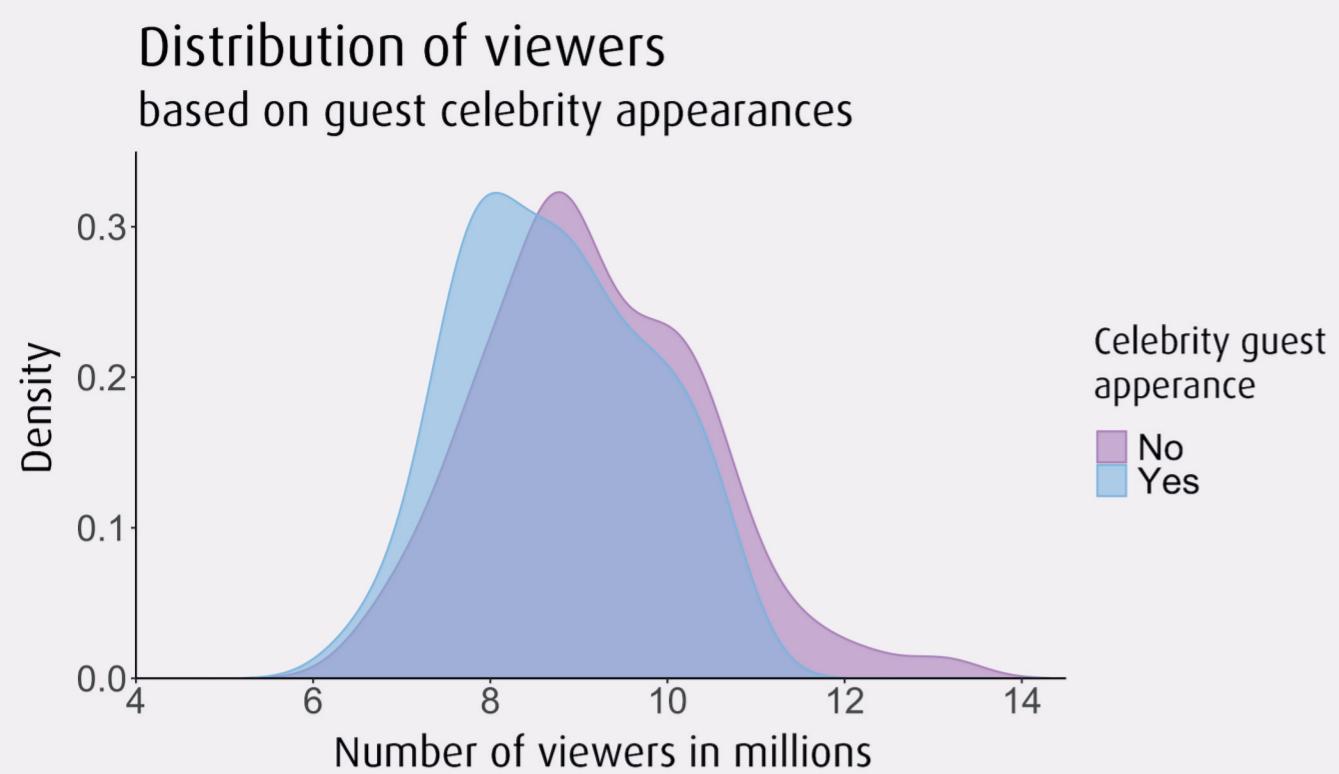


Have you met our data?



Wait for it

As shown on the chart above, the most watched episodes actually feature no celebrities at all. Furthermore, the majority of episodes without guest stars have broader appeal than those with them.

Weird, isn't it?

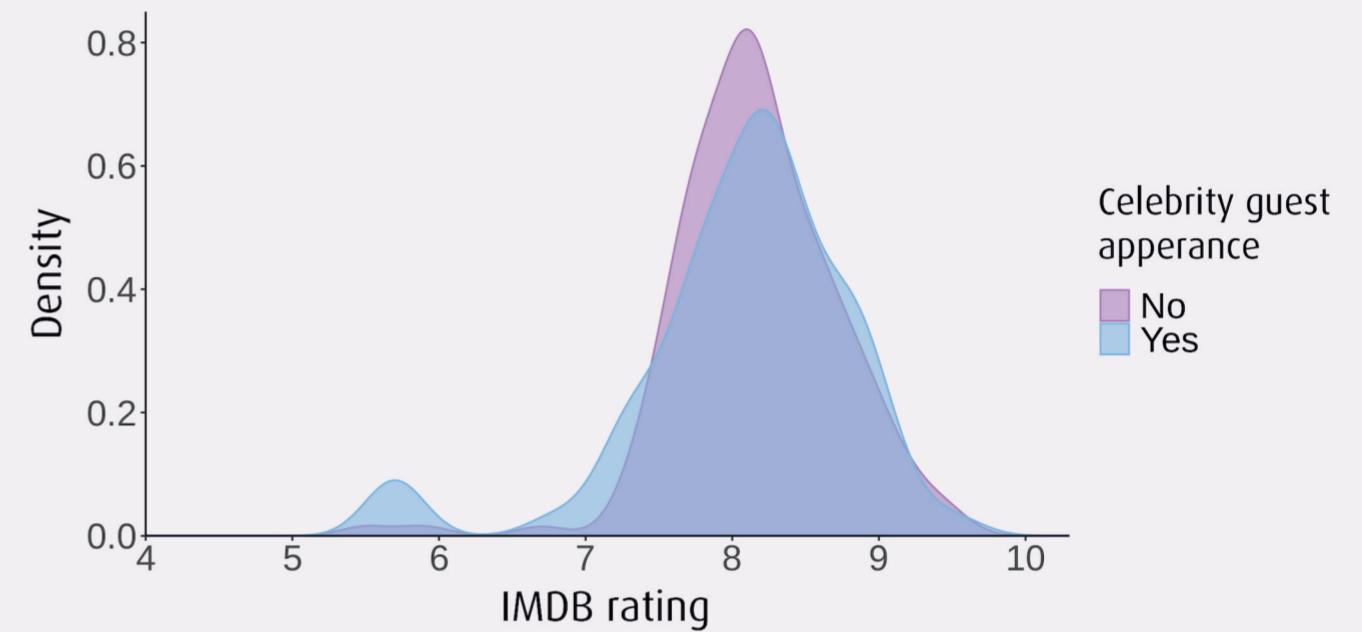
Drawing conclusion from the graph on the right, rating doesn't vary much when it comes to celebrity guest appearance. What might catch one off guard, however, is seeing a couple of episodes peak with scores between 5 and 7,5. To answer why that is we will have to take a look at our heatmap.

We're glad you asked

American production - 'How I Met Your Mother' is considered to be one of the most popular sitcoms of the 2000s. That's why we've chosen this show as the focal point of our analysis. This poster explores the ratings and views of its episodes and vocabulary of the main characters.

Have you ever wondered why there is a celebrity appearing in your favorite tv series? Most people would assume that they are supposed to catch viewers attention and make episodes more entertaining. Fortunately or not we have to crash this hypothesis when it comes to 'How I Met Your Mother'.

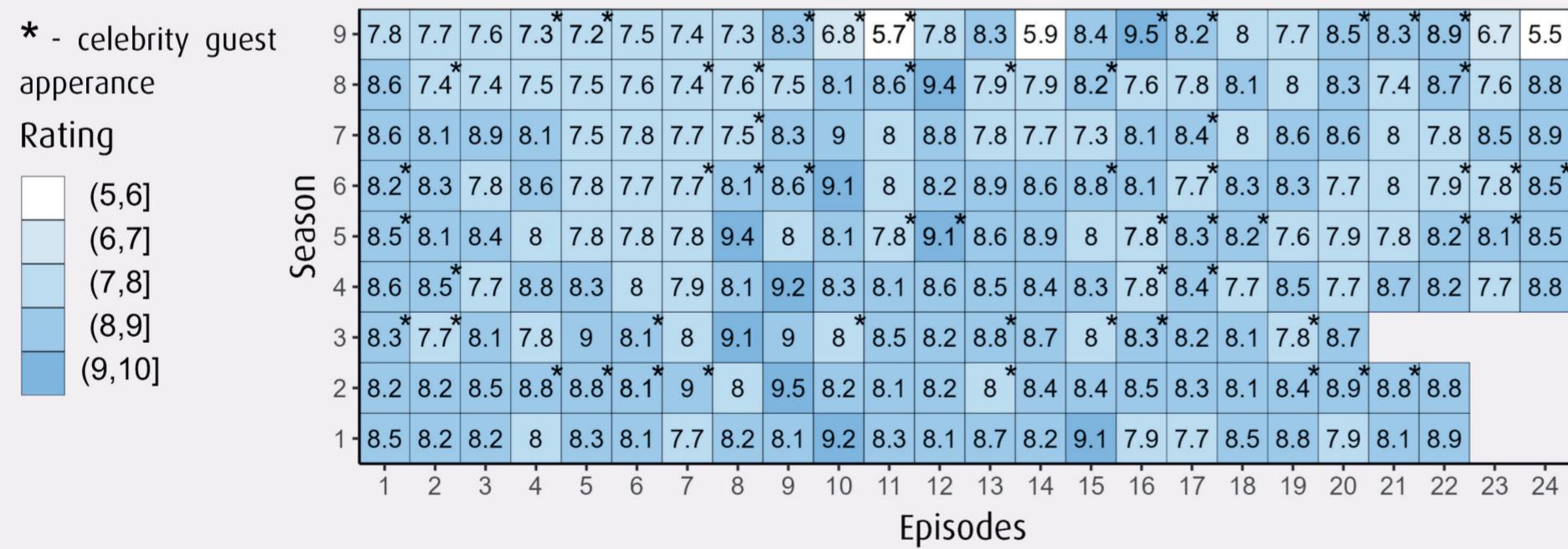
Distribution of IMDB rating based on guest celebrity appearances



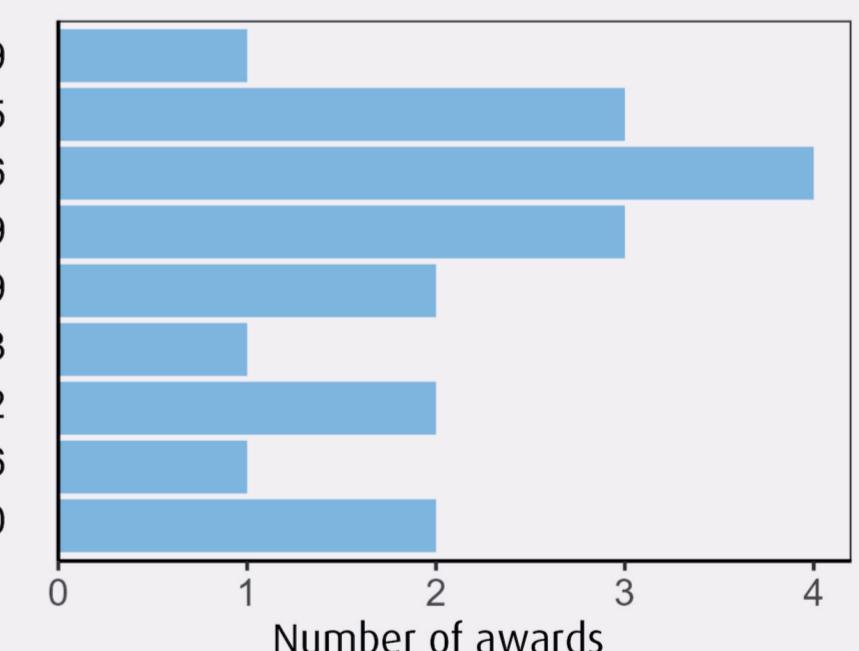
We should explain

As you can see, the majority of the worst rated episodes come from Season 9, which is why the graph above looks the way it does. Though it is more than likely, that celebrity guests do not have much to do with it. However it was probably caused by the dissimilarity between the last season and the previous ones. Moreover, we can notice that despite the higher average ratings of the initial seasons of the series, they didn't receive many awards. The top three best rated seasons collectively won five awards, whereas the three worst rated received a total of eight awards.

Rating of episodes on IMDB



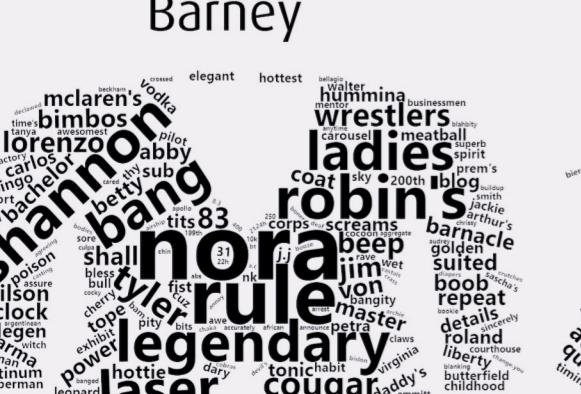
Mean Awards won by HIMYM



Legendary

Anyone who have watched 'How I Met Your Mother' knows how important for the show are catchphrases. That is why we decided to make wordclouds for the main characters. However we could only find a data frame with a script from the first six seasons. Fortunately despite the lack of last three seasons the results are legen...wait for it..dary, legendary!

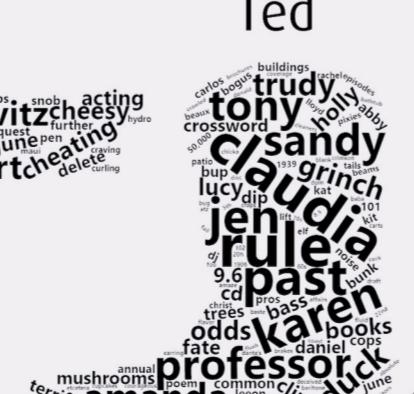
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