

```

SELECT category.name AS category, SUM(amount) AS total_sales
FROM payment
INNER JOIN rental USING(rental_id)
INNER JOIN inventory ON inventory.inventory_id = rental.inventory_id
INNER JOIN film ON inventory.film_id = film.film_id
INNER JOIN film_category ON film.film_id = film_category.film_id
INNER JOIN category ON category.category_id = film_category.category_id
WHERE payment.payment_date >= '2007-01-01 00:00:00'
      AND payment.payment_date < '2008-01-01 00:00:00'
GROUP BY category.name
ORDER BY total_sales DESC

```

category	total_sales
Sports	4,892.19
Sci-Fi	4,336.01
Animation	4,245.31
Drama	4,118.46
Comedy	4,002.48
New	3,966.38
Action	3,951.84
Foreign	3,934.47
Games	3,922.18
Family	3,830.15
Documentary	3,749.65
Horror	3,401.27
Classics	3,353.38
Children	3,309.39
Travel	3,227.36
Music	3,071.52