

# Business Case: Netflix - Data Exploration and Visualisation

## \*\* Problem Statement\*\*

Netflix wants to understand what kind of shows/movies to produce and how to grow in different countries. Using the dataset of all available titles on Netflix, we aim to derive actionable insights and recommend content strategies using data.

## Import Libraries & Load Dataset

```
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
```

## Load the Dataset

```
!wget
https://d2beiqkhq929f0.cloudfront.net/public_assets/assets/000/000/940
/original/netflix.csv

--2025-05-10 15:59:02--
https://d2beiqkhq929f0.cloudfront.net/public_assets/assets/000/000/940
/original/netflix.csv
Resolving d2beiqkhq929f0.cloudfront.net
(d2beiqkhq929f0.cloudfront.net)... 3.169.117.64, 3.169.117.63,
3.169.117.127, ...
Connecting to d2beiqkhq929f0.cloudfront.net
(d2beiqkhq929f0.cloudfront.net)|3.169.117.64|:443... connected.
HTTP request sent, awaiting response... 200 OK
Length: 3399671 (3.2M) [text/plain]
Saving to: 'netflix.csv.1'

netflix.csv.1      100%[=====>]   3.24M  --.-KB/s   in
0.04s

2025-05-10 15:59:02 (91.1 MB/s) - 'netflix.csv.1' saved
[3399671/3399671]
```

```
df=pd.read_csv('netflix.csv')
df
```

```
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```

## Data Overview & Cleaning

```
df.shape
```

```
(8807, 12)
```

```
df.head()
```

```

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        \"properties\": {
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            \"s3363\",
            \"s5495\"
          ],
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          \"description\": \"\"
        },
        \"column\": \"type\",
        \"properties\": {
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          \"num_unique_values\": 2,
          \"samples\": [
            \"TV Show\",
            \"Movie\"
          ],
          \"semantic_type\": \"\",
          \"description\": \"\"
        },
        \"column\": \"title\",
        \"properties\": {
          \"dtype\": \"string\",
          \"num_unique_values\": 8807,
          \"samples\": [
            \"Game Over, Man!\",
            \"Arsenio Hall: Smart & Classy\"
          ],
          \"semantic_type\": \"\",
          \"description\": \"\"
        },
        \"column\": \"director\",
        \"properties\": {
          \"dtype\": \"string\",
          \"num_unique_values\": 4528,
          \"samples\": [
            \"Kanwal Sethi\",
            \"R\\u00e9my\"
          ]
        }
      ]
    ]
  }
}

```

```

Four, Julien War",\n          ],\n          \"semantic_type\": \"\",\n          \"description\": \"\",\n          \"column\":\n          \"cast\",\n          \"properties\": {\n          \"dtype\": \"string\",\n          \"num_unique_values\": 7692,\n          \"samples\": [\n          \"Tzi\nMa, Christine Ko, Hong-Chi Lee, Hayden Szeto, Kunjue Li, Fiona Fu,\nJames Saito, Joan Chen\",\n          \"Priyanshu Painyuli,\nChandrachoor Rai, Shadab Kamal, Rajeev Siddhartha, Sheetal Thakur,\nNinad Kamat, Swati Semwal, Eijaz Khan\",\n          ],\n          \"semantic_type\": \"\",\n          \"description\": \"\",\n          \"column\": \"country\",\n          \"properties\":\n          {\n          \"dtype\": \"category\",\n          \"num_unique_values\":\n          748,\n          \"samples\": [\n          \"United States, United\nKingdom, Denmark, Sweden\",\n          \"United Kingdom, Hong Kong\",\n          ],\n          \"semantic_type\": \"\",\n          \"description\": \"\",\n          \"column\": \"date_added\",\n          \"properties\": {\n          \"dtype\": \"category\",\n          \"num_unique_values\": 1767,\n          \"samples\": [\n          \"October 22, 2018\",\n          \"January 29, 2021\",\n          ],\n          \"semantic_type\": \"\",\n          \"description\": \"\",\n          \"column\": \"release_year\",\n          \"properties\": {\n          \"dtype\": \"number\",\n          \"std\":\n          8,\n          \"min\": 1925,\n          \"max\": 2021,\n          \"num_unique_values\": 74,\n          \"samples\": [\n          1996,\n          1969\n          ],\n          \"semantic_type\": \"\",\n          \"description\": \"\",\n          \"column\":\n          \"rating\",\n          \"properties\": {\n          \"dtype\":\n          \"category\",\n          \"num_unique_values\": 17,\n          \"samples\": [\n          \"PG-13\",\n          \"TV-MA\",\n          ],\n          \"semantic_type\": \"\",\n          \"description\": \"\",\n          \"column\": \"duration\",\n          \"properties\": {\n          \"dtype\": \"category\",\n          \"num_unique_values\": 220,\n          \"samples\": [\n          \"37\nmin\",\n          \"177 min\",\n          ],\n          \"semantic_type\":\n          \"\",\n          \"description\": \"\",\n          \"column\": \"listed_in\",\n          \"properties\": {\n          \"dtype\": \"category\",\n          \"num_unique_values\": 514,\n          \"samples\": [\n          \"Crime TV Shows, International TV Shows, TV\nMysteries\",\n          \"Children & Family Movies, Classic Movies,\nDramas\",\n          ],\n          \"semantic_type\": \"\",\n          \"description\": \"\",\n          \"column\":\n          \"description\",\n          \"properties\": {\n          \"dtype\":\n          \"string\",\n          \"num_unique_values\": 8775,\n          \"samples\": [\n          \"A heedless teen drifter who falls for a\nsmall-town waitress makes the mistake of robbing a drug lord, putting\nhis life and newfound love in jeopardy.\",\n          \"Twelve-year-\nold Calvin manages to join the navy and serves in the battle of\nGuadalcanal. But when his age is revealed, the boy is sent to the\nbrig.\",\n          ],\n          \"semantic_type\": \"\",

```

```
\["description\: \["\n      }\n    ]\n  }", "type": "dataframe", "variable_name": "df"}
```

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

```
df.isnull().sum()
```

```
show_id      0
type         0
title        0
director    2634
cast        825
country     831
date_added   10
release_year 0
rating       4
duration     3
listed_in    0
description  0
dtype: int64
```

```
df[df.duplicated()]
```

```
{"repr_error": "Out of range float values are not JSON compliant:
nan", "type": "dataframe"}
```

```
df['director'].fillna("Unknown_Value", inplace=True)
df['cast'].fillna("Unknown_Value", inplace=True)
df['country'].fillna("Unknown_Value", inplace=True)
```

<ipython-input-42-e84223180a08>:1: FutureWarning: A value is trying to be set on a copy of a DataFrame or Series through chained assignment using an inplace method.

The behavior will change in pandas 3.0. This inplace method will never work because the intermediate object on which we are setting values always behaves as a copy.

For example, when doing 'df[col].method(value, inplace=True)', try using 'df.method({col: value}, inplace=True)' or df[col] = df[col].method(value) instead, to perform the operation inplace on the original object.

```
df['director'].fillna("Unknown_Value",inplace=True)
```

<ipython-input-42-e84223180a08>:2: FutureWarning: A value is trying to be set on a copy of a DataFrame or Series through chained assignment using an inplace method.

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```
df['cast'].fillna("Unknown_Value",inplace=True)
```

<ipython-input-42-e84223180a08>:3: FutureWarning: A value is trying to be set on a copy of a DataFrame or Series through chained assignment using an inplace method.

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```
df['country'].fillna("Unknown_Value",inplace=True)
```

```
df.dropna(subset=['date_added'],inplace=True)
```

```
df.dropna(subset=['rating'],inplace=True)
```

```
df.dropna(subset=['duration'],inplace=True)
```

```
df.nunique()
```

```
show_id      8790
type         2
```

```
title          8790
director       4527
cast           7679
country        749
date_added     1765
release_year    74
rating         14
duration       220
listed_in      513
description    8758
dtype: int64
```

### Convert 'date\_added' to datetime

```
df['date_added'] = pd.to_datetime(df['date_added'], format='%B %d, %Y', errors='coerce')
```

### Convert 'rating', 'type', etc. to category

```
df['type'] = df['type'].astype('category')
df['rating'] = df['rating'].astype('category')
```

## Non-Graphical Analysis

```
df['type'].value_counts()
df['country'].value_counts().head(10)
df['listed_in'].value_counts().head(10)
df['release_year'].value_counts().sort_index().tail(30)
```

```
release_year
1992         23
1993         28
1994         22
1995         25
1996         24
1997         38
1998         36
1999         39
2000         37
2001         45
2002         51
2003         59
2004         64
2005         80
2006         96
2007         88
```

```

2008      135
2009      152
2010      192
2011      185
2012      236
2013      286
2014      352
2015      555
2016      901
2017     1030
2018     1146
2019     1030
2020      953
2021      592
Name: count, dtype: int64

```

```
df.nunique()
```

```

show_id      8790
type          2
title        8790
director     4527
cast         7679
country       749
date_added   1697
release_year   74
rating        14
duration      220
listed_in     513
description   8758
dtype: int64

```

## Data Analysis and Data Visualization.

```
df.head()
```

```

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```



```

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Costa, Lea Glob\", \n          ], \n          \"semantic_type\": \"\", \n
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Ward, Chris Gartin, Helen Shaver, Michael Gross, Marcelo Tubert, Marco
Hernandez, Jos\\u00e9 Ram\\u00f3n Rosario, Thomas Rosales Jr.\", \n
\"Vanessa Paradis\", \n          ], \n          \"semantic_type\": \"\", \n
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\"max\": 2021, \n          \"num_unique_values\": 74, \n
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min\", \n          \"177 min\", \n          ], \n          \"semantic_type\":
\"\", \n          \"description\": \"\", \n          }, \n          { \n          \"column\": \"listed_in\", \n
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Mysteries\", \n          \"Children & Family Movies, Classic Movies,
Dramas\", \n          ], \n          \"semantic_type\": \"\", \n
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\"string\", \n          \"num_unique_values\": 8758, \n
\"samples\": [\n          \"Led by a trio of Korean celebs, a

```

```
multinational panel of men engage in \u2013 usually \u2013
lighthearted debates on issues that surround Korea and beyond.\",\n
\"Based on the audio diaries of academic and theologian John Hull,
this film offers an impressionistic re-creation of his slow descent
into blindness.\",\n
],\n
\"semantic_type\": \"\", \n
\"description\": \"\" \n
} \n
}\n
n} \", \"type\": \"dataframe\", \"variable_name\": \"df\"}
```

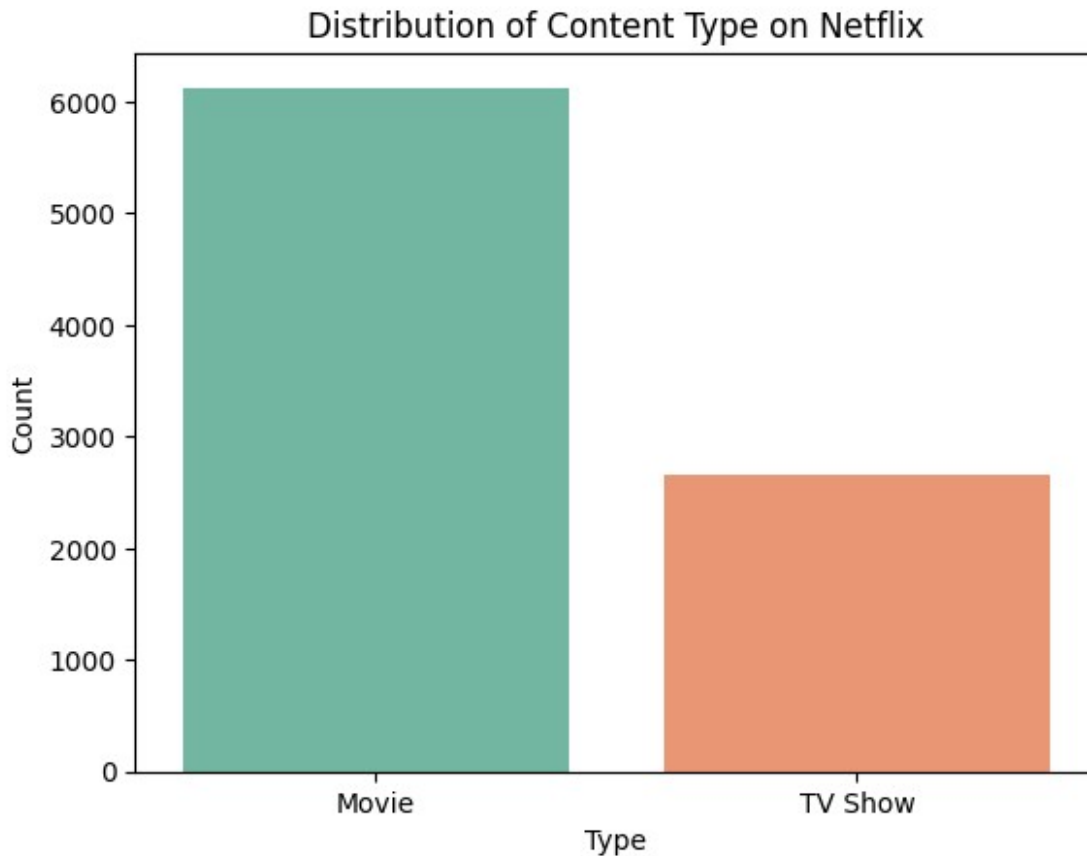
## Q1. What is the distribution of content type (Movies vs. TV Shows)?

```
sns.countplot(x='type', data=df, palette='Set2')
plt.title("Distribution of Content Type on Netflix")
plt.xlabel("Type")
plt.ylabel("Count")
plt.show()
```

<ipython-input-53-b9caf8cb1748>:1: FutureWarning:

Passing `palette` without assigning `hue` is deprecated and will be removed in v0.14.0. Assign the `x` variable to `hue` and set `legend=False` for the same effect.

```
sns.countplot(x='type', data=df, palette='Set2')
```



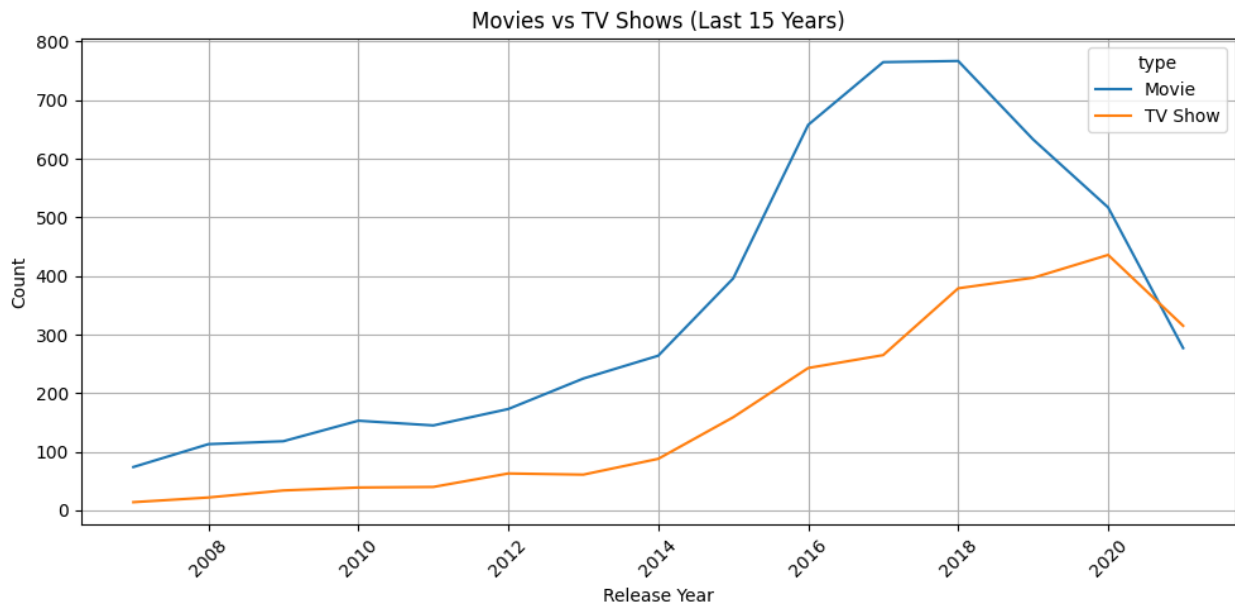
**Insight:** Netflix has added more movies than TV shows overall. However, if we look at the trend over the years, the number of TV shows being added has been increasing steadily.

**\*\*Q2. How has the number of Movies and TV Shows released on Netflix changed over the years? (Bivariate Analysis)**

```
df_grouped = df.groupby(['release_year', 'type']).size().unstack()
df_grouped_recent = df_grouped.tail(15)
df_grouped_recent.plot(kind='line', figsize=(10, 5), color=['#1f77b4', '#ff7f0e'])
plt.title("Movies vs TV Shows (Last 15 Years)")
plt.xlabel("Release Year")
plt.ylabel("Count")
plt.xticks(rotation=45)
plt.grid(True)
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```

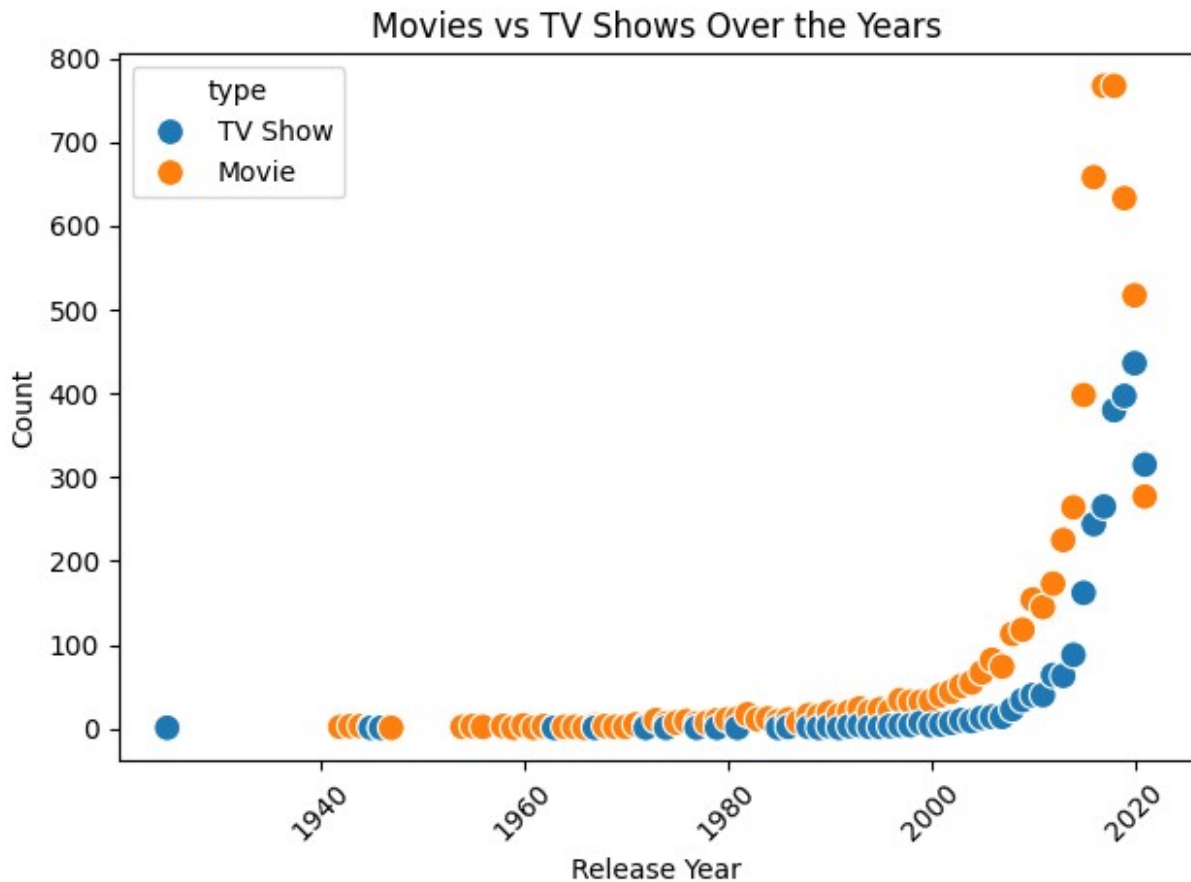
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```
observed=True to adopt the future default and silence this warning.  
df_grouped = df.groupby(['release_year', 'type']).size().unstack()
```



**Insights:** Netflix initially focused on movies, but has shifted towards TV show production, especially since 2016 to 2018.

```
df_grouped = df.groupby(['release_year',  
                          'type']).size().reset_index(name='count')  
sns.scatterplot(data=df_grouped, x='release_year', y='count',  
                hue='type', palette=['#1f77b4', '#ff7f0e'], s=100)  
plt.title("Movies vs TV Shows Over the Years")  
plt.xlabel("Release Year")  
plt.ylabel("Count")  
plt.xticks(rotation=45)  
plt.tight_layout()  
plt.show()
```



### Q3. What are the Most Popular listed\_in on Netflix? (Univariate - Categorical)

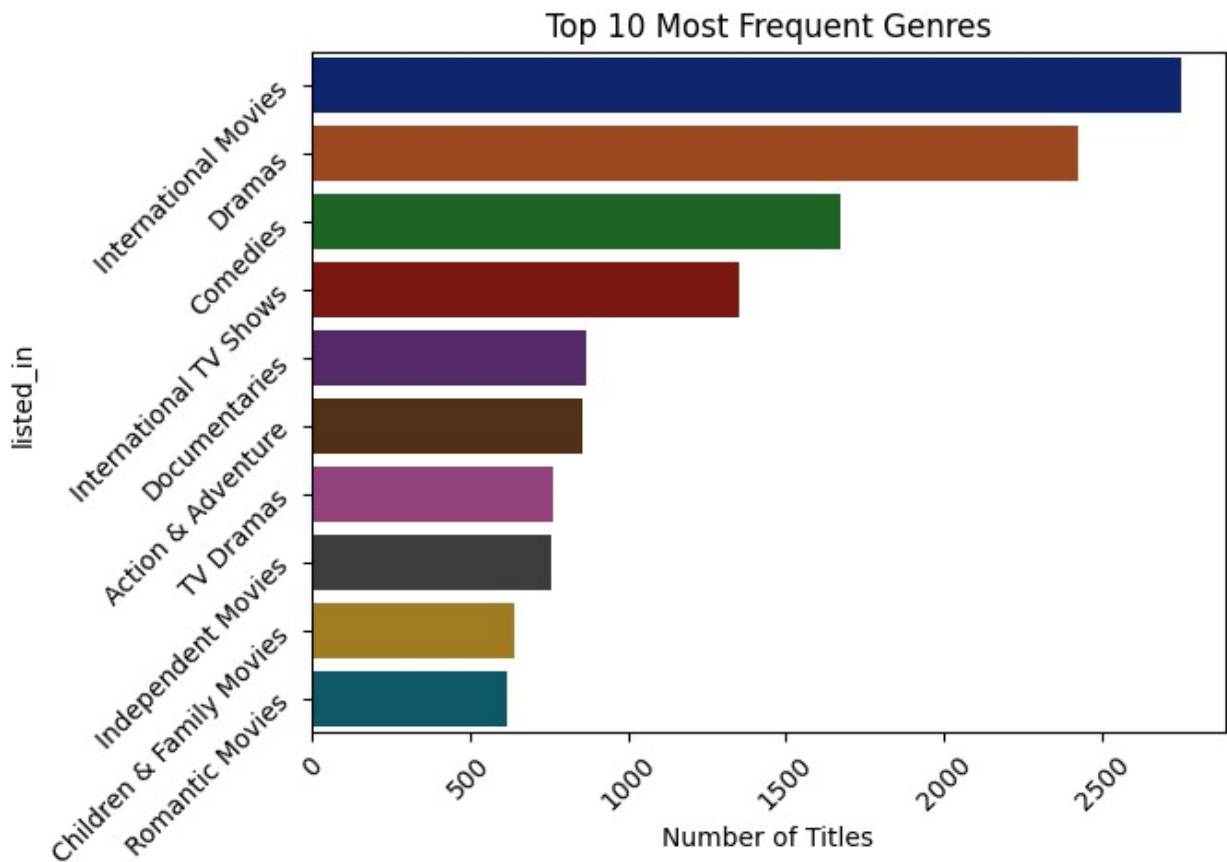
```
df_exploded_genre = df.assign(genre=df['listed_in'].str.split(', ')).explode('genre')

top_genres = df_exploded_genre['genre'].value_counts().head(10)
sns.barplot(y=top_genres.index, x=top_genres.values, palette='dark')
plt.title("Top 10 Most Frequent Genres")
plt.xlabel("Number of Titles")
plt.xticks(rotation=45)
plt.yticks(rotation=45)
plt.ylabel("listed_in")
plt.show()
```

<ipython-input-56-acfb40ea99f6>:2: FutureWarning:

Passing `palette` without assigning `hue` is deprecated and will be removed in v0.14.0. Assign the `y` variable to `hue` and set `legend=False` for the same effect.

```
sns.barplot(y=top_genres.index, x=top_genres.values, palette='dark')
```



**Insight:** we can see in above chart Drama, International Movies, and Comedies are most common and popular.

## 4. Which Countries Produce the Most Content on Netflix?

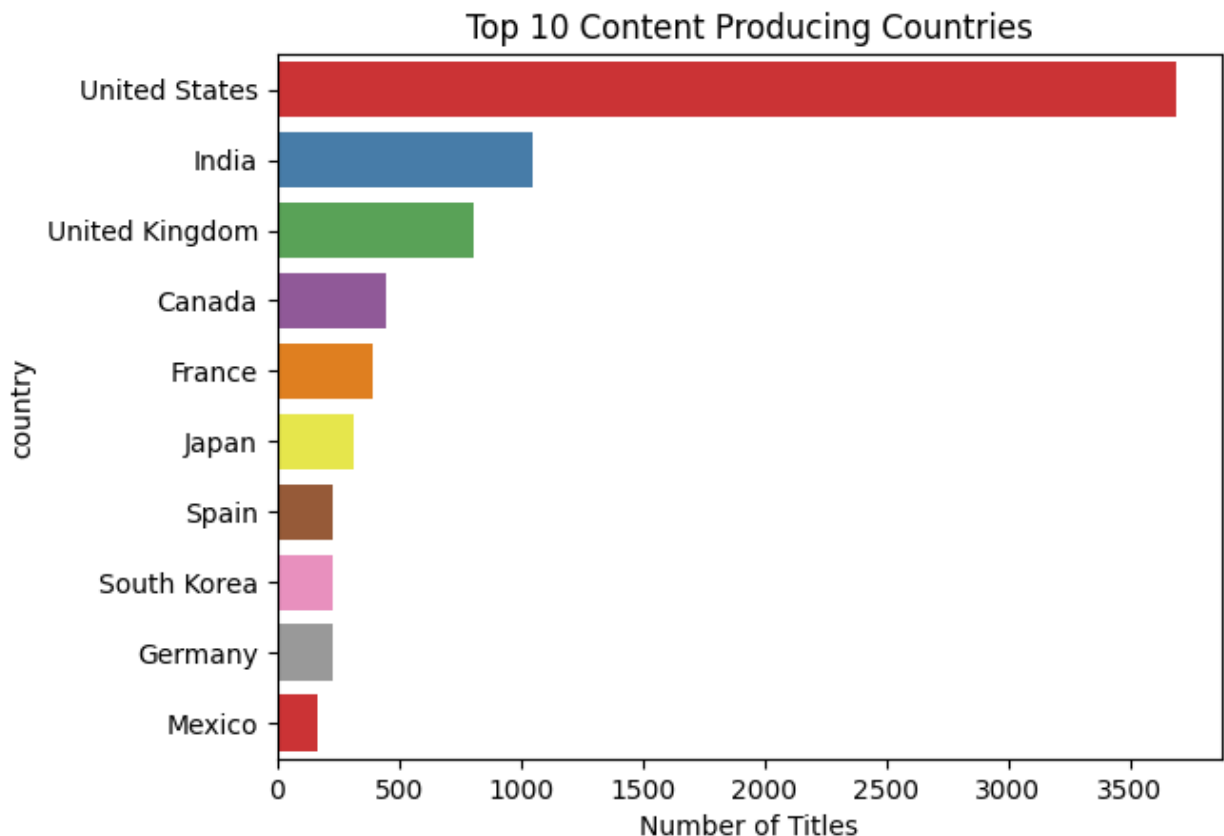
```
df_exploded_country = df.assign(country=df['country'].str.split(', ')).explode('country')

top_countries = df_exploded_country['country'].value_counts().head(10)
sns.barplot(y=top_countries.index, x=top_countries.values,
palette='Set1')
plt.title("Top 10 Content Producing Countries")
plt.xlabel("Number of Titles")
plt.ylabel("country")
plt.show()
```

```
<ipython-input-57-f89f159c4486>:2: FutureWarning:
```

Passing `palette` without assigning `hue` is deprecated and will be removed in v0.14.0. Assign the `y` variable to `hue` and set `legend=False` for the same effect.

```
sns.barplot(y=top_countries.index, x=top_countries.values,  
palette='Set1')
```

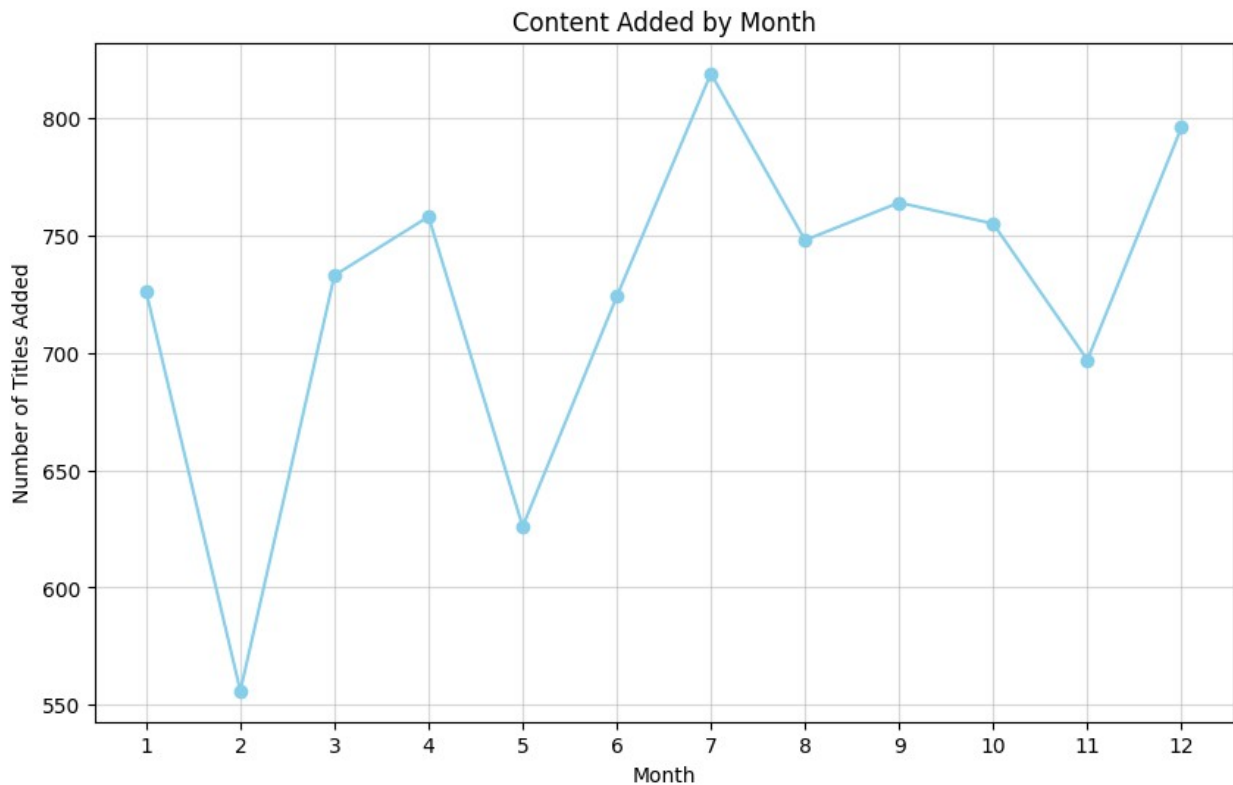


**\*\* Insight:\*\*** as per Chart and analysis USA, India and UK produced more content on Netflix.

## When is the best time to launch content on Netflix?

```
df['month_added'] = df['date_added'].dt.month  
month_counts = df['month_added'].value_counts().sort_index()  
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))  
plt.plot(month_counts.index, month_counts.values, marker='o',  
linestyle='-', color='skyblue')
```

```
plt.title("Content Added by Month")
plt.xlabel("Month")
plt.ylabel("Number of Titles Added")
plt.xticks(month_counts.index) # Show all months on x-axis
plt.grid(True, alpha=0.5)
plt.show()
```



**\*\* Insight:\*\*** High releases in December, October, and September.\*\*

## Who are the most frequently featured actors on Netflix?

```
df_exploded_cast = df.assign(actor=df['cast'].str.split(',').explode('actor'))

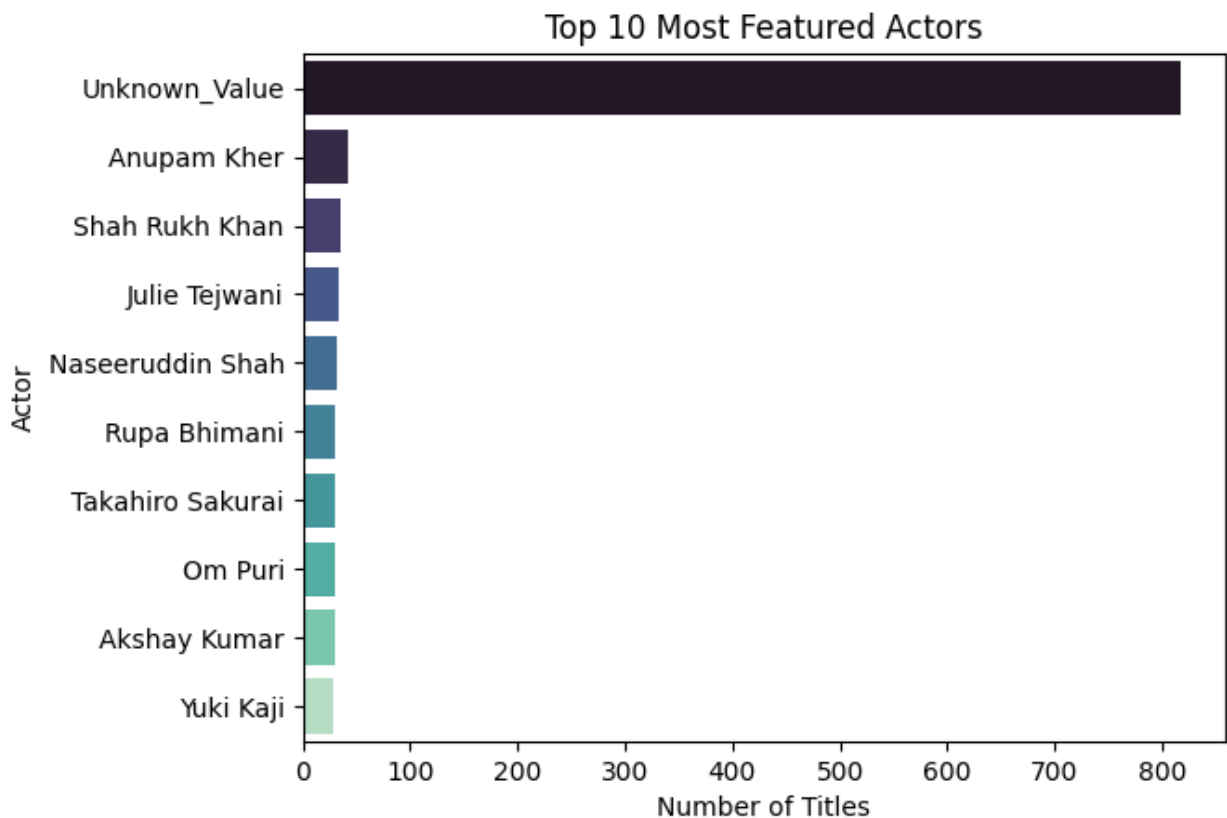
top_actors = df_exploded_cast['actor'].value_counts().head(10)
sns.barplot(y=top_actors.index, x=top_actors.values, palette='mako')
plt.title("Top 10 Most Featured Actors")
plt.xlabel("Number of Titles")
plt.ylabel("Actor")
plt.show()
```



```
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```

Passing `palette` without assigning `hue` is deprecated and will be removed in v0.14.0. Assign the `y` variable to `hue` and set `legend=False` for the same effect.

```
sns.barplot(y=top_actors.index, x=top_actors.values, palette='mako')
```



**\*\* Insight:\*\*** Indian and US actors are frequently cast.

## What is the distribution of movie durations on Netflix?

```
df_movies = df[df['type'] == 'Movie']
```

```
df_movies['minutes'] = df_movies['duration'].str.extract('(\d+)', expand=False).astype(int)
```

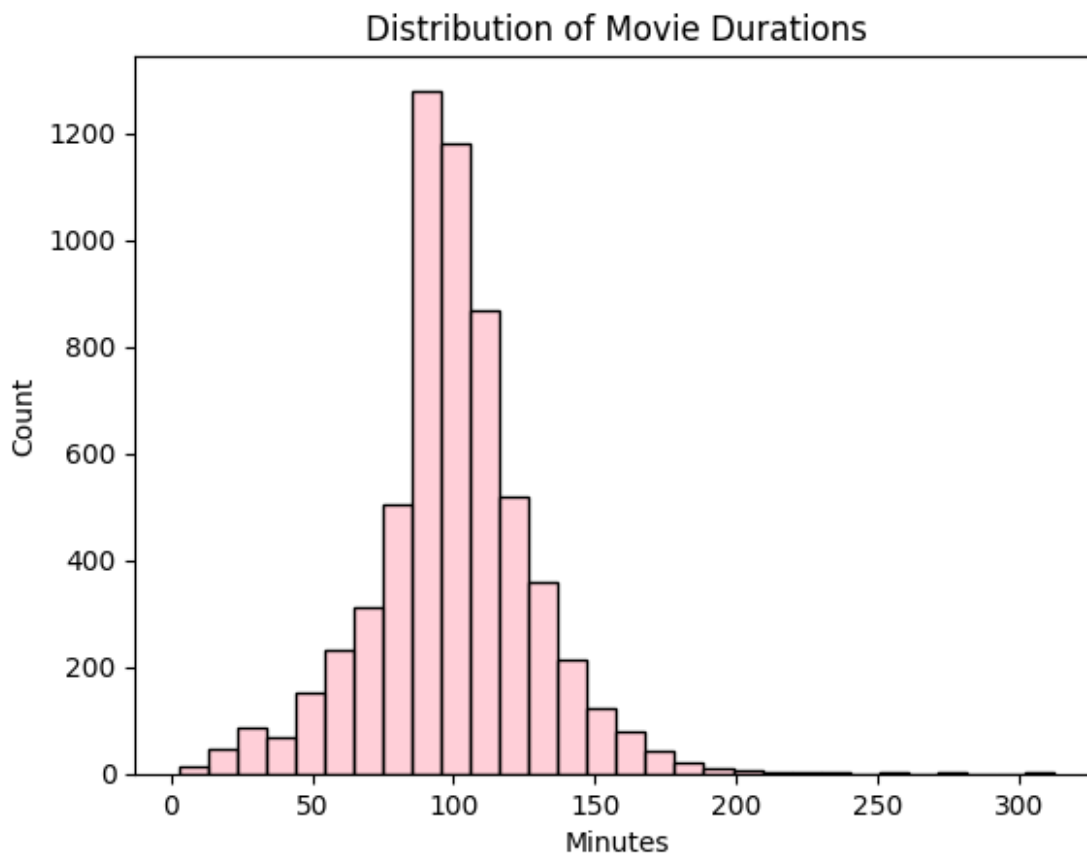
```
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A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame.  
Try using .loc[row_indexer,col_indexer] = value instead
```

```

See the caveats in the documentation:
https://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/user\_guide/indexing.html#returning-a-view-versus-a-copy
df_movies['minutes'] = df_movies['duration'].str.extract('(\d+)').astype(int)

sns.histplot(df_movies['minutes'], bins=30, color='pink')
plt.title("Distribution of Movie Durations")
plt.xlabel("Minutes")
plt.show()

```



**\*\* Insight:\*\*** Most movies 80–120 mins. Outliers >200 mins.

## Has Netflix shifted its focus towards TV Shows in recent years?

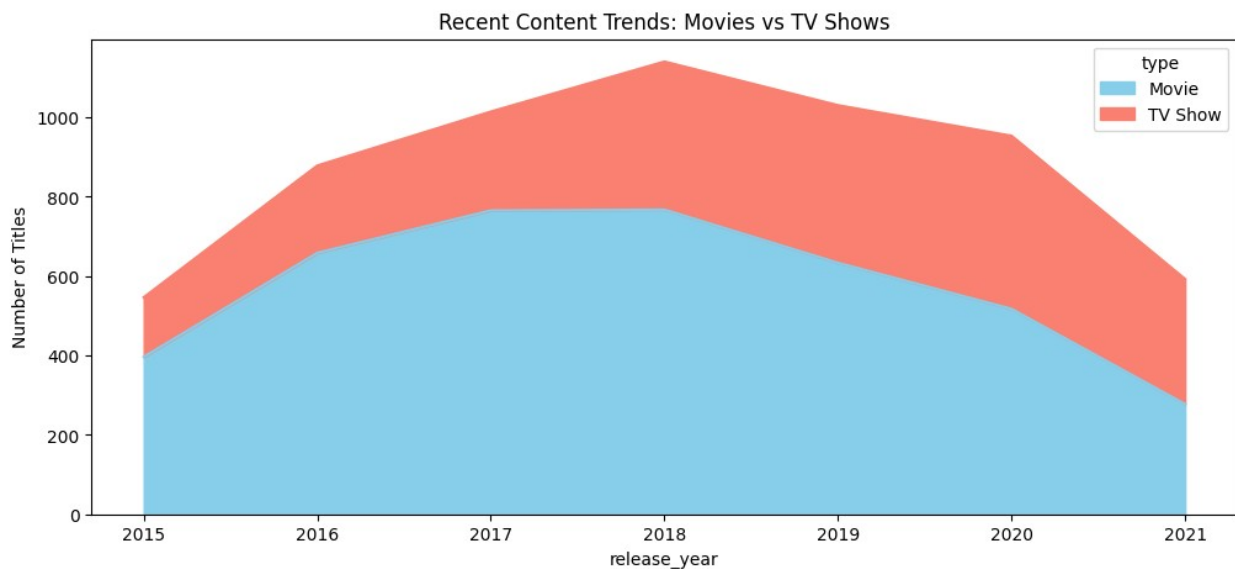
```

recent = df[df['release_year'] >= 2015]
recent_trend = recent.groupby(['release_year',
                                'type']).size().unstack()
recent_trend.plot(kind='area', figsize=(12,5), color=['skyblue',

```

```
'salmon'])
plt.title("Recent Content Trends: Movies vs TV Shows")
plt.ylabel("Number of Titles")
plt.show()
```

```
<ipython-input-59-ee04f122fa4f>:2: FutureWarning: The default of
observed=False is deprecated and will be changed to True in a future
version of pandas. Pass observed=False to retain current behavior or
observed=True to adopt the future default and silence this warning.
  recent_trend = recent.groupby(['release_year',
'type']).size().unstack()
```



**\*\* Insight:\*\*** TV Shows surge from 2016. Strategy shift.

What is the distribution of content ratings on Netflix? \*\*\*

```
!pip install squarify
import squarify
```

Collecting squarify

Downloading squarify-0.4.4-py3-none-any.whl.metadata (600 bytes)

Downloading squarify-0.4.4-py3-none-any.whl (4.1 kB)

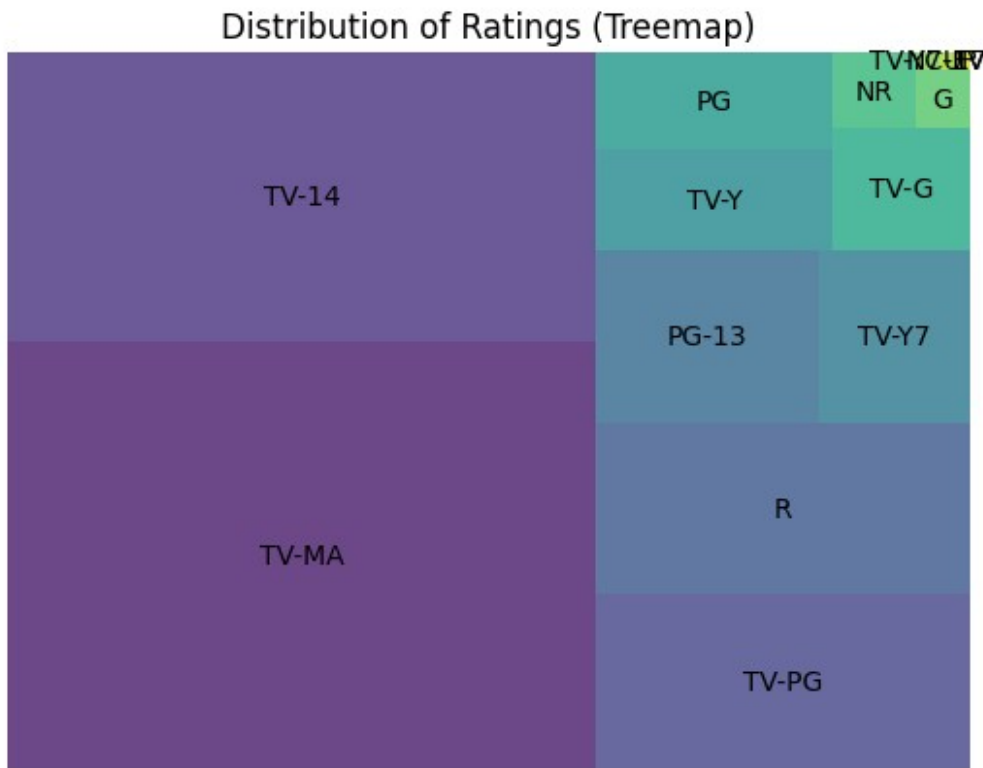
Installing collected packages: squarify

Successfully installed squarify-0.4.4

```
rating_counts = df['rating'].value_counts()
labels = rating_counts.index.tolist()
sizes = rating_counts.values.tolist()
```

```
squarify.plot(sizes=sizes, label=labels, alpha=.8,
color=sns.color_palette('viridis', len(labels)))
plt.title("Distribution of Ratings (Treemap)")
```

```
plt.axis('off')
plt.show()
```

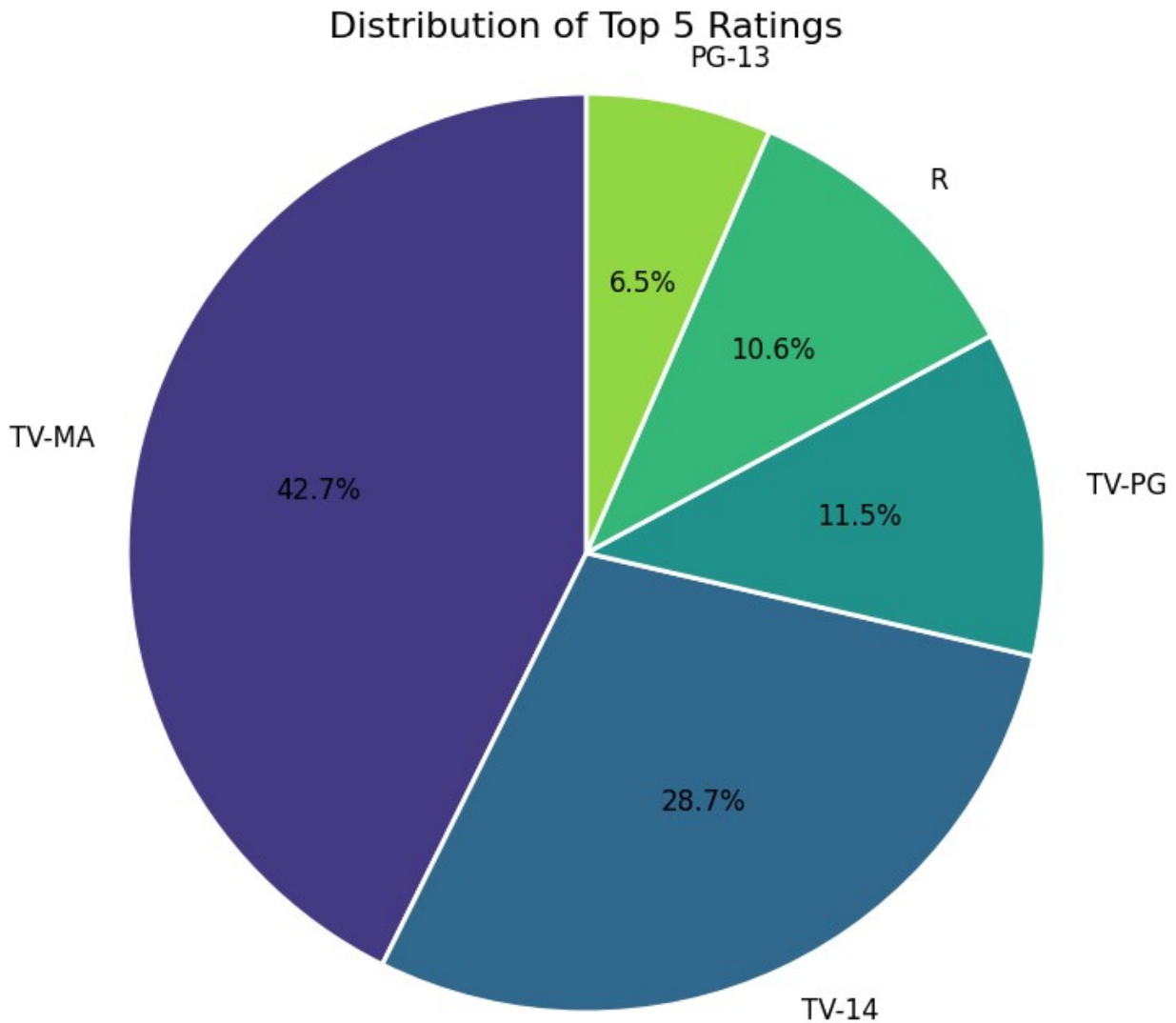


```
top_5_ratings = df['rating'].value_counts().head(5)

# Customize plot appearance
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 8))
plt.pie(top_5_ratings,
        labels=top_5_ratings.index,
        autopct='%1.1f%%',
        colors=sns.color_palette('viridis', len(top_5_ratings)),
        startangle=90,
        textprops={'fontsize': 12},
        wedgeprops={'linewidth': 2, 'edgecolor': 'white'})

plt.title("Distribution of Top 5 Ratings", fontsize=16)
plt.axis('equal')

plt.show()
```



**Insight:**TV-MA and TV-14 are the most frequent ratings. These ratings target teens and adults. This suggests Netflix's content strategy focuses on these audiences.

**What is the correlation between the duration of movies (in minutes) and the year they were added to Netflix?**

```
df_movies = df[df['type'] == 'Movie']
df_movies['year_added'] = df_movies['date_added'].dt.year
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```

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```
df_movies['year_added'] = df_movies['date_added'].dt.year
```

```
df_movies['minutes'] = df_movies['duration'].str.extract(r'(\d+)').astype(float)
```

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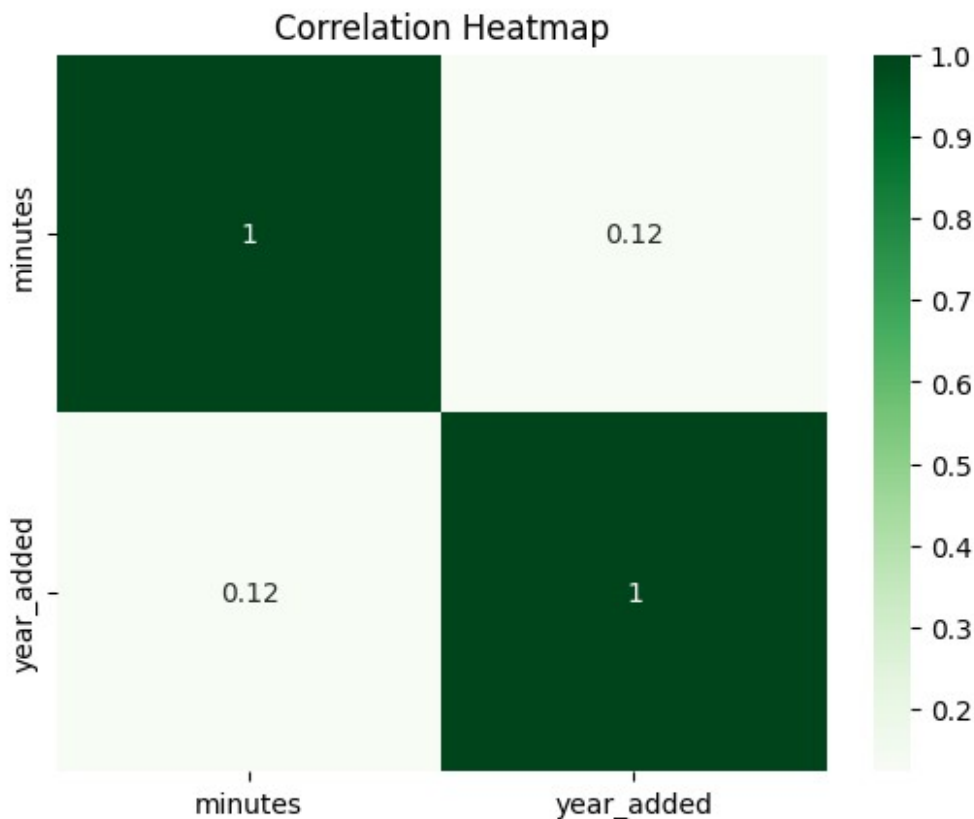
[https://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/user\\_guide/indexing.html#returning-a-view-versus-a-copy](https://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/user_guide/indexing.html#returning-a-view-versus-a-copy)

```
df_movies['minutes'] = df_movies['duration'].str.extract(r'(\d+)').astype(float)
```

```
sns.heatmap(df_movies[['minutes', 'year_added']].corr(), annot=True, cmap='Greens')
```

```
plt.title("Correlation Heatmap")
```

```
plt.show()
```



**\*\* Insight:\*\*** No strong correlation. Feature engineering may be needed.

Director, cast, and country fields had missing values.

## Business Insights\*\*

=> Movies are still the most common, but TV Shows are growing fast and becoming more popular.

=> Drama and Comedy are the most popular genres worldwide, making them a good choice for future content.

=> December is a peak month for adding new content—possibly due to holidays and more viewers.

=> Most content comes from the US, India, and the UK, showing strong production from these countries and chances to grow through local partnerships.

=> A lot of content is made for adults, which means there's a good opportunity to create more shows and movies for kids.

## Recommendations\*\*

1. Increase production of TV Shows, especially in drama/comedy listed\_in.
2. Launch major titles in Q4 (Sept–Dec) to capitalize on viewership peaks.
3. Promote actors with proven Netflix presence to attract loyal viewers.