

# House Price Prediction using Machine Learning

**Internship:** Python Development Internship (QSkill)

**Project:** House Price Prediction (Regression Models)

## 1. Objective

The objective of this project is to predict house prices based on multiple features such as area, number of bedrooms, bathrooms, and location using machine learning regression techniques.

## 2. Dataset Description

The dataset contains housing attributes including area in square feet, number of bedrooms, bathrooms, location category, and the target variable price. Categorical variables were encoded and numerical features were prepared for modeling.

### **3. Models Used**

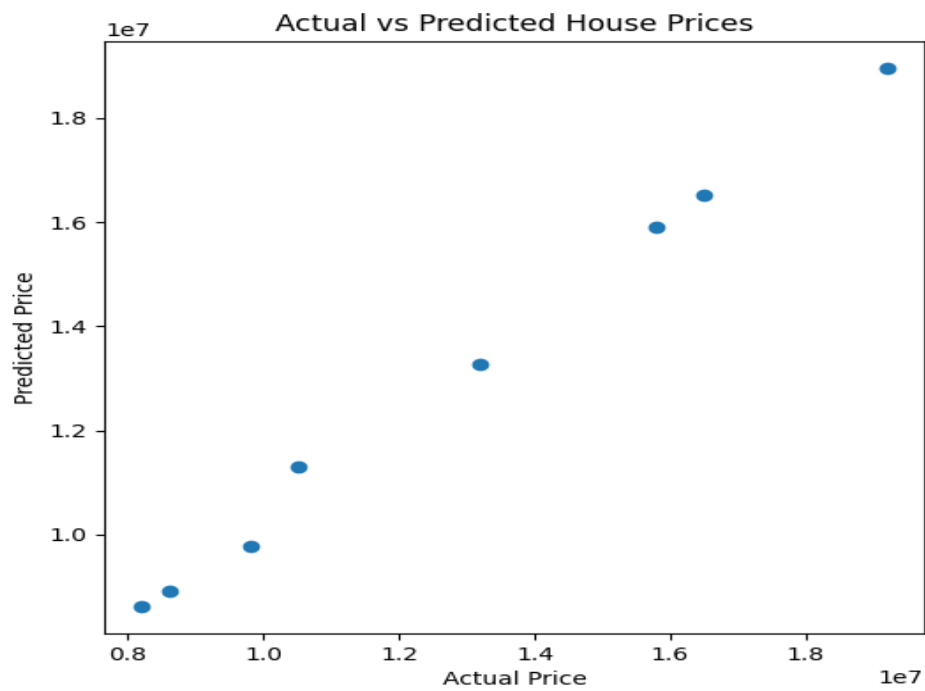
- Linear Regression (baseline model)
- Ridge Regression (L2 regularization)
- Lasso Regression (L1 regularization & feature selection)

### **4. Model Evaluation Metrics**

MAE: 250999.3256  
RMSE: 355122.8516  
R2: 0.9914

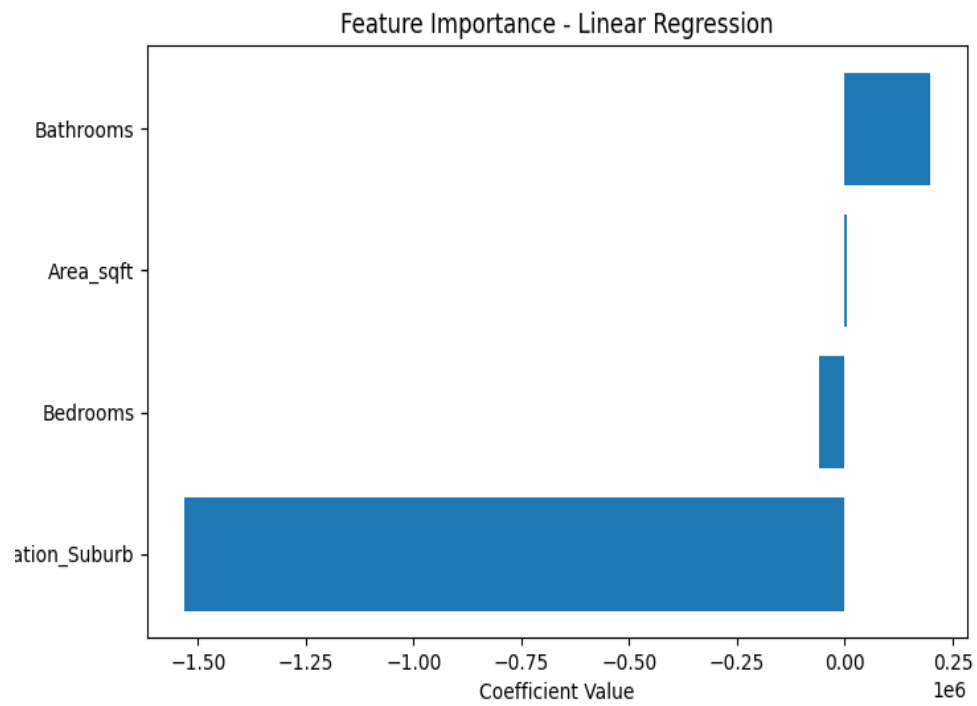
## 5. Prediction Results

### *Actual vs Predicted House Prices*



## 6. Feature Importance Analysis

### *Linear Regression Coefficient Analysis*



## 7. Ridge & Lasso Regularization

Ridge Regression

MAE: 215275.2517

RMSE: 292801.9070

R2: 0.9941

Lasso Regression

MAE: 250999.1611

RMSE: 355122.7568

R2: 0.9914

## 8. Conclusion

The project demonstrates a complete machine learning pipeline from data preprocessing to model training, evaluation, and explainability. Linear Regression provided a strong baseline, while Ridge and Lasso improved generalization and interpretability.

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