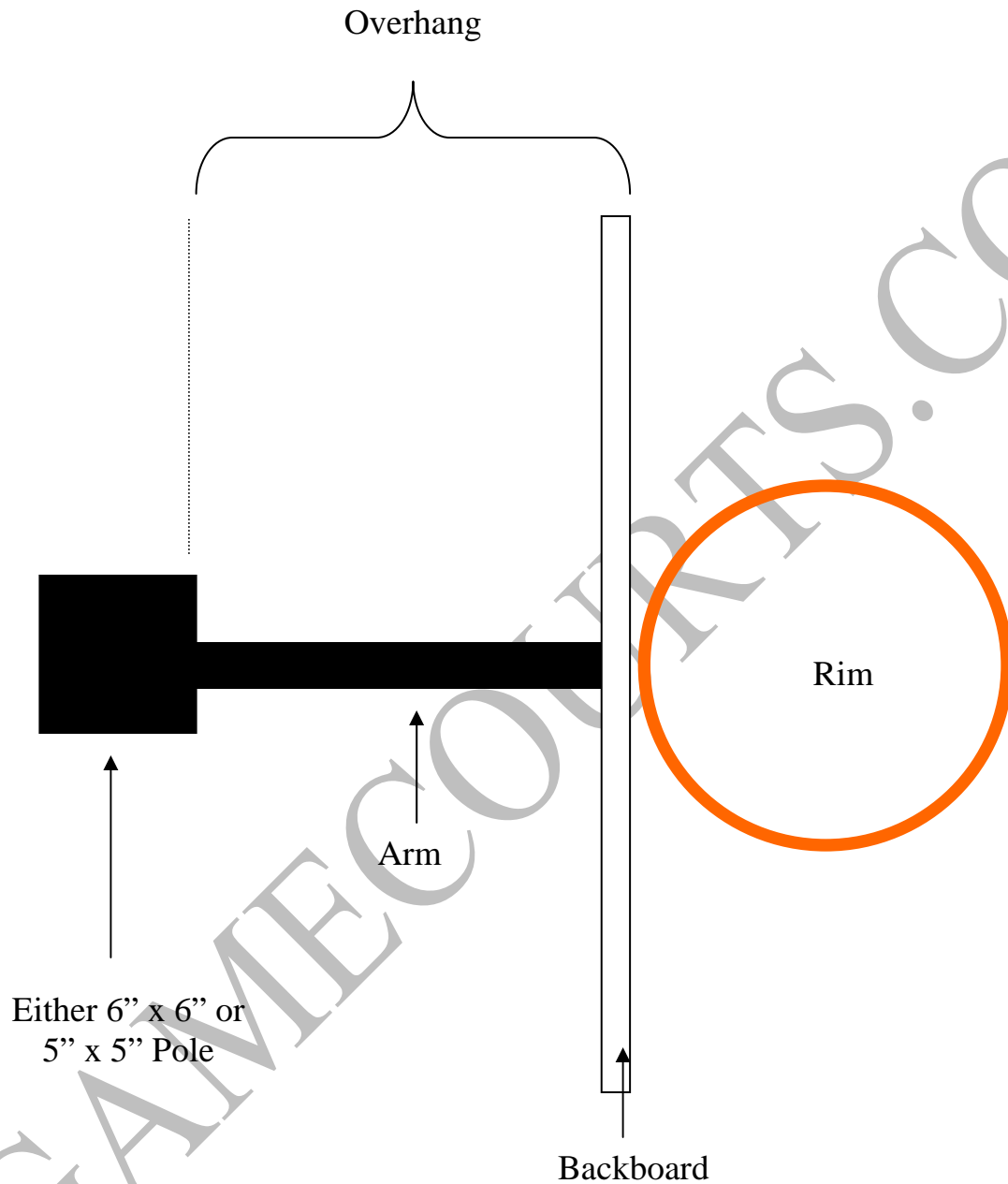
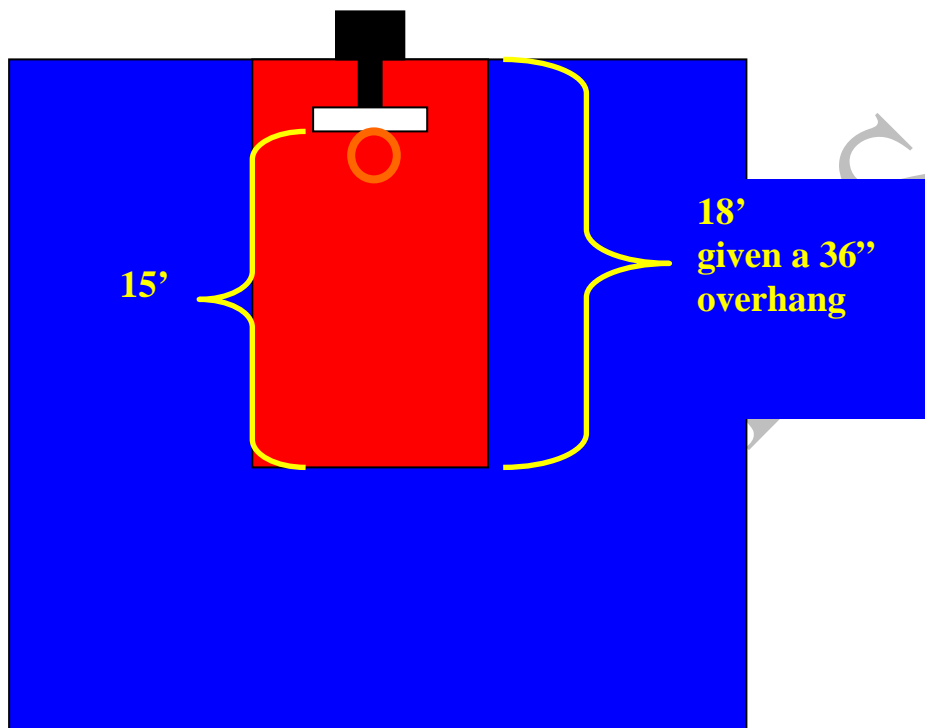


Overhead View Explaining Overhang



The overhang is the distance from the face of the pole to the face of backboard. A longer overhang keeps play a safer distance from the pole. Our goals have either a 36" or a 48" overhang.

How Overhang Affects Court Measurements



The official key length is 15' from the face of the backboard.

When laying out the key for your court, consider the length of the overhang so that you have enough tile and the free throw line is properly marked.

If the goal post is mounted right at the edge of the slab, add the overhang to the 15' key length. In this example, a 36" overhang is added to the 15' key length, making the free throw line 18' from the edge of the slab.

The other option is to mount the post off the slab so that the face of the backboard is even with the edge of the slab.

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