Perspective Drawing of a Black Bear with Foreshortened Body

Original task 1 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 1

A bear faces directly toward the viewer. Its shoulder width is 8 cm in your drawing. The front paws are 2 cm apart. Draw the bear with a foreshortened body and place the paws. Use a vanishing point directly behind the bear.

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

A bear walks away from the viewer at a slight angle. Its body length is 12 cm. The rear paws are 4 cm apart. Draw the bear with foreshortening and place the paws so the rear paws are nearest the viewer.

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Original task 3 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 3

A bear stands with one front paw lifted. The body length is 9 cm. The lifted paw is 1 cm above the ground line. Draw the bear in perspective with the lifted paw foreshortened and the other three paws on the ground.

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Original task 4 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 4

A bear is drawn in one-point perspective with the vanishing point 15 cm to the left of its center. The body length is 11 cm. Draw the bear with a foreshortened body and four paws, then check that near-side paws are larger than far-side paws and that front paws are larger than rear paws within each side.

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.