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Prompt: On a 10 cm square panel, draw a fur region on the left and a scale region on the right, separated by a vertical boundary. Use tapered fur strokes at 8 per square centimetre and staggered scales at 4 per square centimetre (hypothetical values).

Answer: The left half shows short tapered strokes flowing downward, spaced evenly. The right half shows a staggered grid of rounded rectangles sized so that approximately 4 scales occupy each square centimetre (hypothetical value), with a shadow stroke under each lower edge. The boundary is clean: no fur stroke crosses into the scale region, and no scale outline enters the fur region. Density contrast is visible: fur reads darker due to overlapping strokes, scales read lighter due to open outlines.