



Project Overview

For this project, you will use exploratory data analysis to generate insights for a business stakeholder.

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. You are charged with exploring what types of films are currently doing the best at the box office. You must then translate those findings into actionable insights that the head of Microsoft's new movie studio can use to help decide what type of films to create.

Business Understanding

Initiative

Microsoft is seeking to venture into the film industry and wants to create a new movie studio and original video content.

Challenge

Lack of experience and knowledge in movie creation.

Goal:

Identify successful film types to guide Microsoft's new movie studio.

Personal Objective

1. To analyze current box office trends and generate actionable insights for Microsoft's new movie studio

Data Understanding and Analysis

Sources of data

In the folder zippedData are movie datasets from: Box Office Mojo - bom.movie_gross.csv IMDB - im.db Rotten Tomatoes TheMovieDB The Numbers

Description of the data

Two data sources were used for this data analysis namely the Box Office Mojo and IMDB database, due to time constraints for the project.

Data cleaning and preprocessing

It was established that both datasets had missing values

Movies basics

runtime_minutes column – 21% of that column had missing values(31,739/773,855 rows)

Original title column – 0.014% (21 /773,855)

Genres column - 3.7% (5408/773,855)

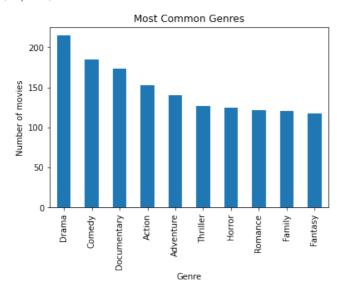
Box office movies

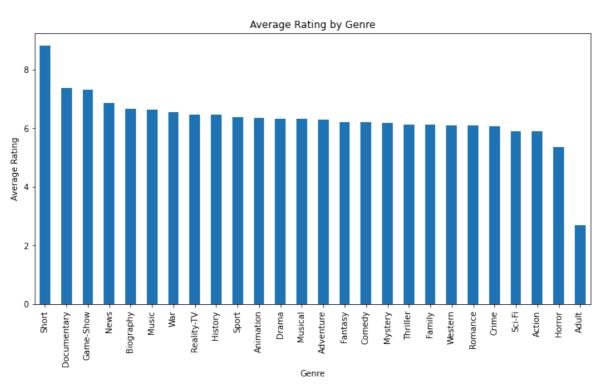
Studio 5/3386 (0.15%)

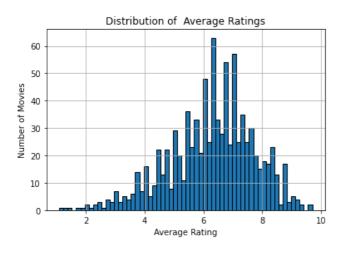
domestic_gross 28/3386 (0.8%)

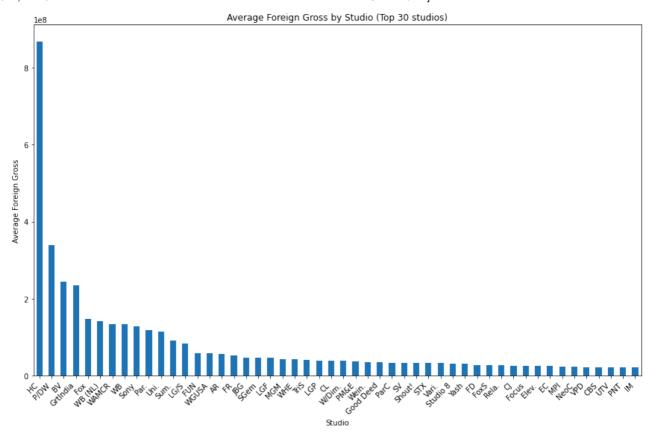
foreign_gross 1350/3386 (40%)

Data Visualization









Findings and Conclusion

Common movie genres are

Documentaries

Action

Drama

Adventure

Comedy

Their potential competitors will be

BV (Beirut visuals)

DW (DreamWorks)

P\DW (DreamWorks)

WB (Warner Bros)

Uni (Universal Studios)

Recommendations

1. Focus on popular movie genres with a high rating – Invest in genres that are consistently performing well at the box office(Documentaries, Action, Drama, Adventure, Comedy,)

- 2. Benchmark on studios that have a high domestic gross and foreign gross(BV, P\DW, WB, Uni,)- possibly collaborate in new movies with them.
- 3. Adapt to Trends: Monitor and adapt to changing genre trends to stay relevant.

Next steps

1. Further analysis of specific sub-genres or niche markets 2. Research on production costs vs. revenue for

Releases

No releases published Create a new release

Packages

No packages published Publish your first package

Languages

Jupyter Notebook 100.0%