

MainpipeNS Data Pipeline — Summary Report

1. Pipeline Overview

The MainpipeNS pipeline processes raw JSONL text data into a clean, tokenized, packed, and sharded dataset suitable for LLM pretraining.

Stages:

- Inspection & Statistics
- Deduplication
- Cleaning (noise removal, HTML/code filtering, normalization)
- Tokenization with extended GPT-2 tokenizer
- Fixed-length block packing (2048 tokens)
- Train/Val/Test sharding
- Quality analysis (PII, toxicity, perplexity, language distribution)
- Metadata generation

2. Key Quality Metrics (Sample Outputs)

- PII detection: email/phone/credit_card hits counted
- Toxicity (Detoxify): avg toxicity ≈ 0.008 (clean dataset)
- Perplexity (GPT-2 small): median ~ 34 , avg ~ 45 (high linguistic quality)
- Language distribution: 100% English
- Analysis time: ~ 200 seconds for 1500 samples

3. Dataset Statistics

- Cleaned dataset reduces noise significantly
- Token length distribution computed pre-packing
- All packed blocks are exactly 2048 tokens
- Sharding ratios: train 98%, val 1%, test 1%

4. Final Output

- `tokenized.jsonl` — tokenized with BOS/EOS and truncation
- `packed_blocks.jsonl` — 2048-token blocks padded with `<|pad|>`
- `sharded_dataset/` — split into train/val/test shards
- `reports/` — JSON and PDF reports, category distributions
- `figures/` — histograms and quality visualizations
- `meta.json` — tokenizer + dataset metadata

5. Remarks

This pipeline ensures:

- High-quality, English-only data
- Removal of noisy/low-value text
- Safety analysis through PII + toxicity detection
- Reproducible, logged processing stages
- Compatibility with downstream LLM pretraining frameworks