

# 1. Netflix EDA

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```
[1]: import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import warnings
warnings.filterwarnings('ignore')
from tqdm import tqdm
```

## 1 Problem Statement, Insights and Recommendations:

- Problem Statement :
  - Analyze the data and generate insights that could help Netflix in deciding **which type of shows/movies to produce** and how they can **grow the business in different countries**
- Insights :

- Content creation has exploded post 2015, reaching maximum in 2018 (graph here)
- The fraction of TV shows created has been steadily increasing since 2017, surpassing 50% mark in 2021 (graph here)
- Content added on netflix has grown exponentially since 2015, reaching maximum in 2019 (graph here)
- Content has been added uniformly across all months (graph here)
- Netflix has a strong preference of adding content on either 1st or 15th of a month (graph here)
- Best Movie Director : Rajiv Chilaka (Animator for Chota Bheem) (graph here)
- Best Movie Cast : Anupam Kher (Big Bollywood Star) (graph here)
- Best TV Show Director : Alastair Fothergill (Nature Documentaries like Our Planet) (graph here)
- Best TV Show Cast : Takahiro Sakurai (Japanese Voice actor eg Jujutsu Kaisen) (graph here)
- Top 3 movie Genres : Dramas, Comedies, Documentaries (graph here)
- Top 3 TV Show Genres : Dramas, Comedies, Crime (graph here)
- US is top producer leading in 35 out of 42 Genres (graph here)
- Recommendations :
  - Netflix should keep on adding content which has been produced in US as it has its strongest holding there
  - In order to expand into more countries, Netflix needs to look beyond its biggest producers ie US. It needs to add content from countries which shows the highest promise for a particular genre, and also needs to hire the best native talent in terms of the director and the cast. Following are some my recommendations based on data : (supporting data and all recommendations)
    - \* Thrillers : Directed by Anurag Kashyap casting Nawazuddin Siddiqui produced in India
    - \* Docuseries : Directed by Alastair Fothergill casting David Attenborough produced in UK
    - \* TV Dramas : Directed by Jeon Go-woon casting Cho Seong-ha produced in South Korea
    - \* Sports Movies : Directed by Clay Porter casting Usain Bolt produced in UK

## 2 Non Graphical Eda

```
[2]: df = pd.read_csv('netflix.csv')
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[3]: df.head()
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[3]:
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	show_id	type	title	director \
0	s1	Movie	Dick Johnson Is Dead	Kirsten Johnson
1	s2	TV Show	Blood & Water	NaN
2	s3	TV Show	Ganglands	Julien Leclercq
3	s4	TV Show	Jailbirds New Orleans	NaN
4	s5	TV Show	Kota Factory	NaN

	cast	country
0	NaN	United States
1	Ama Qamata, Khosi Ngema, Gail Mabalane, Thaban...	South Africa
2	Sami Bouajila, Tracy Gotoas, Samuel Jouy, Nabi...	NaN
3	NaN	NaN
4	Mayur More, Jitendra Kumar, Ranjan Raj, Alam K...	India

	date_added	release_year	rating	duration
0	September 25, 2021	2020	PG-13	90 min
1	September 24, 2021	2021	TV-MA	2 Seasons
2	September 24, 2021	2021	TV-MA	1 Season
3	September 24, 2021	2021	TV-MA	1 Season
4	September 24, 2021	2021	TV-MA	2 Seasons

	listed_in
0	Documentaries
1	International TV Shows, TV Dramas, TV Mysteries
2	Crime TV Shows, International TV Shows, TV Act...
3	Docuseries, Reality TV
4	International TV Shows, Romantic TV Shows, TV ...

	description
0	As her father nears the end of his life, filmm...
1	After crossing paths at a party, a Cape Town t...
2	To protect his family from a powerful drug lor...
3	Feuds, flirtations and toilet talk go down amo...
4	In a city of coaching centers known to train I...

```
[4]: df.info()
```

```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 8807 entries, 0 to 8806
Data columns (total 12 columns):
#   Column          Non-Null Count  Dtype
---  -
0   show_id         8807 non-null   object
1   type            8807 non-null   object
2   title           8807 non-null   object
3   director        6173 non-null   object
4   cast            7982 non-null   object
5   country         7976 non-null   object
6   date_added      8797 non-null   object
7   release_year    8807 non-null   int64
8   rating          8803 non-null   object
9   duration        8804 non-null   object
10  listed_in       8807 non-null   object
11  description      8807 non-null   object
```

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dtypes: int64(1), object(11)
memory usage: 825.8+ KB
```

**Missing values!** - Missing values present in : director, cast, country, date\_added, rating, duration  
- Director data has highest nulls : ~2.5k movies/tv shows data is missing

```
[5]: # adding a year column will help with analysis further
df['date_added'] = pd.to_datetime(df['date_added'])
df['date_added_year'] = df['date_added'].dt.year
```

## 2.1 Numerical Columns Distribution

```
[6]: df.describe()
```

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[6]:
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	release_year	date_added_year
count	8807.000000	8797.000000
mean	2014.180198	2018.871888
std	8.819312	1.574243
min	1925.000000	2008.000000
25%	2013.000000	2018.000000
50%	2017.000000	2019.000000
75%	2019.000000	2020.000000
max	2021.000000	2021.000000

## 2.2 Categorical Columns Distribution

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[7]: df.describe(include='O')
```

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[7]:
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	show_id	type	title	director \
count	8807	8807	8807	6173
unique	8807	2	8807	4528
top	s1	Movie	Dick Johnson Is Dead	Rajiv Chilaka
freq	1	6131	1	19

	cast	country	rating	duration \
count	7982	7976	8803	8804
unique	7692	748	17	220
top	David Attenborough	United States	TV-MA	1 Season
freq	19	2818	3207	1793

	listed_in \
count	8807
unique	514
top	Dramas, International Movies

freq

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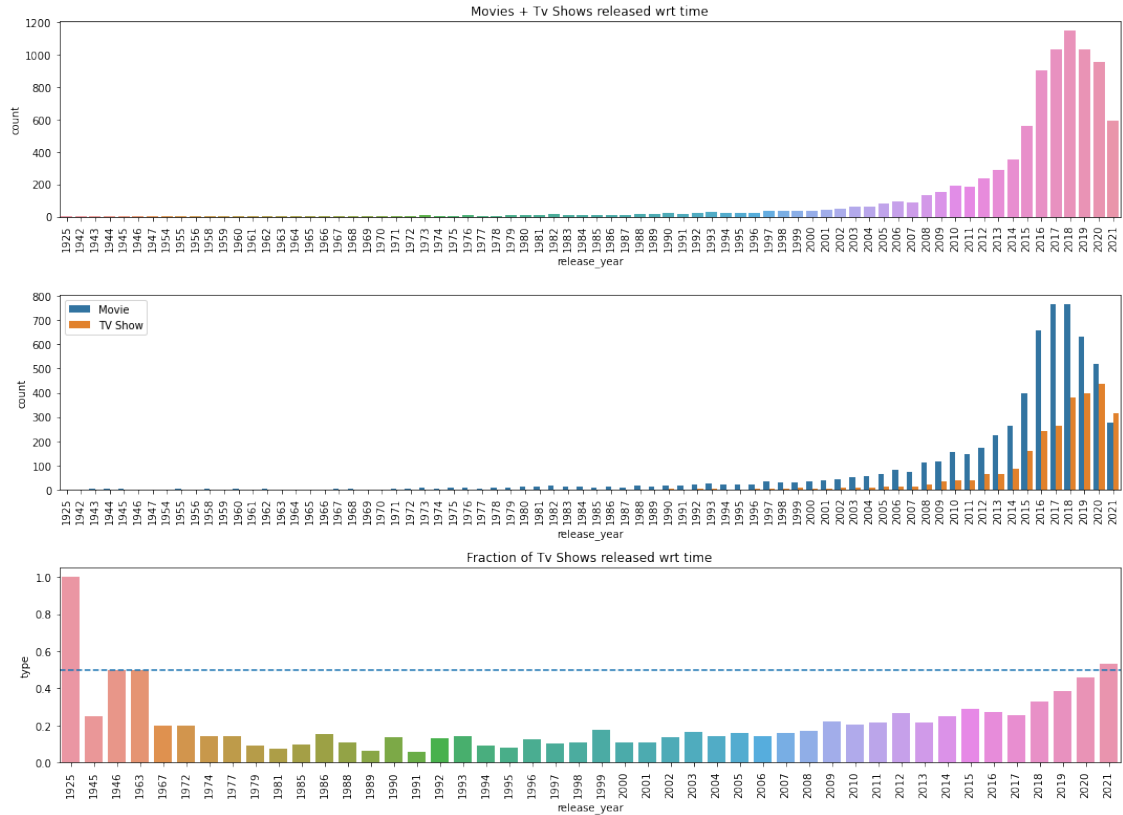
	description
count	8807
unique	8775
top	Paranormal activity at a lush, abandoned prope...
freq	4

### 3 Graphical Eda

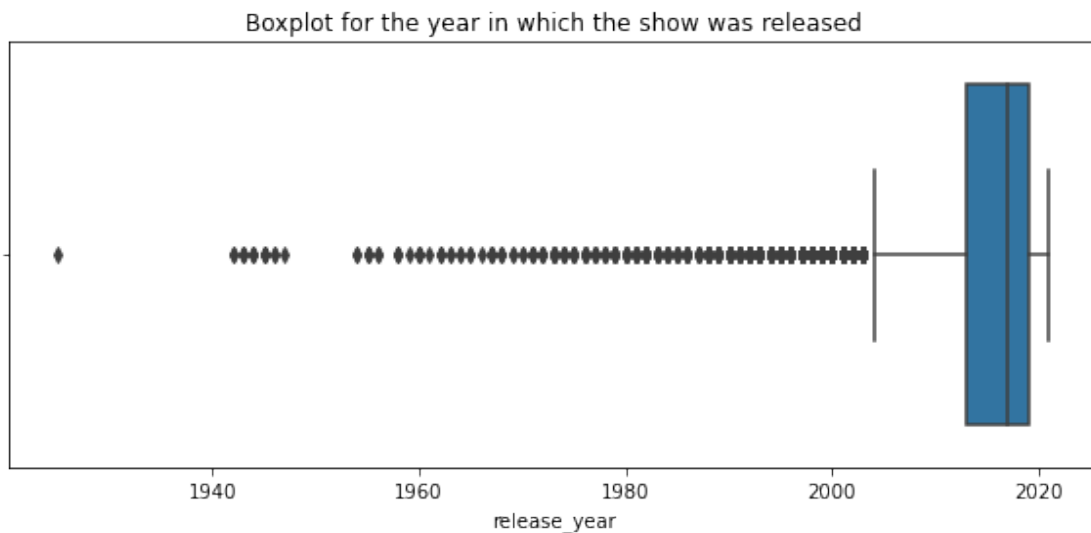
#### 3.1 Show Release Year and Show Added on Netflix Year Analysis

##### 3.1.1 Trend of Movies/TV Shows released :

```
[8]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(3,1,figsize=(15,11))
sns.countplot(x='release_year',data=df,ax=ax[0])
ax[0].set_xticklabels(ax[0].get_xticklabels(),rotation=90)
ax[0].set_title('Movies + Tv Shows released wrt time')
sns.countplot(x='release_year',hue='type',data=df,ax=ax[1])
ax[1].set_xticklabels(ax[1].get_xticklabels(),rotation=90)
ax[1].legend(loc='upper left')
tmp = pd.DataFrame(df.groupby('release_year')['type'].value_counts(1))
tmp = tmp.iloc[tmp.index.get_level_values(1) == 'TV Show'].droplevel(1).
    ↪reset_index()
sns.barplot(x='release_year',y='type',data=tmp,ax=ax[2])
ax[2].axhline(0.5,ls='--')
ax[2].set_xticklabels(ax[2].get_xticklabels(),rotation=90)
ax[2].set_title('Fraction of Tv Shows released wrt time')
fig.tight_layout()
print()
```



```
[9]: plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = 10,4
g = sns.boxplot(df['release_year'])
g.set_title('Boxplot for the year in which the show was released')
print()
```

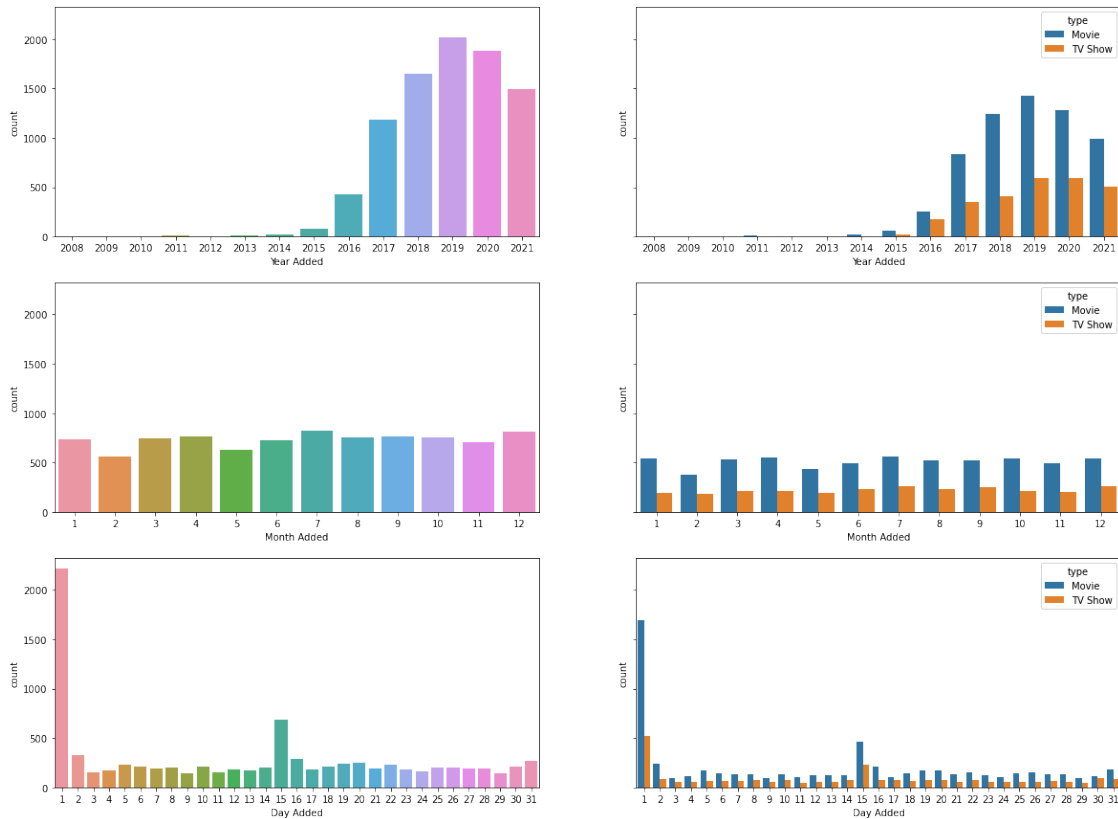


Insights : - Content creation has exploded post 2015, reaching maximum in 2018 - The fraction of TV shows has been steadily increasing since 2017, surpassing 50% mark in 2021

### 3.1.2 Trend of Movies/TV Shows added on Netflix :

```
[10]: fig,ax = plt.subplots(3,2,figsize=(20,15), sharey=True)
sns.countplot(df['date_added'].dt.year.dropna().astype(int),ax=ax[0][0])
ax[0][0].set_xlabel('Year Added')
sns.countplot(df['date_added'].dt.month.dropna().astype(int),ax=ax[1][0])
ax[1][0].set_xlabel('Month Added')
sns.countplot(df['date_added'].dt.day.dropna().astype(int),ax=ax[2][0])
ax[2][0].set_xlabel('Day Added')

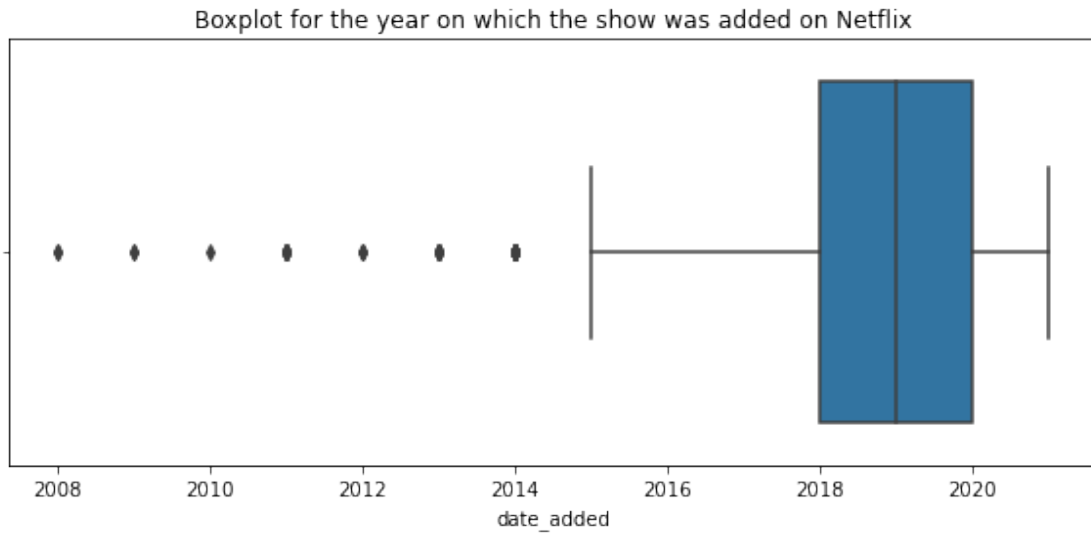
sns.countplot(df['date_added'].dt.year.dropna().
    →astype(int),ax=ax[0][1],hue=df['type'])
ax[0][1].set_xlabel('Year Added')
sns.countplot(df['date_added'].dt.month.dropna().
    →astype(int),ax=ax[1][1],hue=df['type'])
ax[1][1].set_xlabel('Month Added')
sns.countplot(df['date_added'].dt.day.dropna().
    →astype(int),ax=ax[2][1],hue=df['type'])
ax[2][1].set_xlabel('Day Added')
print()
```



Insights : - Content added on netflix has grown exponentially since 2015, reaching maximum in 2019 - Content has been added uniformly across all months - Netflix has a strong preference of adding content on either 1st or 15th of a month

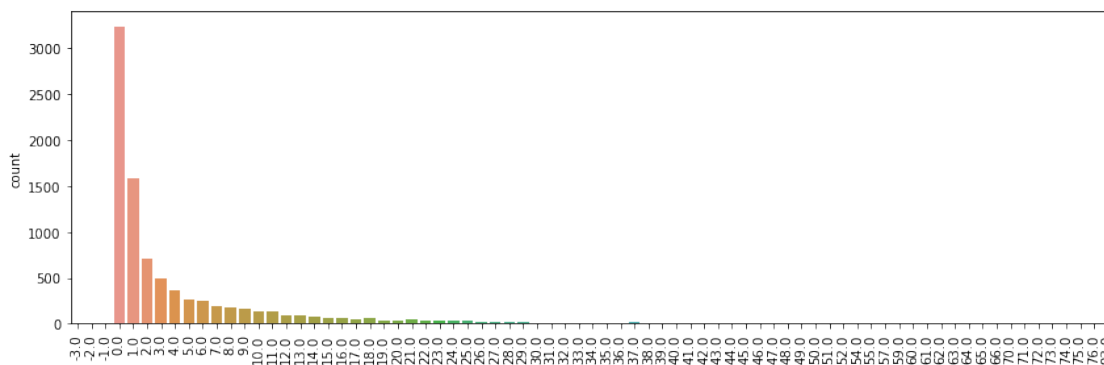
```
[11]: plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = 10,4
g = sns.boxplot(df['date_added'].dt.year)
g.set_title('Boxplot for the year on which the show was added on Netflix')
print()
```





### 3.1.3 Release Date vs Added date :

```
[12]: plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = 12,4
plt.rcParams['figure.autolayout'] = True
g = sns.countplot((df['date_added'].dt.year - df['release_year']))
g.set_xticklabels(g.get_xticklabels(), rotation=90)
print()
```

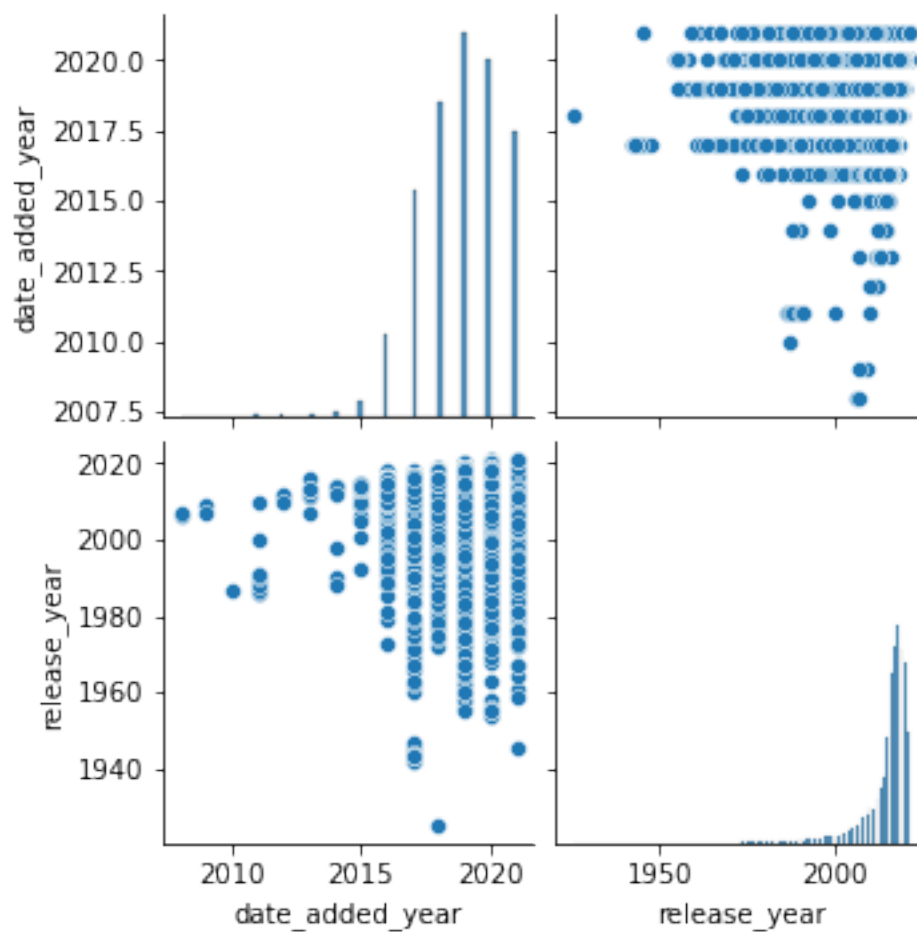


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[13]: # We dont use Pearson correlation because columns are not normally distributed
sns.heatmap(df[['date_added_year', 'release_year']].corr(method='spearman'),
            annot=True, cmap='Blues')
```

```
[13]: <AxesSubplot:>
```



```
[14]: sns.pairplot(df[['date_added_year', 'release_year']])
print()
```



Insight : - We can see most of the content is added the same year as it was released

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## 3.2 Director/Cast/Genre Analysis :

### 3.2.1 Top director/cast/genres :

```
[15]: print(f"Mean null values in director column : {round(df['director'].isna().
      ↳mean() * 100)}%")
      print(f"Mean null values in cast column : {round(df['cast'].isna().mean() *
      ↳100)}%")
      df.groupby('type')[['director', 'cast']].apply(lambda x : round(x.isna().
      ↳mean()*100))
```

Mean null values in director column : 30%  
Mean null values in cast column : 9%

```
[15]:      director  cast
type
Movie         3.0    8.0
TV Show       91.0   13.0
```

Insight : - TV shows have 91% missing directors data!

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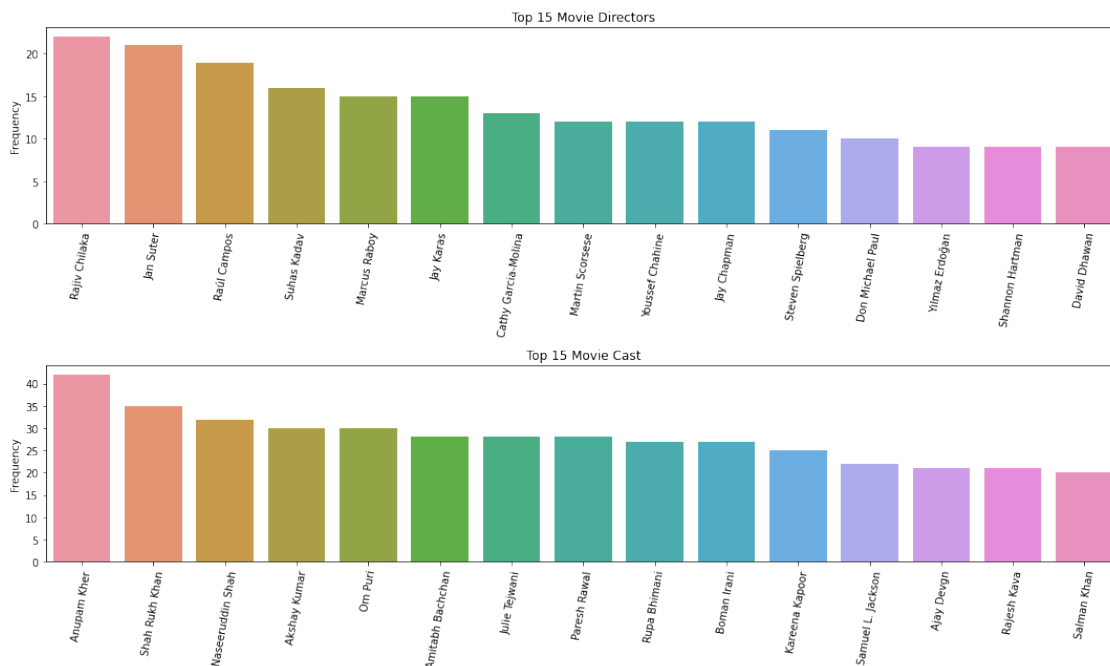
```
[29]: def flatten_list(og_list):
      """ Flattens the input list.
      input -> ['raunak', 'abhinav', 'abhijeet', 'rupesh', 'aryan']
      output -> ['raunak', 'abhinav', 'abhijeet', 'rupesh', 'aryan'] """
      flattend_list = []
      for i in og_list:
          if isinstance(i, str):
              flattend_list.extend([i.strip() for i in i.split(',')])
      return flattend_list
```

```
[17]: #movie_dirs contains a list of all the movie directors
      movie_dirs = flatten_list(df.loc[df['type'] == 'Movie', 'director'].tolist())
      movie_cast = flatten_list(df.loc[df['type'] == 'Movie', 'cast'].tolist())

      tv_dirs = flatten_list(df.loc[df['type'] == 'TV Show', 'director'].tolist())
      tv_cast = flatten_list(df.loc[df['type'] == 'TV Show', 'cast'].tolist())
```

Top 15 directors/casts in movies :

```
[18]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(2,1,figsize=(15,9))
sns.barplot(x=pd.Series(movie_dirs).value_counts().head(15).index, y=pd.
↳Series(movie_dirs).value_counts().head(15).values, ax=ax[0])
ax[0].set_xticklabels(ax[0].get_xticklabels(), rotation=80)
ax[0].set_title('Top 15 Movie Directors')
ax[0].set_ylabel('Frequency')
sns.barplot(x=pd.Series(movie_cast).value_counts().head(15).index, y=pd.
↳Series(movie_cast).value_counts().head(15).values, ax=ax[1])
ax[1].set_xticklabels(ax[1].get_xticklabels(), rotation=80)
ax[1].set_title('Top 15 Movie Cast')
ax[1].set_ylabel('Frequency')
fig.tight_layout()
print()
```



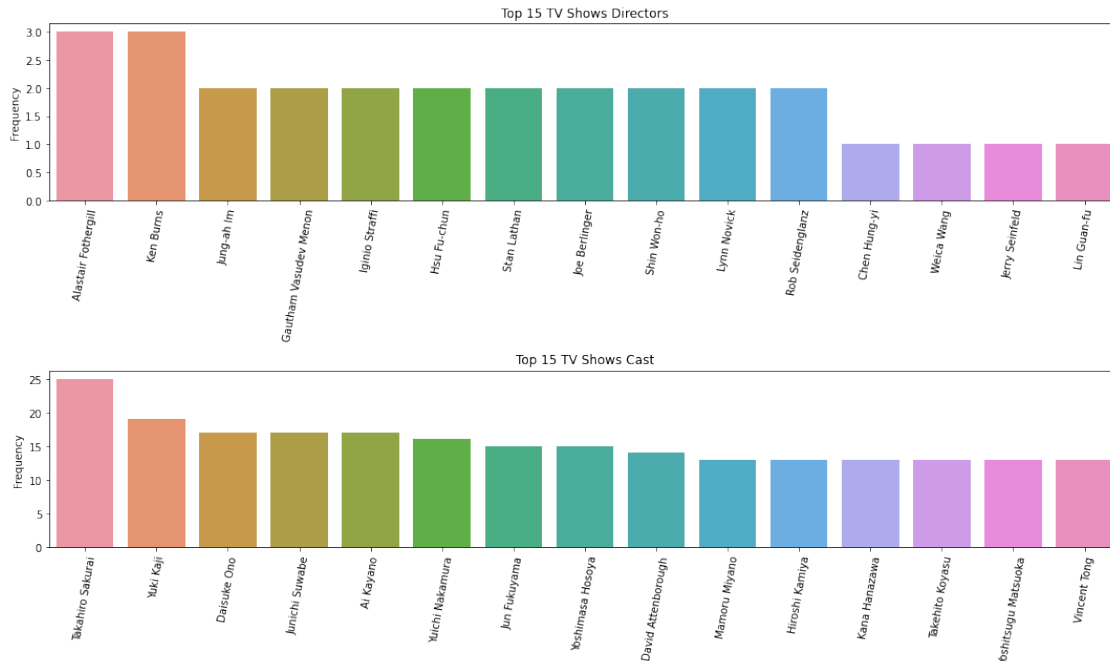
### Top 15 directors/casts in TV Shows :

```
[19]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(2,1,figsize=(15,9))
sns.barplot(x=pd.Series(tv_dirs).value_counts().head(15).index, y=pd.
↳Series(tv_dirs).value_counts().head(15).values, ax=ax[0])
ax[0].set_xticklabels(ax[0].get_xticklabels(), rotation=80)
ax[0].set_title('Top 15 TV Shows Directors')
ax[0].set_ylabel('Frequency')
```

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sns.barplot(x=pd.Series(tv_cast).value_counts().head(15).index, y=pd.
    ↳Series(tv_cast).value_counts().head(15).values, ax=ax[1])
ax[1].set_xticklabels(ax[1].get_xticklabels(), rotation=80)
ax[1].set_title('Top 15 TV Shows Cast')
ax[1].set_ylabel('Frequency')
fig.tight_layout()
print()

```



Insight : - Best Movie Director : Rajiv Chilaka (Animator for Chota Bheem) - Best Movie Cast : Anupam Kher (Big Bollywood Star) - Best TV Show Director : Alastair Fothergill (Nature Documentaries like Our Planet) - Best TV Show Cast : Takahiro Sakurai (Japanese Voice actor eg Jujutsu Kaisen)

```

[20]: movie_genres = flatten_list(df.loc[df['type'] == 'Movie', 'listed_in'].tolist())

tv_genres = flatten_list(df.loc[df['type'] == 'TV Show', 'listed_in'].tolist())

```

**Top 10 genres for movies/TV Shows :**

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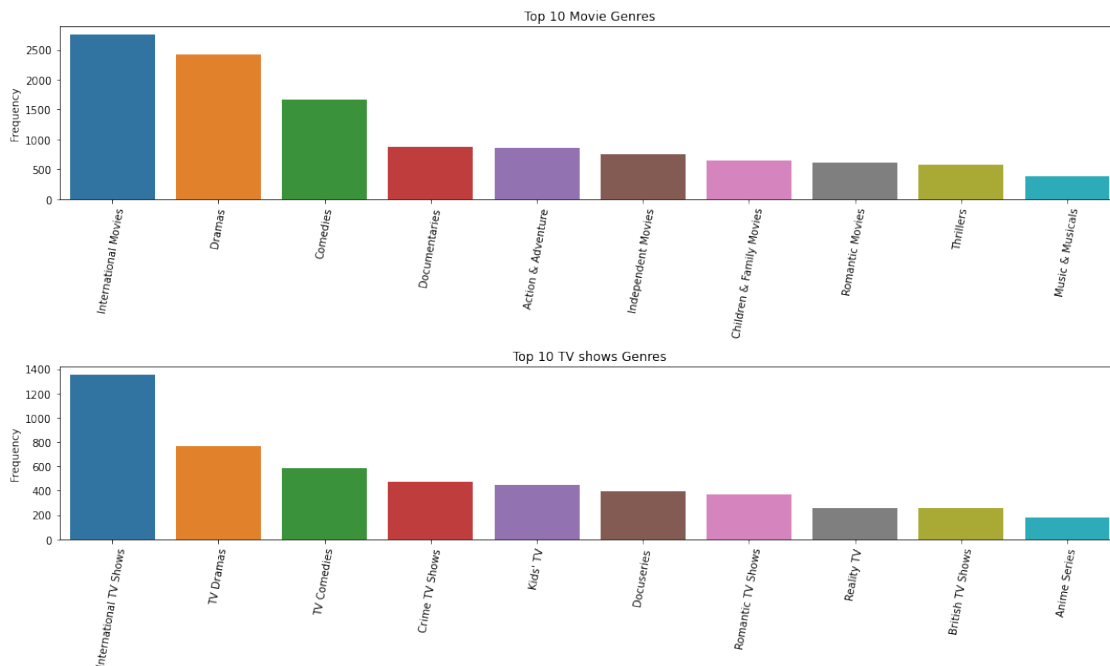
[21]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(2,1,figsize=(15,9))
sns.barplot(x=pd.Series(movie_genres).value_counts().head(10).index, y=pd.
    ↳Series(movie_genres).value_counts().head(10).values, ax=ax[0])
ax[0].set_xticklabels(ax[0].get_xticklabels(), rotation=80)

```

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ax[0].set_title('Top 10 Movie Genres')
ax[0].set_ylabel('Frequency')
sns.barplot(x=pd.Series(tv_genres).value_counts().head(10).index, y=pd.
    ↳Series(tv_genres).value_counts().head(10).values, ax=ax[1])
ax[1].set_xticklabels(ax[1].get_xticklabels(), rotation=80)
ax[1].set_title('Top 10 TV shows Genres')
ax[1].set_ylabel('Frequency')
fig.tight_layout()
print()

```



Insight : - Drama and comedy are top Genres for both movies/tv shows

### 3.2.2 Countries leading in content genre-wise:

```
[22]: tmp = df[['country', 'listed_in']].astype(str)
```

```

[23]: show_genre_dict = {}
for _, row in tqdm(tmp.iterrows()): #iterate through all shows
    for genre in row['listed_in'].split(','): #iterate through all genres
        if genre.strip() not in show_genre_dict.keys(): #if genre is not in
            ↳dict create an empty list

```

```

show_genre_dict[genre.strip()] = []
for country in row['country'].split(','): #iterate through all countries
    if country.strip() != 'nan':
        show_genre_dict[genre.strip()].append(country.strip())

```

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show\_genre\_dict : - Keys are all the different genres (genres are extracted from listed\_in column) - Values are the countries where the genre was produced (extracted from country column) - eg show\_genre\_dict['Dramas'] -> ['United States', 'Ghana', 'Burkina Faso', 'United Kingdom', 'Germany'] - The values can have duplicates. Finding the mode of the list we can get the country where this genre is most produced

```

[24]: plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = 15,40
plt.rcParams['figure.autolayout'] = True
for i,key in enumerate(show_genre_dict.keys()):
    ax = plt.subplot(14,3,i+1)
    sns.barplot(pd.Series(show_genre_dict[key]).replace({'United States':
↪ 'US', 'United Kingdom': 'UK'}).value_counts().head().index,
                pd.Series(show_genre_dict[key]).replace({'United States':
↪ 'US', 'United Kingdom': 'UK'}).value_counts().head().values,
                ax=ax)
    ax.set_title(key)

```





Insight : - US is a clear leader across all genres except : - Japan in Anime Series, Anime Features  
 - South Korea in Korean movies, International TV show, Romantic TV Shows - Mexico in spanish language tv shows - India in international movies - US is #1 in 35/42 genres

- Although netflix should continue to invest in US across all genres we will look at what is the most promising country other than US/genre leader for each genre

### 3.2.3 Recommendation for best upcoming country for each genre :

upcoming\_country\_for\_each\_genre : - is a dictionary - keys are genres - values is a list with 3 elements : [upcoming country, best director, best cast]

```
[26]: upcoming_country_for_each_genre = {}
      for k,v in show_genre_dict.items():
          upcoming_country = pd.Series(show_genre_dict[k]).value_counts().index[1]
          upcoming_country_for_each_genre[k] = [upcoming_country]
```

```
[27]: for k,v in upcoming_country_for_each_genre.items():

      # Subset on country
      tmp = df[df['country'] == v[0]]
      # Subset on genre
      tmp = tmp[tmp['listed_in'].str.contains(k)]

      #best director
      dirs = flatten_list(tmp['director'])
      try:
          best_dir = max(set(dirs), key=dirs.count)
      except:
          best_dir = 'NA'

      #best cast
      cast = flatten_list(tmp['cast'])
      try:
          best_cast = max(set(cast), key=cast.count)
      except:
          best_cast = 'NA'

      upcoming_country_for_each_genre[k].extend([best_dir, best_cast])
```

format -> genre : [country , best director, best cast]

```
[28]: upcoming_country_for_each_genre
```

```
[28]: {'Documentaries': ['United Kingdom', 'Edward Cotterill', 'Samuel West'],
      'International TV Shows': ['Japan', 'Hayato Date', 'Takahiro Sakurai'],
      'TV Dramas': ['South Korea', 'Lee Kyoungmi', 'Cho Seong-ha'],
      'TV Mysteries': ['Canada', 'NA', 'Jim Watson'],
      'Crime TV Shows': ['United Kingdom', 'Ellena Wood', 'Charlie Creed-Miles'],
      'TV Action & Adventure': ['Canada', 'NA', 'Brianna Daguanno'],
      'Docuseries': ['United Kingdom', 'Alastair Fothergill', 'David Attenborough'],
      'Reality TV': ['United Kingdom', 'Andy Devonshire', 'Nadiya Hussain'],
      'Romantic TV Shows': ['Taiwan', 'Chang Chin-jung', 'Amanda Chou'],
      'TV Comedies': ['United Kingdom', 'Gordon Anderson', 'Ruth Bratt'],
      'TV Horror': ['Canada', 'NA', 'Greyston Holt'],
      'Children & Family Movies': ['Canada', 'Vivieno Caldinelli', 'Michela Luci'],
      'Dramas': ['India', 'Anurag Kashyap', 'Shah Rukh Khan'],
      'Independent Movies': ['India', 'Qaushiq Mukherjee', 'Naseeruddin Shah'],
      'International Movies': ['France', 'Thierry Donard', 'Wille Lindberg'],
      'British TV Shows': ['United States', 'NA', 'Celine Buckens'],
      'Comedies': ['India', 'David Dhawan', 'Anupam Kher'],
      'Spanish-Language TV Shows': ['Spain', 'Mateo Gil', 'José Sacristán'],
      'Thrillers': ['India', 'Anurag Kashyap', 'Nawazuddin Siddiqui'],
      'Romantic Movies': ['India', 'Imtiaz Ali', 'Akshay Kumar'],
      'Music & Musicals': ['India', 'Mastan Alibhai Burmawalla', 'Akshay Kumar'],
      'Horror Movies': ['Canada', 'Clay Staub', 'Booboo Stewart'],
      'Sci-Fi & Fantasy': ['United Kingdom', 'Johnny Kevorkian', 'Welile Nzunza'],
      'TV Thrillers': ['Japan', 'NA', 'Minami Takayama'],
      'Kids' TV': ['Canada', 'NA', 'Jordan Clark'],
      'Action & Adventure': ['India', 'Ram Gopal Varma', 'Amitabh Bachchan'],
      'TV Sci-Fi & Fantasy': ['Canada', 'NA', 'Brianna Daguanno'],
      'Classic Movies': ['United Kingdom', 'Terry Jones', 'Eric Idle'],
      'Anime Features': ['United States', 'Koji Morimoto', 'NA'],
      'Sports Movies': ['United Kingdom', 'Daniel Kontur', 'Ryan Howard'],
      'Anime Series': ['United States', 'NA', 'Richard Armitage'],
      'Korean TV Shows': ['United States', 'NA', 'Jung Sun-hye'],
      'Science & Nature TV': ['United Kingdom', 'NA', 'David Attenborough'],
      'Teen TV Shows': ['Japan', 'Takuya Igarashi', 'Takahiro Sakurai'],
      'Cult Movies': ['United Kingdom', 'Danny Boyle', 'Peter Mullan'],
      'TV Shows': ['India', 'Gautham Vasudev Menon', 'Chandan Anand'],
      'Faith & Spirituality': ['Indonesia', 'Chairun Nissa', 'Fedi Nuril'],
      'LGBTQ Movies': ['United Kingdom', 'Jon Carey', 'Rory J. Saper'],
      'Stand-Up Comedy': ['United Kingdom', 'Chris Howe', 'Bill Hicks'],
      'Movies': ['Canada', 'Justin G. Dyck', 'Robb Wells'],
      'Stand-Up Comedy & Talk Shows': ['South Korea',
      'Jung-ah Im',
      'Si-kyung Sung'],
      'Classic & Cult TV': ['United Kingdom', 'Michael Cumming', 'Matt Berry']}
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