



USL Rules Clarifications

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Alternate Possession

- Arrow/Indicator
 - Points direction team is attacking





Alternate Possession

- Subsequent Foul
 - If the team awarded the alternate possession commits a subsequent foul before the free position has been administered, that team will lose possession** and its right to call time out.
 - ** Loses ball and possession arrow





Alternate Possession

- If the ball is awarded to the attack in CSA and ball is above GLE and....
- GK is out of goal circle
 - GK may return to the goal circle if she is above the GLE, even if she is not in the lane.
 - If GK foul creates an alternate possession, or she is closest to the play resulting in an alternate possession, she is taken with the administration on the GLE. She does not clear back in.



Illegal Player

- After Goal, Before Draw
 - Free position @ Center
 - Rule 5, Section 23, p. 41
- NCAA
 - Free position @ GK
 - Rule 5, Section 23, p.38





Illegal Stick

- Head of stick falls off
 - No Goal
 - No Penalty
 - Restart with Alternate Possession procedure





Foul During and After Shot

- Rule 7, Section 13, p. 56
 - Foul by or against shooter
 - Off ball fouls
 - Attack – no goal. FP @ spot of foul
 - Defense – Flag. 8m as necessary





USL Delay of Game Cards

- First Delay– Green
- Second Delay- Green/Yellow
 - Does not count in team card count
 - Does not count against player
- Third Delay – Yellow Card – Misconduct
 - Counts in team card count
 - Counts against player



Dangerous Play

- Definition
 - Player actions that are rough, threatening, and/or are without regard to player safety. May be carded.





Rulebook Clarification

Rule 3, Section 14, P. 22

Starting line-ups must be in 10 minutes before game

- Violation is a free position for a minor foul to begin the game





Rulebook Clarification

Rule 5, Section 19e, P. 37

“She” refers to Goalkeeper only

- Deputy is a field player and may
 - Be between restraining line
 - Draw
 - Shoot
 - Score





Rulebook Clarification

Rule 5, Section 23, P. 40

Illegal Substitution

- Substitution on a possession timeout is illegal (Rule 4, Section 4, p. 26)
- Penalty – minor foul



Rulebook Edit

- ASTM Headgear
 - P. 3
 - Should be 3077





Rulebook Edit

- Three Seconds
 - P. 45
 - Rule 6, Section 1-k2
 - Simultaneously abide by FSG
- Should reference FSG – 6-1l, not 6-1k





Rulebook Edit

- Team Fouls
 - P. 55
 - Rule 7, Section 10
 - Remove “C”



Time out?

- Not Mandatory
 - Alternate Possession
 - Fouls in Critical Scoring Area
 - Offside
- Use if necessary
- NCAA - Mandatory



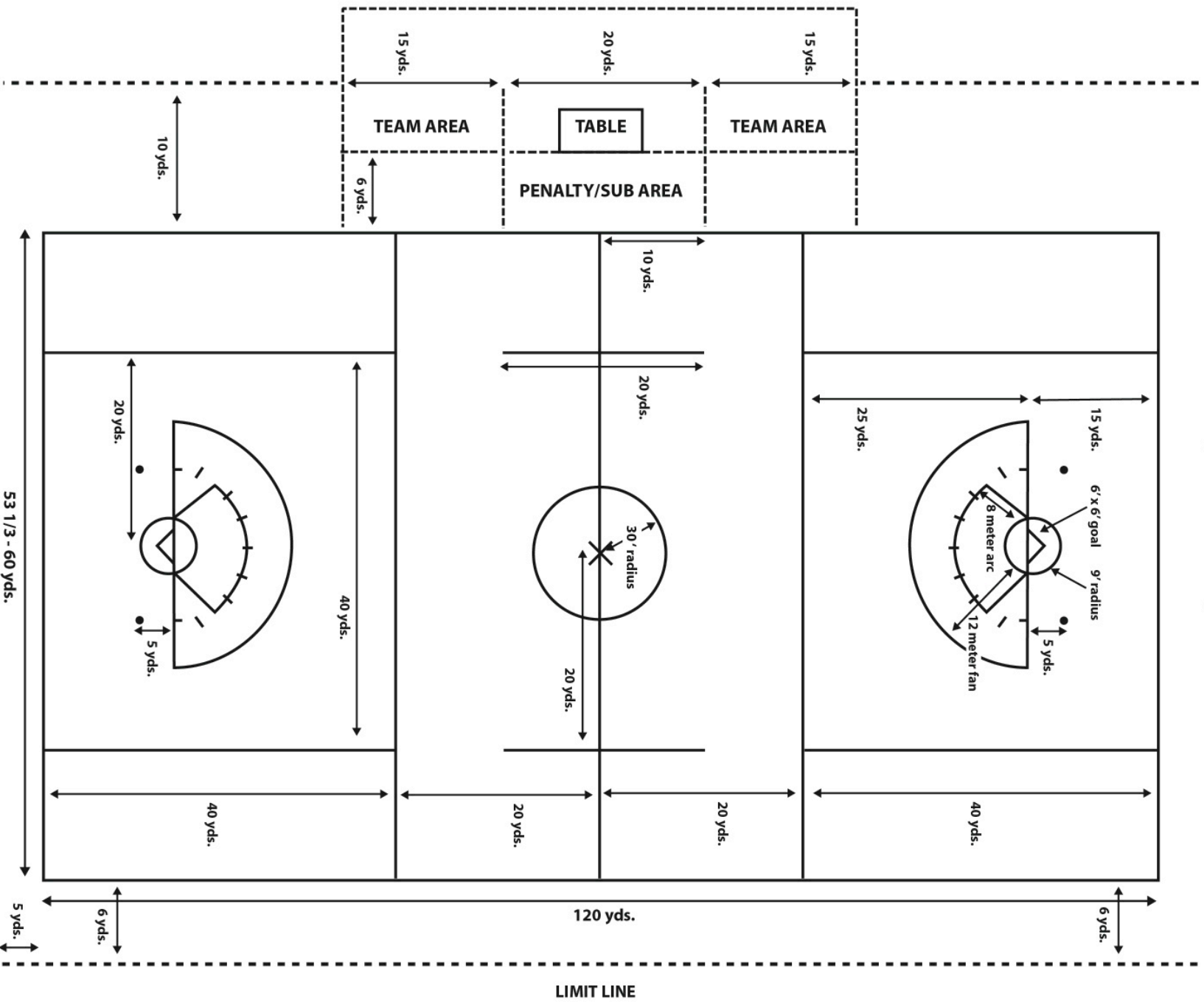


Unified Fields

- Optional
- U/15, U-13
- Some common lines – boys and girls
- Maximizes field usage during tournaments
- Minimizes additional lines, resources, time



BOYS' AND GIRLS' UNIFIED FIELD MARKINGS (120 YARDS)



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