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To:

Subject: freecell-mobile

Hi,

http://freecell-mobile.appspot.com. I converted the java code to JavaScript so that the solver would run in the browser. I did a couple of tweaks to improve performance in JavaScript. If you click on the help button in the far right, the instructions contain a link to a zip of everything. Be sure to unblock the zip file in properties so windows doesn't complain. If you unzip the file and click on the freecell.bat, it will start a local jetty webserver using rest that hosts the java program and pops up a web page. The solve button calls the server for a solution.

The web page will use the freecell-mobile.jar if it is running or the solver.js web worker otherwise. If you want to open index.html from the file system you have to start chrome.exe with --allow-file-access-from-files (see shortcut in zip) or you get a security exception, Firefox works fine. Here are some timings for game #90082, depth=48, positions=141k.

Windows 10 3.3 GHz Chrome/Firefox IE 11/Edge				
			Nexus 7 2013	
Java	JS	JS	Chrome+SimpleHttpSer	ver
12s	20s / 25s 26s <-	30s / 23s w/o quicksort	165s -> 249s	