

# Database and Program Language Trends in Tech

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# EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

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- Collect and analyze popular tech languages and databases used
- Steps used to process and analyze data
  - Gather necessary data (Trends and future trends of databases and languages through various sources such as the Stack Over Flow Survey, GitHub and IBM websites)
  - Create a visualization of current and future trends
  - Analyze Top databases and programs used plus future trends
- Clean and sort data for clarification
- Analyze given data through the various sources
- Visualize the data for a clear picture on outcome



# INTRODUCTION

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- As Technology constantly evolves, it is important to research and keep up with current and future trends!
- Identify current and future skill requirements for the Global IT business consulting firm
- Research and identify tech trends of 2024 and beyond
- Important questions to answer:
  - **What are the top programming languages in demand?**
  - **What are the top database skills in demand?**
  - **What are the popular IDEs?**

# METHODOLOGY

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- Collecting Data and Web Scraping
- Data Wrangling / Removing Duplicates / Inputting missing values
- Analyze Data and find Correlations/ Outliers
- Data Visualization
  - Create visualizations of data through pie charts/ pivot tables/ bar charts/ line charts / scatter plots etc.
  - Create a dashboard that displays visualizations of data



# RESULTS

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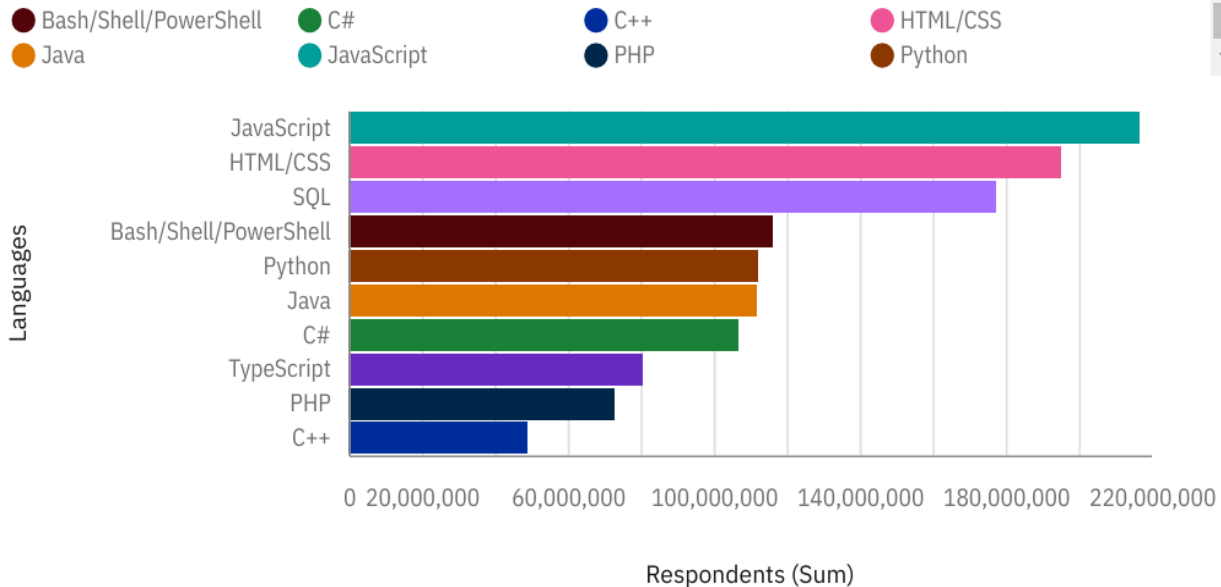


# PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE TRENDS

## Current Year

### Top 10 Languages

#### Languages Used

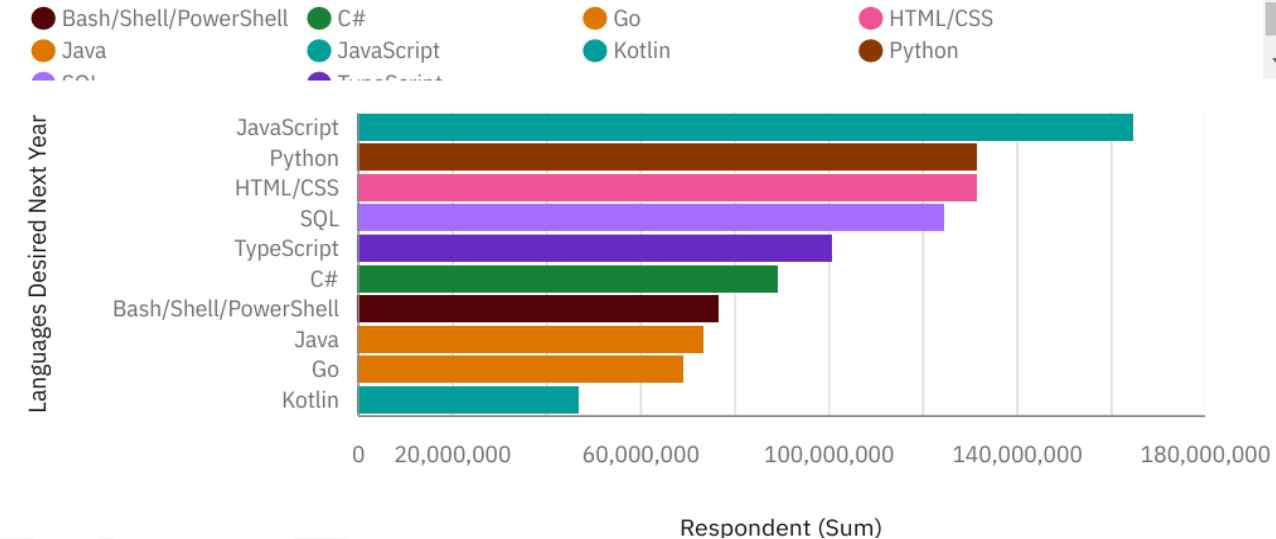


## Next Year

### Future Technology Trend

#### Top 10 Language's Desired Next Year

#### Languages



# PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE TRENDS - FINDINGS & IMPLICATIONS

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## Findings

- JavaScript is the top preferred language used and will continue to be next year
- HTML/CSS, SQL, Bash/Shell/PowerShell and Python follow behind JavaScript
- Python will climb up to the 2nd most language used behind JavaScript next year

## Implications

- With JavaScript as a top language, this implies web development will continue to be in high demand
- In the evolving world of data, Python will be a required skill just as much as HTML/CSS. It is imperative to develop skills in Python as it will be in high demand
- In regards to web development languages such as HTML/CSS, SQL follows right behind and is another language of importance for data as it still remains one of the top languages moving on to next year

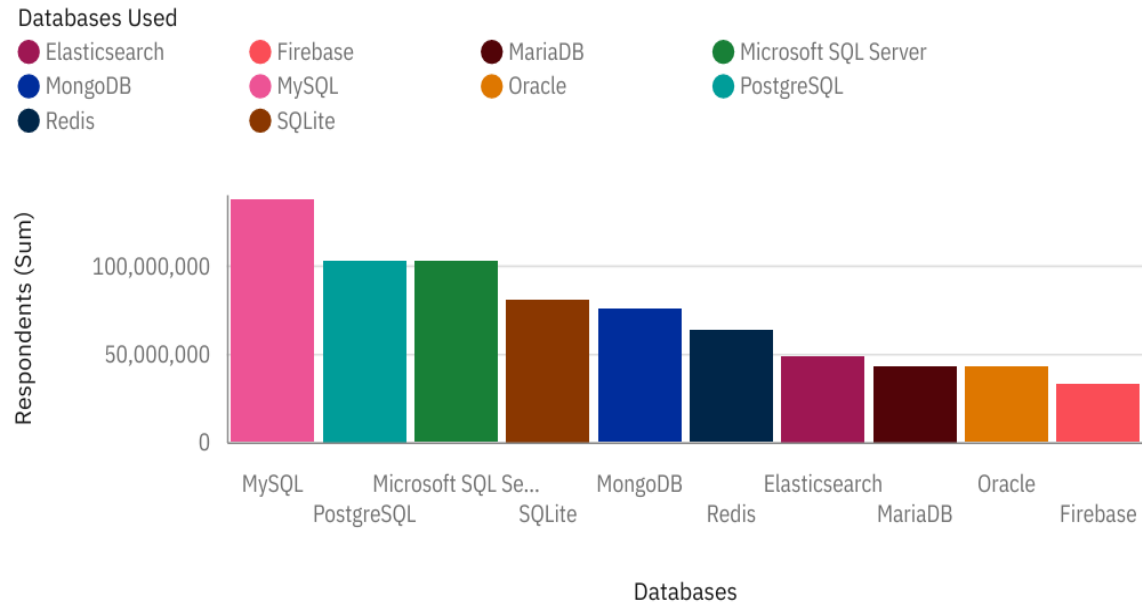




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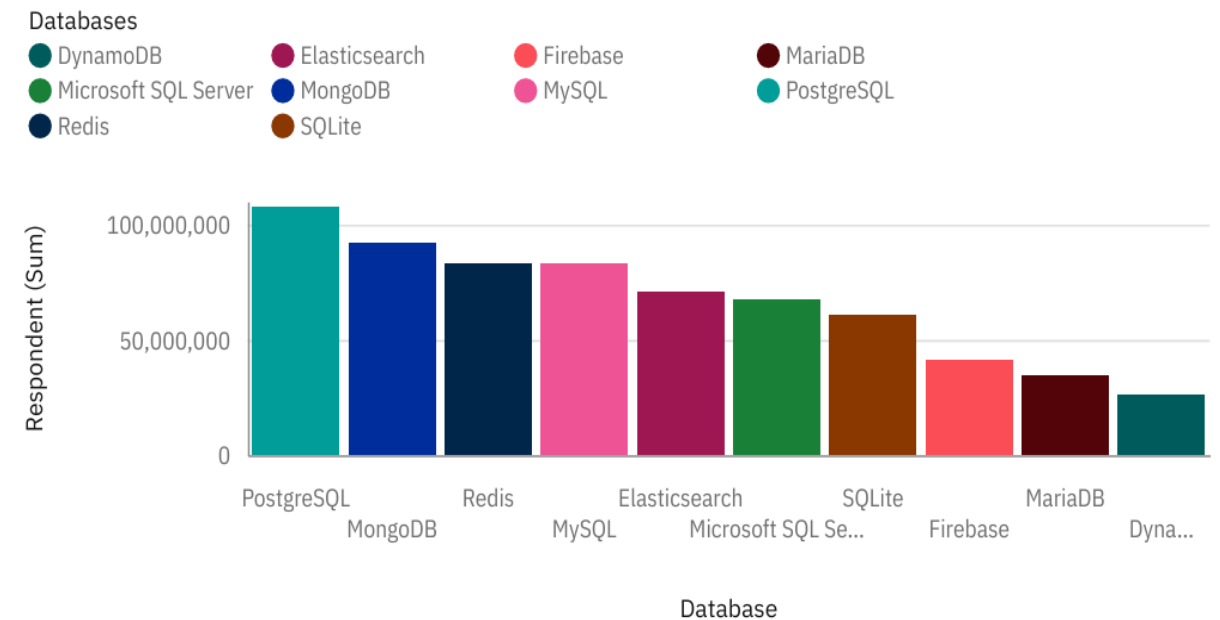
## Current Year

Top 10 Databases



## Next Year

Top 10 Databases Desired Next Year



# DATABASE TRENDS - FINDINGS & IMPLICATIONS

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## Findings

- MySQL is the top database used currently
- Postgre SQL will be the most desired skill for next year
- MongoDB and Redis follow after Postgre SQL for next year's desired skill

## Implications

- With decades of use, MySQL remains a foundational tool in the data industry due to its reliability and widespread adoption
- Known for its ability to manage complex queries and advanced data types, PostgreSQL is becoming increasingly desirable for modern, data-intensive applications.
- As AI development accelerates in the near future, MongoDB and Redis are likely to emerge as the go-to databases due to their scalability and efficiency in handling AI-driven workloads and real-time processing.



# DASHBOARD

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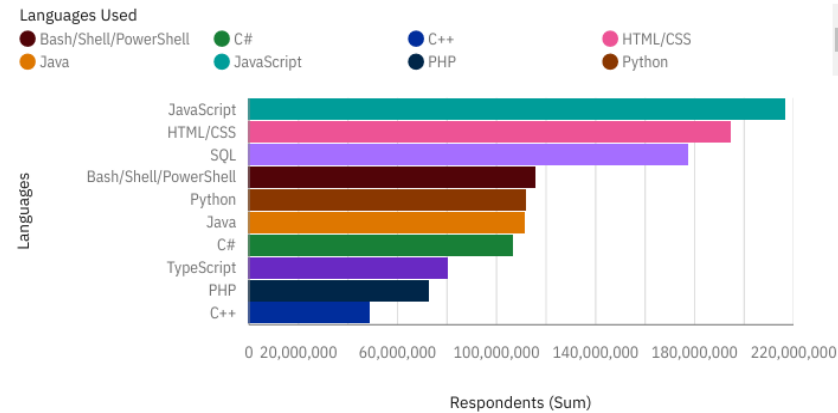


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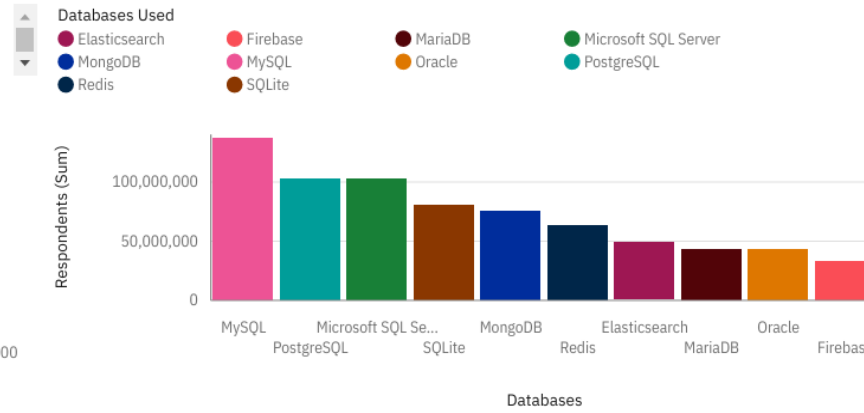
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## Current Technology Usage

### Top 10 Languages



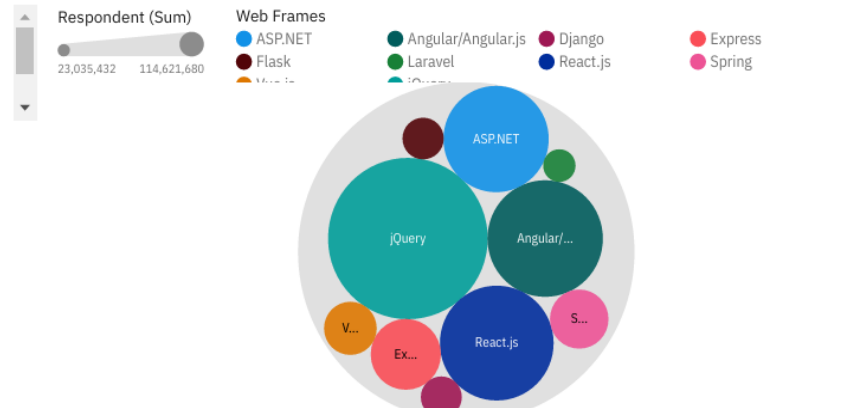
### Top 10 Databases



### Platforms Used



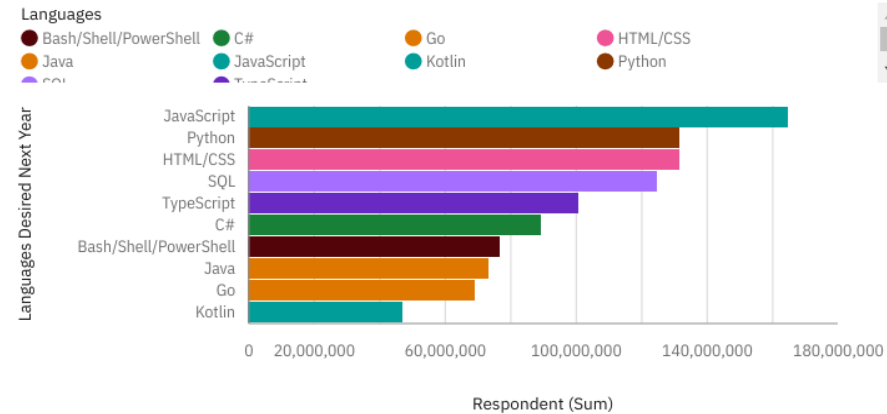
### Top 10 Web Frames Used



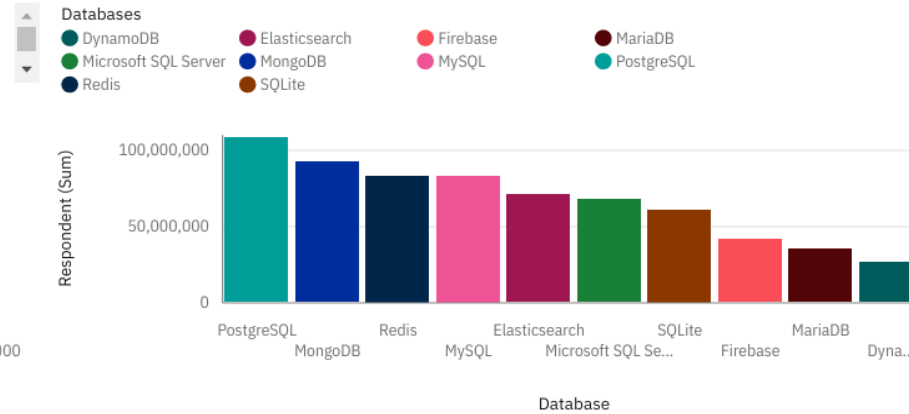
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## Future Technology Trend

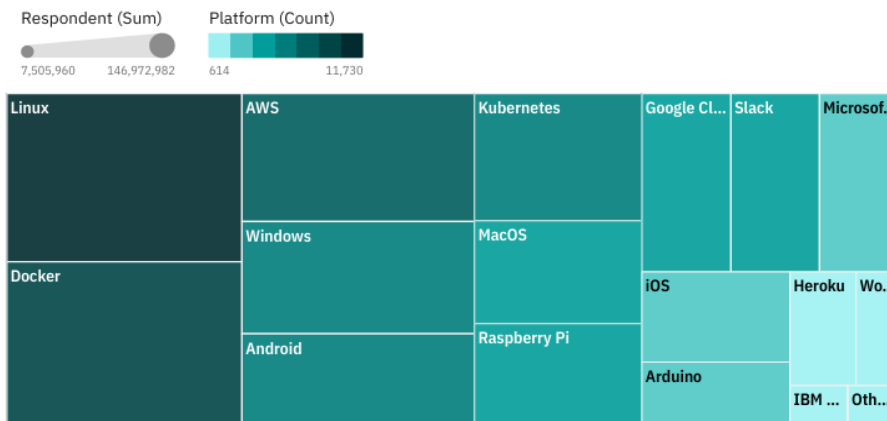
### Top 10 Language's Desired Next Year



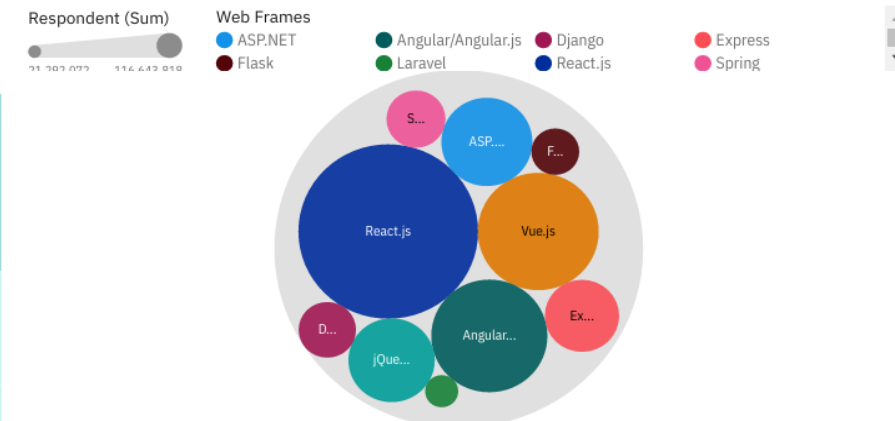
### Top 10 Databases Desired Next Year



### Platform's Desired Next Year



### Top 10 Web Frames Desired Next Year

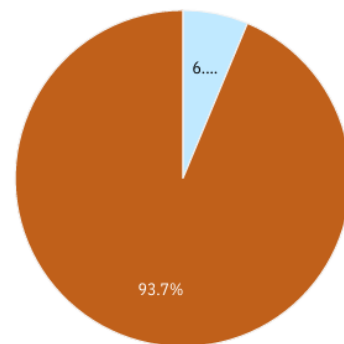


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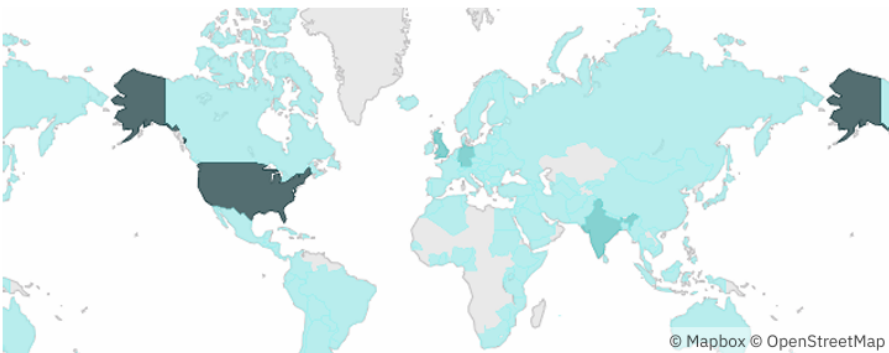
### Respondents by Gender

Gender  
● Woman ● Man

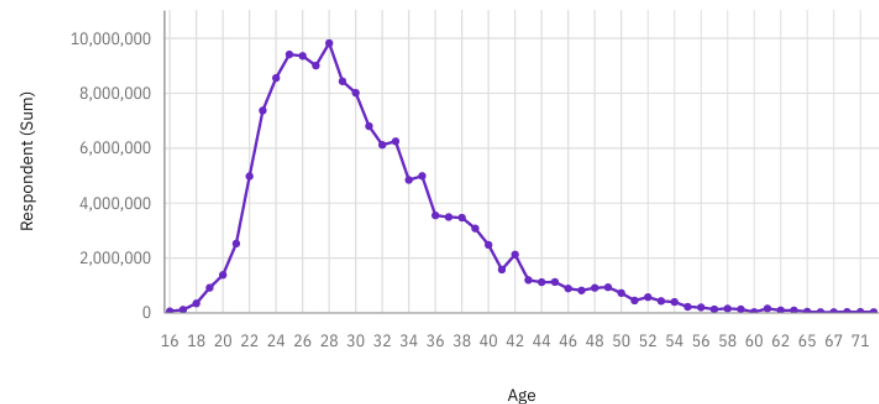


### Respondents by Country Region

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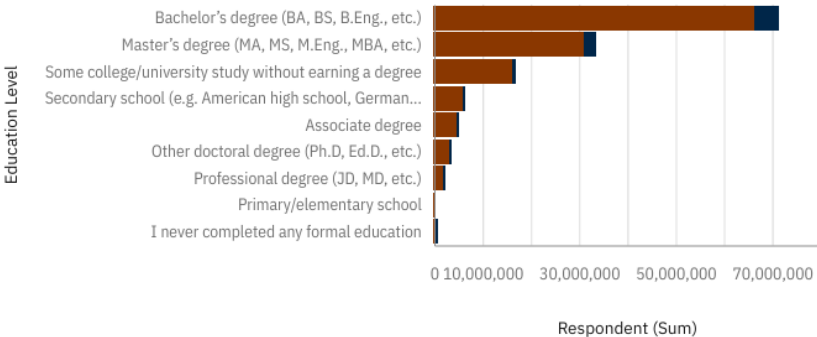


### Respondents by Age



### Respondents by Education Level

Gender  
● Man ● Woman



# DISCUSSION

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- Stay on top of AI-related skills
- BA vs. Master's degrees, is it relevant?
- Huge gender difference gap in the tech career
- Postgre SQL and JavaScript continue to trend



# OVERALL FINDINGS & IMPLICATIONS

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## Findings

- Huge gender gap in tech with 93.7% Male and 6.3% Female respondents
- AI and advanced data will progress in upcoming years making Postgre SQL, MondoDB and Redis relevant
- Linux, Docker, and AWS are top 3 platforms

## Implications

- Ways to close the gender gap: **Promote Women in Leadership:** Highlight and support female leaders in tech to inspire the next generation. **Reskill and Upskill:** Provide accessible training opportunities for women interested in transitioning into tech roles. **Encourage Early Interest:** Promote STEM education for girls from a young age through hands-on projects, mentorship, and role models
- As AI continues to progress, user-friendly and time-sensitive applications are becoming essential across industries. PostgreSQL, MongoDB, and Redis excel in handling large datasets and integrating seamlessly with AI, making them highly effective for modern AI-driven workloads
- These top 3 platforms—Linux, Docker, and AWS—are in high demand due to their ability to handle large-scale data efficiently, their user-friendly nature for developers, and their widespread adoption across a majority of industries





# CONCLUSION

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- JavaScript is the top preferred language currently and will continue to be next year
- MySQL is the top database used currently with Postgre SQL following at the top for next year
- Linux, Docker, and AWS are top 3 platforms due to their AI and large data set capabilities
- Close the gender gap by encouraging more female leadership positions in tech, and creating accessible training opportunities



# APPENDIX

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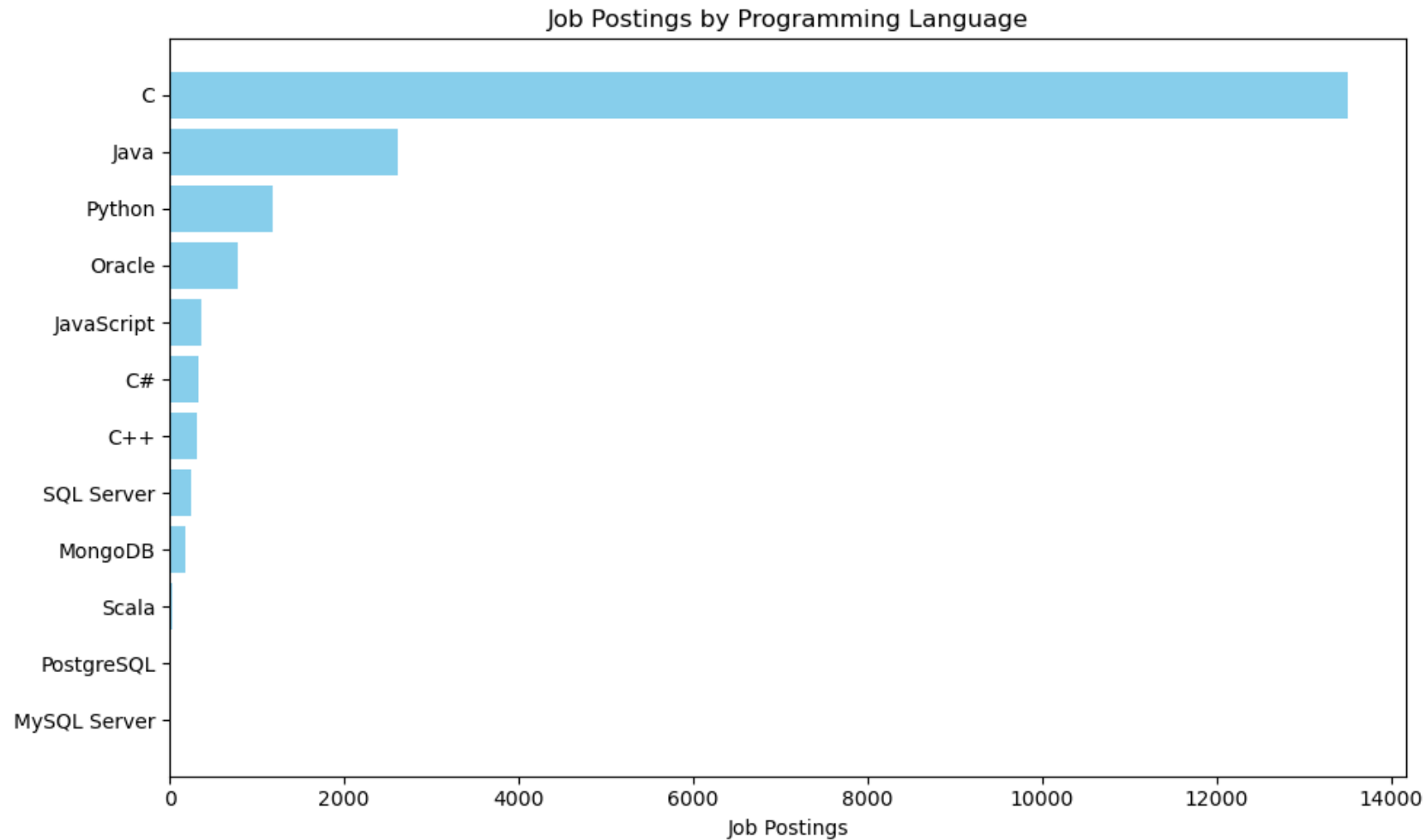
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# JOB POSTINGS



# POPULAR LANGUAGES

