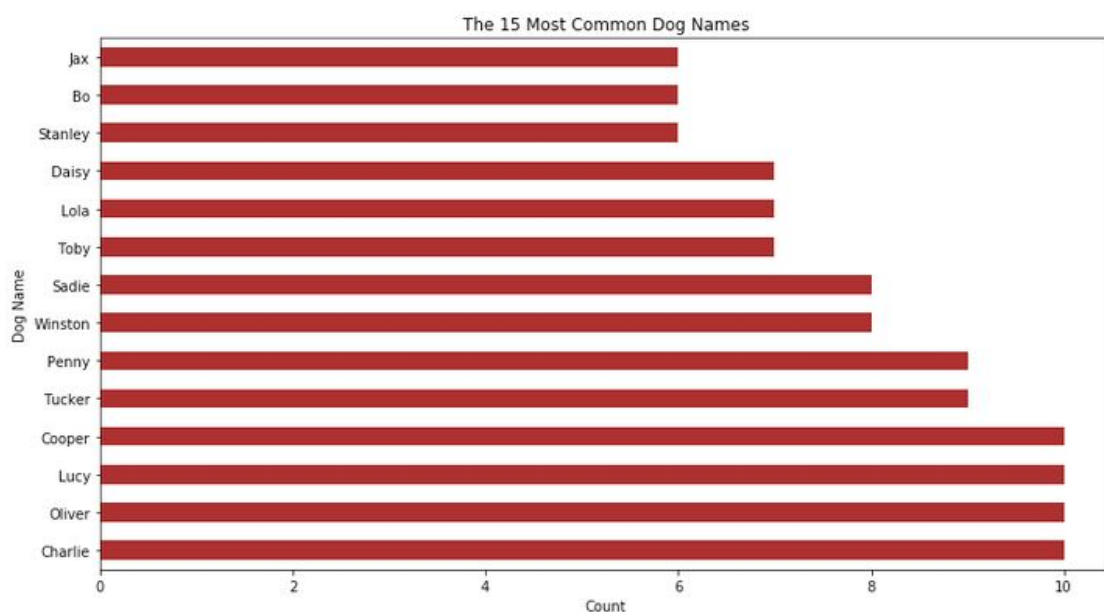
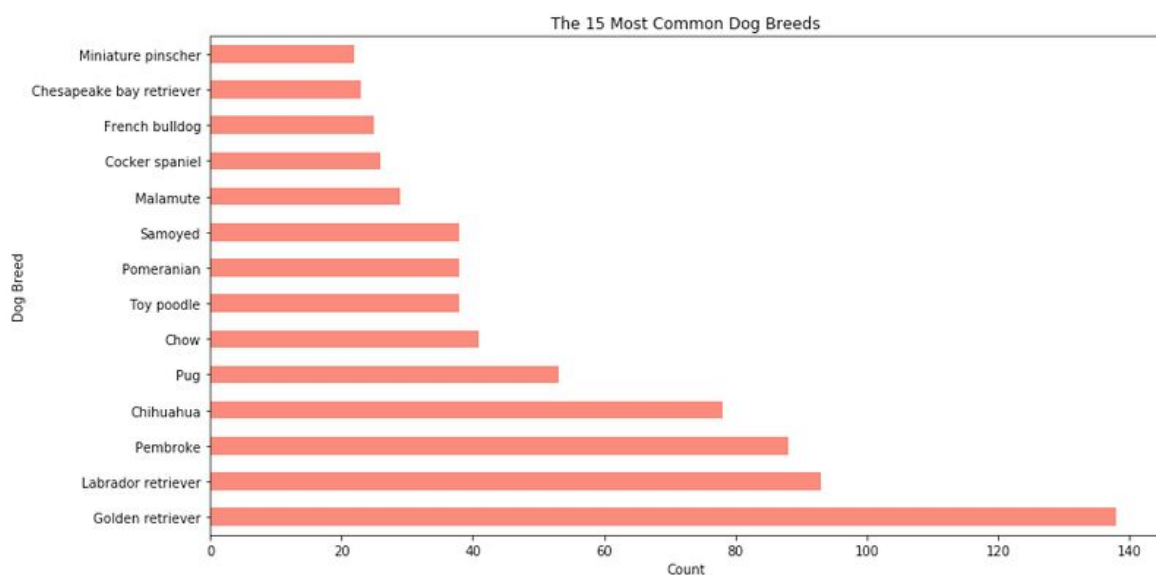


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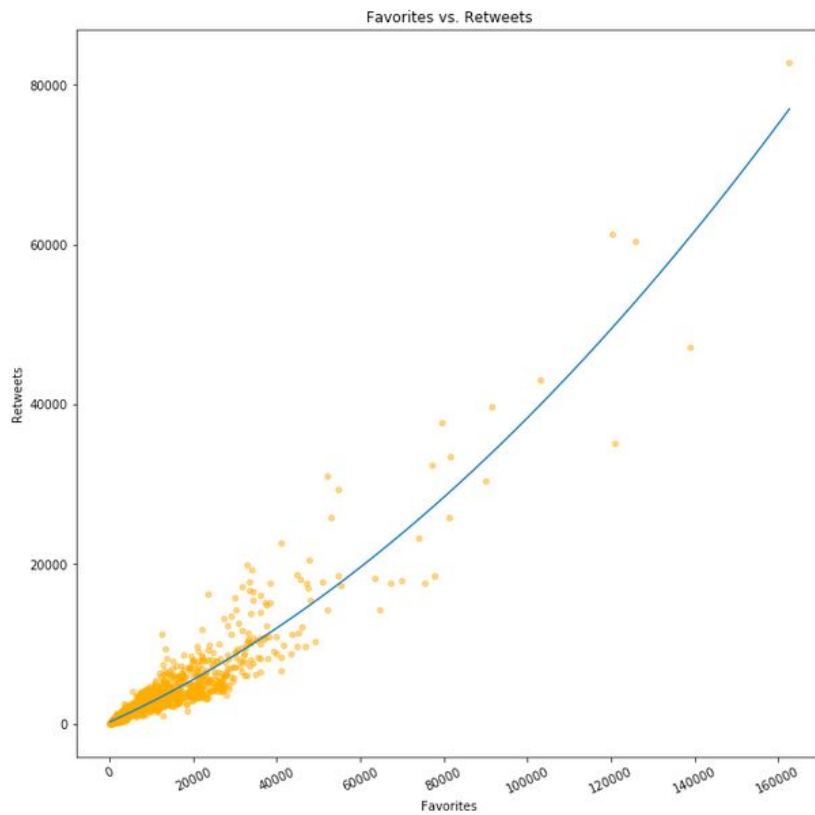
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We know that all dogs are good dogs. But what brings a dog to the goodest doggy level? In this report, I plan on analysing tweets provided by the WeRateDogs twitter account, which is completely dedicated to providing commentary to dog pictures and giving them a rating out of 10 or whatever for the doggos, floofers, puppers, and puppos of the world.

Before we dig into to how good the dogs are, let's look at the main players. When it comes to popularity of breeds and names, looks like golden retrievers are pretty common, and so are dogs named Charlie, Oliver, Lucy and Cooper. To those who have a golden retriever with one of these names: it's okay, I completely understand the appeal.



Now for the good stuff. Here we see the retweets vs. favorites. Clearly they have a strong positive correlation, which grows ever so slightly in an exponential manner.



If we look closely, we can see that one dog did really really well. With 162708 favorites and a 82793 retweet count, we can see that this doggo resonated with the people of Twitter:



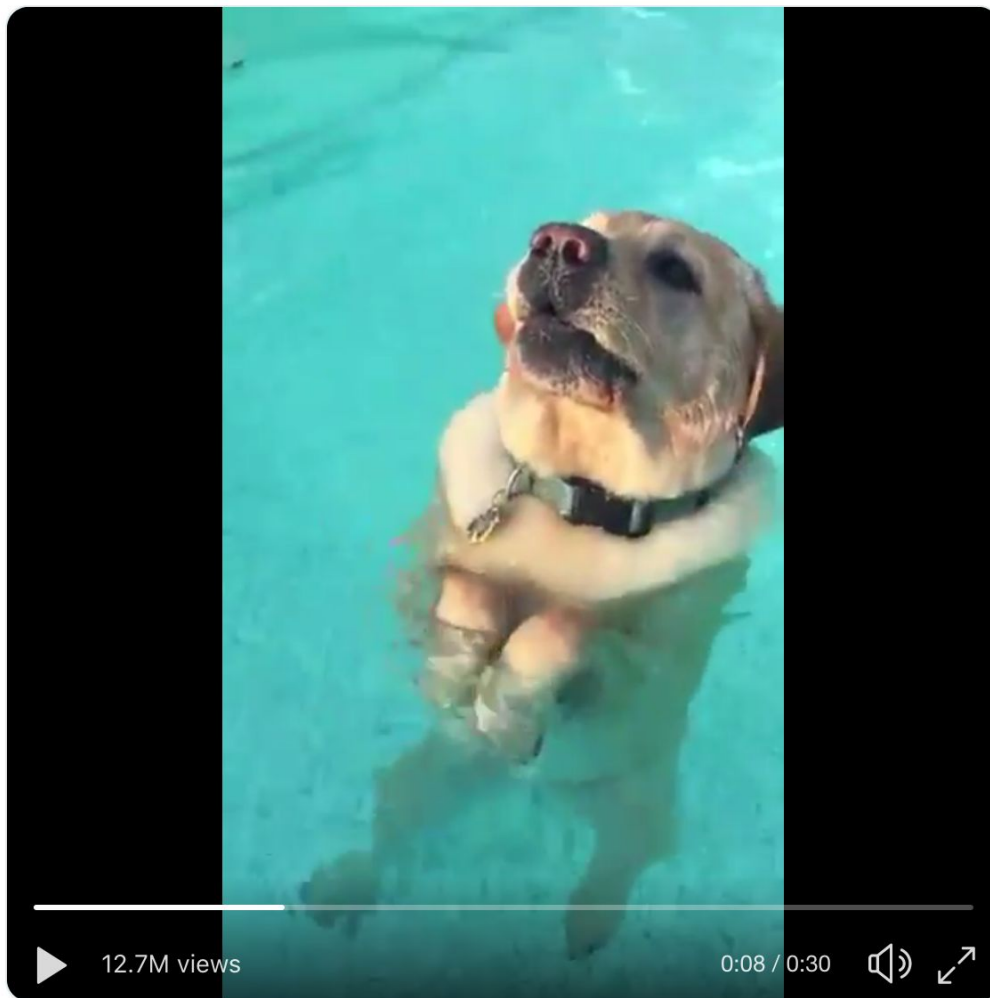
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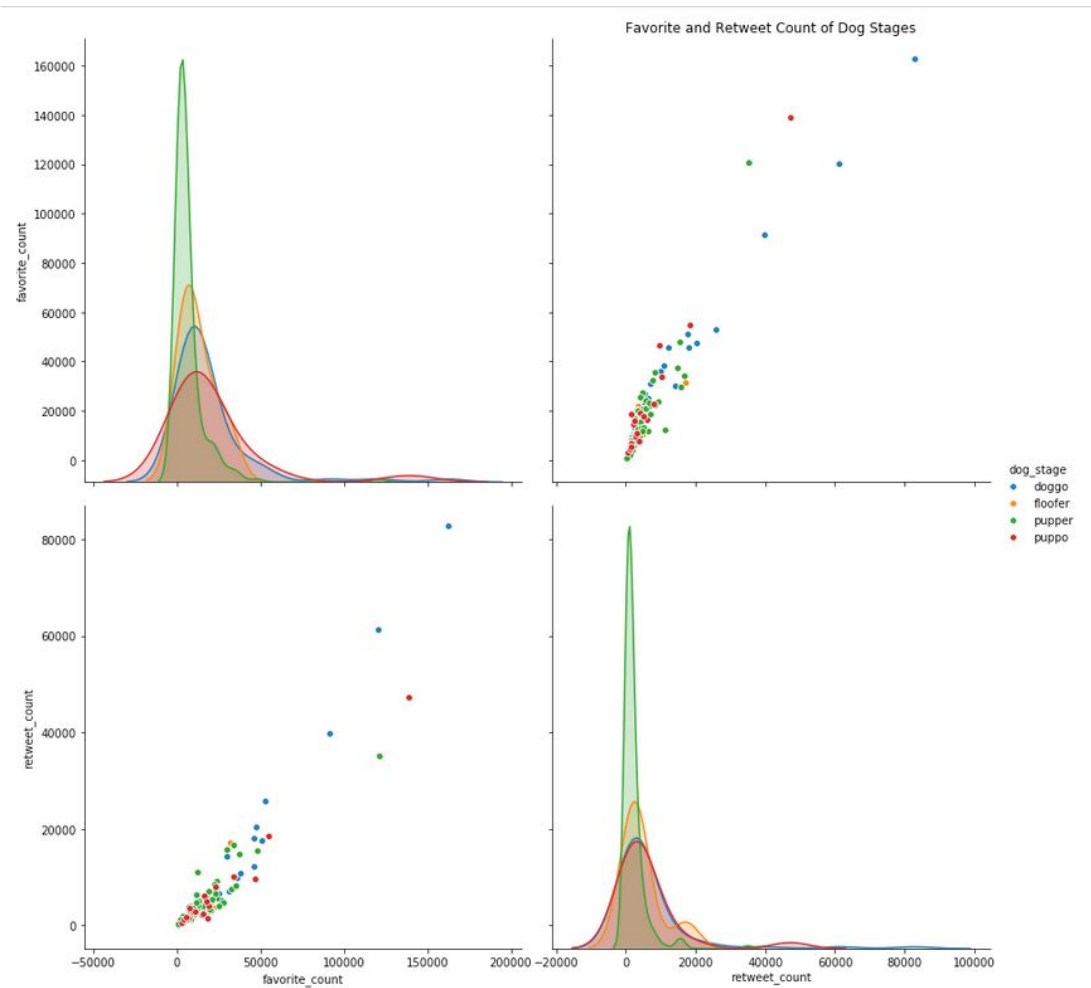


Here's a doggo realizing you can stand in a pool. 13/10 enlightened af (vid by Tina Conrad)

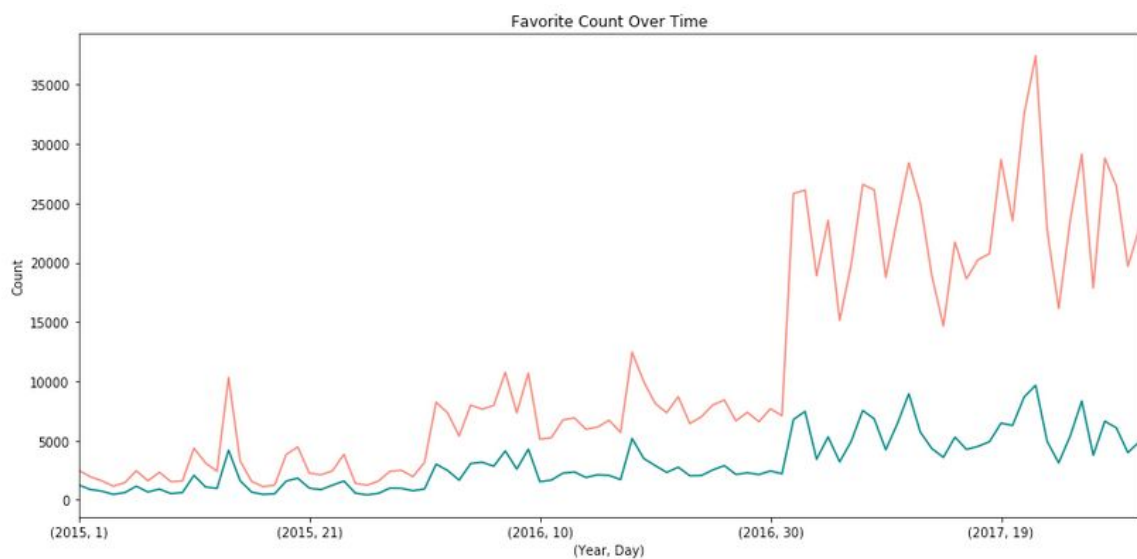


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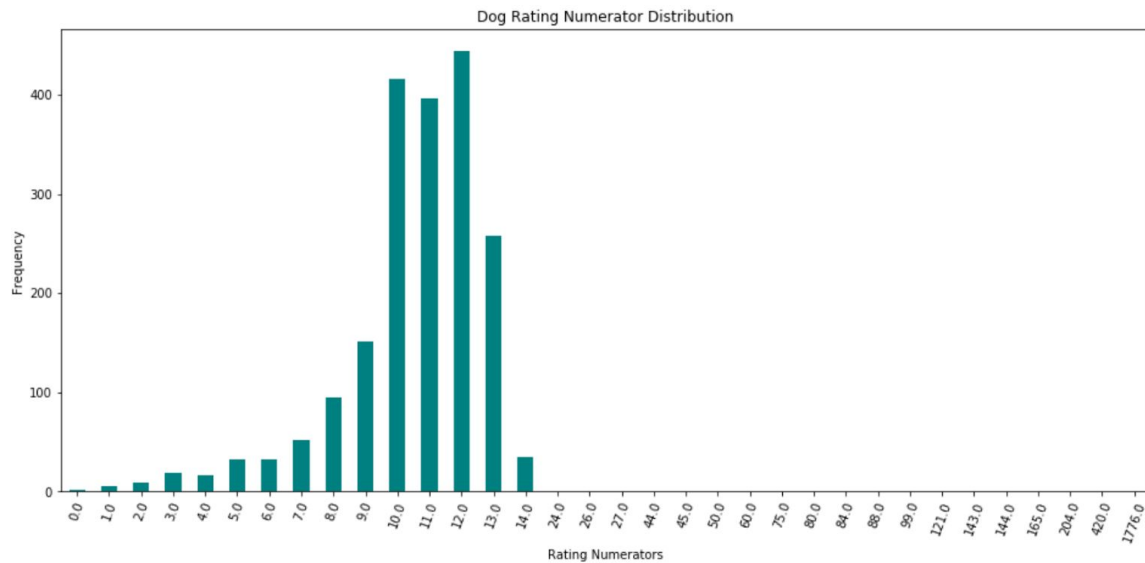
Now back to the regular dogs. After all, not everyone can be as popular as this doggo. Here we can see the favoriting and retweeting of dogs in the various stages of dog life (sort of). We can see that people aren't as in love with puppos. Shame on those people. Doggos on the other hand hit a soft spot for many.



Now we can take a look at favoriting over time. Something clearly happened in 2016 that brought in a lot of attention. Good thing, we need more people to know how good these dogs are.



Last but not least, let's look at how much WeRateDogs likes these dogs. When looking at just the numerators (assuming the denominator is often 10), we can see that a few of these pups go beyond 14, but the pups seem to result in a regular old distribution around 10, 11 and 12.



As for the poor dogs with 0 and 1 ratings, turns out most of them aren't actually dogs, so the WeRateDogs team is understandably disappointed. I for one, would also be disappointed if someone sent me this picture of just a carpet and table:



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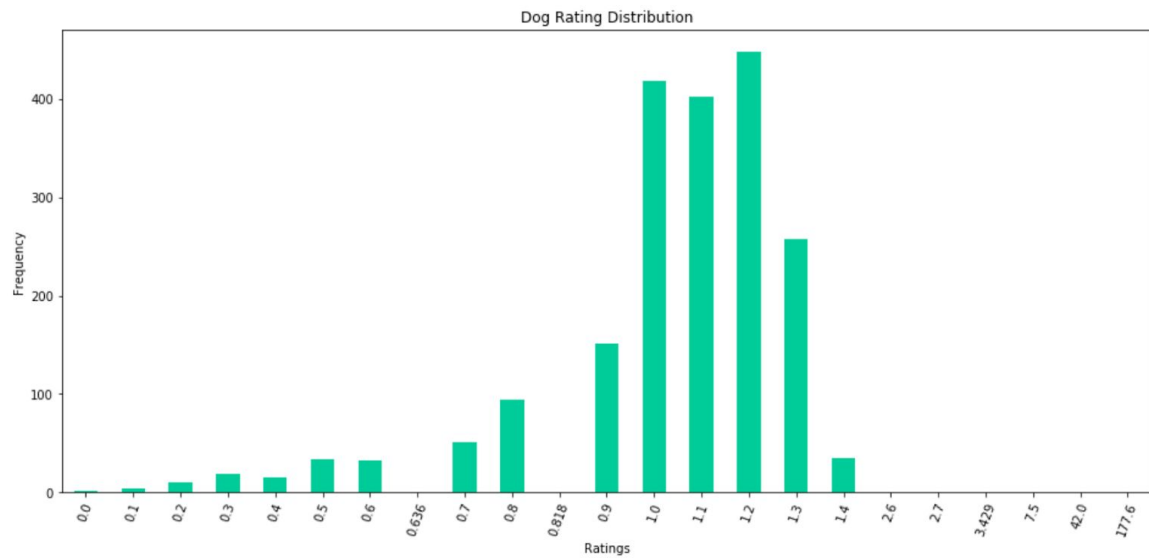
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What kind of person sends in a picture without a dog in it? 1/10 just because that's a nice table



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And if we look at the rating where the numerator is divided by the denominator (thanks to the WeRateDogs team sometimes rejecting the denominator of 10), we can see it's pretty much the same. No surprises here.



Overall, dogs are good. Sometimes dogs are favorited, retweeted, and rated higher, but I don't care because all dogs are perfect in my eyes.