-30
    90273 11402105
                       0.0602
                                   2016-12-30
    90274 12566293
                       0.4207
                                   2016-12-30
```

Since this is for a Colab notebook, we have commented out the above variables in order to implement the csv files from Google Drive directly

/usr/local/lib/python3.7/dist-packages/IPython/core/interactiveshell.py:2882: DtypeWarning: Columns (22,32,34,49,55) have mixed types.Specify dtype option on import or set low_memory=False.

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exec(code_obj, self.user_global_ns, self.user_ns)
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[]: properties.head(3)
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     [3 rows x 58 columns]
[]: # https://drive.google.com/file/d/15D754PtBPHg7e27bKei6E4d1md2GwaoO/view?
     →usp=sharing
     fileid = '15D754PtBPHg7e27bKei6E4d1md2Gwao0'
     filename = 'sample_submission.csv'
     downloaded = drive.CreateFile({'id':fileid})
     downloaded.GetContentFile(filename)
     test = pd.read_csv(filename)
[]: test.head(3)
        ParcelId 201610
                          201611
                                   201612
                                           201710
[]:
                                                   201711
                                                           201712
     0 10754147
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     1 10759547
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     2 10843547
                       0
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[]: test = test.rename(columns={'ParcelId': 'parcelid'}) #To make it easier for
      →merging datasets on same column_id later
    ##Preliminary research on given data
    df_train is a merged dataframe consist of original training data(parcelid and logerror only) and
    property data(home features)
[]: df_train_res = train.merge(properties, how='left', on='parcelid')
     df_train_res.head(3)
[]:
        parcelid logerror transactiondate airconditioningtypeid \
     0 11016594
                    0.0276
                                 2016-01-01
                                                                1.0
     1 14366692
                   -0.1684
                                 2016-01-01
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      12098116
                   -0.0040
                                 2016-01-01
                                                                1.0
        architecturalstyletypeid basementsqft bathroomcnt bedroomcnt \
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                              NaN
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     2
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                  NaN
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                                          346458.0
                                                              585529.0
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                                           61994.0
                                                              119906.0
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                        landtaxvaluedollarcnt taxamount
                                                           taxdelinquencyflag \
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                                      237416.0
                                                   6735.88
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                2015.0
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                                                  10153.02
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     2
                2015.0
                                       57912.0
                                                 11484.48
                                                                            NaN
        taxdelinquencyyear
                             censustractandblock
     0
                       NaN
                                    6.037107e+13
     1
                       NaN
                                             NaN
     2
                       NaN
                                    6.037464e+13
     [3 rows x 60 columns]
[]: df_train_res.shape
[]: (90275, 60)
```

data types

[]: df_train_res.dtypes.head(34)

```
[]: parcelid
                                                int64
     logerror
                                             float64
                                      datetime64[ns]
     transactiondate
                                             float64
     airconditioningtypeid
     architecturalstyletypeid
                                             float64
                                             float64
     basementsqft
     bathroomcnt
                                             float64
     bedroomcnt
                                             float64
     buildingclasstypeid
                                             float64
     buildingqualitytypeid
                                             float64
     calculatedbathnbr
                                             float64
     decktypeid
                                             float64
     finishedfloor1squarefeet
                                             float64
     calculatedfinishedsquarefeet
                                             float64
     finishedsquarefeet12
                                             float64
     finishedsquarefeet13
                                             float64
     finishedsquarefeet15
                                             float64
     finishedsquarefeet50
                                             float64
     finishedsquarefeet6
                                             float64
     fips
                                             float64
     fireplacecnt
                                             float64
     fullbathcnt
                                             float64
                                             float64
     garagecarcnt
                                             float64
     garagetotalsqft
     hashottuborspa
                                               object
     heatingorsystemtypeid
                                             float64
     latitude
                                             float64
     longitude
                                             float64
                                             float64
     lotsizesquarefeet
     poolcnt
                                             float64
                                             float64
     poolsizesum
     pooltypeid10
                                             float64
     pooltypeid2
                                             float64
                                             float64
     pooltypeid7
     dtype: object
```

[]: df_train_res["regionidzip"]

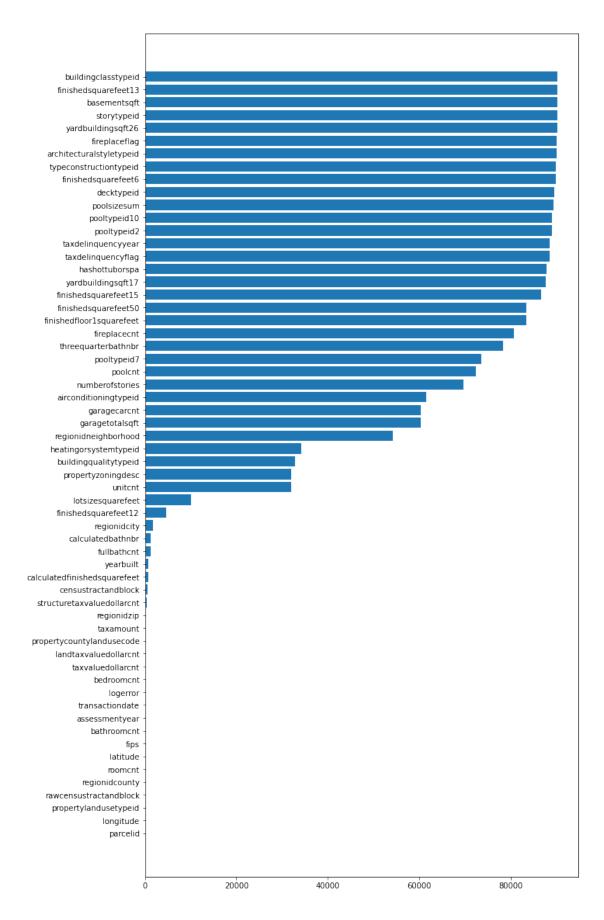
[]: 0 96370.0 1 96962.0 2 96293.0 3 96222.0 4 96961.0

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```
90270
              96364.0
     90271
              96327.0
     90272
              96478.0
     90273
              96133.0
     90274
              96244.0
     Name: regionidzip, Length: 90275, dtype: float64
[]: df_train_res.dtypes.tail(30)
[]: poolsizesum
                                    float64
                                    float64
     pooltypeid10
     pooltypeid2
                                    float64
     pooltypeid7
                                    float64
     propertycountylandusecode
                                     object
     propertylandusetypeid
                                    float64
     propertyzoningdesc
                                     object
     rawcensustractandblock
                                    float64
     regionidcity
                                    float64
     regionidcounty
                                    float64
     regionidneighborhood
                                    float64
     regionidzip
                                    float64
     roomcnt
                                    float64
     storytypeid
                                    float64
                                    float64
     threequarterbathnbr
     typeconstructiontypeid
                                    float64
     unitcnt
                                    float64
     yardbuildingsqft17
                                    float64
     yardbuildingsqft26
                                    float64
     vearbuilt
                                    float64
                                    float64
     numberofstories
     fireplaceflag
                                     object
     structuretaxvaluedollarcnt
                                    float64
     taxvaluedollarcnt
                                    float64
                                    float64
     assessmentyear
     landtaxvaluedollarcnt
                                    float64
     taxamount
                                    float64
     taxdelinquencyflag
                                     object
     taxdelinquencyyear
                                    float64
     censustractandblock
                                    float64
     dtype: object
    null data
[]:|graphData = df_train_res.isna().sum(axis=0).reset_index(name="count")
     graphData = graphData.sort_values(by='count')
     graphData.columns=['features','count']
     graphData['ratio'] = graphData['count'] / df_train_res.shape[0]
```

```
graphData.tail(5)
[]:
                     features
                               count
                                          ratio
     48
           yardbuildingsqft26
                               90180
                                      0.998948
     43
                  storytypeid 90232
                                      0.999524
     5
                 basementsqft
                               90232
                                      0.999524
     15 finishedsquarefeet13
                               90242
                                      0.999634
     8
          buildingclasstypeid
                               90259
                                      0.999823
[]: graphData.head(5)
[]:
                       features
                                 count
                                        ratio
                                     0
     0
                       parcelid
                                           0.0
     27
                      longitude
                                      0
                                           0.0
     35
          propertylandusetypeid
                                      0
                                           0.0
     37
         rawcensustractandblock
                                      0
                                           0.0
     39
                 regionidcounty
                                      0
                                           0.0
     empty_features = graphData[graphData['ratio']>0.95]["features"].tolist()
[]: empty_features
[]: ['finishedsquarefeet15',
      'yardbuildingsqft17',
      'hashottuborspa',
      'taxdelinquencyflag',
      'taxdelinquencyyear',
      'pooltypeid2',
      'pooltypeid10',
      'poolsizesum',
      'decktypeid',
      'finishedsquarefeet6',
      'typeconstructiontypeid',
      'architecturalstyletypeid',
      'fireplaceflag',
      'yardbuildingsqft26',
      'storytypeid',
      'basementsqft',
      'finishedsquarefeet13',
      'buildingclasstypeid']
[]: len(empty_features)
[]: 18
[]: # graphData.plot.barh(y='count',x='features').tick_params(axis='y', width=0.3)
     # # failed graph, too crowded
```

```
[]: figs, axes = plt.subplots(figsize=(10,20))
new_index = np.arange(graphData.shape[0])
axes.barh(new_index, graphData['count'].values)
plt.yticks(new_index, graphData["features"].values)
plt.show()
```

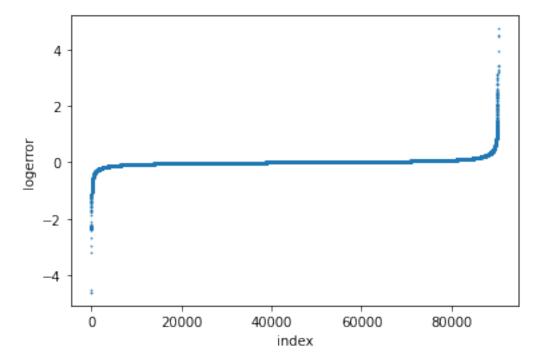


```
logerror;
    transactiondate
    bathroomcnt;
    bedroomcnt;
    PropertyLandUseTypeID;
    yearbuilt;
    taxvaluedollarcnt;
    full dictionary of indexes can be found at https://www.kaggle.com/c/zillow-prize-1/data under
    zillow data dictionary.xlsx
    note:
    regionidcounty;
    regionidcity;
    regionidcity;
    regionidneighborhood;
    above features don't have proper dictionaries, we only know numbers but not meanings
    ex:
[]: df_train_res["regionidcounty"].head(2)
[]: 0
          3101.0
     1
          1286.0
     Name: regionidcounty, dtype: float64
    ####logerror:
[]: print("mean:\t",df_train_res["logerror"].mean())
     print("median:\t",df_train_res["logerror"].median())
     print("std:\t",df_train_res["logerror"].std())
              0.011457219606756682
    mean:
             0.006
    median:
    std:
              0.16107883536718484
[]: df_train_res["logerror"].describe()
              90275.000000
[]: count
     mean
                  0.011457
                  0.161079
     std
                 -4.605000
     min
                 -0.025300
     25%
     50%
                  0.006000
```

From the index, we extract some interesting features to evaluate:

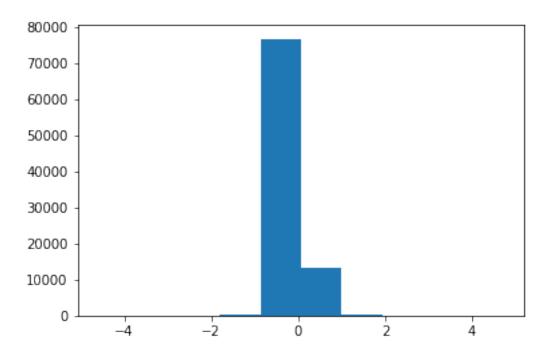
75% 0.039200 max 4.737000

Name: logerror, dtype: float64



```
[]: plt.hist(df_train_res["logerror"])
```

```
[]: (array([3.0000e+00, 2.0000e+00, 4.3000e+01, 1.1500e+02, 7.6615e+04, 1.3271e+04, 1.5800e+02, 5.1000e+01, 1.3000e+01, 4.0000e+00]), array([-4.605, -3.6708, -2.7366, -1.8024, -0.8682, 0.066, 1.0002, 1.9344, 2.8686, 3.8028, 4.737]), <a list of 10 Patch objects>)
```



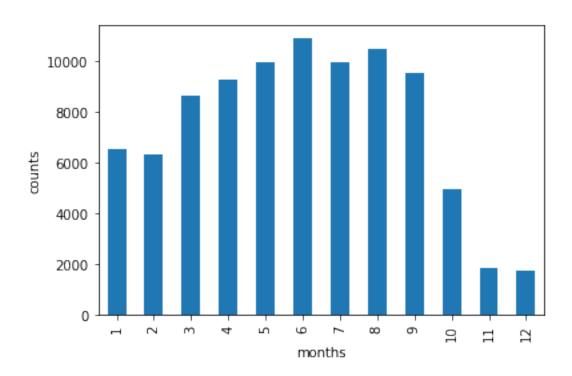
####transactiondate

```
[ ]: type(df_train_res['transactiondate'][0])
[ ]: pandas._libs.tslibs.timestamps.Timestamp
```

[]: df_train_res["transactiondate"].groupby(df_train_res["transactiondate"].dt.

→month).count().plot(kind="bar", xlabel="months", ylabel='counts')

[]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7f402225b410>



group by property land use id

```
[]: df_train_res.groupby('propertylandusetypeid', as_index=False).size()
```

```
[]:
         propertylandusetypeid
                                    size
     0
                             31.0
                                       17
     1
                            47.0
                                        1
                           246.0
     2
                                    2376
                           247.0
                                      629
     3
     4
                           248.0
                                     879
     5
                           260.0
                                       62
     6
                           261.0
                                   60637
     7
                           263.0
                                       84
     8
                           264.0
                                       11
                           265.0
     9
                                      356
     10
                           266.0
                                   22815
     11
                           267.0
                                       28
     12
                           269.0
                                     2334
     13
                           275.0
                                       46
```

```
[]: df_train_res.groupby('propertylandusetypeid', as_index=False)['logerror'].mean()
```

```
[]: propertylandusetypeid logerror
0 31.0 -0.034371
1 47.0 1.301000
```

```
2
                    246.0 0.009442
3
                    247.0 -0.004608
4
                    248.0 0.005385
5
                    260.0 0.004606
6
                    261.0 0.012080
7
                    263.0 0.104256
                    264.0 0.047591
8
9
                    265.0 0.013998
10
                    266.0 0.010381
11
                    267.0 0.041118
12
                    269.0 0.009400
13
                    275.0 0.050300
```

```
[]: landuse_mean = df_train_res.groupby('propertylandusetypeid',

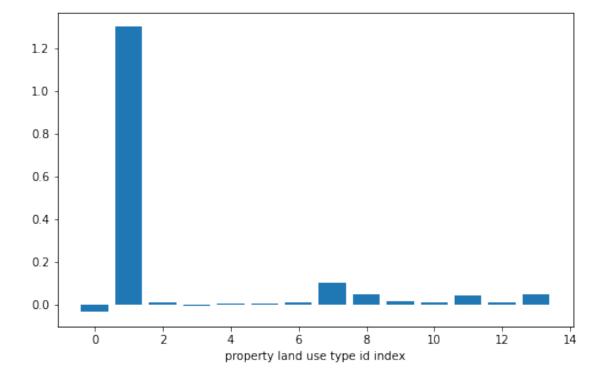
→as_index=False)['logerror'].mean()

fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(8,5))

plt.bar(range(len(landuse_mean)), landuse_mean["logerror"])

ax.set_xlabel("property land use type id index")

plt.show()
```



```
\#\#\#other features
```

```
[]: df_train_res["bedroomcnt"].describe()
```

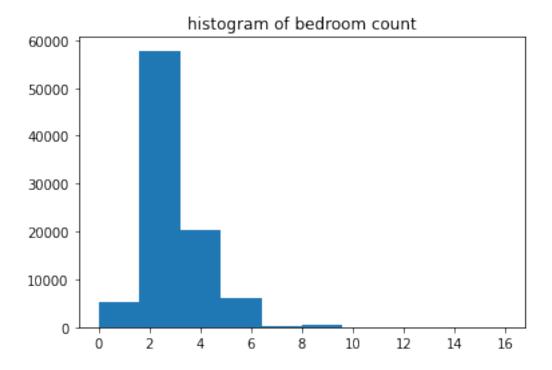
```
[]: count
              90275.000000
     mean
                  3.031869
     std
                  1.156436
     \min
                  0.000000
     25%
                  2.000000
     50%
                  3.000000
     75%
                  4.000000
                  16.000000
     max
```

Name: bedroomcnt, dtype: float64

```
[]: df_train_res["bedroomcnt"].median()
```

[]: 3.0

```
[]: plt.hist(df_train_res["bedroomcnt"])
  plt.title("histogram of bedroom count")
  plt.show()
```



```
[]: df_train_res["bathroomcnt"].describe()
```

[]: count 90275.000000 mean 2.279474 std 1.004271 min 0.000000

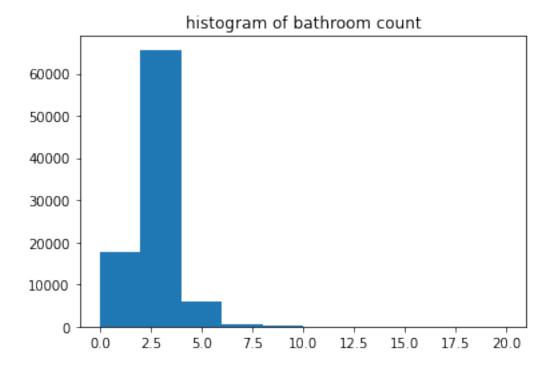
```
25% 2.000000
50% 2.000000
75% 3.000000
max 20.000000
```

Name: bathroomcnt, dtype: float64

```
[]: df_train_res["bathroomcnt"].median()
```

[]: 2.0

```
[]: plt.hist(df_train_res["bathroomcnt"])
  plt.title("histogram of bathroom count")
  plt.show()
```

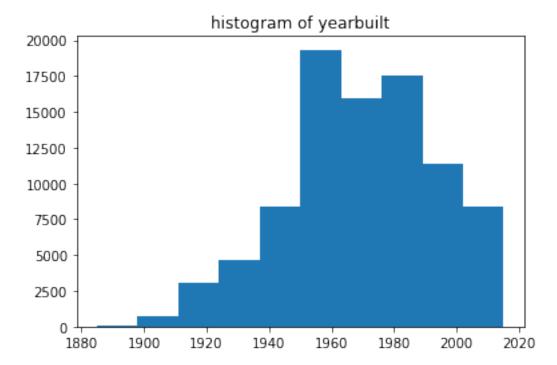


[]: df_train_res["yearbuilt"].describe()

```
[]: count
              89519.000000
               1968.532870
    mean
     std
                  23.763475
               1885.000000
    min
     25%
               1953.000000
     50%
               1970.000000
     75%
               1987.000000
    max
               2015.000000
```

Name: yearbuilt, dtype: float64

```
[]: plt.hist(df_train_res["yearbuilt"])
   plt.title("histogram of yearbuilt")
   plt.show()
```



```
[]: df_train_res["taxvaluedollarcnt"].describe()
[]: count
              9.027400e+04
              4.576726e+05
    mean
              5.548844e+05
     std
    min
              2.200000e+01
    25%
              1.990232e+05
     50%
              3.428720e+05
    75%
              5.405890e+05
              2.775000e+07
    max
    Name: taxvaluedollarcnt, dtype: float64
[]: df_train_res["taxvaluedollarcnt"].mean()
```

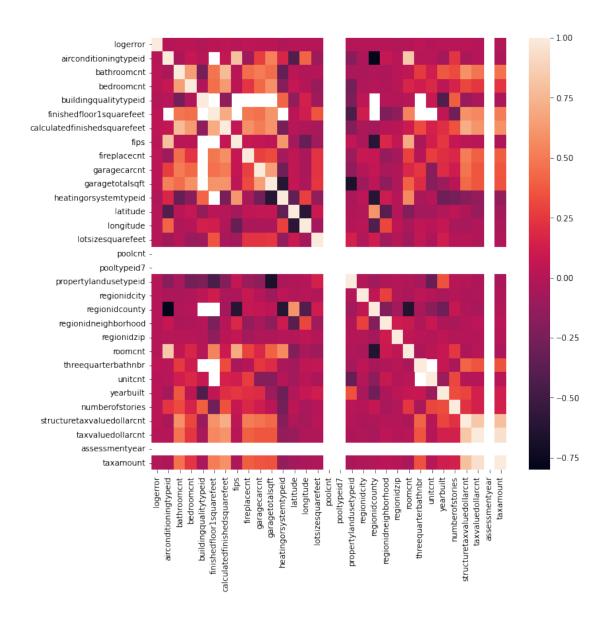
[]: 457672.627356714

1.1.1 feature correlations

remove columns that have type other than float and int

highly correlated variables are removed from the correlation matrix as they provide repeated and less meaningful information

```
[]: train_res_new = df_train_res.drop(empty_features, axis = 1)
[]: train_res_new=train_res_new.select_dtypes('float', 'int')
[]: train_corr=train_res_new.corr().abs()
[]: upper_tri = train_corr.where(np.triu(np.ones(train_corr.shape),k=1).astype(np.
      →bool))
    /usr/local/lib/python3.7/dist-packages/ipykernel_launcher.py:1:
    DeprecationWarning: `np.bool` is a deprecated alias for the builtin `bool`. To
    silence this warning, use `bool` by itself. Doing this will not modify any
    behavior and is safe. If you specifically wanted the numpy scalar type, use
    `np.bool ` here.
    Deprecated in NumPy 1.20; for more details and guidance:
    https://numpy.org/devdocs/release/1.20.0-notes.html#deprecations
      """Entry point for launching an IPython kernel.
[]: to_drop = [column for column in upper_tri.columns if any(upper_tri[column] > 0.
      <u> 95)</u>1
[]: len(to drop)
[]:7
[]: train_res_new = train_res_new.drop(to_drop, axis=1)
[]: reduced_corr = train_res_new.corr()
    reduced_corr.shape
[]: (31, 31)
[]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(10,10))
     sns.heatmap(reduced_corr)
     plt.show()
```



2 Original Zillow ADS

Zillow Zestimate ADS: https://www.kaggle.com/c/zillow-prize-1/overview

ADS Intended Goal and Specifications: https://www.kaggle.com/c/zillow-prize-1/data

Kaggle Original Solution Code: https://www.kaggle.com/code/zusmani/scrpt/script

```
[]: import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import xgboost as xgb
```

```
import random
import datetime as dt
import gc

import seaborn as sns #python visualization library
color = sns.color_palette()

#%matplotlib inline
np.random.seed(1)
```

2.0.1 Analyze the Dimensions of our Datasets

```
[]: print("Training Data Size:" + str(train.shape))
print("Property Data Size:" + str(properties.shape))
print("Sample Data Size:" + str(test.shape))
```

```
Training Data Size: (90275, 3)
Property Data Size: (2985217, 58)
Sample Data Size: (2985217, 7)
```

2.0.2 Type-Converting the DataSet

Processing some of the algorithms can be made quicker if data representation is made in format int/float32 instead of the format int/float64. Therefore we implement the following lines of code in order to made sure all of our columns are in the float32 type

```
[]: for c, dtype in zip(properties.columns, properties.dtypes):
    if dtype == np.float64:
        properties[c] = properties[c].astype(np.float32)
    if dtype == np.int64:
        properties[c] = properties[c].astype(np.int32)

for column in test.columns:
    if test[column].dtype == int:
        test[column] = test[column].astype(np.int32)
    if test[column].dtype == float:
        test[column] = test[column].astype(np.float32)
```

2.0.3 Let's do some feature engineering

```
[]: ### Let's do some feature engineering

#living area proportions

properties['living_area_prop'] = properties['calculatedfinishedsquarefeet'] /

→properties['lotsizesquarefeet']

#tax value ratio
```

```
properties['value_ratio'] = properties['taxvaluedollarcnt'] /__
      →properties['taxamount']
     #tax value proportions
     properties['value_prop'] = properties['structuretaxvaluedollarcnt'] /__
      →properties['landtaxvaluedollarcnt']
    2.0.4 Merging the Datasets
[]: df_train = train.merge(properties, how='left', on='parcelid')
     df_test = test.merge(properties, how='left', on='parcelid')
[]: df_train.head(3)
[]:
        parcelid logerror transactiondate airconditioningtypeid \
     0 11016594
                    0.0276
                                 2016-01-01
                                                               1.0
     1 14366692
                   -0.1684
                                 2016-01-01
                                                               NaN
     2 12098116
                   -0.0040
                                2016-01-01
                                                               1.0
        architecturalstyletypeid basementsqft
                                                 bathroomcnt bedroomcnt
     0
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     2
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                                                         3.0
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        buildingclasstypeid
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     0
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     2
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        assessmentyear
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     1
                2015.0
                                      239071.0
                                               10153.019531
                                                                              NaN
     2
                2015.0
                                       57912.0 11484.480469
                                                                              NaN
        taxdelinquencyyear
                            censustractandblock living_area_prop value_ratio
                                   6.037107e+13
                                                          0.223698
     0
                       NaN
                                                                       53.470371
                       NaN
                                                                       57.670429
     1
                                             NaN
                                                          0.621191
     2
                       NaN
                                    6.037464e+13
                                                          0.194082
                                                                       10.440699
        value_prop
     0
          0.517042
     1
          1.449185
          1.070486
     [3 rows x 63 columns]
```

[]: df_test.head(3)

```
[]:
        parcelid 201610
                           201611
                                   201612 201710 201711
                                                             201712 \
       10754147
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     1 10759547
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       10843547
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                                architecturalstyletypeid basementsqft
        airconditioningtypeid
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                                             landtaxvaluedollarcnt
        taxvaluedollarcnt assessmentyear
                                                                        taxamount
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                                    2015.0
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                                     2015.0
                                                            27516.0
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     2
                1413387.0
                                     2015.0
                                                           762631.0
                                                                     20800.369141
        taxdelinquencyflag
                            taxdelinquencyyear
                                                  censustractandblock
     0
                        NaN
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     1
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                           value_ratio
        living_area_prop
                                         value_prop
     0
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                      {\tt NaN}
                                   NaN
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                                   NaN
                                                NaN
                1.157581
                             67.950089
                                           0.853304
     2
     [3 rows x 67 columns]
```

2.0.5 Remove some unused variables in order to retain some memory

```
[]: # del properties, train
    # We preserve unused variables for later analysis
    gc.collect();

print('Memory usage reduction...')
    df_train[['latitude', 'longitude']] /= 1e6
    df_test[['latitude', 'longitude']] /= 1e6

df_train['censustractandblock'] /= 1e12
    df_test['censustractandblock'] /= 1e12
```

Memory usage reduction...

2.0.6 We will conduct some pre-exploratory analysis to identify the missing values within our datasets.

We incorporated procedures from user Nikunj in order to deal with missing values within our datasets

Reference: https://www.kaggle.com/nikunjm88/carefully-dealing-with-missing-values

```
| # Let's do some engineering with the fireplaceflag variable | print(df_train.fireplaceflag.isnull().sum()) | print(df_train.fireplacecnt.isnull().sum()) | # By using fireplacecnt variable we can recover some of the fields of_u fireplaceflag | "No" | df_train.loc[df_train['fireplacecnt']>0, 'fireplaceflag']= "Yes" | # Remaining Missing fireplacecnt will be replaced with 0 | index = df_train.fireplacecnt.isnull() | df_train.loc[index,'fireplacecnt'] = 0 | # Tax deliquency flag - assume if it is null then doesn't exist | index = df_train.taxdelinquencyflag.isnull() | df_train.loc[index,'taxdelinquencyflag'] = "None" | 90053 | 80668 | |
```

```
[]: # Similar step performed for Pool/Spa/hot tub
    print(df_train.hashottuborspa.value_counts())
    print(df_train.pooltypeid10.value_counts())

#lets remove 'pooltypeid10' as has more missing values
    print(df_train.hashottuborspa.value_counts())

print(df_train.pooltypeid10.value_counts())

#Assume if the pooltype id is null then pool/hottub doesnt exist
    index = df_train.pooltypeid2.isnull()
    df_train.loc[index,'pooltypeid2'] = 0

index = df_train.pooltypeid7.isnull()
    df_train.loc[index,'pooltypeid7'] = 0

index = df_train.poolcnt.isnull()
    df_train.loc[index,'poolcnt'] = 0
```

```
True 2365
Name: hashottuborspa, dtype: int64
1.0 1161
Name: pooltypeid10, dtype: int64
True 2365
Name: hashottuborspa, dtype: int64
1.0 1161
Name: pooltypeid10, dtype: int64
```

2.0.7 Label Encoding For Machine Learning & Filling Missing Values

We are now label encoding our datasets. All of the machine learning algorithms employed in scikit learn assume that the data being fed to them is in numerical form. LabelEncoding ensures that all of our categorical variables are in numerical representation. Also note that we are filling the missing values in our dataset with a zero before label encoding them. This is to ensure that label encoder function does not experience any problems while carrying out its operation.

```
[]: from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder

lbl = LabelEncoder()
for c in df_train.columns:
    df_train[c]=df_train[c].fillna(0)
    if df_train[c].dtype == 'object':
        lbl.fit(list(df_train[c].values))
        df_train[c] = lbl.transform(list(df_train[c].values))

for c in df_test.columns:
    df_test[c]=df_test[c].fillna(0)
    if df_test[c].dtype == 'object':
        lbl.fit(list(df_test[c].values))
        df_test[c] = lbl.transform(list(df_test[c].values))
```

2.0.8 Removing the Outliers

```
[]: log_errors = df_train['logerror']
df_train = df_train[df_train.logerror < np.percentile(log_errors, 99.5)]
df_train = df_train[df_train.logerror > np.percentile(log_errors, 0.5)]
```

2.0.9 Rearranging the DataSets

We now drop the features which do not serve an useful purpose. We will then split our data and divide it into representation to make it clear which features are to be treated as the determinants in predicting the outcome for our target feature. We make sure to include the same features in the test set as the ones which were included in the training set.

2.0.10 Cross Validation

We divide our datasets into training and validation sets so that we can monitor and test the progress of our machine learning algorithm. This would let us know when our model may be over or under-fitting on a dataset which we have employed.

2.0.11 Implement the Xgboost

We now can select the parameters for Xgboost and monitor the progress of results on our validation set. The explanation of the Xgboost parameters and what they do can be found through the following link: http://xgboost.readthedocs.io/en/latest/parameter.html

[0] train-mae:0.474036 valid-mae:0.471898 Multiple eval metrics have been passed: 'valid-mae' will be used for early stopping.

```
Will train until valid-mae hasn't improved in 100 rounds.

[10] train-mae:0.334328 valid-mae:0.332244

[20] train-mae:0.238427 valid-mae:0.236558

[30] train-mae:0.173321 valid-mae:0.171623

[40] train-mae:0.129685 valid-mae:0.128215
```

[50] train-mae:0.1011 valid-mae:0.099863
[60] train-mae:0.082927 valid-mae:0.081904

```
[70]
        train-mae:0.071828
                                  valid-mae:0.071027
[80]
        train-mae:0.065345
                                  valid-mae:0.064763
[90]
        train-mae:0.06166
                                  valid-mae:0.061288
[100]
                                  valid-mae:0.059366
        train-mae: 0.059599
[110]
        train-mae: 0.058428
                                  valid-mae:0.058296
[120]
        train-mae: 0.057761
                                  valid-mae:0.057707
[130]
        train-mae: 0.057369
                                  valid-mae:0.05738
[140]
        train-mae: 0.057107
                                  valid-mae:0.057194
[150]
        train-mae: 0.056955
                                  valid-mae:0.057097
[160]
        train-mae:0.056837
                                  valid-mae:0.057025
[170]
        train-mae: 0.056759
                                  valid-mae:0.056985
                                  valid-mae:0.056968
[180]
        train-mae:0.056702
[190]
        train-mae: 0.056649
                                  valid-mae:0.056954
[200]
        train-mae: 0.056614
                                  valid-mae:0.056949
[210]
        train-mae:0.056579
                                  valid-mae:0.056942
[220]
        train-mae:0.056542
                                  valid-mae:0.056936
[230]
        train-mae:0.056508
                                  valid-mae:0.056931
[240]
        train-mae:0.056479
                                  valid-mae:0.056921
[250]
        train-mae:0.05645
                                  valid-mae:0.05692
[260]
        train-mae:0.056433
                                  valid-mae:0.05693
[270]
        train-mae: 0.056409
                                  valid-mae:0.056933
[280]
        train-mae: 0.056384
                                  valid-mae:0.056927
[290]
        train-mae:0.05636
                                  valid-mae:0.056927
[300]
                                  valid-mae:0.056936
        train-mae: 0.056343
[310]
        train-mae: 0.056315
                                  valid-mae:0.056938
[320]
        train-mae: 0.056294
                                  valid-mae:0.056938
[330]
        train-mae: 0.056267
                                  valid-mae:0.056932
[340]
        train-mae: 0.056246
                                  valid-mae:0.056934
[350]
                                  valid-mae:0.056931
        train-mae: 0.056223
Stopping. Best iteration:
[251]
        train-mae: 0.056446
                                  valid-mae:0.056919
```

###Predicting the results###

We can now predict the target variable for our test dataset. All we need to do now is fit the already trained model on the test dataset which we made from merging the sample file with the properties dataset.

2.0.12 Submitting the Results

Since we do not need to export the predicitons to csv file, we commented out the cells below to save memory

[]:		ParcelId	201610	201611	201612	201710	201711	201712
	0	10754147	0	0	0	0	0	0
	1	10759547	0	0	0	0	0	0
	2	10843547	0	0	0	0	0	0
	3	10859147	0	0	0	0	0	0
	4	10879947	0	0	0	0	0	0
	•••	•••		•••	•••			
	2985212	168176230	0	0	0	0	0	0
	2985213	14273630	0	0	0	0	0	0
	2985214	168040630	0	0	0	0	0	0
	2985215	168040830	0	0	0	0	0	0
	2985216	168040430	0	0	0	0	0	0

[2985217 rows x 7 columns]

```
[]: # for c in sample_file.columns[sample_file.columns != 'ParcelId']:
# sample_file[c] = Predicted_test_xgb

# print('Preparing the csv file ...')
# sample_file.to_csv('xgb_predicted_results.csv', index=False, float_format='%.
→4f')
# print("Finished writing the file")
# # failed to write to the csv file in drive, but predictions are stored in the
→variable sample_file
```

Preparing the csv file ... Finished writing the file

```
[]:  # len(sample_file)
```

[]: 2985217

```
[]: | # sample_file
[]:
                                              201612
              ParcelId
                          201610
                                    201611
                                                        201710
                                                                  201711
                                                                            201712
    0
              10754147 -0.052357 -0.052357 -0.052357 -0.052357 -0.052357 -0.052357
    1
              10759547 -0.013275 -0.013275 -0.013275 -0.013275 -0.013275 -0.013275
    2
              10843547
                        0.003475
                                  0.003475
                                            0.003475
                                                      0.003475
                                                                0.003475
                                                                          0.003475
    3
              10859147
                        0.116168
                                  0.116168
                                            0.116168
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                                                                         0.104798
    2985214 168040630
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                                                               0.104798
                                                                          0.104798
    2985215
             168040830 0.104798
                                  0.104798
                                            0.104798
                                                      0.104798 0.104798
                                                                          0.104798
    2985216 168040430 0.104798 0.104798 0.104798
                                                      0.104798 0.104798
                                                                         0.104798
```

[2985217 rows x 7 columns]

3 ADS Evaluation

####Sample submission logerror predictions:

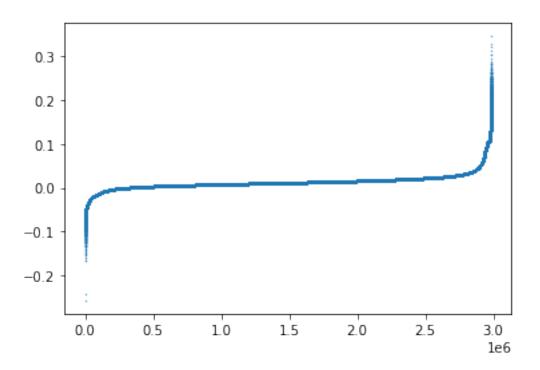
```
[]: def describe_arr(array):
    print("mean:",array.mean())
    print("median:",np.median(array))
    print("min:",array.min())
    print("max:",array.max())

[]: describe_arr(Predicted_test_xgb)

mean: 0.013021984
    median: 0.011305124
    min: -0.25805414
    max: 0.34636483
```

[]: plt.scatter(range(len(Predicted_test_xgb)), np.sort(Predicted_test_xgb),s=0.1)

[]: <matplotlib.collections.PathCollection at 0x7f401646de90>



###model prediction on test set:

Because we do not have test set for the submission version of logerror prediction, which was the scoring metric for Kaggle competition. Instead, below, we analyze the prediction on test set.

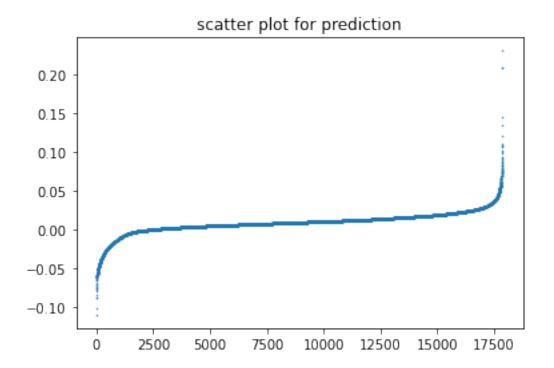
```
[]: y_pred = model_xgb.predict(dvalid)

[]: describe_arr(y_pred)

mean: 0.0095409425
median: 0.009667605
min: -0.109619394
max: 0.23125656

[]: plt.scatter(range(len(y_pred)), np.sort(y_pred),s=0.2)
plt.title("scatter plot for prediction")
```

[]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'scatter plot for prediction')



####real test data:

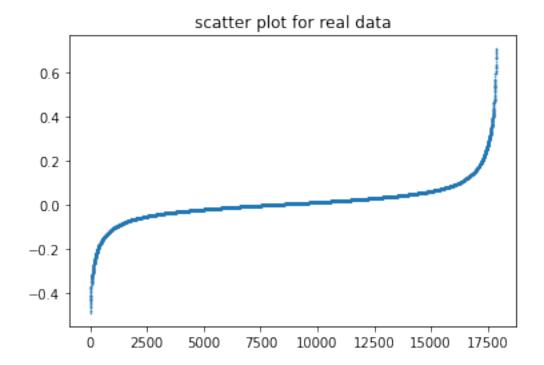
[]: describe_arr(yvalid)

mean: 0.011792033120734027

median: 0.007 min: -0.4878 max: 0.7066

[]: plt.scatter(range(len(yvalid)), np.sort(yvalid),s=0.2) plt.title("scatter plot for real data")

[]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'scatter plot for real data')



###classification of logerror

a set a threshold of 0.1.

For logerror within 0.1 to -0.1 interval, we say we have a good estimate for this estate and represent it as 1. If the logerror is larger, it is replaced with 0, showing that it's an inaccurate estimate

```
[]: import copy
def classify_log(array):
    res = copy.deepcopy(array)
    for i in range(len(res)):
        if abs(res[i])<=0.1: res[i]=1
        else: res[i]=0
    return res</pre>
```

real test data:

```
[]: ytest_class = classify_log(yvalid)

[]: unique, counts = np.unique(ytest_class, return_counts=True)
    dict(zip(unique, counts))

[]: {0.0: 2715, 1.0: 15159}
    predicted data:
```

```
[]: ypred_class = classify_log(y_pred)
```

```
[]: unique, counts = np.unique(ypred_class, return_counts=True)
dict(zip(unique, counts))
```

[]: {0.0: 14, 1.0: 17860}

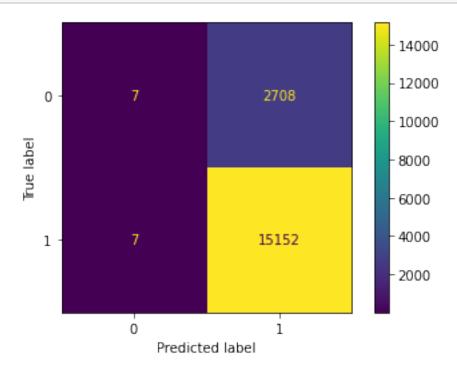
3.0.1 performance and fairness

accuracy: 0.8481033903994629 AUC: 0.5010582484959611

precision: 0.8483762597984322
recall: 0.999538228115311

 ${\tt average_precision:}\ 0.8483761337950155$

```
[]: cm = skm.confusion_matrix(ytest_class, ypred_class)
    skm.ConfusionMatrixDisplay(confusion_matrix=cm).plot()
    plt.show()
```



false positive rate is: 0.9974 false negative rate is: 0.0005

3.0.2 attempt to analyze subpopulation accuracy

Because the ADS converted dataframes into numerical values when spliting training and test dataset. it is hard to reconstruct test set dataframe and reassociate predictions with features.

In addition, many features like building classtypeid, storytypeid, architectural styletypeid obtains about 99% of null data. And features like regionid county, regionid city, and regionid neighborhood do not have have human-interpretable dicitonary on Kaggle.

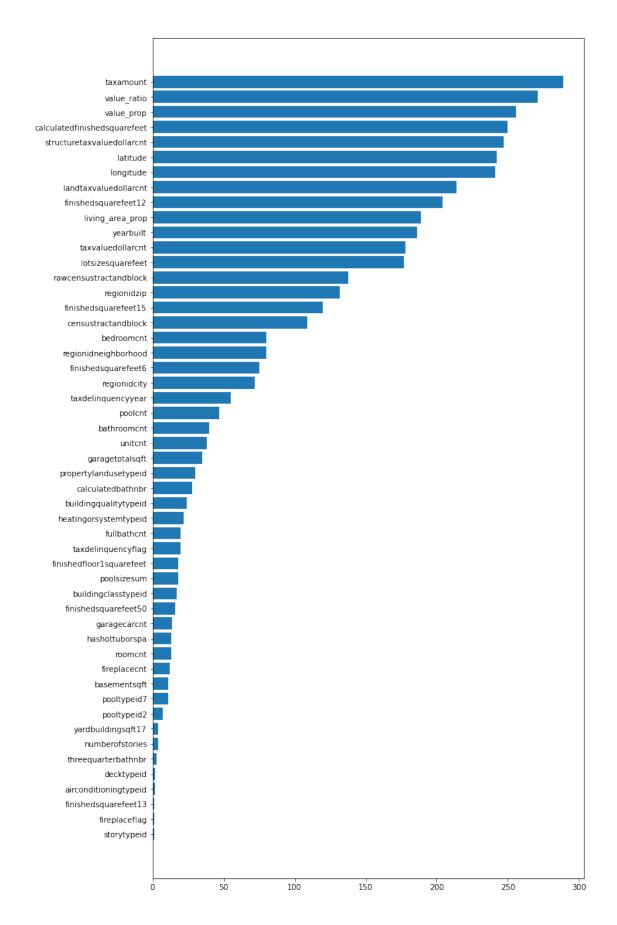
Therefore, although we originally planned to evaluate ADS's accuracy across subpopulations, we failed to analyze it due to ADS's encoding and preprocessing methods as well as missing documentations.

In the cells below, we attempted to analyze performance of subgroups based on "propertylanduse-typeid" by creating a fairlearn.metrics.MetricFrame taught in lab 4. However, in the process of coding, we realized we could not reconstruct predictions' associated features. Thus we failed to analyze fairness and subpopulation accuracy for this ADS due to above reasons.

```
if sum(y_true)! = len(y_true) and sum(y_true)! = 0:
#
          return skm.roc_auc_score(y_true, y_score)
#
      else:
#
          return np.nan
# def samplesize(y_true, y_score):
     return len(y true)
# #Metrics
# metric_fns = {'samplesize': samplesize,
                'selection_rate': selection_rate, # i.e., the percentage of □
→ the population which have '1' as their label
                'FNR': false_negative_rate,
#
                'FPR': false_positive_rate,
#
                'accuracy': skm.accuracy_score,
#
                'average_precision': skm.average_precision_score,
                'roc_auc_score': insensitive_roc_auc
#
#
# grouped_on_race = MetricFrame(metric_fns,
                                ytest class, ypred class,
#
→ sensitive_features=df_yvalid['propertylandusetypeid'])
```

3.0.3 XGB factor importance

```
[]: x, y = zip(*sorted_weight)
figs, axes = plt.subplots(figsize=(10,20))
plt.barh(x,y)
plt.show()
```



4 Bibliography