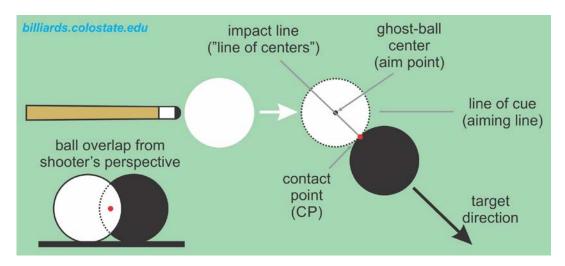
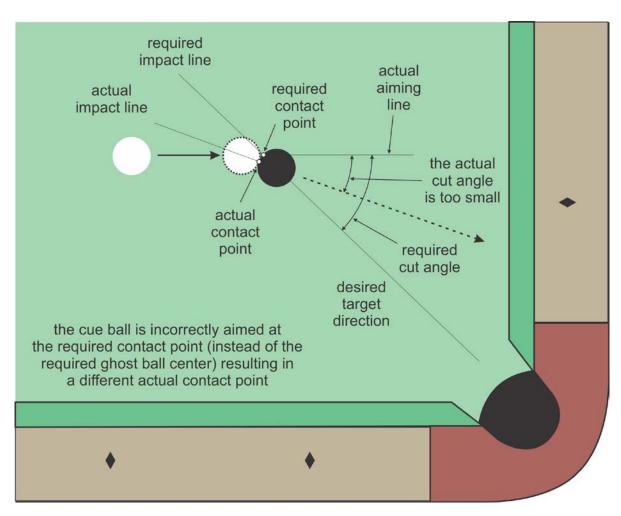
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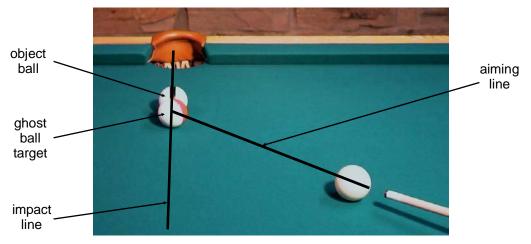


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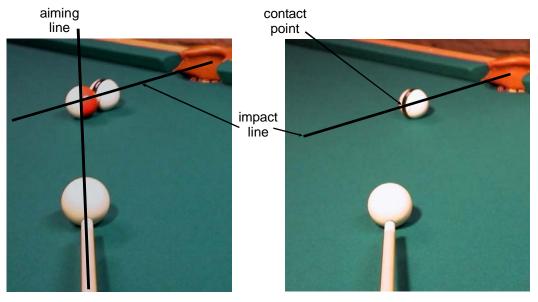


NV 3.1 NV 3.2 lines Practicing contact point and ghost ball visualization Using the cue to help visualize the impact and aiming





a) ghost ball in place (impact line view)



b) ghost ball in place (aiming line view)

c) ghost ball removed (aiming line view)

## **Drill:**

- 1. Have your partner randomly place the CB and OB on the table. Use a striped ball for the OB and have the stripe point to the pocket with the circled number at the necessary contact point.
- 2. Aim the shot to pocket the OB and hold your stance in the "set" position.
- 3. Have your partner accurately place a second striped ball in the GB position with the stripe aligned with the aiming line.
- 4. Adjust your aim, if necessary, based on the GB position.
- 5. Have your partner remove the GB while you hold your aim.
- 6. Pocket the ball.
- 7. Repeat steps 1-6 for various cut angles, distances, positions, pockets, and directions.