



DATA 8

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Visualization

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Announcements

- **Waitlisted students:** I have a meeting today about enrollment. I will email all waitlisted students after that.
 - No late work. If you joined the class late, please do current work. We'll prorate based on when you joined.
 - **Technical problems? Questions about hw/lab credit?** Please email your GSI, not me. Addresses are on the Staff Contact page in data8.org.
 - **Concurrent Enrollment:** The class will fill up with registered students. Please try CS 10 or other courses.
 - **Auditors:** data8.org and textbook are public. Lecture video needs a Berkeley email account. No other materials; sorry.
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Methods involving rows

Each of these methods creates a new table, containing:

- all of the rows, arranged in increasing or decreasing order of the values in one column
 - **sort**
 - a specified set of rows
 - **take**
 - all rows that satisfy a condition
 - **where**
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Quick check

The table `bubble_tea` has 19 rows, one for each tea on a cafe's menu. The columns are `Flavor` and `Price`, in that order. One of the flavors is `Garlic`. Write one line of code that evaluates to:

- a) A table of all the rows with any flavor but `Garlic`
- b) A flavor that has the lowest of all the prices
- c) A table consisting of rows 3, 7, 11, ...

Answers:

```
bubble_tea.where('Flavor', are.not_equal_to('Garlic'))
```

```
bubble_tea.sort('Price').column('Flavor').item(0)
```

```
bubble_tea.take(np.arange(3, 27, 4))
```

A number > 15

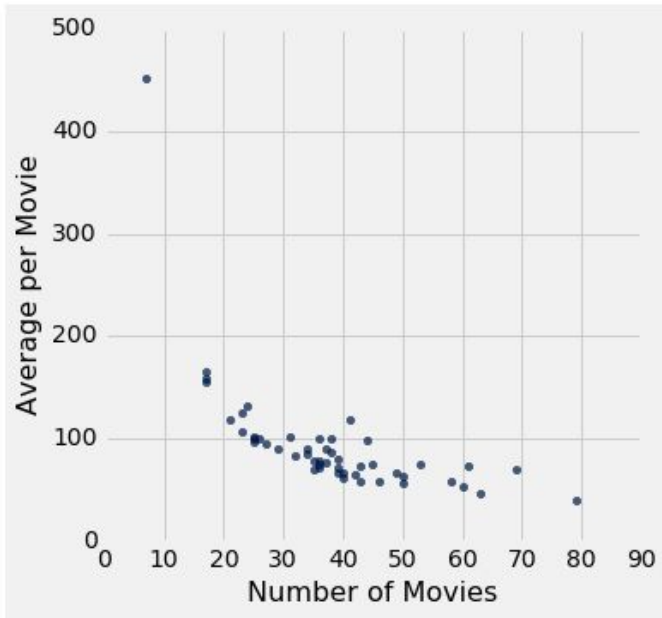
Visualization

A picture is worth a thousand numbers.

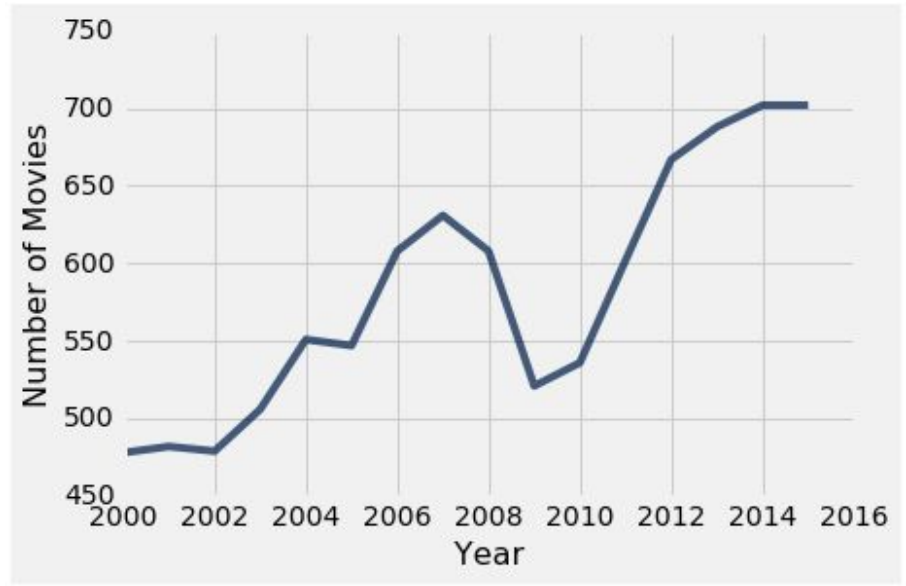
(Demo)

Plotting Two Numerical Variables

Scatter plot: `scatter`



Line graph: `plot`

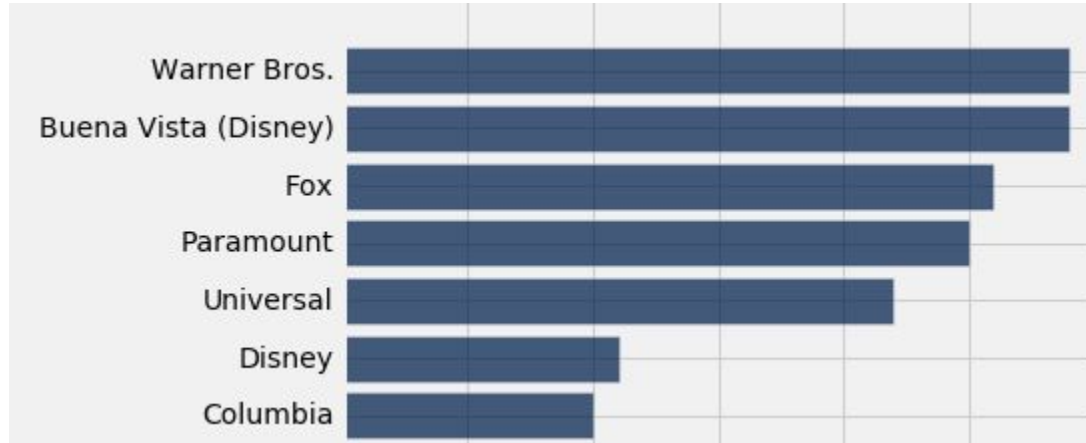


Terminology

- **Individuals**: those whose features are recorded
 - **Variables**: features; these vary across individuals
 - Variables have different **values**
 - Values can be **numerical**, or **categorical**, or of many other types
 - **Distribution**: For each different value of the variable, the frequency of individuals that have that value
 - Frequency is measured in counts. Later we will use proportions or percents.
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Categorical Distributions

bar chart: `barh`



Displays a categorical distribution

(But when the values of the variable have a rank ordering, or fixed sizes relative to each other, more care might be needed.)
