

Spatial Skyline Queries

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Problem Statement

- Given a set of data points P and a set of query points Q , with each point in P having number of derived spatial attributes decides distance between pair of data and query points.
- Spatial Skyline Queries(SSQ), retrieves those points which are not dominated by any other point in P w.r.t Q considering their derived spatial attributes.



Real Life Importance

- In Trip Planning domain, searching hotel which is not dominated by any other hotel considering w.r.t conference venue, beaches, museums, etc.
- In Crisis Management, finding mostly affected/to be affected areas around crisis locations, example fire locations.
- etc.

Algorithm for SSQ - B2S2

Algorithm B²S² (set Q)

01. compute the convex hull $CH(Q)$;
02. set $S(Q) = \{\}$;
03. box $B = MBR(R)$;
04. minheap $H = \{(R, 0)\}$;
05. while H is not empty
06. remove first entry e from H ;
07. if e does not intersect with B , discard e ;
08. if e is inside $CH(Q)$ or
09. e is not dominated by any point in $S(Q)$
10. if e is a data point p
11. add p to $S(Q)$;
12. $B = B \cap MBR(SR(p, Q))$;
13. else // e is an intermediate node
14. for each child node e' of e
15. if e' does not intersect with B , discard e' ;
16. if e' is inside $CH(Q)$ or
17. e' is not dominated by any point in $S(Q)$
18. add $(e', mindist(e', CH_v(Q)))$ to H ;
19. return $S(Q)$;

Figure 5: Pseudo-code of the B²S² algorithm



Some important elements

- Convex Hull
- Box B
- RTree



Experimentation

- **Dataset:** Randomly generated using python's numpy library.
- Analysis of following things:
 - Effect of **size of query points**
 - Effect of **MBR area covered by query points**
 - Effect of **size of data points**
 - Effect of **density of query points**
 - Effect of **M value of RTree**



Query Size

- Data Size : 20000
- Query Size from [2,4,6,8,10]

Chart: Query Size Vs CH points

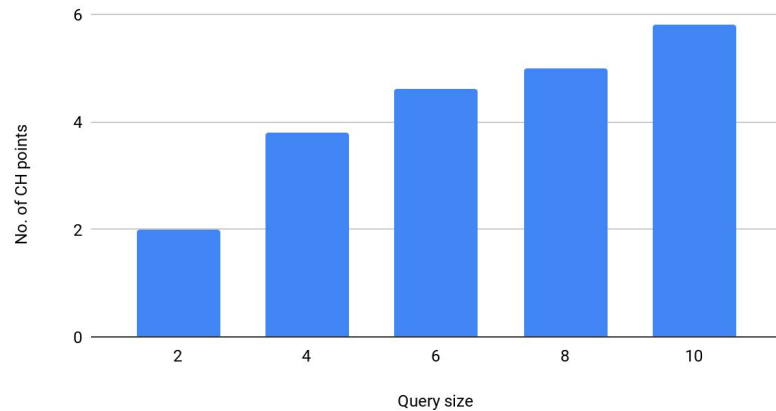


Chart: Query Size Vs Nodes accessed

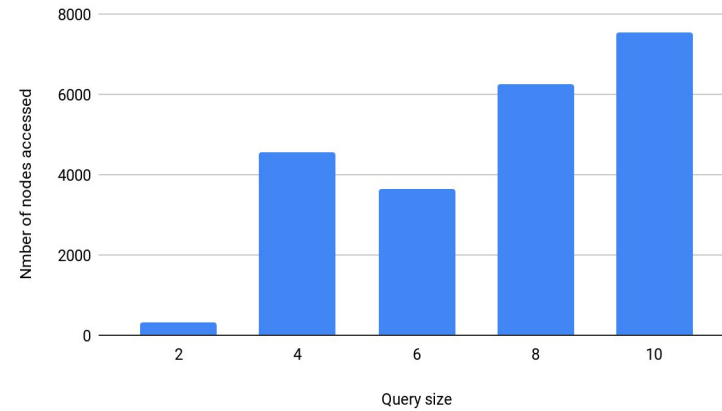


Chart: Query Size Vs Dominance Check

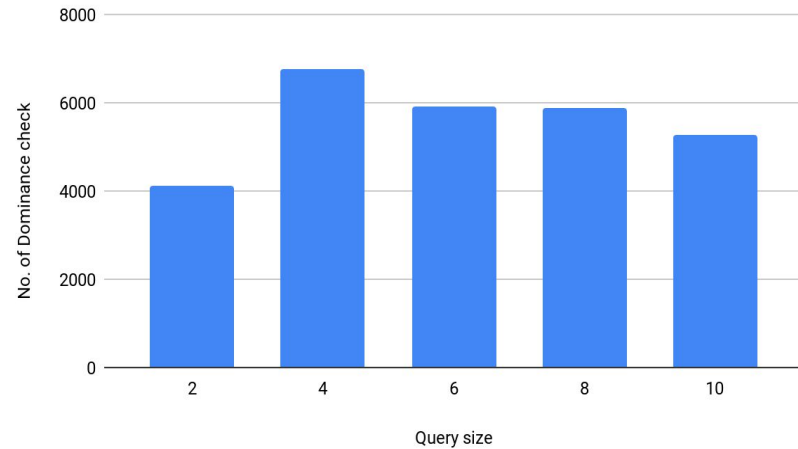
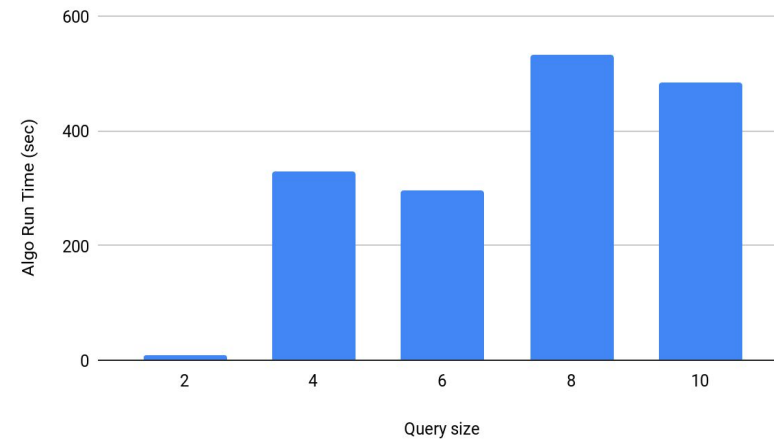


Chart: Query Size Vs Algo Run Time





Query MBR

- Data Size : 20000
- Query MBR lies between 0 to 1%.

Chart: Query MBR age VS. CH points

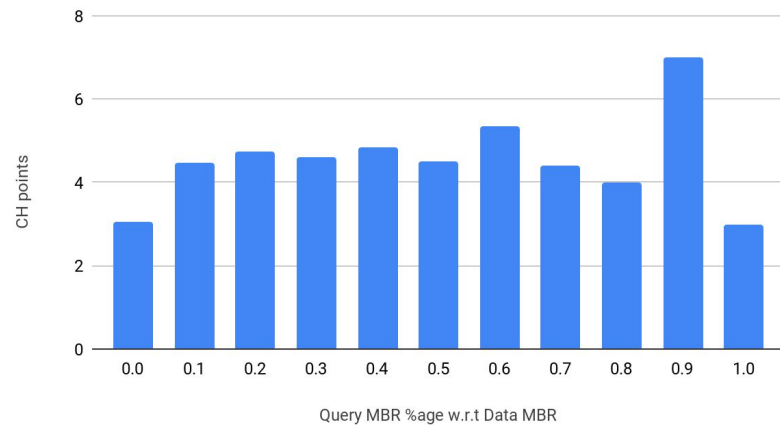


Chart: Query MBR age VS. Nodes Accessed

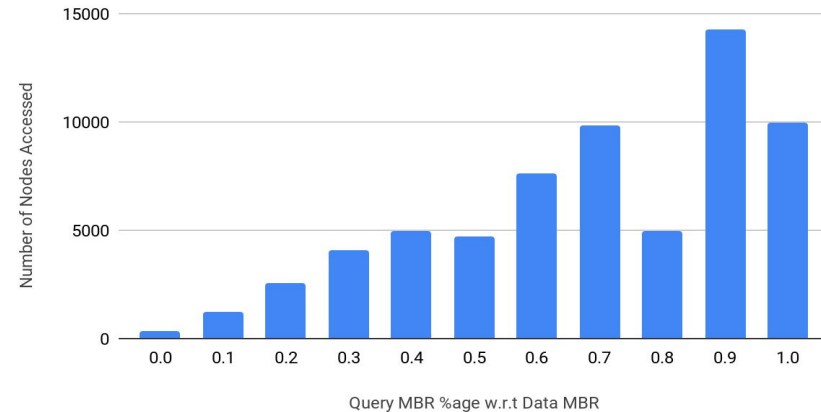


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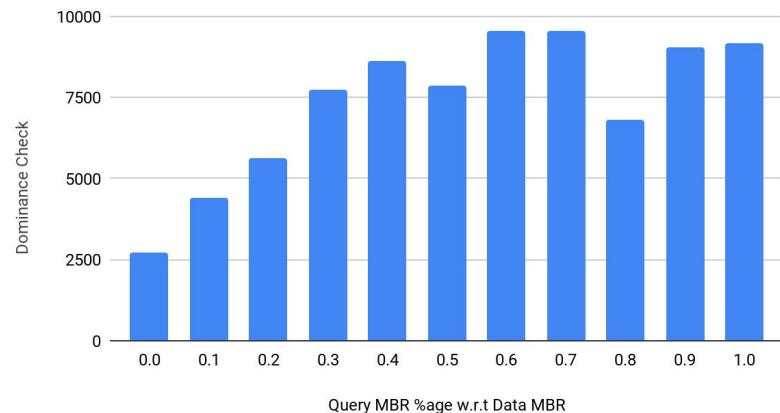
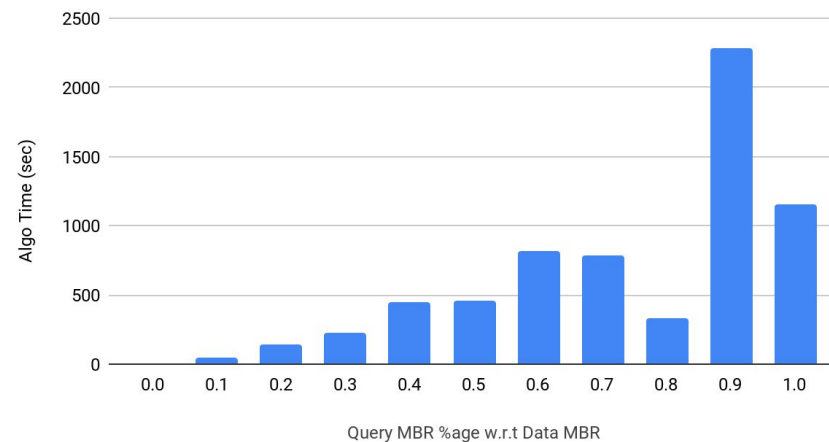


Chart: Query MBR age VS. Algo Time





Data Size

- Data Size varies from [10000, 20000, 40000, 60000, 80000]
- Query Size = 2

Chart: Data Size Vs. Ratio of nodes accessed

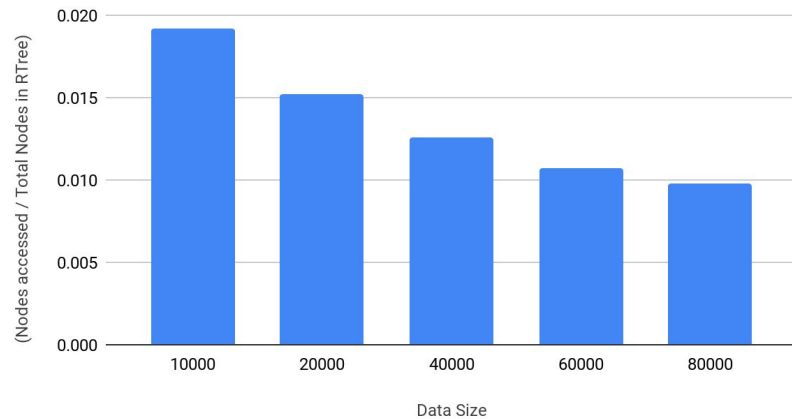


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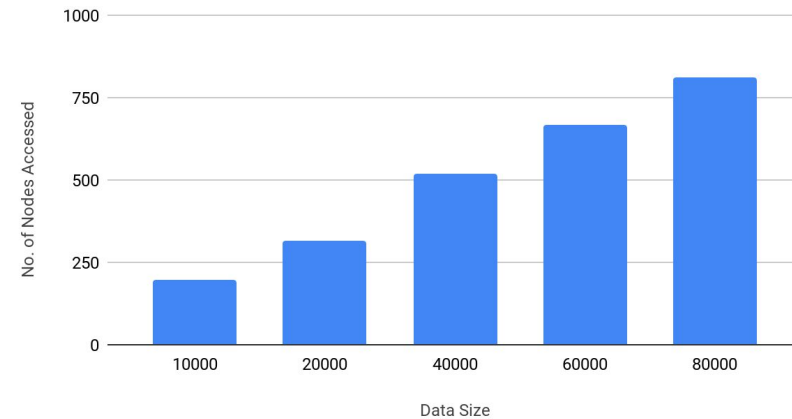


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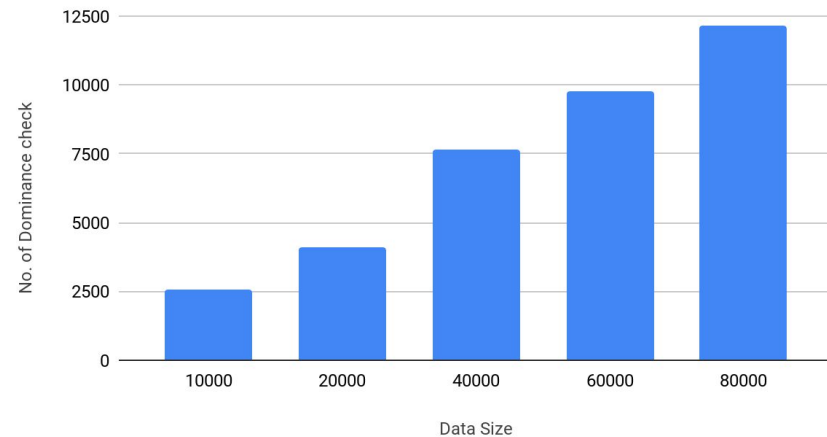
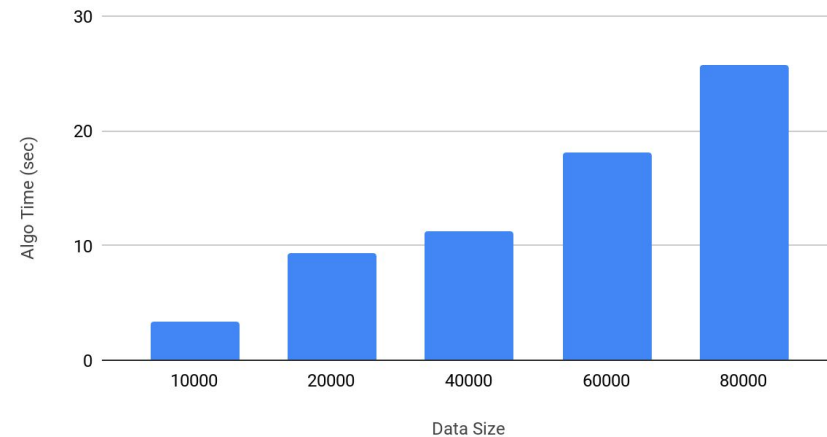


Chart: Data Size Vs. Algo Time





Data density

- Query Size = 2

Chart: Data density Vs. ratio of nodes accessed

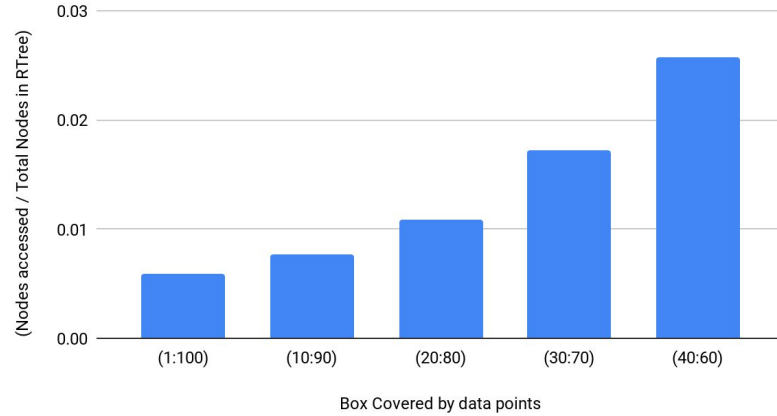


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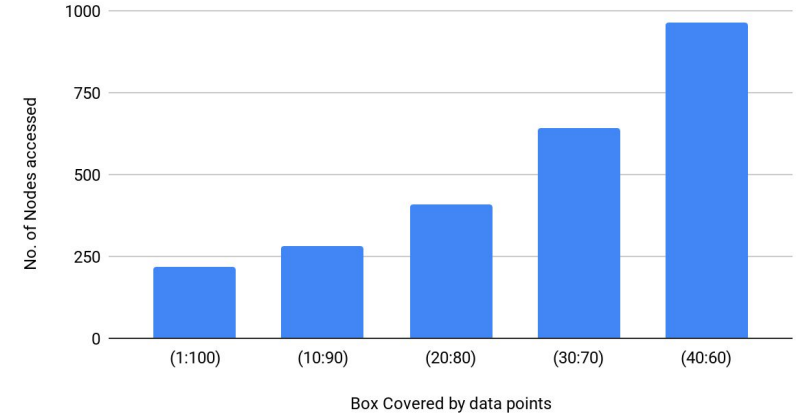


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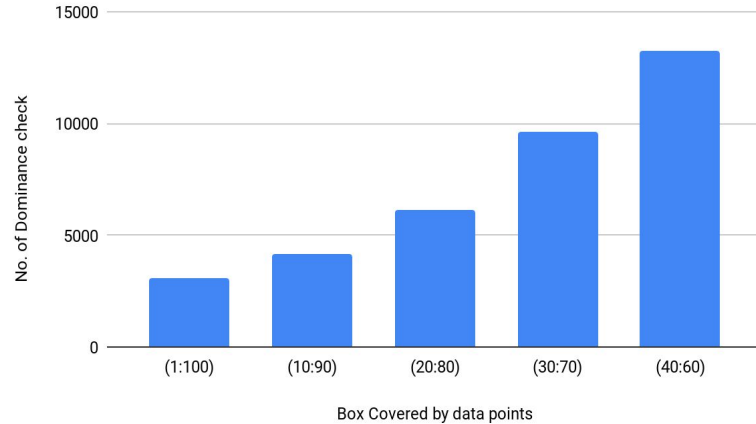
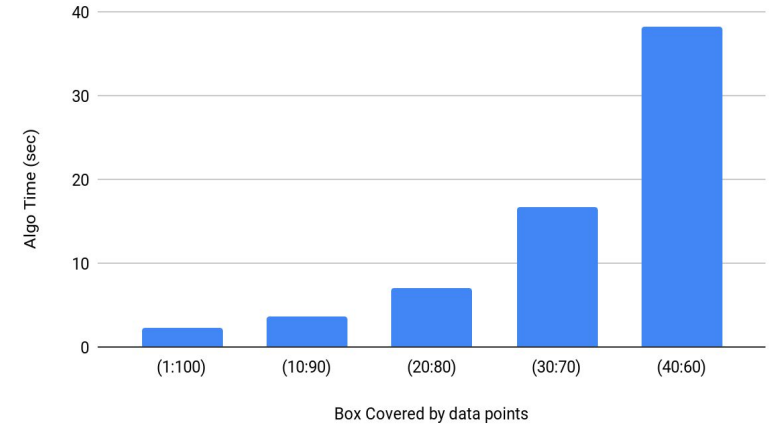


Chart: Data density Vs. Algo time





M-Value

- Data Size varies from [10000, 20000, 40000, 60000, 80000]
- Query Size = 2

Chart: M-Value Vs. ratio of nodes accessed

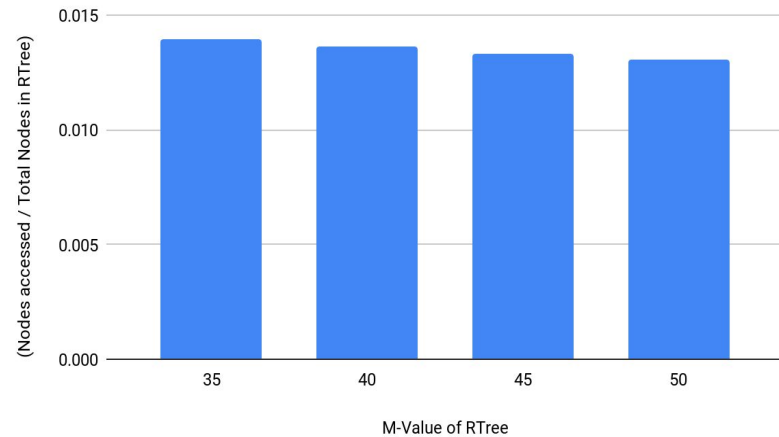


Chart: M-Value Vs. Nodes accessed

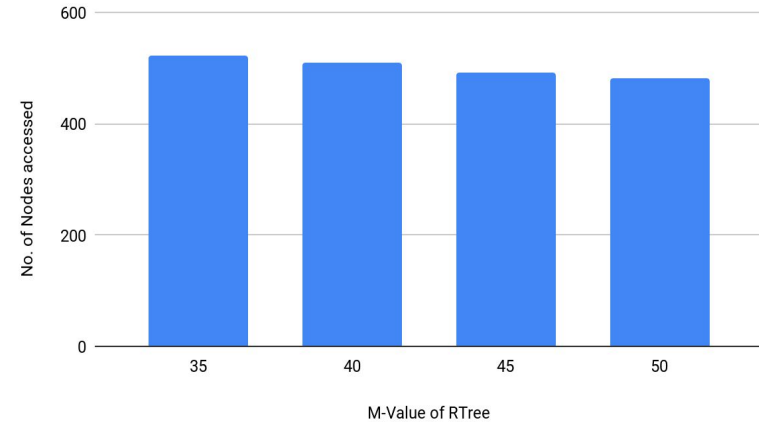


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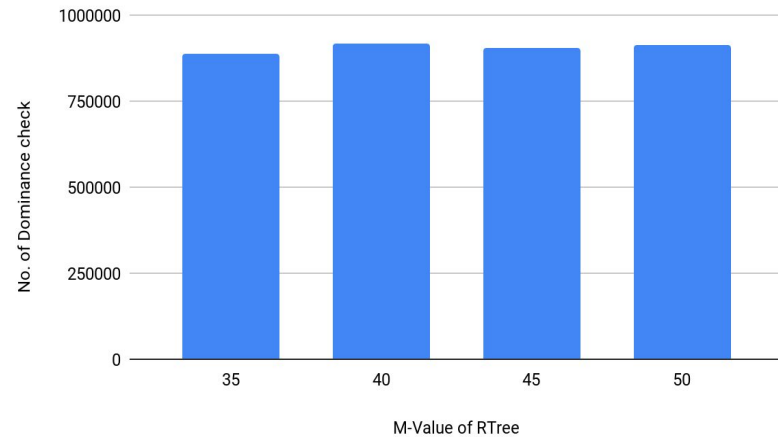
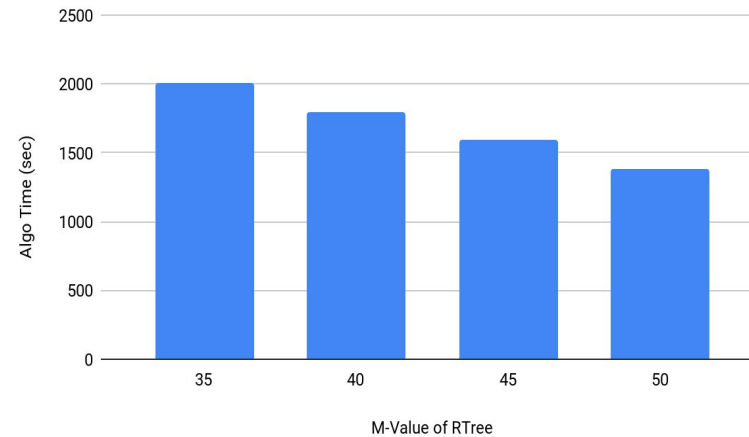


Chart: M-Value Vs. Algo time



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