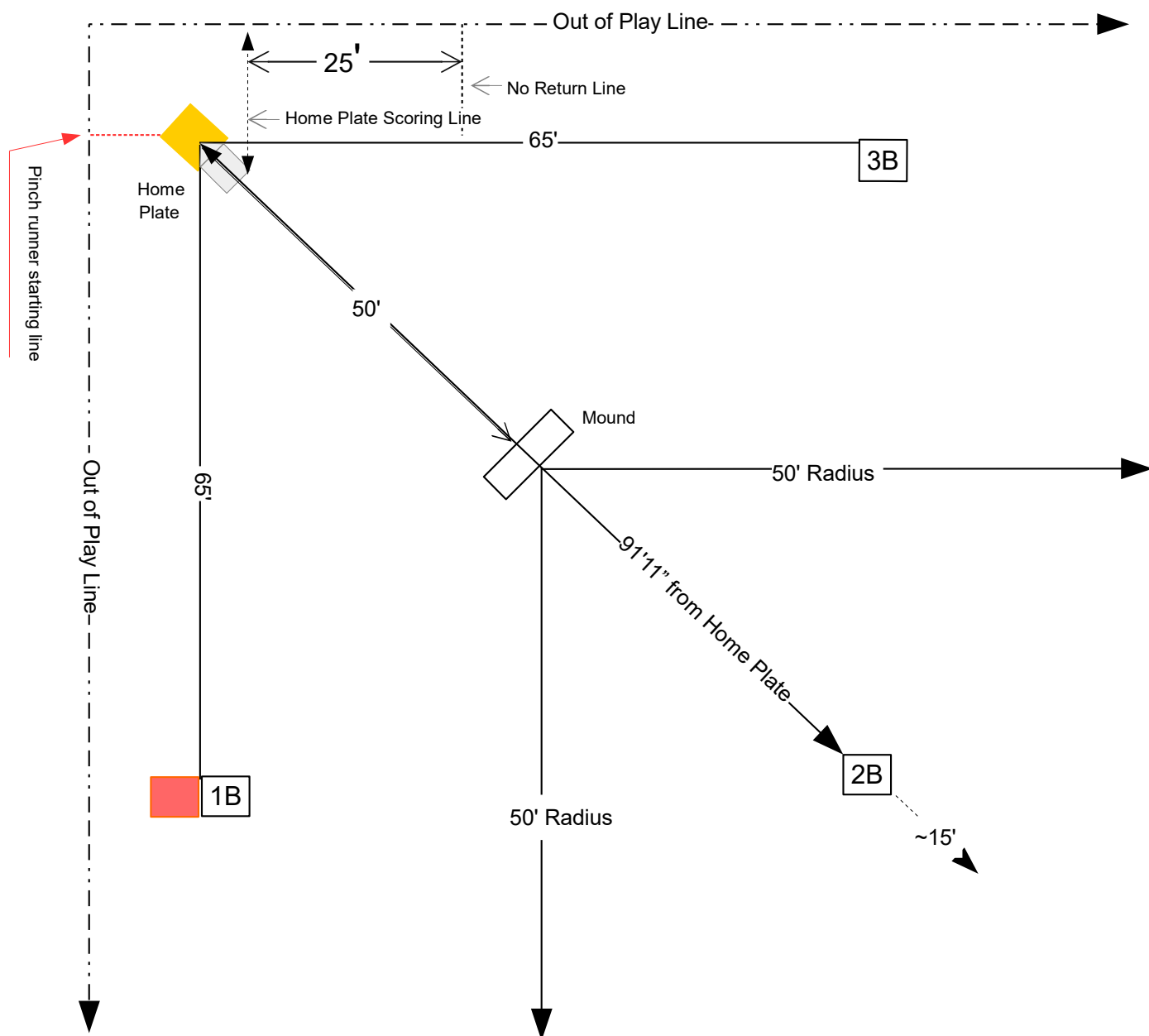


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**Home plate scoring line** - Starting at the point on home plate closest to 3<sup>rd</sup> base, the Home Team shall draw line perpendicular to the 3<sup>rd</sup> base line extending into foul territory.

**No return line** - At a point 25' from Home plate scoring line towards 3<sup>rd</sup> base, the Home Team shall draw no return line perpendicular to the 3<sup>rd</sup> base line extending from the 3<sup>rd</sup> base line into foul territory.

A Runner crossing no return line and advancing towards home plate will be declared out if he returns to 3<sup>rd</sup> base. The ball remains live and in play.

To score a run, the Runner must make contact with or cross the Home plate scoring line and contact the ground before a defensive Player, in possession of the ball, touches home plate.