Streaming Queries over Streaming Data

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Motivation and Contribution

- Current Systems support either
 - Streaming Queries over static data (traditional DBMS)
 - Static queries over streaming data (Data Streaming Systems)
- PSoup supports streaming queries streaming data.
 Data Streams and Query Stream
 - New queries can access old data (and of course new data)
 - Active / Inactive queries (,i.e. disconnected operation)
 - Query results is partially materialized







Modes of Query

- Snapshot : begin_time & end_time are constants
- Landmark : begin_time is constant, end_time is variable (e.g. NOW)
- Sliding Window :begin_time & end_time are variables.
- PSoup assumes that sliding window technique is used and it fits into the main memory.

Data structures

- Data State Module (SteM): holds the current tuples for each data source.
- Query State Module (SteM): stores SQCs of all queries.
- WindowTable : stores Begin_End clause of the queries
- Results Structure : Holds (partially) materialized results
- □ Hybrid Struct : to hold intermediate join results.

















Implementation Issues

- Eddy is modified to be Stream-Prefix-Consistent
 - Temporary tuples are stored separately from new tuples.
 - Temporary tuples are processed before new tuples.
- Data SteM
 - Red-Black tree indexes are created for every attribute of each stream
 - Hash index over tupleID to speed up result construction

Implementation Issues

Query SteM

- Red-Black index over predicates constants, e.g. c in predicate (R.a > c)
- $\hfill\square$ Each node has five lists, one for each RELOP <,< ,= ,= ,> ,>
- Predicates that have more than one attribute are stored in linked list.
- AND operators are implemented by decrement of a counter until it reaches zero

Implementation Issues

- Results Structure
 - Each cell refer to a query and a tuple
 - 2D bitmap (tuple timestamp, query ID)
 - Linked list for each query
 - Timestamp in case of streams joins is the older based on assumption that Snapshot queries are less frequent.

Experiments

- Psoup-P : lazy approach; results are output when requested (partial materialization)
- Psoup-C : eager approach; results are output immediately (complete materialization)
- NoMat : does not materialize results





















Pros

- Provide access to old data for new queries.
- Combination of efficient data processing rate and query response time by *partial* materialization and indexing data streams and query predicates.
- Support disconnection mode to avoid unnecessary maintaining of sliding window.

Cons

- Predicate Indexing is inefficient for complex predicates, e.g. string predicates, and complex mathematical predicates
- Index maintaining / materialization can be a bottleneck for high speed streams
- Sliding windows must completely reside in memory.
- How snapshot / landmark queries are processed.
- Maximum sustainable rate of queries and rate of invocations should be examined.
- Aggregate function are supported on small scale
- Query operator Scheduling is ignored
- Memory requirements are expected to be high.

Discussions

- How to support complex predicates without sacrificing the performance?
- How to integrate more sophisticated scheduling techniques
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- What is the expected performance relative to other (newer) approaches (e.g. Aurora ad-hoc queries) What is the PSoup-P performance at different invocation rates / query rates Lazier approach that PSoup-P, especially if invocation rate is very low, e.g. selectively choose what attribute/query to materialize.
- How memory usage behave with different values of window size/ data rates.