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- Sustainable Public Golf facilities



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- More than 20 years experience into golf administration
- Level 3 R&A Rules Official
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Why play golf?

- Golf is a sport that can be practiced at any age, in any time and by everyone.
- Playing golf can provide moderate intensity physical activity and has overall positive associations with physical health and mental wellness, while golf may contribute to increased longevity.

Source: The relationship between golf and health: a scoping review, AD Murray

• Sustainable golf facilities are generating benefits for their social and natural environments.



What does sustainable mean?

- Sustainability was part of golf from the start and must be part of golf in the future. Sustainable courses respect their surroundings and honour the natural environment.
- A public golf development not only needs to be sustainable on the facility itself, it needs to embrace the local community including her in the project.



Where to start?









What area do you need to develop a Pitch & Putt Facility?

Area	+/- 7 ha		
Holes	9		
Туре	Par 3 < 100 yds		
Maximum length	650 yds		
Average length	600 yds		
Construction cost	1.00 to 1.62 million USD		
Time to play	1h 00m		

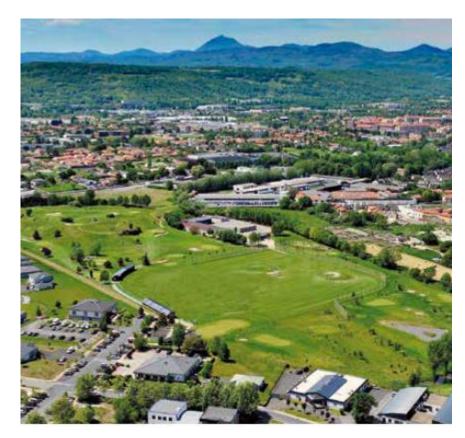




Source: Construire un Golf 2016, French Golf Federation

What area do you need to develop a Compact Facility?

Area	+/- 11 ha		
Holes	9		
Туре	Par 3 & Par 4		
Maximum length	1500 yds		
Average length	1300 yds		
Construction cost	1.25 to 1.87 million USD		
Time to play	1h 30m		

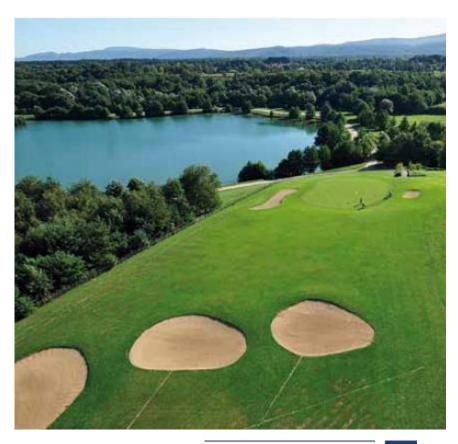




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What area do you need to develop a 9 Hole Facility?

Area	+/- 25 ha	
Holes	9	
Туре	Par 3 & Par 4	
Minimum length	1500 yds	
Average length	2700 yds	
Construction cost	1.25 to 1.87 million USD	
Time to play	2h 00m	

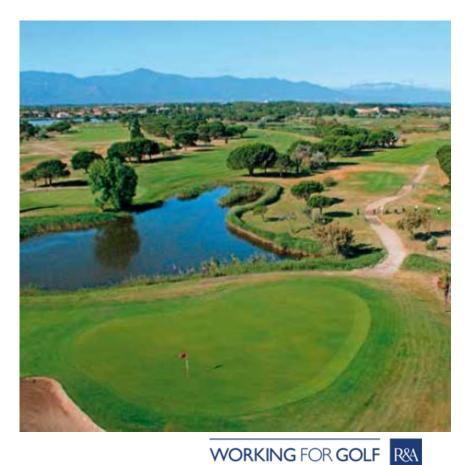




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What area do you need to develop a 18 Hole Facility?

Area	+/- 55 ha
Holes	18
Туре	Par 3 / 4 / 5
Minimum length	3000 yds
Average length	6400 yds
Construction cost	3.75 to 6.25 million USD
Time to play	4h 00m





What is your budget for developing a Public Facility?

Туре	Description	Cost Million US\$
Grass Soccer Field	122 x 75m not illuminated	0.50 to 0.62
Syntetic Soccer Field	122 x 75m not illuminated	1.00 to 1.25
Pitch & Putt Golf	18 holes total 1200 meters	1.00 to 1.62
Compact Golf	18 holes from 1200 to 2750 meters	1.25 to 1.87
Tennis Complex	4 tennis courts + clubhouse	2.50 to 5.00
Artificial Escalade Structure	Room with wall height of 9 m with 24 m of linear floor + annexes + 250 seats spectators	3.37 to 4.00
Golf	18 holes over 2750 meters	3.75 to 6.25
Multisport facility	Playground 44 x 24 m, height 7 m without steps	5.63 to 6.87
Covered Pool	4 to 6-lane swimming pool + recreation pool	15.00 to 16.87

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How do you plan to finance the development and maintenance?

- It is very important to envision a project that you can develop during your time as President or Committee Member of your golf association.
- Others coming in the future might have the desire to move forward but since it was not their vision it could start moving slower than expected.
- International help is possible but take into consideration that tit will cover only a part of the budget, the rest needs to be obtained locally.



Our project





How did we start?

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Where did we go for help?

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What else are we doing there?

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