

# generate\_\_dummy\_\_trackerlog

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## 0.1 DOCUMENTATION

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### PURPOSE

To create a dummy dataset of mock user “trackerlog” data for use in TRKR App product development. Program uses existing CSV file of Google Jobs API query results to create trackerlog entries. Program creates 50 dummy user ids, then randomly populates anywhere from 1 to 50 trackerlog entries for each user. While data points related to job posting remain static between entries, the following data points relating to the log entry are randomly generated and vary between entries: - is\_active status - end\_result status - date\_created - date\_updated

### DEPENDANCIES

A CSV file must already exist containing the Google Jobs API query results. This program iteration used a file called ‘job\_listing\_result\_log\_with\_links.csv’ containing 340 job listings.

### DEVELOPMENT NOTES

This program does not protect against repeated usage of the same random job\_id listing by the same user\_id. Additional validation must be added to the FOR loop to protect against this.

\*\*\* ##### IMPORTS

```
[103]: import datetime
import random
import pandas as pd
```

\*\*\* ##### FUNCTIONS

```
[94]: # returns datetime.date as 2021-05-30
def random_apply_date():
    start_date = datetime.date(2020, 6, 1)
    end_date = datetime.date(2021, 4, 1)

    time_between_dates = end_date - start_date
    days_between_dates = time_between_dates.days
    random_number_of_days = random.randrange(days_between_dates)
    random_date = start_date + datetime.timedelta(days=random_number_of_days)
    return(random_date)
```

```
[97]: # returns datetime.date as 2021-05-30
# produces a lapsed date from apply_date between 0 and 59 (0 represents never
      ↪ heard back)
def random_lapse_date(start_date):
    random_number_of_days = random.randrange(1,60)
    random_date = start_date + datetime.timedelta(days=random_number_of_days)
    return(random_date)
```

\*\*\* ##### VARIABLES

**Import CSV file with archived API query results**

```
[43]: jobs_df = pd.read_csv('job_listing_result_log_with_links.csv', index_col=False)
```

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[44]: jobs_df.info()
```

```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 340 entries, 0 to 339
Data columns (total 9 columns):
#   Column                Non-Null Count  Dtype
---  -
0   title                  340 non-null    object
1   company_name           340 non-null    object
2   location               340 non-null    object
3   via                    340 non-null    object
4   description             340 non-null    object
5   extensions              340 non-null    object
6   detected_extensions     340 non-null    object
7   job_id                 340 non-null    object
8   app_url                340 non-null    object
dtypes: object(9)
memory usage: 24.0+ KB
```

**Dummy user id values**

```
[98]: user_id_vals = range(1,51)
```

**Dummy job id values from row count of imported CSV file**

```
[98]: sample_jobs_id_vals = range(jobs_df.shape[0])
```

**Dummy is\_active values**

```
[98]: is_active_vals = [0,1]
```

**Dummy range from 1 to 50 used to randomly determine number of log entries to be generated for each user**

```
[98]: num_of_apps_vals = range(1,51)
```

\*\*\* ##### MAIN

## Populate empty tracker\_log dictionary using FOR loop

```
[99]: tracker_log = {}
index = 0
for user in user_id_vals:
    for x in range(random.choice(num_of_apps_vals)):
        rand_j = random.choice(sample_jobs_id_vals)
        rand_i = random.choice(is_active_vals)
        if rand_i == 0:      #app is inactive and some resolution was reached
            date_create = random_apply_date()
            tracker_entry = {
                'user_id': user,
                'job_id': jobs_df.loc[rand_j]['job_id'],
                'company': jobs_df.loc[rand_j]['company_name'],
                'position': jobs_df.loc[rand_j]['title'],
                'location': jobs_df.loc[rand_j]['location'],
                'application_url': jobs_df.loc[rand_j]['app_url'],
                'is_active': rand_i,
                'end_result': random.choice([1,2,3]),    # 1 is a
                →yes, 2 is a no, 3 is a maybe
                'date_created': str(date_create),    #application
                →creation date
                'date_updated': str(random_lapse_date(date_create))
            }
        else: #app is still active or pending result (is_active status is 1)
            tracker_entry = {
                'user_id': user,
                'job_id': jobs_df.loc[rand_j]['job_id'],
                'company': jobs_df.loc[rand_j]['company_name'],
                'position': jobs_df.loc[rand_j]['title'],
                'location': jobs_df.loc[rand_j]['location'],
                'application_url': jobs_df.loc[rand_j]['app_url'],
                'is_active': rand_i,
                'end_result': 0,
                'date_created': str(random_apply_date()),    →#application creation date
                'date_updated': ""
            }
            tracker_log[index] = tracker_entry
            index += 1
```

## Convert tracker\_log dictionary to dataframe

```
[100]: final_df = pd.DataFrame.from_dict(tracker_log, orient='index')
```

## Preview dataframe

```
[101]: final_df
```

[101]:

	user_id	job_id \
0	1	eyJqb2JfdG10bGUiOiJTZW5pb3IgVVggRGVzaWduZXIsIE...
1	1	eyJqb2JfdG10bGUiOiJVWCBEZXNpZ251ciIsImNvbXBhbn...
2	1	eyJqb2JfdG10bGUiOiJVc2VyIEV4cGVyaWVuY2UgRGVzaW...
3	1	eyJqb2JfdG10bGUiOiJTZW5pb3IgVVggRGVzaWduZXIsIE...
4	1	eyJqb2JfdG10bGUiOiJVWCBEZXNpZ251ciAtIFJJQSBDdX...
...	...	...
1289	50	eyJqb2JfdG10bGUiOiJVWCBEZXNpZ251ciIsImNvbXBhbn...
1290	50	eyJqb2JfdG10bGUiOiJVWC9VSSBEZXNpZ251ciAtIE5ZQy...
1291	50	eyJqb2JfdG10bGUiOiJVWCBEZXNpZ251ciAtIElJIiwiY2...
1292	50	eyJqb2JfdG10bGUiOiIzRCBVSSAvIFVYIERlc2lnbmVyIi...
1293	50	eyJqb2JfdG10bGUiOiJKci4gVXNlciBFc2l1bmNlIC...

  

	company	position \
0	SiriusXM	Senior UX Designer, Automotive Programs
1	Onward Search	UX Designer
2	Finn Partners	User Experience Designer, Marketing Technology
3	Michael Page	Senior UX Designer - Brooklyn, NY
4	Goldman Sachs	UX Designer - RIA Custody Team - Global Markets
...	...	...
1289	Altice USA	UX Designer
1290	EY	UX/UI Designer - NYC Design Studio
1291	Eteam	UX Designer - II
1292	Spatial	3D UI / UX Designer
1293	Collabera	Jr. User Experience (UX) Designer

  

	location \
0	New York, NY
1	New York, NY (+1 other)
2	New York, NY
3	Brooklyn, NY
4	New York, NY (+1 other)
...	...
1289	New York, NY
1290	New York, NY
1291	New York, NY
1292	New York, NY
1293	New York, NY

  

	application_url	is_active \
0	https://www.ziprecruiter.com/c/SiriusXM/Job/Se...	0
1	https://www.hispanicjobexchange.com/jobs/ux-de...	0
2	https://www.linkup.com/details/9e5b89dbf0956a3...	0
3	https://jobs.lubeninja.com/jobs/senior-ux-desi...	0
4	https://uscareers-goldmansachs.icims.com/jobs/...	0
...	...	...
1289	https://b-jobz.com/us/web/jobposting/01701ece0...	0

1290	https://www.glassdoor.com/job-listing/ux-ui-de...	0
1291	https://www.jobilize.com/amp/job/ux-designer-i...	1
1292	https://lensa.com/3d-ui--ux-designer-jobs/new-...	1
1293	https://www.ziprecruiter.com/c/Collabera/Job/J...	0

	end_result	date_created	date_updated
0	2	2021-03-16	2021-03-27
1	3	2020-11-18	2020-12-25
2	1	2020-08-07	2020-09-24
3	3	2020-08-14	2020-08-30
4	1	2020-11-13	2020-11-27
...	...	...	...
1289	2	2020-10-13	2020-10-18
1290	1	2021-03-29	2021-04-04
1291	0	2020-12-22	
1292	0	2020-06-05	
1293	1	2020-09-30	2020-10-13

[1294 rows x 10 columns]

Save tracker\_log dataframe dummy data to CSV file

```
[102]: final_df.to_csv('dummy_data_tracker_log.csv', index=False)
```