Draw the Letter A: Block and Serif Construction

Original task 1 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 1

Construct a block A with cap height 40 mm, leg spread 24 mm, stroke width 4 mm, and crossbar height 12 mm. State the crossbar-to-cap-height ratio.

Keep the original task measurements. Use the full drawing sheet in this PDF for a response needing more room; use the stated paper size when a task specifies larger paper.

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Original task 2 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 2

Construct a serif A with cap height 60 mm, leg spread 36 mm, thick left leg 8 mm, thin right leg 4 mm, crossbar height 20 mm, and foot serifs 8 mm long. Describe how to check serif consistency.

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Original task 3 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 3

A block A has cap height 50 mm and leg spread 30 mm. Calculate the leg-spread-to-cap-height ratio and explain how to use it as a proportion check.

Keep the original task measurements. Use the full drawing sheet in this PDF for a response needing more room; use the stated paper size when a task specifies larger paper.

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Original task 4 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 4

You are drawing a serif A and the left foot serif measures 9 mm while the right foot serif measures 7 mm. Your chosen serif length is 8 mm. State the fix and the check you would perform after correcting it.

Keep the original task measurements. Use the full drawing sheet in this PDF for a response needing more room; use the stated paper size when a task specifies larger paper.

Full drawing sheet / reusable blank workspace

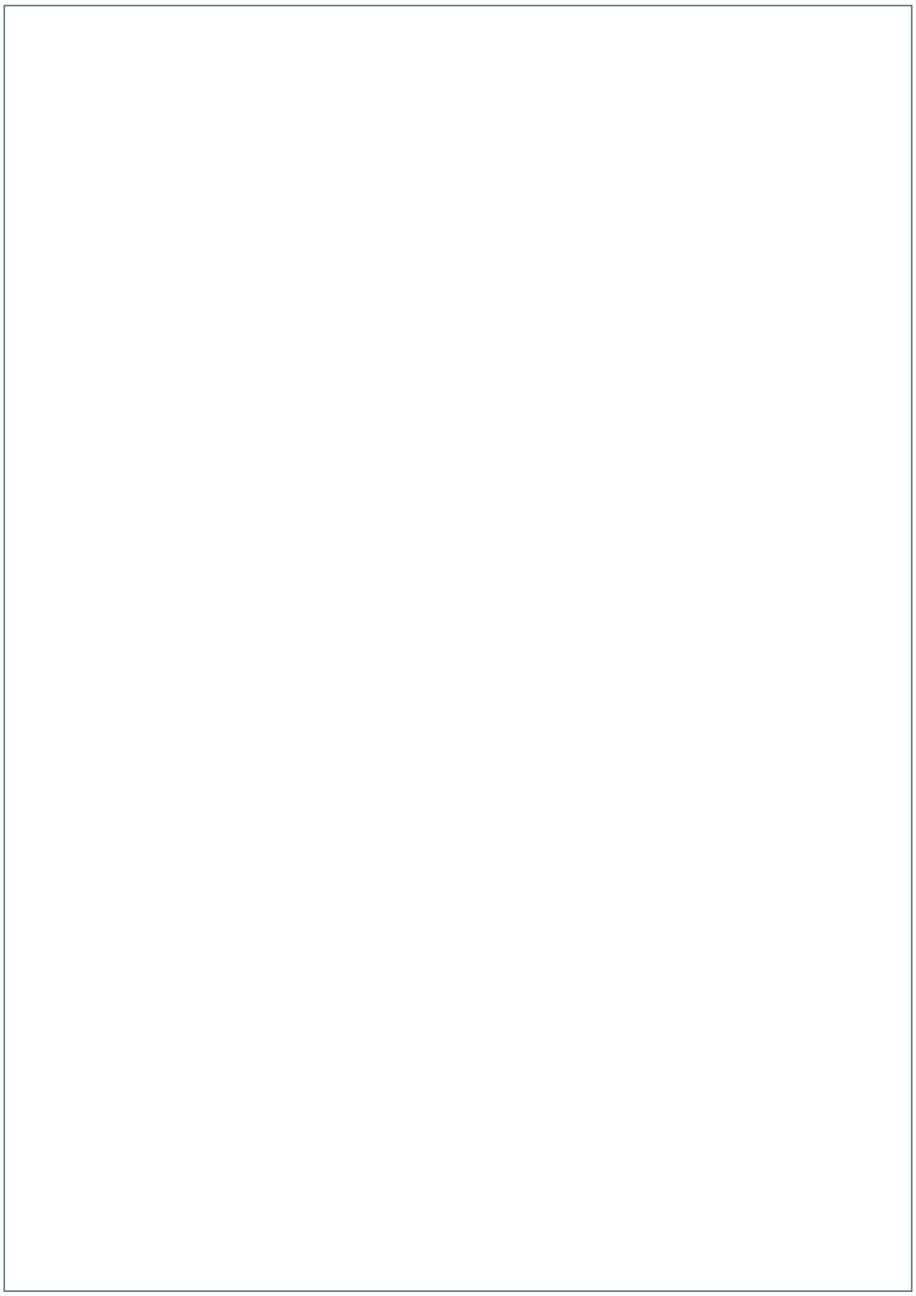
Reusable full drawing sheet for Tasks 1 to 4. Print another copy when needed. Keep all original task measurements; if a task specifies larger paper, use that paper size.

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Task 1 / practice

A construction / all labelled mm print 1:1 / foot spread is between skeleton marks

Independent lettering area / draw your own letters and checks.

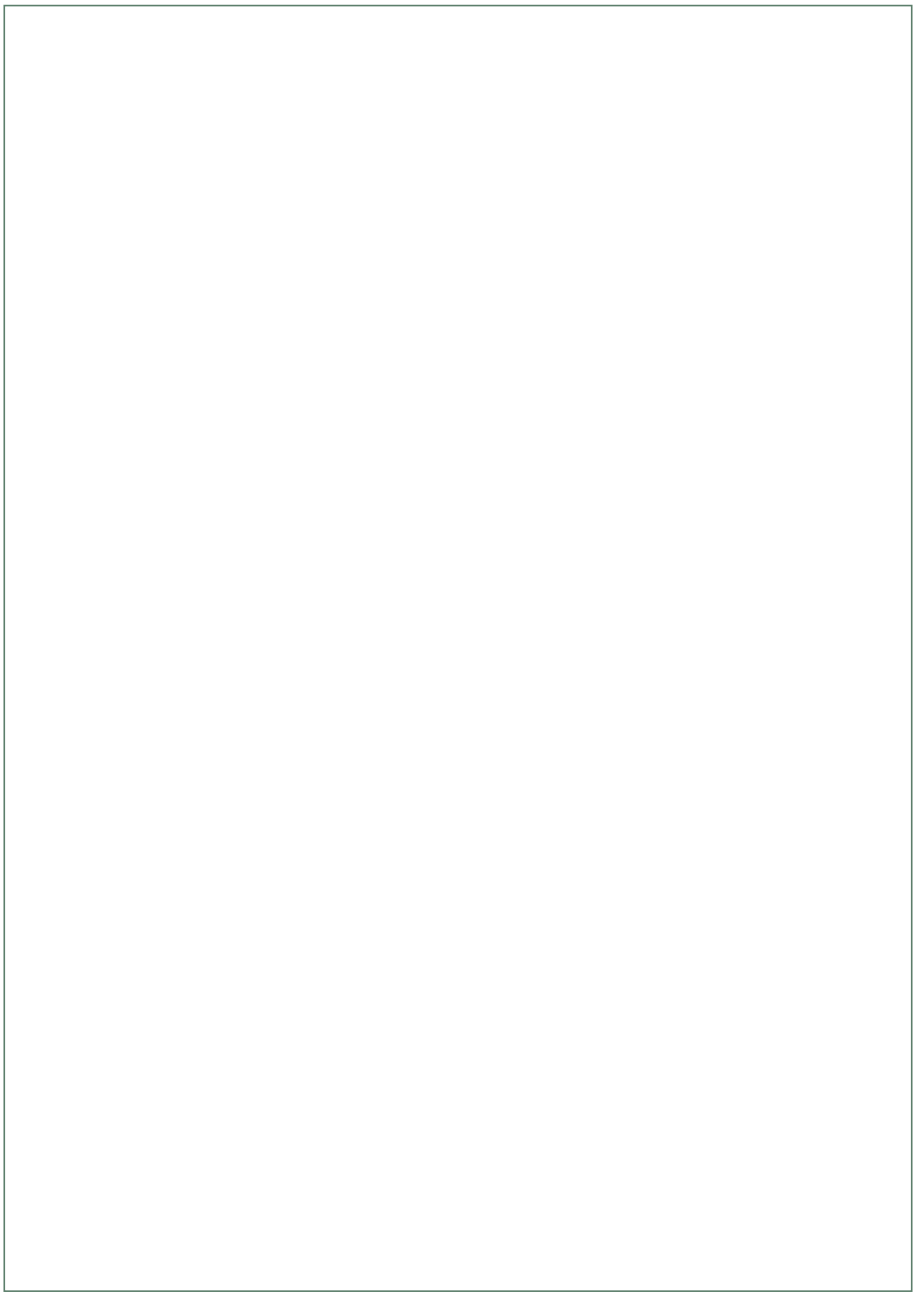


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Task 2 / practice

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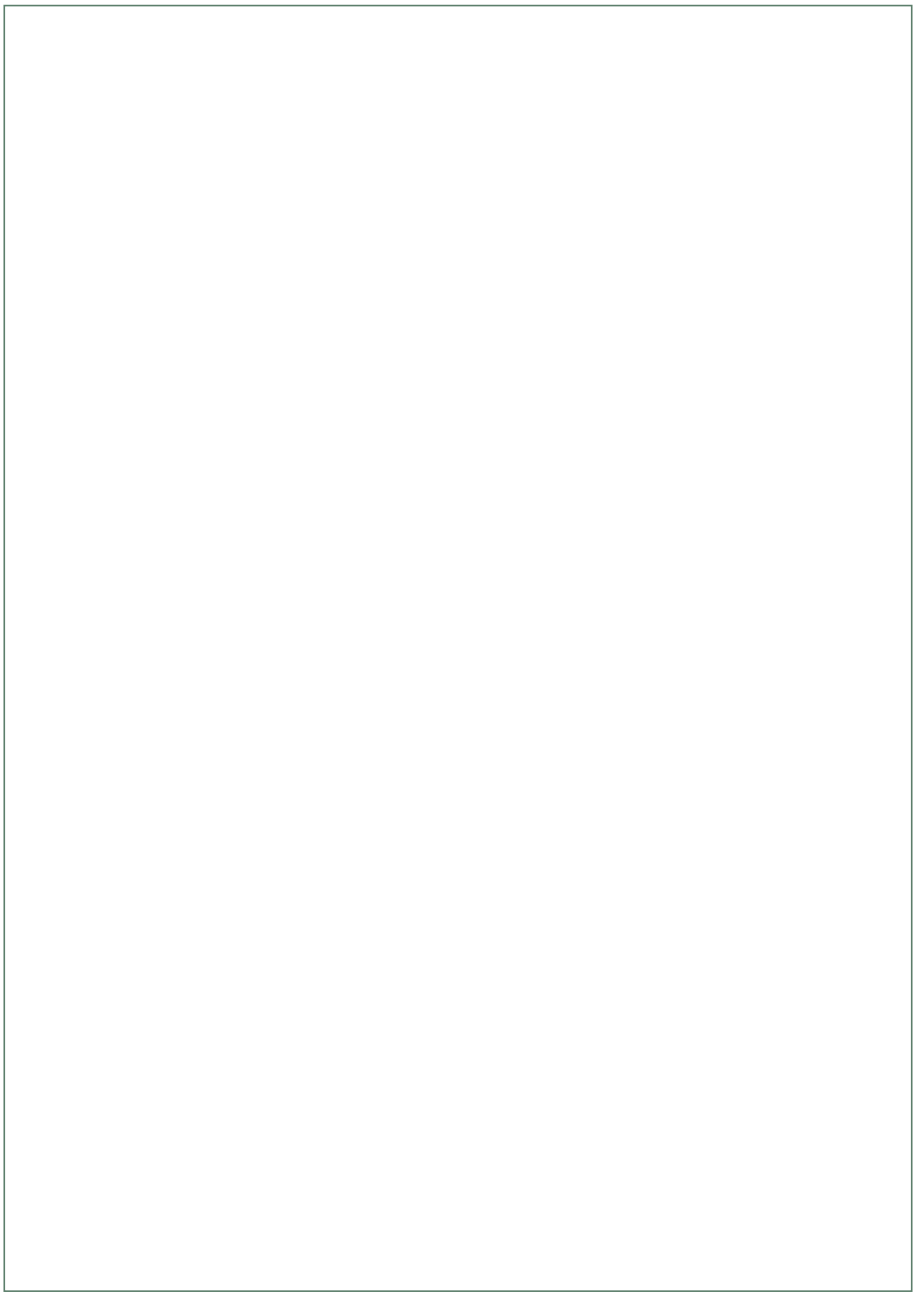


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Task 3 / practice

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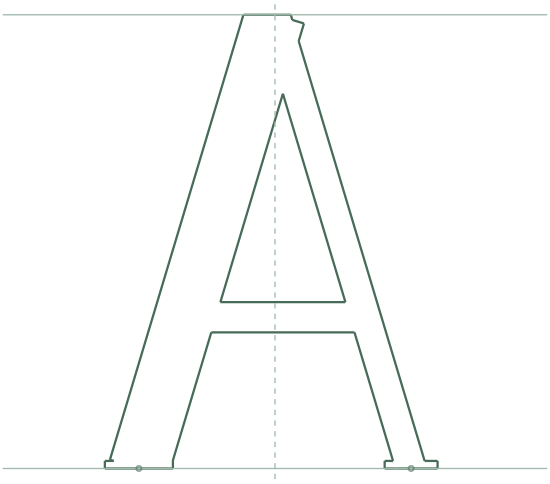
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Task 4 / practice

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GIVEN foot serif lengths: left 9 mm, right 7 mm. Compare each with the selected 8 mm target. Other dimensions are a chosen continuation of the earlier construction.