SPAIN → OCCUPY THREE AND FIND THE POP

CREATE
SIMPLE ACTIONS
BIGGER ADVANTAGES

Michigan vs Tennessee | Clip ID: ADV-113

1 SPAIN SETUP



Michigan flows into Spain action on the left side.

2 SPAIN SCREEN



The Spain screen occupies the backside and creates confusion.

3 DRAWS ALL 3 DEFENDERS



The drive and roll pull all 3 defenders into the action.

4 OPEN 3



4 pops free for an open 3 when the backside communication is late.

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Advantage Offense Final
 # 1 Spain Action Advantages



Big steps up to set ball screen

4 Sets Spain screen on X5 and pops to three point line. 1 reads and hits pop

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TEACHING POINTS

1. Use Spain action to create a three-way conflict.
2. The drive and roll occupy the middle defenders.
3. Poor backside communication leaves the pop uncovered.
4. Read the help — if all 3 defenders are occupied, hit 4.
5. This creates a clean catch-and-shoot 3.

ADVANTAGE CREATED

Poor Backside Communication / All 3 Defenders Occupied

KEY TEACHING CUE

> ***"Occupy three. Find the pop."***

WHY IT WORKS

Spain action forces the defense to communicate through the roll, backscreen, and pop. When the drive and roll pull all 3 defenders into the middle, the pop man becomes available for an open catch-and-shoot 3.

PRACTICE LAB IDEA

Spain Pop Read 3v3

- Start in Spain alignment.
- Drive off the ball screen.
- Roll the 5 and occupy the help.
- Read whether the backside covers the pop.
- Hit the open 4 for the shot.