



48. Softball/Baseball Diamond - Large

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Definition	<p>Large: A regulation or practice softball or baseball field on turf grass surface and featuring three bases, home plate, side foul lines and outfield area..</p> <p>Small: A junior practice softball or pony league field on turf grass surface with back stops, reduced base distances and field dimensions.</p>
Size	<p>Softball regulation: 2 acres</p> <p>Softball junior: 1.5 acres</p> <p>Baseball regulation: 3 acres</p> <p>Baseball junior: 2- 2.5 acres</p>
Possible Activities	Softball, baseball.
Setbacks	<p>100 feet from nearest adjacent building.</p> <p>40 feet from curb.</p>
Design Criteria	<p>Home plate to second base directly north-south with home plate facing north or northwest-southwest orientation (20 degrees west of north).</p> <p>Consider shade for spectator areas if seating is provided. Consider spectator seating on grassy slopes or bleachers.</p> <p>Provide 1.25 percent to 2 percent slopes for drainage.</p>

Supply Values

	Tots	Children	Teens	Young Adults	Adults	Seniors
Large Diamond	2	15	20	25	15	2
Small Diamond	1	7	10	12	7	2



Example of a small baseball diamond