

Prediction on location to open Italian restaurant

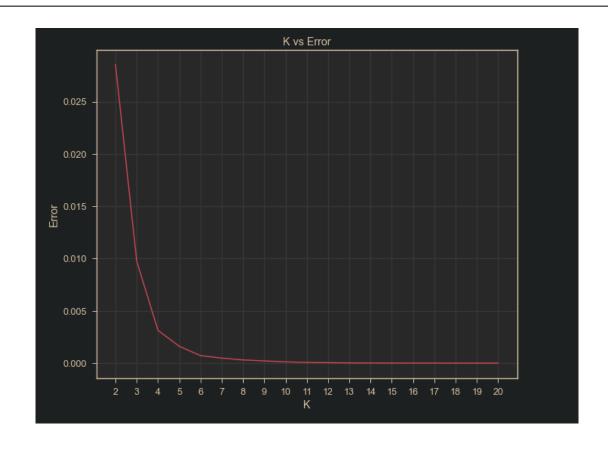
Predicting location for restaurant is valuable for business

- 1. Minimizing risk when starting up a new business
- 2. Maximizing revenue base on location of business
- 3. Minimizing failure of business

Data acquisition and cleaning

- 1. Wikipedia dataset on Toronto neighbourhoods
- 2. CSV file on geospatial data
- 3. Foursquare API on venues

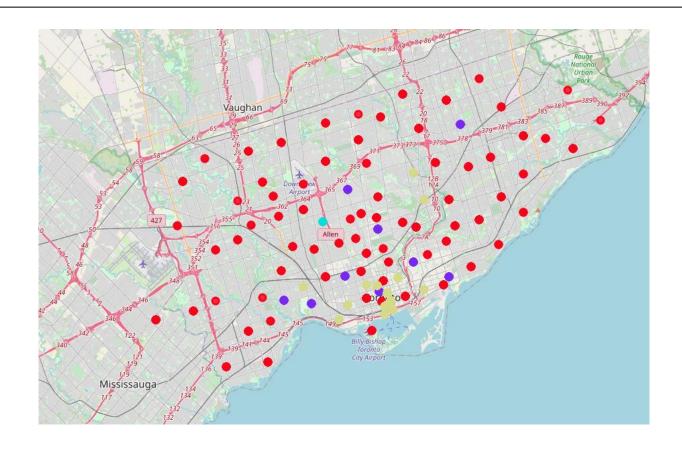
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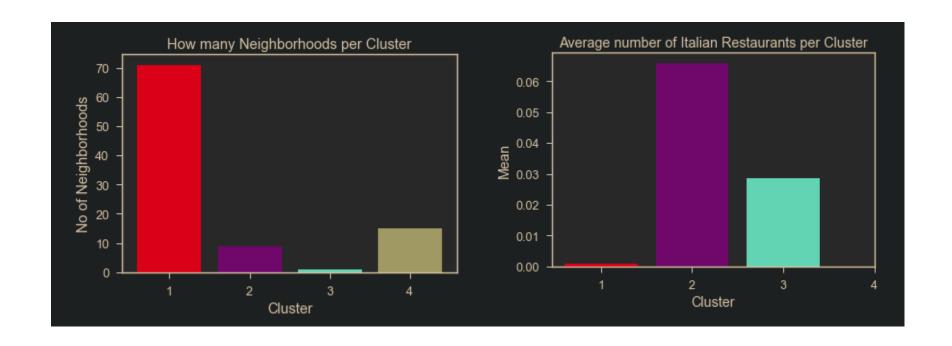
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- 1. Best K to use is shown on the graph (K=4) (Elbow point)
- 2. Group neighbourhoods into clusters (4 clusters)

Visualizing the clusters



Visualizing the clusters



Cluster 1 (Red)

71 unique neighbourhoods and only 1 Italian Restaurant in First Canadian Place, Underground city

Cluster 2 (Purple)

Cluster 2 has 9 unique neighbourhoods but they have 17 Italian Restaurants

Cluster 3 (Blue)

Cluster 3 has 15 unique neighbourhoods and 26 Italian Restaurants

Cluster 4 (Turquoise)

No neighbourhoods and no Italian restaurants

Discussion

- 1. Setting up a new shop at cluster 1 area (eg: Parkwoods, Victoria Village)
- 2. 71 neighbourhoods but only 1 Italian restaurant
- 3. Less competition with many neighbourhoods

Conclusion and future direction

- 1. Add population data over the neighbourhoods
- 2. Find out what other restaurants are there in the cluster