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Similarity Digest Bloom Filter Library

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# Chapter 1

## Class Index

### 1.1 Class List

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## Chapter 2

# Class Documentation

### 2.1 bloom\_filter Class Reference

[bloom\\_filter](#) class

```
#include <bloom_filter.h>
```

#### Public Member Functions

- [bloom\\_filter](#) (uint64\_t size, uint16\_t hash\_count, uint64\_t max\_elem, double max\_fp)  
*base constructor*
- [bloom\\_filter](#) (string indexfilename)  
*construct from file - not add to master or fold up.*
- [bloom\\_filter](#) (uint8\_t \*data, uint64\_t size, int id, int bf\_elem\_ct, uint16\_t hamming)  
*construct bloom filter from buffer*
- [~bloom\\_filter](#) ()  
*destructor*
- bool [insert\\_sha1](#) (uint32\_t \*sha1)  
*insert SHA1 hash*
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*query SHA1 hash*
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*return element count*
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*return estimate of false positive rate*
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*return bits per element*
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- void [fold](#) (uint32\_t times)  
*fold a large bloom filter onto itself*
- int [add](#) ([bloom\\_filter](#) \*other)  
*add another same-sized bloom filter to this one*
- int [write\\_out](#) (string filename)  
*write bloom filter to .idx file*
- int [bloom\\_id](#) ()  
*id associated with bloom filter (used for grouping)*

### 2.1.1 Detailed Description

[bloom\\_filter](#): a Bloom filter class.

### 2.1.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 2.1.2.1 `bloom_filter::bloom_filter ( uint64_t size, uint16_t hash_count, uint64_t max_elem, double max_fp )`

Create new empty bloom filter

##### Parameters

<i>size</i>	of bloom filter
<i>hash_count</i>	number of hashes for each insertion or query
<i>max_elem</i>	max element size (0 ok)
<i>max_fp</i>	max false positive rate (0 ok)

#### 2.1.2.2 `bloom_filter::bloom_filter ( string indexfilename )`

Read bloom filter from a file

##### Parameters

<i>indexfilename</i>	file to read
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#### 2.1.2.3 `bloom_filter::bloom_filter ( uint8_t * data, uint64_t size, int id, int bf_elem_ct, uint16_t hamming )`

Creates bloom filter from existing buffer of bloom filter data. Experimental: sized for sdbf 256-byte bloom filters at the moment

##### Parameters

<i>data</i>	buffer of bloom filter data
<i>size</i>	of bloom filter data
<i>id</i>	identifier for clustering bloom filters
<i>bf_elem_ct</i>	# of elements in filter
<i>hamming</i>	weight of filter

#### 2.1.2.4 `bloom_filter::~~bloom_filter ( )`

Destroys bloom filter and frees buffer

### 2.1.3 Member Function Documentation

#### 2.1.3.1 `int bloom_filter::add ( bloom_filter * other )`

Adds another bloom filter to this one

##### Parameters

<i>other</i>	bloom filter
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**Returns**

0 if successful 1 if not the same size

**2.1.3.2 double bloom\_filter::bits\_per\_elem ( )**

Returns bits per element in bloom filter

**Returns**

estimate

**2.1.3.3 uint64\_t bloom\_filter::elem\_count ( )**

Returns number of elements present in bloom filter

**Returns**

number of elements

**2.1.3.4 double bloom\_filter::est\_fp\_rate ( )**

Returns estimated false positive rate (not implemented)

**Returns**

estimate

**2.1.3.5 void bloom\_filter::fold ( uint32\_t times )**

Folds bloom filter by half N times by or'ing the second half of the bloom filter onto the first half.

**Parameters**

<i>times</i>	amount of times to fold filter
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**2.1.3.6 bool bloom\_filter::insert\_sha1 ( uint32\_t \* sha1 )**

Inserts hash data into this bloom filter

**Parameters**

<i>sha1</i>	buffer of sha1 hash values
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**Returns**

exists or not exists

**2.1.3.7 string bloom\_filter::name ( ) const**

Returns name associated with bloom filter

**Returns**

name

**2.1.3.8 bool bloom\_filter::query\_sha1 ( uint32\_t \* sha1 )**

Queries this bloom filter with hash data

**Parameters**

<i>sha1</i>	buffer of sha1 hash values
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**Returns**

exists or not exists

**2.1.3.9 void bloom\_filter::set\_name ( string name )**

Changes name associated with bloom filter

**Parameters**

<i>name</i>	new name
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**2.1.3.10 int32\_t bloom\_filter::write\_out ( string filename )**

Writes bloom filter out to a file.

**Parameters**

<i>filename</i>	file to be written
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**Returns**

status -1 if compression fails, -2 if cannot open file

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- `sdbf/bloom_filter.h`
- `sdbf/bloom_filter.cc`

## 2.2 sdbf Class Reference

sdbf class

```
#include <sdbf_class.h>
```

**Public Member Functions**

- `sdbf` (FILE \*in)  
*to read formatted sdbfs from open file pointer*
- `sdbf` (const char \*filename, uint32\_t dd\_block\_size)  
*to create new from a single file*

- `sdbf` (const char \*name, std::istream \*ifs, uint32\_t dd\_block\_size, uint64\_t msize, index\_info \*info)  
*to create by reading from an open stream*
- `sdbf` (const char \*name, char \*str, uint32\_t dd\_block\_size, uint64\_t length, index\_info \*info)  
*to create from a c-string*
- `~sdbf` ()  
*destructor*
- const char \* `name` ()  
*object name*
- uint64\_t `size` ()  
*object size*
- uint64\_t `input_size` ()  
*source object size*
- int32\_t `compare` (sdbf \*other, uint32\_t sample)  
*matching algorithm, take other object and run match*
- string `to_string` () const  
*return a string representation of this sdbf*
- string `get_index_results` () const  
*return results of index search*
- uint8\_t \* `clone_filter` (uint32\_t position)  
*return a copy of an individual bloom filter from this sdbf*

### Static Public Attributes

- static class `sdbf_conf` \* `config` = new `sdbf_conf`(1, FLAG\_OFF, \_MAX\_ELEM\_COUNT, \_MAX\_ELEM\_COUNT\_DD)  
*global configuration object*

### Friends

- std::ostream & `operator<<` (std::ostream &os, const `sdbf` &s)  
*output operator*
- std::ostream & `operator<<` (std::ostream &os, const `sdbf` \*s)  
*output operator*

## 2.2.1 Detailed Description

sdbf: a Similarity Digest Bloom Filter class.

Examples:

[sdbf\\_test.cc](#).

## 2.2.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

### 2.2.2.1 sdbf::sdbf ( FILE \* in )

Reads an already generated sdbf from open file. Throws exceptions in case of bad formatting.

Parameters

<i>in</i>	FILE* open formatted as list of sdbfs
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**2.2.2.2** `sdbf::sdbf ( const char * filename, uint32_t dd_block_size )`

Create new sdbf from file. `dd_block_size` turns on "block" mode.

**Parameters**

<i>filename</i>	file to hash
<i>dd_block_size</i>	size of block to process file with. 0 is off.

**2.2.2.3** `sdbf::sdbf ( const char * name, std::istream * ifs, uint32_t dd_block_size, uint64_t msize, index_info * info )`

Generates a new sdbf, with a maximum size read from an open stream. `dd_block_size` enables block mode.

**Parameters**

<i>name</i>	name of stream
<i>ifs</i>	open istream to read raw data from
<i>dd_block_size</i>	size of block to divide data with. 0 is off.
<i>msize</i>	amount of data to read and process
<i>info</i>	block of information about indexes

**2.2.2.4** `sdbf::sdbf ( const char * name, char * str, uint32_t dd_block_size, uint64_t length, index_info * info )`

Generates a new sdbf, from a char \*string `dd_block_size` enables block mode.

**Parameters**

<i>name</i>	name of stream
<i>str</i>	input to be hashed
<i>dd_block_size</i>	size of block to divide data with. 0 is off.
<i>length</i>	length of str to be hashed
<i>info</i>	block of information about indexes

**2.2.2.5** `sdbf::~sdbf ( )`

Destroys this sdbf

**2.2.3 Member Function Documentation****2.2.3.1** `uint8_t * sdbf::clone_filter ( uint32_t position )`

Clones a copy of a single bloom filter in this sdbf.

Warning: 256-bytes long, not terminated, may contain nulls.

**Parameters**

<i>position</i>	index of bloom filter
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**Returns**

`uint8_t*` pointer to 256-byte long bloom filter

**2.2.3.2** `int32_t sdbf::compare ( sdbf * other, uint32_t sample )`

Compares this sdbf to other passed sdbf, returns a confidence score

**Parameters**

<i>other</i>	sdbf* to compare to self
<i>sample</i>	sets the number of BFs to sample - 0 uses all

**Returns**

int32\_t confidence score

**Examples:**

[sdbf\\_test.cc](#).

**2.2.3.3** `uint64_t sdbf::input_size ( )`

Returns the size of the data that the hash was generated from.

**Returns**

uint64\_t length value

**2.2.3.4** `const char * sdbf::name ( )`

Returns the name of the file or data this sdbf represents.

**Returns**

char\* of file name

**2.2.3.5** `uint64_t sdbf::size ( )`

Returns the size of the hash data for this sdbf

**Returns**

uint64\_t length value

**2.2.3.6** `string sdbf::to_string ( ) const`

Encode this sdbf and return it as a string.

**Returns**

std::string containing sdbf suitable for display or writing to file

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- sdbf/sdbf\_class.h
- sdbf/sdbf\_class.cc
- sdbf/sdbf\_core.cc

## 2.3 sdbf\_conf Class Reference

```
#include <sdbf_conf.h>
```

### Public Member Functions

- [sdbf\\_conf](#) (uint32\_t [thread\\_cnt](#), uint32\_t [warnings](#), uint32\_t [max\\_elem\\_ct](#), uint32\_t [max\\_elem\\_ct\\_dd](#))  
*constructor: set defaults*
- [~sdbf\\_conf](#) ()  
*destructor*

### Public Attributes

- uint32\_t [thread\\_cnt](#)  
*number of pthreads available*
- uint32\_t [max\\_elem](#)  
*maximum elements per bf*
- uint32\_t [max\\_elem\\_dd](#)  
*maximum elements per bf - dd mode*
- uint32\_t [warnings](#)  
*whether to process warnings*

#### 2.3.1 Detailed Description

Configuration object for sdbf classes. Used as a static class member to provide globally tunable defaults and access to bit counting structures.

#### 2.3.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

##### 2.3.2.1 [sdbf\\_conf::sdbf\\_conf](#) ( uint32\_t [thread\\_cnt](#), uint32\_t [warnings](#), uint32\_t [max\\_elem\\_ct](#), uint32\_t [max\\_elem\\_ct\\_dd](#) )

constructor for [sdbf\\_conf](#) object. takes thread\_count, warnings, max elements in BF

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- sdbf/sdbf\_conf.h
- sdbf/entr64.cc
- sdbf/sdbf\_conf.cc

## 2.4 sdbf\_set Class Reference

[sdbf\\_set](#) class

```
#include <sdbf_set.h>
```

### Public Member Functions

- [sdbf\\_set](#) ()  
*creates blank sdbf\_set*
- [sdbf\\_set](#) (bloom\_filter \*[index](#))

- creates blank *sdbf\_set* with index
- `sdbf_set` (const char \*fname)
  - loads an *sdbf\_set* from a file
- `~sdbf_set` ()
  - destructor
- class `sdbf * at` (uint32\_t pos)
  - accessor method for individual hashes
- void `add` (class `sdbf *hash`)
  - adds a single hash to this set
- void `add (sdbf_set *hashset)`
  - adds the items in another set to this set
- uint64\_t `size` ()
  - Returns the number of sdbfs in this set.
- uint64\_t `input_size` ()
  - Computes the data size of this set.
- uint64\_t `filter_count` ()
- void `compare_all` (int32\_t threshold)
  - Compares all objects in a set to each other.
- std::string `compare_all_quiet` (int32\_t threshold, int32\_t thread\_count)
- void `compare_to` (`sdbf_set *other`, int32\_t threshold, uint32\_t sample\_size)
  - queries one set for the contents of another
- std::string `compare_to_quiet` (`sdbf_set *other`, int32\_t threshold, uint32\_t sample\_size, int32\_t thread\_count)
- std::string `to_string` () const
  - return a string which contains the output-encoded sdbfs in this set
- std::string `index_results` () const
  - return a string which contains the results of this set's index searching
- int `empty` ()
  - is this empty?
- std::string `name` () const
  - retrieve name of set
- void `set_name` (std::string name)
  - name this set.
- void `set_separator` (char sep)
  - change output separator
- void `vector_init` ()
  - setup bloom filter vector

## Public Attributes

- class `bloom_filter * index`
  - index for this set
- std::vector< class `bloom_filter * > * bf_vector`
  - giant bloom filter vector for this set

## Friends

- std::ostream & `operator<<` (std::ostream &os, const `sdbf_set` &s)
  - output operator
- std::ostream & `operator<<` (std::ostream &os, const `sdbf_set` \*s)
  - output operator

## 2.4.1 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

### 2.4.1.1 `sdbf_set::sdbf_set ( )`

Creates empty `sdbf_set`

### 2.4.1.2 `sdbf_set::sdbf_set ( bloom_filter * index )`

Creates empty `sdbf_set` with an index

#### Parameters

<i>index</i>	to insert new items into
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### 2.4.1.3 `sdbf_set::sdbf_set ( const char * fname )`

Loads all sdbfs from a file into a new set

#### Parameters

<i>fname</i>	name of sdbf file
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## 2.4.2 Member Function Documentation

### 2.4.2.1 `void sdbf_set::add ( class sdbf * hash )`

Adds a single hash to this set

#### Parameters

<i>hash</i>	an existing sdbf hash
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### 2.4.2.2 `void sdbf_set::add ( sdbf_set * hashset )`

Adds all items in another set to this set

#### Parameters

<i>hashset</i>	<code>sdbf_set*</code> to be added
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### 2.4.2.3 `class sdbf * sdbf_set::at ( uint32_t pos )`

Accessor method for a single `sdbf*` in this set

#### Parameters

<i>pos</i>	position 0 to <code>size()</code>
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#### Returns

`sdbf*` or NULL if position not valid



2.4.2.4 void sdbf\_set::compare\_all ( int32\_t *threshold* )

Compares each sdbf object in target to every other sdbf object in target and prints the results to stdout

## Parameters

<i>threshold</i>	output threshold, defaults to 1
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2.4.2.5 std::string sdbf\_set::compare\_all\_quiet ( int32\_t *threshold*, int32\_t *thread\_count* )

Compares each sdbf object in target to every other sdbf object in target and returns the results as a list stored in a string

## Parameters

<i>threshold</i>	output threshold, defaults to 1
<i>thread_count</i>	processor threads to use, 0 for all available

## Returns

std::string result listing

2.4.2.6 std::string sdbf\_set::compare\_to\_quiet ( sdbf\_set \* *other*, int32\_t *threshold*, uint32\_t *sample\_size*, int32\_t *thread\_count* )

Compares each sdbf object in other to each object in this set, and returns the results as a list stored in a string.

## Parameters

<i>other</i>	set to compare to
<i>threshold</i>	output threshold, defaults to 1
<i>sample_size</i>	size of bloom filter sample. send 0 for no sampling
<i>thread_count</i>	processor threads to use, 0 for all available

## Returns

std::string result listing

## 2.4.2.7 int sdbf\_set::empty ( )

Checks empty status of container

## Returns

int 1 if empty, 0 if non-empty

## 2.4.2.8 uint64\_t sdbf\_set::filter\_count ( )

Returns the size of the set's own [bloom\\_filter](#) vector.

## 2.4.2.9 std::string sdbf\_set::index\_results ( ) const

Generates a string representing the indexing results of this set

**2.4.2.10** `uint64_t sdbf_set::input_size ( )`

Computes the data size of this set, from the `input_size()` values of its' content sdbf hashes.

**Returns**

`uint64_t` total of input sizes

**2.4.2.11** `std::string sdbf_set::name ( ) const`

Retrieve name of this set

**Returns**

string name

**2.4.2.12** `void sdbf_set::set_name ( std::string name )`

Change name of this set

**Parameters**

<i>name</i>	of string
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**2.4.2.13** `void sdbf_set::set_separator ( char sep )`

Change comparison output separator

**Parameters**

<i>sep</i>	character separator for output
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**2.4.2.14** `uint64_t sdbf_set::size ( )`

Number of items in this set

**Returns**

`uint64_t` number of items in this set

**2.4.2.15** `std::string sdbf_set::to_string ( ) const`

Generates a string which contains the output-encoded sdbfs in this set

**Returns**

`std::string` containing sdbfs.

**2.4.2.16** `void sdbf_set::vector_init ( )`

Sets up bloom filter vector. Should also be called by server process when done hashing to a set

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- [sdbf/sdbf\\_set.h](#)
- [sdbf/sdbf\\_set.cc](#)



## Chapter 3

# Example Documentation

### 3.1 sdbf\_test.cc

A very short example program using sdbf.

```
/* sdbf_test.cc shortest possible test program for sdbf
   author: candice quates

g++ sdbf_test.cc -o sdbf_test ../libsdbf.a -lcrypto -lc -lm -lpthread
*/

#include <iostream>
#include <stdint.h>

#include "../sdbf/sdbf_class.h"
#include "../sdbf/sdbf_defines.h"

using namespace std;

int
main() {
    uint32_t res1;
    /// create new sdbf from binary of built sdhash file, no parallelism
    sdbf *test1 = new sdbf("../sdhash", 0);
    /// create new sdbf from binary of Doxygen file, 16KB to a bloom filter
    sdbf *test2 = new sdbf("../Doxyfile", 16*1024);

    /// display our hashes
    cout << test1 ;
    cout << test2 ;
    /// Compare test 1 with test2, and print the resulting score.
    res1=test1->compare(test2,0,0);

    uint8_t* stuff;
    cout << "test1 vs test2 " << res1 << "\n";
    return 0;
}
```

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