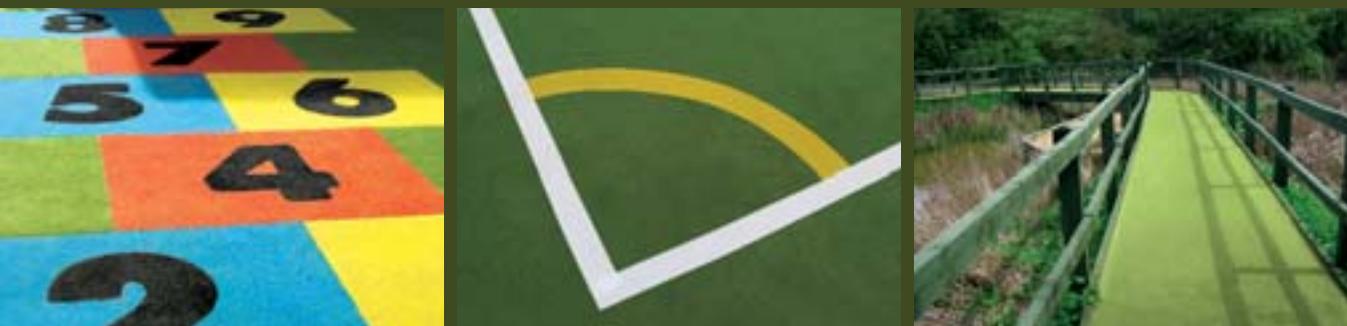


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Synthetic Surfacing

making the ground
play for you :



Notts Sport® is a leading specialist in the design and supply of synthetic surfacing systems for sport, play and leisure. The company has over 25 years' experience in providing non-turf technology for cricket, tennis, hockey and football as well as children's play and non-sport environments.

At the heart of many of our solutions lies VHAF® NottsSward® – our random, 'Vertical, Horizontal and Angular Fibres' which deliver excellent performance and create a visually attractive surface. This unique carpet pile technology delivers a consistent and comfortable surface, independently tested to meet industry standards.

By choosing Notts Sport® for your project you can benefit from expert advice and assistance from the design stage to installation and aftercare. Our experienced team is here to offer a guiding hand to help turn your dream project into a reality. Over the past two decades we have provided thousands of installations for cricket, tennis, hockey and football, children's play, multi-use games areas and landscaping projects throughout the UK and worldwide. During this time we have built up an impressive client portfolio, working with local authorities, schools, clubs and national and regional sports bodies.



ChildsPlay®

ChildsPlay® is a tactile and vibrant-looking surface solution, ideal for schools, nurseries and playgrounds. It provides a range of benefits including a safer surface for equipment-linked play – and with huge scope for the use of colours and shapes it can be used to mark out games and patterns in a free play environment.

ChildsPlay® is ideal for new installations or to refurbish an existing play area, whether working with a flat surface or covering mounds and hills. The tactile feel of the outdoor carpet encourages youngsters to relax – to sit and talk to friends, to roll down slopes and crawl about in the clean, safe environment.

Using a unique, quick-draining system, ChildsPlay® offers a range of benefits over traditional surfaces – no mud, no worn grass, no lingering puddles – just a soft, clean playground that stays in great condition in almost any weather. It also offers durability and vandal-resistance and requires minimal maintenance over its long lifetime. But more than anything else, ChildsPlay® is fun. Vibrant colours and designs set free imaginations, turning the surface into anything from a soaring spaceship to a sun-baked desert island or a ship at sea. With traditional markings such as hopscotch and mazes, children can run and jump to their hearts' content.

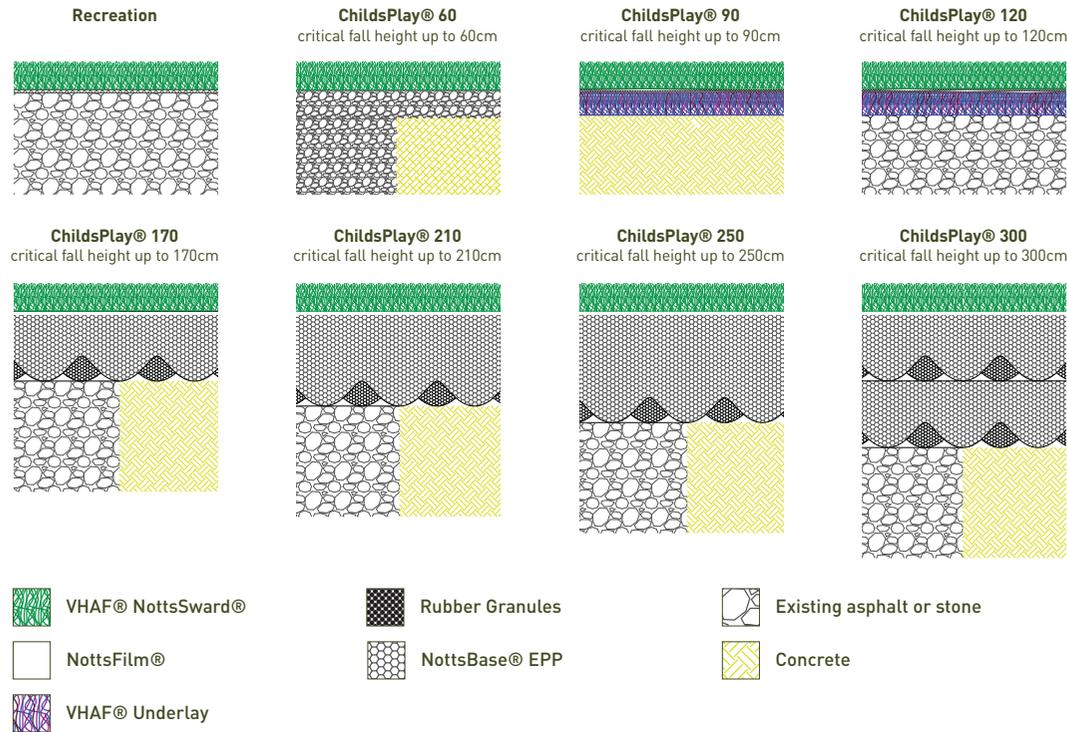
We can offer expert advice on creating your area using our ready-made patterns and innovative playground designs, or you can see your own ideas brought to life using the latest laser technology.



ChildsPlay®

ChildsPlay® systems comprise various exclusive components including the tactile VHAF® NottsSward® artificial grass carpet, VHAF® underlay, NottsFilm® load-spreading membrane layer and the NottsBase® EPP shock-absorbing pad.

The selection of the shock-absorbing layer is adjusted to according to the critical fall height required.



Critical Fall Height

Systems have outstanding levels of impact absorbency, offering critical fall height protection of up to three metres. The surface carpet offers improved grip, helping to prevent trips and falls.



Benefits

Fifteen colours offer endless scope for patterns and shapes, from traditional playground games such as hopscotch and mazes, to energetic 'free play' designs.

Children need vibrant and stimulating surroundings, and ChildsPlay® makes the ground play for them.



But it's not just for children to enjoy – ChildsPlay® provides benefits for playground operators too. Each system needs minimal maintenance, has tough and durable qualities, and is resistant to fire, cutting and graffiti.



Because surfaces are quick-draining even after heavy rain, ChildsPlay® systems help to eliminate puddles, mud and worn grass.



Quick-Draining

This means children's shoes and clothes stay clean during play – and for them, the system offers more play, more often.



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Cricket

Notts Sport® is the world's leading supplier of non-turf cricket pitch systems for coaching, practice and matchplay.

Our range includes two popular pitch systems that are England and Wales Cricket Board approved- the Envelope System® and the NottsBase® D System – while our bespoke designs also deliver excellent playing performance.

Artificial pitches provide a host of benefits for players and groundsmen. The quick-draining design means keen cricketers can enjoy more play almost whatever the weather, and outstanding durability means a longer pitch life with only minimal maintenance. Pitch and practice surfaces are designed for players of all ages and abilities, and can be tailored to meet the club's budget and needs.



Cricket

The Envelope System® uses a NottsPad® underlay and NottsWeave® surface to imitate the best playing characteristics of a well-maintained grass pitch. The system's components provide a similar pace and bounce to that offered by natural turf.

NottsBase® D is one of only a handful of ECB-approved synthetic pitch systems which can be laid directly onto a grass square. Exclusive to Notts Sport®, it provides a narrower range of playing characteristics in relation to bounce and pace, making it an ideal pitch for encouraging player confidence during coaching or matches.



Portable Mats

Notts Sport's Portable Cricket Mats are ideal for indoor use and pre-season training. The hard-wearing backing means the mat lies flat, and the even, consistent surface provides good play performance and is slip-resistant.

The surface also takes spin and provides conventional levels of bounce, allowing it to be used for all types of bowling, while its specially developed colour allows the batsman to see the ball more easily. Portable mats can also be used outdoors, on concrete.

Envelope System®

NottsBase® D System

Portable Cricket Mat

- NottsWeave®
- NottsPad®
- NottsBase®
- NottsFilm®
- Hard Porous
- Clean Angular Stone
- Existing Ground

Example Layout - 3 Bay Practice Facility with low maintenance VHAFF® NottsSward® surrounds and cage.

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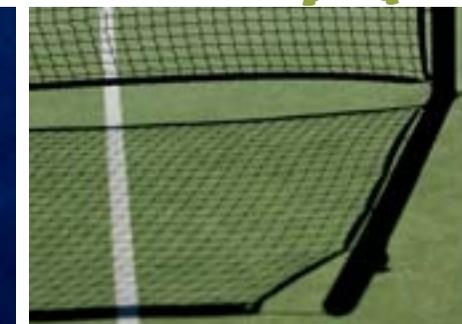


Tennis

Notts Sport® tennis solutions provide the look and feel of grass courts without the need for high maintenance.

The VHAF® NottsSward® TS system is ideal for clubs, schools, leisure centres and private courts and has been specifically developed to provide exceptional playing characteristics for tennis, providing better grip and consistent bounce.

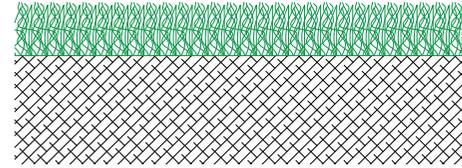
Courts are also quick-draining and can be used all year round. The TS system can be used to quickly and cost-effectively refurbish asphalt or concrete courts, or to create a completely new tennis facility.



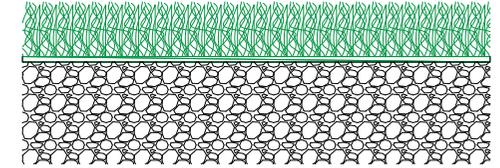


Tennis

VHAF® NottsSward® TS has been independently tested in accordance with International Tennis Federation performance standards and is classified as medium speed.



VHAF® NottsSward® TS Surface



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Typical tufted grass – loose sand

VHAF® NottsSward® Vs Tufted

The exclusive design of VHAF® NottsSward® TS stabilises the sand infill, ensuring a more consistent and slip-resistant surface for players.

For court owners and operators this means the surface is less likely to compact or to need sand levels topping up, meaning less time and money is spent on maintaining high-performance levels. VHAF® NottsSward® TS is also durable, hard-wearing and resistant to cutting, fire and graffiti.



Quick-Draining

Drainage

The quick-draining properties of the system eliminates standing water on court and allows play to take place soon after heavy rainfall – meaning more tennis almost whatever the weather.

VHAF® NottsSward® TS is available in 15 exciting colours which can be used to provide two-colour court layouts.

Whichever shade or combination of colours you choose, surfaces are inlaid with white lines and your organisation's name or a sponsor's logo can be inserted into the surface.





Multi-Sports

Notts Sport® sports surfaces cater for a wide range of sports and leisure activities, providing the ideal, year-round solution for schools, parks, leisure centres and health clubs.

When, for example, space is at a premium, a multi-use games area can deliver a huge variety of different activities in one single area. We also offer a portfolio of specific sports turf pitches providing perfect performance for individual sports. Each system can be designed to deliver controlled, predictable performance for games such as soccer, hockey and tennis.

Unlike a muddy sports field, our multi-sports surfaces offer a fresh and innovative outdoor space that will appeal to all kinds of users. They can be used for fast-paced competitive team sports, coaching, skilled games and endurance activities. And because they're so durable they offer the potential to boost revenue from increased community or club use.

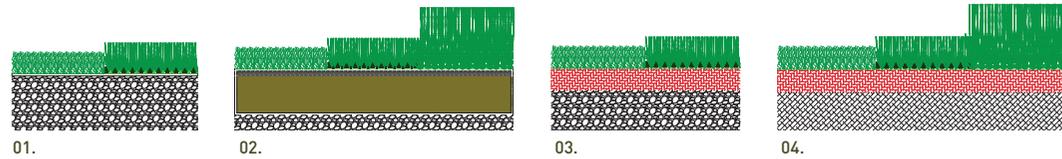
Hard-wearing, quick-draining and providing improved comfort and better grip underfoot, our synthetic systems have many benefits over grass, and can be installed over almost any existing surface, or used in a new installation.



Multi-Sports

Notts Sport® systems can be installed over almost any existing surface – including asphalt, concrete or rubber – or created completely from scratch.

They're also fire, graffiti and cutting-resistant, and need minimal maintenance during the lifetime of the facility.



- 01. NottsFilm® load-bearing Geotextile + either VHAF® NottsSward® or sand dressed tufted surface
- 02. Stone base + particulate Envelope System® performance layer + either VHAF® NottsSward®, sand dressed tufted surface or 3rd Generation Soccer Grass surface
- 03. Stone base + fibrous shockpad layer + either VHAF® NottsSward® or sand dressed tufted surface or 3rd Generation Soccer Grass surface
- 04. Macadam / Asphalt base + fibrous shockpad layer + either VHAF® NottsSward® or sand dressed tufted surface

Base Options

A shockpad base under the carpet provides comfort underfoot for players and can be adjusted to provide the desired playing characteristics for specific sports.

If you're refurbishing an existing facility using a Notts Sport® product, the base system can also be modified to overlay an existing surface.

Our Service

Planning a new sports facility might seem a daunting task, and that's why we offer a guiding hand to help you every step of the way - from finding the correct surfacing solution, through the design, budget, installation and maintenance stages.

Simply let us know your objectives and we'll provide all the help you need to turn your project into a reality.

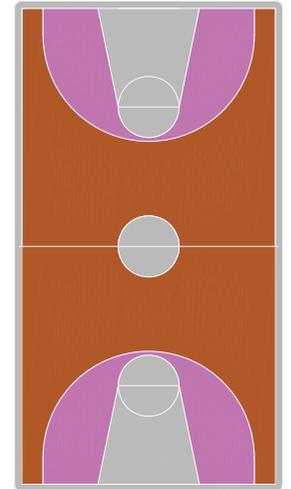


Footprint Options

Your sports pitch or multi-use games area can be specifically designed to suit the space you have available, with inlaid lines used to mark out different sports.

Additionally, our synthetic multi-sports surfaces come in 15 energetic shades – from Marine or Grass Green to Tillet Red or Vivid Yellow – offering vast scope for creativity using traditional tones or contrasting blocks of colour to note different areas. They can also be used to complement urban or rural landscapes.

Whichever style of facility you go for, your organisation's name or a revenue earning sponsor's logo can be inserted into the playing surface.



VHAF® NottsSward® Vs Tufted

The random pile in the VHAF® NottsSward® surface carpet used in our MUGA installations offers many benefits to users and owners of sporting facilities.

For owners, it stabilises the sand infill, meaning the sand is less likely to compact and harden, or need topping up by the venue operator – ensuring less down time for maintenance. VHAF® NottsSward® is also hard-wearing and resistant to cutting, fire and graffiti, and needs less upkeep than natural grass.

For players, the carpet delivers a more consistent playing surface with improved comfort underfoot, better grip and improved all-round performance.

VHAF® NottsSward® is also quick-draining – a great benefit to players and operators, since the surface can be used all year around, in almost any weather.



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Landscape

Notts Sport's VHAF® NottsSward® provides attractive, low-maintenance solutions for a range of installations beyond the world of sport and play.

Ideal for clubs, shopping centres, schools, paths, picnic sites and parks, it offers a softer and more appealing alternative to concrete and asphalt. Unlike grass, for example, there's no cutting or watering when it's dry and no unsightly mud, worn grass or waterlogging when it pours.

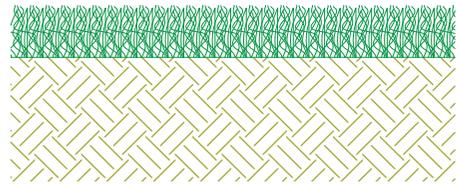
Our surfaces look good all year-round, whether there's a hot summer or a long, wet winter ahead. And unlike chippings, our surface stays put, no matter how high the footfall.

Dynamic, slip and trip-resistant, and with a palette of 15 colours to choose from, the range of uses for our synthetic turf are as broad as your imagination.



Landscape

VHAF® NottsSward® is hard-wearing and vandal-resistant, and offers comfort underfoot while reducing the potential for slips and trips. The carpet can be combined with a sub-base and performance layers to adjust the characteristics to meet any required criteria.



VHAF® NottsSward®

Because our VHAF® NottsSward® surfaces can be cut to any shape or laid over irregular terrain, they're great for surrounding the base of trees, laying along roadsides – or anywhere you can think of that worn grass or mowing is an issue.



Benefits

Durable, slip-resistant and quick-draining, VHAF® NottsSward® is an ideal solution for pathways, and by selecting from our choice of colours you can even mark out and indicate different routes.

Golf courses can also benefit from synthetic turf in a number of exciting ways – from creating erosion-proof paths for golf carts and parking bays for buggies, to mud-free standing areas and clean, quick-draining practice grounds.

In fact, VHAF® NottsSward® can be used to clean up, brighten or improve safety in so many different situations the only limit is your imagination – and because the surface needs minimal maintenance and can be laid over almost any landscape, including mounds and slopes, it can offer major benefits for you and your users.

VHAF® NottsSward® is available in 15 colours which can be used to provide attractive layouts and motifs in both urban and rural surroundings.

Whatever your objective, the range of vibrant and muted shades provides unlimited design options, from fun and child-friendly school and holiday park schemes, to traditional tones for stylish shopping and street scenes.



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