What is the purpose of data? One reason is evaluation, as the Penn Treebank paper said. I mention the PTB because in the "old days", it was in some sense the canonical dataset. Here's an example results table (EMNLP 2011):

Maybe we just need new data all the time? Jacob Eisenstein tweet, Jun 1 2015

Recall the landscape: new data introduced, then "solved" or "broken".

Demos for two NLP tasks (we can try to break the algorithm in class)

1. Sentiment analysis demo at AllenNLP. Task considered in the "Build it Break it" data, and so will probably be an option for A3, since there's "regular" training data and "challenge" test sets.

2. Textual Entailment demo at AllenNLP. Task considered in the "breaking" Levy et al. 2015 paper


Write your name here:

Write down three sentences you’d like to try the sentiment demo on.

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