



# House Price Analysis

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# Introduction

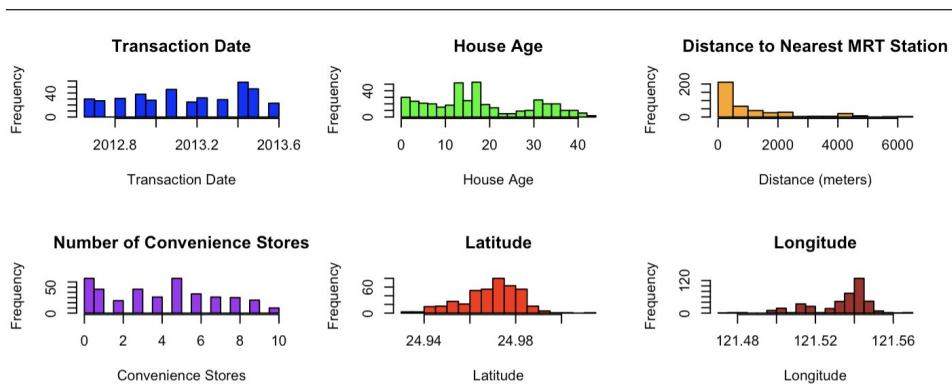
- Datasets : House prices in Sindian District, New Taipei City, Taiwan based on 6 factors
- Variables
  - Y.house.price.of.unit.area (Response Variable) – House price per unit area.
  - X1.transaction.date – Date of property transaction.
  - X2.house.age – Age of the house (in years).
  - X3.distance.to.the.nearest.MRT.station – Distance to the closest MRT station (in meters).
  - X4.number.of.convenience.stores – Number of convenience stores nearby.
  - X5.latitude – Geographic latitude of the property.
  - X6.longitude – Geographic longitude of the property.

# Data Description

- Transaction Date: Normally distributed
- House Age: Normally distributed
- Distance to Nearest MRT Station: Right Skewed
- Number of Convenience Stores: Right Skewed
- Latitude: Normally distributed
- Longitude: Left Skewed
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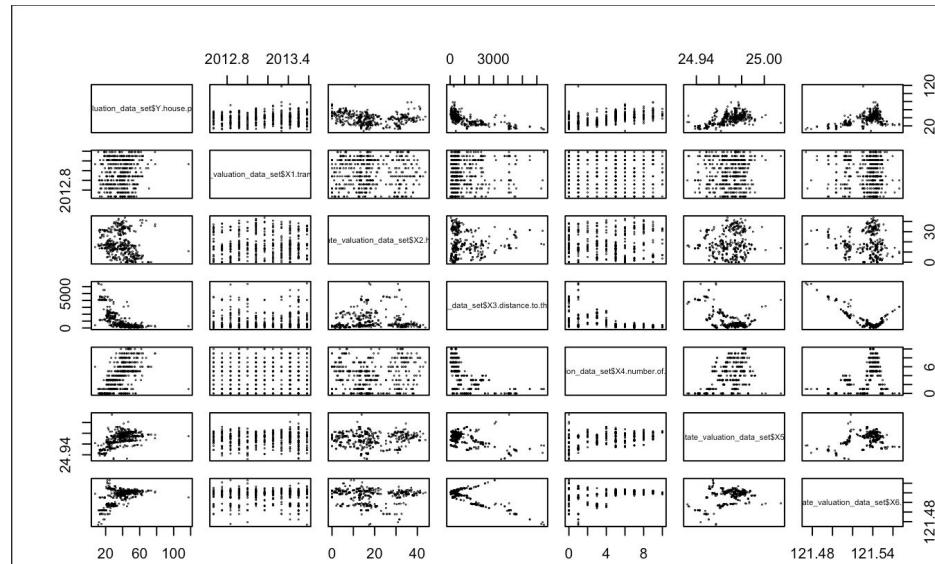
Description: df [8 x 3]

Variable	Mean	SD
<chr>	<dbl>	<dbl>
No	207.50000	1.196558e+02
X1.transaction.date	2013.148971	2.819672e-01
X2.house.age	17.712560	1.139248e+01
X3.distance.to.the.nearest.MRT.station	1083.885689	1.262110e+03
X4.number.of.convenience.stores	4.094203	2.945562e+00
X5.latitude	24.969030	1.241020e-02
X6.longitude	121.533361	1.534718e-02
Y.house.price.of.unit.area	37.980193	1.360649e+01



# Scatter Plot Matrix of Original Variables

- Transaction Date (X1) vs. House Price (Y):  
No correlation
- House Age (X2) vs. House Price (Y):  
Negative correlation
- Distance to Nearest MRT Station (X3) vs.  
House Price (Y): Negative correlation
- Number of Convenience Stores (X4) vs.  
House Price (Y): Positive correlation
- Latitude (X5) and Longitude (X6) vs.  
House Price (Y): No correlation



# Full Model Fitting and R Output

- R-squared ( $R^2$ ): The Multiple R-squared value is 0.5834.
- p-value of ANOVA: p-value:  $< 2.2e-16$

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Call:
lm(formula = Y.house.price.of.unit.area ~ ., data = Real_estate_valuation_data_set)

Residuals:
    Min      1Q  Median      3Q     Max 
-36.003 -5.196 -0.990  4.181 75.384 

Coefficients:
                                         Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)    
(Intercept)                         -1.404e+04  6.788e+03 -2.068  0.03927 *  
No                                    -3.593e-03  3.653e-03 -0.984  0.32590  
X1.transaction.date                  5.079e+00  1.559e+00  3.259  0.00121 **  
X2.house.age                          -2.708e-01  3.855e-02 -7.026 9.04e-12 *** 
X3.distance.to.the.nearest.MRT.station -4.521e-03  7.189e-04 -6.289 8.28e-10 *** 
X4.number.of.convenience.stores       1.129e+00  1.882e-01  6.000 4.37e-09 *** 
X5.latitude                            2.247e+02  4.458e-01  5.040 7.02e-07 *** 
X6.longitude                           -1.442e+01  4.863e+01 -0.297  0.76691  
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Signif. codes:  0 ‘***’ 0.001 ‘**’ 0.01 ‘*’ 0.05 ‘.’ 0.1 ‘ ’ 1 

Residual standard error: 8.858 on 406 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared:  0.5834,   Adjusted R-squared:  0.5762 
F-statistic: 81.21 on 7 and 406 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16

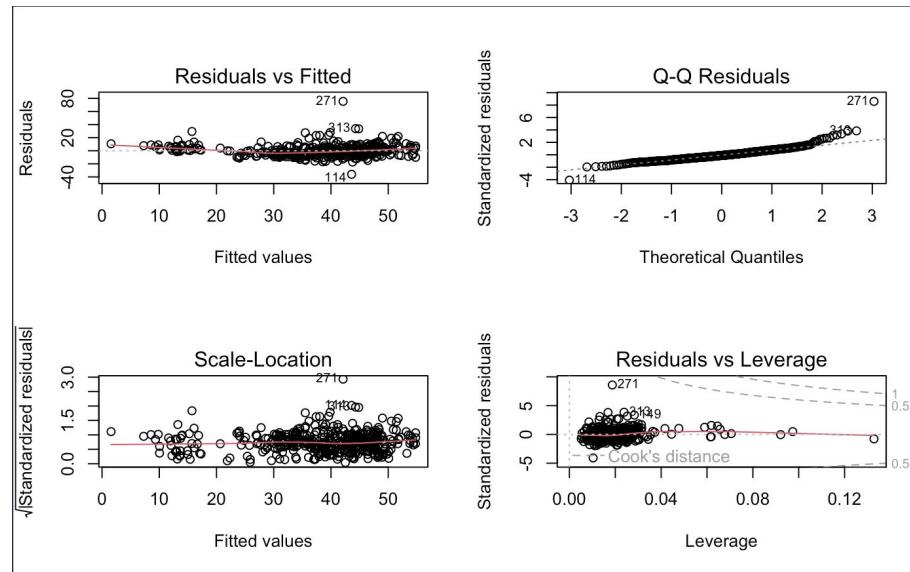
Analysis of Variance Table

Response: Y.house.price.of.unit.area

              Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value    Pr(>F)    
No                      1    62     62  0.7964  0.37271  
X1.transaction.date      1   568     568  7.2410  0.00742 **  
X2.house.age              1   3470    3470 44.2205 9.495e-11 *** 
X3.distance.to.the.nearest.MRT.station 1 34892   34892 444.6857 < 2.2e-16 *** 
X4.number.of.convenience.stores      1   3551     3551 45.2575 5.893e-11 *** 
X5.latitude                     1   2054     2054 26.1809 4.806e-07 *** 
X6.longitude                   1     7       7  0.0880  0.76691  
Residuals                  406 31857    78
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Signif. codes:  0 ‘***’ 0.001 ‘**’ 0.01 ‘*’ 0.05 ‘.’ 0.1 ‘ ’ 1
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# Diagnostic Plots and Model Assumptions

- Residuals vs. Fitted: Linearity assumption is satisfied
- Normal Q-Q Plot: Normality assumption is somewhat satisfied
- Scale-Location Plot: Homoscedasticity assumption is satisfied
- Residuals vs. Leverage: Model fit



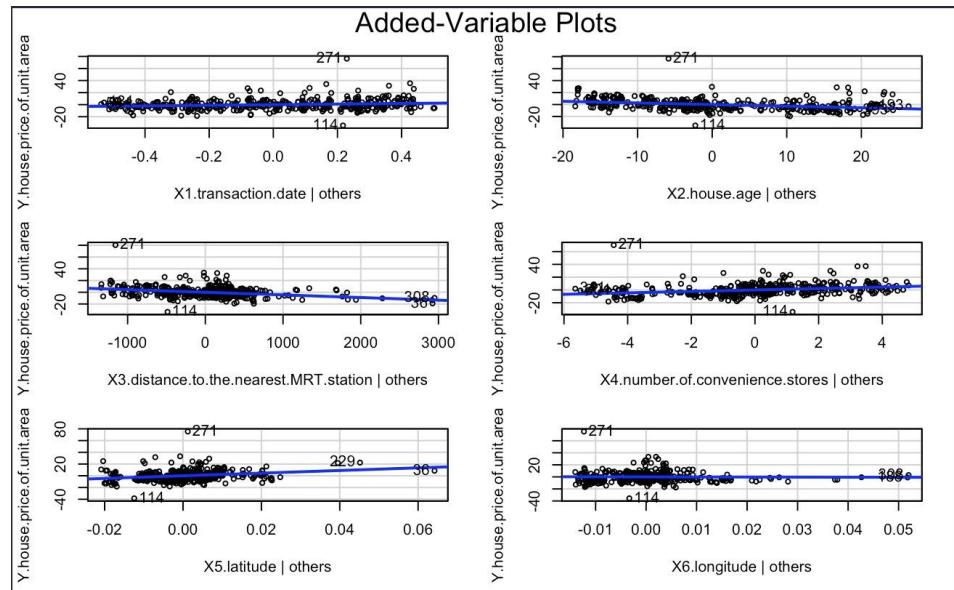
# VIF

- X1.transaction.date: 1.014674
- X2.house.age: 1.014287
- X3.distance.to.the.nearest.MRT.station:  
4.323019
- X4.number.of.convenience.stores :  
1.617038
- X5.latitude: 1.610234
- X6.longitude: 2.926302

X1.transaction.date	1.014674	X2.house.age	1.014287
X3.distance.to.the.nearest.MRT.station	4.323019	X4.number.of.convenience.stores	1.617038
X5.latitude	1.610234	X6.longitude	2.926302

# Added Variable Plots

- X1.transaction.date: weak relationship
- X2.house.age: slight negative trend
- X3.distance.to.the.nearest.MRT.station: clear negative trend: clear negative trend
- X4.number.of.convenience.stores : positive trend
- X5.latitude: strong positive trend
- X6.longitude: weak relationship



# Consideration of Transformations

- $\lambda = 0.1818182$
- Variable need to be transform:
  - Y.house.price.of.unit.area (Response Variable) – House price per unit area.
  - X3.distance.to.the.nearest.MRT.station – Distance to the closest MRT station (in meters).

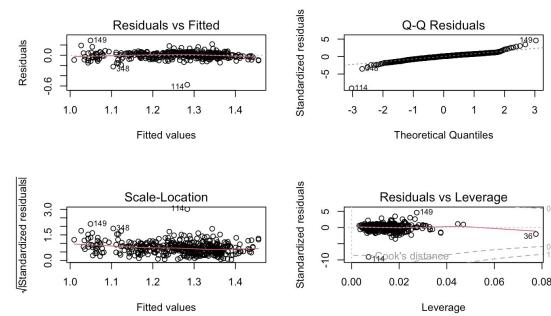
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Call:
lm(formula = log(Y_log) ~ X1.transaction.date + X2.house.age +
log(X3.distance.to.the.nearest.MRT.station) + X4.number.of.convenience.stores +
X5.latitude, data = Real_estate_valuation_data_set)

Residuals:
    Min      1Q  Median      3Q     Max 
-0.57631 -0.02983  0.00577  0.03524  0.28816 

Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)    
(Intercept) -1.767e+02  2.332e+01 -7.56 2.41e-13 ***
X1.transaction.date 4.747e-02  1.127e-02  4.213 3.10e-05 ***
X2.house.age   -1.718e-03  2.790e-04 -6.157 1.77e-09 ***
log(X3.distance.to.the.nearest.MRT.station) -5.616e-02  4.051e-03 -13.862 < 2e-16 ***
X4.number.of.convenience.stores  2.817e-03  1.509e-03  1.866  0.0627 .  
X5.latitude       3.315e+00  2.915e-01 11.372 < 2e-16 *** 
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Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 0.06373 on 408 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared:  0.705,    Adjusted R-squared:  0.7014 
F-statistic: 195 on 5 and 408 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
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# Variable Selection Methodology

- Adjusted R<sup>2</sup>: The highest Adjusted R<sup>2</sup> is 0.681826527 (Model 5)
- Model 5 has the lowest AIC (-1242.5596), AICc (-1242.2851), and BIC (-1218.4044).
- Final Regression Model:
  - $\ln(\text{Real\_estate\_valuation\_data\_set\$Y.house.price.of.unit.area}) = B_0 + B_1 * X1.\text{transaction.date} + B_2 * X2.\text{house.age} + B_3 * X3.\text{distance.to.the.nearest.MRT.station} + B_4 * X4.\text{number.of.convenience.stores} + B_5 * X5.\text{latitude} + e$

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6 Variables (and intercept)
Forced in    Forced out
X1.transaction.date      FALSE    FALSE
X2.house.age             FALSE    FALSE
X3.distance.to.the.nearest.MRT.station   FALSE    FALSE
X4.number.of.convenience.stores  FALSE    FALSE
X5.latitude              FALSE    FALSE
X6.longitude             FALSE    FALSE
1 subsets of each size up to 6
Selection Algorithm: exhaustive
          X1.transaction.date X2.house.age X3.distance.to.the.nearest.MRT.station
X4.number.of.convenience.stores
1 ( 1 ) " "           " "           " * "
2 ( 1 ) " "           " "           " * "
3 ( 1 ) " "           " * "         " * "
4 ( 1 ) " "           " * "         " * "
5 ( 1 ) " * "         " * "         " * "
6 ( 1 ) " * "         " * "         " * "
          X5.latitude X6.longitude
1 ( 1 ) " "           " "
2 ( 1 ) " * "         " "
3 ( 1 ) " * "         " "
4 ( 1 ) " * "         " "
5 ( 1 ) " * "         " "
6 ( 1 ) " * "         " * "

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Description: df [6 x 4]

Adjusted_R2 <dbl>	AIC <dbl>	AICc <dbl>	BIC <dbl>
0.003285732	-773.7874	-773.7292	-765.7357
0.037369029	-787.1982	-787.1009	-775.1206
0.607512690	-1157.6334	-1157.4871	-1141.5300
0.643036579	-1195.9210	-1195.7156	-1175.7917
0.681826527	-1242.5596	-1242.2851	-1218.4044
0.681116880	-1240.6532	-1240.2994	-1212.4721

# Final Model R Output and Interpretation

- R<sup>2</sup> (Multiple R-squared): R<sup>2</sup>: 0.6857
- p-value of ANOVA: p-value: < 2.2e-16
- X1.transaction.date: 1.358e-01
- X2.house.age: -6.977e-03
- X3.distance.to.the.nearest.MRT.station: -1.495e-04
- X4.number.of.convenience.stores: 2.766e-02
- X5.latitude: 7.883e+00

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Call:
lm(formula = Y_log ~ X1.transaction.date + X2.house.age + X3.distance.to.the.nearest.MRT.station +
   X4.number.of.convenience.stores + X5.latitude, data = Real_estate_valuation_data_set)

Residuals:
    Min      1Q  Median      3Q     Max 
-1.68218 -0.11505  0.00055  0.11262  1.04395 

Coefficients:
                                         Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)    
(Intercept)                   -4.665e+02  8.091e+01 -5.766 1.61e-08 ***
X1.transaction.date            1.358e-01  3.890e-02  3.491 0.000533 ***
X2.house.age                  -6.977e-03  9.625e-04 -7.248 2.13e-12 ***
X3.distance.to.the.nearest.MRT.station -1.495e-04  1.226e-05 -12.194 < 2e-16 ***
X4.number.of.convenience.stores  2.766e-02  4.694e-03  5.892 7.97e-09 ***
X5.latitude                     7.883e+00  1.105e+00  7.132 4.54e-12 ***
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Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 0.2214 on 408 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared:  0.6857,  Adjusted R-squared:  0.6818 
F-statistic: 178 on 5 and 408 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16

Analysis of Variance Table

Response: Y_log
                                         Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value    Pr(>F)    
X1.transaction.date                   1  0.363  0.363  7.3976  0.00681 **  
X2.house.age                         1  2.311  2.311 47.1596 2.450e-11 ***
X3.distance.to.the.nearest.MRT.station 1 36.155 36.155 737.7156 < 2.2e-16 ***
X4.number.of.convenience.stores       1  2.298  2.298 46.8982 2.761e-11 *** 
X5.latitude                           1  2.493  2.493 50.8630 4.541e-12 *** 
Residuals                            408 19.996  0.049                              

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Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
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