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Exercise 7: Data Stream Clustering

Exercise 7-1 Damped Window Model

Assume a special microcluster decaying mechanism, where all microclusters are fading out after each time stamp according to $f(t) = b^{-\lambda t}$, and only the weight of the microcluster that is currently updated (hit by a point in the current timestamp) increases by 1.

- (a) What is the maximum weight of a microcluster?
- (b) What is the minimum time needed for a newly created microcluster to become potential (weight larger than τ)?
- (c) What is the minimum time needed for a potential microcluster of weight w to became an outlier (weight less than τ)?

Exercise 7-2 Cluster Features

Given the following dataset:



Compute the CluStream cluster features CFT for each of these three clusters.

A new observation in the stream is p = (X = 8, Y = 5, t = 6.1).

Run the "online micro-cluster maintainance" of CluStream for this Point p.