# Weighted Reservoir Sampling On Evolving Streams: A Sampling Algorithmic Framework For Stream Event Identification

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# ABSTRACT

Data streams are becoming increasingly important across a wide array of fields and are generally expected to be the preferred form of big data as aggregators and smart stream analytics in general can efficiently yield stream descriptions in various levels. Among them, event detection analytics are paramount since they typically allow the identification of distinct cases of interest like the so called black swans. Reservoir sampling refers to probabilistic class of techniques for keeping representative values of a stream given limited memory capacity. In the proposed framework event detection takes place once reservoir sampling is complete by clustering its output. The rationale behind this is that repeated representative values correspond to normal stream states, whereas any outliers indicate rare yet noteworthy events. With that information a probabilistic stream state graph can be constructed in order to examine the transition dynamics between states and to evaluate the role black swans play in the overall stream stability. A major part of the descriptive power of said graph lies on its inherent geometric interpretation in addition to the algebraic one. Results from two benchmark datasets, one coming from real world and a random one, are encouraging. The proposed framework is planned to be executed in Raspberry Pi as part of an IoT stack since it is sufficiently lightweight.

# **CCS CONCEPTS**

- Information systems; - Mathematics of computing  $\rightarrow$  Probability and statistics;

# **KEYWORDS**

reservoir sampling, data streams, geometric analytics, clustering, outlier discovery, probabilistic state graphs, black swan, IoT

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## **1** INTRODUCTION

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Data streams are among the fundamental notions in the big data field as in an overwhelming number of engineering scenarios, especially in the context of smart cities, data collection and broadcast over streams from a plethora of heterogeneous IoT devices is standard practice in the field. Although streams are operationally quite less than tractable as a rule since they contain data to be mined and utilized within a short time frame, tailored stream analytics including among others aggregators and adaptive schemes capture at least the main characteristics of the underlying stream while maintaining an acceptable level of computational complexity.

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Reservoir sampling is a class of probabilistic methodologies designed for identifying and storing significant stream values under the hard constraint of limited available memory capacity, translating to a tight correctness requirement for any decision algorithm designating stream values as important and progressively creating a stream summary. However, there is no distinction as to whether these values signify a normal condition or state of the underlying steam or they are *black swans*, namely rarely occurring events deserving special handling, nor do they reveal transition dynamics. The latter fact is the principal motivation behind this work.

The primary research objective of this paper is a three-phase framework for constructing a probabilistic state graph summarizing a stream. Specifically, once reservoir sampling is complete, the resulting values are clustered with outliers deemed as singular events, whereas in the final stage said graph is created based on transition dynamics. Besides attaining reasonable space and time complexity, the proposed framework has increased descriptive power driven from both probability theory and geometry, given that the shape of each individual cluster as well as the stream state graph topology

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play a major role. This not only does pave the way for advanced geometric stream analytics, including heuristics, but also differentiate this work from most previous approaches.

The remainder of this paper is structured as follows. In section 2 the recent scientific literature regarding reservoir sampling, data streams, and geometric analytics is briefly overviewed. The proposed framework is described in detail in section 3, whereas the results obtained from the experiments are presented in section 4. Future research directions are given in 5. Technical acronyms are explained the first time they are encountered in the text. Finally in table 1 the notation of this work is summarized.

Table 1: Notation of this paper.

Symbol	Meaning	First in
$\stackrel{\triangleq}{=} \{s_1, \dots, s_n\}$ $ S $ $S_1 \setminus S_2$ $\operatorname{prob} \{\Omega\}$	Definition or equality by definition Set with elements $s_1, \ldots, s_n$ Set cardinality functional Asymmetric set difference Probability of even $\Omega$ occurring	Eq. (1) Eq. (1) Alg. 1 Alg. 1 Eq. (7)
$\left< p_1 \mid \mid p_2 \right>$ $\left\  \mathbf{x} \right\ _2$	Kullback-Leibler divergence Euclidean norm	Eq. (20) Eq. (13)

## 2 PREVIOUS WORK

Sampling across distributions is a significant concept in statistics, probability, systems engineering, and other fields that make use of stochastic models ([7, 33, 35, 38]). Markov Chain Monte Carlo (MCMC) techniques [25, 26] are often utilized to generate samples that closely approximate a given multivariate probability distribution. In particular, MCMC employs repeated random sampling to exploit the law of large numbers. Samples are generated by running a Markov Chain, which is created such that its stationary distribution follows the input function, for which a proposal distribution is used. It is feasible to decrypt encrypted documents [11], optimize functions [36], estimate integrals using generalized liner mixed models, and discover approximate solutions to non-deterministic polynomial-time (NP) hard problems using the Metropolis-Hastings algorithm. Markov Chain sampling schemes are introduced in [31] along with different possible combinations for sampling. Additionally, MCMC methods can be utilized for parameter estimation [32] while weighted stochastic versions of MCMC methods are introduced in [16].

Mining complex data streams for non-trivial knowledge is challenging [34]. It can take a multitude of forms such as regular event repetition discovery [8]. Window models are a viable alternative [22] with landmark window [13], sliding window [6, 41], and damped window [39] being the main approaches. Another strategy is to acquire representative samples with reservoir sampling [17, 28]. Another approach is to use neural networks for sampling user and item reviews to construct recommendation systems [12, 23].

Clustering and outlier detection have been widely studied in the recent years [5, 14, 29, 42]. The most frequently applied technique on clustering is k-means. Subsequent improvements include estimates of the number of clusters through k-median [3] or unlabeled multiclass SVMs [45]. STREAM relies on the notion of data distribution [19]. CluStream was designed to exploit information obtained by progressive clustering [2]. Due to the large number of clusters that must be created or manually picked at each phase human supervision is required [2]. As per [1], streamKM++ is a stream processing clustering methodology that is the foundation of the work in [4]. Cluster recovery can be done using data discrepancies that are specific to them [20] while tracking patterns in real time is proposed in [10].

Graph mining is a major driver across fields such as graph databases [15], Industry 4.0 process mining, social media analysis [9], logistics [21], and human omics [43, 44]. A related field is that of geometric analytics have found their way to distributed implementations such as the computational geometry pipelines for Hadoop in [30]. Moreover, frameworks for computational geometry have been introduced in MapReduce [18] while sampling across complex geometric objects is outlined in [24]. Visual analytics as well as heuristics for spatial clustering are presented in [37]. Finally, the pre-print version of this work can be found in [27].

# **3 METHODOLOGY**

# 3.1 Overview

In this section the proposed framework is described for the particular case where the k-means algorithm with the Euclidean norm as distance metric for illustration purposes. Said framework operates along a line of reasoning where outliers or black swans are unique and exceptional events and consists of the following distinct steps:

- Reservoir sampling selects representative stream values.
- Clustering discovers outliers and unique events.
- The stream state graph is constructed.

The proposed framework is lightweight enough to be implemented on Raspberry pi as part of an IoT operations stack.

# 3.2 Reservoir Sampling

Assume the *n* items  $x_i$  being streamed come are drawn from a countable population set *V* as shown in equation (1) according to a fixed and known distribution. Moreover, to each  $x_i$  corresponds a not necessarily unique and known weight  $w_i$ .

$$V \stackrel{\scriptscriptstyle \Delta}{=} \{x_1, \dots, x_n\} \tag{1}$$

Random sampling without replacement requires selecting k distinct random items from a population of n individuals and equally distributing them among them. When all items have an equal probability of being picked, this is referred to as homogeneous random sampling. Weighted random sampling is a strategy whereabouts items are weighed, and the probability of any item being picked is indicated by the relative weight of the sample.

Algorithm 1 performs weighted random sampling without replacement. In particular let  $\pi_j(i)$  denote the probability of selecting the *j*-th item in  $V \setminus S$  in the *t*-th round

$$\pi_j(t) \stackrel{\scriptscriptstyle \Delta}{=} \frac{w_j}{\sum_{s_t \in V \setminus S} w_t} \tag{2}$$

The algorithm 2 performs non-replacement weighted random sampling in line with the approach of the algorithm 1.

PROOF. Consider the case when k = 1. Calculate the likelihood that the first item will be chosen. This necessitates the satisfaction

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Algorithm 1 Weight Based Sampling

**Require:** A set *V* of *n* weighted items.

**Ensure:** Obtain  $S \subset V$  such that |S| = k.

1: For values ranging from t = 1 to k

2: Assign  $\pi_i(t)$  as in (2).

3: Choose a random item  $v_i$  from  $V \setminus S$  and insert it into the *S*.

## Algorithm 2 Weight Based Random Sampling

**Require:** A set *V* of *n* weighted items.

**Ensure:** Ascertain the existence of  $S \subset V$  such that |S| = k.

- 1: *xi* is a sample from an unbiased uniform distribution spanning the interval [0, 1], and the key for each  $v_i$  in *V* is specified as  $k_i = x_i^{1/w_i}$ .
- 2:  $x_i$  is a sample from an unbiased uniform distribution spanning the interval [0, 1], and the key for each  $v_i$  in V is specified as  $k_i = xi^{1/w_i}$ .

of the following inequality:

$$x_1^{1/w_1} > \max\left[x_i^{1/w_i}\right], \quad 2 \le i \le n$$
 (3)

Assume that  $p_i$  is the likelihood that the very first element is chosen whenever condition (4) is satisfied:

$$i = \operatorname{argmax}\left[x_{j}^{1/w_{j}}\right], \quad 2 \leq j \leq n$$
(4)

As a result, we have:

$$p_i \stackrel{\scriptscriptstyle \triangle}{=} \int_0^1 \left( 1 - x^{w_1/w_i} \right) x^{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n_j}}{w_i}} dx \tag{5}$$

In (5) the following shorthand notation is used:

$$\sum_{\hat{i},\hat{j}} \triangleq 1 + \ldots + i - 1 + i + 1 + \ldots + j - 1 + j + 1 + \ldots + n \quad (6)$$

As a result,  $p = \sum_{i} p_i$  is the probability of such scenario.

The equation (5) is derived as follows. Let  $c_0$  be a constant value for the sample  $x_i$ . Then the condition (7) holds with probability:

$$\operatorname{prob}\left\{x_{1}^{1/w_{1}} > c_{0}^{1/w_{i}}\right\} = 1 - c_{0}^{w_{1}/w_{i}}$$
(7)

Similarly, the condition (8) holds with probability:

$$\operatorname{prob}\left\{x_{j}^{1/w_{j}} < c_{0}^{1/w_{i}}\right\} = c_{0}^{w_{j}/w_{i}}, \quad \forall j, 2 \le j \ne i \le n$$
(8)

Then, since the samples are generated stochastically independently, the likelihood of any scenario can be computed by multiplying the above probabilities and integrating over the probability space of the samples  $x_i$ . The latter is the standard interval  $I_0 = [0, 1]$  with constant density function equal to one.

We obtain the following by solving the integral from (5) :

$$p_i \stackrel{\scriptscriptstyle \Delta}{=} \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\sum_{i,1} w_j}{w_i}} - \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\sum_i w_j}{w_i}} = \frac{w_i}{\sum_{\hat{1}} w_j} - \frac{w_i}{\sum w_j}$$
(9)

Immediately it follows that:

$$p = \sum_{\hat{1}} p_i = \frac{\sum_{\hat{1}} w_i}{\sum_{\hat{1}} w_j} - \frac{\sum_{\hat{1}} w_i}{\sum_{j=1}^n w_j} = \frac{w_i}{\sum_{j=1}^n w_j}$$
(10)

This outcome is identical to the second phase of algorithm 1, under the critical assumption that in each round the item with the largest key in  $V \setminus S$  will be picked.

Algorithm 3 is the reservoir sampling variant directly derived from algorithm 2. It should be noted that in steps 2 and 5 of algorithm 3 the key  $k_i$  for each random sample  $x_i$  drawn from an unbiased uniform distribution over  $I_0$  which is weighted by  $w_i$  is computed as shown in equation (11):

$$k_i \stackrel{\scriptscriptstyle \Delta}{=} x_i^{1/w_i} \tag{11}$$

As a sidenote, in some computational models the length of numbers in bits is a significant parameter determining the complexity of elementary operations. The length  $l_i$  of  $k_i$  is then given in (12):

$$l_i \stackrel{\scriptscriptstyle \Delta}{=} \left\lceil \log_2 k_i \right\rceil = \left\lceil \frac{\log_2 x_i}{w_i} \right\rceil \tag{12}$$

## Algorithm 3 Weight Based Reservoir Sampling

**Require:** A set *V* of *n* weighted items and reservoir *R*. **Ensure:** Ensure that exists a  $S \subset V$  such that |S| = k.

1: Initialize the *R* with the first *k* entries of *V*.

- 2: Compute key  $k_i$  of  $x_i \in R$  as in (11).
- 3: For any  $v_i \in V \setminus R$ , do the following:
- 4: Let  $k_m \in R$  be the smallest key.
- 5: Calculate the key for  $v_i$  as in (11).
- 6: If  $k_i > k_m$ , swap the  $x_i$  and  $x_m$ .

The algorithms 2 and 3 are equivalent because the algorithm 3 ensures that the items with the greatest k keys remain in the reservoir, either because they were originally began to be processed or because they will eventually be exchanged for an item with a lower key value.

### 3.3 Data Stream Clustering

The distance metric used in the context of this work for the *k*-means scheme was the Euclidean norm given in equation (13):

$$g(x_i, x_j) \triangleq \|x_i - x_j\|_2 \tag{13}$$

The geometric interpretation of (13) is that when the Euclidean distance is constant and equal to  $r_0$ , then  $x_i$  moves along the circumference of the circle whose center is  $x_j$  and its radius is  $r_0$ . Moreover, the Euclidean norm is invariant to linear translations and matrix unitary transforms but sensitive to scaling.

Apart from the conventional stages that are analogous to the class k-means method, the initial execution of the algorithm specifies the positions of k cluster centers premised on the positions of the k arbitrarily defined medoids, that is, on the spots of k database entries, in contrast to the conventional stages that are analogous to the class k-means mechanisms. As a result of performing the k-means procedure, we are able to maintain the resulting cluster centres for each cluster as well as the collection of samples, the Sum Squared Error (SSE) of each dimension of the individual clusters, and the SSE of the overall clustering. As a consequence, the items are eliminated to make room for new ones, allowing for the restart of the clustering process. The SSE [40] statistic is a frequently used

statistic for evaluating clustering techniques. The equation (14) is used to determine the SSE of a group.

$$SSE_{group} = \sum_{x \in C_i} g(x, m_i)^2$$
(14)

An element in the cluster  $C_i$  is denoted by x, and the centroid of a group is denoted by  $m_i$ . Due to the nature of clustering, the SSE of the whole clustering is defined as the summation of all k SSE values discovered in the subgroups, as seen in equation (15).

$$SSE_{total} \stackrel{\scriptscriptstyle \triangle}{=} \sum_{j=1}^{k} \sum_{x \in C_i} g(x, m_i)^2$$
(15)

Each dimension of a feature in our application has its own SSE, which is computed separately. For instance, while dealing with 2D data, we maintain the SSE for each group, as defined in Equation (14), as well as the SSE for each 1D and 2D, as provided in Equation (14). The SSE of a single dimension is calculated using the equation (16), as shown in the following expression. The width of a vector t divided by the sum of the squared differences among distances between a point x and its cluster centre  $m_i$ . This computation is carried out for each of the data set's d dimensions.

$$SSE_{dim}(t) = \sum_{x \in C_t} g(x_t, m_{i_t})^2 \quad \forall \quad t \in d$$
(16)

Equation (16) is paramount as it is indicative of the overall clustering performance. In general, the lower the standard deviation of a group, the more tightly distributed the points are, and the better the group. The SSE is also computed for each dimension since it enables us to identify whether or not the data is more equally distributed in that dimension. Apart from the SSE, a number of additional cluster quality indicators are provided, including homogeneity, group density, intragroup maximum and lowest, and a variety of others. With the second cluster of the data stream, it seems as if the baseline centroids are no longer fully random. This approach will use the final centroids locations from the previous clustering phase. This prevents the simultaneous exchange of locations between two or more centroids. This enables visualisation of the development of a particular cluster throughout the course of a data stream, for example.

#### 3.4 Probabilistic Graph Representation

In this subsection the final step of the proposed algorithmic framework is proposed, namely the construction of the probabilistic state graph representing the underlying stream. To this end, the vertices of the graph are required along with the edges between them and the respective transition probabilities. Vertex loops are allowed and in fact in certain scenarios expected for both mainstream and rare events. The former from their very definition cover considerable stream parts and the latter may indicate an irrecoverable situation.

Once clustering yields the set of actual events Q in the stream as shown in (17), it gets to serve as the graph vertex set. In this way, the bijection between the event set and the vertex set is guaranteed by construction, avoiding thus any matching issues.

$$Q \stackrel{\scriptscriptstyle \triangle}{=} \{q_1, \dots, q_n\} \tag{17}$$

The softmax score, which is extensively used as a Bayesian estimator of the true values of long observation vectors and, moreover, can be interpreted as an inherent distribution of that vector, shown in (18) is used to compute the state transition probabilities.

$$\operatorname{prob}\left\{q_{i} \to q_{j}\right\} \stackrel{\scriptscriptstyle{\triangle}}{=} \frac{\exp\left(n_{i,j}\right)}{\sum_{u,v} \exp\left(n_{u,v}\right)} = \frac{\exp\left(n_{i,j}\right)}{\exp\left(n\right)}$$
(18)

In (18)  $n_{i,j}$  is the number of transitions between any item of the *i*-th cluster to any of the *j*-th one. Therefore, cluster connectivity patterns are reflected in the stream graph. Notice that by construction the graph is not symmetric in the sense that the transition probability from  $q_i$  to  $q_j$  is in the general case different than that of the reverse transition. This is especially useful in the easy identification of black swan states by examining the ratio of (19).

$$\max\left[\frac{\operatorname{prob}\left\{q_{i} \to q_{j}\right\}}{\operatorname{prob}\left\{q_{j} \to q_{i}\right\}}\right] = \max\left[\exp\left(n_{i,j} - n_{j,i}\right)\right] \quad (19)$$

The representation explained above has the advantage of summarizing a potentially very long stream to a very compact form which nevertheless maintains the original information regarding event occurrences in an intuitive manner. Moreover, it allows the easy and efficient comparison of streams while avoiding massive computations. Third, state graphs focus on stream mechanics rather than on their populations, allowing therefore transfer learning methodologies. Thus, two streams of comparable parameters coming from different populations but having the same stochastic behavior in terms of event dynamics will result in two identical state graphs. A last key point is that a stream may contain more than one such events, being generated by mechanisms engineered to reflect real life including unexpected or exceptional events and even having their own flaws. This leads to the question of whether there is a connection between these rare events and whether there is an intrinsic connection between them, revealing thus the true cause of their occurrence. Consider for instance the case of very large object oriented software systems deployed as part of a critical infrastructure and operating in real time. Then, the reason for the appearance of an exception can be a previous one, revealing thus a hidden fatal code flaw which could be otherwise overlooked.

However, the proposed methodology requires knowledge of the steady state stream distribution, namely of the true distribution over the items being streamed. This can be obtained only by appropriate sketches of the stream or at least of large segments thereof which are of statistical importance. Additionally, said distribution may be evolving over time according to dynamics dictated by the underlying original data generation processes. This stochastic evolution may well range from changing distribution parameters to jumping to a different one or even cycling through distributions.

## 4 RESULTS

#### 4.1 Overview

The proposed reservoir sampling approach was tested using the Python 3.9 programming language and the development tool Py-Charm. The following packages are needed for setup: choice and numpy. The trials were done on the following hardware: CPU i9-10850k, 32GB RAM, Firecuda 530 NVMe disc, and Windows 11 operating system. We refer to samples obtained as *r*.

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The results of uniform sampling with and without replacement are represented in section 4.2, while the results of weighted sampling with or without replacement are given in section 4.3.

In this section comparing two discrete distributions is necessary. The Kullback-Leibler divergence of equation (20) is an established probabilistic asymmetric measure of the loss incurred when a discrete distribution p substitutes a reference one q defined as:

$$\langle p || q \rangle \stackrel{\scriptscriptstyle \Delta}{=} \sum_{k} p_k \log_b \left( \frac{p_k}{q_k} \right)$$
 (20)

The logarithm base b determines the units the aforementioned loss is measured in, bits in this case. For the special case when the reference distribution is the uniform one, the Kullback-Leibler divergence takes the special form of (21), which is the difference between the entropy of the uniform distribution u and that of p.

$$\langle p \mid \mid u \rangle \stackrel{\scriptscriptstyle \triangle}{=} \sum_{k=1}^{n} p_k \log_b (np_k) = \log_b n + \sum_{k=1} p_k \log_b p_k \qquad (21)$$

# 4.2 Uniform Based Sampling

We first create a continuous tensor *x* of size 10. For r = 3 of number of samples we perform:

(1) Sampling with Replacement

(2) Sampling without Replacement

The tensor obtained by scenario (1) is as follows:

tensor([3, 3, 9])
tensor([3, 9, 3])
tensor([3, 9, 3])
tensor([0, 3, 6])
tensor([9, 3, 6])

While for scenario (2) we obtain:

We therefore define a tensor of size 10 on CUDA/GPU and it should be a contiguous tensor as shown in result below. Again for scenario (1) and (2) we obtain:

and

While we evaluate the sampling method against two libraries, *torch* and *numpy*. The evaluation metric for time is the average time per loop  $\pm$  mean std.

The two assessment tools used for development and outcomes are CUDA, a parallel computing platform powered by NVIDIA, and CPP, a C++ API. The reservoir sampling code was built in C++, and the benchmarks in Python. Figures were created using matplotlib.

For the CPP run, the findings for r = 2 are presented in 1. We have a uniform distribution with substitution on 1a, while we have a uniform distribution without substitution on 1b.



(b) Uniform Based Sampling without Substitution

#### Figure 1: Uniform Based Sampling with r=2 on CPP

The findings for r = 8 are presented in 2. We have a uniform distribution with replacement on 2a, while we have a uniform distribution without replacement on 2b.

For the CUDA run, the findings for r = 2 are presented in 3. We have a uniform distribution with replacement on 3a, while a uniform distribution without replacement is on 3b.

The findings for r=8 are presented in 4. We have a uniform distribution on 4a, while a uniform distribution without replacement is in 4b.

The results of evaluating the uniform distribution without using a substitute for r = 100 are displayed in table 2.

#### Table 2: Evaluation of Uniform Sampling for r=100.

r	Method	Substitution	Time Range
100	Torch	True	$5.72 \ \mu s \pm 15.89 \ ns$
100	Numpy	True	17.4 $\mu$ s ± 73.21 ns
100	Torch	False	14.3 $\mu$ s ± 101 ns
100	Numpy	False	129 $\mu \mathrm{s} \pm 2.08~\mu \mathrm{s}$

The results of evaluating the uniform distribution without using a substitute for r = 4500 are displayed in table 3.



(a) Uniform Based Sampling with Substitution



(b) Uniform Based Sampling without Substitution

Figure 2: Uniform Based Sampling with r=8 on CPP



(b) Uniform Based Sampling without Substitution

Figure 3: Uniform Based Sampling r=2 on CUDA



(a) Uniform Based Sampling with Substitution



(b) Uniform Based Sampling without Substitution

### Figure 4: Uniform Based Sampling with r=8 on CUDA

Table 3: Evaluation of Uniform Sampling for r=4500.

r	Method	Substitution	Time Range
4500	Torch	True	53.21 $\mu$ s ± 1.43 $\mu$ s
4500	Numpy	True	71.92 $\mu$ s ± 152 ns
4500	Torch	False	72.57 $\mu$ s ± 93.59 ns
4500	Numpy	False	$71.71 \mu s \pm 257 ns$

The results of evaluating the uniform distribution without using a substitute for r = 9000 are displayed in table 4.

Table 4: Evaluation of Uniform Sampling for r=9000.

r	Method	Substitution	Time Range
9000	Torch	True	95.41 $\mu\mathrm{s}\pm488~\mathrm{ns}$
9000	Numpy	True	125 $\mu$ s ± 1.15 $\mu$ s
9000	Torch	False	$48.42 \ \mu s \pm 674 \ ns$
9000	Numpy	False	137 $\mu \mathrm{s} \pm 1.41~\mu \mathrm{s}$

# 4.3 Weight Based Sampling

For the CPP run the results of assessing weighted sampling without substitution for r = 100 are summarised in table 5.

The results of assessing weighted sampling without substitution for r = 4500 are summarised in table 6.

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Table 5: Evaluation of Weighted Sampling for r=100.

r	Method	Substitution	Time Range
100	Torch	True	43.7 $\mu$ s ± 536 ns
100	Numpy	True	110 $\mu$ s ± 903 ns
100	Torch	False	235 $\mu$ s ± 3.67 ns
100	Numpy	False	172 $\mu$ s ± 2.3 $\mu$ s

Table 6: Evaluation of Weighted Sampling for r=4500.

r	Method	Substitution	Time Range
4500	Torch	True	407 $\mu$ s ± 4.7 $\mu$ s
4500	Numpy	True	495 $\mu$ s ± 8.65 $\mu$ s
4500	Torch	False	$295 \ \mu s \pm 600 \ ns$
4500	Numpy	False	1.27 ms $\pm$ 4.14 $\mu s$

The results of assessing weighted sampling without substitution for r = 9000 are summarised in table 7.

Table 7: Evaluation of Weighted Sampling for r=9000.

r	Method	Substitution	Time Range
9000	Torch	True	773 $\mu$ s ± 1.3 $\mu$ s
9000	Numpy	True	872 $\mu$ s ± 1.14 $\mu$ s
9000	Torch	False	$373 \ \mu s \pm 999 \ ns$
9000	Numpy	False	$2.92\ m\text{s}\pm6.24\ \mu\text{s}$

The findings for r=1 are shown in 5. We have weighted sampling with replacement in 5a, while we have weighted sampling without replacement in 5b.

For the CUDA run The findings for r = 1 are shown in 6. We have weighted sampling with replacement in 6a, while we have weighted sampling without replacement in 6b.

In case of weighted sampling, the time take is directly proportional to number of samples to take. So for k=9000, time is highest and for k = 100, time is lowest as shown in table 5.

# 4.4 Performance for multi-d tensors

By creating a two-dimensional tensor of 10000 elements we run the experiments for (3) scenarios.

- (1) r is small  $\rightarrow$  r = 100
- (2) r is medium  $\rightarrow$  r = 4500
- (3) r is large  $\rightarrow$  r = 9000

Then we evaluate the running times. The results are shown in table 8.

As shown in the preceding table, the time to perform sampling on tensor(x) was low for small number of samples with elemental substitution while for r = 9000 the best time achieved was without substitution.

The overall results for the proposed sampling technique are shown in table 10. The best sampling times are depicted in bold. We can observe that the best results come from torch tensors while they outperform numpy in both uniform and weighted methods





(a) Weight Based Sampling with Substitution



(b) Weight Based Sampling without Substitution

Figure 5: Weight Based Sampling with r=1 on CPP



(a) Weight Based Sampling with Substitution



Figure 6: Weight Based Sampling with r=1 on CUDA

Table 8: Performance for multi-d tensors.

r	Method	Substitution	Time Range
100	Tensor(x)	True	5.79 $\mu$ s ± 5.46 ns
100	Tensor(x)	False	14.3 $\mu$ s ± 16.1 ns
100	2D-Tensor(x)	None	130 $\mu$ s ± 209 ns
4500	Tensor(x)	True	52.5 $\mu$ s ± 32.5 ns
4500	Tensor(x)	False	72.9 $\mu$ s ± 681 ns
4500	2D-Tensor(x)	None	151 $\mu$ s ± 389 ns
9000	Tensor(x)	True	95.4 $\mu$ s ± 75.5 ns
9000	Tensor(x)	False	45.8 $\mu$ s ± 56.6 ns
9000	2D-Tensor(x)	None	167 $\mu \mathrm{s} \pm 3.14~\mu \mathrm{s}$

Table 9: Evaluation of Weighted Sampling for r=9000.

r	Method	Substitution	Time Range
100	Torch	True	5.79 $\mu$ s ± 5.46 <i>n</i> s
100	Numpy	True	872 $\mu$ s ± 1.14 $\mu$ s
100	Torch	False	$373 \ \mu s \pm 999 \ ns$
100	Numpy	False	$2.92\ ms\pm 6.24\ \mu s$

except for r=4500 where numpy outperformed torch for about one microsecond.

Table 10: Overall comparison across all methods.

Method	Туре	Size	Samples	Replacement	Time
Numpy	Uniform	$10^{5}$	$9 \times 10^{3}$	True	126 µs
Numpy	Weighted	$10^{5}$	$9 \times 10^3$	True	872 μs
Torch	Tensor	$10^{5}$	$9 \times 10^{3}$	True	<b>95.4</b> μs
Numpy	Uniform	$10^{5}$	$1 \times 10^2$	True	17.3 µs
Numpy	Weighted	$10^{5}$	$1 \times 10^2$	True	110 µs
Torch	Tensor	$10^{5}$	$1 \times 10^2$	True	<b>5.79</b> μs
Numpy	Uniform	$10^{5}$	$45  imes 10^2$	True	71.9 µs
Numpy	Weighted	$10^{5}$	$45  imes 10^2$	True	495 μs
Torch	Tensor	$10^{5}$	$45  imes 10^2$	True	<b>52.7</b> μs
Numpy	Uniform	$10^{5}$	$9 \times 10^{3}$	False	138 µs
Numpy	Weighted	$10^{5}$	$9 \times 10^{3}$	False	2920 µs
Torch	Tensor	$10^{5}$	$9 \times 10^{3}$	False	<b>45.8</b> μs
Numpy	Uniform	$10^{5}$	$1 \times 10^2$	False	130 µs
Numpy	Weighted	$10^{5}$	$1 \times 10^2$	False	$172 \ \mu s$
Torch	Tensor	$10^{5}$	$1 \times 10^2$	False	<b>14.3</b> μs
Numpy	Uniform	$10^{5}$	$45  imes 10^2$	False	<b>71.7</b> μs
Numpy	Weighted	$10^{5}$	$45  imes 10^2$	False	1270 µs
Torch	Tensor	$10^{5}$	$45  imes 10^2$	False	72.9 µs

## 4.5 Proposed Method for Clustering

For training and testing, the suggested alternative of k-means was utilized to detect events from IoT sensors using the SENSORS data set. The suggested res-means algorithm detects events as indicated in the table 13. C. Karras, et al.

Table 11: Overall results of tensors across two different tools.

Tensor	Tool	Size	Samples	Replacement	Time
Uniform	CPU	10 <sup>7</sup>	10 <sup>5</sup>	True	208 µs
Uniform	CUDA	$10^{7}$	$10^{5}$	True	27.1 μs
Uniform	CPU	$10^{7}$	$10^{5}$	False	6.87 μs
Uniform	CUDA	$10^{7}$	$10^{5}$	False	3.33 µs
Weighted	CPU	$10^{7}$	$10^{5}$	False	335 µs
Weighted	CUDA	$10^{7}$	$10^{5}$	False	84 µs

*4.5.1 Evaluation.* Three distinct methodologies were examined to evaluate the suggested *k*-meas alternative. DBSCAN and E-DBSCAN are the typical *k*-means. The findings are tabulated in 12. The evaluation metrics used in this work are precision, recall, and F-score.

Table 12: Performance evaluation of the proposed method.

Metrics	K-means	DBSCAN	E-DBSCAN	Res-Means
Precision	39.7	49.1	53.23	51.2
Recall	25.7	40.8	50.1	44.8
F-Score	30.46	44.64	51.45	47.7

4.5.2 *Event Detection.* The table 13 lists the detected events. The event-detection frameworks CM, BoW, and EBoW are all quite similar. The data set was classified into several categories, and the suggested approach clustered all of the characteristics. Following that, the four characteristics are shown as four clusters with centroids and outliers. The events shown here are the total of the outliers divided by the cluster center's distance. Once again, our technique surpasses the other three in each of the four areas.

#### Table 13: Events detected with the proposed method.

Event Detected	СМ	BoW	EBoW	Res-means
Faulty sensor	4.81	7.12	7.91	8.44
Noisy data	9.23	9.8	11.29	12.71
Asynchronous intervals	4.38	5.23	7.8	9.47
Communication intangibility	5.62	6.45	8.4	11.25

## **5 CONCLUSIONS AND FUTURE WORK**

In the context of this work, the inner workings of weighted reservoir sampling are presented along with an algorithmic framework for constructing probabilistic state graphs from events discovered in evolving streams consisting of three distinct steps. First, weighted reservoir sampling identifies important values in the stream. Then, they are clustered either with *k*-means or DBSCAN so that regular values are grouped together in mainstream events, whereas outliers are considered as black swan events. The procedure is further made simpler by supplying just a small number of data bits that are indicative of the data set being used. Finally, a probabilistic state graph is constructed based on these events so that streams can be efficiently represented and compared between them.

Improving reservoir sampling accuracy and precision while keeping complexity within reasonable levels is a long range research goal. Future enhancements may involve sophisticated clustering or even consensus clustering taking place in the second step. The ability to compute the two algorithms at the same time might be a significant gain in overall performance and efficiency. Also worthy of mention is the extension of the proposed framework so that it can track changes in the distribution of the data. Ultimately, lightweight implementations as the one presented can adapt to IoT scenarios.

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