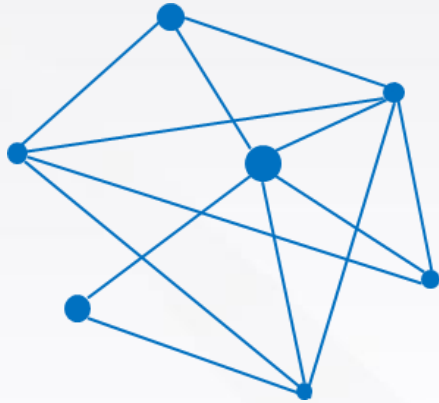


Compare the neighborhoods of New York and Toronto



Based on k-means method



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Background:

New York City and Toronto are very diverse and are the financial capitals of their respective countries.

Suppose you work in Toronto and you're happy with the neighborhood you live in, but you've got a job offer in New York, and you hope to find a neighborhood in New York with a high degree of similarity, and the results of this project will provide that possibility.

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Data Description:

All the data could be found on the Internet. The details as below:

1. obtain the data of Borough and Neighborhood in Toronto via `'https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_postal_codes_of_Canada:_M'`
2. obtain the data of Latitude and Longitude in Toronto via geojson file.
3. obtain the data of Borough, Neighborhood Latitude and Longitude in New York via geojson file.
4. obtain the data of venues via Foursquare location data

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I used BeautifulSoup library to get the neighborhoods in Toronto

Import Data of Toronto

Creat dataframe and obtain the table from website

```
url = 'https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_postal_codes_of_Canada:_M'
res = requests.get(url)
soup = BeautifulSoup(res.text, 'lxml')
tables = soup.select('table')[0]
df_1 = pd.read_html(tables.prettify(), header = 0)[0]
df_1.to_csv('Neighborhoodtable_Toronto.csv')
```

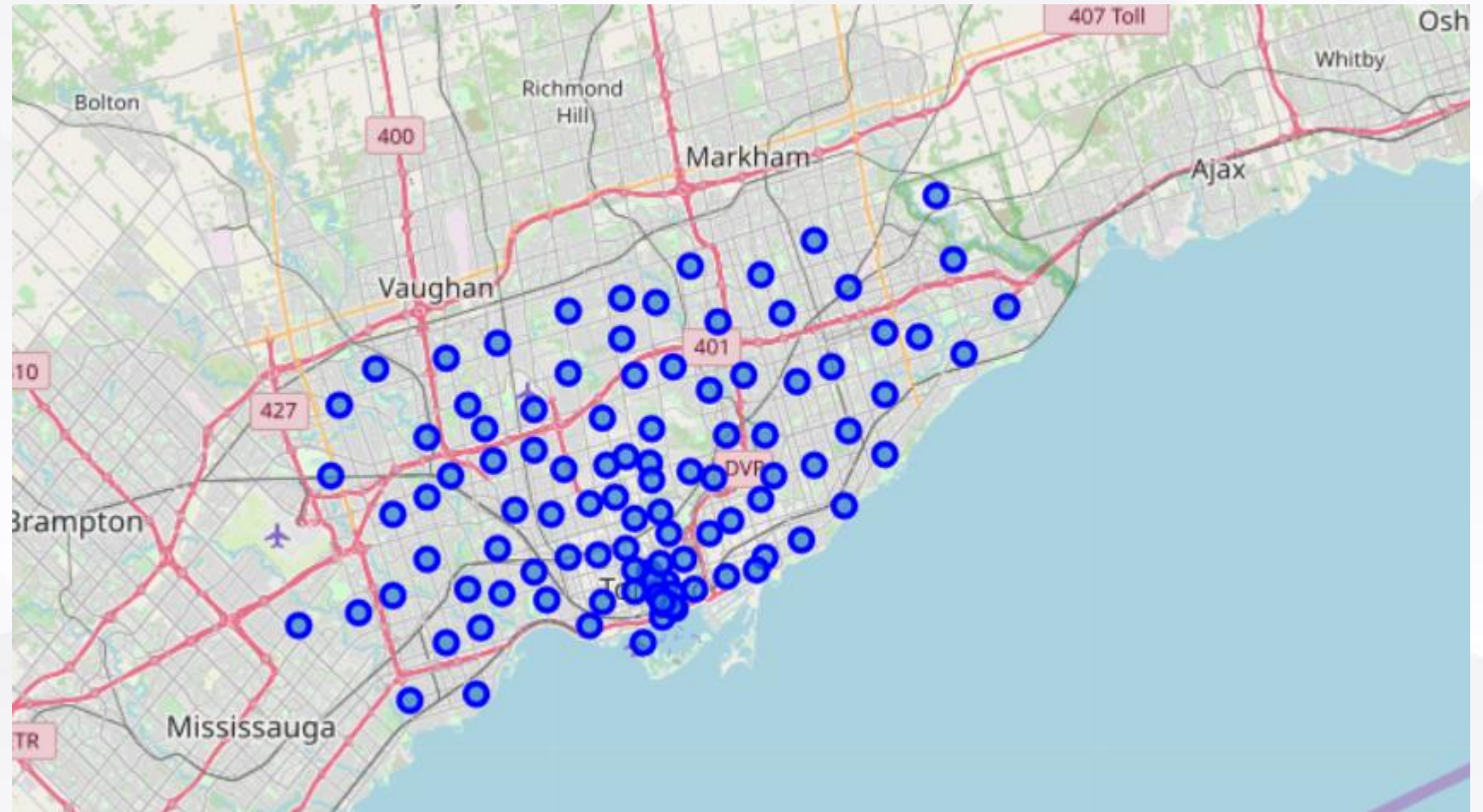
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df_1.head()
```

	Postal code	Borough	Neighborhood
0	M1A	Not assigned	NaN
1	M2A	Not assigned	NaN
2	M3A	North York	Parkwoods
3	M4A	North York	Victoria Village
4	M5A	Downtown Toronto	Regent Park / Harbourfront

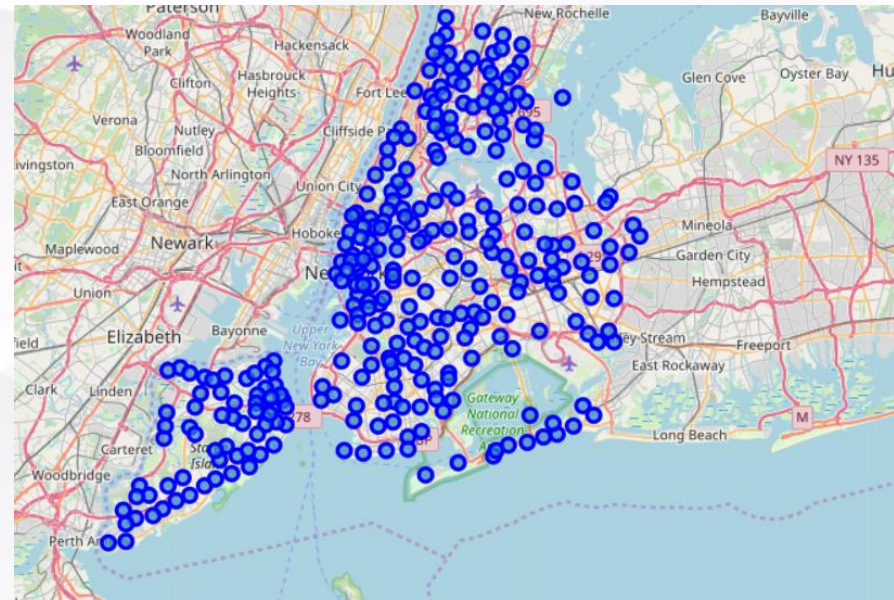
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Visualization with Folium library



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Merge the data with Latitude and Longitude

	Borough	Neighborhood	Latitude	Longitude
0	North York	Parkwoods	43.753259	-79.329656
1	North York	Victoria Village	43.725882	-79.315572
2	Downtown Toronto	Regent Park , Harbourfront	43.654260	-79.360636
3	North York	Lawrence Manor , Lawrence Heights	43.718518	-79.464763
4	Downtown Toronto	Queen's Park , Ontario Provincial Government	43.662301	-79.389494

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newyork_neighborhoods.head()
```

	Borough	Neighborhood	Latitude	Longitude
0	Bronx	Wakefield	40.894705	-73.847201
1	Bronx	Co-op City	40.874294	-73.829939
2	Bronx	Eastchester	40.887556	-73.827806
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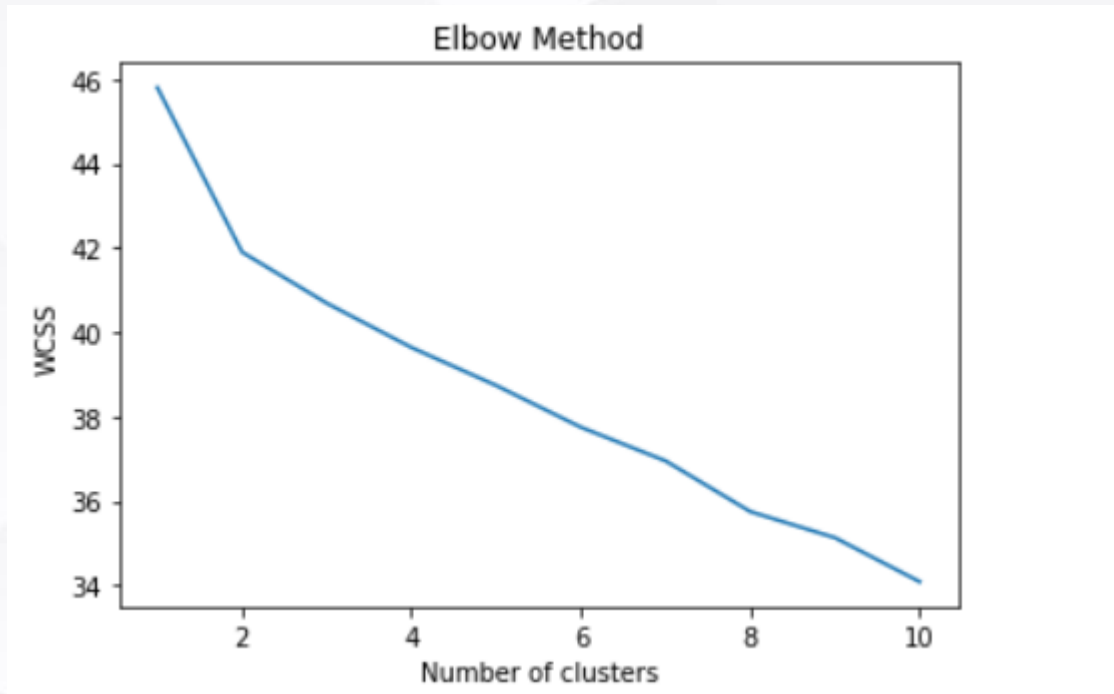
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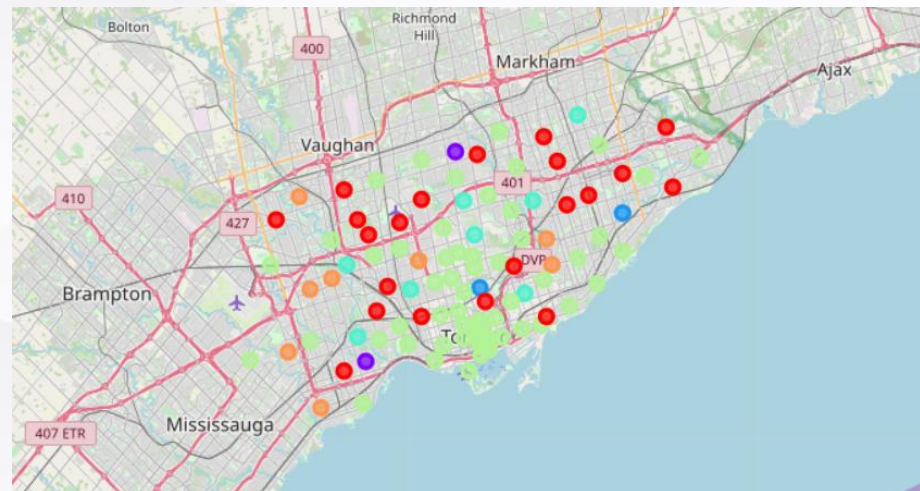
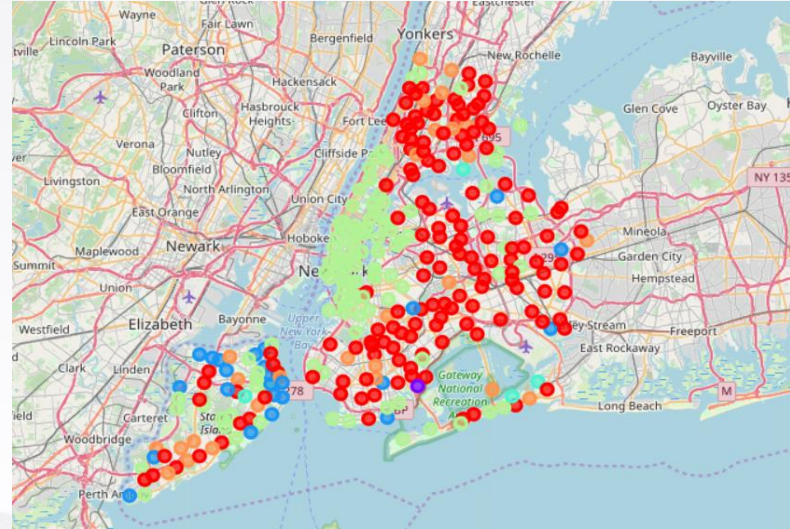
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Thanks