Data Visualisation

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Link to Video: https://youtu.be/RzdcddafzVs

Domain of Data

Link to Dataset: https://www.kaggle.com/gregorut/videogamesales/data

This dataset contains a catalogue of video games published between the year 1980 and 2020 with sales greater than 100,000 copies.

Data set size: Contains 16,598 records in total.

Attributes:

- Name: Name of the video game.
- Platform: Platform of the games release (i.e. PC,PS4, etc.).
- Year: Year of the game's release.
- Genre: Genre of the game.
- Publisher: Publisher of the game.
- Global_Sales: Total worldwide sales.

Importance

Video game industry is a rapidly growing industry especially with the increasing popularity of esports.

People generally look out for various trends like popular games by a publisher, games with highest sales of a particular genre, etc before buying the next one.

Also publishers before planning of a new game analyse these trends. This serves as a heuristic that it'll serve well in the community.

Providing an easy to understand representation of this is much needed in this industry.

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The visualisation would help find popular genres based on sales figures The visualisation would make it easier to find popular games in a genre. The visualisation would make it easier to find popular games of a platform. The visualisation would make it easier to find the popular platform of a year.

Visualisation ONE

- Visualises dataset filtered by year.
- Slider to change year.
- Each video game title in the dataset is represented as a circle.
- Circles are grouped based on the genre/platform.
- The color of the circle determines the genre of the game.
- The area of the circle corresponds to the total amount of global sales it has made.

Visualisation TWO

- Visualises dataset filtered by year.
- Slider to change year.
- Histogram visualisation of the dataset.
- X axis is different platforms.
- Each video game title is represented as a disk. X coordinate is determined by the platform and Y coordinate is represented by total sales made.
- The color of the circle determines the genre of the game.

Concluding Remarks

The scatter plot with grouping by different colours based on genre, platform helps to analyse the data in one shot.

Also the code is written in a generalized manner so this can be extended to different datasets of the same type like Music, Movies, etc.

THANK YOU