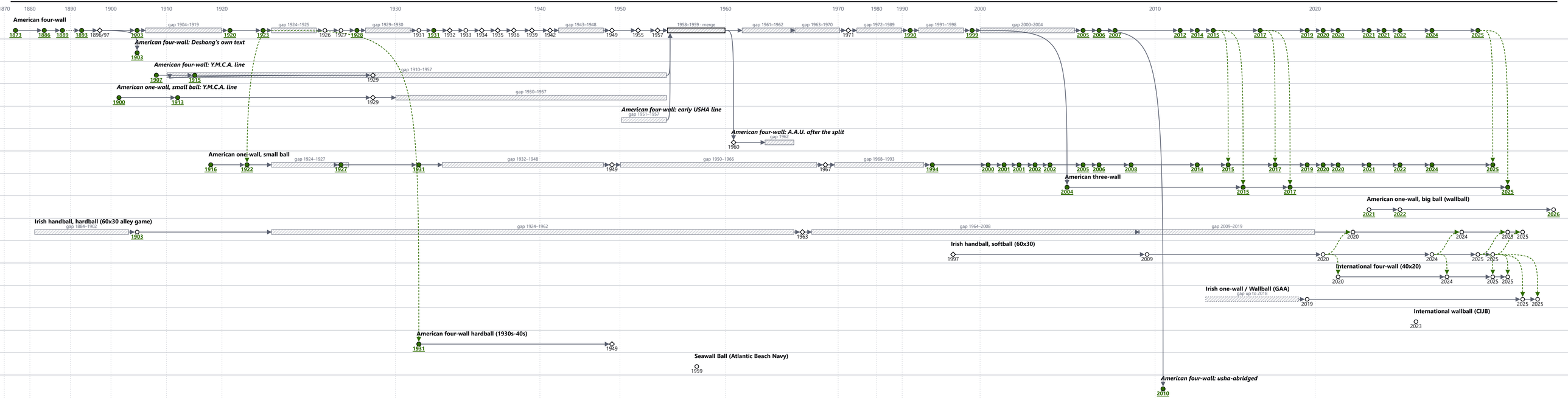
Family tree of the rulebooks

105 rules editions and 23 gaps in 11 codes, 1873 to 2026: which edition each one revises, where codes and side lines split off, and where wording was borrowed.

The time axis is not to scale: years with editions are widened so that every edition and gap label fits. Underlined years link to the rulebook or the comparison for that year.

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