



**DATA
ANALYST**

VS



**DATA
SCIENTIST**

**Qualification, Responsibilities, Salary
and Skills/tools used**



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Role Description



Data Analyst

Data Analyst is the person who understands what happened in the past and why it happened.



Data Scientist

Data Scientist is the person who predicts what will happen in the future and what action can be taken.



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Qualifications



Data Analyst

Bachelors degree is needed



Data Scientist

Masters or higher is preferred



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Responsibilities



Data Analyst

- (1) Understanding Business Requirements
- (2) Gathering and Cleaning Data
- (3) Processing data
- (4) Creating reports for business leaders
- (5) Collaborating with people



Responsibilities



Data Scientist

- (1) Use current data to discover future opportunities
- (2) Obtain and clean Data
- (3) Exploratory Analysis (understanding characteristics before deciding how to model it)
- (4) Apply data science techniques, such as machine learning, statistical modeling, and artificial intelligence
- (5) Present findings



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Salary Expectations



Data Analyst

Entry Level: 2 Lac to 10+ Lac, Average is 4-5 lacs per annum



Data Scientist

Very rare to get entry level jobs in data science, companies usually prefer at least 1-2 years of experience. Salary for 2-3 years can range from 4 lacs and go up to 20 lacs + per annum



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Tools & Skills



Data Analyst

Excel, PowerBI/ Tableau, SQL, Python/R,
Statistics



Data Scientist

SQL, Python/R, NLP, Statistics, Apache Spark,
SAS/SPSS, Jupyter Notebooks, TensorFlow,
Pytorch,Keras