

Systems Level Design Review

Project: 11552
DLP Prototyping System

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Meeting Agenda

- **Meeting Purpose:**
- Project Overview
- Confirm Engineering Specs & Customer Needs
- Concept Review
- Review proposed design – confirm feasibility and desired functionality
- Generate further ideas
- **Materials Reviewed:**
- Project Description
- Customer Needs
- Engineering Specifications
- House of Quality
- Benchmarking / Research
- Functional Decomposition –
- Concept Generation – Morphological Chart
- Concept Selection – Pugh Chart
- Concept Overview
- Risk Assessment
- Project Plan
- Future Steps



Project Description

Project Overview

The aim of this project is to design and fabricate a projected image photopolymer curing R&D platform. The system will use a Texas Instruments digital light projector (DLP) development system to project black and white ultraviolet (UV) light images onto a film of UV curable photopolymer in order to selectively cure/harden the polymer. Students will therefore design and construct a liquid resin spreading system, an optics system capable of transmitting and focusing a suitably powered UV light source, and the software needed to slice a 3D CAD model into the individual black and white images to be cured.

Major Deliverables

- Liquid Resin Spreading Sub-System
- UV Image Projection Sub-System
- Control System/ Model Slicing Software
- Enclosure for Sub-Systems



Customer Needs

Customer: Dr. Denis Cormier

| Customer Need # | Importance | Description | Title |
|-----------------|------------|--|---------------------------|
| CN1 | 9 | Device utilizes a DLP Projector | Utilized DLP Projector |
| CN2 | 9 | Utilize a 3D software model for replication by prototype | 3D Model Slicing Software |
| CN3 | 9 | Fully automated after the command to print is sent | Fully Automated |
| CN4 | 9 | Use a photosensitive polymer resin as a medium | Utilized Photopolymer |
| CN5 | 1 | Ability to use multiple types of curing resins | Device Functionality |
| CN6 | 9 | Thorough documentation of design | Prepare for Future MSD |
| CN7 | 9 | The system is safe to operate | Device Safety Features |
| CN8 | 3 | Device adheres to budgetary constraints | Device Cost |
| CN9 | 9 | Acceptable quality of final prototype part | Quality Prototype |
| CN10 | 3 | Device has simple user interface | Operator Satisfaction |
| CN11 | 3 | Reasonable fabrication time | Prototype Creation Time |
| CN12 | 9 | Reasonably sized finished prototype | Prototype Size |
| CN13 | 1 | Reasonably sized DLP system | Device Size |



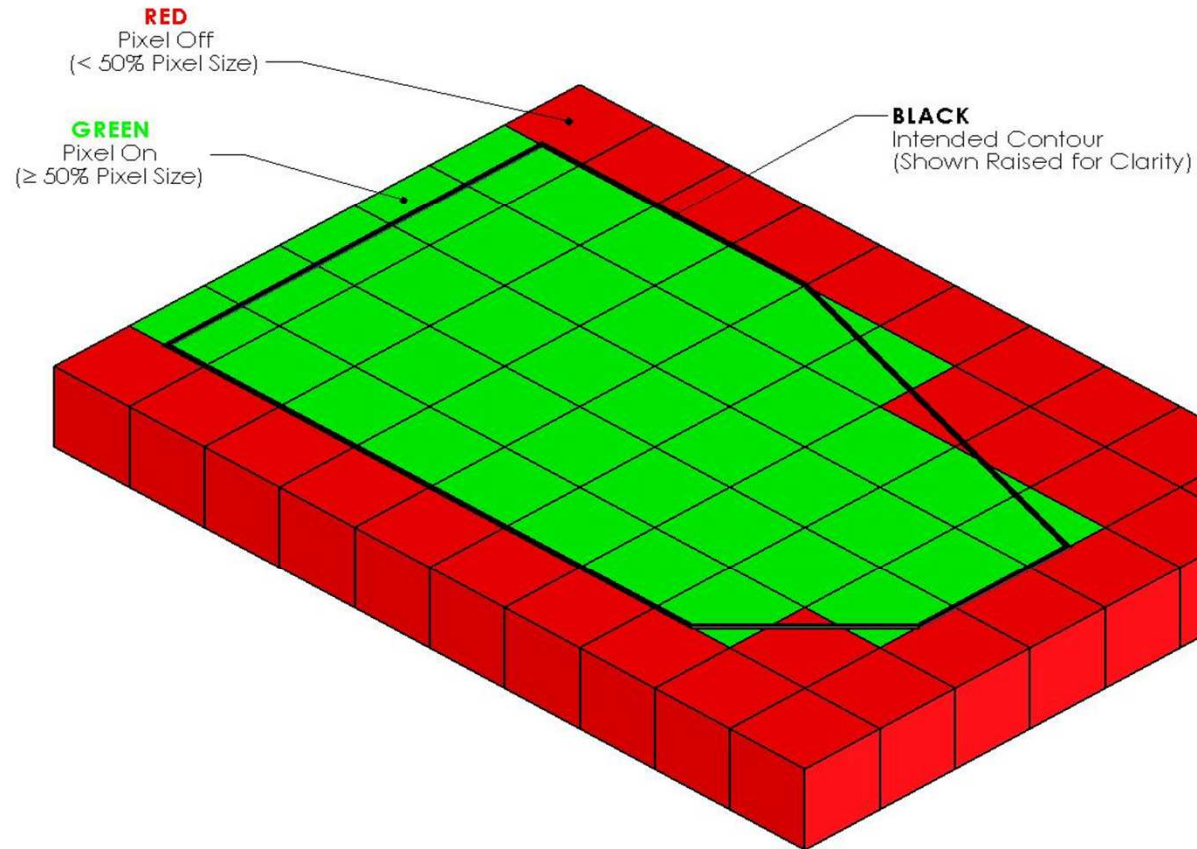
Engineering Specifications (1 of 3)

| ES # | Engineering Spec | Source | Importance | Description | Measure of Performance | Units | Marginal Value | Ideal Value | Validation Method |
|------|-----------------------------------|--------|------------|---|---|-------------------|---|--|-------------------|
| ES1 | Layer Cure Time | CN11 | 3 | Constrain the cure time of each layer | Time the cure time of a standard layer and cross section | sec | ≤ 60 | ≤ 10 | Experimentation |
| ES2 | Prototype Size | CN12 | 3 | Set an expected range of possible prototype outputs | Calibrated measurement devices (calipers, micrometers) | inches (cm) | $\geq 5.5 \times 4 \times 4$ (13.97x10.16x10.16) | $\geq 9 \times 6.75 \times 8$ (22.86x17.15x20.32) | Inspection |
| ES3 | Layer to Layer Registration | CN9 | 9 | Consistency of layer position relative to adjacent layers | Degree of interlayer registration (contact profilometer) | inches (cm) | $\leq .008$ (.02032) | $\leq .003$ (.00762) | Inspection |
| ES4 | X-Y Dimensional Accuracy | CN9 | 3 | Accuracy due to projector image - pixel size | Calibrated measurement devices (calipers, micrometers) | inches (cm) | $\leq \pm .010$ (.0254) | $\pm .005$ (.0127) | Inspection |
| ES5 | X-Y Resolution | CN9 | 3 | Pixel dimensions | Pixel dimensions | inches (cm) | TBD | TBD | Inspection |
| ES6 | Cumulative Z-Dimensional Accuracy | CN9 | 3 | Accuracy due to cumulative layer accuracy | Variability in layer thickness - calibrated measurement devices (calipers, micrometers) | inches/in (cm/cm) | $\leq .010$ (.010) | $\leq .005$ (.005) | Inspection |
| ES7 | Layer Thickness | CN9 | 3 | Accuracy of each cured layer in the Z direction | Variability in layer thickness - calibrated measurement devices (calipers, micrometers) | inches (cm) | $\leq .005$ (.0127) | $\leq .004$ (.01016) | Inspection |



Pixel Accuracy Diagram

P11552 - DLP Prototyping System
X/Y Dimensional Accuracy



Engineering Specifications (2 of 3)

| ES # | Engineering Spec | Source | Importance | Description | Measure of Performance | Units | Marginal Value | Ideal Value | Validation Method |
|------|-----------------------|----------|------------|--|--|----------|----------------|-------------|-------------------|
| ES8 | Level of Automation | CN2, CN3 | 9 | Required manual steps by operator | Number of steps | [--] | TBD | TBD | Experimentation |
| ES9 | Utilized Photopolymer | CN1, CN4 | 9 | Use photo-sensitive polymers as medium | Inspect to see if light of any wavelength is being used to cure the model | [binary] | No | Yes | Inspection |
| ES10 | Design Documentation | CN6 | 9 | Allow future MSD teams to easily understand design of DLP system | Inspect to see if there is documented and physical evidence of forethought to future MSD teams | [binary] | No | Yes | Inspection |
| ES11 | Emergency Stop | CN7 | 9 | System automatically shuts down when emergency stop is pressed | Safety inspection | [binary] | No | Yes | Inspection |
| ES12 | Safety Interlock | CN7 | 3 | System automatically shuts down when opened | Safety inspection | [binary] | No | Yes | Inspection |
| ES13 | Light Leakage | CN7 | 1 | Design minimizes the amount of light that escapes the DLP System (varying wavelengths) | Lux meter, UV radiometer | Lumens | TBD | TBD | Inspection |
| ES14 | Pinch Points | CN7 | 3 | Design minimizes opportunities for injury due to pinch points | Safety inspection | [--] | 3 | 0 | Inspection |



Engineering Specifications (3 of 3)

| ES # | Engineering Spec | Source | Importance | Description | Measure of Performance | Units | Marginal Value | Ideal Value | Validation Method |
|------|-----------------------|---------------|------------|---|--|--------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------|
| ES15 | Device Cost | CN8 | 3 | Constrain purchases and design to coincide with given budget | Inspect documentation of purchases | \$ | ≤2000 | ≤1000 | Inspection |
| ES16 | Multiple Resins | CN5 | 1 | Device should allow for resins with varying viscosities | Inspect documentation that proves adaptability | cP | ≥500 | ≥10000 | Inspection |
| ES17 | DLP System Envelope | CN13 | 3 | Constrain overall size of system | Bounding box dimensions | feet (m) | ≤6x4x4 (1.829x1.219x1.219) | ≤4x2x2 (1.219x.6096x.6096) | Inspection |
| ES18 | Prototype Hardness | CN9 | 3 | Check final product to ensure complete curing of polymer | Shore D Hardness Test | [--] | ≥70 | ≥75 | Inspection |
| ES19 | Modular Design | CN1, CN5, CN6 | 1 | Projector light source must be easily replaceable, Resin is easy to interchange | Inspect ease of light source change | [binary] | No | Yes | Inspection |
| ES20 | Operator Satisfaction | CN10 | 3 | Device must be simple and logical to use | Review survey results from operator use | Likert Scale | ≥3 | 5 | Survey |

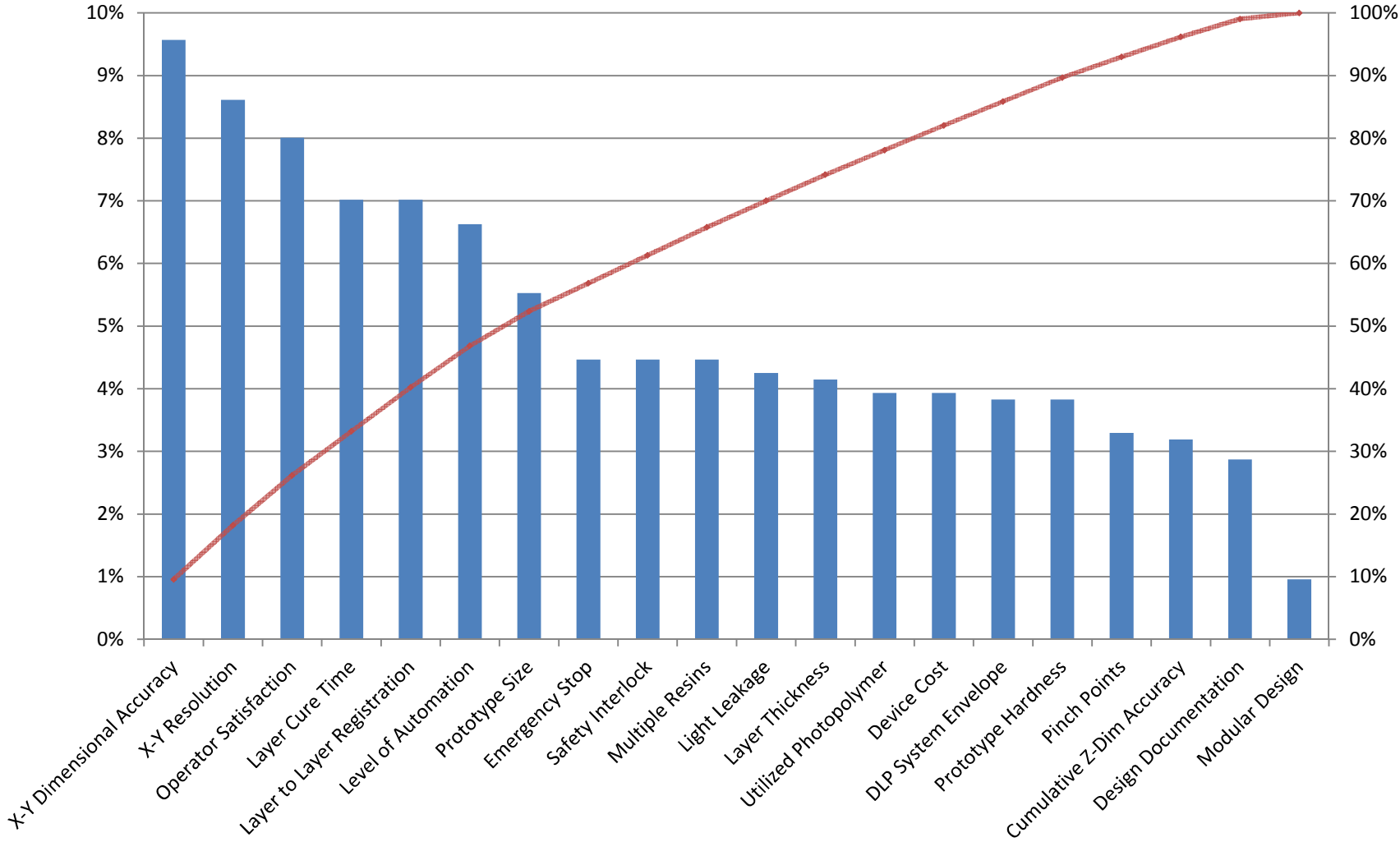


House of Quality (2 of 2)

| Customer Needs | Customer Weights | Layer Cure Time | Prototype Size | Layer to Layer Registration | X-Y Dimensional Accuracy | X-Y Resolution | Cumulative Z-Dim Accuracy | Layer Thickness | Level of Automation | Utilized Photopolymer | Design Documentation | Emergency Stop | Safety Interlock | Light Leakage | Pinch Points | Device Cost | Multiple Resins | DLP System Envelope | Prototype Hardness | Modular Design | Operator Satisfaction |
|---------------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|---------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------|------------------|---------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------|----------------|-----------------------|
| Utilized DLP Projector | 9 | | | 3 | 3 | 9 | | | | 3 | | | | 3 | | | 1 | | | 1 | |
| 3D Model Slicing Software | 9 | | | 9 | 9 | | | 3 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fully Automated | 9 | | | 1 | | | | | 9 | | | 3 | 3 | | | 3 | | 1 | | | 9 |
| Utilized Photopolymer | 9 | | | | | | | | | 9 | | | | | | | 9 | | | | |
| Device Functionality | 1 | | | | | | | | 3 | 3 | | | | | | | 9 | | | 9 | 1 |
| Prepare for Future MSD | 9 | | | | | | | | 3 | | 9 | | | | | | 3 | | | | |
| Device Safety Features | 9 | | | | | | | | 1 | | | 9 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 3 | | | | | 9 |
| Device Cost | 3 | | 1 | | | | | | 3 | | | 3 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 9 | | 3 | | | |
| Quality Prototype | 9 | 9 | 3 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 9 | | | | | | | | 3 | | | 9 | | |
| Operator Satisfaction | 3 | 3 | 3 | | | | | | 9 | | | 3 | 3 | 1 | 3 | | | | | 3 | 9 |
| Prototype Creation Time | 3 | 9 | 9 | | | | | 3 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | 9 | | 3 |
| Prototype Size | 9 | 9 | 9 | | 9 | 9 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | 9 | | | 3 |
| Device Size | 1 | | 9 | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | 3 | | 9 | | | |
| | | sec | inches (cm) | inches (cm) | inches (cm) | inches (cm) | inches/in (cm/cm) | inches (cm) | [---] | [binary] | [binary] | [binary] | [binary] | Lumens | [---] | \$ | cP | feet (m) | [---] | [binary] | Likert Scale |
| Raw Score | 198 | 156 | 198 | 270 | 243 | 90 | 117 | 187 | 111 | 81 | 126 | 126 | 120 | 93 | 111 | 126 | 108 | 108 | 27 | 226 | |
| Relative Weight | 7% | 6% | 7% | 10% | 9% | 3% | 4% | 7% | 4% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 4% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 4% | 4% | 1% | 8% | |



Engineering Specification Weights



Benchmarking and Research

System Level

Z-Corp

- Commercially available DLP system. Machine uses a resin bath to apply new layers of resin - not conducive to multi-material capabilities.

V-Flash

- Commercially available DLP system. Machine uses a self contained cartridge to load and apply resin - feasible technology for multi-material capabilities.



Benchmarking and Research

Sub-System Level

Software

The software requirements include importing a 3D CAD model of .stl file format, slicing the 3D model, and exporting the 2D layer images.

- Solidworks
- ProENGINEER
- 3D Slicer (opensource)

Microcontroller

The basic function of the microcontroller will be motor control. The requirements will depend on the type of motors (stepper, servo, etc.) and the number of motors.

- Freescale
- Texas Instruments
- Arduino
- Hobby CNC



Benchmarking and Research

Sub-System Level

Resin Application

A key part of our design is the resin application. It has to be able to accommodate multiple resins and be open to further development in the area of models with multiple materials.

- Doctor Blade
- Resin Bath
- Film Rollers as used in Laminated Object Manufacturing (LOM)

UV Light Application

Calculations and testing are required to determine aspects such as cure time and cure depth. Both influence the layer to layer curing and accuracy of the prototype part being cured. Light intensity emitted by the LEDs can be controlled by the DLP software. Proper balancing of light intensity, cure time, and cure depth will contribute largely to an accurate cured layer and part.



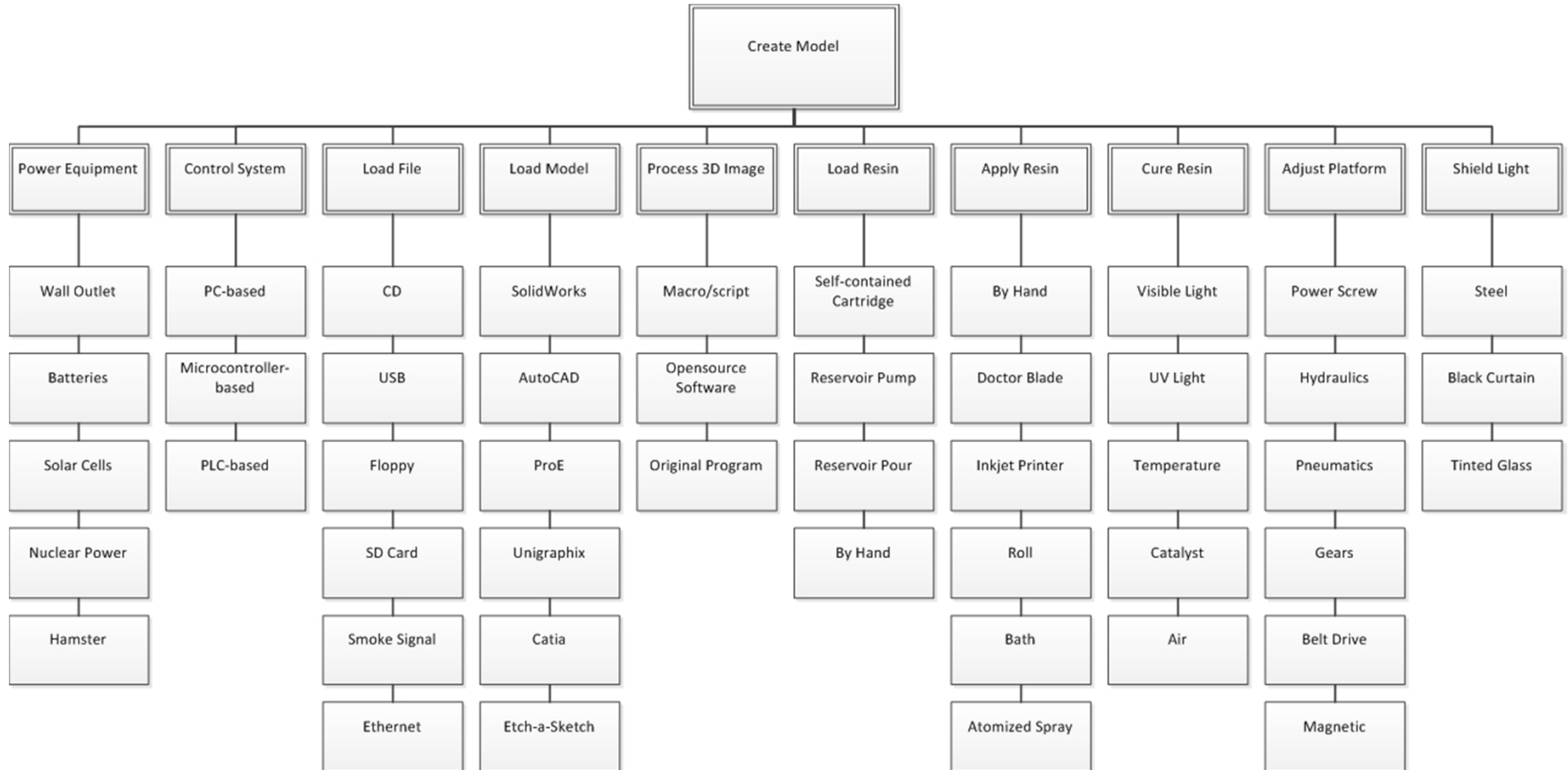
Benchmarking and Research

Motion Control

- Open Loop
 - Movement instructions are converted to electrical pulses by the controller and sent to the servo amplifier to energize the servo motors.
 - The cumulative number of electrical pulses determines the distance
 - The pulse frequency determines the velocity
 - Drawback of the open-loop system is that there is no feedback system to check whether the program position and velocity has been achieved.
 - Open-loop system is generally used in point-to-point systems where the accuracy requirements are not critical.
- Closed Loop
 - The closed-loop system has a feedback subsystem to monitor the actual output and correct any discrepancy from the programmed input.
 - Closed-loop systems accurate because they are capable of monitoring operating conditions through feedback.
 - Closed-looped systems require more control devices and circuitry and are more costly to implement.



Functional Decomposition



Concept Generation
 Multidisciplinary Senior Design I
 DLP Prototyping System
 Team 11552



Concept Generation (1 of 2)

| | | | | | | | |
|--------------|-------------------------|---------------|--------------|------------------|----------|---------------|----------------|
| | Power Equipment | Wall Outlet | Solar Cell | Battery | Nuclear | Hamster | |
| | Load File | CD | USB | SD | Floppy | Smoke Signal | |
| Concept1 | Load Model | SolidWorks | Pro/E | Unigraphics | Catia | Etch-a-Sketch | |
| Create Model | Process 3D Image | Macro Script | Open Source | Original Program | | | |
| | Load Resin | Cartridge | Pump | Pour | Hand | | |
| | Apply Resin | Hand | Blade | Inkjet / Spray | Roll | Bath | Atomized Spray |
| | Cure Resin | Visible Light | UV Light | Heat | Catalyst | Air | |
| | Adjust Platform | Power Screw | Hydraulics | Gears | Magnetic | Pneumatics | Belt Drive |
| | Shield Light | Steel | Tinted Glass | Black Curtain | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| | Power Equipment | Wall Outlet | Solar Cell | Battery | Nuclear | Hamster | |
| | Load File | CD | USB | SD | Floppy | Smoke Signal | |
| Concept 2 | Load Model | SolidWorks | Pro/E | Unigraphics | Catia | Etch-a-Sketch | |
| Create Model | Process 3D Image | Macro Script | Open Source | Original Program | | | |
| | Load Resin | Cartridge | Pump | Pour | Hand | | |
| | Apply Resin | Hand | Blade | Inkjet / Spray | Roll | Bath | Atomized Spray |
| | Cure Resin | Visible Light | UV Light | Heat | Catalyst | Air | |
| | Adjust Platform | Power Screw | Hydraulics | Gears | Magnetic | Pneumatics | Belt Drive |
| | Shield Light | Steel | Tinted Glass | Black Curtain | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| | Power Equipment | Wall Outlet | Solar Cell | Battery | Nuclear | Hamster | |
| | Load File | CD | USB | SD | Floppy | Smoke Signal | |
| Concept 3 | Load Model | SolidWorks | Pro/E | Unigraphics | Catia | Etch-a-Sketch | |
| Create Model | Process 3D Image | Macro Script | Open Source | Original Program | | | |
| | Load Resin | Cartridge | Pump | Pour | Hand | | |
| | Apply Resin | Hand | Blade | Inkjet / Spray | Roll | Bath | Atomized Spray |
| | Cure Resin | Visible Light | UV Light | Heat | Catalyst | Air | |
| | Adjust Platform | Power Screw | Hydraulics | Gears | Magnetic | Pneumatics | Belt Drive |
| | Shield Light | Steel | Tinted Glass | Black Curtain | | | |



Concept Generation (2 of 2)

| | | | | | | | |
|--------------|-------------------------|---------------|--------------|------------------|----------|---------------|----------------|
| | Power Equipment | Wall Outlet | Solar Cell | Battery | Nuclear | Hamster | |
| | Load File | CD | USB | SD | Floppy | Smoke Signal | |
| Concept 4 | Load Model | SolidWorks | Pro/E | Unigraphics | Catia | Etch-a-Sketch | |
| Create Model | Process 3D Image | Macro Script | Open Source | Original Program | | | |
| | Load Resin | Cartridge | Pump | Pour | Hand | | |
| | Apply Resin | Hand | Blade | Inkjet / Spray | Roll | Bath | Atomized Spray |
| | Cure Resin | Visible Light | UV Light | Heat | Catalyst | Air | |
| | Adjust Platform | Power Screw | Hydraulics | Gears | Magnetic | Pneumatics | Belt Drive |
| | Shield Light | Steel | Tinted Glass | Black Curtain | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| | Power Equipment | Wall Outlet | Solar Cell | Battery | Nuclear | Hamster | |
| | Load File | CD | USB | SD | Floppy | Smoke Signal | |
| Concept 5 | Load Model | SolidWorks | Pro/E | Unigraphics | Catia | Etch-a-Sketch | |
| Create Model | Process 3D Image | Macro Script | Open Source | Original Program | | | |
| | Load Resin | Cartridge | Pump | Pour | Hand | | |
| | Apply Resin | Hand | Blade | Inkjet / Spray | Roll | Bath | Atomized Spray |
| | Cure Resin | Visible Light | UV Light | Heat | Catalyst | Air | |
| | Adjust Platform | Power Screw | Hydraulics | Gears | Magnetic | Pneumatics | Belt Drive |
| | Shield Light | Steel | Tinted Glass | Black Curtain | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| | Power Equipment | Wall Outlet | Solar Cell | Battery | Nuclear | Hamster | |
| | Load File | CD | USB | SD | Floppy | Smoke Signal | |
| Concept 6 | Load Model | SolidWorks | Pro/E | Unigraphics | Catia | Etch-a-Sketch | |
| Create Model | Process 3D Image | Macro Script | Open Source | Original Program | | | |
| | Load Resin | Cartridge | Pump | Pour | Hand | | |
| | Apply Resin | Hand | Blade | Inkjet / Spray | Roll | Bath | Atomized Spray |
| | Cure Resin | Visible Light | UV Light | Heat | Catalyst | Air | |
| | Adjust Platform | Power Screw | Hydraulics | Gears | Magnetic | Pneumatics | Belt Drive |
| | Shield Light | Steel | Tinted Glass | Black Curtain | | | |



Concept Selection – System Perspective

| Pugh Chart - Revised | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| P11552 | | | | | | | |
| Customer Need # | Customer Requirements | Concept 1 | Concept 2 | Concept 3 | Concept 4 | Concept 5 | Concept 6 |
| CN1 | Device utilizes a DLP Projector | S | | '- | '- | S | S |
| CN2 | Utilize a 3D software model for replication by prototype | S | | '- | S | S | S |
| CN3 | Fully automated after the command to print is sent | S | | '- | S | S | S |
| CN4 | Use a photosensitive polymer resin as a medium | S | | S | '- | S | '+ |
| CN5 | Ability to use multiple types of curing resins | '+ | | S | '- | S | '+ |
| CN6 | Thorough documentation of design | '+ | | '- | '- | '+ | '+ |
| CN7 | The system is safe to operate | '+ | | '- | '- | '- | '+ |
| CN8 | Device adheres to budgetary constraints | '- | | '+ | S | '- | '- |
| CN9 | Acceptable quality of final prototype part | S | | '- | '- | S | S |
| CN10 | Device has simple user interface | '- | | '- | S | S | S |
| CN11 | Reasonable fabrication time | S | | '- | '- | S | S |
| CN12 | Reasonably sized finished prototype | S | | '- | S | S | S |
| CN13 | Reasonably sized DLP system | '+ | | '- | '- | '- | S |
| | Sum "+" | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Sum "-" | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Sum "S" | 7 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 9 | 8 |
| Key: | | DATUM | | | | | |
| "+" | Better than DATUM Concept | | | | | | |
| "-" | Worse than DATUM Concept | | | | | | |
| "S" | Same as DATUM Concept | | | | | | |



Concept Selection – Application Method

| Concept Selection - Application Method | | | | | | |
|---|-------------|--------------|---------------|-------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| Iteration #1 | | | | | | |
| Criteria | Roll | Blade | Inkjet | Bath | Dip/Blade | Atomized Spray |
| Reliable/repeatable results | - | S | + | S | + | + |
| Accurate resin thickness | - | - | + | S | + | + |
| Feasibility of design | S | + | + | S | + | - |
| Adapt to multiple material | + | S | + | S | + | + |
| Required Control | + | + | - | S | S | - |
| | | | | DATUM | | |
| Iteration #2 | | | | | | |
| Criteria | Roll | Blade | Inkjet | Bath | Dip/Blade | Atomized Spray |
| Reliable/repeatable results | - | - | S | S | S | S |
| Accurate resin thickness | - | - | S | S | S | S |
| Feasibility of design | S | S | - | S | S | - |
| Adapt to multiple material | - | S | S | - | S | S |
| Required Control | + | + | - | - | S | - |
| | | | | DATUM | | |



Concept Selection Summary

| Concept | Power Equipment | Control System | Load File | Load Model | Process 3D Image | Load Resin | Apply Resin | Cure Resin | Adjust Platform | Shield Light |
|---------|-----------------|------------------------|---------------------|------------|------------------|------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Wall Outlet | Microcontroller | SD | SolidWorks | Macro Script | Cartridge | Doctor Blade | UV, Visible | Power Screw | Steel |
| 2 | Wall Outlet | PC | USB | SolidWorks | Macro Script | Cartridge | Doctor Blade | Visible | Gears | Tinted Glass |
| 6 | Wall Outlet | PC/ Microcontroller | SD,USB, ethernet | SolidWorks | Macro Script | Cartridge | Roll | UV, Visible | Power Screw | Steel, Tinted Glass |

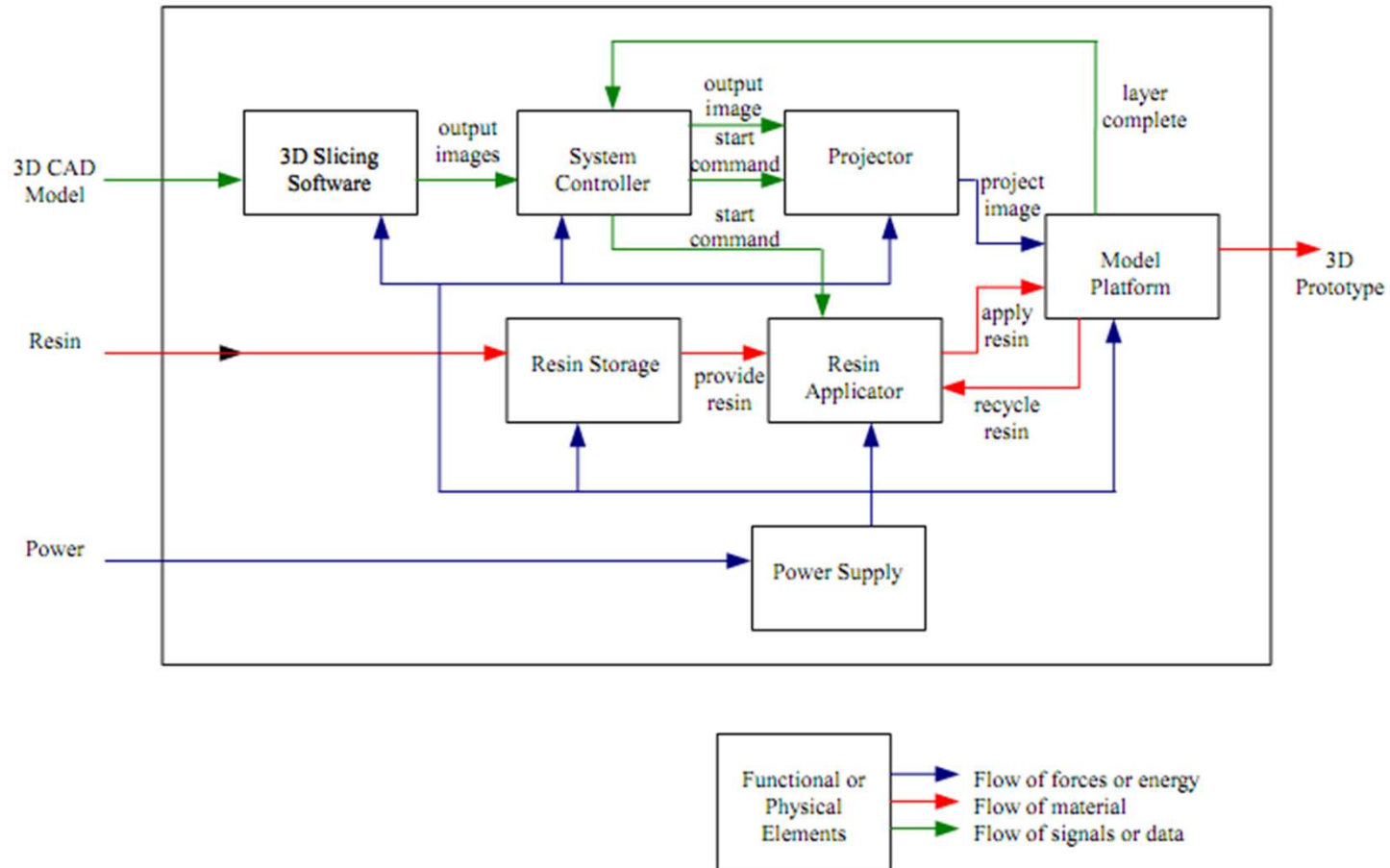
Areas of Concern

- Resin Application Technique
- Platform/Resin Spreader Translation



Concept Overview

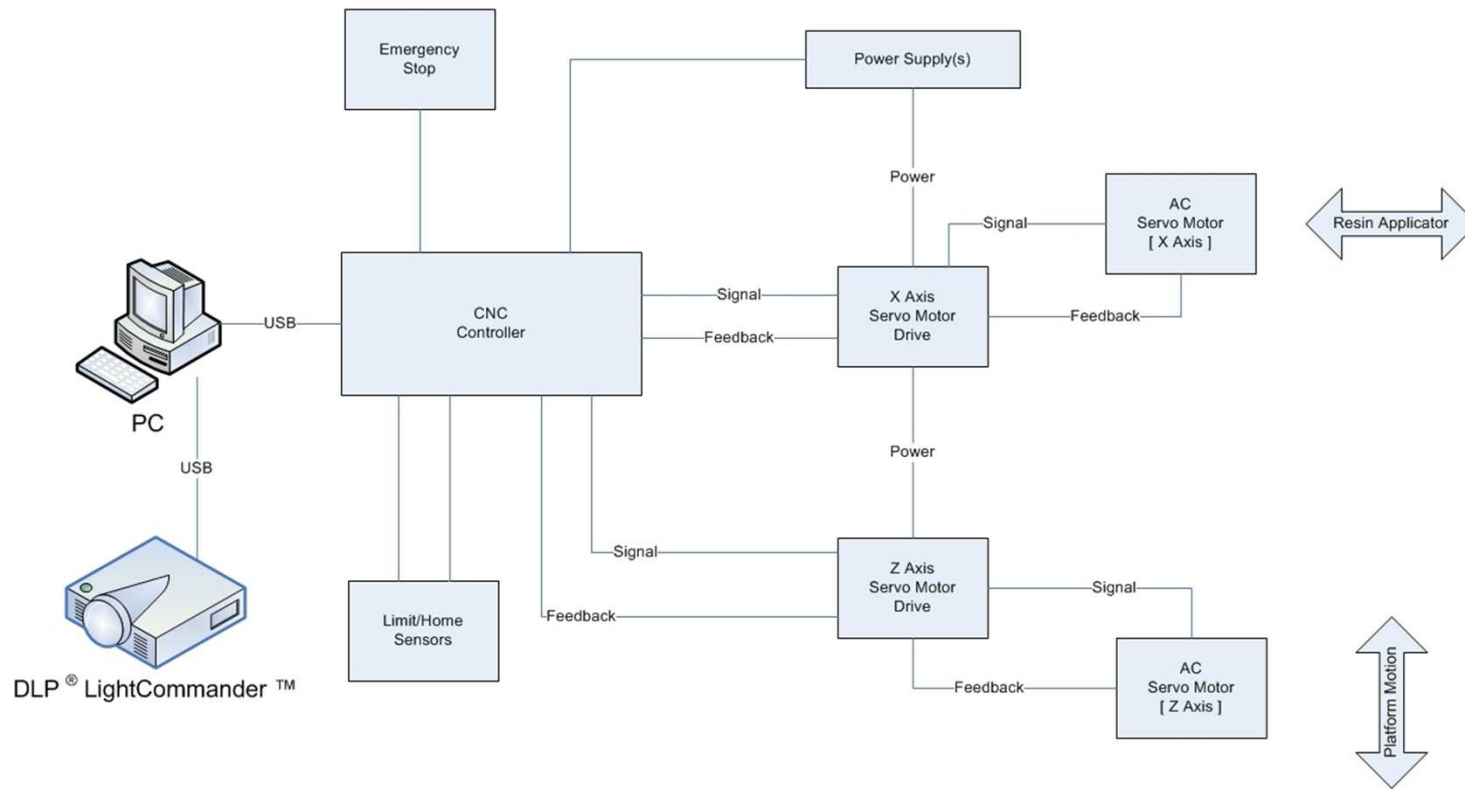
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Concept Overview

P11552
DLP Prototyping System

SYSTEM OPERATION FLOWCHART



Risk Management (1 of 2)

| Risk Assessment | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------|--|----------------------------------|--|------------|----------|------------|---|-------|
| P11552 - DLP System | | | | | | | | |
| ID | Risk Item | Effect | Cause | Likelihood | Severity | Importance | Action to Minimize Risk | Owner |
| R1 | Team deliverables schedule unclear | Schedule delay | Poor Planning | 1 | 3 | 3 | Creation of Team AIDs (Actions, Issues, Decisions) Log | ISE |
| R2 | DLP unit fails to provide sufficient light power | Uncured resin, inaccurate part | Damaged Optics | 1 | 3 | 3 | Read DLP instruction/operation manual before use | ME |
| | | | Damaged Light Source | 1 | 3 | 3 | Read DLP instruction/operation manual before use | ME |
| | | | Flawed Calculations/Assumptions | 2 | 1 | 2 | Verify resin curing calculations with guide | ME |
| R3 | Desired design not within budget | Costly Design | Overdesigned | 1 | 1 | 1 | Verify proposed design and additional cost with guide | ISE |
| R4 | Parts for final assembly arrive late | Schedule delay | Long lead components not identified | 2 | 2 | 4 | Identify long lead components and order in advance | TEAM |
| | | | Unreliable vendor/source | 2 | 2 | 4 | Work with vendor to ensure delivery schedule is met | TEAM |
| R5 | Motors fail to stop at desired position | Hardware failure | Poor control algorithm | 2 | 3 | 6 | Simulate control laws prior to issuing commands to hardware | ME/CE |
| | | | Failed sensors | 1 | 3 | 3 | Choose robust sensors | ME |
| R6 | Component timing is out of sync | Hardware failure/incorrect model | Timing control is incorrect | 2 | 2 | 4 | Simulate control laws prior to issuing commands to hardware | ME/CE |
| | | | Component failure | 2 | 2 | 4 | Create stops in the control architecture if one component shows sign of failure. | CE |
| R7 | DLP chip burns out | Projector becomes inoperational | Over work DLP chip | 1 | 3 | 3 | Ensure projector is well ventilated. Auto-stop when projector reaches dangerous heat level. | ME |
| | | | Command more light intensity that can be handled by the chip | 1 | 3 | 3 | Research light intensity capacity of DLP chip | ME |
| R8 | Resin supply runs out before prototype is complete | Prototype cannot be completed | Not enough resin was allotted for part | 2 | 2 | 4 | Perform a volume calculation of prototype and account for excess resin in process. Include a factor of safety | ME |
| R9 | Resin clogs during application | Prototype cannot be completed | Resin partly cures at storage opening causing a blockage of flow | 2 | 2 | 4 | Protect application process from light | ME |
| R10 | Bubbles form in resin just before curing | Prototype has porous features | Air is introduced in the application process | 1 | 2 | 2 | Keep flow undisturbed and steady when applying resin. | ME |



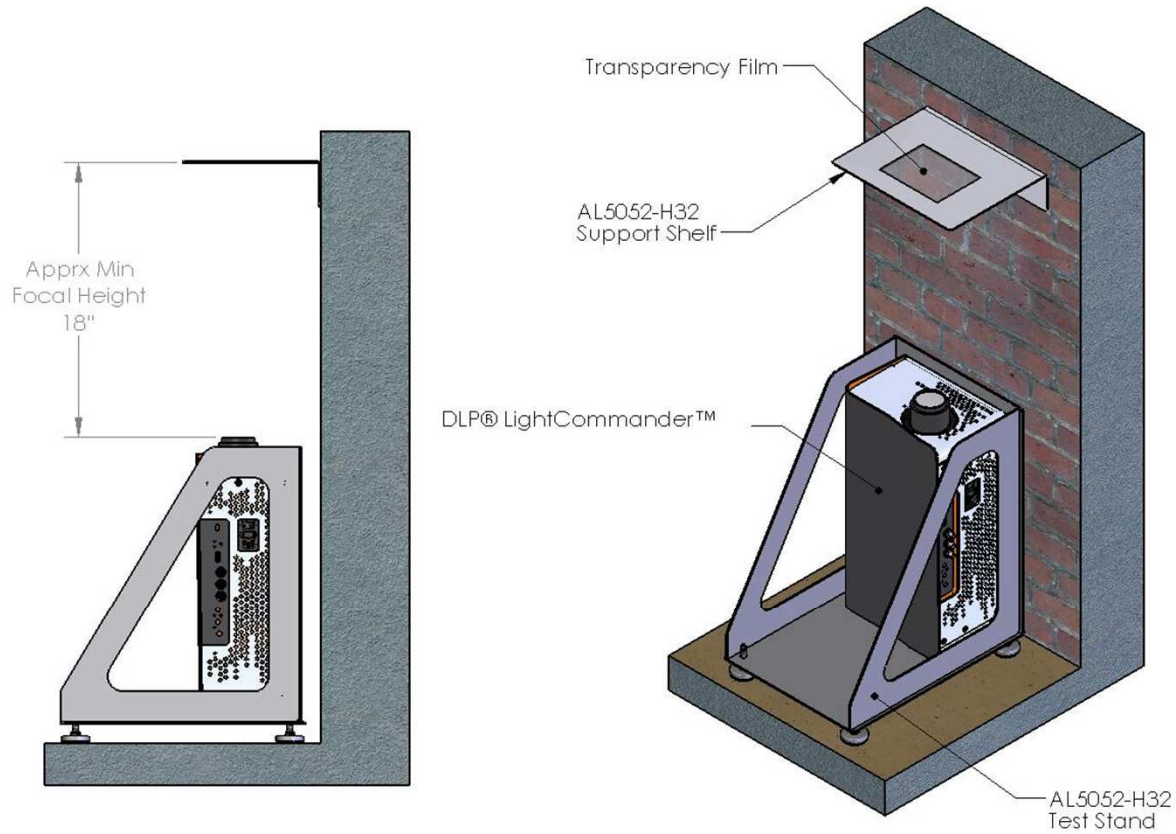
Risk Management (2 of 2)

| ID | Risk Item | Effect | Cause | Likelihood | Severity | Importance | Action to Minimize Risk | Owner |
|-----|---|--|--|------------|----------|------------|---|-------|
| R11 | Prototype never adheres to build platform | Prototype cannot be completed | Features on the build platform don't allow for construction | 1 | 2 | 2 | Inherent a high surface area structure from benchmarking to accommodate additive building. | ISE |
| R12 | Image is out of focus | Prototype is inaccurate | Focal distance is incorrect on projector lens | 3 | 1 | 3 | Test focus prior to running device. | ISE |
| R13 | Light leaks into device from outside | Cure time and accuracy are compromised | Improper enclosure | 3 | 1 | 3 | Use materials that are impervious to light and make sure all interfaces of the enclosure are light tight | ISE |
| R14 | Resin sits unevenly with respect to cure platform | Prototype will not be cured properly | Device is out of level | 2 | 1 | 2 | Install leveling legs on device | ME |
| R15 | Dark spots on projected image occur when they are not desired | Prototype is inaccurate | Dirty projector lens | 2 | 1 | 2 | Inspect lens prior to use and use a photo grade cloth for cleaning the lens to protect film on lens | ME |
| | | | Improperly programmed image | 2 | 1 | 2 | Test images with projector before cure process | CE |
| R16 | Software crash | Prototype is unfinished | Underlying problems with the native computer. | 3 | 3 | 9 | Make sure computer meets system requirements of software, is clean of viruses, and running smoothly | CE |
| R17 | Component communication failure | Prototype is unfinished, possible hardware failure | Physical break of signal lines | 1 | 3 | 3 | Inspect all signal lines | CE |
| | | | Failed Microprocessor | 1 | 3 | 3 | Start design with a new microprocessor | CE |
| | | | Loss of power | 1 | 3 | 3 | Ensure power is securely connected | CE |
| R18 | Cure platform not clean | Prototype will be inaccurate | Residual resin present after previous cure cycle | 2 | 1 | 2 | Use a wiper style blade to clean off cure platform after each cure cycle. | ME |
| R19 | Customer needs change | Design change to accommodate | Change of scope | 1 | 3 | 3 | Keep steady communication with customer | ISE |
| R20 | Cured layer adheres to resin cure platform | Prototype is unfinished, Possible hardware damage | Interface between cure platform and resin layer is conducive to adhesion | 2 | 3 | 6 | Thorough testing of cure platform surface with various resins, auto-stop if model platform z-directional movement required movement | ME |



Resin Curing Platform

P11552 - DLP Prototyping System
Preliminary Resin Test Stand



Detailed Design Testing

- Image Projection Sub-System

- Curing Time
- Light Intensity
- Resolution Calculation

- Liquid Resin Spreading Sub-System

- Motor Selection
- Spreading Technique Accuracies
- Build Surface Testing

$$f_{\text{object}} = f \cdot \frac{1}{M}$$

$$f_{\text{object}} = 1024 \cdot \frac{1}{768}$$

$$5 \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{768} \cdot \frac{1}{768} = \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{768 \cdot 768}$$

$$\frac{1}{768 \cdot 768} \cdot \frac{1}{768} = \frac{4}{768 \cdot 768} = 0.00521$$

$$\frac{1}{768 \cdot 768} \cdot \frac{1}{1024} = \frac{5.333}{1024 \cdot 768} = 0.00521$$

$$\frac{1}{768 \cdot 768} = (0.00521)^2 = 0.00002714$$

$$\frac{1}{768 \cdot 768} \cdot \frac{1}{768} = \frac{1}{768 \cdot 768 \cdot 768}$$

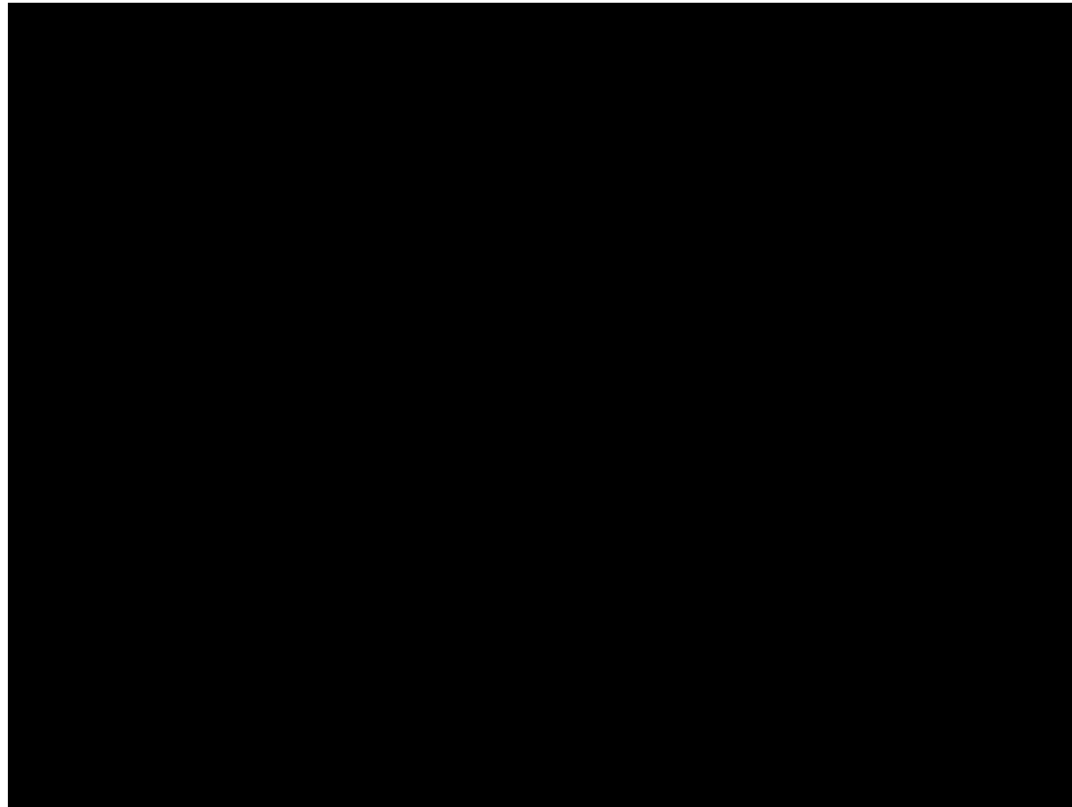
$$\frac{1}{768 \cdot 768} = \frac{1}{768 \cdot 768}$$

$$\frac{1}{768 \cdot 768} \cdot \frac{1}{768} = \frac{1}{768^3}$$

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V-Flash Demonstration



Questions?



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