

TABLE READING & UNDERSTANDING IN DOCUMENTS/IMAGES

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PROBLEM STATEMENT

- TO BUILD A MODEL WHICH DEFINES THE PHYSICAL AND LOGICAL STRUCTURE OF TABLES
- THE MODEL IS USED TO DETECT TABLES AND TO ANALYZE AND DECOMPOSE THE DETECTED TABLES

EXISTING SOLUTIONS

- CURRENT SOLUTIONS ARE BUILT AROUND PDFs
- THEY STRUGGLE WITH IMAGES AND ARE ALSO NOT EFFICIENT IN UNDERSTANDING THE UNDERLYING TABLE STRUCTURE

CHALLENGE

BUILDING A MODEL WHICH DEALS WITH IMAGES AS EFFICIENTLY AS WITH PDFs AND TO UNDERSTAND AND EXTRACT WIDE VARIETIES OF TABLE STRUCTURES

COMPLEXITY

Floating rate

Total general government in EUR billions

Short-term

Source: ECB.

NO BOUNDARIES

Your organisation's country of establishment (indicate your country of residence if answering as an individual person):

individual person):		
	replies	%
AT - Austria	79	(4.6%)
BE - Belgium	142	(8.2%)
DE - Germany	258	(14.9%)
DK - Denmark	28	(1.6%)
EL - Greece	80	(4.6%)
ES - Spain	123	(7.1%)
FI - Finland	22	(1.3%)
FR - France	132	(7.6%)
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PARTIAL BOUNDARIES

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5,266.2

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(percentages; end of period)	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	201
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Total general government	2.5	2.8	8.1	11.1	7.5	5.4
Long-term	3.4	2.3	3.7	9.7	10.4	7.
Fixed rate	3.4	2.0	3.5	9.7	9.7	6.4
Floating rate	3.4	5.4	5.1	6.4	17.8	17.
Short-term	-8.8	9.6	61.9	23.0	-11.1	-9.
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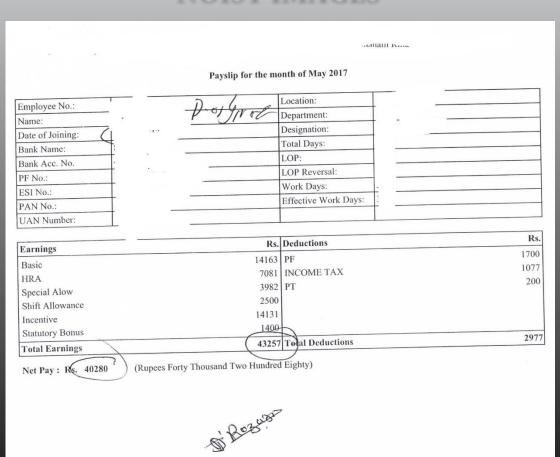
NESTED ROWS AND COLUMNS

Table 6

Correlations between the difficulties encounters and the perceived teachers and the school as a whole (Pearsons correlation coefficients)		
Difficulties encountered with respect to		

Impacts on participating pupils	Lack of interest/ acceptance from colleagues	Lack of interest of pupils	Lack of interest of parents
Knowledge and awareness of different cultures	-0,1651	-0,2742	-0,1618
Foreign language competence	-0,0857	-0,1804	-0,1337
Social skills and abilities	-0,1237	-0,2328	-0,1473
Acquaintance of special knowledge	-0,1355	-0,2008	-0,1234
Self competence	-0,1291	-0,2466	-0,1636
Impacts on participating teachers			
Knowledge/appreciation of school system and education in the partner countries	-0,1505	-0,1636	-0,1349
Foreign language competence	-0,0545	-0,0997	-0,0519
Social skills and personal commitment	-0,2558	-0,2235	-0,1302
Professional knowledge and abilities	-0,2145	-0,2319	-0,1003
Impacts on the school as a whole			
European/International dimension of the school	-0,2438	-0,1945	-0,1030
School climate	-0,2976	-0,1810	-0,1012
Innovation in teaching and school management	-0,2586	-0,2557	-0,0928
Training of teachers	-0,1839	-0,1703	-0,0518
Involvement of external actors in the every day school-life	-0,2346	-0,2343	-0,2237
International mobility of pupils	**	**	-0,0583

NOISY IMAGES



^{*} Significance p = 0,000
** No significant correlation

METHODOLOGY

PRE-PROCESSING

- SKEW-CORRECTION
- LINE EXTRACTION
- TEXT INVERSION

TABLE DETECTION

- BOUNDED FIGURES & TABLE DETECTION
- TEXT BLOCK FORMATION
- HORIZONTAL & VERTICAL ALIGNMENT VERIFICATION

TABLE EXTRACTION

- ROWS & COLUMNS IDENTIFICATION
- HEADERS' IDENTIFICATION
- MAPPING CELL'S ROW & COLUMN HEADER(S)

EXAMPLE

OUTPUT

INPUT

Contract number – REM 01 Final Report

SI2.5: Country Net Yearly Salary Average in EURO

Country	Net Yearly Salar average	
Austria	31.552	
Belgium	25.408	
Bulgaria	3.361	
Croatia	12.477	
Cyprus	33.865	
Czech Republic	11.514	
Denmark	35.874	
Estonia	7.865	
Finland	26.268	
France	30.030	
Germany	28.351	
Greece	20.105	
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Israel	26.703	

Country	Net Yearly Salary average	
Italy	21.821	
Latvia	9.150	
Lithuania	6.340	
Luxembourg	45.847	
Malta	19.688	
Netherlands	36.791	
Norway	39.407	
Poland	8.059	
Portugal	18.111	
Romania	5.766	
Slovakia	6.055	
Slovenia	14.279	
Spain	22.930	
Sweden	28.075	
Switzerland	64.123	
Turkey	14.565	
United Kingdom	37.001	

Table 48 - Country Net Yearly Salary Average (2006, N=6.934, all currencies in EURO)

Note: A different analysis has been carried out for the net yearly salary costs obtained in the survey in order to detect unusual observations. The final sample had 7.018 correct replies, including 84 answers from Marie Curie fellowships. Marie Curie answers has not been considered for the calculation of the country net yearly salary average, as a result the sample had N=6.934.

[MAIN COLUMN HEADER/ROW HEADER/COLUMN HEADER/CELL VALUE]

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PRE-PROCESSING

SKEW-CORRECTION



LINE **DETECTION**



LINE REMOVAL



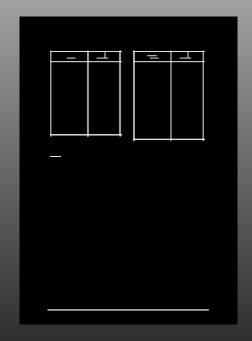
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TEXT INVERSION

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BOUNDED FIGURES & TABLE DETECTION



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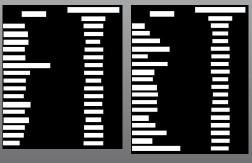
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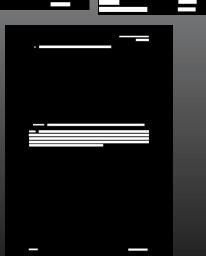


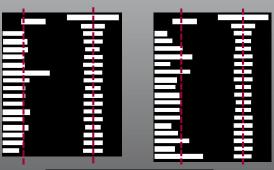
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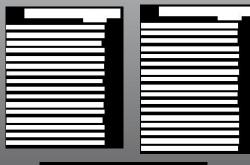
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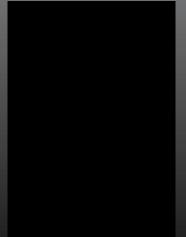












SI2.5: Country Not Yearly Salary Average in EURO

TABLE EXTRACTION

ROWS & COLUMNS IDENTIFICATION



HEADER IDENTIFICATION



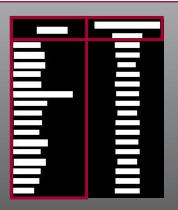
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CHALLENGES

NESTED HEADER MAPPING

Spain						
Scientific domain	Total Yearly Salary Costs of Researchers (data from the study)		Equivalent(s) profession(s) defined by ISCO	Category with available data in Eurostat	Total Yearly Salary Costs of similar professions (data from Eurostat)	
	Male	Female	classification		Male	Female
Social and Human Sciences	27.301 €	16.806 €	2.4.4	2.4	46.657 €	30.443 €
Economics	42.978 €	33.669 €	2.4.1	2.4	46.657 €	30.443 €
Chemistry	39.091 €	20.296 €	2.1.1	2.1	42.138 €	31.056 €
Physics	27.197 €	16.067 €	2.1.1	2.1	42.138 €	31.056 €
Life Sciences	36.523 €	22.139 €	2.2.1	2.2	37.111 €	28.705 €
Mathematics	45.389 €	41.107 €	2.1.2	2.1	42.138 €	31.056 €
Information Sciences	26.059 €	25.893 €	2.1.3	2.1	42.138 €	31.056 €
Engineering Sciences	34.316 €	25.435 €	2.1.4	2.1	42.138 €	31.056 €
Environment and Geosciences	29.210 €	14.847 €	2.1.4	2.1	42.138 €	31.056 €

CHALLENGES

REPETITIVE COLUMN/ROW HEADERS

Country	Number of	% of total	Country	Number of	% of total
	responses	responses		responses	responses
DE - Germany	258	14.9%	CH - Switzerland	25	1.4%
UK - United Kingdom	157	9.1%	FI - Finland	22	1.3%
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TR - Turkey	44	2.5%	SL - Slovenia	6	0.3%
IE - Ireland	33	1.9%	MT - Malta	5	0.3%
NO - Norway	31	1.8%	LV - Latvia	4	0.2%
Other country	30	1.7%	LU - Luxembourg	1	0.1%
RO - Romania	29	1.7%	IS - Iceland	1	0.1%
DK - Denmark	28	1.6%	TOTAL	1727	100%

CHALLENGES

TABLE SPLITTING OVER MULTIPLE PAGES



Guidelines for future European Union policy to support research

1727 responses received1. 30/07/2004 - 15/10/2004

Details

individual person	540	(31.2%)
governmental body	141	(8.2%)
university/higher education	456	(26.4%)
commercial organisation (including consultancy) more than 250 employees	115	(6.7%)
commercial organisation (including consultancy) less than 250 employees	144	(8.3%)
association (e.g. trade association, trade union, employers association, chamber of commerce, NGO)	113	(6.5%)
other (please specify)	218	(12.6%)

Your role in the organisation

none - I am answering as an individual	350	(20.2%)
senior management	350	(20.2%)
management	180	(10.4%)
researcher	619	(35.8%)
strategy/policy function	154	(8.9%)
specialist/expert	178	(10.3%)
other (please specify)	210	(12.1%)

Your organisation's country of establishment (indicate your country of residence if answering as an individual person):

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¹ These are the overall figures based on all replies sent during the consultation. There are a couple of cases of coordinated actions. In one case a grup of researchers from different countries have put floward additional comments in flowur or a specific research topic. In another case a group of researcher in one country have submitted exactly the same form. However these two cases have not singnificantly affected the overall outcome of the statistics.

***	Interactive Policy Making	١
****	Online consultations	

EE - Estonia	10	(0.6%)
HU - Hungary	10	(0.6%)
LV - Latvia	4	(0.2%)
LT - Lithuania	22	(1.3%)
MT - Malta	5	(0.3%)
PL - Poland	16	(0.9%)
SK - Slovak Republic	7	(0.4%)
SL - Slovenia	6	(0.3%)
BG - Bulgaria	8	(0.5%)
TR - Turkey	44	(2.5%)
RO - Romania	29	(1.7%)
IS - Iceland	1	(0.1%)
LI - Liechtenstein	0	(0%)
NO - Norway	31	(1.8%)
CH - Switzerland	25	(1.4%)
IL - Israel	17	(1%)
Other:	30	(1.7%)

Your organisation's geographical area of activities (indicate your area of activities if answering as an individual person):

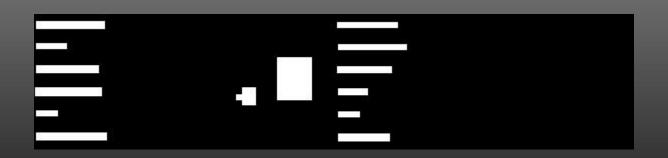
	repties	%
local	57	(3.3%)
regional	116	(6.7%)
national	370	(21.4%)
European	292	(16.9%)
international	852	(49.3%)
not applicable	40	(2.3%)

Your organisation's activity type (indicate your activity type if answering as an individual person):

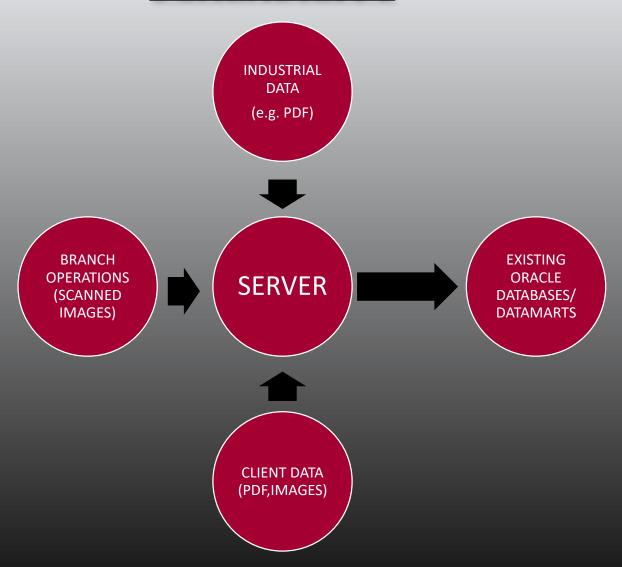
	replies	
Higher Education	400	(23.19
Research	818	(47.39
Industrial	199	(11.59
Public Administration	80	(4.69
Other (please specify)	230	(13.39

CHALLENGES NOISY SCANNED DATA

Employee No	Bank Name	
Name	Bank Acc. No.	14
Designation	IFSC Code	
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PAN	UAN	
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SCALABILITY



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- OPEN CV

THANK YOU