Introduction

This report is on the data wrangling process that led to the creation of the twitter_archive_master.csv dataset file. Data wrangling is the process of gathering, cleaning and unifying messy and complex data sets for easy access and analysis.

Steps of Wrangling

- 1. Gathering data
 - In this step the "twitter_archive_enhanced.csv" dataset was loaded into a dataframe called tweet archive which was given to us.
 - The image prediction file was obtained using the requests library with this <u>link</u> and was saved as a file using os library and loaded into an image dataframe.
 - The retweet count and favorite count of the tweets id were obtained using the tweepy library to access the twitter api which created a json file which was read in a file and the id, retweet count and favorite count into retweets dataframe

2. Accessing data

The dataframes were assessed visually and problematically. Problematically assessment methods like info(), describe(), value_count() etc were used. Some of the quality and tidiness issues which were

- The wrong data type in the timestamp column.
- Irrelevant columns.
- Null represented as None in name, pupper, doggo, floofer and puppo column
- Text column shows evidence of gender
- Typographical error in dog names
- One Variable (Dog Stage) in 4 columns
- The same records in two different datasets
- Repetitive words in source column

3. Cleaning data

The dataframe was cleaned using the define code and test method. The dataframe were cleaned the following way:

- The timestamp column was changed from string to datetime datatype
- Irrelevant columns such as expanded url, text etc
- None values in name, pupper, doggo, floofer and puppo column were replaced with nan
- The dog gender was extracted from the text column
- The names of dogs in the names column with typographical errors were replaced with the right names
- The four columns of the dog stages were placed in a column

4. Storing data

The cleaned dataframe were stored in a csv file called twitter archive master.csv

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