Determiner Noun: NUMBER

How do parts of speech in a title

affect total revenue?

Data - 15,628 Movies

Title	Total Gross	TTheaters 3544		
The A-Team	77222099			
A.C.O.D.	175705	42		
A.I. Artificial Intelligence	78616689	3242		
Aaja Nachle	484108	66		
Aarakshan (Reservation)	651096	91		
Aatsinki: The Story of Arctic Cowboys	6601	2		
Abandon	10727683	2347		
The Abandoned	1331137	1000		

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The A-Team	77222099	3544	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1
A.C.O.D.	175705	42	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
A.I. Artificial Intelligence	78616689	3242	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
Aaja Nachle	484108	66	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
Aarakshan (Reservation)	651096	91	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Aatsinki: The Story of Arctic Cowboys	6601	2	0	0	1	0	1	4	0	1
Abandon	10727683	2347	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
The Abandoned	1331137	1000	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0

Features - POS

ADJ: Adjective - blue, dark

ADV: Adverb - quickly

ADP: Adposition - from, in, with

CONJ: Conjunction - for, and, or

DET: Determiner - the, this, that

NOUN: Noun - person, place, thing

NUM: Number - 1, 2, 3

PUNCT: Punctuation - :, -, . , , ...

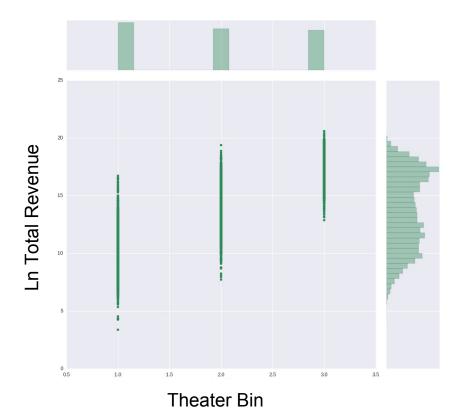
Total Theaters

of Theaters

Bin 1 0 - 20

Bin 2 20 - 1000

Bin 3 1000+



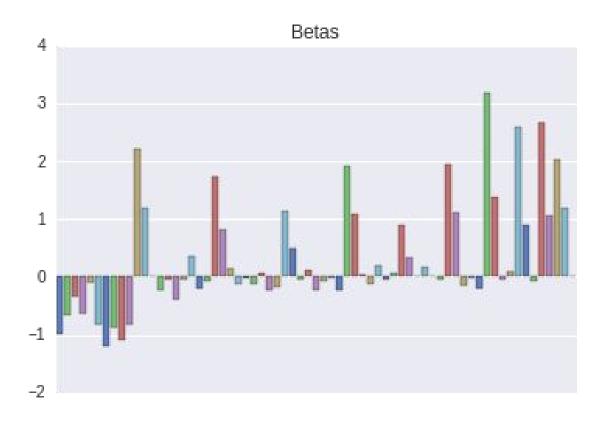
Ridge Regression

- Cross Validated Using 30% Split
- F test for significance
- Equation $R^2 = .77$

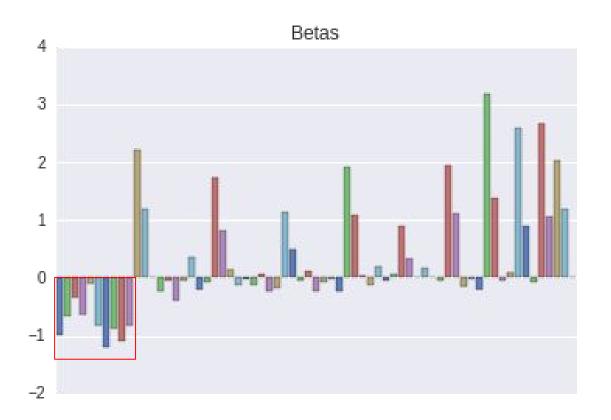
Ln(Total Revenue) ~

Parts of Speech + Theater Bins + Σ (POS * TB)

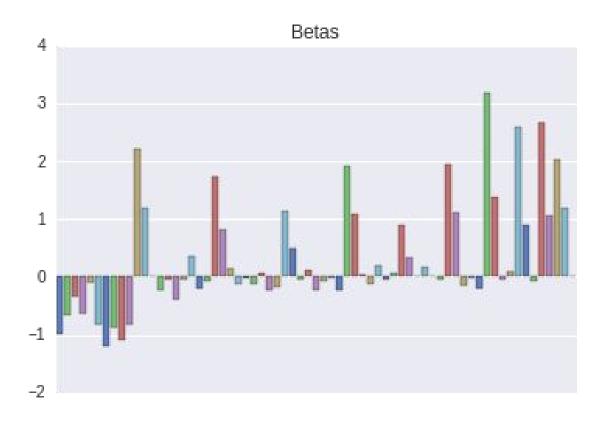
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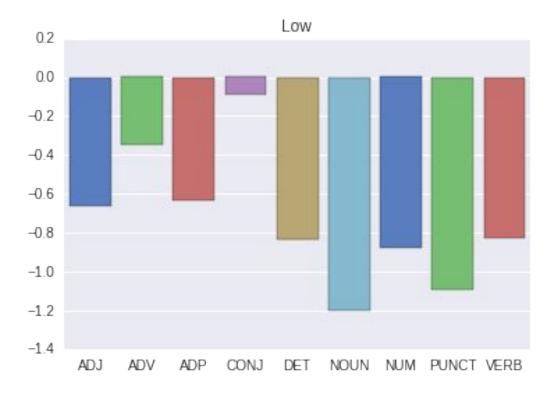
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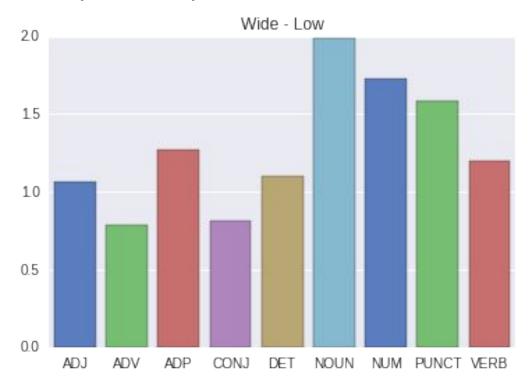
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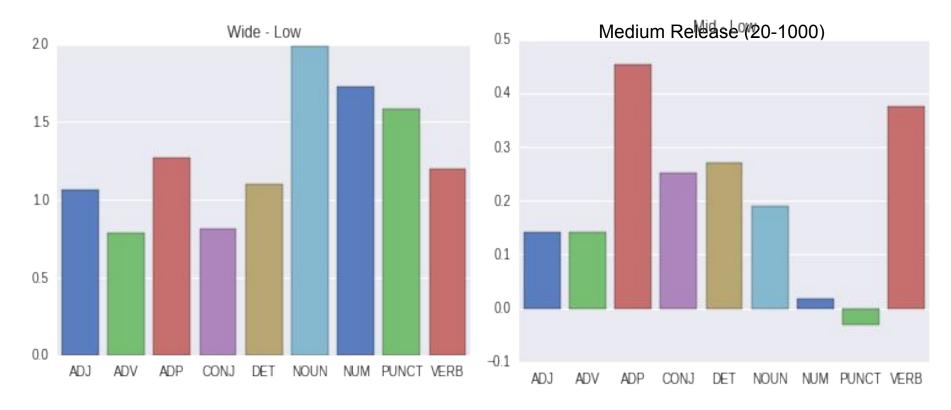
Less than 20 theaters



Wide Release (1000+)



Comparison



• For 1000+ theaters - Use a determiner, noun, punctuation, and number

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For 20-1000 theaters - Use adpositions and verbs

• For 1000+ theaters - Use a determiner, noun, punctuation, and number

For 20-1000 theaters - Use adpositions and verbs

For 20 > theaters - No recommendation

Further Investigation

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