

Final Project Report



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Project Topic: Analysis of Estonian Startups

Introduction

For this project, I used a CSV file named estonia_startapp.csv, which contains information about Estonian startups, including:

- name – company name
- code – unique company identifier
- type – type of company (e.g., Osaühing, Mittetulundusühing)
- kmkr_nr – VAT number
- status – company status
- open_date – date of registration
- address – street address
- city – city of registration

This CSV file was imported into a SQLite database (new_startups.db) using Python.

1 – Problem Description (30%)

Problem Background

This project uses real-world data from the CSV file `estonia_startapp.csv`, which contains detailed information about Estonian startups. The goal is to design a properly normalized relational database based on this dataset, load it into SQLite, and perform meaningful analytical SQL queries.

The CSV was imported into a SQLite database (`new_startups.db`) using Python. After importing, the data was normalized into 6 entities according to relational database design principles.

Users

- **Business analysts studying startup growth**
- **Government agencies analyzing economic activity**
- **Investors evaluating startup ecosystems**
- **Researchers collecting registration statistics**

Entities and Relationships

This database contains six entities:

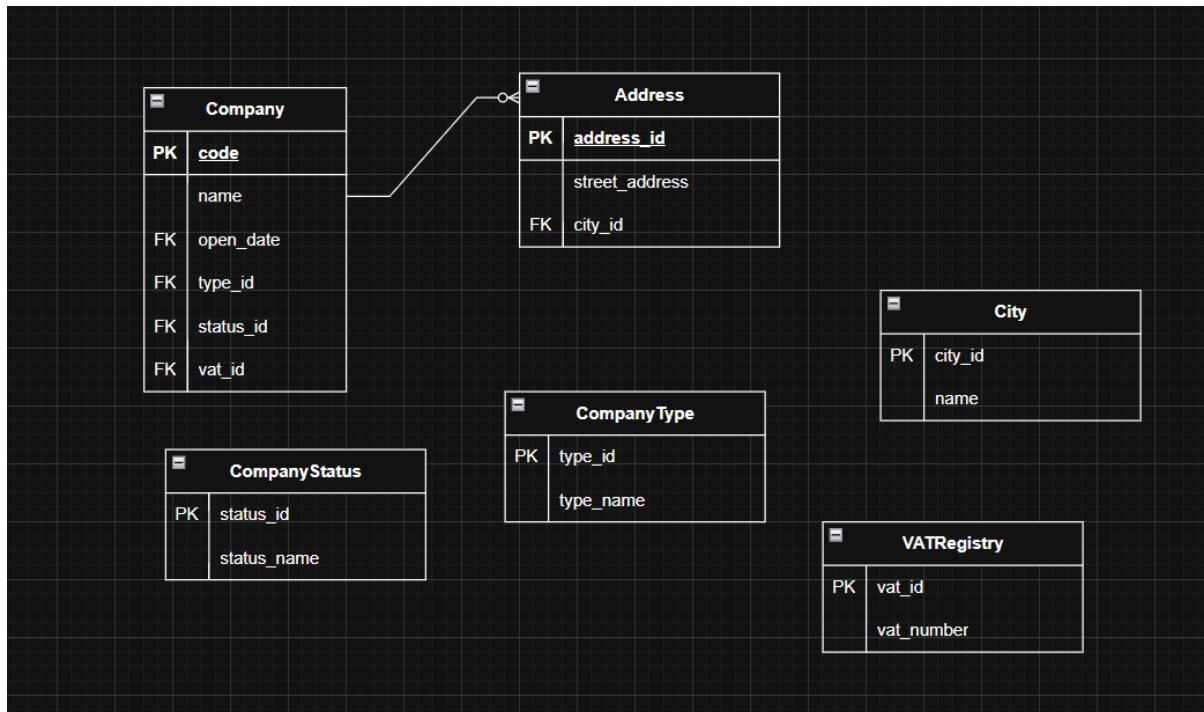
1. **Company**
2. **Address**
3. **City**
4. **CompanyType**
5. **CompanyStatus**
6. **VATRegistry**

Business Rules

1. **Each company must belong to exactly one company type.**
2. **Each company must have exactly one status.**
3. **Each company must be registered at exactly one address.**
4. **Each address must belong to exactly one city.**
5. **VAT numbers are stored separately and each company can have zero or one VAT record.**

These rules enforce consistency, reduce redundancy, and allow flexible expansion of the database.

2 – ERD Diagram (30%)



Normalization

- All lookup data (type, status, city, VAT) moved to separate tables.
- Ensures 3rd Normal Form (3NF).
- Eliminates repeated city names, repeated company types, and repeated statuses.

3 – Screenshots & Comments (40%)

SQL Queries and Results:

1) List of companies with addresses (JOIN)

- **SQL:** first.sql
- **Result:** first_result.txt
- **Comment:**
 - Performs an INNER JOIN between Company and Address to show complete information.
 - The first 50 companies are displayed to demonstrate table relationships.

```
IT-NKTU > database > first.sql
1 -- SQLite
2 SELECT c.name, c.code, c.type, c.open_date, a.street_address, a.city
3 FROM Company c
4 JOIN Address a ON c.address_id = a.address_id
5 ORDER BY c.open_date
6 LIMIT 50;
```

Result:

The screenshot shows a terminal window with several tabs at the top: third_result.txt, second_result.txt, SQLite, first_result.txt, third.sql, first.sql, and second.sql. The SQLite tab is active, displaying the results of the query. The results are presented in a table with the following columns: name, code, type, open_date, street_address, and city. The table contains 50 rows of company data, each with its name, code, type, opening date, address details, and city.

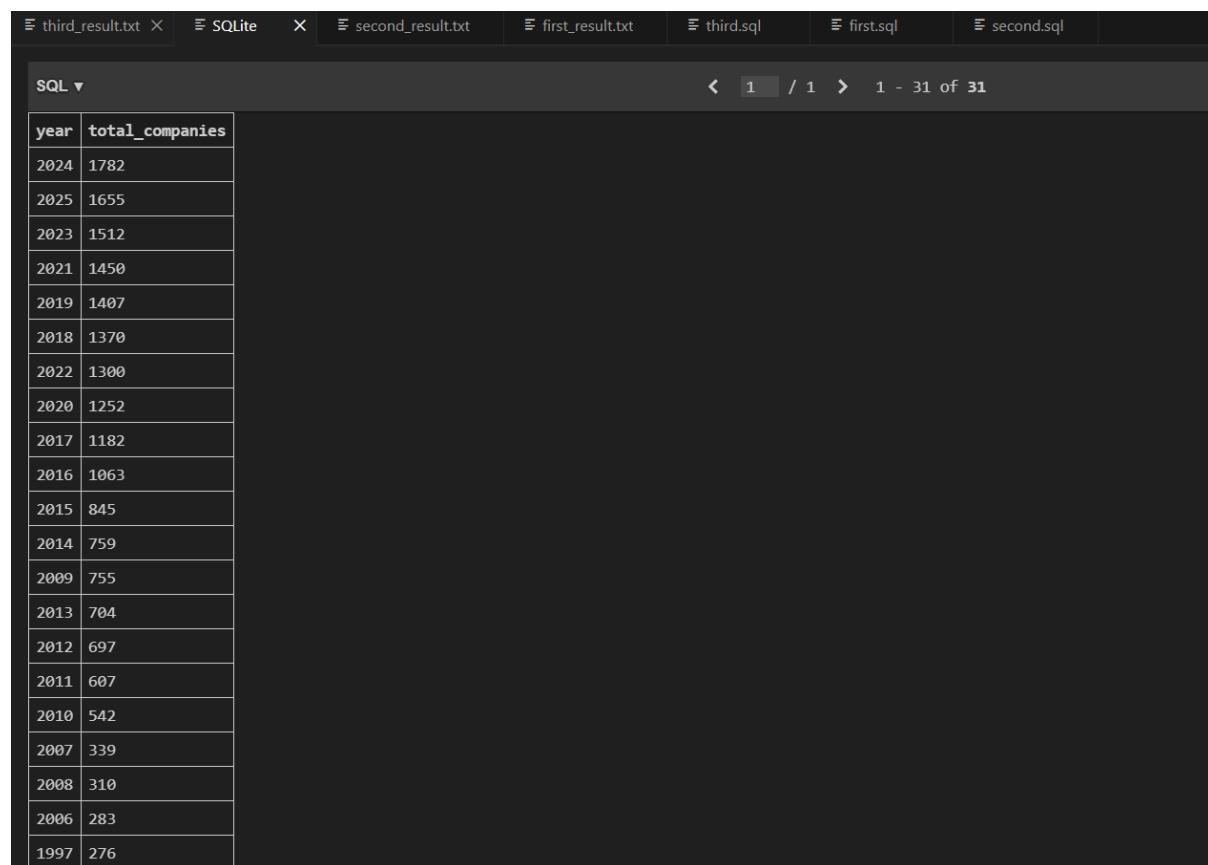
| name | code | type | open_date | street_address | city |
|---------------------------|----------|-------------------------------|------------|------------------------------|---|
| Anija Valla Noortekeskus | 75039770 | Kohaliku omavalitsuse asutus | 01.01.2017 | F. R. Kreutzwaldi tn 2 | Kehra linn, Anija vald, Harju maakond |
| Avo Naar | 10644945 | Füüsilisest isikust ettevõtja | 01.02.2000 | | Penu küla, Häädemeeste vald, Pärnu maakond |
| Borealis Festi OÜ | 11100242 | Osaühing | 01.02.2005 | Iõötsa tn 5 // Sepapaja tn 4 | Lasnamäe linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond |
| Businessline OÜ | 11214595 | Osaühing | 01.02.2006 | Söpruse pst 145 | Kristiine linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond |
| A&T Prisce OÜ | 11214891 | Osaühing | 01.02.2006 | Pikk jaig 16 | Kesklinna linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond |
| Asset Pro OÜ | 11215070 | Osaühing | 01.02.2006 | Uus tn 24-7 | Kesklinna linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond |
| Antiiiv Invest OÜ | 11334566 | Osaühing | 01.02.2007 | E. Vilde tn 13-33 | Rakvere linn, Lääne-Viru maakond |
| Arlopp Grupp OÜ | 11344671 | Osaühing | 01.02.2007 | Lageda-3 | Kõljala küla, Saaremaa vald, Saare maakond |
| Aroz3d OÜ | 11875084 | Osaühing | 01.02.2010 | Rähni tn 35 | Rakvere linn, Lääne-Viru maakond |
| Aritmeetika OÜ | 11883988 | Osaühing | 01.02.2010 | Värali tee 6 | Sõrve küla, Harku vald, Harju maakond |
| AS PANAVIATIC Maintenance | 11884054 | Aktiaselts | 01.02.2010 | Väike-Sõjamäe tn 22 | Lasnamäe linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond |
| Borvti OÜ | 11884215 | Osaühing | 01.02.2010 | C. R. Jakobsoni tn 21-5 | Kesklinna linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond |
| Autoremont Alo Sohar | 11889169 | Füüsilisest isikust ettevõtja | 01.02.2010 | Jaama tn 49 | Põlva linn, Põlva vald, Põlva maakond |
| Bryoria OÜ | 12052462 | Osaühing | 01.02.2011 | Uuemäe | Puusepa küla, Kose vald, Harju maakond |
| Audio System Design OÜ | 12052491 | Osaühing | 01.02.2011 | Västriku tn 8-500 | Kristiine linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond |
| Befle OÜ | 12052671 | Osaühing | 01.02.2011 | Lennuki tn 4-2 | Rakvere linn, Lääne-Viru maakond |
| Baltic Floor OÜ | 12228725 | Osaühing | 01.02.2012 | Riia mnt 51-4 | Pärnu linn, Pärnu linn, Pärnu maakond |
| BCC RAAMATUPIDAMINE OÜ | 12415261 | Osaühing | 01.02.2013 | Roseni tn 13 | Kesklinna linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond |
| ARGO&COMPANI OÜ | 12415502 | Osaühing | 01.02.2013 | Sadama tn 32 | Paldiski linn, Lääne-Harju vald, Harju maakond |
| Artur Stefani | 12987230 | Füüsilisest isikust ettevõtja | 01.02.2016 | Olevi tn 23-28 | Järve linnaosa, Kohtla-Järve linn, Ida-Viru maakond |
| Art Kaminad OÜ | 12987419 | Osaühing | 01.02.2016 | Pärnu mnt 106-87 | Kesklinna linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond |
| A.R.C Trading OÜ | 12987477 | Osaühing | 01.02.2016 | Asula tn 1-19 | Kesklinna linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond |

2) Number of companies by year of registration (GROUP BY)

- **SQL:** second.sql
- **Result:** second_result.txt
- **Comment:**
 - Aggregates companies by year (COUNT(*)) to show registration activity.
 - Helps identify the most active years for new startups.

```
IT-NKTU > database > second.sql
1  -- SQLite
2  SELECT SUBSTR(c.open_date, 7, 4) AS year, COUNT(*) AS total_companies
3  FROM Company c
4  GROUP BY year
5  ORDER BY total_companies DESC;
6  |
```

Result:



| year | total_companies |
|------|-----------------|
| 2024 | 1782 |
| 2025 | 1655 |
| 2023 | 1512 |
| 2021 | 1450 |
| 2019 | 1407 |
| 2018 | 1370 |
| 2022 | 1300 |
| 2020 | 1252 |
| 2017 | 1182 |
| 2016 | 1063 |
| 2015 | 845 |
| 2014 | 759 |
| 2009 | 755 |
| 2013 | 704 |
| 2012 | 697 |
| 2011 | 607 |
| 2010 | 542 |
| 2007 | 339 |
| 2008 | 310 |
| 2006 | 283 |
| 1997 | 276 |

3)Top 3 cities with most companies (window function)

- **SQL:** third.sql
- **Result:** third_result.txt
- **Comment:**
 - Finds the top 3 cities with the highest number of companies.
 - Uses a window function (RANK() OVER) to rank companies within each city by registration date.
 - Demonstrates advanced SQL features such as CTEs and window functions.

```
IT-NKTU > database >  third.sql
 1  WITH city_counts AS (
 2    SELECT a.city, COUNT(*) AS total_companies
 3    FROM Company c
 4    JOIN Address a ON c.address_id = a.address_id
 5    GROUP BY a.city
 6  ),
 7  top_cities AS (
 8    SELECT city
 9    FROM city_counts
10    ORDER BY total_companies DESC
11    LIMIT 3
12  ),
13  ranked AS (
14    SELECT c.name, c.open_date, a.city,
15    ||| RANK() OVER (PARTITION BY a.city ORDER BY c.open_date) AS rank_in_city
16    FROM Company c
17    JOIN Address a ON c.address_id = a.address_id
18    WHERE a.city IN (SELECT city FROM top_cities)
19  )
20  SELECT *
21  FROM ranked
22  WHERE rank_in_city <= 5
23  ORDER BY city DESC, rank_in_city;
```

Result:

| name | open_date | city | rank_in_city |
|---------------------------|------------|--|--------------|
| Baudit KVA OÜ | 01.03.2024 | Tartu linn, Tartu linn, Tartu maakond | 1 |
| Anneli Loodus | 01.04.2010 | Tartu linn, Tartu linn, Tartu maakond | 2 |
| Blehner OÜ | 01.04.2013 | Tartu linn, Tartu linn, Tartu maakond | 3 |
| Auland OÜ | 01.04.2020 | Tartu linn, Tartu linn, Tartu maakond | 4 |
| Barber Taali OÜ | 01.04.2024 | Tartu linn, Tartu linn, Tartu maakond | 5 |
| Borealis Eesti OÜ | 01.02.2005 | Lasnamäe linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond | 1 |
| AS PANAVIATIC Maintenance | 01.02.2010 | Lasnamäe linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond | 2 |
| ASKE OÜ | 01.02.2016 | Lasnamäe linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond | 3 |
| Beluga4Health OÜ | 01.02.2019 | Lasnamäe linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond | 4 |
| Arsa OÜ | 01.02.2019 | Lasnamäe linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond | 4 |
| A&T Prisce OÜ | 01.02.2006 | Kesklinna linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond | 1 |
| Asset Pro OÜ | 01.02.2006 | Kesklinna linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond | 1 |
| Boruti OÜ | 01.02.2010 | Kesklinna linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond | 3 |
| BCC RAAMATUPIDAMINE OÜ | 01.02.2013 | Kesklinna linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond | 4 |
| Art Kaminad OÜ | 01.02.2016 | Kesklinna linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond | 5 |
| A.R.C Trading OÜ | 01.02.2016 | Kesklinna linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond | 5 |
| BV INVEST OÜ | 01.02.2016 | Kesklinna linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond | 5 |
| Areta OÜ | 01.02.2016 | Kesklinna linnaosa, Tallinn, Harju maakond | 5 |

ZIP File Contents

| database |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">estonia_startapp.csvfirst_result.txtfirst.sqlnew_startups.dbsecond_result.txtsecond.sqlthird_result.txtthird.sql |

File Descriptions

Database

Folder containing the SQLite database, CSV source file, and all SQL scripts/results.

[estonia_startapp.csv](#)

The original dataset containing Estonian startup information.

Used as the source file for importing data into the SQLite database.

[new_startups.db](#)

The SQLite database created for the project.

Contains the normalized tables and all imported startup data.

[first.sql](#)

SQL script for Query #1 (JOIN query).

Demonstrates retrieving company information together with related address and city details.

[first_result.txt](#)

Text file containing the output of Query #1 as executed on the database.

[second.sql](#)

SQL script for Query #2 (aggregation / GROUP BY).

Counts the number of companies grouped by their registration year.

[second_result.txt](#)

Text file containing the output of Query #2.

[third.sql](#)

SQL script for Query #3 (window function).

Shows the top cities by number of companies using ranking (ROW_NUMBER / DENSE_RANK).

[third_result.txt](#)

Text file containing the output of Query #3.

Summary:

- Database was created from the CSV file, normalized into two tables: Company and Address.
- Three queries demonstrate: JOIN, aggregation (GROUP BY), and window functions (RANK).
- Query results and scripts are included in the ZIP file for submission.