

- P: Moves to position halfway between mound and second.
- C: Follows runner down to first.
- 1B: Makes sure the runner tags the base when making the turn, then covers first.
- 2B: Covers second to take the throw from left field.
- SS: Moves towards left fielder, making sure ball doesn't get by left fielder.
- 3B: Protects third.

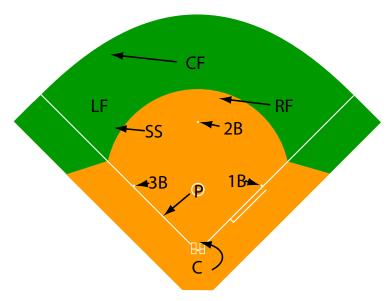
CF: Backs up left fielder.

RF: Moves in toward first base area to back up throw to

second.

LF: Fields ball.

**Figure 1** Single to left field with no one on base.

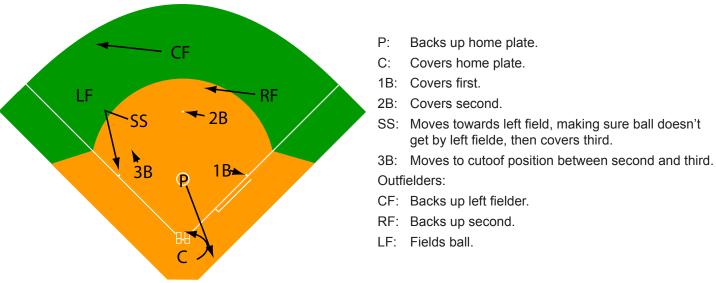


- P: Backs up third.
- C: Protects home plate.
- 1B: Covers first.
- 2B: Covers second.
- SS: Moves into cutoff position between left fielder and third
- 3B: Covers third.

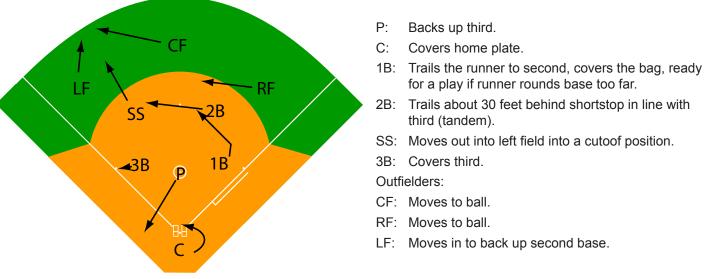
## Outfielders:

- CF: Backs up left fielder.
- RF: Backs up second for possible throw from third.
- LF: Fields ball.

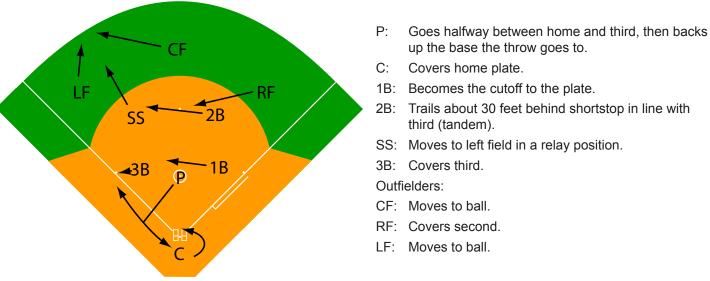
**Figure 2** Single to left field with a runner on first base.



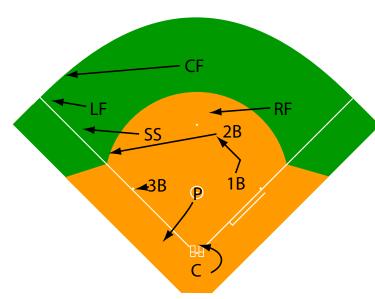
**Figure 3** Single to left field with a runner on second base, runners on first and second, or bases loaded.



**Figure 4** Double, possible triple to left center with no one on base or a runner on second and/or third base.



**Figure 5** Double, possible triple to left center with a runner on first, runners on first and second, or bases loaded.



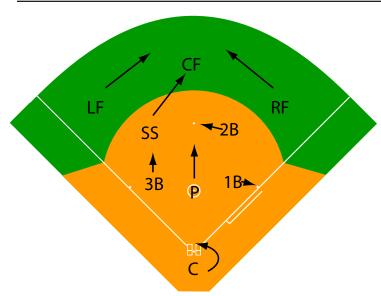
- P: Moves between third and home to backup position.
- C: Covers home plate.
- 1B: Trails the runner to second, covers the bag, ready for a play.
- 2B: Tandems shortstop.
- SS: Moves out to left field foul line in a relay position.
- 3B: Covers third.

CF: Moves toward the ball.

RF: Backs up second.

LF: Fields ball.

**Figure 6** Double, possible triple down left field line with no one on base.



- P: Moves between rubber and second to back up throw.
- C: Covers home plate.
- 1B: Makes sure the runner tags base in making the turn and covers first.
- 2B: Covers second.
- SS: Moves out toward center, making sure the ball doesn't get past center fielder.
- 3B: Protects third base area.

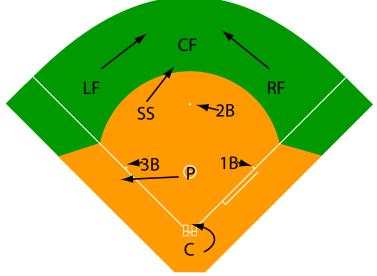
#### Outfielders:

CF: Fields ball.

RF: Backs up center fielder.

LF: Backs up center fielder.

**Figure 7** Single to center field with no one on base.



- P: Backs up third.
- C: Covers home plate.
- 1B: Covers first.
- 2B: Covers second.
- SS: Moves to cutoff position between center fielder and third.
- 3B: Covers third.

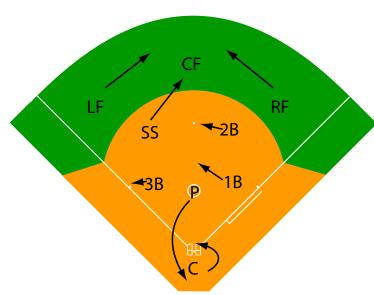
# Outfielders:

CF: Fields ball.

RF: Backs up center fielder.

LF: Backs up center fielder.

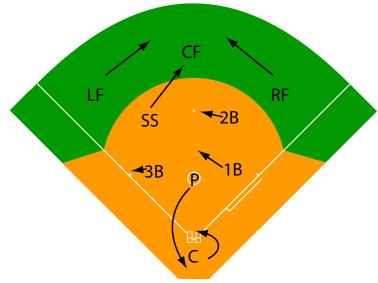
**Figure 8** Single to center with a runner on first.



- P: Backs up home plate.
- C: Covers home plate.
- 1B: Moves to cutoff position between second and home plate.
- 2B: Covers second.
- SS: Moves toward center fielder, making sure the ball doesn't get past center fielder.
- 3B: Covers third.

- CF: Fields ball.
- RF: Backs up center fielder.
- LF: Backs up center fielder.

**Figure 9** Single to center field with a runner on second or runners on second and third.

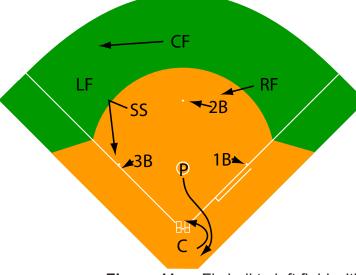


- P: Backs up home plate.
- C: Covers home plate.
- 1B: Moves to cutoff position between second and home plate.
- 2B: Covers second.
- SS: Moves toward fly ball, directs outfielder where to throw the ball.
- 3B: Covers third.

#### Outfielders:

- CF: Fields ball.
- RF: Moves toward the fly ball.
- LF: Moves toward the fly ball.

**Figure 10** Fly ball to center field with a runner on third and fewer than two outs.

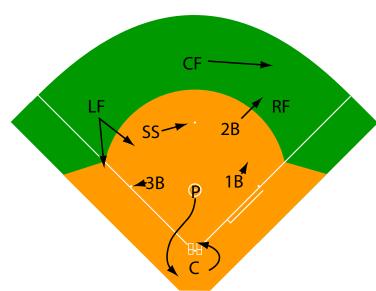


- P: Backs up home plate.
- C: Covers home plate.
- 1B: Covers first.
- 2B: Covers second.
- SS: Moves toward left fielder, making sure the ball doesn't get past left fielder, then retreats to third.
- 3B: Moves to cutoff position between third and home plate.

#### Outfielders:

- CF: Backs up left fielder.
- RF: Moves to backup position for second in case of
  - error.
- LF: Fields ball.

**Figure 11** Fly ball to left field with a runner on third and fewer than two outs.



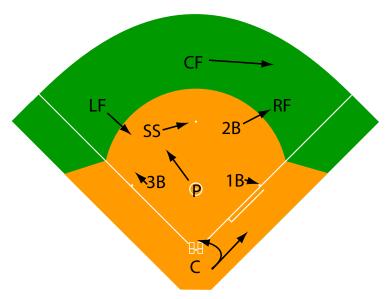
- P: Backs up home plate.
- C: Covers home plate.
- 1B: Moves to cutoff position between first and home plate.
- 2B: Moves toward outfield, tells fielder where to throw the ball.
- SS: Covers second.
- 3B: Covers third.

CF: Moves toward fly ball.

RF: Fields ball.

LF: Moves to backup position of second or third, depending on where the ball is thrown.

Figure 12 Fly ball to right field with a runner on third and fewer than two outs.



- P: Moves to a position halfway between second and third.
- C: Moves to back up first if there is a play, or covers home plate.
- 1B: Make sure the runner tags the base in making the turn, then covers first.
- 2B: Moves out toward right field, making sure ball doesn't get by right fielder.
- SS: Covers second.
- 3B: Covers third area.

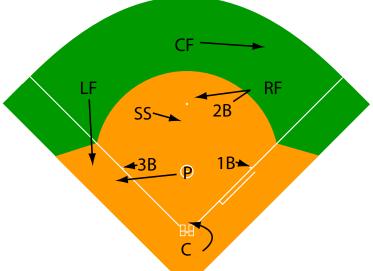
## Outfielders:

CF: Backs up right fielder.

RF: Fields ball.

LF: Moves to back up area behind second base.

**Figure 13** Single to right field with no one on base.



- P: Backs up third.
- C: Covers home plate.
- 1B: Makes sure runner tags base, then covers first.
- 2B: Moves toward right fielder, making sure the ball doesn't get by right fielder, then retreats to second.
- SS: Becomes the cutoff, positioned between right field and third.
- 3B: Covers third.

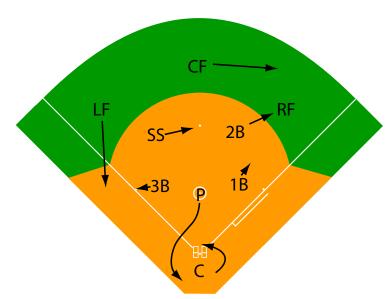
## Outfielders:

CF: Backs up right fielder.

RF: Fields ball.

LF: Backs up third.

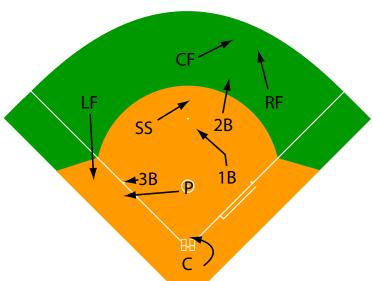
**Figure 14** Single to right field with a runner on first.



- P: Backs up home plate.
- C: Covers home plate.
- 1B: Moves into a cutoff position between right field and home plate.
- 2B: Moves toward right field, making sure the ball doesn't get by right fielder.
- SS: Covers second.
- 3B: Covers third.

- CF: Backs up right fielder.
- RF: Fields ball.
- LF: Backs up third.

**Figure 15** Single to right field with runners on first and second, or bases loaded.

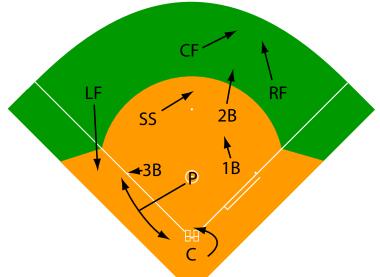


- P: Backs up third.
- C: Covers home plate.
- 1B: Makes sure the runner tags base, then trails runner to second, covering bag for possible play.
- 2B: Moves out to right field in a relay position.
- SS: Tandems second.
- 3B: Covers third.

## Outfielders:

- CF: Moves to ball.
- RF: Moves to ball.
- LF: Backs up third.

**Figure 16** Double, possible triple to right center with no one on base.

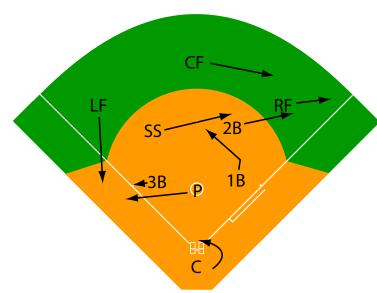


- P: Goes halfway between home and third, then backs up the base the throw goes to.
- C: Covers home plate.
- 1B: Moves between the relay player and home plate to a cutoff position.
- 2B: Moves out toward ball in a relay position.
- SS: Tandems second.
- 3B: Covers third.

#### Outfielders:

- CF: Moves to ball.
- RF: Moves to ball.
- LF: Backs up third.

**Figure 17** Double, possible triple to right center with a runner on first.



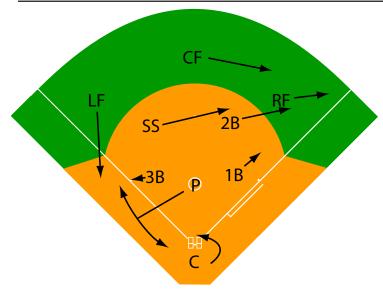
- P: Backs up third.
- C: Covers home plate.
- 1B: Makes sure the runner tags base, then trails to second and covers the bag.
- 2B: Moves toward right field in a relay position.
- SS: Tandems second.
- 3B: Covers third.

CF: Moves to ball.

RF: Moves to ball.

LF: Backs up third.

**Figure 18** Double, possible triple down right field line with no one on base.



- P: Goes halfway between third and home plate and backs up the the base the throw goes to.
- C: Covers home plate.
- 1B: Moves to cutoff position between relay player and home plate.
- 2B: Moves into right field to a relay position.
- SS: Tandems second.
- 3B: Covers third.

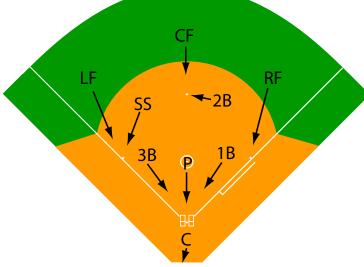
## Outfielders:

CF: Moves to ball.

RF: Moves to ball.

LF: Backs up third.

**Figure 19** Double, possible triple down right field line with a runner on first.



- P: Covers home plate.
- C: Retrieves the ball.
- 1B: Backs up home plate.
- 2B: Covers second.
- SS: Covers third.
- 3B: Backs up home plate.

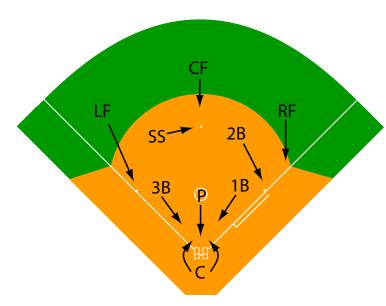
## Outfielders:

CF: Backs up second.

RF: Covers first.

LF: Backs up third.

**Figure 20** Wild pitch with a runner on third, first and third, or bases loaded.

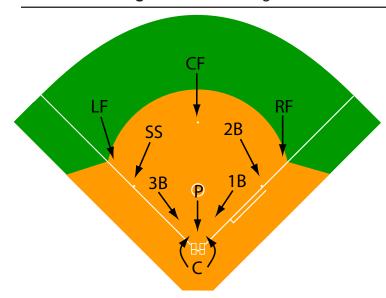


- P: Breaks toward home plate, covering middle of infield.
- C: Fields all bunts possible, calls the play.
- 1B: Covers area between first and mound.
- 2B: Covers first, cheats by shortening position (plays closer than usual).
- SS: Covers second.
- 3B: Covers area between third and mound.

CF: Backs up second RF: Backs up first.

LF: Covers third.

**Figure 21** Bunting situation with a runner on first.



- P: Breaks toward home plate, covering middle of infield
- C: Fields all bunts possible, calls the play.
- 1B: Covers area between first and mound.
- 2B: Covers first, cheats by shortening position (plays closer than usual).
- SS: Covers third.
- 3B: Covers area between third and mound.

# Outfielders:

CF: Covers second.

RF: Backs up first.

LF: Backs up third

Figure 22 Bunting situation with a runner on first and second.