



# IBM Data Analyst Capstone Project

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# EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- This report is about the Stack Overflow Developer Survey 2019, Github job posting and IBM website for current trends, job vacancies and annual salary based on popular languages.

| Popular Programming Language |            |
|------------------------------|------------|
| Current Trend                | Next Year  |
| Javascript                   | Javascript |
| HTML/CSS                     | Python     |
| SQL                          | HTML       |

| Popular Database Language |            |
|---------------------------|------------|
| Current Trend             | Next Year  |
| MySQL                     | PostgreSQL |
| PostgreSQL                | MongoDB    |
| MSFT SQL Server           | Redia      |

- The top 3 job vacancies based on programming languages are C, Javascript and Python.
- The 3 best paying languages with the highest average annual salary are Swift, Python and C++.
- Based on findings, web pages interactive and Python are the most desirable and well paid language for the seeable future.

# INTRODUCTION

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- This report is about the survey of respondent who worked as a developer as profession or those that are not primarily a developer, but I write code sometimes as part of my work.
- The target audience for this report is for professional, companies and recruiter who wants to know the current trend in their field of work.
- Able to gain insight on demand of languages for recent job posting and average annual salary range
- Able to gain insight on demographics of respondent
  - Gender in the workforce
  - Education level

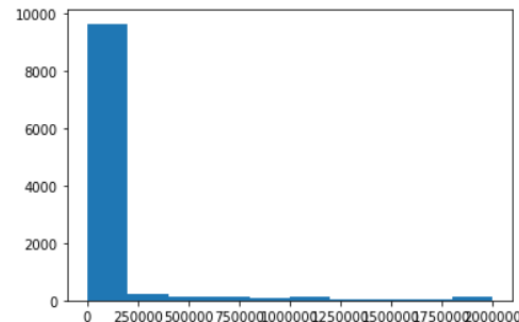
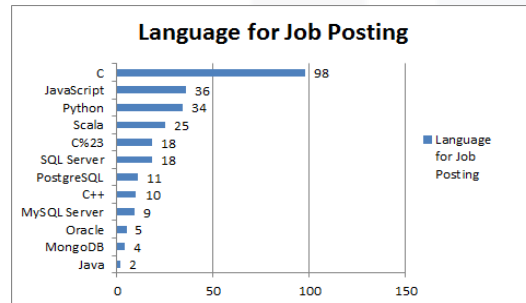
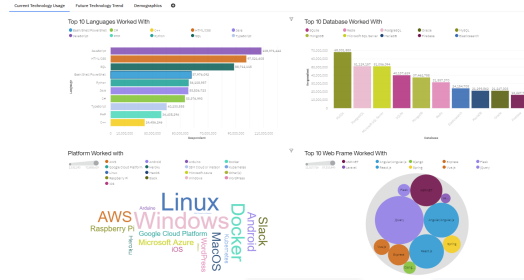
# METHODOLOGY

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- The data source for the online survey is from Stack Overflow Developer Survey 2019 data where the responses are compiled into csv files.
- The data source for job posting is from GitHub Jobs API where API get request call was used to obtain the result.
- The data source for average annual salary for the languages is from IBM website where web scrapping with get request was used to obtain result
- EDA and data visualization was done on multiple platform:
  - IBM Cognos Dashboard
  - Jupyter Notebook
  - Excel

# RESULTS

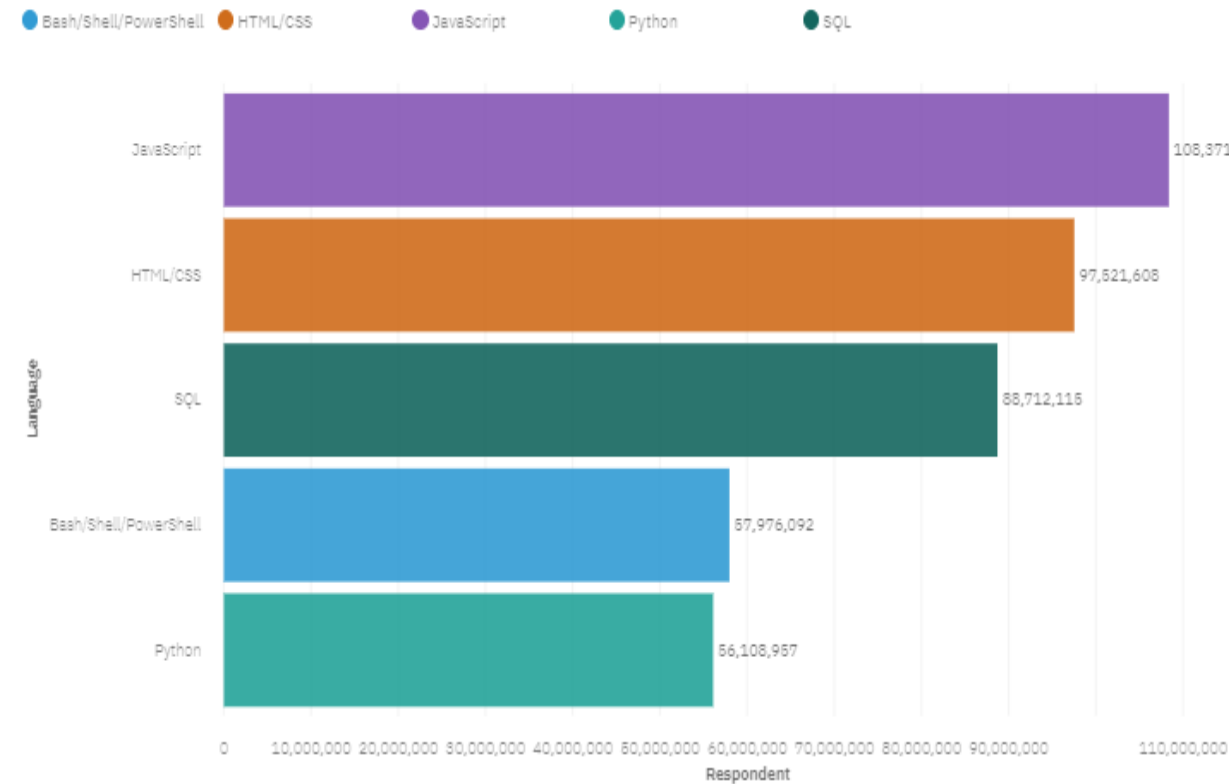


- From the Cognos Dashboard, we visualized the current and desired trend from professional in their field of work.
- From the Excel, we visualized the number of current job posting on Github and average annual salary range by popular languages.
- From the Jupyter Notebook, exploratory data analysis was done to find out the characteristics of the respondents in the survey and results can be visualized too.

# PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE TRENDS

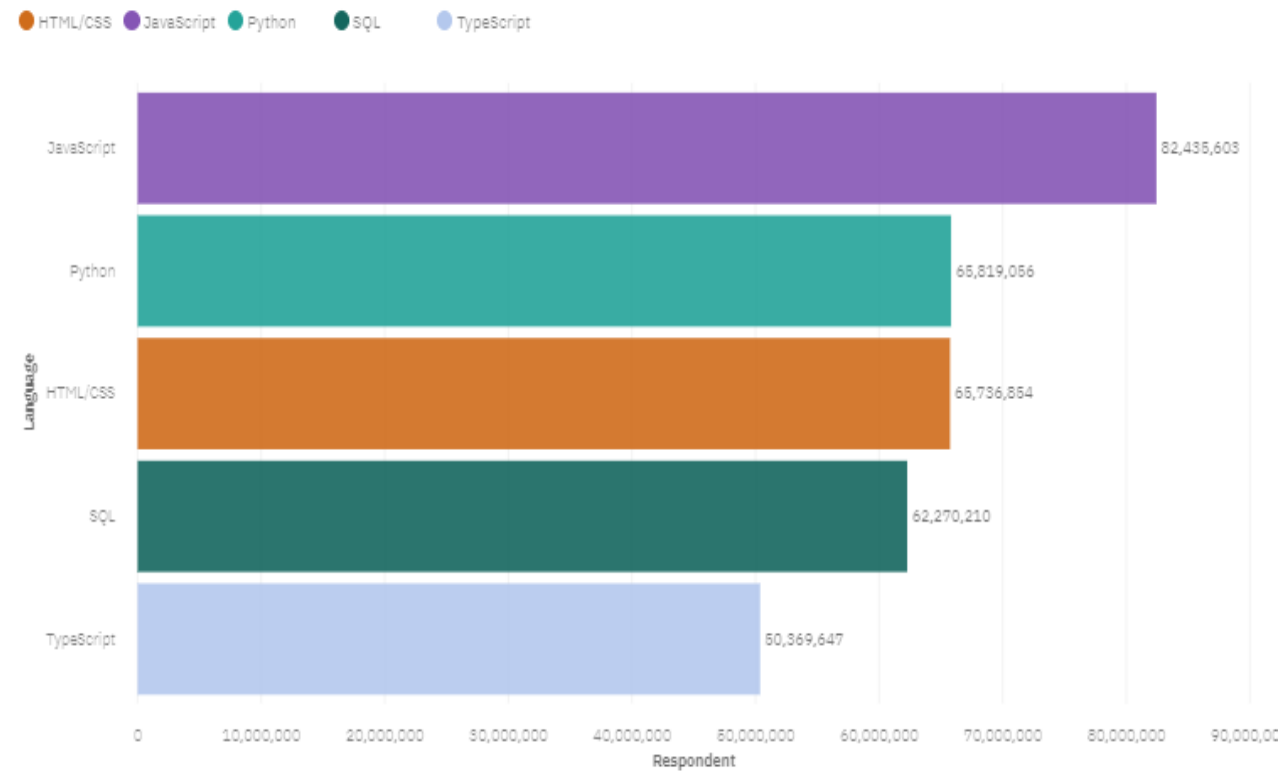
## Current Year

Top 5 Languages Worked With



## Next Year

Top 5 Languages Desired



# PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE TRENDS - FINDINGS & IMPLICATIONS

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## Findings

### Current Year

1. Javascript
2. HTML/CSS
3. SQL

### Next Year

1. Javascript
2. Python
3. HTML/CSS

## Implications

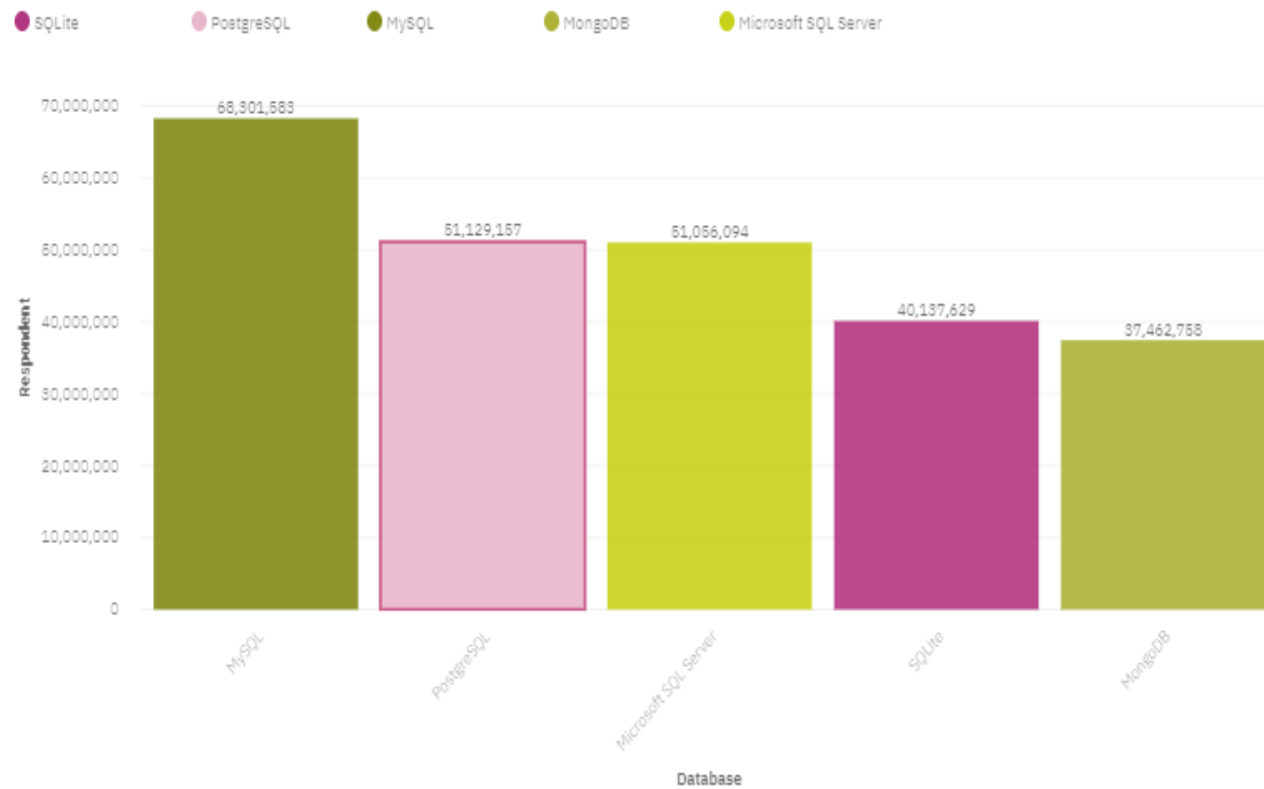
- Web pages interactive languages are the most important.
- Javascript and HTML/CSS are still the most desired language currently and in the future.
- Python is the upcoming trend for programming languages



# DATABASE TRENDS

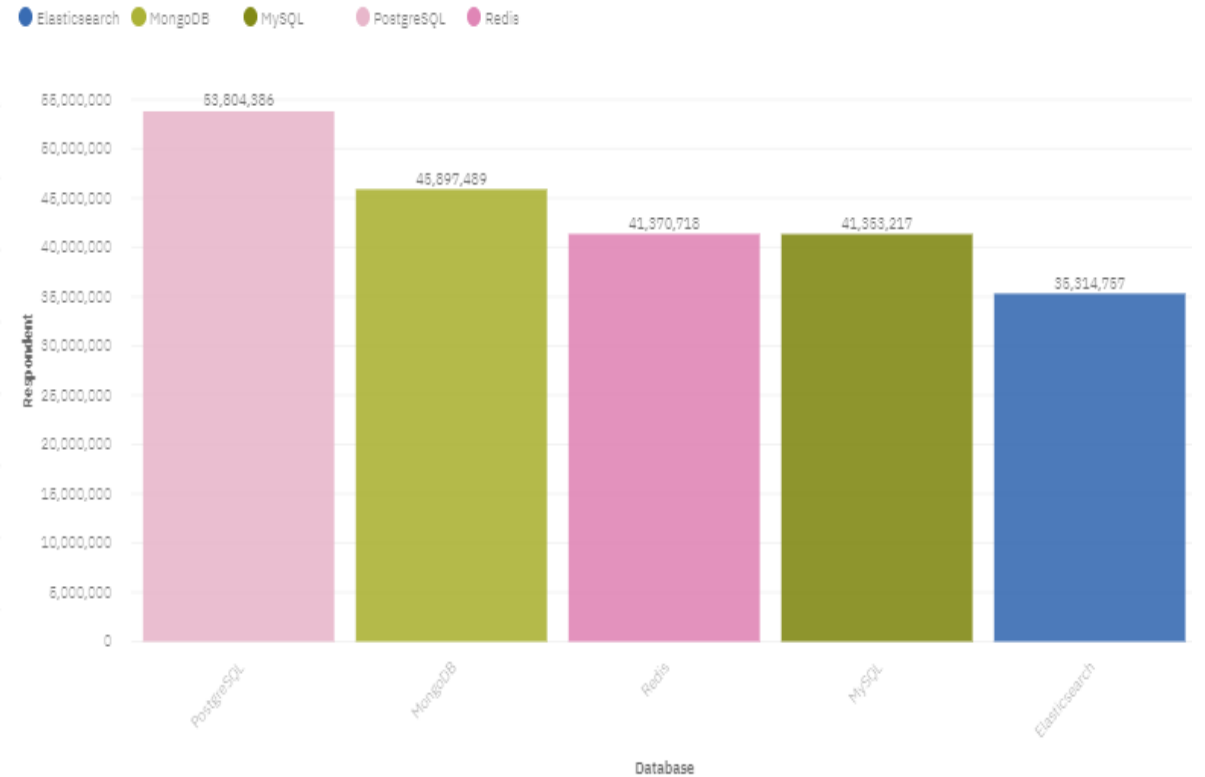
## Current Year

Top 5 Database Worked With



## Next Year

Top 5 Database Desired



# DATABASE TRENDS - FINDINGS & IMPLICATIONS

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## Findings

### Current Year

1. MySQL
2. PostgreSQL
3. Microsoft SQL Server

### Next Year

1. PostgreSQL
2. MongoDB
3. Redis

## Implications

- SQL remains as the most desired query language and database
- However, SQL databases face stiff competition from upcoming database like MongoDB and Redis.

# DASHBOARD

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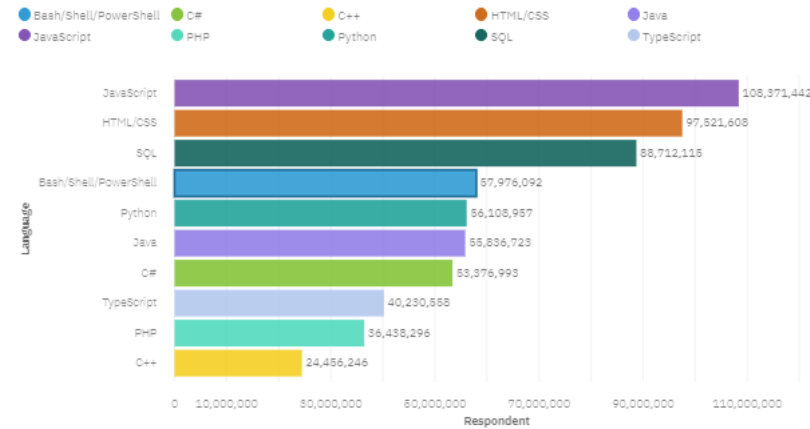
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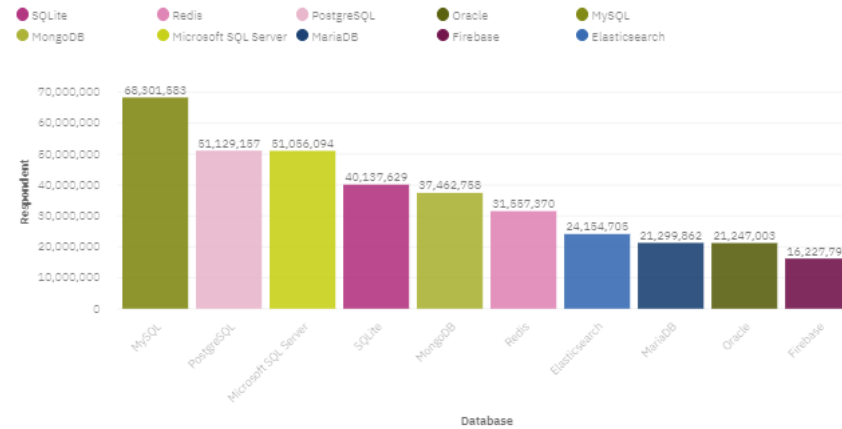
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Current Technology Usage   Future Technology Trend   Demographics

Top 10 Languages Worked With



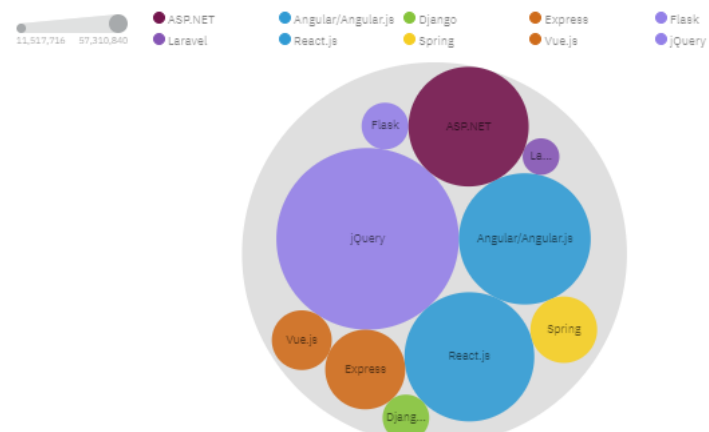
Top 10 Database Worked With



Platform Worked with



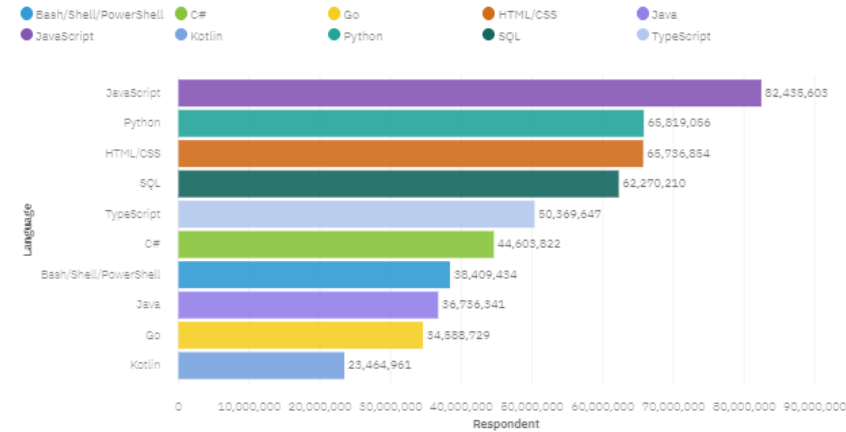
Top 10 Web Frame Worked With



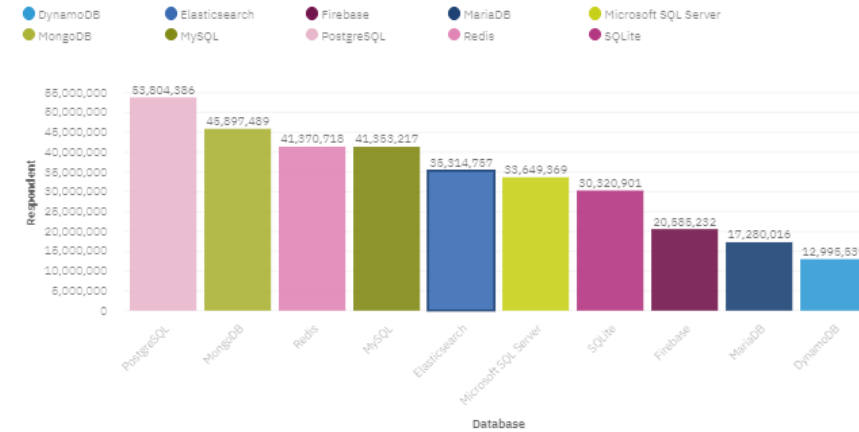
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Current Technology Usage Future Technology Trend Demographics

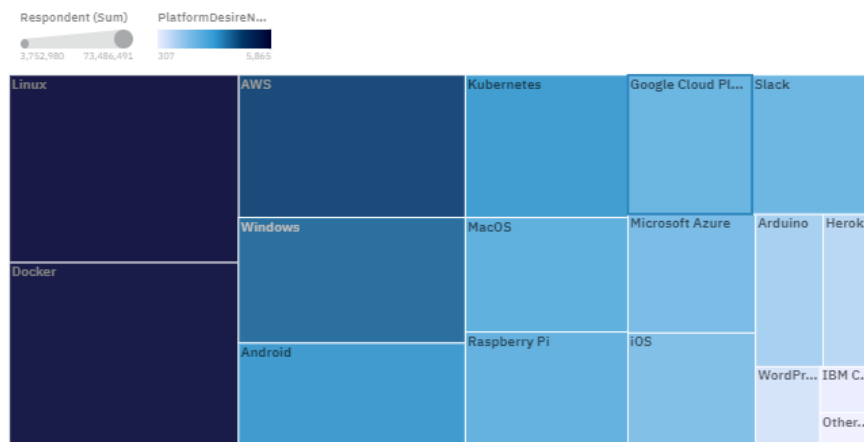
### Top 10 Languages Desired



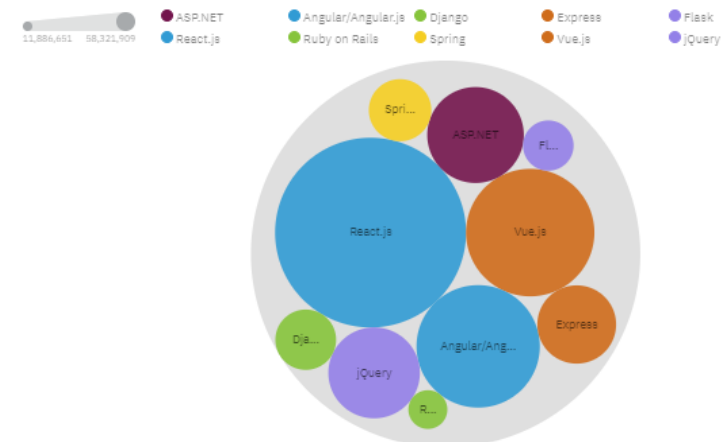
### Top 10 Database Desired



### Platform Desired



### Top 10 Web Frame Desired

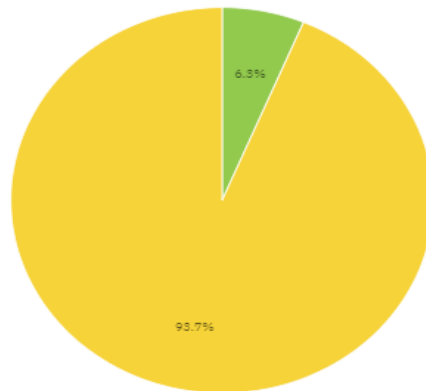


# DASHBOARD TAB 3

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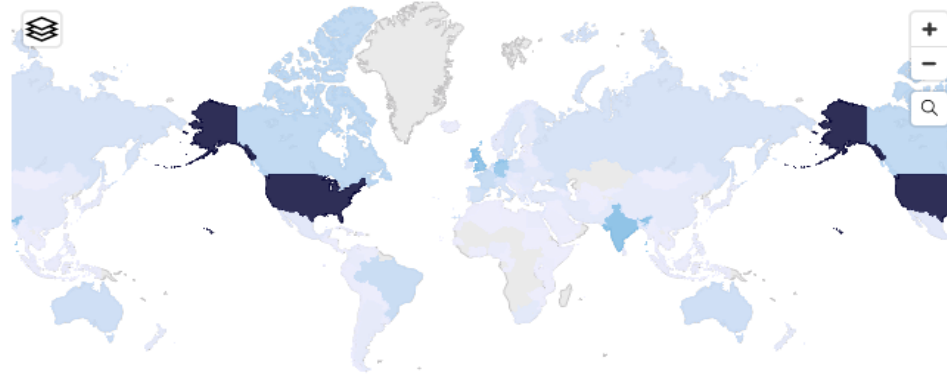
Respondent classified by Gender

Gender  
Woman Man

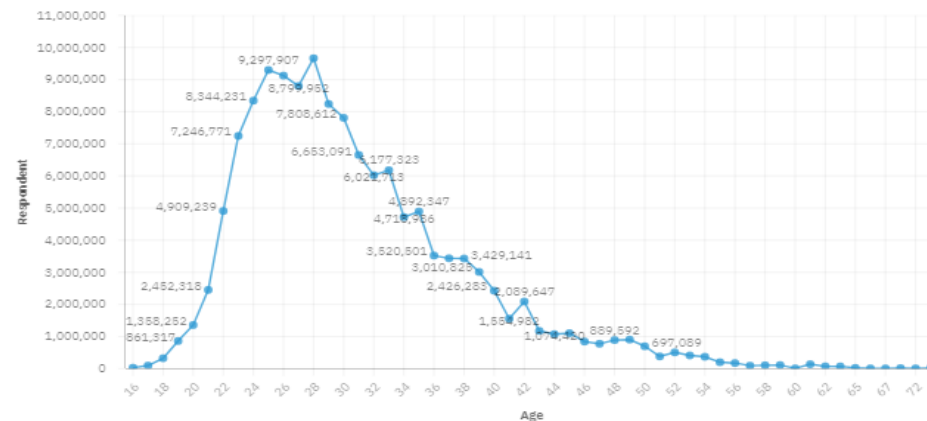


Countries of Respondent

Respondent (Sum)  
865 38,170,293

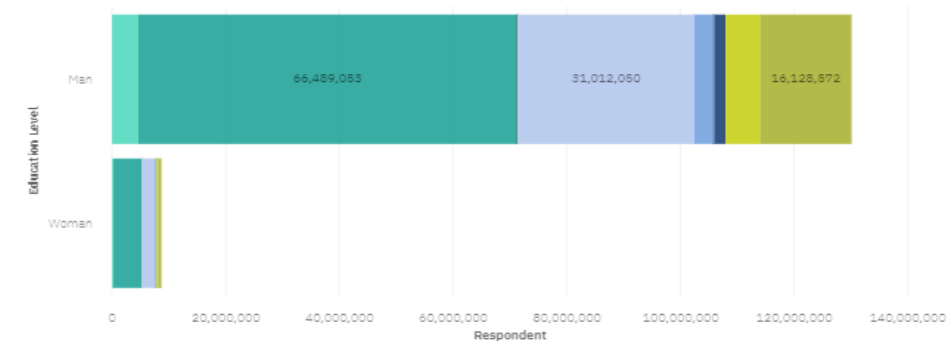


Age of Respondent



Education Level of Respondent

Associate degree Bachelor's degree (BA, BS, B.E...) I never completed any formal ... Master's degree (MA, MS, M.E...  
Other doctoral degree (Ph.D, E... Primary/elementary school Professional degree (JD, MD, e... Secondary school (e.g. Americ...  
Some college/university study ...



# DISCUSSION

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- The majority of respondents are developer by professional.
- The mean age of respondents is 30 years old and the range of most respondents is between 20 – 40 years old
- A total of 11398 survey respondents were recorded.
- This field of work is dominated by male over female with a ratio of 93.7% to 6.3% respectively.
- Most professional have at least a degree for educational level.
- For the age range of 25 - 30 year old, the compensation has a positive correlation with age.
- The normalised annual salary of respondents is USD 103,000.

# OVERALL FINDINGS & IMPLICATIONS

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## Findings

- Web page interactive languages are still in demand while Python is the trend
- SQL database are still in demand
- Linux remains as the preferred platform
- React.js is the future trend for web frame

## Implications

- Web page interactive languages are still in demand due to digitalization.
- Professional are slowly picking up Python for programming language
- Professional are migrating from Window platform and jQuery web frame



# CONCLUSION

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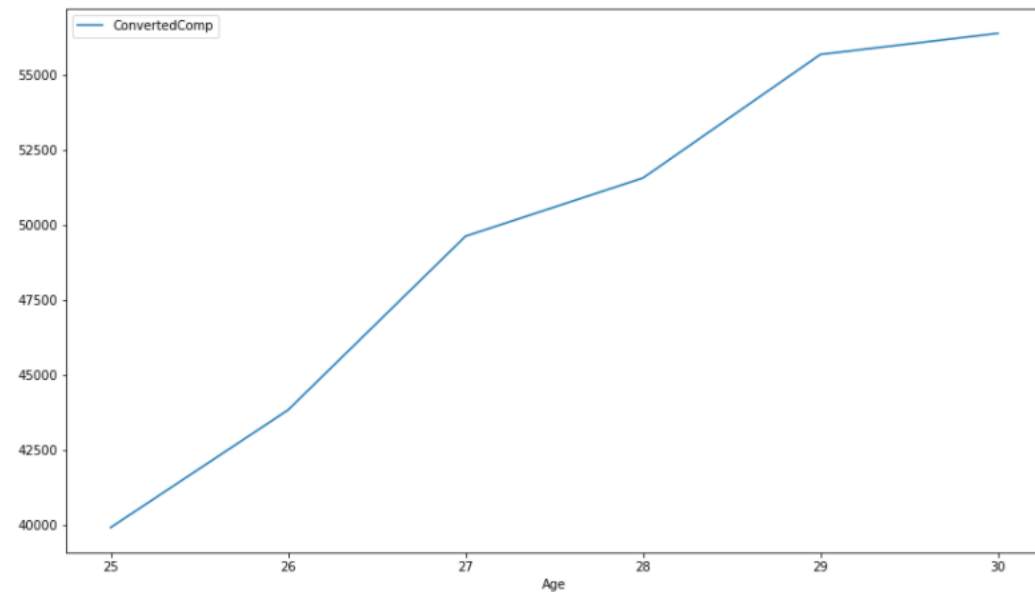


- Webpage interactive languages like Javascript and HTML/CSS are still in high demand and are relatively well paid.
- Python is the upcoming programming language with high paying salary and plenty of job opportunity
- Professional working on platform and web frame are constantly changing
- This field of work need more gender diversity

# APPENDIX

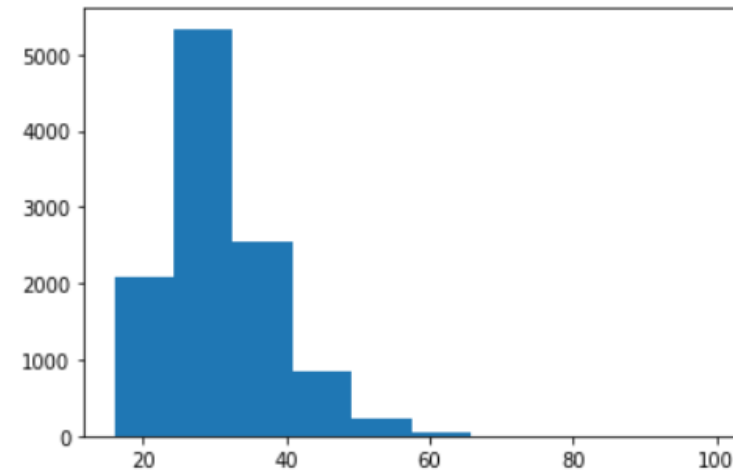
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# your code goes here
QUERY = """
SELECT ConvertedComp, Age
FROM master
WHERE Age BETWEEN 25 AND 30
"""

# the read_sql_query runs the sql query and returns the data as a dataframe
df = pd.read_sql_query(QUERY, conn)
df_age = df.groupby('Age').median()
df_age.plot(kind='line', figsize=(14, 8))
plt.show()
```



```
: 1 # your code goes here
  2 plt.hist(x = df['Age'])
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: (array([2.094e+03, 5.337e+03, 2.557e+03, 8.420e+02, 2.250e+02, 4.900e+01,
        6.000e+00, 0.000e+00, 0.000e+00, 1.000e+00]),
 array([16. , 24.3, 32.6, 40.9, 49.2, 57.5, 65.8, 74.1, 82.4, 90.7, 99. ]),
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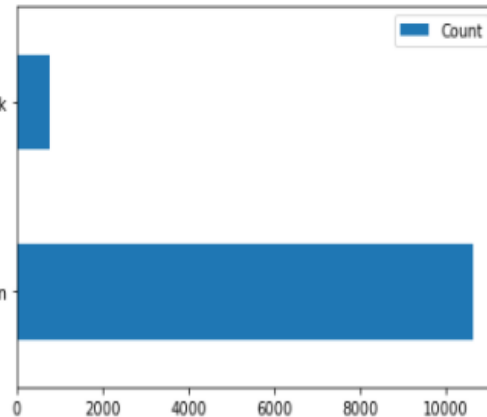
# APPENDIX

```
QUERY = """
SELECT count(MainBranch) as Count, MainBranch
FROM master
GROUP BY MainBranch
"""

# the read_sql_query runs the sql query and returns the data as a dataframe
df = pd.read_sql_query(QUERY, conn)
import numpy as np
bars = (df['MainBranch'][0], df['MainBranch'][1])
y_pos = np.arange(len(bars))
df.plot(kind='barh')
plt.yticks(y_pos, bars)
plt.show()
```

I am not primarily a developer, but I write code sometimes as part of my work

I am a developer by profession



Double click to see the **Hint**.

```
1 # your code goes here
2 def normalise(freq, total):
3     result = 0
4     if freq == 'Yearly':
5         result = total
6     elif freq == 'Monthly':
7         result = total * 12
8     elif freq == 'Weekly':
9         result = total * 52
10    return result
```

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1 # freq = df['CompFreq'].tolist()
2 # total = df['CompTotal'].tolist()
3 annual = [normalise(freq, total) for freq, total in zip(df['CompFreq'], df['CompTotal'])]
4 df['NormalizedAnnualCompensation'] = annual
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1 df.shape
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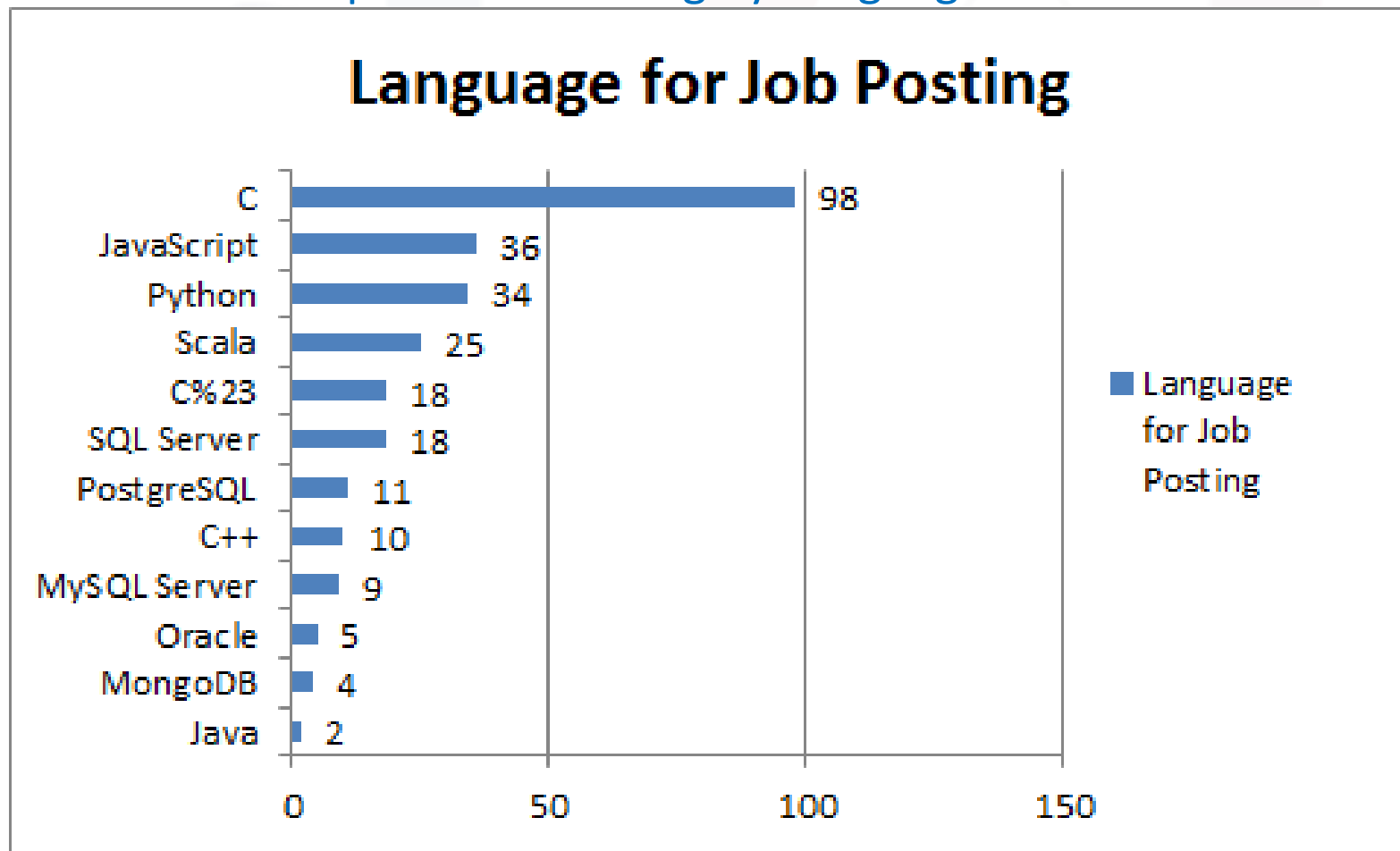
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```
1 df['NormalizedAnnualCompensation'].median()
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# GITHUB JOB POSTINGS

Bar Chart of Popular Job Posting by Languages



# POPULAR LANGUAGES

Bar Chart of Average Annual Salary by Popular Languages

