How to Draw a Practice Swimsuit: Straps, Seams, and Body-Fit

Original task 1 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 1

Draw a front-view swimsuit with halter straps. Use a torso rectangle 10 cm wide and 16 cm tall, with the baseline at the bottom edge and the midline 8 cm above the baseline. Place front strap points 2 cm from centerline at midline height, and back strap points 3 cm from centerline 1 cm above midline. Show each strap as two parallel lines with a 0.4 cm gap. Add two side seams.

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Original task 2 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 2

Draw a front-view swimsuit with crossed back straps. Use a torso rectangle 11 cm wide and 17 cm tall, with the baseline at the bottom edge and the midline 8.5 cm above the baseline. Place front strap points 2.5 cm from centerline at midline height. The straps cross at the centerline 2 cm above the midline (10.5 cm above the baseline). Show each strap as two parallel lines with a 0.5 cm gap. Add one front princess seam as a dashed line.

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Original task 3 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 3

Draw a front-view swimsuit with straight straps and a front princess seam. Use a torso rectangle 12 cm wide and 18 cm tall, with the baseline at the bottom edge and the midline 9 cm above the baseline. Place front strap points 3 cm from centerline at midline height, and back strap points 4 cm from centerline 1 cm above midline. Show each strap as two parallel lines with a 0.5 cm gap. Add two side seams and two short tension cues per side.

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Original task 4 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 4

Draw a front-view swimsuit with a single shoulder strap and only one side seam (omit the second side seam), marking the omitted seam with a dashed guide. Use a torso rectangle 9 cm wide and 15 cm tall, with the baseline at the bottom edge and the midline 7.5 cm above the baseline. Place the single strap front point 2 cm from centerline at midline height, and the back point 3 cm from centerline 1 cm above the midline. Show the strap as two parallel lines with a 0.4 cm gap. Draw one solid side seam on one side and mark where the omitted seam would be with a dashed guide.

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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.