

# Movie Correlations

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## 1 Movie Correlations

### 1.0.1 import libraries

```
[168]: import pandas as pd
import seaborn as sns
import numpy as np
import matplotlib
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
plt.style.use('ggplot')
from matplotlib.pyplot import figure

%matplotlib inline
matplotlib.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = (8, 6) # resizing the plot
pd.options.display.float_format = '{:.2f}'.format # limit outputs to 2 decimal
places
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```
[183]: df = pd.read_csv(r"D:\Analyst materials\projects\files\movies.csv")
df.head()
```

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[183]:
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		name	rating	genre	year	\
0		The Shining	R	Drama	1980	
1		The Blue Lagoon	R	Adventure	1980	
2	Star Wars: Episode V - The Empire Strikes Back		PG	Action	1980	
3		Airplane!	PG	Comedy	1980	
4		Caddyshack	R	Comedy	1980	

	released	score	votes	director	\
0	June 13, 1980 (United States)	8.40	927000.00	Stanley Kubrick	
1	July 2, 1980 (United States)	5.80	65000.00	Randal Kleiser	
2	June 20, 1980 (United States)	8.70	1200000.00	Irvin Kershner	
3	July 2, 1980 (United States)	7.70	221000.00	Jim Abrahams	
4	July 25, 1980 (United States)	7.30	108000.00	Harold Ramis	

	writer	star	country	budget	\
0	Stephen King	Jack Nicholson	United Kingdom	19000000.00	
1	Henry De Vere Stacpoole	Brooke Shields	United States	4500000.00	
2	Leigh Brackett	Mark Hamill	United States	18000000.00	

3	Jim Abrahams	Robert Hays	United States	3500000.00
4	Brian Doyle-Murray	Chevy Chase	United States	6000000.00

	gross	company	runtime
0	46998772.00	Warner Bros.	146.00
1	58853106.00	Columbia Pictures	104.00
2	538375067.00	Lucasfilm	124.00
3	83453539.00	Paramount Pictures	88.00
4	39846344.00	Orion Pictures	98.00

```
[184]: df.info()
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```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 7668 entries, 0 to 7667
Data columns (total 15 columns):
#   Column      Non-Null Count  Dtype
---  -
0   name        7668 non-null   object
1   rating      7591 non-null   object
2   genre       7668 non-null   object
3   year        7668 non-null   int64
4   released    7666 non-null   object
5   score       7665 non-null   float64
6   votes       7665 non-null   float64
7   director    7668 non-null   object
8   writer      7665 non-null   object
9   star        7667 non-null   object
10  country     7665 non-null   object
11  budget      5497 non-null   float64
12  gross       7479 non-null   float64
13  company     7651 non-null   object
14  runtime     7664 non-null   float64
dtypes: float64(5), int64(1), object(9)
memory usage: 898.7+ KB
```

## 1.1 First we do some Data Cleaning

### 1.1.1 Check for null values in each column

```
[190]: df.isnull().sum()
```

```
[190]: name        0
rating      12
genre        0
year         0
released     0
score        0
votes        0
```

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director      0
writer        0
star          0
country       1
budget        0
gross         0
company       2
runtime       1
dtype: int64

```

### 1.1.2 Drop rows where budget or gross is null because much of the analysis will be reliant on those values

```
[186]: df = df.dropna(subset=['budget', 'gross'])
```

### 1.1.3 Changing data type of budget and gross from float to int

```
[192]: df['budget'] = df['budget'].astype(int)
df['gross'] = df['gross'].astype(int)
```

### 1.1.4 Sort movies by highest grossing

```
[194]: df.sort_values(by=['gross'], inplace=True, ascending=False)
```

### 1.1.5 Drop any duplicates

```
[196]: df.drop_duplicates().head()
```

```
[196]:
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		name	rating	genre	year	\
5445		Avatar	PG-13	Action	2009	
7445		Avengers: Endgame	PG-13	Action	2019	
3045		Titanic	PG-13	Drama	1997	
6663	Star Wars: Episode VII - The Force Awakens		PG-13	Action	2015	
7244		Avengers: Infinity War	PG-13	Action	2018	

		released	score	votes	director	\
5445	December 18, 2009 (United States)	7.80	1100000.00	James Cameron		
7445	April 26, 2019 (United States)	8.40	903000.00	Anthony Russo		
3045	December 19, 1997 (United States)	7.80	1100000.00	James Cameron		
6663	December 18, 2015 (United States)	7.80	876000.00	J.J. Abrams		
7244	April 27, 2018 (United States)	8.40	897000.00	Anthony Russo		

	writer	star	country	budget	\
5445	James Cameron	Sam Worthington	United States	237000000	
7445	Christopher Markus	Robert Downey Jr.	United States	356000000	
3045	James Cameron	Leonardo DiCaprio	United States	200000000	
6663	Lawrence Kasdan	Daisy Ridley	United States	245000000	

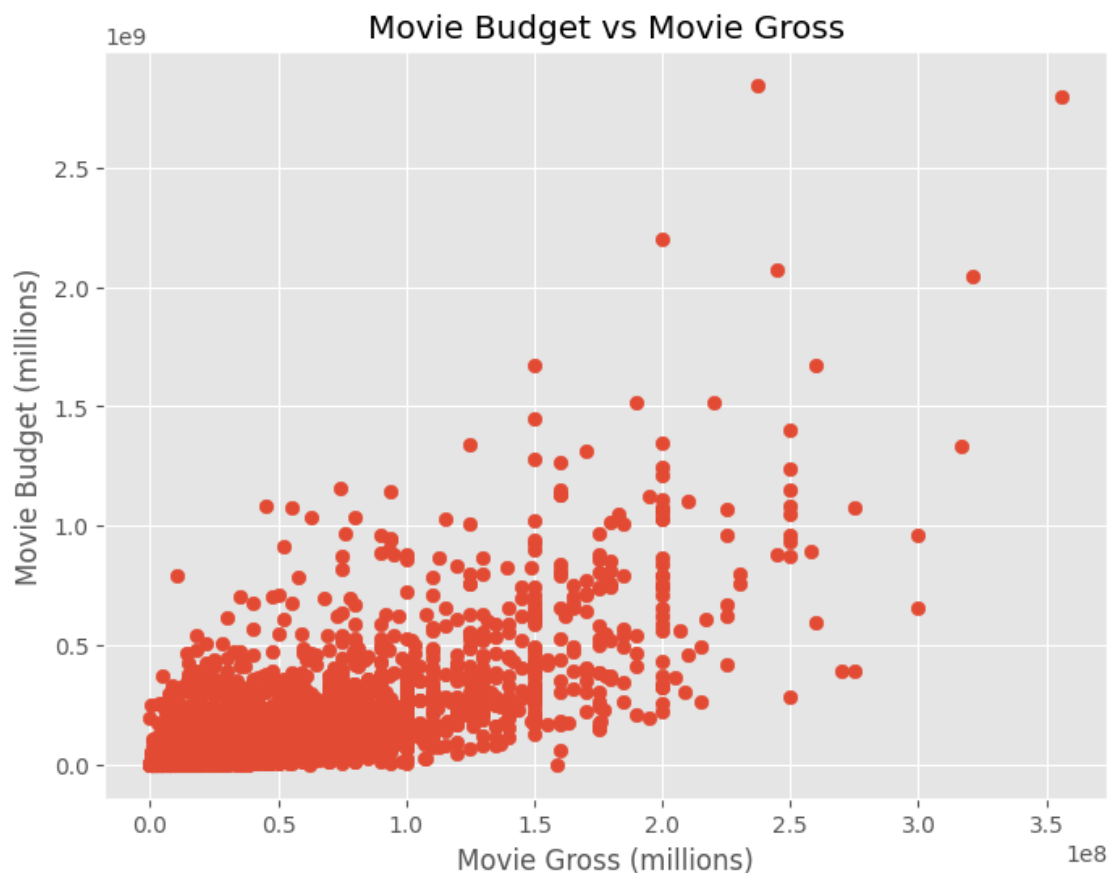
7244 Christopher Markus Robert Downey Jr. United States 321000000

	gross	company	runtime
5445	2847246203	Twentieth Century Fox	162.00
7445	2797501328	Marvel Studios	181.00
3045	2201647264	Twentieth Century Fox	194.00
6663	2069521700	Lucasfilm	138.00
7244	2048359754	Marvel Studios	149.00

## 1.2 Now we create some visualizations

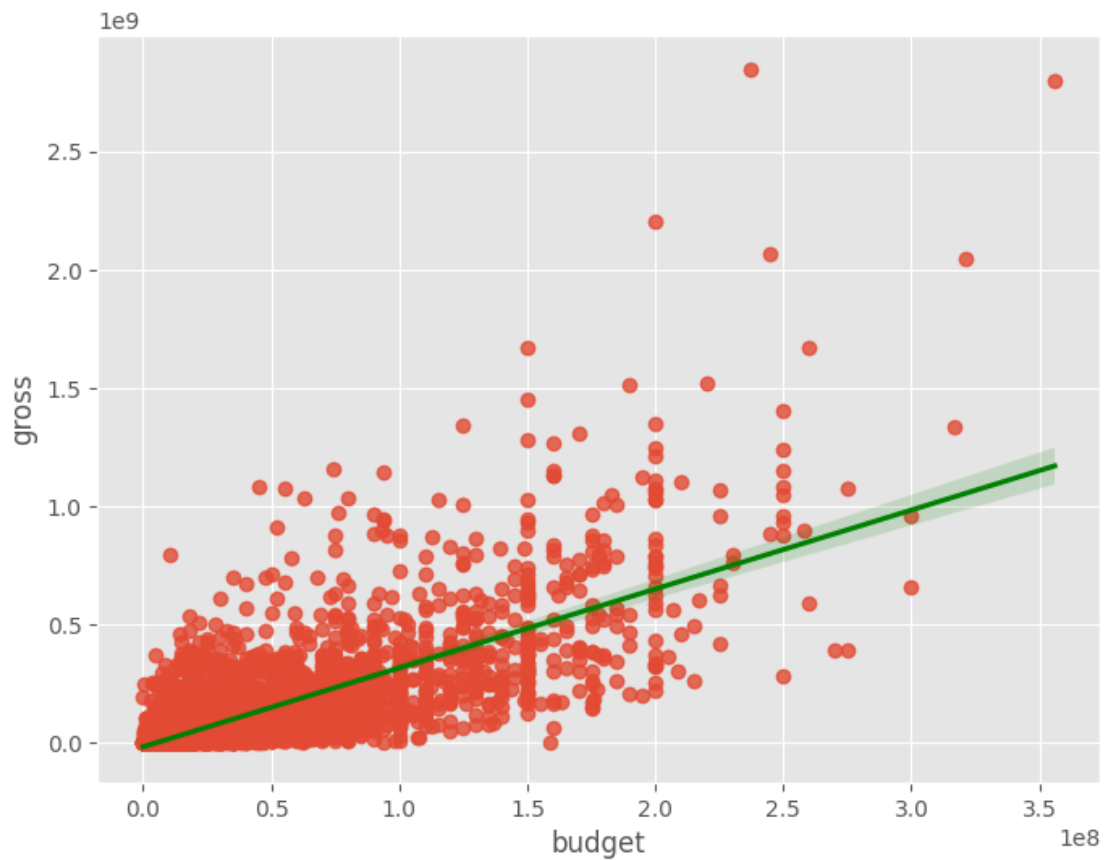
### 1.2.1 Scatterplot with budget vs gross

```
[176]: plt.scatter(x=df['budget'], y=df['gross'])  
plt.title('Movie Budget vs Movie Gross')  
plt.xlabel('Movie Gross (millions)')  
plt.ylabel('Movie Budget (millions)')  
plt.show()
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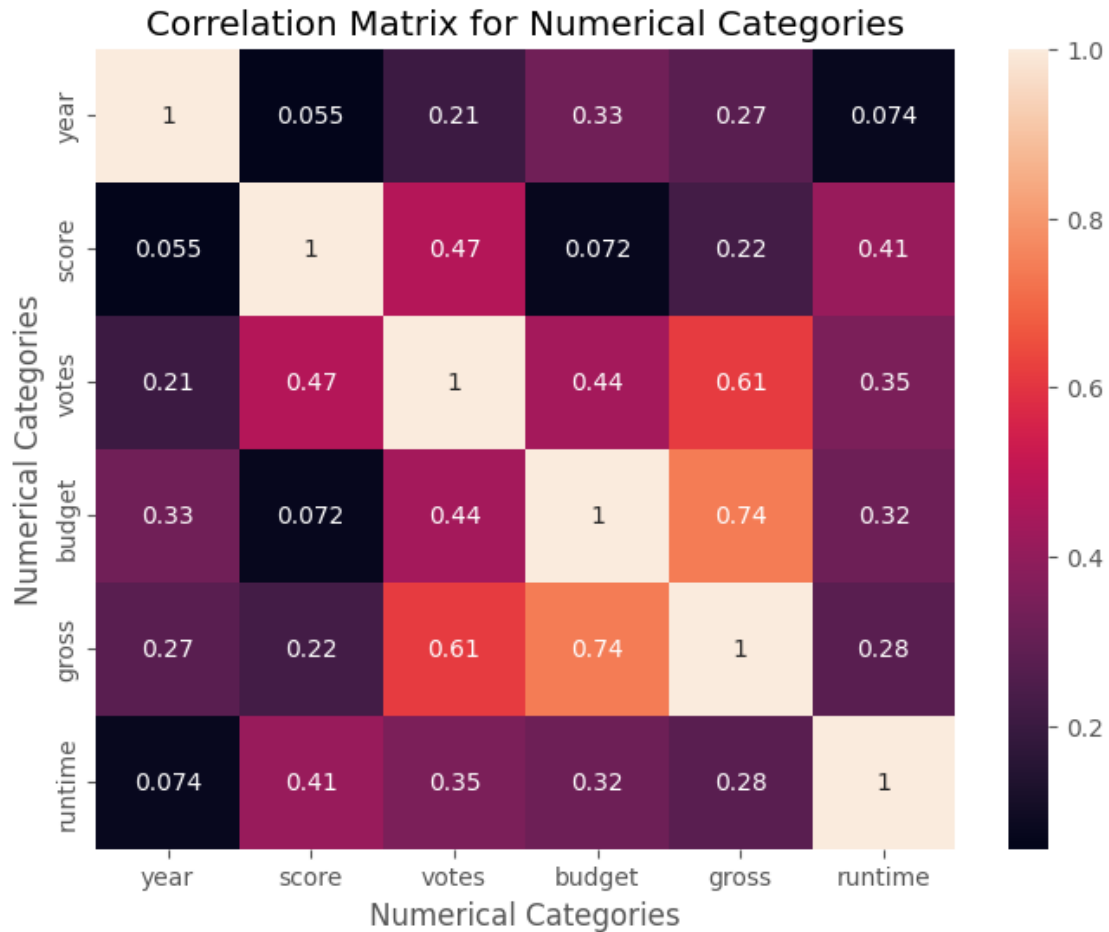
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[177]: sns.regplot(x='budget', y='gross', data=df, line_kws={"color": "green"})
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[177]: <Axes: xlabel='budget', ylabel='gross'>
```



### 1.2.2 Check Correlations

```
[178]: corr_matrix = df.corr(numeric_only=True)
sns.heatmap(corr_matrix, annot=True)
plt.title('Correlation Matrix for Numerical Categories')
plt.xlabel('Numerical Categories')
plt.ylabel('Numerical Categories')
plt.show()
```



**1.2.3** *We can see a high correlation between budget and gross, and a moderately-high correlation between votes and gross*

**1.2.4** Want to incorporate non-numeric values into the correlation analysis

```
[197]: # assign numerical values to non-numeric fields using category codes
df_num = df
for col in df_num.columns:
    if(df_num[col].dtype == 'object'):
        df_num[col] = df_num[col].astype('category')
        df_num[col] = df_num[col].cat.codes
df_num.head()
```

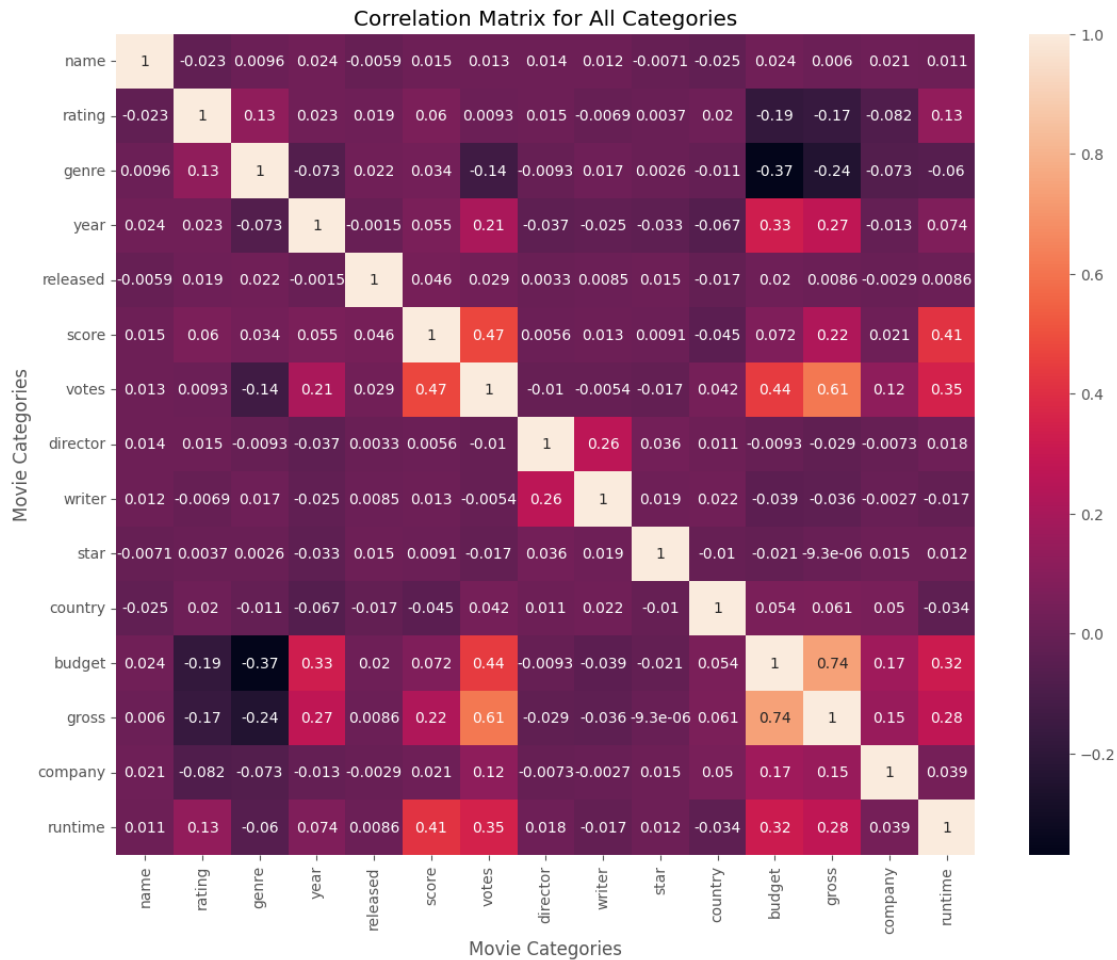
```
[197]:
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	name	rating	genre	year	released	score	votes	director	writer	\
5445	387	5	0	2009	528	7.80	1100000.00	787	1265	
7445	389	5	0	2019	138	8.40	903000.00	106	515	
3045	4923	5	6	1997	535	7.80	1100000.00	787	1265	
6663	3656	5	0	2015	530	7.80	876000.00	770	1810	

7244	390	5	0	2018	146	8.40	897000.00	106	515
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	star	country	budget	gross	company	runtime
5445	1538	47	237000000	2847246203	1388	162.00
7445	1474	47	356000000	2797501328	987	181.00
3045	1076	47	200000000	2201647264	1388	194.00
6663	357	47	245000000	2069521700	949	138.00
7244	1474	47	321000000	2048359754	987	149.00

```
[180]: corr_matrix = df_num.corr(numeric_only=True)
plt.figure(figsize=(13, 10))
sns.heatmap(corr_matrix, annot=True)
plt.title('Correlation Matrix for All Categories')
plt.xlabel('Movie Categories')
plt.ylabel('Movie Categories')
plt.show()
```



```
[181]: unstacked_corr = df_num.corr().unstack()
unstacked_corr
```

```
[181]: name      name      1.00
        rating    -0.02
        genre      0.01
        year       0.02
        released  -0.01
        ...
runtime  country  -0.03
        budget    0.32
        gross     0.28
        company   0.04
        runtime   1.00
Length: 225, dtype: float64
```

```
[182]: # check for all highly correlated variables
high_corr = unstacked_corr[unstacked_corr > 0.5]
high_corr
```

```
[182]: name      name      1.00
        rating    rating    1.00
        genre     genre     1.00
        year      year      1.00
        released  released   1.00
        score     score     1.00
        votes     votes     1.00
        gross     gross     0.61
        director  director   1.00
        writer    writer     1.00
        star      star       1.00
        country   country    1.00
        budget    budget     1.00
        gross     gross     0.74
        gross     votes     0.61
        budget    budget     0.74
        gross     gross     1.00
        company   company    1.00
        runtime   runtime    1.00
dtype: float64
```

**1.2.5** *Seems like the only highly correlated variables are what we learned from our insight earlier, which is that only budget and gross and votes and gross are highly correlated!*