King County Real Estate Analysis

Summary

Analysis of King County Real Estate data to predict house prices.

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Business Problem

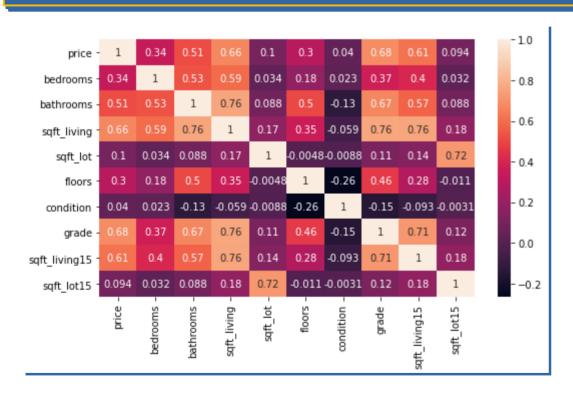
 This information could be used by real estate agencies to evaluate what a property could be currently sold at within King County.

 This is would be ideal to get the best deal for both the agency and their client.

Data & Methods

- The data used in this analysis is from real estate sales of King County.
- This dataset contains relevant information on homes sold in 2014-2015 and their details so there are a good set of variables to base the models on.
- I built linear regression models for raw data, scaled data and log transformed data to compare them and try to ascertain the most accurate predictive model.

Results



- Price has a strong correlation with sqft_living.
- Grade also has a strong correlation, which is the government's assessment on house quality (higher is better). So, the correlation is explained there.

Results

	Raw data	Scaled	Log transform
Adjusted R-			
squared:	0.5646181	0.5234166	0.5633075

• This is the r2 for all 3 iterations and you can see that scaling the data made very little or was even a little detrimental to it.

Conclusions

- Real estate agencies can measure house features to estimate the selling price and advise sellers.
- Houses that offer more space capacity and living quality have higher prices.

Moving Forward

- These models need more work.
- Adding more independent variables like location will render a more accurate model.