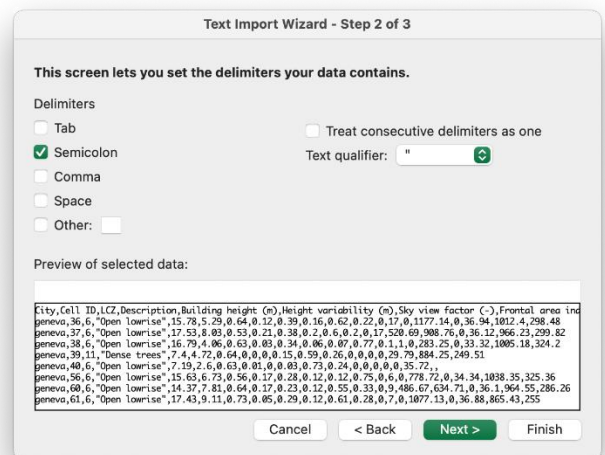
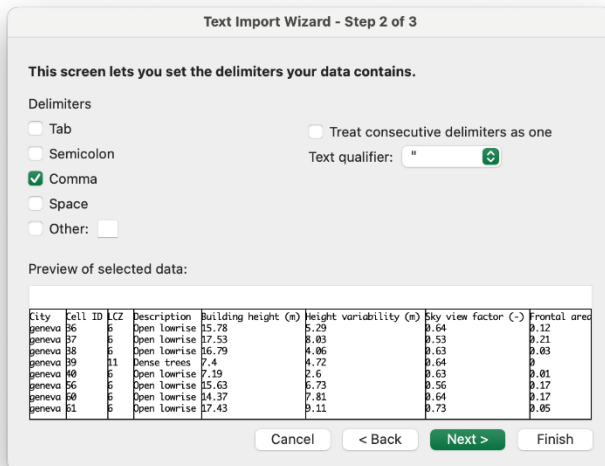


Data files opening issues:

- **If the CSV file is not separated into columns:**

For the CSV, it happens when the student's "locale" set to German, which uses the semicolon (";") instead of comma (",") to delimitate CSVs. When the student opens the data by double-clicking on Mac, Excel will not identify the delimiters and consider this as text. The standard way of opening a CSV file usually relies on **File > Import > Delimited > Next > Comma > Finish**. See two screenshots below from the import wizard, one with the Comma and one with the Semicolon delimiters. Any standard library for data analysis in Python or R (e.g., dplyr, pandas, polars) should be able to detect this and behave appropriately, but Excel needs some manipulations.



- **If you try to open the files on a Mac computer:**

The issue relates to the use of Safari. The student should simply use "Save as" to save the file on their computer.