

Tweet Annotation Guideline

Purpose: To classify a tweet as **humorous** (or attempting at humor), for the given dataset. This is a *binary classification* problem.

What counts as humor?

- A tweet containing a 😂 or similar emoji, acronyms like **lol**, **lmao**, **rofl** are most likely humorous
- Tweets that are *sarcastic* or making fun of things, even possibly a bit offensive.
- Innuendos, double entendres, a hint of vulgarity.
- Tweets that have references to funny things (through retweets, links).
- Exaggerations, dramatic tweets

What doesn't count?

- Trivia, facts, news headlines
- Religious, political tweets
- Racist, extremely offensive tweets.
- Statements that make absolutely no attempt at humour.

If you are not sure whether a tweet is humorous, you may mark it as **unsure**. Even if a part of a sentence is humorous, regardless of the rest of the text, it is counted as humorous.

Examples

Humor (Positive examples)

1. @ABC He left his Dad and Uncle in the parking lot. \$2 bucks for parking! like shooting Doe in a barrel! Come in <https://t.co/qFlxWgJvJs> ("like shooting Doe in a barrel")
2. @jdbrito_ Lmfaooo gtfo
3. How do you grow up in LA & become an angel fan lmao
4. @1funnymike: If a mf act like they're better off without you, make them stand on that shit (Exaggeration - "make them ...")
5. @woudi__: God the bills you created for men they down here tryna split them with us. (Attempt at humor)
6. @PAYDAYGame SWITCH 🎮 UPDATE 🎮 WHEN
7. I think Freddy Krueger in yo house sis 😬

Not Humorous (Negative examples)

1. @LegionHoops: Jabari Parker will sign a 2-year deal with the Atlanta Hawks, via The Athletic.
2. RT @DailyMendesLife: I am obsessed with @DavidDobrik friends Im gonna try everything to be in his vlogs!- Shawn #ShawnMendesThe
3. @RepValDemings Great news!
4. @larryelder: "@KamalaHarris unveils \$100 billion black homeownership plan" Where's the black rental income plan? And is this in ADDITIO

5. Raze the evil Lord Jesus, raze the evil and bring to justice ALL those involved, in Jesus's Name we pray, Yes and Aâ€| <https://t.co/DBFTOGvXdR>
6. Do you stand up when you watch the national anthem on tv?
7. GUYS!!! i didnt count calories for dinner today so i prob ate like 500 or 600 but idc i feel full and i might have a nutrigrain bar