

World ranking of programming languages

The TIOBE world ranking of programming languages reflects, to a certain extent, the current popular trend of programming languages. This ranking is updated once a month, and the ranking data is taken from experienced Internet programmers, commercial applications, keyword rankings of well-known search engines (such as [Google](#), MSN, Yahoo) and Alexa rankings. This month's results have been released, and Python has risen significantly.

Position Aug 2008	Position Aug 2007	Delta in Position	Programming Language	Ratings Aug 2008	Delta Aug 2007	Status
1	1	=	Java	21.571%	-0.20%	A
2	2	=	C	16.178%	+0.48%	A
3	3	=	(Visual) Basic	10.857%	+0.21%	A
4	4	=	C++	10.057%	-0.05%	A
5	5	=	PHP	9.349%	-0.35%	A
6	8	↑↑	Python	4.975%	+2.23%	A
7	6	↓	Perl	4.694%	-0.63%	A
8	7	↓	C#	3.697%	-0.29%	A
9	10	↑	Ruby	2.920%	+1.01%	A
10	9	↓	JavaScript	2.892%	+0.32%	A
11	14	↑↑↑	Delphi	2.732%	+1.51%	A
12	13	↑	D	1.357%	+0.11%	A
13	11	↓↓	PL/SQL	0.679%	-1.15%	A-
14	12	↓↓	SAS	0.549%	-0.84%	B
15	-	↑↑↑↑↑↑↑↑	PowerShell	0.440%	+0.44%	B
16	24	↑↑↑↑↑↑↑	Pascal	0.416%	+0.00%	B
17	18	↑	Lisp/Scheme	0.379%	-0.21%	B
18	15	↓↓↓	Lua	0.373%	-0.27%	B
19	16	↓↓↓	COBOL	0.358%	-0.24%	B
20	23	↑↑↑	ActionScript	0.355%	-0.07%	B

Python can rightly be called one of the most popular programming languages. Many projects have been created in it and countless articles, videos and books are devoted to it.

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TAGES IT development team has prepared a selection of literature that is worth checking out for those who are just starting to learn Python and for those who want to deepen their knowledge of it.