

Midpoint Review Presentation: Quick Change Electrical Connection

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Intro

- ▶ Client: Raytheon Missile Systems
 - Started 90 years ago
 - Defense, aerospace, and government applications
- ▶ Quick Change Electrical Connection

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Raytheon

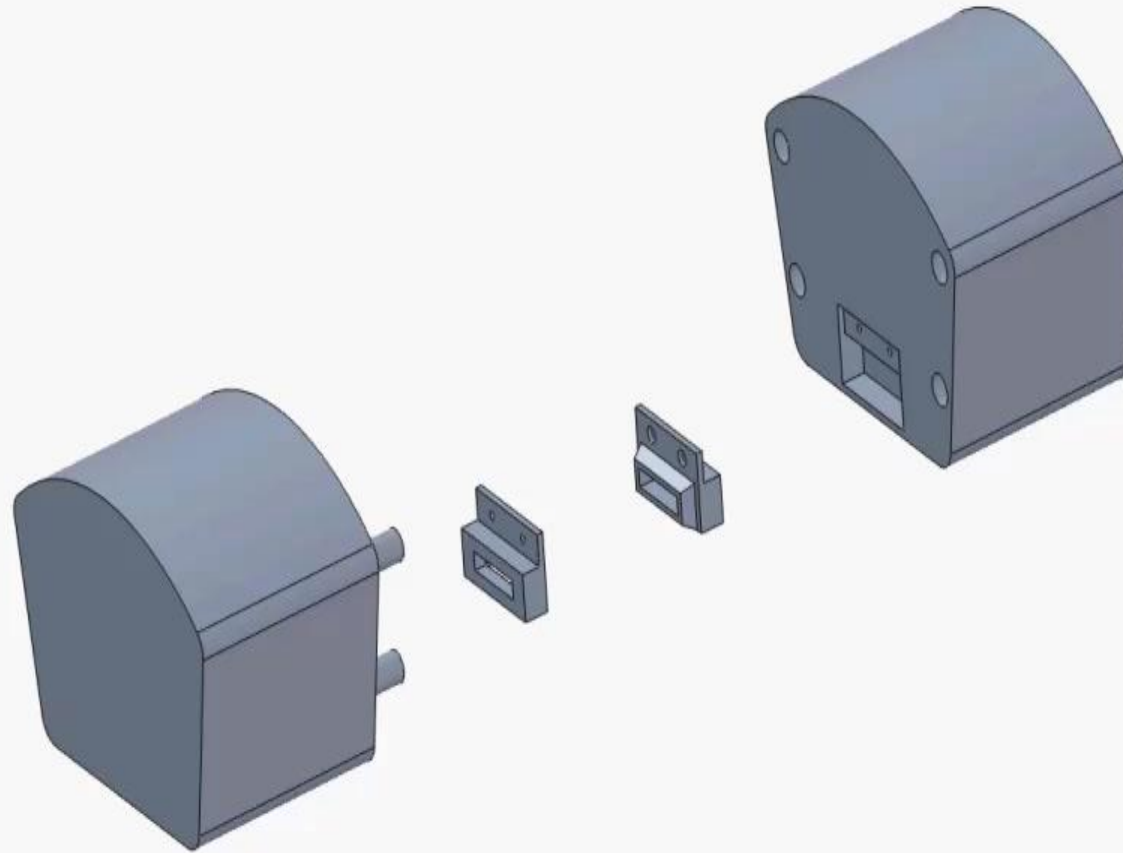
Problem Statement

- ▶ The current nose assembly is unable to provide the ability to quickly install the nose without compromising the electrical connection.
- ▶ Goal
 - Design an improved electrical connection alignment.

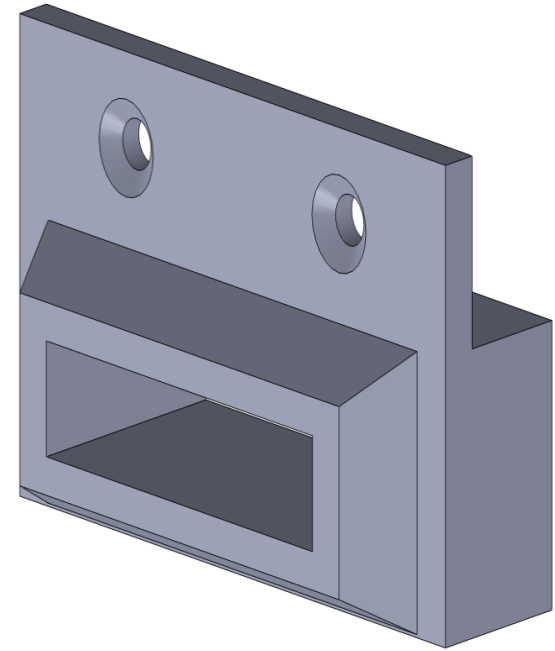
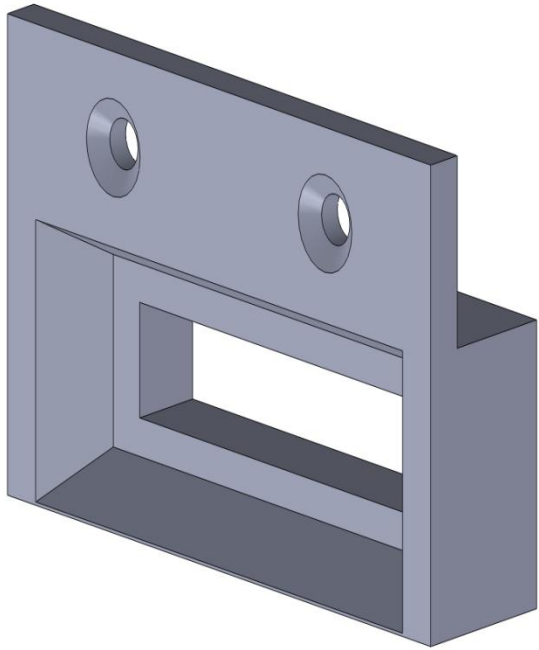
Constraints

- ▶ Focus on evaluating materials under the specified operating conditions
 - Power Loads
 - Transportation Loads
 - Bomb Rack Ejection
 - Temperature
 - Sand/Dust
 - Vibration
 - Water/Ice
 - Salt
 - Jet Fuel

Proposed Design



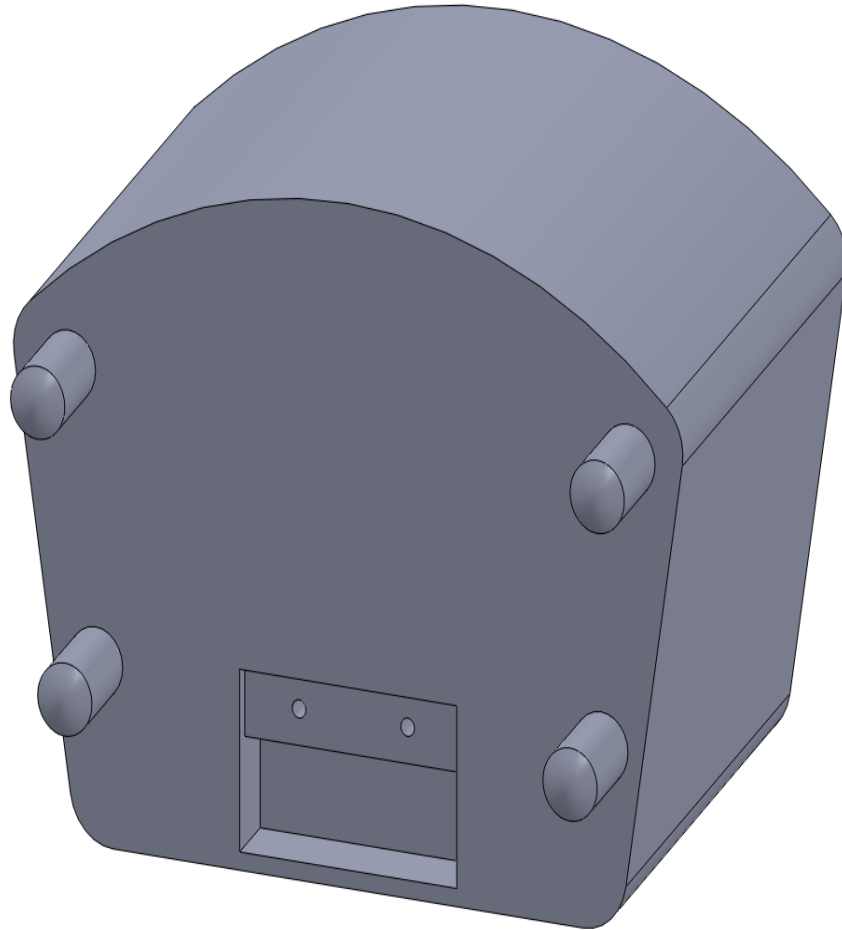
Proposed Design



Electrical Connector
Similar to:



Proposed Design



Material Selection

- ▶ Outside shell of missile will take most of the forces produced from bomb rack ejection
 - Corrosion is more important
- ▶ Material Choice: AISI 303 Stainless Steel
 - Annealed
 - Makes it Stronger and Less Brittle
 - $E = 27.6 \text{ Mpsi}$
 - Yield Strength = 35 kpsi
 - Ultimate Strength = 87.3 kpsi
 - Resistant to Corrosion
 - Melting Point: $1400 \text{ }^\circ \text{C}$

Cost Analysis: For Us

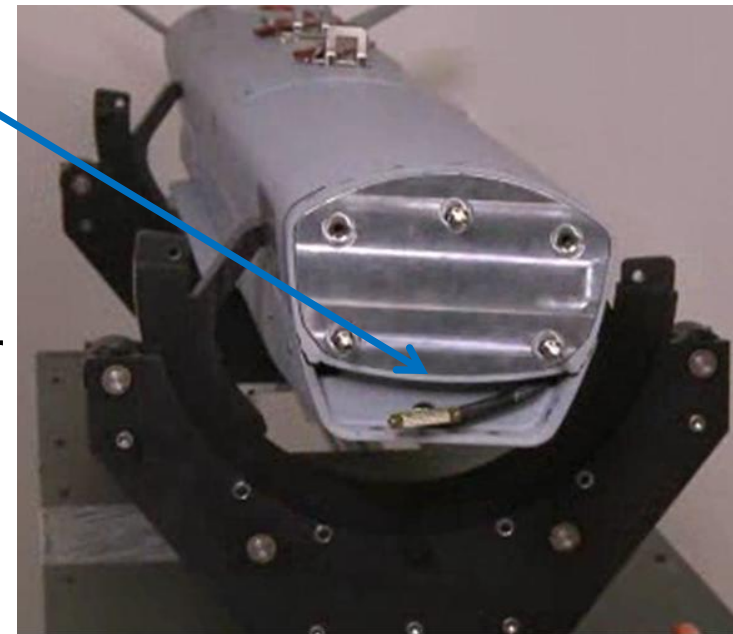
Category	Units	Cost
Material	\$3-6 per kg	\$7.20
Manufacturing	Free (Machine Shop)	
Electrical Connector	\$20	\$20
Totals		\$27.20

Cost Analysis: For Raytheon

Category	Units	Cost
Material	\$3-6 kg	\$7.20
Manufacturing	Man Hours	4 hours ~ \$80
Production Cost	Man Hours	2 hours ~ \$40
Electrical Connector	Glenair Unit Price	\$40
Totals		\$167.20

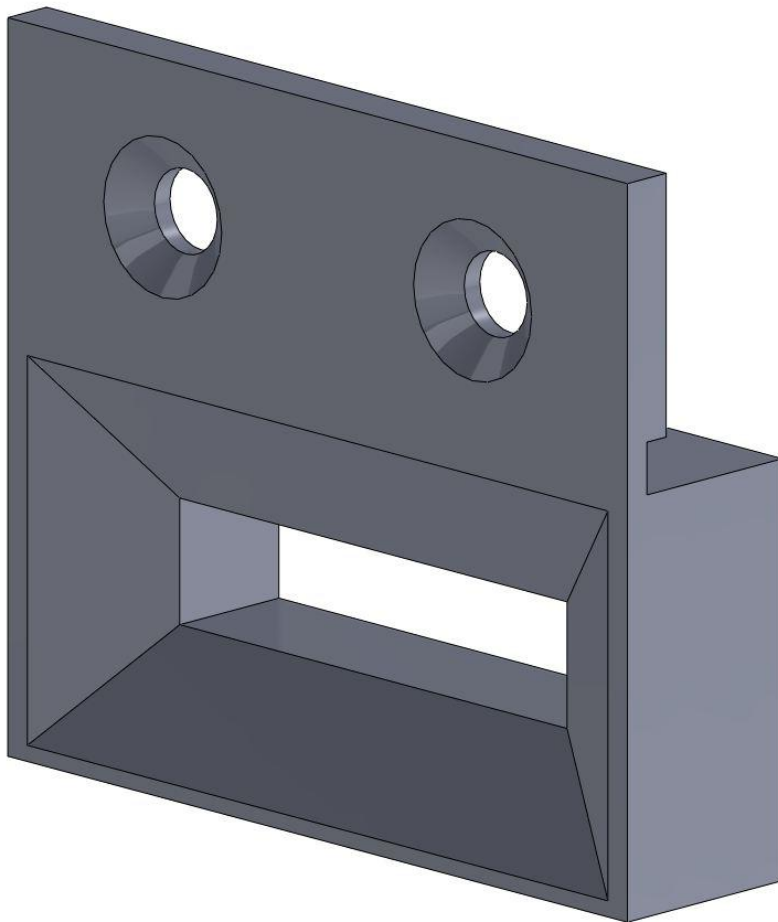
Revisions

- ▶ Can work with tin plate above:
 - Can not go past 2 inch depth
 - Can not cut thin layer
- Field Replaceable
 - 2 Electrical Connector System
- Preload
 - Must be able to mate with 40lbs
 - One person must put it together

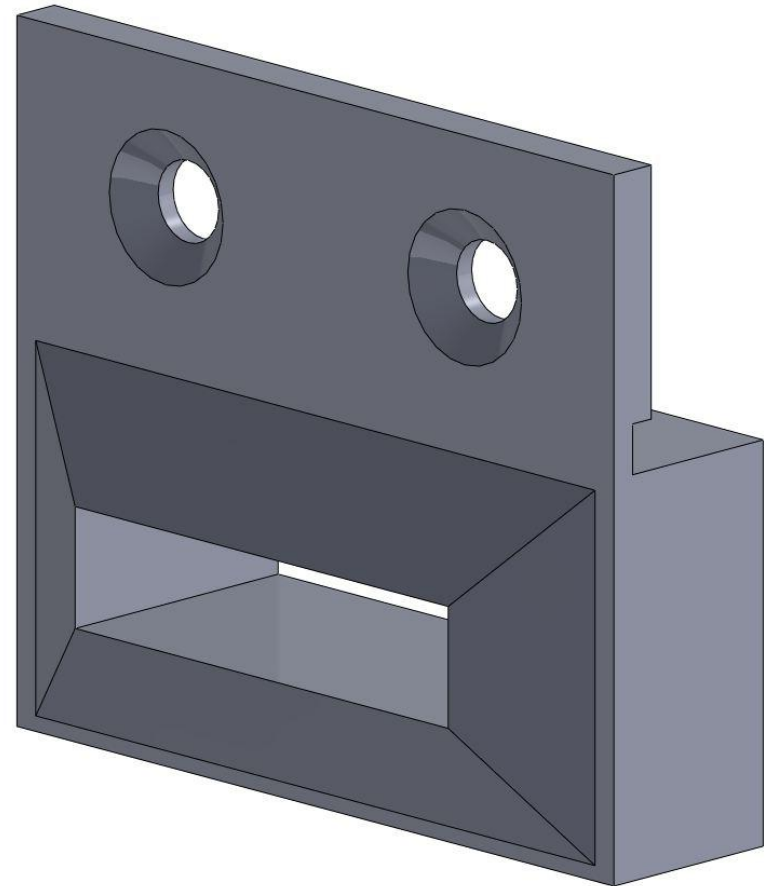


New Design

Body Side



Nose Side



Next Steps

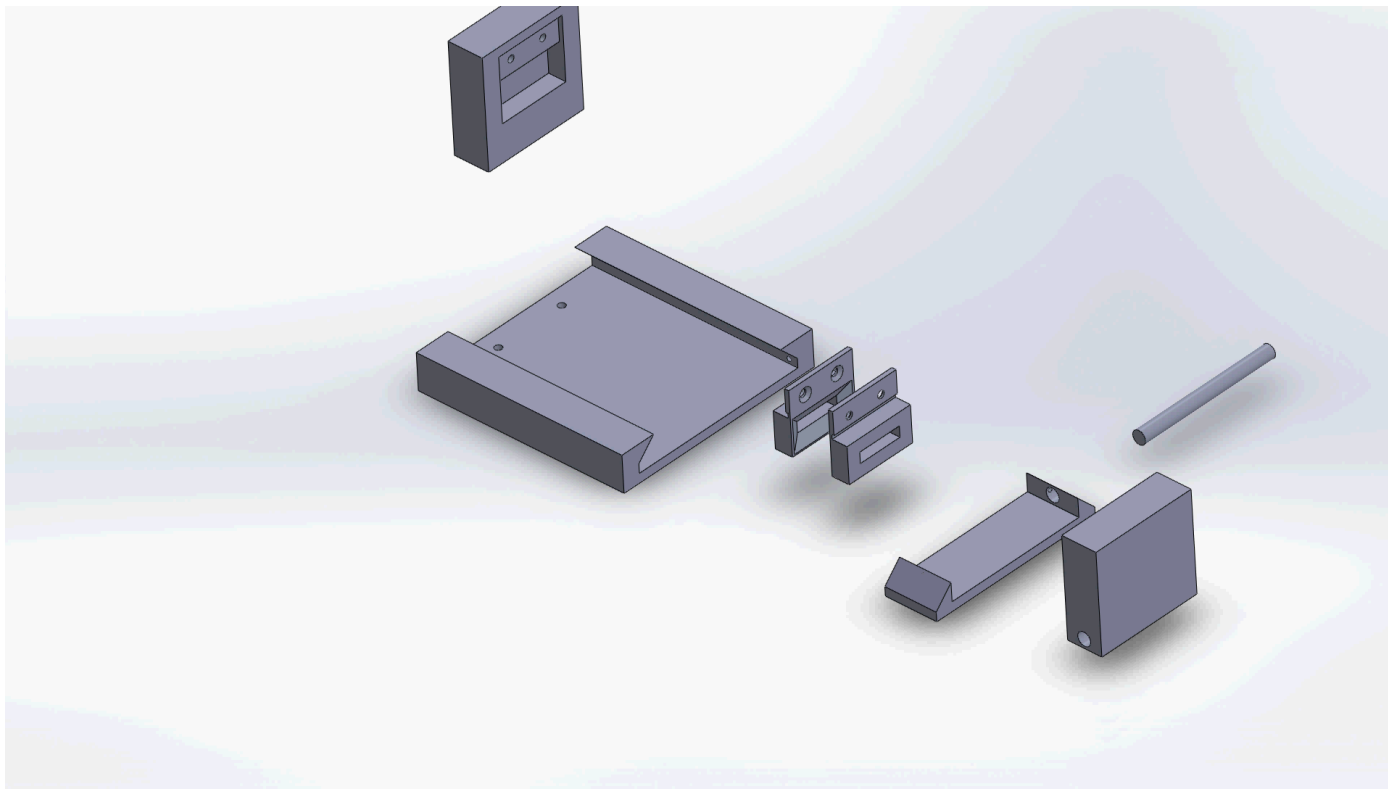
- ▶ Prototype
 - Acquiring Electrical Connector
- ▶ Test
- ▶ Perform Calculations
 - Vibrations
 - Mechanics of Materials
 - Statics
 - Dynamics
 - Mating Forces

Machining

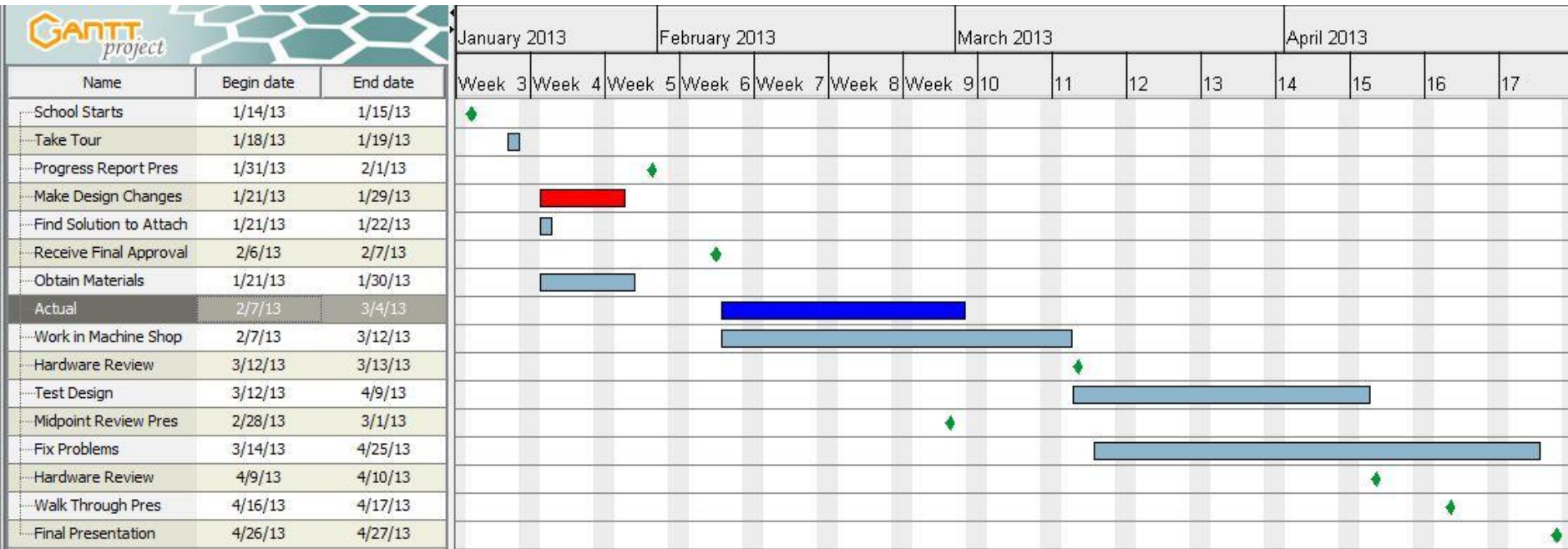
- ▶ Transferring Design to CAM Works
- ▶ Expensive to obtain AISI 303 Stainless Steel
 - Must buy in bulk
 - Do we need to use stainless steel for prototype?
 - Is aluminum an option?
- ▶ Not sure if machine shop can machine our part
 - Talk with Perry Wood Tuesday 2/26
- ▶ Receive Quotes

Testing

- ▶ 2 Axis Mating System



Gantt Chart



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Questions?