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Topic reference / ordinary illustration



Ordinary topic reference. Hypothetical dimensions in the four tasks are supplied in their own text; this illustration is not their measured answer.

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Worked example / complete source key

Draw a standing skier facing left, holding two poles, with skis parallel on a snow line. Use only contour edges and one line weight. Include the helmet, jacket hem, boot cuffs, and ski bindings as internal edges where visible.

Answer: A completed contour study shows the skier's silhouette against the snow line, with parallel ski edges, pole lines reaching the baseline, and clear gaps where the left arm crosses the torso. Internal edges include the jacket hem, boot cuffs, and binding edges. No shading or motion lines appear. The hip midline is roughly halfway between the snow line and the helmet top, labeled as a hypothetical 1:1 ratio for this pose.