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Assignment 3: UNION-FIND

1. Task

Step 1:

- (a) Implement height-weighted Quick Union with Path Compression. For this, you will flesh out the class UF_HWQUPC. All you have to do is to fill in the sections marked with // TO BE IMPLEMENTED ... // ...END IMPLEMENTATION.
- (b) Check that the unit tests for this class all work. You must show "green" test results in your submission (screenshot is OK).

Step 2:

Using your implementation of UF_HWQUPC, develop a UF ("union-find") client that takes an integer value n from the command line to determine the number of "sites." Then generates random pairs of integers between 0 and n-1, calling connected() to determine if they are connected and union() if not. Loop until all sites are connected then print the number of connections generated. Package your program as a static method count() that takes n as the argument and returns the number of connections; and a main() that takes n from the command line, calls count() and prints the returned value. If you prefer, you can create a main program that doesn't require any input and runs the experiment for a fixed set of n values. Show evidence of your run(s).

Step 3:

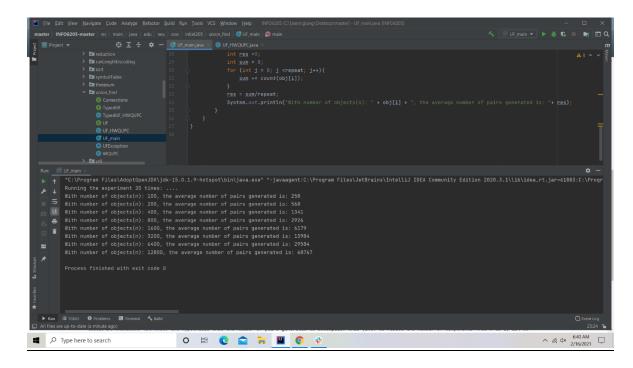
Determine the relationship between the number of objects (n) and the number of pairs (m) generated to accomplish this (i.e. to reduce the number of components from n to 1). Justify your conclusion.

2. Conclusion

- I ran the experiments for each case of objects (n) 20 times to get the average number of pair (m) generated, which I will show in the table result below. I believe the relationship between n and m to reduce components from n to 1 is:

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m = 0.55* n* ln(n) \sim \frac{1}{2} n ln(n)
where ln(n) is natural logarithm of n.
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3. Evidence



As the result above shown we can have the table:

Objects (n)	Pairs generated (m)	0.55 * n *ln(n)
100	258	253
200	568	582
400	1341	1318
800	2926	2941
1600	6179	6492
3200	13984	14204
6400	29584	30849
12800	68767	66578

4. Code

File modified including UF_HWQUPC.java and UF_main.java. If you have trouble running it, please download the master folder on github repo for running/testing.

5. Unit Test (passed)

