

HPVC

(ASME human powered vehicle challenge)



21Spr06-ASME HPVC

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Project Description



- Critical Design Review
- Design, Fabrication, Testing
- NAU ASME
 - Child Sized Vehicle
- Perry Wood P.E.



Figure 1: NAU Past HPV

Project Subsystems

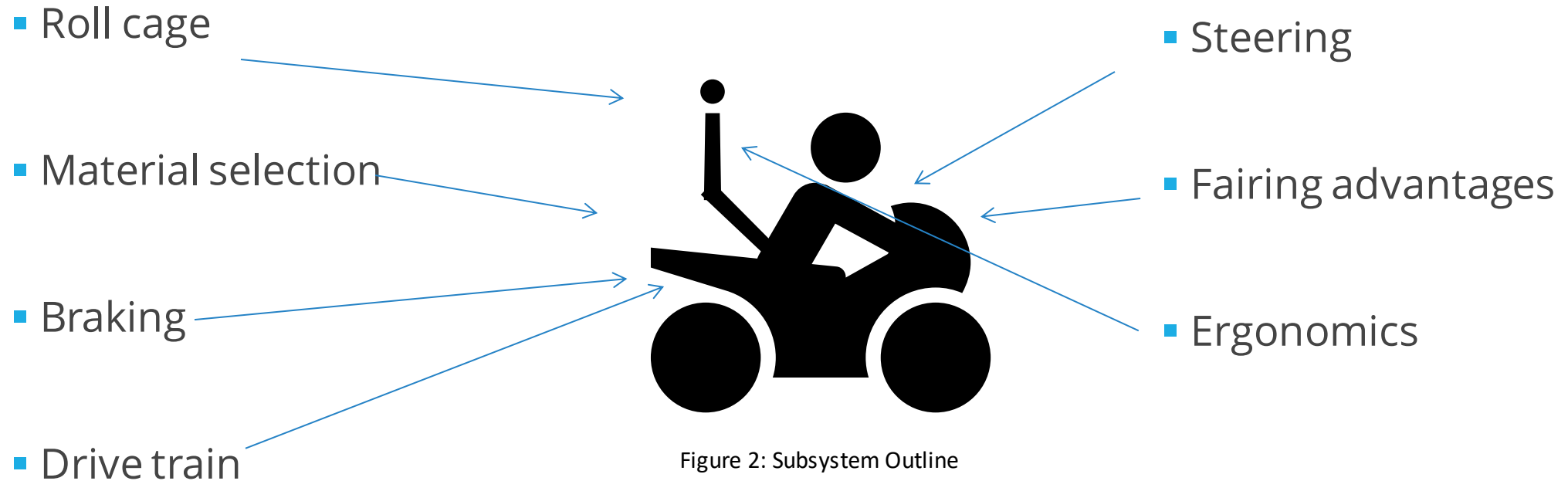


Figure 2: Subsystem Outline

SOTA Review: Material Selection

Aluminum 7005 alloy

- Zinc is major alloying element
- Requires heat treatment after welding
- Fracture toughness
- Corrosion resistance
- Less susceptible to stress-corrosion-cracking (SCC)
- 1/3 the density of steel (0.098 lb/in³)
- Lightweight

Carbon fiber

- Easily repairable
- Strength is directionally dependent
- More expensive
- Labor-intensive manufacturing process
- UV-resistive coating
- Low density (0.072 lb/in³)
- Lightweight

SOTA Review: Fairing Selection

- Reduces aerodynamic drag
- Higher speeds at lower human power
- Overall better performance at the cost of extra weight

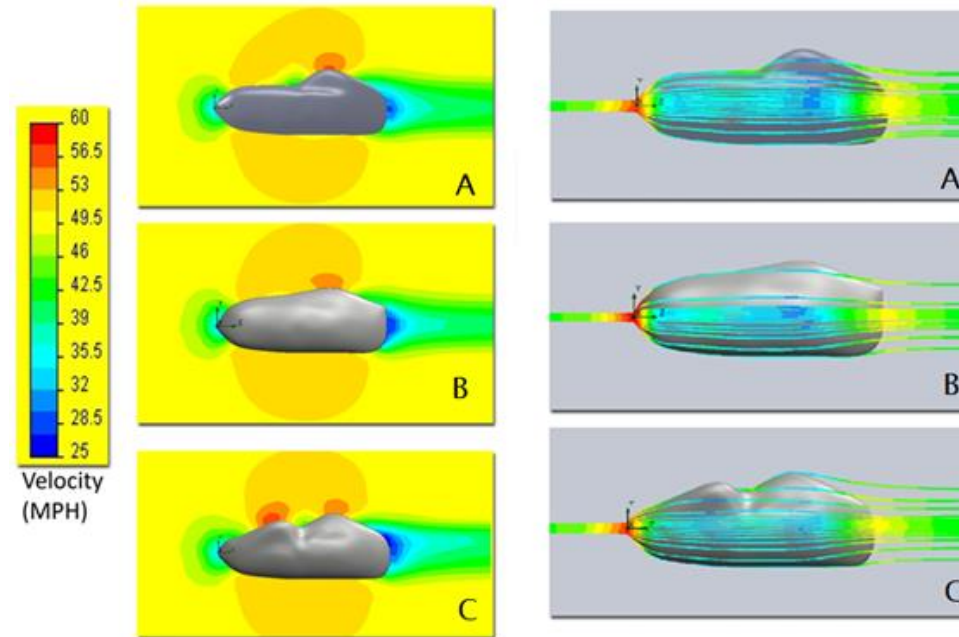


Figure 6: Lightning F-40 with fairing

SOTA Review: Roll Cage

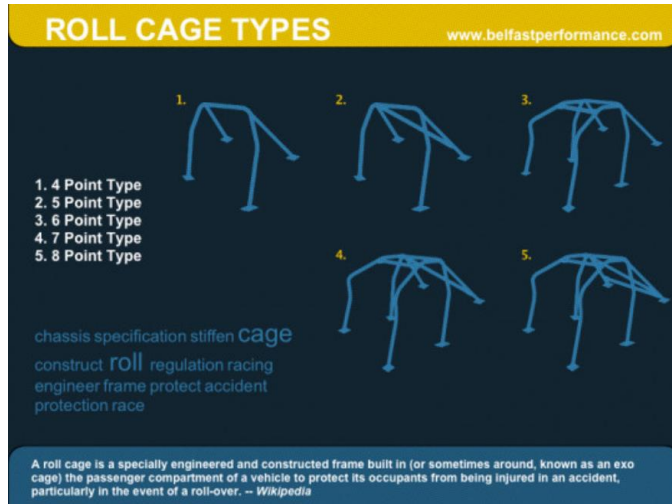


Figure 7: Roll Cage Diagram

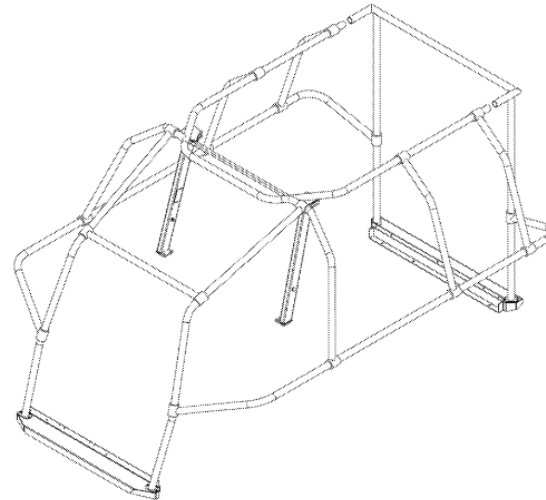


Figure 8: Roll Cage Patent

Material Selection

- Steel, Aluminum or Carbon Fiber

Roll Cage Design

- 4pt, 5pt, or 6pt cage

- Structure Outline

[Main Hoop, Support Hoop, links, supports etc.]

- Structural Design

[No broken or fractured structure links]

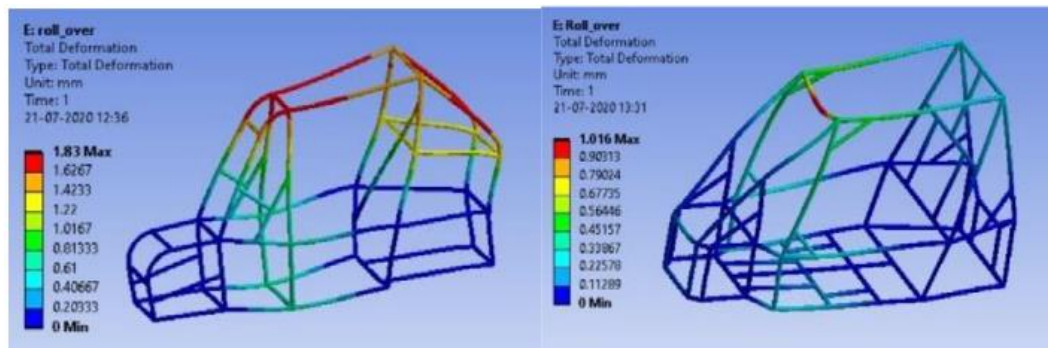


Figure 9: Example Roll Cage Testing

SOTA Review: Steering

Direct Steering

- Pros: More precise steering, mechanical simplicity
- Cons: Vibrations, less stable at higher speeds

Indirect Steering

- Pros: Adjustable steering ratios, ergonomics, adaptable to many designs
- Cons: Mechanically complex, heavier, less precise and lower speeds

Other considerations:

Tilt steering, bikes design (ex. trike vs bike), alignment geometry (caster, toe), front vs rear steering

Rule Constraint: Must be able to turn within an 8 m radius*

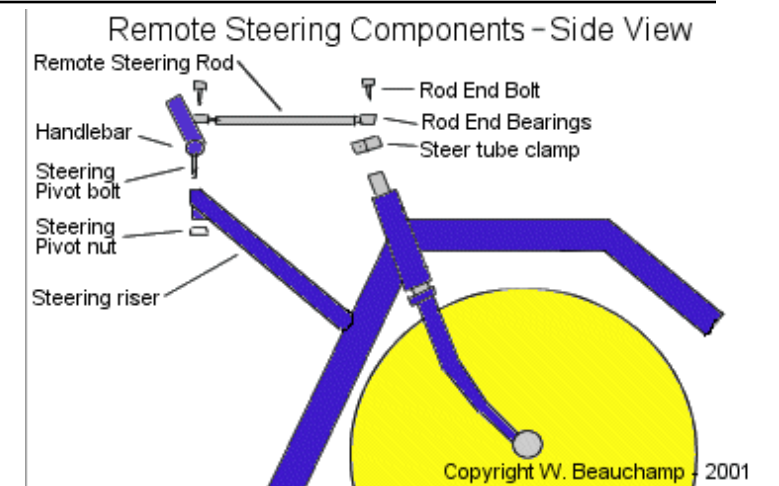


Figure 10: Remote steering

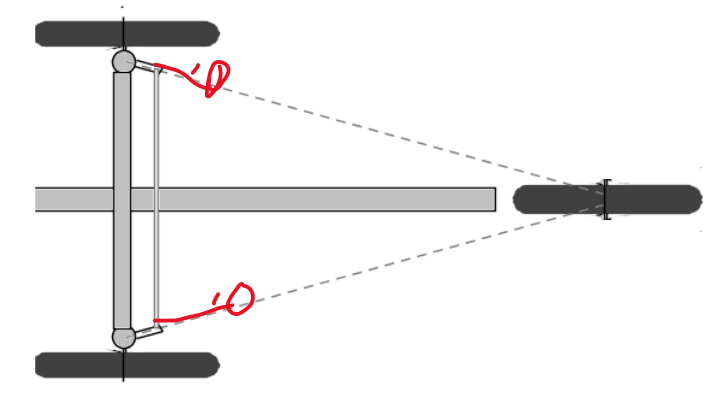


Figure 11: Ackman compensation steering, tadpole bike

SOTA Review: Drivetrain

Front wheel drive

- Pros: Shorter and more efficient chain-line, can allow for a larger front wheel
- Cons: Steering complications, wheel spin, instability when pedaling, mechanically complex

Rear wheel drive

- Pros: Makes the front of the bikes less complex, stability, traction
- Cons: Complex chain placement, longer distance to transmit power

Other considerations:

Bike design, shaft vs chain, single vs multi-speed, crank size, gearing ratios



Figure 12: FWD bike example

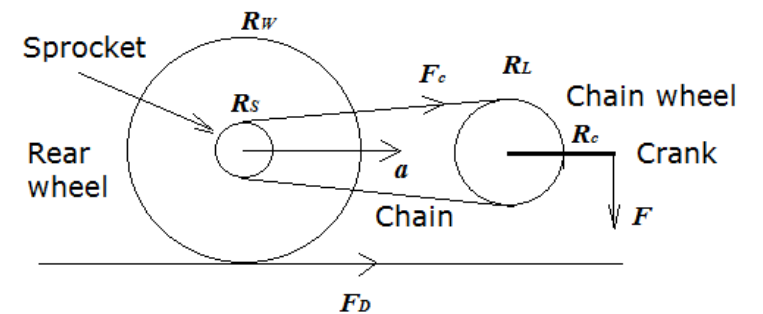


Figure 13: Chain, crank, sprocket force diagram

SOTA Review: Ergonomics

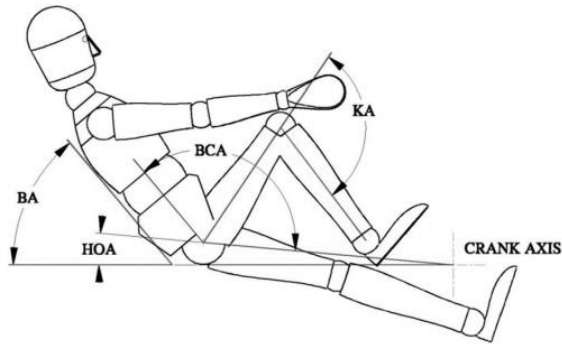


Figure 15: Important Angles for Power Output

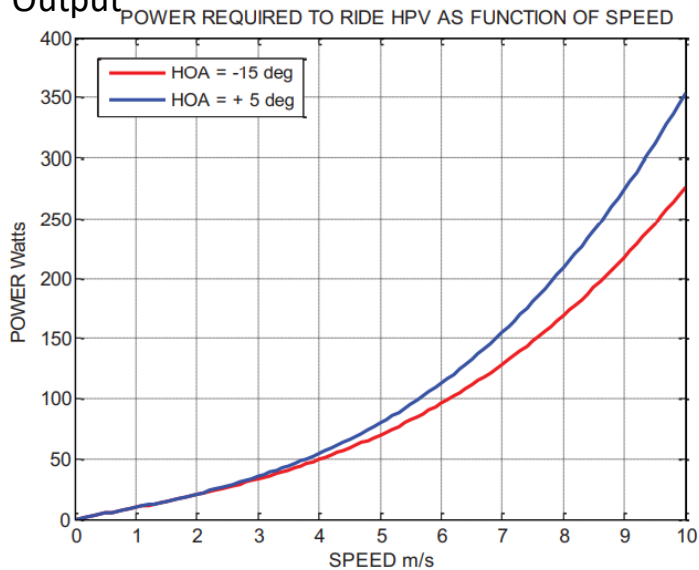


Figure 16: Speed as a function of Power

Maximize Power Output

Pros

- More Stability
- Smaller-Lighter
- Low COG

Cons

- Less Aerodynamic
- Less efficient
- More complex

- Tadpole Trike Design
- BCA: 130-140 degrees
- HOA: -15 degrees



Figure 17: NAU's 2014 Tadpole Trike Design

SOTA Review: Braking

Constraints:

- Must be able to stop going from 25 km/hr in 6 meters
- Must have brakes on every front wheel

Caliper Brakes

- Commercially Available
- Adequate Stopping power
- Less fastening requirements



Figure 18: Caliper Brakes

Cantilever Brakes

- More Stopping Power
- Made for Mountain biking or wet environments
- Requires individual arm mounts



Figure 19: Cantilever Brakes

Literature Review

- Abel:
- Design of Human Powered Vehicles- Textbook
 - Fundamentals of Biomechanics- Textbook

- Martin:
- Aerodynamic Fairing for a Human Powered Vehicle (Lightning F-40)
 - 2008 North American Handmade Bicycle Show
 - Durability of Carbon Fiber Reinforced Polymer (CFRP) Strands

- Preston:
- Shigley's Mechanical Engineering Design Textbook
 - Sprockets & Screws
 - Chains & Belts
 - ASTM Standards
 - F2043.1497 [Classification]
 - F2843.26930 [Condition 0]
 - F2802.38084 [Condition 1]
 - F2868.17577 [Condition 2]

- Trent:
- The Recumbent Bike Forum
 - HPV design and ideas
 - Shigley's Mechanical Engineering Design Textbook
 - chapters 11, 13, 17

Customer and Engineering Requirements

Client: Perry Wood

- CR's established based off client and the rules for the 2021 Human Powered Vehicle Challenge

CR's	ER's
<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Capable of high speeds■ Lightweight■ Safe■ Cargo space■ Loaded weight■ Large field of view■ Roll over protection■ Aerodynamic■ Manufacturability■ Rider adjustability	<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Braking distance (m)■ Weight (kg)■ Cost (\$)■ Velocity (m/s)■ Turn radius (m)■ Safety factor■ Strength (Mpa)■ Stability■ Vision clearance (Degrees)■ Volume (m³)■ Seat displacement (m)■ Drag (N)■ Deflection (mm)

Table 1: CR's and ER's

Quality Function Deployment

Roof Matrix

Braking (25 km/hr stop within 6 m)																			
Weight		++																	
Price		-	-																
Velocity		-	-	-															
Turn radius (8m)		-	-	-	-														
Safety Factor		++	+	-	-	++													
Strength		-	+	+	-	-	++												
Stability		-	-	-	-	-	-	++											
Vision clearance		-	-	-	-	-	-	++	-										
Volume		-	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	-									
Seat displacement		+	-	-	+	-	++	-	+	++									
Drag		++	+	-	++	+	++	+	++	-	+								
Deflection (rollcage)		-	+	+	+	+	++	++	+	-	++	+							
PHASE I QFD	Preferred (up or down)	-	+	-	+	-	++	-	+	-	++	+							

		Customer Weights (1-5)	Engineering Requirements (How)																	
			Braking (25 km/hr stop within 6 m)	Weight	Price	Velocity	Turn radius (8m)	Safety Factor	Strength	Stability	Vision clearance	Volume	Seat displacement	Drag	Deflection (rollcage)					
Performance	Customer Needs (What)																			
	High speed	4	3	9		9	3	3												
	High maneuverability	4	9	6		3	9			6	3	3		1						
	Cargo weight	2	3	9		3	1		1		1	3								
Production	Safety	5	9	3		3	3	9	6	3	6		1							9
	Lightweight	3	6	9	3	6			3			6								3
	Cargo space	1						1		1	3	1								
	Large field of view	3						6			9									
	Aerodynamic	3			3	6				1		9								9
	Manufacturability	3	3	3	9				6	6	1		6	3						9
	Seat adjustability	2						3					9							
	Rollover protection	4		3	3	3	6	9	6	6	1	3								9
		Absolute Technical Importance (ATI)	126	141	57	117	89	136	83	70	76	108	33	55						117
		Relative Technical Importance (RTI)	10%	12%	5%	10%	7%	11%	7%	8%	8%	9%	3%	5%						10%
		Unit of Measure	km/h ²	kg	\$	kph	m	mpa	m	degree	m ³	cm	N	m/m						
		Technical Target	>52.08	<0	<1600	>25	<8	>3	>1	>1	>170	>1								>1

Table 2: QFD

Schedule

Project Planner

Select a period to highlight at right. A legend describing the charting follows.

Period Highlight: # Plan Duration Actual Start % Complete Actual (beyond plan) % Complete (beyond plan)

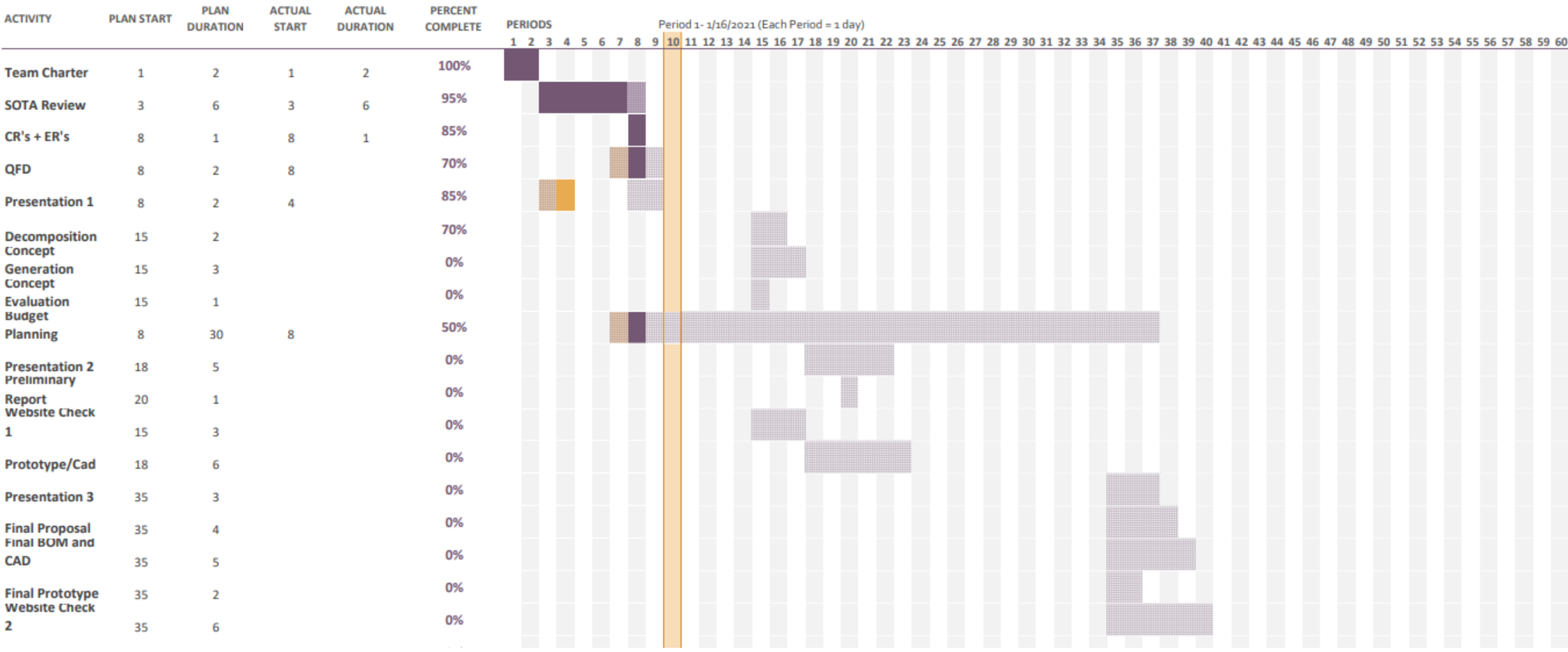


Table 3: Gantt Chart

Budget

- Guaranteed \$1500 from client for project
- Additional Funding up to \$3000 with approval of AZ ASME Chairman
- Budget frozen upon determination of competition involvement [No current expenses]

Item	Anticipated Cost
Bike Parts (Chain, Gears, Brakes etc.)	~\$700
Tools	~\$100
Material (Aluminum, Steel, Carbon Fiber etc.)	~\$500
Safety Equipment (Seatbelt, Safety Seat, etc.)	~\$200

Table 4: Budget Outline

Anticipated expenses were determined from past NAU teams, in addition to UC Berkley, Polytechnic Pomona, and UC Davis

Conclusion

- Now that our team has a better understanding of components that make up a human powered vehicle, we are better prepared to move forward in the project.
- Currently our team is interested in the Tadpole style recumbent bike.
- Child size bike



Questions?

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