

User Manual

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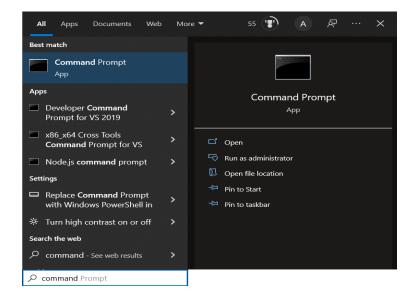
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Installation Process

Please make sure you have the following python packages installed.

Tkinter, pillow, tkPDFViewer

If you don't have the python packages installed yet and you are NOT using thonny, please open your command prompt by searching for it.

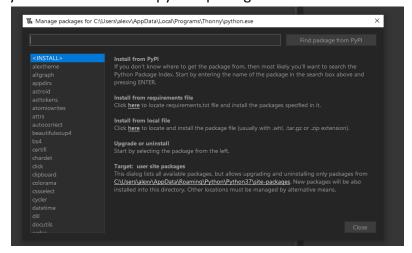


Pip install tkinter

Pip install pillow

Pip install tkPDFViewer

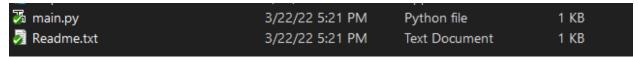
If you are using thonny, you can find the packages by selecting Tools >> Manage packages. Here you can search for the python packages.



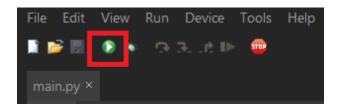
Starting the Program

To launch the application, locate and open the "main.py" file

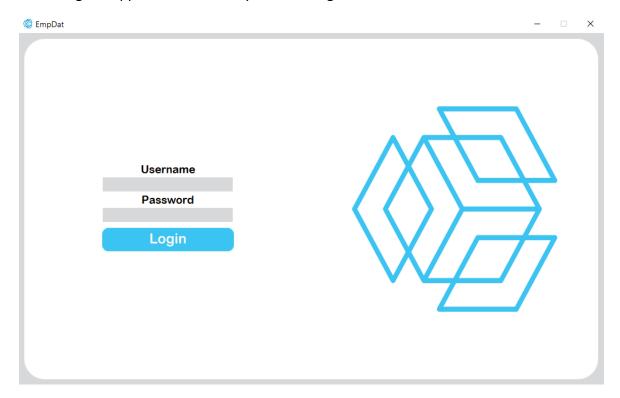
(Additional information is found in the readme.txt file)



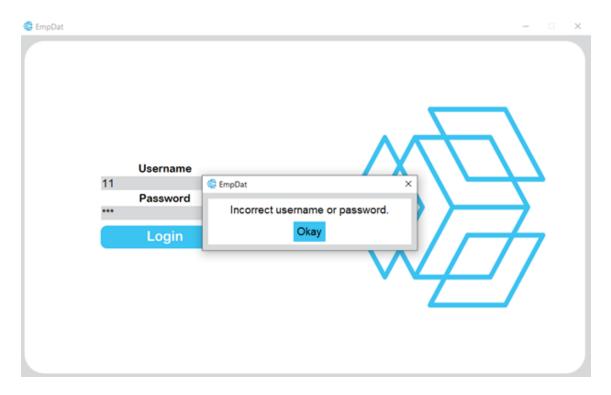
If you are running main.py in thonny, you may press the run button to launch the application.



Launching the application will take you to the login screen.

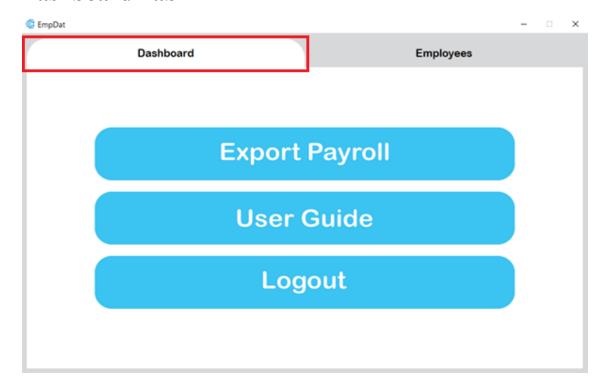


If the wrong credentials are used, you will be prompted with the following notice.



Upon logging in, you will be taken to the dashboard tab where you have a few options.

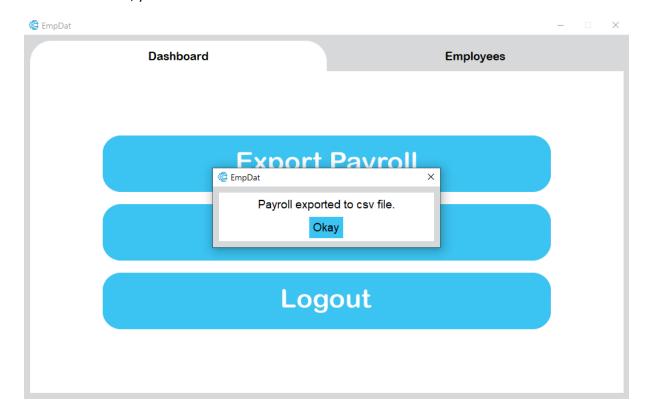
Dashboard Tab



Your first option is to export your payroll to a csv file. The file will be saved here: "Backend\payroll.csv"

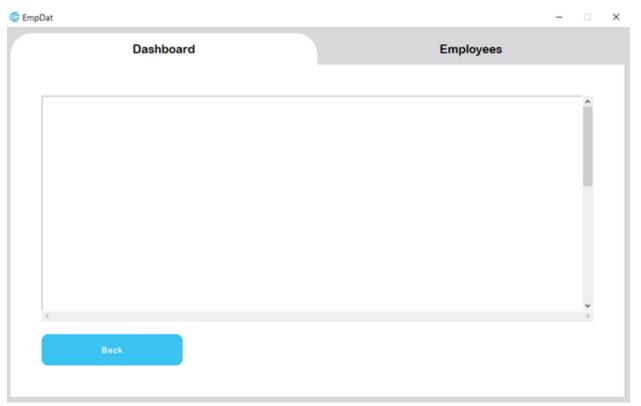


If this is successful, you will be notified.

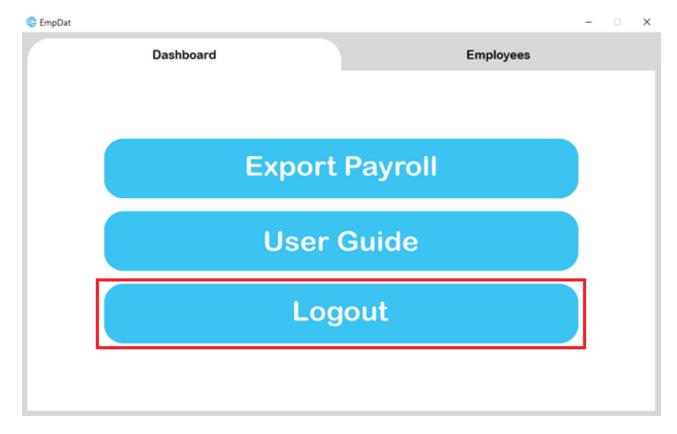


Pressing the user guide button will take you to a view of the user guide pdf.



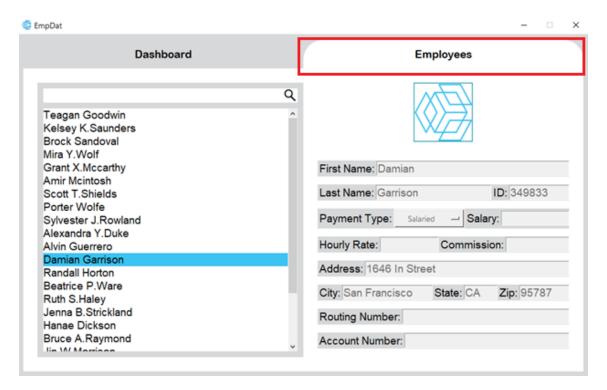


You may logout by pressing the logout button.

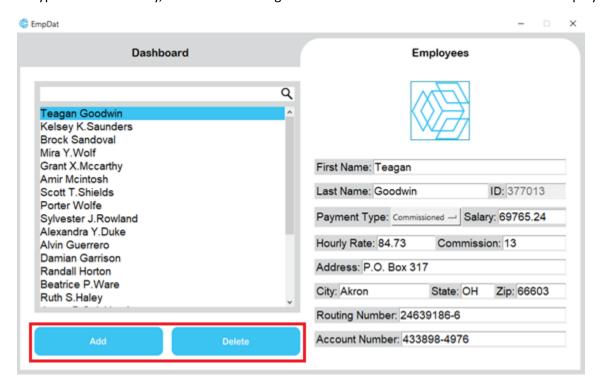


Employees Tab

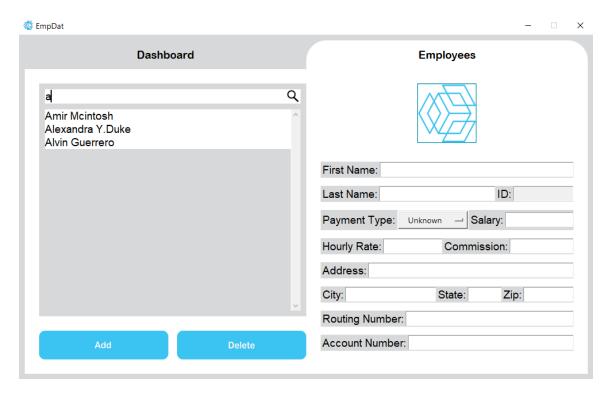
Clicking on the employees tab will take you to this screen. Here you can view a list of employees on the left-hand side. On the right-hand side, you can view their information. There are two different views. The first seen below is for basic users with limited permissions. Notice some information isn't visible and the user cannot type in any of the entry fields.



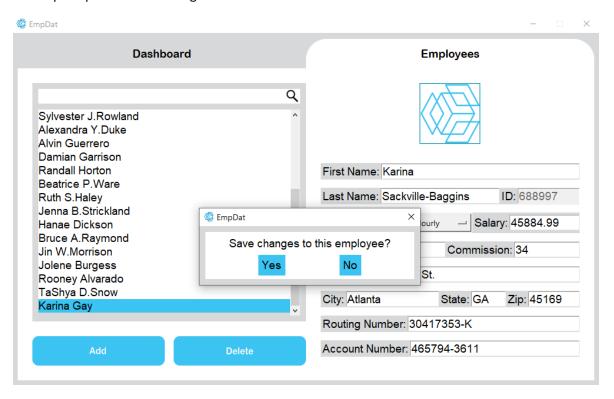
The view below is for administrators. Here, all employee information is visible, and the entry fields can be typed in. Additionally, there is a new widget that allows administrators to add or delete employees.



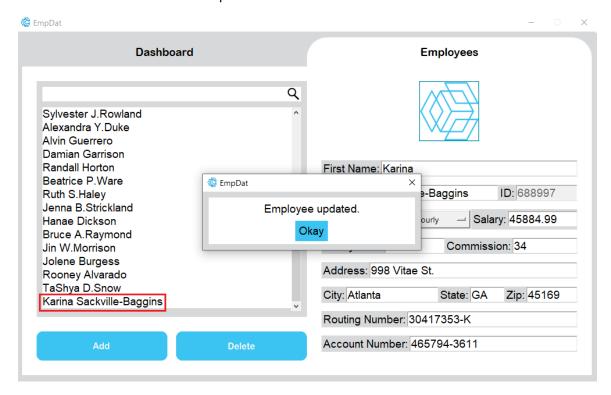
Typing in the search bar will help you quickly find an employee.



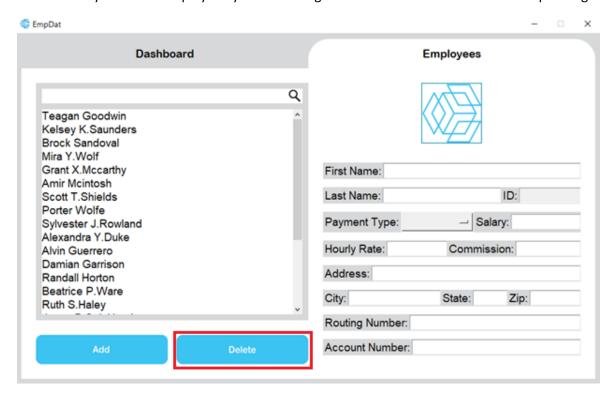
When an administrator types into the entry fields on the right-hand side, this will edit the selected employees information. Imagine Karina Gay has been remarried and her new last name is Sackville-Baggins. That can be changed here. When a change in the entry fields has been detected, you will be prompted to save changes.



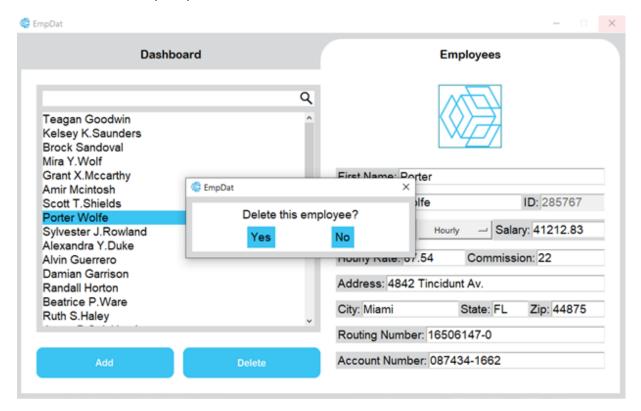
Once an employees information has been updated, you will be notified. You can see in the left-hand side that Karina's last name has been updated.



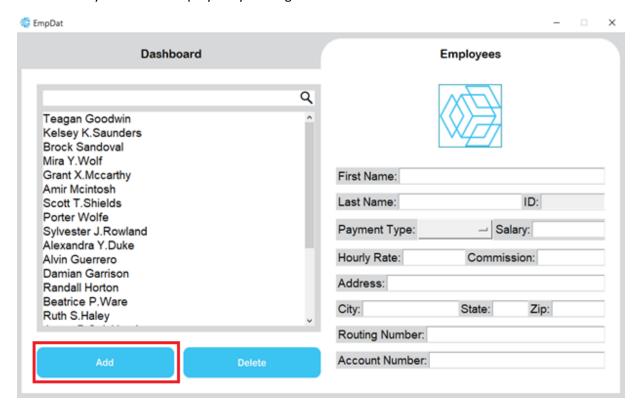
An admin may delete an employee by first selecting them in the left-hand side and then pressing delete.



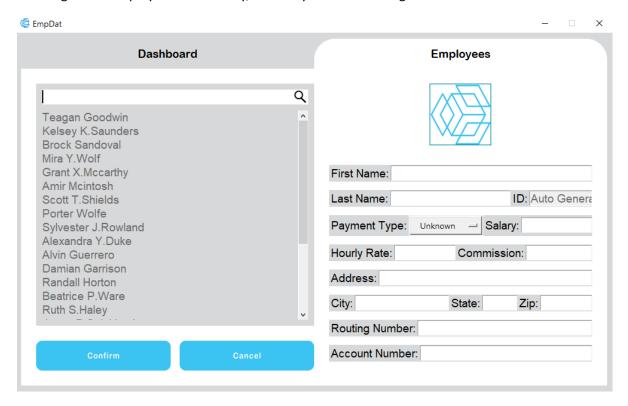
The admin will then be prompted to confirm the action.



An admin may add a new employee by clicking add.

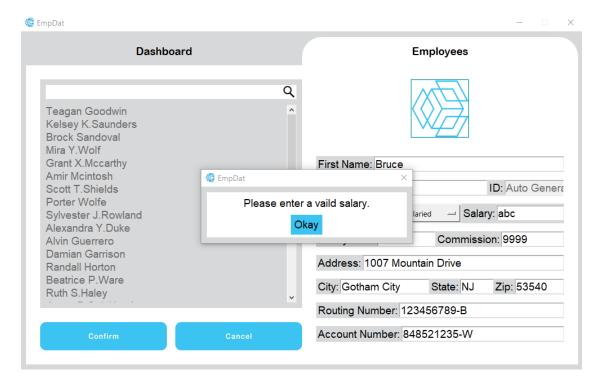


When an employee is being added, the left-hand box will be disabled, making it obvious that the admin is adding a new employee. Additionally, the entry boxes on the right-hand side have been cleared.

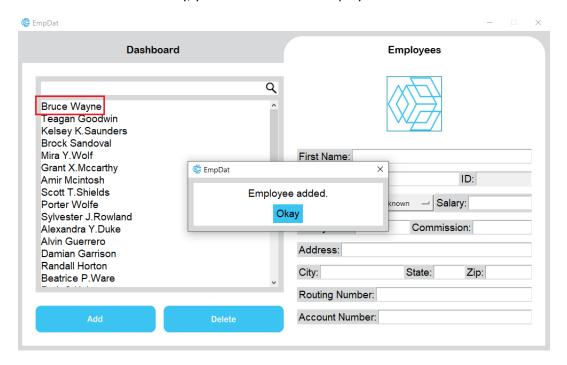


If any issues with the data being entered occur, you will be prompted to fix that data before saving.

All fields need to be filled out



Once the information has been entered and verified as accurate. You will be notified that the employee has been added. Additionally, you will see the new employee added on the left-hand side.



Extra Features

Should the user prefer another color whether it is for preference or readability, there are 5 options including blue, purple, red, yellow, and green. Pressing f4 will cycle through the options. <u>Note</u>: On some computers the function key is required to press f4. In this case 'fn+f4' will toggle the color.

