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A a set of n objects each having an xseg and yseg, defining the axis-parallel rectangle $a.Box = xseg \times yseg$. Build a data structure for A so that for any query point $q \in \mathbb{R}^2$ you can determine quickly for which objects in A you have $q \in a.Box$.



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