#### Notebook

April 3, 2018

#### 1 Analysis of Movielens Dataset

This dataset (ml-20m) describes 5-star rating and free-text tagging activity from MovieLens, a movie recommendation service. It contains 20000263 ratings and 465564 tag applications across 27278 movies. These data were created by 138493 users between January 09, 1995 and March 31, 2015. This dataset was generated on October 17, 2016.

Users were selected at random for inclusion. All selected users had rated at least 20 movies. No demographic information is included. Each user is represented by an id, and no other information is provided.

The data are contained in six files, genome-scores.csv, genome-tags.csv, links.csv, movies.csv, ratings.csv and tags.csv. More details about the contents and use of all these files follows.

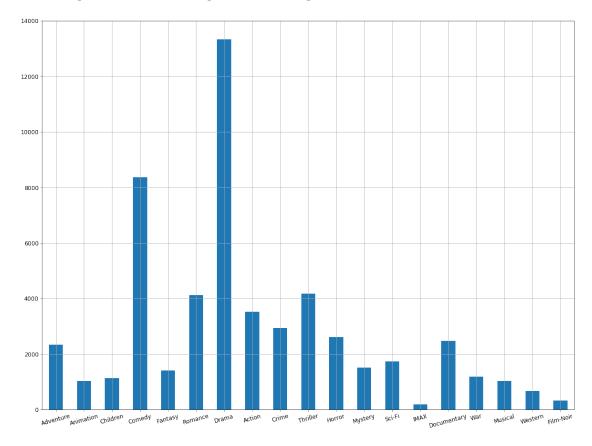
This and other GroupLens data sets are publicly available for download at http://grouplens.org/datasets/.

### 2 Data Ingestion

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In [1]: import pandas as pd
        import numpy as np
        import seaborn as sns
        import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        %matplotlib inline
        from IPython.display import Image
In [2]: movies = pd.read_csv('movies.csv', sep=',')
        movies['year'] = movies['title'].str.extract('.*\((.*)\).*', expand=True)
        movies.drop([22368, 22669, 22679, 15646, 17341, 19859],inplace = True)
        movies.dropna(inplace = True)
        movies.head(3)
Out[2]:
           movieId
                                       title \
        0
                 1
                            Toy Story (1995)
        1
                              Jumanji (1995)
                    Grumpier Old Men (1995)
                                                  genres
                                                          year
           Adventure | Animation | Children | Comedy | Fantasy
                                                          1995
        1
                             Adventure | Children | Fantasy
                                                          1995
        2
                                         Comedy | Romance
                                                         1995
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## 3 What is the most popular movie?

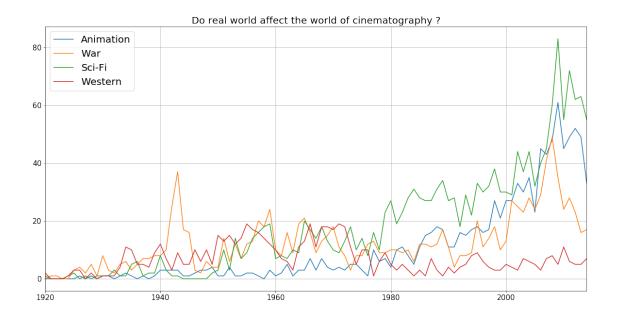
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We can clearly see that the most popular genre is drama and comedy

#### 4 Does movie reflect events in the real world?

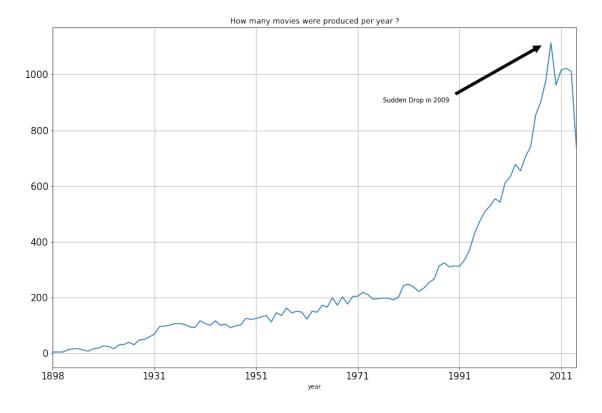
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We can notice a rapid growth of sci-fi movies shortly after 1969, the year of the first Moon landing. Sci-Fi continues to explode in popularity due to the improvement in CGI and special effects in movies. Secondly, between 1930s and 1960s there is a huge number of western movies which align with the timeline when westerns popularity was peaking. Next, after the growth of personal computer and the computer generated graphic emerged we can see the rise of popularity of animated movies. War movies were popular around the time when big military conflicts occured - World War II, Vietnam War and most recently War in Afghanistan and Iraq. Therefore we can conclude that the world of cinematography reflect events in the real world.

## 5 How many movies were produced per year?

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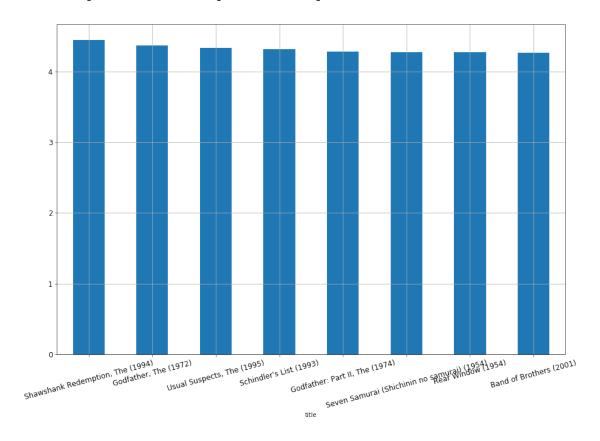
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In [8]: ratings = pd.read_csv('ratings.csv', sep=',', parse_dates=['timestamp'])
        del ratings['userId']
        ratings.head(3)
Out[8]:
           movieId rating
                             timestamp
        0
                 2
                       3.5 1112486027
                29
        1
                       3.5 1112484676
        2
                32
                       3.5
                           1112484819
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#### 6 Top 8 movies with the highest rating?

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In [9]: data = pd.merge(movies,ratings,on = 'movieId' )
        most_rated = data['title'].value_counts()[:10]
        fix_movies = most_rated[most_rated >= 30]
       movie_stats = data.groupby('title').agg({'rating': [np.size,np.mean]})
       movie_stats.head()
Out [9]:
                                                           rating
                                                             size
                                                                       mean
        title
        "Great Performances" Cats (1998)
                                                            155.0 2.748387
        #chicagoGirl: The Social Network Takes on a Dic...
                                                              3.0 3.666667
        $ (Dollars) (1971)
                                                             24.0 2.833333
        $5 a Day (2008)
                                                             39.0 2.871795
        $9.99 (2008)
                                                             55.0 3.009091
In [10]: # sort by rating average
        rating_average = movie_stats[movie_stats['rating']['size'] >= 100].sort_values([('rat
         rating_average.head()
Out [10]:
                                            rating
                                              size
                                                        mean
         Shawshank Redemption, The (1994) 63366.0 4.446990
         Godfather, The (1972)
                                           41355.0 4.364732
         Usual Suspects, The (1995)
                                           47006.0 4.334372
         Schindler's List (1993)
                                           50054.0 4.310175
         Godfather: Part II, The (1974)
                                           27398.0 4.275641
In [11]: rating_average[:5]
Out[11]:
                                            rating
                                              size
                                                        mean
         title
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         Godfather, The (1972)
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         Godfather: Part II, The (1974)
                                           27398.0 4.275641
In [12]: labels = ['0-1', '1-2', '2-3', '3-4', '4-5']
         label = ['0-5000','5000-10000','10000-15000','15000-20000','20000-25000','25000-30000
                  '30000-35000','35000-40000','40000-45000','45000-50000','50000-55000',
                  '55000-60000','60000-65000']
         rating_average['rating group'] = pd.cut(rating_average['rating']['mean'], range(0,6),
                                                 right=True, labels= labels)
         rating_average['Number of vote'] = pd.cut(rating_average['rating']['size'],
                                                   range(0,65001,5000), right=True, labels= lab
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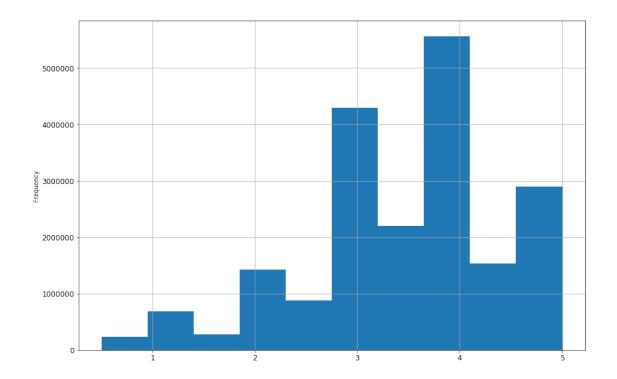
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## 7 How is the ratings distributed?

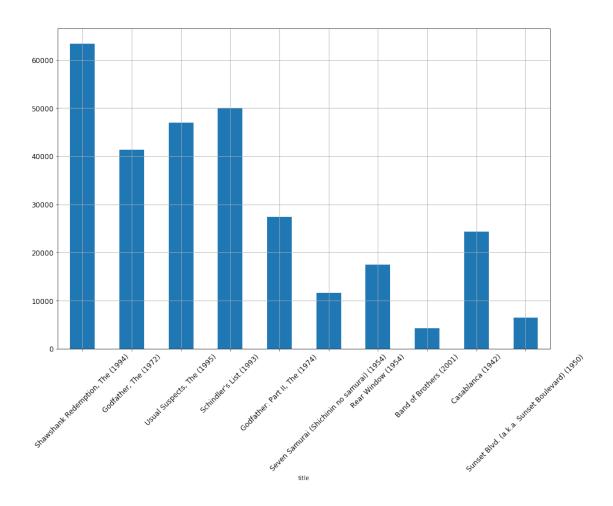
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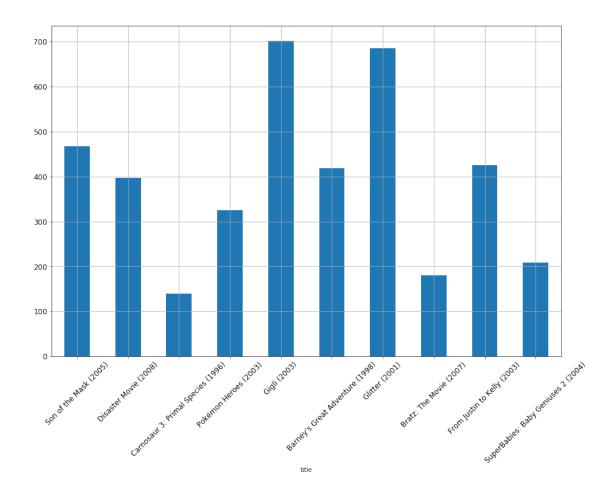
It seems that middling rating is much more usual than low and high rating which is expected. People don't usually go out and rate movies they are dissapointed with. We'll find out below.

# 8 Connection between the number of rating and the perceived quality of the movie

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It seems that my hypothesis above is true. Movies with lower rating are also being rated less.