# Relocating to Cape Town, South Africa

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# Introduction & Purpose

### Introduction:

Currently I'm living in Margate, South Africa, situated on the south-eastern coastline of KwaZulu Natal.

I have accepted a new work opportunity and would have to relocate to Cape Town, South Africa, situated on the southern coastline of West Cape.

### Purpose:

Finding a neighbourhood within Cape Town that offer similar or better characteristics to my current environment in Margate.

### Target Audience:

This study is for my personal use, but the analysis is generic and could be useful to a broader audience.

## Data

The following data sources are used for creating datasets for analysis:

- ► A list of South African postal codes with:
  - ▶ Place Name, Latitude and Longitude from AggData https://www.agadata.com/free/south-africa-postal-codes
  - https://www.geonames.org/
  - Municipal boundaries information from the Municipal Demarcation Board <a href="http://www.demarcation.org.za/site/">http://www.demarcation.org.za/site/</a>
  - ▶ their borders in GeoJSON format from <a href="http://mapit.code4sa.org/">http://mapit.code4sa.org/</a>
  - population, population density, area <a href="http://www.citypopulation.de/">http://www.citypopulation.de/</a>
- Foursquare API
  - ► For location specific amenities intelligence