

Answers 3 - Advanced graphics

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Instructions

Please note: *The graphs shown at each question is only a suggested plot for the solution. You may want to reproduce it or create a different plot to answer the corresponding question.*

Getting started

To get you familiar with the underlying `ggplot2` concepts, we'll recreate some standard graphics. Some of these plots aren't particularly useful, we are just using them for illustration purposes.

To begin with, load the `ggplot2`

```
library("ggplot2")
```

Next we load the `movies` data set

```
# Details of the movies dataset can be displayed by:  
library(ggplot2movies)  
data(movies, package="ggplot2movies")  
?movies
```

When loading in data, it's a good idea to check some basic characteristics:

```
str(movies)  
dim(movies)  
names(movies)  
head(movies)
```

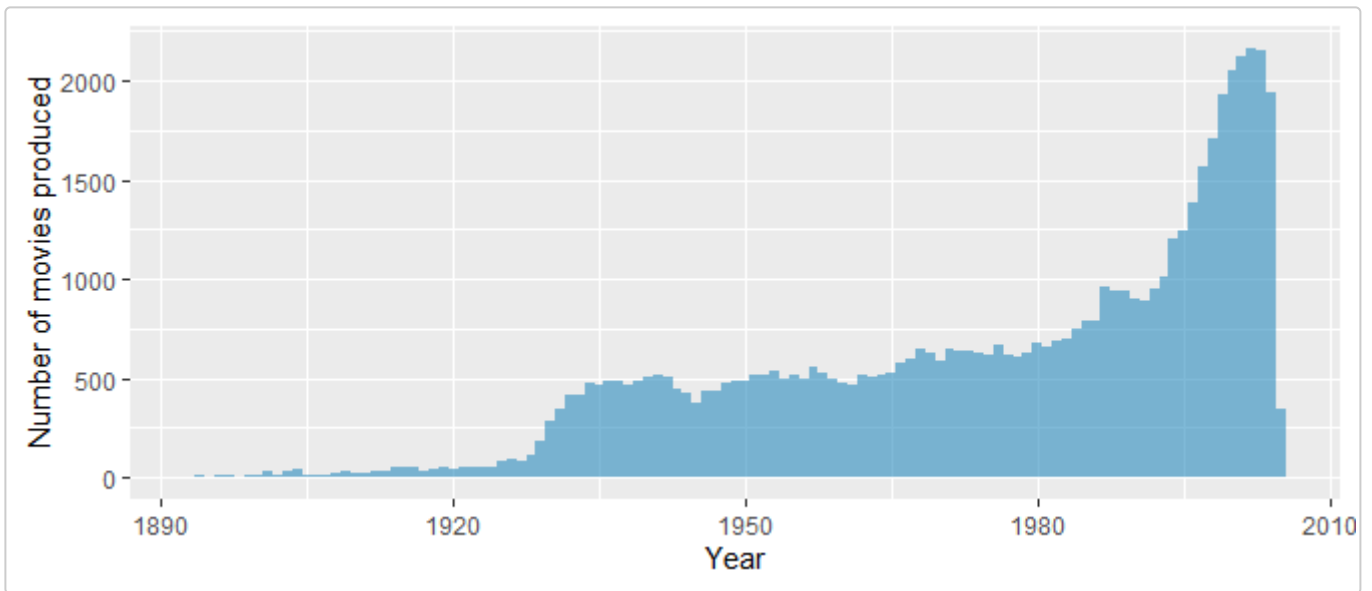
Plot some information

Feel free to experiment with your own ideas. I present some graphs as a reference that you may try to reproduce if you wish.

1. What is the number of movies produced per year?

```
g = ggplot(data=movies, aes(x=year))  
g1 = g + geom_histogram(binwidth = 1, fill="#2b8cbe", alpha=0.6) +  
  xlab("Year") + ylab("Number of movies produced")
```

```
g1
```



2. What is the number of movies produced per year per genre (action, animation ect)?

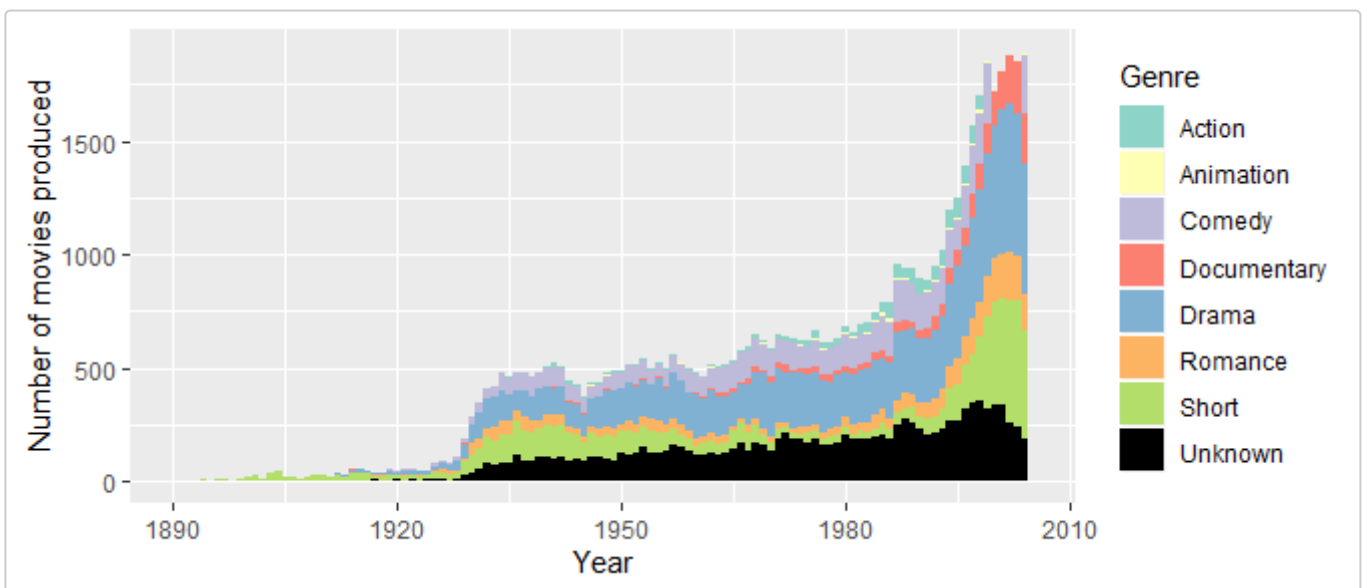
TIP: You need first to create a genre variable:

```
genre <- rep(0, nrow(movies))
for(i in 18:24)
{
  genre[movies[,i]==1] <- names(movies)[i]
}; genre[genre==0] <- "Unknown"
movies$Genre <- genre
```

define a vector for colors to be used in the plot

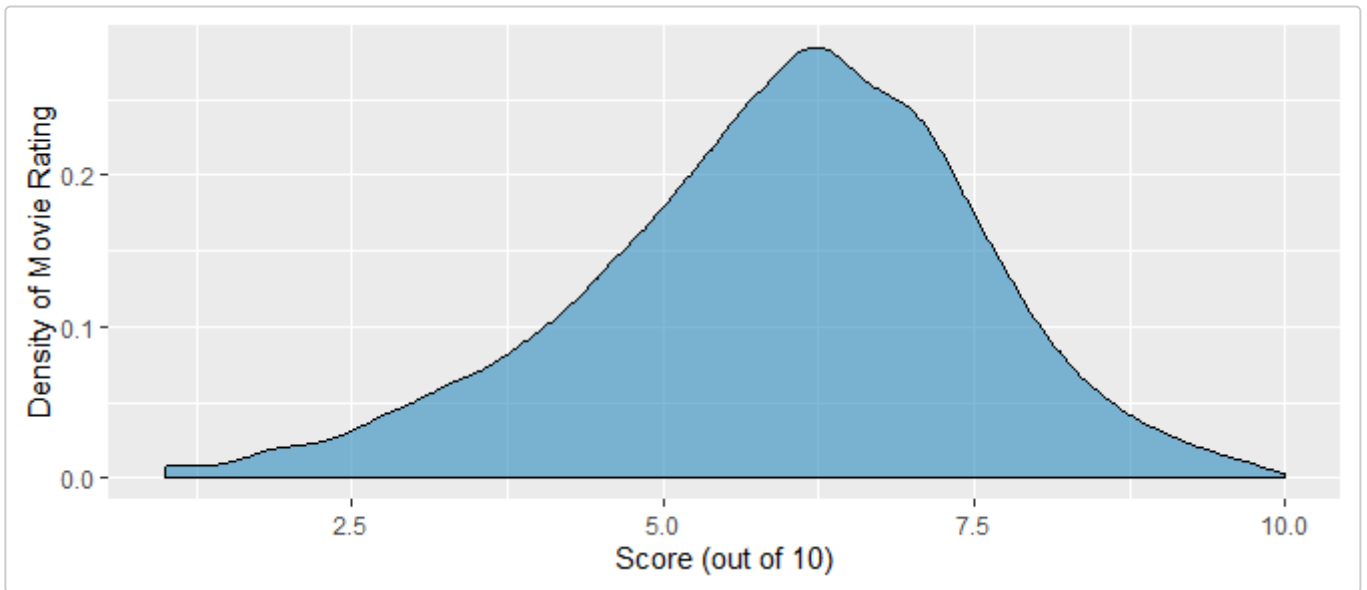
```
clr <- c('#8dd3c7', '#ffffb3', '#bebada', '#fb8072', '#80b1d3', '#fdb462', '#b3de69', '#000000')
```

```
ggplot(movies, aes(x=year, fill=Genre)) + geom_histogram(binwidth=1) + scale_fill_manual(values = clr) +
  xlab("Year") + ylab("Number of movies produced") + ylim(0,1900) + xlim(1890,2005)
```



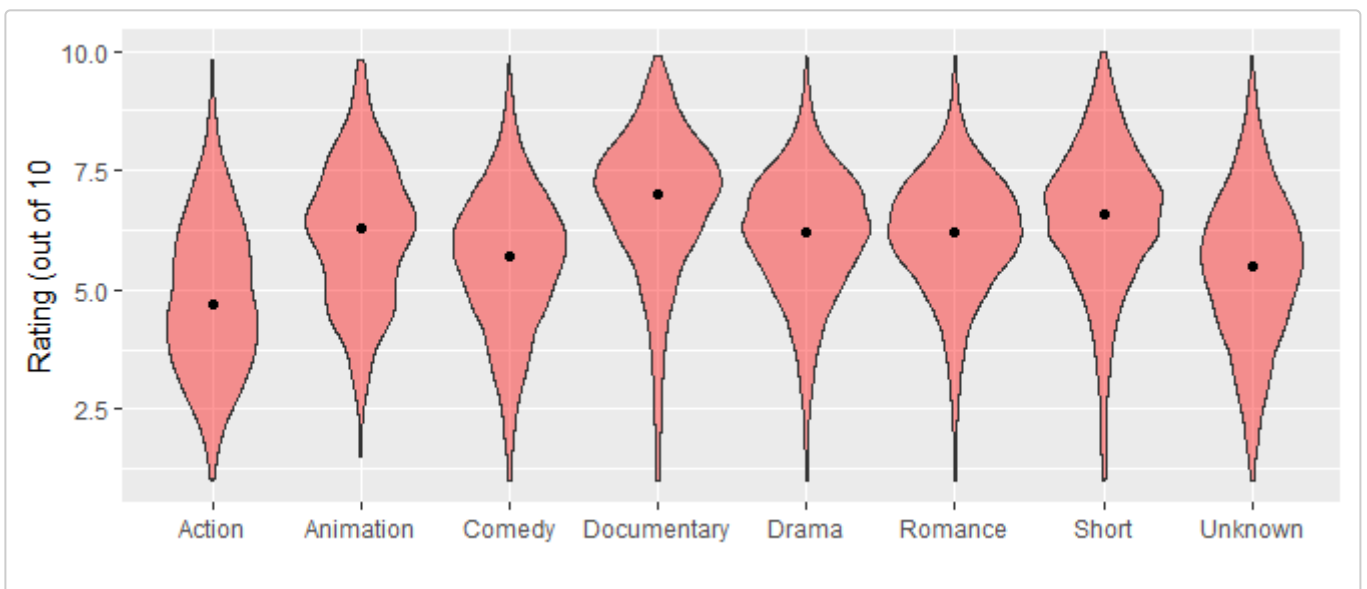
3. Create a graph to present information on the rating of movies.

```
ggplot(movies, aes(x=rating)) + geom_density(fill="#2b8cbe", alpha=0.6) +  
  ylab("Density of Movie Rating") + xlab("Score (out of 10)")
```



4. Is there a difference on rating depending on genre?

```
ggplot(movies, aes(x=factor(Genre), y=rating)) + xlab("") + ylab("Rating (out of 10)") +  
  geom_violin(fill="red", alpha=0.4) +  
  stat_summary(fun.y = median, geom='point')
```



5. Is the rating influenced by the number of votes?

```
ggplot(movies, aes(x=votes, y=rating)) + xlab("Votes") + ylab("Rating") +  
  stat_binhex() +  
  scale_fill_gradient(low="lightblue", high="red", breaks=c(0, 1500, 3000, 5000),  
    limits=c(0, 5000))
```

