WeRateDogs Twitter Archive - Wrangle Report

In this report I outline the wrangling efforts to wrangle the data required for analysis of the WeRateDogs Twitter Archive.

Data Gathering:

Data was gathered from 3 sources:

- 1. WeRateDogs Twitter Enhanced archive, manually downloaded from the Udacity servers.
- 2. The image predictions file, programmatically downloaded from the Udacity servers.
- 3. The entire set of each tweets' JSON data, downloaded by querying the Twitter API using the Tweepy library. The favorite_count, retweet_count and followers_count were extracted programmatically from this file.

Assessment & Cleaning:

After visual inspection and checking the data of the three files programmatically using Jupyter Notebook and pandas' functions, I identified several issues of quality and tidiness as follows: *Quality:*

- The name column represents the dog names which are all capitalized, so words that begin in lowercase are not a dogs' name as ("a", "the" and "an").
- There are 181 retweets (retweeted_status_id) and there are 78 replies (in_reply_to_status_id).
- There are only 2297 tweets with linked to images; so, 59 tweets are without images.
- The following redundant columns (in_reply_to_user_id, 'retweeted_status_user_id', 'retweeted_status_timestamp') may needs to be droped
- The data type for tumestamp is string and it contains '+0000' string.
- The rating_numerator column has incorrect values as (70, 7, 150, 11, 2).
- The rating_denominator column has incorrect values as (0, 2, 170, 6).
- The expanded_urls column has some repeated URLs in the same cell.
- There are 2075 image predictions only, the rest will be classified as "missing data".

Tidiness:

- There are 4 columns for dog breed (doggo, floofer, pupper, puppo) instead of one "dog_stage"
- The columns' names are not descriptive.
- The json_data table should be combined with the archive table.
- There are three columns to indicate is_dog instead of one in the image_prediction table.

Data Cleaning:

- For each quality and tidiness issue, the work flow was
 - 1- Define the cleaning steps.
 - 2- Write the appropriate code to clean.
 - 3- Test the results.
- After cleaning the clean data was saved in a comma separated values (.CSV) file.