

harrisonkleiman@Harrisons-MBP cs % node runtime.js

Results for the tinyArray

insert 49.287 μ s

append 128.102 μ s

Results for the smallArray

insert 167.319 μ s

append 141.352 μ s

Results for the mediumArray

insert 246.585 μ s

append 221.476 μ s

Results for the largeArray

insert 14.226715 ms

append 799.963 μ s

Results for the extraLargeArray

insert 1.983757138 s

append 7.37519 ms

DoubleAppend is the more efficient function compared to doubleInsert. This is because 'append' simply adds to the list while insert will need to add an element before a certain index in the array. Append method adds a new element at the end of the list. The length of the list increases by one.

The reason insert is less efficient is because the function will need to make a copy of the array first. Unless you need to add an array element to a specific index, appending will be the more efficient route.