Minstrel is a practical rate selection algorithm for 802.11. Minstrel is based on acknowledgment feedback, therefore Minstrel select rates can reflect an approximation of the best available throughput.

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4.94602 Change from 263250000 to 58500000
4.95185 Change from 58500000 to 87750000
5.5 Position: (30, 0, 1) Dist: 30.0666 Goodput: 5.58367e+07 bits/s
6.27111 Change from 87750000 to 117000000
6.5 Position: (35, 0, 1) Dist: 35.0571 Goodput: 8.43284e+07 bits/s
7.5 Position: (35, 5, 1) Dist: 35.4119 Goodput: 1.02523e+08 bits/s
8.5 Position: (35, 10, 1) Dist: 36.4555 Goodput: 1.01794e+08 bits/s
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From the experimental results, the rates are not much different from goodput, and the change rule of goodput is basically the same as that of the rate changes.