

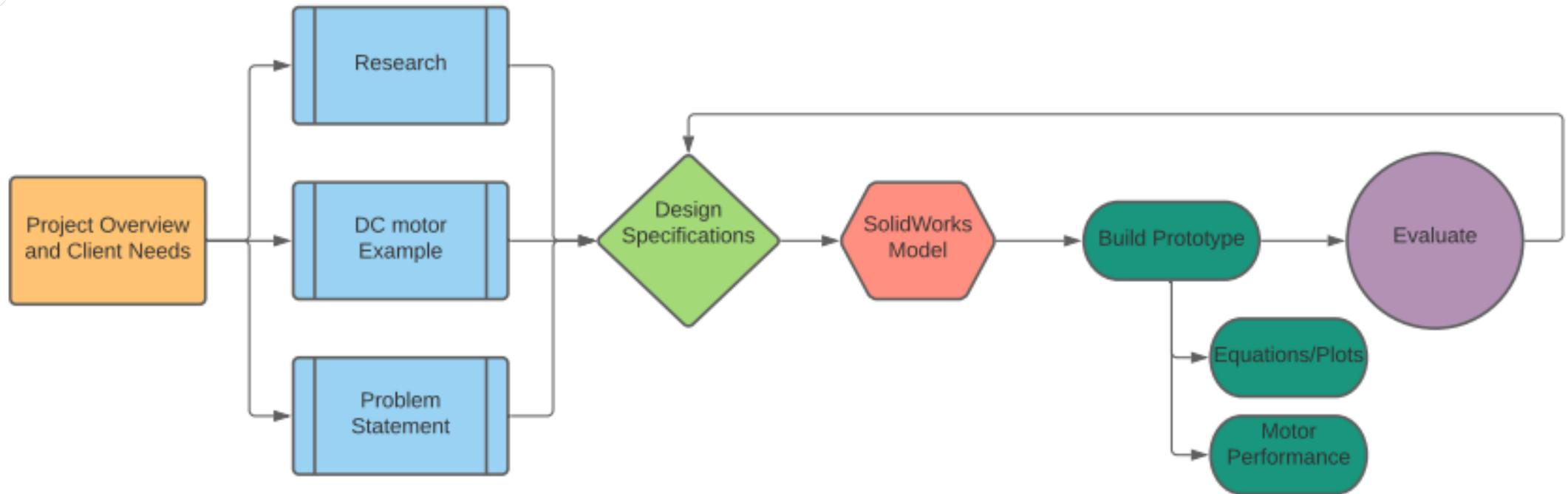


Compact Low Voltage AC Induction Motor

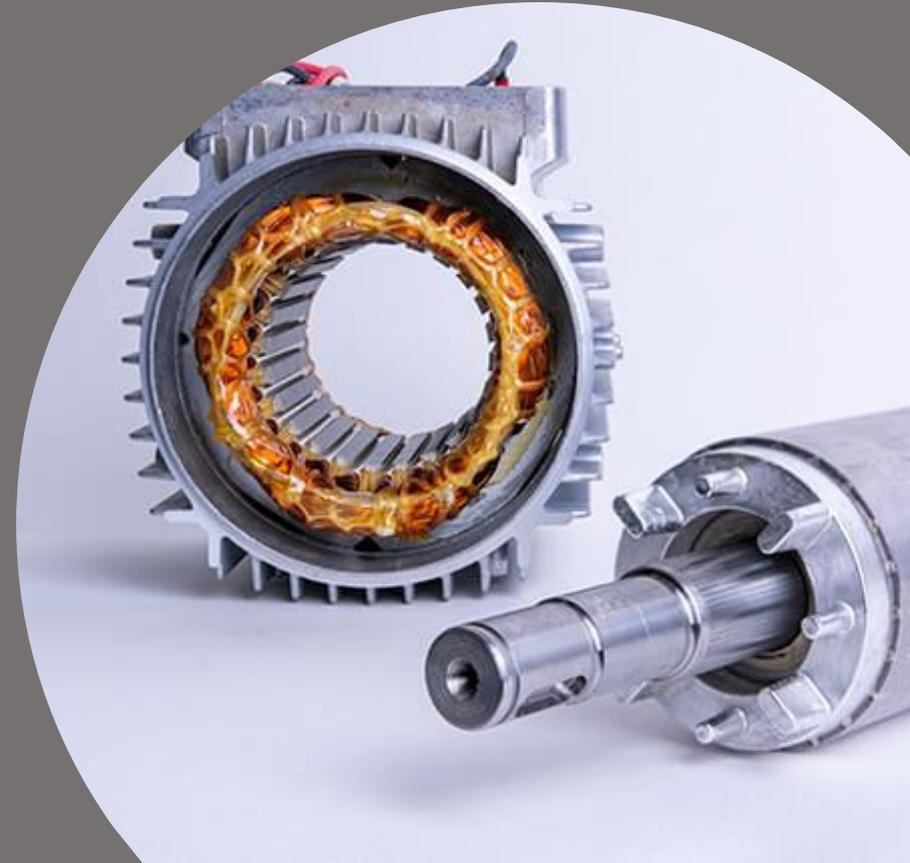
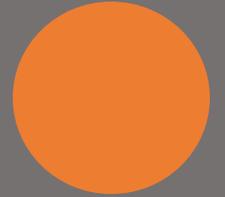
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Agenda



Project Overview and Client Needs



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TESTING
EFFICIENCY
SAFETY MACHINE DESIGN
TORQUE
COST SPEED
INSTRUCTION MANUAL
MANUFACTURABILITY
LEARNING POTENTIAL



Stakeholders

Induction Team

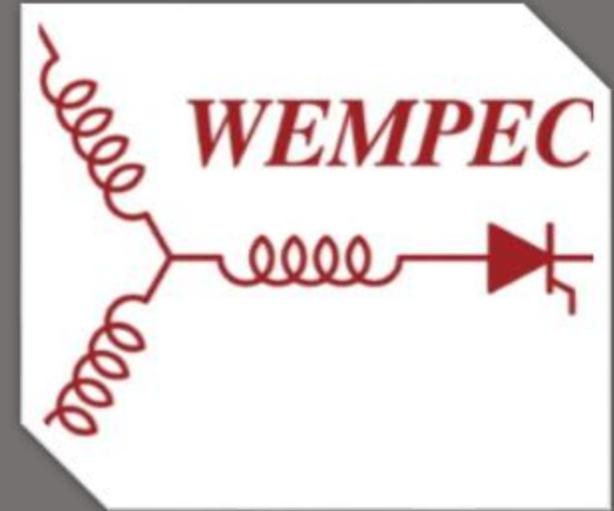


Client
(Grainger Teaching Studio)

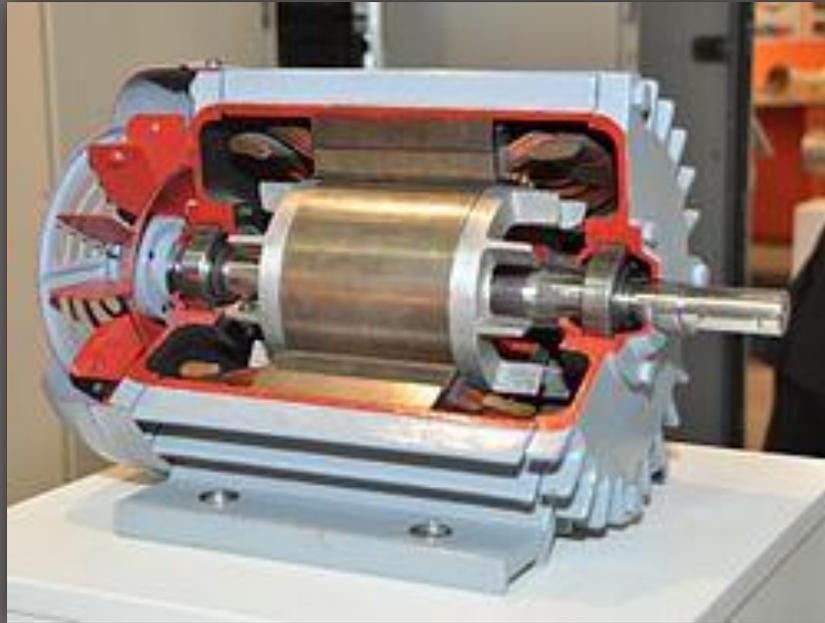
Professors



Students



Problem Statement

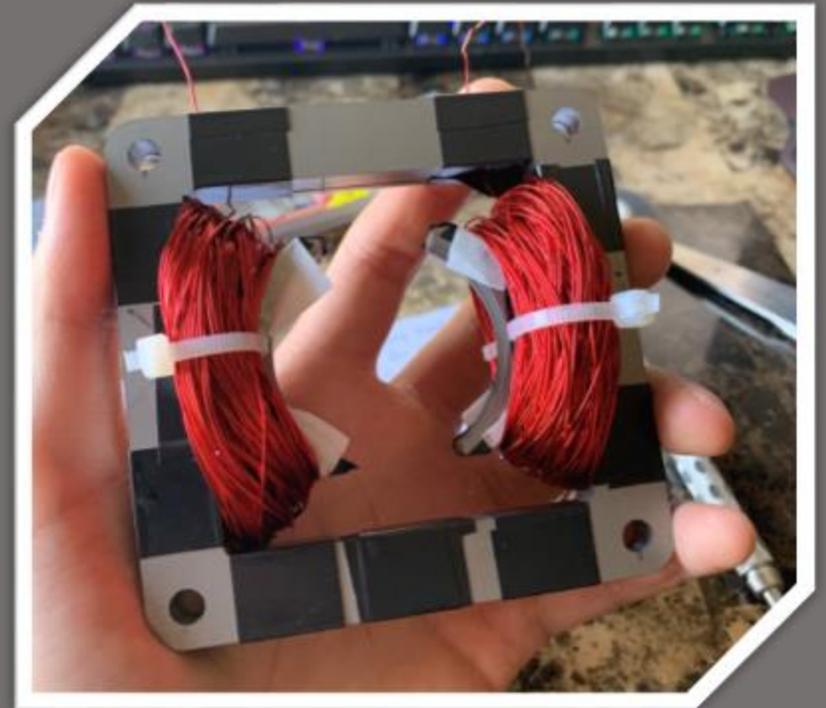
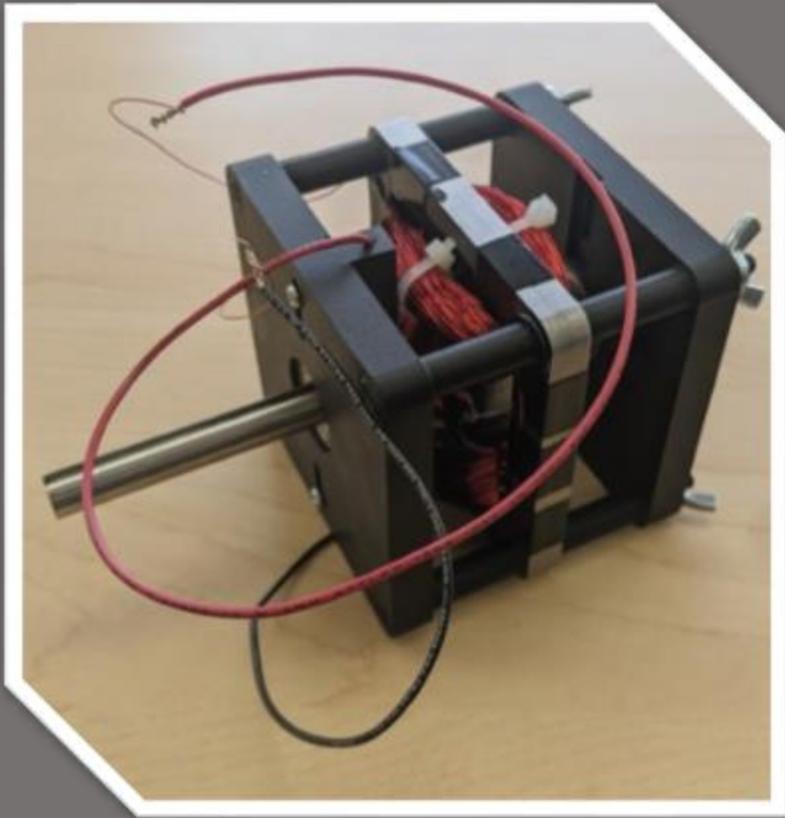


[Typical Induction Motor](#)

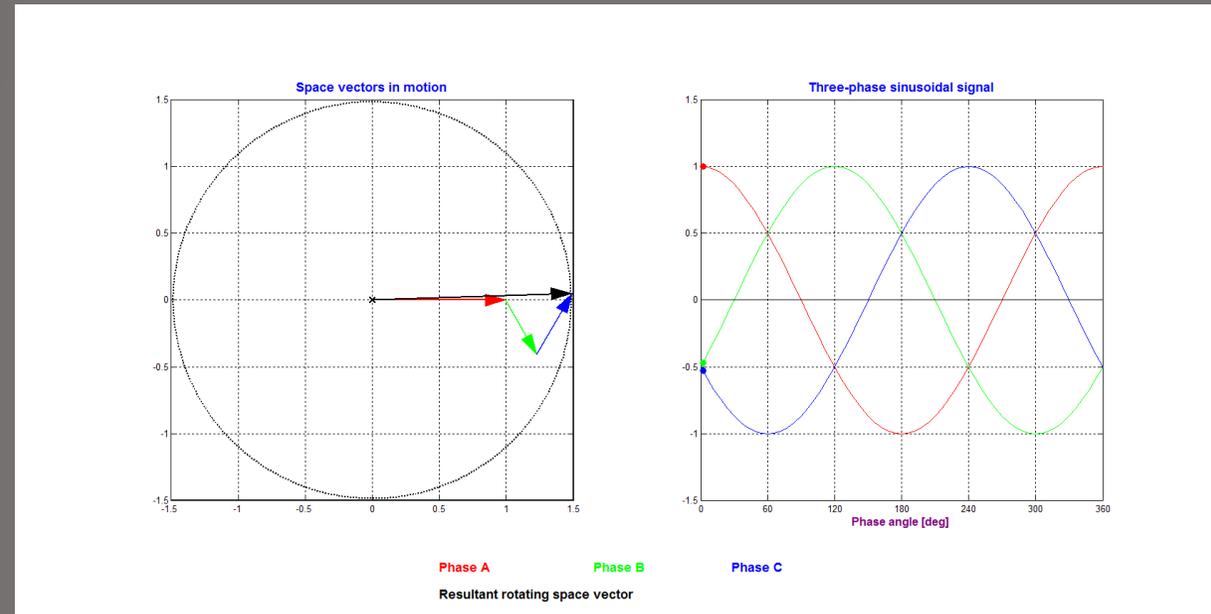
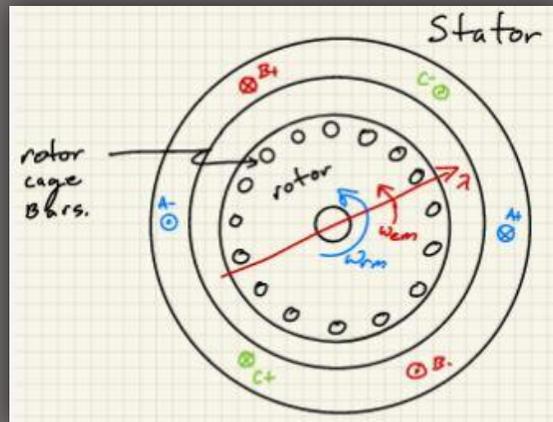
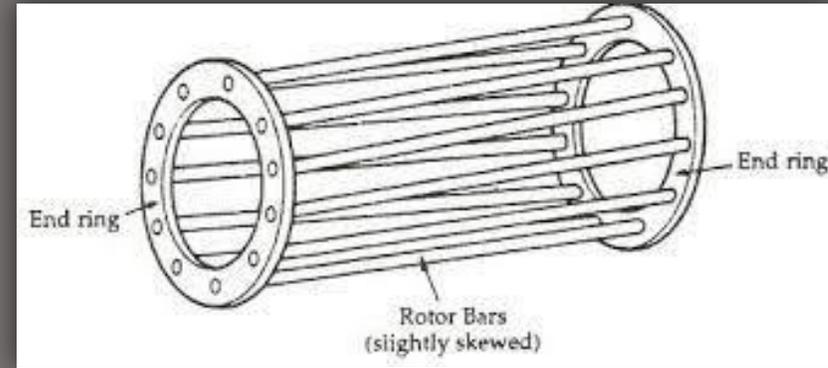
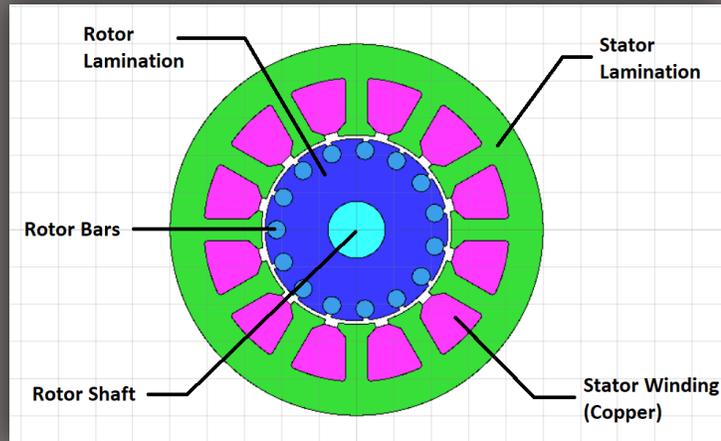


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DC Motor Example



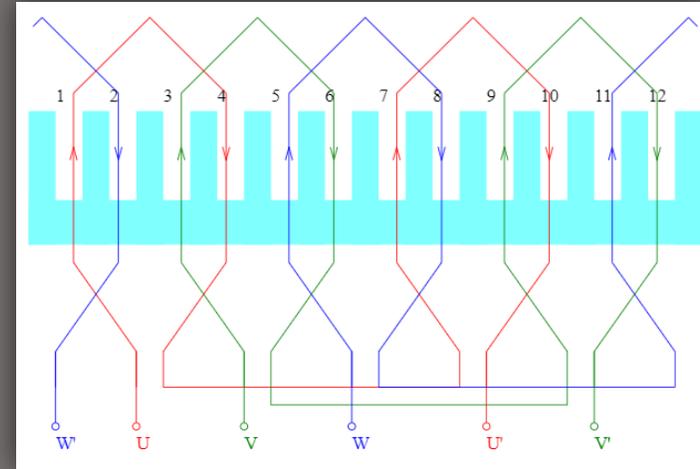
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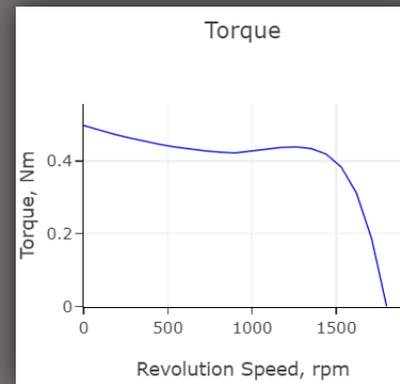
JMAG Design Process

Targeted Value	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rated Power, kW	0.1
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rated Revolution Speed, rpm	1700
<input type="checkbox"/> Maximum Revolution Speed, rpm	
Sizing Parameter	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Number of Poles	4
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Number of Slots	12
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Number of Bars	13
<input type="checkbox"/> Power Supply Voltage(RMS), V	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Maximum Current(RMS), A	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Maximum Outer Diameter of Motor, mm	
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cage	Copper

Input Design Parameters



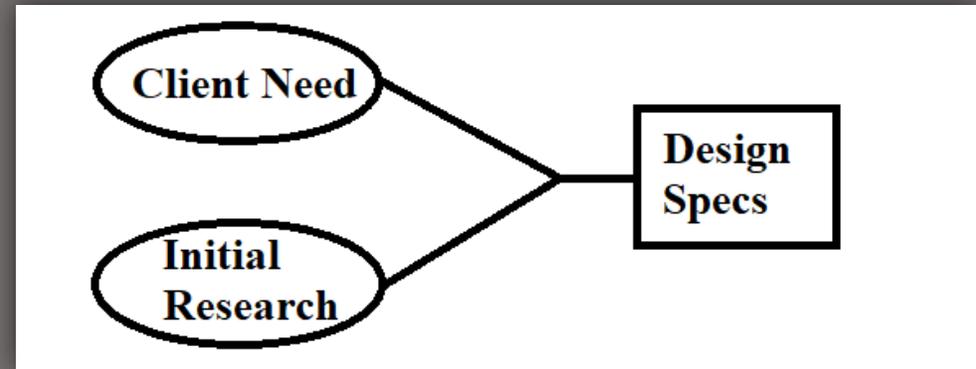
Configure Windings



Evaluate Results

Design Specifications

- Top Priority Specifications
 - Easy to Manufacture
 - 3 Phase AC Supply
 - <\$100 / motor
 - Mountable on Existing Dyno
 - Spins



Design Matrices – Overall Design

Design Spec:	Levels:	Design A
Winding Layer Type	Single	Single
	Double	
Number of Poles	2 [3600 rpm]	4
	4 [1800rpm]	
Consideration:	Relative Importance:	Design A
Manufacturability	30	0.25
Cost	25	0.8
Learning Potential	35	0.95
Efficiency	10	0.8
Rating (Highest Most Favorable)	(/100)	68.75

First Prototype



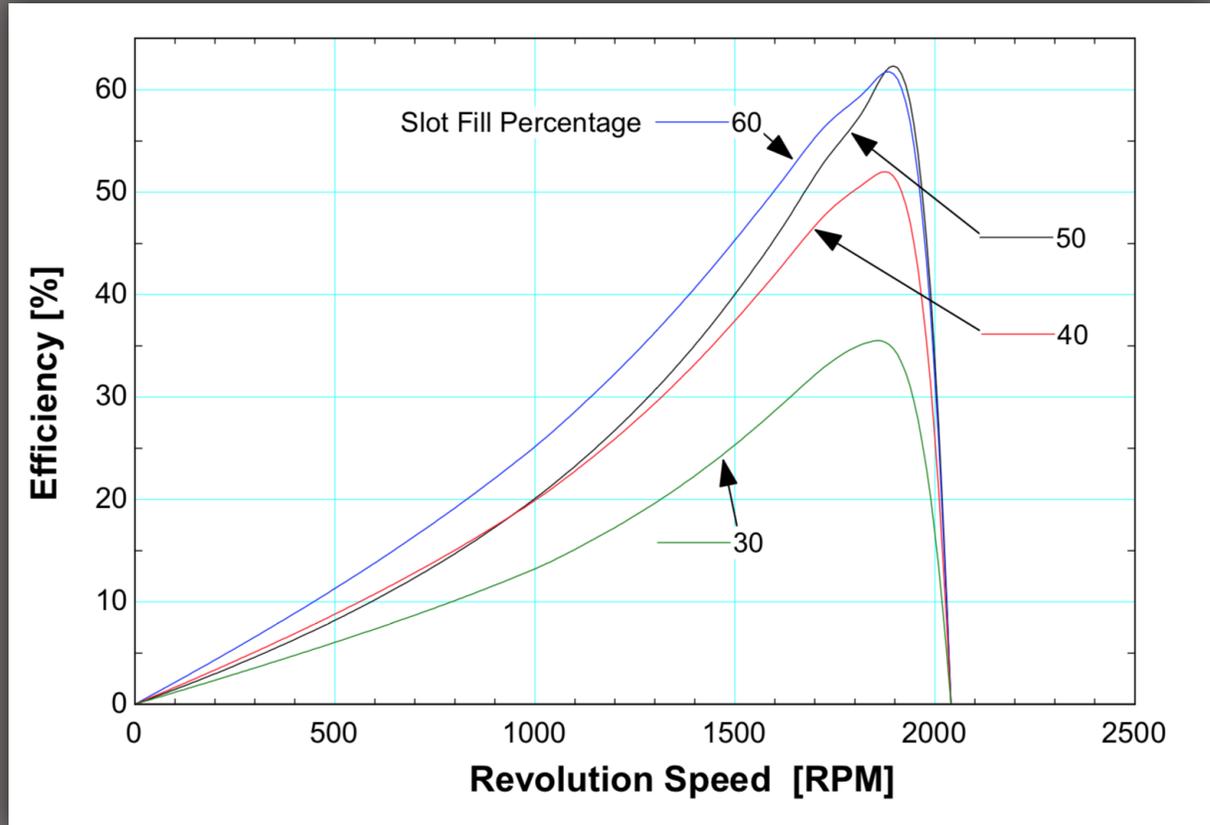
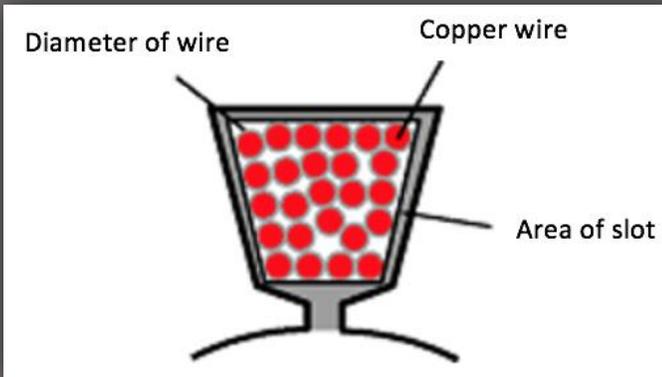
Design Spec:	Levels:	Baseline - Kit	Design A	Design B	Design C
Winding Layer Type	Single	Single or Double	Single	Double	Single
	Double				
Number of Poles	2 [3600 rpm]	4	4	2	2
	4 [1800rpm]				
Consideration:	Relative Importance:	Baseline - Kit	Design A	Design B	Design C
Manufacturability	30	1	0.25	0.3	0.3
Cost	25	0.1	0.8	0.8	0.8
Learning Potential	35	0.25	0.95	0.9	0.9
Efficiency	10	1	0.8	0.6	0.65
Rating (Highest Most Favorable)	(/100)	51.25	68.75	66.5	67

*Design A (in bold) was used for the first prototype.

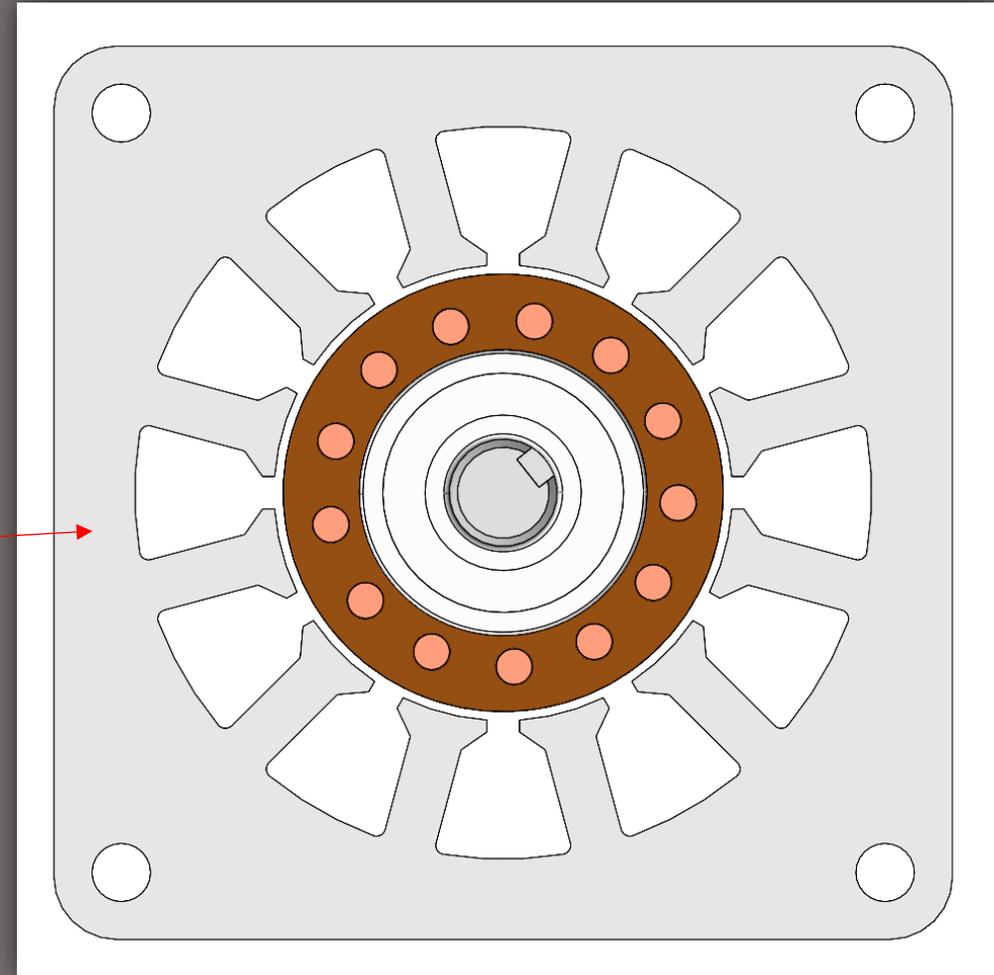
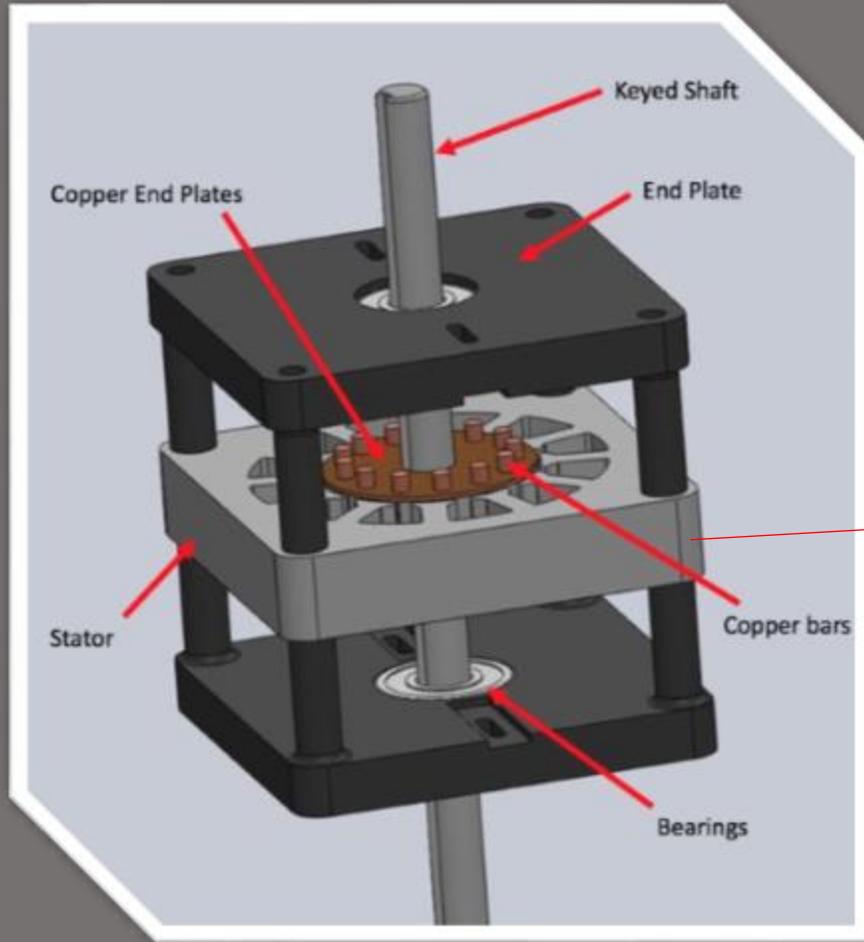


Equations/Plots

$$\text{Fill}_{\text{Factor}} = \frac{2 \cdot \pi \cdot \left[\frac{d_{\text{wire}}}{2} \right]^2 \cdot N}{A_{\text{slot}}}$$

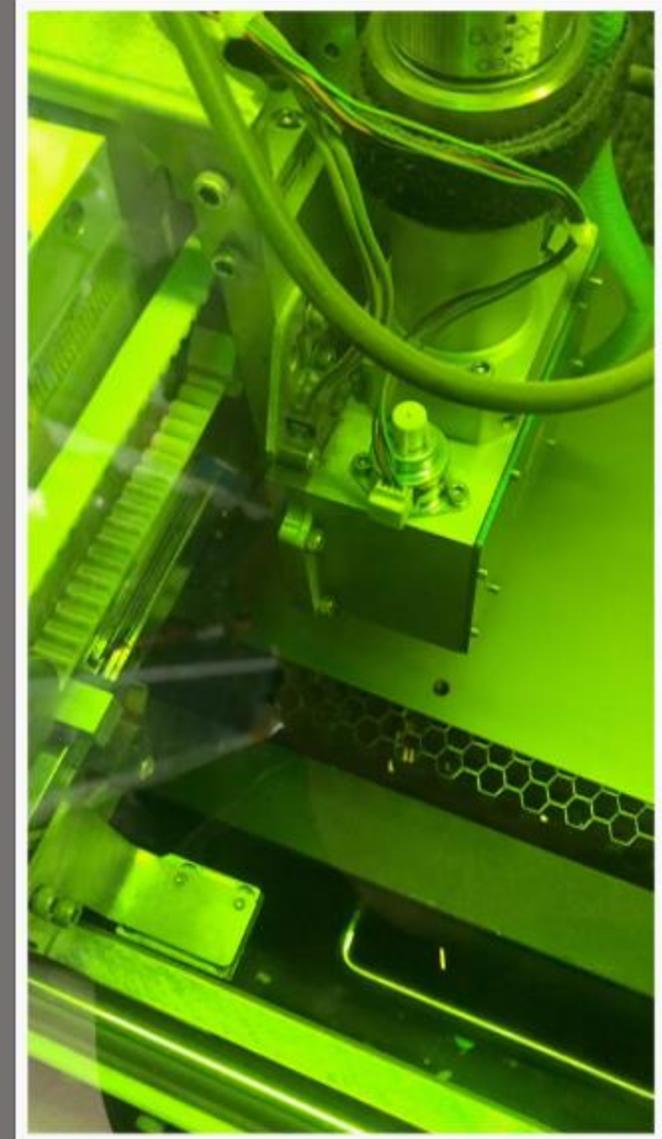
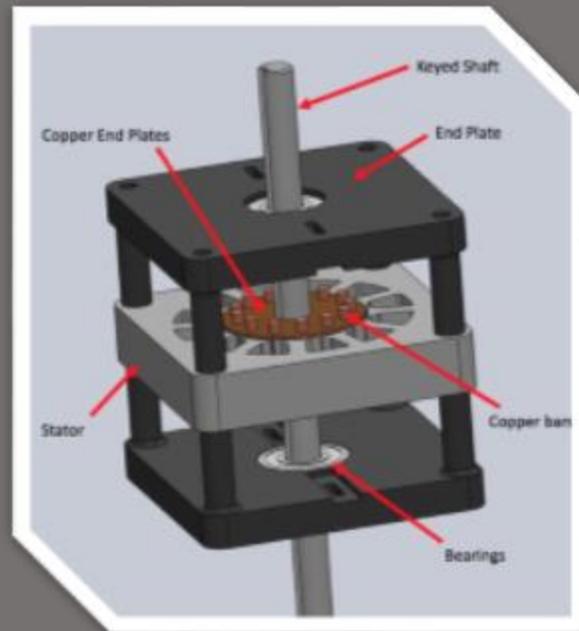


SolidWorks Model

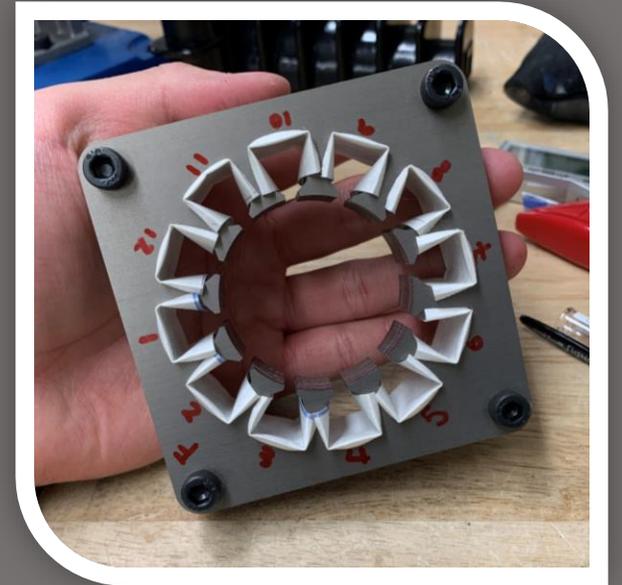
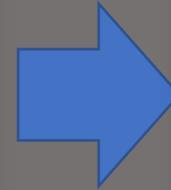
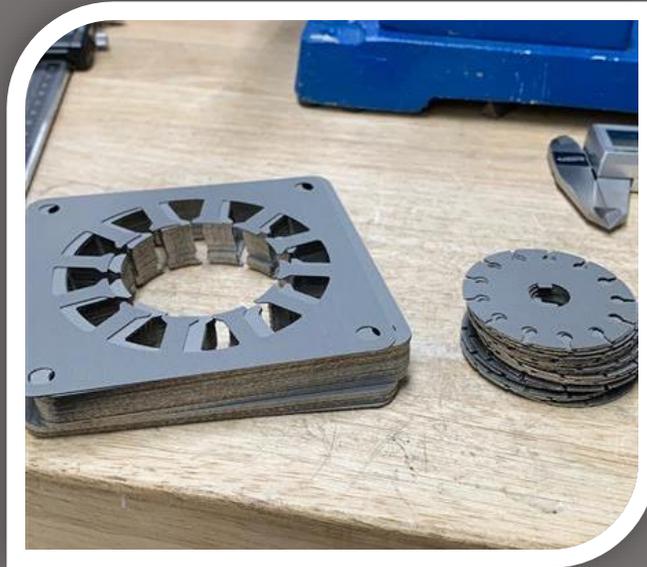
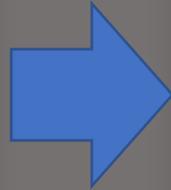


Fabricate Prototype

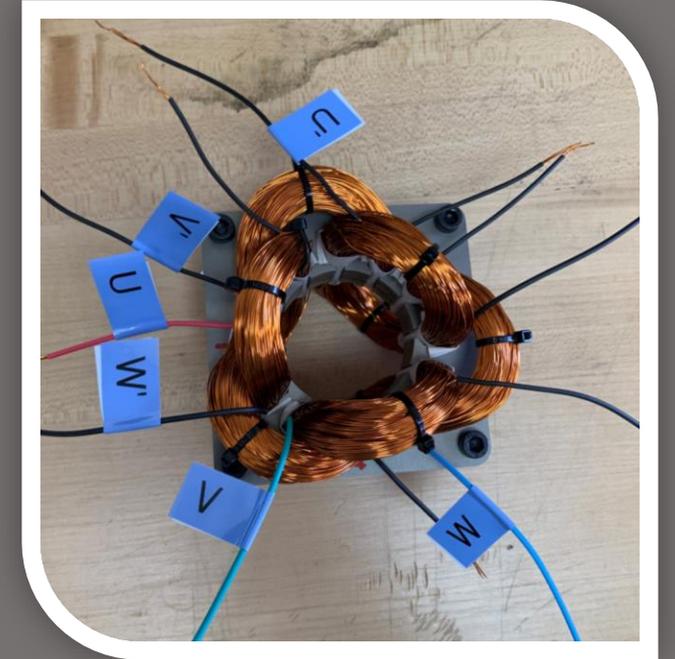
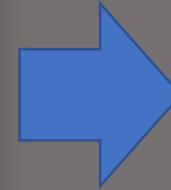
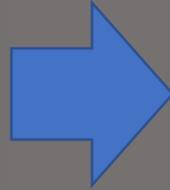
- Laser Cut Laminations 
- Water Jet Copper End Plates
- 3D Print End Plates
- Band Saw Copper Bars



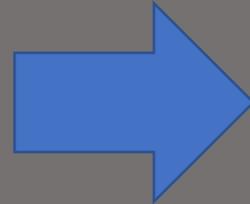
Assemble Stator



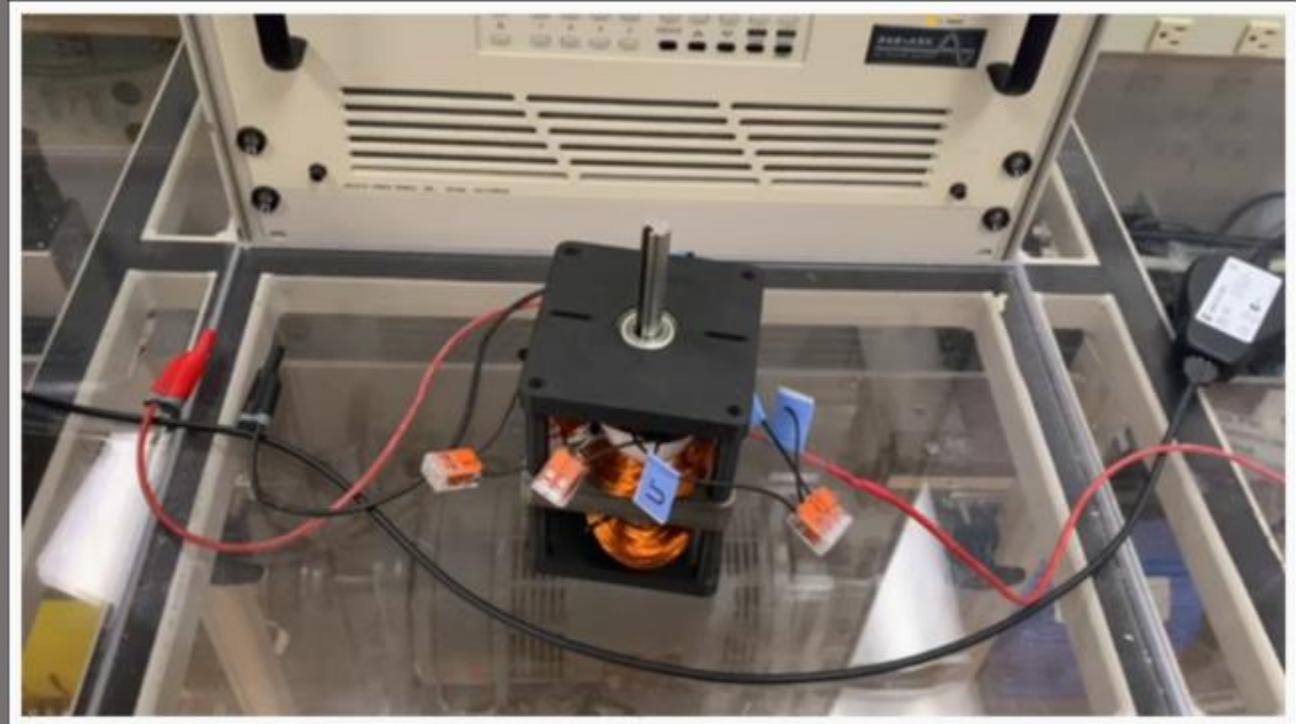
Assemble Windings



Assemble Rotor

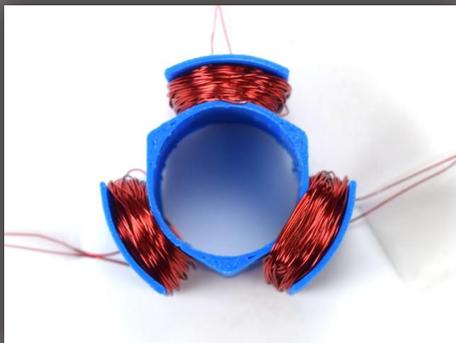
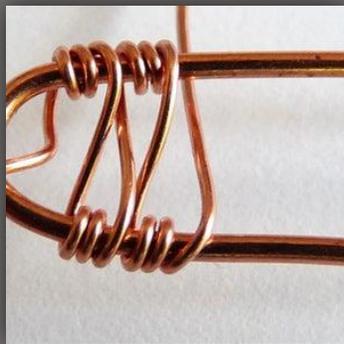


Full Assembly/Testing

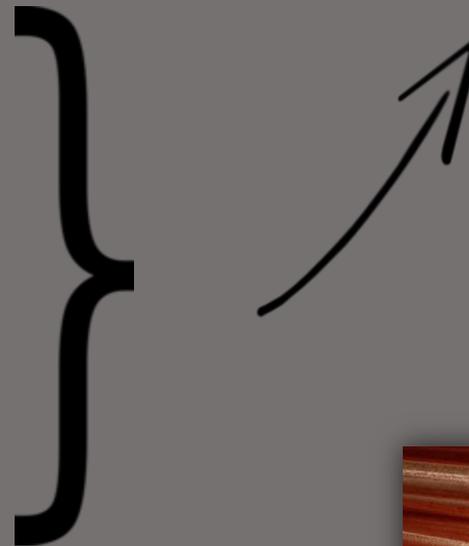


Future Iterations

Improve Manufacturability



Decrease Cost



Design Matrices - Windings

First Prototype



Design Spec:	Levels:	Baseline	Design A	Design B
Stator Winding Configuration	1) 24 AWG N Loops	1	2	3
	2) 24 AWG <N Loops			
	3) >24 AWG >N Loops			
Consideration:	Relative Importance:	Baseline	Design A	Design B
Manufacturability	30	0.25	0.6	0.5
Cost	25	0.8	0.9	0.9
Learning Potential	35	0.95	0.95	0.95
Efficiency	10	0.8	0.6	0.6
Rating (Highest Most Favorable)	(/100)	68.75	79.75	76.75
*Baseline is First Prototype Built. N=Loops in First Prototype				

First Prototype



Design Spec:	Levels:	Baseline	Design A	Design B
Squirrel Cage Design	1) Bars + End Plates	1	2	3
	2) Continuous Wire			
	3) Alum. Fasteners			
Consideration:	Relative Importance:	Baseline	Design A	Design B
Manufacturability	30	0.25	0.5	0.35
Cost	25	0.8	0.95	0.85
Learning Potential	35	0.95	0.95	0.95
Efficiency	10	0.8	0.7	0.7
Rating (Highest Most Favorable)	(/100)	68.75	79	72
*Baseline is First Prototype Built				



Questions?



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