

Where is the
best place to
live
in Tokyo?



Where should I live when I live in Tokyo?

- Tokyo is very large and narrow city.
- Very confused. (even for residents)
- It is a city that you may visit at the Olympics, transfer, etc.
- For Japanese people, you can find hidden spots to live.

Data acquisition and cleaning

- Postal Data (in English)

- Borough/Neighborhood
- Also includes Latitude/Longitude

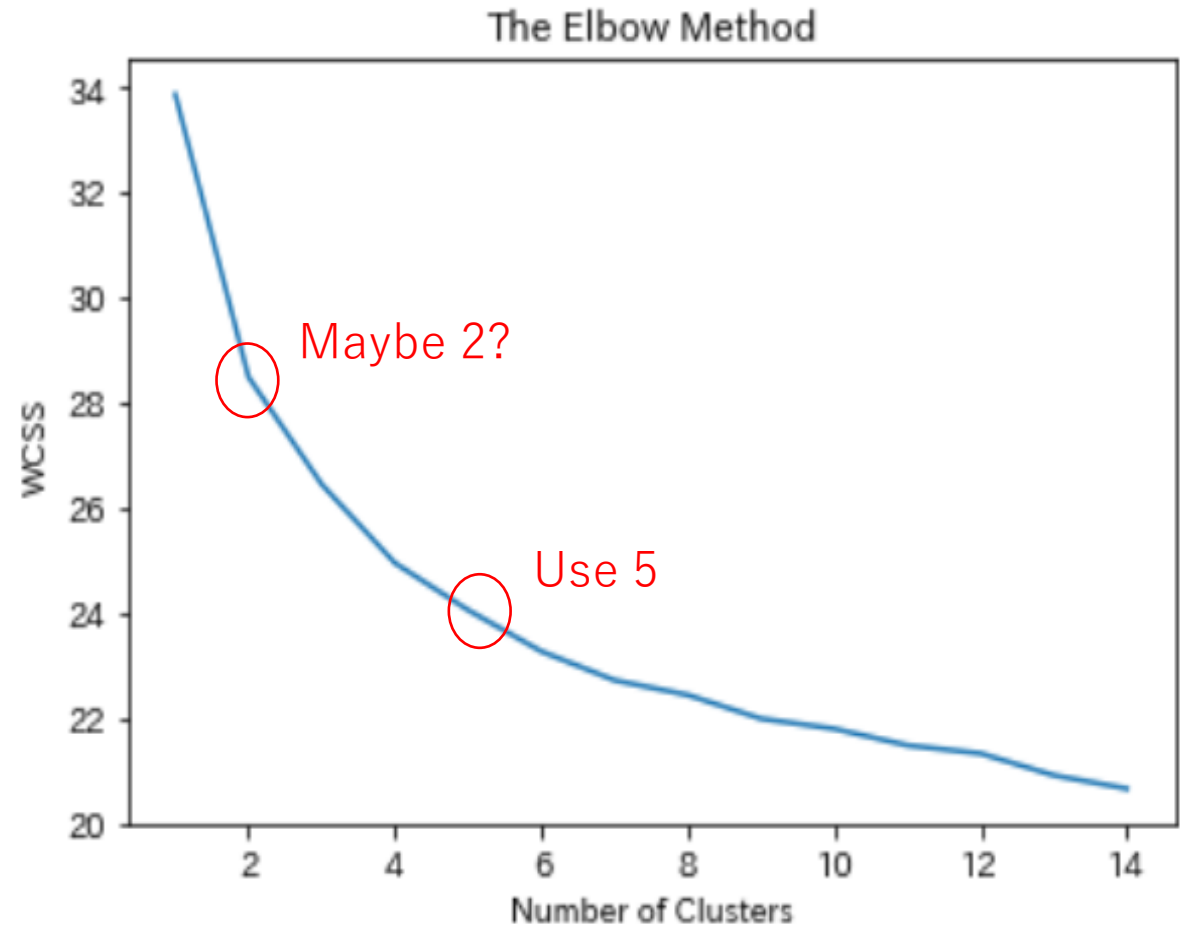
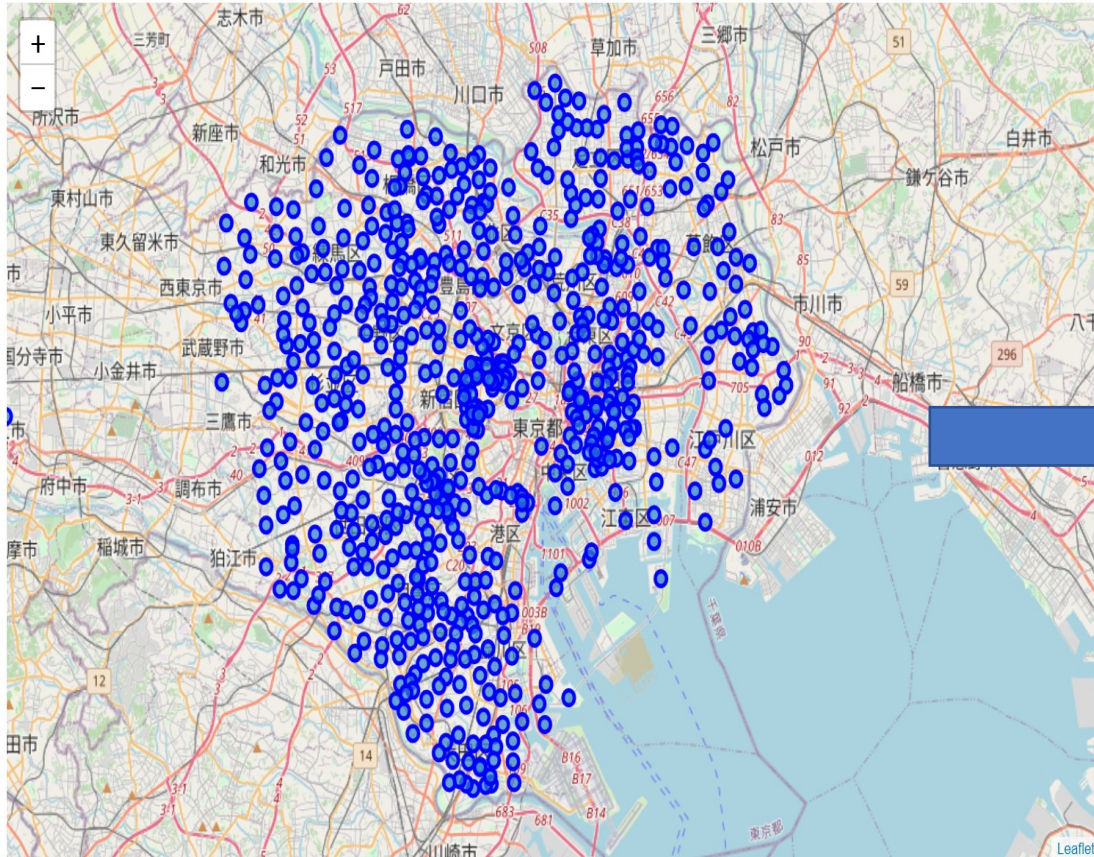
I got it from <https://www.aggdata.com/free/japan-postal-codes>

- In total, 123695 rows in this dataset.
- Delete data in locations other than 23 wards and similar locations.
- Cleaned data contains 651 rows.

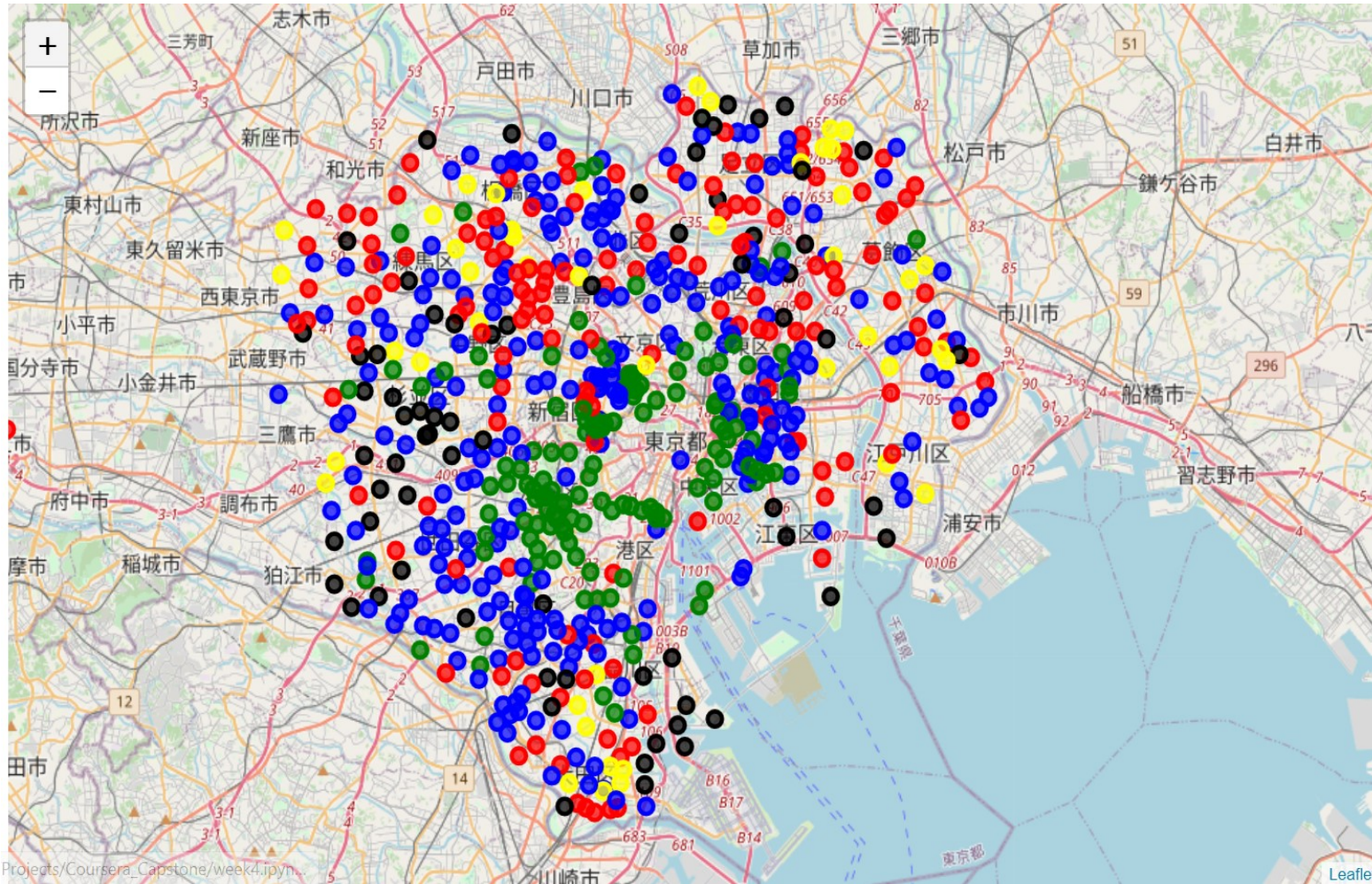
- Foursquare geo data

I got this data using API.

Using K-means clustering



Five clusters



- Cluster2 (green)
Center of Tokyo.
- Cluster1 (blue)
Middle of Tokyo.
- Cluster0 (red)
- Cluster3 (yellow)
- Cluster4 (black)
Outer of Tokyo.


Features of each clusters

Most frequency

	1st Most Common Venue	2nd Most Common Venue	3rd Most Common Venue
0	Convenience Store	Bus Stop	Supermarket
1	Convenience Store	Ramen Restaurant	Sake Bar
2	Japanese Restaurant	Convenience Store	Japanese Restaurant
3	Convenience Store	Grocery Store	Bus Stop
4	Convenience Store	Park	Convenience Store

2nd Most frequency

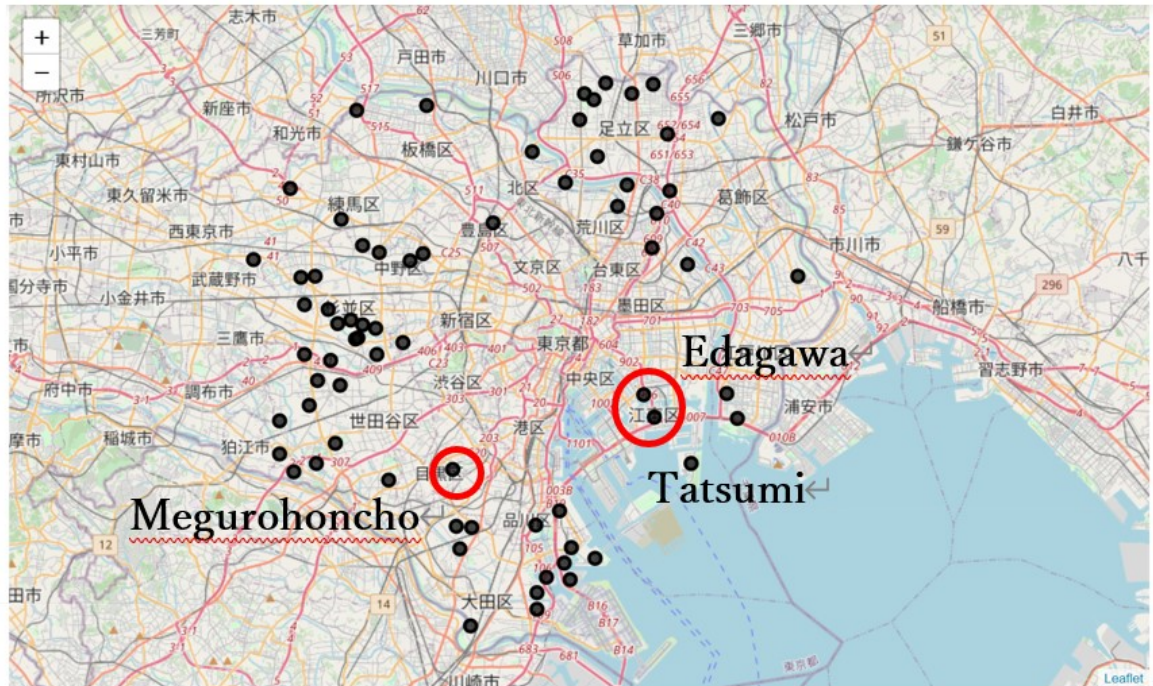
	1st Most Common Venue	2nd Most Common Venue	3rd Most Common Venue
0	Intersection	Ramen Restaurant	Japanese Restaurant
1	Ramen Restaurant	Café	Ramen Restaurant
2	Convenience Store	Café	Sake Bar
3	-	Park	Park
4	Park	Convenience Store	Intersection



Cluster No	Feature	Neighborhood
0	very livable place	Heiwadai, Okubo, Narimasu, Oi
1	good for work	Kamata, Togoshi, Nerima, Kamiya, Adachi, Sugamo
2	good for stay	Ryogoku, Ueno, Yotsuya, Kabukicho, Shibuya, Tsuki
3	good for family	Nishioi, Egota, Toneri, Kasuga, Ikebukurohoncho
4	good for family	Seijo, Megurohoncho, Kojiya

Good place for live.

These neighborhoods are the places where it has family-oriented features, but are close to the center.



Conclusion

- The areas near the center (Ueno, Yotsuya, etc.) are good for sightseeing and work.
- Staying for a long time or living alone, a place slightly away from the center (Heiwadai, Narimasu, Oi, etc.) is suitable.
- When living with a family, it is better to be further away from the center, but some areas are also suitable near the center.
- In Tokyo, Kasuga, Nishioi, Tatsumi, Edagawa, Megurohoncho are the best place to live.