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Law-Ruled Paper: Wide Pleading Margin and Numbered Lines

Four layout-and-measurement tasks

Task prompts are the four source exercises; answers and reasoning are on the separate answer page.

Task 1: outer rule 18 mm, inner rule 42 mm. Pleading margin width (mm)? (mm)	

Task 2: first line 25 mm from top, spacing 7 mm. Fourth line position (mm from top)? (mm)	

Task 3: line spacing 10 mm. Midline height above baseline (mm)? (mm)	

Task 4: 12 ruled lines, one number per line. How many numbers, and where does the first sit?	

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Original tasks 1, 2, 3 / blank responses

Task 1

A hypothetical sheet has an outer rule at 18 mm and an inner rule at 42 mm. What is the pleading margin width?

Task 2

The first ruled line is 25 mm from the top and spacing is 7 mm. Where is the fourth ruled line?

Task 3

Line spacing is 10 mm. Using the baseline-to-midline convention, what is the midline height above the baseline?

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Original tasks 4 / blank responses

Task 4

A sheet has 12 ruled lines. If line numbers are placed one per line in the pleading margin, how many numbers are needed, and where should the first number sit?