## Twitter News Feed

Final presentation

## Goal of the project







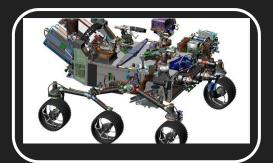


vectorization & clustering





selection





representation





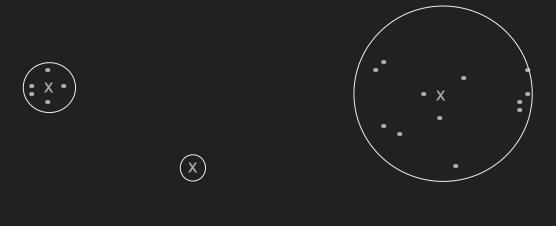
## **Apache Spark Streaming**



## Clustering: Streaming k-Means

- Continuous clustering with batches
- For every batch, new centroids are calculated
- Centroids and cluster size are saved
- Cluster quality problems due to:
  - Randomly generated initial centroids
  - Static k not based on cluster results

## Dynamic k-Means (1/3)





- Remove cluster if weight is too low
- Add a cluster if tweet is too far away from closest centroid
- Merge clusters which are close to each other

## Dynamic k-Means (2/3)



## Dynamic k-Means (3/3)

- Advantages:
  - No need to find a k that works "okay" for arbitrary input
  - No need to choose initial centroids
  - Easy to parallelize

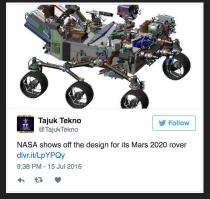
- Disadvantages:
  - More computationally expensive
  - New thresholds to define

#### **Twitter News Stream**

Cluster ID	Attribute	Batch 0	Batch 1	Batch 2
	Count	162	104	52
1663	Tweet	#Tech NASA shows off the design for its Mars 2020 rover dld.bz/eGMHu 9:35 PM - 15 Jul 2016  NASA shows off the design for its Mars 2020 rove The rover NASA plans to send to Mars in 2020 is taking shape, and today its near-final design was revealed, techcrunch.com	NoelleSalinaines @NoelleSalinain1  NASA's next Mars rover will 'seek the signs of life' on red planet - wp.me/p7gLtg-qis 9:41 PM - 15 Jul 2016  NASA's next Mars rover will 'seek t NASA gave a glimpse into its plans for its next Martian rover on Friday, a craft meekvoices.com	Space Plazas  W Space Plazas  NASA Is Ready to Start Building Its Life-Hunting 2020 Mars Rover - Space.com dlvr.it/LpyNv4  9:37 PM - 15 Jul 2016  MOAR Decreases A Pressure Sensor  MOAR Decreases A Pressure Sensor  More Decreases A Pressure Sensor  More Decreases A Pressure Sensor  More Decreases A Pressure Sensor  Language More Decreases A Pressure Sensor  More Decreases A Pressure Sensor  Language More Decreases A Pressure Sensor  More Decreases A Pressure Sensor  Language More Decreases A Pressure Sensor  PRIC Destruction Impel  More Decreases A Pressure Sensor  Language More Decreases A More Decreases A Pressure Sensor  PRIC Destruction Impel  More Decreases A More Decreases
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	Silhouette	0.65	0.58	0.57

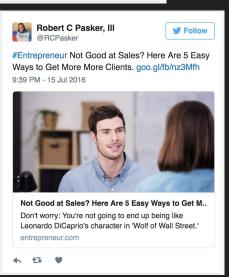




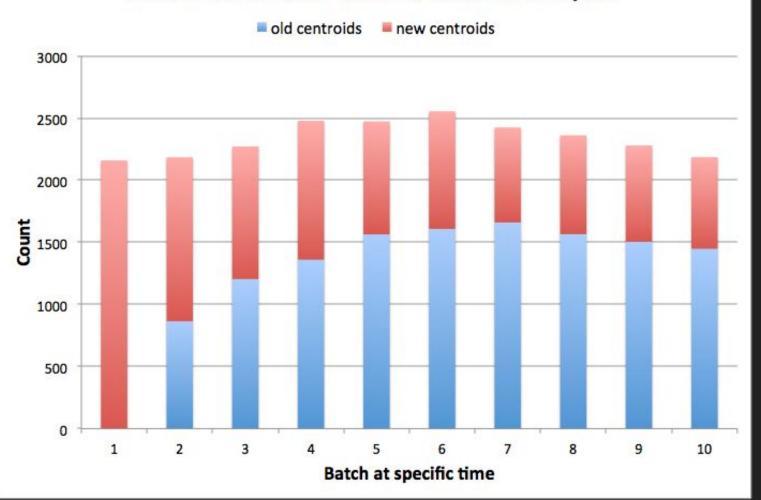








#### Cluster Count Over Time For Batch Size 10,000



#### Performance Evaluation

Hardware: HPI-Cluster

10 Server à 2 Cores x 2.67 GHz CPU, 4 GB RAM

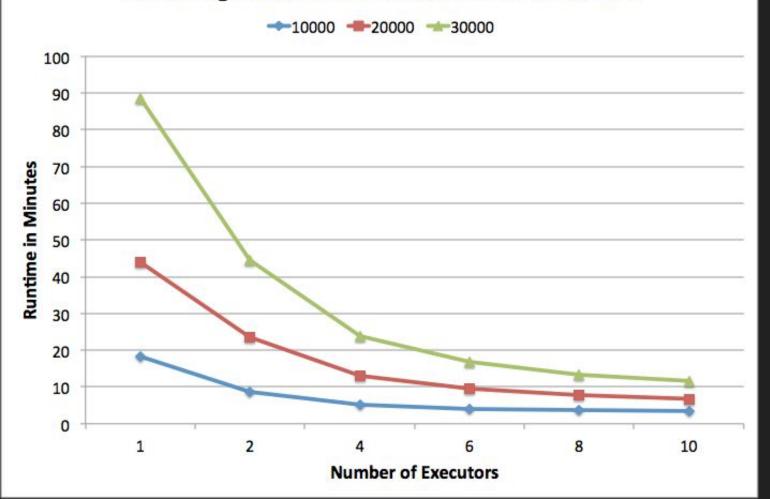
#### Input

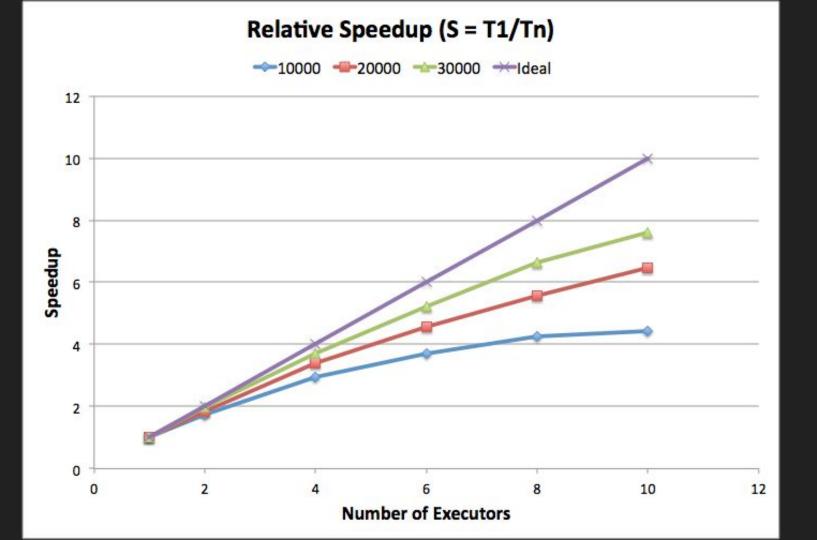
• 300.000 Tweets 15.07.16 19:30 - 23:30 Uhr

#### Execution

- 3 times per setting
- 1 Core per Executor

#### **Clustering Runtime Per Executors for 10 Batches**





#### Conclusion

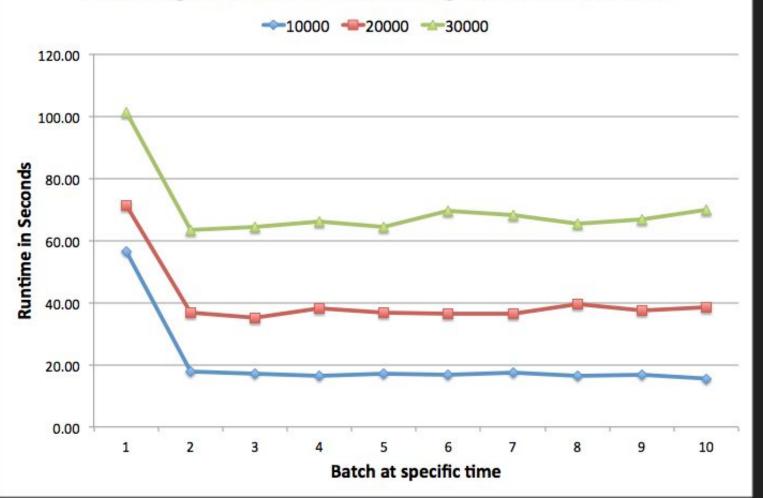
- We can process and cluster tweets live
- Getting high quality results for clustering is very tough





# Backup

#### Clustering Runtime Per Batch Using 10 Executors/Cores



## Dynamic k-Means: Parallelization

