Kafor-Final-Project

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0.0.1 Introduction

The objective is to look at the different venues between University of Chicago and Georgia Institute of Technology (Georgia Tech) since these are universities people as myself would want to attend for a degree. Both locations have good reputations as public institutions so the problem to solve was to find out what venues are available in the areas that does not require long travel. Many people who decide to stay near a campus ride a bike or use there four legs as a mode of transportation and need close by locations for daily activities and community.

To get started, before even running any code first library modules had to be imported.

```
[1]: import pandas as pd
  import numpy as np
  import requests

!conda install -c conda-forge geopy --yes
  import geopy as geopy
  from geopy.geocoders import Nominatim

# Matplotlib and associated plotting modules
  import matplotlib.cm as cm
  import matplotlib.colors as colors

!conda install -c conda-forge folium=0.5.0 --yes
  import folium # map rendering library

print("Libraries Imported")
```

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Collecting package metadata (current_repodata.json): done Solving environment: done
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==> WARNING: A newer version of conda exists. <== current version: 4.8.3 latest version: 4.8.4
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Please update conda by running

\$ conda update -n base -c defaults conda

All requested packages already installed.

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0.1 Data Collection

The data for the venues was retrieved using the Foursquare Places API. The Places API offers real-time access to Foursquare's global database of rich venue data and user content to power your location-based experiences.

0.1.1 Foursquare Credentials

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[2]: CLIENT_ID = 'MWBMLLHDCHCNOFVS0405PNGLHJP0EWOMAD1MEEOOSKMOFSJX'
    CLIENT_SECRET = '3J30Z5F4I5WW50TRZ00WNMREHZEOANOANIOUC3VG2AN5DIM3'
    VERSION = '20200825'

    print('Credentials:')
    print('CLIENT_ID: ' + CLIENT_ID)
    print('CLIENT_SECRET:' + CLIENT_SECRET)
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Credentials:

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0.1.2 Coordinates

The addresses from both institutions were retrieved from Google Knowledge Graph through search. The Geocoder module was used to get the coordinates for both institutions.

Get nearby venues by Chicago - University of Chicago Address: 5801 S Ellis Ave, Chicago, IL 60637

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[3]: address = "5801 S Ellis Ave, Chicago, IL 60637"

geolocator = Nominatim(user_agent="ca_explorer")
location = geolocator.geocode(address)
chi_latitude = location.latitude
chi_longitude = location.longitude
print('The geographical coordinate of University of Chicago are {}, {}.'.

→format(chi_latitude, chi_longitude))
```

The geographical coordinate of University of Chicago are 41.784977, -87.5905237123017.

```
[4]: #Map of Chicago using latitude and longitude values
map_chicago = folium.Map(location=[chi_latitude, chi_longitude], zoom_start=10)
map_chicago
```

[4]: <folium.folium.Map at 0x7faeac50a780>

Get nearby venues by Atlanta - Georgia Institute of Technology Address: North Ave NW, Atlanta, GA 30332

```
[5]: address = "North Ave NW, Atlanta, GA 30332"

geolocator = Nominatim(user_agent="ca_explorer")
location = geolocator.geocode(address)
atl_latitude = location.latitude
atl_longitude = location.longitude
print('The geographical coordinates of Georgia Tech are {}, {}.'.

→format(atl_latitude, atl_longitude))
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The geographical coordinates of Georgia Tech are 33.7713526, -84.396345.

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[6]: #Map of Atlanta using latitude and longitude values
map_atlanta = folium.Map(location=[atl_latitude, atl_longitude], zoom_start=10)
map_atlanta
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[6]: <folium.folium.Map at 0x7fae8e0a31d0>

0.2 Explore Venues

At first I reduced the radius and then increased it to 500 in order to generate enough venues nearby the universities. The campus size of University of Chicago is 217 acres and as for Georgia Institute of Technology (Georgia Tech), its almost twice as large with over 400 acres according to Google's Knowledge Graph. I completely forgot how large universities can be so this made sense to extend the radius to an appropriate size (500). Even within a 500 radius of the area there was only 13 venue listings nearby the University of Chicago and 17 nearby Georgia Institute of Technology (Georgia Tech). I did set the limit of venues to 100 although the cap was not necessary after seeing that not many locations were not available from either institution.

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[7]: #Limit 100
     #Radius 500 miles
     LIMIT = 100
     radius = 500
     url = 'https://api.foursquare.com/v2/venues/explore?
      - &client id={}&client secret={}&v={}&ll={},{}&radius={}&limit={}'.format(
         CLIENT_ID,
         CLIENT SECRET,
         VERSION,
         chi_latitude,
         chi_longitude,
         radius,
         LIMIT)
     # get the result to a json file
     chi results = requests.get(url).json()
     chi results
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0.2.1 Explore Venues nearby Georgia Institute of Technology

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[8]: #Limit 100
     #Radius 500 miles
    LIMIT = 100
     radius = 500
     url = 'https://api.foursquare.com/v2/venues/explore?
      - &client id={}&client secret={}&v={}&ll={},{}&radius={}&limit={}'.format(
         CLIENT_ID,
         CLIENT_SECRET,
         VERSION,
         atl_latitude,
         atl_longitude,
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         LIMIT)
     # get the result to a json file
     atl_results = requests.get(url).json()
     atl results
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       'location': {'address': 'North Ave NW',
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         'United States']},
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```

0.3 Data Preparation

0.3.1 Venues Nearby

The venues were grouped by categories in Foursquare to know what types are listed and available around each university. Then the venues were order by which are closer to the universities. After previewing the columns available in the JSON response I seen that we did not need all the columns. The name, categories, and coordinates should be efficient data to continue on for further data analysis.

We stored the venue results for University of Chicago and Georgia Institute of Technology (Georgia Tech) in a pandas dataframe.

Since the venues were not many I did not have to run any code to see unique or common categories and venues. There were not many similar category types.

```
[9]:
                                                       Name
     0
                                              Build Coffee
     1
                               61st Street Farmers' Market
     2
                                     Midway Plaisance Park
                 University of Chicago @ Midway Plaisance
     3
     4
                                            B'Gabs Goodies
     5
                      Plum Cafe at Chicago Press Building
     6
                                    Jackson Towers Fitness
     7
                  Metra - 59th St (University of Chicago)
                         Jackson Park Track & Soccer Field
     8
```

```
9
                                               Tiffin Cafe
     10
          International House at the University of Chicago
     11
                                             Divvy Station
     12
                                          Huckleberry Park
     13
                                         CTA Bus Stop 1513
                                           Leon's Barbecue
     14
     15
                                    Tres Original Pancakes
                     Category Type
                                    Latitude Longitude
     0
                       Coffee Shop
                                   41.784288 -87.590419
      1
                            Market
                                    41.784296 -87.590790
     2
                              Park 41.786526 -87.594458
      3
                              Park 41.787751 -87.588782
      4
                Food & Drink Shop 41.784245 -87.590372
      5
                              Café 41.786028 -87.590035
      6
              Gym / Fitness Center
                                   41.784879 -87.588799
      7
                     Train Station
                                   41.787729 -87.588789
     8
                      Soccer Field 41.783368 -87.586806
     9
                       Coffee Shop 41.788219 -87.590965
      10
                      Concert Hall
                                   41.788240 -87.590804
          Bike Rental / Bike Share 41.787943 -87.588315
      11
     12
                        Playground 41.782321 -87.594810
      13
                       Bus Station 41.787987 -87.586560
                         BBQ Joint
      14
                                   41.780854 -87.588451
      15
                              Food 41.780869 -87.588188
[10]: print(chi_df.shape)
```

print(chi_dr.bhapt

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[11]: chi_df.groupby('Category Type').count()

[11]:		Name	Latitude	Longitude
	Category Type			
	BBQ Joint	1	1	1
	Bike Rental / Bike Share	1	1	1
	Bus Station	1	1	1
	Café	1	1	1
	Coffee Shop	2	2	2
	Concert Hall	1	1	1
	Food	1	1	1
	Food & Drink Shop	1	1	1
	Gym / Fitness Center	1	1	1
	Market	1	1	1
	Park	2	2	2
	Playground	1	1	1
	Soccer Field	1	1	1

Train Station 1 1 1

0.3.2 Categories for Venues nearby Georgia Tech

[12]:	Name	Category Type	Latitude	\
0	Coca-Cola Mainstreet @ AOC	American Restaurant	33.770980	
1	Highland Bakery	Bakery	33.772646	
2	Ferst Center For The Arts	College Theater	33.774820	
3	Hampton Inn by Hilton	Hotel	33.771146	
4	T-Mobile	Mobile Phone Shop	33.771179	
5	Wells Fargo	Bank	33.772548	
6	Chick-fil-A	Fast Food Restaurant	33.773673	
7	Starbucks	Coffee Shop	33.774261	
8	Panda Express	Chinese Restaurant	33.773779	
9	Under The Couch	Music Venue	33.773898	
10	Harrison Square	Plaza	33.773019	
11	Taco Bell	Fast Food Restaurant	33.773780	
12	Burdell's	College Bookstore	33.773770	
13	Rooftop Garden	Roof Deck	33.774428	
14	GT Stinger Stop - Techwood and North Ave	Bus Stop	33.771246	
15	Student Center Food Court	Food Court	33.774451	
16	Dunkin'	Donut Shop	33.774428	
17	Einstein Statue	Outdoor Sculpture	33.775224	

Longitude
0 -84.398037
1 -84.394585
2 -84.399194
3 -84.395785
4 -84.396202

5 -84.398430

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-84.398203
  -84.396411
  -84.398137
 -84.398869
10 -84.395299
11 -84.398206
12 -84.398083
13 -84.396552
14 -84.392037
15 -84.398904
16 -84.398808
17 -84.397190
```

[13]: print(atl_df.shape)

(18, 4)

[14]: atl_df.groupby('Category Type').count()

[14]:		Name	Latitude	Longitude
	Category Type			
	American Restaurant	1	1	1
	Bakery	1	1	1
	Bank	1	1	1
	Bus Stop	1	1	1
	Chinese Restaurant	1	1	1
	Coffee Shop	1	1	1
	College Bookstore	1	1	1
	College Theater	1	1	1
	Donut Shop	1	1	1
	Fast Food Restaurant	2	2	2
	Food Court	1	1	1
	Hotel	1	1	1
	Mobile Phone Shop	1	1	1
	Music Venue	1	1	1
	Outdoor Sculpture	1	1	1
	Plaza	1	1	1
	Roof Deck	1	1	1

Data Exploration (Results)

The University of Chicago had only two repeated category types which were parks and coffee shops.

There is a nearby bus station at the University of Chicago, so a user does not need a car or uber as much if there is a bus route and a gym, but most universities already have a recreation center that someone could use. If a break is needed a person has the choice of more than one park to walk or go running at. If they do not want to eat coffee shop food and want something more hearty there is a BBQ joint nearby.

At Georgia Institute of Technology (Georgia Tech), they have many different kind of restuarants nearby that are just not inside the college. One of the greatest perks is a music venue so people can probably get to hear local bands and if they do not want to stay at a dorm can have a night at the nearby hotel at the Hampton Inn and not too far from the hotel is a bank.

There could be shopping center in the area.

0.5 Data Analysis

0.5.1 Maps with Markers

After looking at the venues for each university, maps were created with markers for each of the venues around each of the universities. We remove the 'Name' and 'Category Type' columns since we only need the coordinates for k-Means cluster labels. The maps will not be ordinary maps with markers, but will have clusters using k-Means with a initial k/clusters of 3.

After creating the dataframes with the clusters we can see the clusters were color-coded and of course grouped by distances. The elbow method was not neccessary since the data points are very few. The perfect zoom size at 16 let us see some data points that were like outliers, but as you know they don't exist in k-Means. For instance, based on Google maps Leon's Barbecue takes 19 minutes by car and up to two hours walking distance. This venue is about 6.6 miles away from the University of Chicago. The venue with the farthest distance from Georgia Institute of Technology (Georgia Tech) would be Cocoa Cola Mainstreet at AOC although GT Stinger Shop was close and has it's own cluster group. The location for Coca Cola @ AOC was not easy to locate by name in Google Maps and the address was retrieved for the restaurant through Foursquare. Again, Georgia Tech wins with the farthest distance being less than 1.7 miles with only a 35 minute walk.

```
[15]: from sklearn.cluster import KMeans

# set number of clusters
kclusters = 3

chi_df_clustering = chi_df.drop(['Name','Category Type'], 1)

# run k-means clustering
kmeans = KMeans(n_clusters=kclusters, random_state=0).fit(chi_df_clustering)

# check cluster labels generated for each row in the dataframe
kmeans.labels_[0:13]
```

```
[15]: array([2, 2, 0, 1, 2, 1, 2, 1, 2, 1, 1, 1, 0], dtype=int32)
```

We then need to create a new dataframe with the cluster.

```
[16]: chi_df_merged = chi_df_clustering
    chi_df_merged.insert(0, 'Cluster Labels', kmeans.labels_)
    name_column = chi_df['Name']
    chi_df_with_clusters = pd.concat([chi_df_merged,name_column], axis = 1)
    chi_df_with_clusters
```

```
[16]:
          Cluster Labels
                            Latitude Longitude
                           41.784288 -87.590419
      0
      1
                           41.784296 -87.590790
      2
                           41.786526 -87.594458
      3
                        1
                           41.787751 -87.588782
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      11
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                                           Huckleberry Park
      13
                                          CTA Bus Stop 1513
      14
                                             Leon's Barbecue
      15
                                     Tres Original Pancakes
```

One of the most distance locations are two restuarants in one cluster group (green). Many woud have though the bus station may have been closer to the University of Chicago. Midway Plaisance Park is the closest data point to the college while the Huckleberry Park is one of the farthest.

```
[17]: # create map
map_clusters = folium.Map(location=[chi_latitude, chi_longitude], zoom_start=16)

# set color scheme for the clusters
x = np.arange(kclusters)
ys = [i + x + (i*x)**2 for i in range(kclusters)]
colors_array = cm.rainbow(np.linspace(0, 1, len(ys)))
```

```
rainbow = [colors.rgb2hex(i) for i in colors_array]
# add markers to the map
markers_colors = []
for lat, lon, poi, cluster in zip(chi_df_with_clusters['Latitude'], u

→chi_df_with_clusters['Longitude'], chi_df_with_clusters['Name'],

→chi_df_with_clusters['Cluster Labels']):
    label = folium.Popup(str(poi) + ' Cluster ' + str(cluster), parse_html=True)
    folium.CircleMarker(
        [lat, lon],
        radius=5,
        popup=label,
        color=rainbow[cluster-1],
        fill=True,
        fill_color=rainbow[cluster-1],
        fill_opacity=0.7).add_to(map_clusters)
map_clusters
kclusters = 3
```

[17]: <folium.folium.Map at 0x7faddd06ff60>

```
[18]: # set number of clusters
      atl_df_clustering = atl_df.drop(['Name','Category Type'], 1)
      # run k-means clustering
      kmeans = KMeans(n_clusters=kclusters, random_state=0).fit(atl_df_clustering)
      # check cluster labels generated for each row in the dataframe
      kmeans.labels [0:17]
```

[18]: array([2, 2, 0, 2, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0], dtype=int32)

We then need to create a new dataframe with the clusters.

```
[19]: atl df merged = atl df clustering
      atl_df_merged.insert(0, 'Cluster Labels', kmeans.labels_)
      name_column = atl_df['Name']
      atl_df_with_clusters = pd.concat([atl_df_merged,name_column], axis = 1)
      atl_df_with_clusters
```

```
[19]:
         Cluster Labels Latitude Longitude \
                      2 33.770980 -84.398037
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     2
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                                  Wells Fargo
5
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                                  Chick-fil-A
7
                                    Starbucks
8
                                Panda Express
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                              Under The Couch
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13
                               Rooftop Garden
14
    GT Stinger Stop - Techwood and North Ave
15
                   Student Center Food Court
16
                                       Dunkin'
17
                              Einstein Statue
```

As you can see with the clusters, the prediction was correct that near Georgia Institute of Technology there is shopping enter based on the venues. There was a color coordinated data points and one outlier was present based on the map which is location GT Stringer Shop in its own cluster group as one data point.

```
# create map
map_clusters = folium.Map(location=[atl_latitude, atl_longitude], zoom_start=16)

# set color scheme for the clusters
x = np.arange(kclusters)
ys = [i + x + (i*x)**2 for i in range(kclusters)]
colors_array = cm.rainbow(np.linspace(0, 1, len(ys)))
```

```
rainbow = [colors.rgb2hex(i) for i in colors_array]
# add markers to the map
markers_colors = []
for lat, lon, poi, cluster in zip(atl_df_with_clusters['Latitude'], __
 →atl_df_with_clusters['Longitude'], atl_df_with_clusters['Name'],
 →atl_df_with_clusters['Cluster Labels']):
    label = folium.Popup(str(poi) + ' Cluster ' + str(cluster), parse_html=True)
    folium.CircleMarker(
        [lat, lon],
        radius=5,
        popup=label,
        color=rainbow[cluster-1],
        fill=True,
        fill_color=rainbow[cluster-1],
        fill_opacity=0.7).add_to(map_clusters)
map_clusters
```

[20]: <folium.folium.Map at 0x7faddd005048>

0.6 Conclusion

After viewing both universities and the only option was to choose one it would due to mobility it would definitely be Georgia Institute of Technology (Georgia Tech) since there is a shopping center that is walking distance from the institution. As a foodie, I would have preferred Chicago, but as you can see two of the nice restuarants are quite far. They do have the Divvy Station and bus route nearby for easy transportation if you do not want to commute by foot.

Many people have different threshold of what is too far to travel without having a bike, vehicle or public transportation. Overall the venues surrounding both institutions (University of Chicago and Georgia Institute of Technology (Georgia Tech)) are good for pedestrians who need commutable distances to get around.