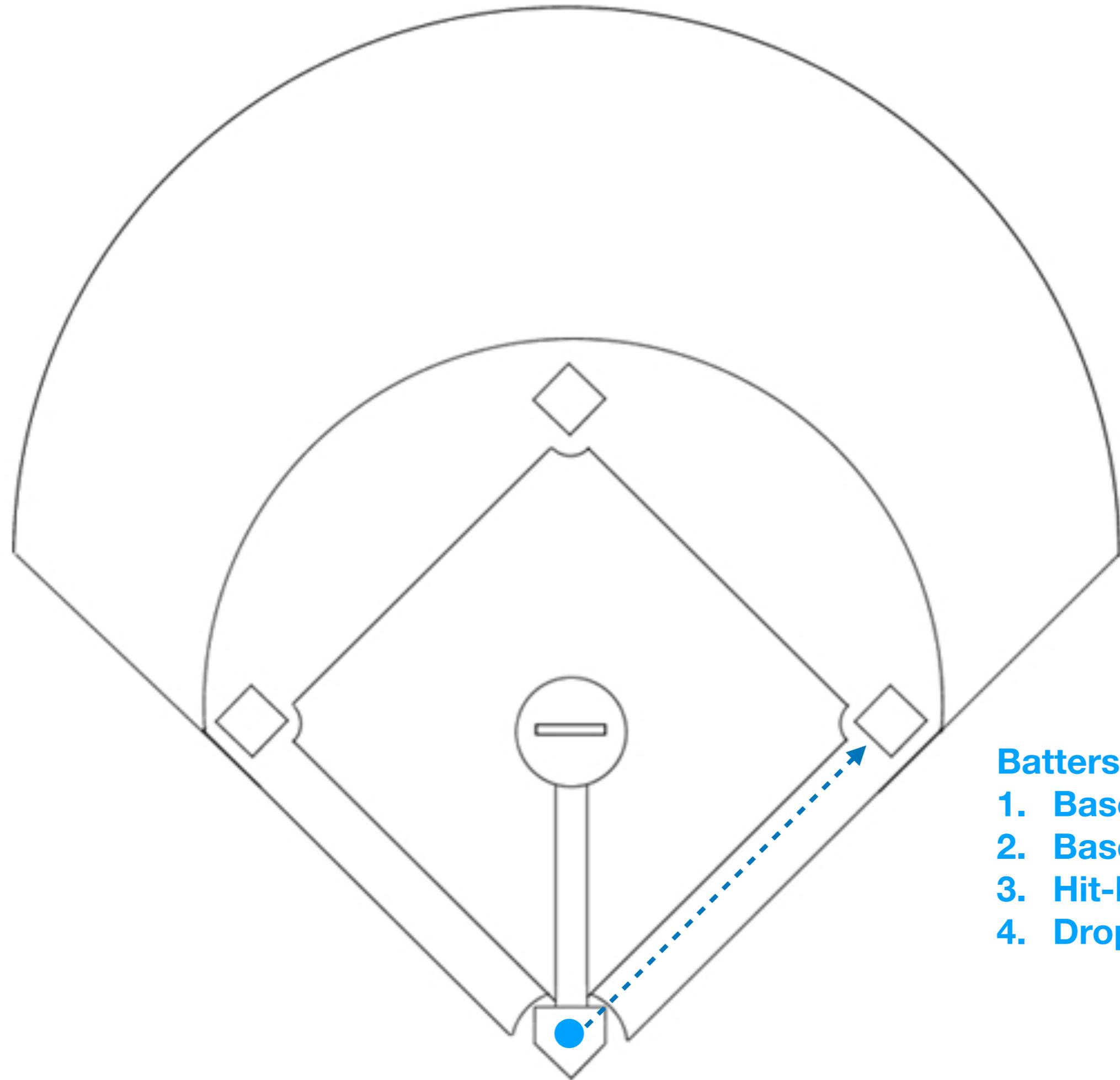
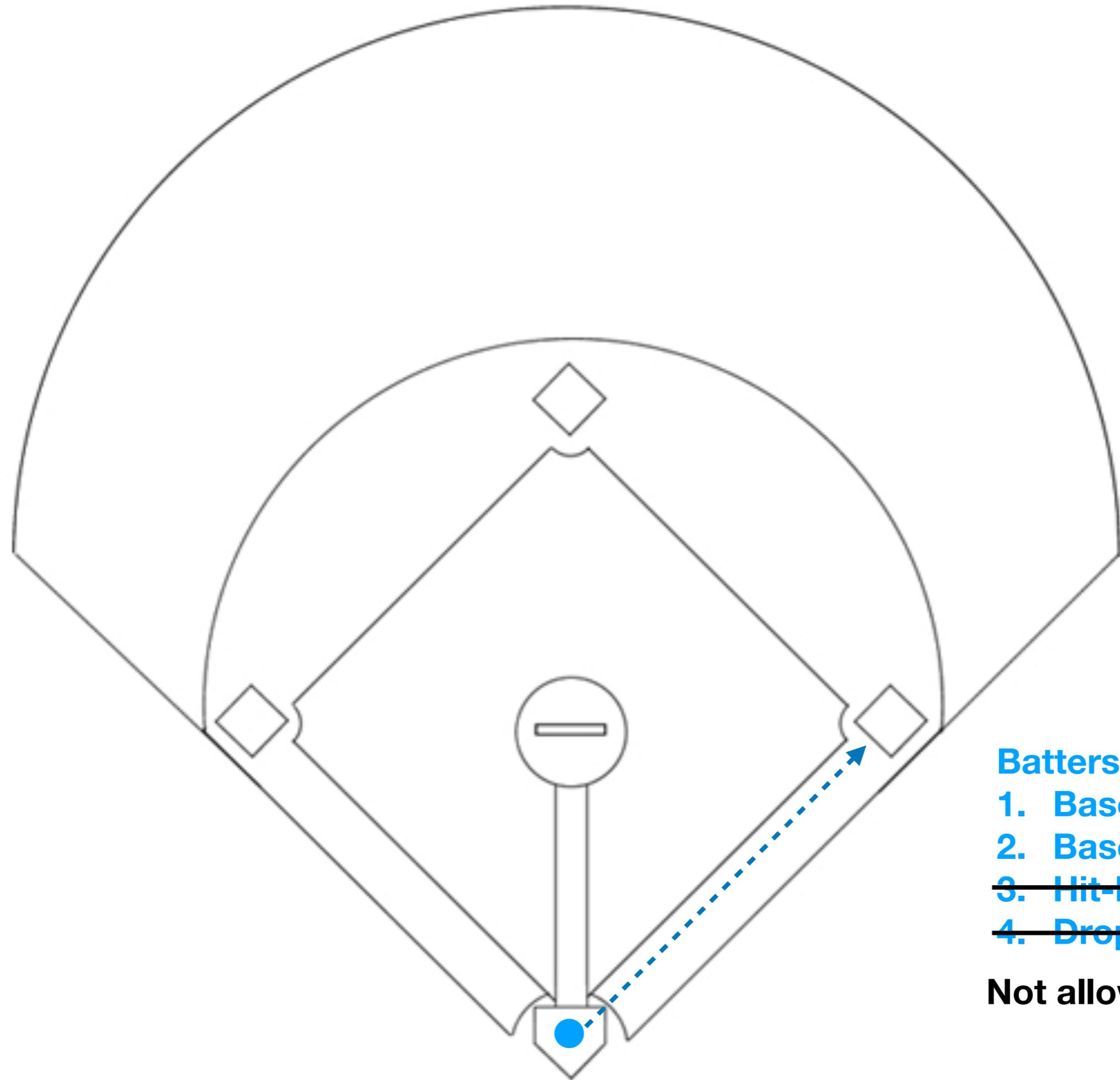


Base Running

The basics

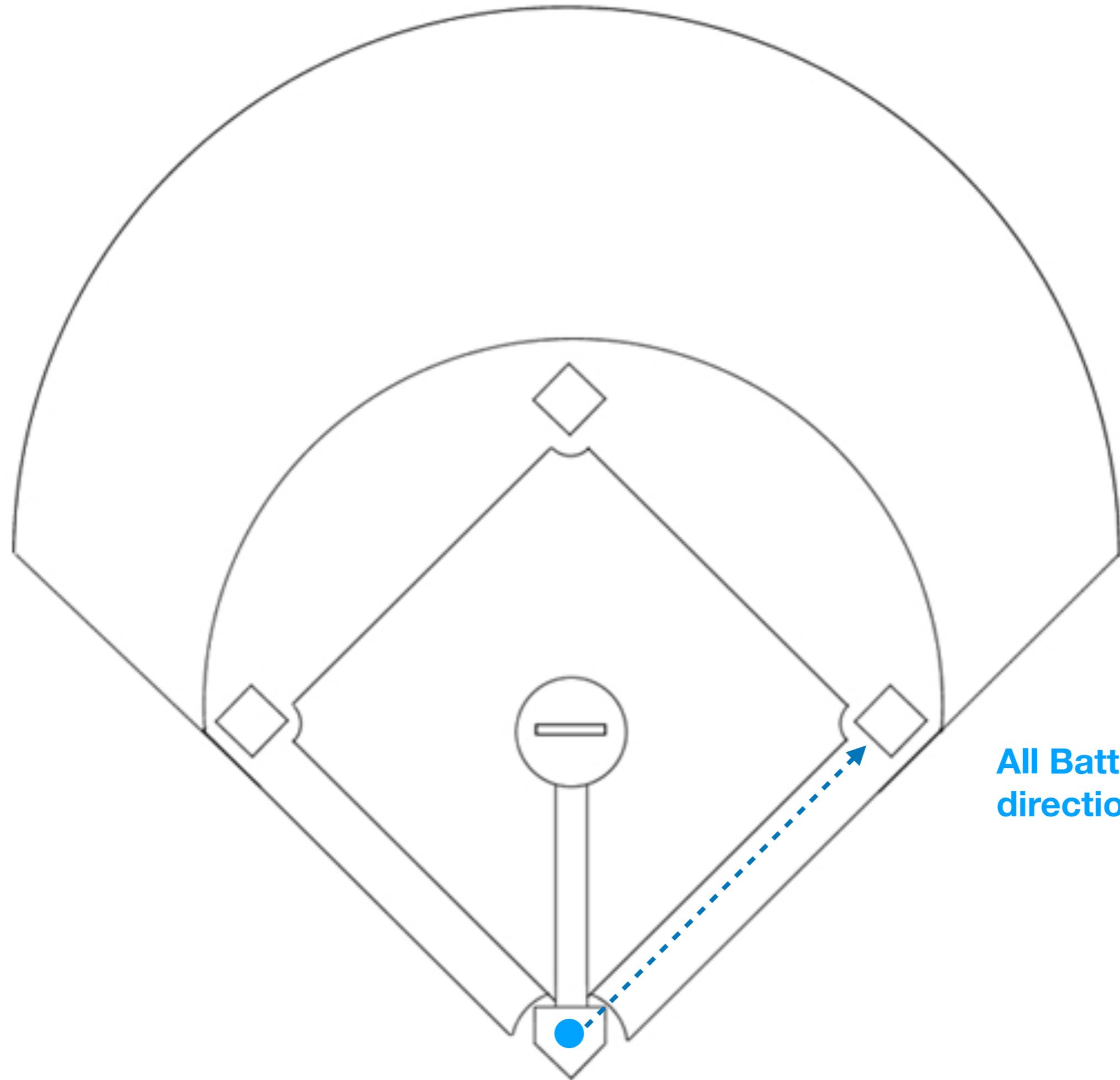


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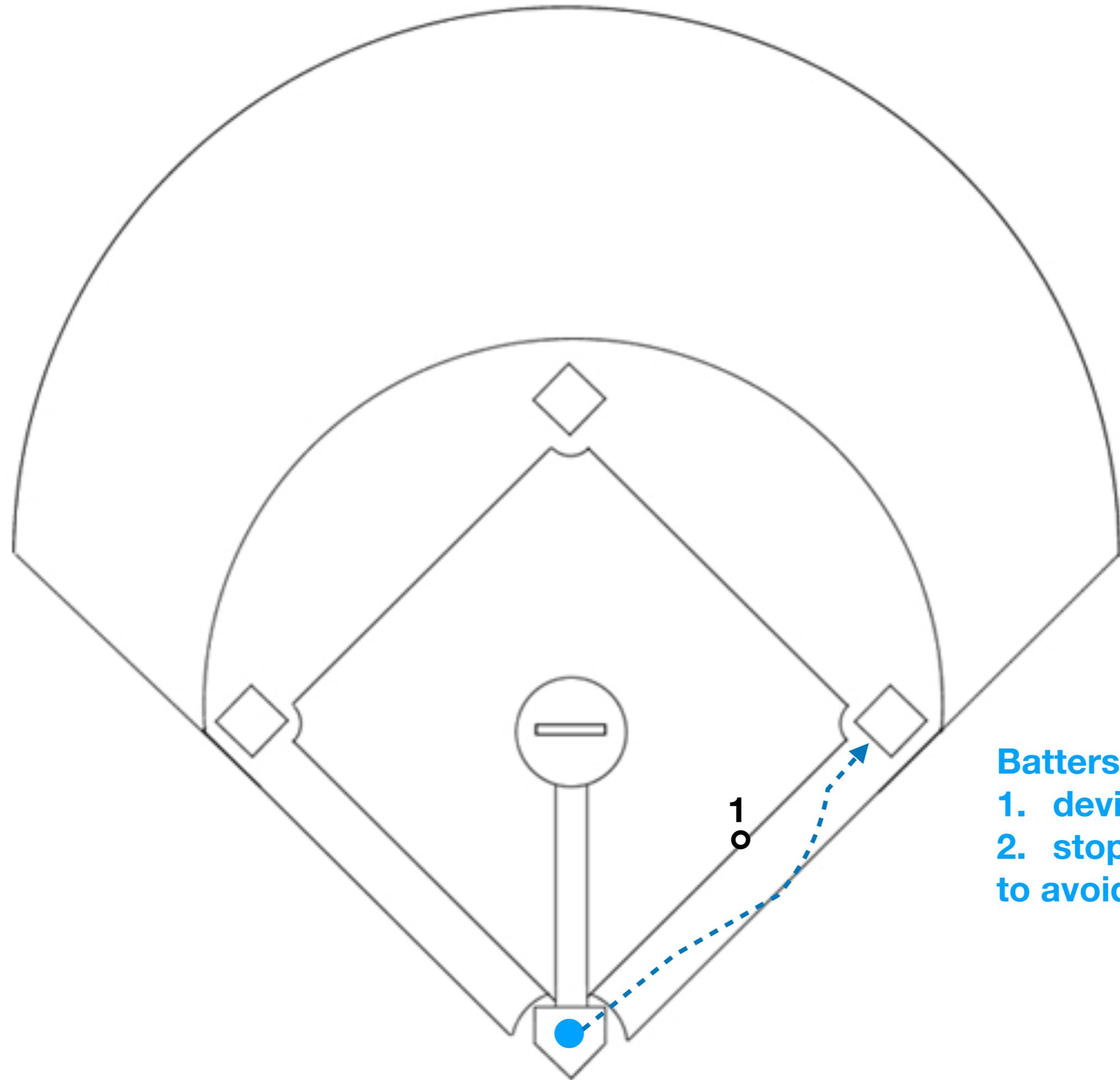


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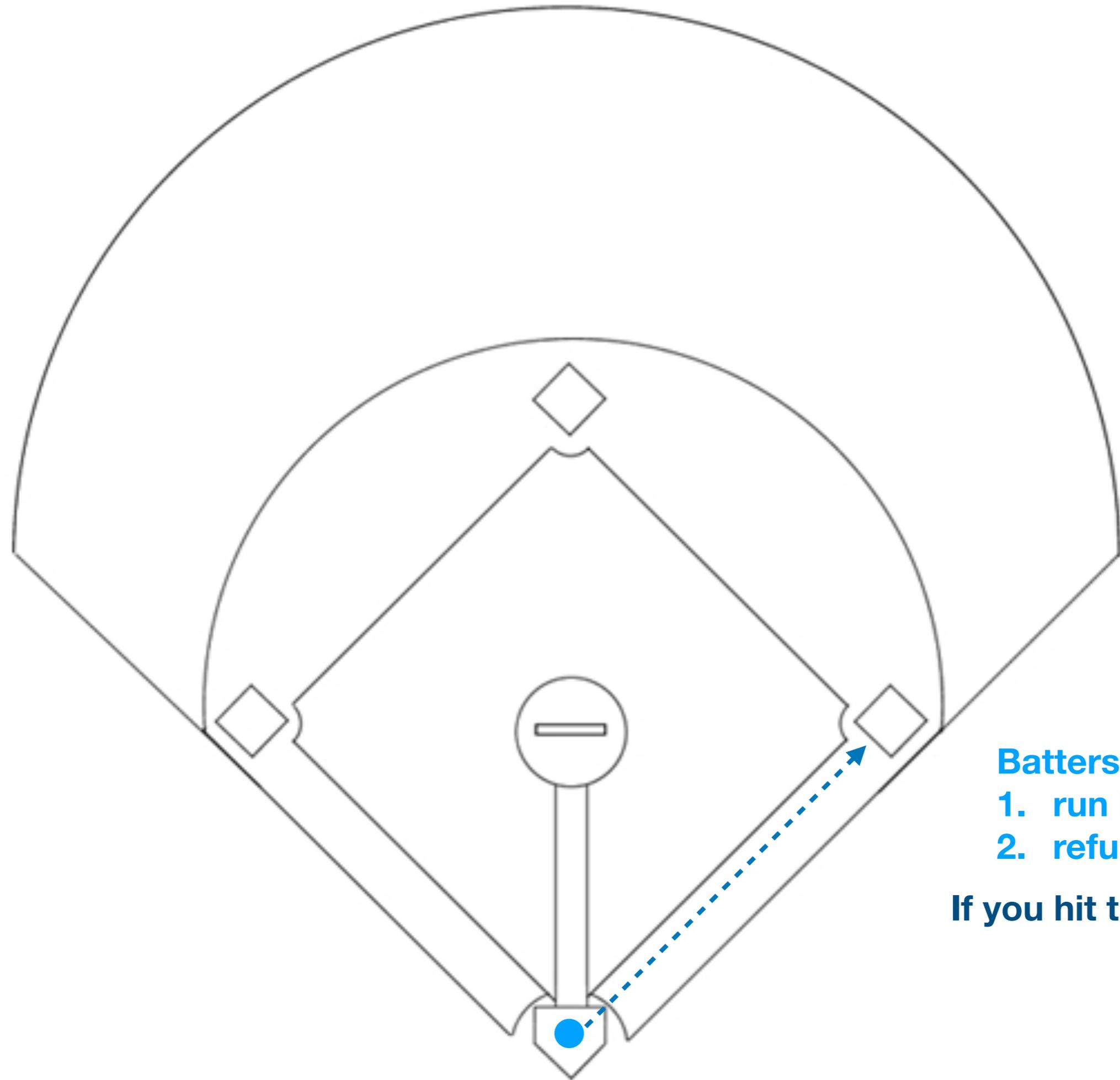
Not allowed in slowpitch



All Batters run in the same direction !

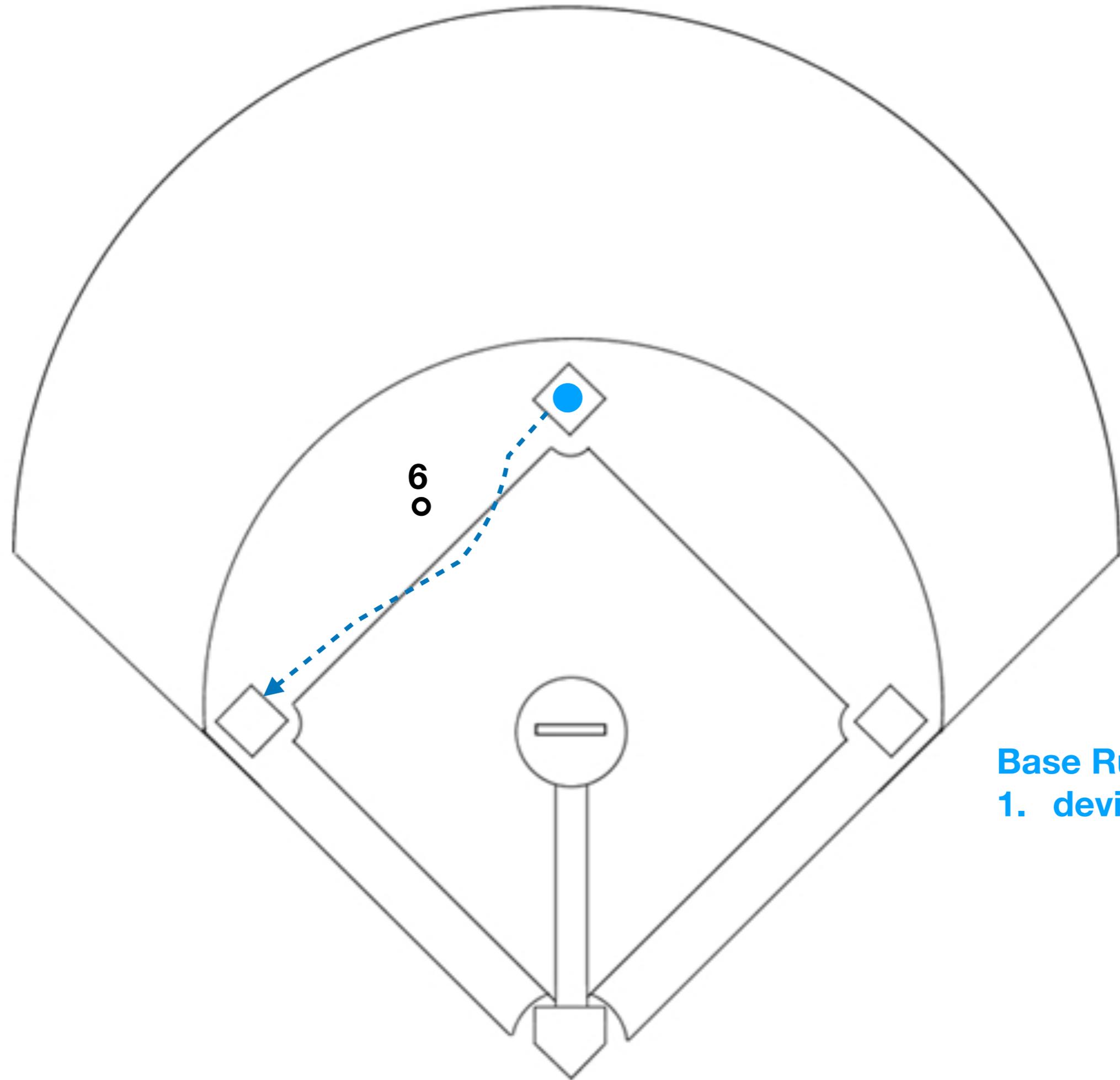


Batters are allowed to
1. deviate (± 1 m)
2. stop
to avoid a tag

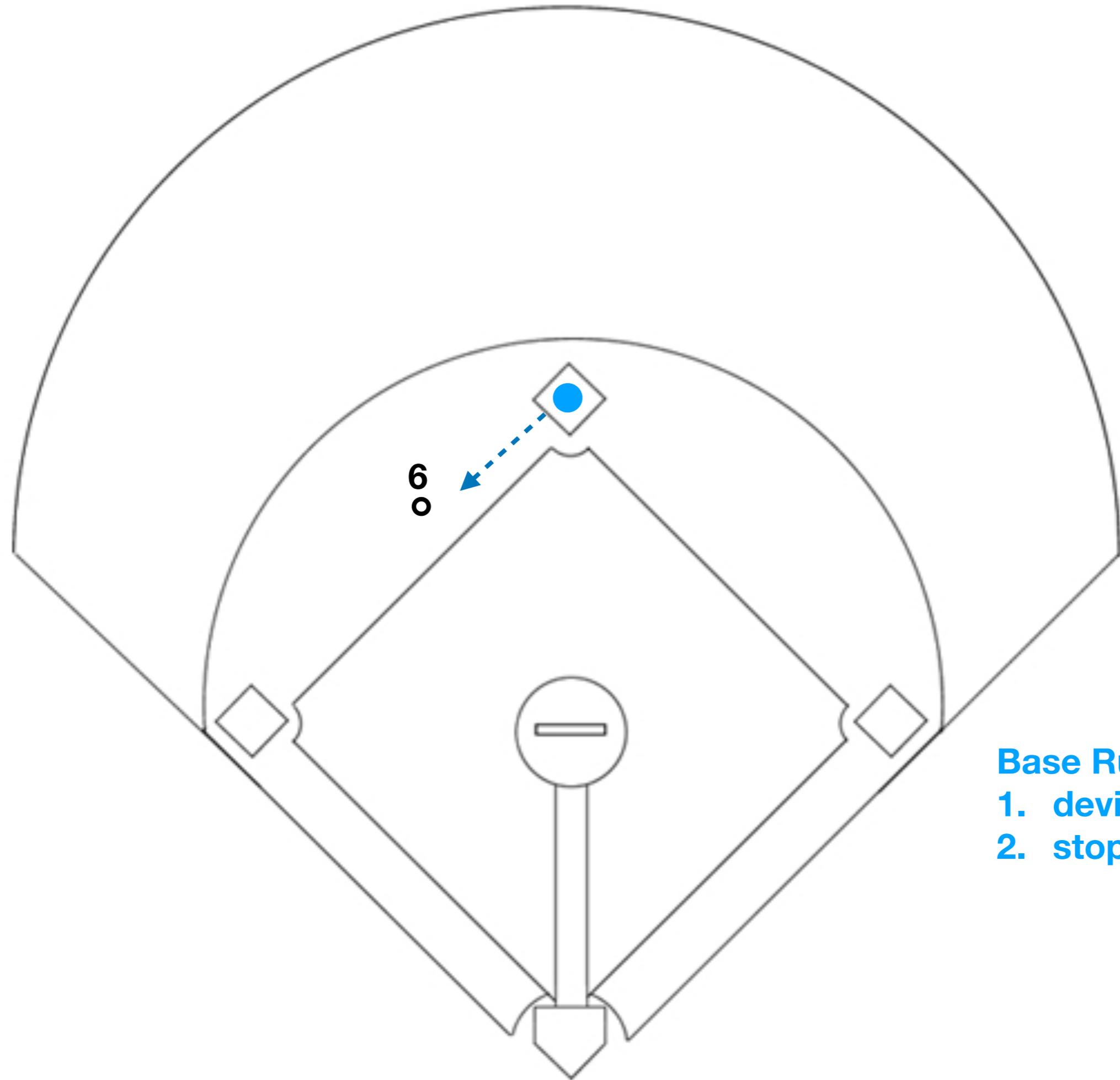


Batters are not allowed to
1. run back to avoid a tag
2. refuse a hit

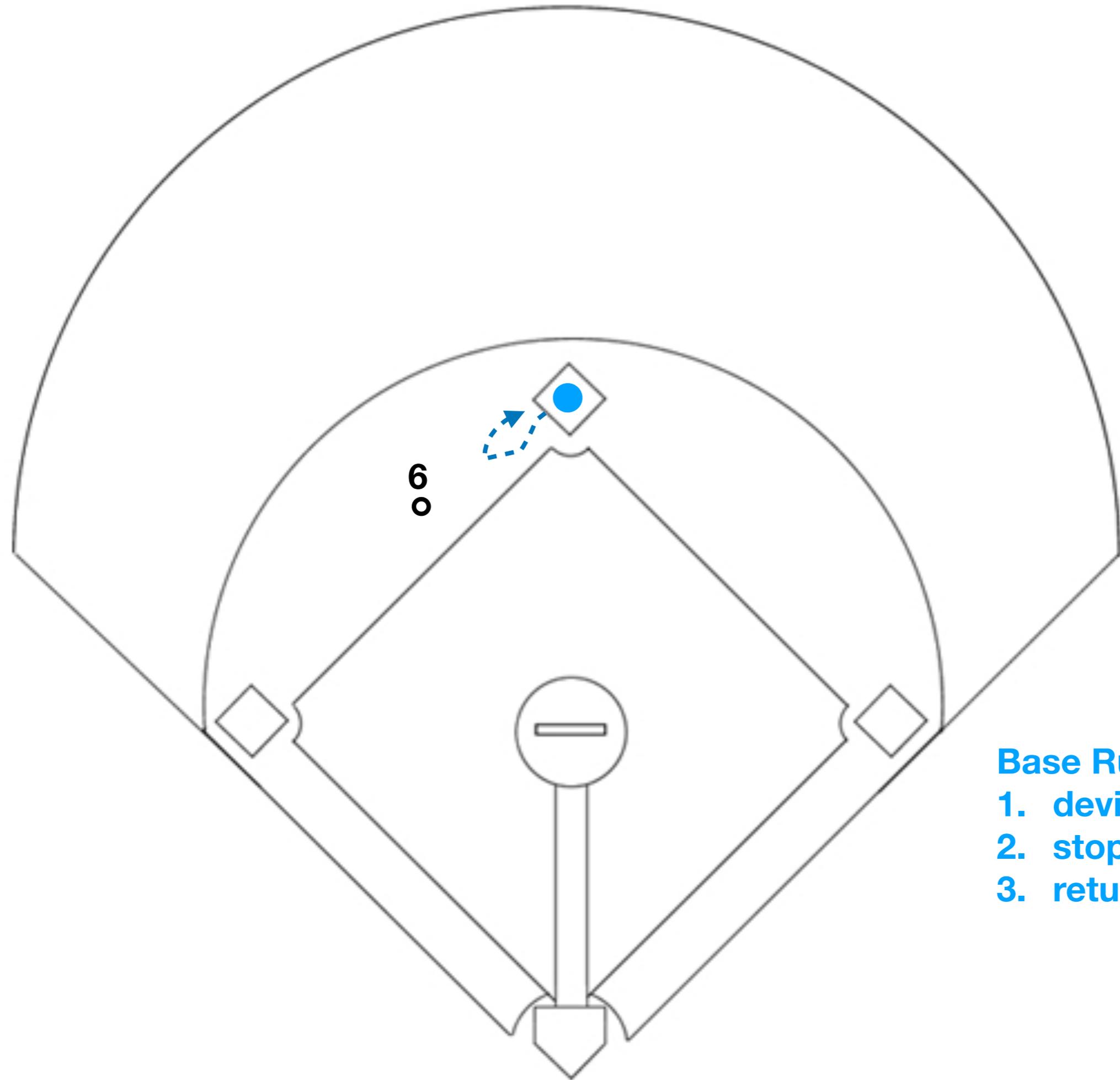
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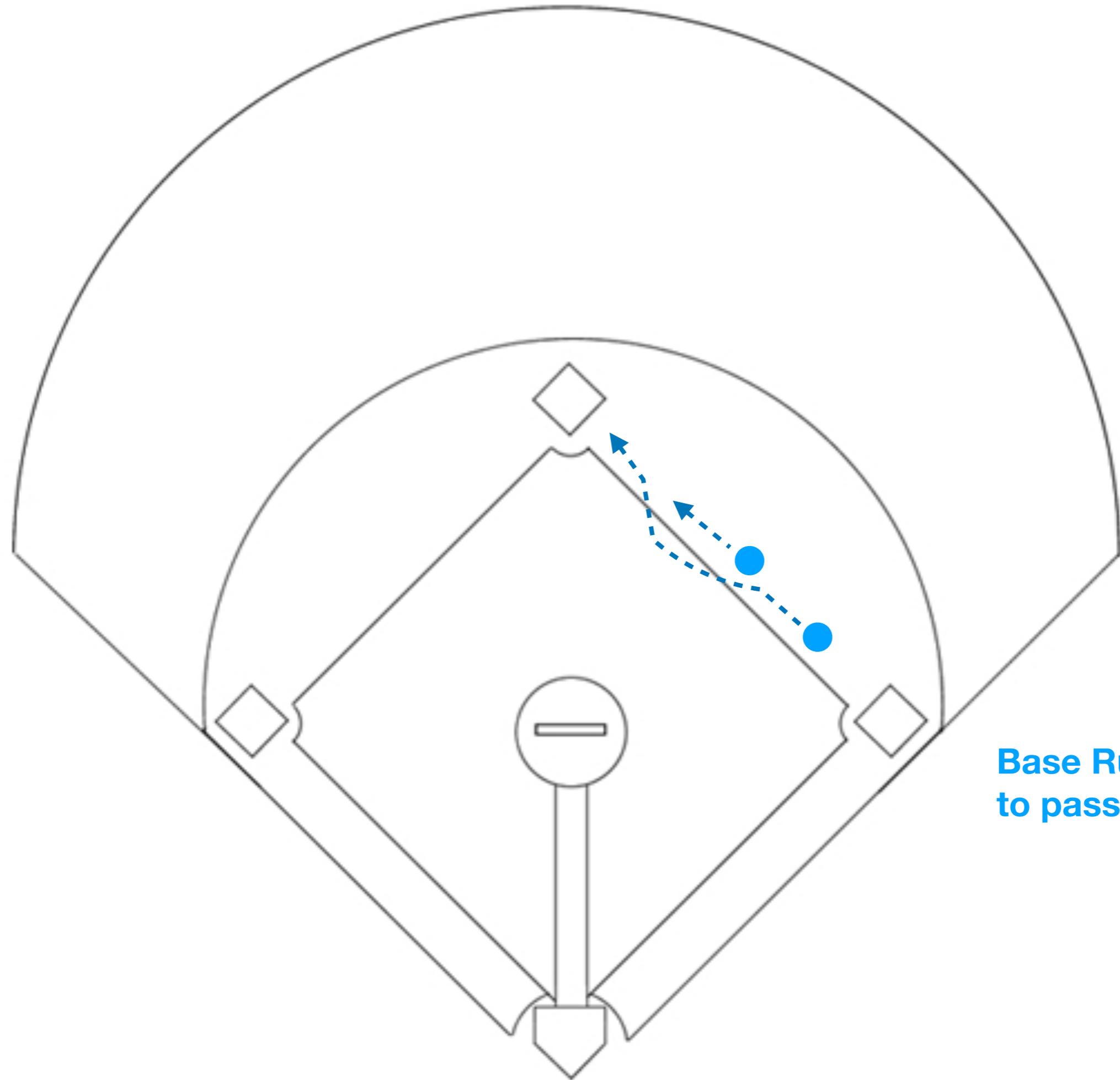
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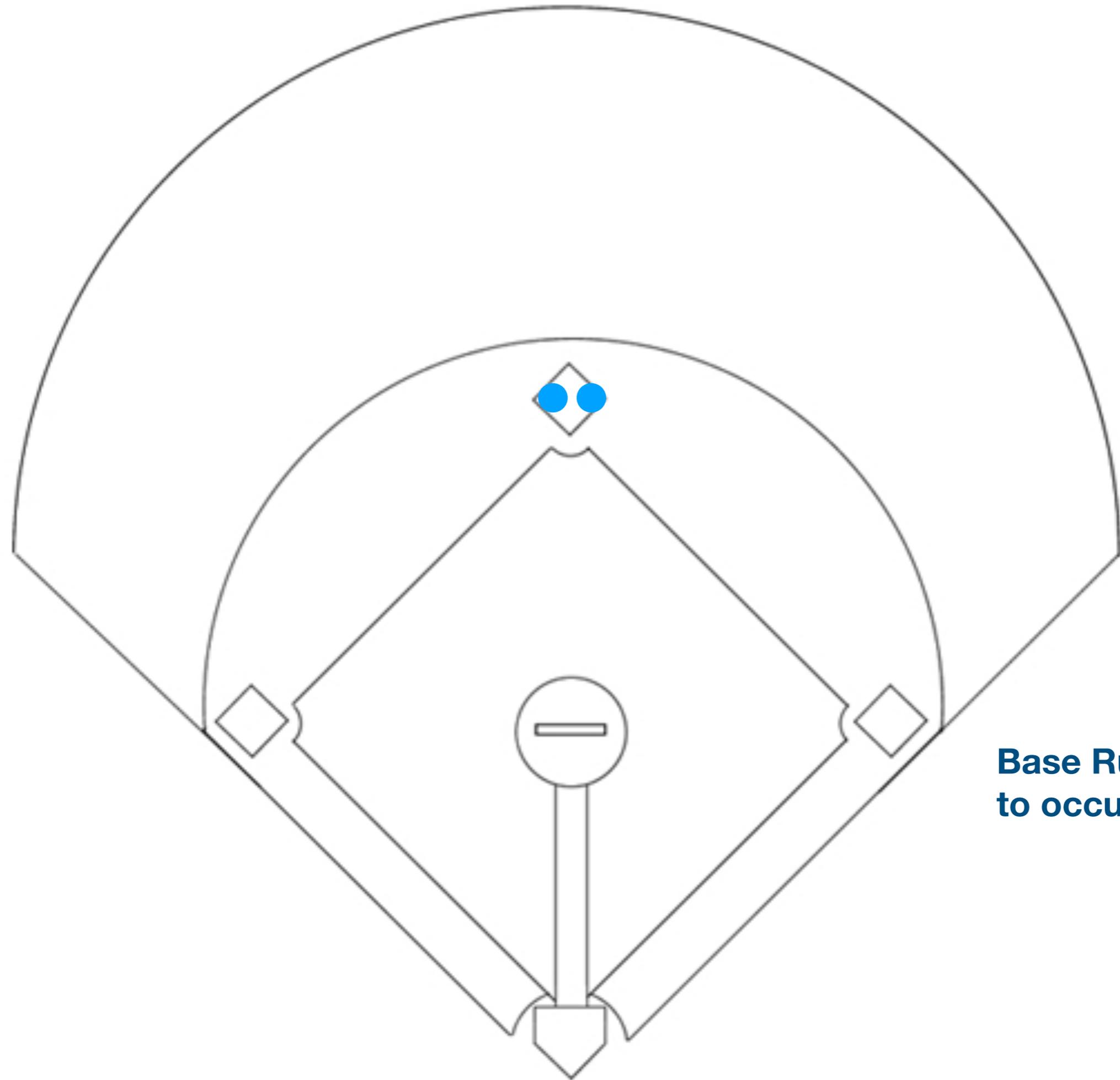
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- Base Runners are allowed to**
- 1. deviate ($\pm 1\text{m}$)**
 - 2. stop**
 - 3. return to a previous base**



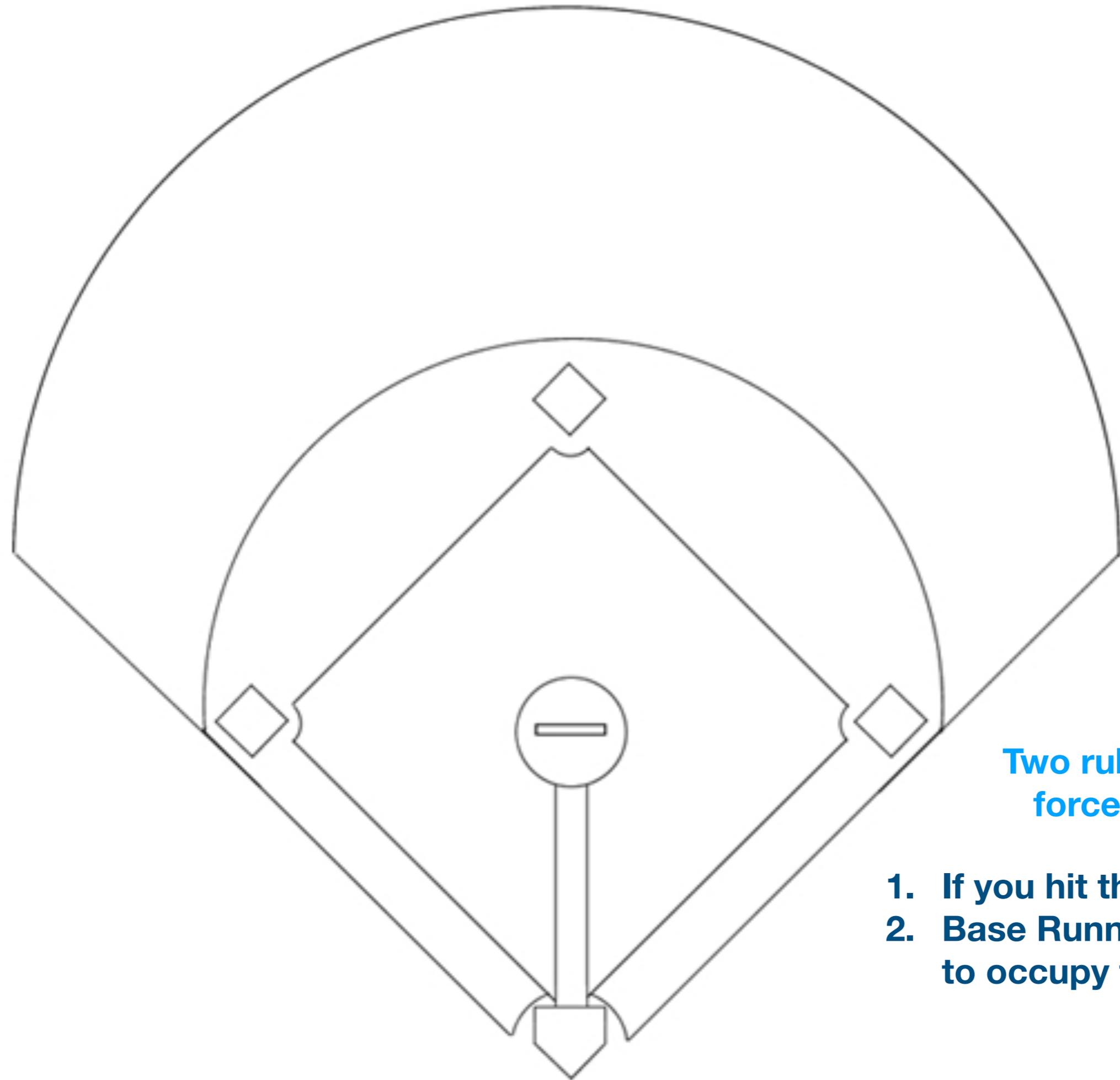
Base Runners are not allowed to pass a runner



Base Runners are not allowed to occupy the same base !

Base Running

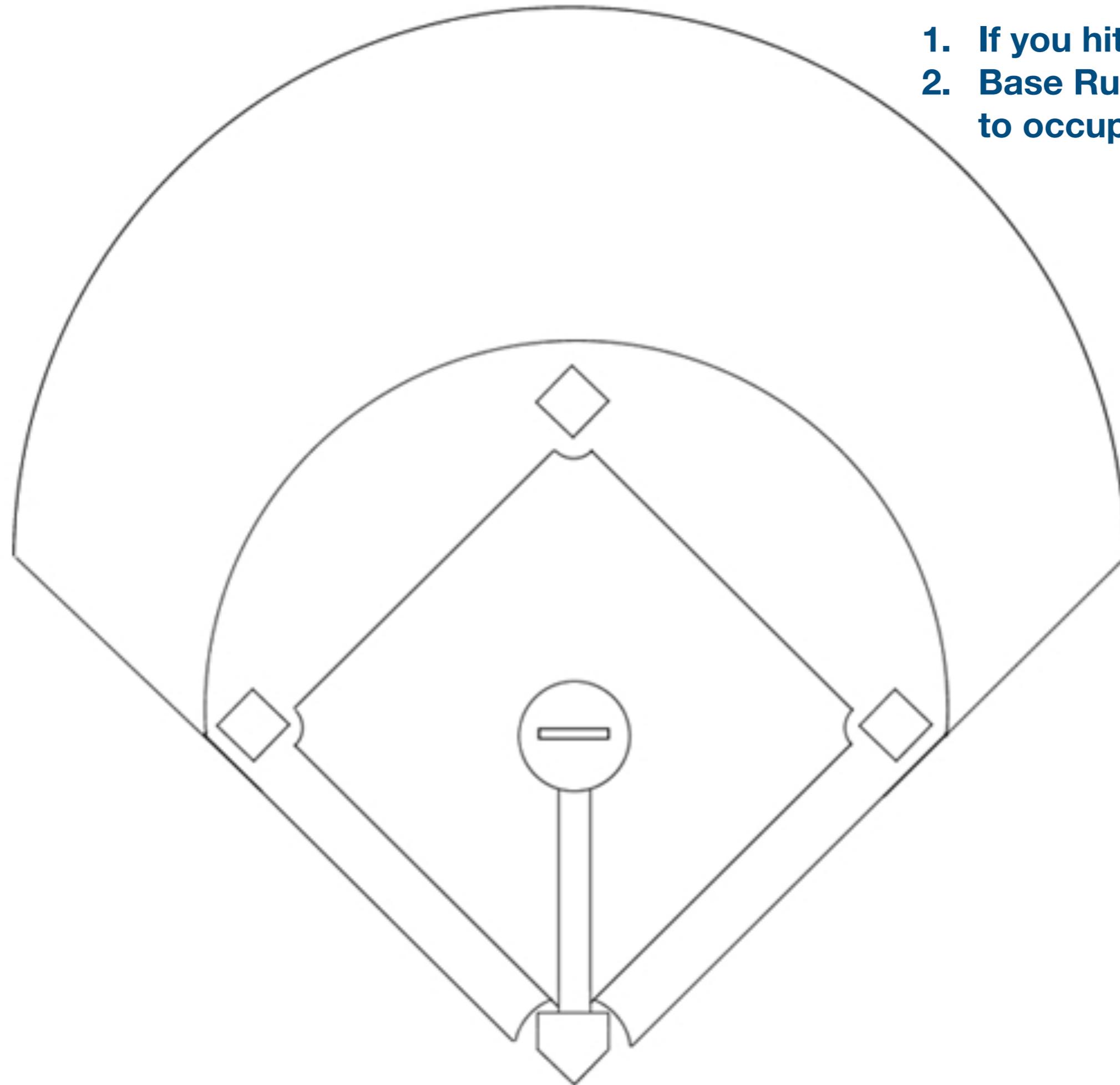
(not-)forced



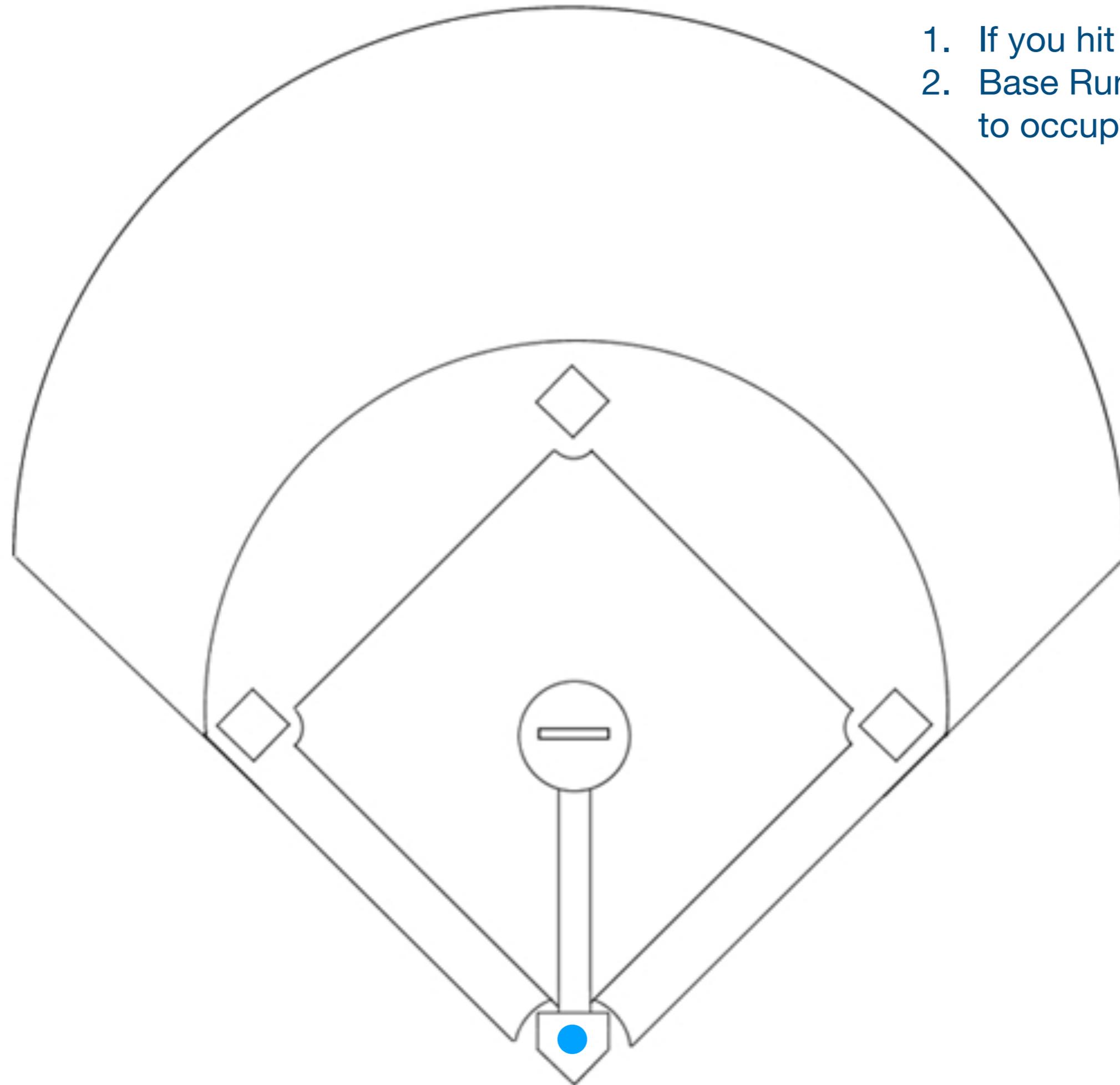
**Two rules to understand
forced vs not-forced**

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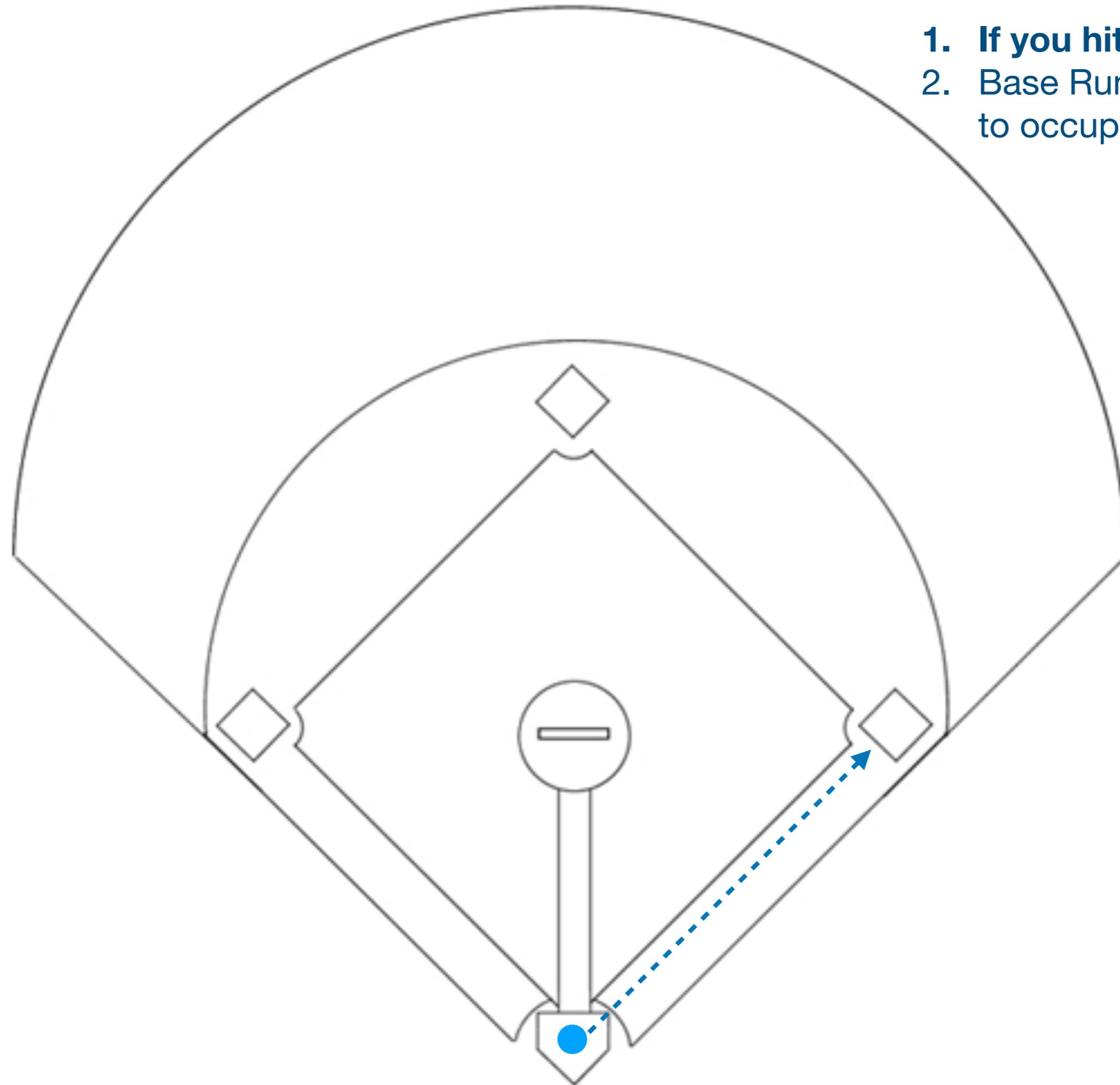
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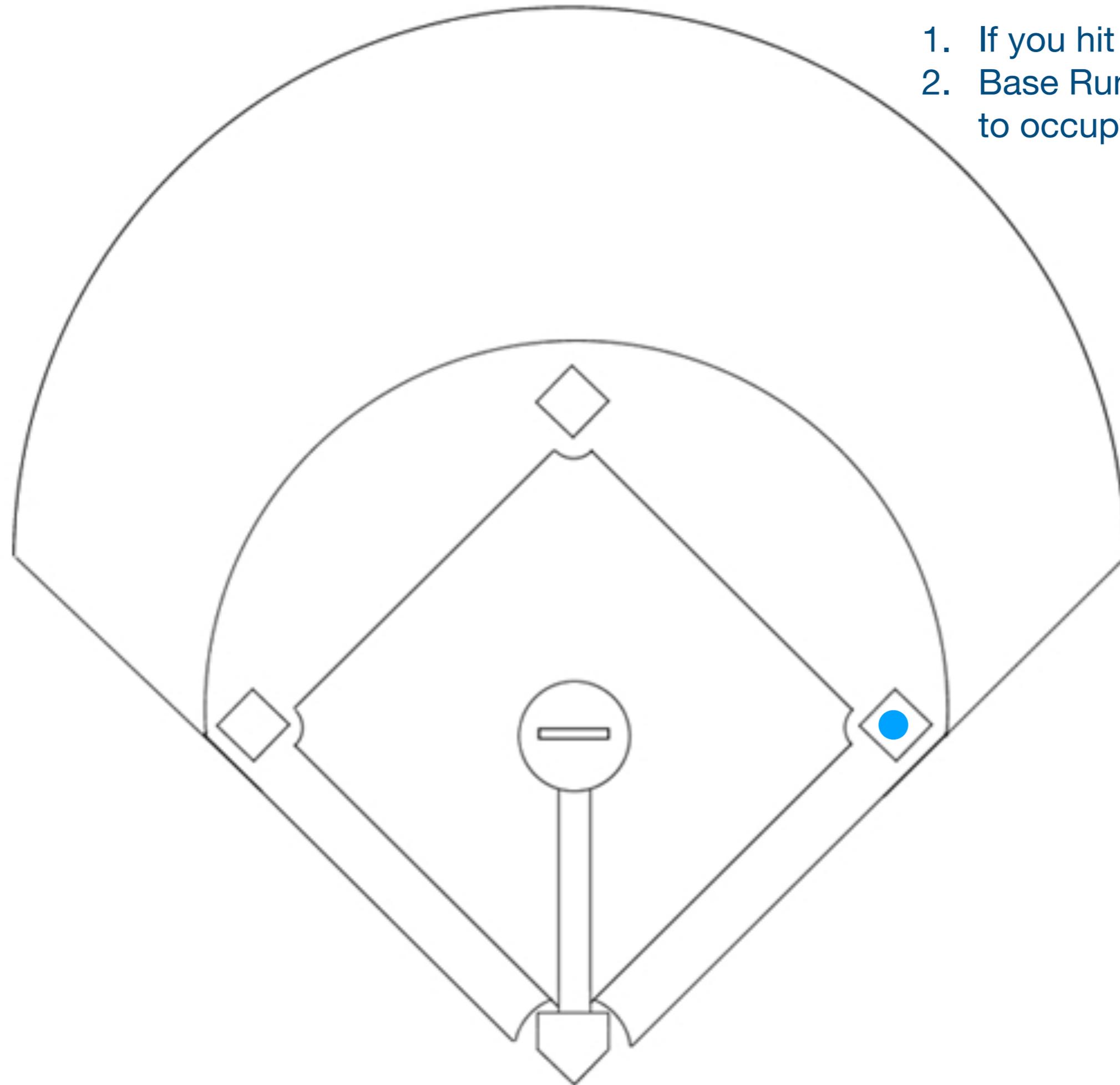
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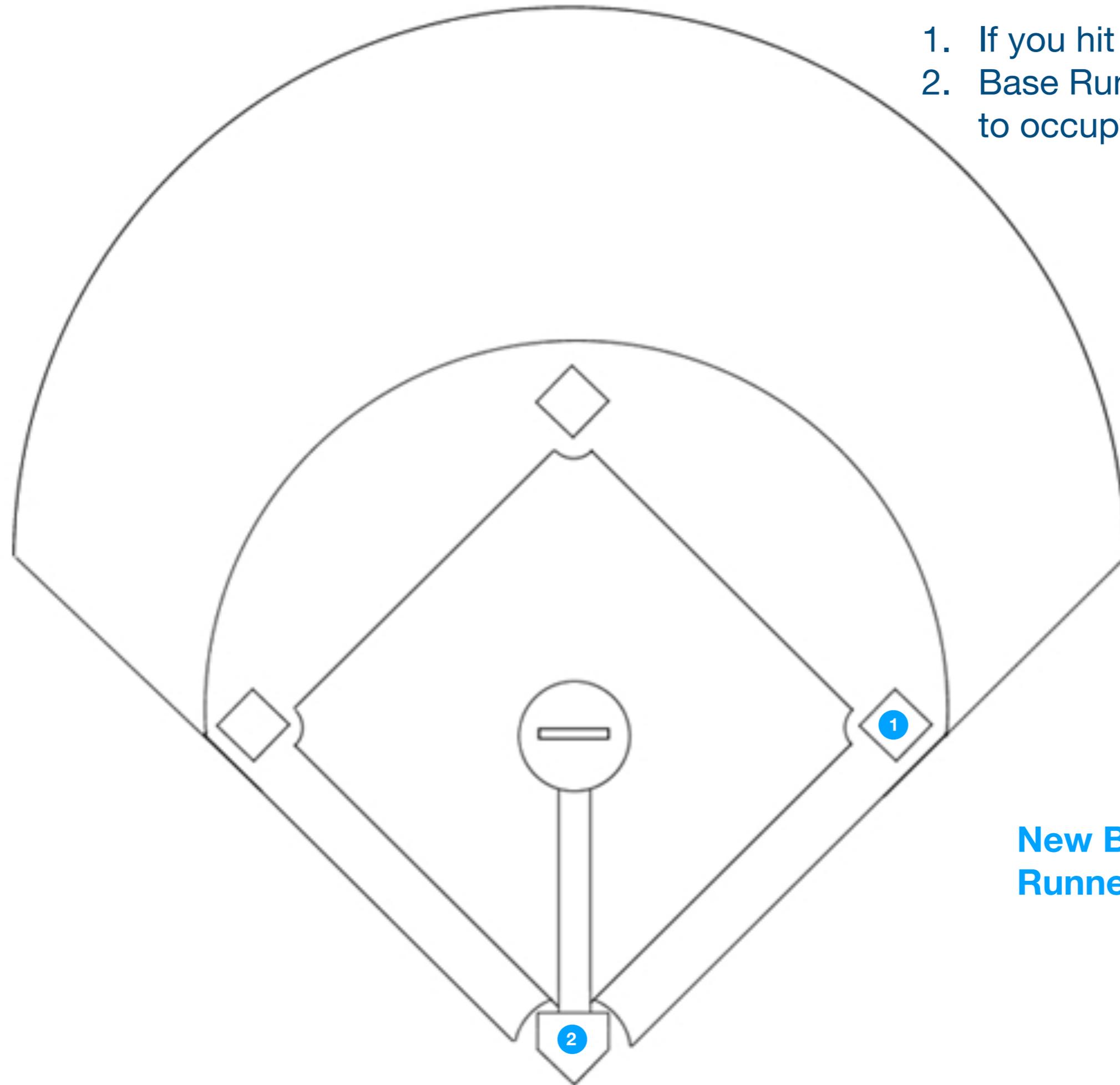
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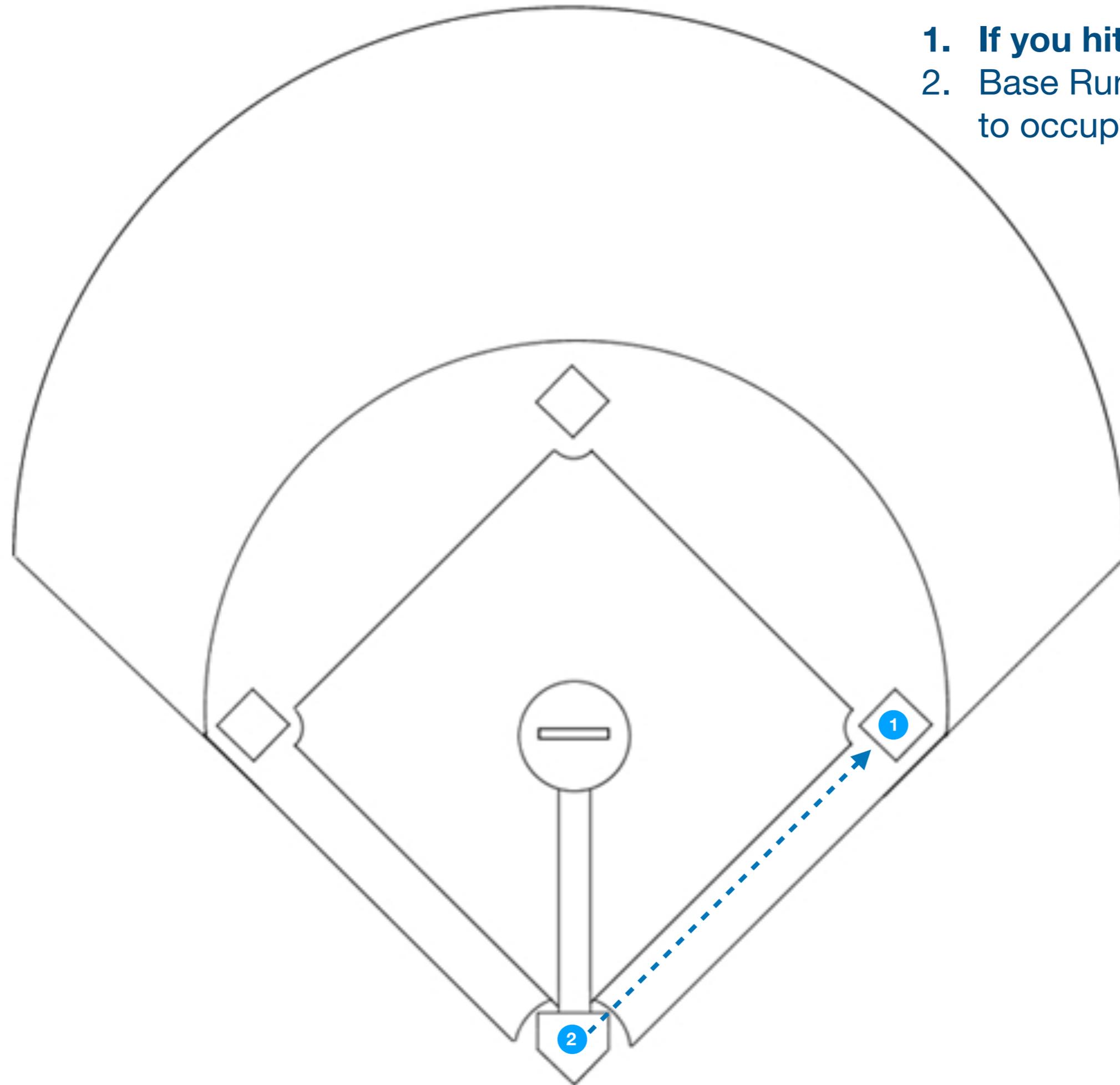


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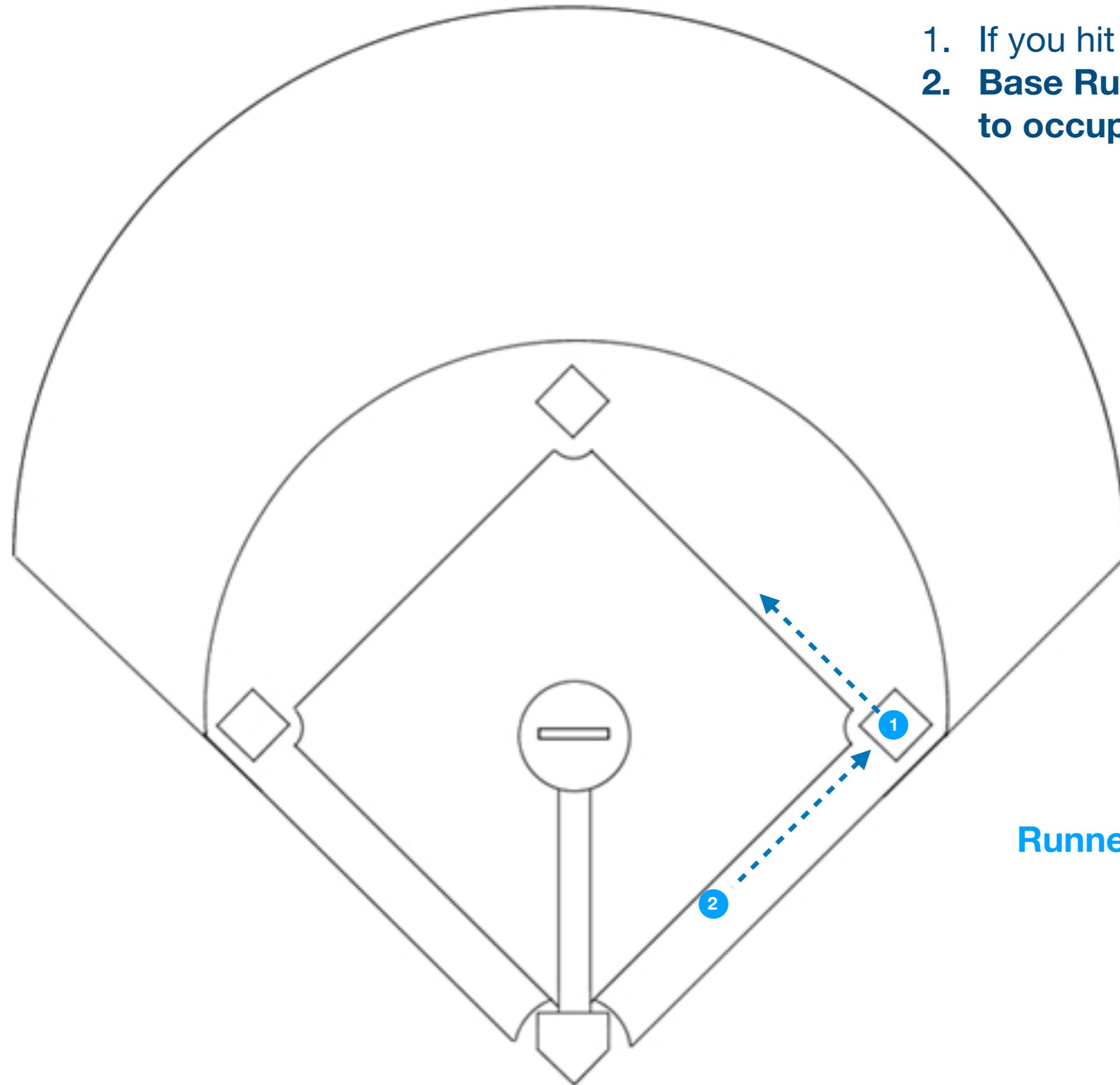


**New Batter
Runner on first**

1. If you hit the ball (fair), you run
2. Base Runners are not allowed to occupy the same base !

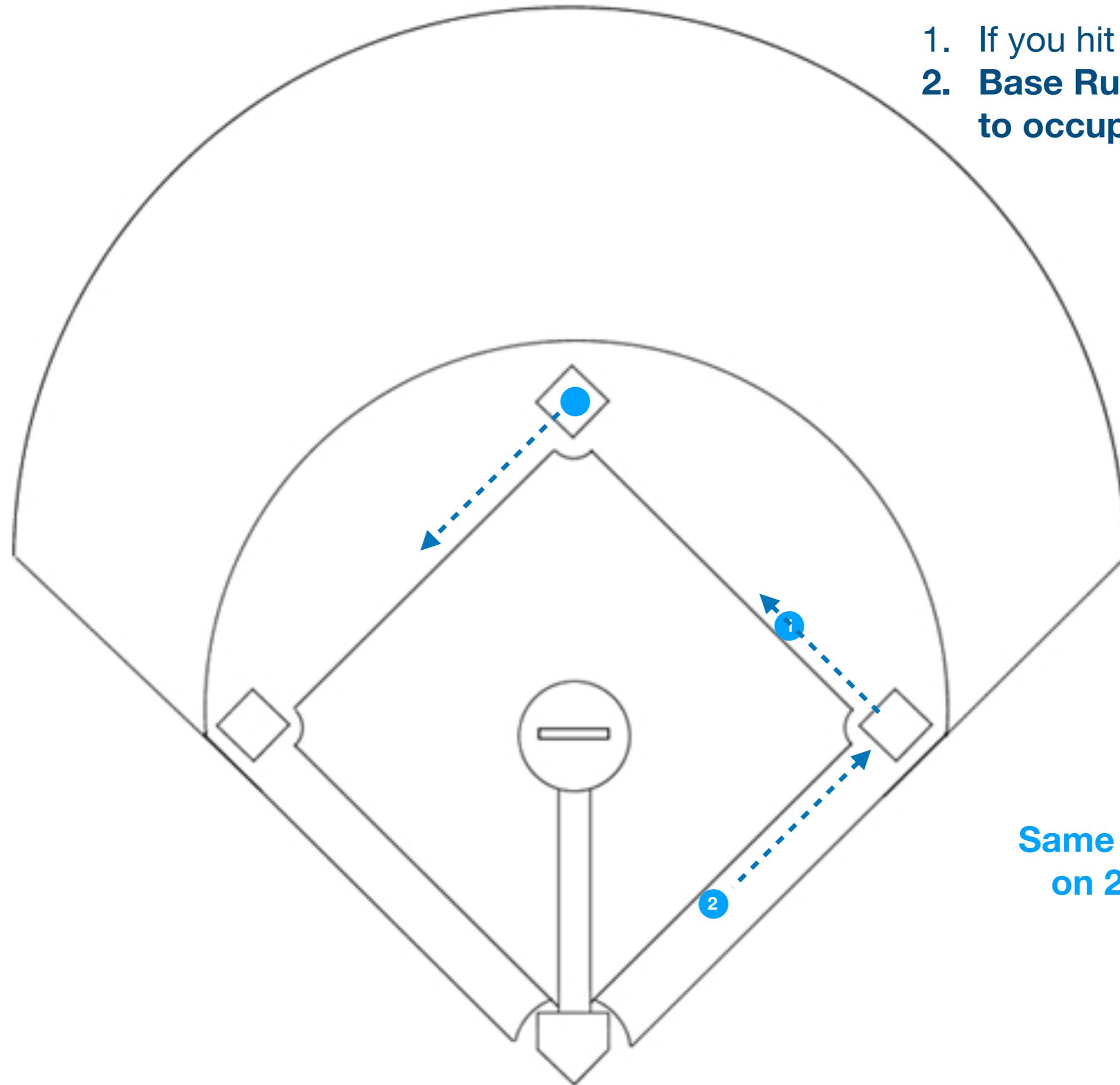


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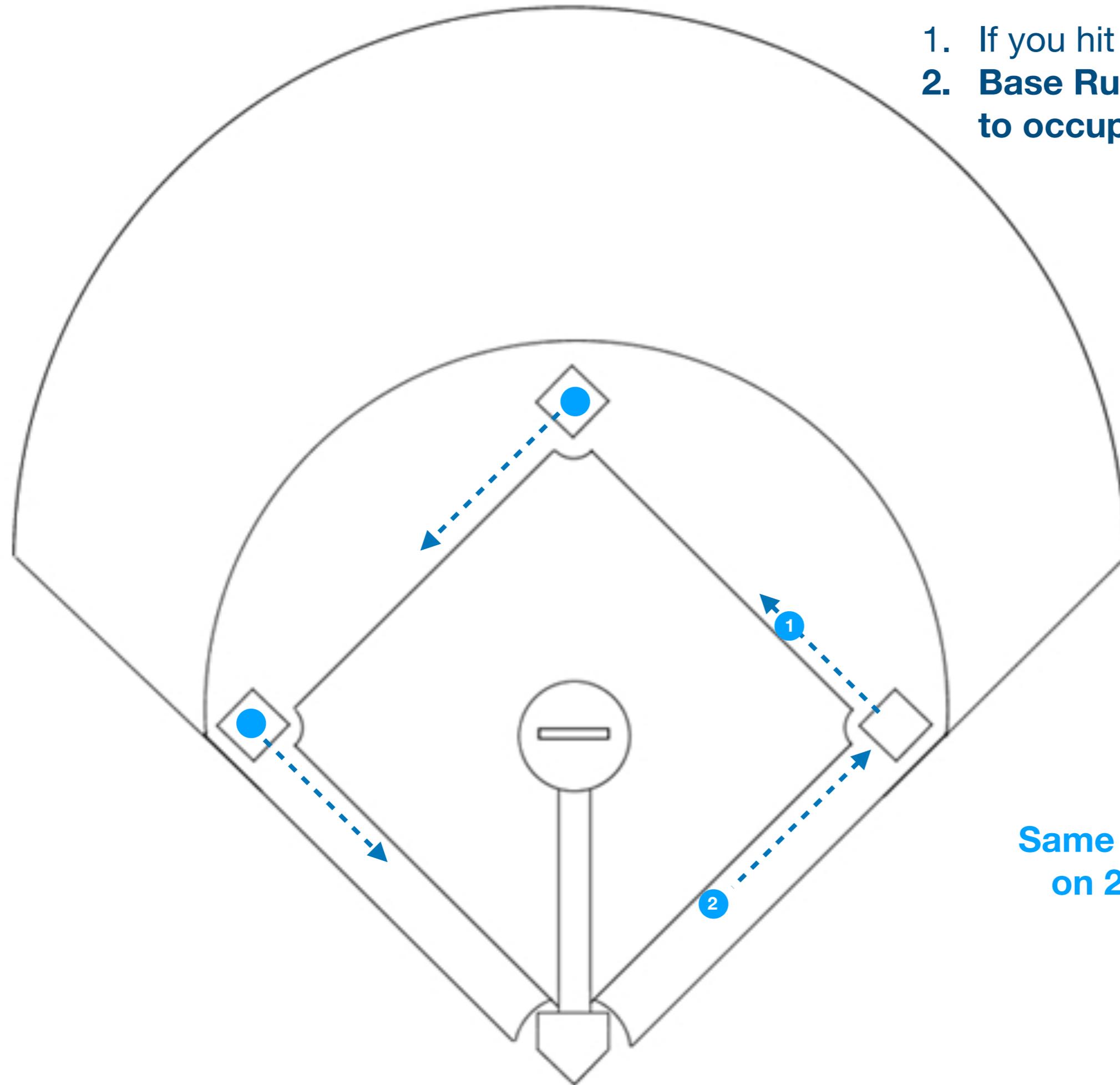
Runner 1 on first base is forced to run

1. If you hit the ball (fair), you run
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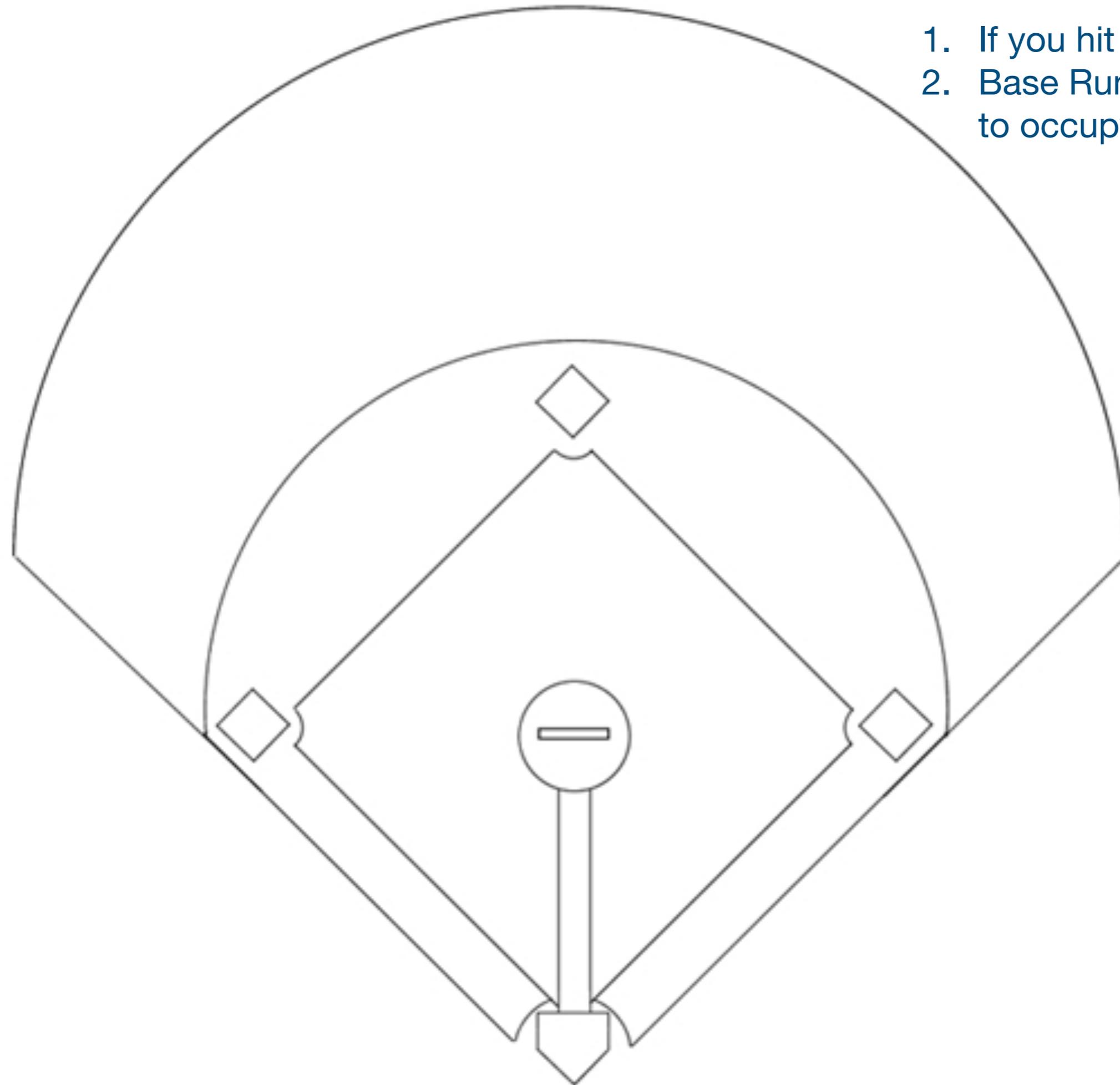
**Same applies to runners
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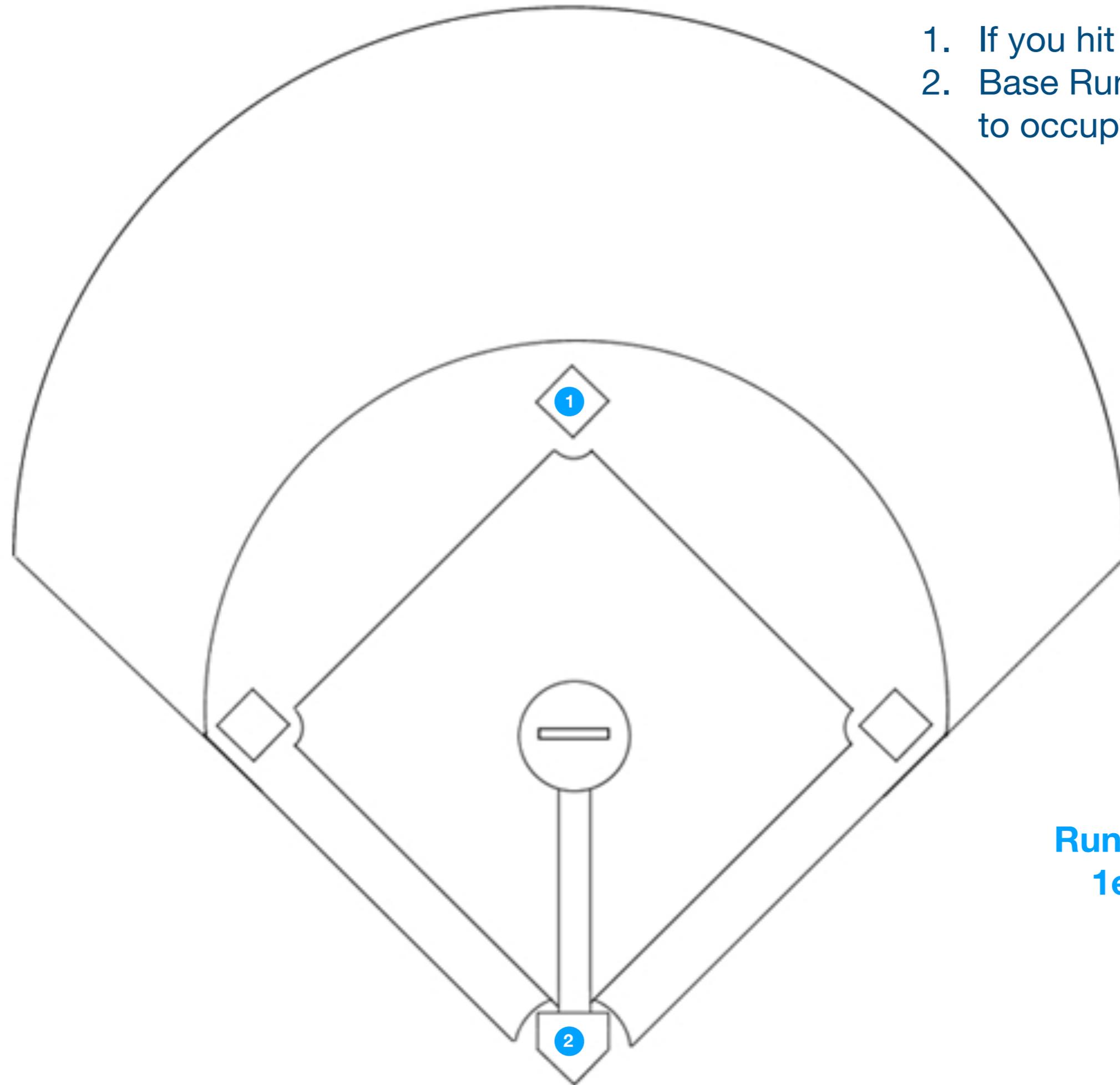


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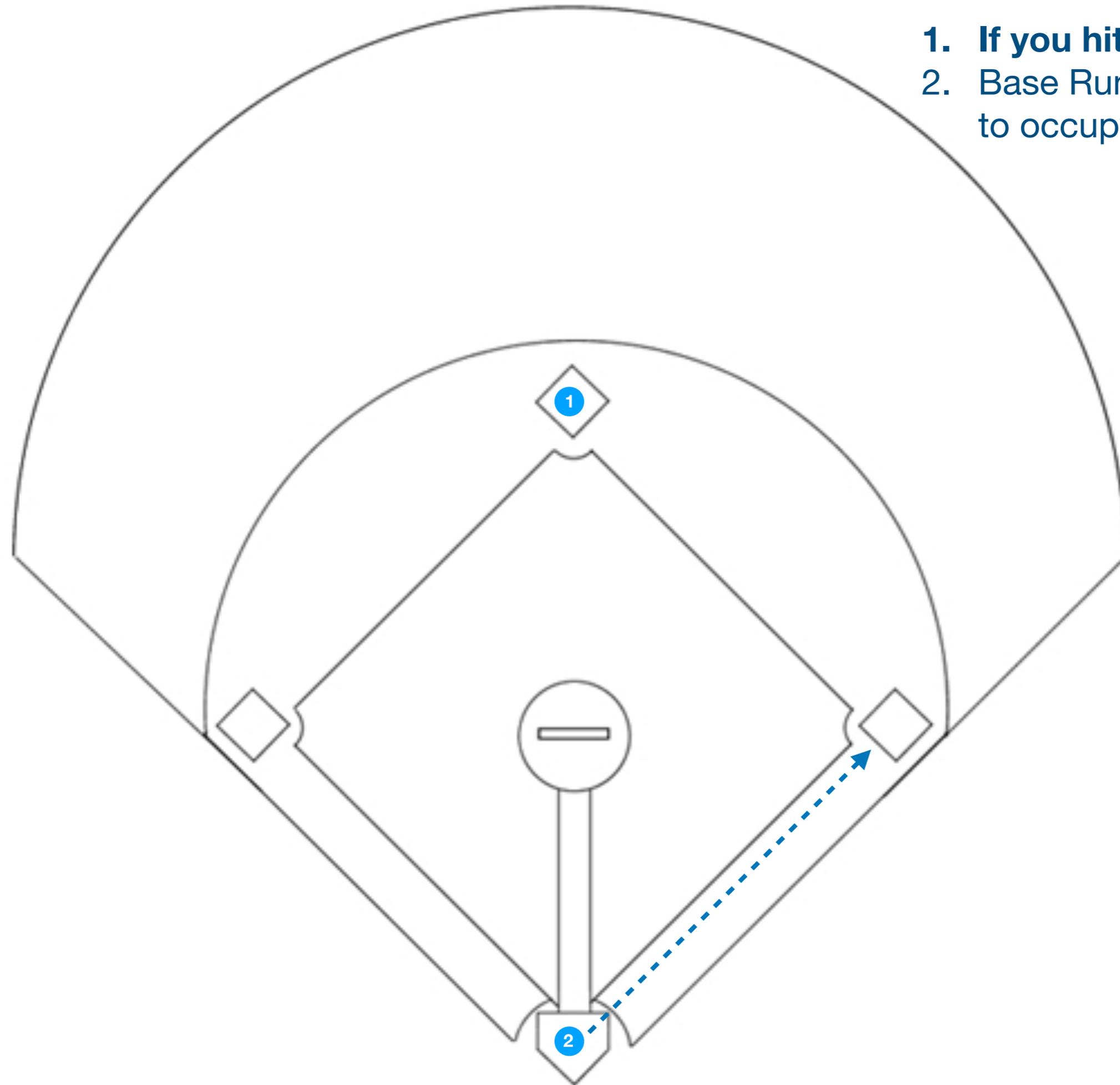


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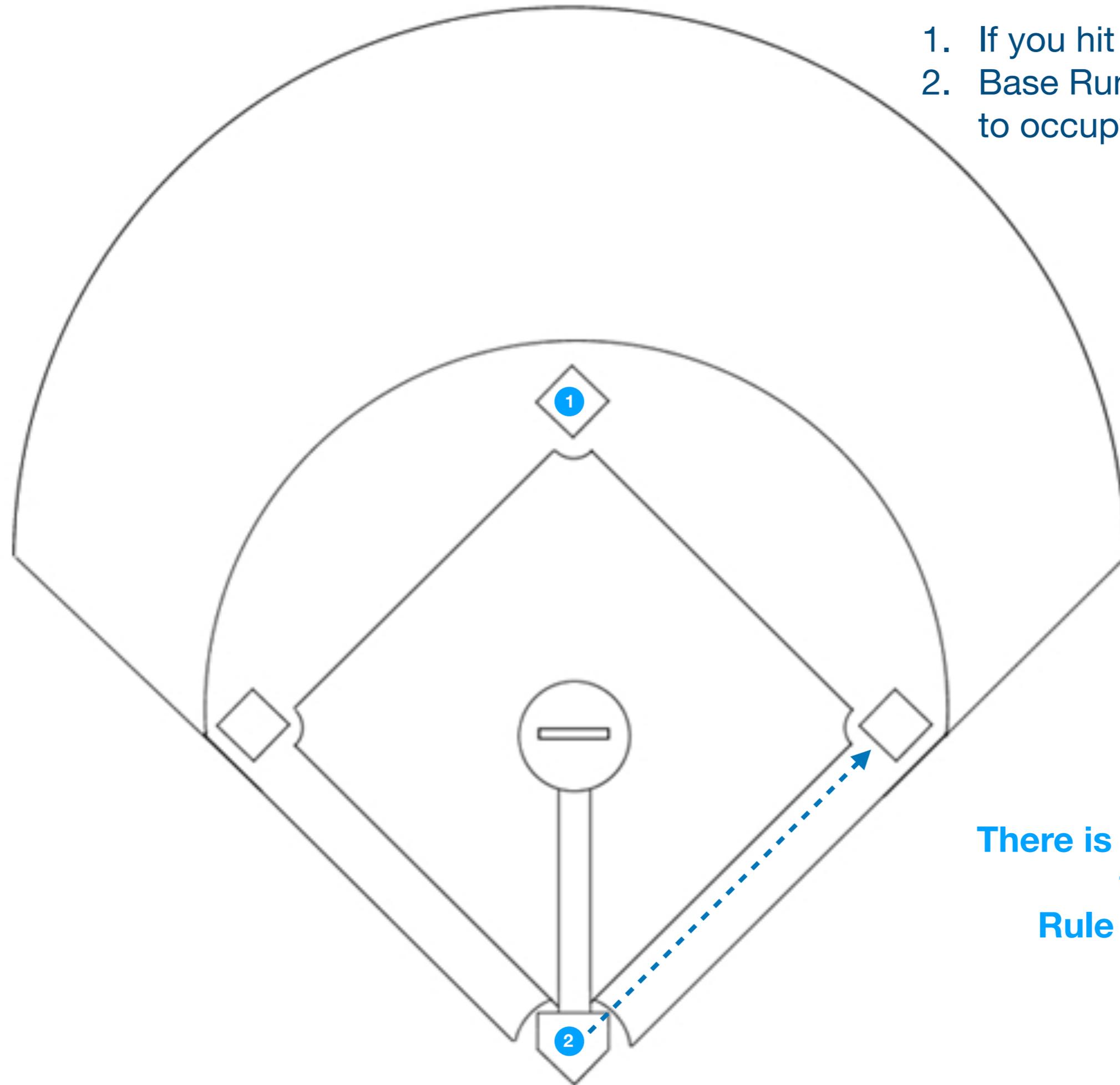


**Runner on 2nd base
1e base is open**

1. If you hit the ball (fair), you run
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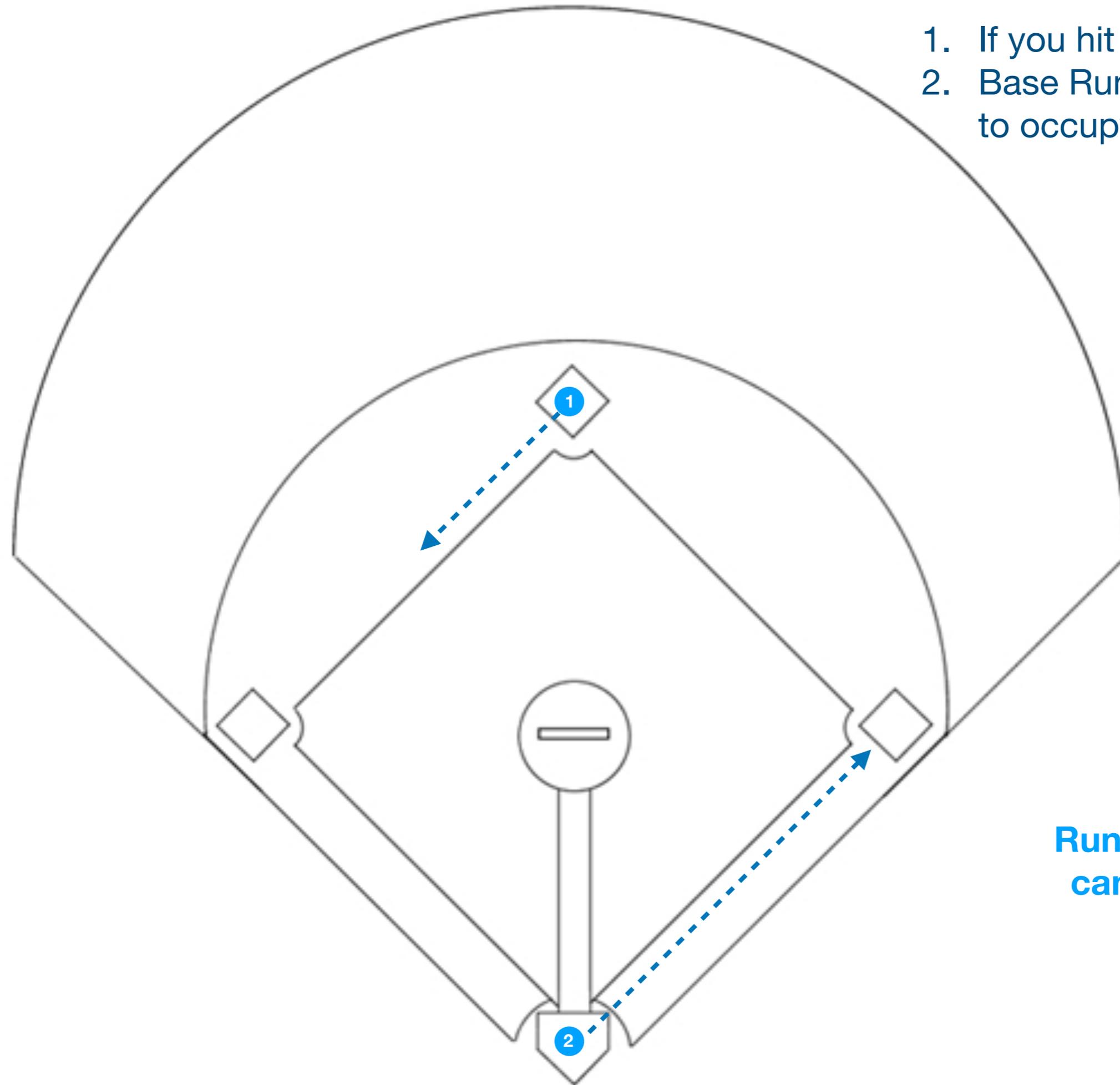


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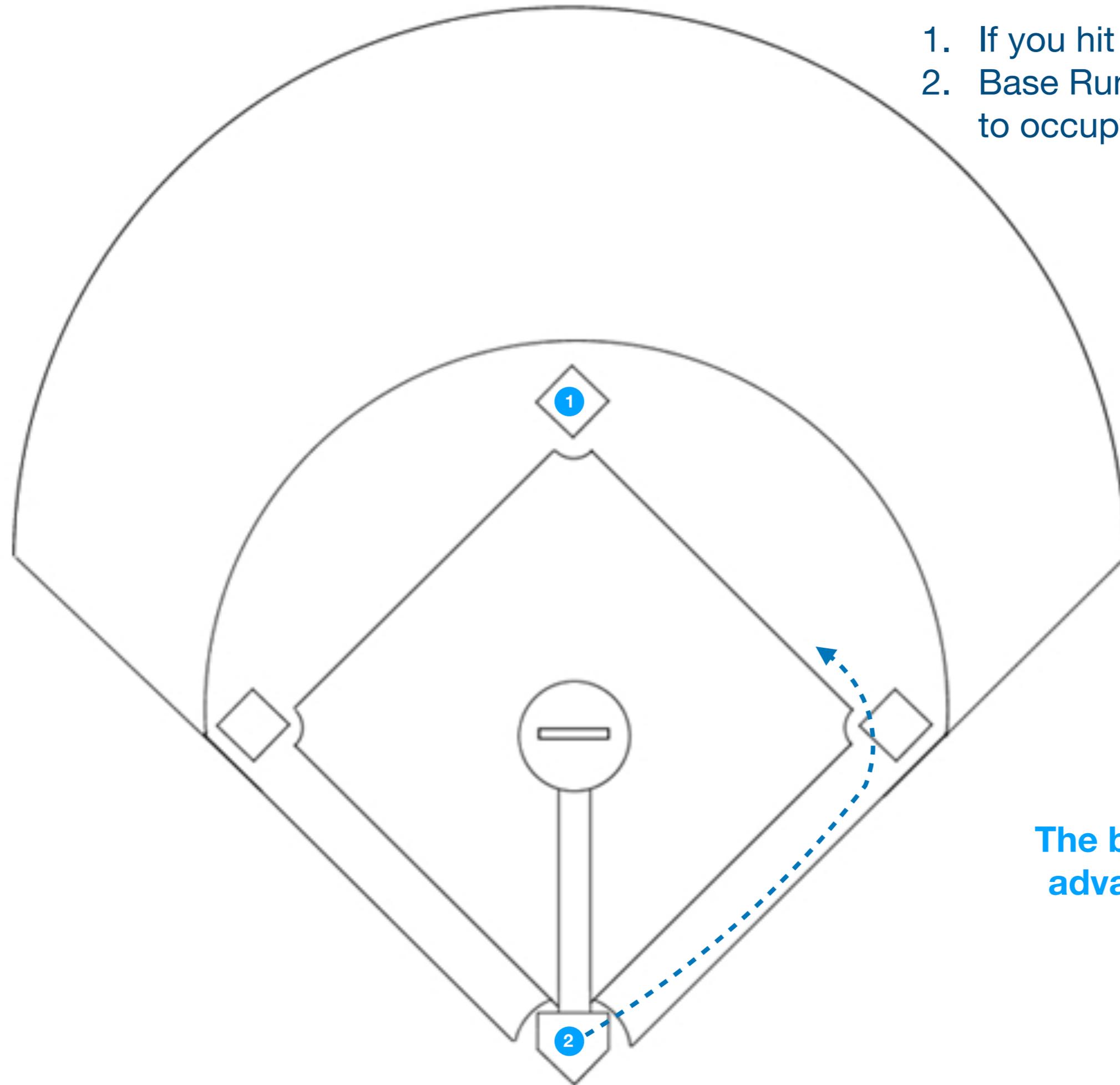
**There is no runner advancing to 2nd base.
Rule 2 does not apply.**

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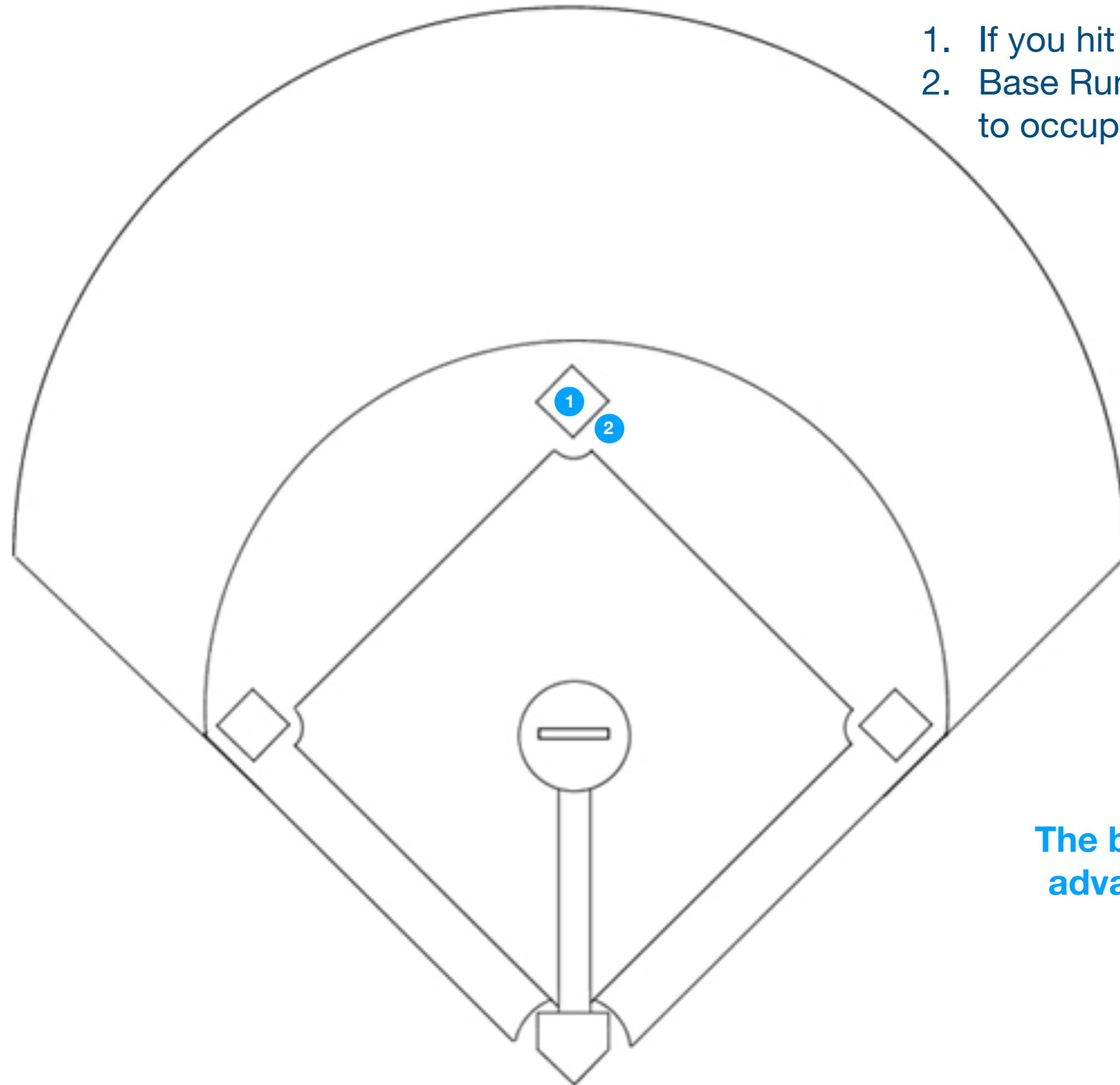
**Runner on 2nd base
can choose to run
=
not-forced**

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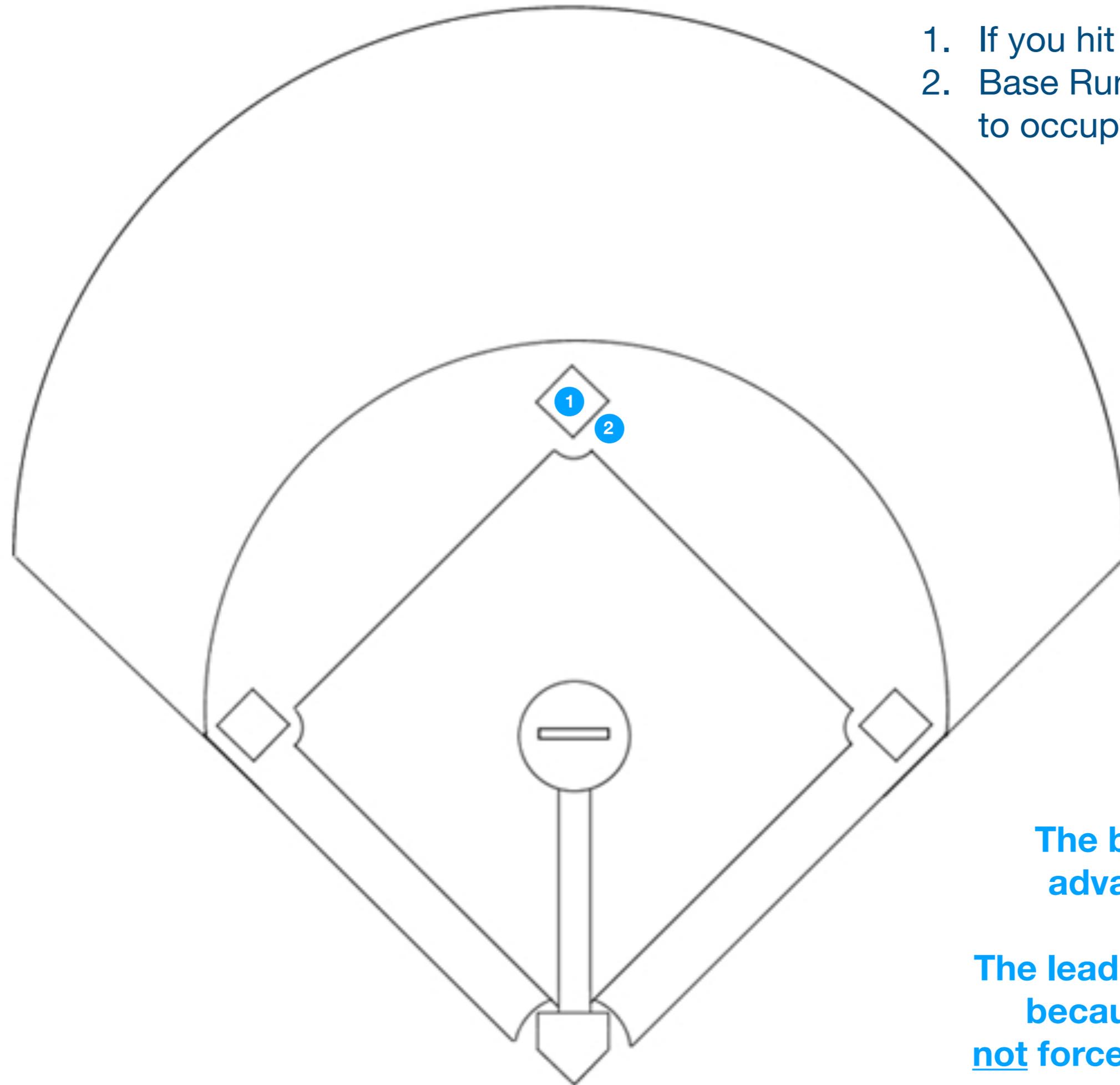
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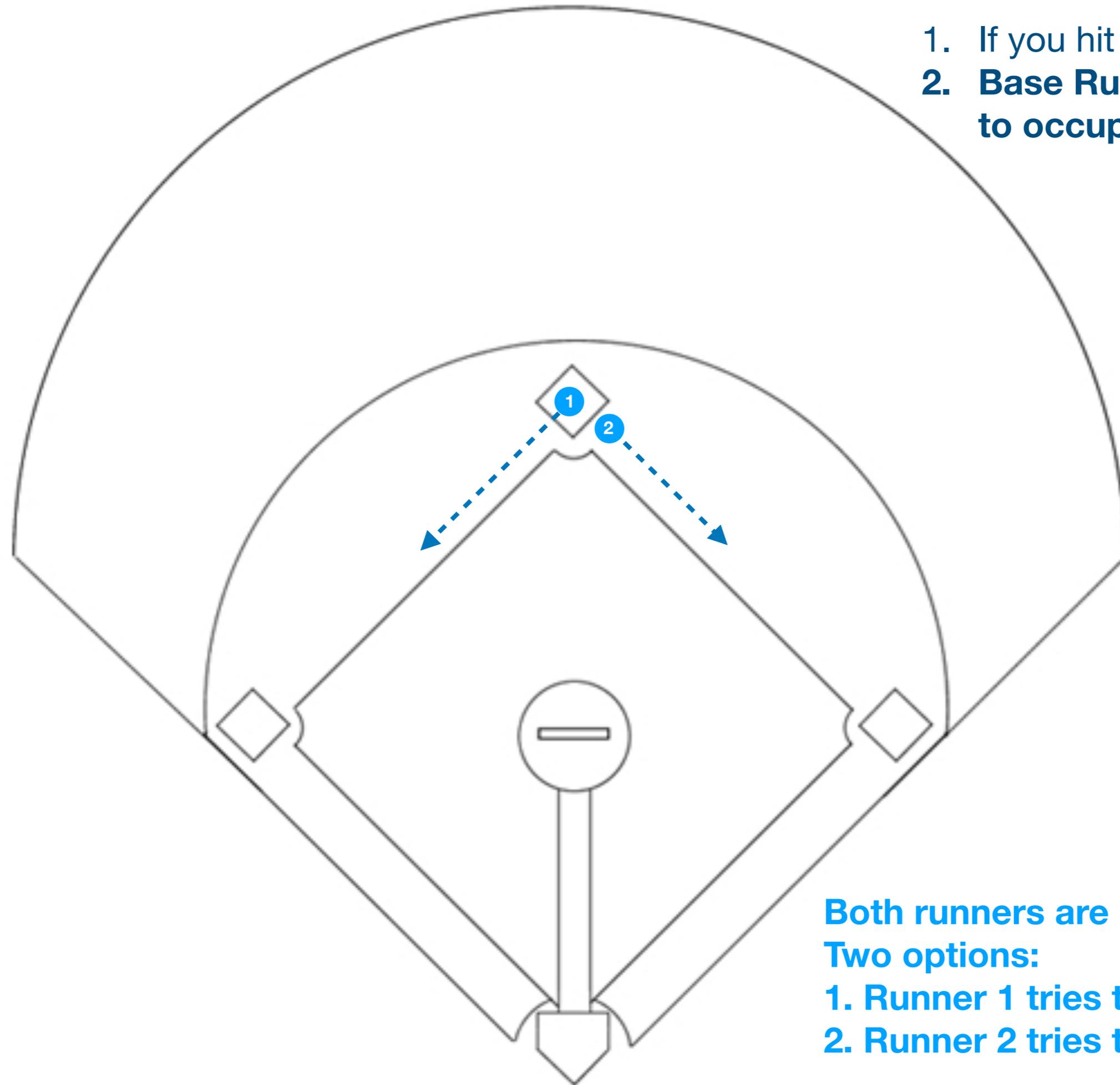
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The lead runner is not forced, because the batter was not forced to run to 2nd base.

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Both runners are now at 2nd base.

Two options:

1. Runner 1 tries to reach 3rd base

2. Runner 2 tries to get back to 1e base