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## 1 Overview

A handful of companies have defined the Hollywood film industry, dominating the US and world markets. They have weathered a world war, and a Great Depression and few moderate ones, innovated wide screen and color technologies, made peace with television, learned to exploit home video and online streaming, and are more powerful than ever before.

Most big corporations are already in this business or exploring feasibility of entry. Most of the major corporations operating only in this industry are thriving.

## 2 Business Problem

Microsoft sees all the big companies creating original video content and they want to get in on the fun. They have decided to create a new movie studio, but they don't know anything about creating movies.

I am going to try to figure out what types of films are currently performing better at the box office. I shall recommend some actionable insights based on findings of this analysis, which the head of Microsoft's new movie studio can use to help decide what type of films to create.

Areas of focus:

- \* movie genres.
- \* probability of success based on seasonality of releases.
- \* profitability of movie franchise/film series.

# 3 The imports

## 3.1 Packages and Libraries

```
[1]: # for web scraping and API calls
from selenium import webdriver
from selenium.webdriver.common.keys import Keys
from selenium.webdriver.support import expected_conditions as EC
from selenium.webdriver.common.by import By
from selenium.webdriver.support.wait import WebDriverWait
import os
import wget
import tmdbsimple as tmdb
```

```
[2]: # for other parts
     import os
     import pandas as pd
     import numpy as np
     import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
     %matplotlib inline
     import seaborn as sns
     import json
     import requests
     import time
     from pandas.core.common import flatten
     from pandasql import sqldf
     import plotly.graph_objects as go
     from plotly.subplots import make subplots
     import re
     import ast
```

```
[3]: # styling (jupyter-themes must be installed)
## https://github.com/dunovank/jupyter-themes
from jupyterthemes import jtplot
# jt -r # default
jtplot.style(theme='monokai', context='notebook', ticks='True', grid='False')
# jt -t monokai -fs 120 -tfs 120 -nfs 115 -cellw 85% -T -N -kl # my setup
```

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[4]: # to see dataframe better
pd.set_option('display.max_columns', 50)
```

## 3.2 Frequently used fuctions

```
[5]: # Number formatter
def format_number(data_value, index):
    if data_value >= 1_000_000_000:
        formatter = '${:1.1f}B'.format(data_value*0.000_000_001)
        elif data_value >= 1_000_000:
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formatter = '${:1.0f}M'.format(data_value*0.000_001)
else:
   formatter = '${:1.0f}K'.format(data_value*0.001)
return formatter
```

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[6]: # % formatter
def format_add_percentage(data_value, index):
    formatter = '{:.0f}%'.format(data_value)
    return formatter
```

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[7]:
      def correlation_top_bottom(df):
         corr_df_matrix_ = df.unstack().reset_index()
         corr_df_matrix_.columns = ["feature_0", 'feature_1', 'correlation']
         corr_df_matrix_['keep'] = corr_df_matrix_.apply(
             lambda x: False if x['feature 0'] == x['feature 1'] else True, axis=1)
         corr_df_matrix_['feature_combo'] = corr_df_matrix_.apply(
             lambda x: ' and '.join(set(x[['feature_0', 'feature_1']])), axis=1)
         corr_featurs = corr_df_matrix_[corr_df_matrix_.keep][[
             'feature_combo', 'correlation'
         ]].drop duplicates().sort values(by='correlation', ascending=False)
         print(
             f'Positive correlations:\n\
             \{corr\_featurs.head(10).reset\_index()\}\n\n {"-"*70}\n\
             Negative correlations:\n\
             {corr_featurs.sort_values(by="correlation").head(10).reset_index()}'
         )
```

## 3.3 API and Scraping control

Set this to True to perform scraping and API

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initialize_scraping_and_API = True
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[8]: initialize_scraping_and_API = False
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#### 4 The Data

- IMDb or Internet Movie Database was Originally a fan-operated website, now owned and operated by IMDb.com, Inc., a subsidiary of Amazon. This is one of the most reliable source for any information related movies in general. It is one of the most comprehensive dataset.
- Box Office Mojo is also a part of IMDb.com, Inc., providing indepth financial informations among other metrics.
- TMDb is a reliable source for movie related information. This is a popular user editable database for movies and TV shows.

Those three were used for sourcing data for the project as those are highly reliable sources without going for any paid service for information.

Data is collected from IMDB website from downloadables, and scraping using selenium . Additional data collected from TMDb using API. Then all of them are merged to create 'main\_df', upon which this following analysis is performed.

#### 4.1 From IMDb

#### 4.1.1 Dataset from website

File containing detailed movie info inside title.basics.tsv.gz was downloaded from https://datasets.imdbws.com/title.basics.tsv.gz

## 4.1.2 Scraping using selenium

pip install selenium

Download webdriver from here.

```
[9]: | %%time
     if initialize_scraping_and_API is True:
         # initializing webdriver
         driver = webdriver.Chrome('C:/Users/tamji/Documents/PATH/chromedriver.exe')
         # connection to webpage
         base_url_string = 'https://www.boxofficemojo.com/year/world/'
         # selecting years to get
         list_of_year = np.arange(2014, 2022, 1)
         # initializing scraping
         print(f'+' * 100)
         # temp files
         file_names_ = []
         file_names_error = []
         # scraping
         for im in list_of_year:
             print(f'Working on: {im}')
             url = f'{base_url_string}{im}/'
             print(f'Getting {im} homepage')
             driver.get(url)
             table = driver.find element by xpath('//*[@id="table"]/div/table[2]')
             item_href = driver.find_elements_by_class_name('a-link-normal')
             print(f'Getting {im} list items')
             item_href = [item.get_property('href') for item in item_href]
             print(f'Sorting what to keep from {im} list items')
             # filter results to target needed links
             text_to_check = 'releasegroup'
             to_keep = []
             to_discard = []
             for i in item_href:
                 if text_to_check in i:
                     to_keep.append(i)
                 else:
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to_discard.append(i)
       print(f'Preping {im} list items for looping')
       href = to keep # [:2] is for testing, remove this to get full data
       master list = []
       error = []
       print(f'{im} list items are looping. Hang in there!')
       for item in href:
           try:
               driver.get(item)
               url = driver.find_element_by_xpath(
                    '//*[@id="title-summary-refiner"]/a').get_property('href')
               name = driver.find_element_by_xpath(
                   '//*[@id="a-page"]/main/div/div[1]/div[1]/div/div/div[2]/h1'
               ).text
               driver.get(url)
               year = driver.find_element_by_xpath(
                    '//*[@id="a-page"]/main/div/div[1]/div[1]/div/div/div[2]/
→div/h1/span¹
               ).text
               worldwide = driver.find element by xpath(
                   '//*[@id="a-page"]/main/div/div[3]/div[1]/div/div[3]/
→span[2]/span'
               ).text
               international = driver.find_element_by_xpath(
                    '//*[@id="a-page"]/main/div/div[3]/div[1]/div/div[2]/
⇒span[2]'
               ).text
               domestic = driver.find_element_by_xpath(
                   '//*[@id="a-page"]/main/div/div[3]/div[1]/div/div[1]/
⇒span[2]'
               ).text
               year_cleaned = year.strip('()')
               world collection = worldwide[1:].replace(",", "")
               international_collection = international[1:].replace(",", "")
               domestic_collection = domestic[1:].replace(",", "")
               imdb_code = url.split('/')[4]
               temp_dict = {
                   'imdb_code': imdb_code,
                   'name': name,
                   'year': year_cleaned,
                    'world_collection': world_collection,
                    'int_collection': international_collection,
                    'dom_collection': domestic_collection,
                    'url': url
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master_list.append(temp_dict)
            except:
                error.append(item)
                continue
       df = pd.DataFrame(master_list)
       file_name_df = f'{im}.csv'
       df.to csv(file name df, index=False)
       dict_ = {'urls': error}
       file_name_error = f'{im}_error.csv'
       pd.DataFrame(dict_).to_csv(file_name_error, index=False)
       file_names_.append(file_name_df)
       file_names_error.append(file_name_error)
       print(f'Finished working on {im}\n')
       print(f'+' * 100)
   print(f'\n\nDONE Looping. Cleanig data!!!')
   combined_csv_data = pd.concat([pd.read_csv(f) for f in file_names_])
   combined_csv_data_error = pd.concat(
        [pd.read_csv(f) for f in file_names_error])
   combined_csv_data.reset_index(inplace=True)
   combined_csv_data_error.reset_index(inplace=True)
   combined_csv_data = combined_csv_data.drop(columns='index')
   combined_csv_data_error = combined_csv_data_error.drop(columns='index')
   combined_csv_data = combined_csv_data.drop_duplicates('imdb_code',
                                                          ignore_index=True)
   file_name_1 = f'{list_of_year[0]}to{list_of_year[-1]}.csv'
   file_name_2 = f'{list_of_year[0]}to{list_of_year[-1]}_error.csv'
   combined_csv_data.to_csv(file_name_1, index=False)
   combined_csv_data_error.to_csv(file_name_2, index=False)
   print(f'\n\nDONE!!!')
   print(f'+' * 100)
   print(f'+' * 100)
# leaves temp files behind
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Wall time: 0 ns

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[10]: # moving major files
if initialize_scraping_and_API is True:
    destination_1 = f'./Data/bom_{file_name_1}'
    destination_2 = f'./Data/temp/{file_name_2}'
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os.rename(file_name_1,destination_1)
          os.rename(file_name_2,destination_2)
[11]: def move_files(file):
          destination = f'./Data/temp/{file}'
          os.rename(file,destination)
[12]: # moving temp files
      if initialize scraping and API is True:
          if True:
              [move_files(f) for f in file_names_]
              [move_files(f) for f in file_names_error]
              print('Done moving!!')
     Note: repo does not include temp files
     4.2 From TMDb API
[13]: # load json
      if initialize_scraping_and_API is True:
          def get_keys(path):
              with open(path) as f:
                  return json.load(f)
[14]: # api key initialize
      if initialize_scraping_and_API is True:
          keys = get keys("/Users/tamji/.secret/tmdb api.json")
          api_key = keys['api_key']
[15]: if initialize_scraping_and_API is True:
          tmdb.API_KEY = api_key
[16]: # movie_main_df_sliced is cleaned beforehand
      if initialize_scraping_and_API is True:
          # for matching imdb titles
          movie_titles_df = pd.read_csv(r'./Data/movie_main_df_sliced.csv',
                                        usecols=["tconst"])
[17]: # preparing loaded data for use
      if initialize_scraping_and_API is True:
          imdb_titles = list(flatten(movie_titles_df.values.tolist()))
[18]: # get how much data is incoming
      if initialize_scraping_and_API is True:
          len(imdb_titles)
[19]: # empty df to store results
```

if initialize\_scraping\_and\_API is True:

```
df = pd.DataFrame()
[20]: if initialize_scraping_and_API is True:
          for imdb_id in imdb_titles:
              try:
                  movie = tmdb.Movies(imdb_id)
                  response = movie.info()
                  df = df.append(pd.json_normalize(movie.info()))
              except:
                  pass
[21]: if initialize_scraping_and_API is True:
          df = df.reset_index()
[22]: if initialize_scraping_and_API is True:
          df = df.drop(columns=['index'])
[23]: if initialize_scraping_and_API is True:
          df.to_csv(r'./Data/tmdb_parsd.csv')
         Preparing datasets
     5.1 IMDb
     5.1.1 loading
[24]: %%time
      df_1 = pd.read_csv(r'./Data/data.tsv',
                         delimiter='\t',
                         low memory=False)
     Wall time: 17.3 s
     5.1.2 inspecting
[25]: df_1.head(3)
[25]:
            tconst titleType
                                        primaryTitle
                                                                originalTitle \
      0 tt0000001
                       short
                                          Carmencita
                                                                   Carmencita
      1 tt0000002
                       short Le clown et ses chiens Le clown et ses chiens
      2 tt0000003
                       short
                                      Pauvre Pierrot
                                                               Pauvre Pierrot
        isAdult startYear endYear runtimeMinutes
                                                                     genres
      0
              0
                     1894
                               \N
                                                         Documentary, Short
              0
      1
                     1892
                               \N
                                                            Animation, Short
      2
              0
                     1892
                                               4 Animation, Comedy, Romance
                               \N
[26]: df_1['titleType'].value_counts()
```

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[26]: tvEpisode
                       5590798
      short
                       799028
      movie
                       570678
      video
                        297824
      tvSeries
                       203184
      tvMovie
                       130415
      tvMiniSeries
                        36270
      tvSpecial
                        31753
      videoGame
                        27529
      tvShort
                          9611
      audiobook
                             1
      radioSeries
                             1
      episode
                             1
      Name: titleType, dtype: int64
```

#### 5.1.3 cleaning

Wall time: 2.38 s

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[27]: %%time
      # slicing to keep only movies
      movie_df = df_1[df_1['titleType'] == 'movie']
      # droping adult titles
      movie_df = movie_df[movie_df['isAdult'] == '0']
      # handeling nan values
      movie_df.loc[movie_df['runtimeMinutes'] == r'\N', 'runtimeMinutes'] = np.nan
      movie_df.loc[movie_df['startYear'] == r'\N', 'startYear'] = np.nan
      movie_df.loc[movie_df['genres'] == r'\N', 'genres'] = np.nan
      # setting nan genere to NoInfo
      movie_df.loc[movie_df['genres'].isna(), 'genres'] = "NoInfo"
      # nan value droping for start year
      movie_df = movie_df[~movie_df['startYear'].isna()]
      movie_df = movie_df.reset_index()
      movie_df = movie_df.drop(['index', 'titleType', 'endYear', 'isAdult'], axis=1)
      movie_df.to_csv(r'./Data/movie_df.csv', index=False)
      movie_df
```

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[27]:
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              tt0000574
      2
              tt0000615
                                                         Robbery Under Arms
              tt0000630
                                                                     Hamlet
              tt0000675
                                                                Don Quijote
                               Rodolpho Teóphilo - O Legado de um Pioneiro
      490999 tt9916622
      491000 tt9916680 De la ilusión al desconcierto: cine colombiano...
```

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491002 tt9916730
                                                                       6 Gunn
                                              Chico Albuquerque - Revelações
      491003 tt9916754
                                                    originalTitle startYear
      0
                                                         Bohemios
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      1
                                      The Story of the Kelly Gang
                                                                        1906
      2
                                               Robbery Under Arms
                                                                        1907
      3
                                                            Amleto
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      4
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                                                                        1908
      490999
                     Rodolpho Teóphilo - O Legado de um Pioneiro
                                                                        2015
      491000
             De la ilusión al desconcierto: cine colombiano...
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      491002
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      491003
                                  Chico Albuquerque - Revelações
                                                                        2013
             runtimeMinutes
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      491002
                         116
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      491003
                          49
                                              Documentary
      [491004 rows x 6 columns]
     splitting genere
[28]: %%time
      # getting preliminary unique list for cleaning
      genres = list(movie_df['genres'].unique())
      # temp list to store list of splited genre
      genre_cleaning_temp = []
      # getting list of splited genre
      for item in genres:
          # for dealing with nan
```

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491001 tt9916706

if type(item) is not float:
 # actual spliting

# appending

genre\_split = item.split(",")

genre\_cleaning\_temp.extend(genre\_split)

```
# geting unique list
      from pandas.core.common import flatten
      # flattening temp list
      ## https://stackoverflow.com/questions/12897374/
       \rightarrow get-unique-values-from-a-list-in-python by https://stackoverflow.com/users/
       →2062318/todor ##
      ## https://saralgyaan.com/posts/
        \rightarrow nested-list-to-list-python-in-just-three-lines-of-code/~\#\#
      genre_cleaning_temp = list(flatten(genre_cleaning_temp))
      # unique genre list
      unique_genre = list(dict.fromkeys(genre_cleaning_temp))
      ## overly complicated way, theres much simpler method out in the wild.
      unique_genre
     Wall time: 31.1 ms
[28]: ['NoInfo',
       'Action',
       'Adventure',
       'Biography',
       'Drama',
       'Fantasy',
       'Comedy',
       'War',
       'Documentary',
       'Crime',
       'Romance',
       'Family',
       'History',
       'Sci-Fi',
       'Thriller',
       'Western',
       'Short',
       'Sport',
       'Mystery',
       'Horror',
       'Music',
       'Animation',
       'Musical',
       'Film-Noir',
       'News',
       'Adult',
       'Reality-TV',
       'Game-Show',
       'Talk-Show']
```

```
[29]: %%time
      #boolian matrix for all genere
      movie_genre_df = pd.DataFrame([[(x in y) for x in unique_genre]
                                     for y in movie_df['genres']],
                                    columns=unique_genre)
     Wall time: 2.43 s
[30]: # merging
      movie_main_df = pd.concat([movie_df, movie_genre_df], axis=1)
[31]: # enforcing dtypes
      movie_main_df = movie_main_df.convert_dtypes()
[32]: movie_main_df.shape
[32]: (491004, 35)
[33]: movie_main_df.info()
     <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
     RangeIndex: 491004 entries, 0 to 491003
     Data columns (total 35 columns):
          Column
                         Non-Null Count
                                           Dtype
          _____
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          primaryTitle
      1
                          491004 non-null string
                          491004 non-null string
      2
          originalTitle
      3
                          491004 non-null string
          startYear
          runtimeMinutes 348729 non-null string
      4
      5
          genres
                          491004 non-null string
      6
          NoInfo
                          491004 non-null boolean
      7
          Action
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      8
          Adventure
                          491004 non-null boolean
      9
          Biography
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      12
          Comedy
          War
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      14 Documentary
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      15 Crime
      16 Romance
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      17 Family
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      18 History
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      19 Sci-Fi
                          491004 non-null boolean
      20
         Thriller
      21
         Western
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          Short
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      23
          Sport
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```

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24 Mystery
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 26
    Music
                    491004 non-null boolean
 27
    Animation
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 28 Musical
                    491004 non-null boolean
 29 Film-Noir
                    491004 non-null boolean
 30 News
                    491004 non-null boolean
 31 Adult
                    491004 non-null boolean
                    491004 non-null boolean
 32 Reality-TV
                    491004 non-null boolean
 33 Game-Show
 34 Talk-Show
                    491004 non-null boolean
dtypes: boolean(29), string(6)
memory usage: 49.6 MB
```

# [34]: movie\_main\_df.describe()

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[35]: movie main_df['startYear'] = movie_main_df['startYear'].astype('int')
      movie_main_df['runtimeMinutes'].fillna('0', inplace=True)
      movie_main_df['runtimeMinutes'] = movie_main_df['runtimeMinutes'].astype('int')
[36]:
     movie_main_df['startYear'].sort_values().unique()
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#### 5.1.4 choosing features

\*\*\*\*\*Choosing to focus analysis on movies released between 2015 to 2020, where primary spoken language is English.\*\*\*\*

- In my opinion this is the most appropriate time frame to focus, as this gives enough data for analysis and at the same time does not include old info which will not be good representative of the current market situation. As customer/viewer taste and market trends shift over the time.
- Microsoft should focus only on releasing content in English for their kick-off. This gives them enough exposure and get noticed as a big player in the game, as they intend to be. Although they should focus on other territory to explore as there are ample opportunities left untapped. For example, in 2020 China surpassed North America in terms of industry value. As Microsoft has business across the globe, this should be relatively straight forward for them.
- I am also choosing not to focus on ultra-low budget movies for this analysis. Microsoft is one of the biggest corporations on earth. They have financial support to go for the big studios.
- I am also not including 'Documentary', 'Short', 'Adult', 'Reality-TV', 'Game-Show', 'Talk-Show', 'News', 'Film-Noir' titles. Those are entirely different class of product to be compared with conventional movies.

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[39]: to_drop = [
          'Documentary', 'Short', 'Adult', 'Reality-TV', 'Game-Show', 'Talk-Show',
          'News', 'Film-Noir'
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[40]: for item in to_drop:
          movie_main_df_sliced = movie_main_df_sliced[~movie_main_df_sliced[item] .
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[42]: movie_main_df_sliced.to_csv('./Data/movie_main_df_sliced.csv',index = False)
     5.2 Merging all sources
[43]: # loading datasets
      imdb_df = pd.read_csv('./Data/movie_main_df_sliced.csv')
      bom_df = pd.read_csv('./Data/bom_2014to2021.csv')
      tmdb_df = pd.read_csv('./Data/tmdb_parsd.csv')
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[44]: merge_1 = pd.merge(imdb_df,
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[46]: tmdb_df = tmdb_df.drop(tmdb_df.columns[0:4], axis=1)
[47]: tmdb df.columns
[47]: Index(['budget', 'genres', 'homepage', 'id', 'imdb_id', 'original_language',
             'original_title', 'overview', 'popularity', 'poster_path',
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             'video', 'vote_average', 'vote_count', 'belongs_to_collection.id',
             'belongs_to_collection.name', 'belongs_to_collection.poster_path',
             'belongs_to_collection.backdrop_path'],
            dtype='object')
[48]: filter_list = [
          'imdb_id', 'title', 'revenue', 'budget', 'release_date',
          'production_companies', 'popularity', 'vote_average', 'vote_count',
          'overview', 'belongs_to_collection.name', 'original_language'
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[49]: tmdb_df_reduced = tmdb_df[filter_list]
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[50]: merge_2 = pd.merge(merge_1,
                         tmdb_df_reduced,
                         how='inner',
                         left_on='tconst',
                         right_on='imdb_id')
[51]: df = merge_2.copy()
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[52]: df.columns
[52]: Index(['tconst', 'primaryTitle', 'originalTitle', 'startYear',
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             'Crime', 'Romance', 'Family', 'History', 'Sci-Fi', 'Thriller',
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             'Musical', 'Film-Noir', 'News', 'Adult', 'Reality-TV', 'Game-Show',
             'Talk-Show', 'imdb_code', 'name', 'year', 'world_collection',
             'int_collection', 'dom_collection', 'url', 'imdb_id', 'title',
             'revenue', 'budget', 'release_date', 'production_companies',
             'popularity', 'vote_average', 'vote_count', 'overview',
             'belongs_to_collection.name', 'original_language'],
            dtype='object')
     cleaning
[53]: rearrange = [
          'tconst', 'imdb_code', 'imdb_id', 'primaryTitle', 'originalTitle', 'name',
          'title', 'startYear', 'year', 'release_date', 'runtimeMinutes', 'budget',
          'revenue', 'world_collection', 'int_collection', 'dom_collection',
          'production_companies', 'popularity', 'vote_average', 'vote_count',
          'overview', 'belongs_to_collection.name', 'original_language', 'genres', |
       →'NoInfo', 'Action',
          'Adventure', 'Biography', 'Drama', 'Fantasy', 'Comedy', 'War', 'Crime',
          'Romance', 'Family', 'History', 'Sci-Fi', 'Thriller', 'Western', 'Sport',
          'Mystery', 'Horror', 'Music', 'Animation', 'Musical', 'url'
      df = df[rearrange]
     filtering order: 1. financial data 2. year 3. review data
[54]: df.info()
     <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
     Int64Index: 44353 entries, 0 to 44352
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dtypes: bool(21), float64(6), int64(5), object(14)
memory usage: 9.7+ MB
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#### [55]: df.describe()

[55]:		startYear	year	runtimeMinutes	budget	revenue	\
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	mean	2017.107704	2016.916411	88.849976	1.462749e+06	4.188408e+06	
	std	2.025922	1.846724	36.046684	1.175852e+07	4.898516e+07	
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[56]: df['revenue'].sort_values().value_counts() # null values are stored as 0
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     Choosing greater value among two data sources for revenue, then cleaning noises.
[57]: df['world_collection'].isna().value_counts()
[57]: True
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      ((df['revenue']!=0)&(df['world_collection'].isna())).value_counts()
[58]:
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[58]: False
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[59]: condition_1 = (df['revenue']!=0)
[60]:
     condition_2 = ~df['world_collection'].isna()
     df = df[condition_1 | condition_2]
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       Private investigator Matthew Scudder is hired ...
       Twenty-two years after the events of Jurassic ...
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       A psychiatric hospital patient pretends to be ...
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[63]: # selecting max value as budget
      df.loc[:,['world_collection']] = df[['revenue','world_collection']].max(axis=1)
[64]: # redundent data droping
      drop_list = [
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'tconst', 'imdb_code', 'index', 'name', 'title', 'year', 'revenue', 'url'
      ]
[65]: df = df.reset_index()
[66]: df = df.drop(columns=drop_list)
[67]: df["release_date"] = pd.to_datetime(df["release_date"])
     dealing with nested data
[68]: # creating a copy of df
      df1 = df.copy()
[69]: # getting a slice to work on
      df1 = df1[['imdb_id', 'production_companies']]
[70]: df1_dict=df1.to_dict()
[71]: df1_dict.keys()
[71]: dict_keys(['imdb_id', 'production_companies'])
[72]: # https://stackoverflow.com/questions/39807724/
       →extract-python-dictionary-from-string by https://stackoverflow.com/users/
       \rightarrow 3734244/danidee
[73]: def get_list(string):
          x = ast.literal_eval(re.search('({.+})', string).group(0))
          return x
[74]: temp = [] #store temp dicts
      ty = [] #catch errors
      for item in df1_dict['production_companies']:
          x = df1_dict['production_companies'][item]
          try:
              temp.append(get_list(x))
          except:
              temp.append(ty)
[75]: #lopping through temp dicts and extracting production house name
      temp_li = []
      for i in temp:
          if type(i) == tuple:
              lli = []
              for y in i:
                  lli.append(y['name'])
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code = ', '.join(lli)
              temp_dict = {
                  'production_comp': code,
              }
              temp_li.append(temp_dict)
          elif type(i) == dict:
              code = i['name']
              temp dict = {
                  'production_comp': code,
              temp_li.append(temp_dict)
          elif type(i) == list:
              code = 'Others, No info'
              temp_dict = {
                           'production_comp': code,
              temp_li.append(temp_dict)
[76]: pro = pd.DataFrame.from_dict(temp_li)
[77]: pro_1=pd.concat([df1.reset_index(),pro],axis=1)
[78]: pro_1=pro_1.drop(axis=1, columns=['index', 'production_companies'])
[79]: df_final = pd.merge(df, pro_1, left_on='imdb_id', right_on='imdb_id')
        • touchup
[80]: df_final.head(4)
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Poetastros, Suricato

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[81]: df final.columns
[81]: Index(['imdb_id', 'primaryTitle', 'originalTitle', 'startYear', 'release_date',
             'runtimeMinutes', 'budget', 'world_collection', 'int_collection',
             'dom_collection', 'production_companies', 'popularity', 'vote_average',
             'vote_count', 'overview', 'belongs_to_collection.name',
             'original_language', 'genres', 'NoInfo', 'Action', 'Adventure',
             'Biography', 'Drama', 'Fantasy', 'Comedy', 'War', 'Crime', 'Romance',
             'Family', 'History', 'Sci-Fi', 'Thriller', 'Western', 'Sport',
             'Mystery', 'Horror', 'Music', 'Animation', 'Musical',
             'production_comp'],
            dtype='object')
[82]: df_final=df_final.drop(columns='production_companies')
[83]: rearrange = [
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             'runtimeMinutes', 'budget', 'world collection', 'int collection',
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             'vote_count', 'production_comp', __
       'genres', 'NoInfo', 'Action', 'Adventure',
             'Biography', 'Drama', 'Fantasy', 'Comedy', 'War', 'Crime', 'Romance',
             'Family', 'History', 'Sci-Fi', 'Thriller', 'Western', 'Sport',
             'Mystery', 'Horror', 'Music', 'Animation', 'Musical',
             'overview'
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[84]: df_final = df_final[rearrange_]
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1 Getaway Films Private Limited, Vinod Chopra Fi...

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overview

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'Wazir' is a tale of two unlikely friends, a w...
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             Travis and his sister, Whitney, visit their gr...
             Private investigator Matthew Scudder is hired ...
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             Twenty-two years after the events of Jurassic ...
             A psychiatric hospital patient pretends to be ...
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             Jan has been married to Gedda for 35 years. Ge...
      13698
             Pep, a 13-year-old boy, is in love with a girl...
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      [13701 rows x 39 columns]
[86]: df_final.to_csv('./Data/main_df.csv', index=False)
     5.3 Working on main_df
     5.3.1 prepping for analysis, furthur cleaning
[87]: main_df_raw = pd.read_csv(r'./Data/main_df.csv',
                                 parse_dates=['release_date'],
                                 low_memory=False)
[88]: main_df=main_df_raw.iloc[:,0:17] #droping boolean columns
[89]: main_df=main_df[~main_df.release_date.isna()]
[90]: main_df['release_year'] = main_df['release_date'].dt.year
      main_df['release_year'].astype('int')
[90]: 0
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               2019
      Name: release_year, Length: 13620, dtype: int32
```

The film revolves around the concept of soap o...

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Focusing my analysis from 2015 to end of 2020. Inputs below can be changed to focus any timeframe from 2007 to March 12, 2021. Data is in safe folder inside repo.

```
[91]: main_df = main_df[(main_df.release_date >= '2015-01-01')
                         & (main_df.release_date <= '2020-12-31')]</pre>
[92]: main_df.info()
     <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
     Int64Index: 11779 entries, 0 to 13700
     Data columns (total 18 columns):
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                                       Non-Null Count
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          dom_collection
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          release_year
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     dtypes: datetime64[ns](1), float64(5), int64(5), object(7)
     memory usage: 1.7+ MB
[93]: main_df.describe()
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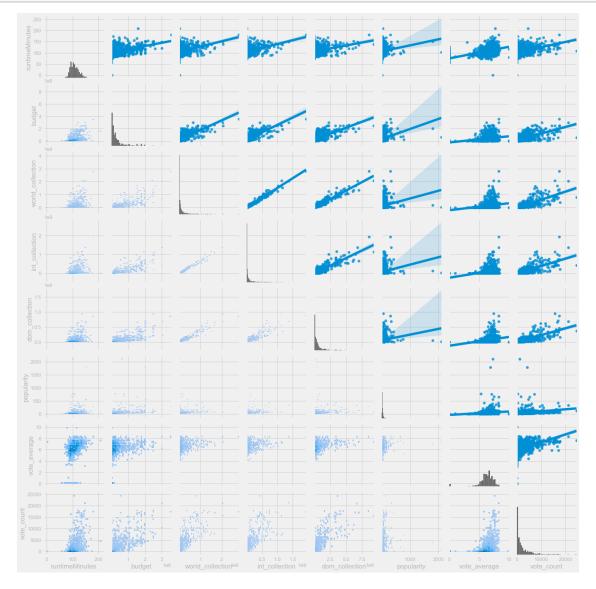
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                       2020.000000
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dropping ultra low budget movies along with 0, which means no information. And extremely low budget indicates possible error in data collection. Keeping low budget movies does not exactly match with the goal; finding good investment recommendation for a big company.

```
[94]: main_df.shape
[94]: (11779, 18)
[95]: main df = main df [main df.budget>=5000]
[96]:
      main df.shape
[96]: (2081, 18)
      focusing analysis only on movies where primary spoken language is English. MS should focus on
      this for the commencement.
[97]: main_df = main_df [main_df.original_language=='en']
[98]: main_df.shape
[98]: (1113, 18)
[99]: main_df.columns
[99]: Index(['imdb_id', 'primaryTitle', 'originalTitle', 'startYear', 'release_date',
              'runtimeMinutes', 'budget', 'world_collection', 'int_collection',
              'dom_collection', 'popularity', 'vote_average', 'vote_count',
              'production_comp', 'original_language', 'belongs_to_collection.name',
              'genres', 'release_year'],
             dtype='object')
[100]: list_for_pairplot = ['release_date',
               'runtimeMinutes', 'budget', 'world_collection', 'int_collection',
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'dom_collection', 'popularity', 'vote_average', 'vote_count',
'belongs_to_collection.name']
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[101]: with plt.style.context('fivethirtyeight'):
    g = sns.PairGrid(main_df[list_for_pairplot],layout_pad=.2)
    g.map_diag(sns.histplot)
    g.map_upper(sns.regplot)
    g.map_lower(sns.histplot)
```



No severe anamoly spotted in the graph which warrants further investigation .

## 5.4 Feature engineering

#### 5.4.1 ROI

Here, budget is the estimetor for cost.

```
Return on investment in $ value
[102]: main_df['ROI'] = main_df.world_collection - main_df.budget
      Return on investment in percentage, expressed in full, not in decimal
[103]: main_df['ROI_percentage'] = (main_df.ROI / main_df.budget)*100
      5.5 Final Check to see that everything is in place
[104]: main_df.shape
[104]: (1113, 20)
[105]:
       main_df.head()
[105]:
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                            Jurassic World
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                      Motherless Brooklyn
                                                              Motherless Brooklyn
       11 tt0437086
                      Alita: Battle Angel
                                                              Alita: Battle Angel
                              Danger Close
       12
          tt0441881
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           tt0443533
                      The History of Love
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           Red Dune Films, Full Clip Productions, Deeper ...
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[107]:

[107]:

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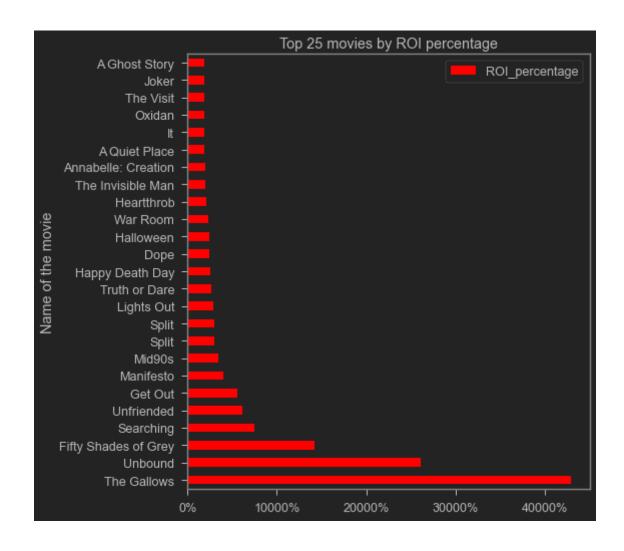
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                          6.207522e+07
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                          1.039024e+08
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                          2.740507e+07
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                          6.725403e+07
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max
         1.939128e+09
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         vote_count
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                                                       1113.000000
count
mean
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                                     8.872658e+07
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75%
                                     7.501105e+07
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                       2018.000000
                                                        296.521358
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                                     2.441801e+09
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max
```

if only want to focus on profitable movies

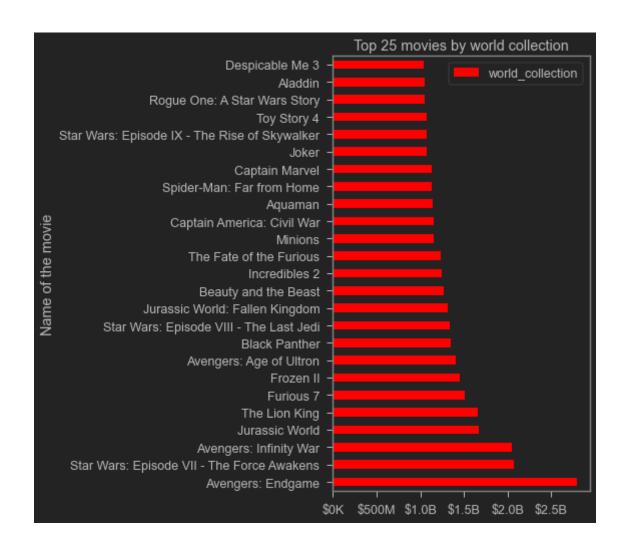
```
[108]: | # main_df = main_df[main_df.ROI>0]
```

# 6 Exploratory data analysis

### 6.1 EDA - top movie by return %



## 6.2 EDA - top movie by gross profit



## 6.3 EDA - profit by top 20 studio

For competitor analysis and assessing market condition

```
「1111]:
      studio_df = main_df.copy()
[112]: | studio_df.loc[:, 'production_comp_exp'] = studio_df.production_comp.map(
          lambda x: x.split(', '))
[113]:
       studio_df_fig = studio_df.explode('production_comp_exp')
[114]:
      studio_df_fig.head(3)
[114]:
            imdb_id
                       primaryTitle
                                      originalTitle startYear release_date
       4 tt0369610 Jurassic World Jurassic World
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       4 tt0369610 Jurassic World
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                                                                 2015-06-06
         tt0369610 Jurassic World Jurassic World
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                                                                 2015-06-06
```

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          dom_collection popularity vote_average vote_count \
             652385625.0
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                                            production_comp original_language
       4 Amblin Entertainment, Legendary Pictures, Univ...
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        belongs_to_collection.name
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           Jurassic Park Collection Action, Adventure, Sci-Fi
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       4
           Jurassic Park Collection Action, Adventure, Sci-Fi
                                                                       2015
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                        ROI_percentage
       4 1.521713e+09
                           1014.475472 Amblin Entertainment
       4 1.521713e+09
                                          Legendary Pictures
                           1014.475472
       4 1.521713e+09
                           1014.475472
                                          Universal Pictures
[115]: top_production_house_list = list(
           studio_df_fig.production_comp_exp.value_counts().sort_values(
               ascending=False)[:20].index)
[116]: | # to get Total worldwide $ collection by top 20 studios over the years
       studio_df_fig_0 = studio_df_fig[studio_df_fig['production_comp_exp'].isin(
           top production house list)]
[117]: # Total worldwide $ collection by top 20 studios
       studio_df_fig_1 = studio_df_fig.groupby(
           by='production_comp_exp').agg('sum').sort_values(by='world_collection',
                                                             ascending=False)[:20]
       # Total releases by top 20 studios
       studio_df_fig_2 = studio_df_fig.groupby(
           by='production_comp_exp').agg('count').sort_values(by='world_collection',
                                                               ascending=False)[:20]
[118]: # Collection Performance of top 10 movie studios
       studio_df_fig_merged = pd.merge(
           studio_df_fig.groupby(by='production_comp_exp').agg('sum').sort_values(
               by='world collection',
```

world collection int collection

runtimeMinutes

budget

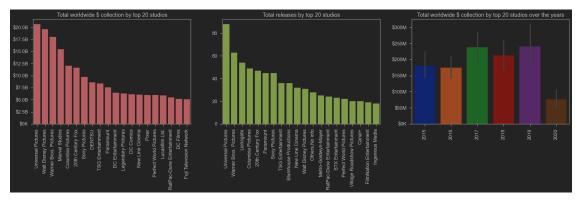
```
studio_df_fig.groupby(by='production_comp_exp').agg('count').sort_values(
               by='world_collection',
               ascending=False)['world_collection'].reset_index(),
           on='production_comp_exp')
       # Budget Performance of top 10 movie studios
       studio df fig merged 1 = pd.merge(
           studio_df_fig.groupby(by='production_comp_exp').agg('sum').sort_values(
               by='budget',
               ascending=False)['budget'].reset_index(),
           studio_df_fig.groupby(by='production_comp_exp').agg('count').sort_values(
               by='budget',
               ascending=False)['budget'].reset_index(),
           on='production_comp_exp')
[119]: | ## from https://plotly.com/python/multiple-axes/ ##official plotly how tou
       \rightarrow instructions
       fig = make_subplots(specs=[[{"secondary_y": True}]])
       # Add traces
       fig.add_trace(
           go.Bar(x=studio_df_fig_merged.production_comp_exp[:10],
                  y=studio_df_fig_merged.world_collection_x[:10],
                  name="World Collection",
                  offset=True),
           secondary_y=False,
       fig.add_trace(
           go.Bar(x=studio_df_fig_merged.production_comp_exp[:10],
                  y=studio_df_fig_merged.world_collection_y[:10],
                  name="Movie Released",
                  offset=True,
                  opacity=.6),
           secondary_y=True,
       # Add figure title
       fig.update_layout(title_text="Collection performance of top 10 movie studios")
       # Set x-axis title
       fig.update_xaxes(title_text="World Collection")
       # Set y-axes titles
       fig.update_yaxes(title_text="<b>World Collection</b>", secondary_y=False)
       fig.update_yaxes(title_text="<b>Number of Movie Released</b>",
                        secondary_y=True)
       fig.show()
[120]: | ## from https://plotly.com/python/multiple-axes/ ##official plotly how to__
       \rightarrow instructions
       fig = make_subplots(specs=[[{"secondary_y": True}]])
```

ascending=False)['world\_collection'].reset\_index(),

```
# Add traces
fig.add_trace(
    go.Bar(x=studio_df_fig_merged_1.production_comp_exp[:10],
           y=studio_df_fig_merged_1.budget_x[:10],
           name="Budget",
           offset=True),
    secondary_y=False,
fig.add_trace(
    go.Bar(x=studio_df_fig_merged_1.production_comp_exp[:10],
           y=studio_df_fig_merged_1.budget_y[:10],
           name="Movie Released",
           offset=True,
           opacity=.6),
    secondary_y=True,
)
# Add figure title
fig.update_layout(title_text="Budget performance of top 10 movie studios")
# Set x-axis title
fig.update_xaxes(title_text="Budget")
# Set y-axes titles
fig.update_yaxes(title_text="<b>Budget</b>", secondary_y=False)
fig.update_yaxes(title_text="<b>Number of Movie Released</b>",
                 secondary y=True)
fig.show()
```

Marvel Studios and Walt Disney has the best release count to world collection ratio. It took Universal Pictures way more budget to achieve the top spot.

```
data=studio_df_fig_2.reset_index(),
            color='g').set(xlabel=None, ylabel=None)
plt.xticks(rotation='vertical')
plt.title('Total releases by top 20 studios')
plt.subplot(1, 3, 3)
sns.barplot(data=studio_df_fig_0,
            x='release_year',
            y='world_collection',
            palette='dark').yaxis.set_major_formatter(
                format number)
plt.title('Total worldwide $ collection by top 20 studios over the years')
plt.xticks(rotation='vertical')
plt.xlabel(None)
plt.ylabel(None)
# plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```



One caveat of this graph is that because of the nature of the data, if a movie has multiple studios attached to it then all earnings of it is counted as the studios sole earnings. This is the reason why the mismatch of metrics. All things set aside, from this graph a visual understanding can be achieved about top studios without trying to make sense of the numbers. Turning off ylabels of first two plots can help on that regard.

#### 6.4 EDA - Relation between features

```
[124]: corr_df_matrix = corr_df.corr()
[125]: corr_df_matrix.style.background_gradient()
[125]: <pandas.io.formats.style.Styler at 0x1226ff5ee50>
[126]:
       correlation_top_bottom(corr_df_matrix)
      Positive correlations:
                 index
                                               feature_combo correlation
      0
            31
                world_collection and int_collection
                                                          0.986302
      1
                dom_collection and world_collection
                                                          0.955519
      2
                   dom_collection and int_collection
            41
                                                          0.892850
      3
            35
                     world_collection and vote_count
                                                          0.791444
      4
                           budget and int_collection
            22
                                                          0.787109
      5
            21
                         budget and world_collection
                                                          0.783042
      6
                       dom_collection and vote_count
            53
                                                          0.773461
      7
            44
                       vote_count and int_collection
                                                          0.763741
      8
            23
                           budget and dom_collection
                                                          0.716023
      9
            47
                           dom_collection and budget
                                                          0.716023
```

#### Negative correlations:

		index featur	re_combo	correlation
0	8	startYear and vote_count	-0.0	65041
1	1	startYear and runtimeMinutes	-0.0	03422
2	3	startYear and world_collection	0.0	24102
3	4	startYear and int_collection	0.0	35525
4	5	startYear and dom_collection	0.0	40447
5	2	startYear and budget	0.0	53363
6	7	startYear and vote_average	0.0	54454
7	61	popularity and vote_average	0.1	56417
8	15	popularity and runtimeMinutes	0.1	59567
9	51	dom_collection and popularity	0.2	01020

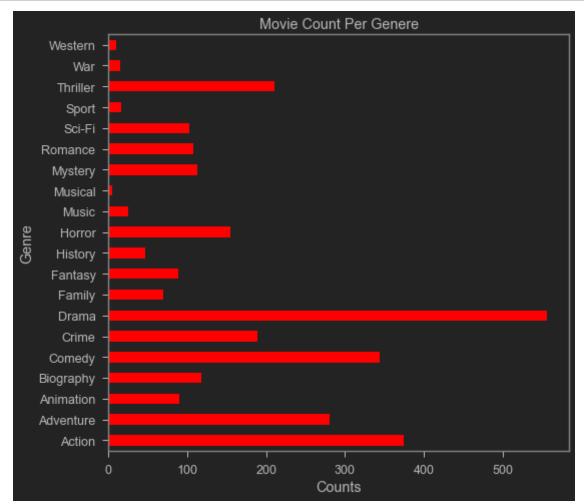
### 6.4.1 Findings and observation

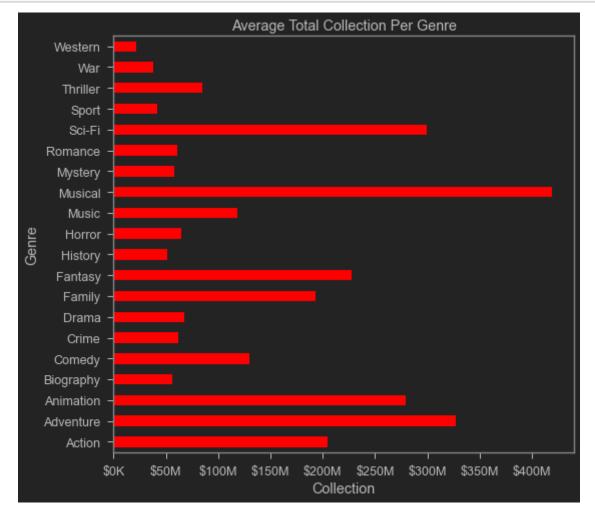
From those table it can be observed that world collection, international collection and domestic collection is highly correlated. It is expected as world collection is a dependent variable of the other two. And the later two are highly correlated. This is also expected, as this is indicator of a profitable versus flop movie. Better performing movies has higher popularity as explained by world collection versus vote count, vice versa. High budget movies perform better overseas.

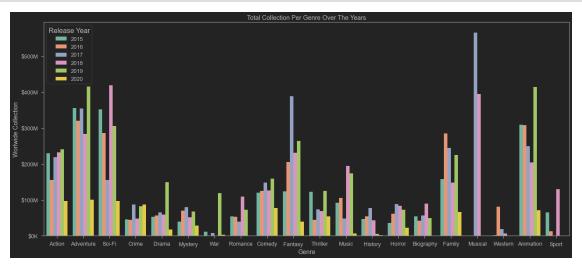
Overall budget is the key for indicating performance both in international and domestic performance and feedback from movie consumers. No other standout correlation was found.

### 7 Recommendations

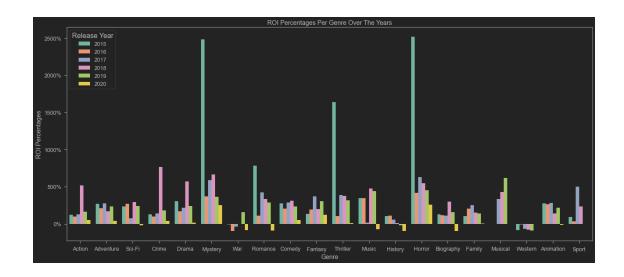
## 7.1 Which genre of movie to make, explained by top movie per genre



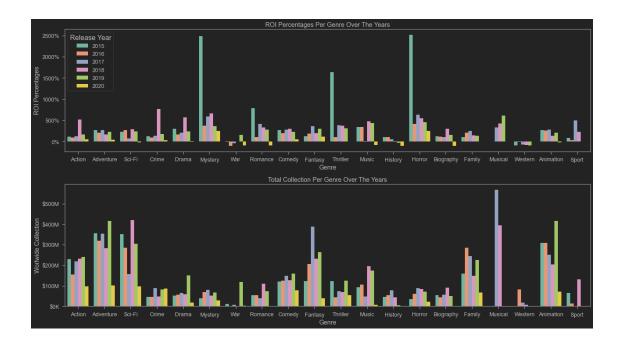




```
[133]: # styling
       # sns.set_style('ticks')
       fig, ax = plt.subplots()
       fig.set_size_inches(18, 8)
       # plotting
       sns.barplot(data=genere_df_fig,
                   x='genres_exp',
                   y='ROI_percentage',
                  hue='release_year', palette='Set2',ci=None).yaxis.
       set_major_formatter(format_add_percentage)
       plt.title('ROI Percentages Per Genre Over The Years')
       plt.ylabel('ROI Percentages')
       plt.xlabel('Genre')
       plt.legend(title='Release Year', title_fontsize= 'large')
       plt.tight_layout()
       plt.show()
```



```
[134]: plt.figure(figsize=(18, 10))
       # plotting
       plt.subplot(2, 1, 1)
       sns.barplot(data=genere_df_fig,
                   x='genres_exp',
                   y='ROI_percentage',
                   hue='release_year',
                   palette='Set2',
                   ci=None).yaxis.set_major_formatter(format_add_percentage)
       plt.title('ROI Percentages Per Genre Over The Years')
       plt.ylabel('ROI Percentages')
       plt.xlabel('Genre')
       plt.legend(title='Release Year', title_fontsize='large')
       plt.tight_layout()
       plt.subplot(2, 1, 2)
       sns.barplot(data=genere_df_fig,
                   x='genres_exp',
                   y='world_collection',
                   hue='release_year',
                   palette='Set2',
                   ci=None).yaxis.set_major_formatter(format_number)
       plt.title('Total Collection Per Genre Over The Years')
       plt.ylabel('Worlwide Collection')
       plt.xlabel('Genre')
       plt.legend().remove()
       plt.tight_layout()
       plt.show()
```



2015 was a good year for the industry. Animation has good performance but costly to make, hence lower percentage. Muscial had few good years then fell out of fashion. Action, Adventure, Family, Fantasy has been consistent performers. Horror and Mystery has high return percentage.

#### 7.1.1 Action suggestion

Any one or combination of Action, Adventure, Animation is recommended. Animation and Action has 35% chance for occurring as genre combo. There is no landslide winner here, although this graphs can be used to figure out which one to avoid, for example western and war.

#### 7.2 Best time to release movie

```
[135]: timing_df = main_df.copy()
[136]: timing_df['release_month']=timing_df['release_date'].dt.month
```

• minor feature engineering

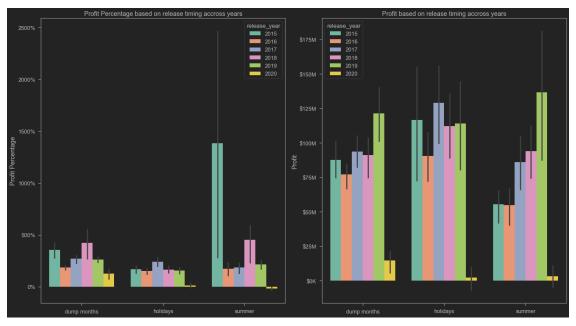
Release months are put in three bins based on market analysts opinion. The dump months are what the film community calls the two periods of the year when there are lowered commercial and critical expectations for most new releases from American filmmakers and distributors.

- 1. January May: Dump month
- 2. June July: Summer
- 3. August October: Dump month
- 4. November December: Holidays

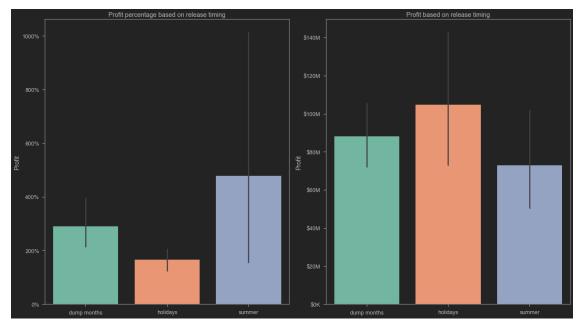
```
[137]: timing_df['release_timing'] = pd.cut(
          timing_df['release_month'],
```

```
labels=['dump months', 'summer', 'dump months', 'holidays'],
           ordered=False)
[138]:
       timing_df.head(3)
[138]:
                                                  originalTitle startYear \
             imdb_id
                             primaryTitle
       4
           tt0369610
                           Jurassic World
                                                 Jurassic World
                                                                       2015
           tt0385887
                      Motherless Brooklyn Motherless Brooklyn
                                                                       2019
                      Alita: Battle Angel Alita: Battle Angel
                                                                       2019
       11 tt0437086
          release_date runtimeMinutes
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       4
            2015-06-06
                                         150000000
                                                        1.671713e+09
                                                                         1.018131e+09
                                    124
       6
            2019-10-31
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                                          26000000
                                                        1.847774e+07
                                                                         9.200000e+06
       11
            2019-01-31
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                                        170000000
                                                        4.049805e+08
                                                                         3.191423e+08
           dom_collection popularity
                                       vote_average vote_count
       4
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                                              production_comp original_language \
           Amblin Entertainment, Legendary Pictures, Univ...
       4
                                  Class 5 Films, MWM Studios
                                                                              en
       11 Troublemaker Studios, Lightstorm Entertainment...
                                                                            en
          belongs_to_collection.name
                                                        genres release_year
       4
            Jurassic Park Collection
                                       Action, Adventure, Sci-Fi
                                                                         2015
       6
                                  NaN
                                           Crime, Drama, Mystery
                                                                         2019
       11
                                  NaN
                                       Action, Adventure, Sci-Fi
                                                                         2019
                         ROI_percentage release_month release_timing
           1.521713e+09
                             1014.475472
                                                           dump months
       6 -7.522264e+06
                             -28.931785
                                                     10
                                                           dump months
       11 2.349805e+08
                             138.223849
                                                      1
                                                           dump months
[139]: plt.figure(figsize=(18, 10))
       plt.subplot(1, 2, 1)
       sns.barplot(data=timing_df,
                   x='release timing',
                   y='ROI_percentage',
                   hue='release_year',palette='Set2',
                   ci=50).yaxis.set_major_formatter(format_add_percentage)
       plt.title('Profit Percentage based on release timing accross years')
       plt.ylabel('Profit Percentage')
       plt.xlabel("")
```

bins=[0, 6, 8, 10, 12],

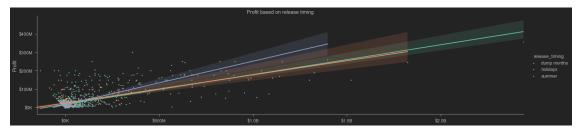


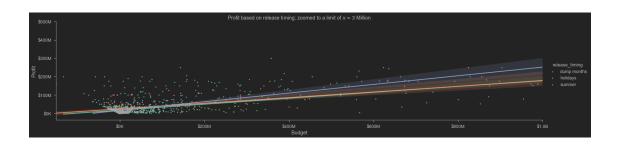
2015's Summer was good in terms of percentage return but weirdly did not generate much cash. Releasing movie in the holidays season is the safest bet. But summer is having a consistent raise, except for 2020. 2020's summer was not normal by any means, thus this is expected.



Movies released in holidays earn consistent returns but costs more. Summer is more dollar generating and volatile in a good way, on a uptrend.

```
plt.ylabel('Profit')
plt.xlabel("")
g = sns.lmplot(data=timing_df,
               x='ROI',
               y='budget',
               hue='release_timing',
               fit_reg=True,
               markers='.',
               aspect=4,palette='Set2',
               robust=True)
plt.xlim(right=100000000)
for ax in g.axes.flat:
    ax.yaxis.set_major_formatter(format_number)
    ax.xaxis.set_major_formatter(format_number)
plt.title('Profit based on release timing; zoomed to a limit of $x=3$ Million')
plt.ylabel('Profit')
plt.xlabel("Budget")
plt.show()
```

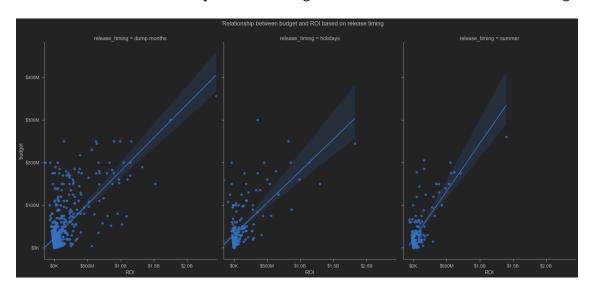




```
[142]: # Relationship between budget and ROI based on release timing
g = sns.FacetGrid(
    timing_df, col='release_timing',
    height=10, aspect=.7, palette='Set2')
g.map(sns.regplot, 'ROI', 'budget')
for ax in g.axes.flat:
```

```
ax.yaxis.set_major_formatter(format_number)
ax.xaxis.set_major_formatter(format_number)
g.fig.subplots_adjust(top=0.9)
g.fig.suptitle('Relationship between budget and ROI based on release timing')
```

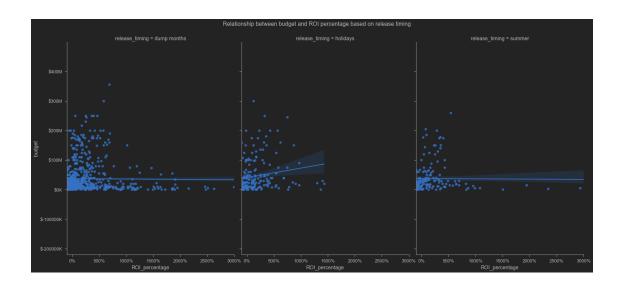
[142]: Text(0.5, 0.98, 'Relationship between budget and ROI based on release timing')



Producing movies for summer release is more costly, but return is steeper. Number of movies beyond 500 million is more frequent as well as observation counts are higher for holidays release, and the line is flatter meaning less costly to produce. Holidays season is the better option.

```
[143]: # Relationship between budget and ROI based on release timing
g = sns.FacetGrid(
    timing_df, col='release_timing',
    height=10, aspect=.7, palette='Set2')
g.map(sns.regplot, 'ROI_percentage', 'budget')
plt.xlim(right=3000)
for ax in g.axes.flat:
    ax.yaxis.set_major_formatter(format_number)
    ax.xaxis.set_major_formatter(format_add_percentage)
g.fig.subplots_adjust(top=0.9)
g.fig.suptitle('Relationship between budget and ROI percentage based on release_
    →timing')
```

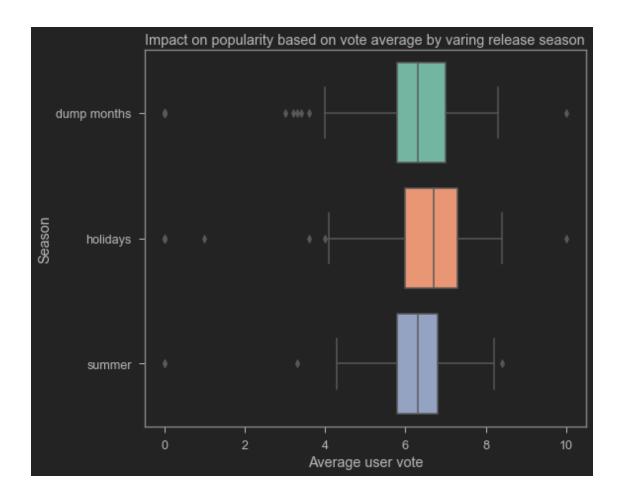
[143]: Text(0.5, 0.98, 'Relationship between budget and ROI percentage based on release timing')



summer has the best earning potential. But line is steeper for holidays, confirming the point made on the previous graph.

```
[144]: # impact on popularity based on vote average by varing release season
sns.boxplot(x='vote_average', y='release_timing',data=timing_df, palette='Set2')
plt.title('Impact on popularity based on vote average by varing release season')
plt.ylabel('Season')
plt.xlabel("Average user vote")
```

[144]: Text(0.5, 0, 'Average user vote')



Holidays movies are more popular and catch people on good mood maybe? Or content is less experimental. Reasoning can not be drawn from this figure but it can be said that holidays movies are more popular, which is good for entering the market with a more favorable impression on people.

### 7.2.1 Action suggestion

My recommendation is to focus for release schedule in the holidays season. There is higher probability of financial and critical success for movies released in that time frame. It is relatively cheaper to make than the next best option; i.e., Summer.

### 7.3 Franchise performance analysis leading to recommendation

```
[148]: # getting all movies that are not part of a franchaise, yet!
non_franchaise_df = franchaise_df_main[
    main_df['belongs_to_collection.name'].isna()].copy()
```

#### 7.3.1 Franchise info

By franchise I mean serialization of movies either based on a related intellectual property or sharing same cinematic universe.

```
[149]: # list of unique franchaise names
list_of_franchaise = franchaise_df['belongs_to_collection'].unique()
```

```
[150]: franchaise_df_ = franchaise_df.groupby('belongs_to_collection').mean(
).ROI_percentage.sort_values(ascending=False).reset_index()
```

[151]: <pandas.io.formats.style.Styler at 0x12287cbc3d0>

Most franchise earn a lot on their investment. This is expected as there is a reason for film makers to visit same universe several times. More often than not it is because of their proven success record and popularity among movie consumers.

which genre to franchaise

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[152]: print('On an average films that are part of a franchaise earn {:.2f}% return.'. format(franchaise_df.ROI_percentage.mean()))
```

On an average films that are part of a franchaise earn 727.47% return.

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Observation: None of them fall into a single genre.

[155]: <pandas.io.formats.style.Styler at 0x12287e99d60>

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[156]: ## from https://plotly.com/python/multiple-axes/ ##official plotly how to

instructions

fig = make_subplots(specs=[[{"secondary_y": True}]])

# Add traces

fig.add_trace(

go.Bar(x=franchaise_genre['genres_exp'],
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```
y=franchaise_genre['ROI% count'],
           name="Movies released",
           offset=True),
    secondary_y=False,
fig.add_trace(
    go.Bar(x=franchaise_genre['genres_exp'],
           y=franchaise_genre['ROI% mean'],
           name="ROI% mean",
           offset=True,
           opacity=.6),
    secondary_y=True,
)
# Add figure title
fig.update layout(title_text="Most often produced genre for serialized movies ")
# Set x-axis title
fig.update_xaxes(title_text="Genre")
# Set y-axes titles
fig.update_yaxes(title_text="<b>ROI% mean</b>", secondary_y=False)
fig.update_yaxes(title_text="<b>Number of Movie Released</b>",
                 secondary_y=True)
fig.show()
```

Adventure, Action, Comedy market is saturated. Horror, Thriller, Mystery release count is higher with higher mean return percentage. This recommendation will alter if we look at collection instead of ROI% because those genre requires less budget, so the return percentage is generally higher.

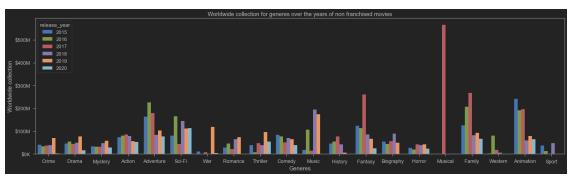
#### 7.3.2 non franchise info

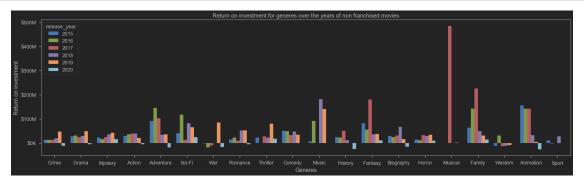
y='world\_collection',

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[157]: print(
    'On an average films that are not part of a franchaise earn {:.2f}% return.'
    .format(non_franchaise_df.ROI_percentage.mean()))
```

On an average films that are not part of a franchaise earn 186.17% return.

hue='release\_year',ci=None).yaxis.set\_major\_formatter(format\_number)



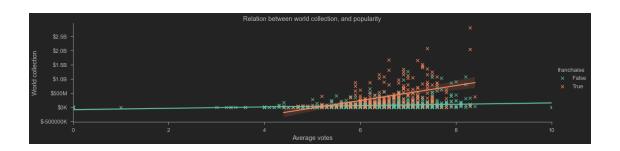


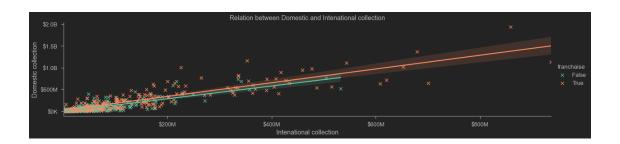
Non franchised movies are experiencing a hard time in the box office. The general trend is downwards across the board except Crime and Drama and Mystery. Mystery, Sci-Fi and Horror did well in 2020. Those three genres have high correlation.

#### 7.3.3 Side by side comparison

Converting franchaise info in to a boolean arrey

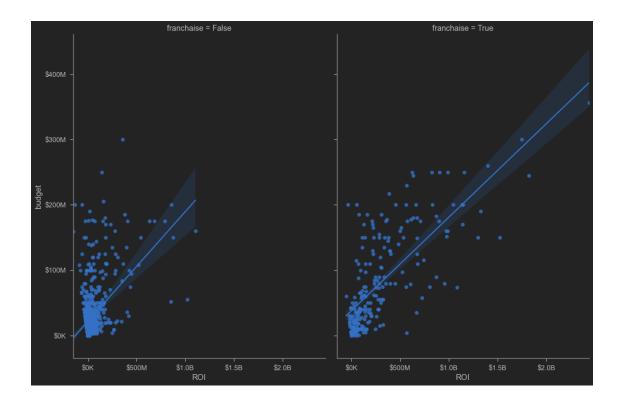
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[162]: franchaise_df_main.loc[~main_df['belongs_to_collection.name'].isna(),
                               'franchaise'] = True
[163]: | franchaise_df_main.loc[main_df['belongs_to_collection.name'].isna(),
                               'franchaise'] = False
[164]: g = sns.lmplot(data=franchaise_df_main,
                      x='vote_average',
                      y='world_collection',
                      hue='franchaise',
                      height=4,
                      aspect=4,
                      palette='Set2',
                      markers='x')
       for ax in g.axes.flat:
           ax.yaxis.set_major_formatter(format_number)
       plt.title('Relation between world collection, and popularity')
       plt.ylabel('World collection')
       plt.xlabel("Average votes")
       g = sns.lmplot(data=franchaise_df_main,
                      x='dom_collection',
                      y='int collection',
                      hue='franchaise',
                      height=4,
                      aspect=4,
                      palette='Set2',
                      markers='x')
       for ax in g.axes.flat:
           ax.yaxis.set_major_formatter(format_number)
           ax.xaxis.set_major_formatter(format_number)
       plt.title(
           'Relation between Domestic and Intenational collection')
       plt.ylabel('Domestic collection')
       plt.xlabel("Intenational collection")
       plt.show()
```



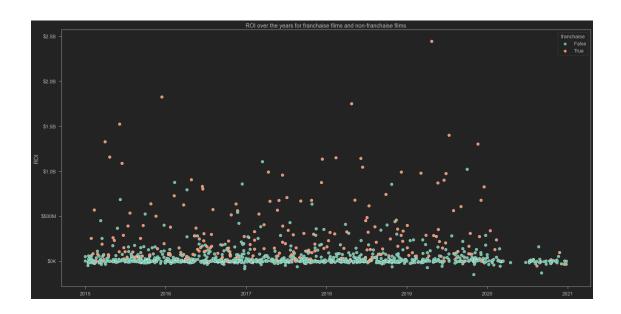


Franchised movies are often more popular with greater success in international market.

```
[165]: g = sns.FacetGrid(
    franchaise_df_main, col='franchaise',
    height=10, aspect=.7, palette='Set2')
g.map(sns.regplot, 'ROI', 'budget')
for ax in g.axes.flat:
    ax.yaxis.set_major_formatter(format_number)
    ax.xaxis.set_major_formatter(format_number)
g.fig.subplots_adjust(top=0.9)
# g.fig.suptitle('Relationship between budget and ROI based on release timing')
```



Franchised movies require bigger budget but their return is also significantly higher.



This straightforward time series of box office gross profit of the two categories is the simplest but most layman friendly chart that demonstrate the stark difference between them. Franchised movies are consistently outperforming the other category.

#### 7.3.4 Action suggestion

All the analysis leads towards starting a movie franchise in a shared movie universe. This must be be priority when selecting genre, director and other crew and cast. There must be option for serialization in the future. And for this Horror, Thriller, Mystery and Adventure, Action, Comedy genre should be prioritized. It very rare that a movie falls in only one genre this days.

### 8 Conclusion

Lets summarize and reiterate: 1. My recommendation is to focus for release schedule in the holidays season\*\*\*. There is higher probability of financial and critical success for movies released in that time frame. It is relatively cheaper to make than the next best option; i.e., Summer.

- 2. Any one or combination of *Action*, *Adventure*, *Animation* is recommended. Animation and Action has 35% chance for occurring as genre combo. There is no landslide winner here, although this graphs can be used to figure out which one to avoid, for example western and war.
- 3. All the analysis leads towards starting a *franchise* in a shared movie universe. This must be be priority when selecting genre, director and other crew and cast. There must be option for serialization in the future. And for this \*\*\*\*Horror, Thriller, Mystery\*\*\*\* or \*\*\*\*Adventure, Action, Comedy\*\*\*\* genre combination should be prioritized.

It very rare that a movie falls in only one genre this days.

## 9 Next Steps

Further analyses could yield additional insights to further improve considerations for creating a new movie: \*\*\*

- Performance of **other** language movies and markets.
- Focusing on low budget movies versus high budget movies performance and rational.
- Movies performance in home and international market.
- Recommending lead director.
- Recommending movie cast classified on genre.
- Focus only on 2020 data and find pattern and trend.

### 10 For More Information

See the full analysis in the Jupyter Notebook or review this presentation.

## 11 Appendix

### 11.1 Most produced genre combo

#### Positive correlations:

		index featu	re_combo correlation
0	359	Musical and Musi	.c 0.552813
1	38	Animation and Adventur	re 0.353164
2	316	Horror and Myster	ry 0.242051
3	1	Action and Adventur	re 0.234557
4	50	History and Biograph	ny 0.203732
5	256	Horror and Thrille	er 0.199766
6	7	Crime and Actio	on 0.184287
7	255	Mystery and Thrille	er 0.176246
8	312	Thriller and Myster	ry 0.176246
9	29	Family and Adventur	re 0.157636

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#### Negative correlations:

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index feature_combo correlation

0 65 Comedy and Drama -0.290930

1 112 Comedy and Thriller -0.248184

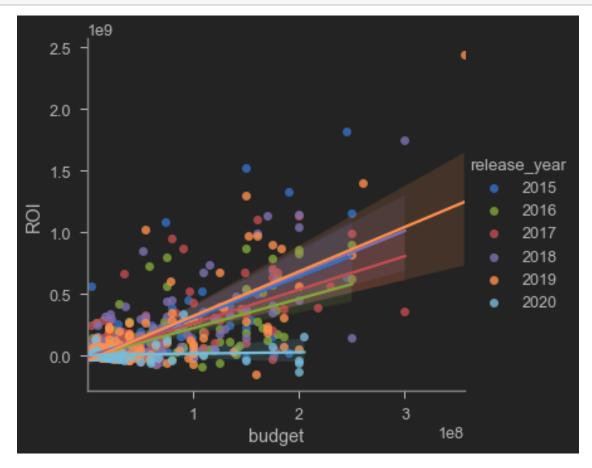
2 78 Animation and Drama -0.203516
```

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3
     363
          Drama and Animation
                                  -0.203516
4
      23
          Drama and Adventure
                                  -0.191267
5
      76
             Drama and Horror
                                  -0.184330
6
       3
             Drama and Action
                                  -0.155409
7
            Comedy and Horror
     116
                                  -0.150491
           Comedy and Mystery
8
     115
                                  -0.148315
            Comedy and Action
9
       5
                                  -0.134239
```

## 11.2 Variability of profitability on different metrics

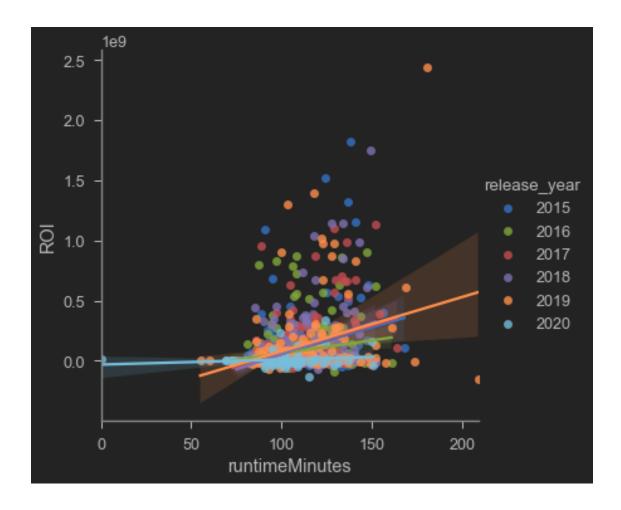
## 11.2.1 budget vs profitability

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[170]: sns.lmplot(data=main_df, x='budget', y='ROI', hue='release_year') plt.show()
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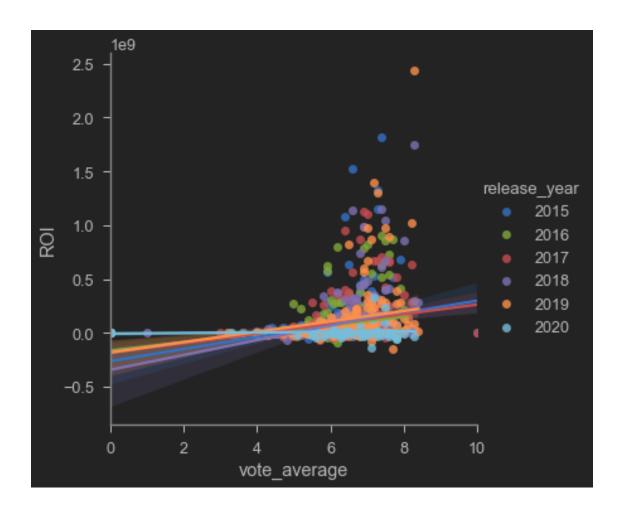
## 11.2.2 runtime on profitability

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[171]: sns.lmplot(data=main_df, x='runtimeMinutes', y='ROI',hue='release_year') plt.show()
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## 11.2.3 user rating on profitability

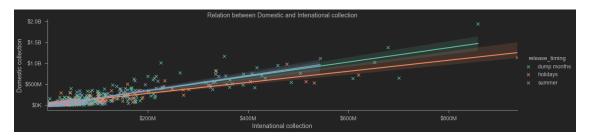
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[172]: sns.lmplot(data=main_df, x='vote_average', y='ROI',hue='release_year') plt.show()
```



## 11.2.4 Release Timing and Profit home and abroad

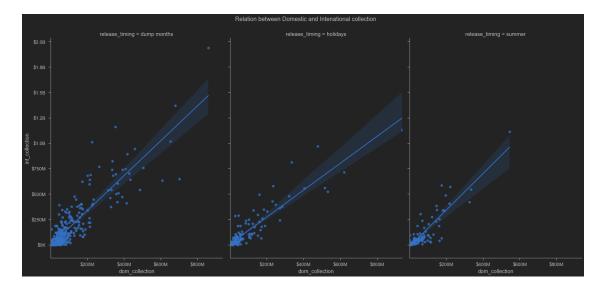
```
[173]: # Relation between Domestic and Intenational collection
       g = sns.lmplot(data=timing_df,
                      x='dom_collection',
                      y='int_collection',
                      hue='release_timing',
                      height=4,
                      aspect=4,
                      palette='Set2',
                      markers='x')
       for ax in g.axes.flat:
           ax.yaxis.set_major_formatter(format_number)
           ax.xaxis.set_major_formatter(format_number)
       plt.title(
           'Relation between Domestic and Intenational collection')
       plt.ylabel('Domestic collection')
       plt.xlabel("Intenational collection")
```

## plt.show()



```
[174]: # Relation between Domestic and Intenational collection
g = sns.FacetGrid(
    timing_df, col='release_timing',
    height=10, aspect=.7, palette='Set2')
g.map(sns.regplot, 'dom_collection', 'int_collection')
for ax in g.axes.flat:
    ax.yaxis.set_major_formatter(format_number)
    ax.xaxis.set_major_formatter(format_number)
g.fig.subplots_adjust(top=0.9)
g.fig.suptitle('Relation between Domestic and Intenational collection')
```

## [174]: Text(0.5, 0.98, 'Relation between Domestic and Intenational collection')



[]: