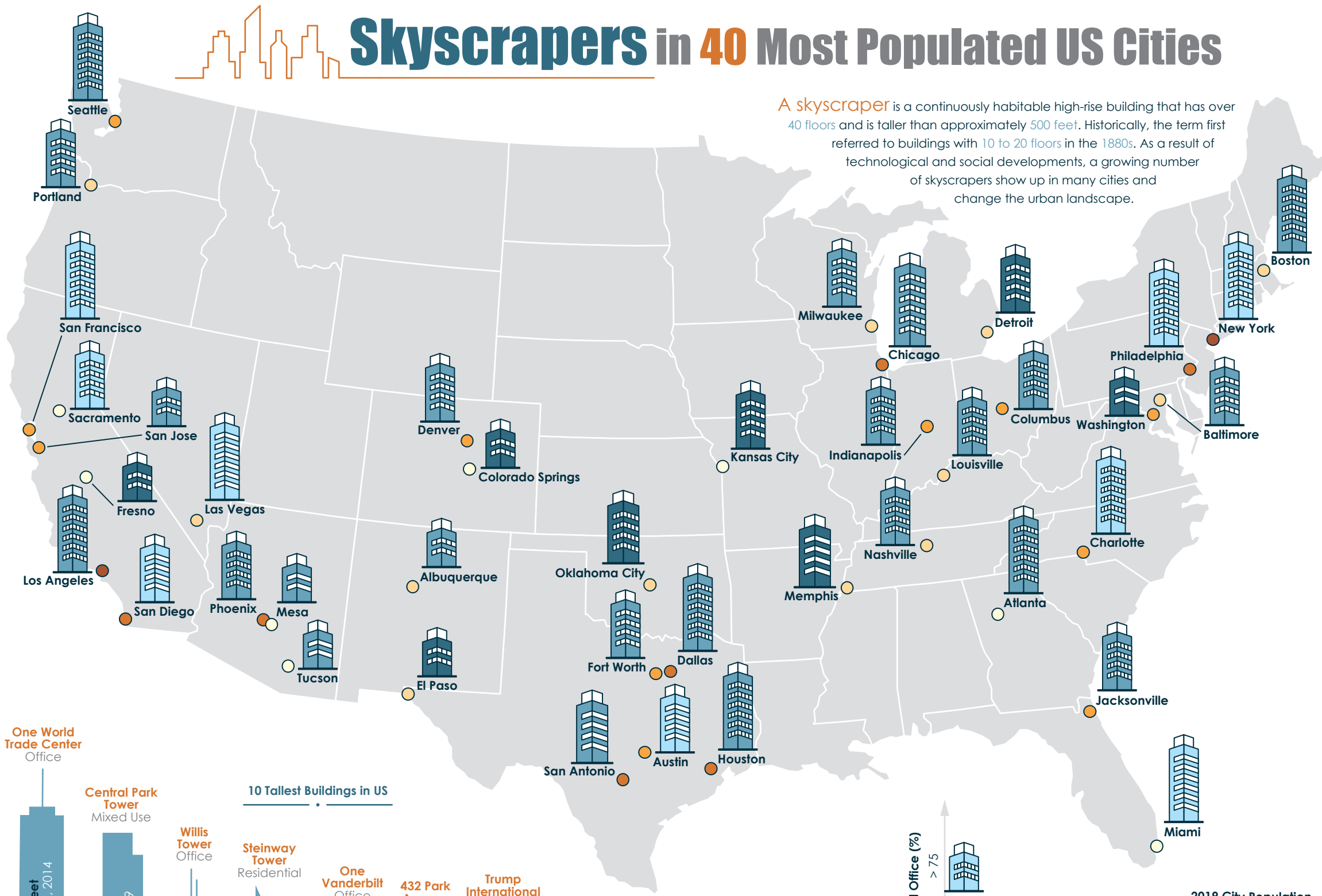


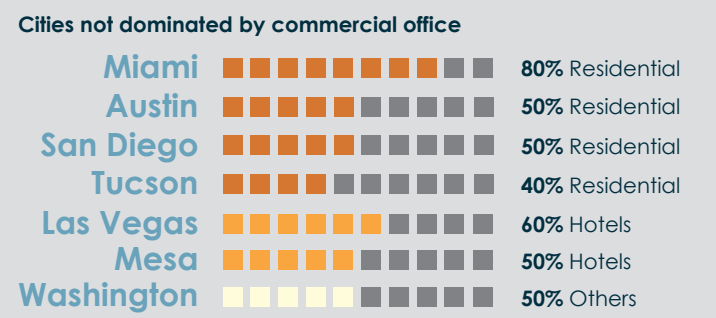
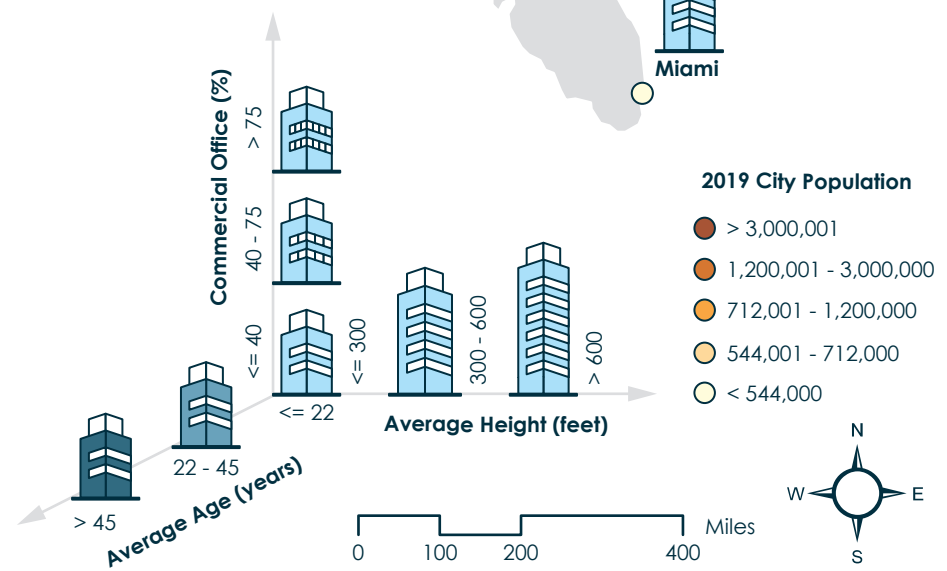
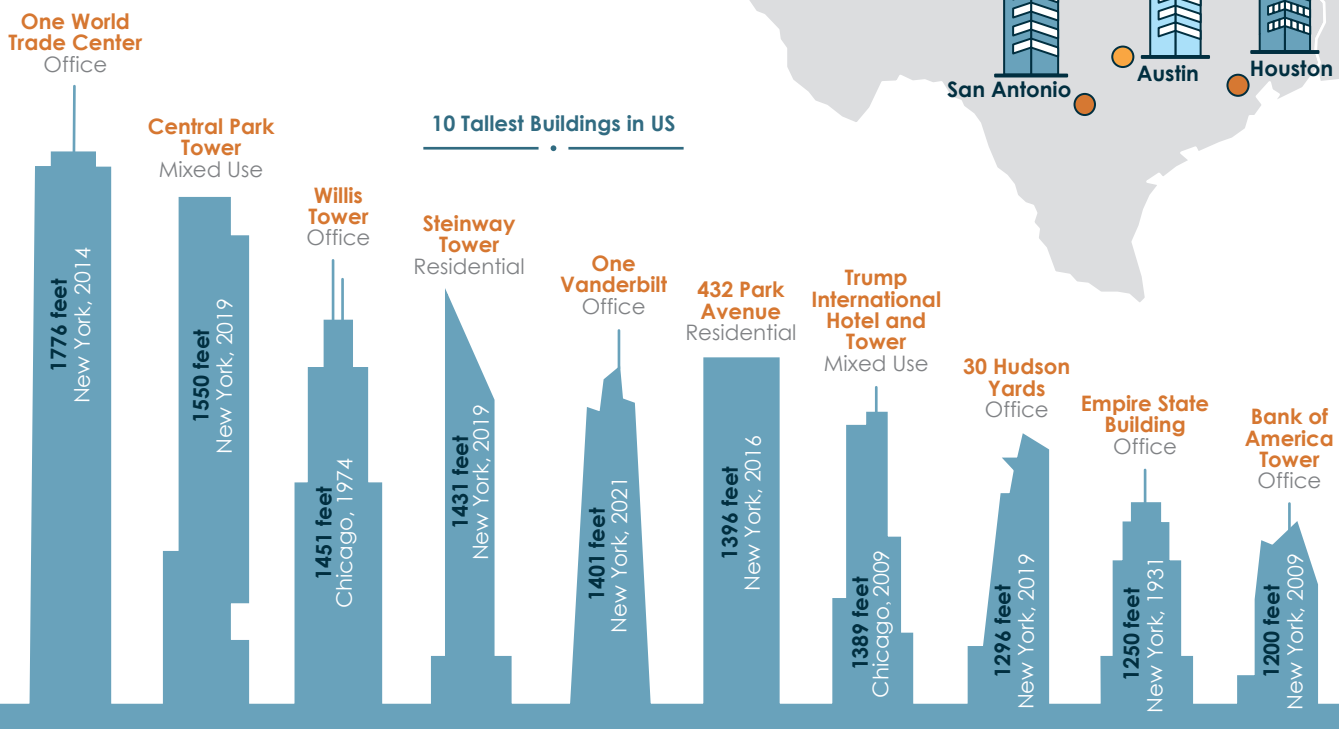
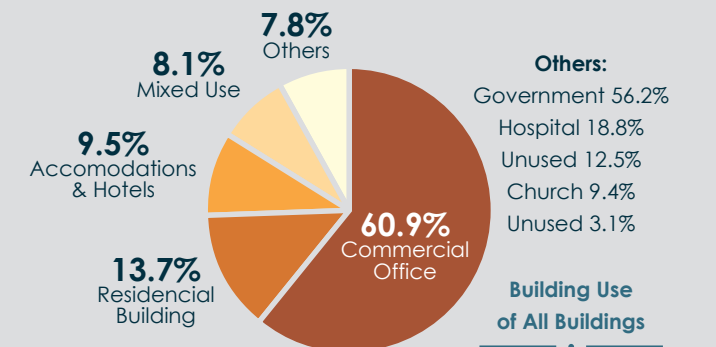
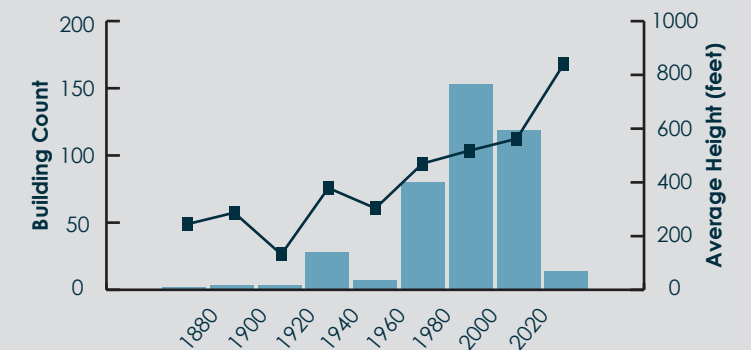
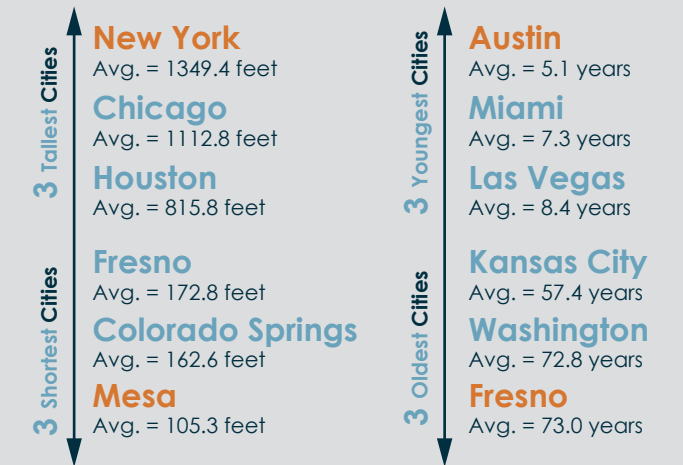
Skyscrapers in 40 Most Populated US Cities

A skyscraper is a continuously habitable high-rise building that has over 40 floors and is taller than approximately 500 feet. Historically, the term first referred to buildings with 10 to 20 floors in the 1880s. As a result of technological and social developments, a growing number of skyscrapers show up in many cities and change the urban landscape.



What do skyscrapers in US cities look like?

This statistics looked into 40 most populated cities in US. From each city, 10 tallest buildings were evaluated. Variables included building height, building age and building use. The result suggests a typical skyscraper for each city, and provides a general profile of US urban landscape.



Notes: 1. More than 10 buildings were selected if the 10th tallest buildings are tied.
 2. A building would be selected if it is under construction and will be completed before 2023.
 3. Only buildings were reviewed, therefore towers or other structures were not included.
 4. The height of roof top was used instead of the height of antenna if data were available.

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