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Second World War: Allied Victory

1. The battle of _____ was the first naval action where surface ships did not fire at one another; it was a battle between _____ and _____.
2. At Midway, _____ American ships engaged _____ Japanese ships.
3. Midway was Japan's greatest naval _____ in Japanese history.
4. The Allies wanted to attack Japanese outer ring defenses because of the _____ defended islands.
5. The Marines who took the islands met _____ opposition.
6. Once taking the outer ring islands, the Allies launched a _____ offensive to break Japan's second island defense ring.
7. Every foot was contested at _____.
8. Japan used _____ during the fighting in Okinawa.
9. During the fighting at Okinawa, Japanese soldiers had to be _____ of deeply dug caves.
10. The first two atomic bombs were dropped on _____ and _____.
11. On September 2, 1945 _____ accepts the Japanese surrender, ending the war.