Microsoft Movie Analysis

Business Problem

What types of films should Microsoft produce based on what films are currently doing the best at the box office?

Analysis: What did we examine?

- Percent of titles by genre
- Ratings by genre
- Profit and profit margin by genre

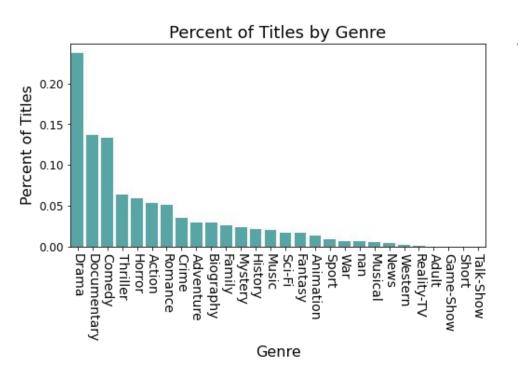
Conclusions: What are our findings?

No relationship between profit and commonly produced genres

No relationship between profit and viewer rating

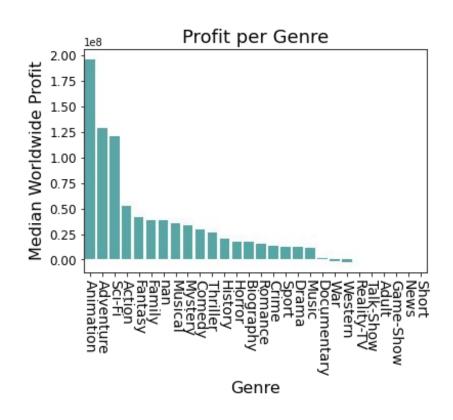
- Genres with most global profit:
 - 1. Animation
 - 2. Adventure
 - 3. Sci-Fi

Analysis & Findings: What type of films are other companies producing?



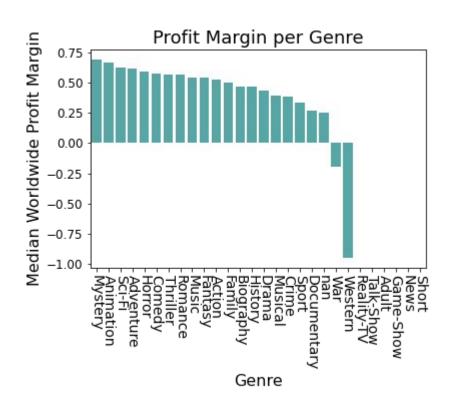
- Genres with most titles:
 - 1. Drama
 - 2. Documentary
 - 3. Comedy

Analysis & Findings: Do commonly produced genres earn higher profits?



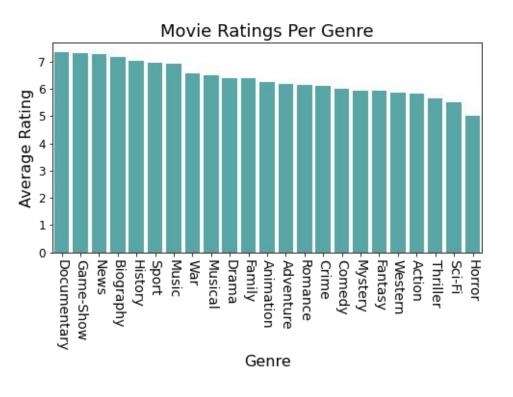
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Analysis & Findings: Do commonly produced genres have better margins?



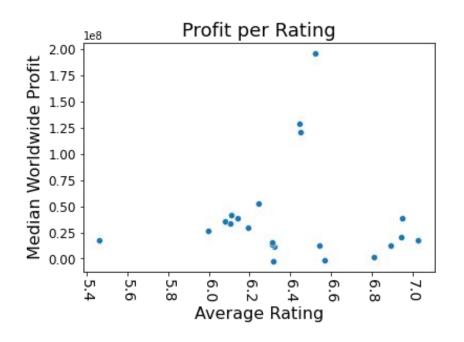
- Genres with most titles:
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- Genres with most profit margin:
 - 1. Mystery
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Analysis & Findings: What type of films are highly rated by viewers?



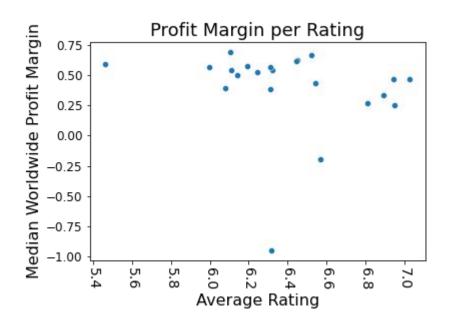
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 - 3. News

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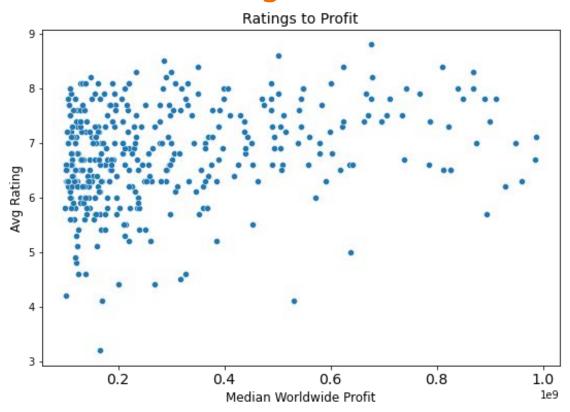
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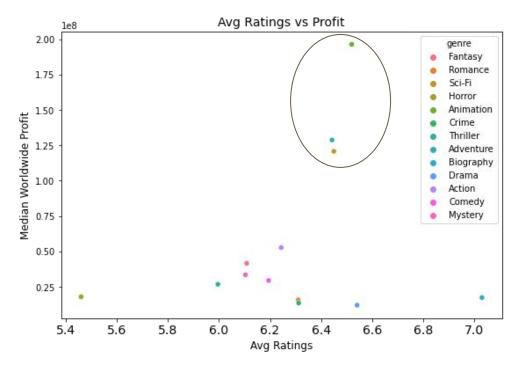


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Profit not related to ratings



Highest Profit Genres



- Genres with most profit:
 - 1. Animation
 - 2. Adventure
 - 3. Sci-Fi

These three genres stand out in their profits far beyond other genres.

We can see ratings are not strongly related.

Data Limitations

- Ratings may not be a strong indicator of global profits however we need to investigate other sources of consumer ratings outside of imdb to confirm.
 - Age distribution of imdb users
 - Country of origin distribution of imdb users

- Percent of titles by genre may not be a strong indicator of global profits however we need to investigate other sources of movies produced outside of imdb to confirm.
 - Country of origin for movie production

Recommendations

 Don't produce genres commonly produced by competitors. These genres do not correlate to profit.

 Don't produce genres solely based on viewer ratings. These genres do not correlate to profit.

 According to our current findings, Microsoft should invest in producing animation films since they have the best success globally.