

NEW YORK FACE MASK

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Inspiration of Idea

The facemask is a necessity in current COVID times, but there are lifestyle and comfort issues that must be addressed to make this a new norm during these COVID times. The inspiration of this project is from the concept of “Being Human and able to breath” and we wish to work on a solution to “Make Facemask Livable” with the help of engineering and technology

Source: [Today.com](https://www.today.com)



Source: [CNBC](https://www.cnbc.com)



Project Description

- The main objective of the project is develop a face mask that is:
 - COMFORTABLY BREATHABLE:*** *Assisted by an electronic ventilation system*
 - SOCIALLY ACCEPTABLE:*** *Allow user to assist in verbal and non-verbal communication*
- The project is sponsored by Northern Arizona University (NAU)
- The project is for **urgent importance** due to serious **COVID-19** situation and it is an effort provide a **lifestyle solution** to people during these critical time

Customer Requirements

MUST HAVE (Ranked according to Priority):

- o Allow unrestricted exhalation and inhalation
- o Allow unrestricted **speech** and **non-verbal communication**

GOOD TO HAVE (Ranked according to Priority):

- o Allow **easy eating and drinking** while wearing mask
- o Allow **uninterrupted operability** in a **8 hour** working day
- o “Surviving COVID-19 with a Laugh” – Incorporate fun features like voice altering

Existing Solutions



[1982 Mask](#)

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[Rsenr Mask](#)

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[Broad Mask](#)

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Problems with Existing Solutions

- All of the developed solutions are based on non-transparent materials that impairs verbal and non-verbal communication
- The ventilation system is not fully developed with consideration of human breathing requirements
- The price range of good solutions available in market is >100 USD
- Do not allow easy eating and drinking while wearing mask

OUR PROJECT WILL RESOLVE ALL THESE ABOVE PROBLEMS

Engineering Requirements and Targets

- Ventilation System - Tidal Volume of 0.5 L with Expiration Rate of 6 L/min
- Transparent Plastic material for manufacturing with wearable rubber at corner
- Arduino Nano based System electronic system
- Light-weight linkage mechanism
- 2500 mAh battery supply
- Final Product Cost of 50-100 USD

Tasks Proceeding Forward

Design Calculations – Electrical System; Ventilation System;
Mechanical Linkage



Detailed Design – BOM, Exploded ASM, Engineering Drawings



Electronic Design – Circuit Diagram and Component List



Manufacturing Plan

Do you guys have any question ?

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