



## Pitch Dimension Guidelines

Hertfordshire FA receives many enquiries around pitch and goal sizes suitable for all age groups and therefore suggests the following should be applied:

Suggested Pitch Size in Yards	Suggested Size of Goalposts	Pitch Dimensions In Yards				Pitch Dimensions In Metres			
		Length		Width		Length		Width	
		Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min
Lth x Wdt	Ht x Wdt								
<b>Mini-Soccer U7-U8</b>									
50 x 30	6ft x 12ft	50	30	30	20	45.75	27.45	27.45	18.3
<b>Mini-Soccer U9-U10</b>									
60 x 40	6ft x 12ft	60	50	40	30	54.9	45.75	36.6	27.45
<b>9 v 9</b>									
80 x 50	7ft x 16ft	85	70	55	45	78.46	64	50.77	42
<b>Youth U11-U12 (11 v 11)</b>									
80 x 50	7ft x 21ft	90	75	55	45	82	68.25	50.77	42
<b>Youth U13-U14 (11 v 11)</b>									
90 x 55	7ft x 21ft	100	80	60	50	91	72.8	56	45.5
<b>Youth U15-U16 (11 v 11)</b>									
100 x 60	8ft x 24ft	110	90	70	50	100.6	82.3	64	45.5
<b>Youth U17-U18 &amp; Seniors (11 v 11)</b>									
110 x 70	8ft x 24ft	130	100	100	50	120	90	90	45.5

Note: Leagues and other competitions may have defined rules for their own competitions and reference should always be made to their handbooks for additional guidance and compliance.

Run-offs for natural grass pitches should be a minimum of 1.83 metres (6 feet) but ideally 2 metres. The run-off must be of natural grass and must not be of tarmac or concrete construction, with no barriers or obstructions evident within the run-off area.

Where pitches neighbour others within a confined area, the minimum run-off between both pitches should ideally be 4 metres to allow for spectators watching either match.