

## - Digit based vs Matrix scoreboards

"Digit Scoreboards" may be cheaper than DIYS... and should be!  
Which style to buy is your choice. Here are the facts to help you decide.



Matrix video screens consist of LED lights covering the entire area (top to bottom, left to right).  
Any image can be played depending on your software. Multiple scoreboard layouts, for multiple sports. Advertising, video. Anything.

Digit-based LED (or segments) only have LED lights in certain areas.  
- in the shape of 8s  
- or in rectangle panels to display names

Sold by DIYS

NOT sold by DIYS

**Believe it or not...** Digit-based boards are STILL available. Hundreds are sold in Australia every year. We have even sold a few over the years (to cater for extremely tight budgets).

Councils & Project Managers have the task to buy the cheapest usable option. So we understand their viewpoint.

However, you (the club) need to push hard for what is best long-term for you & your members. Councils want clubs to be more self-sustainable. A video scoreboard with sponsor advertising capabilities is a huge financial advantage to a club.

Style:	<i>Matrix LED scoreboard</i>	<i>Digit-based scoreboard</i>
Size:	12 square metres	14.4 square metres
Pixels:	120,000 colour pixels	16,182 pixels
LED pixel colours:	Full colour (RGB)	Single (1) colour
<b>Pixels per metre (for comparison)</b>	<b>12,000</b>	<b>1,124</b>
Scoreboard functions:	Yes	Yes
Multiple sports:	Yes	No (unless vinyl signs added)
Multiple layouts available:	Yes (with DIYS)	No
Ongoing Software improvements:	Yes (with DIYS)	No
Flexible letter heights to suit visibility:	Yes (with DIYS)	No
Advertising:	Yes	No (only static signage)
Video:	Yes	No

**Summary...** Looking at the pixels per square metre, there are 10 times MORE on a Matrix scoreboard than a Digit-based.

Are Matrix scoreboards 10 times less in price? Half the price??? You will be surprised.

... **your call.**