Capstone Project – Final Presentation Best location in Calgary for a new Restaurant

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Introduction

- Successful restaurant chain in the Eastern Region of Canada seeks to expand to Calgary.
- Restaurant owner wants to avoid competition while having significant attractions around
- Seeks to use data analytics to decide best location in Calgary

Data

- Data obtained from public data on Wikipedia and Foursquare API
- Additional analysis was performed by my client to provide a weighted rank of how much competition or attract a venue type is on a scale of 1-10.

Methodology

- Obtained all venues in all neighbourhood in Calgary using the Foursquare API
- Assign Category weights (Attraction and Competition ranks) to each venue
- Use KMeans to compute clusters and the cluster with the highest average weight is the best location for our restaurant.

Recommendation

Our analysis showed that the airport area is the best location for the restaurant

