# SLHW2

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```
# Install necessary libraries if not installed
# install.packages(c("ggplot2", "dplyr", "scales", "lubridate"))
# install.packages("caret")
# install.packages("GGally")
# install.packages("tidyverse")
#install.packages("randomForest")
# install.packages("gbm")
# install.packages("fastshap")
# Load libraries
library(ggplot2)
library(dplyr)
##
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
##
##
      filter, lag
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##
      intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
library(scales)
library(lubridate)
## Warning: package 'lubridate' was built under R version 4.3.3
##
## Attaching package: 'lubridate'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##
      date, intersect, setdiff, union
library(tidyverse)
## -- Attaching core tidyverse packages ----- tidyverse 2.0.0 --
## v forcats 1.0.0 v stringr 1.5.0
          1.0.2
                    v tibble 3.2.1
## v purrr
## v readr
           2.1.4
                     v tidyr
                              1.3.0
## -- Conflicts ----- tidyverse_conflicts() --
## x readr::col_factor() masks scales::col_factor()
## x purrr::discard() masks scales::discard()
## x dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
```

```
## x dplyr::lag()
                          masks stats::lag()
## i Use the conflicted package (<a href="http://conflicted.r-lib.org/">http://conflicted.r-lib.org/</a>) to force all conflicts to become error
library(GGally)
## Registered S3 method overwritten by 'GGally':
     method from
##
     +.gg
            ggplot2
library(caret)
## Loading required package: lattice
##
## Attaching package: 'caret'
##
## The following object is masked from 'package:purrr':
##
##
       lift
library(rpart)
library(rpart.plot)
library(nnet)
library(gbm)
## Warning: package 'gbm' was built under R version 4.3.3
## Loaded gbm 2.2.2
## This version of gbm is no longer under development. Consider transitioning to gbm3, https://github.c
library(MASS)
##
## Attaching package: 'MASS'
## The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':
##
##
       select
library(randomForest)
## Warning: package 'randomForest' was built under R version 4.3.3
## randomForest 4.7-1.2
## Type rfNews() to see new features/changes/bug fixes.
## Attaching package: 'randomForest'
## The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':
##
##
       combine
##
## The following object is masked from 'package:ggplot2':
##
       margin
library(pdp)
## Warning: package 'pdp' was built under R version 4.3.3
##
```

```
## Attaching package: 'pdp'
##
## The following object is masked from 'package:purrr':
##
## partial
library(fastshap)

##
## Attaching package: 'fastshap'
##
## The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':
##
## explain
```

### About the Data

#### Import Data

```
#tuesdata <- tidytuesdayR::tt_load('2022-11-01')</pre>
tuesdata <- tidytuesdayR::tt_load(2022, week = 44)</pre>
## --- Compiling #TidyTuesday Information for 2022-11-01 ----
## --- There is 1 file available ---
##
##
## -- Downloading files -----
##
          1 of 1: "horror_movies.csv"
horror <- tuesdata$horror movies
glimpse(horror)
## Rows: 32,540
## Columns: 20
## $ id
                                                <dbl> 760161, 760741, 882598, 756999, 772450, 1014226, 717~
## $ original_title
                                                <chr> "Orphan: First Kill", "Beast", "Smile", "The Black P~
                                                <chr> "Orphan: First Kill", "Beast", "Smile", "The Black P~
## $ title
## $ original_language <chr> "en", "en", "en", "en", "es", "es", "en", "en", "en"~
## $ overview
                                                <chr> "After escaping from an Estonian psychiatric facilit~
## $ tagline
                                                <chr> "There's always been something wrong with Esther.", ~
                                                <date> 2022-07-27, 2022-08-11, 2022-09-23, 2022-06-22, 202~
## $ release_date
                                                <chr> "/pHkKbIRoCe7zIFvqan9LFSaQAde.jpg", "/xIGr7UHsKf0URW~
## $ poster_path
## $ popularity
                                                <dbl> 5088.584, 2172.338, 1863.628, 1071.398, 1020.995, 93~
                                                <dbl> 902, 584, 114, 2736, 83, 1, 125, 1684, 73, 1035, 637~
## $ vote_count
                                                <dbl> 6.9, 7.1, 6.8, 7.9, 7.0, 1.0, 5.8, 7.0, 6.5, 6.8, 7.~
## $ vote average
                                                <dbl> 0, 0, 17000000, 18800000, 0, 0, 20000000, 68000000, ~
## $ budget
## $ revenue
                                                <dbl> 9572765, 56000000, 45000000, 161000000, 0, 0, 289259~
## $ runtime
                                                <dbl> 99, 93, 115, 103, 0, 0, 88, 130, 90, 106, 98, 89, 97~
## $ status
                                                <chr> "Released", "Released, "Re
## $ adult
                                                <lgl> FALSE, FALSE, FALSE, FALSE, FALSE, FALSE, FALSE, FAL
                                                ## $ backdrop_path
## $ genre_names
                                                <chr> "Horror, Thriller", "Adventure, Drama, Horror", "Hor~
## $ collection
                                                <dbl> 760193, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, 94899, NA, NA, 950289, N~
```

#### **Data Dictionary**

- 1. The id variable is an integer that serves as a unique identifier for each movie.
- 2. The original\_title variable is a character string representing the movie's original title.
- 3. The title variable is a character string containing the localized or alternative movie title.
- 4. The original\_language variable is a character field indicating the language in which the movie was originally made.
- 5. The overview variable is a character field providing a brief description or synopsis of the movie.
- 6. The tagline variable is a character field capturing the movie's catchphrase or slogan.
- 7. The release\_date variable is a date field that records the date when the movie was first released.
- 8. The poster\_path variable is a character field containing the URL to the movie's poster image.
- 9. The popularity variable is a numerical value representing the movie's popularity score based on audience interactions.
- 10. The vote\_count variable is an integer field that records the total number of audience votes received.
- 11. The vote\_average variable is a numerical field that represents the average audience rating on a scale from 0 to 10.
- 12. The budget variable is an integer field capturing the movie's production budget in USD.
- 13. The revenue variable is an integer field indicating the total revenue earned by the movie in USD.
- 14. The runtime variable is an integer field that specifies the duration of the movie in minutes.
- 15. The status variable is a character field that indicates the current status of the movie, such as "Released."
- 16. The adult variable is a boolean that indicates whether the movie is intended for adult audiences.
- 17. The backdrop\_path variable is a character field that provides the URL to the backdrop image for the movie
- 18. The genre\_names variable is a character field listing the genres associated with the movie, separated by commas.
- 19. The collection variable is a numerical field containing the unique ID of the collection the movie belongs to, which may be null for movies not part of a collection.
- 20. The collection\_name variable is a character field representing the name of the collection, which may also be null if the movie does not belong to one.

#### Available Data

The dataset contains detailed information on a wide range of horror movies, about ~35,000 pieces of entertainment, including various features such as title, genre, release date, runtime, popularity, budget, and revenue. Additional details include the movie's runtime, vote count, average vote, genre names, and collection association. Notably, the dataset also contains the poster and backdrop image URLs for each movie, as well as whether the movie is intended for adults. These data points provide a comprehensive view of each movie's performance, reception, and thematic elements, enabling further analysis on trends, movie popularity, and financial success within the horror genre. These features will be used to train a classification model to predict whether each entry is a successful movie or not. The objective is to leverage these data points to build an accurate classification model, focusing on identifying the key predictors that contribute most to the classification process.

#### Motivation

As the entertainment industry expands, identifying the success of a movie is critical to content platforms and production companies. Success in the entertainment industry is typically measured by revenue, budget, and audience reception. Predicting whether a movie is likely to be successful or not can help guide investment decisions, optimize content strategies, and improve user recommendations. However, accurately predicting success is a challenge due to the multifaceted nature of what contributes to a movie's success, including budget, genre, release time, and audience engagement factors.

In this context, predicting a movie's success involves analyzing historical data and identifying patterns that

correlate with positive outcomes. By doing so, production teams and platforms can better allocate resources, strategize marketing efforts, and predict the potential success of future movies. The motivation behind this project is to build a classification model that can predict whether a movie will be successful based on various features, thus improving decision-making processes in the entertainment industry.

#### Goal

The primary goal of this project is to develop a classification model that predicts whether a given movie is successful or not. The project will focus on feature selection, model interpretation, and the comparison of predictor sets to determine the most significant factors contributing to a movie's success. By analyzing a variety of features such as budget, revenue, genre, and popularity, the goal is to build a model that classifies movies as "successful" or "unsuccessful" with high accuracy. This will allow content platforms and production companies to make data-driven decisions and better understand the elements that contribute to the success of a movie.

# Data Preprocessing and Visualization Tools

### summary(horror)

```
##
           id
                        original_title
                                                title
                                                                  original_language
##
                  17
                        Length: 32540
                                             Length: 32540
                                                                  Length: 32540
##
    1st Qu.: 146495
                        Class : character
                                             Class : character
                                                                  Class : character
    Median: 426521
                        Mode
                             :character
                                             Mode :character
                                                                  Mode : character
##
    Mean
            : 445911
##
    3rd Qu.: 707534
            :1033095
##
    Max.
##
##
                           tagline
                                               release_date
      overview
                                                                     poster_path
##
    Length: 32540
                         Length: 32540
                                                      :1950-01-01
                                                                     Length: 32540
                                              Min.
    Class : character
                         Class : character
                                              1st Qu.:2000-10-20
                                                                     Class : character
##
##
          :character
                         Mode
                               :character
                                              Median: 2012-12-09
                                                                     Mode
                                                                           :character
##
                                                      :2007-02-18
                                              Mean
##
                                              3rd Qu.:2018-10-03
##
                                              Max.
                                                      :2022-12-31
##
      popularity
##
                           vote count
                                               vote average
                                                                     budget
##
                0.000
                                      0.00
                                                     : 0.000
                                                                                  0
    Min.
                         Min.
                                              Min.
                                                                Min.
##
    1st Qu.:
                0.600
                         1st Qu.:
                                      0.00
                                              1st Qu.: 0.000
                                                                1st Qu.:
                                                                                  0
##
    Median :
                0.840
                         Median :
                                      2.00
                                              Median : 4.000
                                                                Median :
                                                                                  0
##
                4.013
                                     62.69
                                                      : 3.336
                                                                Mean
                                                                             543127
    Mean
                         Mean
                                              Mean
                                                                3rd Qu.:
##
                2.243
                                     11.00
                                              3rd Qu.: 5.700
    3rd Qu.:
                         3rd Qu.:
##
    Max.
            :5088.584
                         Max.
                                 :16900.00
                                              Max.
                                                      :10.000
                                                                Max.
                                                                        :20000000
##
##
       revenue
                             runtime
                                                status
                                                                    adult
##
                     0
                                     0.00
                                             Length: 32540
                                                                  Mode :logical
    Min.
                          Min.
                                  :
##
    1st Qu.:
                     0
                          1st Qu.: 14.00
                                             Class : character
                                                                  FALSE: 32540
    Median :
##
                     0
                          Median: 80.00
                                             Mode :character
##
    Mean
            :
               1349747
                          Mean
                                  : 62.14
                          3rd Qu.: 91.00
##
    3rd Qu.:
                     0
##
    Max.
            :701842551
                          Max.
                                  :683.00
##
    backdrop_path
##
                                                collection
                                                                  collection name
                         genre_names
    Length: 32540
                         Length: 32540
                                              Min.
                                                     :
                                                           656
                                                                 Length: 32540
```

```
1st Qu.: 155421
   Class :character
                       Class :character
                                                             Class : character
##
   Mode :character
                       Mode :character
                                          Median: 471259
                                                            Mode : character
                                                 : 481535
##
                                          Mean
##
                                          3rd Qu.: 759067
##
                                          Max.
                                                 :1033032
                                                  :30234
##
                                          NA's
```

## Data Cleanup

#### Handling NA Values

We will look at how many NA values are in each column to better understand our data set.

```
na_counts <- colSums(is.na(horror))
print(na_counts)</pre>
```

```
##
                   id
                          original_title
                                                       title original_language
##
                    0
                                        0
                                                           0
##
             overview
                                 tagline
                                               release_date
                                                                    poster_path
##
                 1286
                                   19833
                                                                           4474
          popularity
##
                              vote_count
                                               vote_average
                                                                         budget
##
                                                           0
                                                                               0
##
             revenue
                                 runtime
                                                      status
                                                                          adult
##
##
       backdrop_path
                                                 collection
                             genre_names
                                                               collection_name
##
                                                       30234
                18995
                                                                          30234
```

```
na_counts_df <- data.frame(Column = names(na_counts), NA_Count = na_counts)
print(na_counts_df)</pre>
```

```
##
                                 Column NA_Count
## id
                                      id
                                                0
## original_title
                         original_title
                                                0
## title
                                  title
                                                0
## original_language original_language
                                                0
                                             1286
## overview
                               overview
## tagline
                                tagline
                                            19833
## release_date
                           release_date
                                                0
## poster_path
                            poster_path
                                             4474
## popularity
                             popularity
                                                0
## vote_count
                             vote_count
                                                0
## vote_average
                           vote_average
                                                0
                                                0
## budget
                                 budget
## revenue
                                revenue
                                                0
## runtime
                                runtime
                                                0
## status
                                 status
                                                0
## adult
                                                0
                                  adult
## backdrop_path
                          backdrop_path
                                            18995
## genre_names
                            genre_names
                                                0
## collection
                             collection
                                            30234
## collection_name
                                            30234
                        collection_name
sum(horror$revenue == 0)
```

## [1] 30964

```
sum(horror$budget == 0)

## [1] 27339

sum(horror$budget != 0 & horror$revenue != 0)

## [1] 1098

sum(horror$budget == 0 & horror$revenue == 0)

## [1] 26861
```

For numeric columns, we will fill missing values with the median values of that column. These include id, release\_date, popularity, vote\_count, vote\_average, revenue, and runtime. We will then fill missing character columns with "Unknown." These include original\_title, title, original\_language, tagline, overview, poster\_path, status, adult, and backdrop\_path.

```
numeric_cols <- sapply(horror, is.numeric)
horror[numeric_cols] <- lapply(horror[numeric_cols], function(x) {
   ifelse(is.na(x), median(x, na.rm = TRUE), x)
})

## Fill missing character columns with "Unknown"
char_cols <- sapply(horror, is.character)
horror[char_cols] <- lapply(horror[char_cols], function(x) {
   ifelse(is.na(x), "Unknown", x)
})</pre>
```

#### **Drop Columns**

We will remove the columns ids and paths as these are not needed for our overall analysis.

```
library(dplyr)

# Drop the specified columns
#horror <- horror /> select(-id, -poster_path, -backdrop_path, -collection, -collection_name)

horror <- dplyr::select(horror, -id, -poster_path, -backdrop_path, -collection, -collection_name)</pre>
```

#### Feature Engineering

As part of feature engineering we need to create our boolean-like columns to logical data types. We will do so for the adult column. If the observation is FALSE, then it will convert to a logical operator of 0. If the observation is TRUE for this column, then it will be converted to 1. We must also convert categorical columns to factors. This includes original\_language, status, and genre\_names. Finally, we will extract year from release\_date because this will help in further analysis.

```
horror$adult <- as.logical(horror$adult)

categorical_cols <- c("original_language", "status", "genre_names")
horror[categorical_cols] <- lapply(horror[categorical_cols], as.factor)

horror$release_year <- as.numeric(substr(horror$release_date, 1, 4))
```

#### **Handling Outliers**

We will replace some outliers. Specifically, for runtime we will replace runtime with the 0 if there is a runtime that is defined as an outlier, we will replace it with 0. We will also remove rows with outliers regarding

popularity that is defined as popularity above 10000. We will also categorize budget levels. We categorize movies into "Low", "Medium", or "High" budget based on the budget column:

```
runQ1 <- quantile(horror$runtime, 0.25, na.rm = TRUE)</pre>
runQ3 <- quantile(horror$runtime, 0.75, na.rm = TRUE)</pre>
IQR <- runQ3 - runQ1</pre>
lower_bound <- runQ1 - 1.5 * IQR</pre>
upper_bound <- runQ3 + 1.5 * IQR
horror$runtime[horror$runtime < lower bound | horror$runtime > upper bound] <- 0
#horror$runtime[horror$runtime <= 0 | horror$runtime > 300] <- NA
horror <- horror[!(horror$popularity > 10000), ]
horror$budget_category <- ifelse(horror$budget == 0, "No Budget",
                             ifelse(horror$budget < 1e7, "Low",</pre>
                             ifelse(horror$budget < 5e7, "Medium", "High")))</pre>
```

## Create Target Variables

We first create a profit variable that is the revenue minus budget of a movie. We then create a success variable: if profit > 0, movie is considered successful

```
horror$profit <- horror$revenue - horror$budget</pre>
horror$success <- ifelse(horror$profit > 0, "Success", "No Success")
```

#### Correlation Analysis

```
ggcorr(horror[ , sapply(horror, is.numeric)], label = TRUE)
                                                         profit
                                             release year 0
                                                          0.1
                                        runtime -0.2
                                                                         1.0
                                revenue
                                          0.1
                                                   0
                                                                        0.5
                                                                        0.0
                                  0.6
                                                   0
                                                          0.4
                        budget
                                          0.1
                                                                         -0.5
```



-1.0

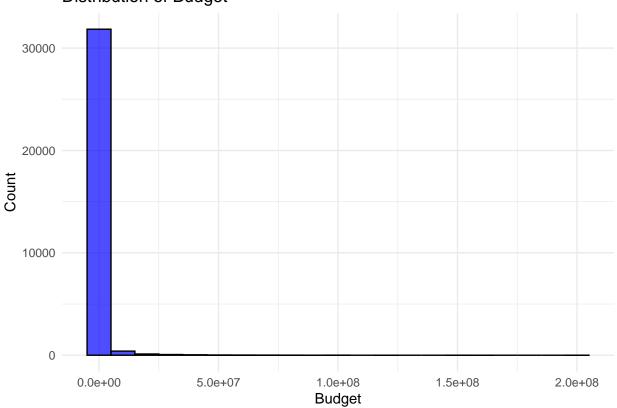
## Visualization Tools

#### Distribution of Numeric Features

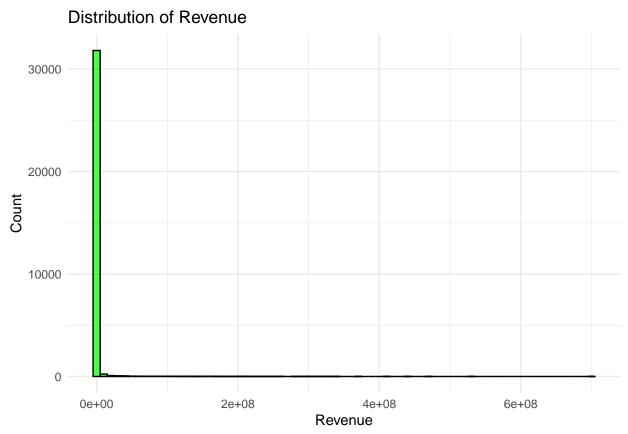
We will plot the distributions of numeric features, specifically budget, revenue, and runtime.

```
ggplot(horror, aes(x = budget)) +
  geom_histogram(binwidth = 1e7, fill = "blue", color = "black", alpha = 0.7) +
  labs(title = "Distribution of Budget", x = "Budget", y = "Count") +
  theme_minimal()
```

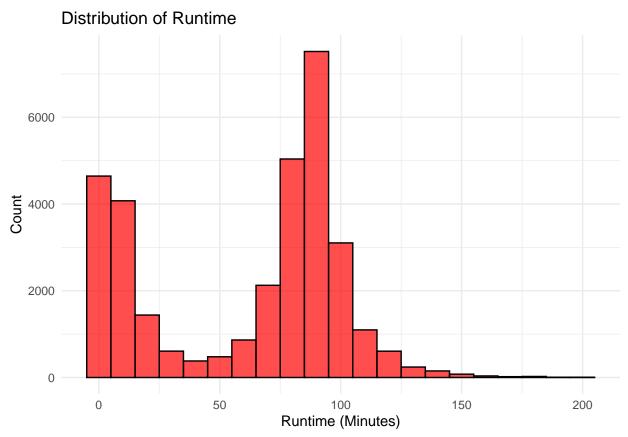
## Distribution of Budget



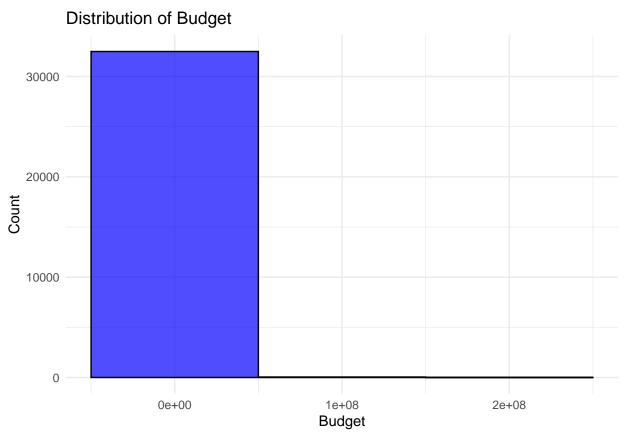
```
ggplot(horror, aes(x = revenue)) +
  geom_histogram(binwidth = 1e7, fill = "green", color = "black", alpha = 0.7) +
  labs(title = "Distribution of Revenue", x = "Revenue", y = "Count") +
  theme_minimal()
```



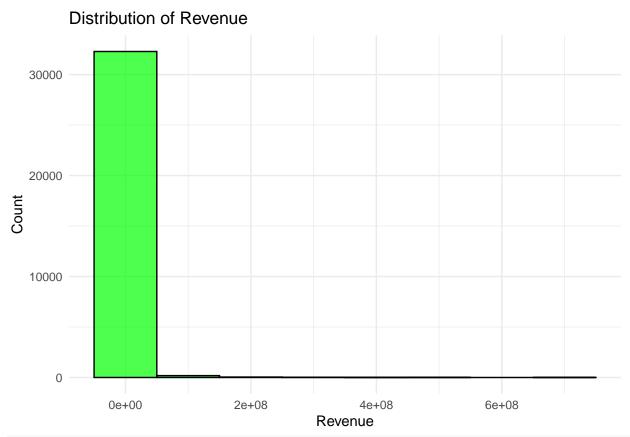
```
ggplot(horror, aes(x = runtime)) +
  geom_histogram(binwidth = 10, fill = "red", color = "black", alpha = 0.7) +
  labs(title = "Distribution of Runtime", x = "Runtime (Minutes)", y = "Count") +
  theme_minimal()
```



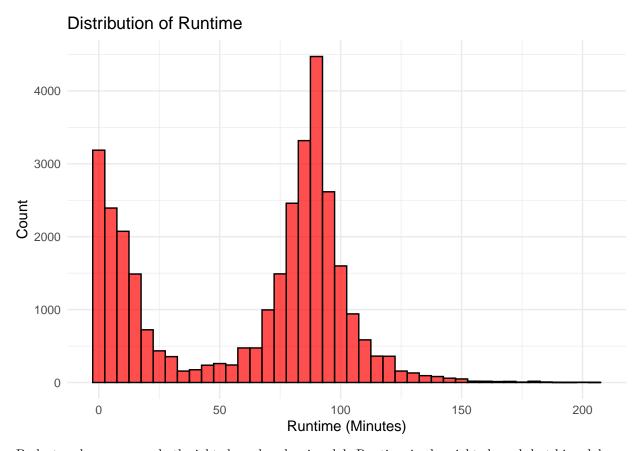
```
# For Budget (which has large values)
ggplot(horror, aes(x = budget)) +
  geom_histogram(binwidth = 1e8, fill = "blue", color = "black", alpha = 0.7) + # Increase binwidth
  labs(title = "Distribution of Budget", x = "Budget", y = "Count") +
  theme_minimal()
```



```
# For Revenue (which also has large values)
ggplot(horror, aes(x = revenue)) +
  geom_histogram(binwidth = 1e8, fill = "green", color = "black", alpha = 0.7) + # Increase binwidth
  labs(title = "Distribution of Revenue", x = "Revenue", y = "Count") +
  theme_minimal()
```



```
# For Runtime (which typically has smaller values)
ggplot(horror, aes(x = runtime)) +
  geom_histogram(binwidth = 5, fill = "red", color = "black", alpha = 0.7) + # Adjust binwidth for run
  labs(title = "Distribution of Runtime", x = "Runtime (Minutes)", y = "Count") +
  theme_minimal()
```



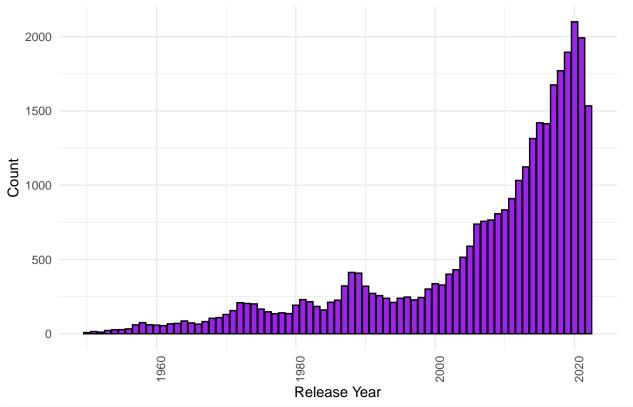
Budget and revenue are both right skewed and unimodal. Runtime is also right skewed, but bimodal.

#### Distribution of Some Categorical Features

We will plot the distributions of some categorical features, specifically release\_year and budget\_category.

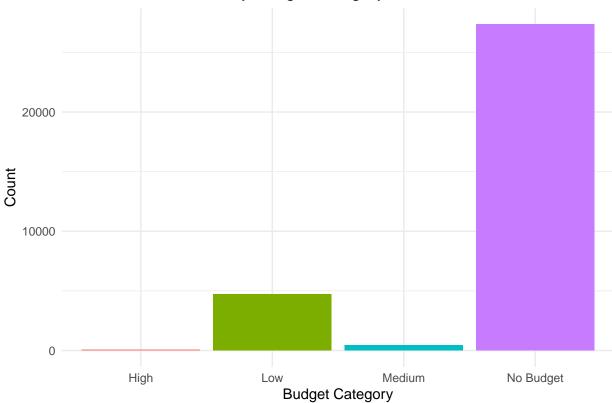
```
ggplot(horror, aes(x = release_year)) +
  geom_bar(fill = "purple", color = "black") +
  labs(title = "Distribution of Movies by Release Year", x = "Release Year", y = "Count") +
  theme_minimal() +
  theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 90, hjust = 1))
```





```
ggplot(horror, aes(x = budget_category, fill = budget_category)) +
  geom_bar() +
  labs(title = "Distribution of Movies by Budget Category", x = "Budget Category", y = "Count") +
  theme_minimal() +
  theme(legend.position = "none")
```





Release year is left skewed and unimodal.

## Distribution of Target Variable

We will now look at the distribution of our target variable, show\_or\_movie.

```
\#\#\#CHANGE WITH NEW PREDICTOR
```

```
sum(horror$success == "Success")

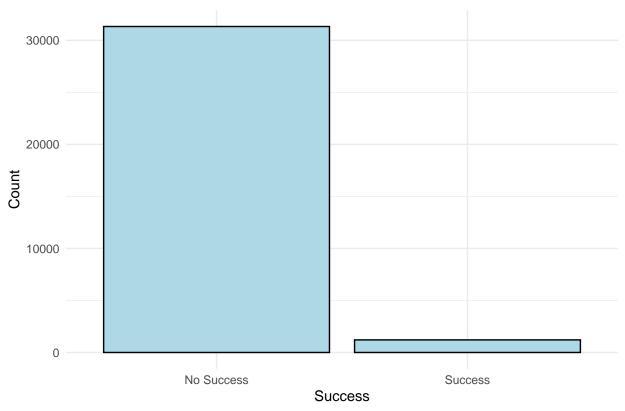
## [1] 1211

sum(horror$success == "No Success")

## [1] 31329

ggplot(horror, aes(x = success)) +
    geom_bar(fill = "lightblue", color = "black") +
    labs(title = "Distribution of Success of a Movie", x = "Success", y = "Count") +
    theme_minimal()
```

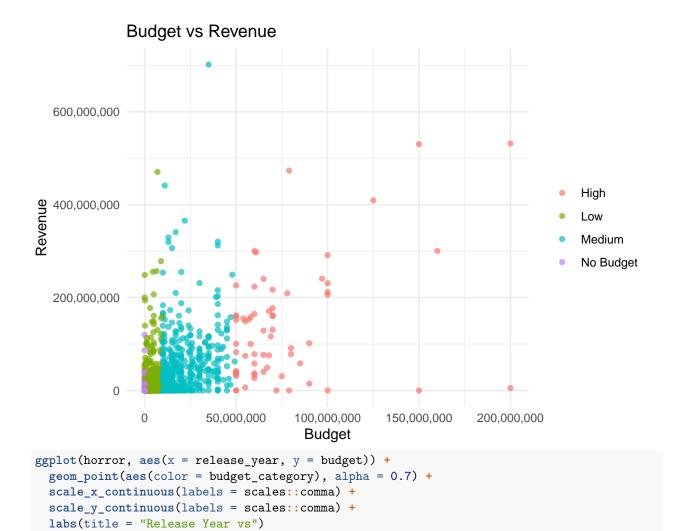




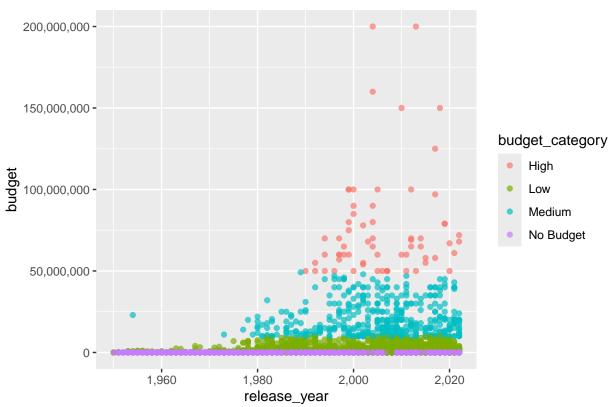
#### Variable Relationships

We first examine the relationship between budget and revenue for each horror movie, with points colored by their budget category, helping to identify patterns and outliers in how budget impacts revenue. We can also visualize how the budget has evolved over the years by plotting release\_year versus budget. We then examine the relationship between popularity and vote\_average to see if there's a trend in how movies' popularity correlates with their ratings. We also examine the relationship between budget and profit. Each point represents a movie, and the color differentiates between successful and non-successful movies. The idea is to see if movies with higher budgets tend to generate more profit. Finally we show how the profit distribution differs between successful and non-successful movies. This boxplot shows the distribution of profit for movies categorized as "Success" or "No Success". The plot helps visualize how profits are distributed across these categories, revealing if successful movies tend to have higher profits.

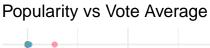
```
ggplot(horror, aes(x = budget, y = revenue)) +
  geom_point(aes(color = budget_category), alpha = 0.7) +
  scale_x_continuous(labels = scales::comma) +
  scale_y_continuous(labels = scales::comma) +
  labs(title = "Budget vs Revenue", x = "Budget", y = "Revenue") +
  theme_minimal() +
  theme(legend.title = element_blank())
```

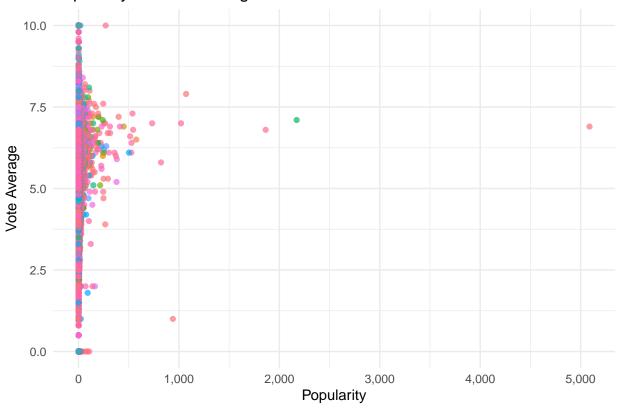




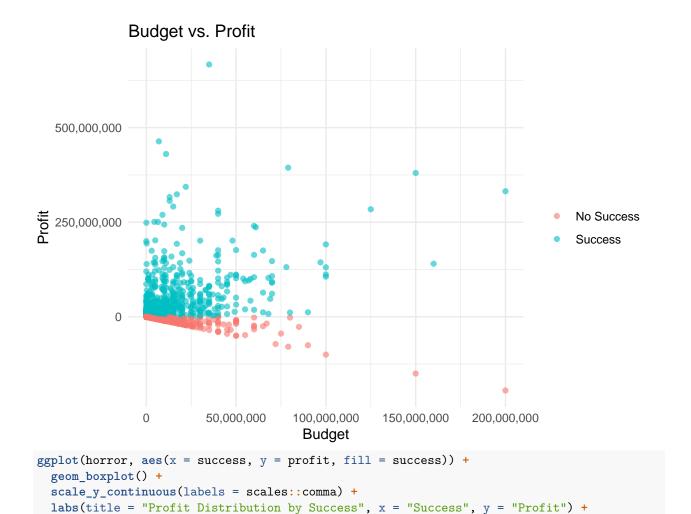


```
ggplot(horror, aes(x = popularity, y = vote_average)) +
  geom_point(aes(color = genre_names), alpha = 0.7) +
  scale_x_continuous(labels = scales::comma) +
  labs(title = "Popularity vs Vote Average", x = "Popularity", y = "Vote Average") +
  theme_minimal() +
  theme(legend.position = "none")
```





```
ggplot(horror, aes(x = budget, y = profit)) +
  geom_point(aes(color = success), alpha = 0.6) +
  scale_x_continuous(labels = scales::comma) +
  scale_y_continuous(labels = scales::comma) +
  labs(title = "Budget vs. Profit", x = "Budget", y = "Profit") +
  theme_minimal() +
  theme(legend.title = element_blank())
```



theme\_minimal() +

theme(legend.title = element\_blank())



```
sum(horror$budget == 0)
## [1] 27339
sum(horror$budget != 0)
## [1] 5201
```

# Making data frame with no 0s

```
# Create a new data frame without rows where revenue and budget is 0
df_for_class = subset(horror, revenue != 0 & budget != 0)
df_for_class$success = as.factor(df_for_class$success)
head(df_for_class)
## # A tibble: 6 x 19
    original_title
                              title original_language overview tagline release_date
##
     <chr>
                              <chr> <fct>
                                                      <chr>
                                                               <chr> <date>
                                                      After w~ Once y~ 2022-09-23
## 1 Smile
                              Smile en
## 2 The Black Phone
                              The ~ en
                                                      Finney ~ Never ~ 2022-06-22
## 3 Jeepers Creepers: Reborn Jeep~ en
                                                      Forced ~ Evil R~ 2022-09-15
## 4 Nope
                                                      Residen~ What's~ 2022-07-20
                              Nope en
## 5 X
                                                      In 1979~ Dying ~ 2022-03-17
## 6 Dahmer
                                                      On Febr~ The mi~ 2002-06-21
                              Dahm~ en
## # i 13 more variables: popularity <dbl>, vote_count <dbl>, vote_average <dbl>,
      budget <dbl>, revenue <dbl>, runtime <dbl>, status <fct>, adult <lgl>,
```

```
## # genre_names <fct>, release_year <dbl>, budget_category <chr>, profit <dbl>,
## # success <fct>
dim(df_for_class)
## [1] 1098 19
```

#### Split the Data

#### Train and Test Data

We will split the data into training (60%) and testing (40%) sets. We will then look at the new data by checking the number of rows in training and testing sets and looking at the summary of the training set.

```
set.seed(123)

in_train <- createDataPartition(df_for_class$budget_category, p = 0.6, list = FALSE)

training <- df_for_class[in_train, ]

testing <- df_for_class[-in_train, ]

nrow(training)

## [1] 659

nrow(testing)</pre>
```

## summary(training)

## [1] 439

```
original_title
                           title
                                            original_language
                                                                 overview
##
    Length:659
                        Length:659
                                                    :560
                                                               Length:659
                                            en
                                                    : 16
##
    Class : character
                        Class : character
                                                               Class : character
                                            ja
##
    Mode :character
                        Mode :character
                                            es
                                                    : 14
                                                               Mode : character
##
                                                    : 14
                                            hi
##
                                                    : 10
##
                                                    : 8
                                            de
##
                                            (Other): 37
##
      tagline
                         release_date
                                                popularity
                                                                    vote_count
##
    Length:659
                        Min.
                               :1953-06-05
                                              Min.
                                                     :
                                                          0.600
                                                                  Min.
                                                                               0.0
                                                          7.186
                                                                  1st Qu.:
                                                                              98.5
##
    Class : character
                        1st Qu.:1994-12-12
                                              1st Qu.:
##
    Mode :character
                        Median :2007-01-19
                                              Median: 15.516
                                                                  Median: 543.0
##
                                                        27.011
                                                                          : 1206.6
                        Mean
                               :2003-08-09
                                              Mean
                                                                  Mean
##
                        3rd Qu.:2015-01-28
                                              3rd Qu.:
                                                        31.030
                                                                  3rd Qu.: 1544.5
##
                        Max.
                               :2022-09-29
                                              Max.
                                                     :1071.398
                                                                  Max.
                                                                          :16900.0
##
##
     vote_average
                          budget
                                              revenue
                                                                   runtime
##
          : 0.000
                                                  :
                                                                       : 0.00
    Min.
                      Min.
                             :
                                       1
                                           Min.
                                                            1
                                                                Min.
##
    1st Qu.: 5.300
                      1st Qu.: 1000000
                                           1st Qu.:
                                                      675326
                                                                1st Qu.: 87.50
    Median : 6.000
                                                                Median : 95.00
##
                      Median: 5000000
                                           Median : 11642254
##
          : 5.797
                             : 12769148
                                                  : 39044327
                                                                Mean
                                                                        : 91.09
    Mean
                      Mean
                                           Mean
                      3rd Qu.: 15000000
##
    3rd Qu.: 6.600
                                           3rd Qu.: 45023606
                                                                3rd Qu.:103.00
           :10.000
                             :200000000
                                                  :701842551
                                                                        :153.00
##
    Max.
                      Max.
                                           Max.
                                                                Max.
##
##
                             adult
                status
                                                                genre names
##
   In Production
                      0
                           Mode :logical
                                            Horror, Thriller
                                                                      :103
                  :
   Planned
                           FALSE:659
                                                                       : 99
                       0
                                            Horror
   Post Production:
                                            Horror, Mystery, Thriller: 52
##
```

```
Released
             :659
                                      Comedy, Horror
##
                                      Horror, Science Fiction : 29
                                      Drama, Horror, Thriller : 27
##
##
                                      (Other)
                                                              :313
##
    release_year budget_category
                                      profit
                                                           success
## Min.
        :1953
                 Length:659
                                  Min. :-194775779
                                                     No Success:212
   1st Qu.:1994 Class:character
                                  1st Qu.:
                                             -99162
                                                     Success :447
## Median :2007
                Mode :character
                                  Median :
                                            3400000
## Mean
        :2003
                                  Mean : 26275179
## 3rd Qu.:2015
                                  3rd Qu.: 30288153
## Max.
         :2022
                                  Max. : 666842551
##
```

## Distribution of Target Variable

```
table(training$success) / length(training$success)

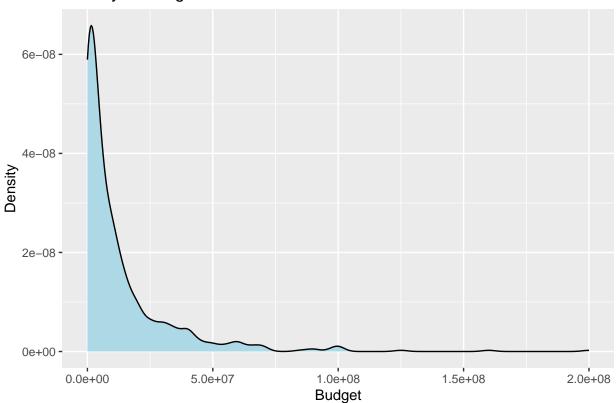
##
## No Success Success
## 0.3216995 0.6783005

4% successful movies, 96% unsuccessful movies: unbalanced dataset
```

#### Training Visuals

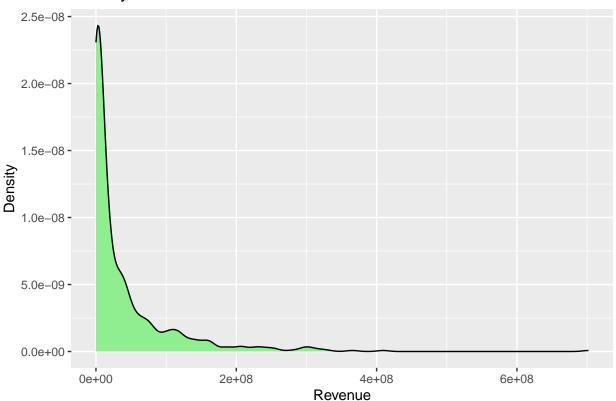
```
# Visualizing the distribution of 'budget' in training data
ggplot(training, aes(x = budget)) +
  geom_density(fill = "lightblue") +
  labs(title = "Density of Budget", x = "Budget", y = "Density")
```

# Density of Budget

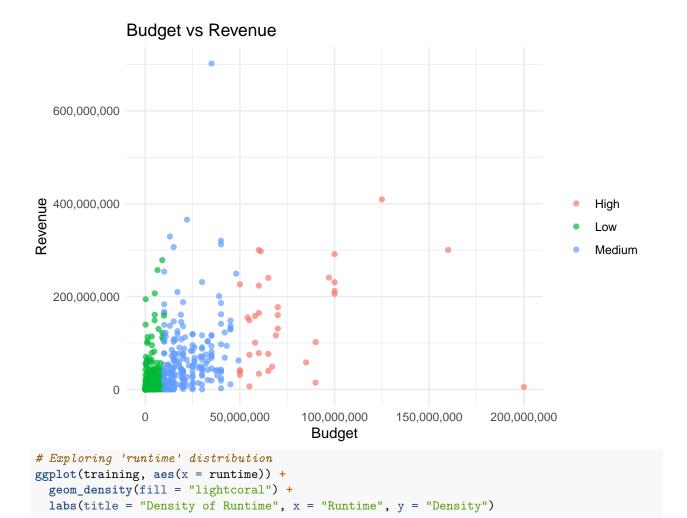


```
# Visualizing the distribution of 'revenue' in training data
ggplot(training, aes(x = revenue)) +
  geom_density(fill = "lightgreen") +
  labs(title = "Density of Revenue", x = "Revenue", y = "Density")
```

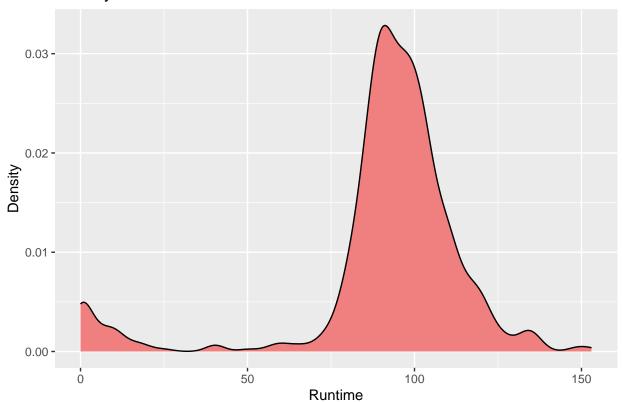
# Density of Revenue



```
# Visualizing 'budget' against 'revenue'
ggplot(training, aes(x = budget, y = revenue)) +
  geom_point(aes(color = budget_category), alpha = 0.7) +
  scale_x_continuous(labels = scales::comma) +
  scale_y_continuous(labels = scales::comma) +
  labs(title = "Budget vs Revenue", x = "Budget", y = "Revenue") +
  theme_minimal() +
  theme(legend.title = element_blank())
```

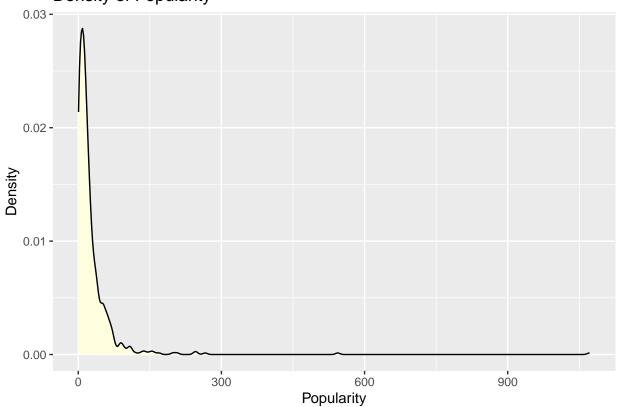


# Density of Runtime



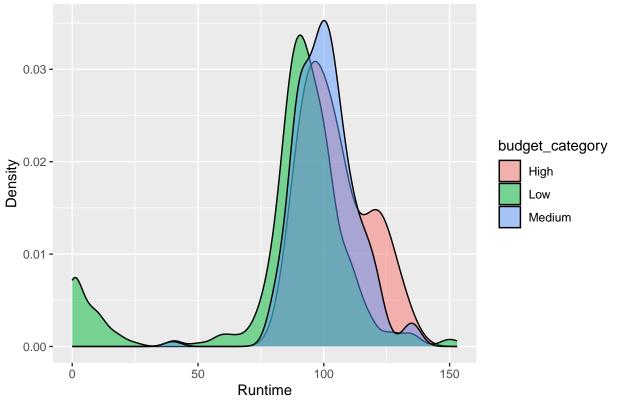
```
# Exploring 'popularity' distribution
ggplot(training, aes(x = popularity)) +
  geom_density(fill = "lightyellow") +
  labs(title = "Density of Popularity", x = "Popularity", y = "Density")
```

# Density of Popularity



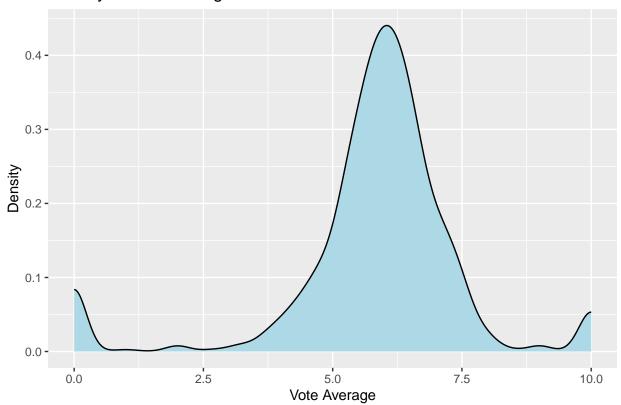
```
# Decomposing runtime by 'budget_category'
ggplot(training, aes(x = runtime, fill = budget_category)) +
  geom_density(alpha = 0.5) +
  labs(title = "Runtime by Budget Category", x = "Runtime", y = "Density")
```

# Runtime by Budget Category



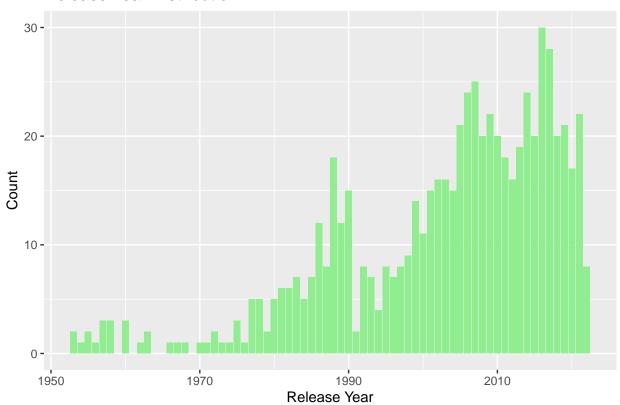
```
# Visualizing 'vote_average' distribution
ggplot(training, aes(x = vote_average)) +
  geom_density(fill = "lightblue") +
  labs(title = "Density of Vote Average", x = "Vote Average", y = "Density")
```

# Density of Vote Average



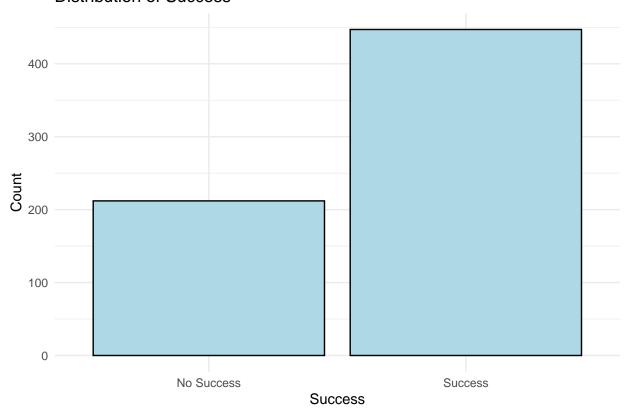
```
# Visualizing 'release_year' distribution
ggplot(training, aes(x = release_year)) +
  geom_bar(fill = "lightgreen") +
  labs(title = "Release Year Distribution", x = "Release Year", y = "Count")
```

# Release Year Distribution



```
# Visualizing the distribution of 'success' in training data
ggplot(training, aes(x = success)) +
geom_bar(fill = "lightblue", color = "black") +
labs(title = "Distribution of Success", x = "Success", y = "Count") +
theme_minimal()
```

## Distribution of Success



## Classification with Emphasis on Prediction

## Questions We Aim to Answer:

- 1. "How well can we predict a movie's revenue based on its budget, popularity, and release year?" (Regression)
- 2. Predicting popularity (Regression)
- 3. "Can we predict whether a movie will be profitable?" (QDA and LDA)
- 4. "predicting success categories (hit, average, flop) (QDA and LDA)
- 5. Predicting Budget using logistic regression

# normalizing the data

```
# Columns to normalize
columns_to_normalize <- c("budget", "release_year", "runtime", "popularity")

# Min-max normalization function
min_max_normalize <- function(x) {
    (x - min(x, na.rm = TRUE)) / (max(x, na.rm = TRUE) - min(x, na.rm = TRUE))
}

# Create a copy of the original data frame
df_normal <- df_for_class

# Normalize only the specified columns</pre>
```

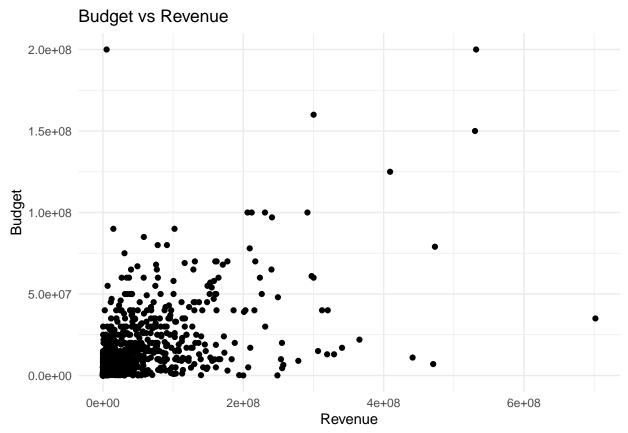
```
df_normal[columns_to_normalize] <- lapply(df_for_class[columns_to_normalize], min_max_normalize)
# Check the structure to confirm normalization
str(df_normal)
## tibble [1,098 x 19] (S3: tbl_df/tbl/data.frame)
    $ original_title
                       : chr [1:1098] "Smile" "The Black Phone" "Jeepers Creepers: Reborn" "Nope" ...
                       : chr [1:1098] "Smile" "The Black Phone" "Jeepers Creepers: Reborn" "Nope" ...
## $ original_language: Factor w/ 97 levels "af", "am", "ar",..: 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 10 ...
                       : chr [1:1098] "After witnessing a bizarre, traumatic incident involving a patie
## $ overview
                       : chr [1:1098] "Once you see it, it's too late." "Never talk to strangers." "Evi
## $ tagline
## $ release_date
                       : Date[1:1098], format: "2022-09-23" "2022-06-22" ...
## $ popularity
                       : num [1:1098] 1 0.575 0.441 0.393 0.291 ...
                       : num [1:1098] 114 2736 125 1684 1035 ...
## $ vote_count
## $ vote_average
                      : num [1:1098] 6.8 7.9 5.8 7 6.8 5.2 6.7 6.7 7 4.9 ...
                       : num [1:1098] 0.085 0.094 0.1 0.34 0.05 ...
## $ budget
## $ revenue
                       : num [1:1098] 4.50e+07 1.61e+08 2.89e+06 1.71e+08 1.43e+07 ...
## $ runtime
                       : num [1:1098] 0.642 0.575 0.492 0.726 0.592 ...
## $ status
                      : Factor w/ 4 levels "In Production",..: 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 ...
## $ adult
                      : logi [1:1098] FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE ...
## $ release_year
                       : Factor w/ 772 levels "Action, Adventure, Animation, Comedy, Drama, Fantasy, Ho.
                       : num [1:1098] 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ budget_category : chr [1:1098] "Medium" "Medium" "Medium" "High" ...
                       : num [1:1098] 28000000 142200000 -17107406 102800000 4257609 ...
## $ profit
                       : Factor w/ 2 levels "No Success", "Success": 2 2 1 2 2 1 2 2 1 ...
## $ success
Splitting training and testing for normalized data
in_train_n <- createDataPartition(df_normal$budget_category, p = 0.6, list = FALSE)</pre>
training_n <- df_normal[in_train, ]</pre>
testing_n <- df_normal[-in_train, ]</pre>
nrow(training_n)
## [1] 659
nrow(testing_n)
## [1] 439
summary(training_n)
    original_title
                          title
                                          original_language
                                                              overview
##
## Length:659
                       Length:659
                                                 :560
                                                           Length:659
## Class :character
                                                 : 16
                                                           Class :character
                       Class : character
                                          ja
## Mode :character
                      Mode :character
                                                 : 14
                                                           Mode :character
##
                                         hi
                                                 : 14
##
                                         ko
                                                 : 10
##
                                          de
##
                                          (Other): 37
                                             popularity
##
      tagline
                       release_date
                                                                 vote_count
                                                   :0.000000
## Length:659
                             :1953-06-05
                      Min.
                                           Min.
                                                              Min. :
                                           1st Qu.:0.003535
                       1st Qu.:1994-12-12
                                                                         98.5
## Class :character
                                                              1st Qu.:
## Mode :character
                      Median :2007-01-19
                                           Median :0.008006
                                                              Median :
                                                                        543.0
```

```
##
                            :2003-08-09
                                         Mean
                                                :0.014176
                                                            Mean : 1206.6
##
                     3rd Qu.:2015-01-28 3rd Qu.:0.016334 3rd Qu.: 1544.5
##
                     Max.
                            :2022-09-29 Max. :0.574762 Max.
                                                                  :16900.0
##
##
    vote_average
                       budget
                                       revenue
                                                           runtime
##
  Min. : 0.000
                          :0.00000
                                     Min. :
                                                      Min.
                                                              :0.0000
                   Min.
                                                    1
   1st Qu.: 5.300
                    1st Qu.:0.00500
                                     1st Qu.: 675326
                                                        1st Qu.:0.4888
  Median : 6.000
                   Median :0.02500
                                     Median: 11642254
                                                        Median :0.5307
##
                                     Mean : 39044327
##
   Mean : 5.797
                    Mean :0.06385
                                                        Mean
                                                              :0.5089
##
   3rd Qu.: 6.600
                    3rd Qu.:0.07500
                                     3rd Qu.: 45023606
                                                        3rd Qu.:0.5754
  Max. :10.000
                   Max.
                          :1.00000
                                     Max.
                                           :701842551
                                                        Max.
                                                              :0.8547
##
##
               status
                          adult
                                                          genre_names
##
  In Production : 0
                        Mode :logical
                                        Horror, Thriller
                                                                :103
## Planned
              : 0
                        FALSE:659
                                        Horror
                                                                : 99
##
   Post Production: 0
                                        Horror, Mystery, Thriller: 52
##
   Released
                  :659
                                        Comedy, Horror
##
                                        Horror, Science Fiction
##
                                        Drama, Horror, Thriller : 27
##
                                        (Other)
                                                                :313
##
    release_year
                    budget_category
                                          profit
                                                                success
  Min. :0.0000
                   Length:659
                                      Min. :-194775779
                                                          No Success:212
   1st Qu.:0.6014
                    Class :character
##
                                      1st Qu.:
                                                 -99162
                                                          Success :447
## Median :0.7826
                   Mode :character
                                      Median :
                                                3400000
## Mean
         :0.7259
                                      Mean : 26275179
## 3rd Qu.:0.8986
                                      3rd Qu.: 30288153
                                      Max. : 666842551
## Max. :1.0000
##
```

## Visualizing the Relationships

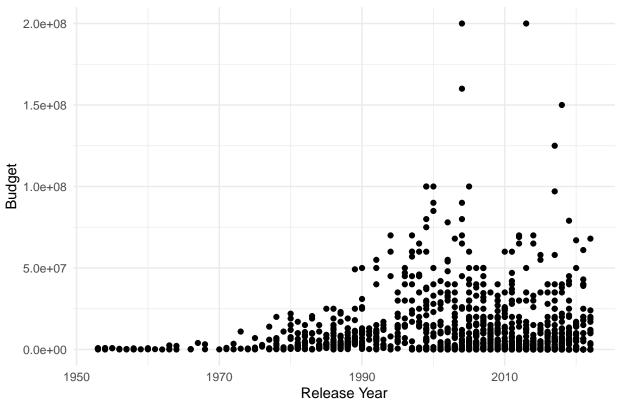
```
library(ggplot2)

# Scatter plots to see the relationships
ggplot(df_for_class, aes(x = revenue, y = budget)) +
   geom_point() +
   labs(title = "Budget vs Revenue", x = "Revenue", y = "Budget") +
   theme_minimal()
```

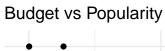


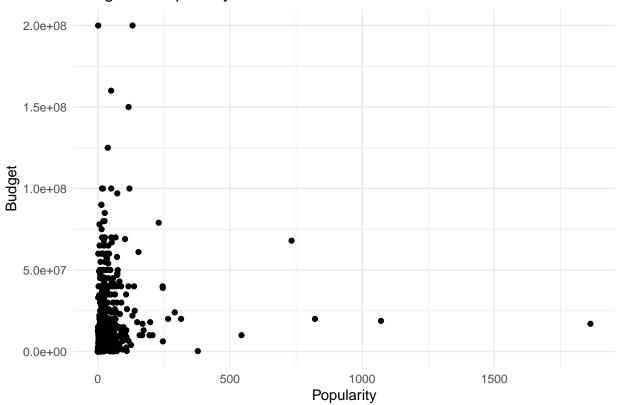
```
ggplot(df_for_class, aes(x = release_year, y = budget)) +
  geom_point() +
  labs(title = "Budget vs Release Year", x = "Release Year", y = "Budget") +
  theme_minimal()
```





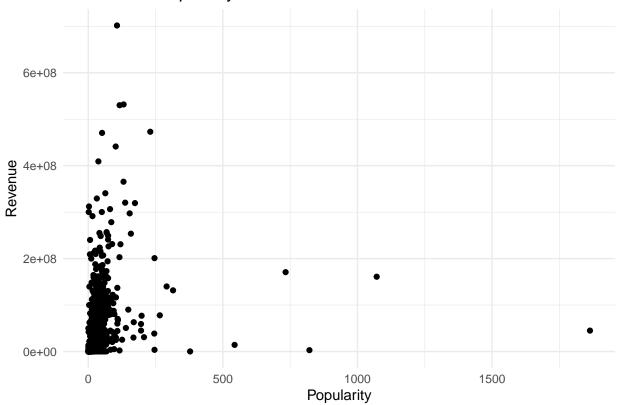
```
ggplot(df_for_class, aes(x = popularity, y = budget)) +
  geom_point() +
  labs(title = "Budget vs Popularity", x = "Popularity", y = "Budget") +
  theme_minimal()
```





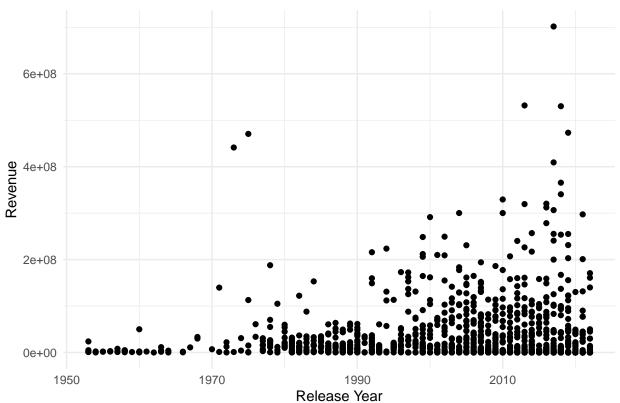
```
ggplot(df_for_class, aes(x = popularity, y = revenue)) +
  geom_point() +
 labs(title = "Revenue vs Popularity", x = "Popularity", y = "Revenue") +
 theme_minimal()
```

# Revenue vs Popularity



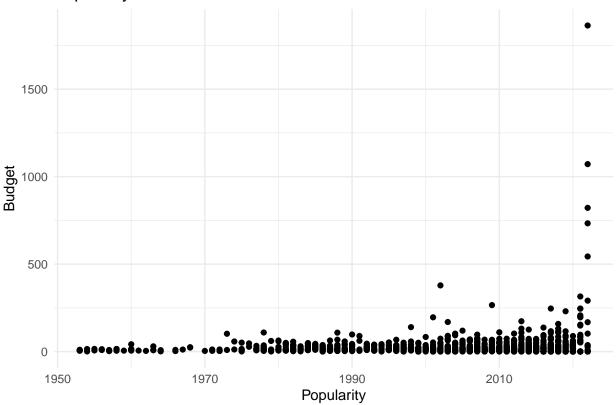
```
ggplot(df_for_class, aes(x = release_year, y = revenue)) +
  geom_point() +
  labs(title = "Revenue vs Release Year", x = "Release Year", y = "Revenue") +
  theme_minimal()
```





```
ggplot(df_for_class, aes(x = release_year, y = popularity)) +
  geom_point() +
  labs(title = "Popularity vs Release Year", x = "Popularity", y = "Budget") +
  theme_minimal()
```

# Popularity vs Release Year



# Classifying Success with LDA:

# Training the model

```
lda_model <- lda(success ~ budget + release_year + runtime + popularity, data = training_n)</pre>
lda_model
## Call:
## lda(success ~ budget + release_year + runtime + popularity, data = training_n)
## Prior probabilities of groups:
## No Success
                Success
## 0.3216995 0.6783005
##
## Group means:
                  budget release_year runtime popularity
##
## No Success 0.05370571
                            0.7686628 0.4738326 0.006290148
             0.06865487
## Success
                            0.7056058 0.5254771 0.017916457
##
## Coefficients of linear discriminants:
##
                      LD1
## budget
                1.005574
## release_year -2.732860
## runtime
                2.633095
## popularity 23.712963
```

#### **Predicting**

We will first predict success categories and then add the predictions to the LDA dataset for visualizing the predictions.

```
lda_predictions <- predict(lda_model, newdata = testing_n)$class

prediction_counts_lda <- table(lda_predictions)
print(prediction_counts_lda)

## lda_predictions
## No Success Success
## 35 404</pre>
```

#### Evaluating the Model

We will use the confusion matrix and accuracy calculations to show the accuracy of the model.

```
confusion_matrix_lda <- table(Predicted = lda_predictions, Actual = testing_n$success)
print(confusion_matrix_lda)</pre>
```

```
## Actual
## Predicted No Success Success
## No Success 19 16
## Success 134 270

accuracy_lda <- sum(lda_predictions == testing_n$success) / length(lda_predictions)
print(paste("Accuracy: ", round(accuracy_lda * 100, 4), "%"))</pre>
```

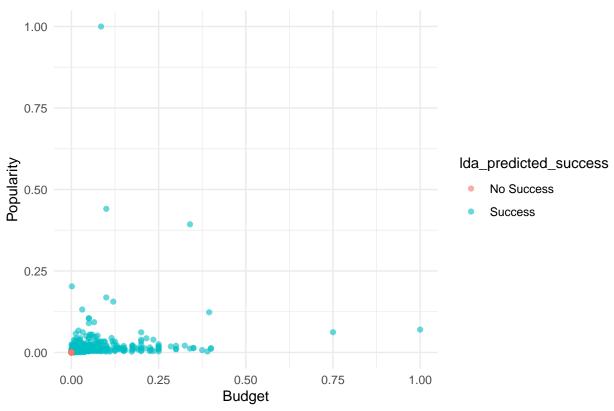
```
## [1] "Accuracy: 65.8314 %"
```

#### Visualizing Decision Boundaries

```
testing_n$lda_predicted_success <- lda_predictions

library(ggplot2)
ggplot(testing_n, aes(x = budget, y = popularity, color = lda_predicted_success)) +
    geom_point(alpha = 0.6) +
    labs(title = "LDA Predictions: Success vs. No Success", x = "Budget", y = "Popularity") +
    theme_minimal()</pre>
```

# LDA Predictions: Success vs. No Success



# Classifying Success with QDA

# Training the model

```
qda_model = qda(success ~ budget + release_year + runtime + popularity, data = training_n)
qda_model
## Call:
## qda(success ~ budget + release_year + runtime + popularity, data = training_n)
## Prior probabilities of groups:
## No Success
                Success
  0.3216995 0.6783005
##
## Group means:
                 budget release_year runtime popularity
                            0.7686628 0.4738326 0.006290148
## No Success 0.05370571
## Success
             0.06865487
                            0.7056058 0.5254771 0.017916457
Predicting
```

```
qda_predictions = predict(qda_model, newdata = testing_n)$class
prediction_counts_qda <- table(qda_predictions)</pre>
print(prediction_counts_qda)
```

```
## qda_predictions
## No Success Success
## 246 193
```

## Evaluating the Model

We will use the confusion matrix and accuracy calculations to show the accuracy of the model.

## Classifying Success with Naive Bayes:

Naive Bayes is a probabilistic model based on Bayes' Theorem. The model assumes that the features are conditionally independent given the target variable, success.

## Training the Model

```
library(e1071)
nb_model <- naiveBayes(success ~ budget + release_year + runtime + popularity, data = training)</pre>
print(nb_model)
## Naive Bayes Classifier for Discrete Predictors
##
## Call:
## naiveBayes.default(x = X, y = Y, laplace = laplace)
## A-priori probabilities:
## Y
## No Success
                 Success
   0.3216995 0.6783005
##
##
## Conditional probabilities:
##
               budget
## Y
                     [,1]
                              [,2]
##
     No Success 10741143 19918339
##
     Success
                13730975 19930261
##
##
               release_year
## Y
                     [,1]
                              [,2]
##
     No Success 2006.038 11.47751
                2001.687 15.63314
     Success
##
##
```

```
##
                runtime
                      [,1]
## Y
                                [,2]
##
     No Success 84.81604 32.49614
                 94.06040 22.54887
##
     Success
##
##
                popularity
## Y
                      [,1]
                                [,2]
     No Success 12.31872 20.38792
##
##
     Success
                 33.97886 64.34544
```

#### Predicting

```
predictions_nb <- predict(nb_model, testing)

predictions_nb_counts <- table(predictions_nb)

print(predictions_nb_counts)

## predictions_nb

## No Success Success

## 223 216</pre>
```

#### Evaluating the Model

We will use a confusion matrix to show model accuracy.

```
confusion_matrix_nb <- table(Predicted_NB = predictions_nb, Actual = testing$success)
print(confusion_matrix_nb)</pre>
```

```
## [1] "Accuracy: 63.0979 %"
```

## Classifying Success with Shrinkage:

Shrinkage methods we will use are Lasso and Ridge Regression. Lasso helps with feature selection and Ridge Regression helps with handling multicollinearity.

## Ridge Regression

Ridge regression reduces variance in the presence of highly correlated predictors like budget and popularity, ensuring effective predictions. Although all predictors are kept, their coefficients are shrunk, reflecting their relative importance. For instance, popularity might have a higher coefficient than runtime, indicating its stronger influence on predicting success. This is useful because some filmmakers may want a holistic view of all contributing factors, even those with smaller effects.

**Training the Model** We will fit the Ridge model with cross-validation to find the optimal lambda. Then, we will use that best lambda to train the model.

# Ridge Regression

```
library(glmnet)
## Loading required package: Matrix
## Attaching package: 'Matrix'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:tidyr':
##
       expand, pack, unpack
## Loaded glmnet 4.1-8
x <- model.matrix(success ~ budget + release_year + runtime + popularity, data = training_n)[, -1]
y <- ifelse(training_n$success == "Success", 1, 0)
set.seed(123)
ridge_cv <- cv.glmnet(x, y, alpha = 0, family = "binomial")</pre>
best_lambda_ridge <- ridge_cv$lambda.min</pre>
print(paste("Optimal Lambda for Ridge Regression: ", best_lambda_ridge))
## [1] "Optimal Lambda for Ridge Regression: 0.00857571602237266"
ridge_model <- glmnet(x, y, alpha = 0, family = "binomial", lambda = best_lambda_ridge)
ridge_probabilities <- predict(ridge_model, newx = x, type = "response")</pre>
ridge_predictions <- ifelse(ridge_probabilities > 0.5, 1, 0)
ridge_prediction_counts <- table(ridge_predictions)</pre>
print(ridge_prediction_counts)
Predicting
## ridge_predictions
    0
        1
## 70 589
Evaluating the Model We will use a confusion matrix to evaluate the model accuracy.
ridge_confusion_matrix <- table(Predicted = ridge_predictions, Actual = y)</pre>
print(ridge_confusion_matrix)
            Actual
## Predicted 0
                  1
           0 40 30
           1 172 417
ridge_accuracy <- sum(ridge_predictions == y) / length(y)</pre>
print(paste("Accuracy of Ridge Regression: ", round(ridge_accuracy * 100, 4), "%"))
## [1] "Accuracy of Ridge Regression: 69.3475 %"
```

```
ridge_coefficients <- as.matrix(coef(ridge_model))</pre>
print(ridge_coefficients)
##
## (Intercept)
                 1.1558322
## budget
                 -0.3046535
## release_year -1.7238692
## runtime
                 0.6027949
## popularity
                53.7195835
Lasso Regression
Training the Model We will fit the Lasso model with cross-validation to find the optimal lambda. Then,
using this best lambda we will train the Lasso model with it.
set.seed(123)
lasso_cv <- cv.glmnet(x, y, alpha = 1, family = "binomial")</pre>
best_lambda_lasso <- lasso_cv$lambda.min</pre>
print(paste("Optimal Lambda for Lasso Regression: ", best_lambda_lasso))
## [1] "Optimal Lambda for Lasso Regression: 0.000679610828887"
lasso_model <- glmnet(x, y, alpha = 1, family = "binomial", lambda = best_lambda_lasso)</pre>
Predicting We will use a threshold of 0.5 to classify a success or not.
lasso_probabilities <- predict(lasso_model, newx = x, type = "response")</pre>
lasso_predictions <- ifelse(lasso_probabilities > 0.5, 1, 0)
lasso_prediction_counts <- table(lasso_predictions)</pre>
print(lasso_prediction_counts)
## lasso_predictions
## 0 1
## 116 543
Evaluating the Model We will use a confusion matrix to evaluate the model accuracy.
lasso_confusion_matrix <- table(Predicted = lasso_predictions, Actual = y)</pre>
print(lasso_confusion_matrix)
##
            Actual
## Predicted 0
##
           0 60 56
##
           1 152 391
lasso_accuracy <- sum(lasso_predictions == y) / length(y)</pre>
print(paste("Accuracy of Lasso Regression: ", round(lasso_accuracy * 100, 4), "%"))
```

## [1] "Accuracy of Lasso Regression: 68.437 %"
lasso\_coefficients <- as.matrix(coef(lasso\_model))</pre>

print(lasso\_coefficients)

```
## s0

## (Intercept) 1.34153592

## budget -0.89243201

## release_year -1.94555545

## runtime 0.06609342

## popularity 87.50579005
```

Lasso regression automatically sets some coefficients to zero, removing less important predictors like budget if they do not significantly contribute to the model. By focusing on a smaller set of predictors, Lasso provides a more interpretable model. For example, it reveals that release\_year, runtime, and popularity alone are sufficient to predict success. This helps filmmakers focus on the most influential factors, reducing unnecessary expenditures on less critical aspects to make a movie successful.

## Classifying Success with Logistic Regression:

Objective is to predict whether a movie is successful using logistic regression based on budget, release year, runtime, and popularity.

## Training the model

## Warning: glm.fit: fitted probabilities numerically 0 or 1 occurred

#### Predicting:

```
probabilities_lg <- predict(lg_model, newdata = testing_lg, type = "response")
predictions_lg <- ifelse(probabilities_lg > 0.5, 1, 0)
prediction_lg_counts <- table(predictions_lg)
print(prediction_lg_counts)
## predictions_lg
## 0 1</pre>
```

#### Evaluating the mode

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```
confusion_matrix_lg <- table(Predicted = predictions_lg, Actual = testing_lg$success)
print(confusion_matrix_lg)</pre>
```

```
## Actual
## Predicted 0 1
## 0 39 39
## 1 114 247
```

```
accuracy_lg <- sum(predictions_lg == testing_lg$success) / length(predictions_lg)
print(paste("Accuracy: ", round(accuracy_lg * 100, 4), "%"))
## [1] "Accuracy: 65.1481 %"</pre>
```

The confusion matrix shows the distribution of correct and incorrect predictions. The accuracy percentage provides a measure of how well the model predicts movie success.

## Classifying Budget into four predicted groups with multinomial logistic regression:

```
if (!require("nnet")) install.packages("nnet")
library(nnet)
```

## Preparing target

```
budget_quartiles <- quantile(training_n$budget, probs = c(0, 0.25, 0.5, 0.75, 1), na.rm = TRUE)
budget_quartiles <- unique(budget_quartiles) # Remove duplicate values

if (length(budget_quartiles) - 1 != 4) {
    stop("Unable to create exactly 4 quartile groups due to duplicate breaks. Please inspect the data.")
}

# Assign budget categories
training_n$budget_category <- cut(
    training_n$budget,
    breaks = budget_quartiles,
    labels = c("Low", "Medium", "High", "Very High"),
    include.lowest = TRUE
)

table(training_n$budget_category)</pre>
```

```
## Low Medium High Very High
## 173 161 167 158
```

## Fitting the model

```
training_n$budget_category <- as.factor(training_n$budget_category)

multinom_model <- multinom(budget_category ~ revenue + release_year + popularity, data = training_n)

## # weights: 20 (12 variable)

## initial value 913.567984

## iter 10 value 799.926103

## iter 10 value 799.926103

## iter 20 value 790.287990

## iter 30 value 789.269648

## final value 789.267820

## converged</pre>
```

#### Check the model summary

```
summary(multinom model)
## multinom(formula = budget_category ~ revenue + release_year +
       popularity, data = training_n)
##
##
## Coefficients:
##
             (Intercept)
                              revenue release_year popularity
## Medium
             -0.2282491 3.319914e-08 -0.3397700 0.003404545
## High
             -0.6738019 5.083066e-08
                                       -0.2738802 0.014257640
## Very High -1.1782284 6.173187e-08
                                       -0.5745488 0.026366845
## Std. Errors:
##
              (Intercept)
                               revenue release year
                                                      popularity
## Medium
             2.204654e-16 6.207521e-09 1.501721e-16 3.472101e-18
## High
             2.082177e-16 5.953165e-09 1.438903e-16 3.366093e-18
## Very High 1.549093e-16 5.959676e-09 1.077308e-16 2.733015e-18
## Residual Deviance: 1578.536
## AIC: 1602.536
Predict classifications
predicted_categories = predict(multinom_model, newdata = testing_n)
category_counts = table(predicted_categories)
print(category_counts)
## predicted_categories
##
         Low
                Medium
                            High Very High
         239
##
                    41
                              81
                                        78
Evaluating model with confusion matrix and calculating accuracy
table(Predicted = predicted_categories, Actual = testing_n$budget_category)
##
              Actual
## Predicted
               High Low Medium
##
    Low
                  0 199
##
    Medium
                  0 26
                            15
                            52
##
    High
                  6 23
    Very High
                 17 20
##
                            41
accuracy <- mean(predicted_categories == testing_n$budget_category)</pre>
cat("Accuracy: ", round(accuracy * 100, 4), "%")
## Accuracy: 50.1139 %
```

# Classification with Emphasis on Interpretation

## Classifying Success with Decision Trees

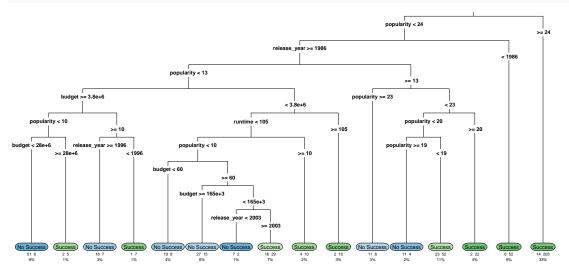
The decision tree structure shows how features like budget and popularity split the data to classify movies. The path from root to leaf highlights the decision rules. This easily identifies the most important features based on the splits.

#### Fit the Model

```
tree_model <- rpart(success ~ budget + release_year + runtime + popularity, data = training, method = "</pre>
```

#### Visualize the Trees

```
if (!require("rpart.plot")) install.packages("rpart.plot")
library(rpart.plot)
rpart.plot(tree_model, type = 3, extra = 101, under = TRUE, fallen.leaves = TRUE)
```



## Predicting

```
tree_predictions <- predict(tree_model, newdata = testing, type = "class")</pre>
```

## Evaluating the Model

Use the confusion matrix to evaluate the model.

```
tree_confusion <- table(Predicted = tree_predictions, Actual = testing$success)
accuracy_tree <- sum(tree_predictions == testing$success) / nrow(testing)
cat("Decision Tree Confusion Matrix:\n")</pre>
```

## Decision Tree Confusion Matrix:

```
print(tree_confusion)
```

```
## Actual
## Predicted No Success Success
## No Success 57 44
## Success 96 242
```

```
cat("Decision Tree Accuracy: ", round(accuracy_tree * 100, 4), "%\n")
## Decision Tree Accuracy: 68.1093 %
```

# Classifying Success with Random Forest (with Feature Importance)

#### Fit the Model

```
library(randomForest)

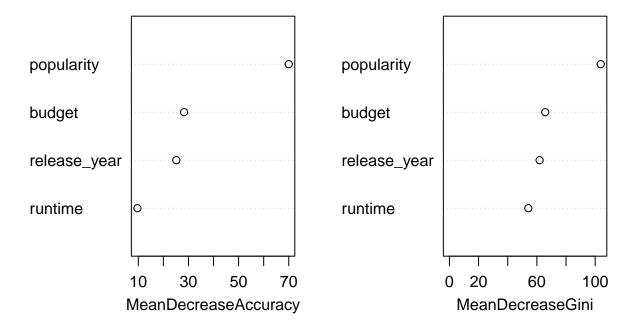
rf_model <- randomForest(success ~ budget + release_year + runtime + popularity, data = training, import</pre>
```

## View Variable Importance

This shows which features contribute most to the model.

```
importance <- importance(rf_model)
varImpPlot(rf_model)</pre>
```

# rf\_model



## Prediction

```
rf_predictions <- predict(rf_model, newdata = testing)</pre>
```

### Evaluating the Model

Use a confusion matrix to evaluate the model.

```
rf_confusion <- table(Predicted = rf_predictions, Actual = testing$success)
accuracy_rf <- sum(rf_predictions == testing$success) / nrow(testing)</pre>
```

```
cat("Random Forest Confusion Matrix:\n")
## Random Forest Confusion Matrix:
print(rf_confusion)
               Actual
## Predicted
                No Success Success
##
    No Success
                        57
                                41
##
    Success
                        96
                               245
cat("Random Forest Accuracy: ", round(accuracy_rf * 100, 4), "%\n")
## Random Forest Accuracy: 68.7927 %
```

## Classifying Success with Neural Networks

## b->h1 i1->h1 i2->h1 i3->h1 i4->h1

In the context of movie success classification, the neural network captures nonlinear relationships between features like budget and popularity interacting in unexpected ways.

#### Fit the Model

```
set.seed(123)
df_normal$success <- as.factor(df_normal$success)</pre>
trainIndex <- createDataPartition(df_normal$success, p = 0.8, list = FALSE)
trainData <- df_normal[trainIndex, ]</pre>
testData <- df_normal[-trainIndex, ]</pre>
nn_model <- nnet(success ~ budget + release_year + runtime + popularity,</pre>
                 data = trainData,
                 size = 5,
                 decay = 0.01,
                 maxit = 500)
## # weights: 31
## initial value 677.159206
## iter 10 value 532.657456
## iter 20 value 502.388653
## iter 30 value 492.785405
## iter 40 value 487.961334
## iter 50 value 485.487925
## iter 60 value 484.018116
## iter 70 value 482.830700
## iter 80 value 479.955217
## iter 90 value 479.556221
## iter 100 value 479.419115
## iter 110 value 479.329064
## iter 120 value 479.318553
## final value 479.317125
## converged
print(summary(nn_model))
## a 4-5-1 network with 31 weights
## options were - entropy fitting decay=0.01
```

```
## -1.65
           7.13
                 7.40 - 1.76
   b->h2 i1->h2 i2->h2 i3->h2 i4->h2
##
##
    0.24
           0.03 - 0.02
                         0.31
## b->h3 i1->h3 i2->h3 i3->h3 i4->h3
##
   -5.54 -1.22
                  4.72
                         1.61 10.24
## b->h4 i1->h4 i2->h4 i3->h4 i4->h4
           0.09
                  2.97
## -2.48
                        1.52 27.35
## b->h5 i1->h5 i2->h5 i3->h5 i4->h5
## -5.37
           2.02
                  5.78
                         5.31
## b->o h1->o h2->o h3->o h4->o h5->o
## 0.73 -8.41 0.24 -8.35 22.40 -6.59
```

#### Prediction

```
nn_predictions <- predict(nn_model, newdata = testData, type = "class")</pre>
```

## Evaluating the Model

Use the confusion matrix to evaluate model accuracy.

```
confusion_matrix_nn <- table(Predicted = nn_predictions, Actual = testData$success)
print(confusion_matrix_nn)</pre>
```

```
## Actual
## Predicted No Success Success
## No Success 32 25
## Success 41 121
accuracy_nn <- sum(diag(confusion_matrix_nn)) / sum(confusion_matrix_nn)
print(paste("Accuracy: ", round(accuracy_nn * 100, 4), "%"))</pre>
```

```
## [1] "Accuracy: 69.863 %"
```

## Classifying with Gradient Boosting

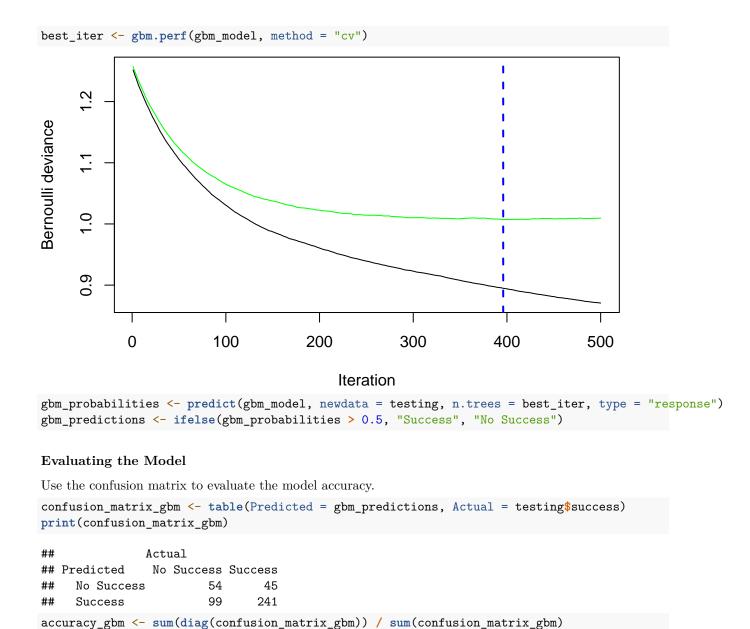
Gradient boosting combines multiple weak learners (decision trees) to create a strong predictive model.

#### Fit the Model

We will use a bernoulli distribution since we are working with binary classification.

## Prediction

We will find the best number of decision trees to use for the probabilities using cross validation.

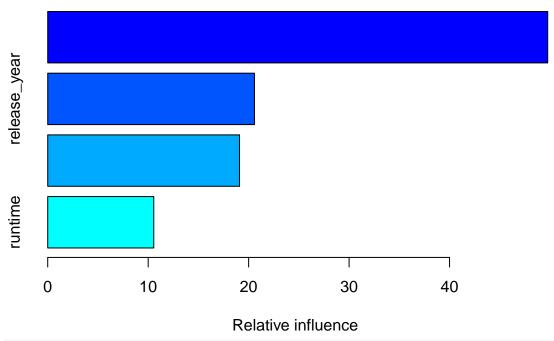


## Feature Importance

## [1] "Accuracy: 67.1982 %"

```
importance <- summary(gbm_model)</pre>
```

print(paste("Accuracy: ", round(accuracy\_gbm \* 100, 4), "%"))



#### print(importance)

```
## var rel.inf
## popularity popularity 49.77012
## release_year release_year 20.57941
## budget budget 19.09468
## runtime runtime 10.55579
```

**Prediction** using Logistic regression answers the question, "Can we predict success?"

**Interpretation** using LDA highlights "Why are some movies predicted as successful or unsuccessful?" by examining variable relationships and decision boCundaries.

# Feature Selection and Comparison of Predictor Sets

## Feature Importance Analysis

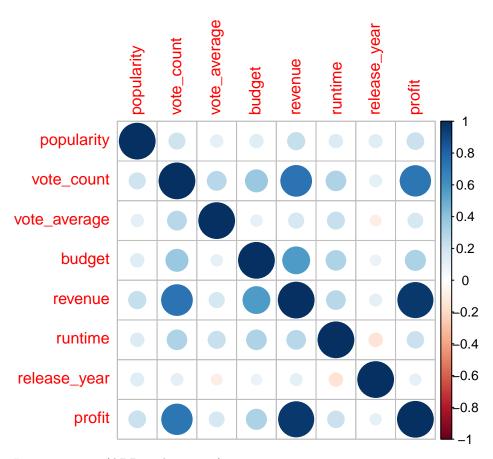
#### Correlation Analysis for Continuous Variables

We will analyze the correlation between predictors and the target variable, success. We will identify multicollinearity among predictors to avoid redudancy. We will do so by looking at a correlation matrix for numeric predictors.

```
numeric_vars <- df_for_class[, sapply(df_for_class, is.numeric)]
correlation_matrix <- cor(numeric_vars)
library(corrplot)

## Warning: package 'corrplot' was built under R version 4.3.3

## corrplot 0.94 loaded
corrplot(correlation_matrix, method = "circle")</pre>
```



Interpretation: (ADD with context)

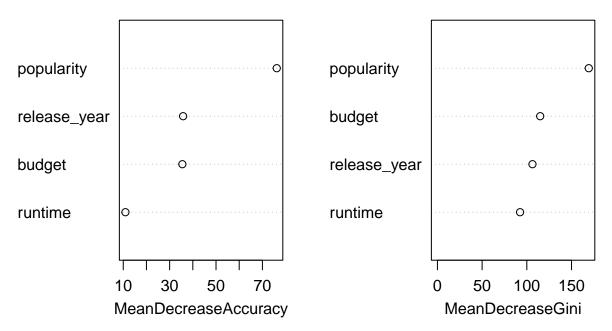
- Strong correlations (close to  $\pm 1$ ) between a predictor and success suggest high relevance.
- Avoid using highly correlated predictors simultaneously to prevent redundancy.

## Variable Importance from Random Forest

Random Forest provides a direct measure of feature importance.

```
rf_model <- randomForest(success ~ budget + release_year + runtime + popularity, data = df_for_class, is
varImpPlot(rf_model)</pre>
```

# rf\_model

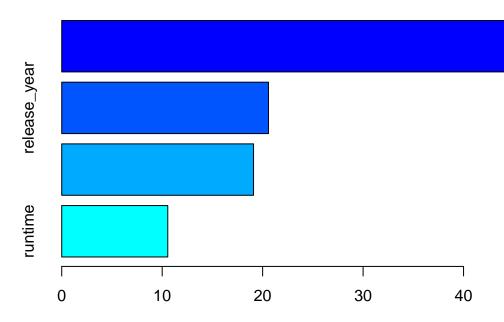


Interpretation: (ADD with context)

- The variable importance plot ranks features based on their contribution to classification accuracy.
- Features with higher Mean Decrease Accuracy or Mean Decrease Gini should be prioritized.

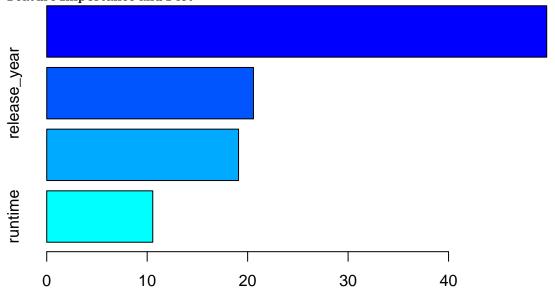
## Gradient Boosting Feature Importance and Partial Dependence

```
importance_df_gbm <- data.frame(
  Feature = summary(gbm_model)$var,
  Importance = summary(gbm_model)$rel.inf
)</pre>
```





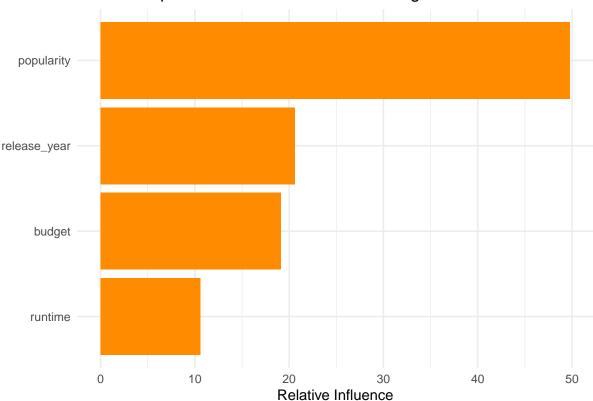
# Relative influence



# Relative influence

```
# Plot Feature Importances
ggplot(importance_df_gbm, aes(x = reorder(Feature, Importance), y = Importance)) +
    geom_bar(stat = "identity", fill = "darkorange") +
    coord_flip() +
    ggtitle("Feature Importances from Gradient Boosting") +
    xlab("") +
    ylab("Relative Influence") +
    theme_minimal()
```





#### ADD Interpretations

## Partial Dependence Plot

# Stepwise Selection

We can use stepwise regression to identify the most relevant features for logistic regression.

```
full_model <- glm(success ~ budget + release_year + runtime + popularity, data = df_for_class, family =
step_model <- stepAIC(full_model, direction = "both")
summary(step_model)</pre>
```

Interpretation: (ADD with context)

• Features retained in the final model are likely to be the most predictive.

## SHAP Values for Model Interpretability

```
predict_function <- function(object, newdata) {
   predict(object, newdata = newdata, type = "prob")[, "Success"]
}

# Explanatory dataset
X <- horror[, c("budget", "release_year", "runtime", "popularity")]
y <- horror$success</pre>
```

#### SHAP Analysis with Random Forest

```
# Convert 'success' to a factor if it's not already
df_for_class$success <- factor(df_for_class$success, levels = c(0, 1), labels = c("No Success", "Success")
# Define the prediction function for SHAP
predict_function <- function(object, newdata) {</pre>
 predict(object, newdata = newdata, type = "prob")[, "Success"] # Get probabilities for 'Success' cla
}
# Compute SHAP values
set.seed(123)
shap_values <- fastshap::explain(</pre>
 object = rf_model,
 X = df_for_class[, c("budget", "release_year", "runtime", "popularity")], # Use the feature columns
 pred_wrapper = predict_function,
 nsim = 50,
  adjust = TRUE
# Mean Absolute SHAP values
mean_abs_shap <- colMeans(abs(shap_values))</pre>
shap_importance <- data.frame(</pre>
 Feature = names(mean_abs_shap),
 MeanAbsShap = mean_abs_shap
```

## Compute SHAP Values + Mean Absolute SHAP Values

```
ggplot(shap_importance, aes(x = reorder(Feature, MeanAbsShap), y = MeanAbsShap)) +
  geom_bar(stat = "identity", fill = "purple") +
  coord_flip() +
  ggtitle("SHAP Feature Importance for Random Forest") +
  xlab("") +
  ylab("Mean |SHAP Value|") +
  theme_minimal()
```

#### **SHAP Feature Importance Plot**

```
ggplot(data = data.frame(
    SHAP_value = shap_values$budget,
    Feature_value = X$budget
), aes(x = Feature_value, y = SHAP_value)) +
    geom_point(alpha = 0.6) +
    geom_smooth(method = "loess", se = FALSE, color = "blue") +
    ggtitle("SHAP Dependence Plot for Budget") +
    xlab("Budget") +
    ylab("SHAP Value") +
    theme_minimal()
```

#### **SHAP** Dependence Plot

#### Multiple Regression with t-values for Variable Importance

```
# View the summary of the model to check t-values and p-values
summary(lm_model)

# The t-values are listed in the "t value" column of the summary.
# High t-values indicate important features, low t-values indicate less important features.
```

- A higher absolute t-value (greater than 2 or less than -2) indicates that the predictor is more significant.
- A low t-value (near 0) suggests that the predictor doesn't contribute much to the model and may be removed.

#### Recursive Feature Elimination (RFE)

## Comparing Predictor Sets

#### **Base Set of Predictors**

We will use all available predictors: budget, release year, runtime, and popularity.

```
base_model <- glm(success ~ budget + release_year + runtime + popularity, data = df_for_class, family =
base_probs <- predict(base_model, type = "response")
base_preds <- ifelse(base_probs > 0.5, 1, 0)
```

```
base_accuracy <- mean(base_preds == df_for_class$success)
cat("Base Model Accuracy: ", base_accuracy, "\n")</pre>
```

#### Reduced Set of Predictors

We will now use only the most important predictors identifies through feature selection (ADD WHEN FOUND ABOVE).

```
#EXAMPLE BUT CHANGE WHEN FIND PREDICTORS TO USE
reduced_model <- glm(success ~ budget + popularity, data = df_for_class, family = binomial)
reduced_probs <- predict(reduced_model, type = "response")
reduced_preds <- ifelse(reduced_probs > 0.5, 1, 0)
reduced_accuracy <- mean(reduced_preds == df_for_class$success)
cat("Reduced Model Accuracy: ", reduced_accuracy, "\n")</pre>
```

#### Comparing Models with Different Predictor Sets

```
# Load necessary libraries
library(randomForest)
library(caret)
library(ROCR)
# Define the different predictor sets
predictor_set_1 <- c("budget", "release_year", "runtime")</pre>
predictor_set_2 <- c("budget", "release_year", "popularity")</pre>
predictor_set_3 <- c("budget", "runtime", "popularity")</pre>
predictor_set_4 <- c("budget", "release_year", "runtime", "popularity")</pre>
# Define a function to train Random Forest and return performance metrics
train_rf_model <- function(predictors, data) {</pre>
  # Train Random Forest model
  model <- randomForest(success ~ ., data = data[, c(predictors, "success")], ntree = 500)</pre>
  # Get predicted probabilities for the test data
  prob <- predict(model, type = "prob")[,2]</pre>
  # Calculate AUC
  pred <- prediction(prob, data$success)</pre>
  perf <- performance(pred, measure = "auc")</pre>
  auc <- perf@y.values[[1]]</pre>
  # Return AUC
  return(auc)
}
# Define a function to train Multiple Linear Regression and return performance metrics
train_lm_model <- function(predictors, data) {</pre>
  # Train Linear Model
  model <- lm(success ~ ., data = data[, c(predictors, "success")])</pre>
  # Get predicted probabilities
  prob <- predict(model, type = "response")</pre>
  # Convert probabilities to class labels (Success = 1, No Success = 0)
```

```
# Calculate Accuracy
     accuracy <- mean(pred_labels == data$success)</pre>
     # Return Accuracy
     return(accuracy)
# Train and evaluate models with different predictor sets for Random Forest
rf_auc_1 <- train_rf_model(predictor_set_1, df_for_class)</pre>
rf_auc_2 <- train_rf_model(predictor_set_2, df_for_class)</pre>
rf_auc_3 <- train_rf_model(predictor_set_3, df_for_class)</pre>
rf_auc_4 <- train_rf_model(predictor_set_4, df_for_class)</pre>
# Train and evaluate models with different predictor sets for Multiple Linear Regression
lm_accuracy_1 <- train_lm_model(predictor_set_1, df_for_class)</pre>
lm_accuracy_2 <- train_lm_model(predictor_set_2, df_for_class)</pre>
lm_accuracy_3 <- train_lm_model(predictor_set_3, df_for_class)</pre>
lm_accuracy_4 <- train_lm_model(predictor_set_4, df_for_class)</pre>
# Create a summary of model performance
performance_comparison <- data.frame(</pre>
     Model = c("Random Forest (Set 1)", "Random Forest (Set 2)", "Random Forest (Set 3)", "Random Forest (
                                "Linear Regression (Set 1)", "Linear Regression (Set 2)", "Linear Regression (Set 3)", "Linear Regressi
     AUC_or_Accuracy = c(rf_auc_1, rf_auc_2, rf_auc_3, rf_auc_4,
                                                          lm_accuracy_1, lm_accuracy_2, lm_accuracy_3, lm_accuracy_4)
)
# Print performance comparison
print(performance_comparison)
```

## Plotting Performance Comparison

pred\_labels <- ifelse(prob > 0.5, 1, 0)

```
# Plot the comparison
library(ggplot2)

ggplot(performance_comparison, aes(x = Model, y = AUC_or_Accuracy, fill = Model)) +
    geom_bar(stat = "identity", show.legend = FALSE) +
    coord_flip() +
    theme_minimal() +
    ggtitle("Comparison of Model Performance across Different Predictor Sets") +
    xlab("Model and Predictor Set") +
    ylab("AUC (RF) / Accuracy (LM)")
```

#### **Adding Interaction Terms**

We can test whether interaction terms improve model performance.

```
interaction_model <- glm(success ~ budget * popularity + runtime, data = df_for_class, family = binomia
interaction_probs <- predict(interaction_model, type = "response")
interaction_preds <- ifelse(interaction_probs > 0.5, 1, 0)
interaction_accuracy <- mean(interaction_preds == df_for_class$success)
cat("Interaction Model Accuracy: ", interaction_accuracy, "\n")</pre>
```

## Cross-Validation to Compare Models

Use cross-validation to evaluate the generalizability of each predictor set.

```
# Base Model
base_cv <- train(success ~ budget + release_year + runtime + popularity, data = df_for_class, method =
print(base_cv)

# Reduced Model
reduced_cv <- train(success ~ budget + popularity, data = df_for_class, method = "glm", family = binomi
print(reduced_cv)</pre>
```

## Visualize Feature Importance

## Effect Plots for Logistic Regression

Visualize the effect of individual predictors on the probability of success.

```
install.packages("effects")
library(effects)

effect_plot <- allEffects(reduced_model)
plot(effect_plot)</pre>
```

#### Partial Dependence Plots

Use this for tree based models like Random Forest.

```
install.packages("pdp")
library(pdp)

# Partial dependence for "budget"
pd_budget <- partial(rf_model, pred.var = "budget")
plotPartial(pd_budget)

pd_popularity <- partial(rf_model, pred.var = "popularity")
plotPartial(pd_popularity)</pre>
```