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# MongoDB Integration and Queries

Analysis and Ranking of Milan's Neighborhoods

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```
1 from pymongo import MongoClient
2 import geopandas as gpd
3 from shapely.geometry import shape, mapping
4 import folium
5 import math
6 from pprint import pprint
```

## Integration

### Connection to MongoDB and loading the files

```
1 # Connection to MongoDB
2 client = MongoClient("mongodb://admin:DataMan2023!@localhost:27017/")
3 db = client["my_database"]
4 collection = db["neighborhoods"]
```

```
1 # Reading the files
2 gdf_combined = gpd.read_file("C:/Users/edoar/combined_quartieri.geojson")
3 PolyHomePrices = gpd.read_file("C:/Users/edoar/PolyHomePrices.geojson")
4 PolyRestaurants = gpd.read_file("C:/Users/edoar/PolyRestaurants.geojson")
5 PolyMuseums = gpd.read_file("C:/Users/edoar/PolyMuseums.geojson")
6 PolyNightlife = gpd.read_file("C:/Users/edoar/PolyNightlife.geojson")
7 PolyDogParks = gpd.read_file("C:/Users/edoar/PolyDogParks.geojson")
8 PolyPharmacy = gpd.read_file("C:/Users/edoar/PolyPharmacy.geojson")
9 PolyPlaygrounds = gpd.read_file("C:/Users/edoar/PolyPlaygrounds.geojson")
10 PolySportVenues = gpd.read_file("C:/Users/edoar/PolySportVenues.geojson")
11 PolySchools = gpd.read_file("C:/Users/edoar/PolySchools.geojson")
12 PolyUniversity = gpd.read_file("C:/Users/edoar/PolyUniversity.geojson")
13 PolyCoworking = gpd.read_file("C:/Users/edoar/PolyCoworking.geojson")
14 PolyLibraries = gpd.read_file("C:/Users/edoar/PolyLibraries.geojson")
15 PolySupermarkets = gpd.read_file("C:/Users/edoar/PolySupermarkets.geojson")
16 PolyTransport = gpd.read_file("C:/Users/edoar/PolyTransport.geojson")
```

### Initializing the dictionary

```
1 # Create a dictionary to hold all neighborhood docs
2 neighborhood_docs = {}
3 # populating the base neighborhood documents
4 for idx, row in gdf_combined.iterrows():
```

```
5     nb_name = row["Neighborhood"]
6     # using shapely's "mapping function" from shapely.geometry to
        convert geometries
7     # to a geojson-like dictionary to store them in MongoDB
8     geo_json = mapping(row["geometry"])
9     neighborhood_docs[nb_name] = {
10         "_id": nb_name,
11         "neighborhood_name": nb_name,
12         "geometry": geo_json,
13         "locations": {
14             "restaurants": [],
15             "museums": [],
16             "nightlife": [],
17             "dogparks": [],
18             "pharmacies": [],
19             "playgrounds": [],
20             "sportvenues": [],
21             "schools": [],
22             "universities": [],
23             "coworking": [],
24             "libraries": [],
25             "supermarkets": [],
26             "transport": []
27         },
28         "home_prices": {
29             "min_price": None, # placeholder for the min price
30             "max_price": None, # placeholder for the max price
31             "avg_price": None  # placeholder for the avg price
32         }
33     }
```

## Function to append rows

```
1 # Function to append rows from a POI GeoDataFrame to the
    neighborhood_docs
2 def append_to_neighborhoods(field, gdf, poi_key, field_mappings=None):
3
4     #field is the sub-document where the list will be appended to.
5     #gdf is a GeoDataFrame with columns ["Neighborhood", ...#data
        columns...].
6     #poi_key: e.g. "pharmacies", "restaurants", etc.
7     #field_mappings is the dict of { "source_column": "
        destination_field_name", ... } used to pick and rename columns
        from the gdf row.
8
9     if field_mappings is None:
10         # if not supplied, just store all columns except geometry and
            Neighborhood
11         field_mappings = {
```

```
12         col: col
13         for col in gdf.columns
14         if col not in ("Neighborhood", "geometry")
15     }
16
17     # group by Neighborhood to handle rows for each neighborhood
18     grouped = gdf.groupby("Neighborhood")
19
20     # for each neighborhood:
21     for nb_name, group_df in grouped:
22         # if neighborhood is not in the dict, skip it
23         if nb_name not in neighborhood_docs:
24             continue
25
26         # convert each row to a dictionary with the needed fields
27         for _, row in group_df.iterrows():
28             poi_data = {}
29             for src_col, dest_col in field_mappings.items():
30                 if src_col in row:
31                     poi_data[dest_col] = row[src_col]
32
33             # append to the correct list inside the correct field
34             neighborhood_docs[nb_name][field][poi_key].append(poi_data)
```

## Appending the GeoDataFrames

```
1 # Append each of the 13 POI DataFrames to the base neighborhood docs
2
3 # Restaurants
4 append_to_neighborhoods(
5     field="locations",
6     gdf=PolyRestaurants,
7     poi_key="restaurants",
8     field_mappings={
9         "Business Name": "name",
10        "Business Address": "address",
11        "Categories": "category",
12        "Average Star Rating": "avg_star_rating",
13        "Review Count": "tot_ratings",
14        "Price": "price"
15    }
16 )
17 # Museums
18 append_to_neighborhoods(
19     field="locations",
20     gdf=PolyMuseums,
21     poi_key="museums",
22     field_mappings={
23         "Museum Name": "name",
```

```
24     "Museum Address": "address",
25     "Categories": "category",
26     "Average Star Rating": "avg_star_rating",
27     "Review Count": "tot_ratings"
28   }
29 )
30 # Nightlife
31 append_to_neighborhoods(
32   field="locations",
33   gdf=PolyNightlife,
34   poi_key="nightlife",
35   field_mappings={
36     "Venue Name": "name",
37     "Venue Address": "address",
38     "Categories": "category",
39     "Average Star Rating": "avg_star_rating",
40     "Review Count": "tot_ratings"
41   }
42 )
43 # Dog Parks
44 append_to_neighborhoods(
45   field="locations",
46   gdf=PolyDogParks,
47   poi_key="dogparks",
48   field_mappings={
49     "località": "name",
50     "area_mq": "area_mq",
51     "perim_m": "perimeter_m",
52     "obj_id": "park_id",
53     "municipio": "municipality"
54   }
55 )
56 # Pharmacies
57 append_to_neighborhoods(
58   field="locations",
59   gdf=PolyPharmacy,
60   poi_key="pharmacies",
61   field_mappings={
62     "DESCRIZIONE_FARMACIA": "name",
63     "INDIRIZZO": "address",
64     "CODICE_FARMACIA": "pharmacy_id",
65     "MUNICIPIO": "municipality"
66   }
67 )
68 # Playgrounds
69 append_to_neighborhoods(
70   field="locations",
71   gdf=PolyPlaygrounds,
72   poi_key="playgrounds",
73   field_mappings={
74     "località": "name",
```

```
75     "area_mq": "area_mq",
76     "perim_m": "perimeter_m",
77     "obj_id": "park_id",
78     "municipio": "municipality"
79 }
80 )
81 # Sport Venues
82 append_to_neighborhoods(
83     field="locations",
84     gdf=PolySportVenues,
85     poi_key="sportvenues",
86     field_mappings={
87         "Nome": "name",
88         "Indirizzo": "address",
89         "info": "category",
90     }
91 )
92 # Schools
93 append_to_neighborhoods(
94     field="locations",
95     gdf=PolySchools,
96     poi_key="schools",
97     field_mappings={
98         "DENOMINAZIONESCUELA": "name",
99         "INDIRIZZOSCUELA": "address",
100         "DESCRIZIONECARATTERISTICASCUELA": "school_type",
101         "DESCRIZIONETIPOLOGIAGRADOISTRUZIONE": "educational_lvl",
102         "MUNICIPIO": "municipality"
103     }
104 )
105 # Universities
106 append_to_neighborhoods(
107     field="locations",
108     gdf=PolyUniversity,
109     poi_key="universities",
110     field_mappings={
111         "DENOMINAZ": "name",
112         "INDIRIZZO": "address",
113         "FACOLTA": "faculty",
114         "PROPRIETA": "ownership_type",
115         "MUNICIPIO": "municipality"
116     }
117 )
118 # Coworking
119 append_to_neighborhoods(
120     field="locations",
121     gdf=PolyCoworking,
122     poi_key="coworking",
123     field_mappings={
124         "SPAZIO": "name",
125         "Sede": "address",
```

```
126         "Orario di apertura": "opening_hrs",
127         "Numero postazioni": "tot_desks",
128         "MUNICIPIO": "municipality"
129     }
130 )
131 # Libraries
132 append_to_neighborhoods(
133     field="locations",
134     gdf=PolyLibraries,
135     poi_key="libraries",
136     field_mappings={
137         "Biblioteche - Sede": "name",
138         "Indirizzo": "address",
139         "MUNICIPIO": "municipality"
140     }
141 )
142
143 # Supermarkets
144 append_to_neighborhoods(
145     field="locations",
146     gdf=PolySupermarkets,
147     poi_key="supermarkets",
148     field_mappings={
149         "name": "name"
150     }
151 )
152
153 # Transport
154 append_to_neighborhoods(
155     field="locations",
156     gdf=PolyTransport,
157     poi_key="transport",
158     field_mappings={
159         "Nome": "name",
160         "Linee": "lines",
161         "Mezzo": "transport_type"
162     }
163 )
164
165 # Home Prices
166 for idx, row in PolyHomePrices.iterrows():
167     nb_name = row["Neighborhood"]
168     if nb_name in neighborhood_docs:
169         # updateing the home_prices container with actual values
170         neighborhood_docs[nb_name]["home_prices"]["min_price"] = row["
Compr_min"]
171         neighborhood_docs[nb_name]["home_prices"]["max_price"] = row["
Compr_max"]
172         neighborhood_docs[nb_name]["home_prices"]["avg_price"] = row["
Compr_mean"]
```



## Storing the data into MongoDB

```
1 # Insert the data into MongoDB
2 # (neighborhood_docs is a dictionary with neighborhood_name as keys and
   the final documents as values)
3 documents_to_insert = list(neighborhood_docs.values()) # conversion to
   list of dicts
4 collection.insert_many(documents_to_insert)
5 print("Data inserted into MongoDB")
```

```
1 Data inserted into MongoDB
```

## Queries

### Neighborhood (Example)

Here a basic query is presented to show the structure of the final DB.

```
1 # Query for the neighborhood "Tre Torri"
2 tretorri_data = collection.find_one({"neighborhood_name": "Tre Torri"})
3 pprint(tretorri_data)
```

```
1 {'_id': 'Tre Torri',
2  'geometry': {'coordinates': [[[9.1598895, 45.4742524],
3                                [9.1599665, 45.4752257],
4                                [9.159981, 45.475719],
5                                [9.1600586, 45.4772662],
6                                [9.1600766, 45.4774377],
7                                [9.1600869, 45.4779766],
8                                [9.1601359, 45.4786687],
9                                [9.1602194, 45.4800522],
10                               [9.1602396, 45.4801317],
11                               [9.1602753, 45.4803015],
12                               [9.1600595, 45.4803093],
13                               [9.1586847, 45.4803591],
14                               [9.1559822, 45.4803917],
15                               [9.1516378, 45.4804495],
16                               [9.1516812, 45.4802959],
17                               [9.1516687, 45.4800506],
18                               [9.1515654, 45.4780585],
19                               [9.1513698, 45.4744323],
20                               [9.1511429, 45.4743509],
21                               [9.1505715, 45.4739819],
22                               [9.1515806, 45.4731998],
23                               [9.1516232, 45.4736605],
24                               [9.1527203, 45.4736241],
25                               [9.1537328, 45.4736061],
```

```
26         [9.1555551, 45.4735608],
27         [9.1567836, 45.4735338],
28         [9.1573631, 45.4735149],
29         [9.158371, 45.4734854],
30         [9.1598245, 45.4734469],
31         [9.1598895, 45.4742524]]],
32     'type': 'Polygon'},
33     'home_prices': {'avg_price': 7687.5,
34                   'max_price': 12600.0,
35                   'min_price': 3500.0},
36     'locations': {'coworking': [],
37                  'dogparks': [{ 'area_mq': 1007.6380499947832,
38                                'municipality': 8,
39                                'name': 'piazza Giulio Cesare',
40                                'park_id': 25448,
41                                'perimeter_m': 126.55090634925524}],
42                  'libraries': [],
43                  'museums': [],
44                  'nightlife': [{ 'address': 'Piazzale Arduino 1',
45                                  'avg_star_rating': 4.0,
46                                  'category': 'Cocktail Bars',
47                                  'name': 'GUD',
48                                  'tot_ratings': 4},
49                                { 'address': 'Piazza Tre Torri',
50                                  'avg_star_rating': 5.0,
51                                  'category': 'Wine Bars, Venues & Event
52                                          Spaces, '
53                                          'Cafes',
54                                  'name': 'Peck City Life',
55                                  'tot_ratings': 1},
56                                { 'address': 'Piazza Tre Torri 1L',
57                                  'avg_star_rating': 3.3,
58                                  'category': 'Beer Bar, Burgers, Pubs',
59                                  'name': 'East River',
60                                  'tot_ratings': 4},
61                                { 'address': 'Piazza Tre Torri 1L',
62                                  'avg_star_rating': 0.0,
63                                  'category': 'Bars, Italian, Cafes',
64                                  'name': 'Bistrot City Life',
65                                  'tot_ratings': 0}],
66                  'pharmacies': [],
67                  'playgrounds': [{ 'area_mq': 1266.72318686715,
68                                    'municipality': 8,
69                                    'name': 'via Demetrio Stratos',
70                                    'park_id': 140705,
71                                    'perimeter_m': 177.3132451489803},
72                                   { 'area_mq': 752.8324000176437,
73                                     'municipality': 8,
74                                     'name': 'piazza Giulio Cesare',
75                                     'park_id': 28266,
76                                     'perimeter_m': 110.55382725754959}]]],
```

```

76         'restaurants': [{ 'address': 'Viale Cassiodoro 5',
77                             'avg_star_rating': 4.6,
78                             'category': 'Dim Sum, Asian Fusion,
79                                     Japanese',
80                             'name': 'Mi Cucina di Confine',
81                             'price': '€€',
82                             'tot_ratings': 8},
83                             { 'address': 'Piazza Tre Torri',
84                             'avg_star_rating': 5.0,
85                             'category': 'Wine Bars, Venues & Event
86                                     Spaces, '
87                                     'Cafes',
88                             'name': 'Peck City Life',
89                             'price': 'N/A',
90                             'tot_ratings': 1},
91                             { 'address': 'Piazza Tre Torri 1L',
92                             'avg_star_rating': 2.0,
93                             'category': 'Mexican',
94                             'name': 'Calavera',
95                             'price': 'N/A',
96                             'tot_ratings': 3},
97                             { 'address': 'Piazza Tre Torri 1L',
98                             'avg_star_rating': 4.0,
99                             'category': 'Sushi Bars, Brazilian,
100                                    Asian '
101                                    'Fusion',
102                             'name': 'Bomaki',
103                             'price': 'N/A',
104                             'tot_ratings': 1},
105                             { 'address': 'Piazza Tre Torri 1L',
106                             'avg_star_rating': 3.3,
107                             'category': 'Beer Bar, Burgers, Pubs',
108                             'name': 'East River',
109                             'price': 'N/A',
110                             'tot_ratings': 4}],
111         'schools': [],
112         'sportvenues': [],
113         'supermarkets': [{ 'name': 'Carrefour Market'}],
114         'transport': [{ 'lines': '5',
115                         'name': 'TRE TORRI',
116                         'transport_type': 'Metro'},
117                         { 'lines': '1',
118                         'name': 'AMENDOLA',
119                         'transport_type': 'Metro'},
120                         { 'lines': '151',
121                         'name': 'P.za Amendola',
122                         'transport_type': 'Bus'},
123                         { 'lines': '68',
124                         'name': 'V.le Berengario, 8 dopo P.za
125                         Amendola',
126                         'transport_type': 'Bus'},

```

```
123         {'lines': '1,19',
124           'name': 'V.le Boezio altezza l.go
              Domodossola',
125           'transport_type': 'Bus'}],
126       'universities': [],
127       'neighborhood_name': 'Tre Torri'}
```

### Most diverse Neighborhoods (in terms of amenities)

With this query we wanted to show which neighborhoods were the most diverse in terms of the amount of different POIs contained.

```
1 pipeline = [
2     {
3         "$addFields": {
4             "diversity_score": {
5                 "$size": {
6                     "$filter": {
7                         "input": {"$objectToArray": "$locations"}, #
8                             Convert 'locations' sub-document to array
9                         "as": "amenity",
10                        "cond": {"$gt": [{"$size": "$$amenity.v"}, 0]}
11                             # Count non-empty categories
12                    }
13                }
14            },
15            {"$sort": {"diversity_score": -1}}, # Sort neighborhoods by
16                diversity score (highest first)
17            {"$limit": 5}, # Return only the top 5 neighborhoods
18            {"$project": { # Project the fields to include in the output
19                "neighborhood_name": 1,
20                "diversity_score": 1
21            }}
22        ]
23        # Execute the query
24        results = list(collection.aggregate(pipeline))
25
26        # Output results
27        print("\n=== Top 5 Neighborhoods with the Most Diverse Amenities ===")
28        for i, result in enumerate(results, start=1):
29            print(f"{i}. {result['neighborhood_name']} (Diversity Score: {
30                result['diversity_score']})")
```

```
1 === Top 5 Neighborhoods with the Most Diverse Amenities ===
2 1. Guastalla (Diversity Score: 13)
3 2. Bovisa (Diversity Score: 13)
```

```
4 3. Buenos Aires - Venezia (Diversity Score: 13)
5 4. Città Studi (Diversity Score: 12)
6 5. Bicocca (Diversity Score: 12)
```

## Score calculation (Students, Singles/Couples, Families)

In this section we defined a custom scoring function and then used it with weights that simulate three different categories, Students, Singles/Couples and Families.

## NaNs removals

Since some of the neighborhoods have NaN values for the avg\_price of the homes, the choice was to either exclude them at all from the ranking, or to assign the global average as their average home prices. Since keeping all the neighborhoods for comparison was our main goal, we decided to proceed with the second option

```
1 neighborhoods_with_nan = collection.find({})
2 print("Neighborhoods with avg_price = NaN:")
3 for doc in neighborhoods_with_nan:
4     avg_price = doc.get("home_prices", {}).get("avg_price")
5     if avg_price is not None and math.isnan(avg_price): # Check if
6         print(doc["neighborhood_name"])
```

```
1 Neighborhoods with avg_price = NaN:
2 Chiaravalle
3 Quintosole
4 Ronchetto delle Rane
```

```
1 # Compute global minimum or average price
2 price_stats = collection.aggregate([
3     {"$match": {"home_prices.avg_price": {"$not": {"$eq": float("NaN")}}}}, # Exclude NaN and missing values
4     {"$group": {
5         "_id": None,
6         "avg_avg_price": {"$avg": "$home_prices.avg_price"}
7     }}
8 ])
9 price_stats = next(price_stats, None)
10
11 global_avg_price = price_stats["avg_avg_price"]
12
13 # Update neighborhoods with NaN avg_price to the global average price
14 collection.update_many(
15     {"neighborhood_name": {"$in": ["Chiaravalle", "Quintosole", "
16         Ronchetto delle Rane"]}},
```

```
16     {"$set": {"home_prices.avg_price": global_avg_price}}
17 )
```

```
1 UpdateResult({'n': 3, 'nModified': 3, 'ok': 1.0, 'updatedExisting':
  True}, acknowledged=True)
```

### Function to Compute Score:

The function takes into consideration the number of locations of each type and the average price of homes in each neighborhood. Further development should be focused on taking into consideration also specific attributes of each location, like the quality of restaurants, the square metres of parks and playgrounds, or the number of workstations in coworking spaces. For this project we opted for a three general scores for each neighborhood, since assigning weights to those location-specific attributes would require external knowledge from an expert of the field, or also questionnaires from the public.

```
1 def compute_score(neighborhood_doc, weights, price_weight, collection):
2     # Compute a score for a neighborhood, considering distinct POIs for
      certain categories.
3
4     # takes in input
5     #   neighborhood_doc: A MongoDB document with neighborhood data.
6     #   weights: A dictionary of weights for each POI category.
7     #   price_weight: Weight to apply to the normalized avg_price.
8     #   collection: The MongoDB collection to query for global min and
      max avg_price.
9
10    # Returns:
11    #   The total score for the neighborhood.
12
13    total_score = 0.0
14
15    # Categories requiring distinct filtering
16    distinct_categories = {"universities", "sportvenues", "schools"}
17
18    # Retrieve global min and max for each POI category to normalize
      the count
19    poi_stats = collection.aggregate([
20        {"$project": {
21            "poi_counts": {
22                "$map": {
23                    "input": {"$objectToArray": "$locations"},
24                    "as": "poi",
25                    "in": {"k": "$$poi.k", "v": {"$size": {"$ifNull": [
26                        "$$poi.v", []]}}}
27                }
28            }
29        }],
```

```

29         {"$unwind": "$poi_counts"},
30         {"$group": {
31             "_id": "$poi_counts.k",
32             "min_count": {"$min": "$poi_counts.v"},
33             "max_count": {"$max": "$poi_counts.v"}
34         }}
35     ])
36
37     # Convert the results into a dictionary
38     global_poi_min_max = {stat["_id"]: {"min": stat["min_count"], "max":
39         : stat["max_count"]} for stat in poi_stats}
40
41     # Normalize the POI counts and compute the scores
42     for category, weight in weights.items():
43         pois = neighborhood_doc.get("locations", {}).get(category, [])
44
45         if category in distinct_categories:
46             # For distinct categories, filter unique entries by address
47             unique_pois = {poi.get("address") for poi in pois if "
48                 address" in poi}
49             count = len(unique_pois)
50         else:
51             # Regular count for other categories
52             count = len(pois)
53
54         global_min = global_poi_min_max.get(category, {}).get("min", 0)
55         global_max = global_poi_min_max.get(category, {}).get("max", 1)
56         # Avoid division by zero
57
58         if global_max > global_min:
59             normalized_count = (count - global_min) / (global_max -
60                 global_min)
61         else:
62             normalized_count = 0.0
63
64         total_score += normalized_count * weight
65
66     # Price influence
67     avg_price = neighborhood_doc.get("home_prices", {}).get("avg_price"
68         )
69
70     # Retrieve global min and max prices from the database for
71     # normalization of the avg price
72     price_stats = collection.aggregate([
73         {"$group": {
74             "_id": None,
75             "min_avg_price": {"$min": "$home_prices.avg_price"},
76             "max_avg_price": {"$max": "$home_prices.avg_price"}
77         }}
78     ])
79     price_stats = next(price_stats, None)

```

```
74     min_avg_price = price_stats["min_avg_price"]
75     max_avg_price = price_stats["max_avg_price"]
76
77     normalized_price = (avg_price - min_avg_price) / (max_avg_price -
78         min_avg_price)
79     total_score -= normalized_price * price_weight
80     return total_score
```

## Weights

```
1  # Example weighting dictionaries (tweak as you wish)
2
3  students_weights = {
4      "restaurants": 2.0,
5      "museums": 5.0,
6      "nightlife": 8.0,
7      "dogparks": 1.0,
8      "pharmacies": 6.0,
9      "playgrounds": 6.0,
10     "sportvenues": 8.0,
11     "schools": 1.0,
12     "universities": 10.0,
13     "coworking": 7.0,
14     "libraries": 9.0,
15     "supermarkets": 9.0,
16     "transport": 10.0
17 }
18 # price weight
19 price_weight_students = 10.0
20
21
22 single_couples_weights = {
23     "restaurants": 7.0,
24     "museums": 5.0,
25     "nightlife": 8.0,
26     "dogparks": 5.0,
27     "pharmacies": 6.0,
28     "playgrounds": 1.0,
29     "sportvenues": 7.0,
30     "schools": 1.0,
31     "universities": 1.0,
32     "coworking": 8.0,
33     "libraries": 5.0,
34     "supermarkets": 10.0,
35     "transport": 10.0
36 }
37 # price weight
38 price_weight_single_couples = 6.0
```



```
39
40
41 families_weights = {
42     "restaurants": 1.0,
43     "museums": 6.0,
44     "nightlife": 1.0,
45     "dogparks": 10.0,
46     "pharmacies": 7.0,
47     "playgrounds": 10.0,
48     "sportvenues": 3.0,
49     "schools": 10.0,
50     "universities": 1.0,
51     "coworking": 1.0,
52     "libraries": 8.0,
53     "supermarkets": 8.0,
54     "transport": 4.0
55 }
56 # price weight
57 price_weight_families = 7.5
```

## Scores

```
1 # Read all neighborhoods
2 all_neighborhoods = list(collection.find({}))
3
4 # --- Ranking for Students ---
5 print("=== Ranking for Students ===")
6 students_scores = []
7 for nb in all_neighborhoods:
8     score = compute_score(nb, students_weights, price_weight=
9                          price_weight_students, collection=collection)
10    students_scores.append({
11        "neighborhood_name": nb["neighborhood_name"],
12        "score": score
13    })
14 # sort by score descending
15 students_scores.sort(key=lambda x: x["score"], reverse=True)
16
17 # transform scores into percentages to be able to interpret better the
18 # scoring
19 if students_scores:
20     max_score_students = students_scores[0]["score"]
21     for item in students_scores: # sort of scaling
22         item["percentage"] = (item["score"] / max_score_students) * 100
23         if max_score_students > 0 else 0
24
25 # showing the top 5 neighborhoods
26 for rank, item in enumerate(students_scores[:5], start=1):
```

```
25     print(f"{rank}. {item['neighborhood_name']} => {item['percentage']:.2f}%")
26
27
28 # --- Ranking for Singles/Couples ---
29 print("\n=== Ranking for Singles/Couples ===")
30 single_couples_scores = []
31 for nb in all_neighborhoods:
32     score = compute_score(nb, single_couples_weights, price_weight=
33         price_weight_single_couples, collection=collection)
34     single_couples_scores.append({
35         "neighborhood_name": nb["neighborhood_name"],
36         "score": score
37     })
38 single_couples_scores.sort(key=lambda x: x["score"], reverse=True)
39
40 # transform scores into percentages to be able to interpret better the
41 # scoring
42 if single_couples_scores:
43     max_score_single_couples = single_couples_scores[0]["score"]
44     for item in single_couples_scores: # sort of scaling
45         item["percentage"] = (item["score"] / max_score_single_couples)
46         * 100 if max_score_single_couples > 0 else 0
47
48 # showing the top 5 neighborhoods
49 for rank, item in enumerate(single_couples_scores[:5], start=1):
50     print(f"{rank}. {item['neighborhood_name']} => {item['percentage']:.2f}%")
51
52
53 # --- Ranking for Families ---
54 print("\n=== Ranking for Families ===")
55 families_scores = []
56 for nb in all_neighborhoods:
57     score = compute_score(nb, families_weights, price_weight=
58         price_weight_families, collection=collection)
59     families_scores.append({
60         "neighborhood_name": nb["neighborhood_name"],
61         "score": score
62     })
63 families_scores.sort(key=lambda x: x["score"], reverse=True)
64
65 # transform scores into percentages to be able to interpret better the
66 # scoring
67 if families_scores:
68     max_score_families = families_scores[0]["score"]
69     for item in families_scores: # sort of scaling
70         item["percentage"] = (item["score"] / max_score_families) * 100
71         if max_score_families > 0 else 0
```

```

68
69 # showing the top 5 neighborhoods
70 for rank, item in enumerate(families_scores[:5], start=1):
71     print(f"{rank}. {item['neighborhood_name']} => {item['percentage']:.2f}%")

```

```

1  === Ranking for Students ===
2  1. Buenos Aires - Venezia => 100.00%
3  2. Città Studi => 69.57%
4  3. Niguarda - Cà Granda => 65.02%
5  4. Duomo => 64.33%
6  5. Villapizzone => 63.95%
7
8  === Ranking for Singles/Couples ===
9  1. Buenos Aires - Venezia => 100.00%
10 2. Duomo => 72.00%
11 3. Città Studi => 57.49%
12 4. Niguarda - Cà Granda => 54.08%
13 5. Villapizzone => 52.21%
14
15 === Ranking for Families ===
16 1. Niguarda - Cà Granda => 100.00%
17 2. Buenos Aires - Venezia => 98.91%
18 3. Villapizzone => 81.92%
19 4. Stadera => 81.15%
20 5. Gallaratese => 72.33%

```

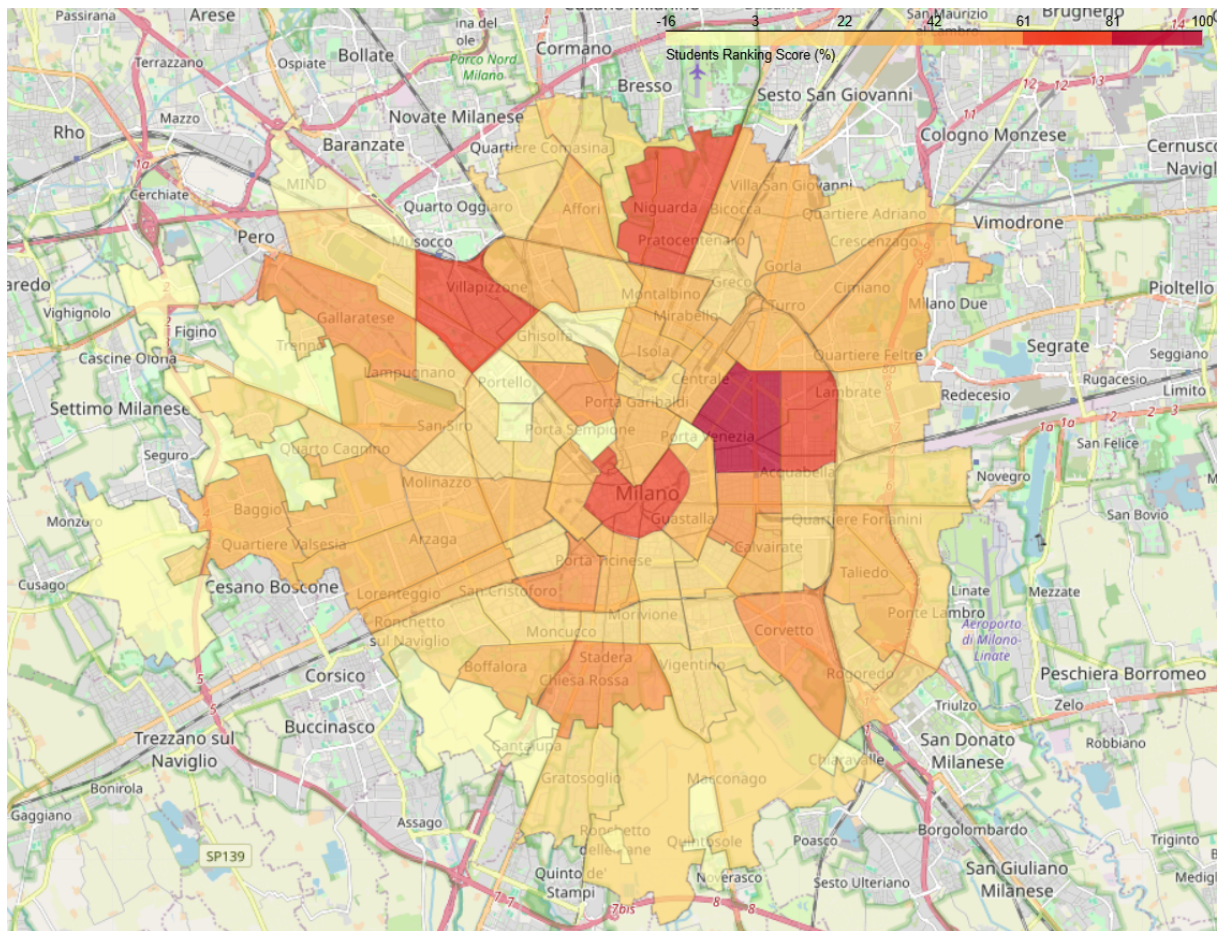
### Cloropleth map (for Students)

```

1 # Fetch all neighborhood documents and calculate scores using the
  # previously chosen students scores
2 neighborhood_data = [
3     {
4         "neighborhood_name": doc["neighborhood_name"],
5         "geometry": shape(doc["geometry"]),
6         "score": compute_score(doc, students_weights, price_weight=
7             price_weight_students, collection=collection)
8     }
9     for doc in collection.find({})
10 ]
11 # find the maximum score
12 max_score = max([item["score"] for item in neighborhood_data], default
13     =1) #to avoid division by zero
14 # normalizing the scores to percentages
15 for item in neighborhood_data:
16     item["percentage"] = (item["score"] / max_score) * 100 if max_score
17     > 0 else 0

```

```
17
18 # conversion to GeoDataFrame and ensuring CRS is set to EPSG:4326
19 gdf = gpd.GeoDataFrame(neighborhood_data, crs="EPSG:4326")
20
21 # generate an empty folium map
22 map1 = folium.Map(location=[45.4642, 9.1900], zoom_start=12)
23
24 # first add a choropleth layer
25 folium.Choropleth(
26     geo_data=gdf.to_json(),
27     name="choropleth",
28     data=gdf,
29     columns=["neighborhood_name", "percentage"],
30     key_on="feature.properties.neighborhood_name",
31     fill_color="YlOrRd",
32     fill_opacity=0.7,
33     line_opacity=0.2,
34     legend_name="Students Ranking Score (%)"
35 ).add_to(map1)
36
37 # add the tooltip layer with transparent polygons
38 folium.GeoJson(
39     gdf,
40     name="Neighborhoods",
41     tooltip=folium.GeoJsonTooltip(
42         fields=["neighborhood_name", "percentage"],
43         aliases=["Neighborhood:", "Score (%):"],
44         localize=True
45     ),
46     style_function=lambda x: {"fillColor": "transparent", "color": "transparent", "weight": 0}
47 ).add_to(map1)
48
49 map1
```



**Figure 1:** Custom Map

## Suitable Neighborhoods

Here the user gets asked some questions in order to present the most suitable neighborhood depending on their needs. Further development could be focus on asking even more in depth questions, for example if it is important for restaurants to have excellent reviews, or if some combinations are preferred compared to others (for example a user could prefer to have lots of restaurants compared to the presence of a library, but ideally would want both to be in their neighborhood)

```
1 # Interactive user inputs
2 print("\nPlease specify your preferences:")
3
4 faculty = input("Enter the faculty you're looking for (e.g., Economia): ")
5 parks_required = input("Do you need a dog park? (yes/no): ").strip().lower() == "yes"
```

```
6 library_required = input("Do you need a library? (yes/no): ").strip().
    lower() == "yes"
7
8 restaurant_category = input("Enter the type of restaurant you prefer (e
    .g., Italian): ").strip()
9 min_restaurants = int(input("Enter the minimum number of restaurants
    you want: ").strip() or 0)
10
11 coworking_required = input("Do you need a coworking space? (yes/no): ").
    strip().lower() == "yes"
12 sport_venue_required = input("Do you need a sport venue? (yes/no): ").
    strip().lower() == "yes"
13 sport_venue_category = input("Enter the sport venue category (e.g.,
    Piscina, Atletica) [optional]: ").strip().upper() if
    sport_venue_required else None
14 supermarket_required = input("Do you need a supermarket? (yes/no): ").
    strip().lower() == "yes"
15 museum_required = input("Do you need a museum? (yes/no): ").strip().
    lower() == "yes"
16 pharmacy_required = input("Do you need a pharmacy? (yes/no): ").strip().
    lower() == "yes"
17 playground_required = input("Do you need a playground? (yes/no): ").
    strip().lower() == "yes"
18
19 transport_required = input("Do you need public transport? (yes/no): ").
    strip().lower() == "yes"
20 metro_required = train_required = bus_required = False
21 if transport_required:
22     metro_required = input("Do you need metro service? (yes/no): ").
        strip().lower() == "yes"
23     train_required = input("Do you need train service? (yes/no): ").
        strip().lower() == "yes"
24     bus_required = input("Do you need bus service? (yes/no): ").strip().
        lower() == "yes"
25
26 budget = float(input("Enter your budget for home prices (price in euros
    per square meter): ").strip() or 0)
27
28 # Build the query dynamically based on inputs
29 query = {
30     "$addFields": {
31         "match_score": {
32             "$add": [
33                 # Check for faculty match in university
34                 {"$cond": [
35                     {"$in": [faculty, "$locations.universities.faculty"
36                     ]}, 1, 0
37                 ]} if faculty else 0,
38                 # Check for restaurant category match
39                 {"$cond": [
40                     {"$in": [restaurant_category, "$locations.
```



```

40         restaurants.category"]}}, 1, 0
41     ]} if restaurant_category else 0,
42     # Check for minimum number of restaurants
43     {"$cond": [
44         {"$gte": [{"$size": "$locations.restaurants"},
45             min_restaurants]}], 1, 0
46     ]} if min_restaurants > 0 else 0,
47     # Check for parks presence
48     {"$cond": [
49         {"$gt": [{"$size": "$locations.dogparks"}, 0]}], 1,
50         0
51     ]} if parks_required else 0,
52     # Check for libraries presence
53     {"$cond": [
54         {"$gt": [{"$size": "$locations.libraries"}, 0]}], 1,
55         0
56     ]} if library_required else 0,
57     # Check for coworking presence
58     {"$cond": [
59         {"$gt": [{"$size": "$locations.coworking"}, 0]}], 1,
60         0
61     ]} if coworking_required else 0,
62     # Check for sport venue presence
63     {"$cond": [
64         {"$gt": [{"$size": "$locations.sportvenues"}, 0]}],
65         1, 0
66     ]} if sport_venue_required else 0,
67     # Check for specific sport venue category match
68     {"$cond": [
69         {"$in": [sport_venue_category, "$locations.
70             sportvenues.category"]}}, 1, 0
71     ]} if sport_venue_category else 0,
72     # Check for supermarket presence
73     {"$cond": [
74         {"$gt": [{"$size": "$locations.supermarkets"}, 0]}],
75         1, 0
76     ]} if supermarket_required else 0,
77     # Check for museum presence
78     {"$cond": [
79         {"$gt": [{"$size": "$locations.museums"}, 0]}], 1, 0
80     ]} if museum_required else 0,
81     # Check for pharmacy presence
82     {"$cond": [
83         {"$gt": [{"$size": "$locations.pharmacies"}, 0]}],
84         1, 0
85     ]} if pharmacy_required else 0,
86     # Check for playground presence
87     {"$cond": [
88         {"$gt": [{"$size": "$locations.playgrounds"}, 0]}],
89         1, 0
90     ]} if playground_required else 0,

```

```

81         # Check for public transport
82         {"$cond": [
83             {"$or": [
84                 {"$in": ["Metro", "$locations.transport.
                        transport_type"]} if metro_required else
                        False,
85                 {"$in": ["Treno", "$locations.transport.
                        transport_type"]} if train_required else
                        False,
86                 {"$in": ["Bus", "$locations.transport.
                        transport_type"]} if bus_required else False
87             ]}, 1, 0
88         ]} if transport_required else 0,
89         # Check for budget in home prices
90         {"$cond": [
91             {"$lte": ["$home_prices.avg_price", budget]}, 1, 0
92         ]} if budget > 0 else 0
93     ]
94 }
95 }
96 }
97
98 # Run the aggregation pipeline
99 pipeline = [
100     {
101         "$match": {
102             "home_prices.avg_price": {"$lte": 2 * budget} # Keep
                        neighborhoods within twice the budget
103         }
104     },
105     query, # Add the match_score field
106     {"$sort": {
107         "match_score": -1, # Higher match scores first
108         "home_prices.avg_price": 1 # Lower avg prices first
109     }},
110     {"$limit": 3}, # Limit to the top 3 neighborhoods
111     {"$project": { # Project only relevant fields for output
112         "neighborhood_name": 1,
113         "match_score": 1,
114         "locations": 1,
115         "home_prices.avg_price": 1
116     }}
117 ]
118 ]
119
120 results = list(collection.aggregate(pipeline))
121
122 # Output the top neighborhoods
123 print("\n=== Top 3 Suitable Neighborhoods ===")
124 if results:
125     for i, neighborhood in enumerate(results, start=1):

```



```
126     print(f"\n{i}. {neighborhood['neighborhood_name']} (Score: {
127         neighborhood['match_score']})")
128     print(f"    - Average Price: €{neighborhood.get('home_prices',
129         {}).get('avg_price', 'N/A')}")
130
131     fulfilled = []
132     not_fulfilled = []
133
134     # Faculty check
135     if faculty:
136         if any(faculty in uni.get("faculty", []) for uni in
137             neighborhood["locations"].get("universities", [])):
138             fulfilled.append("Faculty")
139         else:
140             not_fulfilled.append("Faculty")
141
142     # Restaurant category check
143     if restaurant_category:
144         if any(restaurant_category in rest.get("category", []) for
145             rest in neighborhood["locations"].get("restaurants", [])):
146             fulfilled.append("Restaurant Category")
147         else:
148             not_fulfilled.append("Restaurant Category")
149
150     # Minimum number of restaurants
151     if min_restaurants > 0:
152         if len(neighborhood["locations"].get("restaurants", [])) >=
153             min_restaurants:
154             fulfilled.append("Minimum Number of Restaurants")
155         else:
156             not_fulfilled.append("Minimum Number of Restaurants")
157
158     # Parks check
159     if parks_required:
160         if len(neighborhood["locations"].get("dogparks", [])) > 0:
161             fulfilled.append("Dog Park")
162         else:
163             not_fulfilled.append("Dog Park")
164
165     # Library check
166     if library_required:
167         if len(neighborhood["locations"].get("libraries", [])) > 0:
168             fulfilled.append("Library")
169         else:
170             not_fulfilled.append("Library")
171
172     # Coworking check
173     if coworking_required:
174         if len(neighborhood["locations"].get("coworking", [])) > 0:
175             fulfilled.append("Coworking Space")
```

```
171         else:
172             not_fulfilled.append("Coworking Space")
173
174     # Sport venue check
175     if sport_venue_required:
176         if len(neighborhood["locations"].get("sportvenues", [])) >
177             0:
178             fulfilled.append("Sport Venue")
179         else:
180             not_fulfilled.append("Sport Venue")
181
182     # Sport venue category check
183     if sport_venue_category:
184         if any(sport_venue_category in venue.get("category", [])
185             for venue in neighborhood["locations"].get("sportvenues", [])):
186             fulfilled.append("Specific Sport Venue Category")
187         else:
188             not_fulfilled.append("Specific Sport Venue Category")
189
190     # Supermarket check
191     if supermarket_required:
192         if len(neighborhood["locations"].get("supermarkets", [])) >
193             0:
194             fulfilled.append("Supermarket")
195         else:
196             not_fulfilled.append("Supermarket")
197
198     # Museum check
199     if museum_required:
200         if len(neighborhood["locations"].get("museums", [])) > 0:
201             fulfilled.append("Museum")
202         else:
203             not_fulfilled.append("Museum")
204
205     # Pharmacy check
206     if pharmacy_required:
207         if len(neighborhood["locations"].get("pharmacies", [])) >
208             0:
209             fulfilled.append("Pharmacy")
210         else:
211             not_fulfilled.append("Pharmacy")
212
213     # Playground check
214     if playground_required:
215         if len(neighborhood["locations"].get("playgrounds", [])) >
```

```
216         # Transport check
217         if transport_required:
218             transport_fulfilled = []
219             transport_list = neighborhood["locations"].get("transport",
220                                                         [])
221
222             # Iterate through transport_list to find the required
223             # transport types
224             if metro_required and any("Metro" in transport.get("
225                                     transport_type", []) for transport in transport_list):
226                 transport_fulfilled.append("Metro")
227             if train_required and any("Treno" in transport.get("
228                                     transport_type", []) for transport in transport_list):
229                 transport_fulfilled.append("Train")
230             if bus_required and any("Bus" in transport.get("
231                                     transport_type", []) for transport in transport_list):
232                 transport_fulfilled.append("Bus")
233
234             # If any transport types are fulfilled, add them to
235             # fulfilled; otherwise, add to not_fulfilled
236             if transport_fulfilled:
237                 fulfilled.append(f"Transport ({', '.join(
238                                     transport_fulfilled)})")
239             else:
240                 not_fulfilled.append("Transport")
241
242         # Budget check
243         if budget > 0:
244             avg_price = neighborhood.get("home_prices", {}).get("
245                                     avg_price", float("inf"))
246             if avg_price <= budget:
247                 fulfilled.append("Budget")
248             else:
249                 not_fulfilled.append("Budget")
250
251         # Print fulfilled and not fulfilled
252         print(" - Fulfilled:", ", ".join(fulfilled) if fulfilled else
253             "None")
254         print(" - Not Fulfilled:", ", ".join(not_fulfilled) if
255             not_fulfilled else "None")
256     else:
257         print("No neighborhoods match your criteria.")
```

```
1 Please specify your preferences:
2
3
4 Enter the faculty you're looking for (e.g., Economia): Fisica
5 Do you need a dog park? (yes/no): no
6 Do you need a library? (yes/no): yes
7 Enter the type of restaurant you prefer (e.g., Italian): Seafood
8 Enter the minimum number of restaurants you want: 6
```

```
9 Do you need a coworking space? (yes/no): yes
10 Do you need a sport venue? (yes/no): yes
11 Enter the sport venue category (e.g., Piscina, Atletica) [optional]:
    Tennis
12 Do you need a supermarket? (yes/no): yes
13 Do you need a museum? (yes/no): no
14 Do you need a pharmacy? (yes/no): yes
15 Do you need a playground? (yes/no): no
16 Do you need public transport? (yes/no): yes
17 Do you need metro service? (yes/no): yes
18 Do you need train service? (yes/no): no
19 Do you need bus service? (yes/no): yes
20 Enter your budget for home prices (price in euros per square meter):
    3500
21
22
23
24 === Top 3 Suitable Neighborhoods ===
25
26 1. Città Studi (Score: 10)
27   - Average Price: €3947.5
28   - Fulfilled: Faculty, Restaurant Category, Minimum Number of
    Restaurants, Library, Coworking Space, Sport Venue, Specific Sport
    Venue Category, Supermarket, Pharmacy, Transport (Metro, Bus)
29   - Not Fulfilled: Budget
30
31 2. Stadera (Score: 9)
32   - Average Price: €2990.625
33   - Fulfilled: Minimum Number of Restaurants, Library, Coworking Space,
    Sport Venue, Specific Sport Venue Category, Supermarket, Pharmacy
    , Transport (Metro, Bus), Budget
34   - Not Fulfilled: Faculty, Restaurant Category
35
36 3. Quarto Cagnino (Score: 9)
37   - Average Price: €3086.4583333333335
38   - Fulfilled: Restaurant Category, Minimum Number of Restaurants,
    Coworking Space, Sport Venue, Specific Sport Venue Category,
    Supermarket, Pharmacy, Transport (Bus), Budget
39   - Not Fulfilled: Faculty, Library
```