An Evaluation of Current Technology Usage, Demographic Patterns, and Emerging Trends

Part 1

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Introduction

In this presentation, we'll provide a comprehensive look at the current state of technology adoption, future trends, and key demographic insights within the programming industry. We'll highlight the most popular programming languages, databases, and platforms in use today, and explore the emerging technologies that professionals are excited to learn and embrace.

- Current Technology
  - The current technology landscape features a variety of popular tools and platforms across different categories. In terms of programming languages, the top contenders are JavaScript, HTML/CSS, and SQL, along with several other languages. For databases, PostgreSQL, Microsoft SQL, and MySQL lead the pack, with more databases also gaining traction. When it comes to cloud platforms, AWS and Microsoft Azure dominate, with both sharing the top spot in popularity. Finally, in the realm of web frameworks, Spring Boot, React, and ASP.NET Core are the most highly rated options for developers. These technologies highlight the trends shaping the development landscape today

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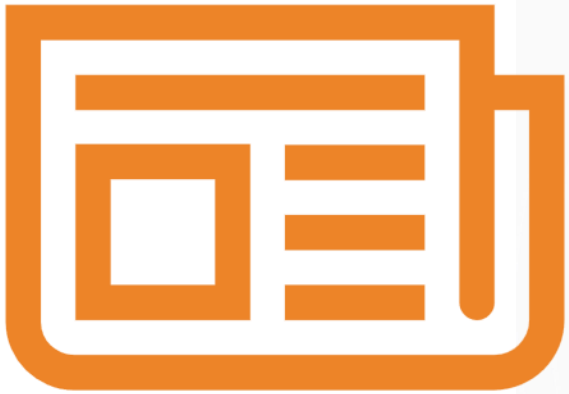
  - For future technology, the top programming languages to work with are expected to be C#, HTML/CSS, and JavaScript, among others. In the database space, PostgreSQL, Microsoft SQL Server, and a combination of PostgreSQL and SQLite are anticipated to be the most prominent. For cloud platforms, Amazon Web Services (AWS) and Microsoft Azure will continue to lead, with AWS maintaining a strong position. In web development, Spring Boot, React, and ASP.NET are projected to be the top frameworks to work with, along with other emerging tools. These technologies are shaping the direction of the industry in the years to come.

INTRODUCTION

- Current Technology:
  - This report provides an in-depth examination of technology trends among developers, focusing on the leading programming languages, databases, platforms, and web frameworks. By analyzing data from a diverse group of respondents, I've identified the key technologies driving the programming industry forward.
- Future Technology
  - This report provides insights about future trends on what programming languages, databases, and web frames, and platforms developers desire to use. I have highlighted the most sought-after technologies that developers aspire to learn and incorporate into their workflows, offering a glimpse into the future direction of the tech industry.
- Demographics
  - This report presents a comprehensive demographic analysis of the tech industry, covering gender distribution, worldwide respondent counts, and age breakdowns from the survey. By examining these demographics, we gain valuable insights into the diversity and unique attributes of the individuals driving technological progress globally.

METHODOLOGY



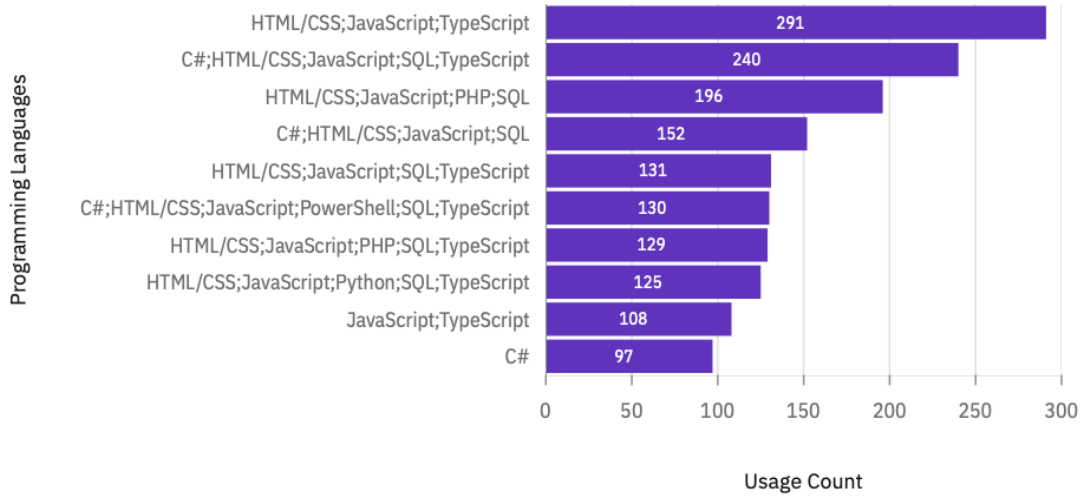
- Current Technology
  - The analysis focuses on the top 10 programming languages, top 10 commonly used databases, top 10 popular platforms, and top 10 utilized web frameworks.
- Future Technology
  - The analysis aimed to forecast future technology trends by identifying the most sought-after programming languages, databases, and platforms anticipated for the upcoming year.
- Demographics
  - The analysis explored the demographic composition of the surveyed population by assessing gender distribution, age groups, and respondent counts across different countries.

PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE TRENDS

Current Year

Current Technology Use

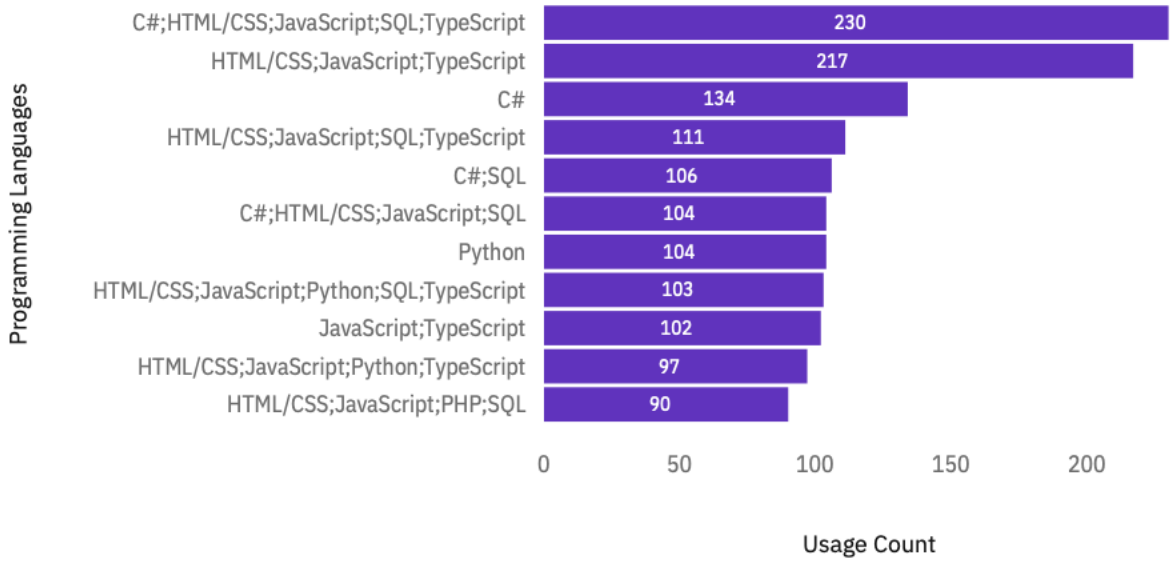
Top 10 Programming Languages Used



Next Year

Future Technology Trend

Top 10 Languages Wanted to Work With



PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE TRENDS - FINDINGS & IMPLICATIONS

Findings

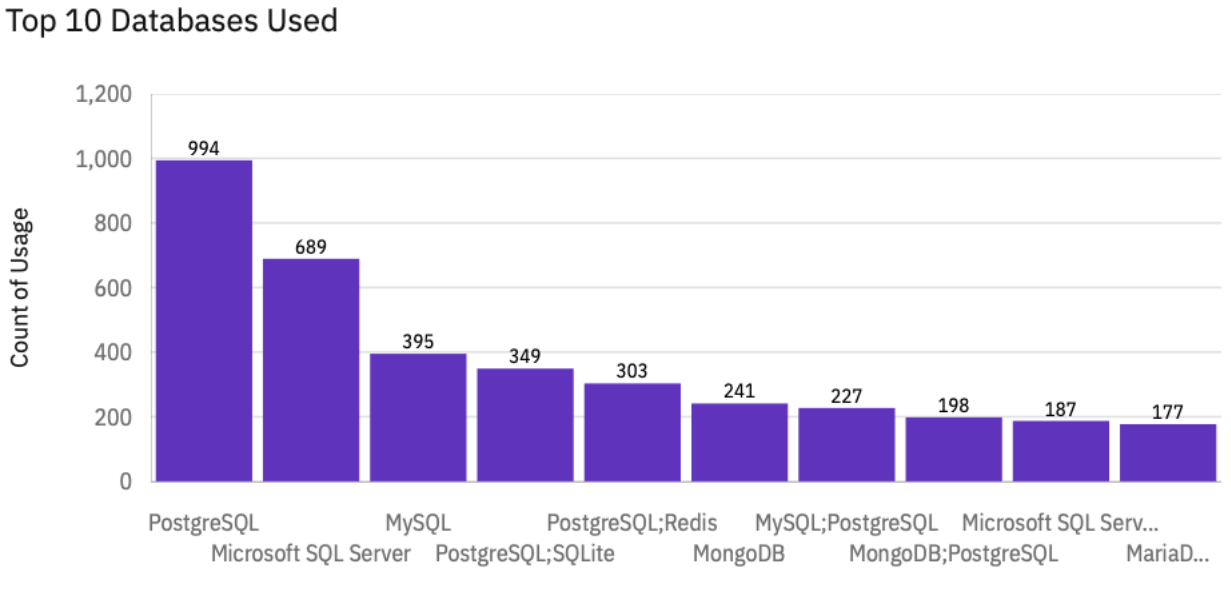
- C# and Python are experiencing increased popularity and are expected to become even more prevalent next year.
- SQL is anticipated to see a decline in popularity.
- HTML and JavaScript will continue to maintain their strong presence.

Implications

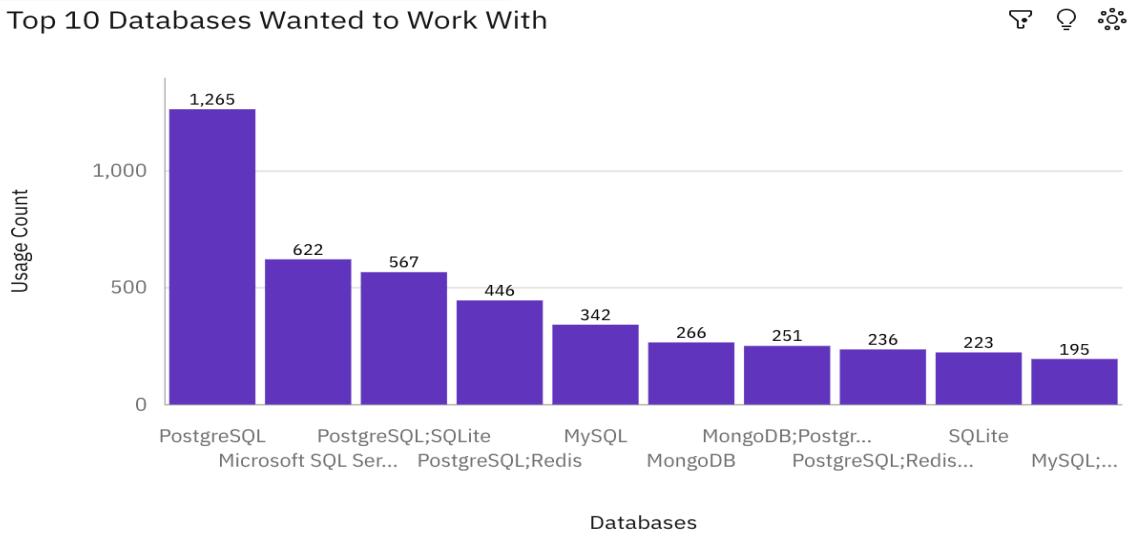
- C# and Python are gaining popularity and are expected to become more widely used next year, developers should consider prioritizing these languages in their learning and career development. Mastery of these languages will enhance job opportunities.
- As SQL is projected to decline in popularity, businesses currently relying heavily on SQL should assess whether they need to adopt or transition to newer technologies. It might be worth exploring other databases or technologies that align with future trends.
- Since HTML and JavaScript are expected to remain popular, web development teams should continue to prioritize these technologies in their stack.

DATABASE TRENDS

Current Year



Next Year



DATABASE TRENDS - FINDINGS & IMPLICATIONS

Findings

- PostgreSQL is the most widely used database this year and is expected to remain the most preferred choice next year.
- MySQL is currently popular, but it is projected to decline.
- There is no expected growth for MongoDB, with MongoDB: PostgreSQL maintaining its position.

Implications

- Businesses should prioritize investing in PostgreSQL infrastructure, training, and talent. Developers should focus on mastering PostgreSQL to remain competitive in the job market and ensure their projects use a widely adopted and future-proof database solution.
- The implication is that while MySQL is widely used now, its decreasing popularity suggests that users and organizations might shift towards other database technologies. This could impact the demand for MySQL skills, and professionals may need to adapt by learning alternative technologies that are gaining traction, such as PostgreSQL, NoSQL databases, or cloud-native solutions. It may also influence the development and support of MySQL in the long term.
- Since there is no forecasted growth for MongoDB, businesses currently using MongoDB should assess whether their database needs might evolve in the future. It could be prudent to explore other options if they anticipate a shift toward databases with more growth potential, like PostgreSQL or Microsoft SQL.

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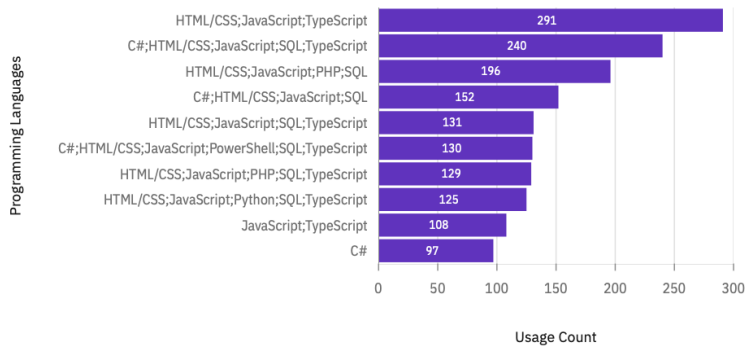
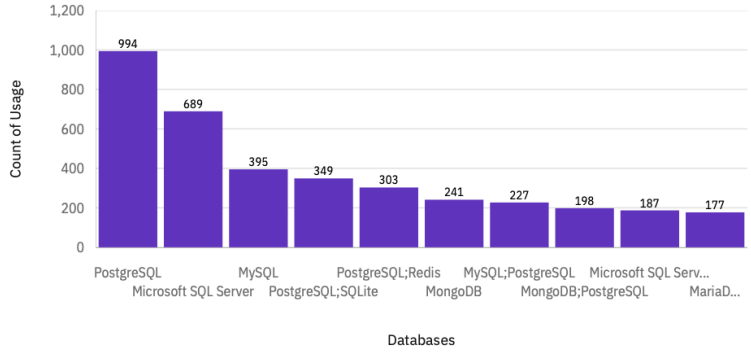
Current Technology Use

Top 10 Programming Languages Used



Top 10 Databases Used



10 Highest Rated Platforms Used

Top 10 Highest Rated Web Frames Used

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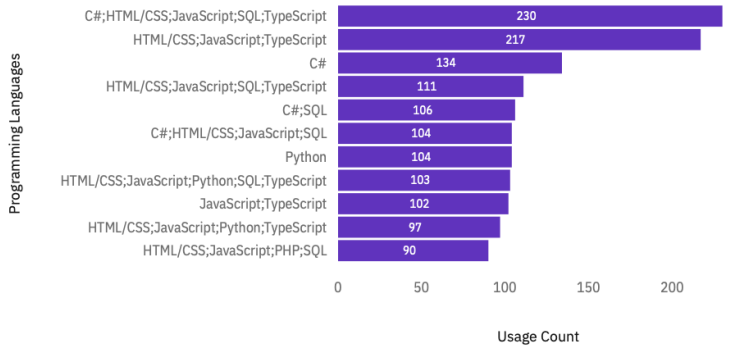
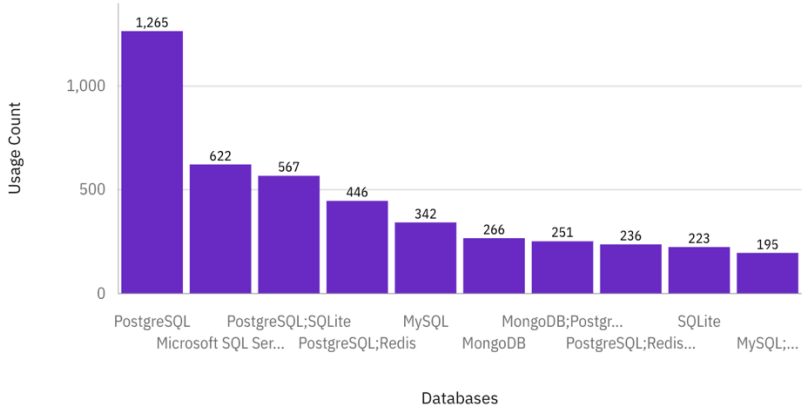
Future Technology Trend

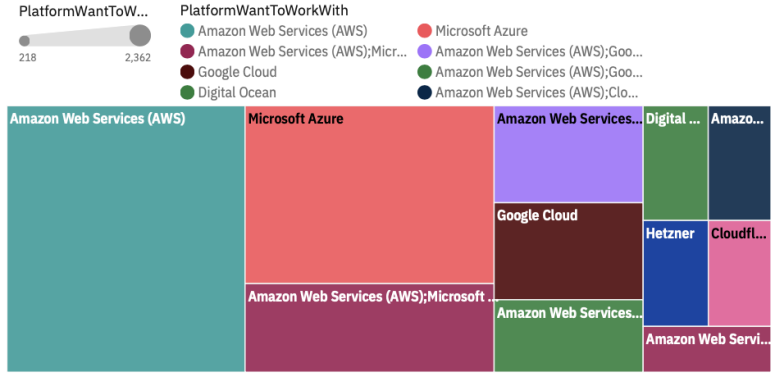
Top 10 Languages Wanted to Work With



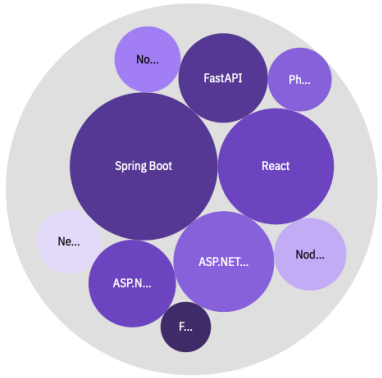
Top 10 Databases Wanted to Work With



Top 10 Platforms Wanted to Work With



Top 10 Web Frames to Work With



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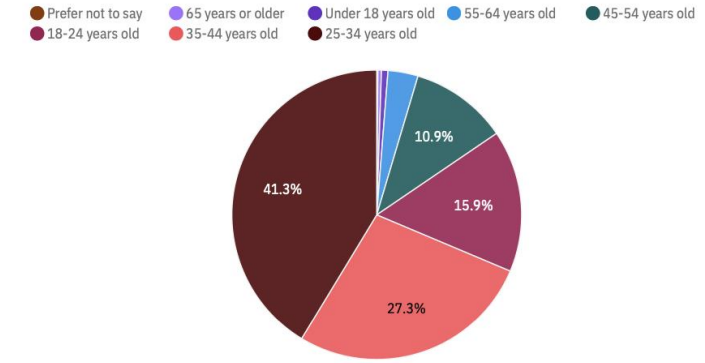
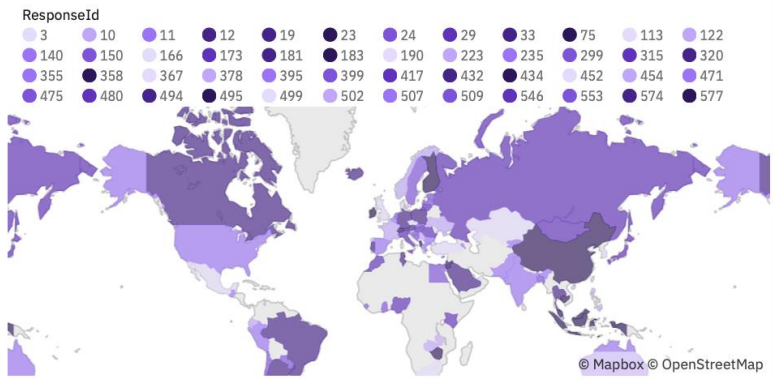
Demographics

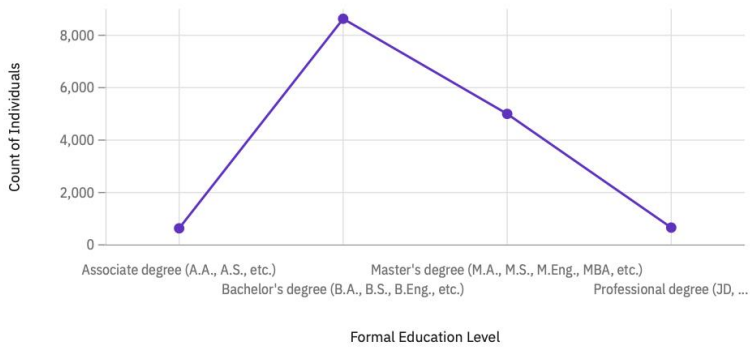
Respondents by Age



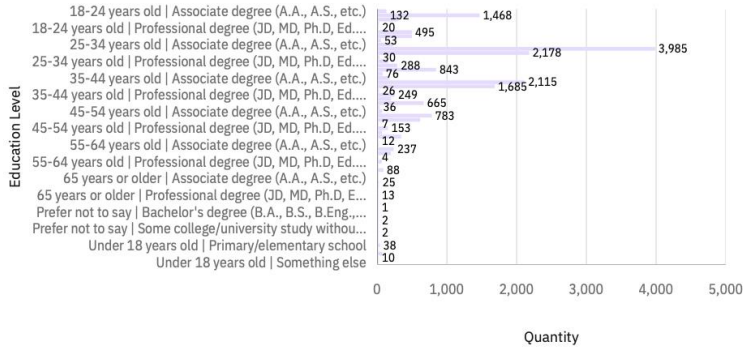
Respondents By Country



Respondents with a Formal Education



Respondents by Education Level



DISCUSSION

- JavaScript continues to dominate as a leading programming language, with HTML/CSS maintaining a strong presence. Meanwhile, C# and Python are increasingly becoming popular choices among developers.
- PostgreSQL and Microsoft SQL Server remain the cornerstone of traditional databases and are highly sought after by professionals for their reliability and robust features. These databases continue to dominate as top choices for companies and developers due to their scalability, support for complex queries, and strong community backing.

OVERALL FINDINGS & IMPLICATIONS

Findings

- PostgreSQL has emerged as the most widely used and preferred database, with its popularity expected to grow further in the coming year. Its robust feature set, flexibility, and strong community support likely drive this trend.
- C# and Python are experiencing a surge in popularity and are anticipated to play an even more significant role in software development next year. These languages are becoming the preferred choices for various applications due to their versatility and widespread use in data science, web development, and enterprise applications.
- HTML and JavaScript will continue to hold their strong positions as essential components of web development.

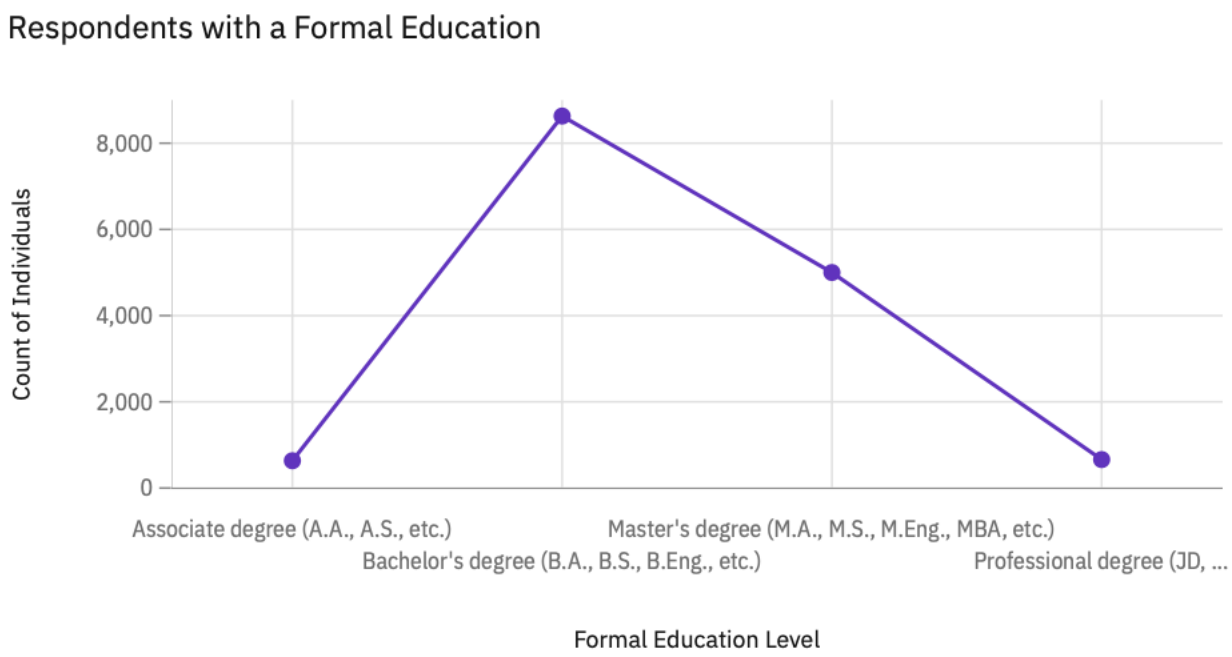
Implications

- Organizations should consider adopting or investing more in PostgreSQL as it solidifies its position as the go-to database for a variety of use cases, including cloud applications, analytics, and enterprise systems.
- Companies relying on MySQL should evaluate whether it meets their evolving needs or consider transitioning to PostgreSQL or other alternatives that better align with modern requirements.
- The continued dominance of HTML and JavaScript reaffirms the importance of web development skills. Companies should keep investing in these technologies to ensure their online platforms remain competitive and up-to-date.

CONCLUSION

- **PostgreSQL's Growing Popularity**: PostgreSQL has become the most widely used and favored database, with its adoption expected to increase further due to its scalability, flexibility, and robust features.
- **Declining Preference for MySQL**: While MySQL remains in use, its popularity is expected to decrease as organizations shift toward more advanced and adaptable database solutions like PostgreSQL.
- **Rising Demand for C# and Python**: The use of C# and Python is on the rise, driven by their versatility and relevance across industries such as data science, web development, and enterprise applications.
- **Consistency in Web Development Tools**: HTML and JavaScript continue to hold their strong positions, emphasizing their enduring importance in modern web development.

APPENDIX


Respondents with a Formal Education
Count of Individuals
8,000
6,000
4,000
2,000
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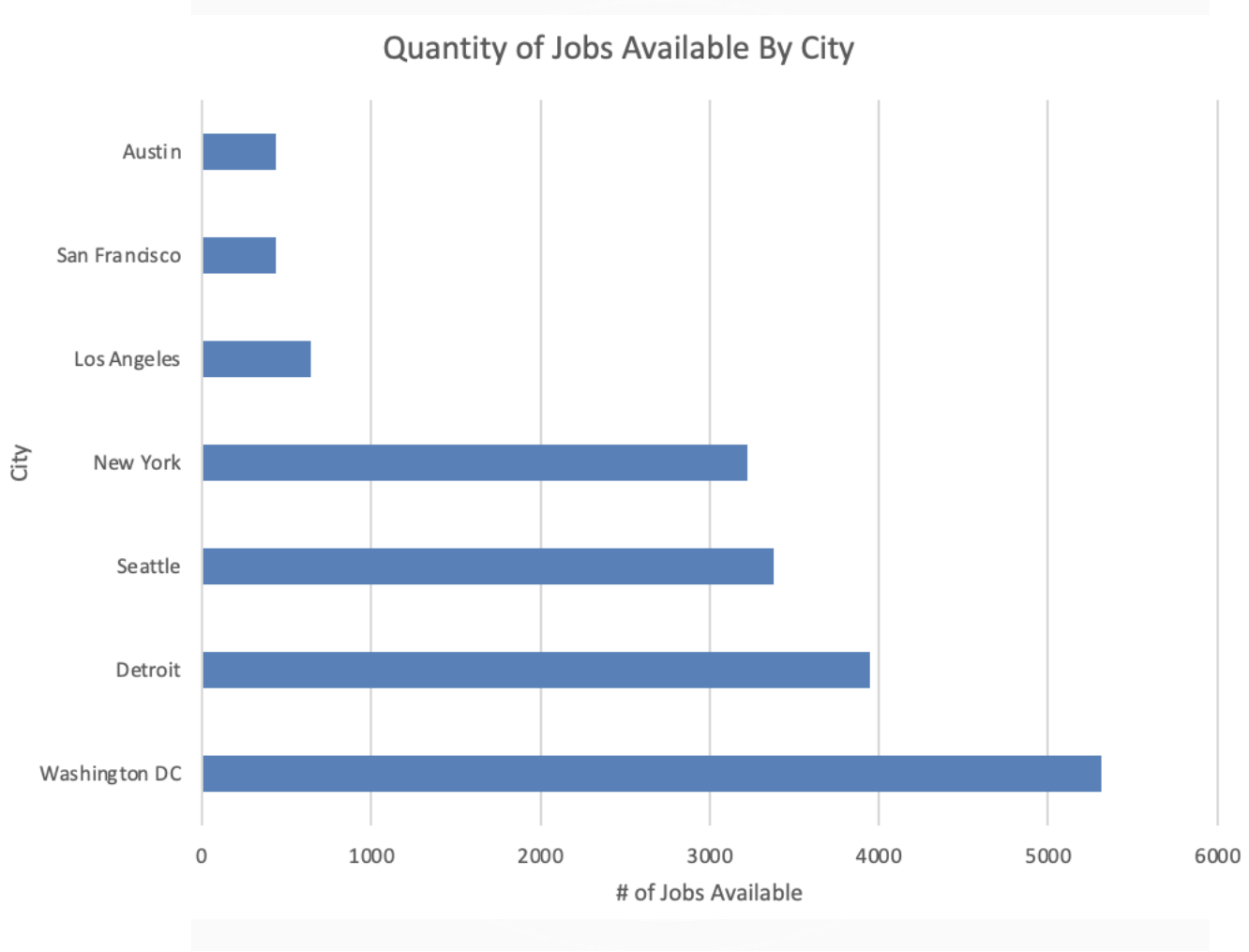
Associate degree (A.A., A.S., etc.)
Bachelor's degree (B.A., B.S., B.Eng., etc.)
Master's degree (M.A., M.S., M.Eng., MBA, etc.)
Professional degree (JD, ...
Formal Education Level

JOB POSTINGS



POPULAR LANGUAGES