

Microsoft Movie Studios Genre Recommendations

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Overview

The technology giant, Microsoft is looking to expand it's lines of business by jumping into the movie business. This project will analyze data from various movie tracking and rating companies to help them determine how to best direct project investments that help ensure a successful start to this venture.



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Outline



Business Understanding



Data Understanding



Analysis Results



Conclusions

Business Understanding



Goal: Guide Microsoft Movie Studios film development decisions



Need to determine which films currently perform the best at the box office



Analytics Metric: Film Popularity



Analytics Metric: Film Profitability

Data Understanding

Popularity Datasources

■IMDB

■ Rotten Tomatoes

■ The Movie Database

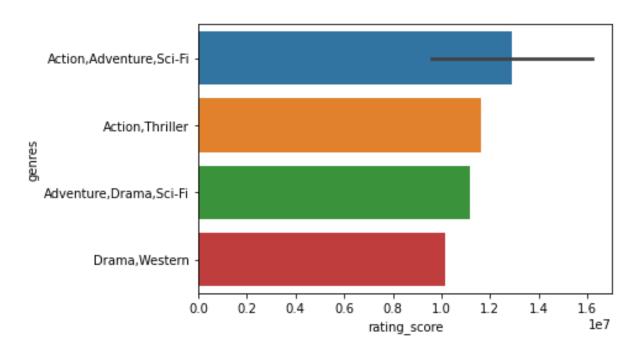
Profitability Datasources

■ Box Office Mojo

■The Numbers





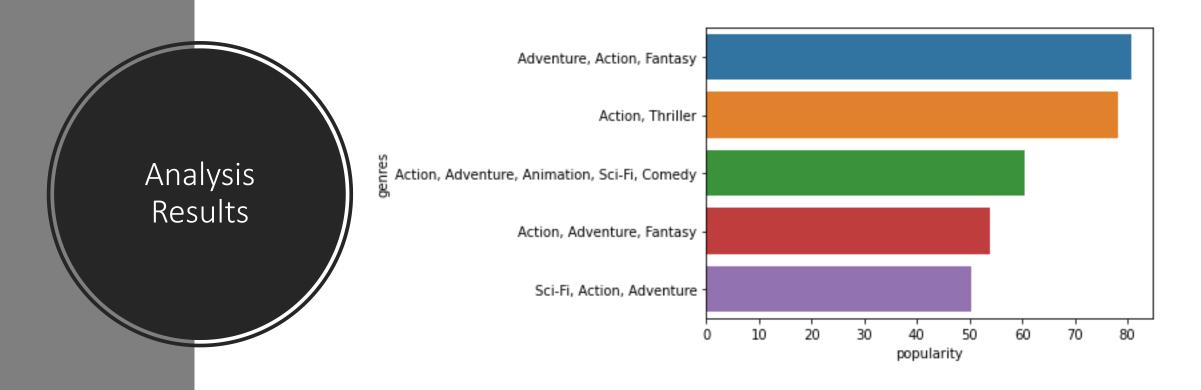


• IMDB Results : Top 5 movie genres based on popularity



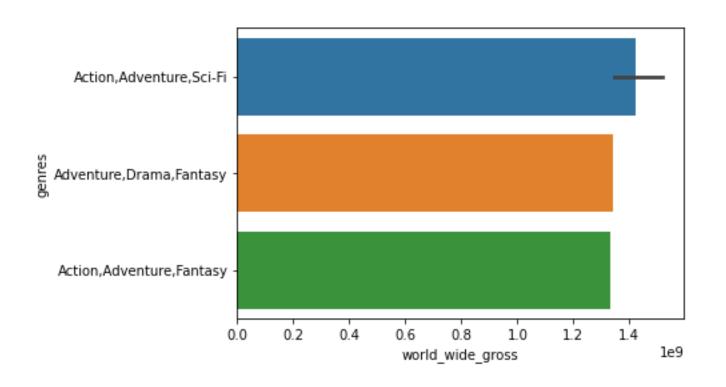
genre	fresh	
Drama	fresh	4969
Comedy Drama	fresh	2953
Comedy	fresh	1950
Drama Mystery and Suspense	fresh	1780
Drama Romance	fresh	1174

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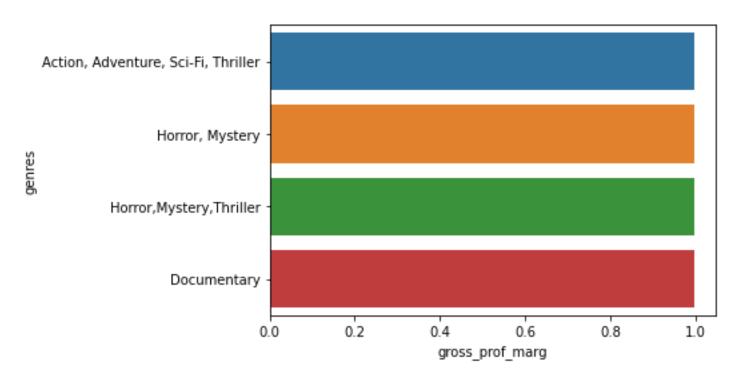
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 Box Office Mojo Results : Top 5 most profitable movie genres





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Conclusions

Recommendations:

- Focus on producing Action Films In our genre ranking system Action ranked highest in popularity and came
 in second for profitability.
- Focus on producing Adventure Films For the Adventure genre it ranked second in popularity and first in profitability.
- Focus on producing Sci-Fi Films The Sci-Fi genre ranked 4th and 3rd in popularity and profitability.

Next Steps:

- Increase the top sample size for analysis
- Use different analysis methods
- Expand the datasources used

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