Men's shorts after Harry Simons, Drafting Trousers (1945)

Print at 100 % ("actual size"). Check the 10 cm square. 4 rows x 6 columns: trim, lay out by row/column, tape.

Sizes, his Regular Men's Proportions (p.13): W32 81 cm/97 cm, W34 86 cm/102 cm, W36 91 cm/107 cm,
W38 97 cm/112 cm, W40 102 cm/114 cm, W42 107 cm/117 cm (waist / seat).

Seams, ease and his 1 1/2 in. hem are on the pattern. Leg 11 in. (28 cm) below the crotch for a 32 in. inseam;

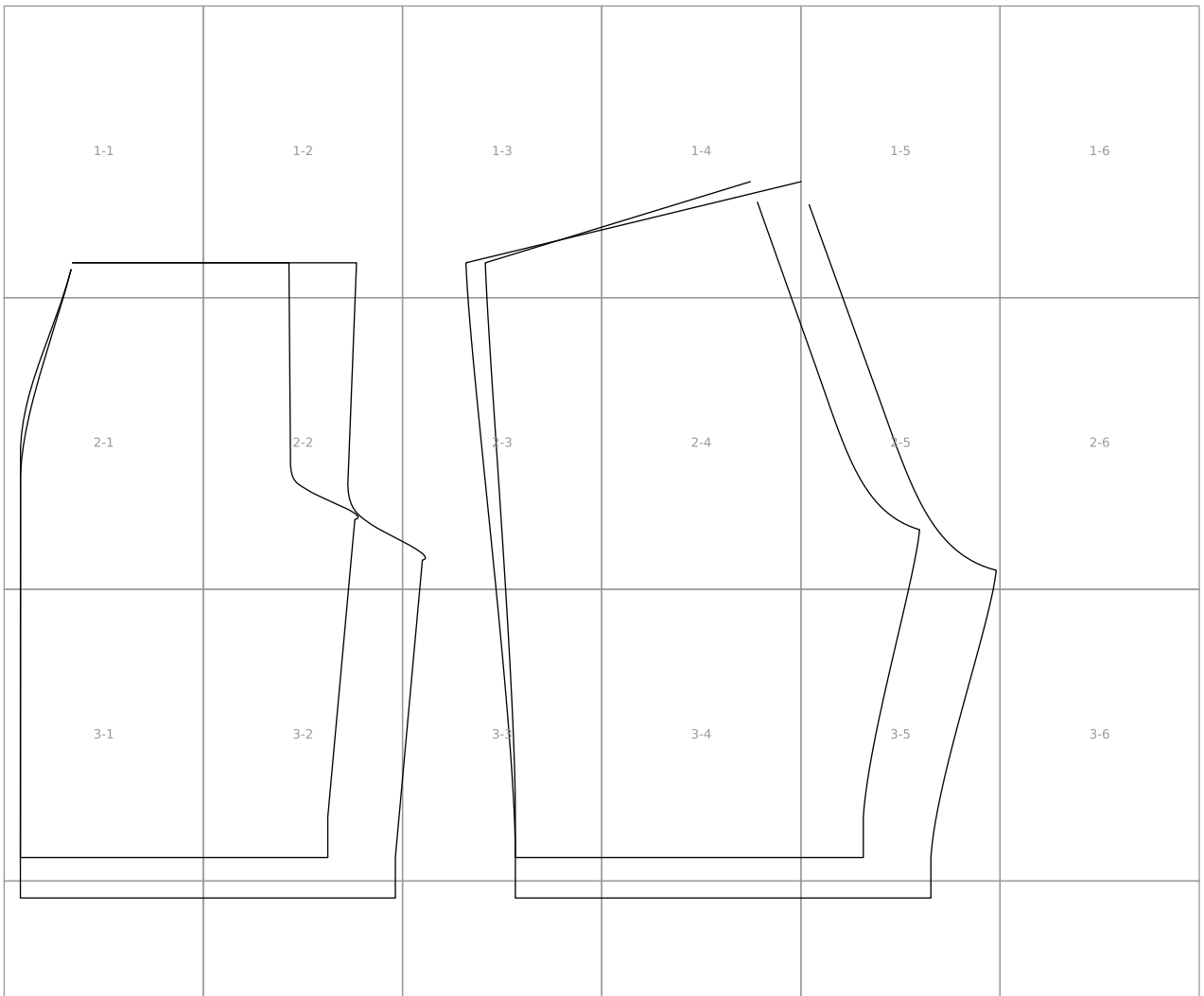
his rule: 1/4 in. longer or shorter for every inch of inseam over or under 32 (also on the rise).

Waistband (ours; his rise allows a 2 in. band): 2 strips 12 cm wide, half your waist + 5 cm long, folded.

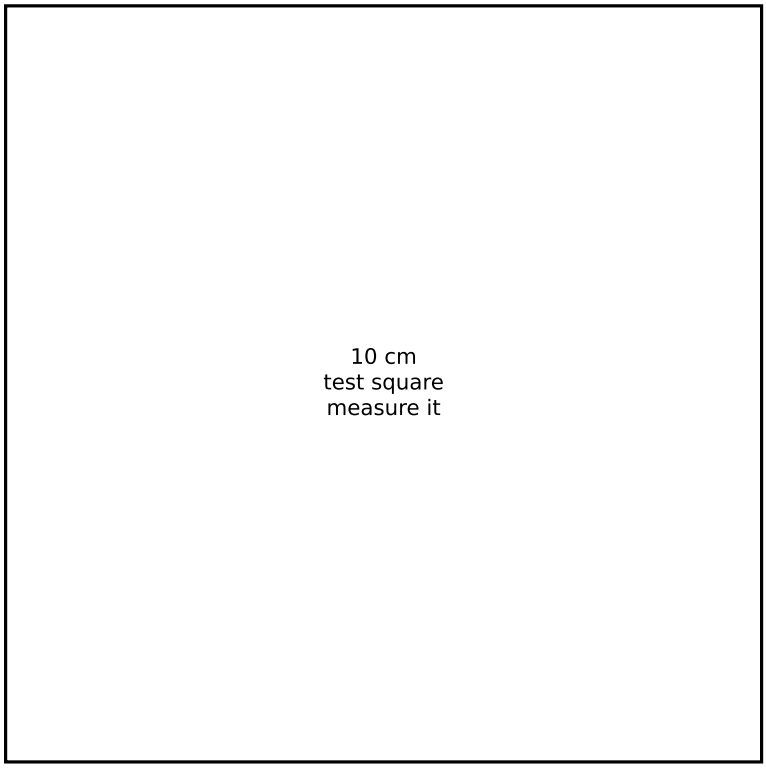
Cloth, 150 cm wide (ours): W32 1.1 m, W34 1.1 m, W36 1.1 m, W38 1.2 m, W40 1.2 m, W42 1.3 m.

Ours, not Simons's: curve shapes, the vee length (3 in.), the waistband size, the layout.

His "outside seam 4-5-7" is read V-5-7, as his figure shows; no hip pocket (its height is not given).



row 1 - column 1

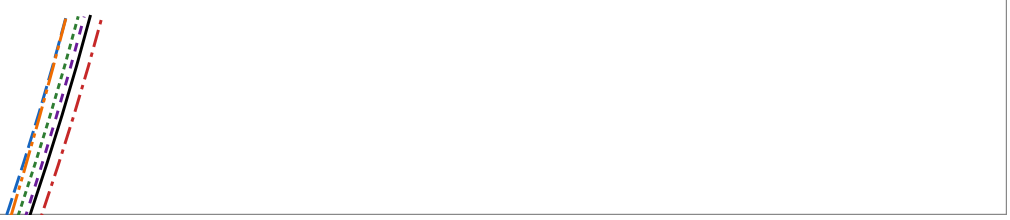


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W32: waist 81 cm, seat 97 cm

W38: waist 97 cm, seat 112 cm

V on the back = vee (1/4 in.). Dotted = hem fold.



row 1 - column 2

ONS (1945), his regular men's sizes nested. Cut on your size line.

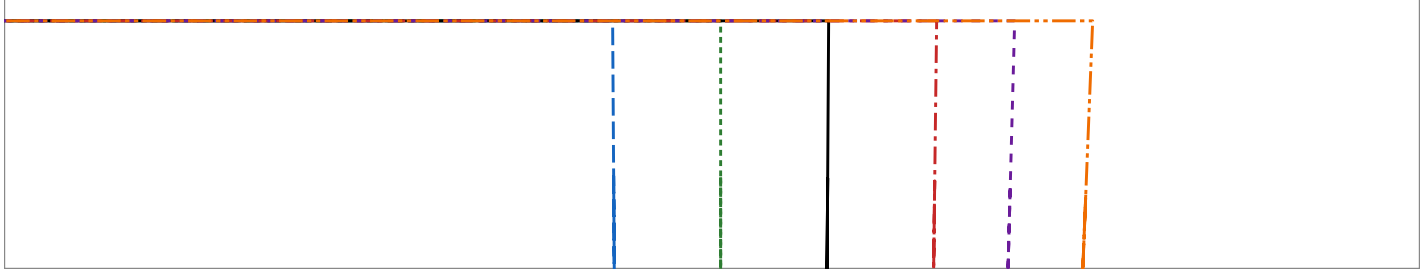
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n, seat 112 cm

W34: waist 86 cm, seat 102 cm

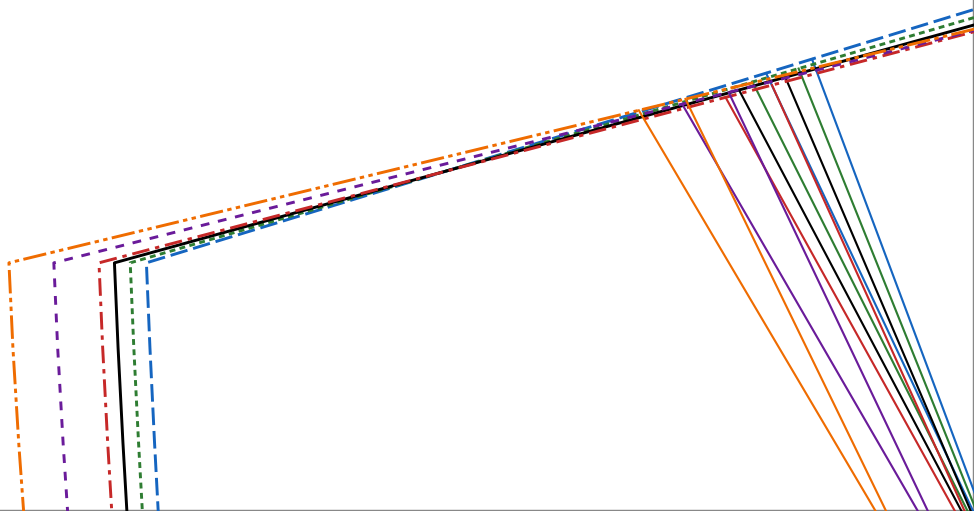
W40: waist 102 cm, seat 114 cm

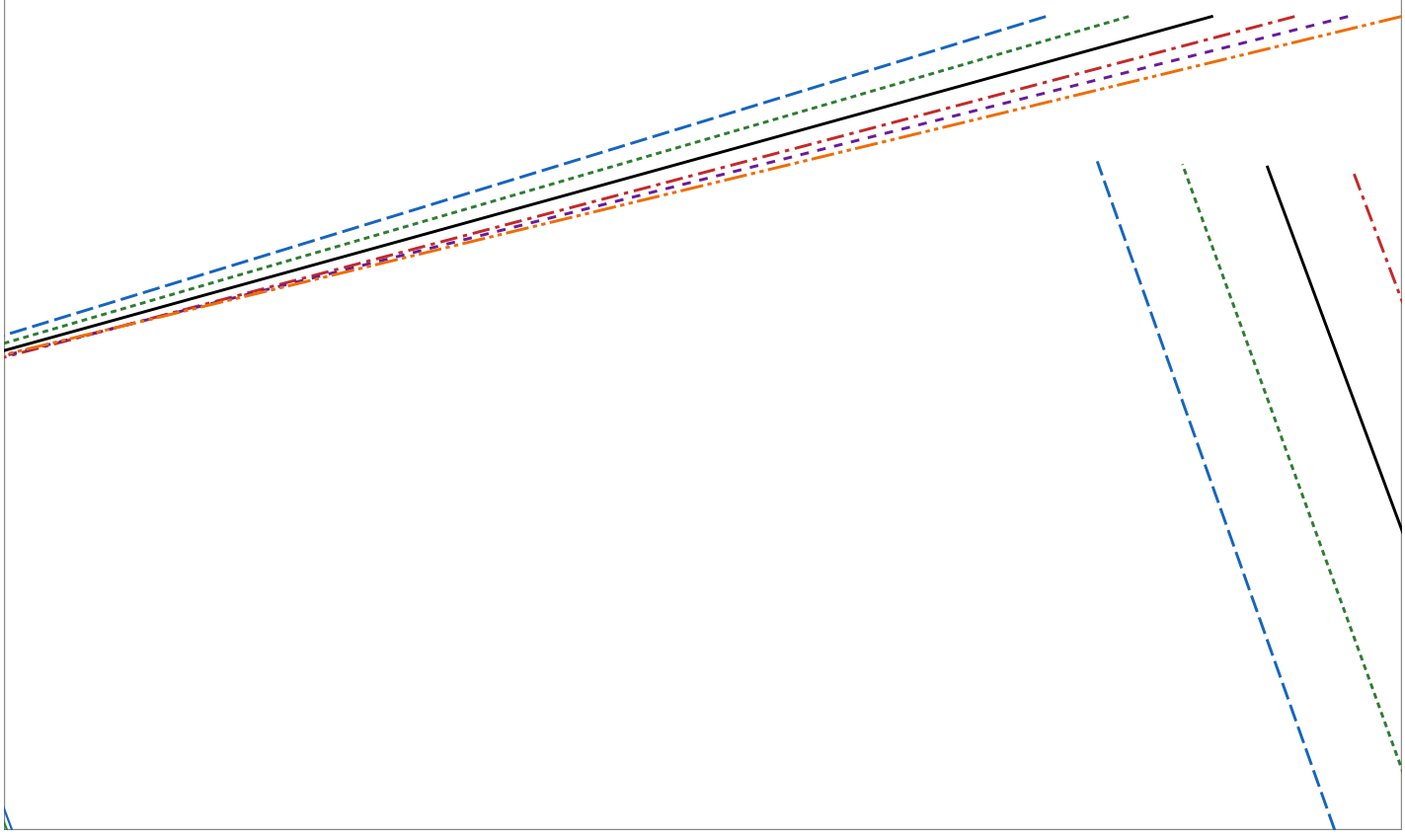
d = hem fold.

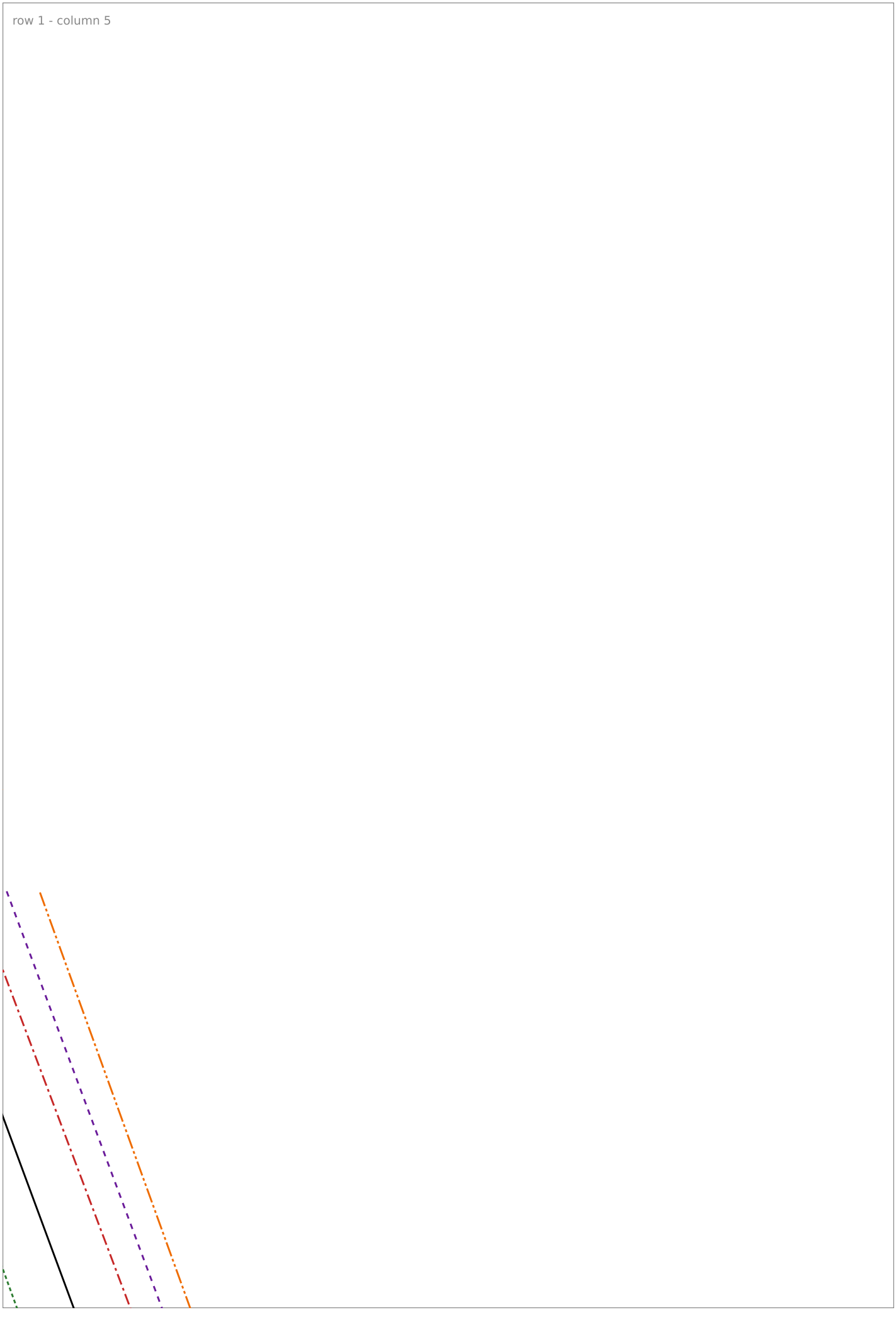


W36: waist 91 cm, seat 107 cm

W42: waist 107 cm, seat 117 cm

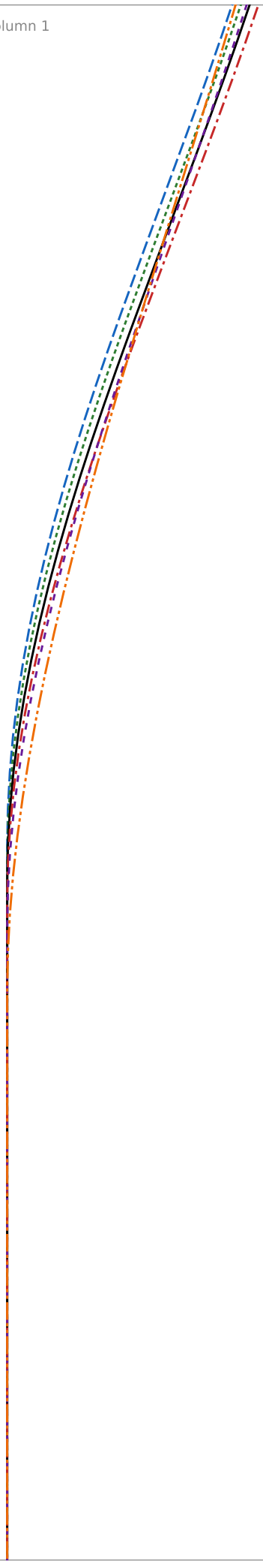





row 1 - column 5

row 1 - column 6

row 2 - column 1



1 FRONT

cut 2 (a pair)

seams and ease on (Simons p.1

hem 1 1/2 in. (4 cm) on, his

GRAIN

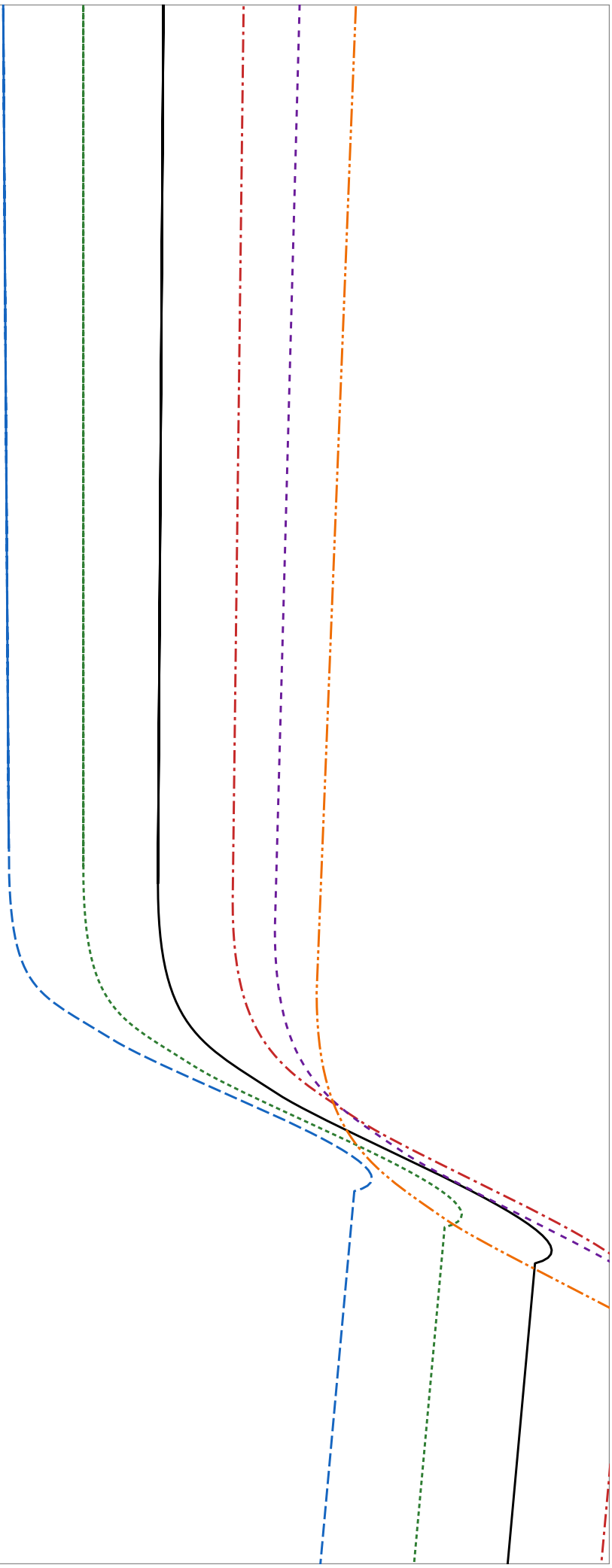
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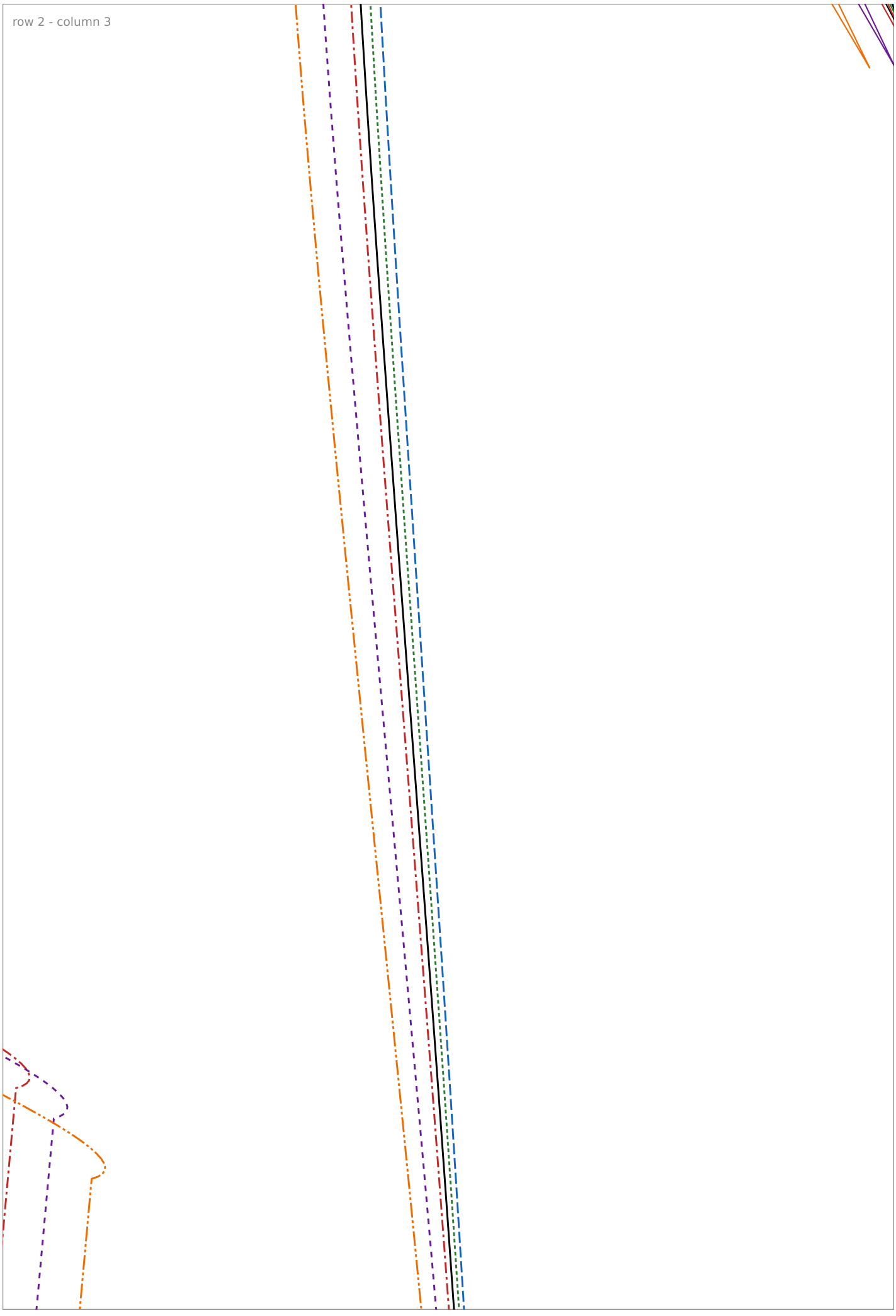
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row 2 - column 3

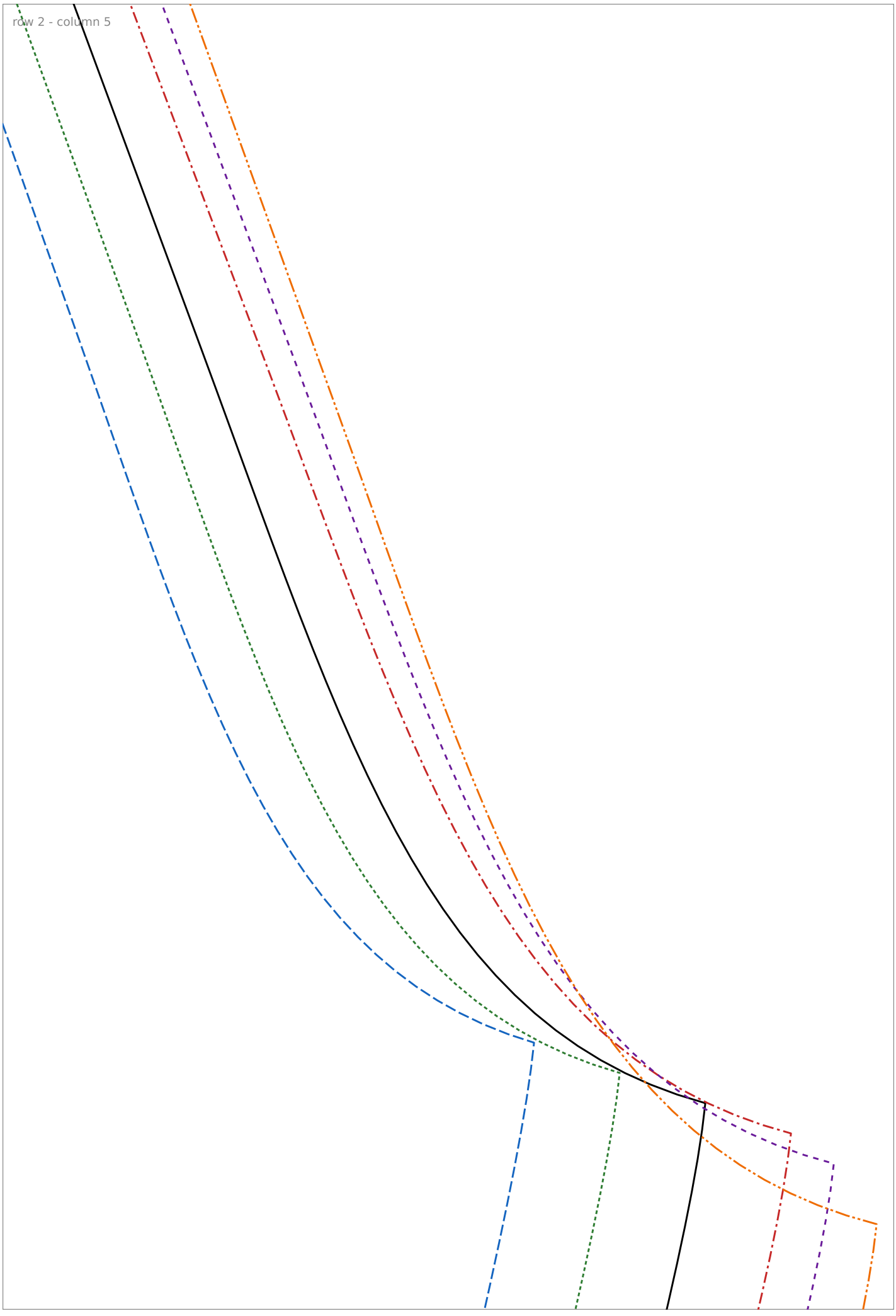
2 BACK

cut 2 (a pair); one vee

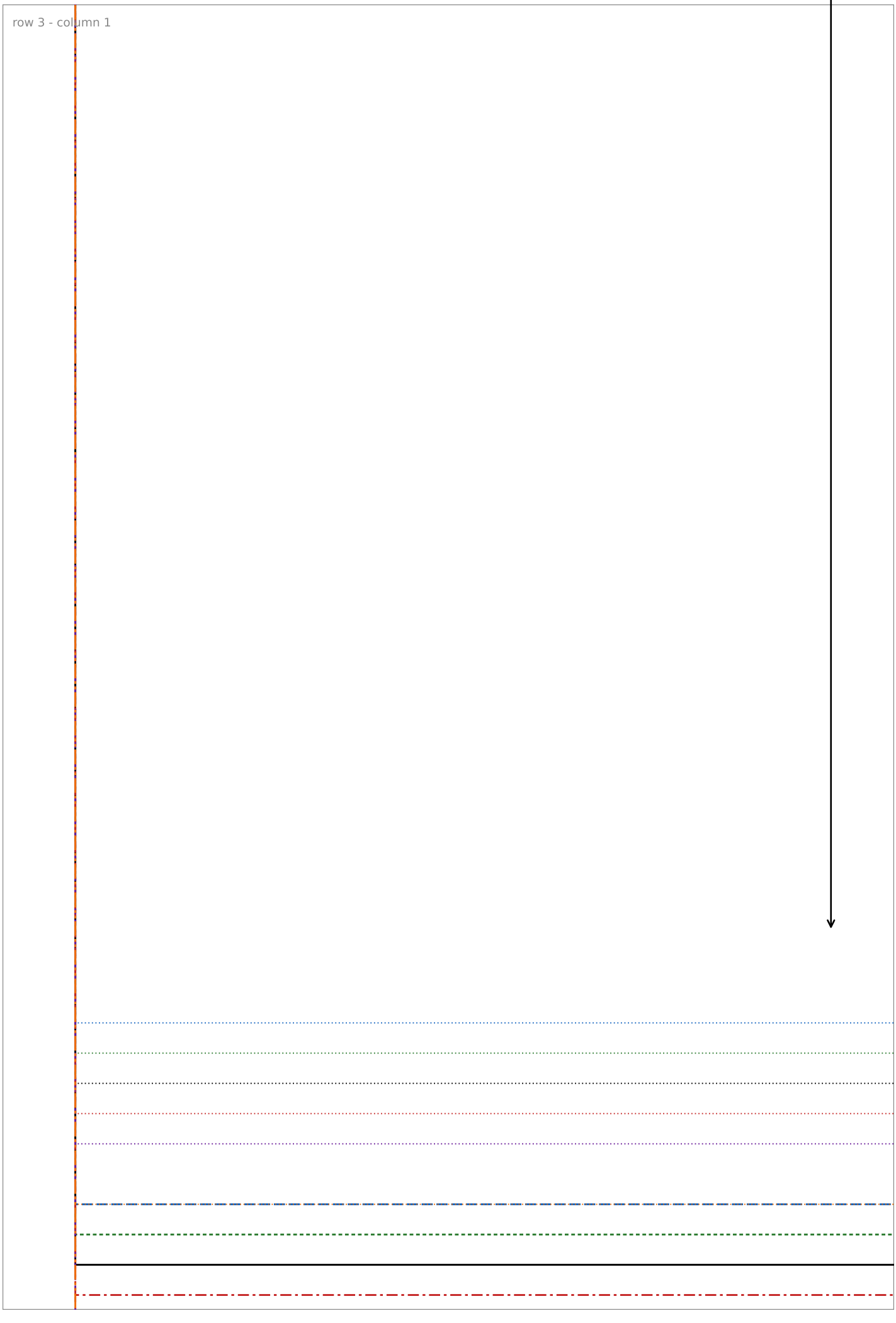
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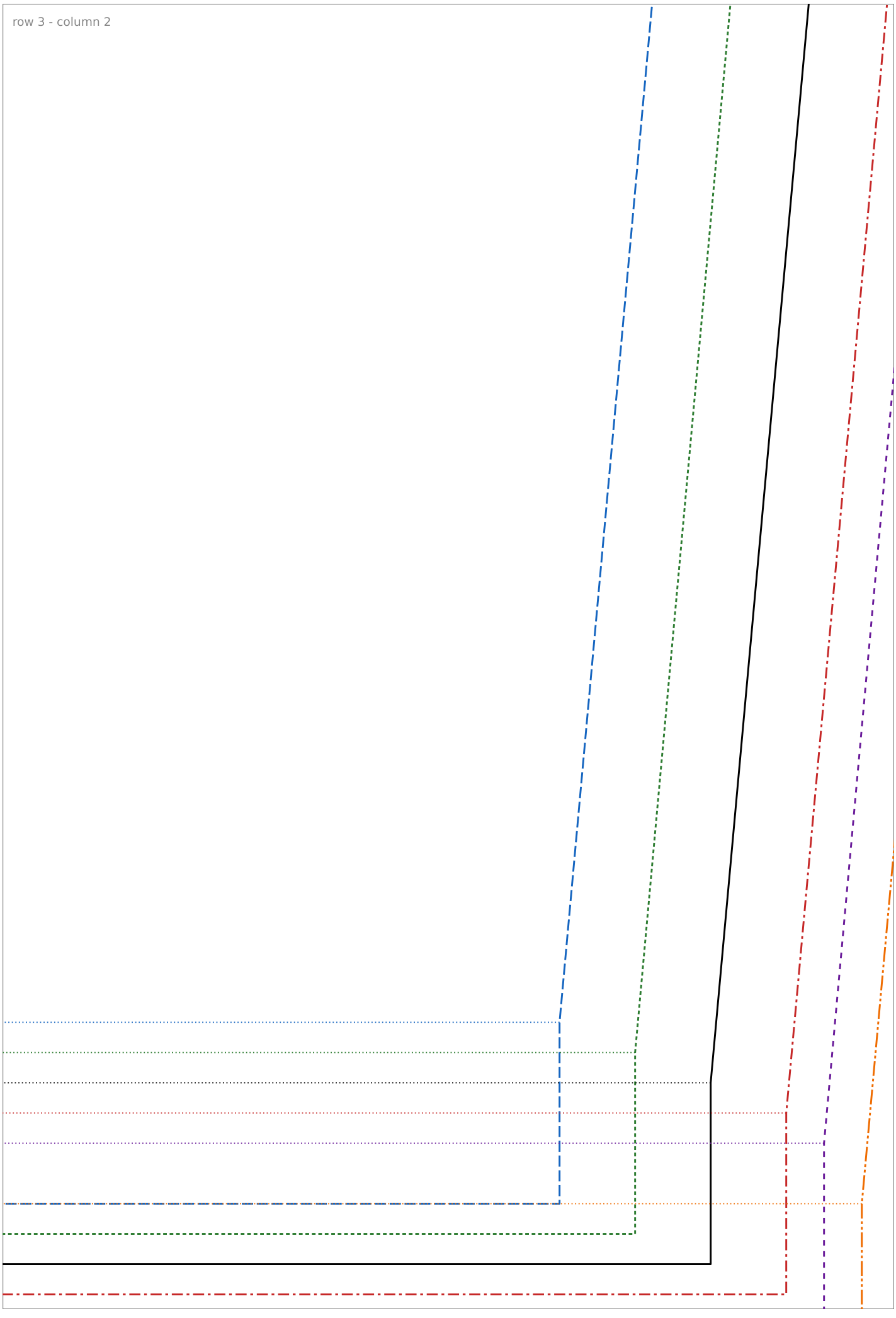
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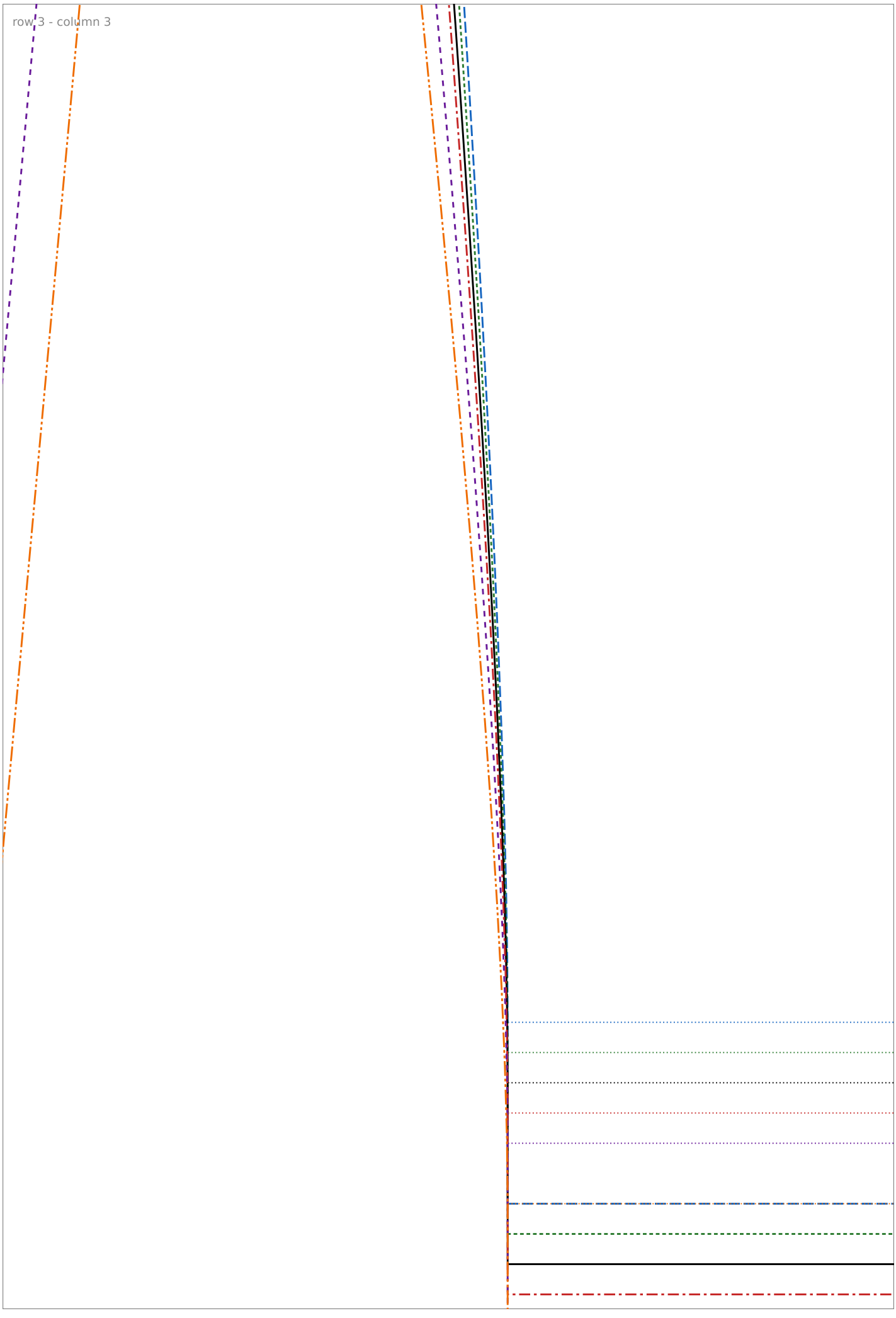
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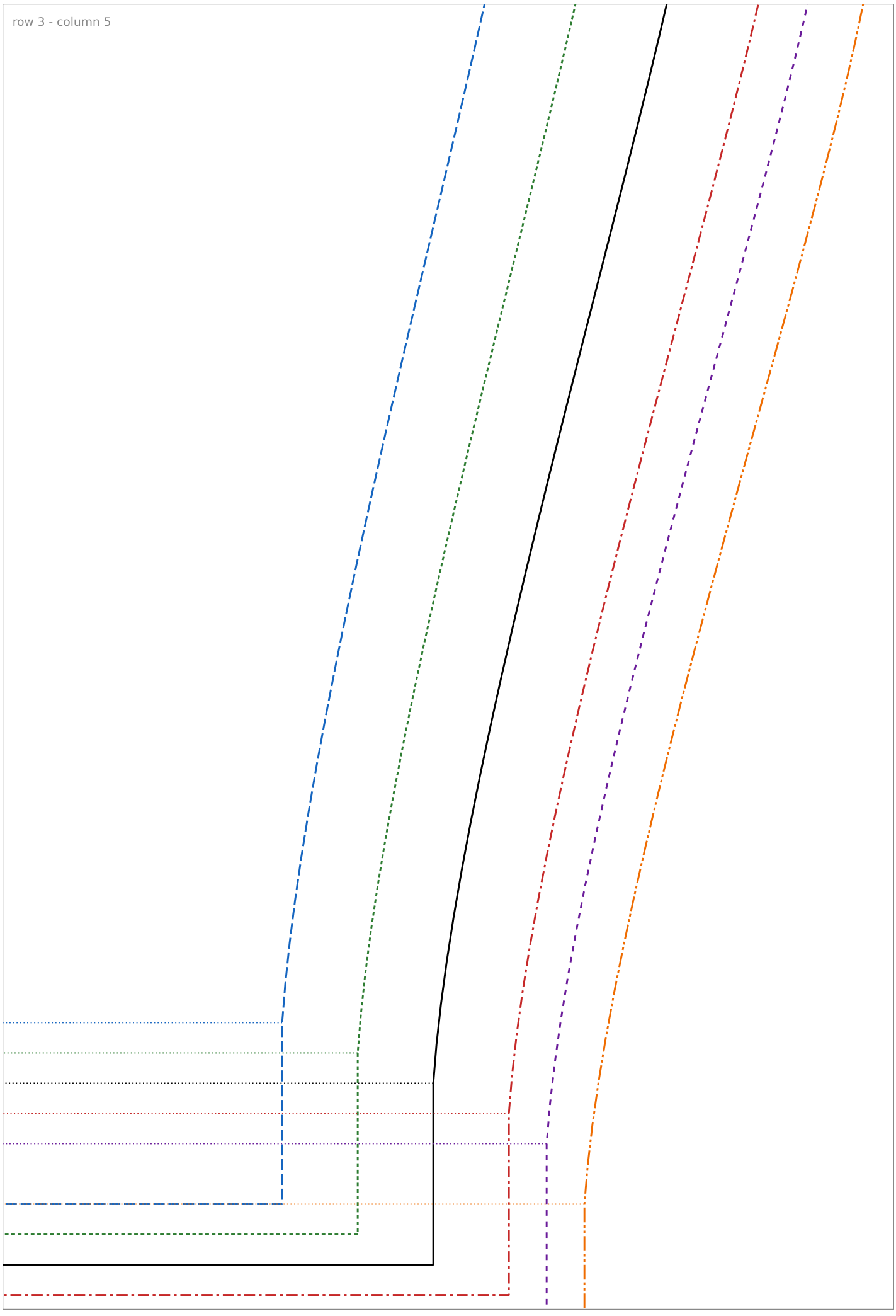
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row 3 - column 1


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row 3 - column 4


row 3 - column 5

row 3 - column 6


row 4 - column 1

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row 4 - column 3

row 4 - column 4

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row 4 - column 6