



ACTION #2

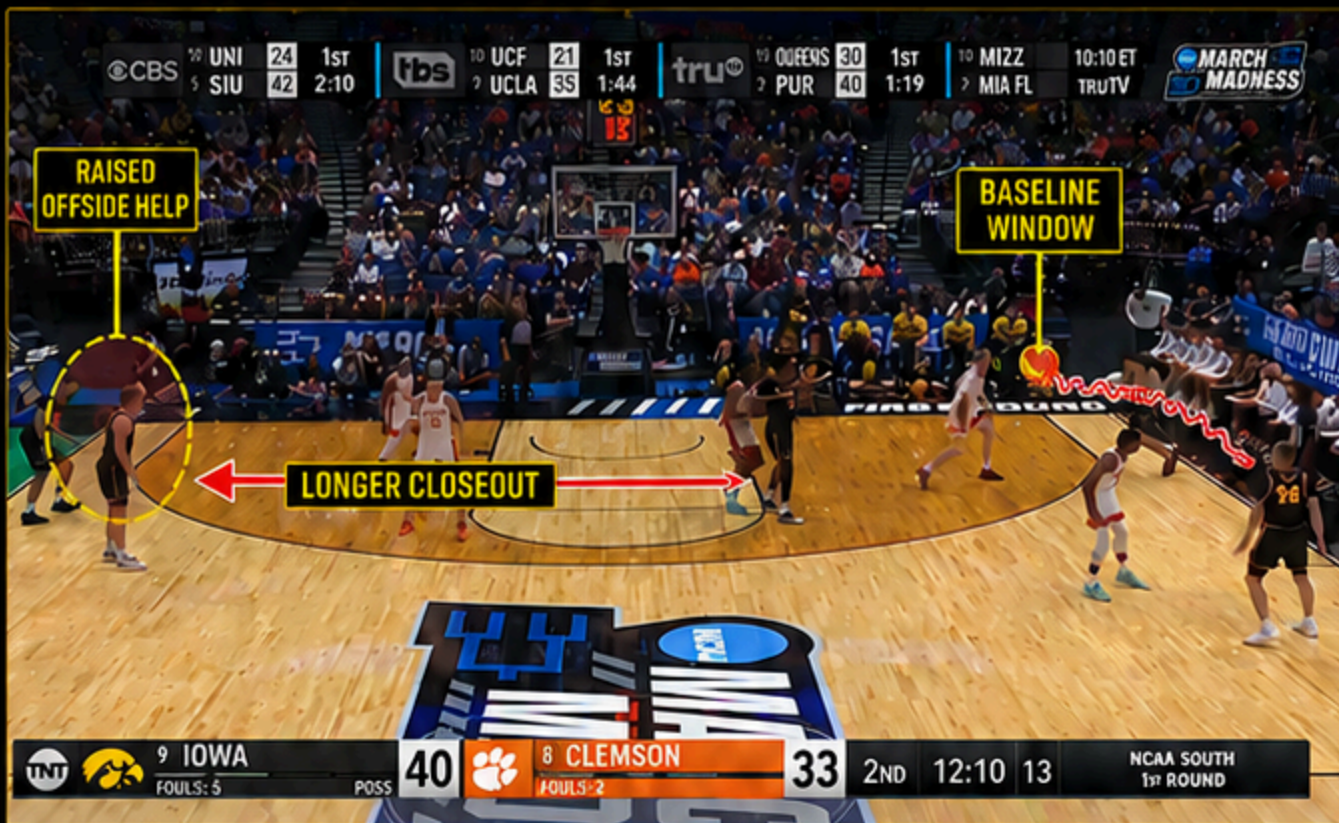
BASELINE DRIVES 2

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ADVANTAGE DNA™

- 1 Defense is loaded to the strong side.
- 2 Iowa lifts the offside help from the corner to the 45 diagonal.
- 3 The diagonal pass forces the shell to shift.
- 4 The catch point changes the closeout distance.
- 5 The longer closeout creates the baseline window.
- 6 3 rips baseline immediately.
- 7 5 dives to the rim and weakside players lift into vision.
- 8 Iowa attacks the over-commitment before the defense can flatten out.

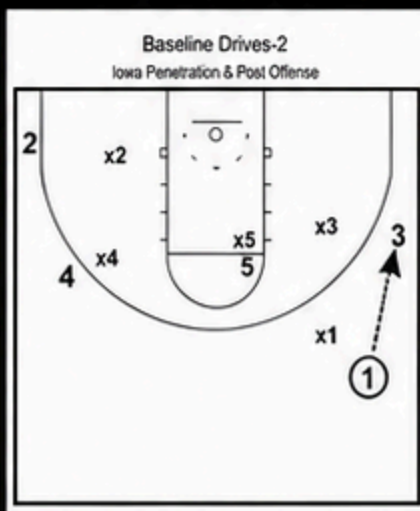
ADVANTAGE FRAME — 12:10 2ND HALF



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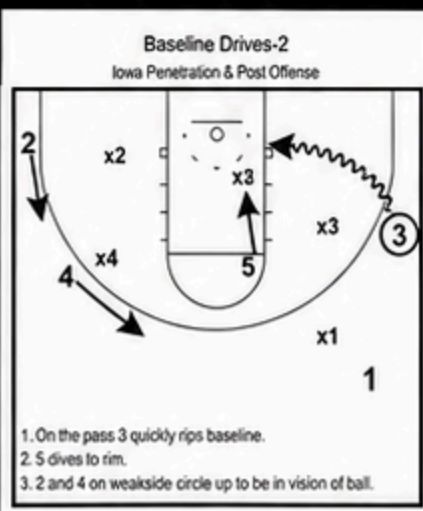
Notice how Clemson's weakside helper is not buried in the corner; he is raised to the 45 diagonal. Because of that lift, the next closeout has more distance and takes longer. The diagonal pass changes the help position, and that extra recovery distance creates the baseline driving window for Iowa.

1. SHIFT THE SHELL



1 throws the pass to 3. The diagonal reversal forces the defense to move and raises the offside helper out of the corner.

2. RIP BASELINE



On the catch, 3 attacks baseline immediately. 5 dives to the rim while 2 and 4 lift on the weakside circle to stay in vision and stretch the help.

3. PLAY THE ADVANTAGE



The raised help now has a longer closeout path. Iowa attacks the moving shell before the defense can recover and flatten out.

COACHING INSIGHTS



WHY IT WORKS

The diagonal pass moves the shell and lifts the offside help. That lifted defender has farther to travel, which creates the baseline window.



DEFENSIVE REACTION

Clemson raises the weakside helper from the corner to the 45 diagonal so the defense can see the ball and tag action earlier.



OFFENSIVE READ

Read the lifted helper. If the closeout has extra distance, catch and attack baseline before the shell can flatten out.



COACHING POINT

Use the diagonal pass to move the help. Skip it, catch it, rip it. The advantage is the longer closeout created by the lifted help.



STEAL THIS IDEA

Lift the offside help before you attack. When the helper has to rise from the corner to the 45, the recovery gets longer. Use the diagonal pass to create that longer closeout, then drive the exposed baseline.

DNA TAKEAWAY

LIFT THE HELP.
LENGTHEN THE CLOSEOUT.
ATTACK THE BASELINE.

