

U12/U13 Club

Outdoor 2025 - 9 vs 9 Rules

Field Size – Min: 137ft x 196ft Max: 180ft x 246ft

Goal Size – 1.83 m x 5.49 m (6ft X 18ft)

Roster Size –Max 20

Ball Size – U12 size 4 and U13 Size 5

Game duration – 2 x 40 min halves.

Offside – Yes (at half)

Throw-ins – Yes

Retreat Line – No

Substitutions – As stated in IFAB Laws of The Game, at stoppages and whole line changes allowed

Minimum number of players to start the game – 7 players

Referees – 1 Centre Official and 2 Assistant Referees

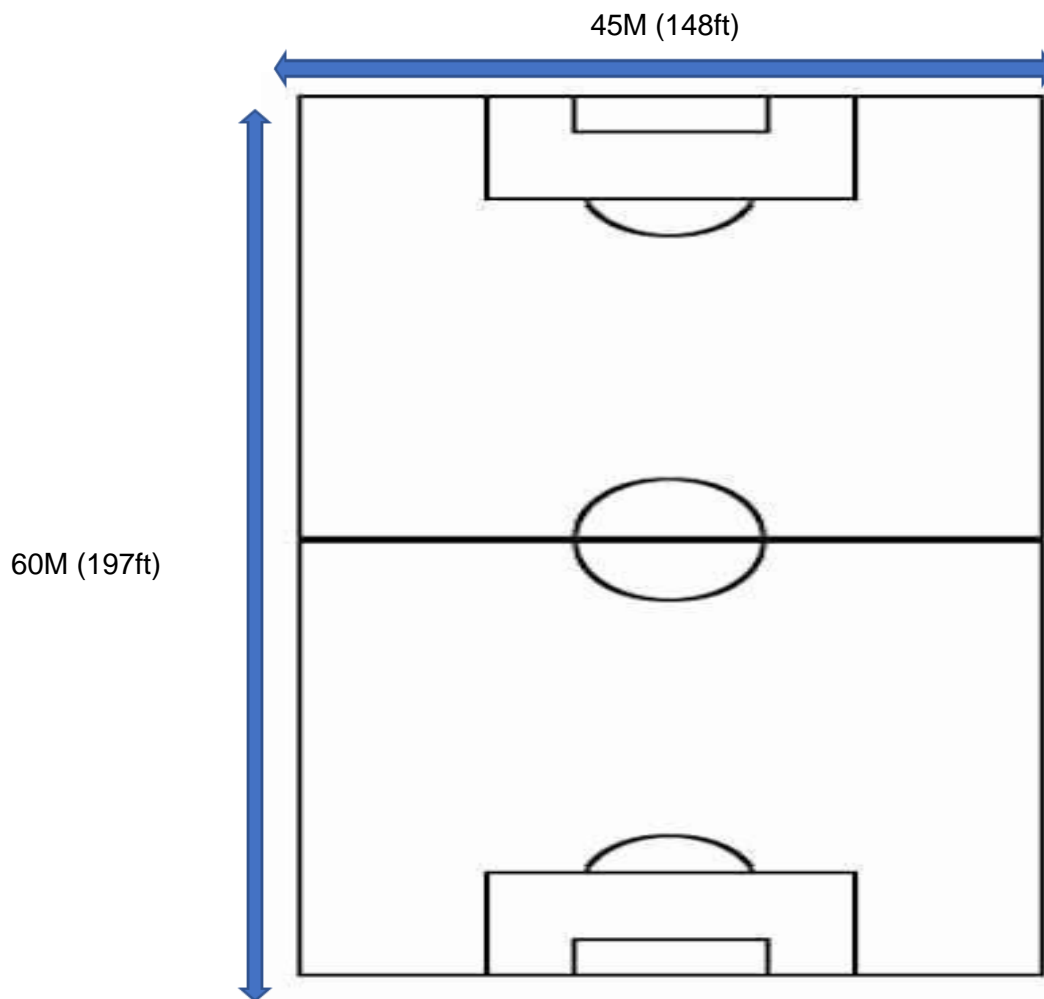
All other match rules would be in alignment with the current IFAB Laws of The Game and EMSA Rules.

Note- We understand that many of the fields will be different dimensions. Also if there are no lines cones are allowed in all EMSA games and every game can proceed with one official.

Please find below a sample of the field dimensions in both metric and imperial measurements:

U12/U13 IDEAL Dimensions:

1. Centre Circle Radius: 7m(23ft)
2. GK area 12m X 28m (39ft X 92ft)
3. Smaller yard box 4m X 8m (13ft X 26ft)
4. Corner Radius 1m (3.3ft)



Minimum Width: 42 m

Maximum Width: 55 m

Minimum Length: 60 m

Maximum Length: 75 m

*Line is measured from the edge of the post and outward 4 m
Regardless of field width/length, all markings within the field remain the same.

All markings are the same for both halves of the field.

Paint colour: White (unless otherwise stitched into turf pitch)

Line Width: 10.16 cm - 12 cm