Upside-Down Horse Head Drawing: A Perceptual Orientation Exercise

Original task 1 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 1

In an inverted frame 10 cm wide and 14 cm tall, draw a horse head with these hypothetical proportions: face wedge x-height 5 pencil-widths, cheek oval x-height 3, ears x-height 1.5 each, muzzle loop x-height 1.5. Place the muzzle near the bottom and ears near the top. Describe your drawing and state one orientation 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 2 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 2

An inverted frame is 8 cm wide and 12 cm tall. Draw a horse head where the face wedge x-height is 4 pencil-widths and the cheek oval x-height is 2. The ears are x-height 1 each and sit 1 pencil-width below the top edge. The muzzle loop is x-height 1 and sits 1 pencil-width above the bottom edge. Describe the drawing and give one proportional check.

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Original task 3 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 3

In an inverted frame 14 cm wide and 18 cm tall, draw a horse head with face wedge x-height 7 pencil-widths, cheek oval x-height 3.5, ears x-height 2 each, and muzzle loop x-height 2. The ears sit 2 pencil-widths below the top edge. The muzzle sits 2 pencil-widths above the bottom edge. Describe the drawing and state one line-direction check.

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Original task 4 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 4

An inverted frame is 9 cm wide and 13 cm tall. Draw a horse head with face wedge x-height 6 pencil-widths, cheek oval x-height 3, ears x-height 1.5 each, and muzzle loop x-height 1.5. Place the cheek oval on the left side of the face wedge. The ears sit 1.5 pencil-widths below the top edge. The muzzle sits 1.5 pencil-widths above the bottom edge. Describe the drawing and give one consistency check for units.

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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.