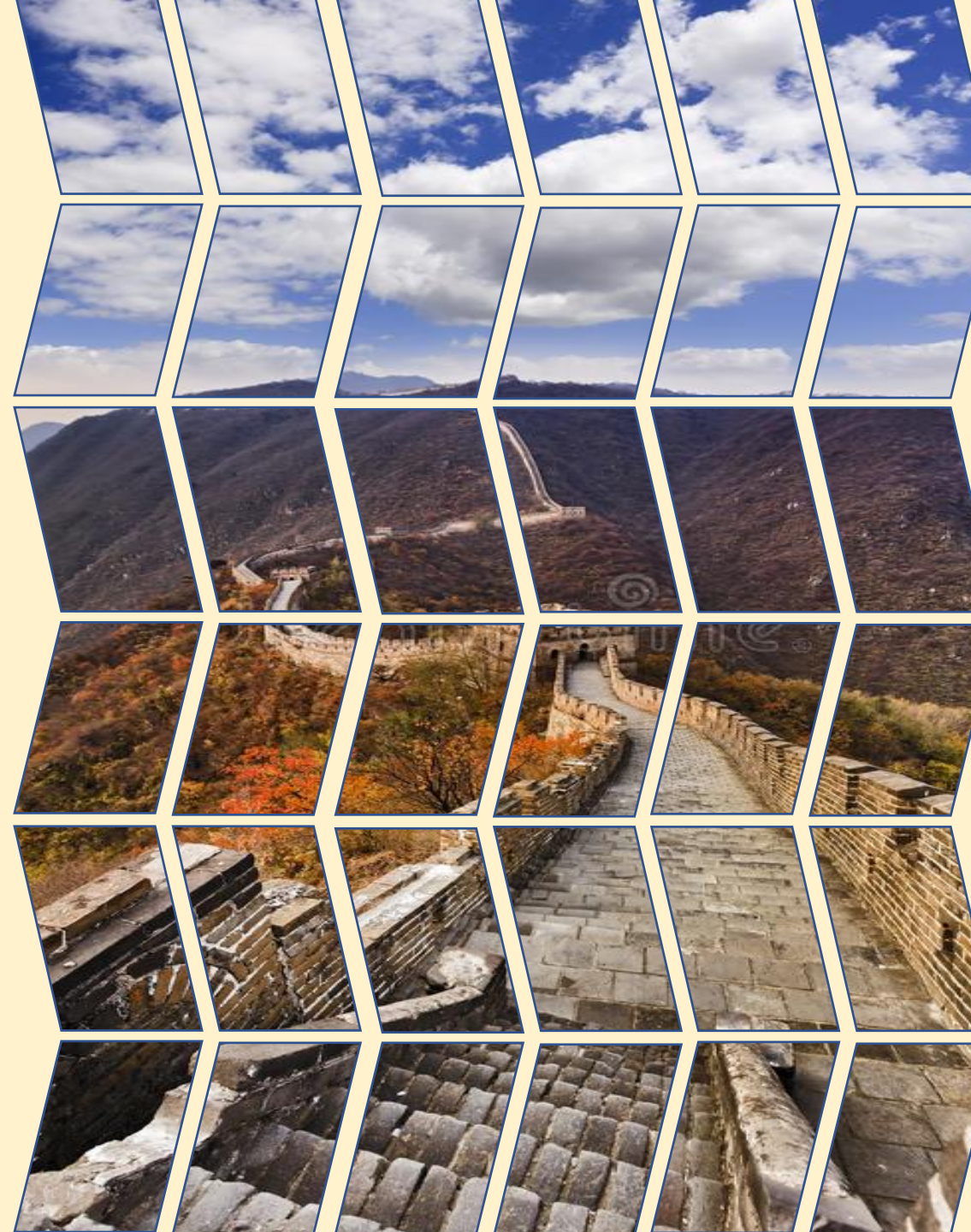


China Company Data Mining: Research, Scrapping, Processing, and Analysis for Strategic Insights

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Data Sourcing

Objective of Data source search:

- Find a single or multiple data sources which can provide us with authentic company information and maximum hits.

Data Source Selection:

- www.cec.org.cn
- https://companylist.org/China/Keywords/Registered_Companies/
- <https://www.listofcompaniesin.com/china/registered/>
- <https://www.gongsi.com.cn/>



Gongsi.com.cn

Features:

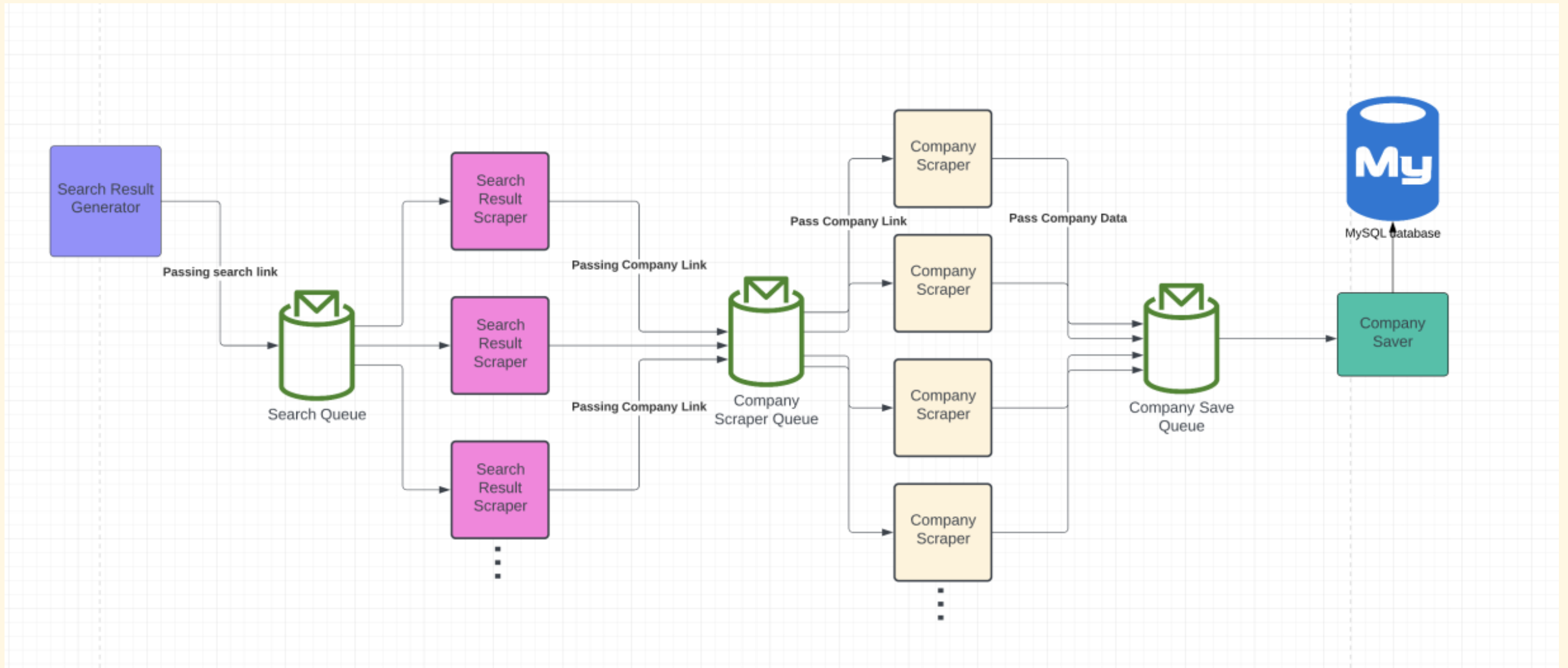
- Based on public data and available to the public.
- Contains a database of over 200 million enterprises.
- No rate limit in place.

Data Coverage:

- Basic company information
- Detailed company information
- Main staff
- Branches
- Shareholders
- Change history
- Investments
- Annual Reports



Workflow of Scraper



Technical Specifications

Features:

- Created using **Python3**
- Utilizes **RabbitMQ** to hold tasks and facilitate communication between workers.
- Thanks to RabbitMQ, the scraper can be easily scaled.
- Utilizes **MySQL** to store scraped data.
- Designed to run continuously.
- Multiple workers can scrape 1 million companies in a single day.



Queues

▼ All queues (3)

Pagination

Page

1 ▼

 of 1 - Filter: ☐ Regex

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Overview				Messages			Message rates			+/-
Name	Type	Features	State	Ready	Unacked	Total	incoming	deliver / get	ack	
company_data	classic	<div>D</div> <div>Args</div>	<div></div> running	0	0	0	6.8/s	11/s	11/s	
company_link	classic	<div>D</div> <div>Lim</div> <div>Ovfl</div> <div>Args</div>	<div></div> running	86,326	21	86,347	0.00/s	11/s	11/s	
search_page	classic	<div>D</div> <div>Args</div>	<div></div> idle	491,887	0	491,887	0.00/s	0.00/s	0.00/s	

► Add a new queue



Search Result Generator

Features:

- Starting point of the scraper.
- <https://www.gongsi.com.cn/search/bs1in52eyg5eyl6>
- Since there is a pagination limit, filters are used to reduce the number of pages.
- It uses combinations of province, category, and establishment year filters to generate search result.
- It will regenerate when then queue is empty.

Search Result Scraper

Features:

- The scraper collects company links by scraping the search result pages one by one, which are then scraped by the "Company Scraper" worker.
- To prevent overloading the RabbitMQ, this scraper will stop working when there are 100,000 companies unscraped.

Company Scraper

Features:

- The scraper will retrieve tasks from the previous worker (Search Page Scraper).
- It will scrape all the required data and pass it to the "Company Saver" worker.
- The scraper can be easily scaled by running as many workers as necessary.
- It is possible to run the scraper from other servers.

Company Saver

Features:

- This worker retrieves company data from the "Company Scraper" worker.
- It performs various cleaning operations on the data.
- The data is then stored in the database.
- Updates the company if already exists.
- If the company already exists, it is updated with the new data.



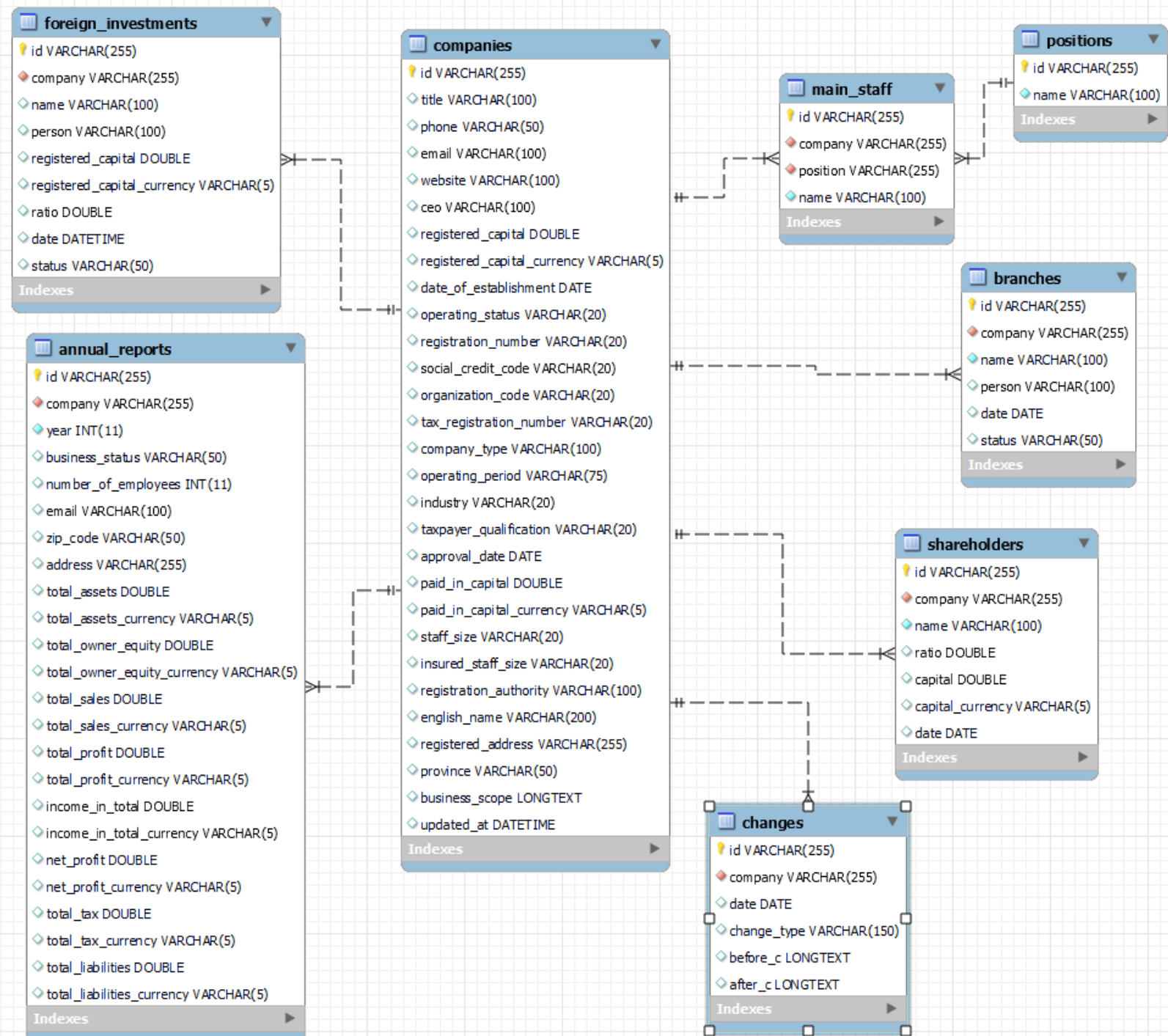
Data Pre-processing



Features:

- Replacing strings indicating a lack of data with "None,"
- Removing non-numeric characters from numeric values,
- Converting currency values to a unit currency metric,
- Adding currency indicator fields to address currency representation inconsistencies
- Cleaning up main staff data by separating multiple positions into a new table and storing main staff positions as a many-to-many relationship.
- The data is described as fairly clean after undergoing these pre-processing steps.

Database MySQL



Tables

Tables	Description
companies	General info table for companies. 'id' column is the primary key, columns for company details such as contact information, financial data, and registration details, and a datetime column to track updates
annual_report	contains financial information related to different companies for different years
branches	contains information related to different branches of a company
changes	information related to changes that occurred in different companies.
Foreign_investmen	contains information about the foreign investments made by a company.
Main_Staff	information about the staff of a company
positions	information about the positions of C-Level employees in a company.
shareholders	contains information about the shareholders of a company.

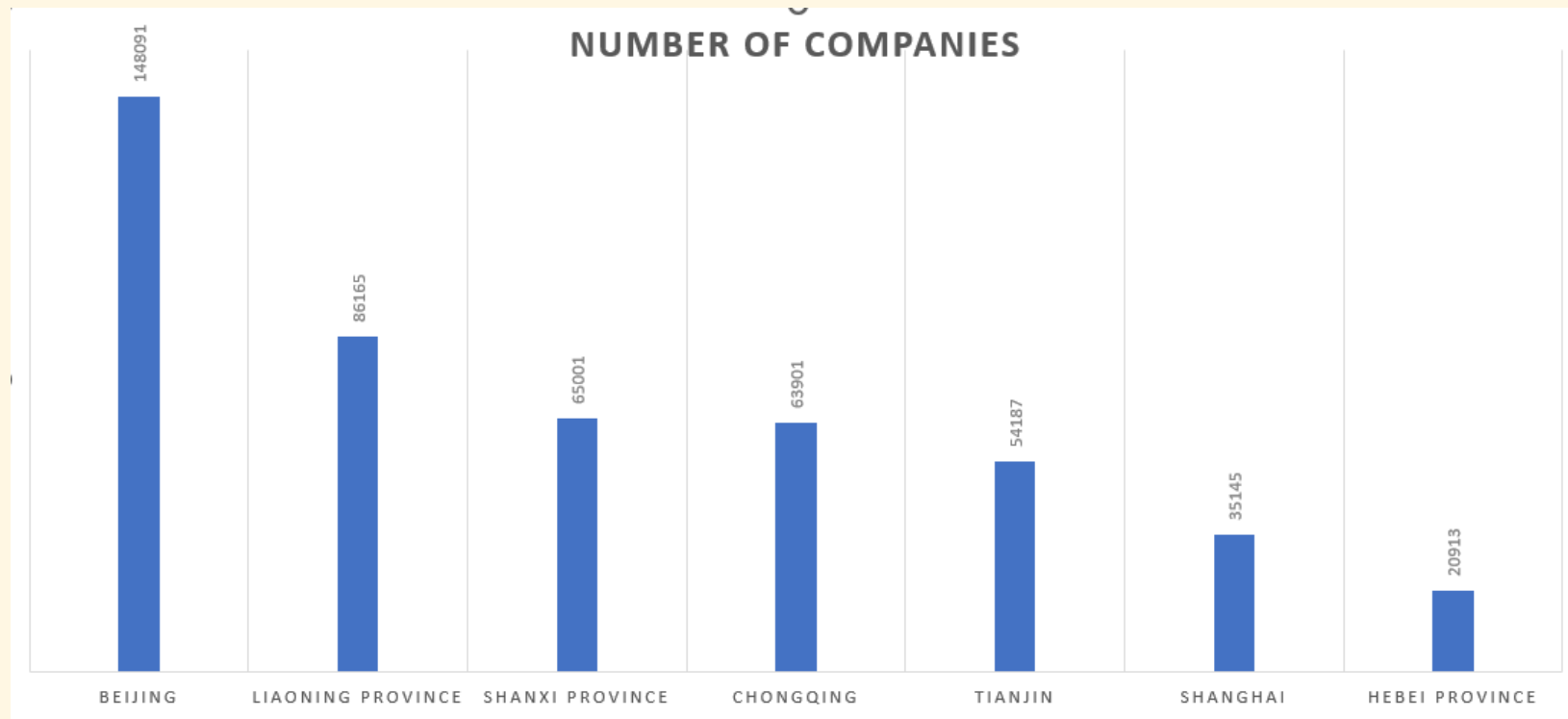
Results and Findings : 903685 total number of companies

Number of companies scraped with	Count
contact information	450833
website information available	42461
CEO information available	902021
addresses available	901570
information on the number of employees	147376
industry information available	905870
atleast one contact info and ceo information	451457
information on C-Level personnel	523753
information regarding company branches	46049
change history available	290241
shareholder information	404433
information on their foreign investments	34063
information on the balance sheet and revenue and profit	373353

Analysis

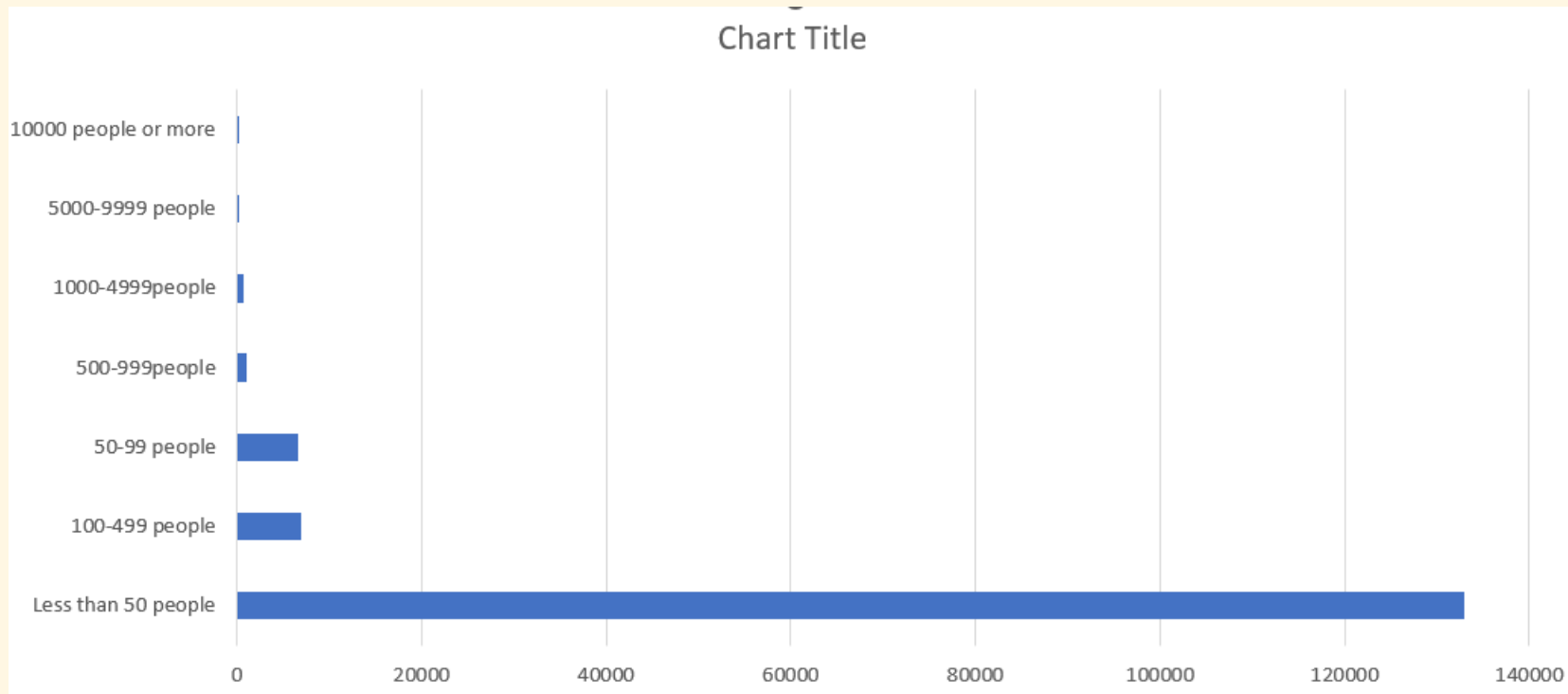
Geographical Analysis:

- There are 30 provinces
- The top 7 province where maximum of the companies reside are given below



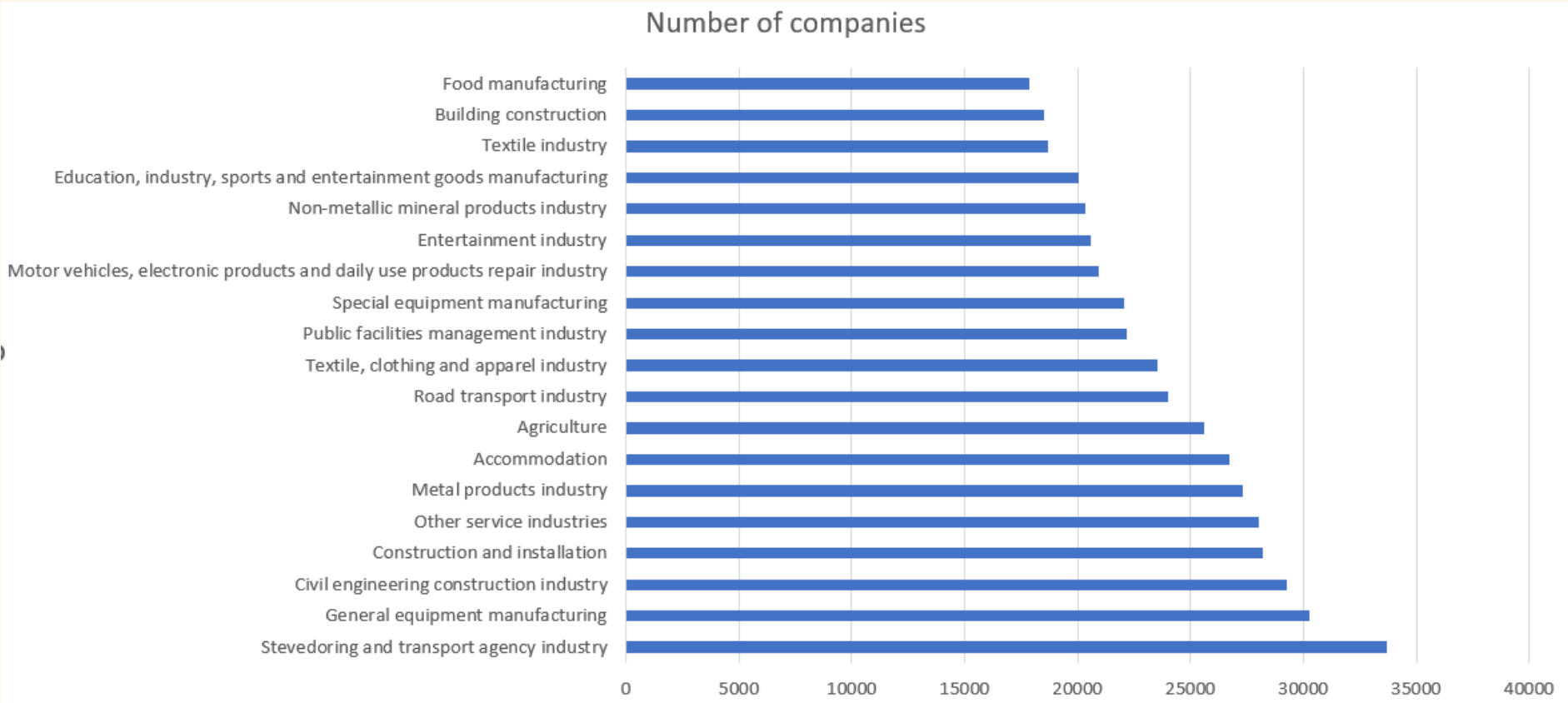
Number of Employees Analysis:

- There are 7 categories in which the companies are divided as per staff size
- Majority of the companies have staff size less than 5
- Only 74 companies having 10,000 employees or more
- Fewer mid sized companies as number of companies with staff sizes in the range of 100-999 employees is relatively low



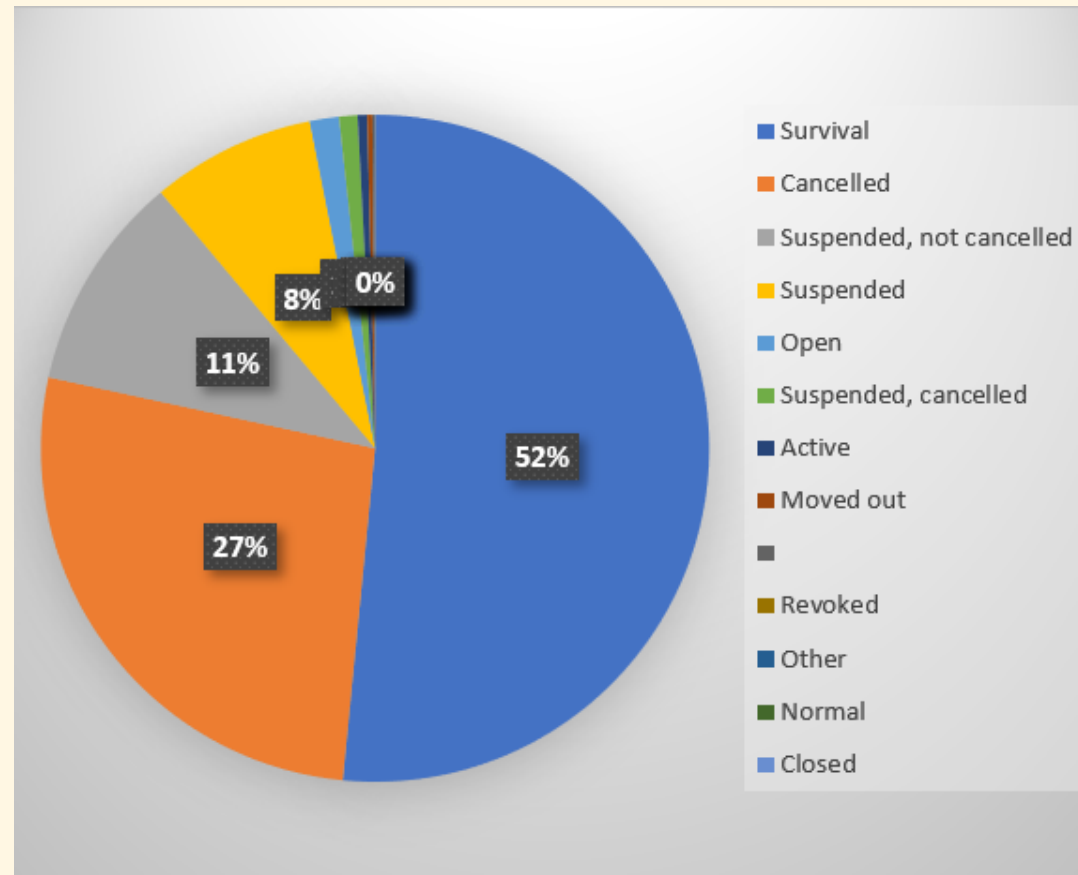
Industry Analysis:

- There are 94 categories of industries
- We present here the top 20 industries and number of companies in that category
- The largest number of companies falls within the stevedoring and transport agency industry



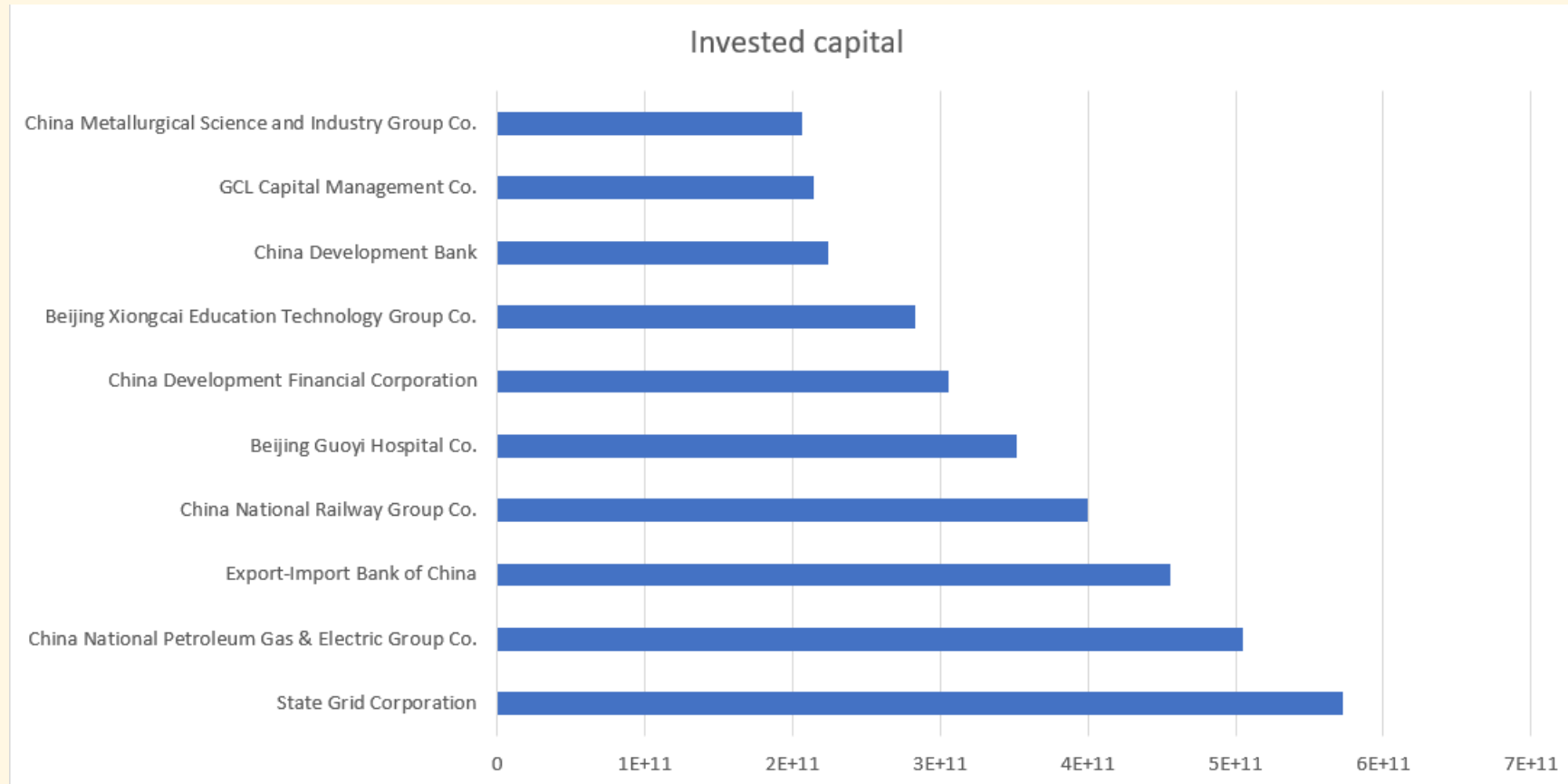
Operating Status Analysis:

- Removing Null, the data has 12 statuses
- More than 50 percent of companies in the database are on 'Survival' status
- Followed by companies in 'cancelled' status

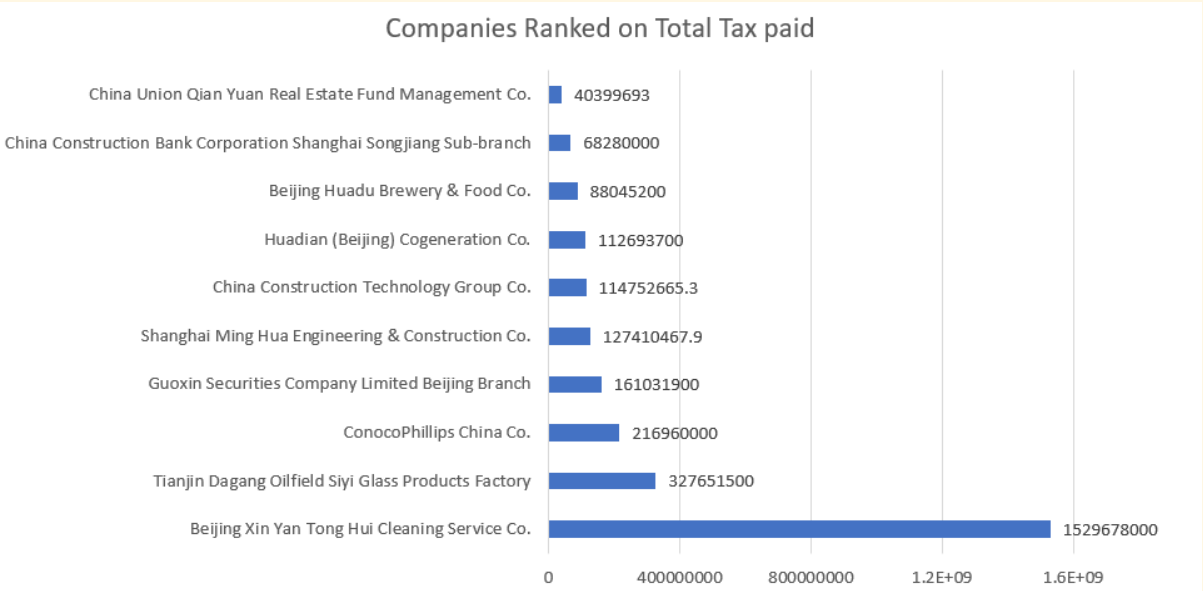
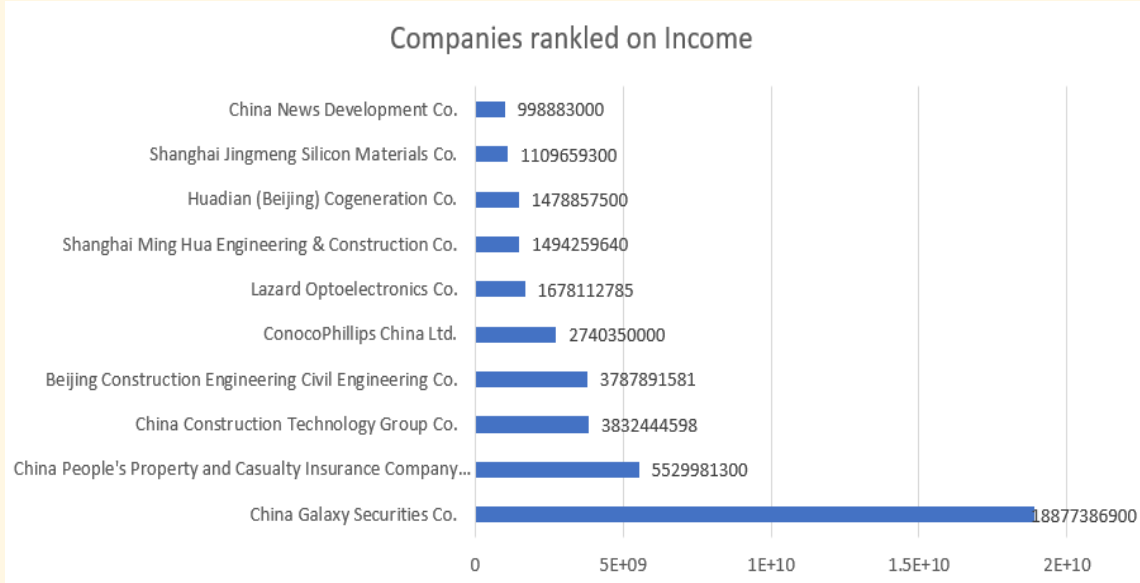
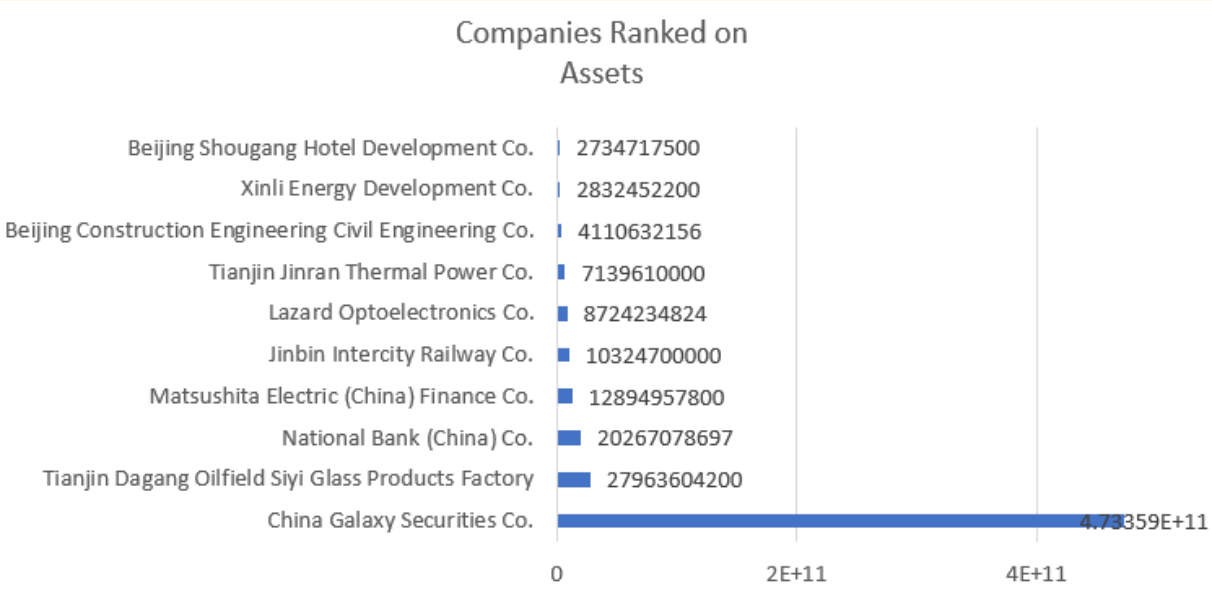
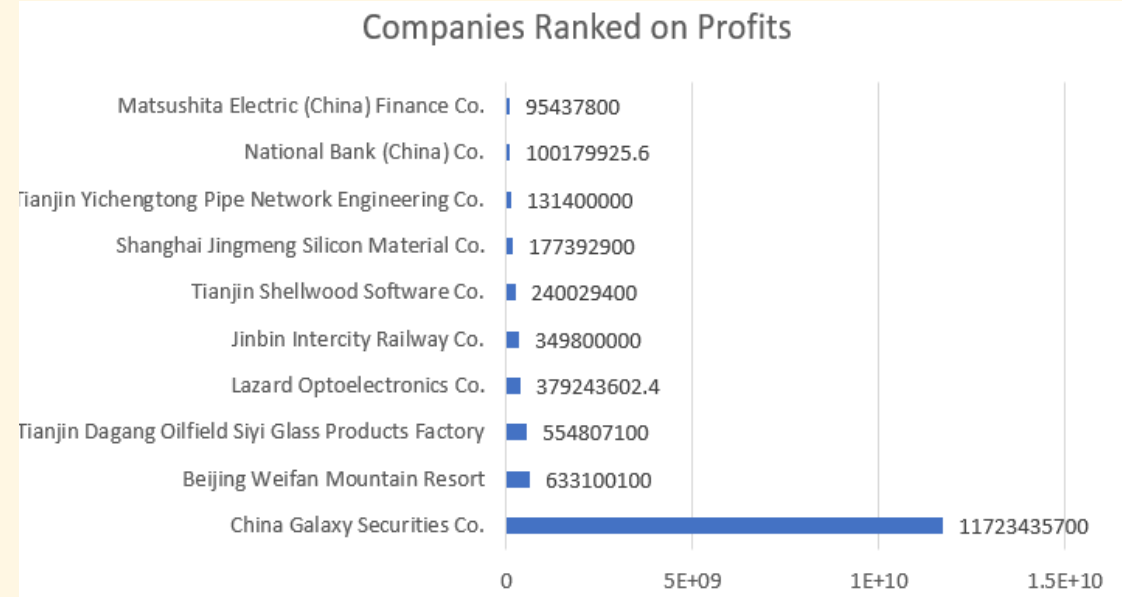


Foreign Investment Analysis:

- Top 10 companies with highest foreign investments



Balance Sheet and Revenue Analysis:



Real Time Power BI Dashboard:

- Objective is to analyse and track the complete details of each company in a single report.
- Connected to database for real time update of data
- Information displayed based on selected company id

Hackathon: Global Data Competition: China



List of Companies

0001ab06-42e1-3cd7-bae0-df811bf...

北京东方陆达商贸有限公司

CEO

刘万娥

Industry

零售业

Operating Status

存续

Address

北京市门头沟区高第街南大街45号5排1号

Establishment Date

07 June 2002

Number of Employees

Website

Contact Number

82810015

E-mail

448684196@qq.com

C-Level Personnel

name	position
刘万娥	执行董事,总经理
郑保昌	监事

Branches

name	person	status
北京东方陆达商贸有限公司第一分公司	刘万娥	存续 (在营、开业、在册)

Shareholder Information

name	capital	ratio
刘万娥	2,500,000.00	5,000.00
郑保昌	2,500,000.00	5,000.00

Foreign Investments

name	person	ratio	registered_capital	status
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Balance Sheet Information

year	income_in_total	net_profit	total_profit	business_status	total_assets	total_liabilities	total_owner_equity	total_sales	total_assets
2013				开业					
2014				开业					
2015				开业					
2016				开业					
2017				开业					

Change History

change_type	before_c	after_c	Year	Month
实缴的出资额	无	刘万娥,自然人股东,新增,郑保昌,自然人股东,新增	2014	Febru
注册资本	万元	万元	2016	July

Future Work

Pre-trained language model for translation

- The "facebook/nllb-200-distilled-600M" model is a highly accurate and efficient pre-trained language model that can be customized for specific languages or domains to improve its translation quality.

The screenshot displays a Jupyter Notebook environment with a Python script and a SQL query editor. The Python script defines a function to split text and another to translate it using a pre-trained language model. The SQL query editor shows a query to select data from a table named 'companies'.

Python Script:

```
import os, sys
tokenizer = AutoTokenizer.from_pretrained("facebook/nllb-200-distilled-600M")
model = AutoModelForSeq2SeqLM.from_pretrained("facebook/nllb-200-distilled-600M")

def split(text):
    l=text.split('\n')
    g=[]
    for i in l:
        x = re.sub('\. ', '\n', i)
        x = re.sub('\t', '\n', x)
        g.append(x.split('\n'))
    k=[]
    for i in g:
        for j in i:
            k.append(j)
    return k
def zho_ang(article):
    tokenizer.src_lang = "zho_Hans"
    G=[]
    l=split(article)
    #print(l)
    for i in l:
        encoded_hi = tokenizer(i, return_tensors="pt")
        generated_tokens = model.generate(**encoded_hi, forced_bos_token_id=tokenizer.lang_code_to_id[
            article_en=tokenizer.batch_decode(generated_tokens, skip_special_tokens=True)
        #print(article_en[0])
        for n in article_en:
            G.append(n)
    return ' '.join(G)
```

SQL Query:

```
SELECT * FROM companies WHERE id = '0000aa8d-1d61-36be-9f87-f7970075224a1';
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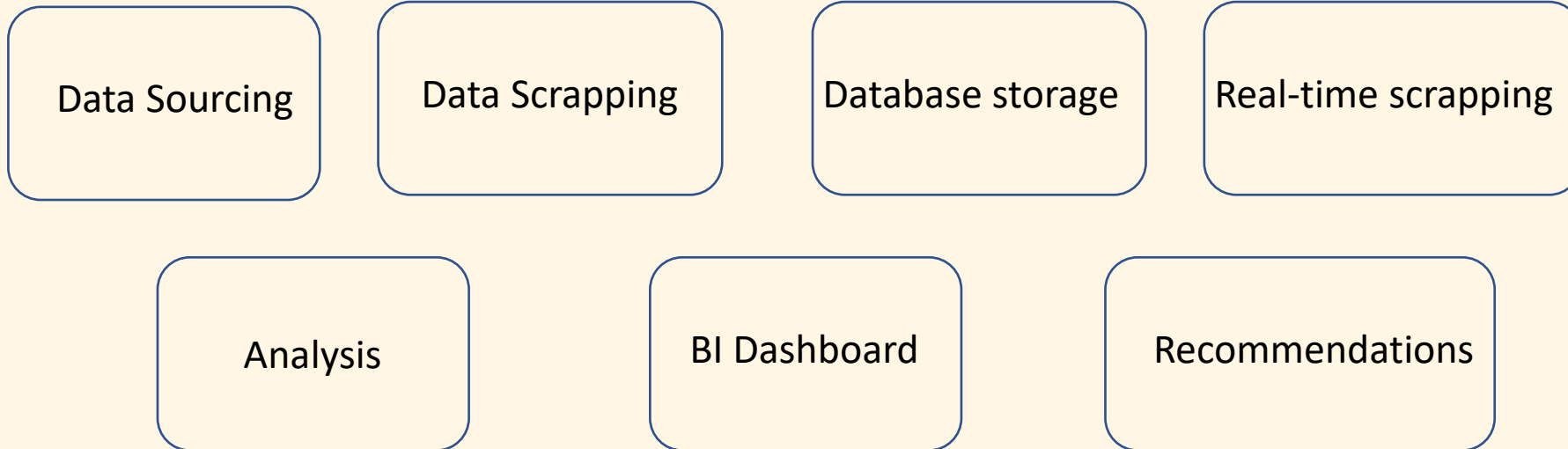
The interface also shows a file explorer on the right with a tree view of the project structure, including folders like 'information_schema', 'mysql', 'performance_schema', and 'scraper'. The 'scraper' folder contains subfolders like 'annual_reports', 'branches', 'changes', 'companies', 'foreign_investments', 'main_staff', 'positions', and 'shareholders'.

Future Work

Stream processing(Kafka/Redpanda) and real-time databases (Rockset/Pinot)

- Low latency data access
- High processing,
- High scalability, and
- Flexibility for changing requirements
- Ideal for applications that require real-time data processing

Conclusion



Thank you