



**VolleyBall**

# History

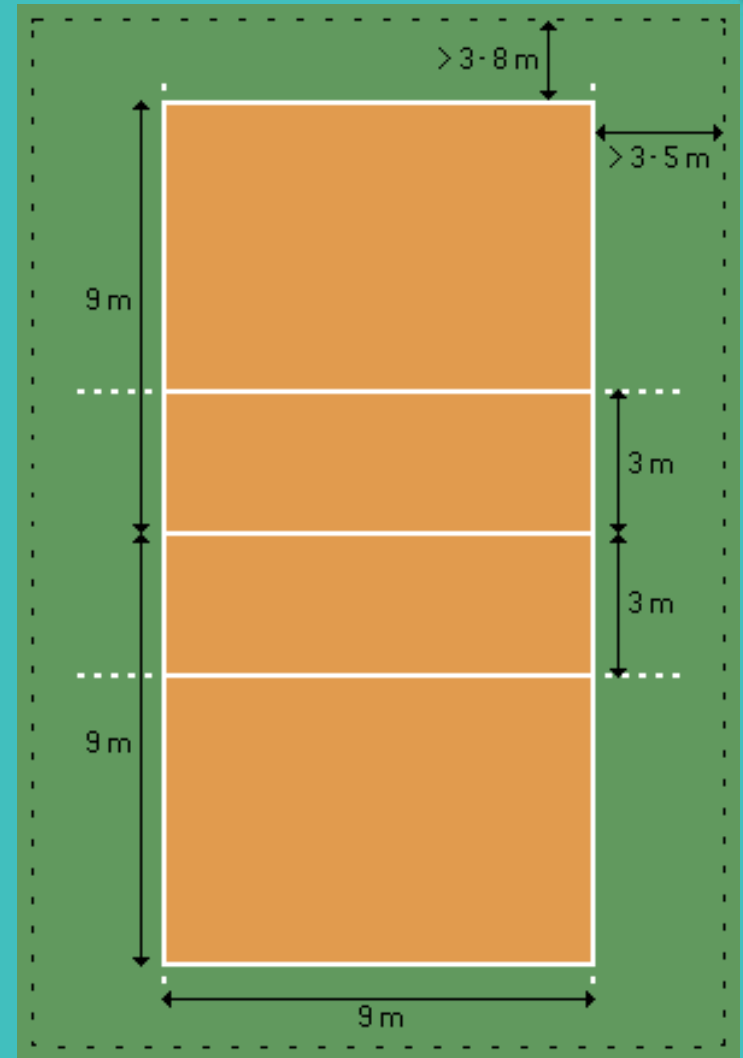
- 1895 in Holyoke, Massachusetts, William G. Morgan created a new game called Mintonette
- The game took some of its characteristics from tennis and handball.
- The first rules
- An international federation, the Fédération Internationale de Volleyball (FIVB), was founded in 1947

# Volleyball basics

- Is an Olympic sport
- Two teams
- Three hits to get the ball over the net
- A point is scored if the ball hits the ground

# Rules

- The game is played on volleyball courts 18 meters long and 9 meters wide, divided into two 9 x 9 meter "team courts"
- Net high: Men – 243cm  
Women – 224cm
- 3 metre" line divides the court into "back row" and "front row" areas
- After a team gains the serve, its members must rotate in clockwise direction



# Positions

- 6 position
- Players Clockwise
- Positions counterclockwise

<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>

# Game play

- Each of the two teams consists of six players
- To get play started one team must serve
- The opposing team must use a combination of no more than three contacts
- Offensive team attacks with hitting the ball over the net
- Defensive team defend their self with block

# Errors and faults

- Ball of court
- Ball touched more than three times
- One player touched the ball twice in a row
- A back-row player hits the ball over the net in a front row
- ...

# Scoring

- The game is played until one team scores 25 points.
- Teams plays on two points difference when the score is 25
- Team wins the game when they have win 3 sets



# Serve

- Underhand and Overhand Serve
- Jump Serve
- Floater
- Spin Serve
- Round-House Serve (a.k.a. Chuck Norris ☹)

# Set

There are Many different sets:

- Max
- Normal
- Alma
- Penal
- End different  
crosses(Swedish,Russian,...)

# Strategy

Every player is specialized , there are many different formations:

- 4-2
- 6-2
- 5-1
- 6-0

# Players

- Attacker
- Setter
- Libero
- Blocker
- Corrector

# Variations

- Beach volleyball
- Indoor sand volleyball
- Sitting volleyball
- Nine-man volleyball
- ...