

RC++ Execution Times

(in seconds)

Matrix size: 100x100

0.0020051
0.00197506
0.002007961

Matrix size: 175x175

0.009022951
0.008987904
0.008021116

Matrix size: 250x250

0.02406383
0.02456689
0.02406406

Code to reproduce RC++ execution time results:

```
x = matrix(runif(30625),nrow=175,ncol=175)
start.time <- Sys.time()
mySweepC(x,175)
end.time <- Sys.time()
time.taken <- end.time - start.time
print(time.taken)
```

R Execution Times

(in seconds)

Matrix size: 100x100

0.358119

0.3544559

0.4157109

Matrix size: 175x175

19.60833

19.81161

19.2025

Matrix size: 250x250

55.68337

56.17705

54.52212

Code to reproduce R execution time results:

```
x = matrix(runif(30625),nrow=175,ncol=175)
```

```
start.time <- Sys.time()
```

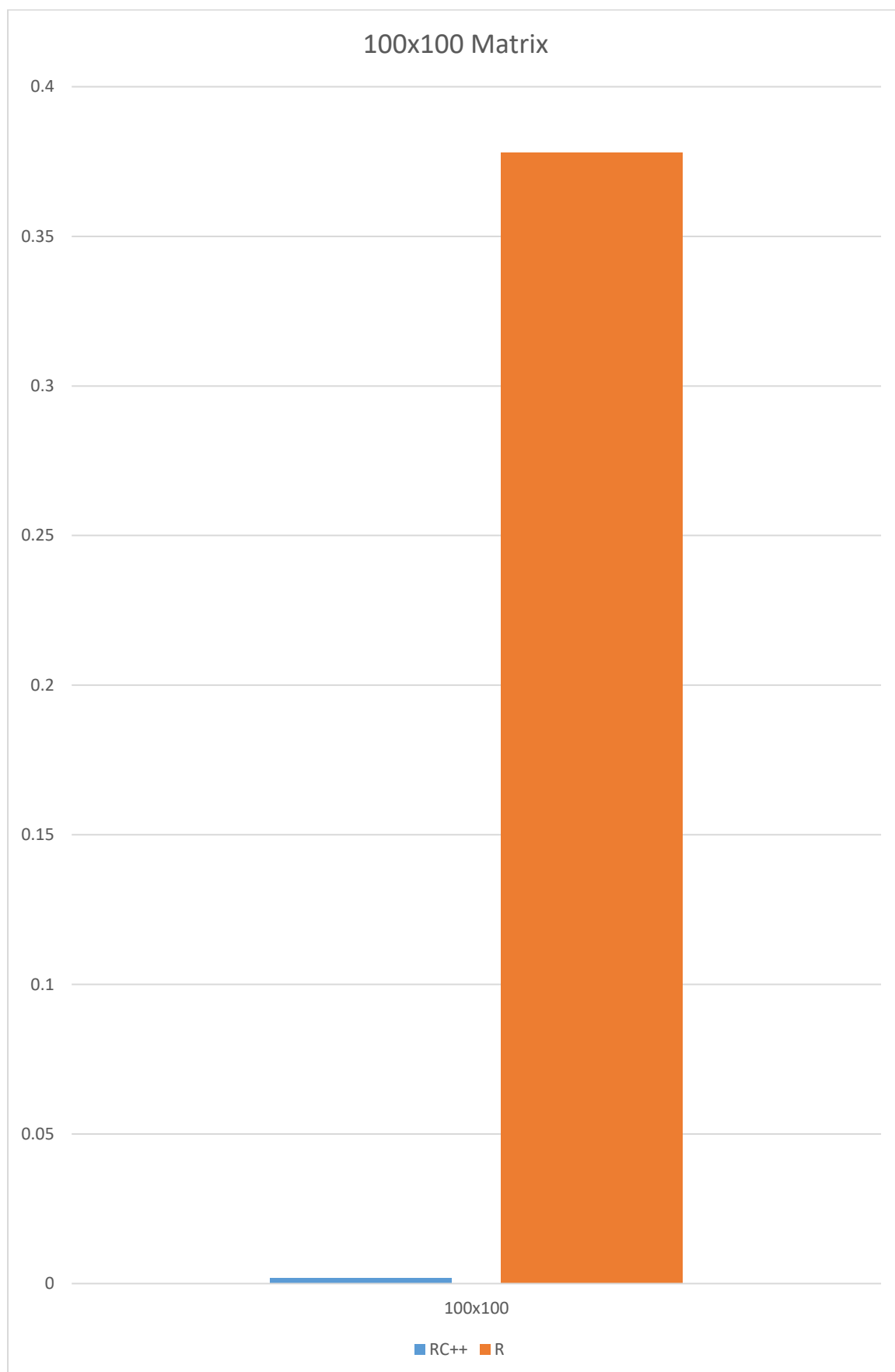
```
mySweep(x,175)
```

```
end.time <- Sys.time()
```

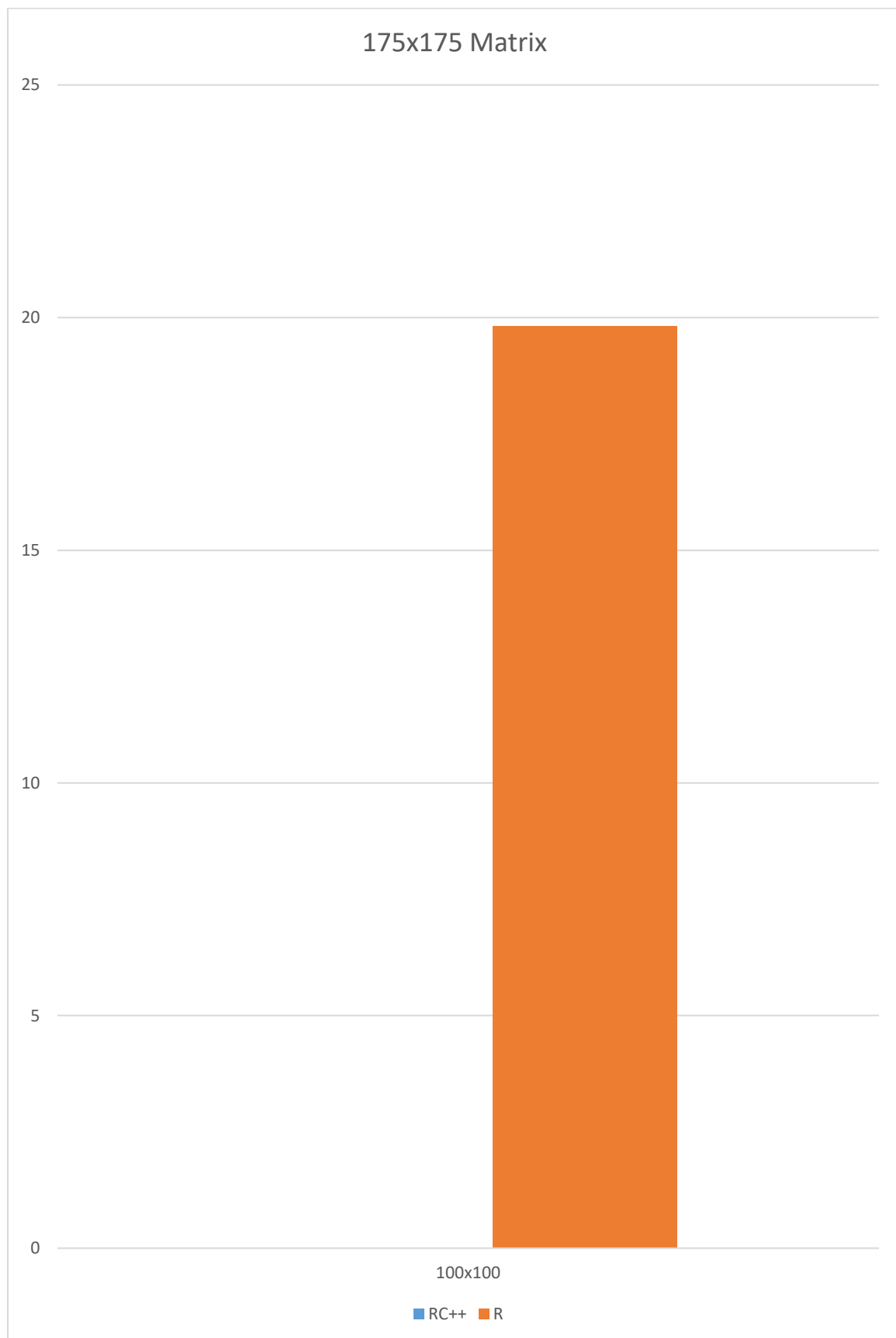
```
time.taken <- end.time - start.time
```

```
print(time.taken)
```

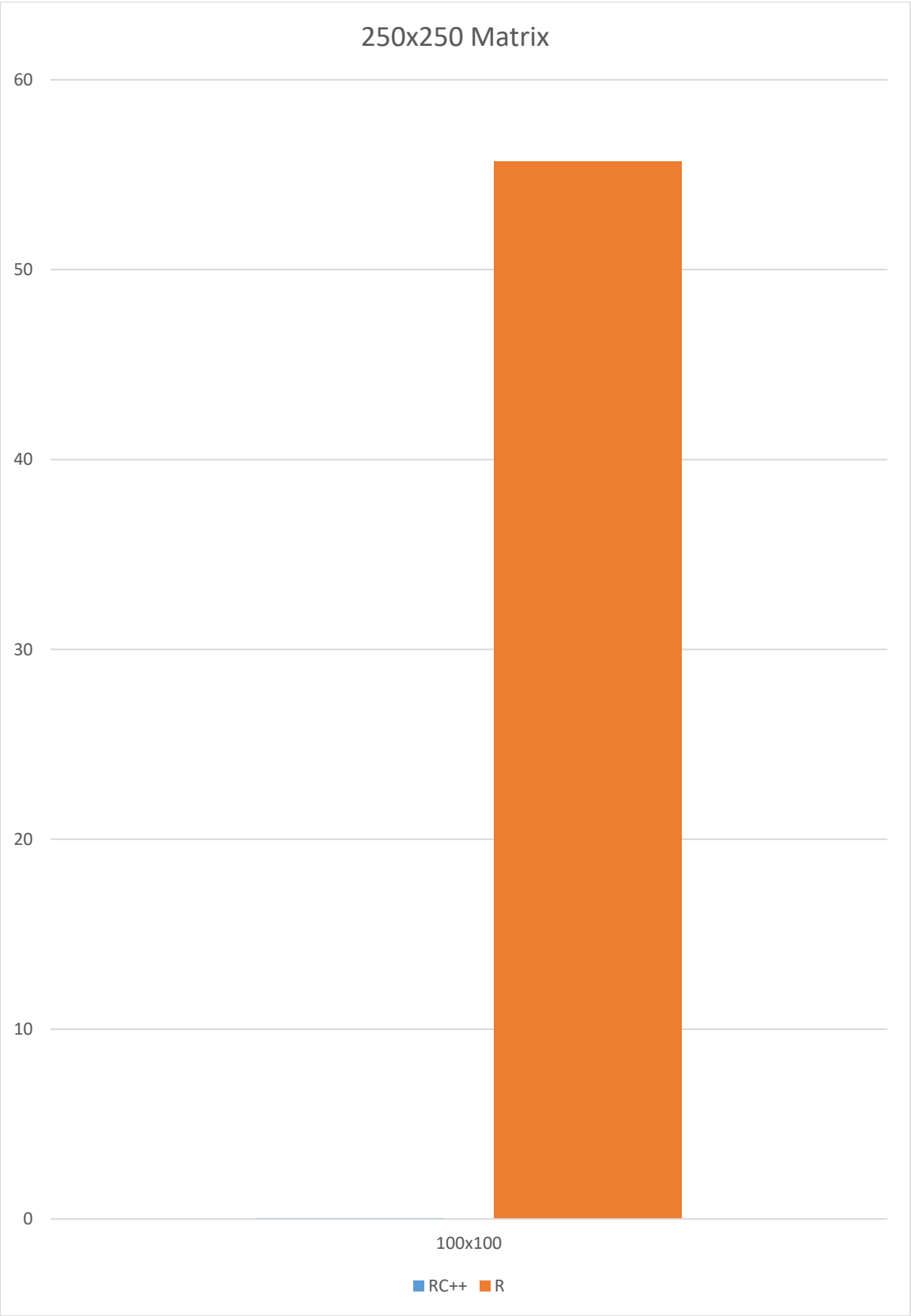
0.002007961 sec vs 0.3544559 sec



0.008987904 sec vs 19.60833 sec



0.02456689 sec vs 55.68337 sec



Thus, we can see that the speedup that RCpp gives over R is:

100x100: 207 times

175x175: 2204 times

250x250: 2286 times

Thus, the larger the matrix, the better the speedup, thanks mainly to gcc's native loop unrolling.