A new cafeteria in Mexico City

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Introduction

- Mexico City is a one of the most representative cities in this country, where food, arquitecture and design are all in one place.
- ▶ Population of 8.855 million in 2015 and an area of 1,485 kilometers squared is one of the densest cities in the world.



Objective

- Find the best location to open a new cafeteria in Mexico City
- ▶ We will use the Foursquare Api





The Data

► Focus on the municipalities of Benito Juarez, Coyoacán, Cuauhtémoc, Miguel Hidalgo

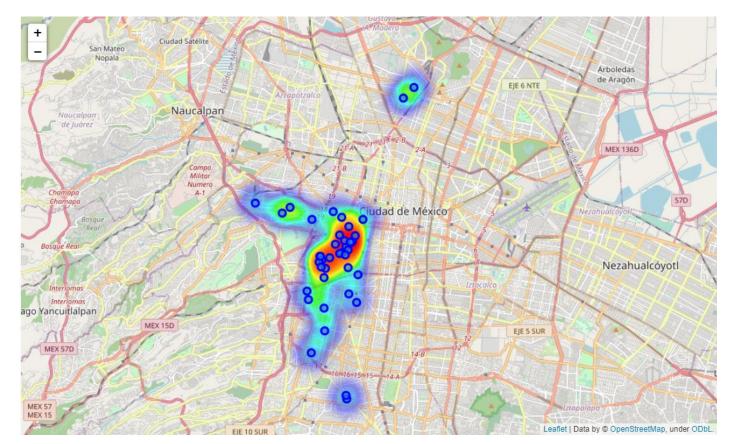
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| 56d76bac498ecdce6449901f | Tierra Garat | Coffee Shop | Álvaro Obregón 86 | 06700 | 19.418890 | -99.161417 |
| 57f56557498ef66f03d1da46 | MARI'S PASTRY shop & taller | Coffee Shop | Álvaro Obregón 86 | 03020 | 19.394866 | -99.159646 |

Methodology

- Once we find and clean the data (usually this is the hardest part in a data science project) we proceed to do an analysis of the information. Given the nature of the problem we would no use any ML algorithm.
- In this project we need to identify the densest neighborhoods in terms of cafeterias because these ones will be highly competitive. We are looking for places in highly transit streets.
- For this we plot a heat map of Mexico City with the cafeterias. The code for this methodology can be found in Github1.

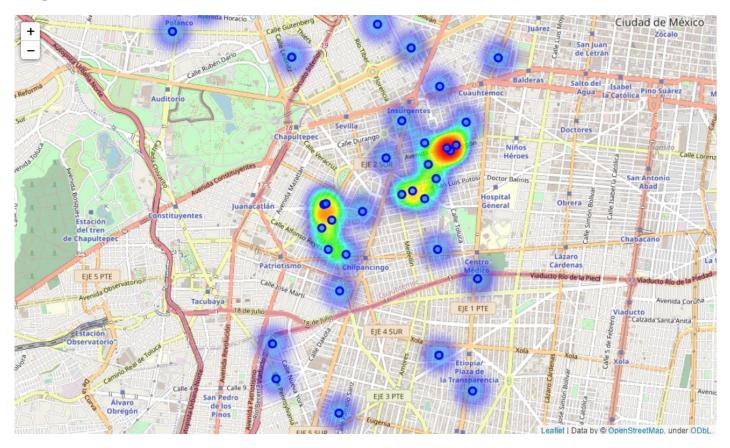
Results

▶ Heat map of cafeterias in Mexico City



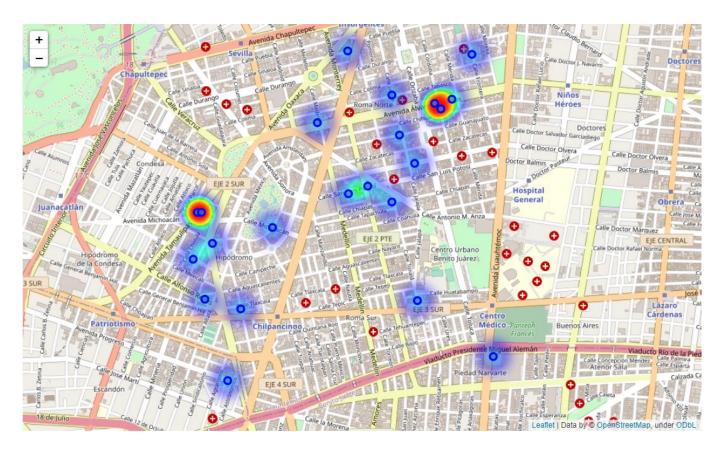
Results

Zooming in the red zone we have



Results

▶ Zooming in again.



Conclusions

- We can see that there are a lot cafeterias in the neighborhood of Roma Norte but we can see that there are some sections of that are practically empty.
- ► There is an especially interesting zone between the streets of Tepic and Tapachula and this zone has 2 hospitals near.
- ▶ Hospitals are highly transited places and people and doctors need to stay awake for several hours and coffee is the famous drink to do so. This is why we choose the next location to open the new cafeteria.

Our New Cafe

▶ Located around Tlaxcala 92, Roma Sur

