



THE BATTLE OF NEIGHBORHOODS

FINAL PRESENTATION FOR
APPLIED DATA SCIENCE CAPSTONE PROJECT

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Introduction

- Confectionery Limited is a Multi-National Company that specializes in confectionery products such as assorted ice-creams, chocolates, cookies and candies.
- The company has succeeded in the various locations that it is currently operating and wishes to make great returns from a new shop in Manhattan, New York, USA.



Business Problem

- The company has been presented with two investment opportunities to open a new shop in one of two locations.
- As a result, the company must choose the location that offers a possibility of greater revenue and thus profits.
- Due to the nature of its products, the company is looking to locate near schools as young people are their greatest customers.
- The aim of this study will therefore be to find the best area to open this new venture for Confectionery Ltd based on the most valued attributes.



Data

- The analysis will make use of Foursquare data together with geo-data of New York, Manhattan downloaded here: https://cocl.us/new_york_dataset
- The variable that was mostly of interest was the **availability of customers** in the two locations provided. This was mostly **the number of schools** that were in the vicinity. However, the study also had to include the **number of trending venues** so as to filter down the best location from the two.
- Foursquare API was used to get data for number of schools and trending venues in the vicinity.

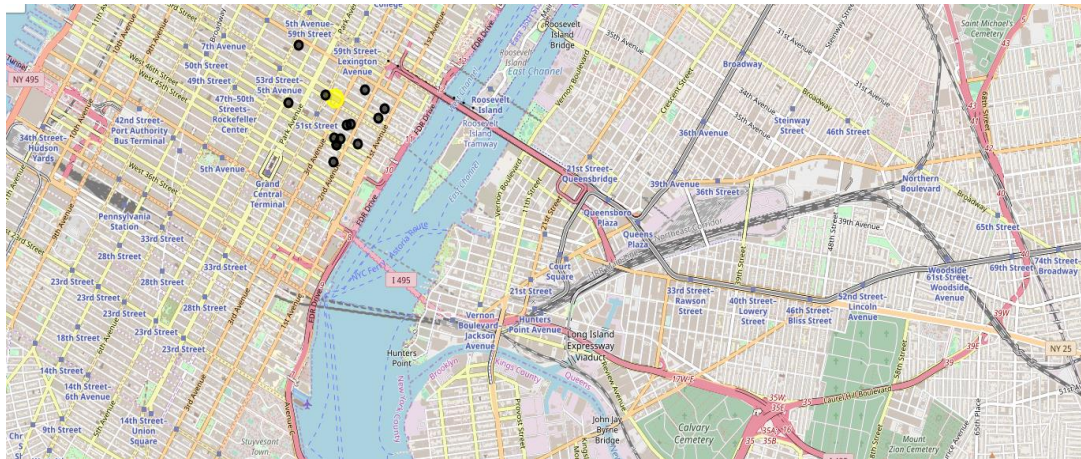


Methodology

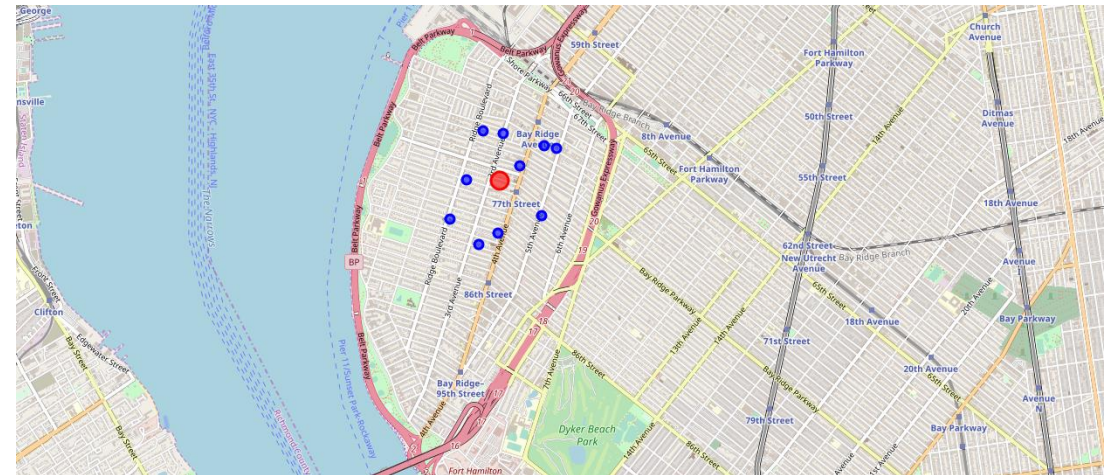
- First step included downloading the json data of New York.
- The data was converted to a pandas dataframe.
- The data had to be filtered to represent only the data for Manhattan as the locations are in Manhattan.
- Format and normalize the data.
- Geolocator-Nominatim was then used to find the geo-coordinates of the two locations.
- Foursquare was then used to obtain various data pertaining to schools in the vicinity of the two locations.
- Foursquare was then used to obtain various data pertaining to trending venues in the vicinity of the two locations.
- Represent the data visually with maps using Folium.

Result 1: Schools nearby

Location 2 and schools nearby

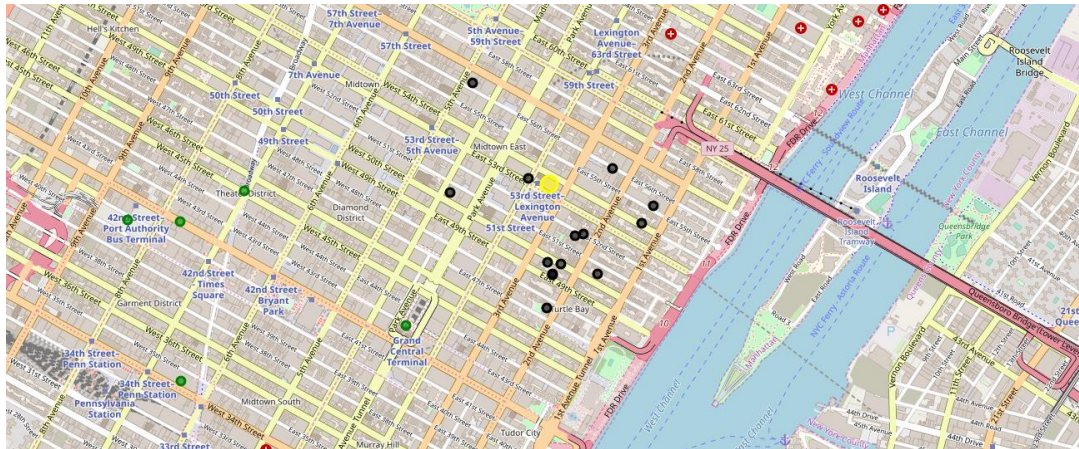


Location 1 and schools nearby

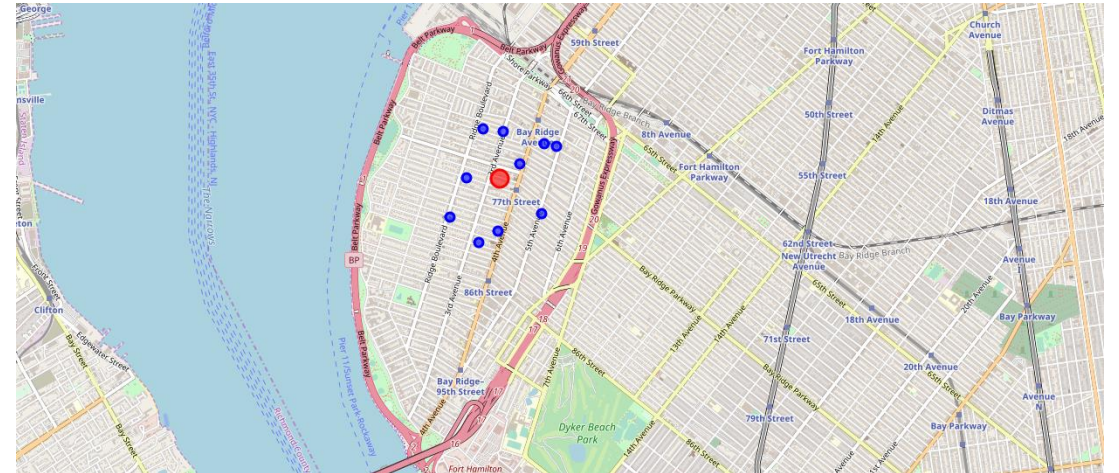


Results 2: Schools and Trending venues nearby

Location 2: Schools and Trending venues



Location 1: Schools and Trending venues nearby-no trending venues





QUESTIONS??

Thank you!!!!!!!!!!!!