# Assignment 03

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```
from pyspark.sql import SparkSession
from pyspark.sql import functions as F
from pyspark.sql.functions import col, split, explode, regexp_replace, transform, when
from pyspark.sql.functions import col, monotonically_increasing_id
from pyspark.sql.types import StructType # to/from JSON
import json
import re
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import plotly.express as px
import plotly.io as pio
import plotly.graph_objects as go
np.random.seed(30) # set a fixed seed for reproducibility
pio.renderers.default = "vscode+notebook"
# Initialize Spark Session
spark = SparkSession.builder.appName("JobPostingsAnalysis").getOrCreate()
# Load schema from JSON file
with open("data/schema_lightcast.json") as f:
    schema = StructType.fromJson(json.load(f))
# Load Data
df = (spark.read
      .option("header", "true")
      .option("inferSchema", "false")
      .schema(schema)
                                   # saved schema
      .option("multiLine", "true")
      .option("escape", "\"")
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.csv("data/lightcast_job_postings.csv")
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df.createOrReplaceTempView("job_postings")
# Show Schema and Sample Data
#df.printSchema()
df.show(5)
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#### 1 Data Preparation

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# Step 1: Casting salary and experience columns
from pyspark.sql.functions import col

df = df.withColumn("SALARY", col("SALARY").cast("float")) \
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.withColumn("SALARY_FROM", col("SALARY_FROM").cast("float")) \
       .withColumn("SALARY_TO", col("SALARY_TO").cast("float")) \
       .withColumn("MIN_YEARS_EXPERIENCE", col("MIN_YEARS_EXPERIENCE").cast("float"))\
       .withColumn("MAX_YEARS_EXPERIENCE", col("MAX_YEARS_EXPERIENCE").cast("float"))
# Step 2: Computing medians for salary columns
def compute_median(sdf, col_name):
    q = sdf.approxQuantile(col_name, [0.5], 0.01)
    return q[0] if q else None
median_from = compute_median(df, "SALARY_FROM")
median_to = compute_median(df, "SALARY_TO")
median_salary = compute_median(df, "SALARY")
print("Medians:", median_from, median_to)
# Step 3: Imputing missing salaries, but not experience
df = df.fillna({
    "SALARY_FROM": median_from,
    "SALARY_TO": median_to,
    "SALARY": median_salary
})
# Step 5: Computing average salary
df = df.withColumn("Average_Salary",
                   (col("SALARY_FROM") + col("SALARY_TO")) / 2)
# Step 6: Selecting required columns
export_cols = [
    "EDUCATION_LEVELS_NAME",
    "REMOTE_TYPE_NAME",
    "MAX_YEARS_EXPERIENCE",
    "Average_Salary",
    "SALARY",
    "LOT_V6_SPECIALIZED_OCCUPATION_NAME"
df_selected = df.select(*export_cols)
# Step 7: Saving to CSV
pdf = df_selected.toPandas()
pdf.to_csv("data/lightcast_cleaned.csv", index=False)
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#### 1.1 Salary Distribution by Industry and Employment Type

• Compare salary variations across industries.

Filter the dataset - Remove records where salary is missing or zero.

**Aggregate Data** - Group by **NAICS industry codes** (e.g., NAICS2\_NAME). - Group by **employment type** (EMPLOYMENT\_TYPE\_NAME) and compute salary distribution. - Calculate **salary percentiles** (25th, 50th, 75th) for each group.

Visualize results - Create a box plot where: - X-axis = NAICS2\_NAME - Y-axis = SALARY\_FROM, or SALARY\_TO, or SALARY - Group/color = EMPLOYMENT\_TYPE\_NAME - Customize colors, fonts, and styles.

**Explanation:** Write two sentences about what the graph reveals (e.g., median differences across industries and dispersion by employment type).

#### 2 Set up plotly template

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                    'size': 20,
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}
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#your code for first query
import pandas as pd
import polars as pl
from IPython.display import display, HTML

# Filter out missing or zero salary values
pdf = df.filter(df["SALARY"] > 0).select("EMPLOYMENT_TYPE_NAME", "SALARY").toPandas()

# Clean employment type names for better readability
pdf["EMPLOYMENT_TYPE_NAME"] = (
    pdf["EMPLOYMENT_TYPE_NAME"]
        .astype(str)
        .str.replace(r"[^\x00-\x7F]+", "", regex=True)
)

#display(HTML(f"<div style='height:300px; overflow:auto'>{pdf.iloc[:10].to_html(index=False)}
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```
# Compute median salary for sorting
median_salaries = pdf.groupby("EMPLOYMENT_TYPE_NAME")["SALARY"].median()
display(median_salaries.to_frame().head())
# Sort employment types based on median salary in descending order
sorted_employment_types = median_salaries.sort_values(ascending=False).index
# Apply sorted categories
pdf["EMPLOYMENT_TYPE_NAME"] = pd.Categorical(
    pdf ["EMPLOYMENT_TYPE_NAME"],
    categories=sorted_employment_types,
   ordered=True
)
# Create box plot with horizontal grid lines
fig = px.box(
   pdf,
   x="EMPLOYMENT_TYPE_NAME",
   y="SALARY",
   title="Salary Distribution by Employment Type",
    color_discrete_sequence=["#CC0000"], # Single neutral color
   boxmode="group",
   points="all" # Show all outliers
fig
# Improve layout, font styles, and axis labels
fig.update_layout(
    title=dict(
        text="Salary Distribution by Employment Type",
        font=dict(size=16, family="Helvetica", color="black") # Bigger & Bold Title
    ),
    xaxis=dict(
        title=dict(text="Employment Type", font=dict(size=14, family="Helvetica", color="bla
        tickangle=0,  # Rotate X-axis labels for readability
        tickfont=dict(size=12, family="Helvetica", color="black"),  # Bigger & Bold X-ticks
        showline=True, # Show axis lines
        linewidth=2,
                       # Thicker axis lines
        linecolor="black",
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mirror=True,
        showgrid=False, # Remove vertical grid lines
        categoryorder="array",
        categoryarray=sorted_employment_types.tolist()
    ),
    yaxis=dict(
        title=dict(text="Salary (in $1000)", font=dict(size=14, family="Helvetica", color="b
        tickvals=[0, 50000, 100000, 150000, 200000, 250000, 300000, 350000, 400000, 450000,
        ticktext=["0", "50", "100", "150", "200", "250", "300", "350", "400", "450", "500"],
        tickfont=dict(size=12, family="Helvetica", color="black"), # Bigger & Bold Y-ticks
        showline=True,
        linewidth=2,
        linecolor="black",
        mirror=True,
        showgrid=True,
                           # Enable light horizontal grid lines
        gridcolor="lightgray", # Light shade for the horizontal grid
        gridwidth=0.5
                           # Thin grid lines
    font=dict(family="Helvetica", size=12, color="black"),
   boxgap=0.7,
   plot_bgcolor="white",
   paper_bgcolor="white",
    showlegend=False,
   height=500,
    width=850
# Show & export
fig.show()
fig.write_html("output/Q1.html")
fig.write_image("output/Q1.svg", width=850, height=500, scale=1)
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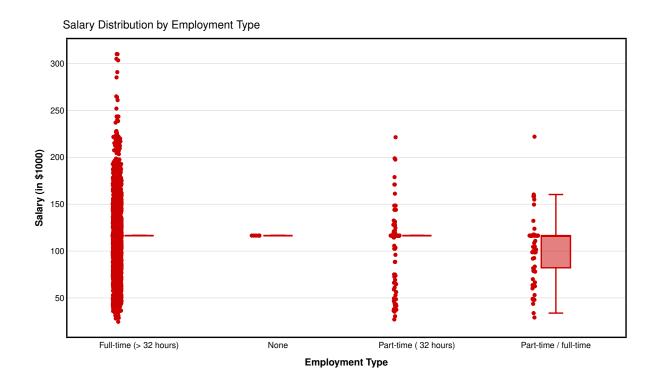
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Part-time (32 hours)	115024.0
Part-time / full-time	115024.0

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## 3 Salary Distribution by Industry and Employment Type

- Compare salary variations across industries.
- Filter the dataset
  - Remove records where **Salary is missing or zero**.
- Aggregate Data
  - Group by **NAICS industry codes**.
  - Group by **employment type** and compute salary-distribution.
- Visualize results

- Create a **box plot** where:
  - \* X-axis = NAICS2\_NAME.
  - \*  $\mathbf{Y}$ -axis = SALARY\_FROM.
  - \* Group by EMPLOYMENT\_TYPE\_NAME.
- Customize colors, fonts, and styles.
- Explanation: Write two sentences about what the graph reveals.

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## 4 Salary Analysis by ONET Occupation Type (Bubble Chart)

- Analyze how salaries differ across ONET occupation types.
- Aggregate Data
  - Compute median salary for each occupation in the **ONET taxonomy**.
- Visualize results
  - Create a **bubble chart** where:
    - \* **X-axis** = ONET NAME
    - \* **Y-axis** = Median Salary
    - \* Size = Number of job postings
  - Apply custom colors and font styles.
- Explanation: Write two sentences about what the graph reveals.

```
pdf = df.select("ONET_NAME", "SALARY", "ID").toPandas()

df_onet = pdf.groupby(["ONET_NAME"]).agg({"SALARY": "median", "ID": "count"}).reset_index()

fig = px.scatter(
    df_onet,
    x="ONET_NAME",
    y="SALARY",
    size="ID",
    title="Salary Analysis by ONET Occupation",
    color="ONET_NAME"
)

fig.update_layout(font_family="Arial", title_font_size=16)

fig.show()
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#### 5 Salary by Education Level

- Create two groups:
  - Bachelor's or lower (Bachelor's, GED, Associate, No Education Listed)
  - Master's or PhD (Master's degree, Ph.D. or professional degree)
- Plot scatter plots for each group using MAX\_YEARS\_EXPERIENCE (with jitter), Average\_Salary, LOT\_V6\_SPECIALIZED\_OCCUPATION\_NAME.
- Then, plot histograms overlaid with KDE curves for each group.
  - This would generate two scatter plots and two histograms.
- After each graph, add a short explanation of key insights.

## 6 Salary by Remote Work Type

- Split into three groups based on REMOTE\_TYPE\_NAME:
  - Remote
  - Hybrid
  - Onsite (includes [None] and blank)

- Plot scatter plots for each group using MAX\_YEARS\_EXPERIENCE (with jitter), Average\_Salary, LOT\_V6\_SPECIALIZED\_OCCUPATION\_NAME.
- Also, create salary histograms for all three groups.
- · After each graph, briefly describe any patterns or comparisons.

#### **Submission Instructions**

- Submit the Word Document (part of git repo) containing:
  - The **HTTPS URL** of your GitHub repository.
  - Answer to the questions.
  - Visualizations created using matplotlib, Seaborn or plotly (preferred).
  - Answers to the questions below.

```
# Step 1: Spark SQL - Median salary and job count per TITLE_NAME
salary_analysis = spark.sql("""
    SELECT
        LOT_OCCUPATION_NAME AS Occupation_name,
        PERCENTILE (SALARY, 0.5) AS Median_Salary,
        COUNT(*) AS Job_Postings
    FROM job_postings
    GROUP BY LOT_OCCUPATION_NAME
    ORDER BY Job Postings DESC
    LIMIT 10
""")
# Step 2: Convert to Pandas DataFrame
salary_pd = salary_analysis.toPandas()
salary_pd.head()
# Step 3: Bubble chart using Plotly
import plotly.express as px
fig = px.scatter(
    salary_pd,
    x="Occupation_name",
    y="Median_Salary",
    size="Job_Postings",
    title="Salary Analysis by LOT Occupation Type (Bubble Chart)",
```

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labels={
        "Occupation_name": "LOT Occupation",
        "Median_Salary": "Median Salary",
        "Job_Postings": "Number of Job Postings"
    },
    hover_name="Occupation_name",
    size_max=60,
    width=1000,
    height=600,
    color="Job_Postings",
    color_continuous_scale="Plasma"
# Step 4: Layout customization
fig.update_layout(
    font_family="Arial",
    font_size=14,
    title_font_size=25,
    xaxis_title="LOT Occupation",
    yaxis_title="Median Salary",
    plot_bgcolor="white",
    xaxis=dict(
        tickangle=-45,
        showline=True,
        linecolor="black"
    ),
    yaxis=dict(
        showline=True,
        linecolor="black"
    )
# Step 5: Show and export
fig.show()
fig.write_image("output/Q7.svg", width=1000, height=600, scale=1)
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# Defining education level groupings
lower_deg = ["Bachelor's", "Associate", "GED", "No Education Listed", "High school"]
higher_deg = ["Master's degree", "PhD or professional degree"]
# Adding EDU_GROUP column
df = df.withColumn(
    "EDU_GROUP",
    when(col("EDUCATION_LEVELS_NAME").rlike("|".join([f"(?i){deg}" for deg in lower_deg])),
    .when(col("EDUCATION_LEVELS_NAME").rlike("|".join([f"(?i){deg}" for deg in higher_deg]))
    .otherwise("Other")
# Casting necessary columns to float
df = df.withColumn("MAX_YEARS_EXPERIENCE", col("MAX_YEARS_EXPERIENCE").cast("float"))
df = df.withColumn("Average_Salary", col("Average_Salary").cast("float"))
# Filtering for non-null and positive values
df = df.filter(
    col("MAX_YEARS_EXPERIENCE").isNotNull() &
    col("Average_Salary").isNotNull() &
    (col("MAX_YEARS_EXPERIENCE") > 0) &
    (col("Average_Salary") > 0)
)
# Filtering for just the two education groups
df_filtered = df.filter(col("EDU_GROUP").isin("Bachelor's or lower", "Master's or PhD"))
# Converting to Pandas for plotting
df_pd = df_filtered.toPandas()
df_pd.head()
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