



BOOK MANAGER — FINAL PROJECT

Probabilistic Methods for Computer
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BLOOM FILTER

BLOOMFILTER.M

Process of Creation and Insertion

- Initialize
- Insert (calls Insert.m)

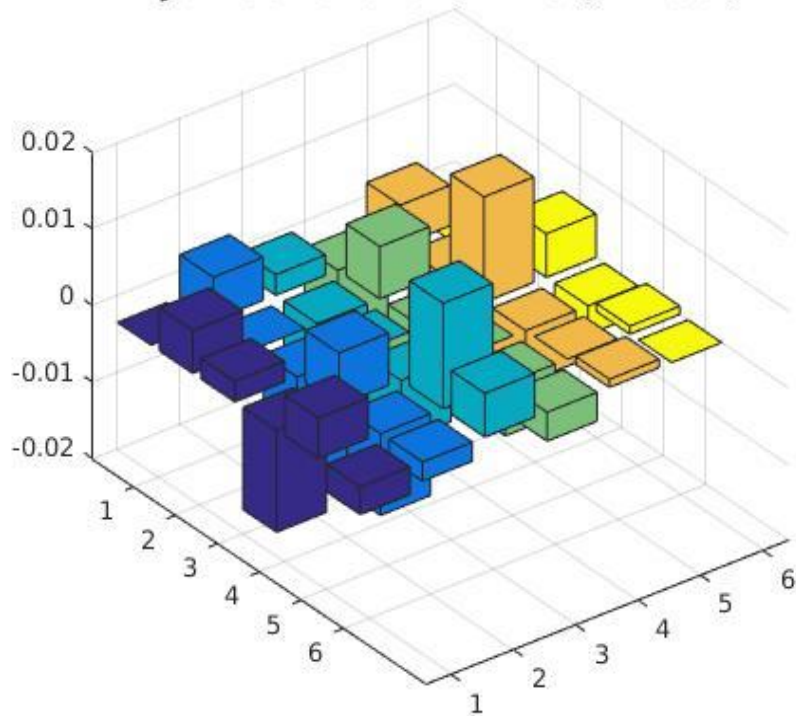
ISMEMBER.M

Assesses whether an element belongs to a set through the values returned by
Hash Function

HASH FUNCTIONS

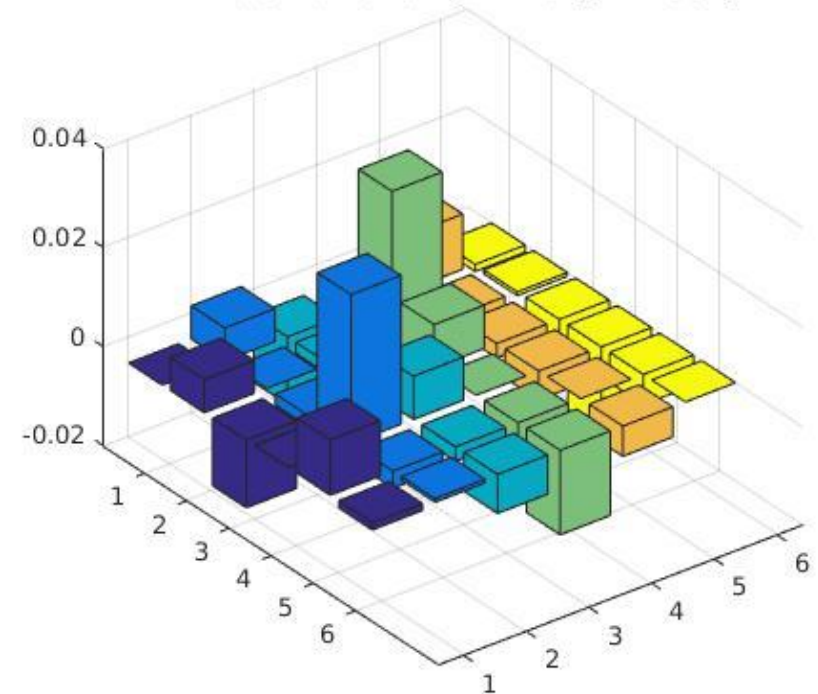
Dbj2

Djb2 HashFunction ($L = 1e4$; $n = 8e4$)

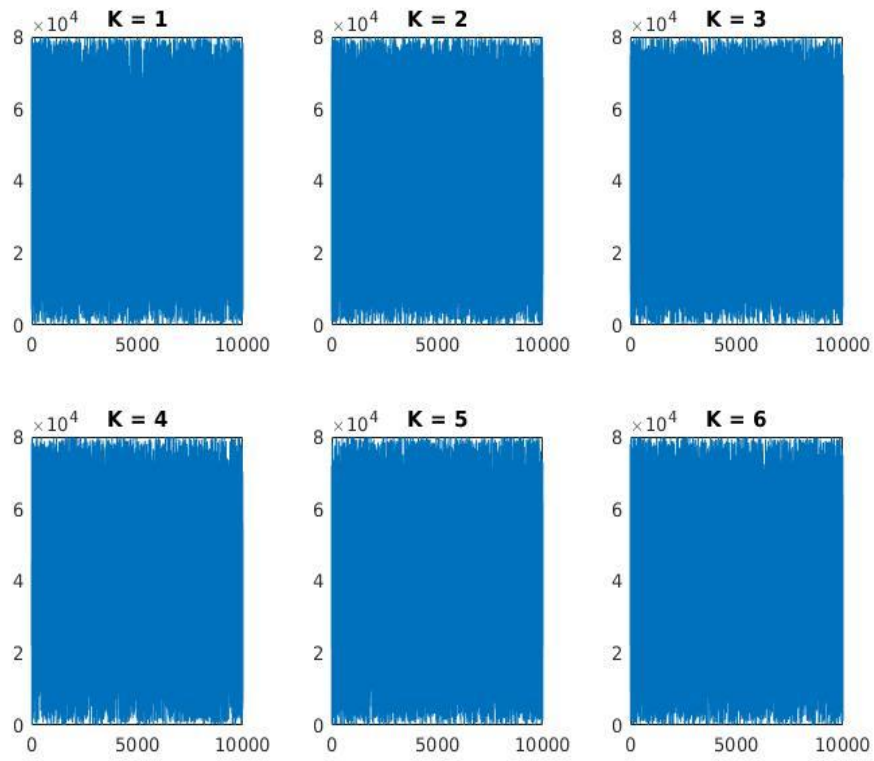


P2

P2 HashFunction ($L = 1e4$; $n = 8e4$)



DBJ2



- Created by Dan Bernstein
- Mystery behind the constants (33 and 5318)
 - Similarities with Linear Congruential Generator(LCG)

TESTS

BasicTest.m

```
*** Inserted Set ***  
Filipa is Probably a Member  
Leticia is Probably a Member  
Ana is Probably a Member  
Rita is Probably a Member  
  
*** Another Set ***  
Diogo is Not a Member  
leticia is Not a Member  
Luis is Not a Member  
Ana is Probably a Member  
  
False Positives (T) = 0.00144595  
False Positives (P) = 0
```

TestWithOptimalN.m

```
Set Length = 100000  
Chosen Probabilty = 1.000000e-04  
Optimal N = 1917012  
Optimal K = 13
```

$$n = \frac{L \cdot \log\left(\frac{1}{p}\right)}{\log(2)^2} ; \quad \begin{array}{l} n = \text{Bloom Filter Length} \\ L = \text{Set Length} \\ p = \text{False Positive Probability} \end{array}$$

TESTS

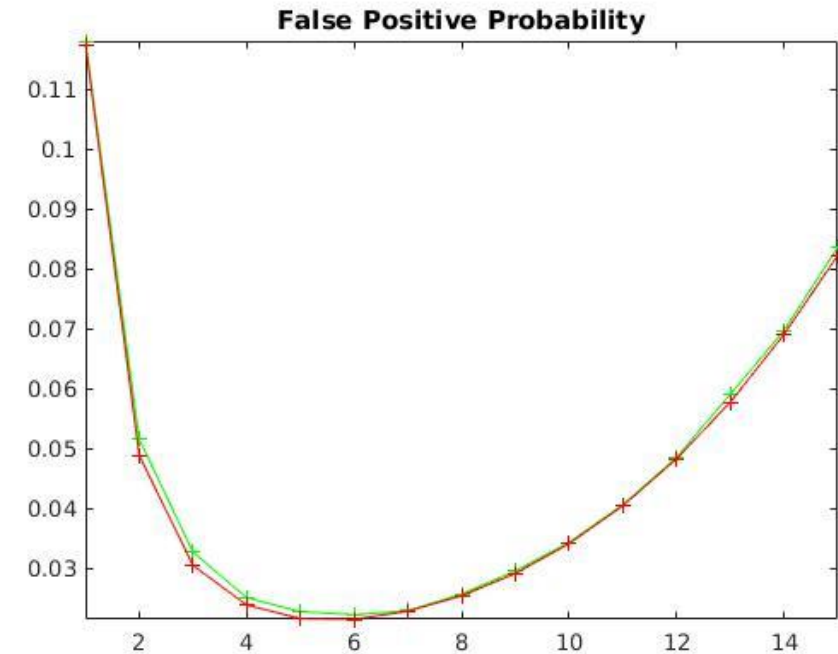
TestWithOptimalK.m

```
Set Length = 100000  
Filter Length = 800000  
Optimal K = 6  
False Positive Probability(T) = 2.157714e-02  
False Positive Probability(P) = 2.140000e-02
```

$$k = \frac{n}{L} \cdot \ln 2 ;$$

n = Bloom Filter Length
L = Set Length
k = Hash Functions Number

RandomStringTest.m



JACCARD SIMILARITIES

TEST – JACCARD DISTANCE

MoviesTest.m

```
Trial>> Movies
```

```
threshold =
```

```
0.4
```

```
SimilarUsers =
```

```
328
```

```
788
```

```
0.32704
```

```
408
```

```
898
```

```
0.16129
```

```
489
```

```
587
```

```
0.37008
```

```
Elapsed time is 61.395708 seconds.
```

MINHASH

TESTS

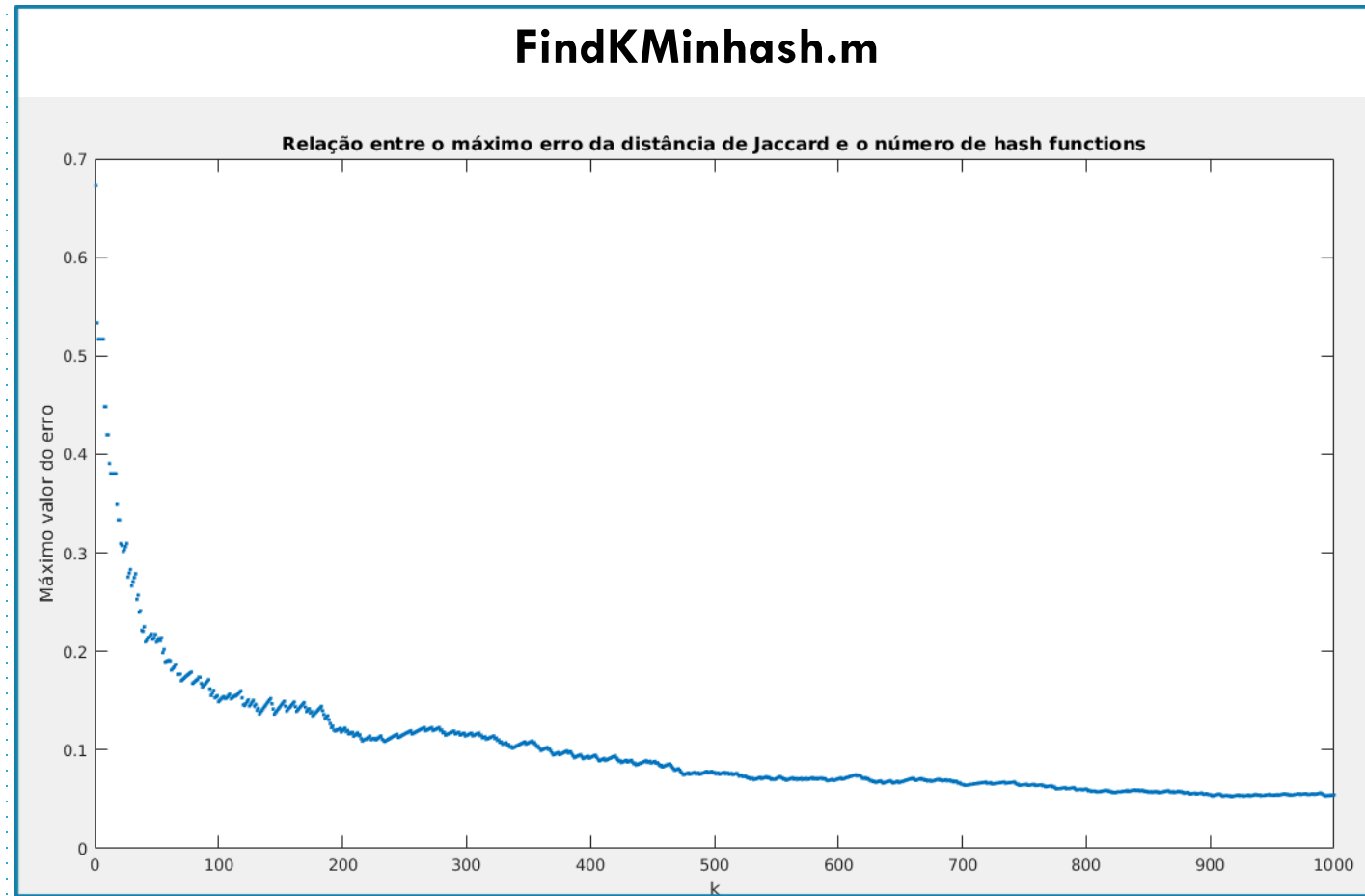
TestMinHash.m

```
Trial>> TestMinHash  
Elapsed time is 23.540005 seconds.
```

```
SimilarUsers =
```

328.0000	788.0000	0.3310
408.0000	898.0000	0.1660
489.0000	587.0000	0.3830

TESTS



APPLICATION

DATASET

Book Crossing Freiburg University

- BX-Users
- BX-Books
- BX-Books-Ratings

READ AND PROCESS DATA

- ReadData.m

- usersBooks.m

BLOOM FILTER

- Evaluate the existence or the nonexistence of a book

MINHASH

- Search Users (just 1k) with equal or similar ratings (Threshold = 0,5)

GRAPHIC USER INTERFACE

- Search Bar
- Book Names List
- User ID List
- Similar Users Window

LET'S TRY?