## **EXPLORE YOUR NEW TOWN**

### *INTRODUCTION*

I am a prospective Masters Student at the University of South Florida, Tampa.

I am taking up this capstone project to cater needs of International students, since I am one from India. This project will help us to get to know in and out of the neighbourhood of a city where we would be living in future i.e. before arrival on campus. So, that one can be psychologically prepared before actually being there for real and its also a good thing to know a place before you have actually been there. Not only International students even other fellow countrymen from a different location can be benefitted by this project.

Since, I am going to be on USF, Tampa campus this project deals with the neighbourhood of Tampa.

### DATA ANALYSIS

There are actually two data sets used in this project:

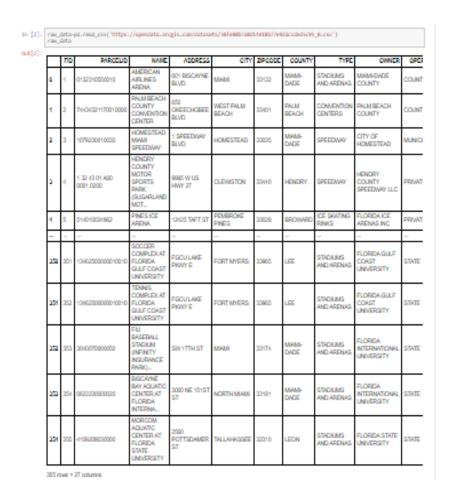
- 1. https://geodata.myflorida.com/datasets/ufl::geoplan-civic-centers-stadiums-and-other-large-capacity-facilities-boundaries-in-florida-2019/data
- 2. Foursquare API data

The first data set is taken from geodata.myflorida.com which has the information of all the civic centers, stadiums and other large capacity facilities in Florida which had to be refined a lot, to bring it around to Tampa, even though it was very informative, this data set did not actually cater to daily essentials information. Hence the second data set was chosen which is a Foursquare API data which was leveraged using the venues API call and further transformed into data frame, which actually helped a lot in the exploratory data analysis.

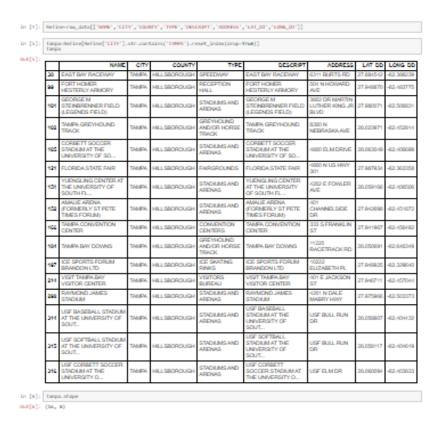
Let's have an in-depth analysis of these data sets

#### 1.1 FIRST DATA SET

- In the first data set the data comprises of the entire information of Florida consisting of 355 rows and 27 columns.
- Since, our area of interest is only Tampa let's refine it by using column selection technique and see the results brought down to Tampa. Which has 16 rows and 8 columns.



1.1 Before Refining



1.2 After refining

### 1.2 SECOND DATASET

Even though this data set had a lot of information it didn't actually deal with what exactly was needed so the Foursquare API's venues API calls were made to collect the actual data required

Out[14]:

	name	categories	lat	Ing
0	Marshall Student Center (MSC)	Student Center	28.064070	-82.413415
1	Campus Recreation Center	College Gym	28.060172	-82.407672
2	Yuengling Center	College Basketball Court	28.059502	-82.406510
3	USF Tampa Bookstore	College Bookstore	28.063426	-82.412561
4	Chick-fil-A	Food Service	28.063330	-82.413839
5	Publix USF	Grocery Store	28.068375	-82.412075
6	Juniper Dining	College Cafeteria	28.060057	-82.418344
7	Pollo Tropical	College Cafeteria	28.060245	-82.409885
8	Champion's Choice	College Cafeteria	28.059905	-82.407270
9	USF Music Concert Hall	Concert Hall	28.064872	-82.417933
10	USF Theatre Center	Theater	28.064030	-82.414485
11	Felicitous Coffee & Tea House	Coffee Shop	28.055086	-82.400154
12	USF Library	College Library	28.059823	-82.412274
13	Starbucks	Coffee Shop	28.067079	-82.426604
14	USF Track and Field Complex	College Track	28.062679	-82.406174
15	Jamba Juice	Juice Bar	28.063744	-82.413311
16	Wawa	Convenience Store	28.053240	-82.426880
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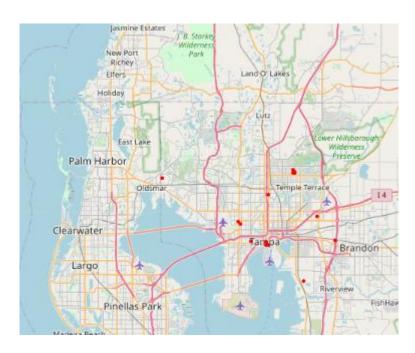
1.3 Foursquare API Data

## **METHODOLOGY**

This section deals with the various methods involved to carryout the exploratory data analysis on the above two data sets

#### 2.1 FIRST DATA SET

The first data set had a pretty much straight forward approach since it had all the necessary data priorly and the only thing left to do was to just plot those places on the map, which is as follows:



2.1 Tampa Neighbourhood

#### 2.2 SECOND DATA SET

The second data set was obtained from Foursquare API servers by making venues API calls, since it's retrieved as a json file it has to be converted into a data frame format first. After this step comes the **Exploratory data analysis** where all the data in this data set has been encoded using one-hot encoding where all the values will be either 0 or 1, then are grouped together based on the frequency calculated and are then further segmented into venues with the most common appearing first and so on.

Out[16]:

	name	American Restaurant	Arcade	Asian Restaurant		Bagel Shop		Bar	Big Box Store	Bookstore	 Smoke Shop	Smoothie Shop	Student Center	Sushi Restaurant	
0	Marshall Student Center (MSC)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	 0	0	1	0	0
1	Campus Recreation Center	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	 0	0	0	0	0
2	Yuengling Center	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	 0	0	0	0	0
3	USF Tampa Bookstore	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	 0	0	0	0	0
4	Chick-fil-A	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	 0	0	0	0	0

5 rows × 71 columns

## 2.2 One-hot encoding

In [18]: USF\_grouped = USF\_onehot.groupby('name').mean().reset\_index()
USF\_grouped

Out[18]:

	name	American Restaurant	Arcade	Asian Restaurant	BBQ Joint	Bagel Shop	Bakery	Bar	Big Box Store	Bookstore	 Smoke Shop	Smoothie Shop	Student Center	Sushi Restaurant	Resta
0	ABC Fine Wine & Spirits	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	 0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	ALDI	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	 0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
2	Anarchist Closet	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	 0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
3	Bagels Plus	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	 0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
4	Ben & Jerry's	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	 0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
5	Blaze Pizza	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	 0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
6	Blue Lizard Hookah Lounge	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	 0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
7	Bobacup	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	 0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
8	Burgerfi	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	 0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
9	Burlington	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	 0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

2.3 Grouping

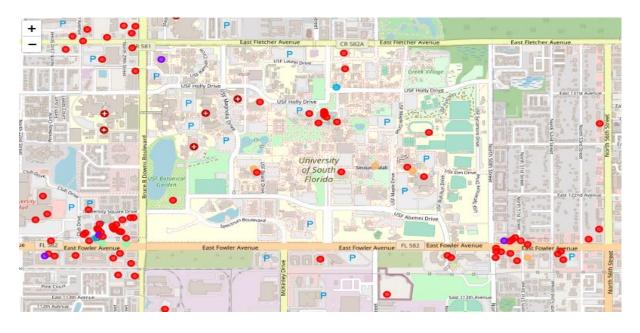
	name	1st Most Common Venue	2nd Most Common Venue	3rd Most Common Venue	4th Most Common Venue	5th Most Common Venue	6th Most Common Venue	7th Most Common Venue	8th Most Common Venue	9th Most Common Venue	10th Most Common Venue
0	ABC Fine Wine & Spirits	Liquor Store	Women's Store	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop	Department Store	College Bookstore
1	ALDI	Grocery Store	Department Store	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop	Discount Store	College Bookstore
2	Anarchist Closet	Women's Store	Department Store	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop	Discount Store	College Bookstore
3	Bagels Plus	Bagel Shop	Women's Store	Department Store	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop	Discount Store
4	Ben & Jerry's	Ice Cream Shop	Women's Store	Department Store	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop	Discount Store
5	Blaze Pizza	Pizza Place	Women's Store	Cosmetics Shop	College Cafeteria	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Department Store
6	Blue Lizard Hookah Lounge	Hookah Bar	Women's Store	Department Store	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop	Discount Store
7	Bobacup	Bubble Tea Shop	Women's Store	College Bookstore	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop	Department Store
8	Burgerfi	Burger Joint	Women's Store	College Bookstore	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop	Department Store
	Purlington	Department	Women's	College	College	College	Concert	Convenience	Cosmetics	Discount	College

2.4 Grouping based on common venues

After all these steps of working on with data the data set is further subjected to clustering which actually filters and classifies all these data into different categories which we will further see in results section.

## RESULTS

The data set will now be subjected to clustering using k-means clustering method where k is the number of clusters to be formed here in our data set the algorithm has classified the data set into 5 clusters which is as follows:



3.1 Clustered venues

## Now let's have a deeper look into each cluster:

Out[27]:

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	categories	1st Most Common Venue	2nd Most Common Venue	3rd Most Common Venue	4th Most Common Venue	5th Most Common Venue	6th Most Common Venue	7th Most Common Venue	8th Most Common Venue	9th Most Common Venue	10th Most Common Venue
0	Student Center	Student Center	Women's Store	Cosmetics Shop	College Cafeteria	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Department Store
1	College Gym	College Gym	Women's Store	Department Store	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop	Discount Store	College Bookstore
2	College Basketball Court	College Basketball Court	Department Store	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop	Discount Store	College Bookstore
3	College Bookstore	College Bookstore	Women's Store	Department Store	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop	Discount Store
4	Food Service	Fast Food Restaurant	Food Service	Women's Store	Cosmetics Shop	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Discount Store
5	Grocery Store	Grocery Store	Department Store	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop	Discount Store	College Bookstore
9	Concert Hall	Concert Hall	Women's Store	Department Store	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop	Discount Store	College Bookstore
1	) Theater	Theater	Women's Store	Cosmetics Shop	College Cafeteria	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Department Store

## **3.2** *Cluster* **1**

In [28]: USF\_merged.loc[USF\_merged['Cluster Labels'] == 1, USF\_merged.columns[[1] + list(range(5, USF\_merged.shape[1]))]]

Out[28]:

	categories	1st Most Common Venue	2nd Most Common Venue	3rd Most Common Venue	4th Most Common Venue	5th Most Common Venue	6th Most Common Venue	7th Most Common Venue	8th Most Common Venue	9th Most Common Venue	10th Most Common Venue
20	Sandwich Place	Sandwich Place	Women's Store	College Basketball Court	College Cafeteria	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop
24	Sandwich Place	Sandwich Place	Women's Store	College Basketball Court	College Cafeteria	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop
76	Sandwich Place	Sandwich Place	Women's Store	College Basketball Court	College Cafeteria	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop
82	Sandwich Place	Sandwich Place	Women's Store	College Basketball Court	College Cafeteria	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop

### 3.3 Cluster 2

Cluster 3

In [29]: USF\_merged.loc[USF\_merged['Cluster Labels'] == 2, USF\_merged.columns[[1] + list(range(5, USF\_merged.shape[1]))]]

Out[29]:

		categories	1st Most Common Venue	2nd Most Common Venue		4th Most Common Venue	5th Most Common Venue	6th Most Common Venue	7th Most Common Venue	8th Most Common Venue	9th Most Common Venue	10th Most Common Venue
	38 I	Burger Joint	Burger Joint	Women's Store	College Bookstore	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store		Department Store
	41 I	Burger Joint	Burger Joint	Women's Store	College Bookstore	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop	Department Store

## **3.4** *Cluster 3*

College

College

Cafeteria

Cafeteria

Basketball

Basketball

Court College

Women's

Women's

Store

Restaurant

Restaurant

Restaurant

# 3.5 Cluster 4

College

College

Gym

Gym

College

Library

College

Library

College

College

Track

Track

10th Most

Common

Cosmetics

Cosmetics

Shop

Shop

Convenience

Convenience

Store

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Venue

	F_merged.loc	[USF_merged	['Cluster La	mbels'] == 4	, USF_merge	d.columns[[	1] + list(ra	ange(5, USF_r	merged.shape	[1]))]]	
	categories	1st Most Common Venue	2nd Most Common Venue	3rd Most Common Venue	4th Most Common Venue	5th Most Common Venue	6th Most Common Venue	7th Most Common Venue	8th Most Common Venue	9th Most Common Venue	10th Mos Commor Venue
6	College Cafeteria	College Cafeteria	Department Store	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop	Women's Store	College Bookstore
7	College Cafeteria	Latin American Restaurant	College Cafeteria	Food Service	Food Court	Flea Market	Fast Food Restaurant	Donut Shop	Discount Store	College Bookstore	Department Store
8	College Cafeteria	College Cafeteria	Department Store	College Gym	College Library	College Track	Concert Hall	Convenience Store	Cosmetics Shop	Women's Store	College Bookstore
88	Latin American Restaurant	Latin American Restaurant	College Cafeteria	Food Service	Food Court	Flea Market	Fast Food Restaurant	Donut Shop	Discount Store	College Bookstore	Department Store

#### 3.6 Cluster 5

### **DISCUSSION**

Hence, Clustering has helped us a lot to differentiate different places around campus into many categories such as:

- 1.Student Centers
- 2.Sandwich place
- 3.Burger joint
- 4.Restuarant
- 5. College Cafeteria

### **CONCLUSION**

Therefore with the help of data science techniques we were able to explore the Tampa neighbourhood which can be a life saver for new comers on this locality.