# Identifying and Analyzing Current and Future Technology Trends

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# EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- Trends in programming languages and databases
- Demographics survey
- Technological gap in countries
- Gender gap in jobs
- Top salaries per language

### INTRODUCTION

- About: Analyzing the trends in software development
- Purpose:
  - Identify skill requirements for future
  - What are the top programming languages in demand?
  - What are the popular IDEs?
- Audience: IT Head and Human Resources



## METHODOLOGY

- Collect the top programming skills that are most in demand:
  - Job postings
  - Training portals
  - Surveys
- Data Wrangling:
  - Identify duplicate rows in the data frame
  - Remove duplicate rows in the data frame
  - Find the number of missing values for all columns
  - Normalize the data
- Analyze the data:
  - Plot distribution curve, and histogram
  - Find the median, and outliers of particular columns
  - Create a new data frame
- Identify insights and trends:
  - What are the top programming languages in demand?
  - What are the top database skills in demand?
  - What are the popular IDEs?



## RESULTS

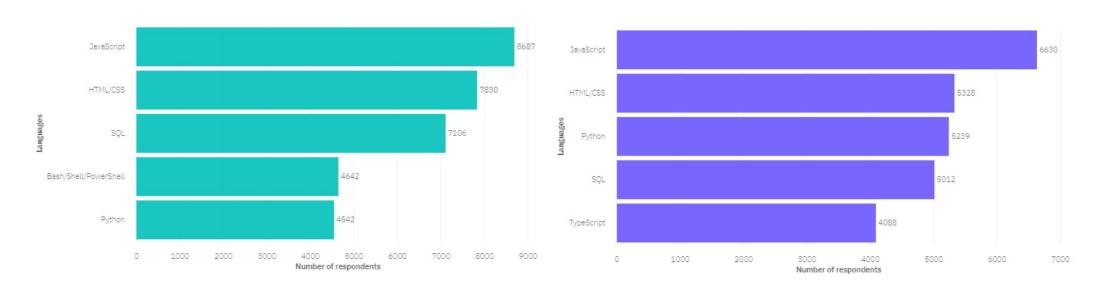
#### Results are based on this table:

	Respondent	LanguageWorkedWith	LanguageDesireNextYear	DatabaseWorkedWith	DatabaseDesireNextYear	PlatformWorkedWith
0	4	С	С	MySQL	MySQL	Linux
1	4	C++	C#	SQLite	SQLite	Windows
2	4	C#	JavaScript	NaN	NaN	NaN
3	4	Python	SQL	NaN	NaN	NaN
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### PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE TRENDS

Top 5 Programming Languages

Top 5 Programming Languages Next Year



# PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE TRENDS - FINDINGS & IMPLICATIONS

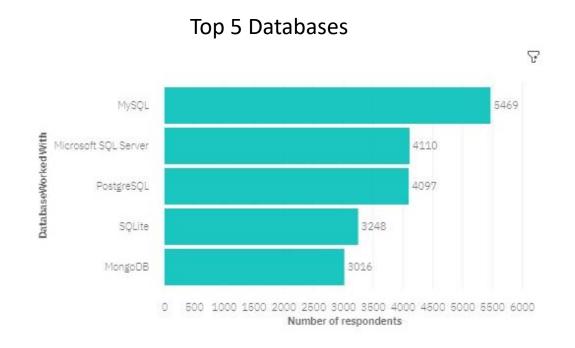
### **Findings**

- JavaScript keeps being the most used and desired language to be learned.
- Python keeps gaining popularity.
- Bash/Shell/PowerShell seems to be losing desire.

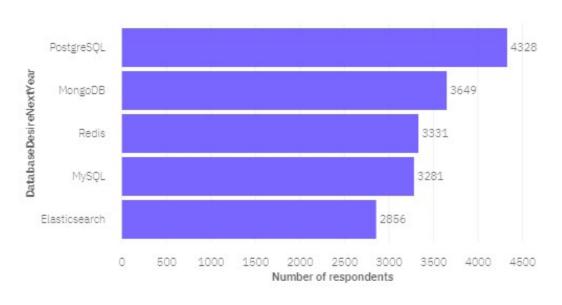
#### **Implications**

- Web development are still in high demand.
- Big Data technology in companies still requires SQL.
- With AI and ML in rising demand, Python is the current and future best choice.

## DATABASE TRENDS



Top 5 Databases Desire for Next Year



# DATABASE TRENDS - FINDINGS & IMPLICATIONS

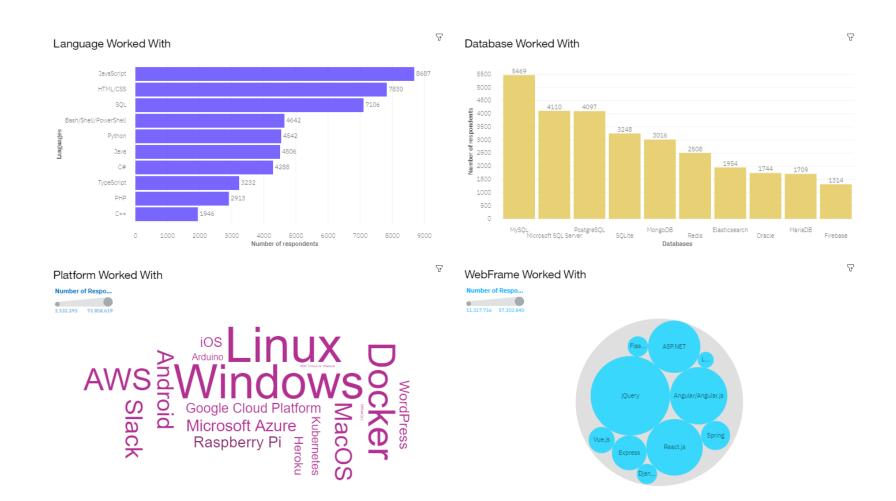
### **Findings**

- MySQL is the most popular database now.
- MongoDB and Redis are becoming the favorites.
- Elasticsearch is gaining popularity.

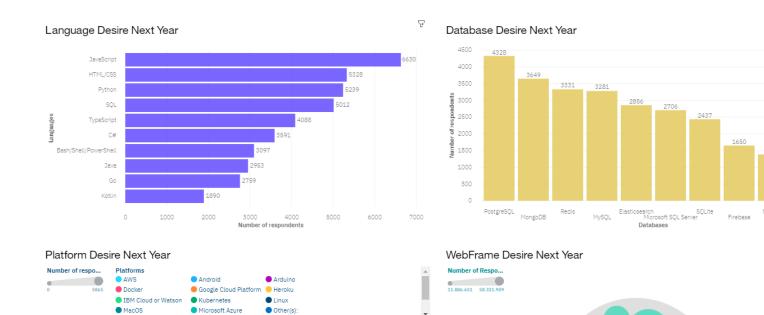
#### **Implications**

- Open-source databases are still preferable in companies.
- NoSQL databases will make an impact for storing non-relational data.
- Redit supports abstract data types.
- Pre-tuned search to website, app, or ecommerce store.

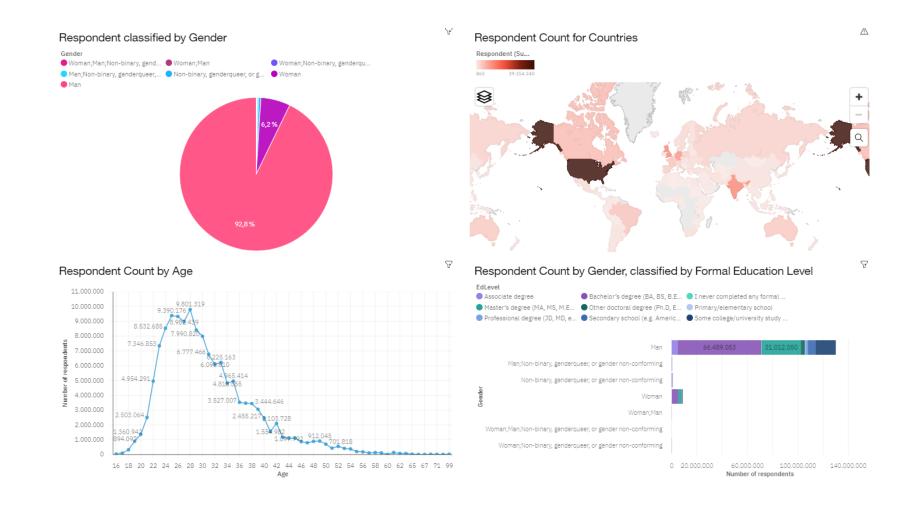
## Current Technology Usage



## Future Technology Trend



## Demographics



### DASHBOARD

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### DISCUSSION

- Technology Trends now and future.
- Training and Reskilling workers.
- Females Participation in Technology field.
- Bridge dive of technology gaps in developing countries.
- Eliminate age and education discrimination in employment.

# OVERALL FINDINGS & IMPLICATIONS

#### **Findings**

- Fast changing technologies every year.
- Concentration on several countries like USA and India
- Gender gap in technology jobs

#### **Implications**

- Companies need to be flexible and adjust to rapid changes.
- Need to spread technology out to lagging countries
- Shift to faster app deployments and cloud services in the future

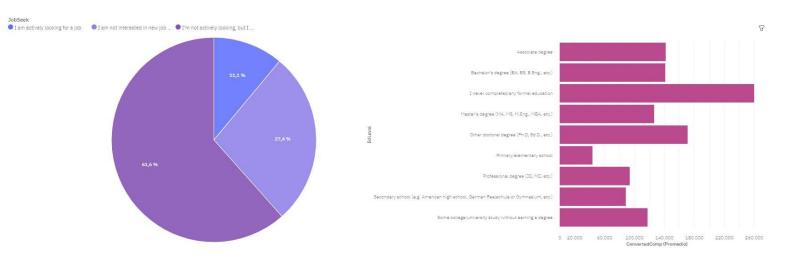


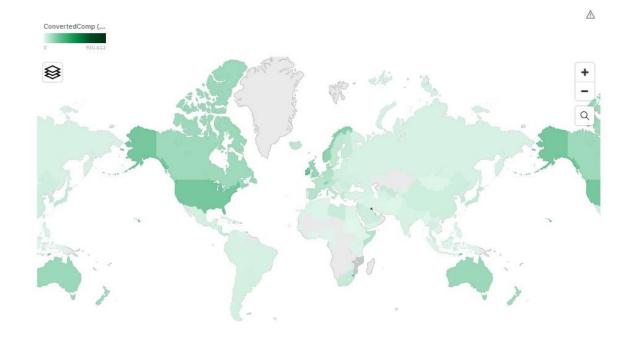


### CONCLUSION

- Technology Trends for current and next year
- Programming Languages, Database and Platform overview
- Demographics overview
- Actions to be taken
- In future, incorporate Machine Learning to predict trends and salaries

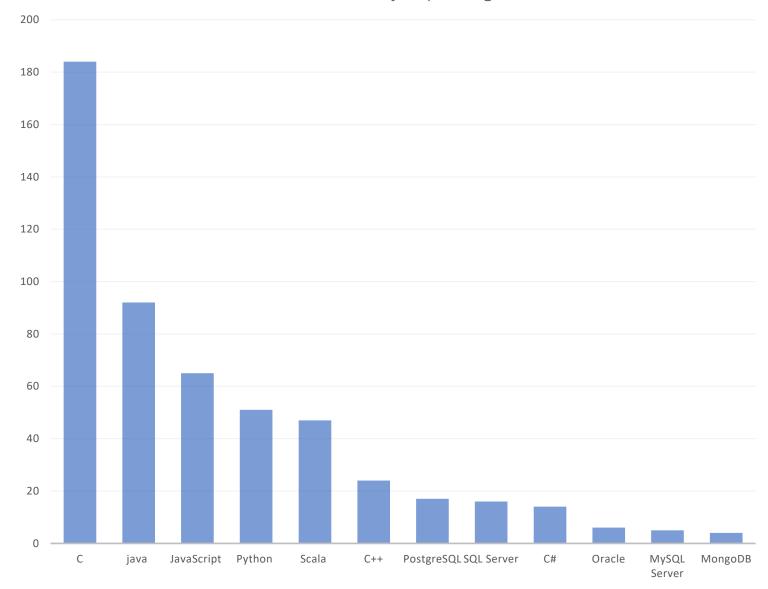
## APPENDIX





# GITHUB JOB POSTINGS

#### Number of job posting



## POPULAR LANGUAGES

#### Average Annual Salary

