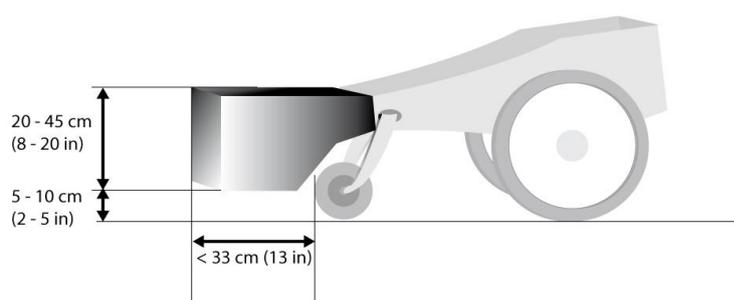


Footguards technical information

The footguard is the primary tool that allows a player to maneuver the ball. It therefore has to be regulated.

FOOTGUARDS



The basic elements of the footguard are thoroughly described on the Laws of the Game, but here is a brief summary:

Powerchair Football is currently played with two types of footguards:

- The Universal Footguard

FIPFA approves this footguard which can be attached to any powerchair. It is constructed of layers of plastic and is a low-cost system that can be used to equip beginners.



- The typical Footguard



This style of footguard is made from hard material, such as metal, and is firmly attached to the frame of the powerchair; consequently, the energy of the ball is not absorbed while striking. It is easy to attach and allows for the best practices of Powerchair Football.

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