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Ordinary topic reference / separately checked pixels



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Original worked example / unchanged complete key

Prompt: Compose the four-letter word BOLD on a panel 180 mm wide with 20 mm left and right margins. Use hypothetical letter widths of 25 mm each and three gaps of 15 mm each. Check total width and margin fit.

Answer: Total letter width is 4 times 25 mm, or 100 mm. Total gap width is 3 times 15 mm, or 45 mm. Total word width is 145 mm. Available panel width is 180 mm minus 40 mm margins, or 140 mm. The word is 5 mm too wide, so reduce each gap by about 1.7 mm or reduce one letter width by 5 mm. After adjustment, re-add widths and gaps to confirm the total is 140 mm or less.