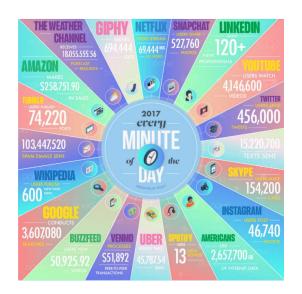
# All Things "Data": Data Science, Data Analytics, Big Data ...

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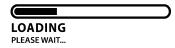
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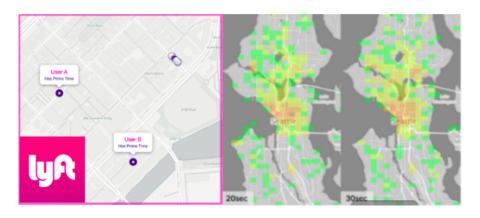




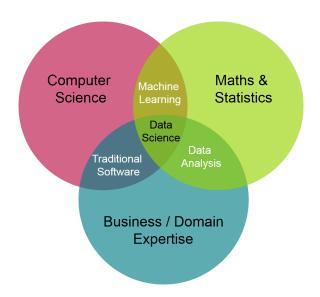
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# Tech Companies: Uber/Lyft.

- A/B testing.
- Statistical simulation.



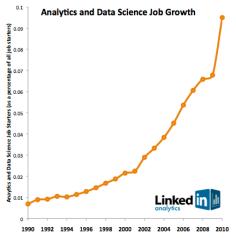
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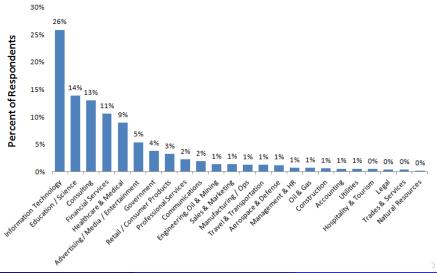
"So even if data science isn't a 'real field', it has REAL JOBS."

(R. Schutt, C. O'Neil, "Doing Data Science")



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# Data Scientists Work in Many Industries



# Big Three: Data Science, Big Data, Data Analytics.



# Big Three: What your salary will look like?

# #5. What your salary will look like



Professional \$123,000



Big Data Professional

\$88,000

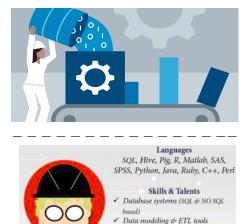


Professional

\$61,000

# Big Data Specialist, Data Engineer.

### Big Data Specialist, else called (Big) Data Engineer:



	Data Engineer
Programming	
Data Visualization & Communication	
Statistics	
Data Preparation	
Machine Learning	
Software & Databases	
Calculus & Linear Algebra	

✓ Data warehousing solutions

✓ Data APIs

### Data Analyst.

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Knowledge of mathematical statistics

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# Data Scientist: Skills/responsibilities.

### Data Scientist (on TOP of Data Analyst skills & duties):





#### The Ten Most Common **Data Science Skills in Job Postings**

Skill	Percentage of Job Listings
Python	72%
R	64%
SQL	51%
Hadoop	39%
Java	33%
SAS	30%
Spark	27%
Matlab	20%
Hive	17%
Tableau	14%

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Skills & Talents ✓ Distributed computing Predictive modeling

Story-telling and visualizing

Math, Stats, Machine Learning

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### If you do a project:

- Mess up. Mess up A LOT. Learn from it.
- Own up.
- Seek the truth (I mean, Google it).