Observation:

Array Size	Cutoff	Time (millisecond)
200	100	12
400	200	19
800	400	12
1000	500	8
2000	1000	8
5000	2500	15
10000	5000	20

As we see by the readings, we can conclude that as with the increase in the array size performance is increases. Initially when the array size is small system took more time to sort but if be continuously increase the size of the array after certain size we can find that eventually, it will take less time to sort the array and on further increase in the size of the array the time taken to sort the array increases by very small amount.

In my case, the ideal cutoff point is between 800-1000 as in between these sizes the time eventually decreases for sorting a longer array.

Screen shot: Code Success: ______ Building INFO6205 1 ______ --- exec-maven-plugin:1.2.1:exec (default-cli) @ INFO6205 --final result: [11, 12, 22, 23, 29, 31, 31, 32, 33, 40, 48, 51, 61, 63, 67, 77, 78, 81, 84, Success! BUILD SUCCESS Total time: 2.539s Finished at: Thu Mar 15 13:23:49 EDT 2018 Final Memory: 5M/123M ______ Readings: Array Size : 200, Cut off : 100 - Sort Time: 12 MiliSec BUILD SUCCESS Total time: 1.084s Finished at: Thu Mar 15 13:43:56 EDT 2018 Final Memory: 5M/123M ______ Array Size : 400, Cut off : 200 Sort Time: 19 MiliSec BUILD SUCCESS Total time: 1.187s Finished at: Thu Mar 15 13:45:06 EDT 2018 Final Memory: 5M/123M ______ Array Size: 800, Cut off: 400 Sort Time: 12 MiliSec · Success! ______ BUILD SUCCESS Total time: 1.071s Finished at: Thu Mar 15 13:46:25 EDT 2018 Final Memory: 5M/123M

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Array Size : 1000, Cut off : 500 Sort Time: 8 MiliSec Success! ______ BUILD SUCCESS Total time: 1.036s Finished at: Thu Mar 15 13:47:50 EDT 2018 Final Memory: 5M/123M Array Size : 2000, Cut off : 1000 Sort Time: 8 MiliSec Success! BUILD SUCCESS Total time: 1.018s Finished at: Thu Mar 15 13:48:32 EDT 2018 Final Memory: 5M/123M ______ Array Size : 5000, Cut off : 2500 Sort Time: 15 MiliSec ______ BUILD SUCCESS Total time: 1.042s Finished at: Thu Mar 15 13:49:17 EDT 2018 Final Memory: 5M/123M ______ --- exec-maven-plugin:1.2.1:exec (default-cli) @ INFO6205 ---Array Size : 10000, Cut off : 5000 Sort Time: 20 MiliSec ______ BUILD SUCCESS Total time: 1.132s Finished at: Thu Mar 15 13:50:02 EDT 2018 Final Memory: 5M/123M