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Task 1: Wikipedia Search Test

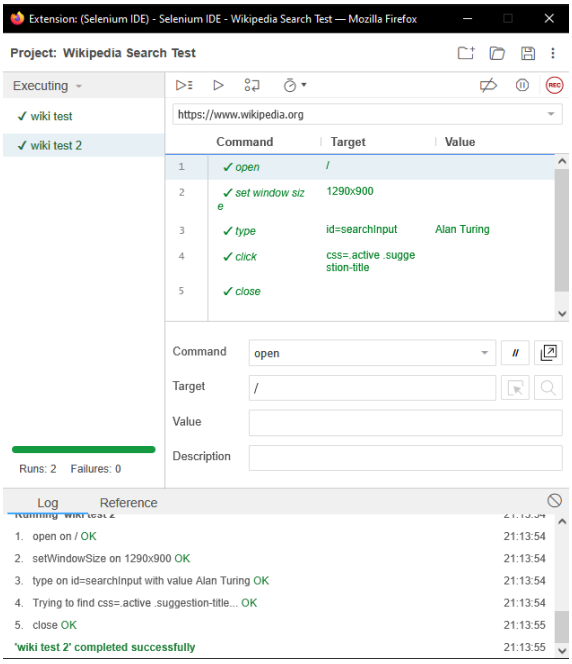
Objective: Verify search functionality and page redirection.

Target URL: https://www.wikipedia.org/

Steps:

- **open**: Navigate to the base URL.
- **type**: Enter "Alan Turing" into the search input field.
- **click**: Click the search button.
- **assertTitle**: Verify the window title matches "Alan Turing - Wikipedia".

Output:



Reflection: This task demonstrated how Selenium IDE can automate basic search functionality and verify correct page redirection. By validating the page title after searching, we confirmed that the application responds accurately to user input and navigates to the expected result page.

Task 2: Dropdown Test on Booking.com

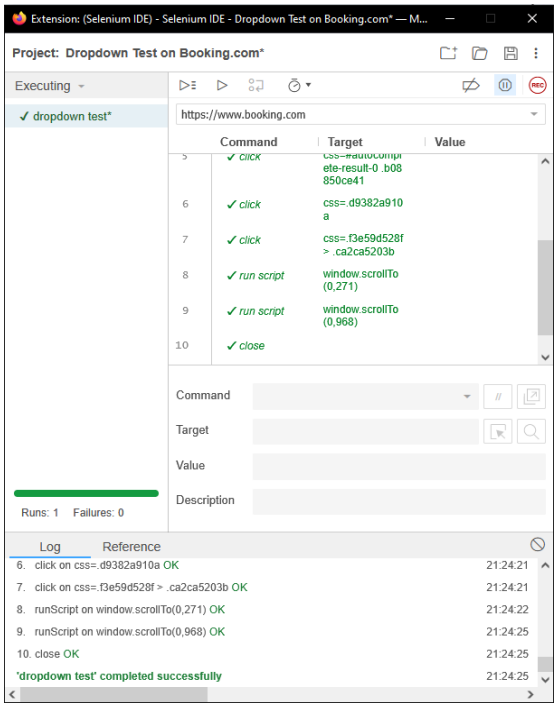
Objective: Automate location search and dropdown selection.

Target URL: https://www.booking.com/

Steps:

- **open**: Navigate to Booking.com.
- **type**: Enter "Dhaka" into the destination search box.
- **waitForElementVisible**: Wait for the autocomplete suggestions to appear.
- **click**: Select the first suggestion from the dropdown.
- **assertText**: Verify the selected location matches the input.

Output:



Reflection: Through this task, we learned how to handle dynamic dropdown elements and autocomplete suggestions using Selenium IDE. It helped us understand synchronization issues and the importance of waiting for elements to appear before interaction.

Task 3: Product Add-to-Cart Test

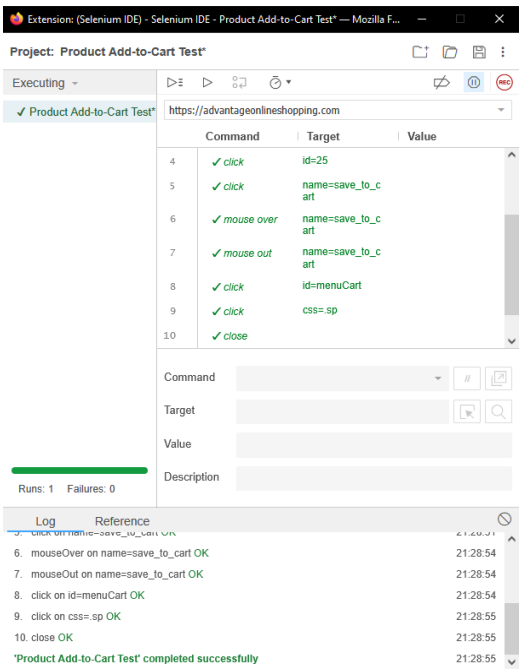
Objective: Validate the "Add to Cart" workflow on an e-commerce site.

Target URL: https://advantageonlineshopping.com

Steps:

- **open**: Navigate to the homepage.
- **click**: Select a product category (e.g., Speakers).
- **click**: Choose a specific product.
- **click**: Click the "Add to Cart" button.
- **assertText**: Verify the confirmation message or check that the cart count has updated.

Output:



Reflection: This task provided experience in automating a common e-commerce workflow. We verified that product selection and cart updates function correctly, reinforcing the importance of validating user actions that affect application state.

Task 4: Negative Login Validation

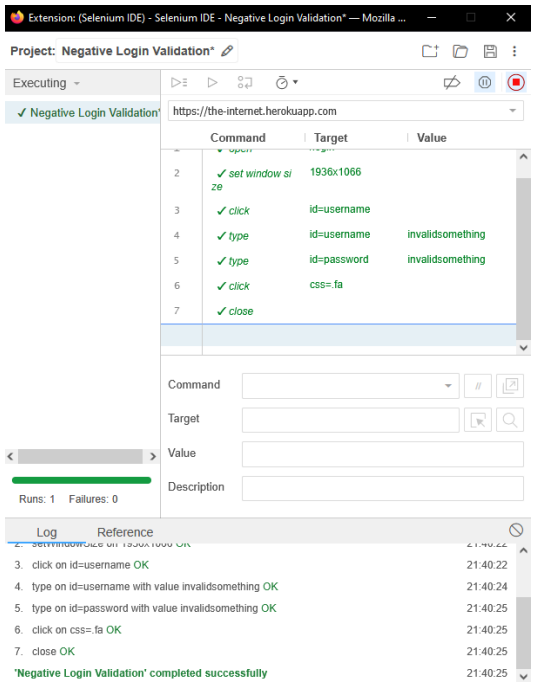
Objective: Verify error messages when using invalid credentials.

Target URL: https://the-internet.herokuapp.com/login

Steps:

1. **open**: Navigate to the login page.
2. **type**: Enter an invalid username (e.g., "wrongUser").
3. **type**: Enter an invalid password (e.g., "wrongPass").
4. **click**: Click the "Login" button.
5. **assertText**: Verify the error message contains "Your username is invalid!".

Output:



Reflection: This task focused on negative testing by using invalid login credentials. It highlighted the importance of validating error messages and ensuring that the system provides appropriate feedback when authentication fails.

Task 5: Form Submission (DemoQA)

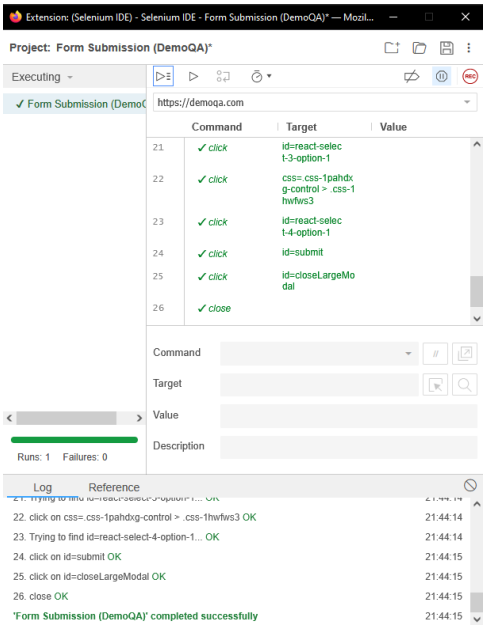
Objective: Automate filling and submitting a comprehensive web form.

Target URL: https://demoqa.com/automation-practice-form

Steps:

1. **open**: Navigate to the form page.
2. **type**: Fill in the First Name, Last Name, and Email fields.
3. **click**: Select a Gender radio button and enter a Mobile Number.
4. **click**: Submit the form (Note: You may need to scroll down or zoom out if the submit button is obscured).
5. **verifyElementPresent**: Verify the "Thanks for submitting the form" confirmation modal appears.

Output:



Reflection: By automating a detailed form submission, we practiced interacting with multiple input types within a single test case. This task emphasized data entry validation and confirmation message verification in form-based applications.

Task 6: Responsive Navigation (W3Schools)

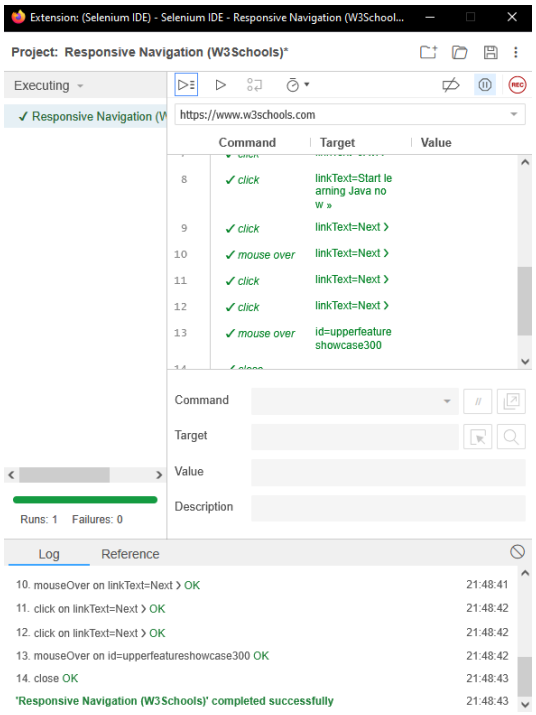
Objective: Test navigation menus on a responsive website.

Target URL: https://www.w3schools.com/

Steps:

1. **open**: Navigate to the homepage.
2. **click**: Click the responsive menu icon (hamburger menu) or "Tutorials".
3. **click**: Select "Learn JavaScript" from the menu.
4. **assertText**: Verify that the heading "JavaScript Tutorial" or "JavaScript Examples" is visible on the target page.

Output:



Reflection: This task helped us understand how to test navigation behavior on responsive websites. We verified that menu interactions lead to the correct content, ensuring usability across different layouts and screen conditions.

Task 7: File Upload Automation

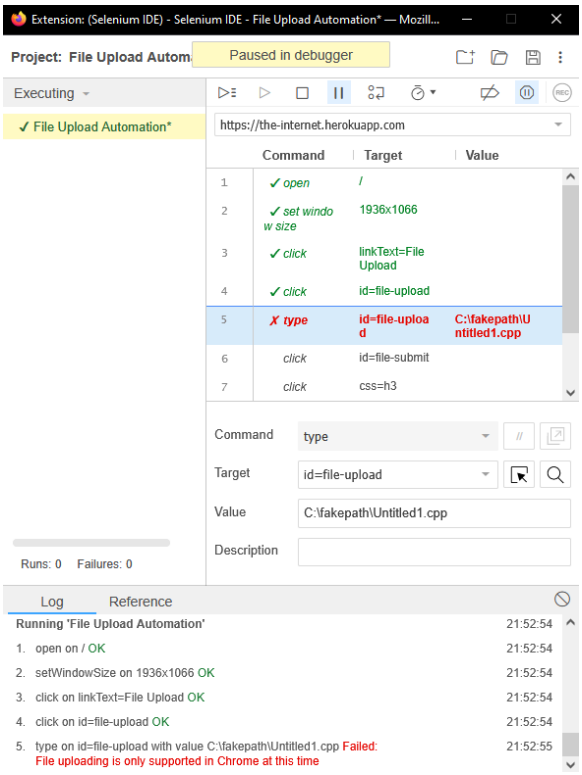
Objective: Automate the file upload process and validate success.

Target URL: https://the-internet.herokuapp.com/upload

Steps:

1. **open**: Navigate to the upload page.
2. **type**: Set the file input target to a local file path (e.g., a sample .txt file).
3. **click**: Click the "Upload" button.
4. **assertText**: Verify the header text reads "File Uploaded!".

Output:



Reflection: This task demonstrated how Selenium IDE handles file input elements and validates upload success. It reinforced the importance of testing file handling features that rely on user-provided local resources. In our Case the File upload failed as File uploading is only supported in Chrome at this time.

Conclusion

This lab provided practical experience in using **Selenium IDE** to automate and validate common web application functionalities. Through various test cases such as search operations, dropdown handling, add-to-cart workflows, negative login validation, form submission, responsive navigation, and file upload automation, we learned how to create reliable and repeatable test scripts. The lab enhanced our understanding of automated functional testing, synchronization techniques, and assertion-based validation. Overall, this experiment demonstrated how Selenium IDE can significantly reduce manual testing effort while improving accuracy, efficiency, and test coverage in web application testing.