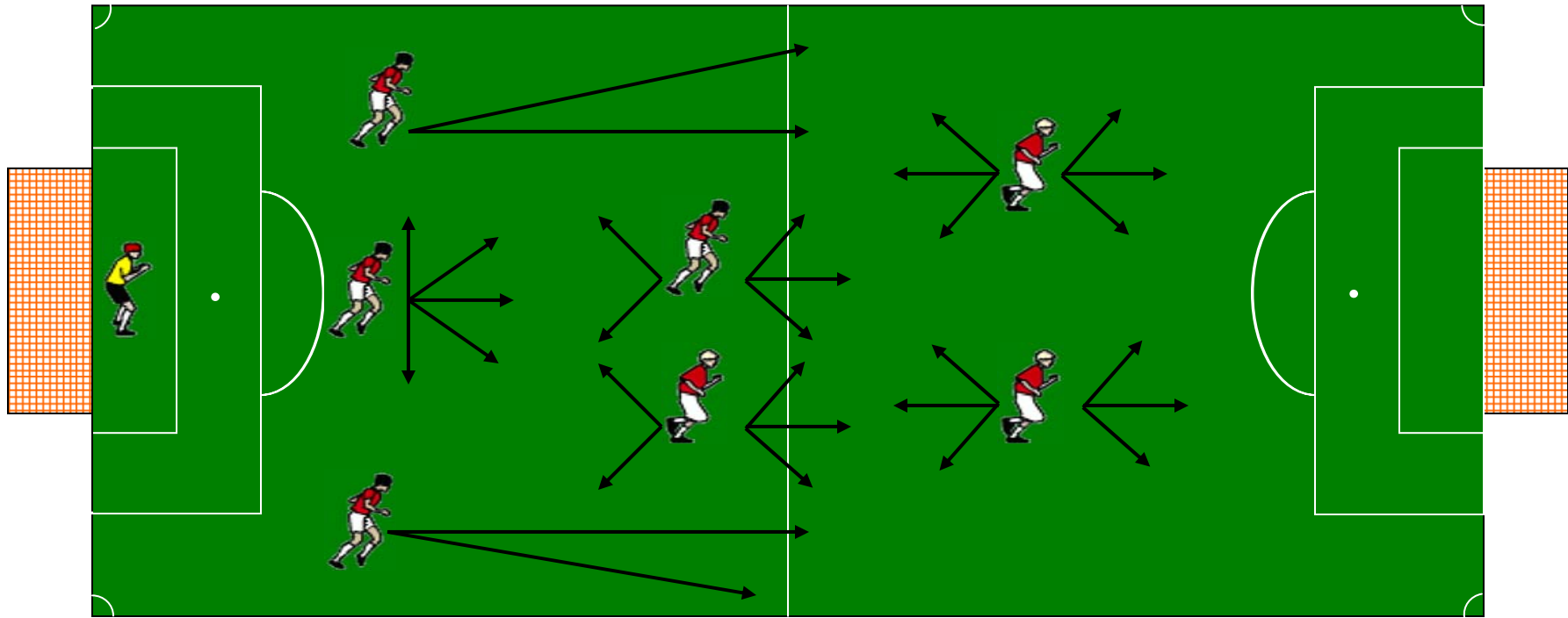




Kentucky Youth Soccer Association Systems of Play 8 v 8



3-2-2 (1- Goalkeeper, 3 Defenders, 2 Midfielders, 2 Strikers)

STRENGTHS

- * Greater attacking options for teams with players who possess good long passing ability
- * Increased ability to apply high pressure defense on teams
- * Two mobile attackers can be taught to easily unbalance a zonal defense
- * Allows fullbacks to overlap into the attack

WEAKNESSES

- * Difficult to maintain possession from the defensive third through the middle third of the field
- * Vulnerable to being attacked on the outside in the middle third or even played over.
- * Easy to outnumber or unbalance a marking or zonal back three
- * If team over commits, team can be easily counter attacked

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