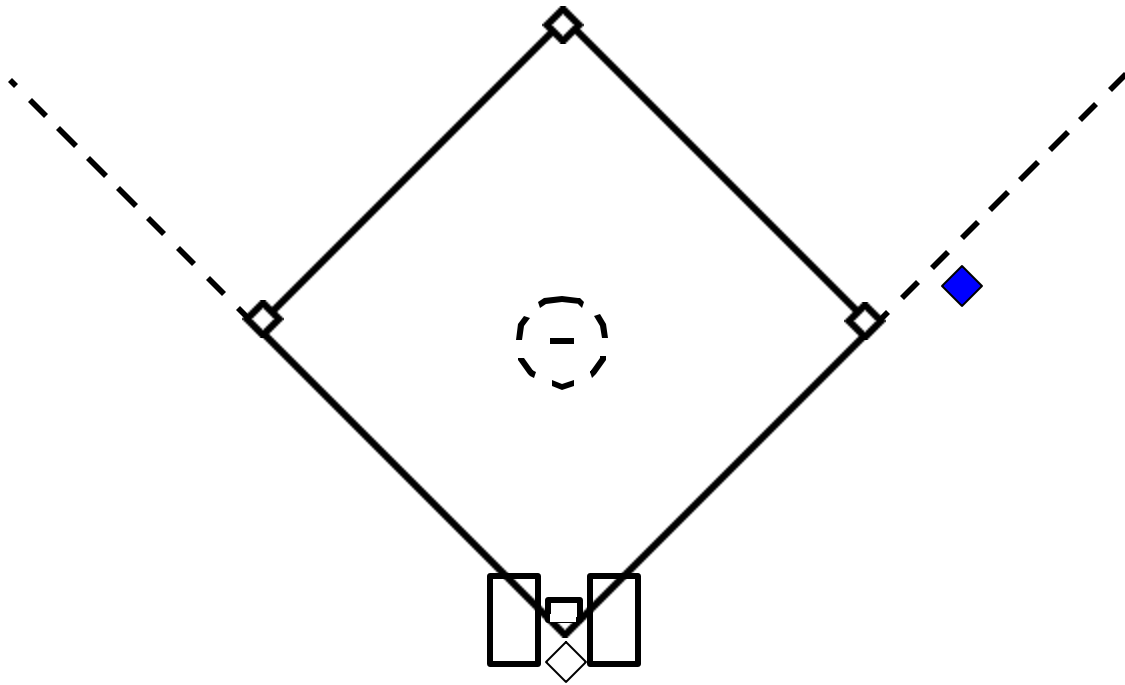


Base umpire

Nobody on base



1. Move to make all calls at 1st.
2. On base hit – come in and pivot, watch batter-runner touch 1st and be ready to move to second if he attempts to advance.
3. On extra-base hit - come in and pivot, watch batter-runner touch 1st and take him to second. Home plate has the play at third. Watch for runner returning to second. If overthrow at third, cover home plate.
4. Call fly balls down the right field foul line. Be ready to take home if home plate umpire is at third for play.
5. Go out on fair/foul or catch/no catch situations down the right-field line, getting an angle if possible. Be ready to return to take the play at the plate, since plate umpire has the bases behind you. If you are going to take the catch, make sure you tell the plate ump – “I’ve got the ball”.
6. Watch for check swings on right-handed batters.