How to run the benchmarks locally

Run in the browser

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yarn bazel run modules/benchmarks/src/tree/{name}:devserver
# e.g. "ng2" tree benchmark:
yarn bazel run modules/benchmarks/src/tree/ng2:devserver
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Run e2e tests

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# Run e2e tests of individual applications:
yarn bazel test modules/benchmarks/src/tree/ng2/...
# Run all e2e tests:
yarn bazel test modules/benchmarks/...
```

Use of *_aot.ts files

The *_aot.ts files are used as entry-points within Google to run the benchmark tests. These are still built as part of the corresponding ng_module rule.

Specifying benchmark options

There are options that can be specified in order to control how a given benchmark target runs. The following options can be set through test environment variables:

- PERF_SAMPLE_SIZE: Benchpress performs measurements until scriptTime predictively no longer decreases. It does this by using a simple linear regression with the amount of samples specified. Defaults to 20 samples.
- PERF_FORCE_GC: If set to true, @angular/benchpress will run run the garbage collector before and after performing measurements. Benchpress will measure and report the garbage collection time.
- PERF_DRYRUN: If set to true, no results are printed and stored in a json file. Also benchpress only performs a single measurement (unlike with the simple linear regression).

Here is an example command that sets the PERF DRYRUN option:

yarn bazel test modules/benchmarks/src/tree/baseline:perf --test_env=PERF_DRYRUN=true