DRL Coursework Report

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1. Basic Part

1.1 Define the Environment and the Problem to Be Solved

In this project, we implement a custom reinforcement learning environment inspired by the upcoming *Pirates of the Caribbean* film, where an agent navigates a grid in search of treasure while avoiding environmental hazards. The grid is modeled as a 5×5 map with various terrain types: a starting point, a treasure goal, pits (which terminate the episode with heavy penalty), quicksand (with moderate penalties), and a small negative reward for each step to encourage efficiency.

This setup is deliberately simple yet strategically rich, allowing us to explore how a Q-learning agent balances short-term risks and long-term rewards in a penalty-heavy state space. The agent can move up, down, left, or right unless blocked by grid boundaries, and the goal is to reach the treasure while minimizing cumulative negative reward. Figure 1 below illustrates the initial layout of the environment, including hazard placements and key cells.

Figure 1: Showing the Grid for our Basic Part

1.2 Transition Function and Reward Function

In our environment, the state transition function is deterministic: the agent can move up, down, left, or right, and transitions to the adjacent cell in that direction unless the move would cross the grid boundary, in which case it remains in the current state. Each state is defined as a pair of coordinates (row, column) on the 5×5 grid. The reward function is designed to encourage short, safe paths to the goal while avoiding hazards. Moving into an empty cell results in a small penalty of -0.5 to discourage inefficient wandering. Stepping into a quicksand cell gives a moderate penalty of -5, while falling into a pit yields a large penalty of -15 and terminates the episode. Reaching the goal delivers a reward of +100 and also ends the episode. This reward structure, summarised in Table 1, supports the agent in learning to balance exploration, safety, and efficiency within a sparse reward landscape.

Cell Type	Symbol	Description	Reward	Terminal State
Start	S	Starting cell	0	No
Goal	G	Treasure chest +100		Yes
Pit	P	Deadly trap	-15	Yes
Quicksand	Q	Slows movement	-5	No
Empty Cell	-	Normal path	-0.5	No

 Table 1: Reward Function Table along with symbols corresponding to Figure 1

1.3 Set Up Parameters

To train the agent using Q-learning, we defined three core hyperparameters: the learning rate (α), the discount factor (γ), and the exploration rate (ϵ). The learning rate $\alpha \in \{0.1, 0.3, 0.5\}$ controls how much newly acquired information overrides previous knowledge, with higher values leading to faster adaptation. The discount factor $\gamma \in \{0.7, 0.9\}$ determines the importance of long-term rewards, encouraging forward planning. For exploration, we implemented an ϵ -greedy strategy with $\epsilon \in \{0.1, 0.3, 0.5\}$, allowing the agent to select a random action with probability ϵ and exploit its best-known action otherwise. Additionally, we introduced ϵ -decay, gradually reducing ϵ after each episode by multiplying it by 0.995 until it reaches a minimum of 0.05, allowing the agent to shift from exploration to exploitation over time. These parameters form the basis for the grid search conducted in Task 5, where we investigate their effect on learning performance under both ϵ -greedy and softmax exploration policies.

1.4 Run the Q-learning Algorithm and Represent Its Performance

Using the defined hyperparameters, we implemented the Q-learning algorithm over 1000 training episodes. At the start of each episode, the agent was placed at the initial position and selected actions based on the ϵ -greedy policy. The Q-values were updated after each step using the Bellman equation [1], which adjusts the estimated value of a state-action pair based on the received reward and the expected value of the next state. Throughout training, the agent accumulated a total reward per episode, which we tracked to evaluate learning progress. To visualize performance trends, we plotted a moving average over the reward history. The first 400 episodes were characterised by high variability and noisy reward patterns, reflecting the agent's exploratory behavior and lack of learned strategy. From episode 400 onwards, the agent began to show more consistent improvements, reaching the

goal more reliably and avoiding hazards more frequently. This baseline training run provides a reference point for the comparative evaluations in the next task.

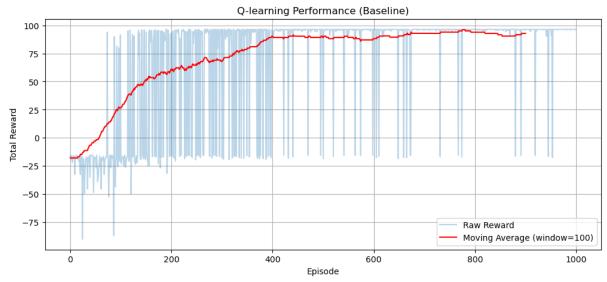


Figure 2: Total Reward with number of episodes with moving average line per 100 episodes

1.5 Repeat the Experiment with Different Parameter Values and Policies

To systematically investigate the influence of hyperparameter settings and exploration strategies on learning performance, we conducted an extensive grid search across two policy types: ϵ -greedy with ϵ -decay and softmax (Boltzmann) action selection. For the ϵ -greedy policy, we evaluated combinations of learning rate $\alpha \in \{0.1, 0.3, 0.5\}$, discount factor $\gamma \in \{0.7, 0.9\}$, and initial exploration rate $\epsilon \in \{0.1, 0.3, 0.5\}$, resulting in 18 configurations. Each ϵ value was decayed gradually across episodes, encouraging exploitation in later training. For the softmax policy, we explored $\alpha \in \{0.1, 0.3\}$, $\gamma \in \{0.7, 0.9\}$, and temperature $\tau \in \{0.5, 1.0, 2.0\}$, which determines how closely action probabilities follow the Q-values. This produced 12 additional configurations. Every setup was trained for 1000 episodes, and we recorded both the total reward per episode and summary statistics including average reward, standard deviation, and training time. The results were visualised through smoothed learning curves and tabulated to highlight the most effective parameter combinations within each policy type.

1.6 Analyze the Results Quantitatively and Qualitatively

We evaluated agent performance using average reward, standard deviation (as a measure of stability), and training duration across all 30 tested configurations. Figures 3 and 4 present the smoothed learning curves of the top five ε -greedy and softmax configurations, respectively, while Tables 2 and 3 report their corresponding performance metrics. All top-performing softmax configurations achieved an average reward of 96.5 with a standard deviation of 0.0, indicating perfectly consistent convergence to the goal state. These policies typically converged within the first 100 episodes, demonstrating rapid and stable learning. In contrast, the top ε -greedy configuration (α = 0.1, γ = 0.9, ε = 0.5) achieved an average reward of 94.875 with a standard deviation of 11.33, with convergence generally occurring around episode 400 for most configurations.

Training time across all runs remained low, though ε -greedy configurations averaged approximately **0.028 seconds** per run, while softmax configurations required around **0.26**

seconds on average — roughly **ten times longer**. Within ε-greedy runs, increasing the learning rate α from 0.1 to 0.5 often led to **nearly double** the training time. In contrast, training times for softmax were relatively insensitive to changes in α , γ , or τ . Qualitatively, softmax policies consistently demonstrated smooth reward progression and early stability. ε-greedy agents, while also effective, required more careful tuning and showed greater variance in convergence behavior, particularly under low ϵ or high α , where learning was occasionally unstable or slower to converge.

In conclusion, softmax offered highly stable and rapid convergence across a range of settings but at a higher computational cost. ε-greedy remained a strong alternative, particularly in terms of training efficiency and adaptability, achieving near-optimal performance when appropriately tuned. These results highlight the importance of aligning exploration strategy and parameter sensitivity with task complexity and computational constraints.

α	γ	3	Policy	Avg Reward	Std Dev	Duration (s)
0.1	0.9	0.5	ε-greedy	94.875	11.33	0.018
0.5	0.9	0.3	ε-greedy	94.860	11.44	0.031
0.1	0.9	0.1	ε-greedy	94.745	11.45	0.028
0.1	0.9	0.3	ε-greedy	93.885	15.70	0.029
0.3	0.7	0.5	ε-greedy	93.780	15.77	0.031

Table 2: Performance metrics (average reward, standard deviation, training time) for top $\overline{5}$ egreedy configurations.

α	Υ	Policy	Avg Reward	Std Dev	Duration (s)	Т
0.1	0.7	softmax	96.500	0.00	0.250	0.5
0.1	0.7	softmax	96.500	0.00	0.264	1.0
0.1	0.9	softmax	96.500	0.00	0.262	0.5
0.1	0.9	softmax	96.500	0.00	0.266	1.0
0.1	0.9	softmax	96.500	0.00	0.297	2.0

Table 3: Performance metrics (average reward, standard deviation, training time) for top 5 softmax configurations.

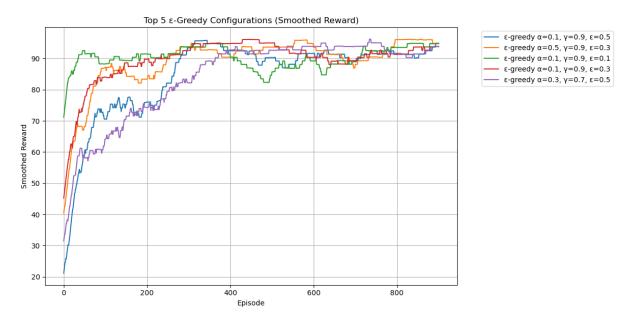


Figure 3: Smoothed total reward curves (moving average) for the top 5 ϵ -greedy configurations.

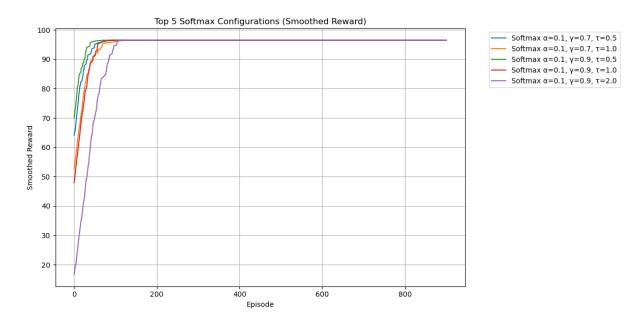


Figure 4: Smoothed total reward curves (moving average) for the top 5 softmax configurations.

2. Advanced Part

2.1 DQN Implementation and 2 Improvements

In this section, we apply the Deep Q-Network (DQN) algorithm to the LunarLander-v2 environment [5], a classic benchmark in reinforcement learning. Unlike tabular Q-learning methods, DQN utilizes a neural network neural network to approximate action-values [3]. The goal is to develop an agent capable of mastering complex control strategies in a continuous state space.

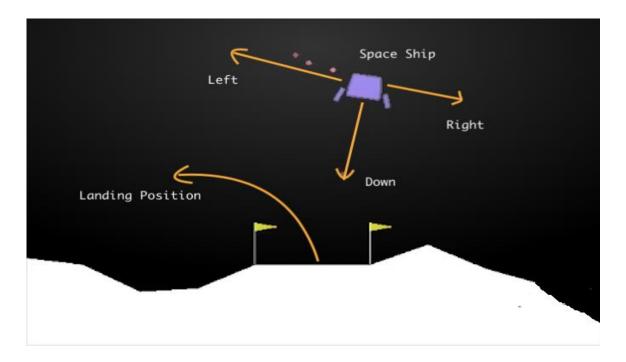


Figure 5: Showing the LunarLander-v2 Game Interface

Task and Domain

The LunarLander-v2 environment consists of an agent controlling a lander on the moon's surface. The agent observes an 8-dimensional state vector, which encodes position, velocity, angle, and contact information. It can choose from four discrete actions to fire the main or side engines. The task is to land the craft safely between flags on a designated pad. A reward is given for successful landing and penalized for crashing or using excessive fuel. Each episode ends either upon a successful landing or crash.

We define our Q-network as a multi-layer perceptron (MLP) with two hidden layers of 128 units each, followed by an output layer predicting Q-values for each of the four possible actions. We initialize all agents with fixed random seeds for reproducibility.

Key Concepts in DQN and Motivation for Improvements

Despite the powerful generalisation capabilities of deep neural networks, the practical deployment of Deep Q-Networks (DQNs) introduces a number of stability and efficiency challenges. These include the presence of temporal correlations in sequential data, non-stationary and unstable learning targets due to bootstrapping, and the well-documented issue of overestimation of action values when using a maximisation operator over noisy Q-value estimates. To address these limitations and improve both the stability and sample efficiency of the learning process, we incorporated two algorithmic enhancements into the baseline DQN framework: Prioritized Experience Replay (PER) and Double Q-learning. PER aims to accelerate convergence and improve learning efficiency by sampling transitions based on their temporal-difference (TD) error, ensuring that high-error, informative

experiences are revisited more frequently. Double Q-learning, on the other hand, mitigates overestimation bias through decoupling [2] the action selection and evaluation processes, thus providing more accurate value targets. Together, these improvements offer a principled approach to stabilising and enhancing value-based reinforcement learning in complex environments such as LunarLander-v2.

Prioritized Experience Replay (PER)

In traditional Deep Q-Network (DQN) implementations, experiences stored in the replay buffer are sampled uniformly during training. While this approach is straightforward, it often results in inefficient learning, as it treats all transitions as equally important regardless of their informativeness. Prioritized Experience Replay (PER) addresses this limitation by assigning a sampling probability to each transition based on its temporal-difference (TD) error — the discrepancy between the predicted and actual Q-values. Transitions with higher TD errors are presumed to carry more useful learning signals and are thus replayed more frequently. In our implementation, we use proportional prioritization, where the probability of sampling a given transition increases with its TD error [4]. A tunable parameter (denoted alpha in literature) controls the degree of prioritization: when alpha is set to zero, the sampling reverts to uniform. Our implementation dynamically updates priorities after each learning step, enabling the agent to continually focus on the most informative transitions. This not only improves sample efficiency but also accelerates convergence by allowing the agent to revisit significant experiences more often.

Double Q-Learning

One known drawback of standard DQN is its tendency to overestimate action values due to using the same network for both action selection and evaluation when calculating targets. This overestimation can destabilise training and lead to poor policy quality. Double Q-learning tackles this issue by decoupling these two roles. In this variant, the online network is responsible for selecting the best action in the next state, while the target network evaluates the value of that action. This split reduces the positive bias in target Q-value estimates and leads to more stable learning. Instead of computing the target using the maximum Q-value directly from the target network, Double Q-learning uses the action selected by the online network but still evaluates it using the target network. This small architectural change significantly improves robustness, particularly in environments with noisy observations or high reward variance.

2.2 Training Setup and Analysis

We trained each agent variant for 500 episodes using a consistent training loop and set of hyperparameters to enable a fair comparison. The training process followed an epsilon-greedy strategy, with the exploration rate starting at 1.0 and decaying to 0.05 over time. The target network was updated every 10 episodes to stabilize training, and each episode was capped at a maximum of 1000 steps. Throughout training, transitions were stored in the replay buffer and sampled to update the Q-network. The use of Double Q-learning and Prioritized Experience Replay (PER) was toggled via configuration flags during agent initialization to isolate their individual and combined effects.

The four agent configurations evaluated were: (1) Vanilla DQN (no enhancements), (2) DQN with Double Q-learning, (3) DQN with PER, and (4) DQN with both Double Q-learning and PER. Quantitative performance was measured by computing the average reward over the final 100 episodes, along with the standard deviation and total training time. As shown in the summary table, the vanilla DQN agent achieved a low average reward of -78.57 and displayed the highest variance in performance. Introducing Double Q-learning yielded a

notable improvement, reducing overestimation bias and increasing the average reward to - 9.93 while also lowering variance. The PER-enhanced agent, which prioritized sampling transitions with higher TD error, achieved a modest positive reward of 9.92 but required significantly more training time. The combination of both enhancements resulted in the most robust and performant agent, achieving a final average reward of 71.45 with improved stability and only a moderate increase in training time relative to the vanilla baseline.

Agent Variant	Avg Reward (Last 100)	Std Dev	Training Time (s)
Vanilla DQN	-78.57	168.08	1130.60
DQN + Double Q-learning	-9.93	117.21	1554.09
DQN + PER	9.92	135.86	2303.06
DQN + Double + PER	71.45	138.01	1632.62

Table 4: Performance metrics (average reward, standard deviation, training time) for the 4 different Agent Variants

To ensure that the reported gains were not specific to a single seed or configuration, we performed grid search tuning on learning rate, discount factor (gamma), and epsilon decay rate, evaluating models across multiple random seeds. While the highest single-seed performance (average reward \approx 140) was obtained with learning rate = 0.0005, gamma = 0.99, and epsilon decay = 0.99 (seed = 42), we selected a more generalizable configuration with learning rate = 0.0001, gamma = 0.99, and epsilon decay = 0.995 based on consistent performance across seeds. This model achieved a last-100-episode average reward of 65.5, striking a balance between stability, sample efficiency, and robustness.

Qualitative analysis further supports these findings. Agents using PER showed smoother and more stable convergence trajectories, especially during the mid-to-late training stages. The improved sampling mechanism helped reduce redundant updates and prioritize informative transitions, leading to faster policy refinement. In contrast, Double Q-learning offered improvements by mitigating overestimation, but its reward progression plateaued around episode 200 and exhibited noticeable fluctuations thereafter. When combined, the benefits of both methods became evident: early exploration was accelerated, value estimates became more accurate, and overall learning stabilized.

The performance trends are visualized in the smoothed reward curve below, highlighting the differential progress of the four agents. While the Double Q-learning agent made rapid early gains, its improvement plateaued mid-training. The PER-enhanced agent progressed more gradually but achieved steady gains. The combined approach clearly outperformed all others, benefiting from more accurate value estimation and informed sampling. In contrast, the vanilla DQN agent failed to reach positive average rewards and remained unstable throughout training.

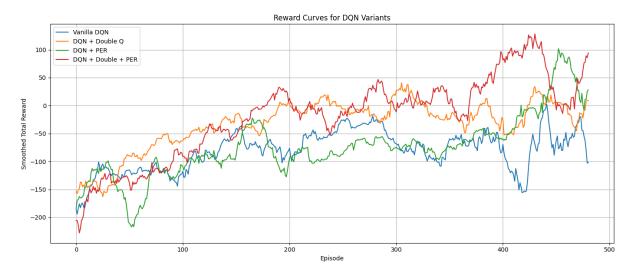


Figure 6: Total reward curves (moving average of 20) for the 4 Agent Variants.

Overall, these results underscore the importance of stabilizing targets and prioritizing experiences in deep reinforcement learning. On a complex control task such as LunarLander-v2, enhancements like PER and Double Q-learning offer tangible improvements in both efficiency and reward maximization, establishing them as effective extensions to the standard DQN framework.

2.3 RLlib Implementation of DQN on Atari Pong (RAM)

For Task 9, we implemented a Deep Q-Network (DQN) using the Ray RLlib framework on the Atari Learning Environment game Pong [6], specifically the RAM-based version ALE/Pong-ram-v5. We selected the RAM-based variant over visual counterparts to focus on the algorithmic learning dynamics without involving convolutional networks. The RAM environment encodes the full game state in just 128 bytes, enabling faster training and reduced computational complexity, making it ideal for use with a multilayer perceptron (MLP).

The agent was configured using RLlib's DQNConfig object, defining an MLP-based Q-network with two hidden layers of 256 units and ReLU activation. The environment used was ALE/Pong-ram-v5 with PyTorch as the backend. Training was carried out over 500 episodes using a single-process setup (num_rollout_workers=0) to ensure compatibility with notebook-based execution.

Exploration was handled via an epsilon-greedy strategy, with epsilon annealed linearly from 1.0 to 0.01 over 200,000 timesteps. The discount factor was set to 0.99, and the learning rate was fixed at 1e-4. A training batch size of 32 and a warm-up period of 1000 steps before learning began were used. No dueling networks or Double Q-learning enhancements were included in this baseline implementation.

The agent was trained using the following loop, which recorded the mean episode reward across iterations. This metric was plotted to visualize the agent's learning progress. Over the 500 episodes, the agent showed moderate improvements in performance, with an increasing trend in total rewards despite substantial variance across episodes. The training curve reflects the non-trivial nature of the task even with simplified RAM inputs, indicating the necessity of further algorithmic improvements to achieve higher sample efficiency and reward stability.

2.4 Results and Observations

The learning curve for the DQN agent on the Pong-ram environment, shown in Figure 7, illustrates the episodic mean rewards over 500 training iterations. Initial performance fluctuated around low reward values, as expected, given the agent's random policy at the start. Over time, the agent exhibited a modest upward trend, suggesting that it was learning a partial policy capable of scoring occasionally. However, the reward curve remained highly variable and did not fully converge to a stable, high-reward regime.

This outcome aligns with established findings in the literature: baseline DQN models often suffer from sample inefficiency and unstable learning, particularly in stochastic environments like Pong. Without techniques such as experience replay prioritization, target networks, or double Q-learning, the agent struggles to make consistent progress. Moreover, the RAM input format, while efficient, can be difficult to interpret without domain-specific priors or more sophisticated learning mechanisms.

Nevertheless, this experiment serves as a foundational benchmark for subsequent enhancements. The current setup provides a clean, minimal baseline from which the impact of advanced techniques like PER, Double Q-learning, or Dueling architectures can be systematically assessed. This work demonstrates the effectiveness and limitations of a standard DQN setup on RAM-based Atari environments and lays the groundwork for future exploration into improved deep RL strategies.

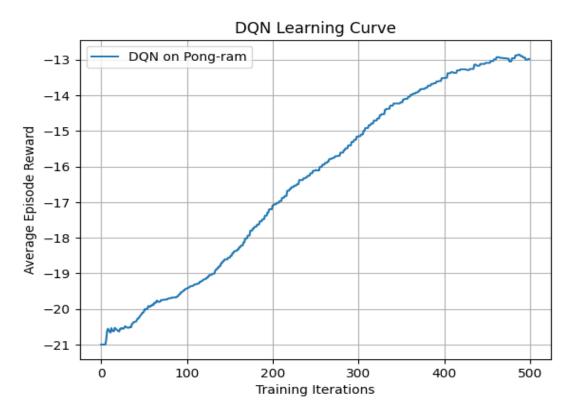


Figure 7: Rllib example without any enhancements

Extra Task: PPO Implementation

Both DQN and PPO were applied to the Pong-ram-v5 environment using a shared MLP architecture for fair comparison. DQN, a value-based method, learns Q-values for each

action and uses an ε -greedy strategy for exploration. PPO, on the other hand, is a policy-gradient algorithm that directly learns a stochastic policy by optimizing a clipped surrogate objective [7].

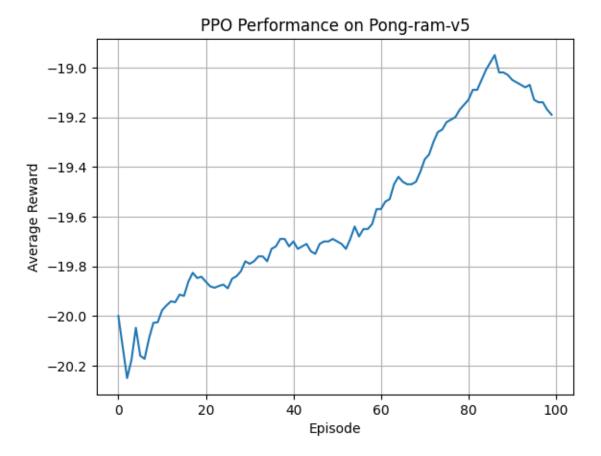
In terms of **learning dynamics**, DQN showed slower but more stable progress, especially when combined with experience replay and target networks. PPO, while simpler in architecture, exhibited faster initial learning due to its on-policy nature but suffered from higher variance and instability during training.

Overall, DQN benefited more from enhancements like Prioritized Experience Replay and Double Q-learning, while PPO required careful tuning of learning rate and batch size. The choice between the two depends on the environment's stochasticity and the desired trade-off between stability and sample efficiency.

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APPENDIXES



PPO Performance Figure

Task 1: Define the Environment and Problem

We design a 5×5 Treasure Hunt GridWorld with a more complex layout to increase the learning challenge.

Environment Layout

- Start at (0, 0)
- Goal at (4, 4)
- Pits: high-penalty terminal states placed in critical path positions
- Quicksands: moderate-penalty areas placed to tempt shortcuts
- Empty spaces: minor step cost to encourage shorter paths

This layout is designed to:

- Introduce misleading paths,
- Force trade-offs between exploration and caution,
- · Test how well different Q-learning configurations can adapt.

Learning Objective

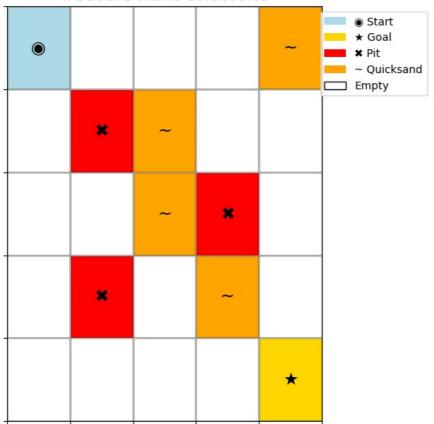
Train an agent to reach the treasure while:

- · Avoiding hazards,
- · Learning an optimal path,
- Balancing risk and reward under uncertain exploration.

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In [49]: import numpy as np
         import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
         import random
         # Grid dimensions
         GRID_HEIGHT = 5
         GRID WIDTH = 5
         # Cell types
         EMPTY = 0
         START = 1
         GOAL = 2
         PIT = 3
         QUICKSAND = 4
         # Action definitions
         ACTIONS = ['U', 'D', 'L', 'R']
         ACTION_TO_DELTA = {
              'U': (-1, 0),
             'D': (1, 0),
              'L': (0, -1),
              'R': (0, 1)
         # Reward values
         REWARD MAP = {
             EMPTY: -0.5,
             PIT: -15.
              QUICKSAND: -5,
              GOAL: 100
         # Environment definition
         class TreasureHuntEnv:
              def __init__(self):
                  self.grid = np.zeros((GRID_HEIGHT, GRID_WIDTH), dtype=int)
                  self.start_pos = (0, 0)
                  self.goal_pos = (4, 4)
                  # Assign cell types
                  self.grid[self.start_pos] = START
                  self.grid[self.goal_pos] = GOAL
                  # Pits placed to disrupt obvious path
                  self.grid[1, 1] = PIT
                  self.grid[2, 3] = PIT
self.grid[3, 1] = PIT
                  # Quicksands placed along tempting but risky routes
                  self.grid[1, 2] = QUICKSAND
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self.grid[2, 2] = QUICKSAND
                 self.grid[3, 3] = QUICKSAND
                 self.grid[0, 4] = QUICKSAND
                 self.reset()
             def reset(self):
                 self.agent pos = self.start pos
                 return self.agent_pos
             def step(self, action):
                 delta = ACTION_TO_DELTA[action]
                 new row = self.agent pos[0] + delta[0]
                 new_col = self.agent_pos[1] + delta[1]
                 if 0 <= new row < GRID HEIGHT and 0 <= new col < GRID WIDTH:</pre>
                     self.agent pos = (new row, new col)
                 cell type = self.grid[self.agent_pos]
                 reward = REWARD_MAP.get(cell_type, REWARD_MAP[EMPTY])
                 done = cell type in {GOAL, PIT}
                 return self.agent pos, reward, done
         # Instantiate and print environment
         env = TreasureHuntEnv()
         print("[ Grid Layout:\n", env.grid)
        □ Grid Layout:
         [[1 0 0 0 4]
         [0 3 4 0 0]
         [0 0 4 3 0]
         [0 3 0 4 0]
         [0 0 0 0 2]]
In [50]: def plot grid with icons(env):
             grid = env.grid
             cmap = {
                 0: 'white',
                                  # FMPTY
                 1: 'lightblue', # START
                 2: 'gold', # GOAL
3: 'red', # PIT
                 4: 'orange'
                                 # QUICKSAND
             icon_map = {
                     0: '',
                                # Empty
                     1: '@',
                                # Start (large circle)
                     2: '*',
                               # Goal (star)
                     3: 'x',
4: '~'
                               # Pit (X)
                                # Quicksand (wave)
         }
             fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(6, 6))
             for i in range(GRID_HEIGHT):
                 for j in range(GRID_WIDTH):
                     cell_type = grid[i, j]
                     rect = plt.Rectangle((j, GRID_HEIGHT - i - 1), 1, 1,
                                           facecolor=cmap[cell_type], edgecolor='black')
                     ax.add patch(rect)
                     ax.text(j + 0.5, GRID_HEIGHT - i - 0.5, icon_map[cell_type],
                             ha='center', va='center', fontsize=16)
             ax.set xlim(0, GRID WIDTH)
             ax.set_ylim(0, GRID_HEIGHT)
             ax.set_xticks(np.arange(0, GRID_WIDTH + 1, 1))
             ax.set_yticks(np.arange(0, GRID_HEIGHT + 1, 1))
             ax.set xticklabels([])
             ax.set_yticklabels([])
             ax.set title("Treasure Hunt GridWorld", fontsize=16)
             ax.grid(True)
             # Emoji legend
             from matplotlib.patches import Patch
             legend_elements = [
                 Patch(facecolor='lightblue', label='● Start'),
                 Patch(facecolor='gold', label='* Goal'),
                 Patch(facecolor='red', label='* Pit'),
                 Patch(facecolor='orange', label='~ Quicksand'),
                 Patch(facecolor='white', edgecolor='black', label='Empty')
             ax.legend(handles=legend elements, loc='upper right', bbox to anchor=(1.35, 1))
             plt.tight_layout()
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Treasure Hunt GridWorld



Task 2: Define State Transition Function and Reward Function

State Transition Function

The agent moves on a 5×5 grid based on discrete actions:

The environment enforces the following rules:

- Movement is **bounded by the grid** (cannot move outside).
- Each action deterministically leads to a new state (if within bounds).
- The new state is returned, along with the **corresponding reward** and a done flag if the episode ends.

Reward Function

Each grid cell has a type that determines the agent's reward:

Cell Type	Description	Reward	Terminal
Empty	Safe but costly	-0.5	×
Quicksand	Non-terminal hazard	-5	×
Pit	Deadly trap	-15	\mathscr{O}
Goal	Treasure (objective)	+100	\mathscr{O}

This setup rewards:

- · Risk-aware navigation
- Path length minimization
- . Avoidance of hazardous shortcuts

Table 1: Reward Function for Each Grid Cell Type

Cell Type	Symbol	Description	Reward	Terminal
Start	S	Starting cell	0	No

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Goal	G	Treasure chest	+100	Yes
Pit	Р	Deadly trap	-15	Yes
Quicksand	Q	Slows movement	-5	No
Empty Cell	_	Normal path	-0.5	No

Task 3: Set up Q-Learning Parameters and Policy

To train our pirate agent using Q-learning, we define a set of core hyperparameters and an exploration strategy that evolves over time.

Q-Learning Hyperparameters

- Learning rate (α): Controls how quickly the agent updates its Q-values.
 - We set $\alpha = 0.1$ for moderately paced learning.
- Discount factor (y): Determines how much future rewards influence current decisions.
 - We use $\gamma = 0.9$, encouraging the agent to pursue long-term treasure over immediate gain.
- Exploration rate (ε): Governs the trade-off between exploration and exploitation.
 - Instead of a fixed value, we implement ε decay, starting with ε = 1.0 and reducing it gradually to ε_min = 0.05 using a decay rate of 0.995.
 - This allows the agent to explore more during early episodes and exploit learned knowledge later in training.

These values will be tuned systematically in Task 5 through grid search to observe their effects on learning performance.

ε-Greedy Policy with Decay

The agent selects actions using the ε -greedy strategy:

- With probability ε , it takes a random action (exploration),
- With probability 1–ε, it selects the action with the highest Q-value (exploitation),
- Ties among best actions are broken randomly.

The value of ε decays after each episode, allowing the agent to shift from exploration to exploitation over time.

```
In [51]: # Q-table initialization
           Q = {
                (i, j): {a: 0.0 for a in ACTIONS}
                for i in range(GRID HEIGHT)
                for j in range(GRID_WIDTH)
           # Q-learning parameters
           alpha = 0.1  # Learning rate
gamma = 0.9  # Discount factor
epsilon = 1.0  # Initial explores
           epsilon = 1.0 # Initial exploration rate
epsilon_decay = 0.995 # Decay rate per episode
epsilon_min = 0.05 # Minimum exploration
           epsilon_min = 0.05
           def choose action(state, Q, epsilon):
                if np.random.rand() < epsilon:</pre>
                     return random.choice(ACTIONS)
                     q_vals = Q[state]
                      max_q = max(q_vals.values())
                     best_actions = [a for a, v in q_vals.items() if v == max_q]
                      return random.choice(best_actions)
```

Task 4: Run the Q-learning Algorithm and Represent Its Performance

We now train our Q-learning agent using the baseline configuration:

- $\alpha = 0.1$ (learning rate)
- γ = 0.9 (discount factor)
- ϵ = 1.0 initially, with decay rate = 0.995 down to a minimum of 0.05

For each episode:

- 1. The agent starts from the initial state,
- 2. It selects actions using the ϵ -greedy strategy with decaying ϵ ,
- 3. Q-values are updated using the Bellman equation.
- 4. The total reward is recorded,
- 5. ε is decayed at the end of each episode.

We train the agent over **1,000 episodes** and visualize learning using a **moving average** of total rewards to assess convergence and policy quality.

```
In [52]: def run_q_learning(alpha, gamma, epsilon=1.0, epsilon_decay=0.995, epsilon_min=0.05, episodes=500, max_steps=100
             Q_local = {
                 (i, j): {a: 0.0 for a in ACTIONS}
                 for i in range(GRID_HEIGHT)
                 for j in range(GRID_WIDTH)
             rewards = []
             for ep in range(episodes):
                 state = env.reset()
                 total reward = 0
                 for _ in range(max_steps):
                     action = choose action(state, Q local, epsilon)
                     next_state, reward, done = env.step(action)
                     # Q-learning update rule
                     old_q = Q_local[state][action]
                     next_max = max(Q_local[next_state].values())
                     Q[local[state][action] = old_q + alpha * (reward + gamma * next_max - old_q)
                     state = next state
                     total_reward += reward
                     if done:
                         break
                 rewards.append(total_reward)
                 # ε decay
                 if epsilon > epsilon min:
                     epsilon = max(epsilon * epsilon_decay, epsilon_min)
             return Q_local, rewards
```

```
In [53]: # Run baseline experiment
         Q baseline, rewards baseline = run q learning(
             alpha=0.1,
             qamma=0.9,
             epsilon=1.0,
             epsilon decay=0.995,
             epsilon_min=0.05,
             episodes=1000
         # Moving average
         def moving avg(data, window=100):
             return np.convolve(data, np.ones(window)/window, mode='valid')
         # Plot learning curve
         plt.figure(figsize=(12, 5))
         plt.plot(rewards_baseline, alpha=0.3, label='Raw Reward')
         plt.plot(moving_avg(rewards_baseline), label='Moving Average (window=100)', color='red')
         plt.title("Q-learning Performance (Baseline)")
         plt.xlabel("Episode")
         plt.ylabel("Total Reward")
         plt.grid(True)
         plt.legend()
         plt.show()
```



Task 5: Experiment with Different Parameter Values and Policies

We now conduct a structured hyperparameter search to evaluate how different learning settings and action selection policies affect the agent's performance.

ε-Greedy Policy (with ε-decay)

We perform a full grid search over the following parameters:

- Learning rate (α) $\in \{0.1, 0.3, 0.5\}$
- Discount factor (y) $\in \{0.7, 0.9\}$
- Initial exploration rate (ϵ) \in {0.1, 0.3, 0.5}

This results in 18 configurations. Instead of using a fixed ϵ , we apply an ϵ -decay strategy:

- ε is initialized to one of the values above,
- It decays after each episode using a decay factor of 0.995,
- It reaches a minimum threshold ε_min = 0.05.

This allows the agent to explore aggressively early in training and exploit more confidently later.

Softmax (Boltzmann) Policy

We also experiment with a temperature-based softmax policy, which selects actions probabilistically based on their Q-values:

- Learning rate (α) \in {0.1, 0.3}
- Discount factor (γ) $\in \{0.7, 0.9\}$
- Temperature (τ) $\in \{0.5, 1.0, 2.0\}$

This results in 12 configurations.

Softmax does not use ε. Instead, τ controls exploration:

- High $\tau \rightarrow$ more exploration (flatter probabilities),
- Low $\tau \rightarrow$ greedier decisions (sharper probabilities).

Experiment Setup

- Each configuration is trained for 1000 episodes,
- We record the total reward per episode,
- We compute the average reward and standard deviation over the last 100 episodes,
- We compare the **top 5 runs** of each policy type based on final average reward,
- · We visualize the learning curves to assess convergence and stability.

We divide results into two groups for comparison:

- ε-Greedy Results: top configurations using decaying ε
- Softmax Results: top configurations using T-controlled exploration

This structure allows us to clearly interpret how each exploration strategy behaves across hyperparameter settings.

```
In [77]: import time
```

Softmax Action Policy

```
import math

def softmax_action_selection(state, Q, temperature=1.0):
    q_vals = Q[state]
    max_q = max(q_vals.values()) # for numerical stability
    exp_q = {a: math.exp((q - max_q) / temperature) for a, q in q_vals.items()}
    sum_exp = sum(exp_q.values())
    probs = [exp_q[a] / sum_exp for a in ACTIONS]
    return np.random.choice(ACTIONS, p=probs)
```

Q-learning Runner

```
In [79]: def run_q_learning(alpha, gamma, epsilon=None, temperature=None, use_softmax=False,
                             epsilon_decay=None, epsilon_min=0.05,
                             episodes=1000, max steps=100):
             Q_local = {(i, j): {a: 0.0 for a in ACTIONS}
                         for i in range(GRID_HEIGHT) for j in range(GRID_WIDTH)}
             rewards = []
             for ep in range(episodes):
                 state = env.reset()
                 total reward = 0
                       in range(max steps):
                      if use softmax:
                          action = softmax action selection(state, Q local, temperature)
                          if np.random.rand() < epsilon:</pre>
                              action = random.choice(ACTIONS)
                              max_q = max(Q_local[state].values())
                              best_actions = [a for a, v in Q_local[state].items() if v == max_q]
                              action = random.choice(best actions)
                      next state, reward, done = env.step(action)
                      # Q update
                      old_q = Q_local[state][action]
                      next max = max(Q local[next state].values())
                      Q_local[state][action] = old_q + alpha * (reward + gamma * next_max - old_q)
                      state = next_state
                      total_reward += reward
                      if done:
                          break
                 rewards.append(total reward)
                  # Apply \epsilon decay only if using \epsilon-greedy
                 if not use_softmax and epsilon_decay is not None:
                      epsilon = max(epsilon * epsilon_decay, epsilon_min)
             return Q local, rewards
```

Run All Configurations

```
In [80]: # ε-Greedy configurations
alphas = [0.1, 0.3, 0.5]
gammas = [0.7, 0.9]
epsilons = [0.1, 0.3, 0.5]

# Softmax configurations
temperatures = [0.5, 1.0, 2.0]
softmax_alphas = [0.1, 0.3]
softmax_gammas = [0.7, 0.9]

# Storage
```

```
results = []
curves = {}
# ε-Greedy runs
for alpha in alphas:
    for gamma in gammas:
        for epsilon in epsilons:
            label = f''\epsilon-greedy \alpha={alpha}, \gamma={gamma}, \epsilon={epsilon}"
            start = time.time()
             _, rewards = run_q_learning(alpha, gamma, epsilon=epsilon, epsilon_decay=0.995, epsilon_min=0.05)
            duration = time.time() - start
            avg = np.mean(rewards[-100:])
            std = np.std(rewards[-100:])
            results.append({'label': label, 'alpha': alpha, 'gamma': gamma, 'epsilon': epsilon,
                             'policy': 'ε-greedy', 'avg_reward': avg, 'std_dev': std, 'duration_sec': duration})
            curves[label] = rewards
# Softmax runs
for alpha in softmax alphas:
    for gamma in softmax_gammas:
        for tau in temperatures:
            label = f"Softmax \alpha={alpha}, \gamma={gamma}, \tau={tau}"
            start = time.time()
             , rewards = run_q_learning(alpha, gamma, use_softmax=True, temperature=tau)
            duration = time.time() - start
            avg = np.mean(rewards[-100:])
            std = np.std(rewards[-100:])
            results.append({'label': label, 'alpha': alpha, 'gamma': gamma, 'temperature': tau,
                             'policy': 'softmax', 'avg reward': avg, 'std dev': std, 'duration sec': duration})
            curves[label] = rewards
```

Summary Table

```
In [88]:
    df_all = pd.DataFrame(results)
    df_all_sorted = df_all.sort_values(by="avg_reward", ascending=False).reset_index(drop=True)
    df_all_sorted.head(10)  # show top 10 configurations
```

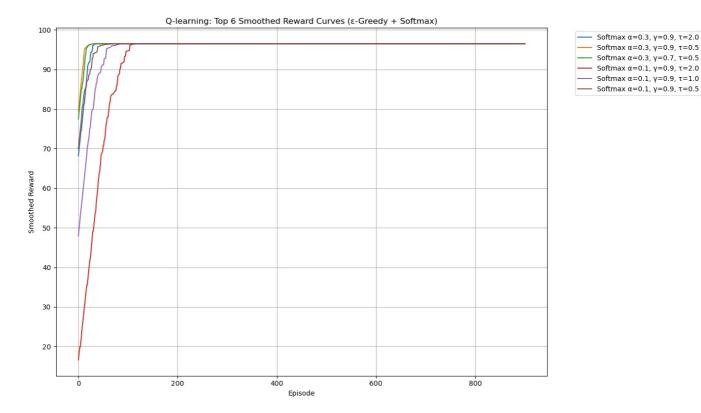
Out[88]:		label	alpha	gamma	epsilon	policy	avg_reward	std_dev	duration_sec	temperature
	0	Softmax α=0.3, γ=0.9, τ=2.0	0.3	0.9	NaN	softmax	96.500	0.000000	0.338483	2.0
	1	Softmax α =0.3, γ =0.9, τ =0.5	0.3	0.9	NaN	softmax	96.500	0.000000	0.307287	0.5
	2	Softmax α =0.3, γ =0.7, τ =0.5	0.3	0.7	NaN	softmax	96.500	0.000000	0.262045	0.5
	3	Softmax α=0.1, γ=0.9, τ=2.0	0.1	0.9	NaN	softmax	96.500	0.000000	0.297199	2.0
	4	Softmax α=0.1, γ=0.9, τ=1.0	0.1	0.9	NaN	softmax	96.500	0.000000	0.265563	1.0
	5	Softmax α=0.1, γ=0.9, τ=0.5	0.1	0.9	NaN	softmax	96.500	0.000000	0.262385	0.5
	6	Softmax α=0.1, γ=0.7, τ=1.0	0.1	0.7	NaN	softmax	96.500	0.000000	0.264041	1.0
	7	Softmax α=0.3, γ=0.9, τ=1.0	0.3	0.9	NaN	softmax	96.500	0.000000	0.320457	1.0
	8	Softmax α=0.1, γ=0.7, τ=0.5	0.1	0.7	NaN	softmax	96.500	0.000000	0.249940	0.5
	9	Softmax α=0.3, γ=0.7, τ=1.0	0.3	0.7	NaN	softmax	96.465	0.127574	0.264058	1.0

Plot Best Learning Curves

```
In [82]:
    plt.figure(figsize=(14, 8))
    top_labels = df_all_sorted['label'].head(6)

for label in top_labels:
        smoothed = moving_avg(curves[label])
        plt.plot(smoothed, label=label)

plt.title("Q-learning: Top 6 Smoothed Reward Curves (\varepsilon-Greedy + Softmax)")
plt.xlabel("Episode")
plt.ylabel("Smoothed Reward")
plt.grid(True)
plt.legend(bbox_to_anchor=(1.05, 1), loc='upper left')
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```



Separate Comparison of ε-Greedy and Softmax Policies

To better understand the impact of different exploration strategies, we divide the experiments into two groups:

ε-Greedy Policy

- · Grid search over:
 - $\alpha \in \{0.1, 0.3, 0.5\}$
 - $\gamma \in \{0.7, 0.9\}$
 - $\varepsilon \in \{0.1, 0.3, 0.5\}$
- Total combinations: 18

Softmax Policy

- · Grid search over:
 - $\alpha \in \{0.1, 0.3\}$
 - $\mathbf{v} \in \{0.7, 0.9\}$
 - T ∈ {0.5, 1.0, 2.0}
- Total combinations: 12

We now present their results independently to compare performance, convergence, and stability within each policy family.

```
In [83]: # Split results
df_eps = df_all[df_all['policy'] == '\varepsilon-greedy'].sort_values(by='avg_reward', ascending=False)
df_soft = df_all[df_all['policy'] == 'softmax'].sort_values(by='avg_reward', ascending=False)

# Show top 5 of each
print("Top \varepsilon-Greedy Configurations:")
display(df_eps.head(5))

print("Top Softmax Configurations:")
display(df_soft.head(5))
```

Top ϵ -Greedy Configurations:

label	alpha	gamma	epsilon	policy	avg_reward	std_dev	duration_sec	temperature
5 ε-greedy α=0.1, γ=0.9, ε=0.5	0.1	0.9	0.5	ε-greedy	94.875	11.325938	0.017785	NaN
16 ε-greedy α=0.5, γ=0.9, ε=0.3	0.5	0.9	0.3	ε-greedy	94.860	11.442264	0.031243	NaN
3 ε-greedy α=0.1, γ=0.9, ε=0.1	0.1	0.9	0.1	ε-greedy	94.745	11.453274	0.028100	NaN
4 ε-greedy α=0.1, γ=0.9, ε=0.3	0.1	0.9	0.3	ε-greedy	93.885	15.704116	0.028958	NaN
8 ε-greedy α=0.3, γ=0.7, ε=0.5	0.3	0.7	0.5	ε-greedy	93.780	15.769483	0.031250	NaN

	label	alpha	gamma	epsilon	policy	avg_reward	std_dev	duration_sec	temperature
18	Softmax α=0.1, γ=0.7, τ=0.5	0.1	0.7	NaN	softmax	96.5	0.0	0.249940	0.5
19	Softmax α=0.1, γ=0.7, τ=1.0	0.1	0.7	NaN	softmax	96.5	0.0	0.264041	1.0
21	Softmax α =0.1, γ =0.9, τ =0.5	0.1	0.9	NaN	softmax	96.5	0.0	0.262385	0.5
22	Softmax α=0.1, γ=0.9, τ=1.0	0.1	0.9	NaN	softmax	96.5	0.0	0.265563	1.0
23	Softmax α=0.1, γ=0.9, τ=2.0	0.1	0.9	NaN	softmax	96.5	0.0	0.297199	2.0

```
In [84]: plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))
for label in df_eps['label'].head(5):
    plt.plot(moving_avg(curves[label]), label=label)

plt.title("Top 5 & Greedy Configurations (Smoothed Reward)")
plt.xlabel("Episode")
plt.ylabel("Smoothed Reward")
plt.grid(True)
plt.legend(bbox_to_anchor=(1.05, 1), loc='upper left')
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```

- ε-greedy α=0.1, γ=0.9, ε=0.5 - ε-greedy α=0.5, γ=0.9, ε=0.3

- ϵ -greedy α =0.1, γ =0.9, ϵ =0.1 - ϵ -greedy α =0.1, γ =0.9, ϵ =0.3 - ϵ -greedy α =0.3, γ =0.7, ϵ =0.5

```
Top 5 ε-Greedy Configurations (Smoothed Reward)

90

70

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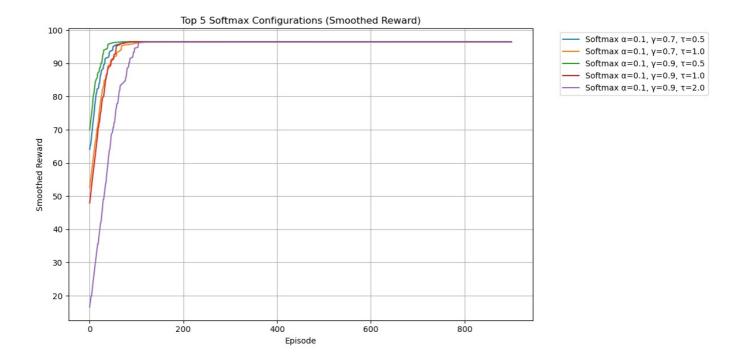
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Episode
```

```
In [85]:

plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))
for label in df_soft['label'].head(5):
    plt.plot(moving_avg(curves[label]), label=label)

plt.title("Top 5 Softmax Configurations (Smoothed Reward)")
plt.xlabel("Episode")
plt.ylabel("Smoothed Reward")
plt.grid(True)
plt.legend(bbox_to_anchor=(1.05, 1), loc='upper left')
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```



Task 6: Analyze the Results Quantitatively and Qualitatively

We now analyze the learning outcomes from our grid search across 30 configurations: 18 using ϵ -greedy (with ϵ -decay) and 12 using the softmax (Boltzmann) policy.

```
In [86]: from IPython.display import display
    print("Top 3 ε-Greedy Configurations:")
    display(df_eps.head(3)[['label', 'avg_reward', 'std_dev', 'duration_sec']])
    print("Top 3 Softmax Configurations:")
    display(df_soft.head(3)[['label', 'avg_reward', 'std_dev', 'duration_sec']])
```

Top 3 ϵ -Greedy Configurations:

	label	avg_reward	sta_dev	duration_sec
	5 ε-greedy α=0.1, γ=0.9, ε=0.5	94.875	11.325938	0.017785
1	6 ε-greedy α=0.5, γ=0.9, ε=0.3	94.860	11.442264	0.031243
	3 ε-greedy α=0.1, γ=0.9, ε=0.1	94.745	11.453274	0.028100

Top 3 Softmax Configurations:

	label	avg_reward	std_dev	duration_sec
18	Softmax α=0.1, γ=0.7, τ=0.5	96.5	0.0	0.249940
19	Softmax α=0.1, γ=0.7, τ=1.0	96.5	0.0	0.264041
21	Softmax α=0.1, γ=0.9, τ=0.5	96.5	0.0	0.262385

In []:

Task 7: Double DQN with Prioritized Experience Replay on LunarLander-v2

In this task, we implement a Deep Q-Network (DQN) with two improvements:

- Double Q-learning to reduce overestimation bias in action-value estimates.
- Prioritized Experience Replay (PER) to sample transitions based on TD error. We apply this to the LunarLander-v2 environment from OpenAl Gym, which has discrete actions and shaped rewards, making it ideal for value-based methods.

```
In [1]: import gym
        import numpy as np
        import random
        from collections import deque, namedtuple
        import torch
        import torch.nn as nn
        import torch.optim as optim
        import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        import warnings
        warnings.filterwarnings("ignore", category=DeprecationWarning)
        SFED = 42
        random.seed(SEED)
        np.random.seed(SEED)
        torch.manual seed(SEED)
        # Create environment with updated API
        env = gym.make('LunarLander-v2')
        env.reset(seed=SEED)
        env.action_space.seed(SEED)
        # Observation and action sizes
        state dim = env.observation_space.shape[0]
        n actions = env.action_space.n
        print(f"State dimension: {state_dim}")
        print(f"Number of actions: {n_actions}")
       State dimension: 8
       Number of actions: 4
```

Q-Network Definition (Simple MLP)

Environment and Q-Network

We define our Q-network as a simple multi-layer perceptron with two hidden layers of 128 units each. The output layer produces Q-values for all possible actions. We also set the random seed for reproducibility and inspect the shape of the environment.

Prioritized Experience Replay (PER)

In standard DQN, experiences are sampled uniformly from the replay buffer. This can be inefficient because many transitions are redundant or uninformative.

Prioritized Experience Replay addresses this by:

- Sampling transitions with probability proportional to their temporal-difference (TD) error,
- Storing and updating priorities to ensure important experiences (e.g., large errors) are replayed more often.

We implement proportional prioritization, where each transition is sampled with probability:

```
[ P(i) = \frac{p_i^\alpha}{\sum_k p_k^\alpha}  ]
```

```
In [3]: class PrioritizedReplayBuffer:
            def init (self, capacity, alpha=0.6):
                self.capacity = capacity
                self.buffer = []
                self.priorities = np.zeros((capacity,), dtype=np.float32)
                self.alpha = alpha
                self.position = 0
                self.Transition = namedtuple('Transition', ('state', 'action', 'reward', 'next_state', 'done'))
            def push(self, state, action, reward, next_state, done):
                max prio = self.priorities.max() if self.buffer else 1.0
                transition = self.Transition(state, action, reward, next_state, done)
                if len(self.buffer) < self.capacity:</pre>
                    self.buffer.append(transition)
                else:
                    self.buffer[self.position] = transition
                self.priorities[self.position] = max prio
                self.position = (self.position + 1) % self.capacity
            def sample(self, batch_size, beta=0.4):
                if len(self.buffer) == self.capacity:
                    prios = self.priorities
                else:
                    prios = self.priorities[:self.position]
                probs = prios ** self.alpha
                probs /= probs.sum()
                indices = np.random.choice(len(self.buffer), batch size, p=probs)
                samples = [self.buffer[idx] for idx in indices]
                # Importance-sampling weights
                total = len(self.buffer)
                weights = (total * probs[indices]) ** (-beta)
                weights /= weights.max() # normalize
                batch = self.Transition(*zip(*samples))
                return batch, indices, torch.tensor(weights, dtype=torch.float32)
            def update_priorities(self, indices, priorities):
                for idx, prio in zip(indices, priorities):
                    self.priorities[idx] = prio
```

We implement a prioritized buffer where transitions with high TD error are sampled more frequently. The buffer stores a priority score for each transition and uses it to compute sampling probabilities. We also calculate **importance sampling weights** to correct for this bias during gradient updates.

DQN Agent with Double Q-learning

In standard DQN, we estimate the target Q-value using the maximum Q-value from the target network:

```
[ y = r + \gamma \cdot (a') Q_{\text{target}}(s', a') ]
```

This can lead to overestimation bias.

In Double Q-learning, we use the main network to select the best action and the target network to evaluate it:

```
[y = r + \gamma \cdot Q_{\star}(s', \alpha_{a'}) Q_{\star}(s', \alpha_{a'})]
```

This decouples action selection and evaluation.

```
self.use per = use per
    self.use double = use double
def act(self, state, epsilon):
   if random.random() < epsilon:</pre>
        return random.randint(0, self.action dim - 1)
    state = torch.from numpy(np.array(state)).float().unsqueeze(0)
    with torch.no grad():
       q_values = self.q_net(state)
    return q_values.argmax().item()
def update(self):
    if len(self.replay buffer.buffer) < self.batch size:</pre>
        return None
    self.beta = min(1.0, self.beta + 1e-4)
    if self.use per:
       batch, indices, weights = self.replay buffer.sample(self.batch size, beta=self.beta)
    else:
        transitions = random.sample(self.replay buffer.buffer, self.batch size)
        Transition = self.replay_buffer.Transition
        batch = Transition(*zip(*transitions))
        weights = torch.ones(self.batch_size, 1, dtype=torch.float32)
    states = torch.tensor(np.array(batch.state), dtype=torch.float32)
    actions = torch.tensor(batch.action).unsqueeze(1)
    rewards = torch.tensor(batch.reward, dtype=torch.float32).unsqueeze(1)
    next states = torch.tensor(np.array(batch.next state), dtype=torch.float32)
    dones = torch.tensor(batch.done, dtype=torch.float32).unsqueeze(1)
    weights = weights.unsqueeze(1)
    # Q values of current state-action pairs
    q values = self.q net(states).gather(1, actions)
    # Compute target values
    with torch.no grad():
        if self.use double:
            next_actions = self.q_net(next_states).argmax(1, keepdim=True)
            next_q = self.target_net(next_states).gather(1, next_actions)
        else:
           next q = self.target_net(next_states).max(1, keepdim=True)[0]
        targets = rewards + self.gamma * (1 - dones) * next_q
    # TD error (for PER only)
    if self.use per:
        td_errors = (q_values.detach() - targets.detach()).abs().cpu().numpy().flatten()
        self.replay_buffer.update_priorities(indices, td_errors + 1e-6)
    # Loss with importance sampling (or uniform weights)
    loss = (weights * (q_values - targets).pow(2)).mean()
    self.optimizer.zero grad()
    loss.backward()
    self.optimizer.step()
    return loss.item()
def update target network(self):
    self.target net.load state dict(self.q net.state dict())
```

We now have a DQN agent that:

- Uses a main and target network for Double Q-learning,
- Samples and updates transitions based on their TD error (for PER),
- Applies importance sampling weights during updates,
- Slowly increases the beta parameter to correct PER bias over time.

Training the Agent

We now train the Double DQN agent with Prioritized Experience Replay. At each step:

- 1. The agent selects an action using ϵ -greedy exploration.
- 2. The environment returns the next state and reward.
- 3. The transition is stored in the PER buffer.
- 4. The agent updates its Q-network using sampled experiences.
- 5. Every target update freq steps, the target network is updated.

```
In [5]: def train(agent, env, episodes=500, epsilon_start=1.0, epsilon_end=0.05, epsilon_decay=0.995,
                  target update freq=10, max steps=1000):
            epsilon = epsilon_start
            episode_rewards = []
            losses = []
            for episode in range(episodes):
                result = env.reset()
                state = result[0] if isinstance(result, tuple) else result
                total reward = 0
                for step in range(max steps):
                    action = agent.act(state, epsilon)
                    step result = env.step(action)
                    if len(step_result) == 5:
                        next_state, reward, terminated, truncated, = step_result
                        done = terminated or truncated
                        next_state, reward, done, _ = step_result
                    agent.replay_buffer.push(state, action, reward, next_state, done)
                    loss = agent.update()
                    state = next_state
                    total_reward += reward
                    if done:
                        break
                episode rewards.append(total reward)
                if loss is not None:
                    losses.append(loss)
                epsilon = max(epsilon end, epsilon * epsilon decay)
                if episode % target update freq == 0:
                    agent.update_target_network()
                if episode % 10 == 0:
                    print(f"Episode {episode:4d} | Reward: {total_reward:.2f} | Epsilon: {epsilon:.3f}")
            return episode_rewards, losses
```

We now initialize the agent and replay buffer, then train the agent for 500 episodes.

```
In [6]: # Initialize replay buffer and agent
    # Replay buffer choice
    buffer_per = PrioritizedReplayBuffer(100_000)
    buffer_uniform = PrioritizedReplayBuffer(100_000) # will ignore priorities

# Vanilla DQN (no PER, no Double Q)
    agent_dqn = DQNAgent(state_dim, n_actions, buffer_uniform, use_per=False, use_double=False)

# DQN + Double Q-learning only
    agent_double = DQNAgent(state_dim, n_actions, buffer_uniform, use_per=False, use_double=True)

# DQN + PER only
    agent_per = DQNAgent(state_dim, n_actions, buffer_per, use_per=True, use_double=False)

# DQN + Double + PER
    agent_full = DQNAgent(state_dim, n_actions, buffer_per, use_per=True, use_double=True)
```

Helper Function to Train & Record Metrics

```
def evaluate_agent(agent, label, episodes=500):
    print(f"Training: {label}")
    start = time.time()
    rewards, losses = train(agent, env, episodes=episodes)
    duration = time.time() - start
    avg_reward = np.mean(rewards[-100:])
    std_reward = np.std(rewards[-100:])
    return {
        'label': label,
        'rewards': rewards,
        'losses': losses,
        'avg_reward': avg_reward,
        'std_dev': std_reward,
        'duration_sec': duration
```

Run All Configurations

Episode 30 | Reward: -143.42 | Epsilon: 0.856

}

```
In [8]: results = []
         # Replay buffers
         buffer uniform 1 = PrioritizedReplayBuffer(100 000)
         buffer uniform 2 = PrioritizedReplayBuffer(100 000)
         buffer_per_1 = PrioritizedReplayBuffer(100_000)
         buffer per 2 = PrioritizedReplayBuffer(100 000)
         # Configurations
         confias = [
              {"label": "Vanilla DQN", "per": False, "double": False, "buffer": buffer uniform 1},
             {"label": "DQN + Double Q", "per": False, "double": True, "buffer": buffer_uniform_2}, {"label": "DQN + PER", "per": True, "double": False, "buffer": buffer_per_1},
             {"label": "DQN + Double + PER", "per": True, "double": True, "buffer": buffer per 2},
         ]
         # Train and evaluate each config
         for cfg in configs:
             agent = DQNAgent(state_dim, n_actions, cfg['buffer'], use_per=cfg['per'], use_double=cfg['double'])
              result = evaluate_agent(agent, cfg['label'], episodes=500)
             results.append(result)
        Training: Vanilla DQN
        Episode
                   0 | Reward: -225.61 | Epsilon: 0.995
        Episode
                   10 | Reward: -90.47 | Epsilon: 0.946
                   20 | Reward: -393.43 | Epsilon: 0.900
        Episode
        Episode 30 | Reward: -14.35 | Epsilon: 0.856
       Episode 40 | Reward: -96.28 | Epsilon: 0.814
Episode 50 | Reward: -115.53 | Epsilon: 0.774
        Episode 60 | Reward: -157.32 | Epsilon: 0.737
        Episode 70 | Reward: -181.34 | Epsilon: 0.701
       Episode 80 | Reward: -184.01 | Epsilon: 0.666
Episode 90 | Reward: -45.91 | Epsilon: 0.634
        Episode 100 | Reward: -149.66 | Epsilon: 0.603
        Episode 110 | Reward: -130.41 | Epsilon: 0.573
        Episode 120 | Reward: -374.32 | Epsilon: 0.545
        Episode 130 | Reward: -62.96 | Epsilon: 0.519
        Episode 140 | Reward: -4.84 | Epsilon: 0.493
        Episode 150 | Reward: -44.99 | Epsilon: 0.469
        Episode 160 | Reward: -30.43 | Epsilon: 0.446
        Episode 170 | Reward: -56.66 | Epsilon: 0.424
        Episode 180 | Reward: -28.40 | Epsilon: 0.404
        Episode 190 | Reward: -118.39 | Epsilon: 0.384
        Episode 200 | Reward: 46.64 | Epsilon: 0.365
        Episode 210 | Reward: -51.19 | Epsilon: 0.347
        Episode 220 | Reward: -239.74 | Epsilon: 0.330
        Episode 230 | Reward: -21.40 | Epsilon: 0.314
       Episode 240 | Reward: -106.57 | Epsilon: 0.299
Episode 250 | Reward: -27.75 | Epsilon: 0.284
        Episode 260 | Reward: -49.97 | Epsilon: 0.270
        Episode 270 | Reward: -5.73 | Epsilon: 0.257
        Episode 280 | Reward: -54.33 | Epsilon: 0.245
        Episode 290 | Reward: 0.57 | Epsilon: 0.233
        Episode 300 | Reward: 3.19 | Epsilon: 0.221
        Episode 310 | Reward: -144.56 | Epsilon: 0.210
       Episode 320 | Reward: -41.29 | Epsilon: 0.200
Episode 330 | Reward: -152.47 | Epsilon: 0.190
        Episode 340 | Reward: 6.44 | Epsilon: 0.181
        Episode 350 | Reward: -29.32 | Epsilon: 0.172
       Episode 360 | Reward: -129.11 | Epsilon: 0.164
Episode 370 | Reward: -60.85 | Epsilon: 0.156
        Episode 380 | Reward: -6.72 | Epsilon: 0.148
        Episode 390 | Reward: -29.48 | Epsilon: 0.141
       Episode 400 | Reward: 111.64 | Epsilon: 0.134
Episode 410 | Reward: 155.87 | Epsilon: 0.127
        Episode 420 | Reward: -188.49 | Epsilon: 0.121
        Episode 430 | Reward: -70.55 | Epsilon: 0.115
        Episode 440 | Reward: -215.19 | Epsilon: 0.110
        Episode 450 | Reward: -228.72 | Epsilon: 0.104
        Episode 460 | Reward: -45.54 | Epsilon: 0.099
        Episode 470 | Reward: -76.08 | Epsilon: 0.094
        Episode 480 | Reward: -239.68 | Epsilon: 0.090
        Episode 490 | Reward: -71.57 | Epsilon: 0.085
        Training: DQN + Double Q
        Episode 0 | Reward: -55.55 | Epsilon: 0.995
       Episode 10 | Reward: -69.46 | Epsilon: 0.946
Episode 20 | Reward: -144.25 | Epsilon: 0.900
```

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Episode
          40 | Reward: -206.86 | Epsilon: 0.814
          50 I
Episode
               Reward: -128.94 | Epsilon: 0.774
Episode
          60
               Reward: -83.85 | Epsilon: 0.737
               Reward: -156.48 | Epsilon: 0.701
Episode
          70
          80
Episode
               Reward: -182.61 | Epsilon: 0.666
Episode
         90
               Reward: -96.72 | Epsilon: 0.634
Episode
         100
               Reward: -85.21 | Epsilon: 0.603
               Reward: -30.76 | Epsilon: 0.573
Episode
         110
Episode 120
               Reward: -2.55 | Epsilon: 0.545
Episode 130
               Reward: -42.28 | Epsilon: 0.519
Episode
         140
               Reward: 59.15 | Epsilon: 0.493
Episode
         150
               Reward: 14.62 | Epsilon: 0.469
Episode
        160
               Reward: 7.82 | Epsilon: 0.446
Episode
         170
               Reward: 21.27 | Epsilon: 0.424
               Reward: -18.75 | Epsilon: 0.404
Episode
         180
               Reward: -101.98 | Epsilon: 0.384
Fnisode
         190
               Reward: 74.63 | Epsilon: 0.365
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        210
               Reward: 40.47 | Epsilon: 0.347
Episode
         220
               Reward: -14.90 | Epsilon: 0.330
               Reward: -22.19 | Epsilon: 0.314
Episode
         230
               Reward: -68.60 | Epsilon: 0.299
Episode
         240
Episode
         250
               Reward: -31.64 | Epsilon: 0.284
         260
               Reward: -11.34 | Epsilon: 0.270
Episode
         270
               Reward: -33.71 | Epsilon: 0.257
Episode
               Reward: -26.86 | Epsilon: 0.245
Episode 280
         290
Episode
               Reward: 6.13 | Epsilon: 0.233
Episode
         300
               Reward: -53.88 | Epsilon: 0.221
               Reward: 42.74 | Epsilon: 0.210
Episode
         310
               Reward: -40.67 | Epsilon: 0.200
Episode 320
               Reward: 83.85 | Epsilon: 0.190
Episode
         330
Episode
         340
               Reward: 21.72 | Epsilon: 0.181
Fnisode
         350
               Reward: -24.35 | Epsilon: 0.172
Episode 360
               Reward: -14.31 | Epsilon: 0.164
         370
               Reward: 63.85 | Epsilon: 0.156
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Episode
         380
               Reward: -30.13 | Epsilon: 0.148
         390
               Reward: -58.29 | Epsilon: 0.141
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        400
               Reward: 41.41 | Epsilon: 0.134
               Reward: -42.21 | Epsilon: 0.127
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        420
               Reward: -511.38 | Epsilon: 0.121
Episode
        430
               Reward: 201.39 | Epsilon: 0.115
Episode 440
               Reward: -37.48 | Epsilon: 0.110
         450
               Reward: -32.45 | Epsilon: 0.104
Episode
Episode
         460
               Reward: 259.41 | Epsilon: 0.099
         470
               Reward: 10.92 | Epsilon: 0.094
Fnisode
Episode
         480
               Reward: -66.85 | Epsilon: 0.090
Episode
         490
             | Reward: 23.06 | Epsilon: 0.085
Training: DQN + PER
Episode
          0 | Reward: -242.87 | Epsilon: 0.995
Episode
          10 | Reward: -108.00 | Epsilon: 0.946
Episode
               Reward: 42.81 | Epsilon: 0.900
          20
Episode
          30
               Reward: -68.98 | Epsilon: 0.856
Episode
          40
             | Reward: -44.23 | Epsilon: 0.814
Episode
          50
               Reward: -232.44 | Epsilon: 0.774
               Reward: -20.46 | Epsilon: 0.737
Reward: -294.37 | Epsilon: 0.701
Episode
          60
Episode
          70
Episode
          80
               Reward: -111.61 | Epsilon: 0.666
Episode
          90
               Reward: -71.66 | Epsilon: 0.634
Episode
         100
               Reward: -60.85 | Epsilon: 0.603
               Reward: -0.98 | Epsilon: 0.573
Episode
         110
Episode
         120
               Reward: -178.81 | Epsilon: 0.545
Episode
         130
               Reward: -79.91 | Epsilon: 0.519
Episode
         140
               Reward: -68.29 | Epsilon: 0.493
               Reward: -250.59 | Epsilon: 0.469
         150
Fnisode
               Reward: -46.90 | Epsilon: 0.446
Episode 160
Episode 170
               Reward: 2.26 | Epsilon: 0.424
Episode
         180
               Reward: -59.65 | Epsilon: 0.404
               Reward: -5.64 | Epsilon: 0.384
Episode
         190
Episode
         200
               Reward: -87.50 | Epsilon: 0.365
Episode
         210
               Reward: -126.37 | Epsilon: 0.347
Episode
         220
               Reward: -23.17 | Epsilon: 0.330
               Reward: -61.63 | Epsilon: 0.314
         230
Episode
        240
               Reward: -101.19 | Epsilon: 0.299
Episode
         250
               Reward: -94.69 | Epsilon: 0.284
Episode
               Reward: -219.62 | Epsilon: 0.270
Episode
         260
               Reward: -3.76 | Epsilon: 0.257
Episode
         270
Episode
         280
               Reward: -38.06 | Epsilon: 0.245
Episode
         290
               Reward: -49.59 | Epsilon: 0.233
Episode
         300
               Reward: 6.42 | Epsilon: 0.221
Episode
         310
               Reward: -64.41 | Epsilon: 0.210
Episode 320
               Reward: -41.55 | Epsilon: 0.200
               Reward: -38.30 | Epsilon: 0.190
         330
Episode
               Reward: -101.31 | Epsilon: 0.181
         340
        350 | Reward: -114.31 | Epsilon: 0.172
Episode
```

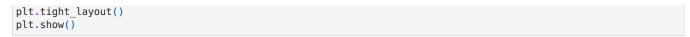
```
Episode 360 | Reward: -38.02 | Epsilon: 0.164
Episode 370 | Reward: -59.10 | Epsilon: 0.156
Episode 380 | Reward: -81.33 | Epsilon: 0.148
Episode 390 | Reward: -22.24 | Epsilon: 0.141
Episode 400 | Reward: -29.34 | Epsilon: 0.134
Episode 410 | Reward: -20.69 | Epsilon: 0.127
Episode 420
             | Reward: -80.20 | Epsilon: 0.121
Episode 430
             | Reward: 24.23 | Epsilon: 0.115
Episode 440 | Reward: -83.96 | Epsilon: 0.110
Episode 450 | Reward: -72.89 | Epsilon: 0.104
Episode 460
              Reward: -232.67 | Epsilon: 0.099
Episode 470
             | Reward: -46.68 | Epsilon: 0.094
Episode 480 | Reward: -39.21 | Epsilon: 0.090
Episode 490 | Reward: -38.61 | Epsilon: 0.085
Training: DQN + Double + PER
          0 | Reward: -107.96 | Epsilon: 0.995
Fnisode
          10 | Reward: -80.97 | Epsilon: 0.946
Episode
Episode 20 | Reward: -105.92 | Epsilon: 0.900
Episode
         30 | Reward: -173.77 | Epsilon: 0.856
Episode 40 | Reward: -170.73 | Epsilon: 0.814
Episode 50 | Reward: -98.72 | Epsilon: 0.774
Episode 60 | Reward: -107.54 | Epsilon: 0.737
Episode
         70
             | Reward: -350.15 | Epsilon: 0.701
Episode 80 | Reward: -148.97 | Epsilon: 0.666
        90 | Reward: -67.37 | Epsilon: 0.634
Episode
Episode 100 | Reward: -99.56 | Epsilon: 0.603
Episode
        110
             | Reward: -12.50 | Epsilon: 0.573
Episode 120 | Reward: -93.28 | Epsilon: 0.545
Episode 130 | Reward: 32.71 | Epsilon: 0.519
Episode 140 | Reward: 12.64 | Epsilon: 0.493
              Reward: -24.71 | Epsilon: 0.469
        150
Episode
Episode 160 | Reward: 60.08 | Epsilon: 0.446
Episode 170 | Reward: 72.93 | Epsilon: 0.424
Episode 180 | Reward: -35.48 | Epsilon: 0.404
Episode
         190
              Reward: -7.71 | Epsilon: 0.384
Episode 200 | Reward: -17.07 | Epsilon: 0.365
Episode 210 | Reward: -34.83 | Epsilon: 0.347
Episode 220 | Reward: -189.06 | Epsilon: 0.330
        230
             | Reward: 121.90 | Epsilon: 0.314
Episode
Episode 240 | Reward: 0.39 | Epsilon: 0.299
Episode 250 | Reward: -127.72 | Epsilon: 0.284
Episode 260 | Reward: 2.77 | Epsilon: 0.270
Episode
        270
               Reward: -116.97 | Epsilon: 0.257
             | Reward: -57.42 | Epsilon: 0.245
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             | Reward: 30.24 | Epsilon: 0.233
Episode 300
             | Reward: -187.06 | Epsilon: 0.221
             | Reward: -70.27 | Epsilon: 0.210
Episode 310
Episode 320 | Reward: 142.02 | Epsilon: 0.200
Episode 330 | Reward: -36.11 | Epsilon: 0.190
Episode 340 | Reward: -55.29 | Epsilon: 0.181
             | Reward: -38.52 | Epsilon: 0.172
Episode
        350
Episode 360 | Reward: -20.78 | Epsilon: 0.164
Episode 370 | Reward: 127.08 | Epsilon: 0.156
Episode 380
Episode 390
             | Reward: 152.50 | Epsilon: 0.148
             | Reward: 201.27 | Epsilon: 0.141
Episode 400 | Reward: 130.25 | Epsilon: 0.134
Episode 410 | Reward: 132.98 | Epsilon: 0.127
Episode 420
             | Reward: 189.60 | Epsilon: 0.121
Episode 430
             | Reward: 233.00 | Epsilon: 0.115
Episode 440
             | Reward: -18.33 | Epsilon: 0.110
Episode 450
               Reward: -22.36 | Epsilon: 0.104
Episode 460
               Reward: -129.38 | Epsilon: 0.099
               Reward: 214.60 | Epsilon: 0.094
Frisode 470
Fnisode 480
             | Reward: -163.49 | Epsilon: 0.090
Episode 490 | Reward: 39.16 | Epsilon: 0.085
```

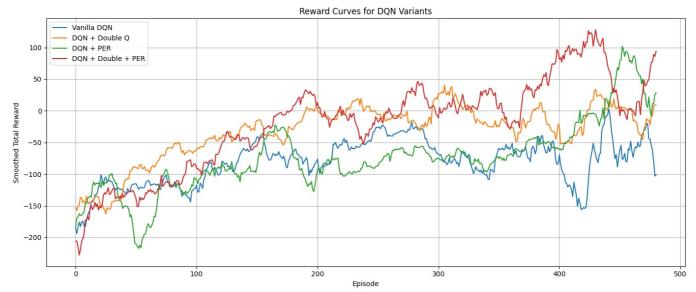
We now visualize the learning progress over time using a moving average of total rewards.

Plot Smoothed Learning Curves

```
In [9]: def moving_average(values, window=20):
    return np.convolve(values, np.ones(window)/window, mode='valid')

plt.figure(figsize=(14, 6))
for res in results:
    smoothed = moving_average(res['rewards'], window=20)
    plt.plot(smoothed, label=f"{res['label']}")
plt.title("Reward Curves for DQN Variants")
plt.xlabel("Episode")
plt.ylabel("Smoothed Total Reward")
plt.grid(True)
plt.legend()
```





Tabulate Final Metrics

Out[10]:		Label	Avg Reward (Last 100)	Std Dev	Training Time (s)
	0	Vanilla DQN	-78.57	168.08	1130.60
	1	DQN + Double Q	-9.93	117.21	1554.09
	2	DQN + PER	9.92	135.86	2303.06
	3	DQN + Double + PER	71.45	138.01	1632.62

Grid Search on DQN + Double Q + PER

To evaluate the effect of key hyperparameters, we perform a grid search on our best-performing DQN model with both **Double Q-learning** and **Prioritized Experience Replay**.

Hyperparameters investigated:

- Learning Rate (Ir): Controls how fast the Q-network updates {1e-3, 5e-4, 1e-4}
- **Discount Factor (gamma)**: Importance of future rewards {0.99, 0.95}
- Epsilon Decay Rate (eps_decay): Controls exploration \rightarrow exploitation \leftarrow {0.99, 0.995}
- Random Seed: To test robustness across initializations {42, 123}

Each configuration is trained for 500 episodes and evaluated on:

- Final average reward (last 100 episodes),
- · Standard deviation,
- Training time (seconds).

```
In [12]: from itertools import product
import time

# Hyperparameter grid
learning_rates = [1e-3, 5e-4, 1e-4]
gammas = [0.99, 0.95]
eps_decays = [0.99, 0.995]
seeds = [42, 123]

# Storage
grid_results = []
```

```
# Run grid search
 for lr, gamma, eps decay, seed in product(learning rates, gammas, eps decays, seeds):
     print(f"\n Running config: lr={lr}, gamma={gamma}, eps decay={eps decay}, seed={seed}")
     # Set random seeds
     random.seed(seed)
     np.random.seed(seed)
     torch.manual seed(seed)
     # Create fresh env and buffer
     env = gym.make('LunarLander-v2')
     env.reset(seed=seed)
     env.action_space.seed(seed)
     buffer = PrioritizedReplayBuffer(100 000)
     # Create agent with DQN + Double + PER
     agent = DQNAgent(state dim, n actions, buffer, lr=lr, gamma=gamma, use per=True, use double=True)
     # Train and time it
     start time = time.time()
     rewards, _ = train(agent, env, episodes=500, epsilon_decay=eps_decay)
     duration = time.time() - start_time
     # Evaluate
     avg_reward = np.mean(rewards[-100:])
     std reward = np.std(rewards[-100:])
     grid_results.append({
          'lr': lr,
          'gamma': gamma,
          'eps decay': eps decay,
         'seed': seed,
         'avg_reward': avg_reward,
          'std dev': std reward,
         'duration_sec': duration
     })
 Running config: lr=0.001, gamma=0.99, eps_decay=0.99, seed=42
Episode
          0 | Reward: -206.09 | Epsilon: 0.990
          10 | Reward: -79.64 | Epsilon: 0.895
Episode
Episode 20 | Reward: -327.10 | Epsilon: 0.810
Episode 30 | Reward: -268.75 | Epsilon: 0.732
Episode
         40 | Reward: -54.60 | Epsilon: 0.662
Episode 50 | Reward: -167.18 | Epsilon: 0.599
Episode 60 | Reward: -197.47 | Epsilon: 0.542
Episode 70 | Reward: -38.22 | Epsilon: 0.490
Episode 80 | Reward: -27.50 | Epsilon: 0.443
Episode 90 | Reward: 21.02 | Epsilon: 0.401
Episode 100 | Reward: -10.03 | Epsilon: 0.362
Episode 110 | Reward: -0.81 | Epsilon: 0.328
Episode 120 | Reward: -11.33 | Epsilon: 0.296
Episode 130 | Reward: -44.74 | Epsilon: 0.268
Episode 140 | Reward: -19.86 | Epsilon: 0.242
Episode 150 | Reward: -41.91 | Epsilon: 0.219
Episode 160 | Reward: -70.94 | Epsilon: 0.198
Episode 170 | Reward: -43.66 | Epsilon: 0.179
Episode 180 | Reward: -98.84 | Epsilon: 0.162
```

Episode 190 | Reward: -47.74 | Epsilon: 0.147 Episode 200 | Reward: -62.22 | Epsilon: 0.133 Episode 210 | Reward: -9.10 | Epsilon: 0.120 Episode 220 | Reward: -32.00 | Epsilon: 0.108 Episode 230 | Reward: -92.77 | Epsilon: 0.098

Episode 250 | Reward: -32.48 | Epsilon: 0.080 Episode 260 | Reward: -2.99 | Epsilon: 0.073 Episode 270 | Reward: -40.12 | Epsilon: 0.066 Episode 280 | Reward: -91.18 | Epsilon: 0.059 Episode 290 | Reward: -42.12 | Epsilon: 0.054 Episode 300 | Reward: -105.93 | Epsilon: 0.050 Episode 310 | Reward: 102.13 | Epsilon: 0.050 Episode 320 | Reward: -116.24 | Epsilon: 0.050 Episode 330 | Reward: -13.64 | Epsilon: 0.050 Episode 340 | Reward: -26.84 | Epsilon: 0.050 Episode 350 | Reward: -178.15 | Epsilon: 0.050 Episode 360 | Reward: 76.54 | Epsilon: 0.050 Episode 370 | Reward: -41.72 | Epsilon: 0.050 Episode 380 | Reward: -11.77 | Epsilon: 0.050 Episode 390 | Reward: -127.54 | Epsilon: 0.050 Episode 400 | Reward: 50.64 | Epsilon: 0.050 Episode 410 | Reward: 78.90 | Epsilon: 0.050 Episode 420 | Reward: -121.31 | Epsilon: 0.050 Episode 430 | Reward: 246.16 | Epsilon: 0.050 Episode 440 | Reward: 164.60 | Epsilon: 0.050

240 | Reward: -34.93 | Epsilon: 0.089

Episode

```
Episode 450 | Reward: 248.62 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 460 | Reward: 99.63 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 470 | Reward: -59.73 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 480 | Reward: -32.73 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 490 | Reward: -106.05 | Epsilon: 0.050
Running config: lr=0.001, gamma=0.99, eps decay=0.99, seed=123
          0 | Reward: -418.96 | Epsilon: 0.990
Episode
Episode
          10 | Reward: -122.24 | Epsilon: 0.895
Episode
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Fnisode
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Episode
Episode 80 | Reward: -358.69 | Epsilon: 0.666
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Episode 100
             | Reward: -96.32 | Epsilon: 0.603
Episode 110 | Reward: -56.71 | Epsilon: 0.573
Episode 120 | Reward: 5.11 | Epsilon: 0.545
Episode 130 | Reward: -36.75 | Epsilon: 0.519
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Episode
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Episode 150 | Reward: -135.50 | Epsilon: 0.469
Episode 160 | Reward: -30.54 | Epsilon: 0.446
Episode 170 | Reward: -30.42 | Epsilon: 0.424
Episode 180
             | Reward: -150.90 | Epsilon: 0.404
Episode 190
             | Reward: -17.13 | Epsilon: 0.384
Episode 200 | Reward: -28.50 | Epsilon: 0.365
               Reward: -165.72 | Epsilon: 0.347
Episode 210 |
               Reward: -0.86 | Epsilon: 0.330
         220
Episode 230 | Reward: 37.87 | Epsilon: 0.314
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         260
             | Reward: -34.73 | Epsilon: 0.257
Episode
        270
Episode 280
             | Reward: -46.18 | Epsilon: 0.245
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Episode 330
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Episode
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             | Reward: -48.72 | Epsilon: 0.164
Episode 360
Episode
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         380
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              Reward: 13.24 | Epsilon: 0.134
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Episode 410
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Episode 450
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Episode 470
Episode 480
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Episode
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30 | Reward: -191.73 | Epsilon: 0.732

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Episode 410
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Episode 420
               Reward: 263.61 | Epsilon: 0.121
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Episode 480
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Episode
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               Reward: -58.27 | Epsilon: 0.099
        460
Frisode
Episode
         470
               Reward: -30.83 | Epsilon: 0.094
               Reward: -79.31 | Epsilon: 0.090
         480
Episode
        490 | Reward: -107.39 | Epsilon: 0.085
Episode
Running config: lr=0.0005, gamma=0.99, eps_decay=0.99, seed=42
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          10 | Reward: -344.42 | Epsilon: 0.895
               Reward: -413.60 | Epsilon: 0.810
Episode
          20
Episode
          30
               Reward: -199.65 | Epsilon: 0.732
             | Reward: -117.51 | Epsilon: 0.662
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               Reward: -176.43 | Epsilon: 0.599
               Reward: -103.66 | Epsilon: 0.542
Reward: -168.58 | Epsilon: 0.490
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Episode
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Episode
               Reward: 24.69 | Epsilon: 0.443
         80
Episode
         90 I
               Reward: 33.29 | Epsilon: 0.401
        100
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Episode
               Reward: -339.22 | Epsilon: 0.328
Episode
         110
               Reward: -54.04 | Epsilon: 0.296
Episode
        120
Episode
        130
               Reward: -94.51 | Epsilon: 0.268
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Reward: -111.32 | Epsilon: 0.219
Episode
         140
Episode
        150
Episode 160
               Reward: -121.22 | Epsilon: 0.198
Episode 170
               Reward: -66.77 | Epsilon: 0.179
Episode
        180
               Reward: -95.96 | Epsilon: 0.162
               Reward: -104.50 | Epsilon: 0.147
Episode
         190
Episode
        200
               Reward: 4.39 | Epsilon: 0.133
Episode
        210
               Reward: -6.62 | Epsilon: 0.120
Episode
         220
               Reward: -68.97 | Epsilon: 0.108
               Reward: 9.19 | Epsilon: 0.098
Episode
        230
Episode 240
               Reward: -21.40 | Epsilon: 0.089
Episode 250
               Reward: -44.36 | Epsilon: 0.080
Episode
         260
               Reward: -15.99 | Epsilon: 0.073
               Reward: -21.54 | Epsilon: 0.066
Episode
         270
Episode
        280
               Reward: -16.59 | Epsilon: 0.059
        290
Episode
               Reward: -94.29 | Epsilon: 0.054
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Episode
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        310
Episode
               Reward: 219.61 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
        320
               Reward: -40.37 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
        330
Episode
         340
               Reward: -31.11 | Epsilon: 0.050
               Reward: -22.28 | Epsilon: 0.050
        350
Episode
Episode
        360
               Reward: 237.25 | Epsilon: 0.050
               Reward: -57.79 | Epsilon: 0.050
        370
Episode
Episode
         380
               Reward: -47.52 | Epsilon: 0.050
               Reward: 313.89 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
        390
Episode 400
               Reward: 188.21 | Epsilon: 0.050
        410
               Reward: -149.86 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
               Reward: 137.55 | Epsilon: 0.050
         420
Episode 430 | Reward: -77.53 | Epsilon: 0.050
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Episode 440 | Reward: -93.88 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 450 | Reward: 199.22 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
        460
             | Reward: 187.31 | Epsilon: 0.050
             | Reward: 247.68 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 470
Episode 480 | Reward: 204.56 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 490 | Reward: 233.93 | Epsilon: 0.050
 Running config: lr=0.0005, gamma=0.99, eps decay=0.99, seed=123
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          10 | Reward: -227.68 | Epsilon: 0.895
Episode
Episode
          20
             | Reward: -88.76 | Epsilon: 0.810
             | Reward: -154.81 | Epsilon: 0.732
Episode
          30
Episode
         40 | Reward: -307.04 | Epsilon: 0.662
Episode
         50 | Reward: -19.41 | Epsilon: 0.599
             | Reward: -353.92 | Epsilon: 0.542
Episode
          60
             | Reward: -343.83 | Epsilon: 0.490
         70
Fnisode
Episode 80 | Reward: -1.34 | Epsilon: 0.443
               Reward: -19.29 | Epsilon: 0.401
         90 |
Episode
Episode 100
               Reward: -311.71 | Epsilon: 0.362
Episode 110
             | Reward: -172.71 | Epsilon: 0.328
             | Reward: -118.23 | Epsilon: 0.296
Episode 120
Episode 130
               Reward: -82.43 | Epsilon: 0.268
               Reward: -66.11 | Epsilon: 0.242
Episode
        140
Episode 150
               Reward: -64.26 | Epsilon: 0.219
               Reward: -32.90 | Epsilon: 0.198
Episode 160
               Reward: -26.82 | Epsilon: 0.179
Episode 170
Episode
         180
               Reward: -97.00 | Epsilon: 0.162
             | Reward: -72.12 | Epsilon: 0.147
Episode 190
Episode 200
               Reward: -48.58 | Epsilon: 0.133
Episode 210
               Reward: 0.02 | Epsilon: 0.120
               Reward: -3.79 | Epsilon: 0.108
        220
Episode
Enisode 230
               Reward: 14.56 | Epsilon: 0.098
Episode 240
               Reward: -8.11 | Epsilon: 0.089
Episode 250
               Reward: -51.77 | Epsilon: 0.080
Episode
         260
               Reward: -75.41 | Epsilon: 0.073
             Reward: -140.78 | Epsilon: 0.066
Episode 270
Episode 280
             | Reward: -19.78 | Epsilon: 0.059
               Reward: -48.56 | Epsilon: 0.054
Episode 290
Episode
        300
               Reward: -37.98 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 310
             | Reward: -37.30 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 320
               Reward: -55.94 | Epsilon: 0.050
        330
               Reward: -26.13 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
Episode
         340
               Reward: -26.97 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 350
             | Reward: -73.62 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 360
               Reward: 217.57 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
        370
               Reward: -45.47 | Epsilon: 0.050
             | Reward: 186.85 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
        380
Episode 390
             | Reward: -24.72 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 400 | Reward: -35.27 | Epsilon: 0.050
             Reward: -25.47 | Epsilon: 0.050 | Reward: -5.51 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 410
Episode 420
Episode 430
             | Reward: 10.67 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 440
               Reward: -9.24 | Epsilon: 0.050
               Reward: -23.96 | Epsilon: 0.050
Reward: -49.49 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 450
Episode 460
Episode 470
             | Reward: -52.64 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 480 | Reward: 112.74 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 490 | Reward: -101.82 | Epsilon: 0.050
 Running config: lr=0.0005, gamma=0.99, eps decay=0.995, seed=42
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Episode
          10 | Reward: -151.16 | Epsilon: 0.946
             | Reward: -375.37 | Epsilon: 0.900
Episode
          20
        30 | Reward: -160.75 | Epsilon: 0.856
Episode
Episode
         40 | Reward: -126.62 | Epsilon: 0.814
             | Reward: -134.20 | Epsilon: 0.774
| Reward: -183.71 | Epsilon: 0.737
Episode
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Episode
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Episode
         70 | Reward: -321.44 | Epsilon: 0.701
Episode
         80
               Reward: -36.79 | Epsilon: 0.666
               Reward: -71.52 | Epsilon: 0.634
Episode
          90
Episode 100
             | Reward: -37.39 | Epsilon: 0.603
Episode 110 | Reward: -32.76 | Epsilon: 0.573
Episode 120
               Reward: -82.75 | Epsilon: 0.545
Episode
        130
               Reward: -67.32 | Epsilon: 0.519
             | Reward: -35.43 | Epsilon: 0.493
Episode 140
Episode 150
             | Reward: -15.44 | Epsilon: 0.469
Episode 160
               Reward: -77.17 | Epsilon: 0.446
Episode
        170
               Reward: -155.98 | Epsilon: 0.424
Episode 180
               Reward: -199.41 | Epsilon: 0.404
Episode 190
               Reward: -47.78 | Epsilon: 0.384
               Reward: -115.90 | Epsilon: 0.365
Episode 200
               Reward: -265.23 | Epsilon: 0.347
         210
Episode 220 | Reward: -16.45 | Epsilon: 0.330
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Episode 230 | Reward: -169.27 | Epsilon: 0.314
Episode
         240 | Reward: -92.17 | Epsilon: 0.299
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Episode
         250
Episode
         260
Episode 270
              | Reward: -130.30 | Epsilon: 0.257
Episode
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                Reward: -8.20 | Epsilon: 0.245
                Reward: -27.78 | Epsilon: 0.233
Reward: -21.50 | Epsilon: 0.221
Episode
         290
Episode
         300
Episode 310
                Reward: -17.91 | Epsilon: 0.210
                Reward: -61.64 | Epsilon: 0.200
Episode 320
                Reward: -48.73 | Epsilon: 0.190
Episode
         330
         340
Episode
                Reward: 174.41 | Epsilon: 0.181
Episode 350
              | Reward: 17.65 | Epsilon: 0.172
Episode
         360
                Reward: -71.43 | Epsilon: 0.164
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Reward: -15.56 | Epsilon: 0.148
Episode
         370
Fnisode
         380
                Reward: -73.26 | Epsilon: 0.141
Episode 390
Episode 400
                Reward: -4.47 | Epsilon: 0.134
Episode
         410
                Reward: -14.06 | Epsilon: 0.127
Episode 420
              | Reward: 4.13 | Epsilon: 0.121
                Reward: -43.27 | Epsilon: 0.115
Episode 430
Episode 440
                Reward: 38.07 | Epsilon: 0.110
                Reward: 2.16 | Epsilon: 0.104
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Episode
                Reward: 45.17 | Epsilon: 0.099
Episode
         460
Episode 470
                Reward: 280.76 | Epsilon: 0.094
Episode 480
                Reward: 77.13 | Epsilon: 0.090
Episode 490 | Reward: 207.09 | Epsilon: 0.085
 Running config: lr=0.0005, gamma=0.99, eps decay=0.995, seed=123
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Episode
              | Reward: -76.65 | Epsilon: 0.946
           10
              | Reward: -183.51 | Epsilon: 0.900
Frisode
           20
Episode
                Reward: -173.93 | Epsilon: 0.856
Episode
           40 | Reward: -72.05 | Epsilon: 0.814
Episode
           50
                Reward: -119.66 | Epsilon: 0.774
              | Reward: -123.62 | Epsilon: 0.737
          60
Episode
Episode
          70
              | Reward: -46.84 | Epsilon: 0.701
                Reward: -214.62 | Epsilon: 0.666
Episode
          80
Episode
          90
                Reward: -56.75 | Epsilon: 0.634
Episode 100
              | Reward: -41.35 | Epsilon: 0.603
Episode 110 |
                Reward: -12.91 | Epsilon: 0.573
Episode
         120
                Reward: -62.76 | Epsilon: 0.545
Episode
         130
                Reward: -58.58 | Epsilon: 0.519
              | Reward: 11.08 | Epsilon: 0.493
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         140
Episode 150
                Reward: -313.56 | Epsilon: 0.469
                Reward: -2.61 | Epsilon: 0.446
Reward: -99.56 | Epsilon: 0.424
Episode
         160
Episode
         170
Episode 180
              | Reward: -16.33 | Epsilon: 0.404
Episode 190
                Reward: -242.35 | Epsilon: 0.384
                Reward: -145.21 | Epsilon: 0.365
Reward: -38.82 | Epsilon: 0.347
Episode
         200
Episode
         210
              | Reward: -176.64 | Epsilon: 0.330
         220
Episode
Episode
         230
                Reward: -116.03 | Epsilon: 0.314
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Reward: -86.45 | Epsilon: 0.284
Episode
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Episode
         250
Episode 260
                Reward: -124.04 | Epsilon: 0.270
Episode 270
                Reward: -18.04 | Epsilon: 0.257
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Episode
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Episode
         290
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                Reward: -89.66 | Epsilon: 0.221
Episode 310
                Reward: -109.22 | Epsilon: 0.210
                Reward: -66.48 | Epsilon: 0.200
Reward: -91.64 | Epsilon: 0.190
Episode
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                Reward: -29.96 | Epsilon: 0.181
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Episode 350
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Reward: -4.32 | Epsilon: 0.156
Episode
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Episode
Episode 380
              | Reward: -21.09 | Epsilon: 0.148
Episode 390
                Reward: -26.11 | Epsilon: 0.141
         400
                Reward: -55.00 | Epsilon: 0.134
Episode
Episode 410
                Reward: 6.36 | Epsilon: 0.127
                Reward: 19.62 | Epsilon: 0.121
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Episode
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Episode 450
Episode 460
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Episode 470
                Reward: -58.48 | Epsilon: 0.094
Episode
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                Reward: -68.66 | Epsilon: 0.090
Episode 490 | Reward: -43.58 | Epsilon: 0.085
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Reward: -137.49 | Epsilon: 0.401
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Episode 100
Episode 110
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               Reward: -38.82 | Epsilon: 0.296
               Reward: -92.73 | Epsilon: 0.268
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               Reward: -12.61 | Epsilon: 0.242
Episode
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               Reward: -82.62 | Epsilon: 0.219
Episode
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               Reward: -34.49 | Epsilon: 0.198
               Reward: -50.11 | Epsilon: 0.179
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Episode
         320
               Reward: -59.65 | Epsilon: 0.050
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Fnisode
Episode 340
               Reward: -93.67 | Epsilon: 0.050
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         350
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Episode
         360
               Reward: -15.74 | Epsilon: 0.050
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         370
Episode
Episode
        380
               Reward: -24.75 | Epsilon: 0.050
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Episode
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Episode
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Episode 410
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Episode 420
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               Reward: -26.67 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
Episode
         440
               Reward: -79.21 | Epsilon: 0.050
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Episode
        460
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Episode
         470
               Reward: -83.25 | Epsilon: 0.050
               Reward: -63.17 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
         480
Episode
        490 | Reward: -65.89 | Epsilon: 0.050
 Running config: lr=0.0005, gamma=0.95, eps_decay=0.99, seed=123
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           0 | Reward: -418.96 | Epsilon: 0.990
          10 | Reward: -102.79 | Epsilon: 0.895
Episode
Episode
          20 | Reward: -55.73 | Epsilon: 0.810
               Reward: -285.62 | Epsilon: 0.732
Reward: -50.08 | Epsilon: 0.662
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Episode
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             | Reward: -93.25 | Epsilon: 0.599
Episode
          60
               Reward: -70.43 | Epsilon: 0.542
               Reward: -18.23 | Epsilon: 0.490
Reward: -59.12 | Epsilon: 0.443
Episode
          70
Episode
          80
Episode
         90
               Reward: 8.02 | Epsilon: 0.401
Episode 100
               Reward: -221.91 | Epsilon: 0.362
               Reward: -32.27 | Epsilon: 0.328
Reward: -245.58 | Epsilon: 0.296
Episode
         110
Fnisode
         120
Episode 130
               Reward: 57.75 | Epsilon: 0.268
Episode 140
               Reward: 58.63 | Epsilon: 0.242
Episode
         150
               Reward: -88.31 | Epsilon: 0.219
               Reward: 251.21 | Epsilon: 0.198
Episode
         160
Episode 170
               Reward: 13.61 | Epsilon: 0.179
Episode
        180
               Reward: -161.25 | Epsilon: 0.162
Episode
         190
               Reward: -80.56 | Epsilon: 0.147
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         200
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Episode 210
               Reward: -126.16 | Epsilon: 0.108
Episode 220
               Reward: -86.85 | Epsilon: 0.098
Episode
         230
               Reward: -84.03 | Epsilon: 0.089
         240
Episode
Episode 250
               Reward: -73.86 | Epsilon: 0.080
         260
               Reward: -120.78 | Epsilon: 0.073
Episode
Episode
         270
               Reward: -86.31 | Epsilon: 0.066
               Reward: -97.42 | Epsilon: 0.059
Episode
         280
Episode 290
               Reward: -108.94 | Epsilon: 0.054
               Reward: -133.76 | Epsilon: 0.050
         300
Episode
               Reward: -88.86 | Epsilon: 0.050
         310
Episode 320 | Reward: -130.99 | Epsilon: 0.050
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20 | Reward: -120.82 | Epsilon: 0.810

Episode

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Episode 330 | Reward: -88.15 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 340 | Reward: -84.34 | Epsilon: 0.050
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| Reward: -35.72 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
         350
Episode
         360
Episode 370
             | Reward: -50.65 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 380
               Reward: -50.05 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
         390
               Reward: -199.76 | Epsilon: 0.050
               Reward: -102.08 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 400
Episode 410
             | Reward: -87.81 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 420
               Reward: -50.69 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
         430
               Reward: 46.87 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 440
               Reward: 69.69 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 450
             | Reward: 77.96 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 460
               Reward: -237.05 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
         470
               Reward: -50.05 | Epsilon: 0.050
             | Reward: -38.64 | Epsilon: 0.050
Fnisode 480
Episode 490 | Reward: -38.98 | Epsilon: 0.050
 Running config: lr=0.0005, gamma=0.95, eps_decay=0.995, seed=42
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Episode
Episode
          10 | Reward: -135.72 | Epsilon: 0.946
Episode
          20 | Reward: -205.52 | Epsilon: 0.900
               Reward: -75.99 | Epsilon: 0.856
Episode
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             | Reward: -110.99 | Epsilon: 0.814
          40
Episode
          50 | Reward: -2.84 | Epsilon: 0.774
Episode
               Reward: -85.87 | Epsilon: 0.737
Episode
          60 |
Episode
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               Reward: -176.74 | Epsilon: 0.701
             | Reward: -103.17 | Epsilon: 0.666
Episode
         80
             | Reward: -97.18 | Epsilon: 0.634
Episode
         90
Episode 100
               Reward: -20.66 | Epsilon: 0.603
         110
               Reward: -63.47 | Epsilon: 0.573
Episode
             | Reward: -142.51 | Epsilon: 0.545
Frisode 120
Episode 130
               Reward: -17.94 | Epsilon: 0.519
Episode 140
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Episode
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             Reward: -279.97 | Epsilon: 0.446
Episode
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Episode 170
               Reward: -178.95 | Epsilon: 0.424
Episode 180
               Reward: -37.67 | Epsilon: 0.404
         190
               Reward: -46.31 | Epsilon: 0.384
Episode
             | Reward: -216.54 | Epsilon: 0.365
Episode 200
Episode 210
               Reward: 10.51 | Epsilon: 0.347
         220
               Reward: -159.80 | Epsilon: 0.330
Episode
Episode
         230
               Reward: 18.50 | Epsilon: 0.314
               Reward: 82.85 | Epsilon: 0.299
Fnisode
         240
Episode 250
               Reward: 4.32 | Epsilon: 0.284
Episode
         260
               Reward: -50.14 | Epsilon: 0.270
               Reward: -132.40 | Epsilon: 0.257
Episode
         270
Episode 280
             | Reward: -30.55 | Epsilon: 0.245
Episode 290
               Reward: -30.97 | Epsilon: 0.233
Episode
         300
               Reward: -73.80 | Epsilon: 0.221
               Reward: -86.92 | Epsilon: 0.210
Episode
         310
             | Reward: -16.05 | Epsilon: 0.200
Episode 320
Episode 330
               Reward: -55.63 | Epsilon: 0.190
               Reward: -65.27 | Epsilon: 0.181
Reward: -62.79 | Epsilon: 0.172
Episode
         340
Episode
         350
Episode 360
             | Reward: -150.21 | Epsilon: 0.164
Episode 370 |
               Reward: -68.10 | Epsilon: 0.156
Episode
         380
               Reward: -38.12 | Epsilon: 0.148
Episode
         390
               Reward: 140.37 | Epsilon: 0.141
Episode 400
             | Reward: -38.08 | Epsilon: 0.134
Episode 410
               Reward: 71.95 | Epsilon: 0.127
             | Reward: -17.68 | Epsilon: 0.121
| Reward: -25.99 | Epsilon: 0.115
Episode 420
Episode 430
Episode 440
             | Reward: -21.21 | Epsilon: 0.110
Episode 450
              Reward: -72.67 | Epsilon: 0.104
Episode
         460
               Reward: -28.86 | Epsilon: 0.099
               Reward: -131.17 | Epsilon: 0.094
Episode
         470
Episode 480 | Reward: -84.50 | Epsilon: 0.090
Episode 490 | Reward: -74.76 | Epsilon: 0.085
 Running config: lr=0.0005, gamma=0.95, eps_decay=0.995, seed=123
           0 | Reward: -418.96 | Epsilon: 0.995
Episode
Frisode
          10 | Reward: -73.72 | Epsilon: 0.946
Episode
          20
             | Reward: -135.36 | Epsilon: 0.900
          30 | Reward: -249.30 | Epsilon: 0.856
Episode
Episode
             | Reward: -110.28 | Epsilon: 0.814
             | Reward: -92.51 | Epsilon: 0.774
Episode
          50
Episode
          60
               Reward: -80.16 | Epsilon: 0.737
Episode
          70
             | Reward: 10.67 | Epsilon: 0.701
Episode
          80 |
               Reward: -58.68 | Epsilon: 0.666
               Reward: -349.84 | Epsilon: 0.634
          90
Episode
               Reward: -39.38 | Epsilon: 0.603
         100
Episode 110 | Reward: -139.75 | Epsilon: 0.573
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Episode 120 | Reward: -29.99 | Epsilon: 0.545
Episode 130 |
               Reward: -46.85 | Epsilon: 0.519
               Reward: -70.43 | Epsilon: 0.493
Reward: -286.29 | Epsilon: 0.469
Episode
         140
Episode
         150
Episode 160
               Reward: -196.71 | Epsilon: 0.446
Episode
        170
               Reward: -95.44 | Epsilon: 0.424
Episode
         180
               Reward: -2.66 | Epsilon: 0.404
               Reward: 69.77 | Epsilon: 0.384
Episode
         190
               Reward: -153.36 | Epsilon: 0.365
Episode
         200
        210
Episode
               Reward: -66.36 | Epsilon: 0.347
               Reward: -7.57 | Epsilon: 0.330
Reward: -63.87 | Epsilon: 0.314
Episode
         220
Episode
         230
Episode
         240
               Reward: -152.46 | Epsilon: 0.299
         250
Episode
               Reward: -67.35 | Epsilon: 0.284
Episode
         260
               Reward: 46.56 | Epsilon: 0.270
         270
               Reward: -58.43 | Epsilon: 0.257
Fnisode
Episode 280
               Reward: 19.95 | Epsilon: 0.245
         290
Episode
               Reward: 63.71 | Epsilon: 0.233
Episode
         300
               Reward: -95.72 | Epsilon: 0.221
               Reward: -101.77 | Epsilon: 0.210
Episode
         310
               Reward: -70.90 | Epsilon: 0.200
Episode
         320
Episode
         330
               Reward: -61.91 | Epsilon: 0.190
         340
               Reward: -97.57 | Epsilon: 0.181
Episode
               Reward: -102.36 | Epsilon: 0.172
         350
Episode
               Reward: -84.15 | Epsilon: 0.164
Episode
         360
         370
               Reward: -50.93 | Epsilon: 0.156
Episode
Episode
         380
               Reward: -76.61 | Epsilon: 0.148
               Reward: -115.95 | Epsilon: 0.141
Episode
         390
        400
               Reward: -164.49 | Epsilon: 0.134
Episode
Episode
        410
               Reward: -62.21 | Epsilon: 0.127
Episode
         420
               Reward: -27.62 | Epsilon: 0.121
               Reward: -110.05 | Epsilon: 0.115
Fnisode 430
Episode 440
               Reward: -122.93 | Epsilon: 0.110
               Reward: -92.50 | Epsilon: 0.104
        450
Fnisode
Episode
         460
               Reward: -51.67 | Epsilon: 0.099
               Reward: -91.01 | Epsilon: 0.094
         470
Episode
Episode
        480
               Reward: -150.68 | Epsilon: 0.090
        490 | Reward: -130.69 | Epsilon: 0.085
Episode
Running config: lr=0.0001, gamma=0.99, eps decay=0.99, seed=42
Episode
           0 | Reward: -206.09 | Epsilon: 0.990
             | Reward: -84.93 | Epsilon: 0.895
Episode
          10
Episode
          20
               Reward: -185.06 | Epsilon: 0.810
             | Reward: -120.70 | Epsilon: 0.732
Fnisode
          30
Episode
          40
               Reward: -48.26 | Epsilon: 0.662
               Reward: -397.35 | Epsilon: 0.599
Reward: -135.08 | Epsilon: 0.542
Episode
          50
Episode
          60
Episode
          70
               Reward: -20.46 | Epsilon: 0.490
Episode
         80
               Reward: -18.28 | Epsilon: 0.443
Episode
          90
               Reward: -51.46 | Epsilon: 0.401
               Reward: -235.45 | Epsilon: 0.362
Episode
         100
         110
               Reward: -220.69 | Epsilon: 0.328
Episode
Episode
        120
               Reward: -157.17 | Epsilon: 0.296
               Reward: -80.94 | Epsilon: 0.268
Reward: -3.56 | Epsilon: 0.242
Episode
         130
Episode
         140
Episode
        150
               Reward: -85.35 | Epsilon: 0.219
Episode 160
               Reward: -81.92 | Epsilon: 0.198
Episode
         170
               Reward: -78.04 | Epsilon: 0.179
               Reward: -92.41 | Epsilon: 0.162
Episode
         180
Episode
         190
               Reward: -112.12 | Epsilon: 0.147
Episode
         200
               Reward: -121.86 | Epsilon: 0.133
               Reward: -106.15 | Epsilon: 0.120
Reward: -126.99 | Epsilon: 0.108
Episode
         210
Episode
         220
Episode 230
               Reward: -108.85 | Epsilon: 0.098
Episode 240
               Reward: -81.97 | Epsilon: 0.089
Episode
         250
               Reward: -39.18 | Epsilon: 0.080
               Reward: -67.75 | Epsilon: 0.073
Episode
         260
Episode
         270
               Reward: -53.99 | Epsilon: 0.066
Episode
         280
               Reward: -61.92 | Epsilon: 0.059
         290
               Reward: -69.66 | Epsilon: 0.054
Episode
               Reward: 0.52 | Epsilon: 0.050
         300
Episode
               Reward: -87.08 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
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Episode
         320
               Reward: -55.31 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
         330
               Reward: -74.59 | Epsilon: 0.050
               Reward: -53.69 | Epsilon: 0.050
         340
Episode
Episode
         350
               Reward: -56.00 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
         360
               Reward: 15.80 | Epsilon: 0.050
               Reward: 12.97 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
         370
Episode
         380
               Reward: -62.50 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 390
               Reward: -68.46 | Epsilon: 0.050
               Reward: -51.14 | Epsilon: 0.050
         400
Episode
               Reward: -69.77 | Epsilon: 0.050
         410
Episode 420 | Reward: -18.92 | Epsilon: 0.050
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Episode 430 | Reward: -41.98 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 440 | Reward: -5.68 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
         450
             | Reward: 12.87 | Epsilon: 0.050
             | Reward: -2.57 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
         460
Episode 470
             | Reward: -20.73 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 480 | Reward: -49.85 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
        490 | Reward: -31.40 | Epsilon: 0.050
 Running config: lr=0.0001, gamma=0.99, eps decay=0.99, seed=123
           0 | Reward: -418.96 | Epsilon: 0.990
Episode
             | Reward: -88.93 | Epsilon: 0.895
Episode
          10
             | Reward: -102.73 | Epsilon: 0.810
Episode
          20
Episode
             | Reward: -214.83 | Epsilon: 0.732
Episode
          40 | Reward: -152.39 | Epsilon: 0.662
             | Reward: -243.30 | Epsilon: 0.599
| Reward: -226.13 | Epsilon: 0.542
Episode
          50
Fnisode
          60
         70 | Reward: -131.54 | Epsilon: 0.490
Episode
Episode
         80
               Reward: -179.54 | Epsilon: 0.443
Episode
          90
               Reward: -27.61 | Epsilon: 0.401
Episode 100
             | Reward: -110.78 | Epsilon: 0.362
             | Reward: -172.75 | Epsilon: 0.328
Episode 110
Episode 120
               Reward: 12.35 | Epsilon: 0.296
         130
               Reward: -71.90 | Epsilon: 0.268
Episode
Episode 140
               Reward: -36.78 | Epsilon: 0.242
               Reward: -27.77 | Epsilon: 0.219
Episode 150
               Reward: 89.08 | Epsilon: 0.198
Episode 160
Episode
         170
               Reward: -81.64 | Epsilon: 0.179
             | Reward: -143.76 | Epsilon: 0.162
Episode 180
Episode 190
               Reward: -39.89 | Epsilon: 0.147
Episode 200
               Reward: -36.71 | Epsilon: 0.133
         210
               Reward: -148.27 | Epsilon: 0.120
Episode
Fnisode 220
               Reward: -114.69 | Epsilon: 0.108
Episode 230
               Reward: -49.32 | Epsilon: 0.098
               Reward: -66.94 | Epsilon: 0.089
Episode 240
Episode
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             | Reward: -57.78 | Epsilon: 0.073
Episode 260
Episode 270
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        280
Episode
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Episode
Episode 300
             | Reward: -23.88 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 310
               Reward: -15.33 | Epsilon: 0.050
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Episode
Episode
         330
               Reward: 27.15 | Epsilon: 0.050
             | Reward: -23.22 | Epsilon: 0.050
         340
Fnisode
Episode 350
               Reward: -108.22 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
         360
               Reward: -24.89 | Epsilon: 0.050
               Reward: -6.62 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
         370
Episode 380
             | Reward: -101.25 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 390 | Reward: -90.35 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 400
               Reward: -48.52 | Epsilon: 0.050
               Reward: -83.22 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
        410
Episode 420
             | Reward: -299.74 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 430
               Reward: -25.40 | Epsilon: 0.050
               Reward: -24.23 | Epsilon: 0.050
Reward: -11.88 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 440
Episode 450
Episode 460
               Reward: -17.04 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 470 |
               Reward: -1.17 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 480
               Reward: -11.11 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 490 | Reward: -6.13 | Epsilon: 0.050
 Running config: lr=0.0001, gamma=0.99, eps decay=0.995, seed=42
Episode
          0 | Reward: -206.09 | Epsilon: 0.995
          10 | Reward: -151.28 | Epsilon: 0.946
Fnisode
          20 | Reward: -58.78 | Epsilon: 0.900
Episode
Episode
          30 | Reward: -178.72 | Epsilon: 0.856
             | Reward: -132.15 | Epsilon: 0.814
| Reward: -284.80 | Epsilon: 0.774
Episode
          40
Episode
          50
Episode
          60
             | Reward: -99.13 | Epsilon: 0.737
Episode
         70
               Reward: -40.35 | Epsilon: 0.701
Episode
          80
               Reward: -15.02 | Epsilon: 0.666
               Reward: -126.65 | Epsilon: 0.634
         90
Episode
             | Reward: -151.98 | Epsilon: 0.603
Episode 100
               Reward: -45.67 | Epsilon: 0.573
Episode 110
               Reward: -10.49 | Epsilon: 0.545
Episode
         120
             | Reward: -28.41 | Epsilon: 0.519
Episode 130
Episode 140
             | Reward: -84.53 | Epsilon: 0.493
Episode 150
               Reward: -85.78 | Epsilon: 0.469
               Reward: 15.39 | Epsilon: 0.446
Episode
         160
Episode 170
               Reward: -3.42 | Epsilon: 0.424
Episode 180
               Reward: -27.24 | Epsilon: 0.404
Episode 190
               Reward: -219.87 | Epsilon: 0.384
               Reward: 37.33 | Epsilon: 0.365
         200
Episode 210 | Reward: 16.02 | Epsilon: 0.347
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Episode 220 | Reward: 23.51 | Epsilon: 0.330
Episode
         230 I
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               Reward: -124.76 | Epsilon: 0.299
Reward: -130.43 | Epsilon: 0.284
Episode
         240
Episode
         250
Episode
         260
             | Reward: -52.67 | Epsilon: 0.270
Episode
         270
               Reward: -96.21 | Epsilon: 0.257
Episode
         280
               Reward: -96.08 | Epsilon: 0.245
               Reward: -22.85 | Epsilon: 0.233
Episode
         290
Episode
         300
               Reward: -0.75 | Epsilon: 0.221
Episode 310
               Reward: -19.36 | Epsilon: 0.210
Episode
         320
               Reward: -33.48 | Epsilon: 0.200
Episode
         330
               Reward: 17.16 | Epsilon: 0.190
Episode
         340
               Reward: -124.18 | Epsilon: 0.181
               Reward: -84.71 | Epsilon: 0.172
         350
Episode
               Reward: -89.68 | Epsilon: 0.164
Episode
         360
               Reward: -83.49 | Epsilon: 0.156
         370
Episode
               Reward: -72.28 | Epsilon: 0.148
Episode 380
Episode 390
               Reward: -98.03 | Epsilon: 0.141
Episode
         400
               Reward: -41.63 | Epsilon: 0.134
               Reward: 14.89 | Epsilon: 0.127
Episode 410
Episode 420
               Reward: -64.25 | Epsilon: 0.121
Episode 430
               Reward: 154.29 | Epsilon: 0.115
Episode
         440
               Reward: -51.69 | Epsilon: 0.110
               Reward: 4.79 | Epsilon: 0.104
         450
Episode
               Reward: -46.01 | Epsilon: 0.099
Episode
        460
        470
               Reward: 238.45 | Epsilon: 0.094
Episode
Episode
         480
               Reward: 244.80 | Epsilon: 0.090
        490 | Reward: -83.12 | Epsilon: 0.085
Episode
 Running config: lr=0.0001, gamma=0.99, eps_decay=0.995, seed=123
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Episode
             | Reward: -114.55 | Epsilon: 0.946
Episode
          10
Episode
               Reward: -156.56 | Epsilon: 0.900
               Reward: -165.83 | Epsilon: 0.856
Frisode
          30
Episode
          40
               Reward: -240.93 | Epsilon: 0.814
             | Reward: -120.83 | Epsilon: 0.774
Episode
          50
             | Reward: -292.09 | Epsilon: 0.737
Episode
          60
          70
               Reward: -123.78 | Epsilon: 0.701
Episode
          80
               Reward: -149.20 | Epsilon: 0.666
Episode
               Reward: -16.72 | Epsilon: 0.634
         90
Episode
Episode 100
               Reward: -37.16 | Epsilon: 0.603
               Reward: -4.34 | Epsilon: 0.573
Episode
         110
Episode
         120
               Reward: -64.05 | Epsilon: 0.545
               Reward: -88.60 | Epsilon: 0.519
Fnisode
         130
Episode 140
               Reward: 7.83 | Epsilon: 0.493
Episode
         150
               Reward: 1.99 | Epsilon: 0.469
Episode
         160
               Reward: -43.50 | Epsilon: 0.446
Episode 170
               Reward: -105.31 | Epsilon: 0.424
Episode 180
               Reward: -6.39 | Epsilon: 0.404
Episode
         190
               Reward: -200.82 | Epsilon: 0.384
               Reward: -9.17 | Epsilon: 0.365
Episode
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         210
               Reward: -42.13 | Epsilon: 0.347
Episode
Episode
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               Reward: -14.99 | Epsilon: 0.314
Reward: -10.80 | Epsilon: 0.299
Episode
         230
Episode
         240
Episode
         250
               Reward: -63.28 | Epsilon: 0.284
               Reward: -89.88 | Epsilon: 0.270
Episode 260
               Reward: -42.92 | Epsilon: 0.257
Reward: -19.32 | Epsilon: 0.245
Episode
         270
Episode
         280
Episode
         290
               Reward: -19.40 | Epsilon: 0.233
Episode
         300
               Reward: -47.70 | Epsilon: 0.221
Episode
         310
               Reward: 13.37 | Epsilon: 0.210
         320
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Episode
Episode 330
               Reward: -91.13 | Epsilon: 0.190
               Reward: -37.86 | Epsilon: 0.181
Episode 340
Episode
         350
               Reward: -26.94 | Epsilon: 0.172
               Reward: -37.25 | Epsilon: 0.164
Episode
         360
Episode
         370
               Reward: 4.12 | Epsilon: 0.156
Episode
         380
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         390
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Episode
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               Reward: -50.80 | Epsilon: 0.134
Episode
               Reward: -52.40 | Epsilon: 0.127
Episode 410
Episode 420
               Reward: -80.45 | Epsilon: 0.121
Episode
         430
               Reward: 1.07 | Epsilon: 0.115
        440
               Reward: -46.67 | Epsilon: 0.110
Episode
Episode 450
               Reward: 262.57 | Epsilon: 0.104
        460
               Reward: 33.12 | Epsilon: 0.099
Episode
               Reward: 189.88 | Epsilon: 0.094
Episode
         470
Frisode 480
             | Reward: 229.29 | Epsilon: 0.090
Episode 490 | Reward: 198.32 | Epsilon: 0.085
 Running config: lr=0.0001, gamma=0.95, eps decay=0.99, seed=42
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0 | Reward: -206.09 | Epsilon: 0.990

Episode

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20 I
Episode
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               Reward: -139.55 | Epsilon: 0.732
Reward: -337.03 | Epsilon: 0.662
Episode
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Episode
          40
Episode
             | Reward: -134.74 | Epsilon: 0.599
          50
Episode
          60
               Reward: -45.64 | Epsilon: 0.542
Episode
          70
               Reward: -95.13 | Epsilon: 0.490
               Reward: -205.21 | Epsilon: 0.443
Episode
          80
Episode
          90
               Reward: -8.74 | Epsilon: 0.401
Episode 100
               Reward: 8.81 | Epsilon: 0.362
Episode
         110
               Reward: -7.10 | Epsilon: 0.328
Episode
         120
               Reward: -87.95 | Epsilon: 0.296
Episode
         130
               Reward: 0.86 | Epsilon: 0.268
Episode
         140
               Reward: -206.51 | Epsilon: 0.242
         150
Episode
               Reward: 49.49 | Epsilon: 0.219
               Reward: -2.85 | Epsilon: 0.198
         160
Fnisode
               Reward: 178.49 | Epsilon: 0.179
Episode 170
Episode 180
               Reward: -141.88 | Epsilon: 0.162
Episode
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               Reward: -26.65 | Epsilon: 0.147
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         200
Episode
Episode
         210
               Reward: -72.66 | Epsilon: 0.120
Episode
         220
               Reward: -93.99 | Epsilon: 0.108
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               Reward: -104.78 | Epsilon: 0.098
Episode
               Reward: -100.37 | Epsilon: 0.089
         240
Episode
Episode 250
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         260
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Episode
Episode
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               Reward: -64.23 | Epsilon: 0.059
Episode
         280
Episode 290
               Reward: -99.05 | Epsilon: 0.054
Episode
         300
               Reward: -87.46 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
         310
               Reward: -97.22 | Epsilon: 0.050
               Reward: -126.80 | Epsilon: 0.050
         320
Fnisode
Episode 330
               Reward: -81.81 | Epsilon: 0.050
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         340
Fnisode
Episode
         350
               Reward: -93.17 | Epsilon: 0.050
               Reward: -39.30 | Epsilon: 0.050
         360
Episode
Episode
        370
               Reward: -123.32 | Epsilon: 0.050
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Episode
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Episode
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Episode 400
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Episode 410
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         420
               Reward: -43.68 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
Episode
         430
               Reward: -58.06 | Epsilon: 0.050
               Reward: -98.25 | Epsilon: 0.050
Fnisode 440
Episode 450
               Reward: -79.39 | Epsilon: 0.050
               Reward: -27.04 | Epsilon: 0.050
Reward: -27.11 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode
         460
Episode
         470
Episode 480
             | Reward: -100.23 | Epsilon: 0.050
Episode 490 | Reward: -59.41 | Epsilon: 0.050
 Running config: lr=0.0001, gamma=0.95, eps decay=0.99, seed=123
          0 | Reward: -418.96 | Epsilon: 0.990
Episode
Episode
          10 | Reward: -88.93 | Epsilon: 0.895
             | Reward: -197.23 | Epsilon: 0.810
| Reward: -82.11 | Epsilon: 0.732
Episode
          20
Episode
          30
Episode
          40 | Reward: -5.18 | Epsilon: 0.662
Episode
          50 | Reward: -114.87 | Epsilon: 0.599
               Reward: -117.32 | Epsilon: 0.542
Reward: -55.86 | Epsilon: 0.490
Episode
          60
Episode
          70
Episode
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               Reward: -103.76 | Epsilon: 0.443
Episode
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               Reward: -15.74 | Epsilon: 0.401
Episode
         100
               Reward: -67.57 | Epsilon: 0.362
               Reward: 39.33 | Epsilon: 0.328
Fnisode
         110
               Reward: 23.47 | Epsilon: 0.296
Episode 120
Episode 130
               Reward: -14.52 | Epsilon: 0.268
Episode
         140
               Reward: -69.19 | Epsilon: 0.242
               Reward: -233.71 | Epsilon: 0.219
Episode
         150
Episode 160
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        170
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             | Reward: -21.88 | Epsilon: 0.701
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             | Reward: -132.84 | Epsilon: 0.666
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         90
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Episode 100
               Reward: -135.65 | Epsilon: 0.603
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               Reward: -107.42 | Epsilon: 0.545
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               Reward: -46.25 | Epsilon: 0.424
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               Reward: 23.65 | Epsilon: 0.314
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Reward: -105.28 | Epsilon: 0.270
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               Reward: -45.12 | Epsilon: 0.233
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             | Reward: -99.56 | Epsilon: 0.210
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             | Reward: -63.32 | Epsilon: 0.115
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               Reward: -78.86 | Epsilon: 0.104
               Reward: -81.97 | Epsilon: 0.099
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             | Reward: -81.63 | Epsilon: 0.094
Episode 480
               Reward: -28.84 | Epsilon: 0.090
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             | Reward: -158.35 | Epsilon: 0.856
               Reward: -220.29 | Epsilon: 0.814
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               Reward: -91.52 | Epsilon: 0.774
             | Reward: -104.33 | Epsilon: 0.737
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               Reward: -171.77 | Epsilon: 0.701
          80
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               Reward: -173.71 | Epsilon: 0.666
               Reward: -103.09 | Epsilon: 0.634
          90
Episode 100 | Reward: -125.32 | Epsilon: 0.603
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Episode 110 | Reward: -64.32 | Epsilon: 0.573
Episode 120 | Reward: -128.22 | Epsilon: 0.545
Episode 130 | Reward: -65.26 | Epsilon: 0.519
Episode 140 | Reward: 14.99 | Epsilon: 0.493
Episode 150 | Reward: -242.76 | Epsilon: 0.469
Episode 160 | Reward: -91.08 | Epsilon: 0.446
Episode 170 | Reward: -14.80 | Epsilon: 0.424
Episode 180 | Reward: -55.51 | Epsilon: 0.404
Episode 190 | Reward: -31.42 | Epsilon: 0.384
Episode 200 | Reward: -65.75 | Epsilon: 0.365
Episode 210 | Reward: -88.01 | Epsilon: 0.347
Episode 220 | Reward: -6.58 | Epsilon: 0.330
Episode 230 | Reward: 36.43 | Epsilon: 0.314
Episode 240 | Reward: -10.49 | Epsilon: 0.299
Episode 250 | Reward: 74.18 | Epsilon: 0.284
Episode 260 | Reward: -76.76 | Epsilon: 0.270
Episode 270 | Reward: -69.46 | Epsilon: 0.257
Episode 280 | Reward: -86.06 | Epsilon: 0.245
Episode 290 | Reward: 37.03 | Epsilon: 0.233
Episode 300 | Reward: -72.88 | Epsilon: 0.221
Episode 310 | Reward: -57.51 | Epsilon: 0.210
Episode 320 | Reward: -77.76 | Epsilon: 0.200
Episode 330 | Reward: -76.80 | Epsilon: 0.190
Episode 340 | Reward: -60.18 | Epsilon: 0.181
Episode 350 | Reward: -113.83 | Epsilon: 0.172
Episode 360 | Reward: -35.35 | Epsilon: 0.164
Episode 370 | Reward: -35.44 | Epsilon: 0.156
Episode 380 | Reward: 41.81 | Epsilon: 0.148
Episode 390 | Reward: -64.10 | Epsilon: 0.141
Episode 400 | Reward: -28.81 | Epsilon: 0.134
Episode 410 | Reward: -99.82 | Epsilon: 0.127
Episode 420 | Reward: -9.91 | Epsilon: 0.121
Episode 430 | Reward: -8.61 | Epsilon: 0.115
Episode 440 | Reward: -14.92 | Epsilon: 0.110
Episode 450 | Reward: -78.04 | Epsilon: 0.104
Episode 460 | Reward: -152.92 | Epsilon: 0.099
Episode 470 | Reward: -82.54 | Epsilon: 0.094
Episode 480 | Reward: -90.32 | Epsilon: 0.090
Episode 490 | Reward: -43.53 | Epsilon: 0.085
```

Results Summary

We sort all tested configurations by average final reward (last 100 episodes) and compare them to identify the most effective combinations.

```
import pandas as pd
df_grid = pd.DataFrame(grid_results)
df_sorted = df_grid.sort_values(by="avg_reward", ascending=False).reset_index(drop=True)
df_sorted.head(10)
```

t[13]:		lr	gamma	eps_decay	seed	avg_reward	std_dev	duration_sec
	0	0.0005	0.99	0.990	42	140.703416	112.061120	3634.382368
	1	0.0001	0.99	0.995	123	80.863015	107.208706	3513.435068
	2	0.0010	0.99	0.990	123	71.288781	137.173763	3466.417691
	3	0.0005	0.99	0.995	42	63.842453	109.502094	2999.978555
	4	0.0001	0.99	0.995	42	50.166372	104.169694	3395.397919
	5	0.0010	0.99	0.990	42	47.222137	140.701891	3288.428832
	6	0.0010	0.99	0.995	123	17.472470	154.431482	2990.609757
	7	0.0010	0.99	0.995	42	2.729524	99.865054	3013.518514
	8	0.0001	0.95	0.995	42	-15.707685	100.380314	3302.664332
	9	0.0001	0.99	0.990	42	-15.955816	38.007294	4292.460358

Group and Average Across Seeds

```
# Sort by best average reward
grouped = grouped.sort_values(by='avg_reward', ascending=False).reset_index(drop=True)
# Display top results
grouped.head(10)
```

Out[14]:

	lr	gamma	eps_decay	avg_reward	std_dev	duration_sec
0	0.0001	0.99	0.995	65.514693	105.689200	3454.416494
1	0.0010	0.99	0.990	59.255459	138.937827	3377.423262
2	0.0005	0.99	0.990	45.626943	100.523673	3811.938594
3	0.0005	0.99	0.995	16.644817	91.807266	3280.342795
4	0.0010	0.99	0.995	10.100997	127.148268	3002.064135
5	0.0001	0.99	0.990	-23.264571	40.931198	4313.485603
6	0.0001	0.95	0.995	-35.133470	79.215033	3300.800516
7	0.0010	0.95	0.995	-52.771130	66.708893	3082.342064
8	0.0001	0.95	0.990	-52.866462	63.318945	4307.575562
9	0.0005	0.95	0.990	-54.036470	67.344576	4188.730985

Aggregated Results Across Seeds

To improve the robustness of our conclusions, we aggregate results across both tested random seeds. We compute the mean of:

- Final average reward (last 100 episodes),
- Standard deviation (stability),
- Training time (efficiency),

for each unique combination of:

- Learning Rate
- Discount Factor (γ)
- Epsilon Decay Rate

This allows us to identify strong general-performing hyperparameter settings, independent of randomness.

Task 9: Apply RLlib Algorithm to Atari Environment

We applied the **Deep Q-Network (DQN)** algorithm from **Ray RLlib** to the **ALE/Pong-ram-v5** environment, using Gymnasium's Atari integration.

Why DQN?

- DQN is well-suited for environments with discrete action spaces like Atari games.
- It uses deep neural networks to approximate Q-values, enabling it to learn effective policies directly from raw RAM inputs.
- · RLlib's implementation supports scalable and modular training with easy integration of exploration strategies.

□ Why Pong-ram?

- Unlike image-based Pong variants, Pong ram v5 uses a compact 128-byte RAM state representation, allowing faster training and lower computational overhead.
- The environment retains the same game mechanics and reward structure as visual Pong, making it an effective benchmark.
- It enables testing of learning dynamics without convolutional networks, making it ideal for MLP-based DQN agents.

Setup Summary

- Algorithm: DQN
- Environment: ALE/Pong-ram-v5
- Training Episodes: 500
- Model Architecture: MLP with two hidden layers (256 units, ReLU activation)
- Exploration: Epsilon-Greedy (from 1.0 → 0.01 over 200k steps)
- Learning Rate: 1e-4
- Discount Factor: 0.99
- Batch Size: 32

In [1]: import gymnasium as gym

- Framework: PyTorch (framework="torch")
- Rollout Workers: 0 (single-process training for compatibility with notebooks)

The agent was trained using a basic DQN setup with no dueling or double Q enhancements to evaluate the baseline performance on RAM-based Atari inputs.

```
import ray
        import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        from ray.rllib.algorithms.dqn import DQNConfig
       2025-05-11 03:22:44,879 WARNING deprecation.py:50 -- DeprecationWarning: `DirectStepOptimizer` has been deprecat
       ed. This will raise an error in the future!
       2025-05-11 03:22:46,259 WARNING deprecation.py:50 -- DeprecationWarning: `build_tf_policy` has been deprecated.
       This will raise an error in the future!
       2025-05-11 03:22:46,267 WARNING deprecation.py:50 -- DeprecationWarning: `build_policy_class` has been deprecate
       d. This will raise an error in the future!
In [2]: config = (
            DQNConfig()
            .environment(env="ALE/Pong-ram-v5") # Gymnasium Atari env format
            .framework("torch")
            .resources(num gpus=0) # Set to 1 if CUDA GPU available and torch w/ CUDA installed
            .rollouts(num_rollout_workers=0) # Use 1 or more if not on Jupyter
            .training(
                gamma=0.99,
                lr=1e-4,
                train batch size=32,
                model={"fcnet hiddens": [256], "fcnet activation": "relu"},
                num steps sampled before learning starts=1000
            .exploration(
                exploration_config={
                    "type": "EpsilonGreedy",
                    "initial_epsilon": 1.0,
                    "final epsilon": 0.01,
                    "epsilon_timesteps": 200_000
            .debugging(log level="WARN")
```

```
algo = config.build()
    avg_rewards = []
    for episode in range(500):
                result = algo.train()
                reward = result["episode reward mean"]
                print(f"Episode {episode} - Avg Reward: {reward:.2f}")
                avg rewards.append(reward)
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eprecated. Use `rllib contrib/simple q/` instead. This will raise an error in the future!
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nWarning: This API is deprecated and may be removed in future Ray releases. You could suppress this warning by s
etting env variable PYTHONWARNINGS="ignore::DeprecationWarning"
  `UnifiedLogger` will be removed in Ray 2.7.
      return UnifiedLogger(config, logdir, loggers=None)
C:\Users\elias\anaconda3\envs\rllib-atari\lib\site-packages\ray\tune\logger\unified.py:53: RayDeprecationWarning
 : This API is deprecated and may be removed in future Ray releases. You could suppress this warning by setting e
nv variable PYTHONWARNINGS="ignore::DeprecationWarning"
The `JsonLogger interface is deprecated in favor of the `ray.tune.json.JsonLoggerCallback` interface and will be
 removed in Ray 2.7.
      self._loggers.append(cls(self.config, self.logdir, self.trial))
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nv variable PYTHONWARNINGS="ignore::DeprecationWarning"
The `CSVLogger interface is deprecated in favor of the `ray.tune.csv.CSVLoggerCallback` interface and will be re
moved in Ray 2.7.
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nv variable PYTHONWARNINGS="ignore::DeprecationWarning"
The `TBXLogger interface is deprecated in favor of the `ray.tune.tensorboardx.TBXLoggerCallback` interface and w
 ill be removed in Ray 2.7.
      self._loggers.append(cls(self.config, self.logdir, self.trial))
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ning: `np.bool8` is a deprecated alias for `np.bool_`. (Deprecated NumPy 1.24)
      if not isinstance(terminated, (bool, np.bool8)):
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ted. This will raise an error in the future!
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ectedNetwork` has been deprecated. This will raise an error in the future!
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orchModelV2` has been deprecated. Use `ray.rllib.core.rl module.rl module.RLModule` instead. This will raise an
error in the future!
2025-05-11 03:22:46,669 WARNING deprecation.py:50 -- DeprecationWarning: `ray.rllib.models.torch.torch_action_di
st.get torch categorical class with temperature` has been deprecated. Use `ray.rllib.models.torch.torch distribu
 tions.TorchCategorical` instead. This will raise an error in the future!
2025-05-11 03:22:46,673 WARNING deprecation.py:50 -- DeprecationWarning: `TorchPolicy` has been deprecated. This
will raise an error in the future!
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 is will raise an error in the future!
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d. This will raise an error in the future!
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st. Torch Distribution Wrapper `has been deprecated. Use `ray.rllib.models.torch.torch\_distributions. Torch Categoric torch\_distributions and the state of the 
          instead. This will raise an error in the future!
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u train one step` has been deprecated. This will raise an error in the future!
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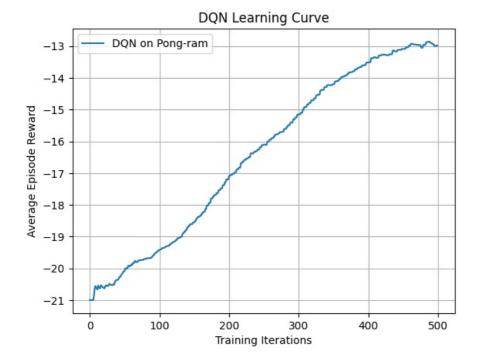
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Plot the Learning Curve

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In [4]: plt.plot(avg_rewards, label="DQN on Pong-ram")
   plt.xlabel("Training Iterations")
   plt.ylabel("Average Episode Reward")
   plt.title("DQN Learning Curve")
   plt.legend()
   plt.grid(True)
   plt.show()
```



Tn [1:

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In [1]: import gymnasium as gym
import ray
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from ray.rllib.algorithms.ppo import PPOConfig

2025-05-11 13:06:18,065 WARNING deprecation.py:50 -- DeprecationWarning: `DirectStepOptimizer` has been deprecat
ed. This will raise an error in the future!

In [2]: # Initialize Ray
ray.init(ignore_reinit_error=True)

2025-05-11 13:06:26,263 INFO worker.py:1621 -- Started a local Ray instance.
```

Out[2]:

Python version: 3.10.16

Ray version: 2.6.3

2025-05-11 13:08:20,898 WARNING algorithm_config.py:2558 -- Setting `exploration_config={}` because you set `_en able_rl_module_api=True`. When RLModule API are enabled, exploration_config can not be set. If you want to imple ment custom exploration behaviour, please modify the `forward_exploration` method of the RLModule at hand. On co nfigs that have a default exploration config, this must be done with `config.exploration_config={}`.

```
In [4]: from ray.rllib.algorithms.ppo import PPO

# Build PPO trainer
algo = config.build()
avg_rewards = []

# Training Loop
for episode in range(100):
    result = algo.train()
    reward = result["episode_reward_mean"]
    print(f"PPO Episode {episode} - Avg Reward: {reward:.2f}")
    avg_rewards.append(reward)
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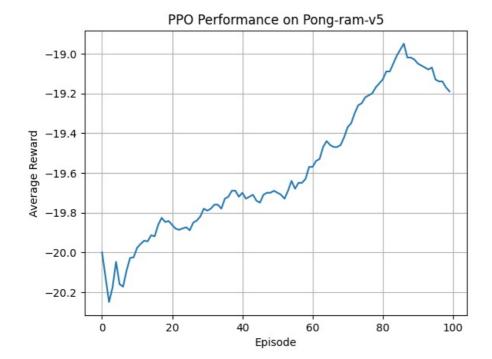
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nfigs that have a default exploration config, this must be done with `config.exploration_config={}`
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nWarning: This API is deprecated and may be removed in future Ray releases. You could suppress this warning by s
etting env variable PYTHONWARNINGS="ignore::DeprecationWarning"
`UnifiedLogger` will be removed in Ray 2.7.
   return UnifiedLogger(config, logdir, loggers=None)
C:\Users\elias\anaconda3\envs\rllib-atari\lib\site-packages\ray\tune\logger\unified.py:53: RayDeprecationWarning
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nv variable PYTHONWARNINGS="ignore::DeprecationWarning"
The `JsonLogger interface is deprecated in favor of the `ray.tune.json.JsonLoggerCallback` interface and will be
removed in Ray 2.7.
   self. loggers.append(cls(self.config, self.logdir, self.trial))
C:\Users\elias\anaconda3\envs\rllib-atari\lib\site-packages\ray\tune\logger\unified.py:53: RayDeprecationWarning
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The `CSVLogger interface is deprecated in favor of the `ray.tune.csv.CSVLoggerCallback` interface and will be re
moved in Ray 2.7.
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The `TBXLogger interface is deprecated in favor of the `ray.tune.tensorboardx.TBXLoggerCallback` interface and w
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   if not isinstance(terminated, (bool, np.bool8)):
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ment custom exploration behaviour, please modify the `forward exploration` method of the RLModule at hand. On co
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 . This will raise an error in the future!
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2025-05-11 13:08:23,061 WARNING deprecation.py:50 -- DeprecationWarning: `KLCoeffMixin` has been deprecated. Thi
s will raise an error in the future!
2025-05-11 13:08:27,551 WARNING util.py:68 -- Install gputil for GPU system monitoring.
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PPO Episode 21 - Avg Reward: -19.88
PPO Episode 22 - Avg Reward: -19.89
PPO Episode 23 - Avg Reward: -19.88
PPO Episode 24 - Avg Reward: -19.87
PPO Episode 25 - Avg Reward: -19.89
PPO Episode 26 - Avg Reward: -19.85
PPO Episode 27 - Avg Reward: -19.84
PPO Episode 28 - Avg Reward: -19.82
PPO Episode 29 - Avg Reward: -19.78
PPO Episode 30 - Avg Reward: -19.79
PPO Episode 31 - Avg Reward: -19.78
PPO Episode 32 - Avg Reward: -19.76
PPO Episode 33 - Avg Reward: -19.76
PPO Episode 34 - Avg Reward: -19.78
PPO Episode 35 - Avg Reward: -19.73
PPO Episode 36 - Avg Reward: -19.72
PPO Episode 37 - Avg Reward: -19.69
PPO Episode 38 - Avg Reward: -19.69
PPO Episode 39 - Avg Reward: -19.72
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PPO Episode 40 - Avg Reward: -19.70
PPO Episode 41 - Avg Reward: -19.73
PPO Episode 42 - Avg Reward: -19.72
PPO Episode 43 - Avg Reward: -19.71
PPO Episode 44 - Avg Reward: -19.74
PPO Episode 45 - Avg Reward: -19.75
PPO Episode 46 - Avg Reward: -19.71
PPO Episode 47 - Avg Reward: -19.70
PPO Episode 48 - Avg Reward: -19.70
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PPO Episode 50 - Avg Reward: -19.70
PPO Episode 51 - Avg Reward: -19.71
PPO Episode 52 - Avg Reward: -19.73
PPO Episode 53 - Avg Reward: -19.69
PPO Episode 54 - Avg Reward: -19.64
PPO Episode 55 - Avg Reward: -19.68
PPO Episode 56 - Avg Reward: -19.65
PPO Episode 57 - Avg Reward: -19.65
PPO Episode 58 - Avg Reward: -19.63
PPO Episode 59 - Avg Reward: -19.57
PPO Episode 60 - Avg Reward: -19.57
PPO Episode 61 - Avg Reward: -19.54
PPO Episode 62 - Avg Reward: -19.53
PPO Episode 63 - Avg Reward: -19.47
PPO Episode 64 - Avg Reward: -19.44
PPO Episode 65 - Avg Reward: -19.46
PPO Episode 66 - Avg Reward: -19.47
PPO Episode 67 - Avg Reward: -19.47
PPO Episode 68 - Avg Reward: -19.46
PPO Episode 69 - Avg Reward: -19.42
PPO Episode 70 - Avg Reward: -19.37
PPO Episode 71 - Avg Reward: -19.35
PPO Episode 72 - Avg Reward: -19.30
PPO Episode 73 - Avg Reward: -19.26
PPO Episode 74 - Avg Reward: -19.25
PPO Episode 75 - Avg Reward: -19.22
PPO Episode 76 - Avg Reward: -19.21
PPO Episode 77 - Avg Reward: -19.20
PPO Episode 78 - Avg Reward: -19.17
PPO Episode 79 - Avg Reward: -19.15
PPO Episode 80 - Avg Reward: -19.13
PPO Episode 81 - Avg Reward: -19.09
PPO Episode 82 - Avg Reward: -19.09
PPO Episode 83 - Avg Reward: -19.05
PPO Episode 84 - Avg Reward: -19.01
PPO Episode 85 - Avg Reward: -18.98
PPO Episode 86 - Avg Reward: -18.95
PPO Episode 87 - Avg Reward: -19.02
PPO Episode 88 - Avg Reward: -19.02
PPO Episode 89 - Avg Reward: -19.03
PPO Episode 90 - Avg Reward: -19.05
PPO Episode 91 - Avg Reward: -19.06
PPO Episode 92 - Avg Reward: -19.07
PPO Episode 93 - Avg Reward: -19.08
PPO Episode 94 - Avg Reward: -19.07
PPO Episode 95 - Avg Reward: -19.13
PPO Episode 96 - Avg Reward: -19.14
PPO Episode 97 - Avg Reward: -19.14
PPO Episode 98 - Avg Reward: -19.17
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Plot the Learning Curve

PPO Episode 99 - Avg Reward: -19.19

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In [5]: # Plotting
    plt.plot(avg_rewards)
    plt.xlabel("Episode")
    plt.ylabel("Average Reward")
    plt.title("PPO Performance on Pong-ram-v5")
    plt.grid(True)
    plt.show()
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Tn [1: