Analyzing WeRateDogs

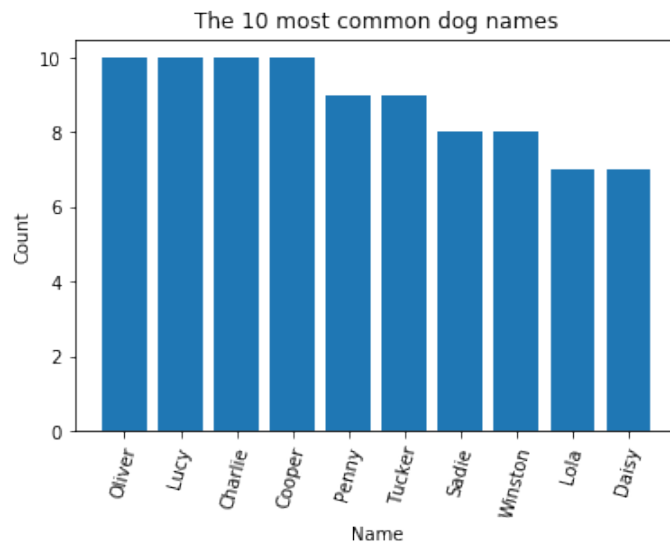## Jean-Pierre Distler

1 Introduction

The WeRateDogs twitter account rates dogs in a humorous way. Ratings usually have a denominator of 10 and a nominator greater than 10.

WeRateDogs has over 8 million followers and more than 10000 tweets.

In the following part questions like: Which dog type is the most common? will be answered.
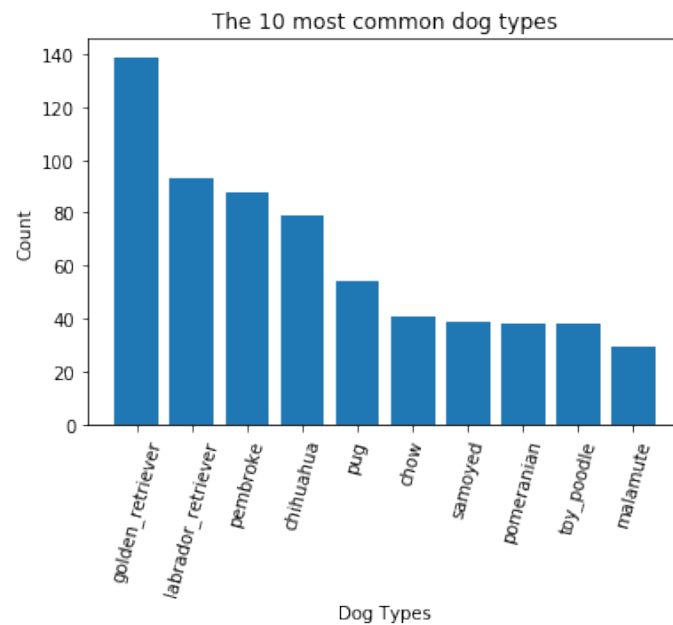
2 Which dog name is the most common?

The most common names were: Lucy, Oliver, Charlie and Copper with 10 occurences each, but most of the tweets did'nt contain a name.
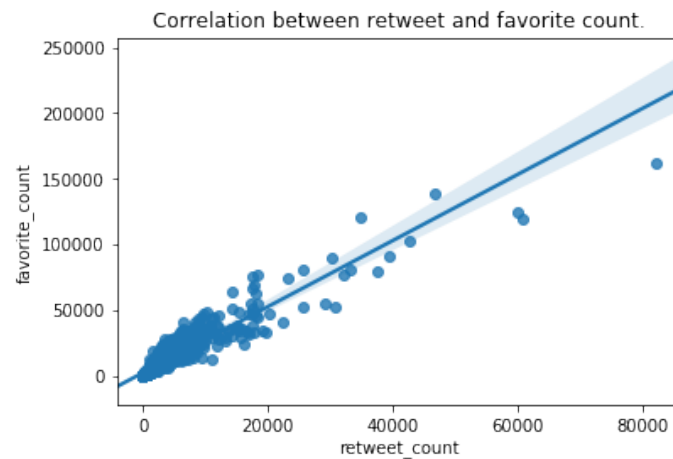
3 Which dog type is the most common?

The dataset contained about 2000 tweets and the most rated dog was a Golden Retriever with about 140 ratings.

4 Retweet and favorite counts?

Tweets that are often retweeted are more likely to be favorited.

5 Rating influences retweets?

Tweets with a good rating are more likely to be retweeted and the best chance for a retweet is with a rating of 13.