

# Data Science Foundation

## Lesson #5 - Exploratory Data Analysis

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# Agenda

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- Case study: unemployment rate
- Tabular vs Visual representation
- Matplotlib
- Line plots
- Case study: movie ratings
- Bar & Scatter plots

# Update the repository

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```
git clone https://github.com/ivanovitchm/EEC2006.git
```

Or ....

```
git pull
```

# Motivation

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# Case study: unemployment rate (US)



# Investigating the dataset

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<b>DATE</b> Year-Month-Day	<b>VALUE</b>
1948-01-01	3.4
1948-02-01	3.8
1948-03-01	4.0
1948-04-01	3.9
1948-05-01	3.5

Conversion of types (Object to Datetime)

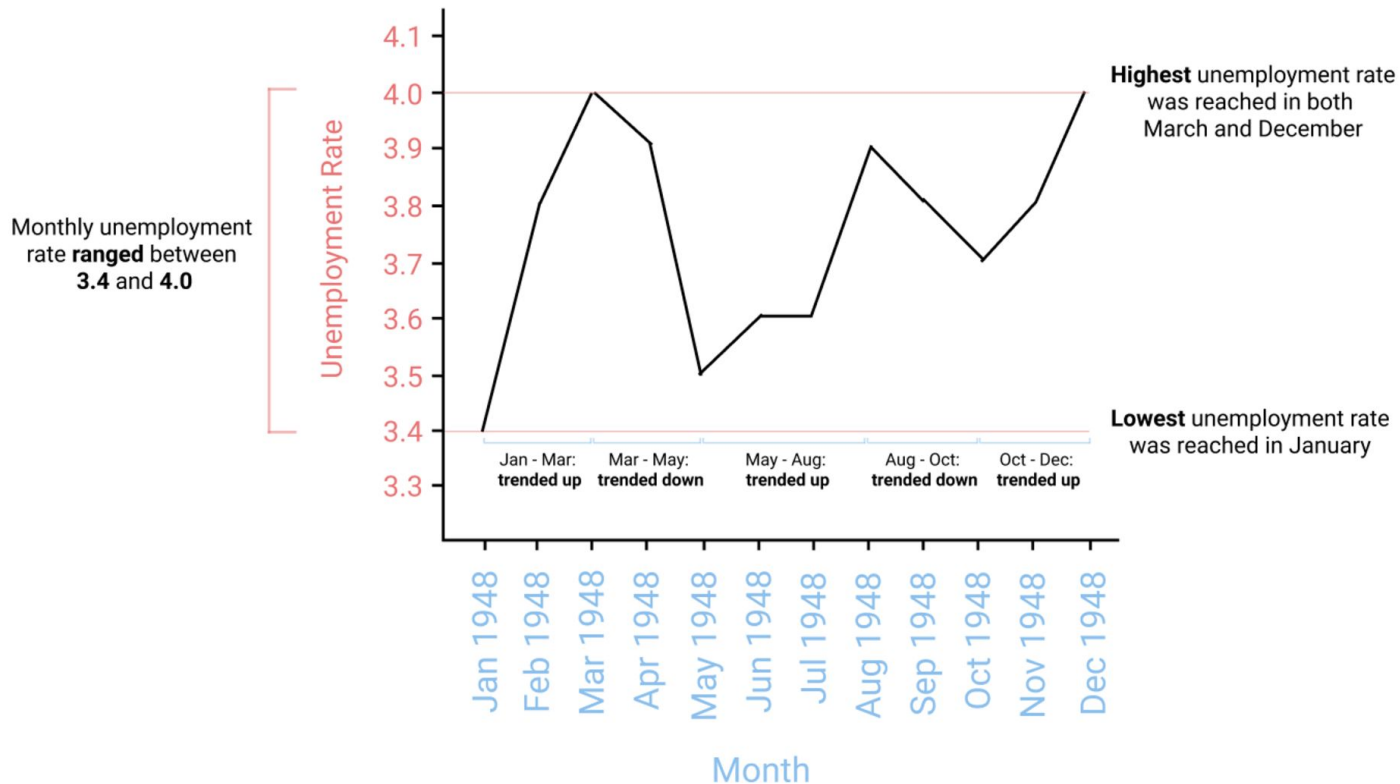
```
import pandas as pd  
df['col'] = pd.to_datetime(df['col'])
```

# Observation from the table representation

DATE	VALUE
1948-01-01	3.4
1948-02-01	3.8
1948-03-01	4.0
1948-04-01	3.9
1948-05-01	3.5
1948-06-01	3.6
1948-07-01	3.6
1948-08-01	3.9
1948-09-01	3.8
1948-10-01	3.7
1948-11-01	3.8
1948-12-01	4.0

- What is the minimum value?
- What is the maximum value?
- Is there seasonality?
- What are the trend up periods?
- What are the trend down periods?
- Is the table representation really useful?

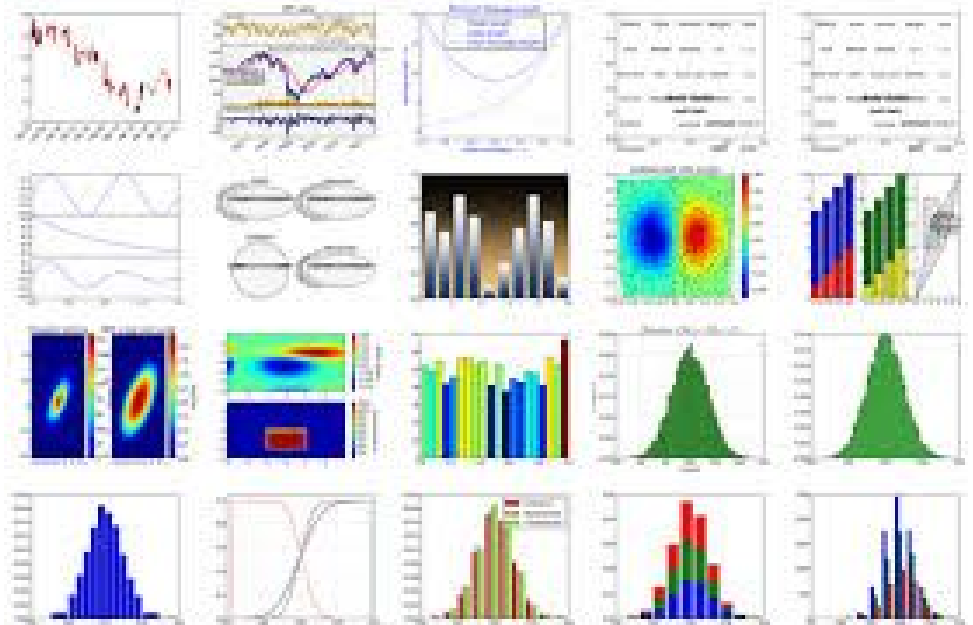
# Visual representation





# matplotlib

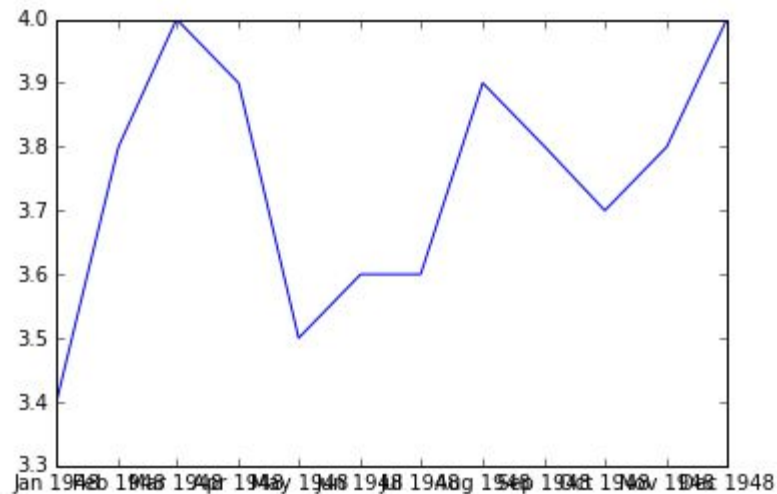
```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt  
plt.plot()  
plt.show()
```



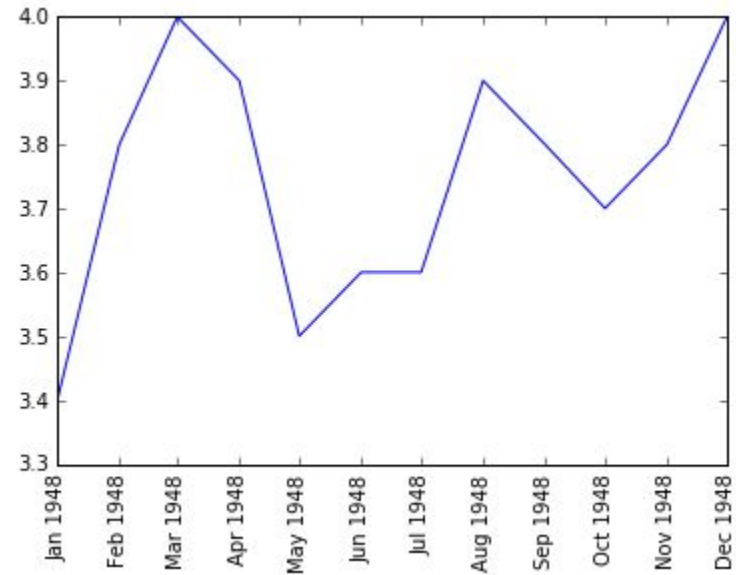
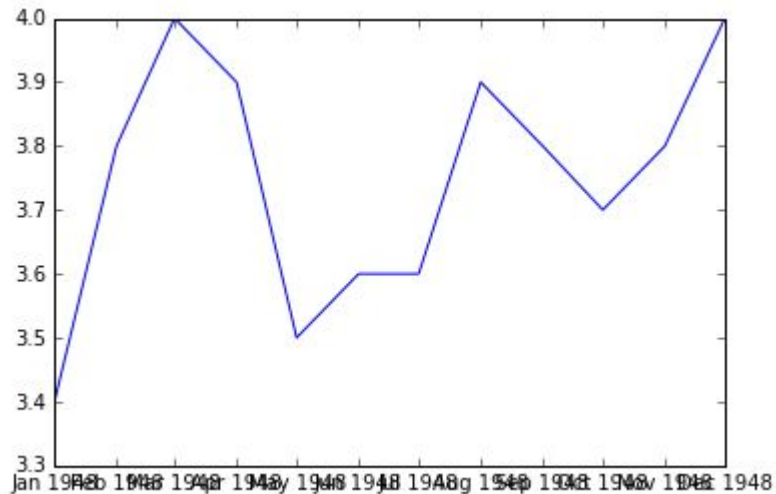
# Adding data

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plt.plot(x_values, y_values)
```



# Fixing axis ticks



`plt.xticks(rotation=90)`

# Additional information

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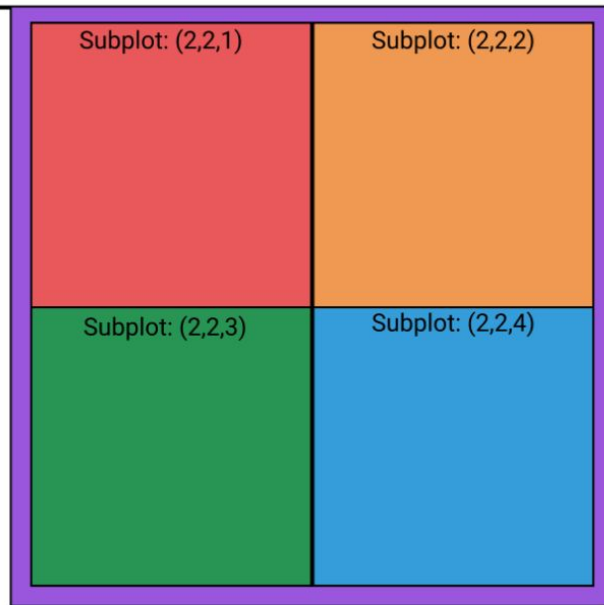
```
plt.xlabel("Month")  
plt.ylabel("Unemployment Rate")  
plt.title("Monthly Unemployment Trends, 1948")
```

# Grid positioning

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```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt  
fig = plt.figure()  
ax1 = fig.add_subplot(2,2,1)  
ax2 = fig.add_subplot(2,2,2)  
ax3 = fig.add_subplot(2,2,3)  
ax4 = fig.add_subplot(2,2,4)
```

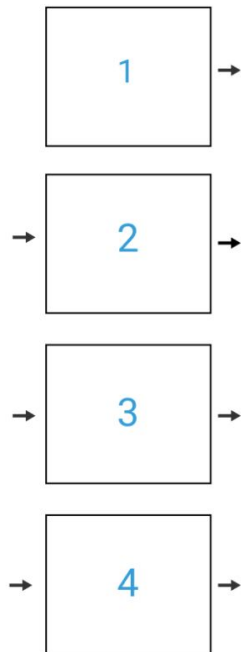
Figure



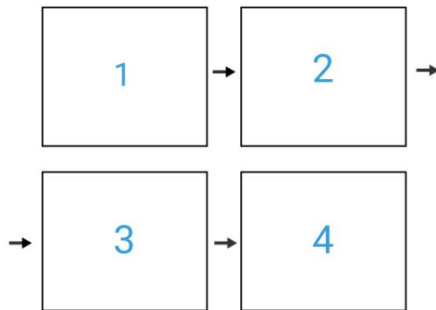
# Grid positioning

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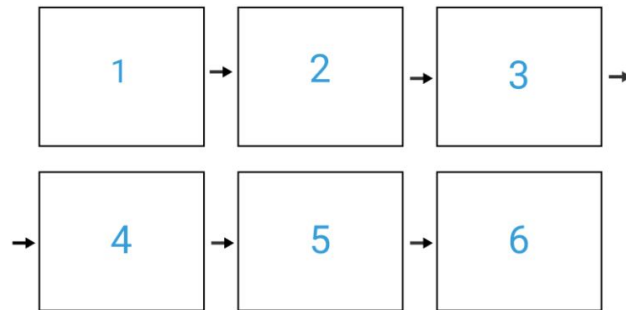
`fig.add_subplot(4, 1, x)`



`fig.add_subplot(2, 2, x)`



`fig.add_subplot(2, 3, x)`

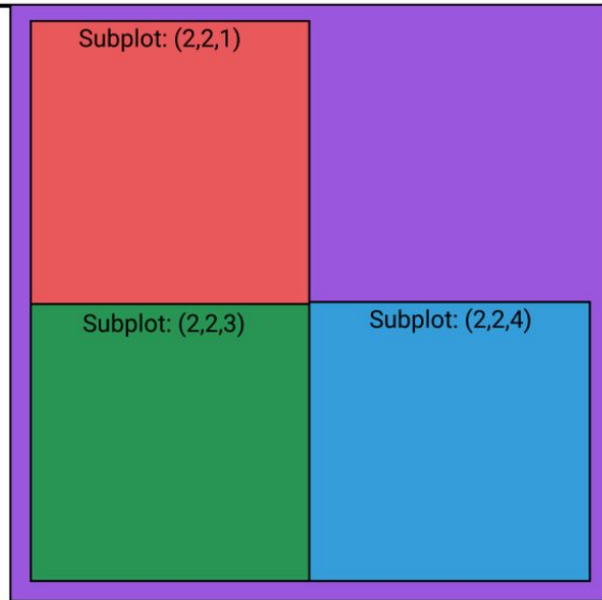


# Grid positioning

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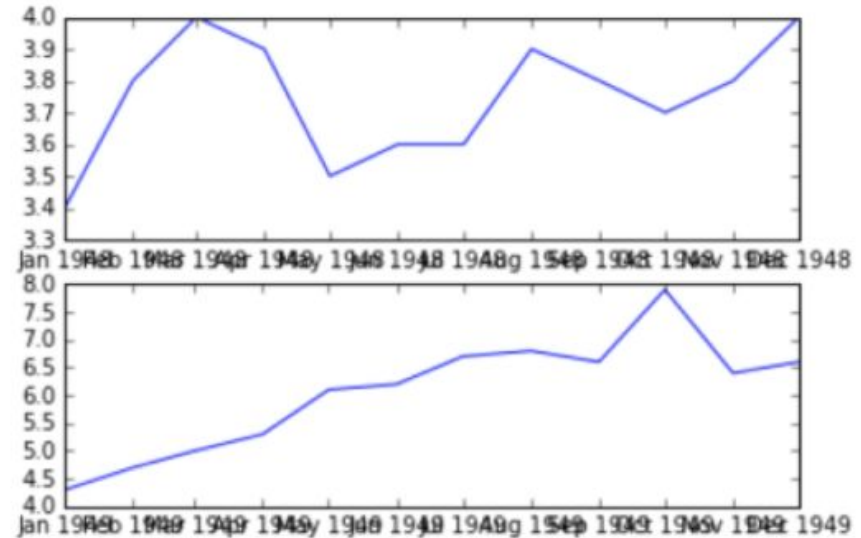
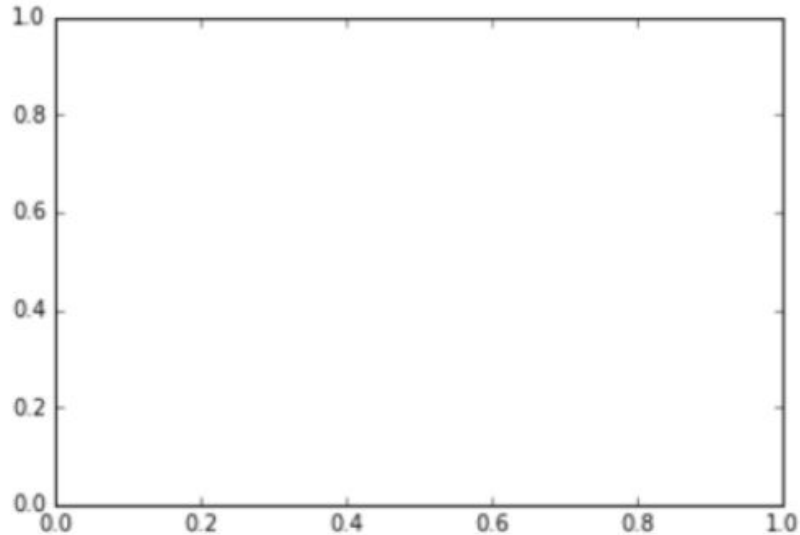
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ax4 = fig.add_subplot(2,2,4)
```

Figure



# Formatting and spacing

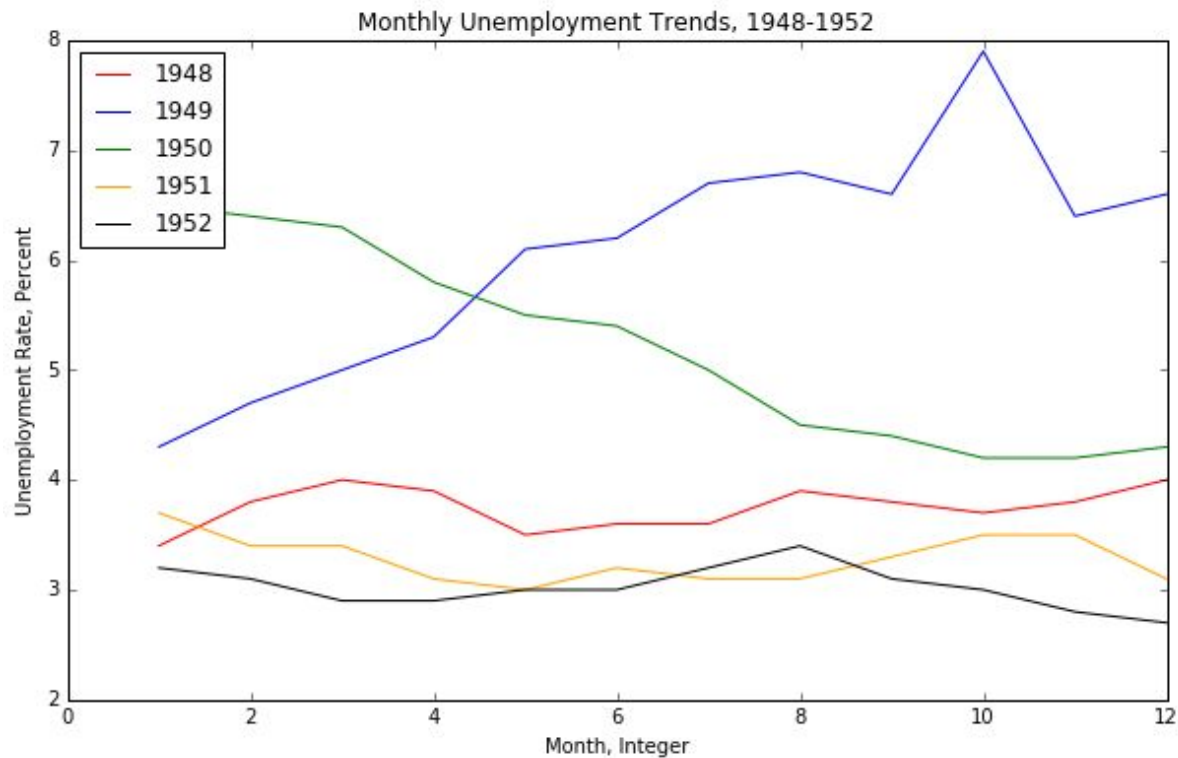
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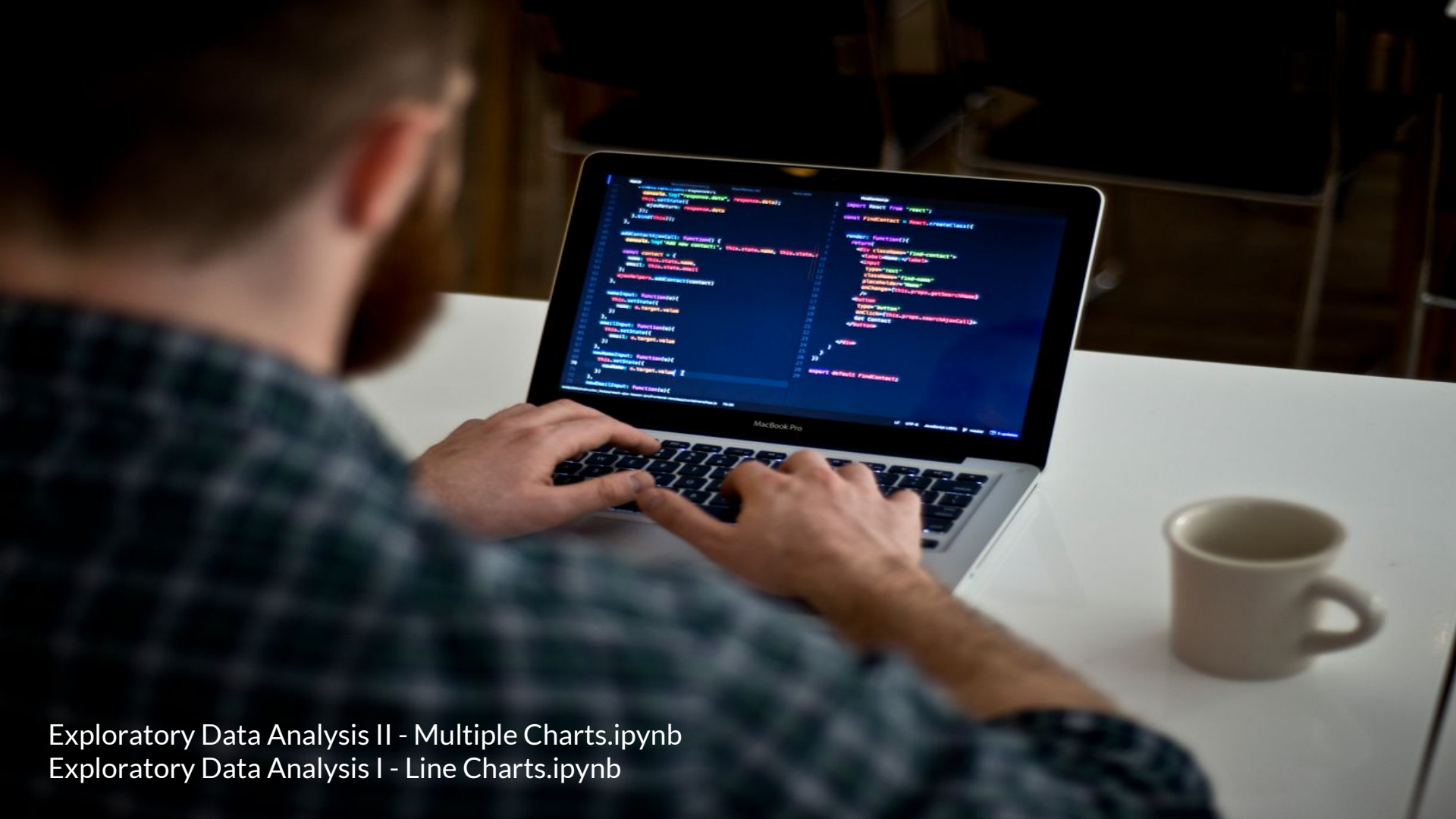


```
fig = plt.figure(figsize=(width, height))
```



# Overlaying line charts

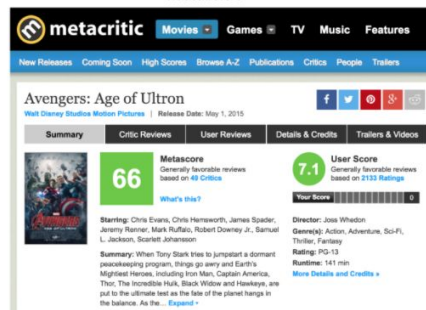




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Exploratory Data Analysis I - Line Charts.ipynb

# Case study: movie ratings

Metacritic



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## Avengers: Age of Ultron

Walt Disney Studios Motion Pictures | Release Date: May 1, 2015

Summary Critic Reviews User Reviews Details & Credits Trailers & Videos

**66** Metascore  
Generally favorable reviews based on 49 Critics

**7.1** User Score  
Generally favorable reviews based on 2133 Ratings

**What's this?**

**Starring:** Chris Evans, Chris Hemsworth, James Spader, Jeremy Renner, Mark Ruffalo, Robert Downey Jr., Samuel L. Jackson, Scarlett Johansson

**Director:** Josh Whedon

**Genre(s):** Action, Adventure, Sci-Fi, Thriller, Fantasy

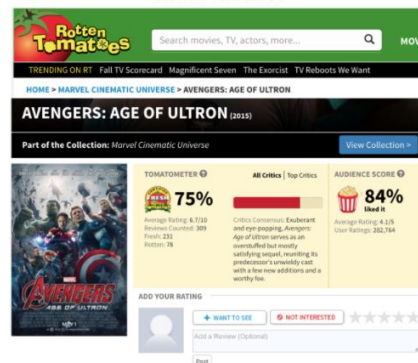
**Rating:** PG-13

**Runtime:** 141 min

[More Details and Credits](#)

**Summary:** When Tony Stark tries to jumpstart a dormant peacekeeping program, things go awry and Earth's Mightiest Heroes, including Iron Man, Captain America, Thor, The Incredible Hulk, Black Widow and Hawkeye, are put to the ultimate test as the fate of the planet hangs in the balance. [Expand](#)

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## AVENGERS: AGE OF ULTRON (2015)

Part of the Collection: Marvel Cinematic Universe [View Collection](#)

**TOMATOMETER** **75%**  
Average Rating: 6.7/10  
Reviews Counted: 369  
Fresh: 253  
Rotten: 76

**AUDIENCE SCORE** **84%**  
Average Rating: 4.2/5  
User Ratings: 282,794

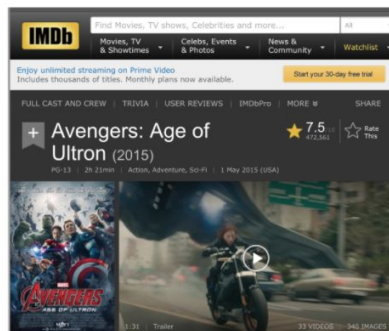
**Critic Consensus:** Exuberant and eye-popping, *Avengers: Age of Ultron* serves as an over-the-top but mostly satisfying sequel, rewarding its predecessor's unwieldy cast with a few new additions and a worthy foe.

**ADD YOUR RATING**

★★★★★

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## Avengers: Age of Ultron (2015)

PG-13 | 2h 23min | Action, Adventure, Sci-Fi | 1 May 2015 (USA)

**7.5** Rate This  
472,361

**Trailer**

33 VIDEOS 141 PHOTOS

Fandango



FANDANGO Enter City + State, ZIP Code, or Movie GO

## AVENGERS: AGE OF ULTRON (2015)

OVERVIEW MOVIE TIMES + TICKETS SYNOPSIS MOVIE REVIEWS TRAILER

**Released MAY 1, 2015**

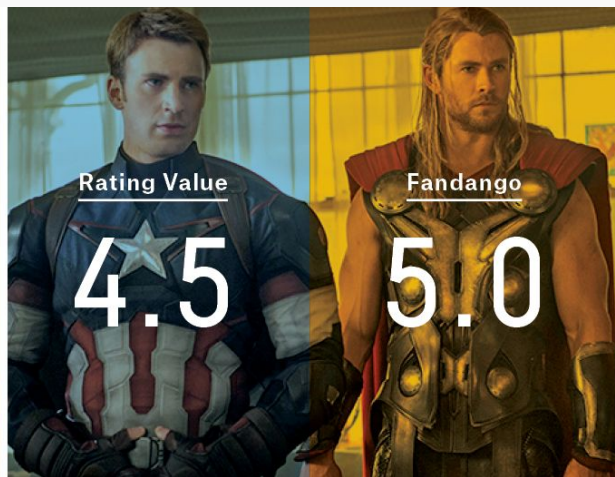
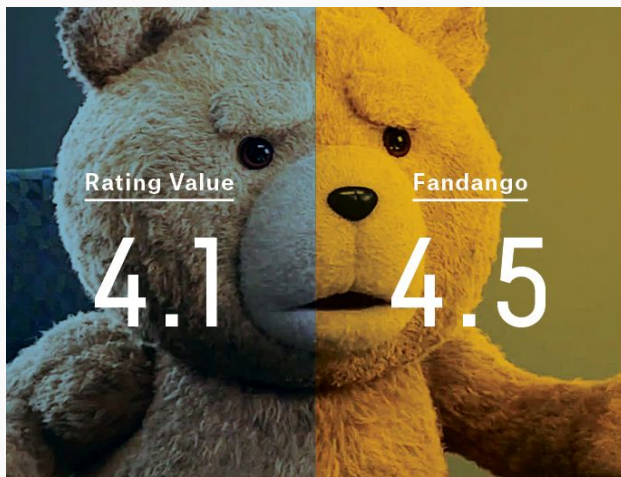
PG-13 - 2 hr 21 min  
Action/Adventure  
Family

★★★★★  
15,861 Fan Ratings

**GLOBAL A**

# Bias in movie ratings

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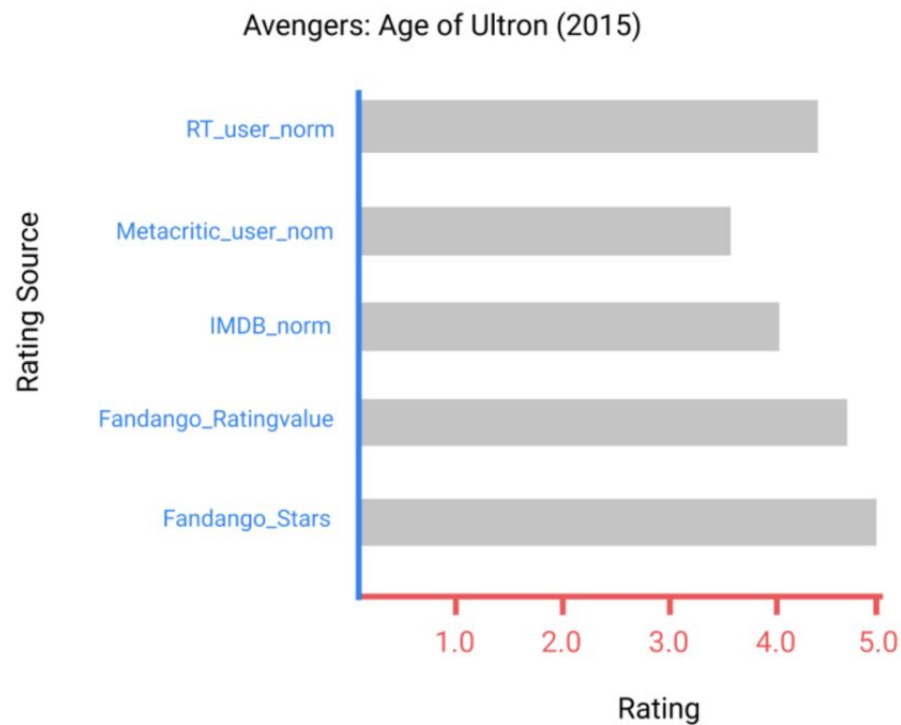
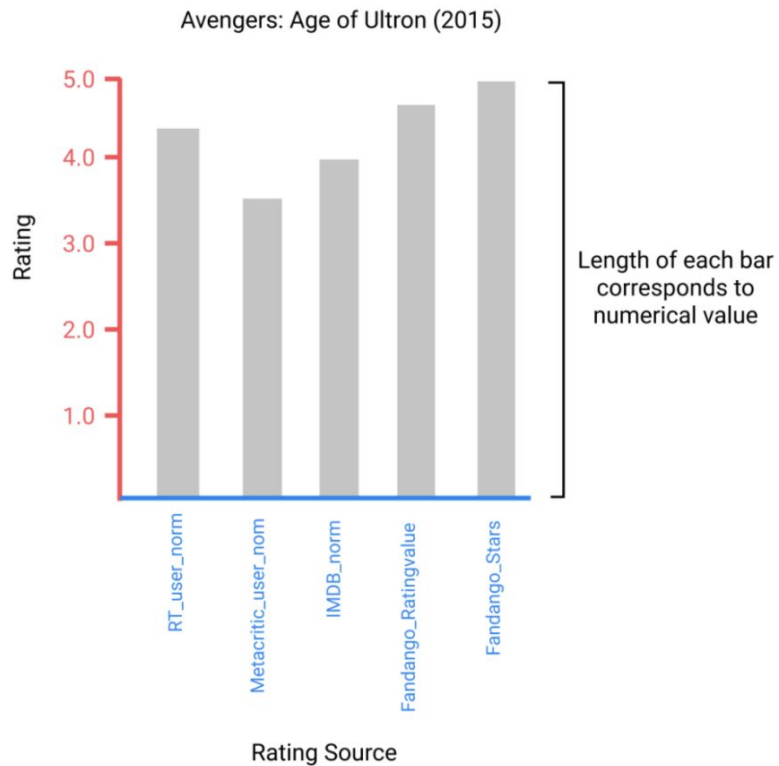
# Introduction to the data

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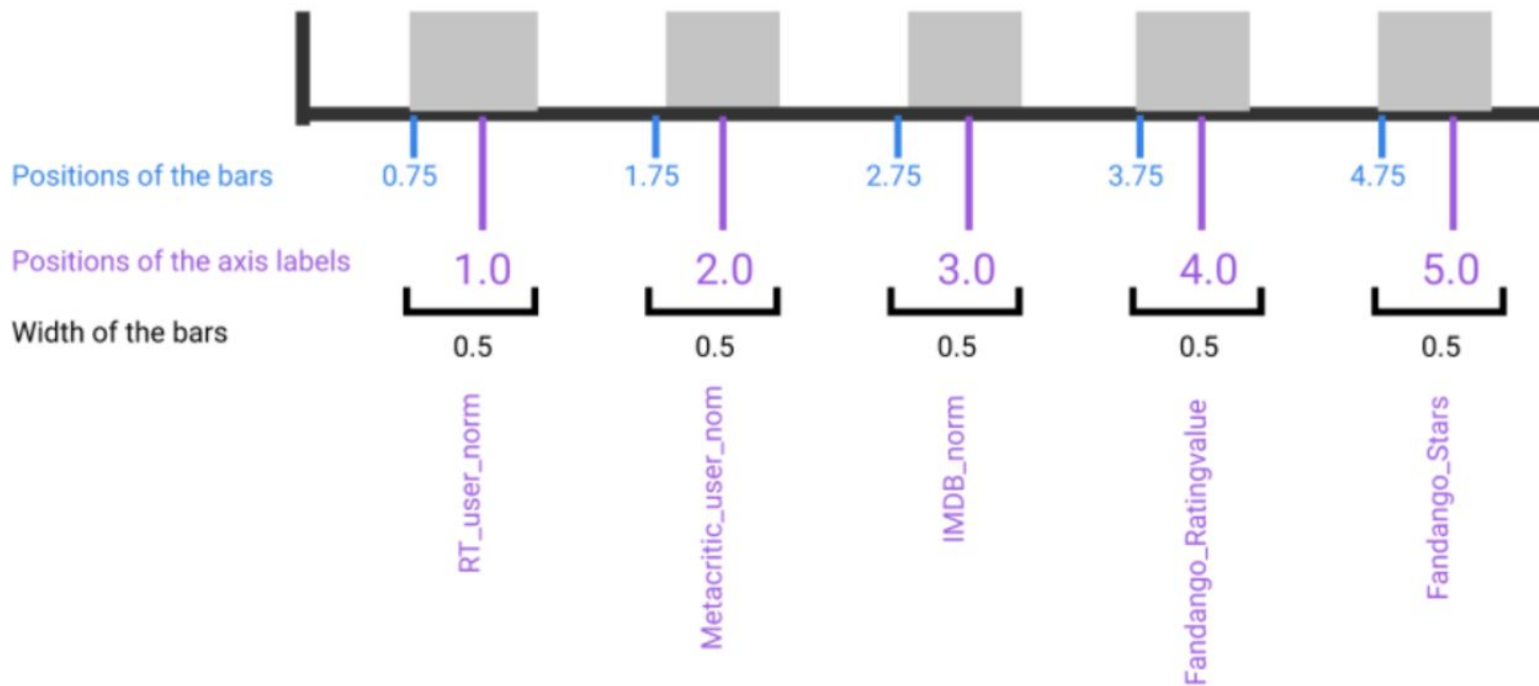
	FILM	RT_user_norm	Metacritic_user_nom	IMDB_norm	Fandango_Ratingvalue	Fandango_Stars
0	Avengers: Age of Ultron (2015)	4.3	3.55	3.90	4.5	5.0
1	Cinderella (2015)	4.0	3.75	3.55	4.5	5.0
2	Ant-Man (2015)	4.5	4.05	3.90	4.5	5.0
3	Do You Believe? (2015)	4.2	2.35	2.70	4.5	5.0
4	Hot Tub Time Machine 2 (2015)	1.4	1.70	2.55	3.0	3.5

<https://github.com/fivethirtyeight/data/tree/master/fandango>

# Bar plot



# Creating bars





# Creating bars

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```
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
```

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# Positions of the left sides of the 5 bars. [0.75, 1.75, 2.75, 3.75, 4.75]
```

```
from numpy import arange
```

```
bar_positions = arange(5) + 0.75
```

```
# Heights of the bars. In our case, the average rating for the first movie  
in the dataset.
```

```
num_cols = ['RT_user_norm', 'Metacritic_user_nom', 'IMDB_norm', 'Fandango_Ra  
tingvalue', 'Fandango_Stars']
```

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bar_heights = norm_reviews[num_cols].iloc[0].values
```

```
ax.bar(bar_positions, bar_heights)
```



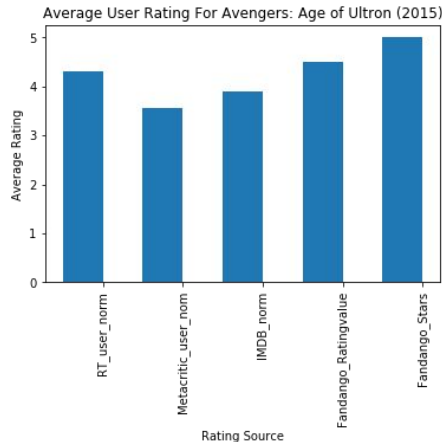
# Aligning axis ticks and labels

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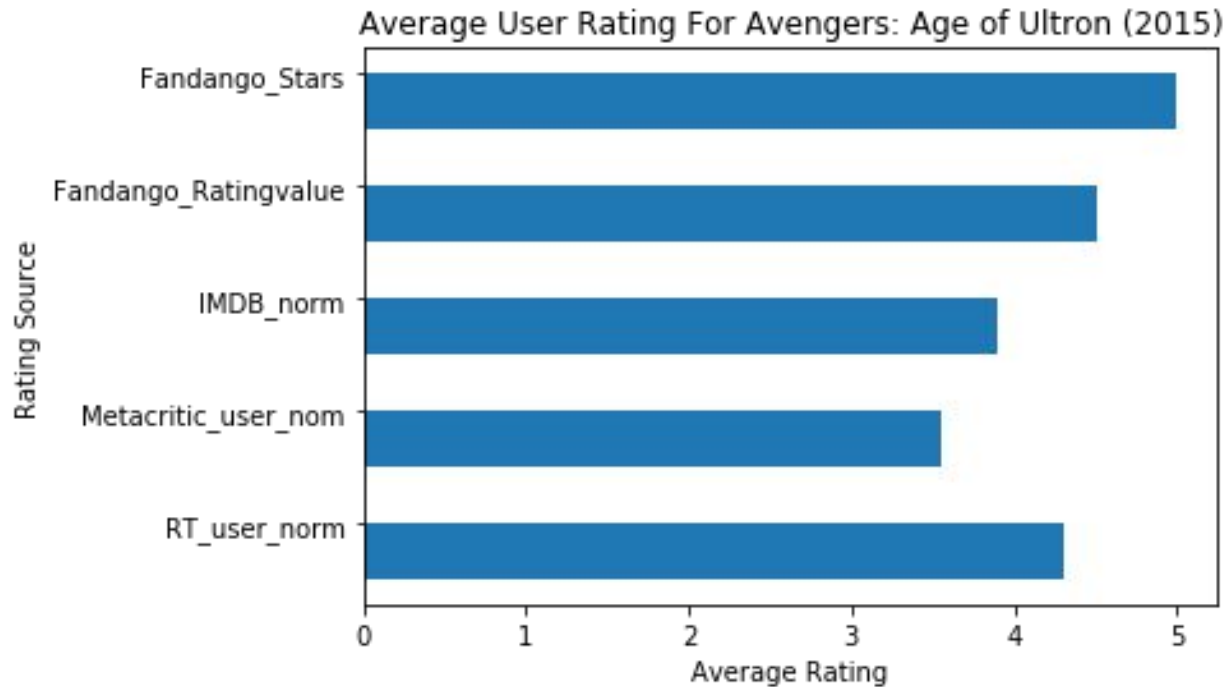
```
tick_positions = range(1,6)  
ax.set_xticks(tick_positions)
```

```
num_cols = ['RT_user_norm', 'Metacritic_user_nom', 'IMDB_norm', 'Fandango_Ra  
tingvalue', 'Fandango_Stars']  
ax.set_xticklabels(num_cols)
```

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ax.set_xticklabels(num_cols, rotation=90)
```



# Horizontal bar plots



# Horizontal bar plots

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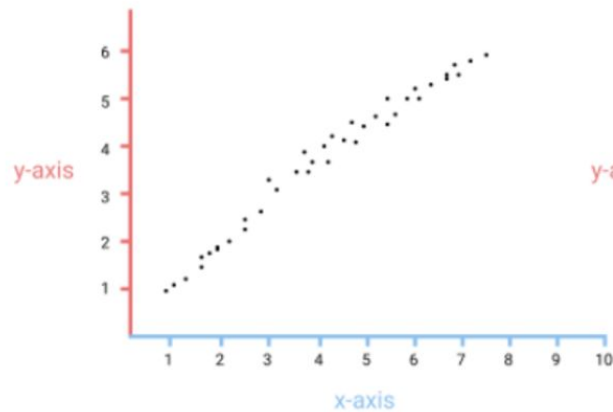
```
bar_widths = norm_reviews[num_cols].iloc[0].values
bar_positions = arange(5) + 0.75
ax.barh(bar_positions, bar_widths, 0.5)
```

```
tick_positions = range(5) + 1
num_cols = ['RT_user_norm', 'Metacritic_user_nom', 'IMDB_norm', 'Fandango_Ra
tingvalue', 'Fandango_Stars']
ax.set_yticks(tick_positions)
ax.set_yticklabels(num_cols)
```

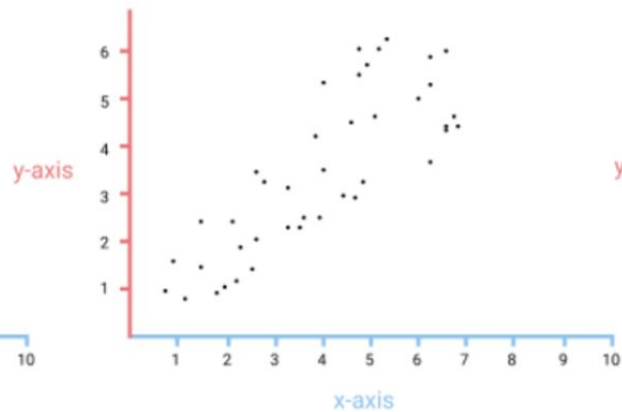
# Scatter plot

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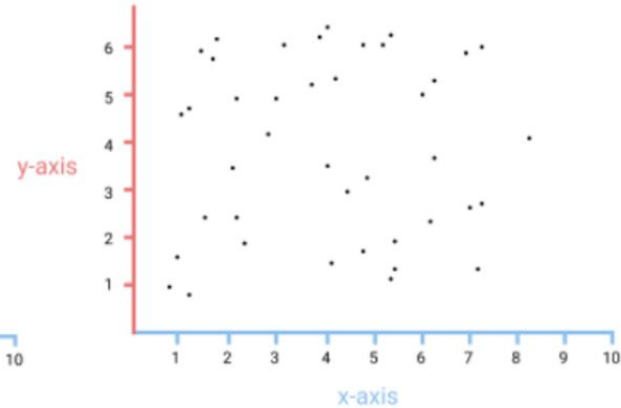
Strong correlation



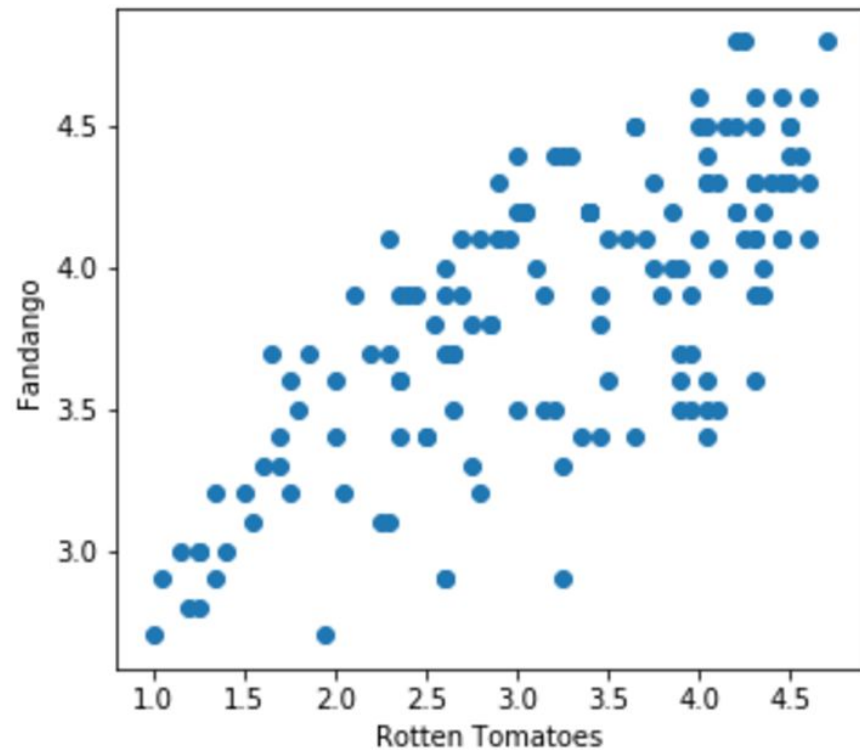
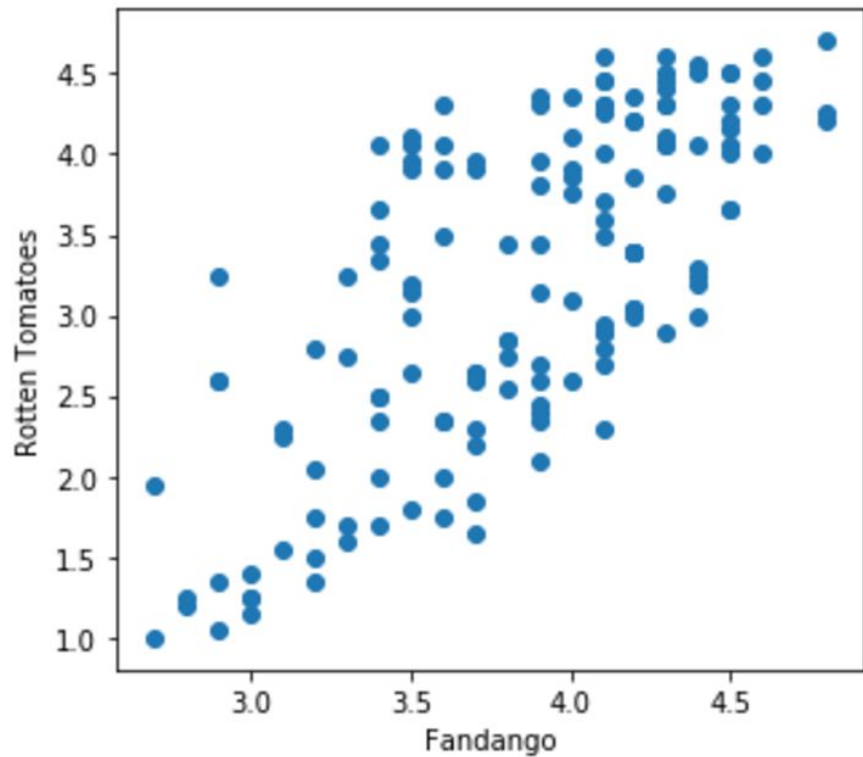
Weak correlation

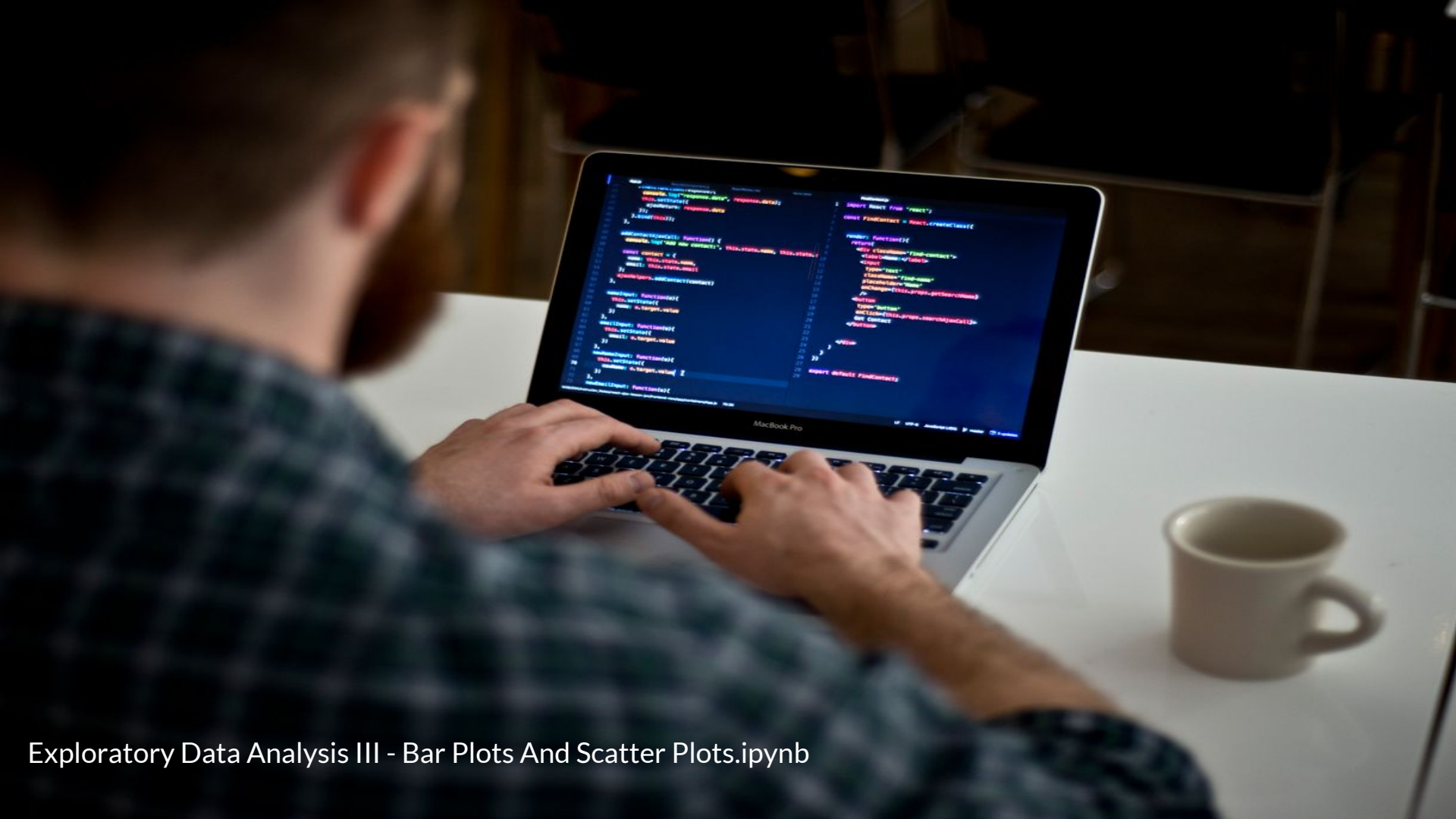


No correlation



# Switching axes





Exploratory Data Analysis III - Bar Plots And Scatter Plots.ipynb