

# INTERIM DESIGN REVIEW

## AIR BEARING UPGRADE FOR SHPB EXPERIMENT

### Group 1

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# Overview

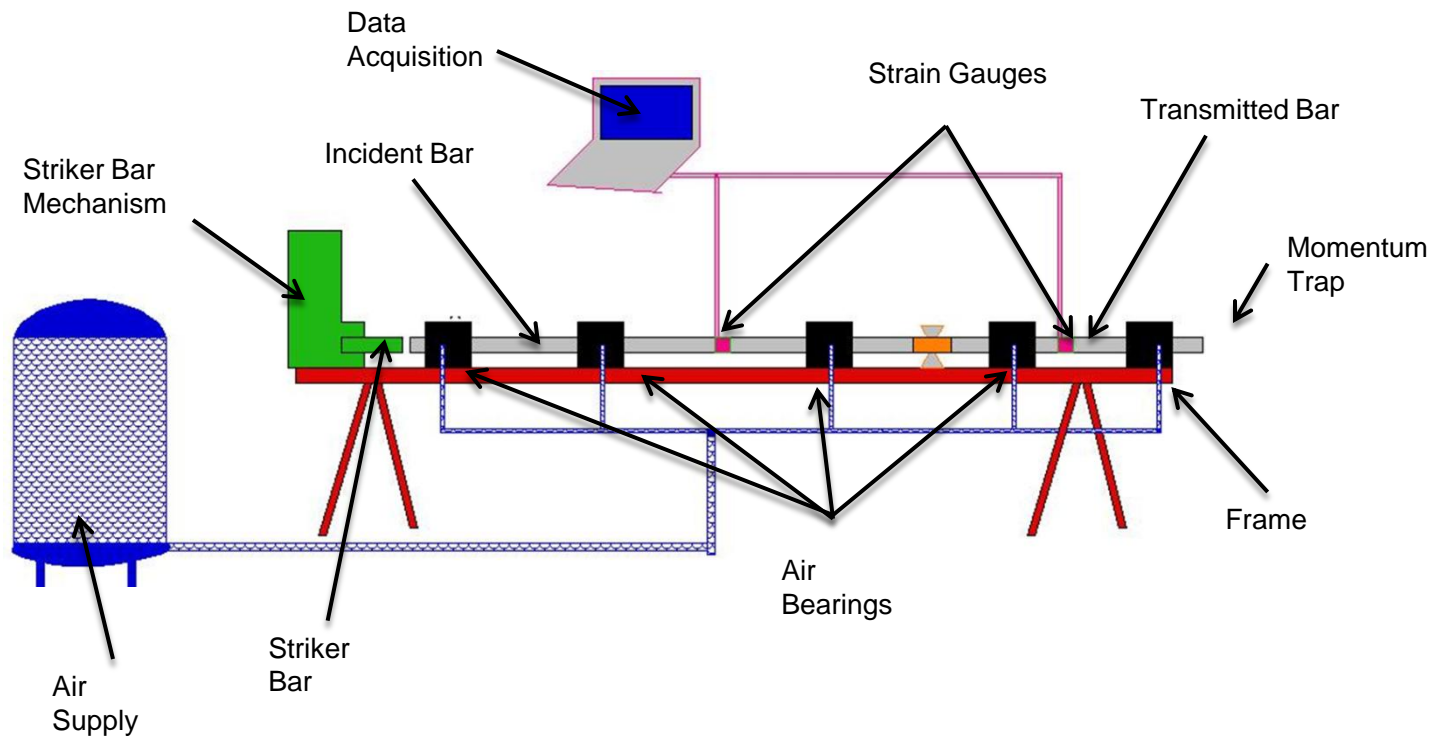
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- Chosen Concepts
- Decision Matrix
- Cost Analysis
- Remaining Schedule
- Summary
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# Introduction

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## □ Design small scale SHPB system



# Requirements

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- Analyze SHPB design based on use of air bearings
- Provide analysis of:
  - ▣ Hardware cost
  - ▣ Interface requirements
  - ▣ Installation procedures
  - ▣ Impact on bar geometry
- Provide assessment of strain gauge technology
- Develop procedure to align bars
- Design a working prototype to show knowledge of system

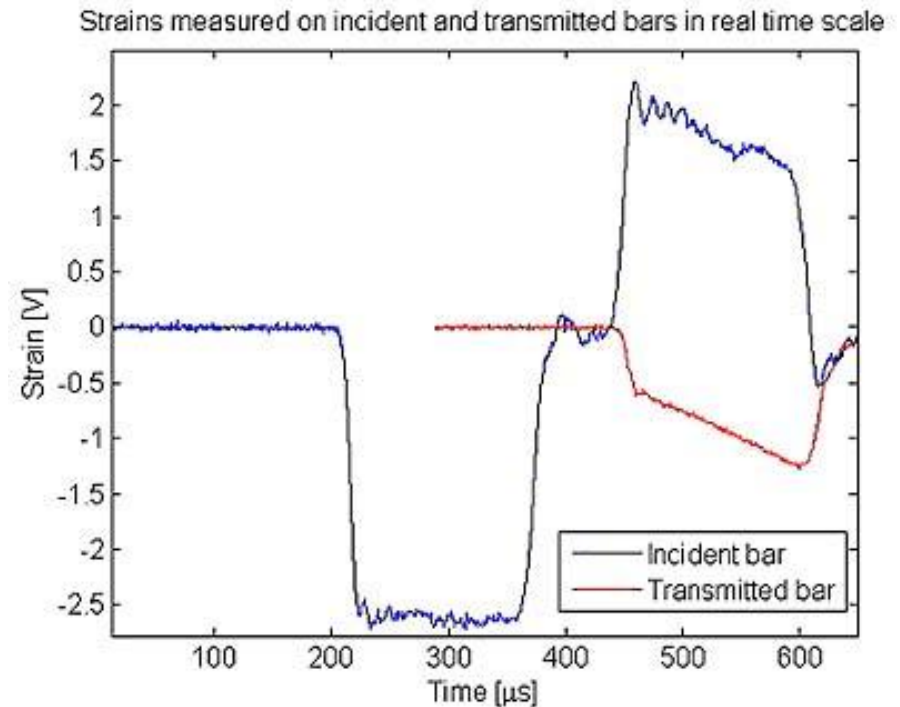
# Striker Bar Mechanism

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- Sets the whole system in motion.
- Generates square pulse



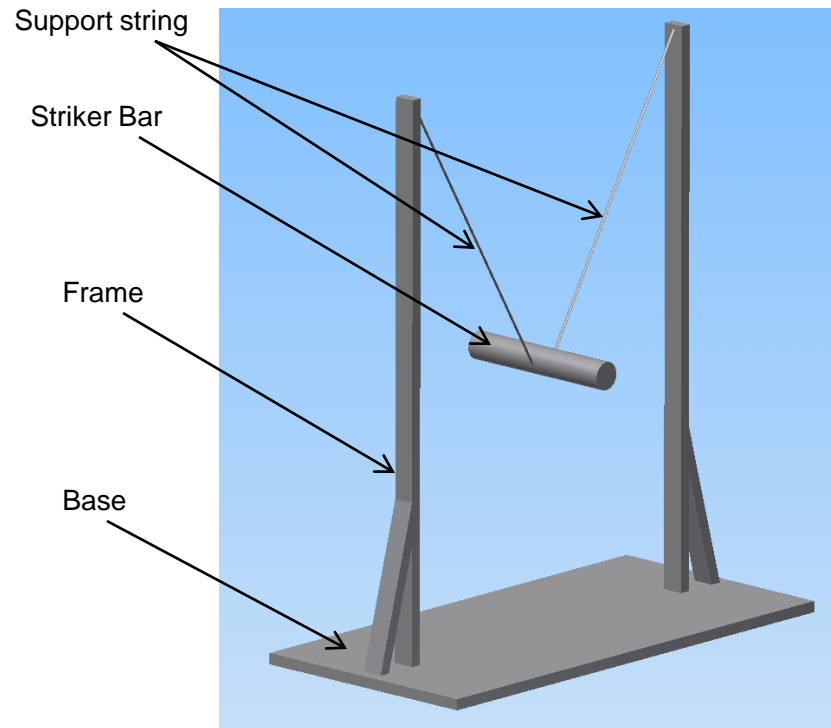
- Constant velocity
- For this project – simple.



# Concept 1

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- Pendulum
- Simple
- Cost efficient  
~\$30
- Easy to operate

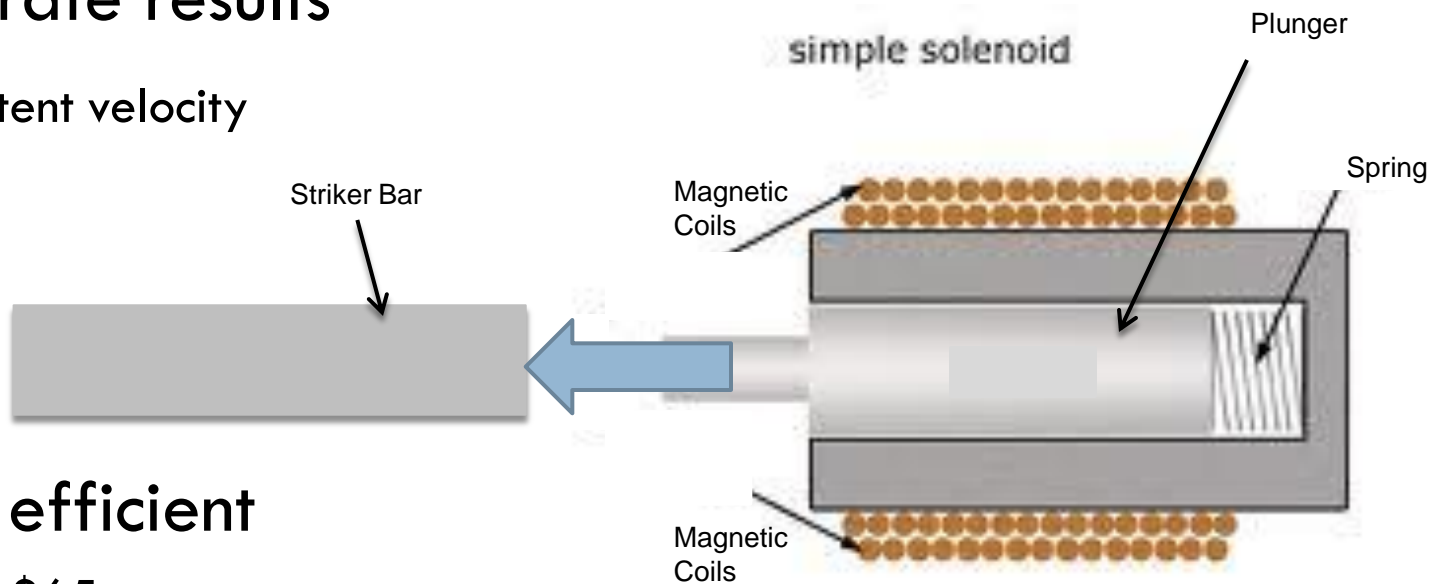


# Concept 2

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- Push solenoid
- Accurate results

Consistent velocity



- Cost efficient  
\$20 - \$65

# Striker Bar Mechanism

## Decision Matrix

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<u>Design Factor</u>	<u>Weighing Factor</u>	<u>Pendulum</u>	<u>Solenoid</u>
Cost	0.2	4	3
Simplicity	0.2	5	3
Accuracy	0.3	3	5
Durability	0.2	4	5
Weight	0.1	4	4
Total	1	3.9	4.1

Scale: 1 = worst

5 = best



# Bar & Air Bushing Sizes

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## □ Bushing Specifics

- Companies: New Way , Nelson Air
  - 0.5" diameter
    - \$210.00 each (New Way)
    - \$262.00 each (Nelson)
  - 0.75" diameter
    - \$265.00 each (New Way)
    - \$331.00 each (Nelson)



## □ Bar Specifics

- Company: McMaster-Carr
  - (2) 36" length
  - 0.5" diameter
    - \$20.00 - \$55.00 each
  - 0.75" diameter
    - \$30.00 - \$80.00 each
  - Diameter Tolerance: -0.0005" to -0.001"
  - Straightness: 0.002" per ft.



# Bar Decision Matrix

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	Weight	.5''	.75''
Cost	0.1	4	3
Weight	0.2	4	4
Size	0.1	5	5
Durability	0.2	5	5
Portability	0.1	4	4
Accuracy	0.2	3	4
Data Quality	0.1	3	4
Score	-----	4.0	4.2

# Air Bushing Supplier Decision Matrix

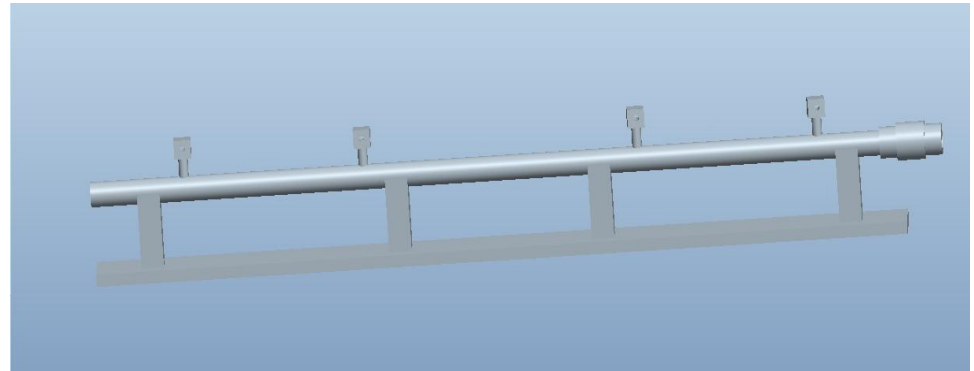
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	Weight	New Way	Nelson
Cost	0.2	3	2
Weight	0.2	5	5
Size	0.1	5	5
Durability	0.2	5	4
Portability	0.1	5	5
Accuracy	0.2	5	4
Score	-----	4.6	4

# Air Supply Manifold

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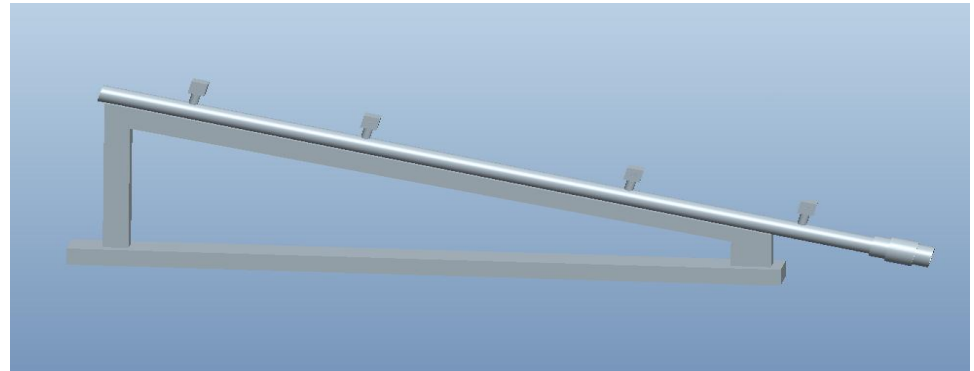
- Design 1: Horizontal Manifold
  - Steel Pipe
    - < \$20.00
  - (4) Air supply valves
  - End valve release
    - Purging valve



# Air Supply Manifold

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- Design 2: Declined Manifold
  - Steel Pipe
    - < \$20.00
  - (4) Air supply valves
  - End valve release
    - Purging valve



# Air Manifold Decision Matrix

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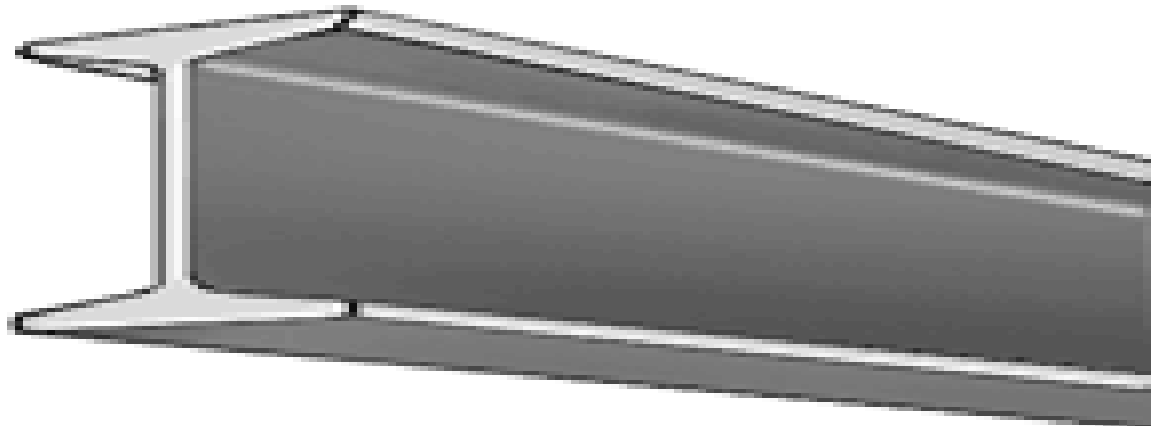
	Weight	Horizontal	Declined
Cost	0.2	3	3
Weight	0.1	3	3
Size	0.2	3	3
Simplicity	0.1	5	3
Durability	0.2	4	4
Portability	0.2	3	3
Score	-----	3.4	3.2

# Base

## Concept 1 I beam

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- Cost ~ \$96 6 foot section
- Steel
  - ▣ High strength
  - ▣ Heavy
- Simple alignment
- Scalable

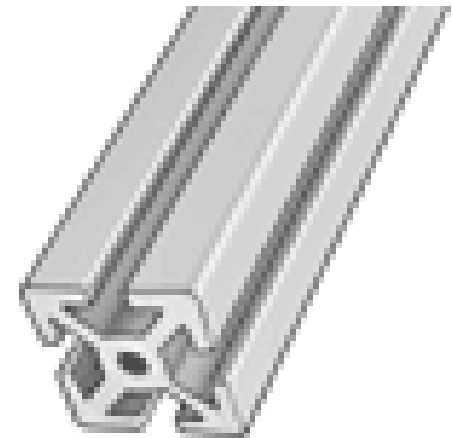


# Base

## Concept 2

### T-Slotted Framing

- Cost ~ \$45 8 foot section
- Aluminum
  - ▣ Lightweight
  - ▣ Rigid geometry
- Automatic alignment
- Scalable





# Base Decision Matrix

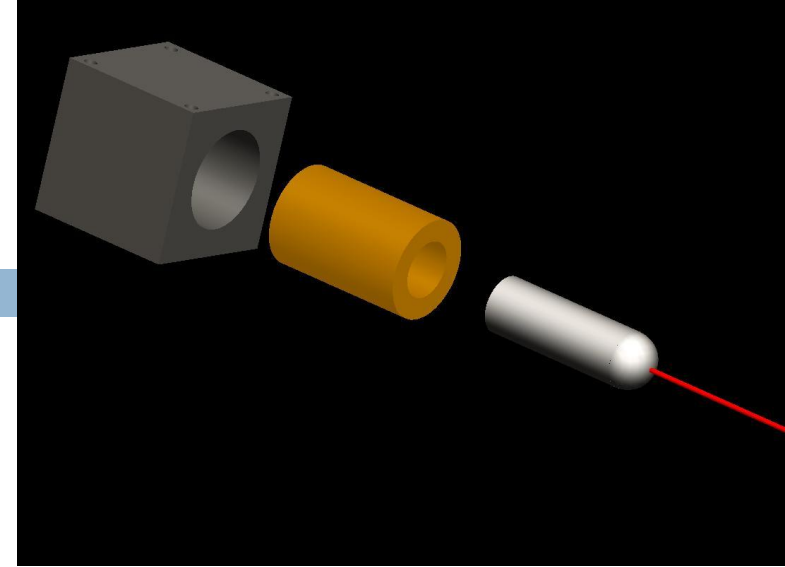
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	Weight	I – Beam	T-Slot
Cost	.3	3	5
Simplicity	.2	4	4
Weight	.2	2	4
Portability	.3	4	5
Score	-----	3.3	4.6

# Bearing Alignment

## Concept 1 Center Bore Alignment

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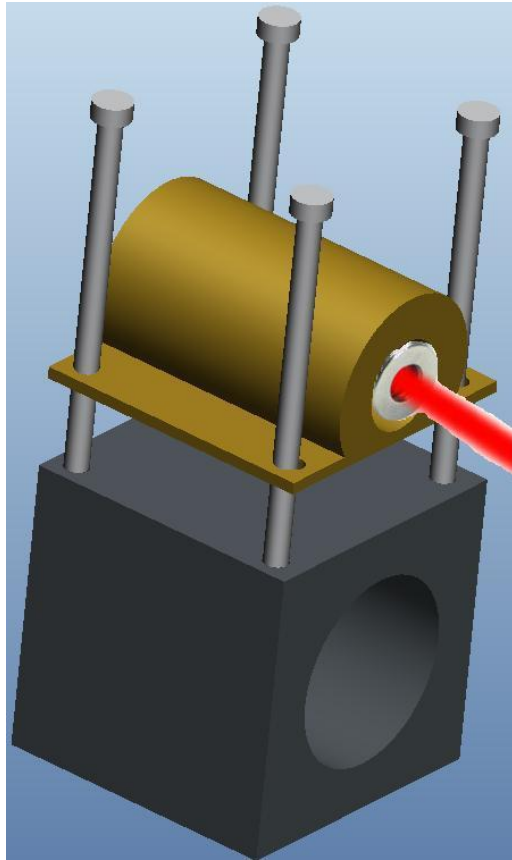
- Maintains axial alignment
- Simple insert and check
- Can be scaled to any size radius
- Accurate

# Bearing Alignment

## Concept 2 Exterior Mount

### Alignment

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- Uses secondary axis for alignment
- Must be remounted for each bearing
- Can be easily scaled
- Accurate

# Bearing Alignment Decision Matrix

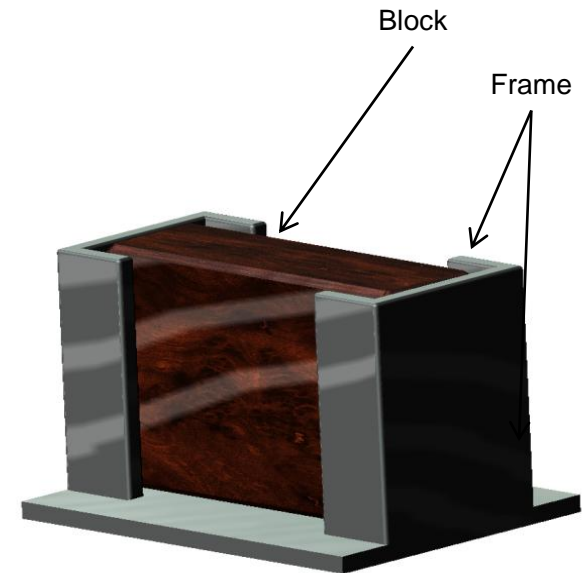
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	Weight	Inserted	Mounted
Cost	0.2	3	3
Simplicity	0.1	2	4
Scalability	0.2	4	3
Accuracy	0.4	5	4
Ease of Use	0.1	5	3
Score	-----	4.1	3.5

# Momentum Trap

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- Absorbs transmitted wave to reduce system shock.
- Requirements: low cost, high impact absorption
- Concept 1: Custom Impact Bumper
  - Simple, Durable, Low Cost
    - Replaceable, cheap absorber
    - \$30 range
  - Shock absorbing material
    - Soft Wood
    - High Density Rubber



Custom Impact Bumper

# Momentum Trap

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## □ Concept 2: Manufactured Bumper

- Readily available
- Various styles
- \$30 range
- Less easily replaced



Manufactured Bumpers

# Momentum Trap

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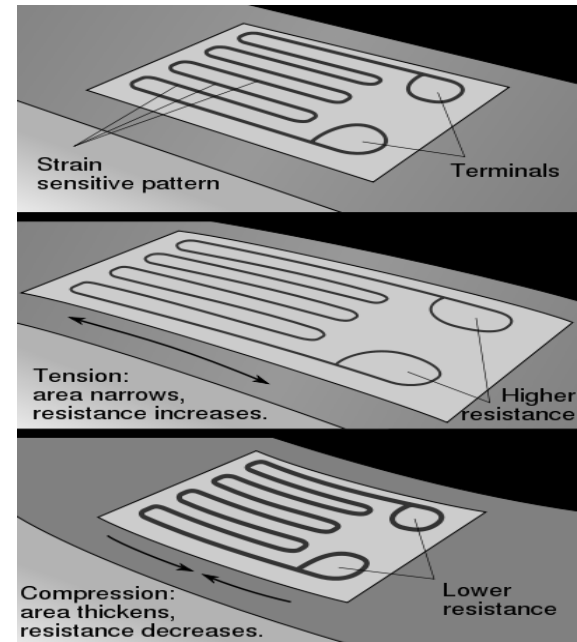
<b>Design Factor</b>	<b>Weighing Factor</b>	<b>Custom</b>	<b>Prefabricated</b>
Cost	0.2	4	4
Weight	0.1	4	3
Size	0.1	3	3
Simplicity	0.1	4	4
Durability	0.25	4	3
Scalability	0.15	4	3
Ease of Use	0.1	4	4
<b>Totals</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>Weighted Averages</b>		<b>3.9</b>	<b>3.4</b>

Scale: 1 to 5  
Best = 5

# Strain Gauges

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- SHPB experiment
  - ▣ < 1% Strain on Bars
  
- Foil Strain Gauges
  - ▣ Durable
  
  - ▣ Utilized on AFRL SHPB
  
  - ▣ Cost
    - \$10 to \$20 each (x8)
    - \$80 to \$160 total cost



Foil Strain Gauge



# Strain Gauges

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## □ Semiconductor Gauge

- Higher Sensitivity

- Slightly Lower Durability

- Cost

- Micron-Instruments

- Unmatched

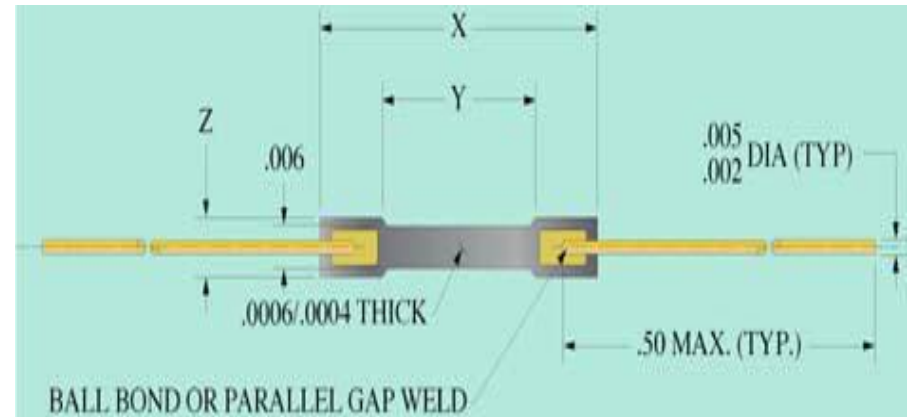
- \$10 to \$20 each (x8)

- \$80 to \$160 Total

- Matched Set of 4

- \$75 to \$100 per set (x2)

- \$150 to \$200 Total



Semiconductor Strain Gauge

# Strain Gauges

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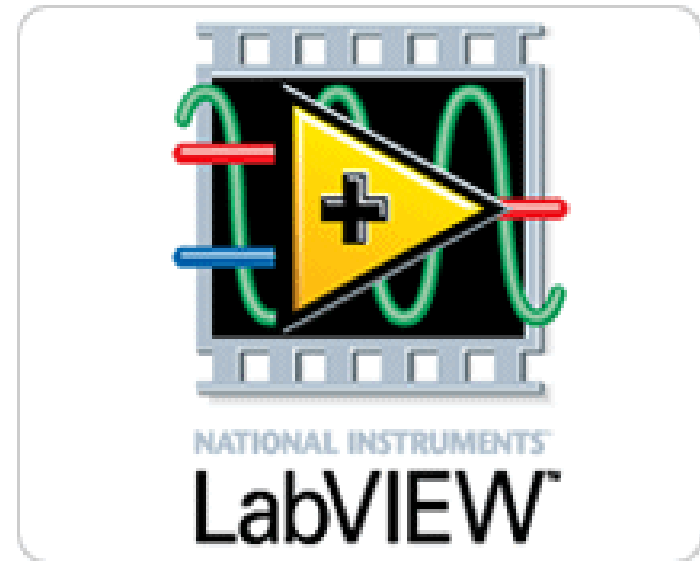
<b>Design Factor</b>	<b>Weighing Factor</b>	<b>Foil</b>	<b>Semiconductor</b>
Cost	0.2	4	3
Size	0.1	4	5
Data Quality	0.3	4	5
Durability	0.2	5	4
Ease of Use	0.2	4	4
<b>Totals</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>26</b>
<b>Weighted Averages</b>		<b>4</b>	<b>4.4</b>

Scale: 1 to 5  
Best = 5

# Data Acquisition

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- High data rates
  - ▣ 100 kS/s/channel
- Software
  - ▣ LabVIEW
    - User friendly
    - Quick setup
    - Available at COE
- Hardware
  - ▣ Expensive
    - > \$500 for NI platforms
  - ▣ Solution
    - Make use of hardware available at COE.



		Decision Matrix										
		Cost	Weight	Size	Simplicity	Durability	Portability	Scalability	Accuracy	Data Quality	Ease of Use	Score
<b>Base</b>	Weight	0.3	0.2	N/a	0.2	N/a	0.3	N/a	N/a	N/a	N/a	
	I-beam	3	2		4		4					3.3
	T-slot	5	4		4		5					4.6
<b>Bushing</b>	Weight	0.2	0.2	0.1	N/a	0.2	0.1	N/a	0.2	N/a	N/a	
	New Way	3	5	5		5	5		5			4.6
	Nelson	2	5	5		4	5		4			4
<b>Strain Gauges</b>	Weight	0.2	N/a	0.1	N/a	0.2	N/a	N/a	N/a	0.3	0.2	
	Foil	4		4		5				3	4	3.9
	Semiconductor	3		5		4				5	4	4.2
<b>Bar *</b>	Weight	0.1	0.2	0.1	N/a	0.2	0.1	N/a	0.2	0.1	N/a	
	1/2 inch	4	4	5		5	4		3	3		4
	3/4 inch	3	4	5		5	4		4	4		4.2
<b>Striker Bar</b>	Weight	0.2	0.1	N/a	0.2	0.2	N/a	N/a	0.3	N/a	N/a	
	Solenoid	3	4		3	5			5			4.1
	Pendulum	4	4		5	4			3			3.9
<b>Air Manifold</b>	Weight	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	N/a	N/a	N/a	N/a	
	Horizontal	3	3	3	5	4	3					3.4
	Declined	3	3	3	3	4	3					3.2
<b>Bearing Alignmen</b>	Weight	0.2	N/a	N/a	0.1	N/a	N/a	0.2	0.4	N/a	0.1	1
	Insert	3			2			4	5		5	4.1
	Mounted	3			4			3	4		3	3.5
<b>Momentum Trap</b>	Weight	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.25	N/a	0.15	N/a	N/a	0.1	
	Custom	4	4	3	4	4		4			4	3.9
	Prefabricated	4	3	3	4	3		3			4	3.4

# Senior Design Group #1: Preliminary Cost Analysis

\*Prices do not include shipping

Budget	\$2,500.00
Total Cost	\$1,027.61
Remaining	\$1,472.39

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Item	Quantity	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Source	Part Number
Air Bushings 0.5 inch	4	210.00	\$840.00	New Way	S301201
Solenoid	1	64.94	\$64.94	McMaster Carr	7723K12
T-slot Framing 1 1/2 inch (96 inch length)	1	48.15	\$48.15	McMaster Carr	47065T119
Incident & Transmission Bar: 1566 Steel Bar 0.5 inch (36inch length)	2	18.67	\$37.34	McMaster Carr	6061K63
Air Manifold (72 inches)	1	16.34	\$16.34	McMaster Carr	4457K35
T-slot Framing 1 1/2 inch (24 inch length) For stability	1	13.98	\$13.98	McMaster Carr	47065T119
Striker Bar: 1566 Steel Bar 0.5 inch (12inch length)	1	6.86	\$6.86	McMaster Carr	6061K33
DAQ			\$0.00	COE	
Momentum Trap			\$0.00	Group	
Air supply			\$0.00	Group	

# Senior Design Project # 1 Remaining Schedule of Responsibilities

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Week Number

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Interim Design Review



Final Design Package



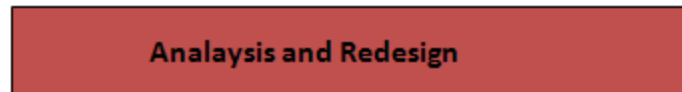
Second Team Evaluation



Purchasing



Prototyping



Analysis and Redesign



Final Deliverable

# Questions?

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# Comments?

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# Plastic Energy Derivation

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- Stress  $\sigma = F/A$
- Strain  $\epsilon = (L_i - L_o) / L_o$
- Gauge Factor  $GF = [ (R_i - R_o) / R_o ] / \epsilon$
- Data Strain  $\epsilon (R_i) = [ (R_i - R_o) / R_o ] / GF$

# Plastic Energy Derivation

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- Strain in Specimen:

$$d\varepsilon_{\text{avg}} / dt = (c_b / L_s) * (\varepsilon_{I-} - \varepsilon_R - \varepsilon_T)$$

- Integration:

$$\varepsilon_s = (C_b / L_s) * \int_0^t [(\varepsilon_{I-} - \varepsilon_R - \varepsilon_T) * dt]$$

Strain through the specimen

# Plastic Energy Derivation

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- Strain energy for each wave

$$\text{Kinetic energy} = 0.5 * m * v^2$$

- Initial  $E_i = 0.5 * A_B * C_B * E_B * T * \epsilon_i^2$
- Reflected  $E_r = 0.5 * A_B * C_B * E_B * T * \epsilon_R^2$
- Transmitted  $E_t = 0.5 * A_B * C_B * E_B * T * \epsilon_T^2$

# Plastic Energy Derivation

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- Strain energy

$$\delta S_E = E_I - E_R - E_T$$

- Plastic Energy absorbed by specimen

$$E_s = 2 * \delta S_E$$