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Ordinary topic reference / separately checked pixels



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Original worked example / unchanged complete key

Prompt: Draw a salmon with total length 12 cm. Use the lesson proportions: deepest point at L/3, body depth L/4, peduncle L/10, dorsal base center at L/3 with base length L/6, pelvic at L/2, anal at 2L/3, adipose at 7L/8. Add a scale pattern with stroke length about L/20.

Answer: Center line 12 cm. Deepest point at 4 cm from the head. Body depth 3 cm there. Peduncle depth 1.2 cm. Dorsal base center at 4 cm, base length 2 cm. Pelvic base at 6 cm. Anal base at 8 cm. Adipose at 10.5 cm. Scale stroke length about 0.6 cm, staggered rows from shoulder to tail, leaving head and fin bases clear.