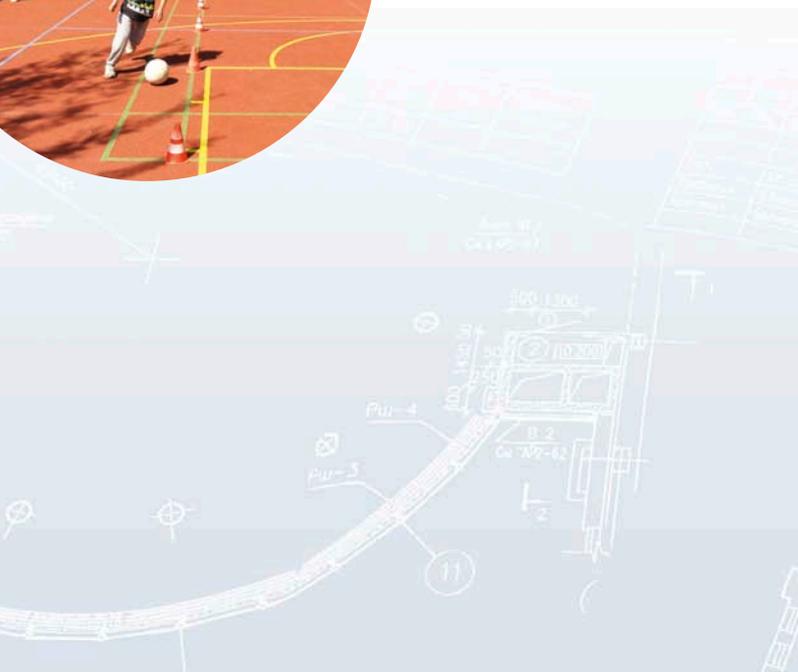


# SOCCERGROUND®

## Mini Pitches





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All of our systems are  
„Made in Germany“

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1.006 DFB Mini Pitches



Various Events



UAE Sharjah



84 FLB Mini Pitches



Special Constructions



Multisports facilities



15 LFV M.-V. Mini Pitches



Borussia Mönchengladbach



International installations

### The SoccerGround® Company

Creating more opportunities to play sports and games, that is our passion. We look forward to making it happen with you as our partner.

Whether it's one, ten or 100 pitches, each new project promises more fun and games for players and fans of all ages.

As exclusive manufacturer and constructor of the "1,000 DFB Mini Pitches" rebound board system, SoccerGround® is a specialist in the field of permanent and mobile football and multi-sports arenas.

Thanks to our experience working together with

the German Football Association (DFB), regional and international associations we know what really counts:

Safety, quality and enjoying the game, all at a good price/performance ratio.

Our expertise is gleaned from having set up over 1,400 SoccerGround® rebound board systems. In constant use for games, they have thus been tested over many years. In Germany, across Europe and further afield internationally.

We will be happy to answer any questions you may have.



MORE THAN  
1,000 SOCCERFIELDS  
FOR THE  
GERMAN FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION



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## The 1,000 DFB Mini Pitches Project

In the year 2007, the German Football Association (DFB) decided that the time had come to promote football actively as a school sport and widen its general appeal. Playing the game would lead to improved integration amongst children and youths.

Boys and girls of all ages and sizes, indigenous and immigrant kids all kicking a ball together, getting to know each other better. This was the aim, and it still is today.

Over 4,000 schools and clubs applied for DFB grants. The German Football Association covered the cost of the entire playing area, with the exception of any additional groundwork preparation, thus presenting a wonderful opportunity to extend schools' long-term portfolio in a meaningful way.

1,000 Mini Pitches were initially planned, 1,006 SoccerGround® courts were ultimately completed, financed through funds generated by the 2006 World Cup and UEFA subsidiaries.

Distributed equally across Germany's 21 regional football associations, coverage is excellent in the whole of the country. Virtually every child in the land will find a football pitch close by.

All courts are equipped with especially high-quality Polytan synthetic grass, complemented by a SoccerGround® rebound board system which includes goals and perimeter netting.

And the project does not end there: inspired by the DFB's example, Brandenburg's regional football association ordered another 84 pitches, Mecklenburg Vorpommern 15 in total and many other clients have commissioned some 300 additional SoccerGround® arenas in support of the common goal.

**SoccerGround® - more fun playing the game**



For all sizes, large and small,  
tactics, speed and fitness

## SOCCERGROUND®



### Five-a-side on the SoccerGround®

#### It's a fast game on the SoccerGround®!

Technique and quick reactions are of the essence here. Rebound boards ensure that the ball stays in play at all times, so players are in constant motion.

A match usually consists of two 15 minute halves, yielding numerous advantages: teams can switch more quickly, for example, so waiting on the sidelines is reduced to a minimum. Training periods can be shorter without losing any of their effectiveness.

For those who want to play more than just soccer, various modules are available to cater for basketball, volleyball and many other sports you may require.

Flexibility is guaranteed, the SoccerGround® can be set up in different sizes, for players large and small.

#### For children and youths

the arena represents a meeting point, a place to take one's first shots at goal. Somewhere to spend leisure time, find new friends and hang out together, to conquer prejudice and let off steam. Where they come from is not important, girls and boys having fun as a team, playing ball, irrespective of their roots.

#### For adults

the SoccerGround® provides a modern, all-round training arena, the chance to escape the stress of everyday life. Developing fitness and technique together. The perfect place to foster work-life balance and team building, as well as promoting efficient training in a short space of time.



Special netting,  
no finger traps,  
no sharp edges!

## The advantages of SoccerGround®



### Systems which are perfectly suited to specific locations and conditions

- Not every setting can use the same system. SoccerGround® rebound board systems are specially designed for the conditions in each unique location. Robust systems for all year round use outdoors, with or without solid foundations, mobile systems for events, stylish designs for indoor halls and ultra-compact solutions for smaller spaces.



### Safe at all times, even for unsupervised games, meeting all the standards for free access multi-sports equipment as per DIN EN 15312 certificate

- SoccerGround® rebound board systems are certified as a complete system (not merely individual elements, such as the goals) according to the standards listed in DIN EN 15312, thus fulfilling all conditions of free access multi-sports equipment. This guarantees the basic principles of allowing children to play safely by themselves and insuring the system.



### Robust construction ("no rattling!")

- SoccerGround® rebound board systems conform 100% to strict DFB criteria with regard to child safety, sound absorption and quality, ensuring that each SoccerGround will be a source of pleasure and great games for years on end.



### Valuable years of comprehensive experience in creating playing arenas

- Over 1,400 SoccerGround® rebound board systems have been constructed to date; these courts have been used intensively for a number of years and we are constantly developing them further to offer you the finest system imaginable. Don't just take our word for it, come and take a look for yourself – visit one of the DFB's 1,000 plus mini soccer pitches: <http://minispielfelder.dfb.de/>



### No finger traps, no risk of injury or tripping up

- SoccerGround® rebound board systems do not feature any finger traps or sharp corners and edges where players or spectators could potentially suffer injury. The mobile system bases are designed to stand flush on the ground, hence there is no risk of spectators tripping up.



### High-quality, extremely durable sponsor prints

- SoccerGround® boards can be embellished with UV-resistant, durable multi-colour prints. This will enable your sponsors to catch the attention of all visitors to your playing arena for many years to come.



### Wide range of accessories, everything from one source

- In addition to your SoccerGround® you can also order artificial turf or other playing surface, perimeter and roof netting, pitchside advertising, floodlight, multi-sport options and much more. Of course we also take care of installation and maintenance work or develop special designs in consultation with you. Talk to us, we will advise you.



### Made in Germany

- SoccerGround® rebound board systems are designed and manufactured in our own steel construction workshops (certified welding company) in Hennef near Cologne. We take care of every step in the production process, from the original design all the way through to post-assembly maintenance, allowing us to react flexibly to your wishes and take into account any special conditions that may arise.

**SOCCERGROUND®**  
**Classic**

**THE ORIGINAL  
DFB MINI PITCH**

SoccerGround® Classic / DFB Mini Pitch 13 x 20 m incl. perimeter netting, Euskirchen



# SoccerGROUND®

## Classic

THE ORIGINAL  
DFB MINI PITCH

### In brief

This is the original system as chosen by the DFB for the "1,000 DFB Mini Pitches" project throughout Germany.

The SoccerGround® Classic was developed by us in line with strict guidelines laid out by the DFB for schools and football clubs.

No need to worry about children playing without supervision – the court is designed to minimize risk of injury. It is also extremely sturdy, guaranteeing many years of fun and games.

The SoccerGround® Classic has foundations firmly anchored in the ground and is a permanent, durable sports facility.

Over 1,000 mini soccer pitches have clearly demonstrated that the SoccerGround is a perfect training area for adults and young people as well as for children.

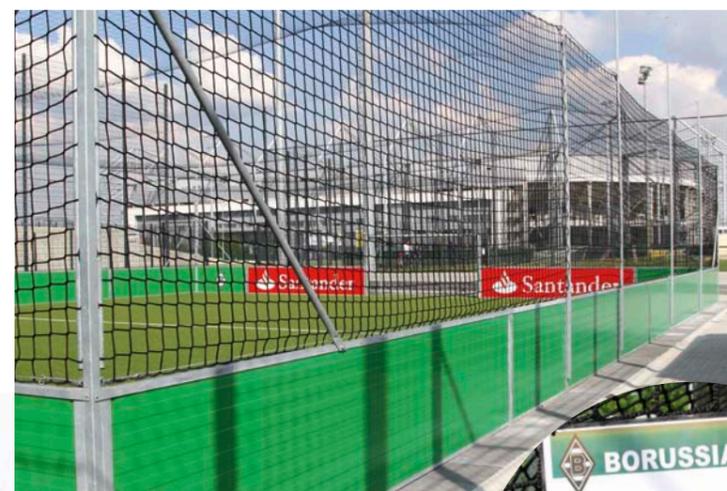
The size of the playing area is variable. Popular standard dimensions include 10 x 15, 13 x 20, 15 x 30 and 20 x 40 m.

Furthermore, the range of sports can be extended through various multi-sports accessories.

Not only football, but basketball, volleyball, badminton, football tennis and many other sports can be played – all on the ONE court.

#### This is the right system for you if ...

- ✓ you want to set up a modern football or multi-sports arena
- ✓ bucket foundations do not present a problem
- ✓ you are looking for a system which is to be installed in a fixed location
- ✓ safety, durability and extreme sturdiness are amongst your top priorities



# SOCCERGROUND® Advanced

SoccerGround® Advanced 23 x 40 m, Bologna (Italia)



# SOCCERGROUND®

## Advanced

### In brief

The SoccerGround® Advanced is based on the successful, tried and tested DFB Mini Pitch, the SoccerGround® Classic.

Extremely sturdy, safe and durable - and completely free-standing!

Instead of being anchored or embedded in the ground, the Advanced model features an additional handrail which provides equally high stability.

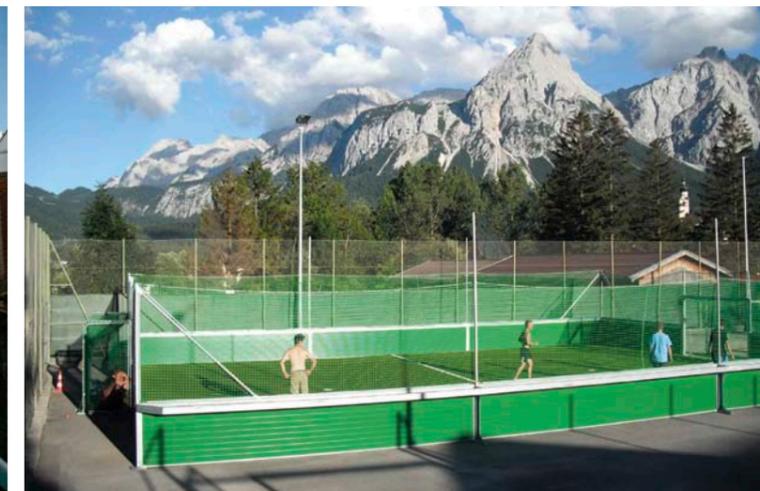
It is therefore suitable for all locations where it is not possible or not permitted to lay foundations, such as old granulated surfaces or asphalt surfaces like schoolyards and parking lots.

This system is also designed for use as permanently installed sports facilities, but can also be easily dismantled and reassembled at a new location.

Naturally, we also offer the SoccerGround® Advanced with multi-sports options and in all sizes. Popular dimensions include 10 x 15, 13 x 20, 15 x 30 m.

### This is the right system for you if ...

- ✓ you want to set up a modern football or multi-sports arena
- ✓ your site should not or cannot accommodate foundations (e.g. hall floors, schoolyards, parking lots)
- ✓ you are looking for a system as a long-term installation, but with the option of remaining mobile
- ✓ safety, durability and extreme sturdiness are amongst your top priorities



Free-standing version of the DFB Mini Soccer Pitch



SoccerGROUND®

Multisport

SoccerGround® Multisport 13 x 20 m, Leipzig



# SOCCERGROUND®

## Multisport

### In brief

Transform your SoccerGround® Advanced or SoccerGround® Classic into a multi-functional sports arena. Simply select from a range of modules to equip your mini sports arena for whichever sport you choose:

- **Basketball**  
Goals with basketball fittings, baskets with nets and backboards
- **Volleyball / Badminton / Football tennis**  
Height of the net construction can be adjusted with tensioning rope and pulley, mounted on the central post
- **Multi-functional floor**  
Tartan (artificial flooring) for example, with coloured markings

### This is the right system for you if ...

- ✓ you are seeking to provide leisure facilities for demanding clients or customers in a hotel or club, for example
- ✓ you run a training facility or school where the children or other young players are absolute sports fanatics
- ✓ you would like to offer a broader range of sports, not "only" football
- ✓ you want to make your mini sports pitch even more attractive and broaden your customer reach



Soccer, basketball, volleyball, football tennis and much more



# SOCCERGROUND® Portable

SoccerGround® Portable 12 x 18 m, Ascona 2008 European Championships (special design)



# SOCCERGROUND®

## Portable

### In brief

The SoccerGround® Portable is a portable mini pitch for sporting events.

This mobile soccer court features integrated goals and nets which keep the ball in constant play. It takes no time at all to set up and offers a particularly attractive action arena and lots of fun for players of all sizes and ages.

The SoccerGround® Portable can be erected quickly and easily in any location, e.g. on a market square, in the park or at trade fairs. Modular construction using boards of different lengths makes it possible to set up playing areas of different sizes, larger or smaller. This flexibility can meet the needs of whichever space you may have available.

When not in use, the smaller board systems can be easily stored or transported on a regular car trailer.

All boards can, of course, be emblazoned with eye-catching advertisements or sponsors' logos on either side.

For the ultimate football experience, the SoccerGround® Portable can be combined with our mobile SoccerTurf artificial grass surface.

To make an even greater impression, with increased advertising space and genuine stadium atmosphere, add our SoccerGrandstand seating modules.

### This is the right system for you if ...

- ✓ you are looking for a playing area for street parties or civic events, public viewing and fan zones, promotional activities or incentives, corporate events or kids / youth festivals and so on
- ✓ you want a sports arena which can be erected and dismantled quickly and easily
- ✓ you are looking for an action arena which offers ample space for advertising and sponsorship (on rebound boards, grandstands and playing kit, for example) and is, in itself, a striking attraction
- ✓ you want to provide a top class sports arena at your event



Also available with smaller goals for STREET GOALERS

# SOCCERGROUND® Indoor

SoccerGround® Indoor 20 x 40 m, Nürburgring ringarena (Event)



# SOCCERGROUND® Indoor

## In brief

Indoor football is booming. The most attractive sports halls are magnets for players, fans and customers. Professional sport can thus be played all year round, day or night.

Furnish your new football or former tennis hall with SoccerGround® rebound boards, goals, nets, floodlights and SoccerTurf artificial grass – all from the same source.

Depending on the space available, several pitches can be set up alongside each other, separated by netting which is usually suspended from the hall's ceiling with tension ropes. The ball thus remains in play on each individual court, whilst the hall retains an airy, open atmosphere as players share the spirit of sporting camaraderie. The aluminium and steel construction is secured professionally to the ground out of sight, beneath the hall's artificial turf.

Alternatively, separate courts, not screwed into the ground but with nets suspended on posts, make it possible to move the pitch at different times (e.g. outside the hall in summer).

Naturally, any pitch dimensions are possible, big (e.g. 20 x 40 m) or small (e.g. 10 x 15 m), for young and old, large or small teams, for stamina or technique and skill.

Combining multi-sports fields and football pitches is a popular option, offering players not only soccer, but basketball, football tennis or volleyball as well, for example.

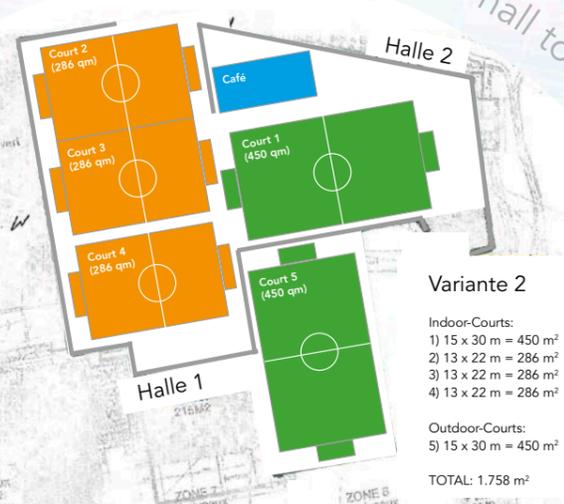
All boards can easily be emblazoned with effective advertising prints on either side.

### This is the right system for you if ...

- you want to equip your new soccer hall or older sports centre with modern football or multi-sports pitches
- you want to increase the profitability of your hall
- if your priorities include sound-insulated, extremely robust and durable boards, high-quality artificial turf and professional floodlighting



Using your soccer hall to the max



**Variante 2**  
 Indoor-Courts:  
 1) 15 x 30 m = 450 m<sup>2</sup>  
 2) 13 x 22 m = 286 m<sup>2</sup>  
 3) 13 x 22 m = 286 m<sup>2</sup>  
 4) 13 x 22 m = 286 m<sup>2</sup>  
 Outdoor-Courts:  
 5) 15 x 30 m = 450 m<sup>2</sup>  
**TOTAL: 1.758 m<sup>2</sup>**

SoccerGROUND®

Cage

SoccerGround® Cage, 5 x 5 m



# SOCCERGROUND®

## Cage

### In brief

Add pace to your event with the SoccerGround® Cage, our compact football cage - it's really something.

Quick to assemble, transportable on a regular car trailer and, of course, as supremely robust as all of our SoccerGround®s. Which it needs to be, as games inside this 5 metres wide cage tend to be fast and furious!

1 on 1, fast and full-on, but fair. The first to score 5 points or to score a Panna K.O. wins the match.

Of course other sizes of the pitch for more players are available too.

The ideal training device or fun feature for events, promotional activities, youth or corporate events and much more. Requires little space, but creates lots of fun and action for players and fans.

The surrounding boards and nets ensure that the ball travels as fast as possible and players work up a sweat as they push themselves to maximum performance levels.

We recommend our professional artificial turf for perfect grip on the soccer pitch. It is also more attractive, making it the ideal accessory.

### This is the right system for you if ...

- ✓ you are looking for a pitch which you can use at street parties or civic festivals, public viewing and fan zones, promotional activities, incentives, corporate events, kids or youth festivals and so forth
- ✓ you want a playing area that can be assembled and dismantled quickly and easily
- ✓ you only have limited space but you want to use it to the max
- ✓ you are looking for a compact, attention-grabbing tool to offer lots of fun and action, which is easily transportable and can be stored in a small space



Compact class, 1 on 1, nothing is faster



# SOCCERGROUND® Accessories

SoccerGround® Advanced 13 x 20 m incl. floodlight and seating modules, Olympiastadium Berlin



# SOCCERGROUND®

## Accessories

### SoccerNet perimeter and roof netting

- To complement the netting behind the goals and the goal nets (included in the SoccerGround® package), we also offer netting for the touchlines and roof netting (touchline netting standard height, for example, 3-4 m, traffic safety nets 5 m)
- The same excellent and safe, brand name netting is used for the touchlines as behind the goals; with 50 x 50 mm mesh size and 4 mm thick, cannot be climbed nor can it cut or trap fingers
- These keep the ball in play at all times, ensuring that the game flows without unnecessary interruptions
- They also prevent any disruption to traffic in the immediate vicinity
- When not in use, the playing area can be secured by locking the doors, preventing unauthorized access
- Touchline netting is, of course, available in a range of colours
- Roof netting is usually black, with a larger mesh size of 100 x 100 mm and is barely noticeable
- It is suspended by ropes rather than poles, which loosen over the years and can fall down
- The entire construction will last for many years. It is hot-dip galvanized according to DIN EN 1461 as protection against corrosion

### SoccerGround® perimeter advertising

- Make the most of the opportunity to use the perimeter boards as presentation space for your sponsors
- Cooperation with sponsors allows you to refinance the cost of your playing area in part (or, in the ideal scenario, to refinance the total cost)
- The perimeter boards of the SoccerGround® offer ample space for advertising on both sides
- Especially suitable for sponsored courts, company mini pitches, incentive events and much more.
- Total branding is possible:
  - Direct printing**  
Durable, long-lasting, 4C offset printing, straight onto the boards
  - Laminates**  
Temporary, exchangeable foil laminates affixed to the boards (e.g. in case of new sponsors)

**IDEAL FOR  
REFINANCING**



# SOCCERGROUND®

## Accessories

### SoccerGround® multi-sports modules

- To extend the facilities provided, to appeal to a broader target group and increase the appeal of your sports conditioning, you have the option to upgrade the Soccer Ground® individually
- The following modules are available:



#### Volleyball, Badminton & Footballtennis

Height of the net construction can be adjusted (depending on the desired sport) with tensioning rope and pulley, mounted on the central post



#### Basketball

Goals with basketball fittings, baskets with nets and backboards

### SoccerGround® sports surfaces

- On request we can provide you with the playing surface of your choice with various types of lining
- Our brand name sports surfaces are available in various models at different prices, to suit your requirements and budget:

#### Artificial turf

For football with the utmost playing comfort, with or without sand or rubber granulate infill, including tried and tested shock pad technology with drainage function

#### Artificial surface (granulated surface)

For multi-sports, especially for basketball

#### Multifunctional artificial turf

For multi-sports use

- The SoccerGround® also works with:

#### Asphalt

E.g. on schoolyard or parking lot

#### Sand

For beach soccer, beach volleyball etc.

#### Grass

In parks and events



# SOCCERGROUND®

## Accessories

### SoccerLight floodlights

- **SoccerLight LED energy saving system**  
Maximum lifetime, minimal energy and maintenance costs; up to 40% energy savings, up to 100,000 operating hours, with dimmer function if required
- So you can plan your matches any time you like and offer your spectators an intense experience with genuine stadium atmosphere deep into the night
- Can be erected without additional foundations, attached directly to the SoccerGround® board system
- Either 2, 4 or 6 floodlight masts are set up for each SoccerGround® depending on the size of the pitch
- Luminance intensity according to requirements, for example class II or III according to DIN EN 12193 standard
- We would be happy to make the necessary light engineering calculations for your pitch

### SoccerGrandstand seating modules

- Conjure up genuine stadium atmosphere with grandstands for your spectators, featuring FIFA/UEFA approved stadium bucket seats for perfect viewing
- Two or three rows with 20/30 seats per 5m segment (i.e. for a pitch 20 m in length, 80/120 seats can be accommodated)
- Certified grandstand (Technical Inspection) can be erected without foundations, thanks to special counterweight system, hence remains mobile
- Ideal arrangement of seating rows, with the first row also raised so that all spectators have an excellent view of the playing area
- The handrail makes the spectators' experience more comfortable, offering an extra support; it also prevents overly exuberant fans falling into the lower row
- The rear side of the grandstand can be completely covered from top to bottom with advertising banners
- Swift, simple assembly thanks to module system delivery
- Seating available in a range of RAL colours



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