Presentation 3



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Review: Scope and Objectives

Northrop Grumman Corporation (NGC)

- Requested team design of functional handling arm
- Able to hold avionics
 - To prevent dropping expensive components
- Articulating/maneuverable
- Soldering/other necessary activities
- Used during system integration and testing

CAD Package

Whole system meets size of components engineering requirements

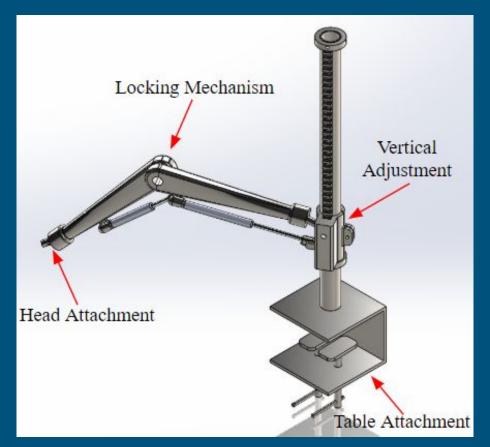


Figure 1. Complete CAD assembly

Subsystems - Table Attachment

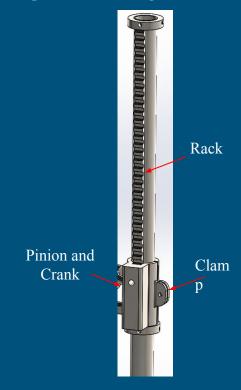
- C-Clamp with two screws
- 6"x 4"x 3/8" thick
- ½" diameter screws
- 2"x 4" oval plates
- ★ Satisfies compatible with table engineering requirement



Figure 2. C-Clamp assembly

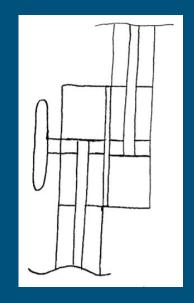
Subsystems - Vertical Height Adjustment

- Rack and pinion with crank
 - C45 Steel
- Allows for rotational movement
- Allows for vertical adjustment
- Satisfies with degrees of freedom engineering requirement



Subsystems - Locking Mechanism

- Modeled after Titan arm
- Center pivot 2" diameter
- T-handle knob for lock
- Compatible with torque requirement



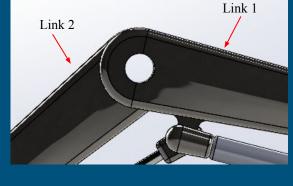


Figure 5. Complete locking arm assembly

Figure 4. Titan Arm schematic

Subsystems - Head Attachments

- Cotter pin used to attach heads
- Crescent wrench clamp
- Flexible finger head
 - Influenced by camera tripods
- **Bolt-pattern**
- Compatible with size requirement

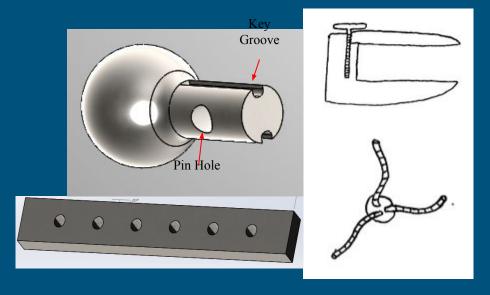


Figure 6. Complete head attachment assembly with bolt pattern and schematic of crescent wrench clamp and flexible finger head

Engineering Requirements Table 1. Engineering Requirements

Engineering Requirement	Target	Our Design		
Longevity of Components	Life Cycles	Currently doing analysis to confirm		
Structural Integrity	Load tested to 125% (lbs.)	Currently doing analysis to confirm		
Size of Components	Minimum: 6.0 x 2.5 x 1.125 (in.) Maximum: 6.0 x 2.5 x 12.375 (in.)	Whole System Size inc. Head Attachments		
Load Capacity	Minimum:1/2 (lbs.) Maximum: 15 (lbs.)	Currently doing analysis to confirm		
Compatible with Table	Pressure (psi)	Table Attachment		
ESD Compliant	0V between arm and user (V)	Add a Grounding Plug		
Torque Requirements	20lbs additional force @ locked (lb-ft)	Currently doing analysis to confirm		
Degrees of Freedom	Six (df)	Vertical Height Adjustment		
Factor of Safety	Safety Factor: ≥3.0	Currently doing analysis to confirm		
Device Weight	≤50 (lbs.)	Within range with this material		
Cost	≤\$9,500	\$2,845.20		

Function/Implementation

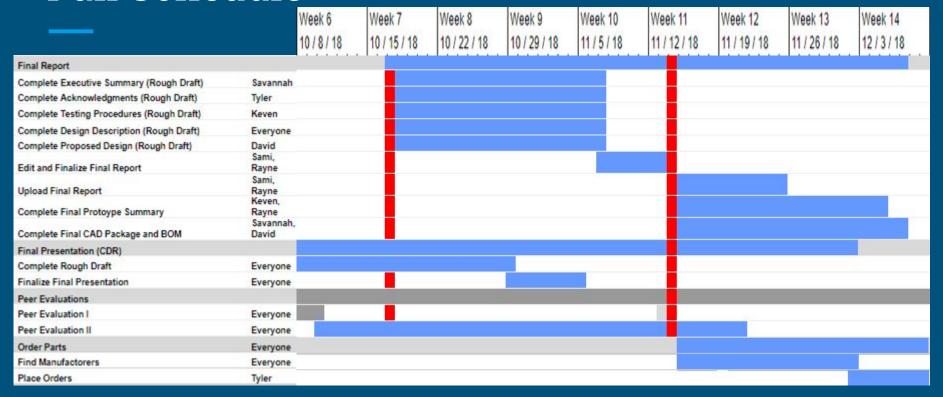
Basic Prototype

Shows function of handling arm

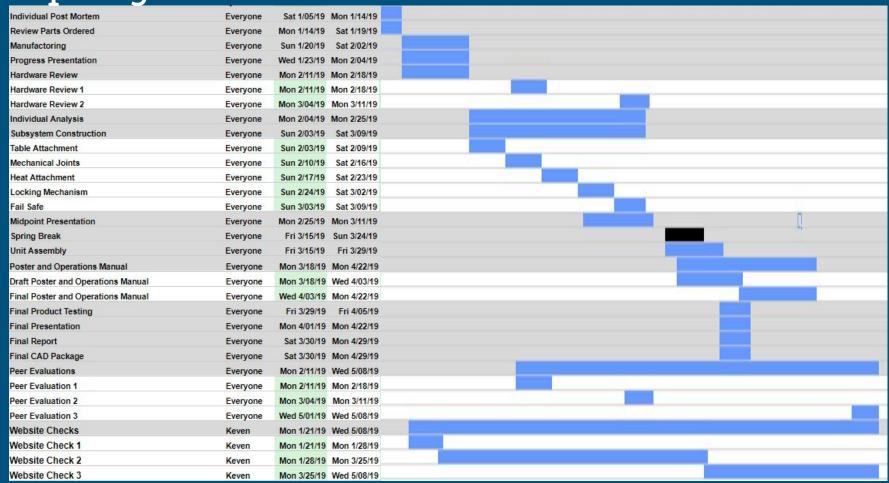
PVC pipe/joints

Vice jaw/clamp for table mounting component

Fall Schedule



Spring Schedule



BOM

 Total Funds
 \$9,500.00

 Sum of BOM
 \$2,845.20

 Left Over
 \$6,654.80

Table 2. Complete BOM

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					Unit			
Part	Material	What	Length (in)	Weight (lbs)	Price/quantity	Total		
Tube and Link material [2]	304 Stainless Steel	1-1/2 x 0.083 x 1.334 ID	50	5.237	66.46	\$66.46		
material to machine [2]	304 Stainless Steel	2" x 2"	12	13.6	197	\$197.00		
material to machine [2]	304 Stainless Steel	4" x 4"	12	54.45	788.68	\$788.68		
Clamp material [3]	304 Stainless Steel	6" x 4" x "3/8	12		280.02	\$280.02		
Clamp screw [4]					2	\$66.70		
Clamp disks [4]	304 Stainless Steel	.25"	2" x 4"		2	\$22.58		
Rack and Pinion set [5]	C45 Steel				1	\$80.00		
Machining Hours [6]				Hours	10	\$800.00		
Welding Hours [7]				Hours	1	\$80.00		
Titan Arm [8] [9]					1	\$246.00		
Compression Damper [10]					2	\$160.00		
screw for rack and pinion								
[11]	Zinc die cast/ steel	3/8" x 2"			1	\$8.90		
T handle [12]	304 Cast Stainless Steel				1	10.65		
Bolt pattern plate	304 Stainless Steel	13.75" x 7" x .25"			1	38.21		

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Questions