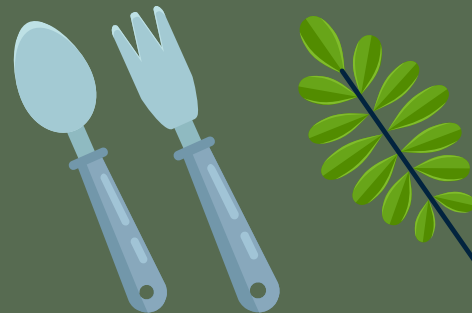




LATIN AMERICAN VANCOUVER FOOD ASSET SCAN



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WHAT



Data on Latin American population living in Vancouver is scattered. This project is a collective of sources that reorganizes information on the population food assets and distribution as of November 27th, 2020.

WHY



The Latin American community is one of the leading figures of food insecurity in Canada. In Vancouver, there are limited resources and information on this community, which is needed for decision-making and planning for the future of the city.

HOW



Through an environmental scan and literature review, to record data of current food assets and population distribution per region. The food assets under review were restaurants, grocery stores, organizations, and charities.

PARTNERS

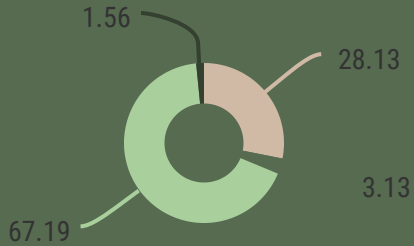


City of Vancouver & City Studio connected us as students to generate a project aimed to understand the Latin American community in Vancouver.

OUTCOMES

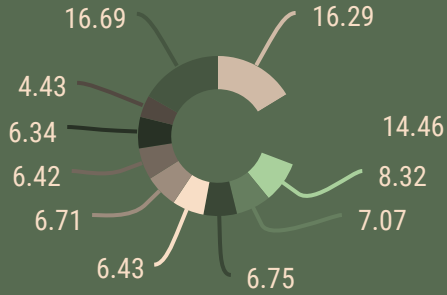


Latin American Food Assets Distribution Percentage in Vancouver (n=64)



- Grocery Stores
- Charities & community center
- Restaurants
- Food bank

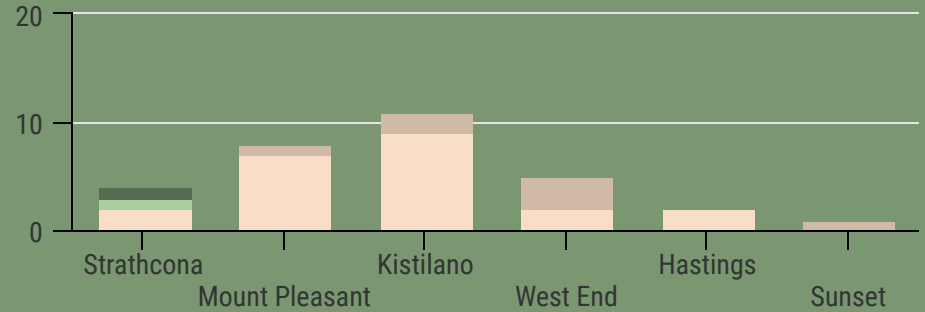
Population Percentage by Region (n=10960)



- West End
- Oakridge
- Downtown
- Renfrew Collingwood
- Kitsilano
- Hastings
- Killarney
- Fairview
- Other
- Sunset



Asset Distribution per Region



- Restuarants
- Grocery Stores
- Food Banks
- Charities & Community Centres

NEXT STEPS



Further analysis of the food environment with updated statistics and physical locations that have no online accessibility.



Increase the number of collaborations with community organizations and charities that benefit the Latin American community in Vancouver.



Look into regions with low asset:population ratio to understand if there is an information gap.



Based on further understanding of the food assets and demographics of the Latin American community, encourage community engagement with representative groups to understand their visions and hopes for the future of food systems in the city.

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