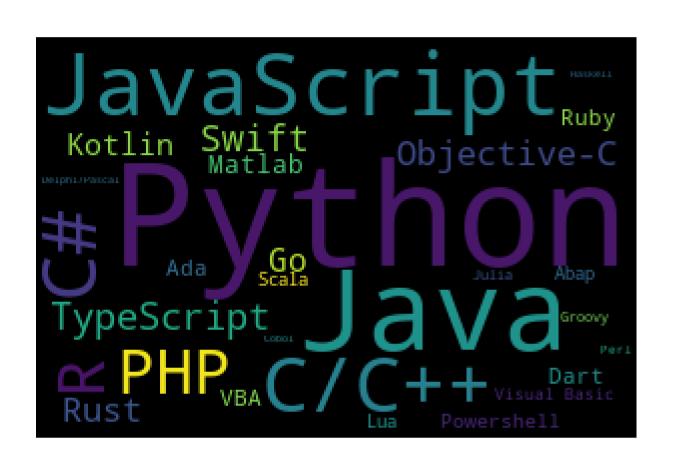
## PYPL PopularitY of Programming Language

The PYPL PopularitY of Programming Language Index is created by analyzing how often language tutorials are searched on Google.

The more a language tutorial is searched, the more popular the language is assumed to be. It is a leading indicator. The raw data comes from Google Trends.

If you believe in collective wisdom, the PYPL Popularity of Programming Language index can help you decide which language to study, or which one to use in a new software project.

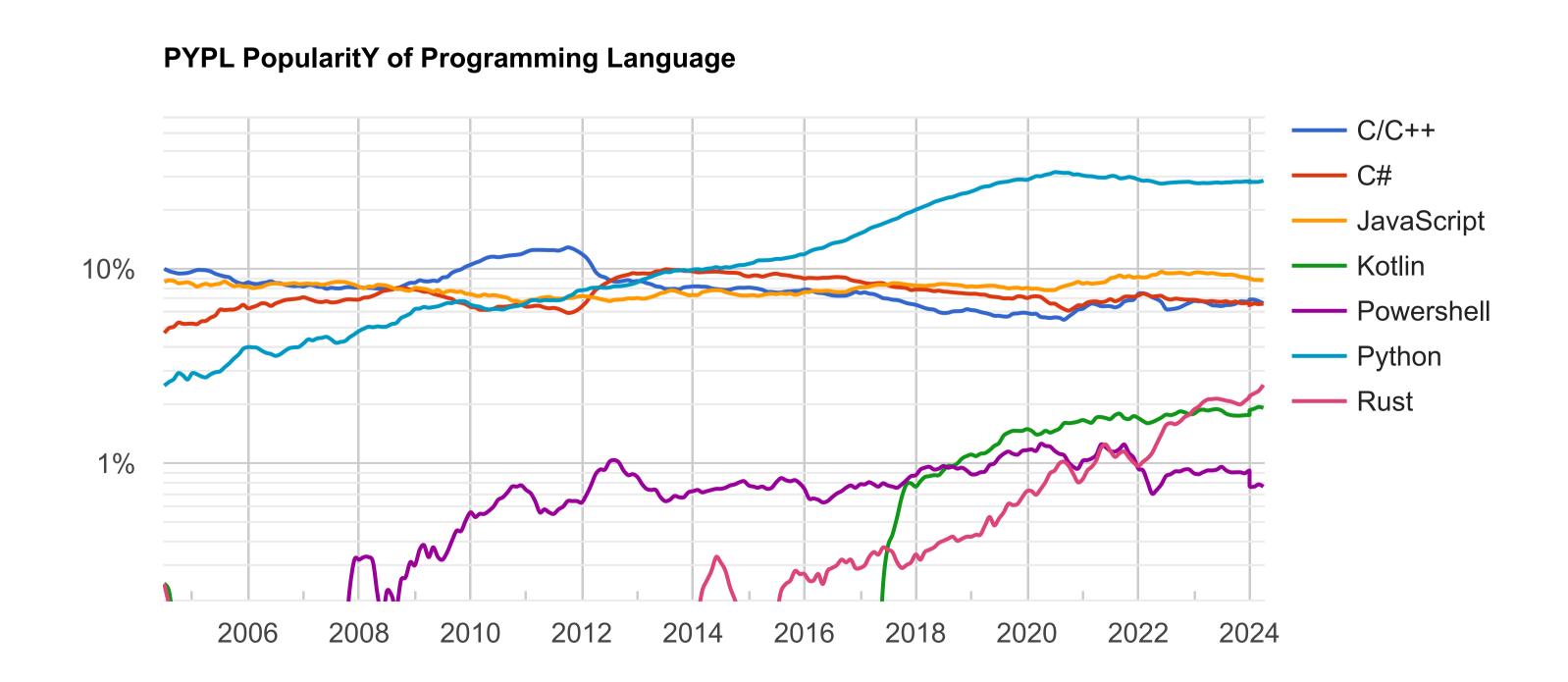


## Worldwide, Apr 2024:

Rank	Change	Language	Share	1-year trend
1		Python	28.43 %	+0.7 %
2		Java	16.04 %	-0.1 %
3		JavaScript	8.72 %	-0.8 %
4	<b>^</b>	C/C++	6.65 %	+0.2 %
5	V	C#	6.63 %	-0.2 %
6	<b>^</b>	R	4.63 %	+0.2 %
7	<b>↓</b>	PHP	4.45 %	-0.7 %
8		TypeScript	2.96 %	+0.0 %
9		Swift	2.71 %	+0.4 %
10		Rust	2.53 %	+0.4 %
11		Objective-C	2.43 %	+0.3 %
12		Go	2.16 %	+0.2 %
13		Kotlin	1.93 %	+0.0 %
14		Matlab	1.54 %	-0.1 %
15	<u> </u>	Dart	1.01 %	+0.2 %
16		Ada	0.99 %	-0.0 %
17	<b>44</b>	Ruby	0.97 %	-0.1 %
18	<b>↓</b>	VBA	0.91 %	-0.0 %
19	<b>V</b>	Powershell	0.76 %	-0.2 %
20	<b>^</b>	Lua	0.61 %	+0.0 %
21	<u> ተ</u>	Abap	0.6 %	+0.1 %
22	$\Psi\Psi$	Scala	0.58 %	-0.1 %
23	<b>↓</b>	Visual Basic	0.42 %	-0.2 %
24	<b>^</b>	Groovy	0.35 %	-0.0 %
25	<b>↓</b>	Julia	0.33 %	-0.1 %
26		Perl	0.22 %	-0.1 %
27	<b>^</b>	Haskell	0.17 %	-0.1 %
28	<b>V</b>	Cobol	0.14 %	-0.2 %
29		Delphi/Pascal	0.13 %	-0.0 %

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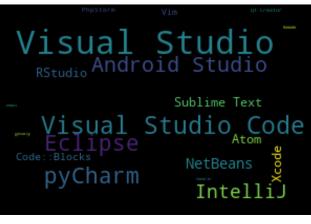
Worldwide, Python is the most popular language, Rust grew the most in the last 5 years (2.0%) and Java lost the most (-4.1%)



This chart uses a logarithmic scale (http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Semi-log\_plot). It can show your favorite languages 7 items selected • in a country

Worldwide •

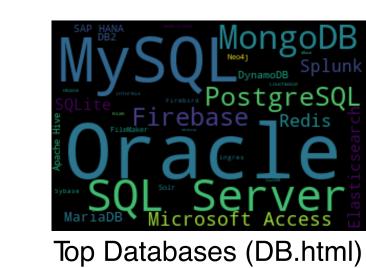
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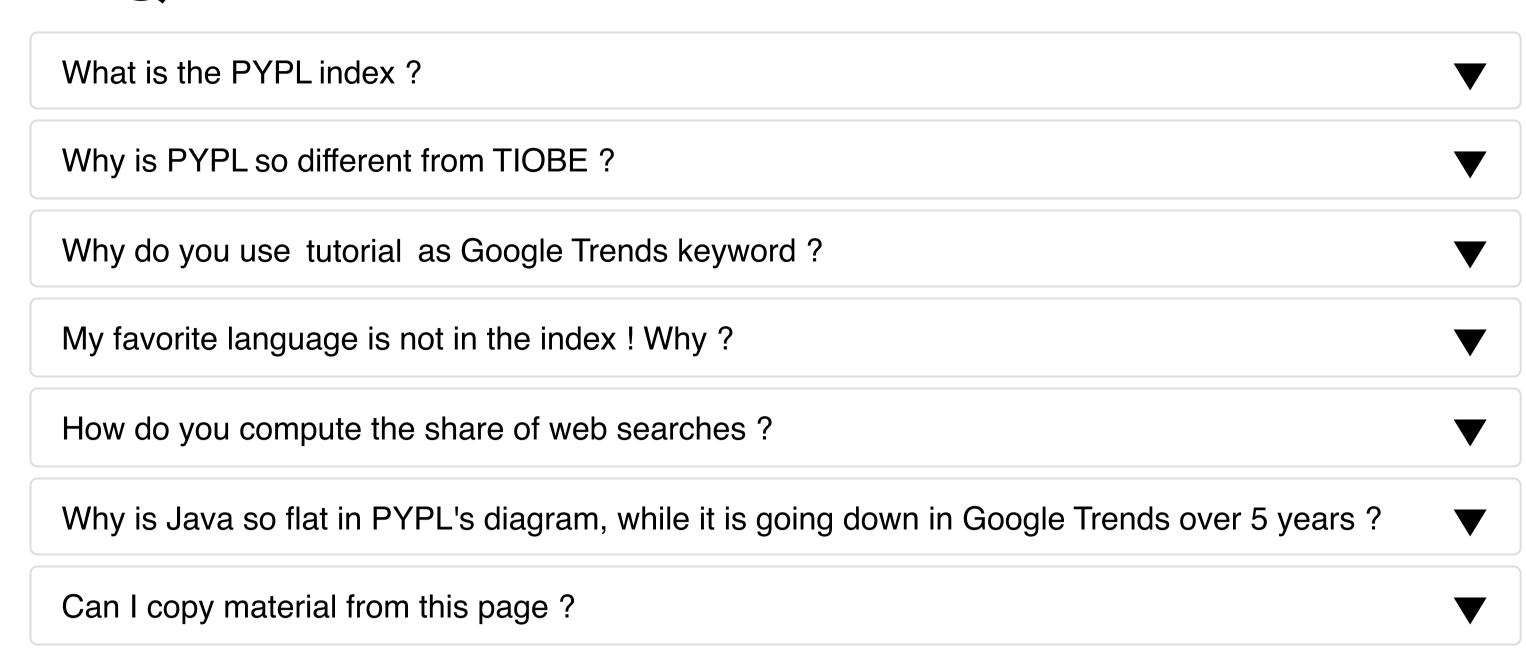


## Kudos

The PYPL index has been cited in the following trade journals:

- Developer Tech (http://www.developer-tech.com/news/2013/jan/03/pypl-crowns-c-2012s-language-year/),
- DevOps (http://devopsangle.com/2013/11/22/apple-ios-7-extends-objective-c-lead-in-november-pypl-programming-language-popularity-index/),
- InfoWorld (http://www.infoworld.com/search?query=PYPL&contentType=article%2Cresource) (several articles),
- eWeek (http://www.eweek.com/developer/c-named-top-programming-language-of-2012/)
- Techworld (http://news.techworld.com/applications/3418399/microsoft-c-named-programming-language-of-2012/)

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