

Task 7: Sea Battle Game

Welcome to the Sea Battle Code Challenge

You are provided with a simple, **legacy-style CLI implementation** of the classic **Sea Battle (Battleship)** game: [seabattle.js](#).

This version is functional but written using **older JavaScript conventions** (e.g., ES5 var, global variables, etc.).

The existing game features:

- A 10x10 grid
- Random ship placement for both player and CPU
- Turn-based gameplay with coordinate input (e.g., 00, 34)
- A basic CPU opponent with "hunt" and "target" modes
- **Text-based display** of the player's and opponent's boards

 For more details on how the Sea Battle CLI app works, refer to [seabattle.js](#) and [README.md](#).

Theory

Cursor IDE for Refactoring

Cursor's AI helps you **understand and modernize codebases** while keeping behavior intact. It:

- Analyzes complex logic
- Suggests modernizations
- Explains reasoning behind each suggestion

- Supports separation of concerns and better maintainability
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AI Techniques Used

- **Understanding Legacy Code:** Ask AI to explain `seabattle.js` structure and logic before refactoring.
 - **Code Modernization & Refactoring:**
 - Upgrade from ES5 to ES6+ syntax
 - Refactor using **classes, modules, arrow functions**, and `let/const`
 - Improve structure (e.g., separate game logic, UI, and utilities)
 - Optionally, **translate** into another language (e.g., Python, TypeScript, Go)
 - **Test Generation:** Use AI to generate tests for game states and CPU behaviors.
 - **Architectural Guidance:** Discuss possible designs (e.g., **MVC pattern**, component separation).
 - **Maintaining Functionality:** Ensure the core mechanics remain unchanged.
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Task

Your challenge is to **modernize and refactor** [seabattle.js](#)

Objectives

1. Modernize & Refactor the Codebase

- Use **modern ECMAScript (ES6+)** features:
 - Classes, modules, `let/const`, arrow functions, `async/await`, etc.
- Or rewrite in a **language of your choice** (e.g., Python, Java, TypeScript)
- Improve structure with:

- Clear separation of concerns
- Encapsulation of state and logic
- Elimination of global variables
- Maintain original functionality:
 - 10x10 grid
 - Turn-based input (e.g., 00, 34)
 - Hit/miss/sunk logic
 - CPU's "hunt" and "target" behavior

2. Add Unit Tests

- Implement tests to cover core logic
 - Use an appropriate framework (e.g., Jest for JS, Pytest for Python)
 - Ensure **at least 60% test coverage** across core modules
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Requirements

- The refactored game must fully implement the **original mechanics and rules**
- The code must show:
 - **Clear structure**
 - **Use of modern language features (ES6+ or equivalent)**
- Unit tests must:
 - **Cover core functionality**
 - **Achieve minimum 60% test coverage**