

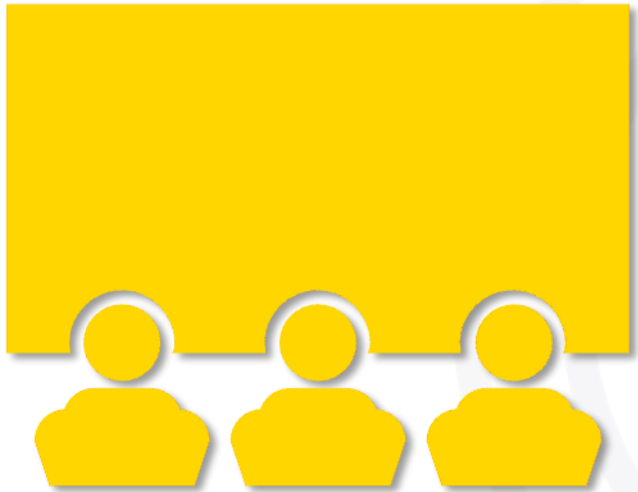
Technological Trends

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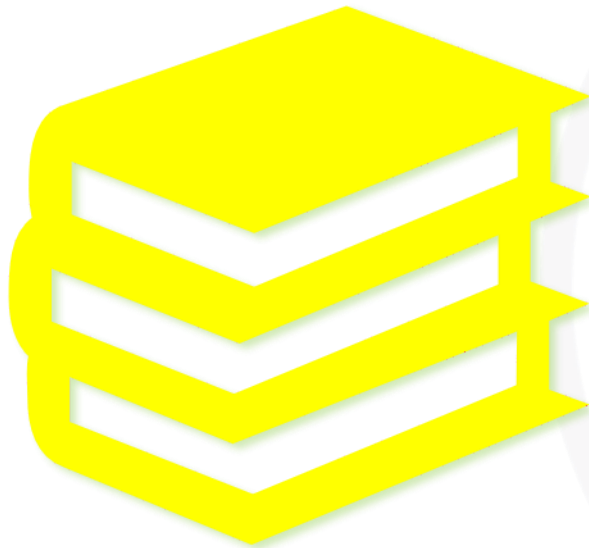


EXECUTIVE SUMMARY



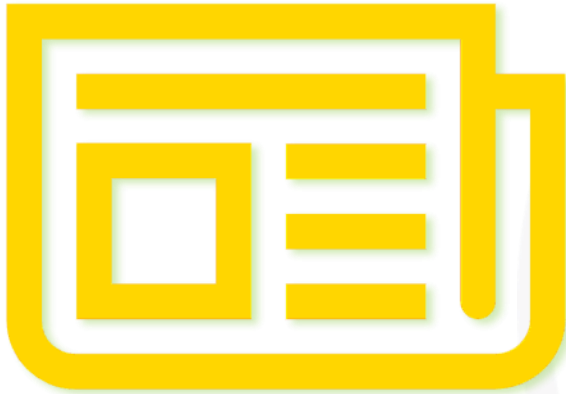
- JavaScript is still the most popular coding language, but HTML/CSS and SQL are catching up.
- SQL related databases are the most popular.
- Amazon Web Services (AWS) will overtake Microsoft Azure.
- Respondents were generally:
 - Young
 - American
 - College educated
- Coders are showing a preference towards easier to code languages.

INTRODUCTION



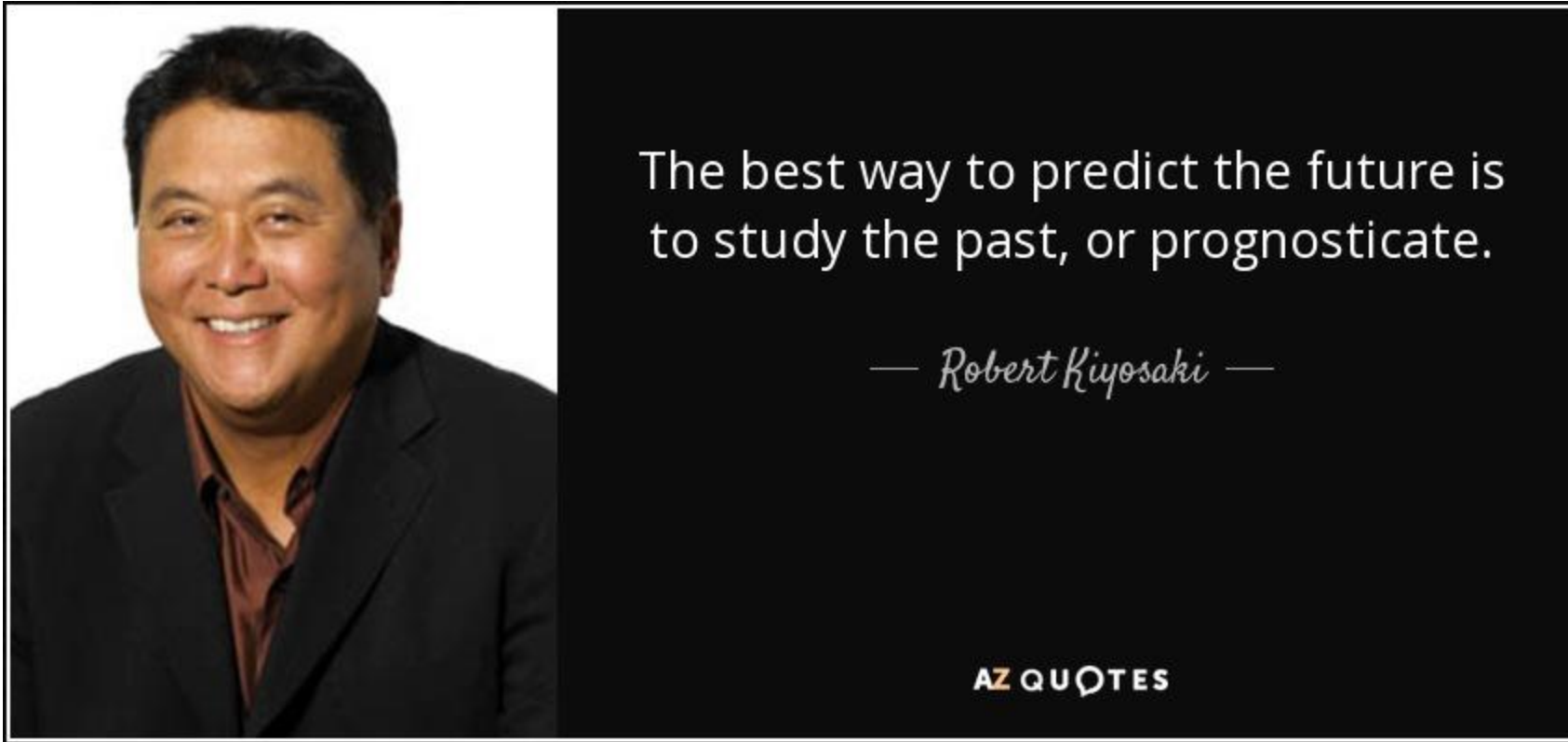
- Annual Stack Overflow Developer Survey is the most comprehensive survey of coders worldwide.
- It can be used to see what is popular now, or analyzed to see where trends may take coding in the future.
- Data can be used to determine what coding languages are the most important to learn.
- This is great information for those seeking a future in coding.
 - Salaries
 - Job Opportunities

METHODOLOGY



- Data Sources:
 - Jobs API (Kaggle)
 - Webscraping for job salaries
 - Stack Overflow Developer Survey
- The Stack Overflow Developer Survey was analyzed for trends.
- Respondents were allowed to select multiple languages in some categories. Data was modified so these languages are all counted individually.

RESULTS

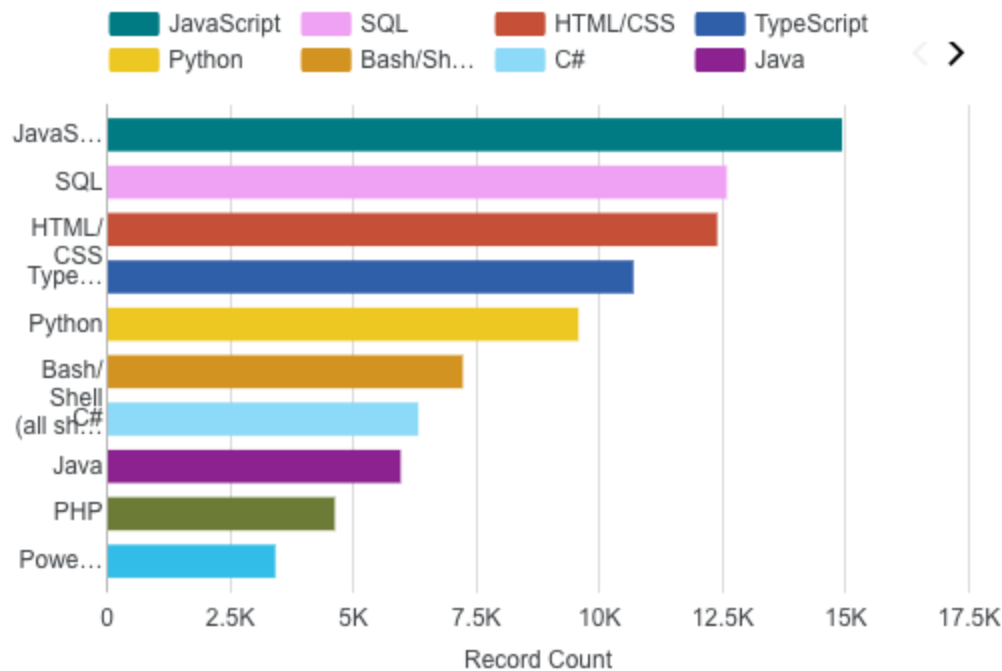


PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE TRENDS

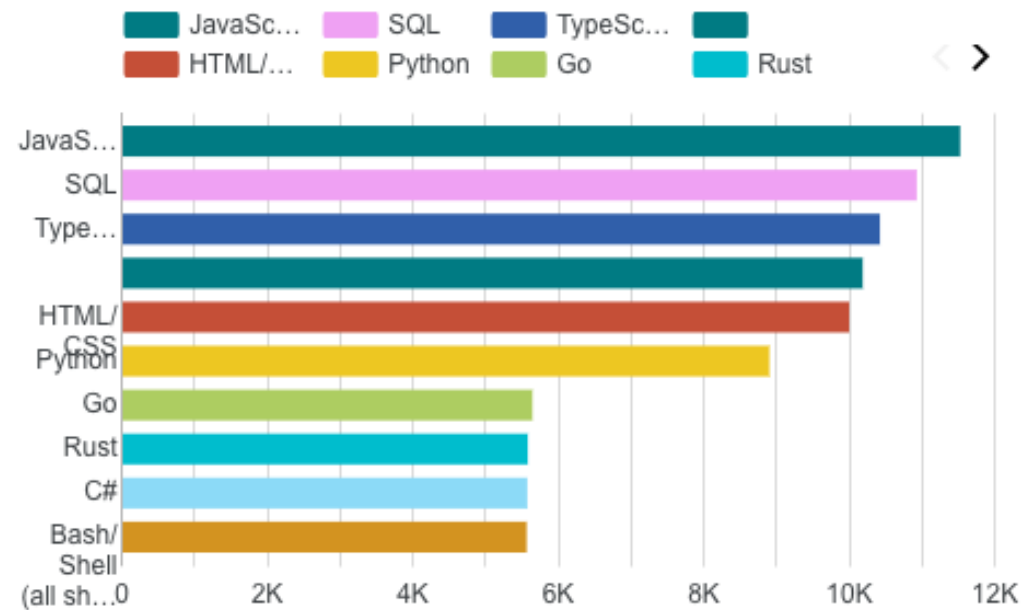
Current Year

Next Year

Most Popular Languages Used



Languages Desired to Work With



PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE TRENDS - FINDINGS & IMPLICATIONS

Findings

- JavaScript is currently the most commonly used language, followed closely by SQL and HTML/CSS.
- That lead is expected to drop, with languages like SQL and Python helping close the gap.

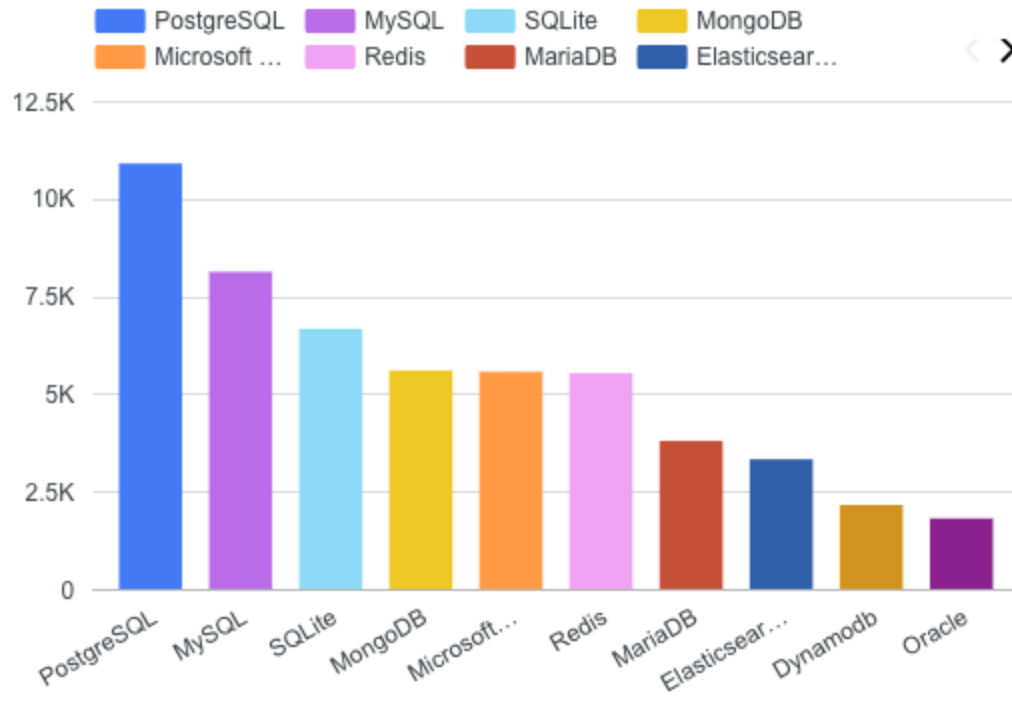
Implications

- Web programming languages are seeing the most usage.
- Some languages, such as PHP and Java, are expected to drop out of the top 10.

DATABASE TRENDS

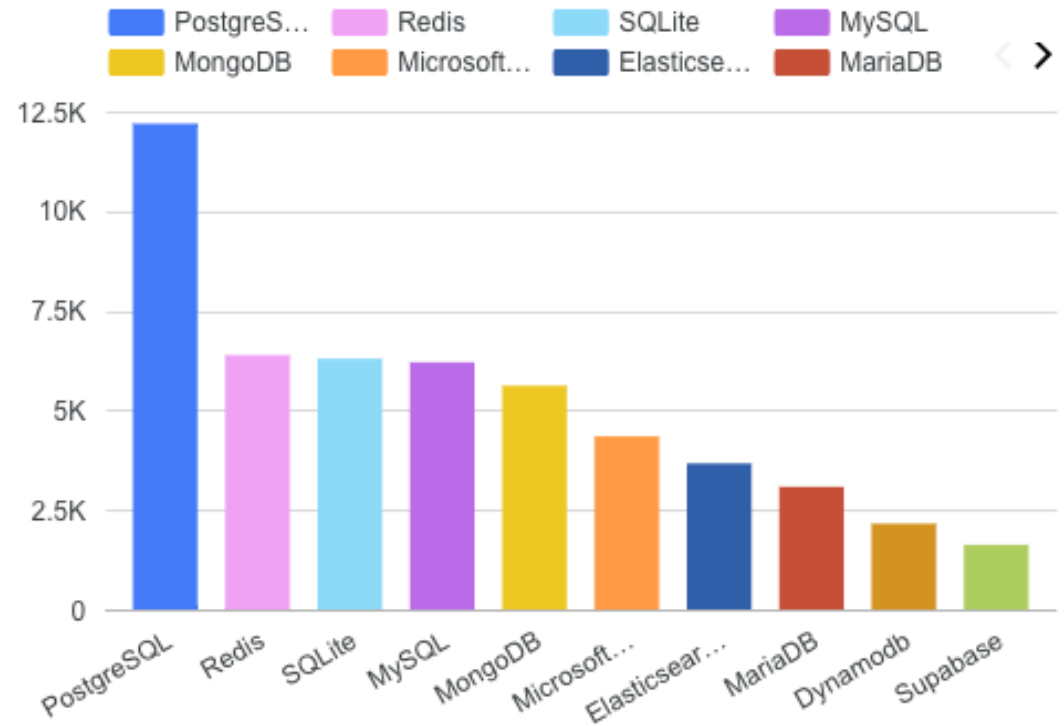
Current Year

Most Used Databases



Next Year

Databases Desired to Work With



DATABASE TRENDS - FINDINGS & IMPLICATIONS

Findings

- PostgreSQL is the most popular database language currently and is expected to be more popular.
- MySQL is finding its popularity dwindling.

Implications

- PostgreSQL is the way to go.
- The popularity of PostgreSQL and its easy integration with SQL is likely related to SQL's rise in use.
- Data Stores are increasing in demand.



DASHBOARD



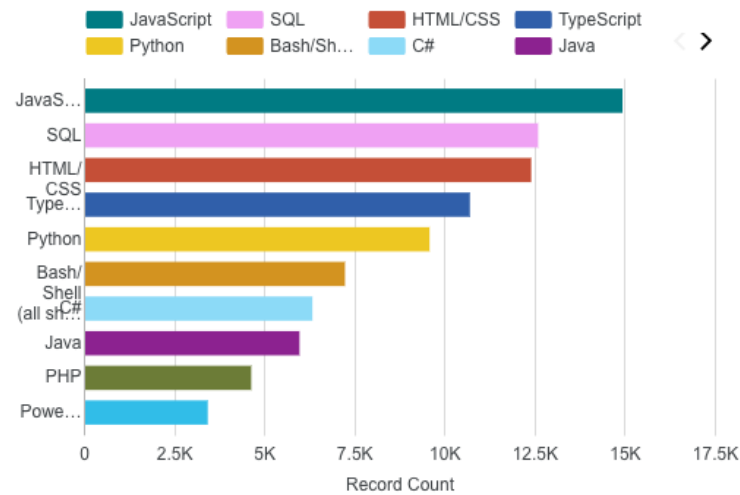
Link to  Looker Dashboard:

https://github.com/jhamer85/Capstone/blob/main/Lab_26_Dashboard.pdf

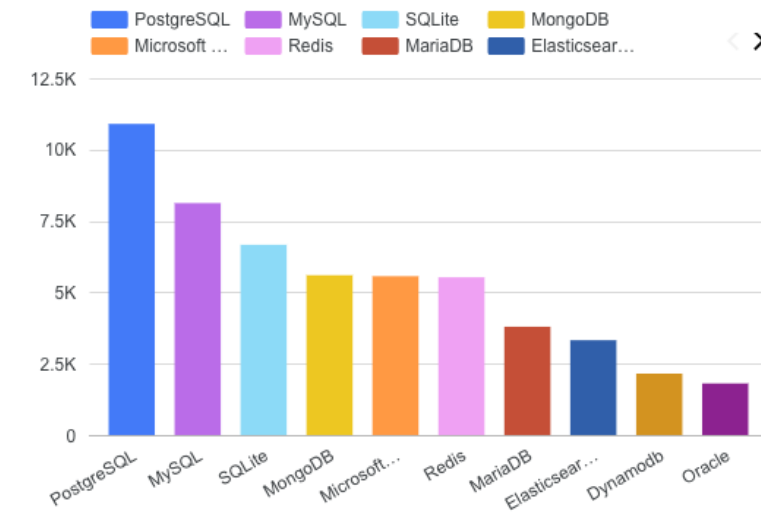


Current Technology Trends

Most Popular Languages Used



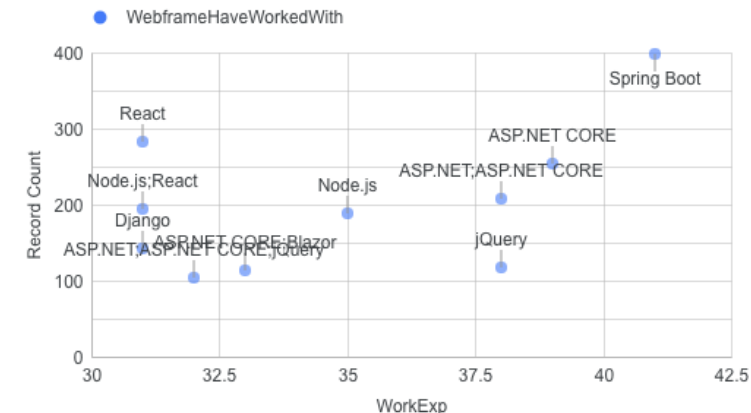
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Most Popular Platforms

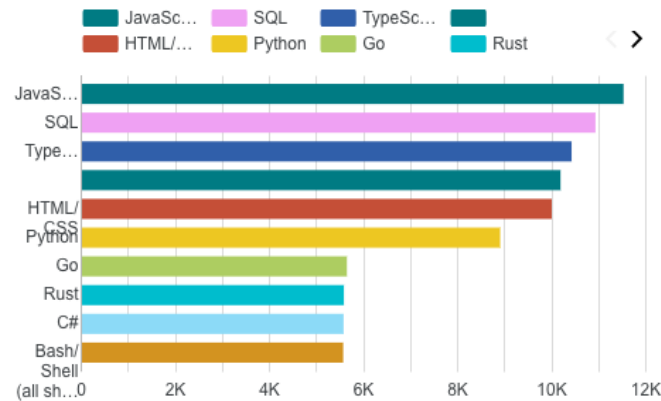


Most Popular Frameworks

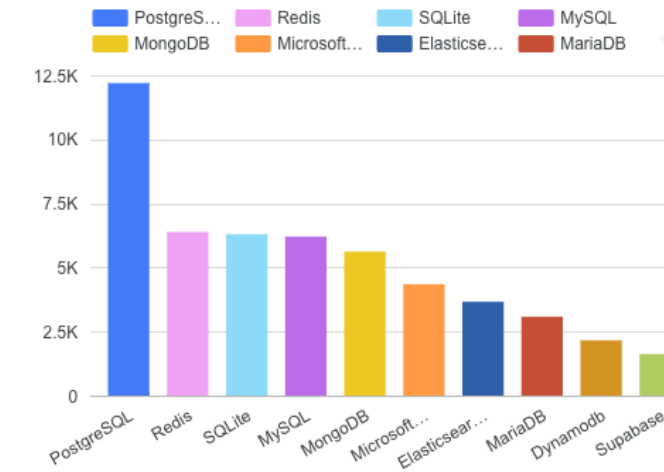


Future Technology Trends

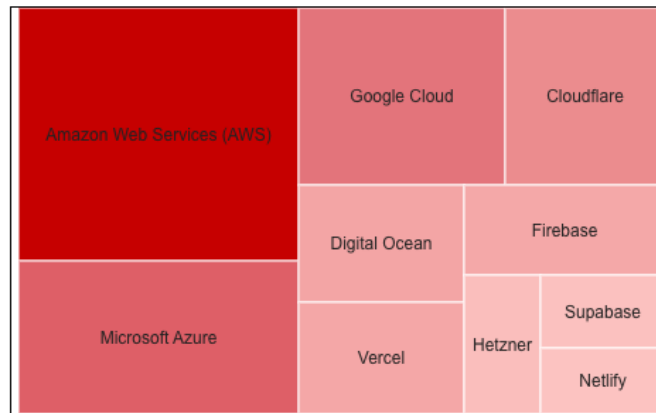
Languages Desired to Work With



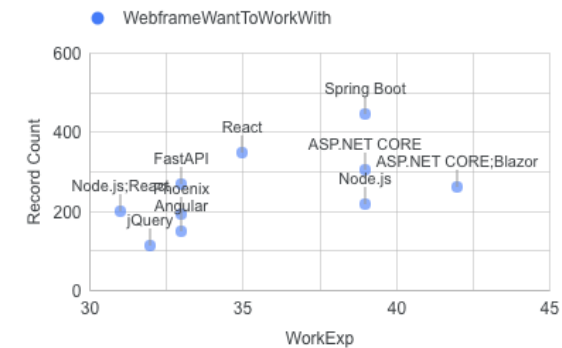
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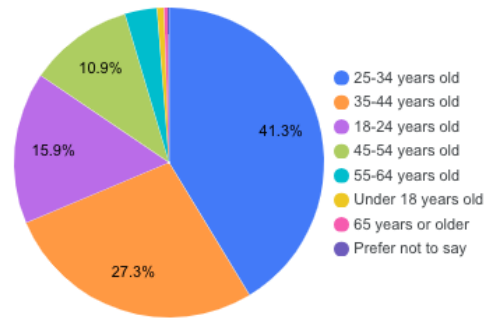


Webframes Desired to Work With

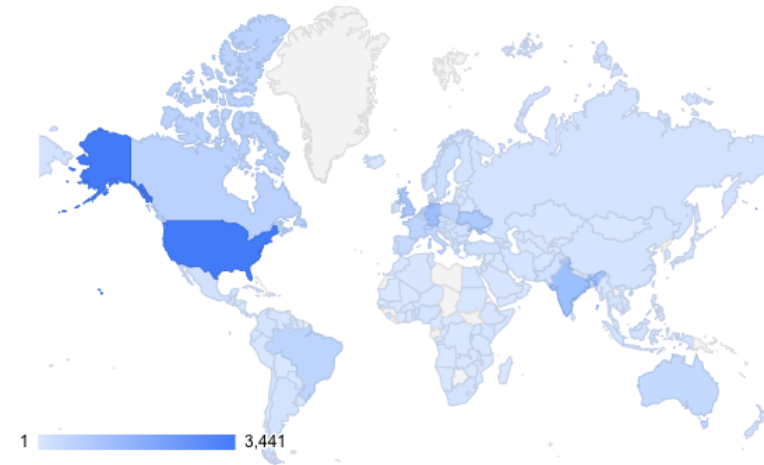


Respondent Demographics

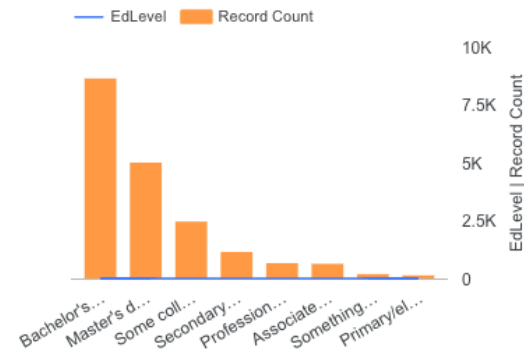
Respondents by Age



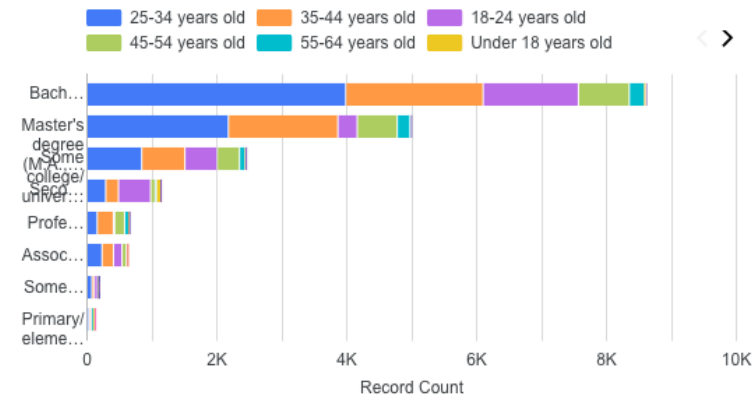
Respondent Count by Country



Respondent Distribution by Education Level



Respondent Count by Age, Classified by Education Level



DISCUSSION



- Do you know the coding languages of the future?
- Which languages do you need to learn to stay current?
- Disproportionally large amounts of respondents:
 - Were under 35 years old
 - Were from USA
 - Had a bachelor's degree
- As coding exists longer, do we see more respondents in the older age groups?



OVERALL FINDINGS & IMPLICATIONS

Findings

- Web-based coding is popular.
- The desire to learn and work with SQL is high.

Implications

- The popularity of SQL is reflected in the use of PostgreSQL.
- The unpopularity of C has resulted in a large number of job openings

CONCLUSION



- Based on popularity of the languages, job postings, and average salaries, Javascript and Python should be priorities for young coders.
- Easier to learn coding seems to be taking a preference.
- SQL and HTML/CSS are currently popular and will remain so.
- Learning coding languages is a good way for young graduates to earn a living.

APPENDIX

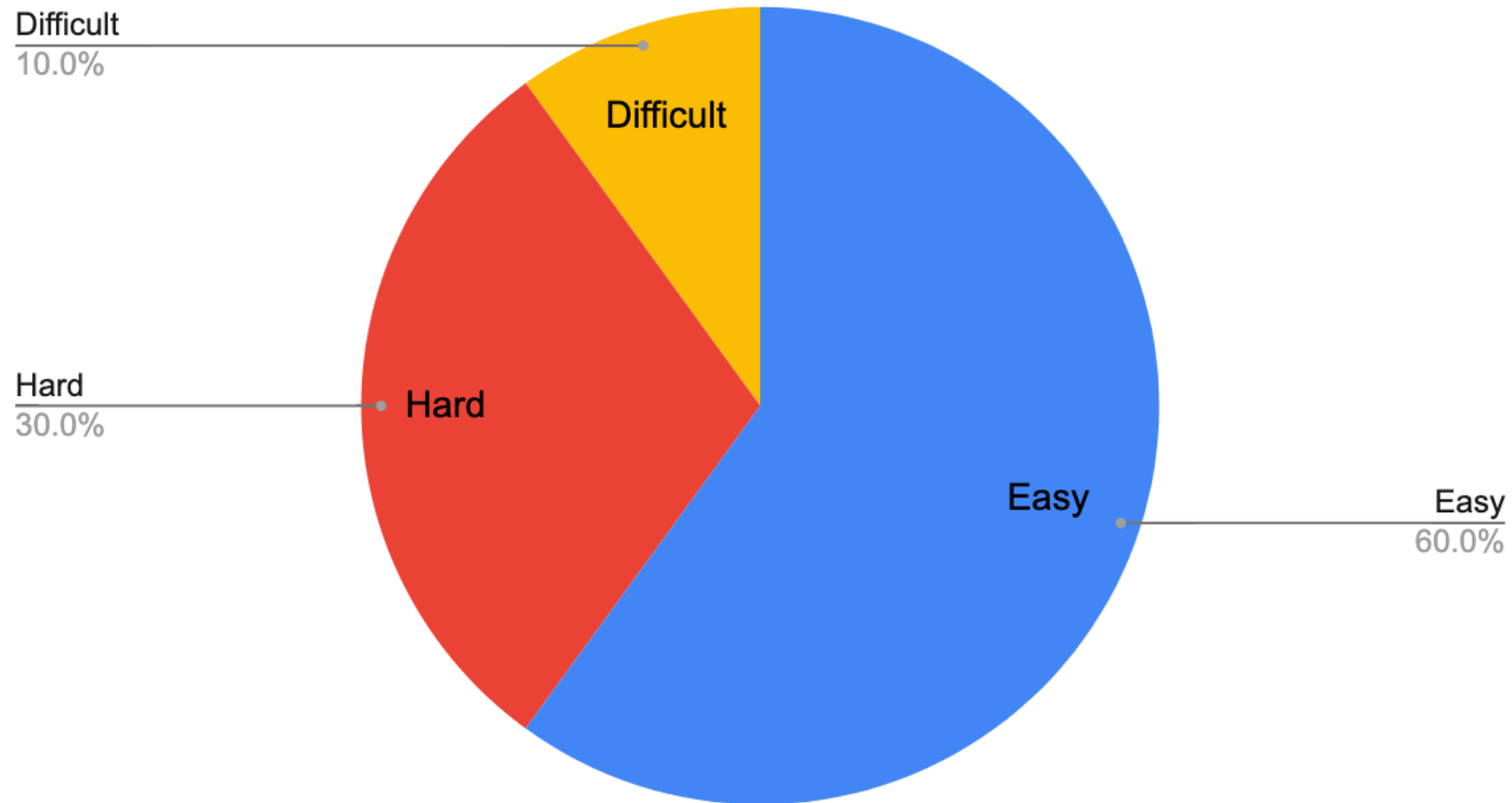
SOURCES



- Stack Overflow Developer Survey (filtered and pre-processed)
- Sample job postings from Kaggle.com
- Salary data webscrapped from SkillsNetwork

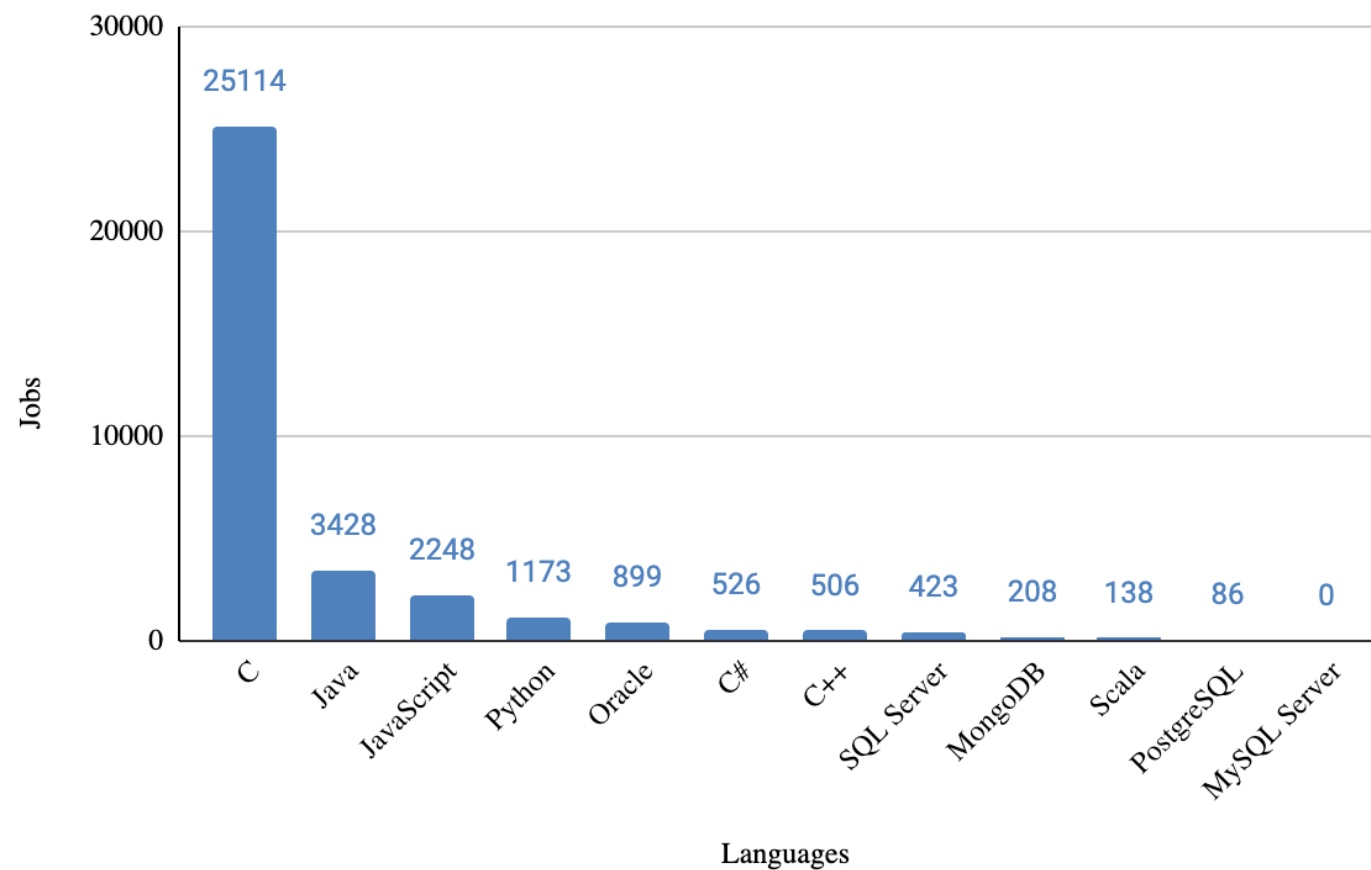
DIFFICULTY OF LEARNING

Learning Difficulties of Top 10 Programming Languages



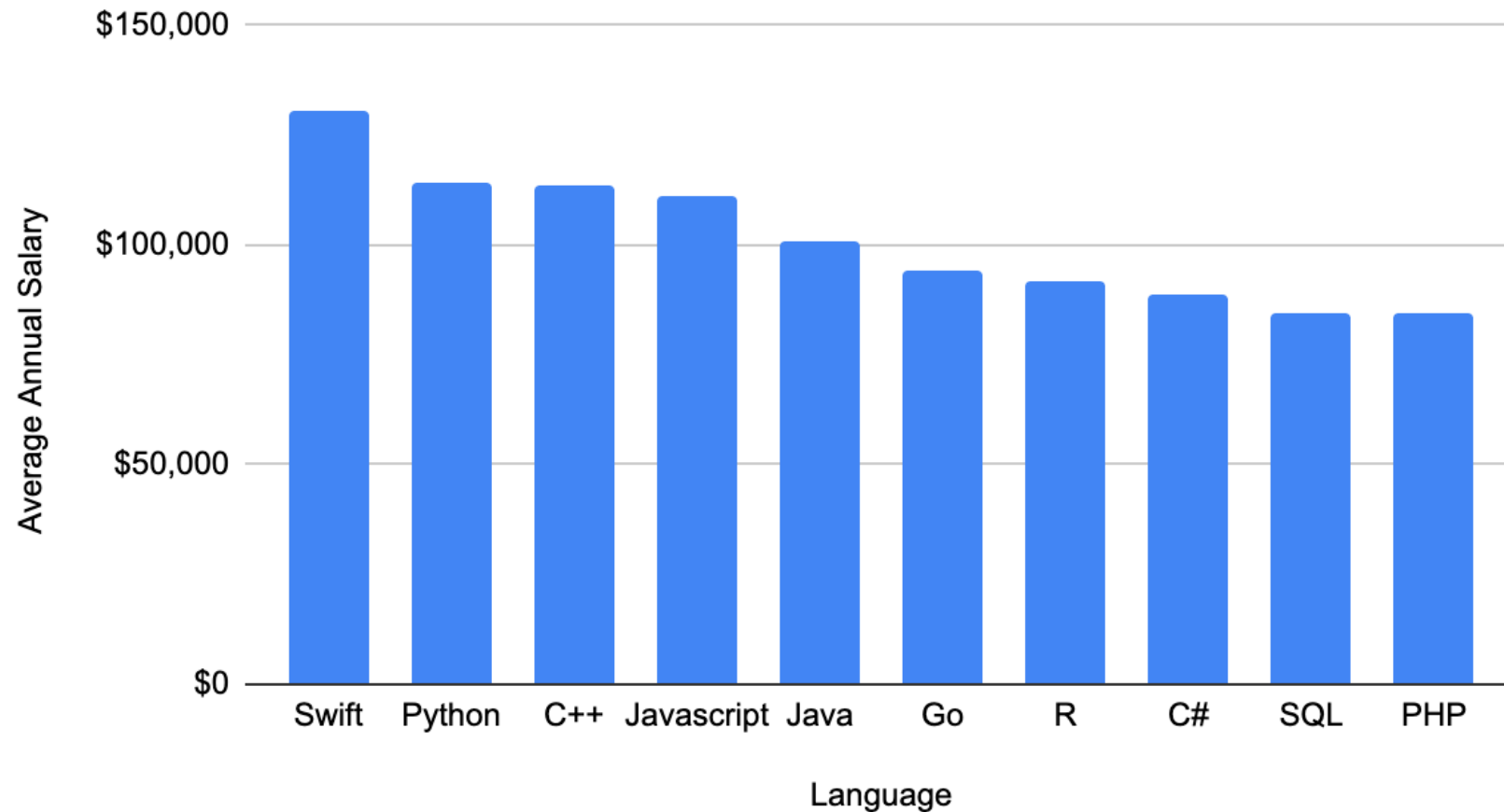
JOB POSTINGS

Job Posings



AVERAGE SALARIES

Average Annual Salary by Language



COMPENSATION PER YEARS OF EXPERIENCE

