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Data Wrangling of We Rate Dogs Twitter Data

I was given access to the following three sources of information: A file twitter_archive_enhanced.csv that I downloaded, image_predictions.tsv which I pulled from a url via a request, and tweet_json.txt which I pulled via the twitter API using Tweepy.

There were many issues with the data that I could have addressed. For the purposes of this project I worked on the following (8) quality issues and two (2) tidiness issues.

List of Quality issues:

- 1. Replace & amp; in text with just &.
- 2. Convert id to string in tweet info dataframe.
- 3. Convert tweet id to a string in twitter archive dataframe.
- 4. Convert tweet_id to a string in image predictions dataframe.
- 5. Rename tweet info id to tweet id to merge it with the other two dataframes.
- 6. Convert datetime from string to datetime.
- 7. Remove columns that contain no information, and the redundant dog stage columns.
- 8. Some of the name records in Twitter Archive contain articles (the, an, a) instead of actual names. I will rename them to None for consistency.

List of Tidiness Issues

- 1. Merge all lists into a master list.
- 2. Combine Dog Stages into one column.

Issues that I ran into.

Most of the issues were pretty straightforward to resolve. There were three issues that were difficult to resolve. First was every time I ran the jupyter notebook cells I kept adding on to the dataframe. I finally included logic that would check if the file exist locally and skip the import. The next issue was converting datetime to the datetime datatype. To resolve the datetime issue I had to figure out the proper format that would allow the column to be properly converted. Finally was merging the 3 dataframes into 1. When trying to merge the 3 databases I ran into a lot of issues of the datatypes not matching. I went through and converted all the columns to the same datatype and after everything matched I merged all of the datasets together and saved it locally as twitter_archive_master.csv. To put together my insights and visualization I put together a dataframe of mean of the favorite and retweet counts compared to count of dog breeds.