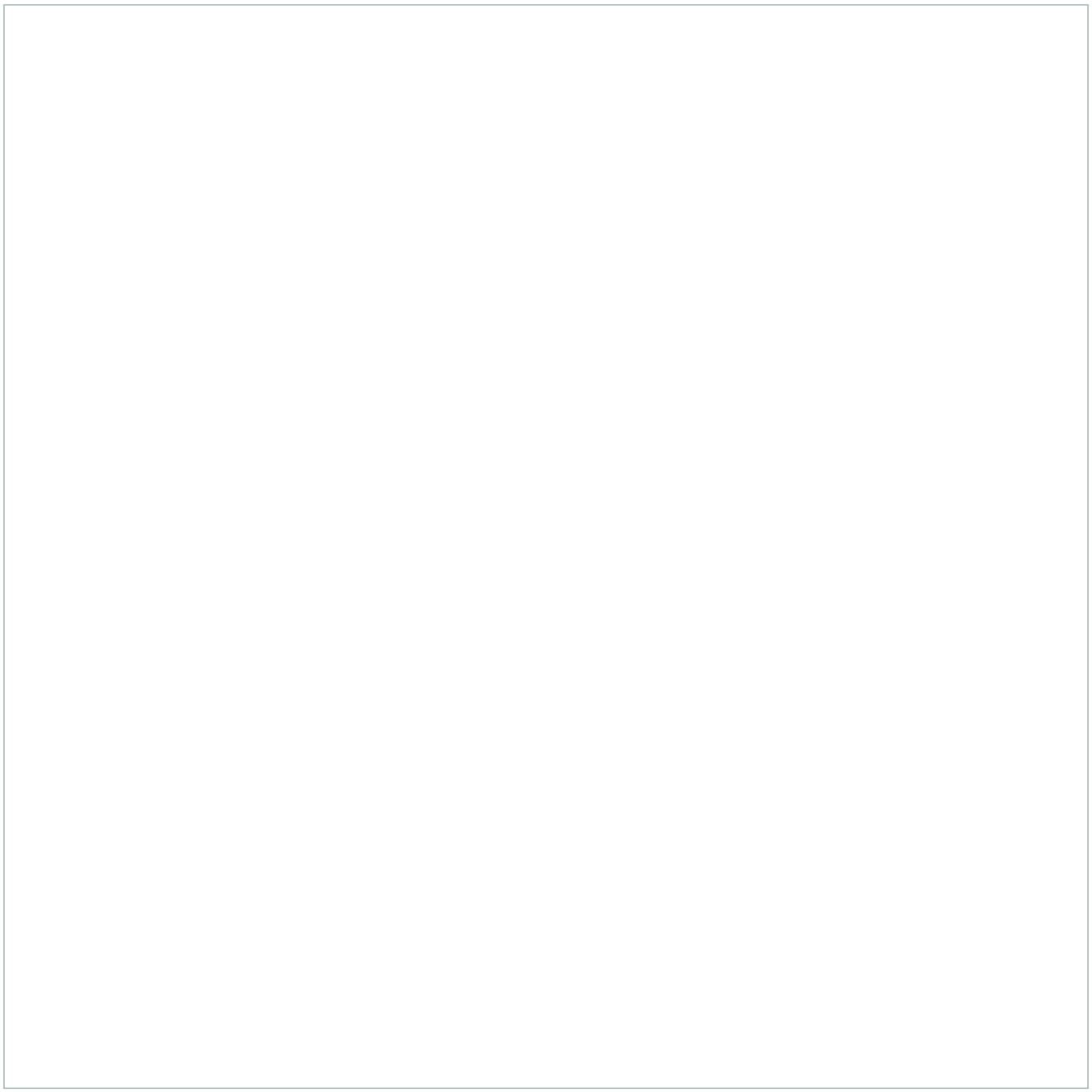
Pencil Peacock Drawing: Feather Layering and Tail-Fan Shading

Original task 1 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 1

Draw a peacock body contour only: tilted oval 5 cm long, head circle 1.5 cm wide above and forward, curved neck, triangular beak, eye one-third from beak side. Add fan center and two guides 80 degrees apart. Do not layer feathers.

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

On a fan shape with center marked, draw three feather layers: large outer teardrops, medium inner feathers overlapping by one-third, small inner feathers near center. Keep overlap direction consistent. No shading.

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 3 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 3

Make a five-value tonal strip on scrap paper. Then shade a fan shape darkest at the rim, medium in the middle ring, lightest at the center. Keep overlap lines visible.

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

Draw a complete pencil peacock using the full sequence: contour, three feather layers, fan shading, body shading, and final outline refinement. Use a fan width that fits your paper and note your chosen measurements.

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.