Façade Dichotomy suggests an interpretation of a subject area with two distinct personalities or characteristics. Our subject area is Northeast Lexington, and more specifically, the area outlined by North Limestone, West Seventh, North Broadway, and West Fifth streets. We suggest that there is a difference in this neighborhood in homes that convey a welcoming façade and those that present a more guarded and unwelcoming façade. By looking at the existence of front porches and the presence of “Beware of Dog” signs, we will attempt to understand this diverse neighborhood.

The density of homes with front porches. There is an obvious cluster of homes with front porches on N Upper and Elsmere Park.

The density of homes that featured “Beware of Dog” signs. Parts of our defined area have a much higher amount of “Beware of Dog” signs than others.

The GPS location of the “Beware of Dog” signs in our defined area. There is an obvious pattern of areas with and areas without these signs in our area.

The density of houses with front porches per block group. The blocks with the highest numbers of front porches are apparent.

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