Genkouyoushi Grids: Square Character Cells for Japanese Writing Practice

Worked example / complete source key

Plan a genkouyoushi grid with 8 columns and 10 rows, using a hypothetical 10 mm square cell and a 4 mm furigana strip beside each cell. What are the writing-area width and height, and the column pitch?

Answer: Column pitch is 10 mm cell plus 4 mm strip = 14 mm. Writing-area width is 8 columns times 14 mm = 112 mm. Writing-area height is 10 rows times 10 mm = 100 mm. These are hypothetical planning values; measure your own paper and printer before use.