Hashmark and Tunnel Dimensions

2018 Fall Championships

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Bands of America Vernacular

Hash marks are the markings laid every five yards on the yard lines. Hash marks are parallel to the sidelines.

Tick marks are the markings laid every yard. Tick marks are perpendicular to the sidelines.

Traditional H.S. Hash marks are marked 53'4” from the sidelines dividing the field into equal thirds.

NCAA/Texas H.S. Hash marks are marked 60’ from the sidelines and are 40’ apart.

Note: hash mark and gate dimension will ultimately be finalized in each Regional’s Event Procedures document.

Oxford Regional
Oxford, OH • Sept 22
Yager Stadium, Miami University
- Existing NCAA/TX H.S. hash marks and tick marks in white paint
- Traditional H.S. hash marks will be marked in yellow tape
- Artificial Turf Field
- Entrance/Exit Gates: 13’ wide, open air

South Texas Regional
McAllen, TX • Sept. 22
Veterans Memorial Stadium, McAllen H.S.
- Existing NCAA/TX H.S. hash marks and tick marks in white paint
- Artificial Turf Field
- Stadium Entrance Gate: 8’ wide, 10” high
- Field Exit Gate: 18’ wide, open air (oversized prop entrance)
- Field Entrance Gate (onto field): 13’3” wide, open air

West Texas Regional
Midland, TX • Sept. 22
Grande Communications Stadium
- Existing NCAA/TX H.S. hash marks and tick marks in white paint
- Because a non-Texas band is attending, traditional H.S. hash marks will be marked in yellow tape
- Artificial Turf Field
- Band Entrance/Exit Gate: 14’ high, 20” wide
- Pit Entrance Gate: 10’ high 14” wide

Austin Regional
Austin, TX • Sept. 29
Kelly Reeves Athletic Complex
- Existing NCAA/TX H.S. hash marks and tick marks in white paint
- Artificial Turf Field
- Field Entrance/Exit Gates: 19’ wide, 20’ high

Northwest Ohio Regional
Bowling Green, OH • Sept. 29
Doyt Perry Stadium, Bowling Green State University
- Existing NCAA/TX H.S. hash marks and tick marks in white paint
- Traditional H.S. hash marks will be marked in yellow tape
- Artificial Turf Field
- Pit Entrance/Exit Gate: 10’8” wide, open air
- Band Entrance/Exit Gate: 9’8” wide, open air

Tennessee Regional
Clarksville, TN • Sept. 29
Fortera Stadium, Austin Peay State University
- Existing NCAA/TX H.S. hash marks and tick marks in white paint
- Traditional H.S. hash marks will be marked in yellow tape
- Artificial Turf Field
- Entrance/Exit Gate: 15’ wide, open air

Houston Regional
Shenandoah, TX • Oct. 6
Woodforest Bank Stadium
- Existing NCAA/TX H.S. hash marks and tick marks in white paint
- Artificial Turf Field
- Entrance/Exit Gate: 7’ wide, open air

Alabama Regional
Jacksonville, AL • Oct. 6
Burgess-Snow Field, Jacksonville State University
- Existing NCAA/TX H.S. hash marks and tick marks in white paint
- Traditional H.S. hash marks will be marked in yellow tape
- Artificial Turf Field
- Entrance/Exit Path: 9’6” wide, 11’ high at lowest point (alternate “oversized” equipment entrance available)

Dallas/FW Regional
Bedford, TX • Oct. 6
Pennington Field, HEB ISD
- Existing NCAA/TX H.S. hash marks and tick marks in white paint
- Traditional H.S. hash marks will be marked in yellow tape ONLY if non-Texas bands are present
- Artificial Turf Field
- Entrance/Exit Gate: 12’ wide, open air

Northeast Ohio Regional
Canton, OH • Oct. 13
Tom Benson Hall of Fame Stadium
- Existing pro hash marks, tick marks, and numbers in white paint
- NCAA/TX H.S. and Traditional H.S. hash marks and tick marks in temporary white paint
- Artificial Turf Field
- Entrance/Exit Field Tunnels: 18’ high, 18’ wide
Orlando Regional
Orlando, FL • Oct. 13
Camping World Stadium
- Existing Traditional H.S. hash marks and tick marks in white paint
- Artificial Turf Field
- Entrance/Exit Field Tunnels: 18’ high, 25’ wide

South Carolina Regional
Gaffney, SC • Oct. 13
The Reservation, Gaffney H.S.
- Existing Traditional H.S. hash marks and tick marks in white paint
- Artificial Turf Field
- Entrance/Exit Gate: 13’ wide, open air, with a low curb or 6’ wide ramp access to field

Waco Regional
Waco, TX • Oct. 13
Waco ISD Stadium
- Existing NCAA/TX H.S. hash marks and tick marks in white paint
- Artificial Turf Field
- Entrance Gates are 6’6” wide, open air, with a 7’ wide ramp
- Exit Gates are 10’ wide gate and ramp, 12’ high (also optional pit/prop entrance)

Northern California Regional
Pleasant Hill, CA • Oct. 20
Viking Stadium, Diablo Valley College
- Existing NCAA/TX H.S. hash marks and tick marks in white paint
- Traditional H.S. hash marks will be marked in yellow paint
- Artificial Turf Field
- The narrowest entry/exit gate is 10’ wide, open air. More gate information will be included with Final Packet Information

Mid-Atlantic Regional
Newark, DE • Oct. 20
Delaware Stadium, University of Delaware
- Existing NCAA/TX H.S. hash marks and tick marks in white paint
- Traditional H.S. hash marks will be marked in yellow tape
- Artificial Turf Field
- Band/Pit Entrance Gates: 8’ wide, open air
- Prop Entrance Gates: 16’ wide, open air
- Exit Gate: 13’ wide, open air

Indianapolis Super Regional
Indianapolis, IN • Oct. 19-20
Lucas Oil Stadium
- Existing pro hash marks, tick marks, and numbers in white paint
- NCAA/TX H.S. hash marks will be marked in yellow paint
- Traditional H.S. hash marks and tick marks marked with white paint
- Top and Bottom of NCAA/H.S. Numbers marked with white tape
- Artificial Turf Field
- Dock: 14’ high, 15’ wide
- Corridor: 8’10” high, 10’ wide
- Band Entrance/Exit Tunnel: 7’10” high, 9’5” wide
- Equipment Entrance/Exit: 14’ high, 15’ wide
- Props must enter from back or front sideline, due to turf obstruction in the end zone

Southern California Regional
Van Nuys, CA • Oct. 27
Monarch Stadium, L.A. Valley College
- Existing NCAA/TX H.S. hash marks and tick marks in white paint
- Traditional H.S. hash marks will be marked in yellow tape
- Artificial Turf Field
- Entrance/Exit Gate: 10’ wide, open air

St. Louis Super Regional
St. Louis, MO • Oct. 26-27
The Dome at America’s Center
- Existing pro hash marks, tick marks, and numbers in white paint
- NCAA/TX H.S. hash marks will be marked in yellow paint
- Traditional H.S. hash marks and tick marks marked with white paint
- Top and Bottom of NCAA/H.S. Numbers marked with white tape
- Artificial Turf Field
- Dock: 14’ high, 15’ wide
- Corridor: 8’10” high, 10’ wide
- Band Entrance/Exit Tunnel: 7’10” high, 9’5” wide
- Equipment Entrance/Exit: 14’ high, 15’ wide
- Props must enter from back or front sideline, due to turf obstruction in the end zone

Utah Regional
St. George, UT • Nov. 3
Trailblazer Stadium, Dixie State University
- Existing NCAA/TX H.S. hash marks and tick marks in white paint
- Traditional H.S. hash marks will be marked with yellow tape
- Artificial Turf Field
- Entrance/Exit Gate: 10’ wide, open air
San Antonio Super Regional
San Antonio, TX • Nov. 2-3
Alamodome
• Existing NCAA/TX H.S. hash marks and tick marks in white paint
• Traditional H.S. hash marks will be marked with yellow tape
• Artificial Turf Field
• Entrance/Exit Field Tunnels: 13’ high, 18’ wide (doorway to each tunnel is 18’ wide)
• Route to indoor warm-up is 7’ at lowest point (no pit or props allowed)

Grand National Championships
Indianapolis, IN • Nov. 7-10
Lucas Oil Stadium
• Existing pro hash marks, tick marks, and numbers in white paint
• NCAA/TX H.S. hash marks will be marked in yellow tape
• Traditional H.S. hash marks and tick marks marked with white tape
• Top and Bottom of NCAA/H.S. Numbers marked with white tape
• Artificial Turf Field
• Building Entrance/Exit Tunnel: 10’ wide, 12’ high (all equipment will pass this point)
• Band Field Entrance (side 1, back sideline): 10’ wide, 8’ high
• Pit/Prop Field Entrance: (side 1, front sideline): 15’ wide, 12’ high
• Field Exit (side 2, front sideline): 14’ wide, 12’ high
• Helmet and logo measurements will be included with the Grand Nationals Final Packet Information
Bands of America Vernacular:

**Hash marks** are the markings laid every five yards on the yard lines. Hash marks are parallel to the sideline.

**Tick marks** are the markings laid every yard. Tick marks are perpendicular to the sideline.

Below is the Bands of America “Standard Field Markings” that will be present at all Super Regionals & Grand Nationals (please note modified markings in San Antonio, TX)

**Pro Hashes** - existing WHITE hash marks and tick marks (not marked in San Antonio)

**NCAA/Texas HS Hashes** - YELLOW taped hash marks every five yards only (in San Antonio existing hash marks & tick marks are in WHITE)

**Traditional High School Hashes** - WHITE hash marks marked every five yards & tick marks marked every yard (in San Antonio only hash marks will be marked every five yards with YELLOW tape)

**HS/NCAA numbers** - the top and bottom of numbers will be marked with WHITE tape every ten yards (in San Antonio full NCAA/HS numbers are existing)

**Pro numbers** - existing in WHITE paint in Indianapolis and St. Louis (these will not be marked in San Antonio)

**Regional Markings** - for all other Fall Regionals, please see “Tunnel Dimensions & Field Markings” page of Acknowledgement Mailing for details. Music for All attempts to use yellow tape when taping HS hashes, to help avoid confusion with existing white markings.

**Performance Regulation Boundries**

**Front** -15’ in front of the front sideline - drum majors, podiums, and audio mixers may be past this boundary (please see Section 19 of handbook for details)

**Sides** - “back” of endzones (10 yards outside of goal line)