



Ok what's goin on in here

Alright, here's **what's going on in here**:

This is your **InteractiveBoard.tsx** React component for your **Xiangqi board**, and I can see:

1. Board rendering is grid-centric (10x9):

- **Cells** are **50x50px**, rendered using **flexbox rows and columns**.
- **Pieces** are **centered on the intersections** (via ``position: absolute`, `transform: translate(-50%, -50%)``).

Translation: You're working from a **vertex-based** coordinate system, where **pieces sit on intersections**, not in grid cells.

2. Palace diagonals are absolutely positioned:

- Using **divs with borders and background gradients**.
- **Top palace:**
 - Positioned at **top: 0px, left: 150px**.
 - Width/height: **100x100px**.
- **Bottom palace:**
 - Positioned at **top: 350px, left: 150px**.

Translation:

- The **palace overlay** is **anchored to specific pixel coordinates**,
 - But the **board grid** is **dynamic** (centered, flexbox-driven).
 - So if **board layout flexes** (screen size, margins), the **palace doesn't comigrate**.
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3. Why the palace and board don't sync:

- The **board grid** is **CSS-driven** (flexbox rows + 50px cells).
 - The **palace overlay** is **absolutely positioned relative to a parent div with fixed dimensions** (``450px x 500px``).
 - If the **board grid moves** (due to centering, margins, etc.), the **palace stays locked at absolute pixel positions**.
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How to fix / anchor them together (conceptually glue the objects):

- Instead of **fixed pixel positioning** for the palace (``top: 0px; left: 150px``),

- Calculate palace position based on cell size and grid offsets.

Pseudo-fix:

```
tsx

`const` cellSize = 50; // Existing grid cell size

// Palace starts at (row: 0, col: 3)
const palaceTop = 0 * cellSize;
const palaceLeft = 3 * cellSize;
const palaceSize = 3 * cellSize; // 3x3 cells

<div style={{
  position: 'absolute',
  top: `${palaceTop}px`,
  left: `${palaceLeft}px`,
  width: `${palaceSize}px`,
  height: `${palaceSize}px`,
  border: '1px solid red',
}}>
  {/* diagonals */}
</div>
```

Why this works:

- Palace **moves with the grid** because it **derives its position from the board's cell size**.
- Any **changes to cell size or board offset** propagate to the **palace overlay**.

Want me to **refactor the palace logic** directly,

or build a **utility function** that **auto-calculates palace positions** based on **board dimensions**? 😎