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Program Structures & Algorithms Spring 2023 Assignment No. 5

TASK:

Your task is to implement a parallel sorting algorithm such that each partition of the array is sorted in parallel. You will consider two different schemes for deciding whether to sort in parallel.

- 1. A cutoff (defaults to, say, 1000) which you will update according to the first argument in the command line when running. It's your job to experiment and come up with a good value for this cutoff. If there are fewer elements to sort than the cutoff, then you should use the system sort instead.
- 2. Recursion depth or the number of available threads. Using this determination, you might decide on an ideal number (t) of separate threads (stick to powers of 2) and arrange for that number of partitions to be parallelized (by preventing recursion after the depth of *lg* t is reached).
- 3. An appropriate combination of these.

RELATIONSHIP CONCLUSION:

- 1. According to the cut-off ratio (cut-off/size of the array), we can see that there is a range of cut-off ratios between 0.3 and 0.55 for which parallel sort can be an ideal option, regardless of the array sizes and the number of threads available for parallel sorting.
- 2. Analysis of several array sizes (2 million and 16 million) for a range of thread counts (2 to 16) reveals that the best case scenario for 6 threads is achieved.

EVIDENCE TO SUPPORT THE CONCLUSION:

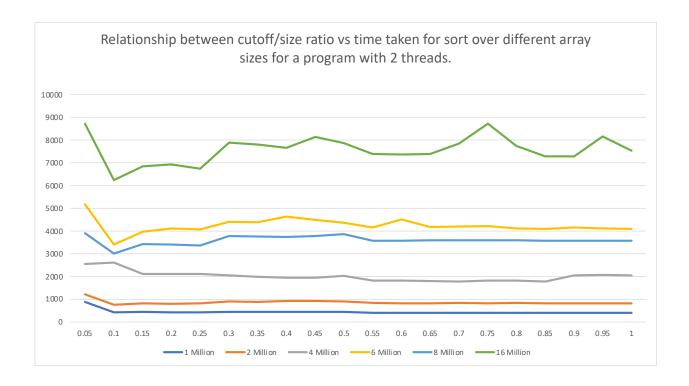
1. Determining the ideal cutoff value for various input array sizes (while keeping the number of threads as a constant).

Threads: 2

Array sizes varied from: 1 million to 6 million, doubling during each run.

Cut-off ratio (Cut-off value/Size of the array): Ranging from 0.05 to 1.0 in increments of 0.05.

cutoff/size	1 Million	2 Million	4 Million	6 Million	8 Million	16 Million
0.05	887	1223	2550	5182	3908	8715
0.1	427	751	2619	3399	3006	6241
0.15	452	824	2123	3979	3418	6845
0.2	431	805	2112	4114	3413	6936
0.25	428	819	2114	4070	3370	6747
0.3	436	895	2048	4412	3781	7887
0.35	442	891	1994	4394	3755	7801
0.4	440	935	1952	4647	3741	7669
0.45	437	935	1956	4499	3783	8133
0.5	436	914	2033	4369	3855	7864
0.55	402	834	1817	4161	3570	7384
0.6	402	826	1815	4503	3574	7378
0.65	402	827	1806	4175	3590	7393
0.7	403	832	1778	4193	3586	7855
0.75	401	823	1831	4220	3587	8721
0.8	403	832	1824	4118	3593	7744
0.85	400	828	1771	4100	3571	7293
0.9	403	823	2055	4151	3572	7286
0.95	403	822	2075	4110	3569	8152
1	402	822	2042	4089	3577	7544

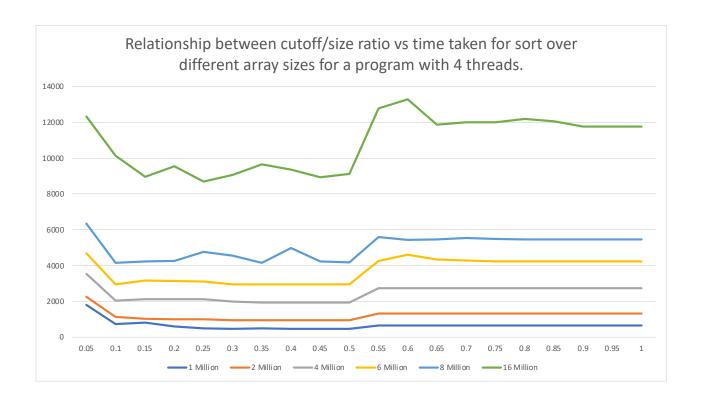


Threads: 4

Array sizes varied from: 1 million to 6 million, doubling during each run.

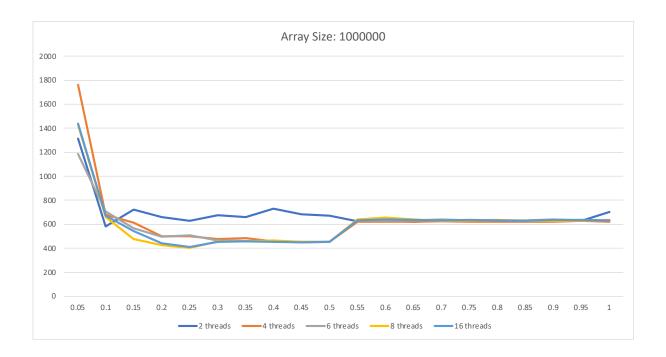
Cut-off ratio (Cut-off value/Size of the array): Ranging from 0.05 to 1.0 in increments of 0.05.

cutoff/size	1 Million	2 Million	4 Million	6 Million	8 Million	16 Million
0.05	1802	2259	3531	4689	6354	12324
0.1	741	1130	2036	2945	4144	10134
0.15	817	1023	2127	3173	4243	8962
0.2	589	1006	2134	3126	4270	9535
0.25	498	999	2121	3106	4758	8694
0.3	469	937	1990	2942	4540	9057
0.35	488	939	1939	2942	4146	9663
0.4	469	938	1944	2943	4980	9369
0.45	463	938	1946	2943	4224	8936
0.5	461	935	1943	2936	4183	9112
0.55	644	1318	2737	4260	5596	12783
0.6	643	1320	2736	4609	5444	13297
0.65	641	1324	2737	4343	5453	11872
0.7	648	1317	2746	4291	5542	11993
0.75	650	1320	2735	4242	5480	12008
0.8	648	1315	2733	4236	5453	12191
0.85	640	1315	2743	4236	5461	12068
0.9	639	1310	2732	4236	5464	11775
0.95	641	1313	2729	4231	5452	11757
1	641	1314	2729	4243	5450	11754



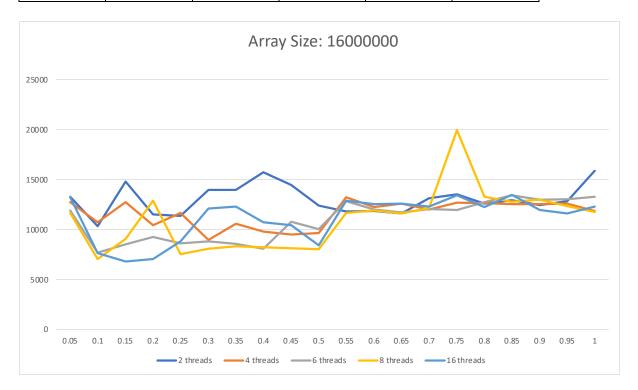
2. Checking for different threads from 2 to 16 for an array of 1000000 elements, with cutoff ratios changing from 0.05 to 1.0

cutoff/size	2 threads	4 threads	6 threads	8 threads	16 threads
0.05	1313	1761	1186	1426	1439
0.1	583	680	707	659	673
0.15	721	614	565	478	542
0.2	658	500	497	424	442
0.25	627	501	507	404	409
0.3	674	475	464	456	453
0.35	661	485	459	457	456
0.4	729	458	459	464	455
0.45	682	451	452	453	450
0.5	670	453	454	452	455
0.55	623	620	633	639	633
0.6	630	620	630	654	639
0.65	622	619	633	641	635
0.7	627	623	640	629	633
0.75	623	620	631	632	636
0.8	629	621	632	635	631
0.85	623	621	632	629	630
0.9	628	621	639	630	635
0.95	628	627	632	633	636
1	701	620	632	636	633



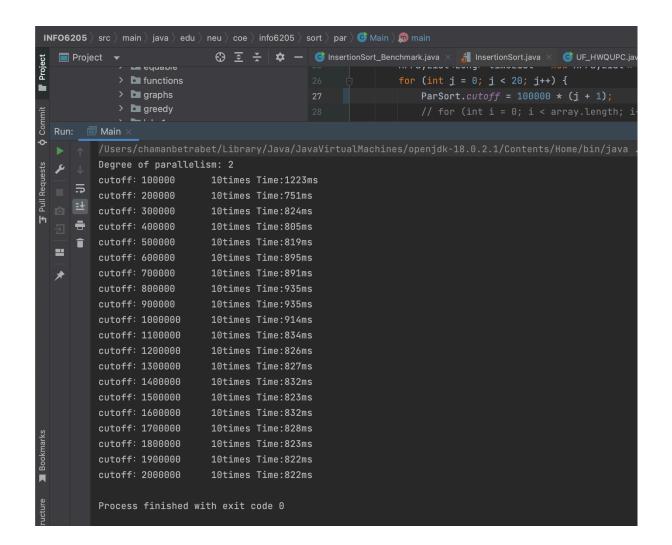
Checking for different threads from 2 to 16 for an array of 16000000 elements, with cutoff ratios changing from 0.05 to 1.0 $\,$

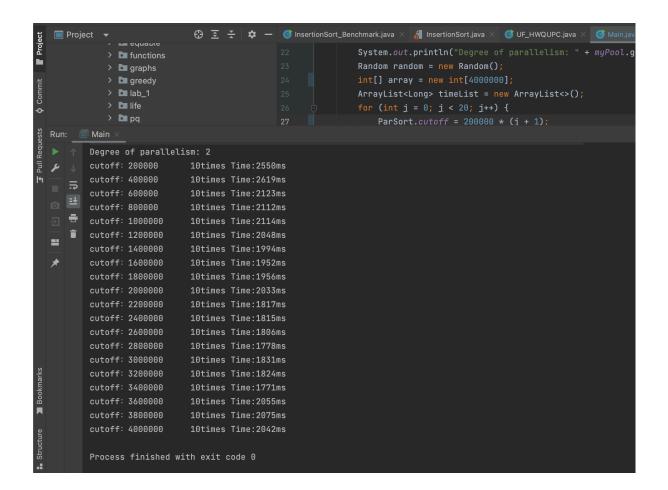
cutoff/size	2 threads	4 threads	6 threads	8 threads	16 threads
0.05	13258	12724	11883	11645	13221
0.1	10301	10697	7681	7053	7639
0.15	14787	12718	8511	9040	6785
0.2	11492	10396	9220	12881	7041
0.25	11323	11663	8625	7515	8787
0.3	13958	8939	8783	8080	12075
0.35	13963	10564	8569	8299	12274
0.4	15723	9778	8047	8190	10707
0.45	14455	9490	10777	8121	10410
0.5	12373	9627	10033	7989	8415
0.55	11795	13231	12839	11648	12854
0.6	11827	12241	12004	11873	12501
0.65	11602	12594	11702	11568	12565
0.7	13092	11970	12043	12146	12266
0.75	13491	12661	11945	19930	13431
0.8	12576	12637	12702	13250	12215
0.85	12926	12502	13402	12749	13434
0.9	12413	12505	12957	12958	11912
0.95	12811	12556	13035	12348	11583
1	15837	11841	13251	11752	12299

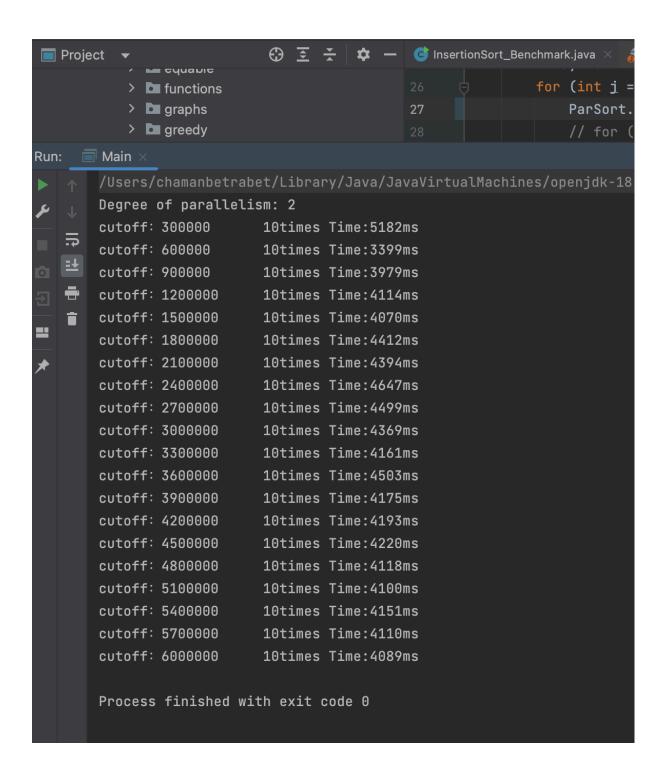


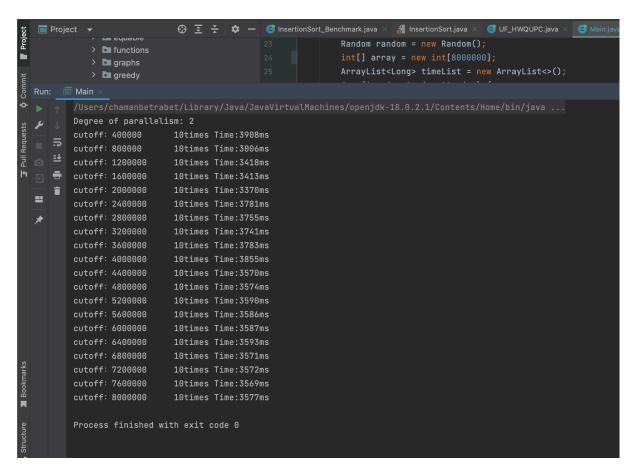
Output for conclusion 1:

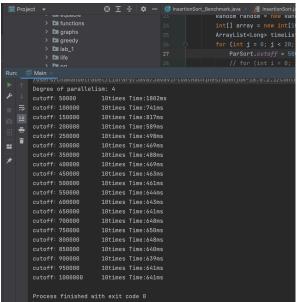
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               10times Time:431ms
cutoff: 350000
               10times Time:442ms
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cutoff: 850000
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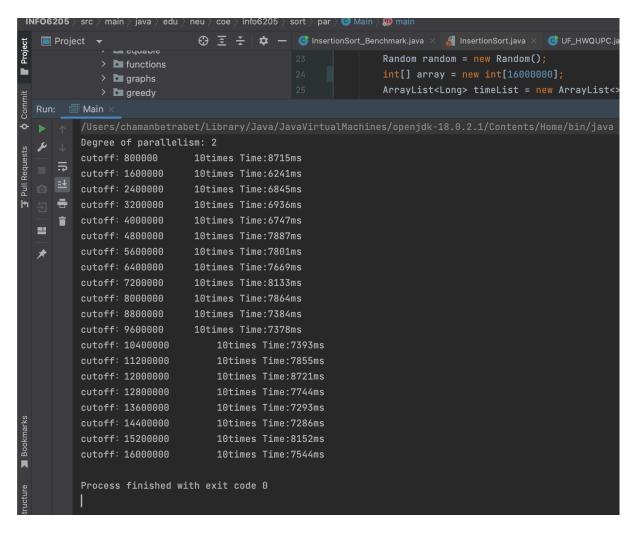


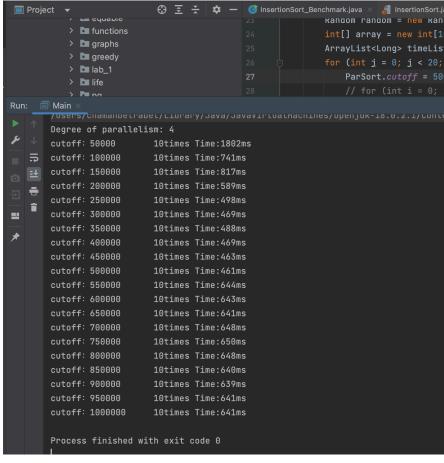




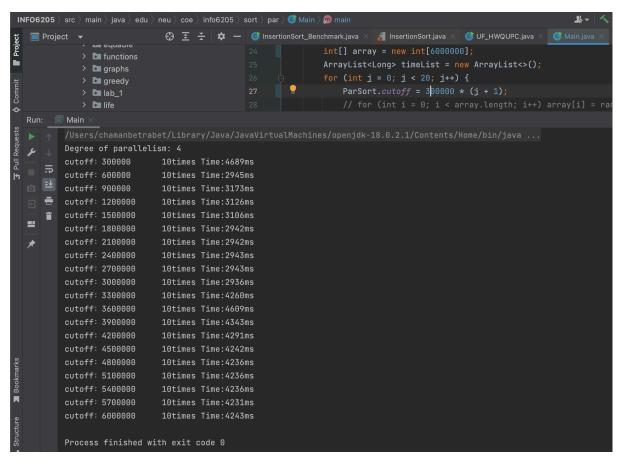


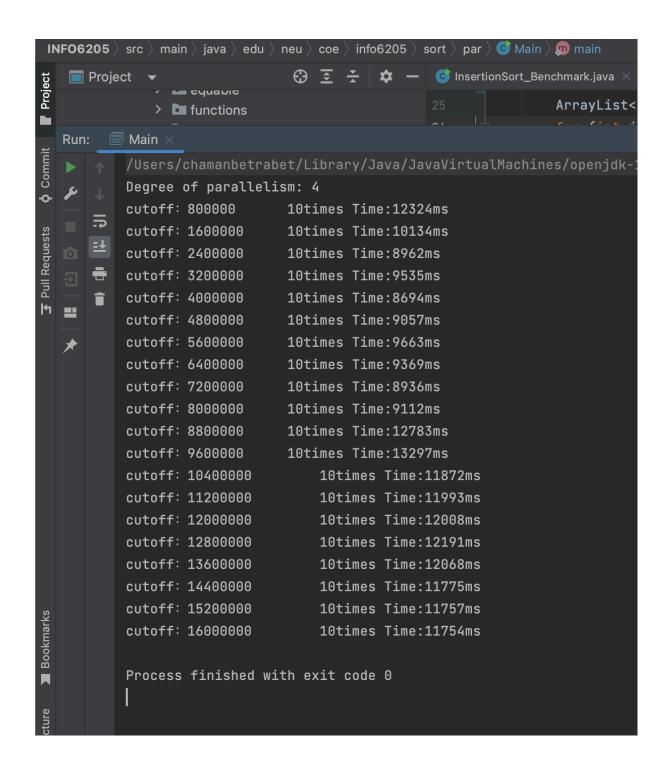






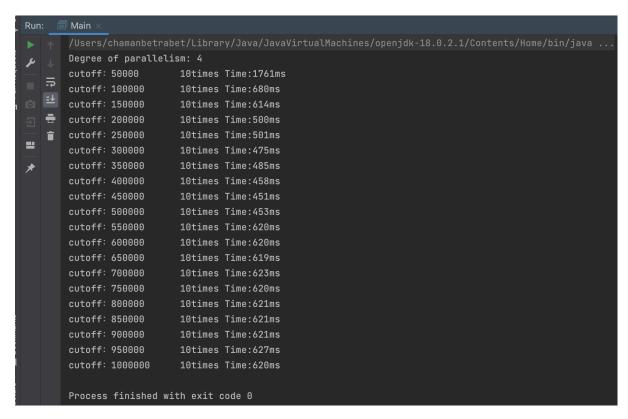
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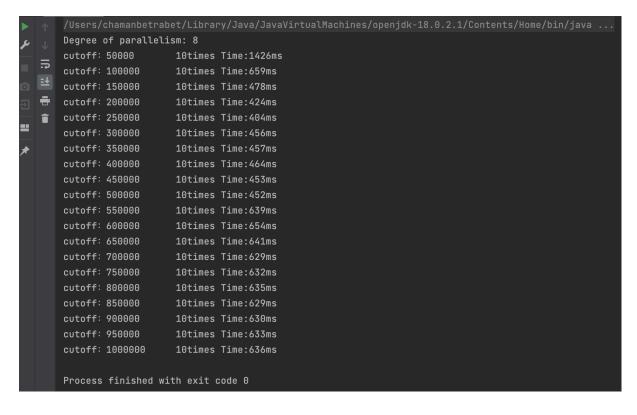


Output screenshots for conclusion 2:

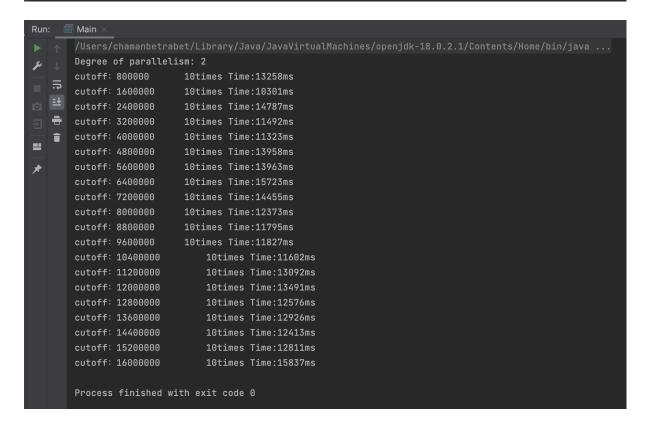
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       Process finished with exit code 0
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       Process finished with exit code 0
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Degree of parallelism: 16
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Process finished with exit code 0
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Degree of parallelism: 4
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