Why BLB is fast

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n <- 100000
b <- 100
N <- rnorm(n)</pre>
B <- sample(N,b)</pre>
mean1 <- function(B,n){</pre>
X <- sample(B, n, replace = TRUE)</pre>
return(mean(X))
}
mean2 <- function(B,n,b){</pre>
  X <- as.numeric( rmultinom(1,n,rep(1/b,b)) )</pre>
  return(sum(X*B)/n)
}
mean1(B,n)
## [1] 0.1475424
mean2(B,n,b)
## [1] 0.1453736
microbenchmark::microbenchmark(mean1(B,n), mean2(B,n,b))
## Unit: microseconds
##
               expr
                         min
                                      lq
                                               mean
                                                       median
                                                                               max
                                                                      uq
##
       mean1(B, n) 1848.499 1991.7710 2929.21315 2255.875 2686.1705 32239.42
                                19.0155
##
    mean2(B, n, b) 16.336
                                           30.05457
                                                       31.213
                                                                 37.0225
                                                                             57.29
##
    neval
##
      100
##
      100
```