

# **SemEval 2015 Task 1: Paraphrase and Semantic Similarity in Twitter**

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## **Abstract**

Hoanh and I decided that we would do the SemEval 2015 Task 1 which is paraphrase and semantic similarity in Twitter. The task description is as follows, Given two sentences, the participants are asked to determine whether they express the same or very similar meaning and optionally a degree score between 0 and 1. Following the literature on paraphrase identification, we evaluate system performance primarily by the F-1 score and Accuracy against human judgements.

## **1 Introduction**

Our first task with this project was to translate the original starting code from Python to Java. Or read stuff...

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