Data Science Project

❖ Problem statement

In today's world due to this pandemic, there is a huge rise in the gaming sector, But when and where to launch a particular game so that it gets the maximum sales is the challenging part So,

To Predict which game to release at a certain platform at a particular Genre so that there is an increase in sales.

Objectives

- 1)To find a trend where the sales can be maximized.
- 2)To Compare the sales in between certain countries
- 3)Comparing Platform and Genre with Critic Score/Count and User Score/Count
- 4)We will be using Multiple Regression.

Data-Set Description

This data-set contains a list of video games with sales greater than 100,000 copies. It was generated by a scrape of vgchartz.com.

Fields included

Rank - Ranking of overall sales

Name - The games name

Platform - Platform of the games release (i.e. PC,PS4, etc.)

Year - Year of the game's release

Genre - Genre of the game

Publisher - Publisher of the game

NA Sales - Sales in North America (in millions)

EU Sales - Sales in Europe (in millions)

JP Sales - Sales in Japan (in millions)

Other Sales - Sales in the rest of the world (in millions)

Global Sales - Total worldwide sales.

Critic Score - Aggregate score compiled by Metacritic staff Critic Count -

The number of critics used in coming up with the Critic Score User Score

- Score by Metacritic's subscribers

User Count - Number of users who gave the userscore

Developer - Party responsible for creating the game

-4	A	В	C	D	E	F	G	H	1	J	К	L	M	N	0	P
1	Name	Platform	Year	Genre	Publisher	NA_Sales	EU_Sales	JP_Sales	Other_Sales	Global_Sale	Critic_Score	Critic_Count	User_Score	User_Count	Developer	Rating
2	Wii Sports	Wii	200	5 Sports	Nintendo	41.36	28.96	3.77	8.45	82.53		76	51	B 322	Nintendo	E
3	Super Marie	NES	198	Platform	Nintendo	29.08	3.58	6.81	0.77	40.24						
4	Mario Kart	\ Wii	200	Racing	Nintendo	15.68	12.76	3.79	3.29	35.52		32	73 8.	3 709	Nintendo	E
5	Wii Sports F	Wii	200	Sports	Nintendo	15.61	10.93	3.28	2.95	32.77		30	73	B 192	Nintendo	E
6	Pokemon R		199	5 Role-Playin	Nintendo	11.27	8.89	10.22		31.37						
7	Tetris	GB	198	9 Puzzle	Nintendo	23.2	2.26	4.22	0.58	30.26						
8	New Super	IDS	200	Platform	Nintendo	11.28	9.14	6.5	2.88	29.8		39	65 8.	5 43:	Nintendo	E
9	Wii Play	Wii	200	Misc	Nintendo	13.96	9.18	2.93	2.84	28.92		8	41 6.	5 129	Nintendo	E
0	New Super	(Wii	200	Platform	Nintendo	14.44	6.94	4.7	2.24	28.32		37	80 8.	4 594	Nintendo	E
1	Duck Hunt	NES	198	4 Shooter	Nintendo	26.93	0.63	0.28	0.47	28.31						
2	Nintendogs	DS	200	Simulation	Nintendo	9.05	10.95	1.93	2.74	24.67						
3	Mario Kart	I DS	200	Racing	Nintendo	9.71	7.47	4.13	1.9	23.21		01	64 8.	6 464	Nintendo	E
4	Pokemon G	GB	199	Role-Playin	Nintendo	9	6.18	7.2	0.71	23.1						
5	Wii Fit	Wii	200	7 Sports	Nintendo	8.92	8.03	3.6	2.15	22.7		30	63 7.	7 146	Nintendo	E
6	Kinect Adve	X360	201	Misc	Microsoft	G 15	4.89	0.24	1.69	21.81		51	45 6.	3 106	Good Science St	ti E
7	Wii Fit Plus	Wii	200	Sports	Nintendo	9.01	8.49	2.53	1.77	21.79		30	33 7.	4 52	Nintendo	E
8	Grand Thef	t PS3	201	Action	Take-Two	It 7.02	9.09	0.98	3.96	21.04		07	50 8.	2 3994	Rockstar North	M
9	Grand Theft	t PS2	200	4 Action	Take-Two	Ir 9.43	0.4	0.41	10.57	20.81		95	80	9 1588	Rockstar North	M
0	Super Marie	SNES	199	Platform	Nintendo	12.78	3.75	3.54	0.55	20.61						
1	Brain Age: 1	DS	200	Misc	Nintendo	4.74	9.2	4.16	2.04	20.15		77	58 7.	9 50	Nintendo	E
2	Pokemon D	DS	200	5 Role-Playin	Nintendo	6.38	4.46	6.04	1.36	18.25						
3	Super Marie	GB	198	Platform	Nintendo	10.83	2.71	4.18	0.42	18.14						
4	Super Marie	NES	198	B Platform	Nintendo	9.54	3.44	3.84	0.46	17.28						
5	Grand Thef	t X360	201	Action	Take-Two	lı 9.66	5.14	0.06	1.41	16.27		97	58 8.	1 3711	Rockstar North	M
6	Grand Theft	t PS2	200	Action	Take-Two	Ir 8.41	5.49	0.47	1.78	16.15		95	62 8.	7 730	Rockstar North	M
7	Pokemon R	GBA	200	Role-Playin	Nintendo	6.06	3.9	5.38	0.5	15.85						
8	Brain Age 2	: DS	200	Puzzle	Nintendo	3.43	5.35	5.32	1.18	15.29		77	37 7.	1 19	Nintendo	E
9	Pokemon B	IDS	201	Role-Playin	Nintendo	5.51	3.17	5.65	0.8	15.14						
0	Gran Turisn	PS2	200	1 Racing	Sony Comp	6.85	5.09	1.87	1.16	14.98		95	54 8.	4 314	Polyphony Digit	a E

Analysis of data-set(R/Python)

```
> print(head(vg_data))
                                             Name Platform Year
                                                                                         Genre Publisher NA_Sales EU_Sales JP_Sales Other_Sales Global_Sales
                         Wii Sports
Mario Kart Wii
                                                                                                                                                                                                                      82.53
35.52
32.77
                                                                 Wii 2006
Wii 2008
                                                                                       Sports Nintendo
Racing Nintendo
                                                                                                                               41.36
15.68
                                                                                                                                                 28.96
12.76
                                                                                                                                                                                             8.45
3.29
           Wii Sports Resort
New Super Mario Bros.
                                                                 Wii 2009 Sports
DS 2006 Platform
                                                                                                                               15.61
11.28
                                                                                                       Nintendo
                                                                                                                                                  10.93
                                                                                                                                                                      3.28
                                                                                                                                                                                             2.95
                                                                                                       Nintendo
                                                                                                                                                                      6.50
                                                                                                                                                                                             2.88
   Wii Play
New Super Mario Bros. Wii
                                                                 Wii 2006 Misc
Wii 2009 Platform
                                                                                                       Nintendo
                                                                                                                               13.96
                                                                                                                                                   9.18
                                                                                                                                                                      2.93
                                                                                                                                                                                             2.84
                                                                                                                                                                                                                      28.92
                                                                                                       Nintendo
   Critic_Score Critic_Count User_Score User_Count Developer Rating
76 51 8.0 322 Nintendo E
82 73 8.3 709 Nintendo E
                                                 73
73
                                                                                            192
                                                 65
                        89
                                                                      8.5
                                                                                            431
                                                                                                     Nintendo
                       87
                                                 80
                                                                      8.4
                                                                                           594 Nintendo
> summary(vg_data)
                                           Platform
                                                                                                                                                           Publisher
                                                                                                                                                                                                     NA_Sales
         Name
                                                                                                                          Genre
                                                                                     Year
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Class :character
Mode :character
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1st Qu.: 0.0600
Median : 0.1500
Mean : 0.3893
  Class :character
Mode :character
                                                                                                                                                                                  Mean : 0.3893

3rd Qu.: 0.3900

Max. :41.3600

Critic_Count

Min. : 3.00

1st Qu.: 14.00

Median : 24.00

Mean : 28.78

3rd Qu.: 39.00

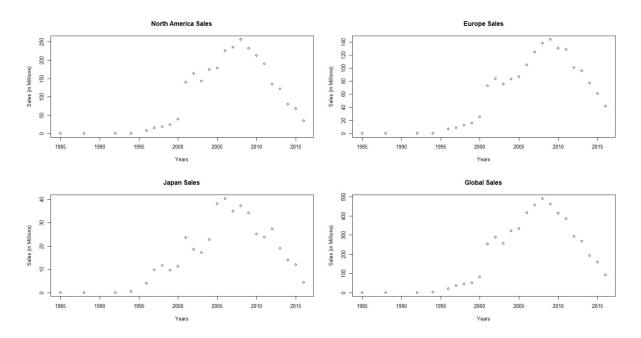
Max. :113.00
 EU_Sales
Min. : 0.0000
1st Qu.: 0.0200
Median : 0.0600
Mean : 0.2331
                                     JP_Sales
Min. :0.00000
1st Qu.:0.00000
Median :0.00000
                                                                         Other_Sales
Min. : 0.00000
1st Qu.: 0.01000
Median : 0.02000
Mean : 0.08153
3rd Qu.: 0.07000
                                                                                                               Global_Sales
Min. : 0.0100
1st Qu.: 0.1100
Median : 0.2900
Mean : 0.7671
3rd Qu.: 0.7500
                                                                                                                                                   Critic_Score
Min. :13.00
1st Qu.:62.00
Median :72.00
Mean :70.25
                                      Mean
                                                   :0.06295
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Developer
 Max. :28.900
User_Score
Min. :0.500
1st Qu.:6.500
Median :7.500
Mean :7.182
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                                                                                                                             :82.5300
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Class :character
Mode :character
                                Media.
Mean : 1/2
3rd Qu.: 89.0
  Mean :7.182
3rd Qu.:8.200
              :9.600
 > str(vg_data)
'data.frame':
                                   7017 obs. of 16 variables:
: chr "Wii Sports" "Mario Kart Wii" "Wii Sports Resort" "New Super Mario Bros." ...
: chr "Wii" "Wii" "Wii" "DS" ...
: chr "2006" "2008" "2009" "2006" ...
: chr "Sports" "Racing" "Sports" "Platform" ...
: chr "Nintendo" "Nintendo" "Nintendo" "Nintendo" ...
: num 41.4 15.7 15.6 11.3 14 ...
: num 28.96 12.76 10.93 9.14 9.18 ...
: num 3.77 3.79 3.28 6.5 2.93 4.7 4.13 3.6 0.24 2.53 ...
: num 8.2 5 3.5 5 3.2 8 2.88 2.84 2.24 1.9 2.15 1.69 1.77 ...

num 8.2 5 3.5 5 3.3 8 2.9 8 2.8 9
   $ Name
                                  : chr
   $ Platform
   $ Year
   $ Genre
   $ Publisher
   $ NA_Sales
                                  : num
   $ EU_Sales
                                   : num
   $ JP_Sales
                                   : num
   $ Other_Sales : num
   $ Global_Sales: num
                                                  82.5 35.5 32.8 29.8 28.9 ..
```

❖ Analysis graph of the data-set(R/Python)

1) Comparing Sales of various Countries and the Global Sales Graph

Removing the Null Values and filtering data-set to get various sales and year column. Then adding the duplicate Year rows to get total sales in a particular Year by Aggregate function.



Comparing Sales

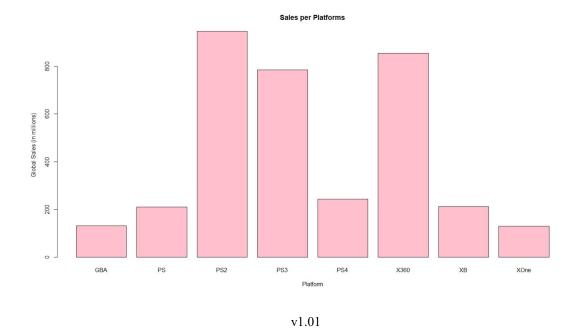
2)

i) Analyzing Total Sales Per Platform

First we filter the data to get only a certain famous Platforms, example :- we included PS and XB Series.

So we can compare which Platform got higher sales.

```
> ymfilterPlat-filter(vgfilter, Platform =="ps" | Platform=="ps2" | Platform=="ps3" | Platform=="ps4" | Platform=="XB0" | Platform="XB0" | Platform=="XB0" |
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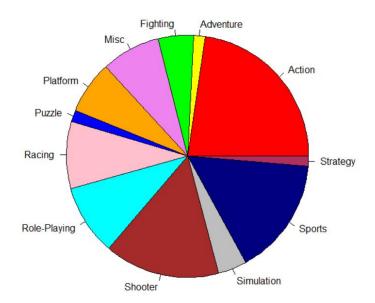


Here we can observe that PS2, PS3 and X360 got highest Sales Globally.

ii) Analyzing Total Sales Per Genre

Filtering Data to add the sales of duplicate Genre to get total Sales of each Genre.

Pie Chart of Sales According to Genre



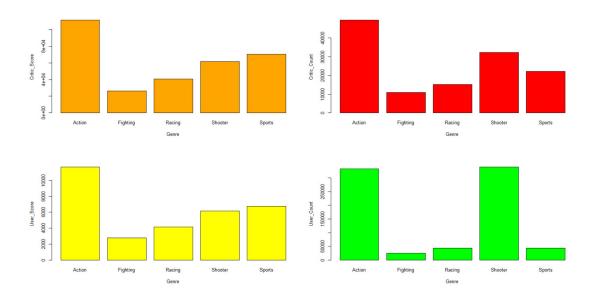
3) Comparing Platform and Genre with the Critic and Users Score/Count

i)Analyzing Genre with Critic Scores/Count and Users Scores/Count

ii)Analyzing Platform with Critic Scores/Count and Users Scores/Count

```
> #filtering Platform
> vgfilterPlat=filter(vgfilter, Platform =="ps" | Platform=="ps" | Platform=="ps" | Platform=="ps" | Platform=="ps" | Platform=="ga" | Platform==ga" | Pl
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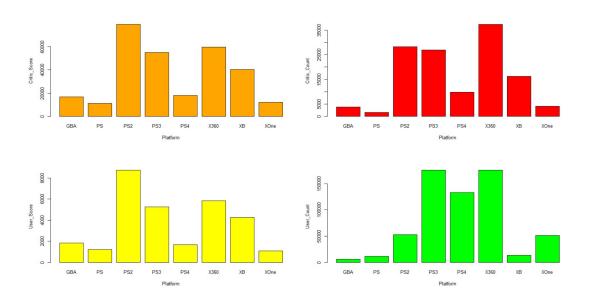
Graphs of Genre to Critic and User Values



V1.2

<u>In the Following Graphs we can see that Action, Sports and Shooter games got Higher Scores and Count</u>

Graphs of Platform to Critic and User Values



In the Following Graphs we can see that PS2, PS3 and X360 Got Higher Scores and Count

Therefore, according to Graph v1.01: PS2, PS3 and X360 got globally high sales. Graph v1.02/v1.2 and v1.3 shows that Genre: Action, Sports and Shooter and Platform: PS2, PS3 and X360 got higher values for User and Critic - Scores and Count.

V1.3

So,we can say that if Action, Sports and Shooter games were Launched on (PS2/PS3/X360) their Sales would be higher.

4) Printing Top 5 Sales Per Platform

Filtering data to get top 5 Best Selling Games Data on Biggest Platform (PS/XBOX).

```
> top_five_ps <- vgfilter1 %>%
    filter(rank(desc(Global_Sales))<=5)
 top_five_ps2 <- vgfilter2 %>%
    filter(rank(desc(Global_Sales))<=5)
> top_five_ps3 <- vgfilter3 %>%
   filter(rank(desc(Global_Sales))<=5)
> top_five_x360 <- vgfilter4 %>%
   filter(rank(desc(Global_Sales))<=5)</pre>
> print("Top 5 Best Selling Games published on PS")
[1] "Top 5 Best Selling Games published on PS"
> print(select(top_five_ps,Name,Publisher,Global_Sales))
                                       Publisher Global_Sales
                Name
        Gran Turismo Sony Computer Entertainment
                                                         10.95
  Final Fantasy VII Sony Computer Entertainment
                                                          9.72
2
      Gran Turismo 2 Sony Computer Entertainment
                                                          9.49
4 Final Fantasy VIII
                                       SquareSoft
                                                          7.86
            Tekken 3 Sony Computer Entertainment
                                                          7.16
> print("Top 5 Best Selling Games published on PS2")
[1] "Top 5 Best Selling Games published on PS2"
> print(select(top_five_ps2,Name,Publisher,Global_Sales))
                           Name
                                                   Publisher Global_Sales
1 Grand Theft Auto: San Andreas
                                        Take-Two Interactive
                                                                     20.81
    Grand Theft Auto: Vice City
                                       Take-Two Interactive
                                                                     16.15
3
         Gran Turismo 3: A-Spec Sony Computer Entertainment
                                                                     14.98
4
           Grand Theft Auto III
                                        Take-Two Interactive
                                                                     13.10
                 Gran Turismo 4 Sony Computer Entertainment
                                                                     11.66
> print("Top 5 Best Selling Games published on PS3")
[1] "Top 5 Best Selling Games published on PS3"
> print(select(top_five_ps3,Name,Publisher,Global_Sales))
                                                    Publisher Global_Sales
                            Name
              Grand Theft Auto V
                                         Take-Two Interactive
      Call of Duty: Black Ops II
                                                   Activision
                                                                      13.79
3 Call of Duty: Modern Warfare 3
                                                   Activision
                                                                      13.32
         Call of Duty: Black Ops
                                                   Activision
                                                                      12.63
                  Gran Turismo 5 Sony Computer Entertainment
                                                                      10.70
> print("Top 5 Best Selling Games published on X360")
[1] "Top 5 Best Selling Games published on X360"
> print(select(top_five_x360,Name,Publisher,Global_Sales))
                             Name
                                                Publisher Global_Sales
               Kinect Adventures! Microsoft Game Studios
                                                                  21.81
               Grand Theft Auto V Take-Two Interactive
3 Call of Duty: Modern Warfare 3
                                                                  14.73
                                              Activision
         Call of Duty: Black Ops
                                                                  14.61
                                              Activision
5
      Call of Duty: Black Ops II
                                               Activision
                                                                  13.67
```

❖ Data Cleaning if required (R/Python)

- 1. Null Data was dropped.
- 2. Filtered to get numeric Columns.
- 3. Some of the Platforms and Genre were removed to keep graph clean.

Code (Multiple models) (R/Python)

MULTIPLE REGRESSION

```
#MR
# co-relation
round(cor(TheData, method="pearson"),2)
# Create Training and Test data -
set.seed(100) # setting seed to reproduce results of random sampling
split = sample.split(TheData$Global_Sales, SplitRatio = 0.8)
training_set = subset(TheData, split == TRUE)
test_set = subset(TheData, split == FALSE)
ml_reg <- lm(Global_Sales ~ . -Other_Sales,data=TheData)</pre>
summary(ml_reg)
print(ml_reg)
pred <- predict(ml_reg, test_set)</pre>
#Calculate prediction accuracy and error rates
actuals_preds <- data.frame(cbind(actuals=test_set$Global_Sales, predicteds=pred)) # make a
correlation_accuracy <- cor(actuals_preds)</pre>
head(actuals_preds)
tail(actuals preds)
min_max_accuracy <- mean(apply(actuals_preds, 1, min) / apply(actuals_preds, 1, max))</pre>
print(min_max_accuracy)
mape <- mean(abs((actuals_preds$predicteds - actuals_preds$actuals))/actuals_preds$actuals)</pre>
print(mape)
```

Results

```
# co-relation
> round(cor(TheData, method="pearson"),2)

NA_Sales EU_Sales JP_Sales Other_Sales Global_Sales Critic_Score Critic_Count User_Score User_Count
                                                                                            0.73
                                                                                                                     0.96
                                                                                                                                              0.23
0.21
0.15
                                 1.00
                                                   0.84
                                                                                                                                                                        0.28
                                                                                                                                                                                                                   0.24
EU_Sales
JP_Sales
                                 0.84
                                                   1.00
                                                                    0.52
                                                                                                                                                                                             0.06
                                 0.47
                                                   0.52
                                                                                                                     0.61
Other_Sales
                                                                    0.39
                                                                                            1.00
                                                                                                                     0.80
                                                                                                                                               0.19
                                                                                                                                                                        0.24
                                                                                                                                                                                             0.06
                                                                                                                                                                                                                   0.24
Global_Sales
Critic_Score
                                 0.96
                                                   0.94
                                                                    0.61
                                                                                            0.80
                                                                                                                     1.00
                                                                                                                                              0.24
                                                                                                                                                                        0.29
                                                                                                                                                                                             0.09
                                                                                                                                                                                                                   0.26
Critic_Count
User_Score
                                 0.28
                                                   0.26
                                                                    0.17
                                                                                            0.24
                                                                                                                     0.29
                                                                                                                                              0.39
                                                                                                                                                                                             0.19
User_Score 0.09 0.06 0.13 0.06 0.09
User_Count 0.24 0.28 0.07 0.24 0.26

> # Create Training and Test data -

> set.seed(100) # setting seed to reproduce results of random sampling

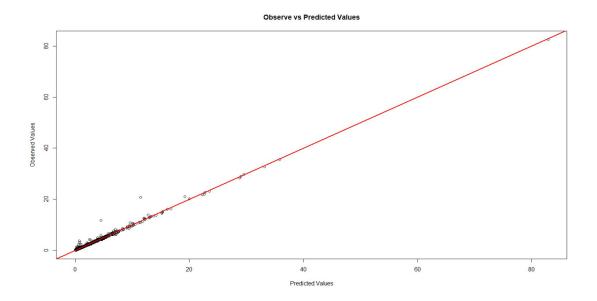
> split = sample.split(TheData$Global_Sales, SplitRatio = 0.8)

> training_set = subset(TheData, split == TRUE)

> test_set = subset(TheData, split == FALSE)

> ml_reg <- lm(Global_Sales ~ . -Other_Sales, data=TheData)
                                                                                                                                               0.26
                                                                                                                                                                                             0.02
```

```
> summary(ml_reg)
Call:
lm(formula = Global_Sales ~ . - Other_Sales, data = TheData)
Residuals:
      Min
                     1Q Median
                                            3Q
-0.9455 -0.0172 -0.0040 0.0063 9.3734
Coefficients:
                       Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) -5.235e-03 1.219e-02 -0.430 0.66752
NA_Sales 1.117e+00 4.078e-03 273.856 < 2e-16 ***
                      1.134e+00 5.985e-03 189.466 < 2e-16 ***
EU_Sales
JP_Sales
                     1.015e+00 8.738e-03 116.177 < 2e-16 ***
Critic_Score 1.988e-04 2.038e-04
                                                          0.976 0.32934
Critic_Count 1.757e-04 1.261e-04
                                                        1.394 0.16346
User_Score -1.700e-03 1.822e-03 -0.933 0.35077
User_Count 1.443e-05 4.043e-06
                                                        3.569 0.00036 ***
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' '1
Residual standard error: 0.1754 on 7009 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.9918, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9918
F-statistic: 1.217e+05 on 7 and 7009 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
> print(ml_reg)
lm(formula = Global_Sales ~ . - Other_Sales, data = TheData)
Coefficients:
                                                                                   User_Score
              NA_Sales
1.117e+00
                                        JP_Sales Critic_Score Critic_Count
1.015e+00     1.988e-04     1.757e-04
                                                                                                 User_Count
1.443e-05
 (Intercept)
-5.235e-03
                               EU_Sales
                           1.134e+00
                                                                                   -1.700e-03
> pred <- predict(ml_reg, test_set)
> #Calculate prediction accuracy and error rates
> actuals_preds <- data.frame(cbind(actuals=test_set$Global_Sales, predicteds=pred)) # make actuals_predicteds datafr</pre>
> correlation_accuracy <- cor(actuals_preds)
> head(actuals_preds)
actuals predicteds
164
    5.48 5.347415
4.22 4.332290
4.05 4.110611
272
294
             3.950469
3.751062
3.666819
337
      3.71
377 3.49 3.666819
> tail(actuals_preds)
actuals predicteds
16550 0.01 0.004974960
16554 0.01 0.009735844
16589 0.01 0.012039816
16618 0.01 0.018290866
16619 0.01 0.008128862
16657 0.01 0.018018271
       3.49
377
> min_max_accuracy <- mean(apply(actuals_preds, 1, min) / apply(actuals_preds, 1, max))
> print(min_max_accuracy)
[1] 0.9309824
> mape <- mean(abs((actuals_preds$predicteds - actuals_preds$actuals))/actuals_preds$actuals)
> print(mape)
[1] 0.07697432
> plot(predict(ml_reg),
                                                                        # Draw plot using Base R
         TheData$Global_Sales,
         xlab = "Predicted Values",
ylab = "Observed Values",main="Observe vs Predicted Values")
+
  abline(a = 0,
                                                                          # Add straight line
           b = 1,
col = "red",
lwd = 2)
```



***** Conclusion

Hence, we can conclude that if Action, Sports and Shooter games were Launched on (PS2/PS3/X360) their Sales would be higher.
Also Our Prediction model for Global Sales is 93% accurate.