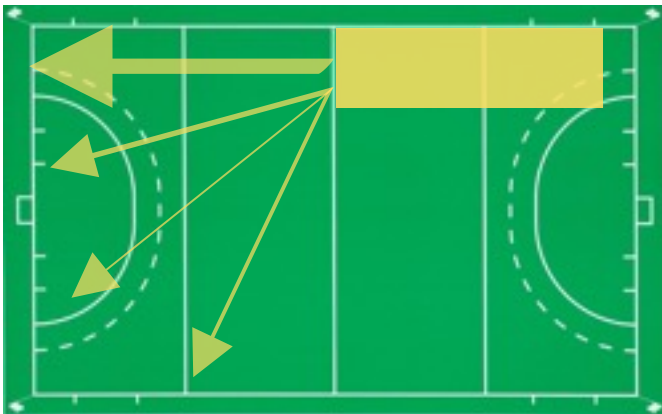
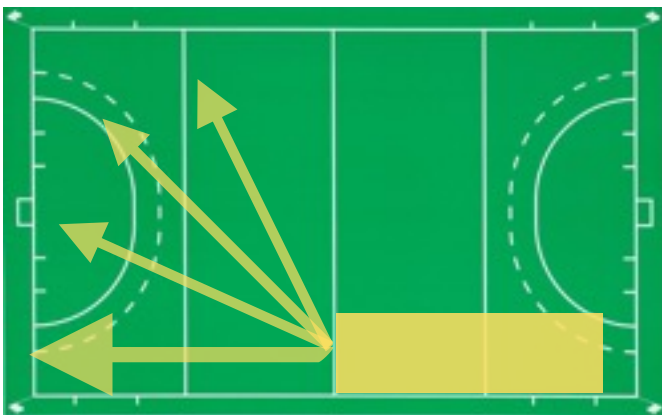


Basic Playing Positions



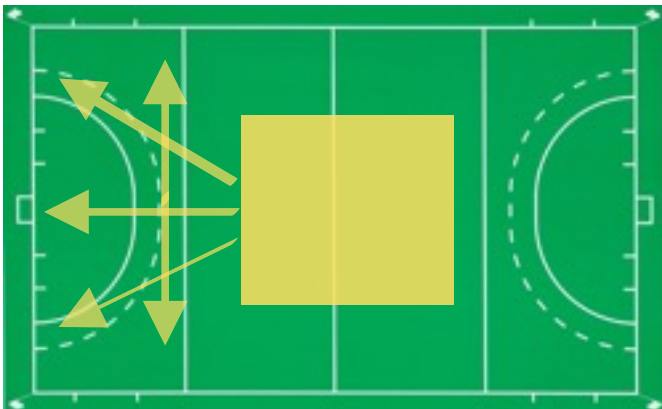
Right Striker

- Receives ball from defence and midfield
- Sets up right side attack, passes or carries the ball into the circle.
- Switches with the other strikers
- When right striker carries into the circle his other strikers are in priority positions in circle to help
- When opposition has the ball he prevents from the ball being passed out.
- Prevents the left half from receiving the ball
- Has a key role in defensive screen



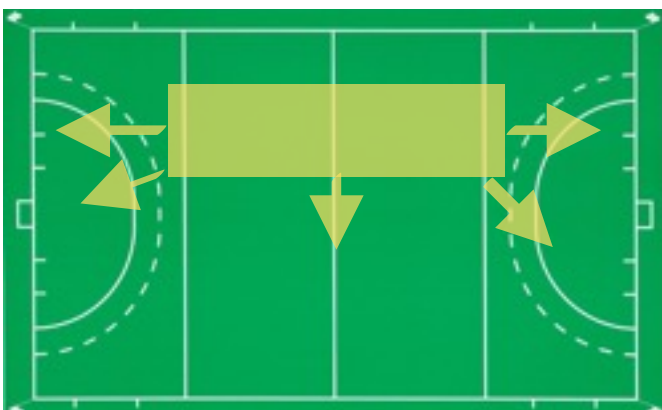
Left Striker

- Receives ball from defence and midfield
- Sets up left side attack, passes or carries the ball into the circle.
- Switches with the other strikers
- When left striker carries into the circle his other strikers are in priority positions in circle to help
- When opposition has the ball he prevents from the ball being passed out.
- Prevents the right half from receiving the ball
- Has a key role in defensive screen



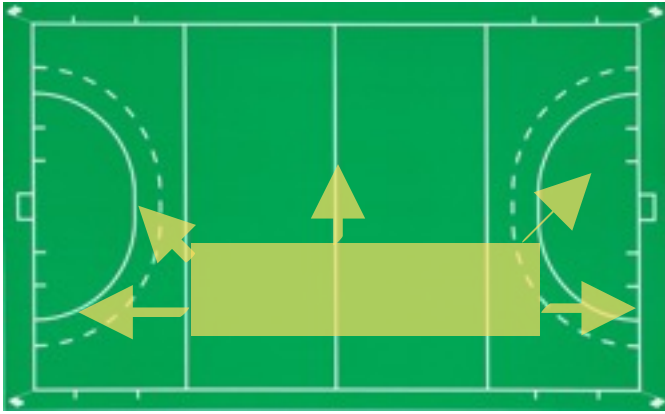
Centre Striker

- Receives the ball from defence and midfield
- Plays daily in centre but switches with other strikers
- Plays a key role in screen (point player)
- Sometimes has the role of marking a centre half on defence
- Prevents opposition defenders from passing the ball through the centre of the field



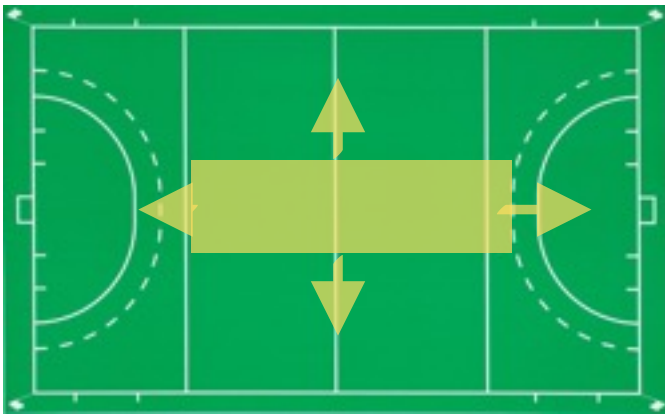
Right Midfield

- Marks opposition Left Midfield/Left Inside
- Links defence and forwards mostly by passing the ball
- Feeder to strikers
- Can take ball into circle
- Key role in defensive screen
- Marks man on man in defensive circle going quite deep
- Can follow his opponent across the field in defence
- High work rate off the ball



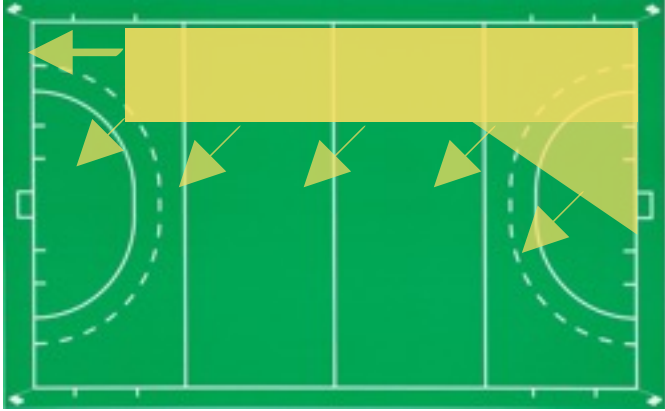
Left Midfield

- Marks opposition Right Midfield/Right Inside
- Links defence and forwards mostly by passing the ball
- Feeder to strikers
- Can take ball into circle
- More defensive than right midfield
- Key role in defensive screen
- Marks man on man in defensive circle going quite deep
- Can follow his opponent across the field in defence
- High work rate off the ball



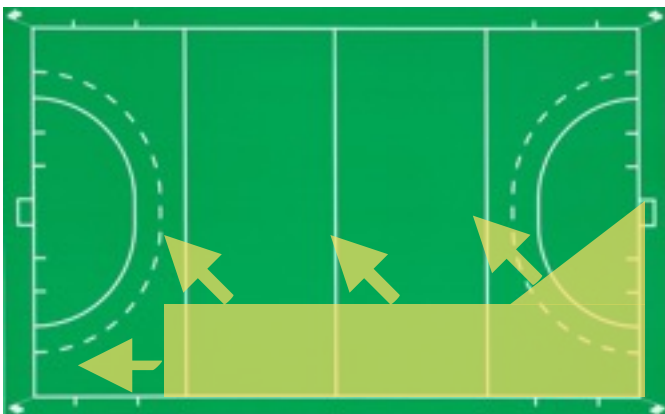
Centre Half/Centre Mid

- Marks opposition Centre Half
- Links defence and forwards mostly by passing the ball
- Feeder to strikers and midfield
- Can take ball into circle
- Usually doesn't hold onto the ball for long, acts as a pivot in the middle
- Marks man on man in defensive circle going quite deep
- Can follow his opponent across the field in defence
- Directs screens and plays
- Takes free hits in middle of field



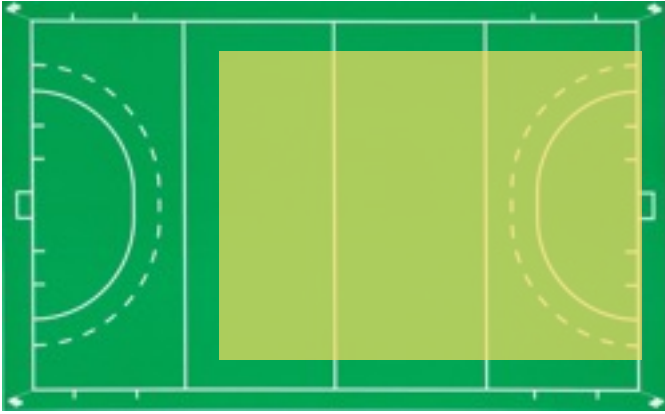
Right Half

- Marks opposition Left Striker/Left Wing
- Links defence and forwards mostly by passing the ball
- Feeder to midfield and forwards
- Can overlap and attack
- Marks man on man in defensive 25
- Can mark zonal in attacking half
- Can follow his opponent across the field in defence
- Plays very deep on defence
- Takes side line free hits



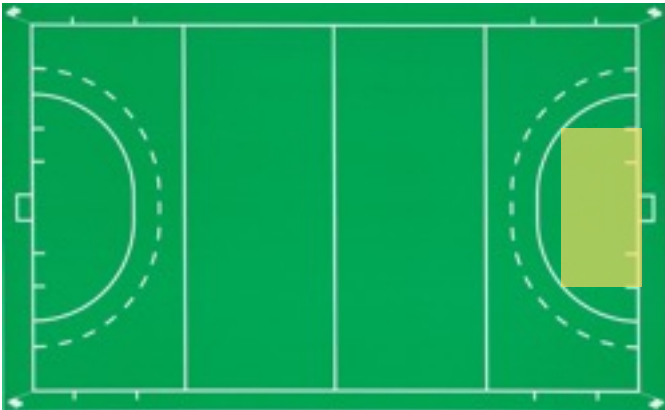
Left Half

- Marks opposition Right Striker/Right Wing
- Links defence and forwards mostly by passing the ball
- Feeder to midfield and forwards
- More defensive to Right Half
- Marks man on man in defensive 25
- Can mark zonal in attacking half
- Can follow his opponent across the field in defence
- Plays very deep on defence
- Takes side line free hits



Full Backs

- One marks opposition centre striker and the other is free (hotline- covering the line between the ball and the spot).
- Links defence and forwards mostly by passing the ball
- Feeder to midfield and forwards
- Marks man on man in defensive 25
- Can pass the ball around the back to find space up the field
- Can move up the field to support midfield and forwards
- Take free hits at back and 16 yard hits
- Directs players up the field



Goalie

- Saves anything going goal bound
- Supports halves and backs and directs play
- Circle is their castle what the GK says in there goes
- Can not use feet outside of circle
- Usually stays close to go but in some instances like a 1v1 can run out to cut down the attackers space