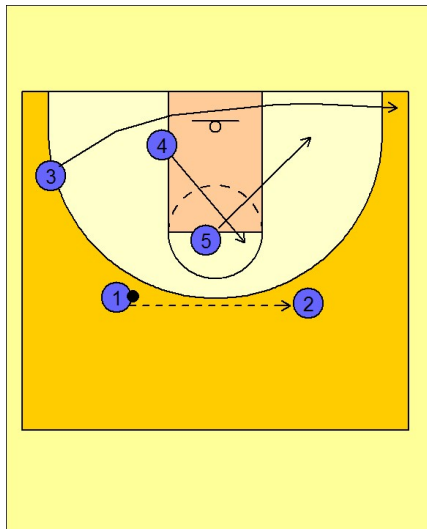


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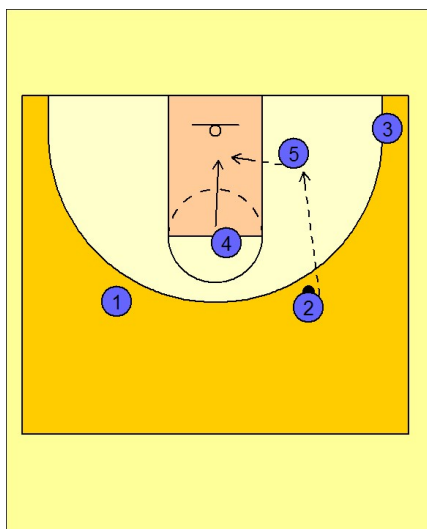
Oklahoma State Zone Offense

Oklahoma State likes to use a simple "X" cutting action in the post with their big men while having them utilize the short corner area of the floor. Perimeter players will pass and cut through from time to time assuming the baseline runner position.

Here we see #1 passing across the top to #2. #5 steps to the ball side short corner area while #4 replaces him on top. #5, by cutting to the short corner area, draws the low defender away from the basket creating a large gap in the middle for the offense to exploit.

#3 becomes the baseline runner and follows the ball to the ball side corner.

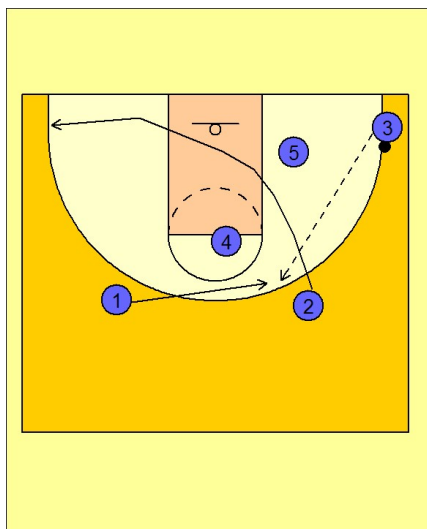
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If #5 should receive the ball in the short corner area, the high post player will always "dive" to the basket into the open area created by #5 stepping to the short corner.

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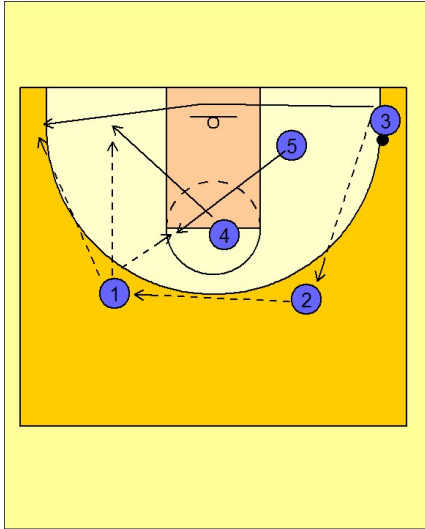


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If #2 passes to #3 in the right corner he MAY cut through and out to the other side of the floor. #1 would then come over and fill the area created by #2 cutting through.

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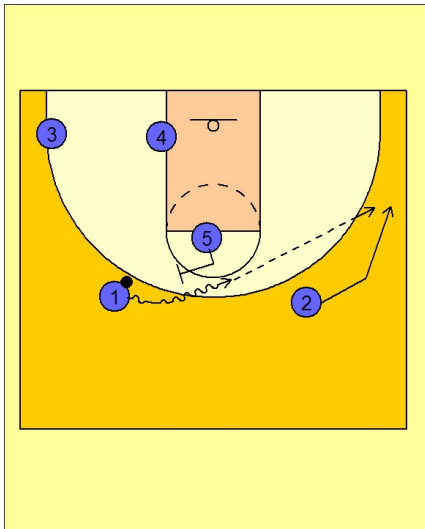
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If #2 stays and does not cut through, #3 will reverse the ball to #2 and #3 will run to the other side of the floor along the baseline. #2 will look to reverse the ball to #1 on the left wing while again, the high post player #4, cuts to the short corner area on the other side of the floor. #5 follows behind by flashing into the high post area.

5



Oklahoma State Zone Offense

At any point, the post players may step out and ball screen for the perimeter. The perimeter players will penetrate the gap off the ball screen looking to score or drive and kick out to a spotting up player.