

GlobalDataLoader in Multi DeepLearning Task

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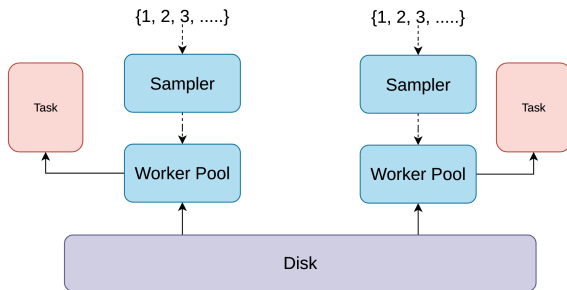
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Introduction

Data loading

- Sampler sample some index randomly
- Worker read the data from disk and decode them
- Task fetch data and start training



Problem

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The data will be repeatedly read and processed by different tasks.

Configuration

Multiple tasks with worker = 4, batch size = 32

GPU: Tesla T4 with 16G memory, CPU: 48 Intel(R) Xeon(R) Gold 5118

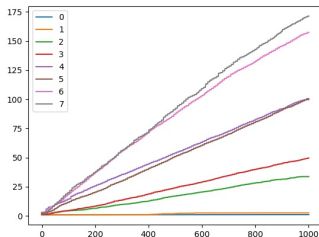


Figure: data loading time

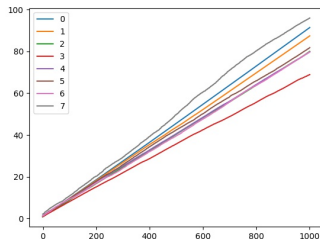
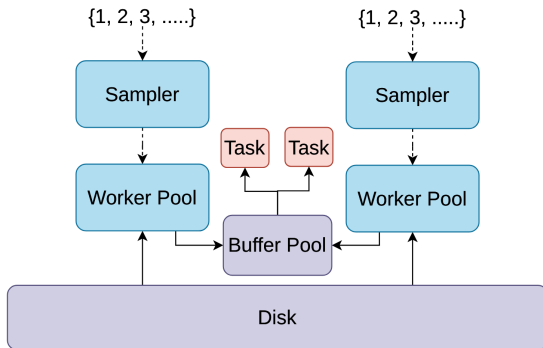


Figure: data training time

Optimization

Global Buffer Pool

- If data in buffer pool, there is no need to read data from disk



Problem

- Random replacement algorithm

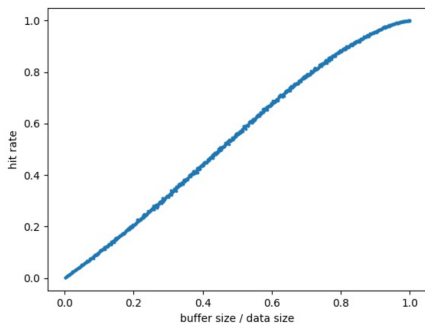


Figure: hit rate with buffer size

Optimization

Global Sampler

- Make the sampled elements have a greater probability of being equal

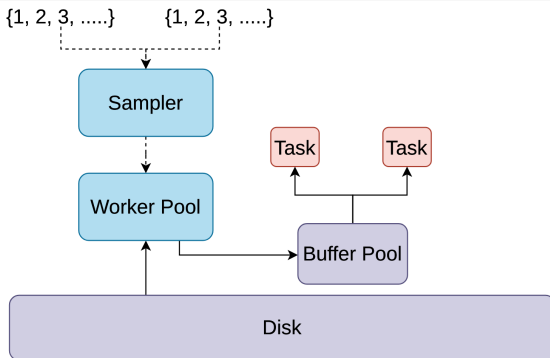


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Sampling: problem description

Defination

Assume there are two sets $\{S_1, S_2\}$, we should randomly select 2 elements $\{e_1, e_2\}$ from them. The algorithm should to make sure to:

$$\begin{aligned} p(e_1) &= \frac{1}{|S_1|} \\ p(e_2) &= \frac{1}{|S_2|} \\ \text{Maximize}(p(e_1 = e_2)) \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

Independently Sampling Algorithm

Assumption

There are two sets: S_1, S_2 , and their length is n_1, n_2

The intersection set of them is S_i , whose length is n_i

We divide the set S_1 into S_i and $S_{d1} = S_1 - S_i$

We divide the set S_2 into S_i and $S_{d2} = S_2 - S_i$

Sample(S): randomly select an element in S

Example

$$S_1 = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\} = \{1, 2, 3\} \cup \{4, 5\}$$

$$S_2 = \{1, 2, 3, 6, 7\} = \{1, 2, 3\} \cup \{6, 7\}$$

Independently Sampling Algorithm

S1

- $step_{11}$: randomly select a set from S_i and S_{d1}
- $step_{21}$: if S_{d1} , $e_1 = \text{Sample}(S_{d1})$
- $step_{31}$: if S_i , $e_1 = \text{Sample}(S_i)$

S2

- $step_{12}$: randomly select a set from S_i and S_{d2}
- $step_{22}$: if S_{d2} , $e_2 = \text{Sample}(S_{d2})$
- $step_{32}$: if S_i , $e_2 = \text{Sample}(S_i)$

Probability

$$p(e_1 = e_2) = \frac{n_i}{n_1 * n_2} \quad (2)$$

Dependently Sampling Algorithm I

Insight

The $step_{31}$ is same as $step_{32}$ (randomly select an element e from S_i).

Example

$$S_1 = \{1, 2, 3\} \cup \{4, 5\}; S_2 = \{1, 2, 3\} \cup \{6, 7\}$$

- Firstly, randomly sampling element e_i in $\{1, 2, 3\}$
- As for S_1 , if select set $\{1, 2, 3\}$ with probability $p_1(S_i) = 0.6$, then we can let $e_1 = e_i$
- As for S_2 , select set $\{1, 2, 3\}$ with probability $p_2(S_i) = 0.6$, then we can let $e_2 = e_i$
- $p(e_1 = e_2) = p_1(S_i) * p_2(S_i) = 0.36$

Dependently Sampling Algorithm I

Algorithm

- $step_0: e_i = \text{Sample}(S_i)$

S1

- $step_{11}$: randomly select a set from S_i and S_{d1}
- $step_{21}$: if $S_{d1}, e_1 = \text{Sample}(S_{d1})$
- $step_{31}$: if $S_i, e_1 = e_i$

S2

- $step_{12}$: randomly select a set from S_i and S_{d2}
- $step_{22}$: if $S_{d2}, e_2 = \text{Sample}(S_{d2})$
- $step_{32}$: if $S_i, e_2 = e_i$

Probability

$$p(e_1 = e_2) = \frac{n_i}{n_1} * \frac{n_i}{n_2} = \frac{n_i^2}{n_1 * n_2} \quad (3)$$

Dependently Sampling Algorithm I

Insight

The $step_{11}$ and $step_{12}$ are similar. We can merge them.

Example

$$S_1 = \{1, 2, 3\} \cup \{4, 5\}; S_2 = \{1, 2, 3\} \cup \{6, 7\}$$

- Firstly, we randomly select a set from $\{1, 2, 3\}$ and $\{4, 5\}$
- If we choose $\{1, 2, 3\}$, the S_1 and S_2 will both select an element from $\{1, 2, 3\}$
- If we choose $\{4, 5\}$, then S_1 will sampling in $\{4, 5\}$ and S_2 in $\{6, 7\}$
- $p(e_1 = e_2) = p_1(S_i) = 0.6$

Dependently Sampling Algorithm II

Algorithm

- $step_0$: $e_i = \text{Sample}(S_i)$
- $step_1$: randomly select a set from S_i and S_{d1}

S1

- $step_{21}$: if $S_{d1}, e_1 = \text{Sample}(S_{d1})$
- $step_{31}$: if $S_i, e_1 = e_i$

S2

- $step_{22}$: if $S_{d1}, e_2 = \text{Sample}(S_{d2})$
- $step_{32}$: if $S_i, e_2 = e_i$

Problem: $n_1 \neq n_2$

$$n_1 > n_2$$

$$S_1 = \{1, 2, 3\} \cup \{4\}; S_2 = \{1, 2, 3\} \cup \{6, 7\}$$

- S_1 select $\{1, 2, 3\}$ with probability $p_1(S_i) = 0.75$
- Then S_2 select an element e from S_i with probability $p_2(e) = p_1(S_i) * \frac{1}{3} = 0.25 > 0.2$

$$n_1 < n_2$$

$$S_1 = \{1, 2, 3\} \cup \{4, 6\}; S_2 = \{1, 2, 3\} \cup \{7\}$$

- S_1 select $\{4, 6\}$ with probability $p_1(S_{d1}) = 0.4$
- Then S_2 select an element e from S_{d2} with probability $p_2(e) = p_1(S_{d1}) * \frac{1}{1} = 0.4 > 0.25$

Case1: $n_1 < n_2$

Problem

$$(p_1(S_i) = \frac{n_i}{n_1}) > (p_2(S_i) = \frac{n_i}{n_2}) \quad (4)$$

Approach

So in $step_1$, when select S_i , it should be changed S_{d2} in probability of p .

$$\begin{cases} p_2(S_i) = p_1(S_i) * (1 - p) = \frac{n_i}{n_2} \\ p_2(S_{d2}) = p_2(S_{d1}) + p_1(S_i) * p = 1 - \frac{n_i}{n_2} \end{cases} \quad (5)$$

$$p = 1 - \frac{n_1}{n_2} \quad (6)$$

Dependently Sampling Algorithm II

Algorithm

- $step_0$: $e_i = \text{Sample}(S_i)$
- $step_1$: randomly select a set from S_i and S_{d1}

S1

- $step_{21}$: if S_{d1} , $e_1 = \text{Sample}(S_{d1})$
- $step_{31}$: if S_i , $e_1 = e_i$

S2

- $step_{22}$: if S_{d1} , $e_2 = \text{Sample}(S_{d2})$
- $step_{32}$: if S_i :
 - let $S = S_{d1}$ in probability of $1 - \frac{n_1}{n_2}$
 - if S_{d1} , $e_2 = \text{Sample}(S_{d2})$
 - if S_i , $e_2 = e_i$

Probability

$$p(e_1 = e_2) = p_1(S_i) * \left(\frac{n_1}{n_2}\right) = \frac{n_i}{n_2}$$

Case2: $n_1 > n_2$

Problem

$$(p_1(S_{d1}) = 1 - \frac{n_i}{n_1}) > (p_2(S_{d2}) = 1 - \frac{n_i}{n_2}) \quad (7)$$

Approach

So in $step_1$, when select S_{d1} , it should be changed S_i in probability of p . The equation is

$$\begin{cases} p_2(S_i) = p_1(S_i) + p_2(S_{d1}) * p = \frac{n_i}{n_2} \\ p_2(S_{d2}) = p_2(S_{d1}) * (1 - p) = 1 - \frac{n_i}{n_2} \end{cases} \quad (8)$$

$$p = 1 - \frac{n_1 * (n_2 - n_i)}{n_2 * (n_1 - n_i)} \quad (9)$$

Dependently Sampling Algorithm II

Algorithm

- $step_0$: $e_i = \text{Sample}(S_i)$
- $step_1$: randomly select a set from S_i and S_{d1}

S1

- $step_{21}$: if S_{d1} , $e_1 = \text{Sample}(S_{d1})$
- $step_{31}$: if S_i , $e_1 = e_i$

S2

- $step_{22}$: if S_{d1} :
 - let $S = S_i$ in probability of $1 - \frac{n1*(n2-n_i)}{n2*(n1-n_i)}$
 - if S_{d1} , $e_2 = \text{Sample}(S_{d2})$
 - if S_i , $e_2 = e_i$
- $step_{32}$: if S_i , $e_2 = e_i$

Probability

$$p(e_1 = e_2) = p_1(S_i) = \frac{n_i}{n_1}$$

Why not shuffle $S_1 \cup S_2$

Probability

$$p(e_1 = e_2) = \frac{|S_1 \cap S_2|}{|S_1 \cup S_2|} < \frac{|S_1 \cap S_2|}{\max(|S_1|, |S_2|)}$$

randomly select in $S_1 \cup S_2$: "starvation"

if $|S_1| = 99, |S_2| = 1$, then $p(e \in S_1) = 0.99, p(e \in S_2) = 0.01$
So task2 may be starving

shuffle $S_1 \cup S_2$: offset

$S_1 = \{2, 3\}, S_2 = \{1, 2, 3\}$
 $\{2, 3\}$
 $\{1, 2, 3\}$
 $\{1, 2, 3\}$

Sampling Tree: there are two sets: S_1, S_2

- $A = S_1 \cap S_2$
- $B = S_1 - A$
- $C = S_2 - A$

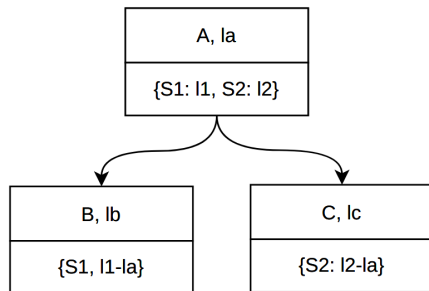


Figure: Sampling Tree

Sampling Tree: insert S_3

- $A \subset S_3$
- Insert $\{S_3 : l_3\}$ in A ascending order
- $S_3 = S_3 - A$
- Insert S_3 in subtree that has the largest intersection with S_3

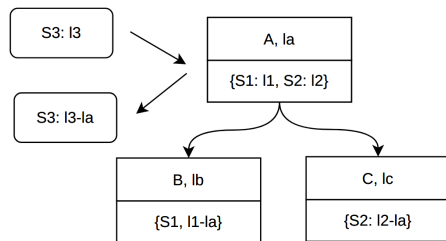


Figure: Sampling Tree

Sampling Tree: Insert S_3

- $B \not\subset S_3$
- Create new node: $D = S_3 \cap B$
- $E = B - D$
- $F = S_3 - D$

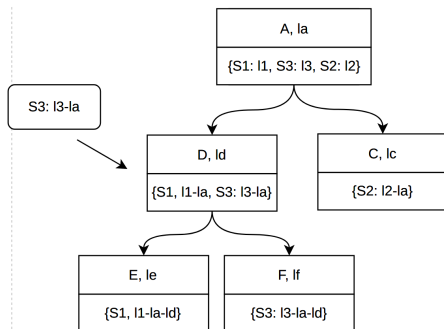


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Sampling Tree: Delete S_3

- Delete S_3 in root
- Recursively let the subtree delete S_3
- Until reaching the leaf node, then delete it
- The corresponding parent node merges the child nodes

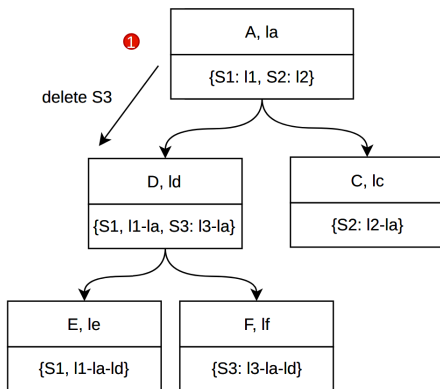


Figure: Sampling Tree

Sampling Tree: Sampling in root

- Split U into *parent* and *child*
 - $p < \frac{l_a}{l_1}, \text{parent} \cup \{S1\}$
 -
 - $p > \frac{l_i}{l_{i+1}}, \text{child} \cup \{S_i, S_{i+1}, \dots\}$
- Sampling e in A , which represents the sampling result of *parent*
- Push down *child*
- Because $e \notin A$, so we need to push down e and the collection U_e containing it

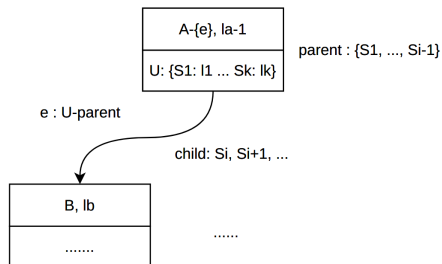


Figure: Sampling Tree

Sampling Tree: Sampling in child

- Split child into *parent* and *child*
- Sampling e in A , which represents the sampling result of *parent*
- Push down *child*
- Because $e \notin A$, so we need to push down e and the collection containing it
- if $U_e \subset U$, then add e in this node

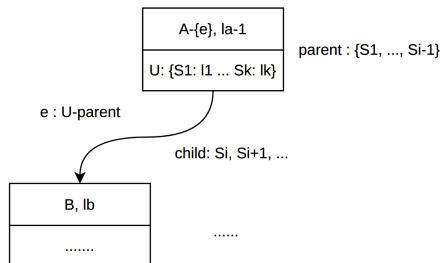
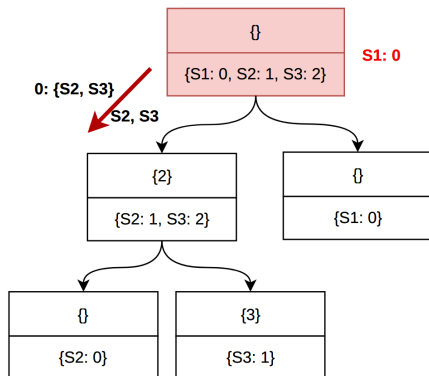
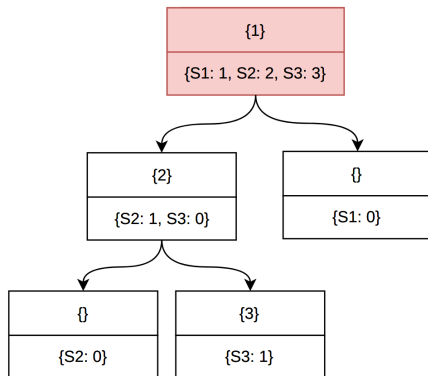
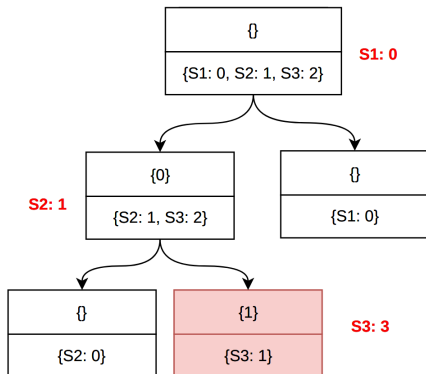
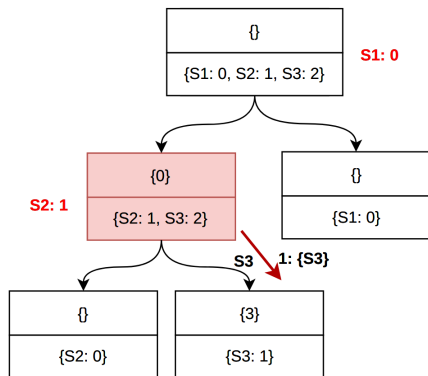


Figure: Sampling Tree

Example



Example



Sampling Tree: randomly prove

Basis

1-path: $p(e) = \frac{1}{l}$

Induction

Assume for k-path, $p(e) = \frac{1}{l}$

For (k+1)-path, add a root node: $\{A : l_a\}$.

Case1: sampling in A

$$p(e) = p(A) * \frac{1}{l_a} = \frac{l_a}{l + l_a} * \frac{1}{l_a} = \frac{1}{l + l_a}$$

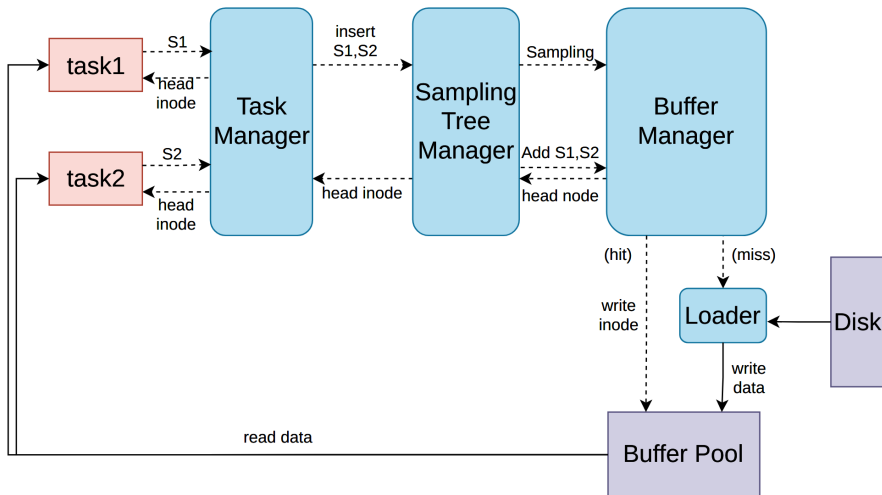
Case2: sampling in subtree

$$p(e) = (1 - p(A)) * \frac{1}{l} = \frac{l}{l + l_a} * \frac{1}{l} = \frac{1}{l + l_a}$$

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Architecture



Task Manager and Loader

Task Manager

- receive task <task name, index set> and return head address
- send heartbeat

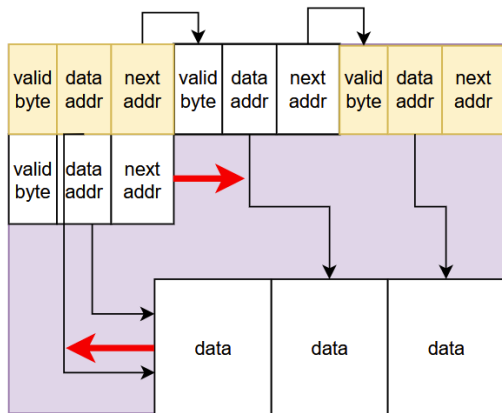
Loader

- process pool
- read data from disk and decode them
- write them in buffer pool

Buffer Pool: Data Structure

data

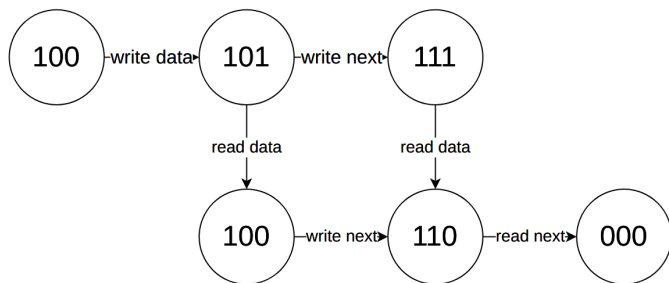
- There are two kinds of nodes: inode and datanode, and they are fixed size.
- Every task has a head inode address



Buffer Pool: Valid Byte

valid byte

- used bit: If the used bit is equal to 1, this inode is used
- next bit: If the next bit is equal to 1, the next addr is valid
- data bit: If the data bit is equal to 1, the data addr is valid



Buffer Pool Manager

- BM is responsible for maintaining three tables
- BM is responsible for freeing useless nodes

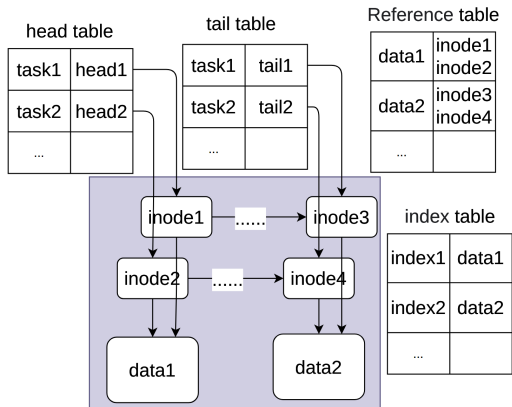


Figure: Sampling Tree

which data should be free

Expection diff

The difference between
the number of times data has been quoted and
the number of times data should be quoted

Example

$S1 = 1, 2, 3$, $S2 = 1, 2$

The Sampling result is $S1: 3$, $S2: 2$

$ExpectionDiff(3) = 1 - 1 = 0$,

$ExpectionDiff(2) = 2 - 1 = 1$

Answer

Choose the smallest Expection diff

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Hit rate Experiment

Assumption

There are two sets: S_1, S_2 , and their length is n_1, n_2

The intersection set of them is S_i , whose length is n_i

$$hitrate = \frac{hit}{n_i}$$

$bufferSize = k$, which means that the buffer can have k datanode, and we ignore the size of the inode

Number of orphans

$$p(e_1 = e_2 | e_2 \in S_i) = \frac{n_1}{n_2}$$

Assume $p = \frac{n_1}{n_2}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 N &= \sum_{i=0}^{n_i} \left(1 - \frac{n_1 - i}{n_2 - i}\right) \\
 &\geq \sum_{i=0}^{n_1} \left(1 - \frac{n_1 - i}{n_2 - i}\right) \\
 &= \sum_{i=0}^{p * n_2} \left(1 - \frac{p * n_2 - i}{n_2 - i}\right) \quad (10) \\
 &\approx \int_{i=0}^{p * n_2} \left(1 - \frac{p * n_2 - i}{n_2 - i}\right) \\
 &= n_2 * (p - 1) \ln^{1-p}
 \end{aligned}$$

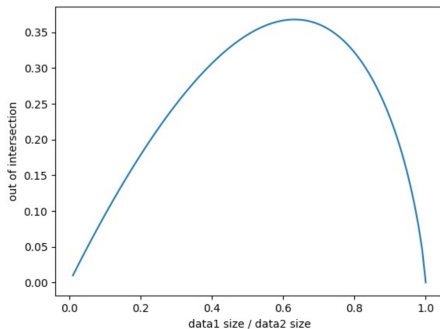


Figure:

Hit rate

$$\text{buffer_size} = \frac{k}{n_2}$$

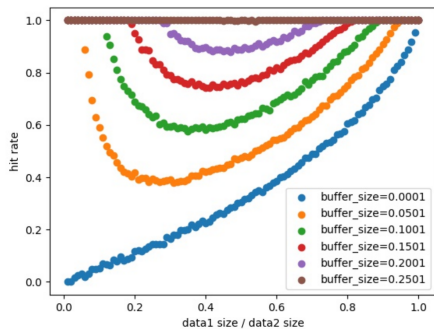


Figure:

Time Experiment

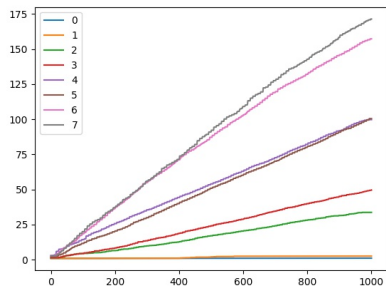


Figure: time

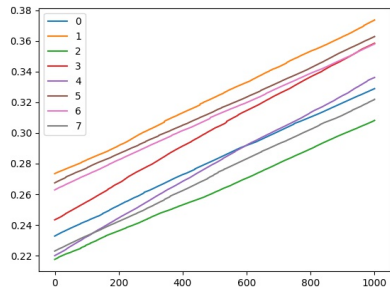


Figure: time with GlobalDataLoader

Correctness Experiment