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Conclusion

> **N is the number of steps and D is the man from the lamp post.**

Delta means the difference between the expected value and the actual value. The more tests, the more likely Delta will be to zero

$$\sqrt{n} = d \pm \Delta$$

Prove

According to the given topic, we can only get the expected value of the distance, that is, to find the following expected value

$$E_n(X^2 + Y^2) = \sum (x^2 + y^2) P(X = x, Y = y)$$

According to the same possibility of the four directions, it can be concluded that

$$P(X = x + 1, Y = y) = P(X = x + 1, Y = y | X = x, Y = y) P(X = x, Y = y) = \frac{1}{4} P(X = x, Y = y)$$

Therefore

$$E_{n+1}(X^2 + Y^2) = \frac{1}{4} \sum [(x+1)^2 + y^2] + [x^2 + (y+1)^2] + [(x-1)^2 + y^2] + [x^2 + (y-1)^2] P(X = x, Y = y)$$

It can be obtained by simplification

$$E_{n+1}(X^2 + Y^2) = \sum (x^2 + y^2 + 1) P(X = x, Y = y) = E_n(X^2 + Y^2) + \sum P(X = x, Y = y)$$

Absolutely

$$\sum P(X = x, Y = y) = 1$$

So, we can get

$$E_n(X^2 + Y^2) = n$$

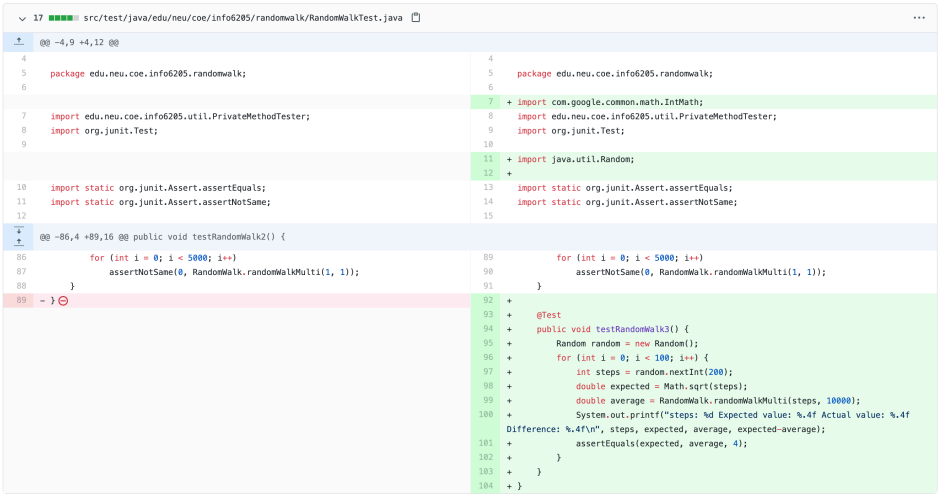
That is to say, the number of steps is the square of the expected Euclidean distance

Code Change

1. RandomWork.java

```
@@ -4,6 +4,7 @@
 package edu.neu.coe.info6205.randomwalk;
+import edu.neu.coe.info6205.util.LazyLogger;
 import java.util.Random;
 public class RandomWalk {
@@ -20,7 +21,8 @@
     * @param dy the distance he moves in the y direction
     */
    private void move(int dx, int dy) {
-        // TO BE IMPLEMENTED
+        x += dx;
+        y += dy;
    }
@@ -29,7 +31,9 @@ private void move(int dx, int dy) {
     * @param m the number of steps the drunkard takes
     */
    private void randomWalk(int m) {
-        // TO BE IMPLEMENTED
+        for (int i = 0; i < m; i++) {
+            randomMove();
+        }
    }
@@ -48,8 +52,7 @@ private void randomMove() {
     * @return the (Euclidean) distance from the origin to the current position.
     */
    public double distance() {
-        // TO BE IMPLEMENTED
-        return 0.0;
+        return Math.sqrt(x*x + y*y);
    }
```

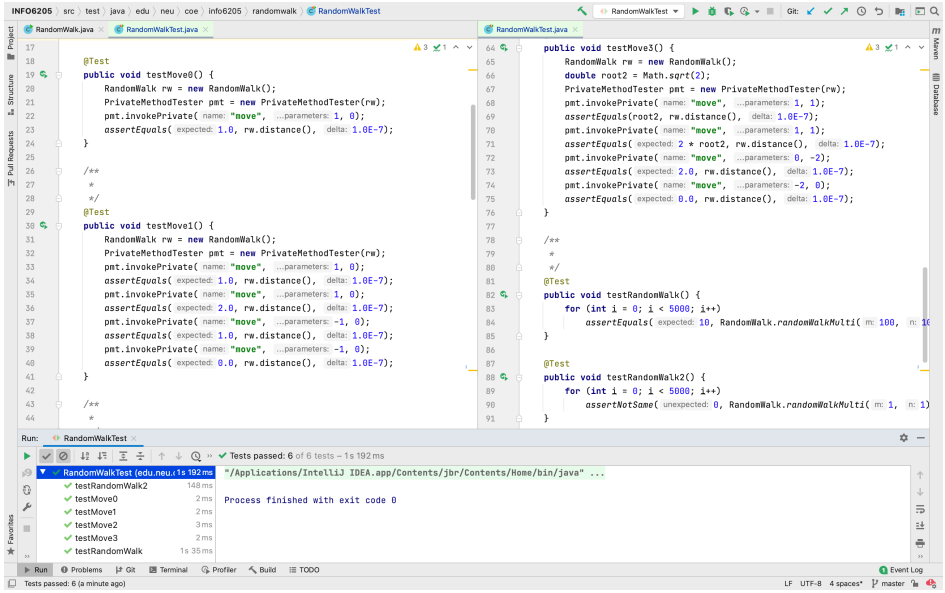
2. RandomWorkTest.java



```
17 src/test/java/edu/neu/coe/info6205/randomwalk/RandomWalkTest.java
@@ -4,9 +4,12 @@
 package edu.neu.coe.info6205.randomwalk;
+import com.google.common.math.IntMath;
 import edu.neu.coe.info6205.util.PrivateMethodTester;
 import org.junit.Test;
+import java.util.Random;
+
 import static org.junit.Assert.assertEquals;
 import static org.junit.Assert.assertNotSame;
@@ -86,4 +89,16 @@ public void testRandomWalk2() {
             assertNotSame(0, RandomWalk.randomWalkMulti(1, 1));
         }
-}
\ No newline at end of file
+
+    @Test
+    public void testRandomWalk3() {
+        Random random = new Random();
+        for (int i = 0; i < 100; i++) {
+            int steps = random.nextInt(200);
+            double expected = Math.sqrt(steps);
+            double average = RandomWalk.randomWalkMulti(steps, 10000);
+            System.out.printf("steps: %d Expected value: %.4f Actual value: %.4f Difference: %.4f\n", steps, expected, average, expected-average);
+            assertEquals(expected, average, 4);
+        }
+    }
+}
```

Screen Shot

Given Test



My Test

```
@Test
public void testRandomWalk3() {
    Random random = new Random();
    for (int i = 0; i < 100; i++) {
        int steps = random.nextInt( bound: 200);
        double expected = Math.sqrt(steps);
        double average = RandomWalk.randomWalkMulti(steps,  n: 10000);
        System.out.printf("steps: %d Expected value: %.4f Actual value: %.4f Difference: %.4f\n", steps, expected, average, expected-average);
        assertEquals(expected, average,  delta: 4);
    }
}
}
```