

Discogs Dataset trend of vinyl and CD with prediction. Decision Trees.

COL Data Science Bootcamp Course

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- The dataset has the following attributes: artist, title, label, country, format, release date , genre, styles, have, want, num_ratings, average_rating, lowest_price, median_price, highest_price.

1. Data Set Selection and Understanding

Discogs depeche mode  Explore ▾ Marketplace ▾ Community ▾   3   9 

Genre

- Electronic 19,191
- Rock 6,377
- Pop 5,369
- Hip Hop 1,221
- Funk / Soul 1,011
- All ▾

Style




- Synth-pop 15,347
- Pop Rock 2,182
- Alternative Rock 1,871
- House 1,868
- Electro 1,767
- All ▾


Format

- CD 8,877
- Compilation 7,656
- Vinyl 5,695
- Album 5,593
- Unofficial Release 5,242
- All ▾


All Release 19,798 Master 1,772 Artist 458 Label 62 [Search Marketplace](#)

Exploring depeche mode

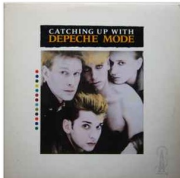
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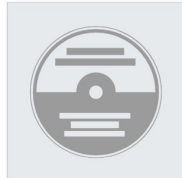
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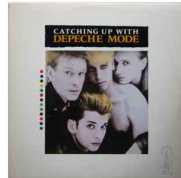
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Catching Up With Depeche Mode




Not On Label (Depeche Mode)




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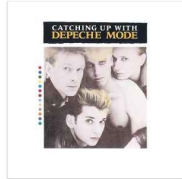
Interview With Depeche Mode




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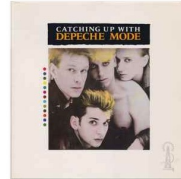
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In Concert - 345 Feet




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2. Problem Definition

Objectives

In order to figure out the market of turntables and CD, looking into the trend of vinyl and CD sales is an idea.

1. How many vinyl and CD were released per year from 2000 to 2019?
2. Is there a correlation between vinyl records and CD?
3. What is the forecast for the vinyl and CD released through 2025?
4. Decision Tree

3. Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)

df.info()

```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 315072 entries, 0 to 315071
Data columns (total 6 columns):
#   Column      Non-Null Count  Dtype
---  ---
0   release_id  315072 non-null  int64
1   country     314426 non-null  object
2   year        311041 non-null  float64
3   genre       315072 non-null  object
4   style       313909 non-null  object
5   format      315071 non-null  object
dtypes: float64(1), int64(1), object(4)
memory usage: 14.4+ MB
```

df.head()

	release_id	country	year	genre	style	format
0	1	Sweden	1999.0	Electronic	Deep House	Vinyl
1	2	Sweden	1998.0	Electronic	Broken Beat	Vinyl
2	2	Sweden	1998.0	Electronic	Techno	Vinyl
3	2	Sweden	1998.0	Electronic	Tech House	Vinyl
4	3	US	1999.0	Electronic	Techno	CD

```
[ ] df["year"].value_counts()

count
year
2016.0  827806
2012.0  814333
2017.0  805624
2015.0  805219
2013.0  801459
...     ...
2021.0    4
1889.0    2
1860.0    1
1894.0    1
```

1. Exploratory
2. Clean data
3. Filter CD & Vinyl
4. Combining per year

```
[ ] df["format"].value_counts()

count
format
CD      10699846
Vinyl    10651356
File     3171396
Cassette 2110064
DVD       341762
Shellac   234792
Box Set   232879
All Media 138300
VHS       66013
```


3. Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)

Remove duplicates values and combining num realese_id / year

	release_id	country	year	genre	style	format
83	56	US	2000	Electronic	House	CD
84	56	US	2000	Electronic	Garage House	CD
452	284	US	2000	Electronic	House	CD
453	284	US	2000	Electronic	Techno	CD
454	284	US	2000	Electronic	Downtempo	CD
492	297	UK	2000	Electronic	Abstract	CD
493	297	UK	2000	Electronic	IDM	CD
494	297	UK	2000	Electronic	Ambient	CD
519	313	US	2000	Electronic	Techno	CD
520	313	US	2000	Electronic	Electro	CD

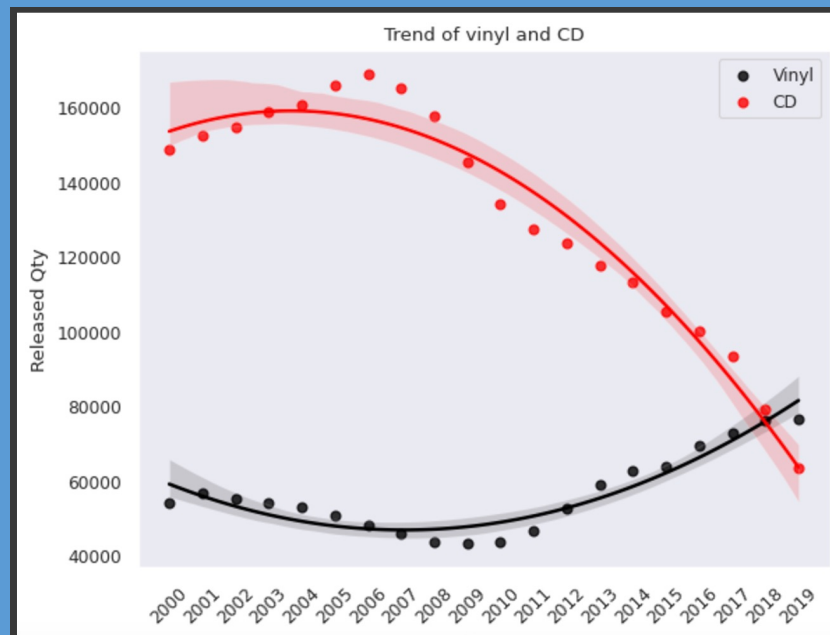
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15	9	US	2000	Electronic	House	Vinyl
16	9	US	2000	Electronic	Deep House	Vinyl
23	15	US	2000	Electronic	House	Vinyl
24	15	US	2000	Electronic	Deep House	Vinyl
25	16	US	2000	Electronic	Techno	Vinyl
26	16	US	2000	Electronic	Tech House	Vinyl
30	18	US	2000	Electronic	Techno	Vinyl
31	18	US	2000	Electronic	Tech House	Vinyl
32	19	Canada	2000	Electronic	Progressive House	Vinyl
33	19	Canada	2000	Electronic	House	Vinyl

	release_id	country	year	genre	style	format
57	36	US	2000	Electronic	Trance	CD
83	56	US	2000	Electronic	House	CD
452	284	US	2000	Electronic	House	CD
474	293	UK	2000	Electronic	Leftfield	CD
492	297	UK	2000	Electronic	Abstract	CD
519	313	US	2000	Electronic	Techno	CD
521	314	Germany	2000	Electronic	Abstract	CD
524	315	Belgium	2000	Electronic	Abstract	CD
551	324	UK	2000	Electronic	Abstract	CD
554	325	UK	2000	Electronic	Leftfield	CD

	release_id	country	year	genre	style	format
13	7	US	2000	Electronic	Deep House	Vinyl
14	8	US	2000	Electronic	Deep House	Vinyl
15	9	US	2000	Electronic	House	Vinyl
20	13	US	2000	Electronic	Deep House	Vinyl
23	15	US	2000	Electronic	House	Vinyl
25	16	US	2000	Electronic	Techno	Vinyl
30	18	US	2000	Electronic	Techno	Vinyl
32	19	Canada	2000	Electronic	Progressive House	Vinyl
35	20	US	2000	Electronic	Tech House	Vinyl
36	21	UK	2000	Electronic	Deep Techno	Vinyl

4. Model Selection and Evaluation

Plot the data to see the released vinyl and CD were changing

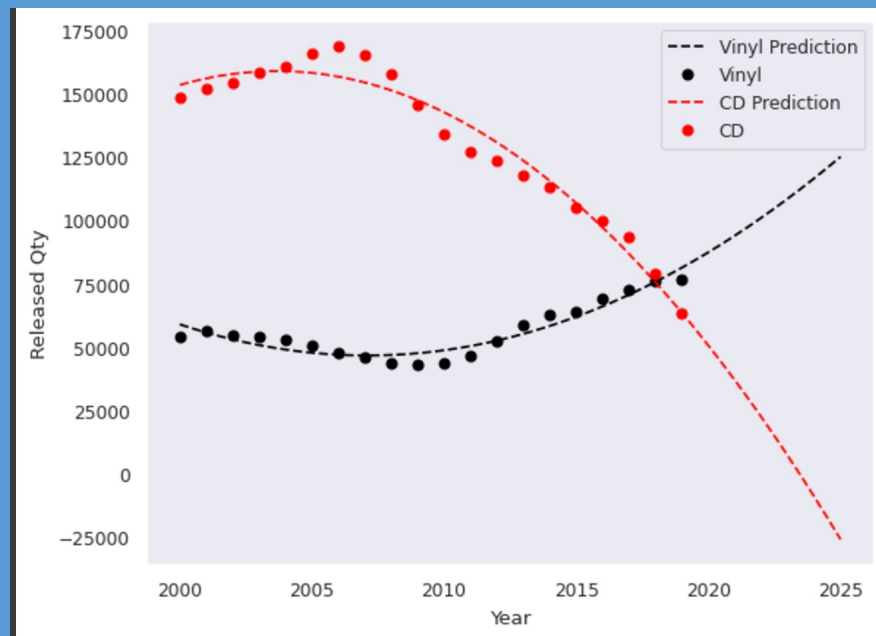


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[ ] data_v_c=pd.merge(data_v_sorted, data_c_sorted, how='inner')
data_v_c['year']=data_v_c['year'].astype('int')
print(data_v_c)
```

	year	vinyl	CD
0	2000	53970	148730
1	2001	56417	152220
2	2002	54920	154569
3	2003	53890	158510
4	2004	52868	160395
5	2005	50617	165640
6	2006	47845	168719
7	2007	45816	165118
8	2008	43600	157706
9	2009	43002	145387
10	2010	43360	133979
11	2011	46286	127099
12	2012	52312	123323
13	2013	58630	117669
14	2014	62614	112915
15	2015	63657	105032
16	2016	69196	100017
17	2017	72601	93325
18	2018	76070	78914
19	2019	76406	63316

4. Model Selection and Evaluation

Regression model polynomial In order to forecast how many vinyl and CD may be released in the next 5 years.



```
[28] corr_v_c = data_v_c[['vinyl', 'CD']].corr()  
print(corr_v_c)
```

```
vinyl    vinyl    CD  
vinyl    1.000000 -0.839542  
CD       -0.839542  1.000000
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The number of records for vinyls are increasing, although the number of CDs are decreasing.

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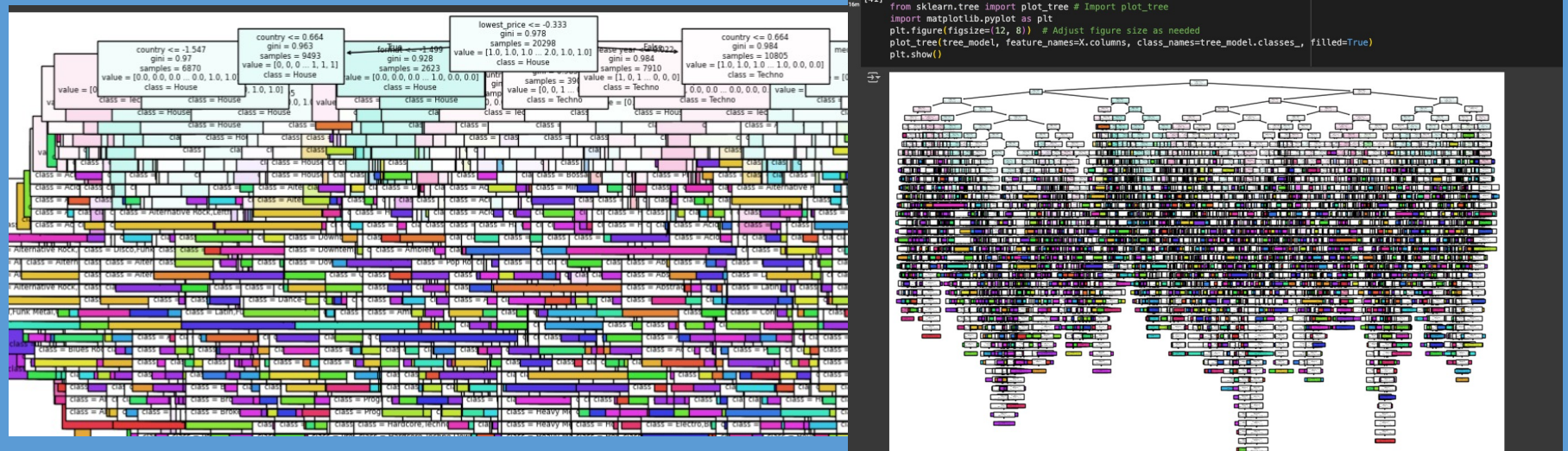
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Decision Tree

The 'styles' feature in the dataset likely represents a list of music styles associated with each record. This is a categorical feature that could be valuable for predicting other aspects of the record, such as genre, popularity, or price. Possible decision tree tasks with 'styles'.

Conditions: we only take top 5 countries.

Due to the quantities of matrix the decision tree is not a model selection to be considered.



5. Feedback and Summarizing

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Vinyls is increasing the quantities released exponential.

CDs are not expecting to be selling anymore.

People are preferring vinyls collectors or media than CDs.