Passing Combinations

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"With a few new movements, with a few new passing options, you can change the whole game."

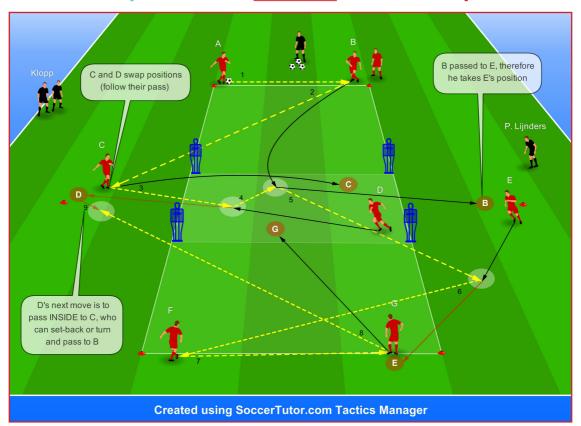




24. Passing and Support Play with Quick Rotations and Movements



Pattern Example 1: Receive OUTSIDE 4 Box Mannequins First



Practice Description

- 1. A passes to B.
- 2. B passes to C, who is positioned OUTSIDE of the 4 box mannequins by the wide cone. He can choose to receive INSIDE too (see next page).
- **3. C** passes to **D**, who moves across from the other side to provide support.
- 4. D sets the ball back for the advancing B.

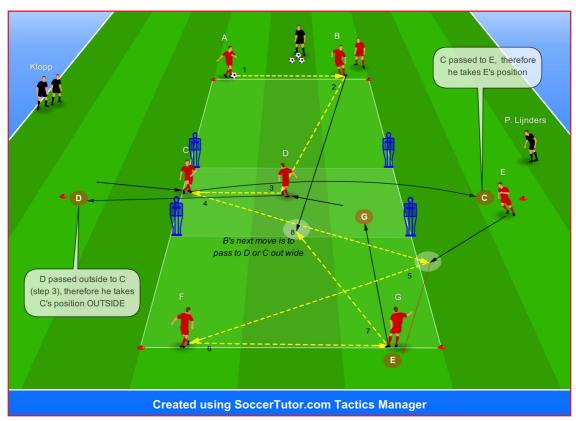
- **5. B** passes out wide and in front of the mannequin for the forward run of **E**.
- 6. E passes diagonally to F.
- **7. F** passes across to **G**.
- **8. G** passes to **D**, who is now positioned OUTSIDE of the 4 box mannequins.
- **9-10. D** passes inside to **C**, and **C** sets the ball back for **G** or turns and passes to **B**.

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Pattern Example 2: Receive **INSIDE** 4 Box Mannequins First



Practice Description

- 1. A passes to B.
- 2. **B** passes to **D**, who is positioned <u>INSIDE</u> in the middle of the 4 box mannequins. He can choose to receive <u>OUTSIDE</u> too (see previous page).
- **3. D** passes to **C**, who moves inside from outside to provide support.
- **4. C** passes out wide and in front of the mannequin for the forward run of **E**.
- 5. E passes diagonally to F.
- **6. F** passes across to **G**.
- **7. G** passes to **B**, who has moved <u>INSIDE</u> of the 4 box mannequins.

8. B decides to pass out wide and in front of the mannequin for the forward run of either **D** or **C**.

Player Movements

- The players are able to choose whether they move <u>INSIDE</u> or <u>OUTSIDE</u> first (to receive pass from Player B).
- The players' movements after their passes are clearly displayed in both diagrams.

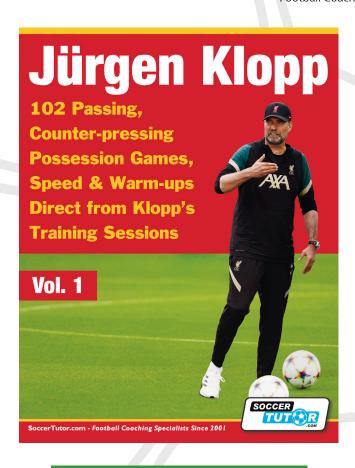
Variation

Coach P. Lijnders adds one-two combinations.

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