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Performance	TBR	ENG-01	Minimum Thrust	The engine	Shall	Have a maximum total thrust of 1150 lbf	Based off of IREC recommendation to achieve 100 ft/s by end	Defines performance metric of rocket	PROJ-05				Test	
		ENG-02	Engine Control	The engine	Should	Must undergo a rigorous internal ballistic analysis			PROJ-05				Test	
Performance	TBR	ENG-03	Specific Impulse	The engine	Shall	Be capable of providing a specific impulse of 300 sec			PROJ-05				Test	
Performance	TBR	ENG-04	Burn time	The engine	Shall	be capable of sustaining maximum thrust for 20 seconds			PROJ-05				Test	
Performance		ENG-05	Maximum Total Impulse	The engine	Shall	not exceed a total impulse of 9208 lbs-sec (40960 N-s)	Limit defined by FAA definition of Class 2 Amateur Rocket		PROJ-02				Demonstration	
		ENG-06	Fuels	The engine	Shall	use a hydrocarbon fuel grain			PROJ-03				Inspection	
		ENG-07	Factor of Safety - Composites	The engine	Shall	FoS of 3		IREC requirement	PROJ-03				Analysis	
		ENG-08	Factor of Safety - Metals	The engine	Shall	FoS of 2		IREC requirement	PROJ-03				Analysis	
	TBR	ENG-09	Reusability	The engine	Shall	be able to be reused 5 times before being retired	5 times based off of 2 MSD hotfires, 1 Launch integration hotfire, 1 test launch, and 1 competition launch		PROJ-08				Demonstration	
	TBD	ENG-10	Throttling	The engine	Shall	be able to be throttled down to TBD % of full thrust			PROJ-06				Test	
		ENG-11	Integration	The engine	Shall	be able to easily integrate to a 6" diameter rocket.	Integration includes power lines, plumbing lines, structural attachments, thermal interaction, etc.		PROJ-12				Demonstration	
		ENG-12	Statics hot fire	The engine	Shall	be able to complete an instrumentated, full scale hot fire			PROJ-11				Test	
Safety		ENG-13	Ignition Safing	Ignition devices	Shall	include a "safe" position to be used prior to final countdown to hot fire	Any energetics needs to be in a safe configuration for transportation and loading where there is no possibility of ignition. The energetics can then be "armed" once the engine is in its final countdown for launch. Safe is defined as needing two separate events to release any stored energies.	IREC Requirement, general safety for everyone	PROJ-14				Demonstration	
		ENG-14	Ignition Accessibility	Ignition devices	Shall	be externally controllable and easily accessible	This does not preclude the limited use of access panels which	IREC Requirement	PROJ-13				Demonstration	
		ENG-15	Propellant Offloading	The engine	Shall	be capable of safely loading and off-loading fluid while in "launch-configuration"	As part of IREC, the propulsion system must be able to do a loading/off-loading test. This test may be conducted using either actual propellant(s) or suitable proxy fluids.	IREC Requirement, testing of plumbing and propulsion system	PROJ-04				Test	
		ENG-16	Pressure Relief	The engine	Shall	include pressure relief devices, set to open at no greater than proof pressure			PROJ-13				Demonstration	
		ENG-17	Modularity	The engine	Should	be easy to disassemble into its various components for alterations and component testing	This includes no permanent adhesives. Avionics hardware (sensors, controls, electrical components, wiring) must be organized and designed in a comprehensible manner that is easy to follow, and won't cause major problems when disassembling or assembly engine body.		PROJ-08				Demonstration	
		ENG-18	Total wet mass	The engine	Shall	have a total wet mass under 100 lbs	Mass of engine, tank, and fuel	early estimate	PROJ-05				Inspection	
	TBD	ENG-19	Total dry mass	The engine	Shall	have a total dry mass under 70 lbs	Mass of engine, tank, (no fuel)	early estimate	PROJ-05				Inspection	
Integration	TBR	ENG-20	Total diameter	The engine	Shall	have a total diameter no greater than 150 mm	The entire dynamic envelope of the engine must stay within a cylinder of 150 mm		PROJ-12				Inspection	
		ENG-21	Internal power	The engine	Shall	operate independently on its own internal power			PROJ-12				Test	
	TBR	ENG-22	Delayed safe mode	The engine	Shall	be capable of being completely disconnected from the ground for 1 hour	The engine must be able to survive in a safe state for 1 hour without any power or plumbing lines connected to the vehicle	Drive how long battery must hold charge and how long pressure tanks must hold at pressure	PROJ-03				Test	
Integration		ENG-23	Oxidizer tank	The engine	Shall	Include the attached oxidizer tank as part of the design			PROJ-12				Inspection	
Integration		ENG-24	Engine controller commands	The engine	Shall	be able to receive command signals from a flight computer			PROJ-12 PROJ-15				Demonstration	
Integration		ENG-25	Engine controller comm	The engine	Shall	be able to send engine telemetry to the main rocket computer			PROJ-12 PROJ-15				Demonstration	
Integration		ENG-26	Test computer	The engine	Shall	be able to interface with a test computer to simulate a flight computer during test fires			PROJ-11 PROJ-15				Test	
	TBR	ENG-27	Refrishment	The engine	Shall	be able to be able to be refurbished within a day for use again	This includes minimizing the number of parts that are needed to be replaced between flights, as well as making the combustion chamber easily accessible to replace fuel grain		PROJ-08				Demonstration	
		ENG-28	Center of gravity	The engine	Shall	have a CoG directly centered on its thrust vector			PROJ-06				Inspection	

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		ENG-29	Descent Survival	The engine	Shall	survive a controlled parachute descent/landing once the launch is complete			PROJ-08				Demonstration	
Integration		ENG-30	Physical Mounting	The engine	Shall	mount to an 6" diameter Rocket and transfer all thrust loads			PROJ-12				Demonstration	
Safety		ENG-31	Toxicity	The engine	Shall	Not use/produce any toxic chemicals	Toxic chemicals are defined as requiring breathing apparatus, special storage and transport infrastructure, extensive personal protective equipment, etc.	Requirement for Spaceport America Cup	PROJ-09 PROJ-03				Analysis	
Safety	TBR	ENG-32	Material Safety	The engine	Shall	Use only materials that can be stored, transported, and handled safely	Materials must be able to be handled without the need for extensive equipment individually, and when assembled		PROJ-14				Inspection	
		ENG-33	Redundancy	The engine	Should	Be single fault tolerant for any plumbing and electronic failures	Work to single fault tolerance through design, will need to be analyzed individually for other impacts		PROJ-07				Inspection	
		ENG-34	Budget	The engine	Shall	Cost \$8000 or less			PROJ-10				Inspection	
		ENG-35	Manual Control	The engine	Shall	be capable of accepting indepepndent control commands for individual components/valves			PROJ-13				Test	

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			Structure Mass	The structure subsystem	Shall	have a mass less than the structures and mechanisms mass allocated for within the MEL	Subsystem mass tracked in the equipment list							
			Propulsion thrust survival	The structure subsystem	Shall	allow for continuous operation of the engine through propulsion induced static, dynamic, and thermal loads								
	TBD		Tank/Combustion chamber interface	The structure subsystem	Shall	have enough strength as to connect the two primary masses of the hybrid system while protecting the plumbing between the two								
	TBD		Rocket mechanical interface	The structure subsystem	Should	be able to interface with the rocket body so that it can be disassembled by X number of people in Y minutes?	Required for ease of repair/assembly. This may be crucial on launch day?							
	TBR		Lift points	The structure subsystem	Should	not be prone to damage if 2 people are carrying the rocket motor at each end	when transporting the rocket for test fires or launch, the engine structure should be able to support its own weight when supported at both ends							
	TBR		Tie-down points	The structure subsystem	Should	not be prone to damage when tied down to a cart	the structure should be durable for transport and have designated areas where straps can be tightly fastened or wrapped around							
			Rocket mechanical interface	The structure subsystem	Shall	remain secured to the rocket body	secured, meaning that the rocket engine won't shift during large accelerations at liftoff							
			Mode shapes/fundamental frequencies	The structure subsystem?	Shall	have (check that) mode shapes/frequencies don't significantly interfere with vibrate frequencies from engine or aero loads								
			Proof testing	All pressure vessels	Shall	be able to be proof tested to 1.5x MEOP								
			Isentropic burst pressure	Isentropic pressure vessels	Shall	be designed to 2x MEOP	MEOP considered for all pre-launch, flight, and recovery operations. See sec 4.2 of Spaceport requirements	Spacecup requirement						
			Non-isentropic burst pressure	Non-isentropic pressure vessels and COPVs	Shall	be designed to 3x MEOP	MEOP considered for all pre-launch, flight, and recovery operations. See sec 4.2 of Spaceport requirements	IREC requirement						
			Eye bolt safety	Eye bolts	Should	be steel, closed-eye forged type.	NOT of the open eye, bent wire type.	IREC requirement						
			PVC Limitation	The engine structure	Shall	not use PVC in any load bearing case	Most notably the thrust chamber							
	TBR		Engine thrust angle-static	The engine structure	Shall	keep the engine thrust angle within .5 deg during static mounting								
	TBR		Engine thrust angle-dynamic	The engine structure	Shall	hold the engine thrust vector constant within 0.5 deg during fire								
			Tank mounting	The engine structure	Shall	provide a mounting interface to mount the tank onto the inside of the rocket								
			Electronics Mounting	The engine structure	Shall	provide mounting for the power distribution and control system	Mounting needs to isolate the systems from thermal and dynamic loads from the propulsion system							
			Sensor Mounting	The engine structure	Shall	provide mounting for all control sensors								
			Material Selection	The engine structure	Shall	Not use any materials that might react with either of the propulsion chemicals	Any of the structural components should not be able to break down chemically when coming in contact with the oxidizer and/or fuel at any temperature							



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			Thermal limits	The TC system	Shall	keep all electronics and valves within their thermal operating limits	Thermal operating limits are specified within the ThEL							
			TCS Mass	The TC system	Shall	be less than the mass designated in the MEL								
			Passive control	The TC system	Shall	rely fully on a passive design	The system must use no powered devices and instead rely on passive design such as natural conduction/convection and ablative cooling							
			Structural protection	The TC system	Shall	Protect the structure of the engine from reaching .3*Tm during the duration of the fire	Basing structural temperature limits off of melting temperature, need to avoid loss in mechanical strength from heating							



