Choosing Coffee Shop Location

Real estate is expensive

Client wants to open a series of coffee shops in the GTA

Toronto real estate is expensive

They don't want to take a gamble on a location and not get a positive ROI

What we can do

We can assess various locations for suitability using data already out there

Existing venues provide information

Competition

Opportunity

Analytic Plan

Use k-means clustering to cluster GTA forward sortation areas

Base clustering on venue types

Provide additional economic data for each area



- Neighbourhood FSA data
- Co-ordinate data for FSA
- Economic data for FSA
- Venue type data

Data Sources

- Neighbourhood FSA data
 - Wikipedia
 - https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List of postal codes of Canada: M
- Co-ordinate data for FSA
 - Statistics Canada's
- Economic data for FSA
 - Canada Revenue Agency
 - https://www.canada.ca/en/revenue-agency/programs/about-canada-revenue-agency/programs/about-canada-revenue-agency-cra/income-statistics-gst-hst-statistics/individual-tax-statistics-fsa/individual-tax-statistics-fsa-2017-edition-2015-tax-year.html
- Venue type data
 - Four Square API

Data Cleaning

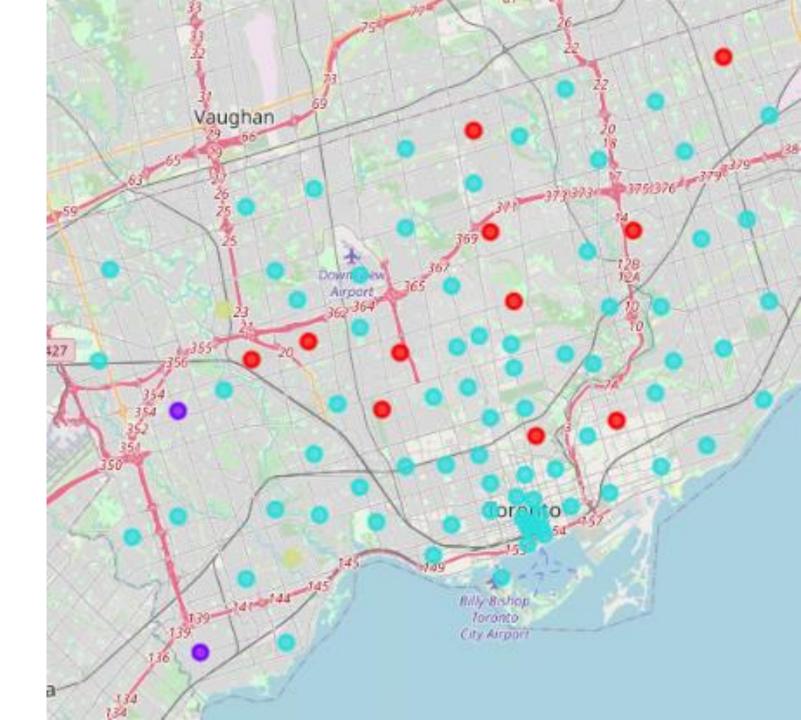


Data checked for missing or irrelevant data points



4 rows (out of 94 rows) dropped due to missing data

4 Identified Clusters



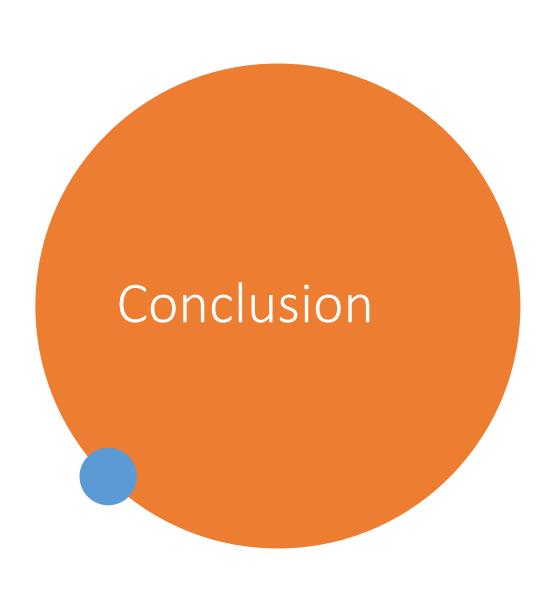
Most promising cluster

- The cluster represented in red appeared the most promising
- High number of recreational venues
- Low number of existing food and drink services
- No coffee shops/cafes in the top 10 venues
- Diverse geography
- Diverse income range

Borough	Total Population	Total Income per Cap	Net Income pe Cap	Taxable rIncome per Cap	Cluster Labels	1st Most Common Venue	2nd Most Common Venue	3rd Most Common Venue	4th Most Common Venue	5th Most Common Venue	6th Most Common Venue	7th Most Common Venue	8th Most Common Venue	9th Most Common Venue	10th Most Common Venue
North York	26010) 44054.98	40817.4	9 39324.1	4	3Park	Food & Drink Shop	Yoga Studio	Dance Studio	Eastern European Restaurant	Drugstore	Donut Sho	p Dog Run	Distribution Center	Discount Store
North York	22570) 54777.94	50934.5	1 49339.	3	3Park	Japanese Restaurant	Pub	Metro Station	Yoga Studio	Dance Studio	Donut Sho	p Dog Run	Distribution Center	Discount Store
York	30200	34659.74	32632.2	5 30979.	5	3Park	Women's Store	Pool	Yoga Studio	Curling Ice	Drugstore	Donut Sho	p Dog Run	Distribution Center	Discount Store
East York	26970	50671.97	46201.4	5 44701.6	3	3Park	Convenience Store	Metro Station	Yoga Studio	Dance Studio	Drugstore	Donut Sho	p Dog Run	Distribution Center	Discount Store
North York	16150	34011.76	31900.0	6 30049.9	7	3Park	Construction & Landscaping	Bakery	Yoga Studio	Deli / Bodega	Eastern European Restaurant	Drugstore	Donut Shop	Dog Run	Distribution Center
North York	28490	40288.1	37400.1	4 35991.6	5	3Park	Yoga Studio	Dance Studio	Eastern European Restaurant	Drugstore	Donut Shop	Dog Run	Distribution Center	Discount Store	Diner
Central Toronto	12020	211828.8	199085.	5 192124.	7	3Park	Swim School	Bus Line	Yoga Studio	Dance Studio	Drugstore	Donut Sho	p Dog Run	Distribution Center	Discount Store
York	19260	33422.27	31354.3	6 29138.4	2	3Park	Convenience Store	Yoga Studio	Dance Studio	Eastern European Restaurant	Drugstore	Donut Sho	p Dog Run	Distribution Center	Discount Store
North York	6520	133867.6	125571.	9 122879.	3	3Park	Convenience Store	Yoga Studio	Dance Studio	Eastern European Restaurant	Drugstore	Donut Sho	p Dog Run	Distribution Center	Discount Store
Scarborough	46190	28185.36	26218.7	7 24482.4	6	3Playground	Park	Yoga Studio	Curling Ice	Drugstore	Donut Shop	Dog Run	Distribution Center	Discount Store	Diner
Downtown Toronto	11600	202622.1	. 190372.	7 184430.	5	3Park	Playground	Trail	Yoga Studio	Curling Ice	Drugstore	Donut Sho	p Dog Run	Distribution Center	Discount Store







- Identified a cluster of 11 regions in the GTA suitable for the opening of a coffee shop
- This region is spread geographically and has a range of income levels within it
- There is low competition with high foot traffic potential

Future Directions



Identify real estate targets



Assess price using income data for the region



Once targets are identified more detailed data will need to be gathered

E.g. physical location assessment, market value assessment