A CUSTOM PROJECT ON

CITY PAYROLL ANALYSIS

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1.Introduction

The United States is a land of opportunities. There are many jobs available for people, but the main concern is to relocate to the different city. Los Angeles and New York are one of the most populated cities with the most number of job opportunities. It is not easy to select a profession in these cities. There are several factors which come into play for relocation to these cities. But few of them are the Basic Pay, Annual Salary, Average Hour pay, Overtime etc. We provide a tool to visualize these factors along with other factors such as job position, department etc. This tool uses semantic web technologies to give the meaning to the data, doing this we not only visualize the data within LA and New York city but also compares these two cities.

2. Target Audience

Our project extracts information from two datasets and displays lucent information on the different types of factors affecting the relocation to the cities. There are several sources to collect the data, but all of them are distributed over the internet, and if are available then it's in a form which is hard for users to understand. Now, even if they understand the datasets then also it's hard to visualize the data as there are millions of rows and columns.

Keeping all these complexities in mind, we made a tool which targets all the employees or job seekers who are willing to move to LA city or New York.

If the audience has this tool in their hand then it becomes easy for them to visualize the million items dataset containing departments, pay, hour rate etc. with simple graphs.

3.Description of data sources

For this project, we are using two large datasets

- 1. LA Payroll Data which has the following attributes:
 - 1. Year
 - 2. Department Title
 - 3. Job Class Title
 - 4. Pay Grade
 - 5. Employment Type
 - 6. Project Annual Salaries
 - 7. Q1 Payments
 - 8. Q2 Payments
 - 9. Q3 Earnings
 - 10. Q4 Payments
 - 11. Earnings over regular pay
 - 12. % Over Regular
 - 13. Total Earnings
 - 14. Base Pay
 - 15. Permanent Bonus Pay
 - 16. Longevity Bonus Pay
 - 17. Temporary Bonus Pay

- 18. Overtime
- 19. Lump Sum Pay
- 20. Other Pay and Benefits
- 21. Average City Health Costs
- 22. Average City Dental Costs
- 23. Average City Basic Life
- 24. Total Average Benefit Cost
- 25. MOU
- 26. Payroll Department
- 27. Payroll Division
- 28. Other Pay
- 29. MOU Title
- 30. FMS Department
- 31. Job Class
- 32. Benefits Plan
- 33. Employee ID
- 34. Job Class Link Description
- 35. Job Class Link

2. NYC Employee Payroll Data which has the following attributes:

- a) Fiscal Year
- b) Agency Name
- c) Last Name
- d) First Name
- e) Mid Init
- f) Agency Start Date
- g) Work Location Borough
- h) Title Description
- i) Leave Status as of June 30
- j) Base Salary
- k) Pay Basis
- 1) Regular Hours
- m) Regular Gross Paid
- n) OT Hours
- o) Total OT Paid
- p) Total Other Pay



Figure 1: NYC Employee Payroll Data



Figure 2: LA City Payroll Data

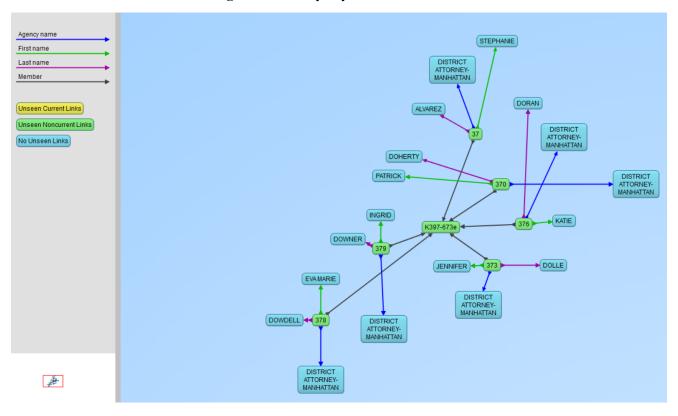


Figure 3: NYC Employee Payroll Ontology

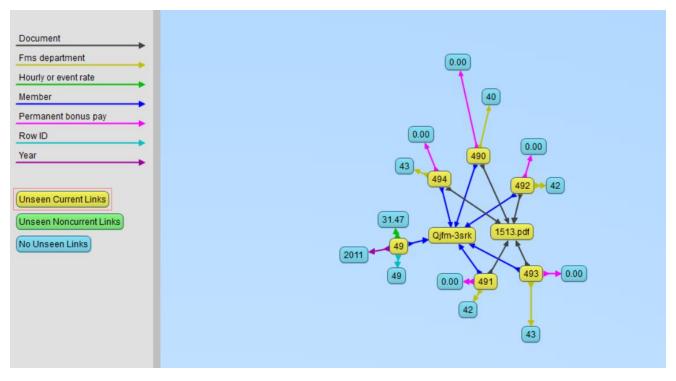


Figure 4: LA City Payroll Ontology

4.Data Integration

The two datasets LA City Payroll and NYC Employee Payroll are hosted in a local Fuseki Server where we look upon the query patterns. The graphs of the different datasets are properly analyzed to present interesting inferences. The query patterns are extracted and saved locally which is then used by our web page to visualize interesting results using D3. The visualization part happens simultaneously and there is no lag between the Fuseki server and the web page which is hosted.

Some sample queries we have used:

1. Query: Compare Base Salaries of LA City and NYC

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prefix g1:<a href="http://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc>">http://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/lacity>">prefix g2:<a href="https://data.cityofnewyork.us/resource/k397-673e/">https://data.cityofnewyork.us/resource/k397-673e/</a>>
prefix p2:<a href="https://controllerdata.lacity.org/resource/qjfm-3srk/">https://controllerdata.lacity.org/resource/qjfm-3srk/</a>>
prefix xsd: <a href="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#">http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#</a>>
SELECT ?g ?c (avg(xsd:decimal(?salary)) AS ?average)
WHERE

{
    GRAPH ?g{{
        ?s p1:agency_name ?c .
        ?s p1:base_salary ?salary .
    }UNION{
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?s p2:department_title ?c .
                    ?s p2:base_pay ?salary
                }}
          }
          GROUP BY ?c ?g
2. Query: Compare Hourly Rate vs Departments of LA City
          prefix g1:<a href="mailto:richttp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc">refix g1:<a href="mailto:richttp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc">refix g1:<a href="mailto:richttp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc">richttp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc<>a href="mailto:richttp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc">richttp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc<>a href="mailto:richttp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc">richttp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc<>a href="mailto:richttp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc">richttp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc<>a href="mailto:richttp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc">richttp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc<>a href="mailto:richttp://localhost:1000/payrolls/data/nyc">richttp://localhost:1000/payrolls/data/nyc<>a href="mailto:richttp://localhost:1000/payrolls/data/nyc">richttp://localhost:1000/payrolls/data/nyc</a>
          prefix g2:<a href="mailto:ref">prefix g2:<a href="mailto:ref">http://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/lacity></a>
         prefix p1:<a href="https://data.cityofnewyork.us/resource/k397-673e/">https://data.cityofnewyork.us/resource/k397-673e/</a>
          prefix p2:<https://controllerdata.lacity.org/resource/qjfm-3srk/>
          prefix xsd: <a href="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#">http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#</a>
          SELECT ?deptTitle ?jobClass (avg(xsd:decimal(?hrate)) AS ?avgSal)
         WHERE {
                             GRAPH g2:{
                                       ?s p2:department_title ?deptTitle .
                                       ?s p2:job_class_title ?jobClass .
                                       ?s p2:hourly_or_event_rate ?hrate
                    }
          }
          GROUP BY ?jobClass ?deptTitle
3. Query: Compare Average Total Earnings vs Departments of LA City
         prefix g1:<a href="mailto:richtp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc">refix g1:<a href="mailto:richtp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc">refix g1:<a href="mailto:richtp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc">richtp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc<>a href="mailto:richtp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc">richtp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc<>a href="mailto:richtp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc">richtp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc<>a href="mailto:richtp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc">richtp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc<>a href="mailto:richtp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc">richtp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc<>a href="mailto:richtp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc">richtp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc<>a href="mailto:richtp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc">richtp://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/nyc</a>
          prefix g2:<http://localhost:3030/payrolls/data/lacity>
          prefix p1:<a href="https://data.cityofnewyork.us/resource/k397-673e/">https://data.cityofnewyork.us/resource/k397-673e/</a>
          prefix p2:<https://controllerdata.lacity.org/resource/qjfm-3srk/>
          prefix xsd: <a href="mailto:ref">http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#>
          SELECT ?deptTitle ?jobClass (avg(xsd:decimal(?tEarnings)) AS ?avgSal)
         WHERE {
                   GRAPH g2:{
```

?s p2:department_title ?deptTitle . ?s p2:job_class_title ?jobClass .

?s p2:actual_earnings_example ?tEarnings

5.Data Product Results

GROUP BY ?jobClass ?deptTitle

The results are shown on our webpage, which is shown to the end users, who in our case are professional job seekers and existing employees looking to relocate or switch. The different patterns obtained through the dataset are shown in the form of visualizations, where they can infer the results. The visualizations of the above three sample queries are shown below:

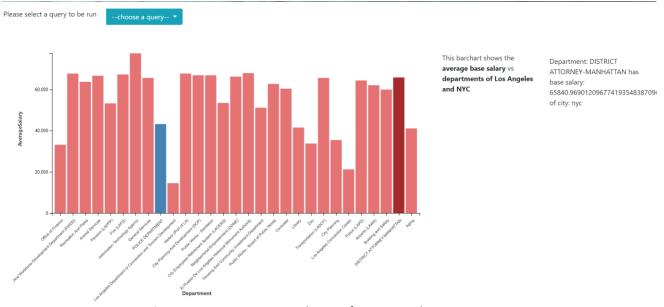


Figure 5: Compare Base Salaries of LA City and NYC

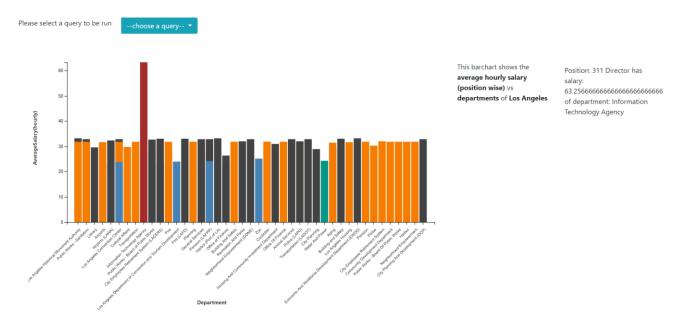


Figure 6: Compare Hourly Rate vs Departments of LA City

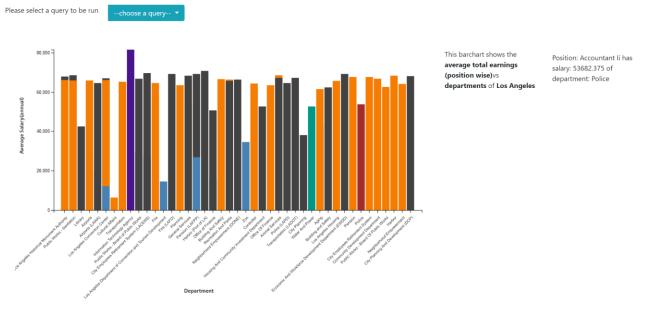


Figure 7: Compare Average Total Earnings vs Departments of LA City

6. Justification

With a single dataset, we couldn't derive meaningful results. Thus, had to move to a Custom project to integrate multiple datasets. We are using two datasets: LACity Payroll dataset and NYC employee payroll dataset. We have compared several features within the cities and between the cities for the professionals willing to move into these cities.

7. Summary

Using Semantic Web technologies like Fuseki for hosting RDF files, HTML and JavaScript/d3.js for visualization, we have derived useful information from the datasets, and made a tool to visualize a data in a simple and efficient way.