

# 1 Introduction

Ruby is ranked 14th on the PYPL index. It is said to be one of the highest paying programming languages and although it isn't a mainstream programming language it is highly efficient.

## 1.1 History and Founder

Ruby was released in 1995 by Yukihiro "Matz" Matsumoto in Japan. Yukihiro "Matz" Matsumoto was born on the 14th of April 1965 in Osaka, Japan. He is a software programmer and computer scientist who is mainly known for his work on Ruby. He works at Heroku where he developed Ruby, is a fellow at Rakuten Institute of Technology and is a technical advisor in Vasily.

## 1.2 Ruby

Ruby which is usually confused as Ruby on Rails but isn't Ruby on Rails is object-oriented. It is described as terse, dynamic and it uses duck-typing. It allows for code-embedding and is a scripting language. It is high level and supports multiple programming paradigms. One major aspect of the language is that it focuses on simplicity.