

1.2 Exercise Walkthrough: Use JavaScript to Get Boston City Salary Data

Following on from the previous exercise, we will see how this is used in a real-world scenario with the Boston City Database for Employee Salaries.

Step 1: Open your browser and click on the following link.

<https://pollysnips.s3.amazonaws.com/bostonEmployeeSalaries.json>

Step 2: Notice the huge data present on the browser. This gives some hints as to how our browsers are capable of getting large amount of data and displaying it to the user. Based on the previous exercise, walkthrough the data to see different parts of this data set. Becoming familiar with a dataset (what it is comprised of and its overall structure) is a hugely important part of web interaction.