

Observations -

- for lot of resin, corner dried later than middle.

Projector codes

- part:
- liquid stability through reflection image (on/off) 1/4 size filling resin
 - Up-down → Down-up successive movement (sound)
→ more in downward motion.

LIP & 3-D Printers -

- 1) Lumi Pocket
- 2) Lumi fold

- Ensure liquid filling in just one-way motion.
- Liquid float height & drying penetration - "limb extension in frog model"
- Curvature at the back
- Apparatus slows down if other works are done on laptop simultaneously

Projector specifications —

- 3200 lumens (but at what dist.?)
- Resolution \rightarrow 800X600

Port
RS 232
+
HDMI

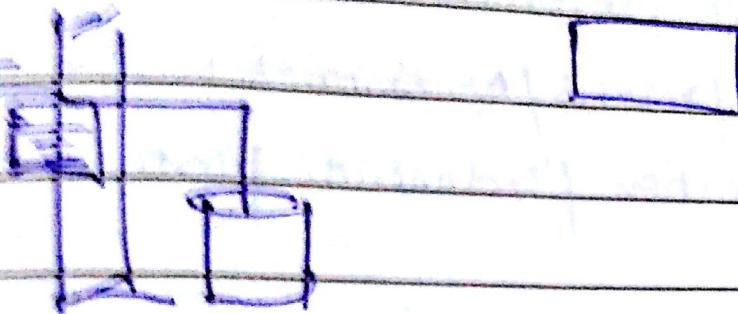
The colorwheel in the projectors are used to filter the light into Red, Green & Blue light and also filter out the UV.

Solus 3D = InFocus IN8606HD or Vintek H11H5H DLP® projector

Design - i) Nat size can be changed.
ii) Cover lifting mechanism
iii) Projector to be kept horizontal to reduce vertical height (using mirror)

- 1) LCD screen
- 2) On-off button. (zero part)
- 3) Alternate mechanism for liquid setting instead of down-up

user → status → LCD screen



→ circuit design

- 4) Sensors to prevent exceeding of range.
- 5) Heaters (for easy liquification)

6) Alignment balancing

7) LED indicator

- Resin filling (Automatic & Graduated)

8) Cover

9) Material selection (resin; reusable - melt)

10) Color incorporation

11) Immiscible (heavier density) fluid to reduce resin requirement

12) Reverse movement (simultaneous) for high accuracy

to maintain liquid movement

13) Feedback control Mechanism:

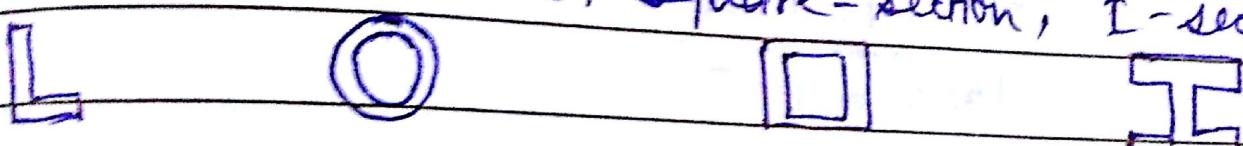
Speeding up

Materials required -

- Alcohol
- Resin (search for better options)
- Steel
- Aluminium
- Sheet metal (covering) [brush]

Telescopic channels.

L-section, circular-tube, square-section, I-section.



Trivia -

- With DLP projection, printing speed is not affected by object complexity or by the number of parts to be printed on the same tray.
- Increase the wall-thickness as the design becomes larger in scale:
 - If ($\sum_{i=0}^2 \text{dimensions}_i \leq 200 \text{ mm}$) wall thickness = 1 mm.
 - else if ($\sum_{i=0}^2 \text{dimensions}_i \in [250, 400]$) wall thickness = 2 mm
 - else 3 mm.
- Orientation of the design while printing influences the surface quality and strength. externally.
- Model needs to be supported to keep it in place & prevent from collapsing while being printed if it is narrower than 30° .

Configurations

Model specifications -

1 layer - 0.03mm

- slice thickness
- exposure time
- No. of bottom layer
- Retract speed } Not much
- lift speed }

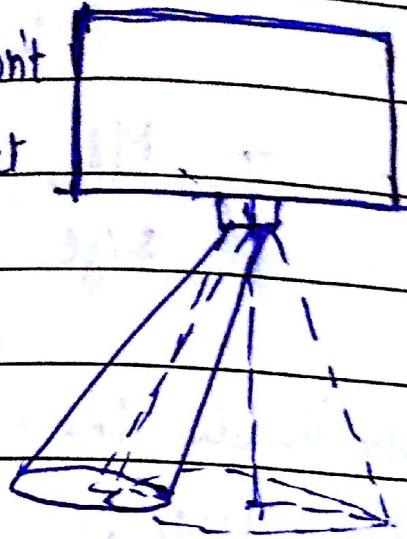
- Lift code

Burn dip -

• Features continued -

- Base part marking
- static base positioning & avoiding fluid sloshing.
- Smoke Venting
- G_i & M_j code interpreter
- Adapters → Motor, arduino, etc.
- Speed variation with slope definition.
- Increase time exposure for smaller or finer areas
- Software integration - Integrated 3D search that will let user browse online for 3D models.

Projector doesn't throw perfect cone about its centre.



Inclination-

levers

Buttons

Projector plate

Plate connection

straight & the image is projected upward (above that line).

Connector mechanism in middle sheet.

Plate material enhanced (current L-section)

Mechanism change -

- Relative allowable movement bet. plate & projector @

(well in)

washer / screw (upto 1-2°)

- Triangular section

Rod stopper → through holes.

(solenoid valve)

Refill funnel

Heat exhaust : (opening)

Electronics in the bottom part | closed

| PCB designing
(final stage)

Bearings in market -

(L-shaped)

Circular bearings

M_x, M_y
size

Printed models -
1) F-RoR → Saw
 $39.91 \times 29.23 \times 19.26$

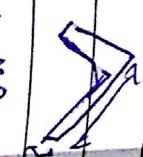
- L-section is readily available than plates:
(easier, if of same dimensions).
- Outer L-section edge consideration.

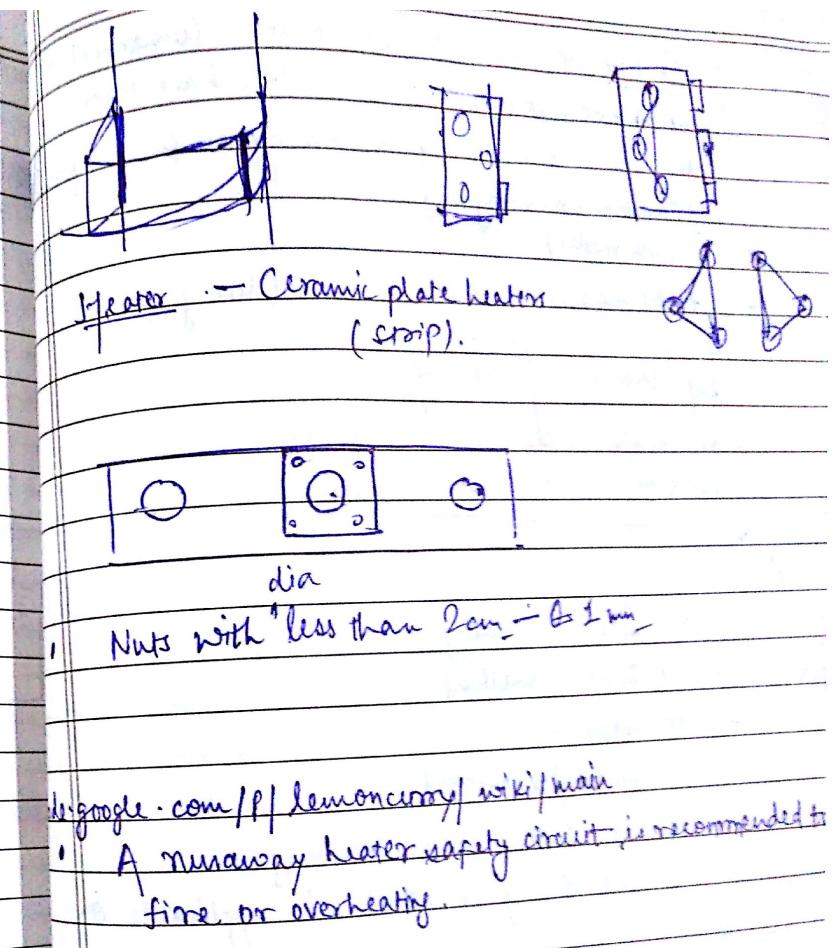
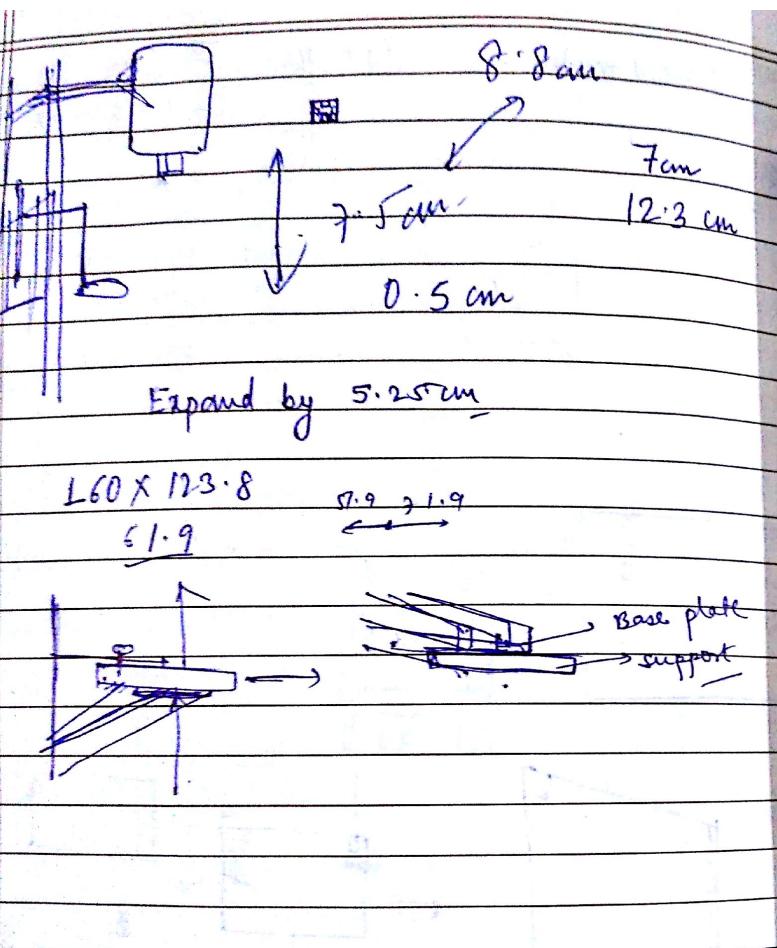
S209

304. 316

not on
top of N

L-shaped
rod. 3 mm x 2 mm





- | | |
|--|--|
| <u>Bottom-up</u> — | — Materials (container) that others have taken |
| — Should not stick with the base, at first.

(Container was moving with model) | Non-sticky-surface required. |
| — Model shouldn't break in between (during print). | |

Up-down-up	up-only
No benefit so far Significant	

Good
models

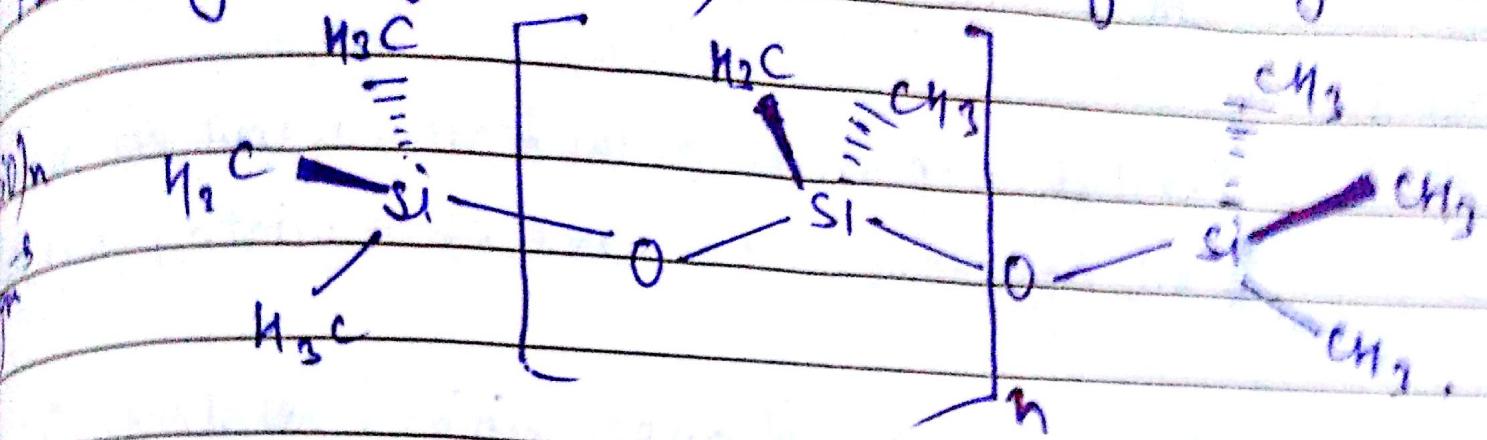
PDMS silicone coating —

- application method
- transparent
- wiping / removal
- Ensuring whole surface coverage
- Permitted surface which it is applicable on

• Cytop fluoropolymers 809

PDMS (Polydimethylsiloxane) -

Polymeric organosilicon



- Known for its rheological (or flow) properties.
- Optically clear, inert, non-toxic & non-flammable.
- Alias 'dimethicone' & one of the types of 'silicone oil'.

- present in shampoos, food (antifoaming agent), Kinetics and
(dimethicone makes hair shiny & slippery)

Mechanical Properties —

* Viscoelastic - At long flow times (or high temp.), it acts like a viscous liquid (like honey). However, at short flow times (or low temp.), it acts like an elastic solid (like rubber).

Observations (tree fog print with silicone oil).

1) Up-down-up

Whitish appearance at the bottom of container after oil application — prominent ~~as~~ ^{as} printing proceeds

— Bubble formation if proper mixing is not done

Estimated time → 12:40 time taken → 313

translucent
container

— No sticking to container

— Not much sticking with the plate

— poor layer distinction — problem

— poor base quality (parts sticking)

Weight to be
on container

— Continuous slope change not observed

— small features like distinct parts with little dist.
didn't appear well

- Only up → - Height reduced
→ Layer formation after 25-30 layers
— Parts didn't complete upto top. point
— Previous problems persist.

Expected time - 7:28. , Time taken →

Up-down-up → Changed parameters —
exposure time - 1000 ms.
Z-lift dist - 1 mm.
G-code - Delay - 1200 ms.

Expected time - 19:11 , Time taken -

- Observations - - Oil layer expansion - contraction with model printing.
(vacuum creation clearly observable)
- Whithish layer are clear off the model area.
- Vacuum lifting the container bottom, releasing it with sudden impact.

Resins that people have used -

- Bucktooth Polymers (<http://bucktoothpol.com>)
- Sprt-CP resin from spotamaterials (garyhodgson.com/reprap/os/dlp-resin-project/)

HBP → Heat Build Platform

Non-stick shell materials -

- silicone oil
- Sylgard 184 or Qcil 216 2-component silicones
- FEP sheet | FEP flexvat

up-only (with glass container, silicone & resin)

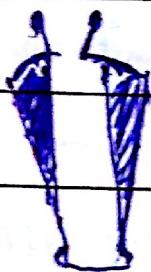
- Model didn't stick to the support. Instead stuck to the base.
- Model was printed inverted
- Vibration in support (More in up-down-up)
- We did get better quality than before
- Model stuck strongly to the glass, hardened really well.
- Leg got stuck with both glass & support but ~~the leg~~ left the support later & got ~~person~~ stuck with glass instead.
(better affinity with glass).

Top-down Process (with large quantity of resin) ^{with longer base}

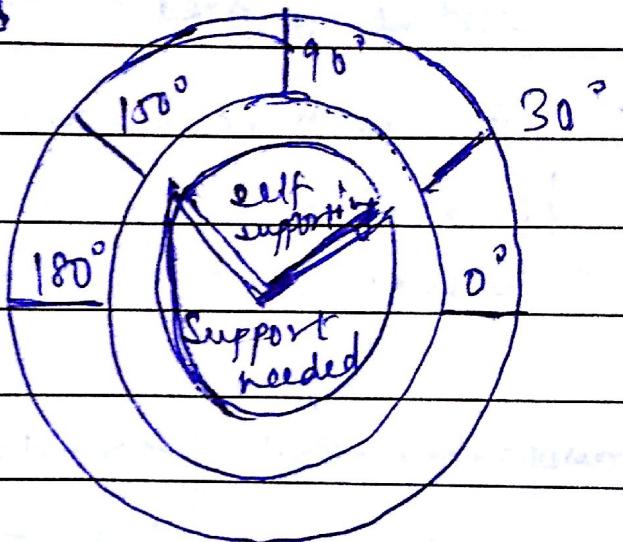
- Bubble formation at the top layer. (search for method to stabilize)
- Proper liquid filling at each subsequent step is still an issue
 - light penetrated the holes at more than $\frac{1}{2}$ " depth (about 1.3 cm).
- section got printed
 - (problem with transparent resin)
 - Laser smoothness was good.

Trivia [Continues] - [i.materialise.com/material-transparent-resin/design-guidelines](http://materialise.com/material-transparent-resin/design-guidelines)

- Internal support - 30° rule still applies. Any model with an interior section narrower than 30° needs to be supported.



- Rule of 30° -



- Avoiding support - The best way to avoid support is by applying fillet but the horizontal surfaces will still need support if they stick out more than 2mm.

- Base for FEP sheets -

- Experiment with hoop (tape spool or something) with just FEP at the bottom

(2) Testing Continues -

(6)

Transparent resin (top-down process) down-only

→ light penetration went upto 1".

- base stuck well & plain upto few layers but later layers didn't come off well. (surface twin)
- layer at the top started turning milky, so rough surface started peeling off.

- Problem to remove the model from support. (heater is required).
- When broken in two-half-half, lateral layer is smooth

(7)

Transparent resin | top-down ; up-down-up

→ Exposure time - 800 ms.

(8)

White color-mixing - (layer-thickness → 0.05 mm)
Exposure time → 1000 ms.
Delay → 750 ms)

- model came out smooth,
- features didn't come off well. leg got attached to body while there is a gap in design. (because of vibration in support)

Delay after going down → 1.5s -
whole

Layer thickness → 0.05 mm

Exposure time → 1.5s

- layers came off smooth.

- leg got attached to the body (same shaking problem).
- light is still partially penetrating the resin causing extra filling at the sharp corners. (Get the color proportion right!).

With smaller support → slice thickness → 0.05 mm.

Exposure time → 800 ms.

Anti-aliasing enabled | z-lift dist. → 0.5 mm.

Cg-code → projector delay → 250 ms.

Estimated time → 1:48.

- bubble formation was observed at the bottom while printing.
- legs were printed too thin & delicate. finished.
Broke while detaching from the support
- fine features like mouth-lining & eyes didn't come off well.
- legs still getting attached to front legs & body.
- Model didn't dry well. Easily scratched with granular texture. Layer smoothness is OK though.

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Cube design → bottom exposure → 3000 w.
Estimated time → 14:38

- Model is sticking to support while quite strongly.
- The standing pillar got printed good but the horizontally lying bars didn't come off straight.
- The top layer wasn't printed good. Extrusions are observed on edges.
- Model was very elastic. Just after printing finished the edges could be easily moved (or broken).

Top Bottom with retraction.

Layer thickness (mm)	Exposure time	Exposure	Layer
0.03	800 ms	(5) 500	
0.05	"	(6) 800	
0.08	"	(7) 1000	
0.1	"	(8) 1500	

0.03 | 800 ms → 8:14:52

0.05 | 800 ms → - Not hard at all 3:24 5:14

0.05 | 800 ms → 3:24

0.1 | 800 ms → model dissolved

0.01 | 800 ms → 25:14

Time taken for printing

(6) $0.05 \mid 500 \text{ ms} \rightarrow 3:24$

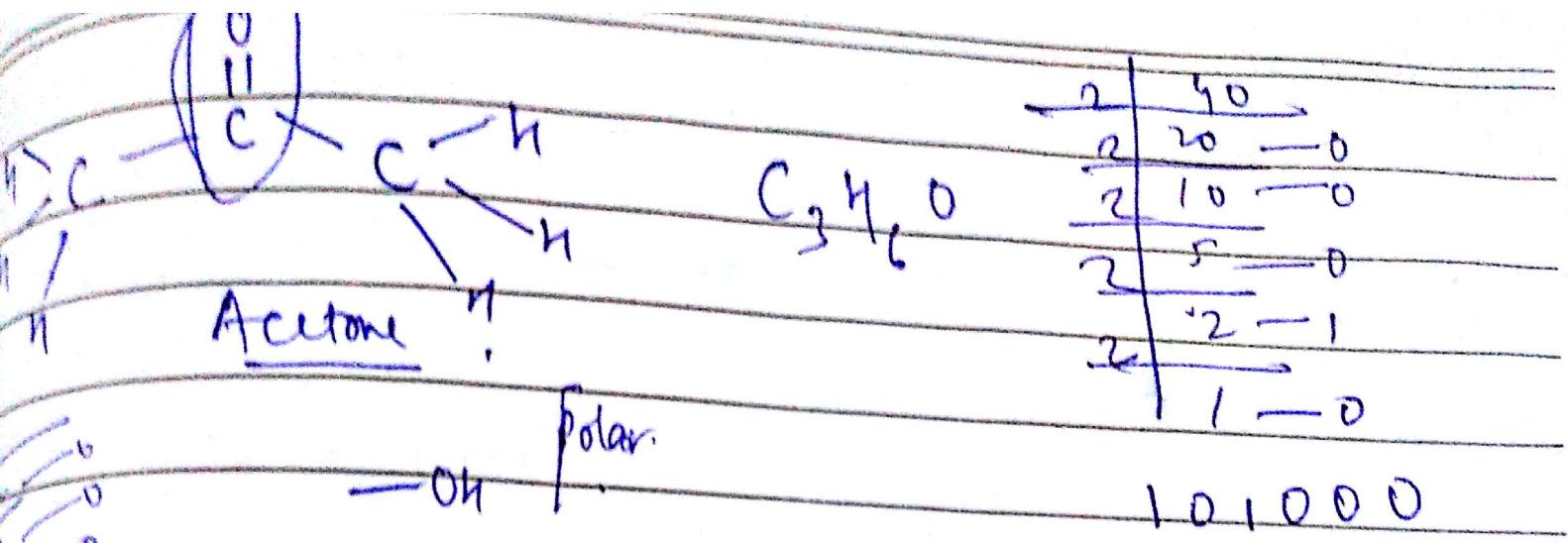
Space for remarks

(7) $0.05 \mid 1000 \text{ ms} \rightarrow 4:21$

(8) $0.05 \mid 800 \text{ ms} \rightarrow 5:17$ (white color added)

(9) $0.05 \mid 800 \text{ ms} \rightarrow 5:17$ (more white color added)

(10) $0.05 \mid 100 \text{ ms} \rightarrow 5:17$ (Red color added)



(11) 0.05 | 800 ms \longrightarrow 5:17 (more red color added)

0.05 | 1200 ms \longrightarrow bottom exposure $\xrightarrow{\text{?}} 6000 \text{ ms}$. 08:08

0.05 | 1200 ms \longrightarrow bottom layers -10 08:18
(more red color added)

- color saturation wst-point quality

0.05 | 1200 ms -10 \longrightarrow frog model 06:48

Websites visited -

- i.materialise.com
- garyhodgson.com/reprap/2012/08/dlp-3d-printer
- https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/diy_3d-printing_and_fabrication/info
- www.flickr.com/photos/13723140@N09/1979464065/in/album-72157629564335469/
- www.buildyourownela.com/forum/viewtopic.php?f=16&t=1584
- projectsinterestsandetcetera.com

- Fill level determination - arrangement for overfill drainage.
- LCD positioning → Percentage completion
Time remaining
Error
- Base/home positioning sensor
- Wire ports (opening). [Micro USB in Arduino]
- Logo space with lighting.
- Removable support slit mechanism.
- Acrylic hinges.

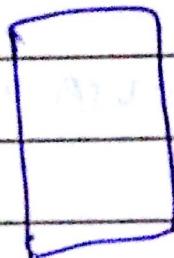
LED Array instead of projector (powerful)

- Alcohol evaporates
- Projector can't work as good as UV heaters
- Projector (as UV source) may affect the resin.

New Part Dimensions -

① Rod - $3\text{ cm} \times 2\text{ mm} \times 72.5\text{ cm}$
Fillet $\rightarrow 5\text{ mm radius}$.

② Storage Container - Fillet $\rightarrow 2\text{ mm}$.



• Plate connection - ① Push/Push type
SD card connector type
mechanism.

- ② Magnetic strip.
- ③ Solenoid lock - Sparkfun

AstroPrint \rightarrow Cloud OS for 3D printing
www.astropoint.com

Slice3r

CB Creation Workshop

Skinfose

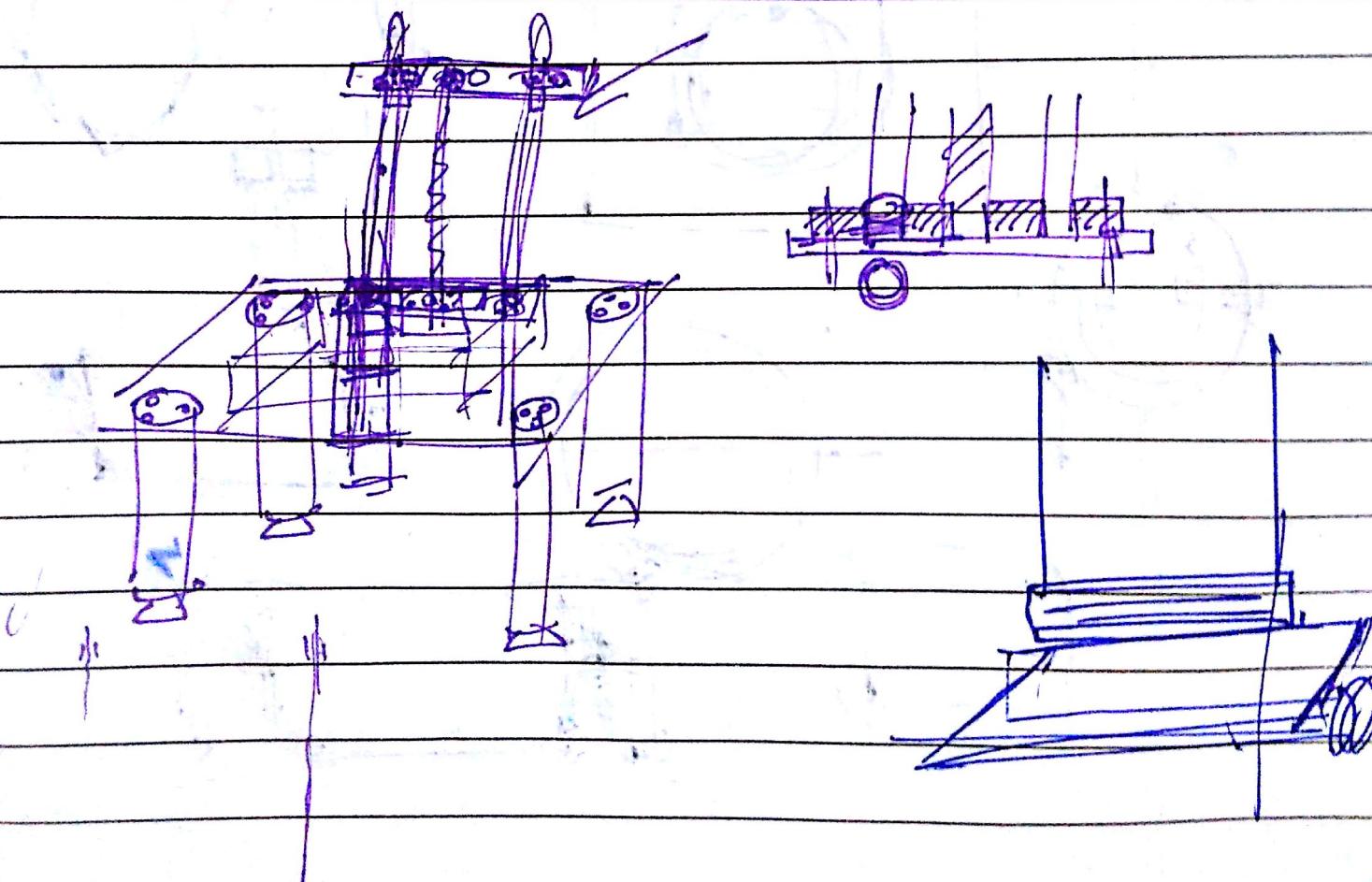
New Design (Bottom up)

Base plate \rightarrow 180×135 mm

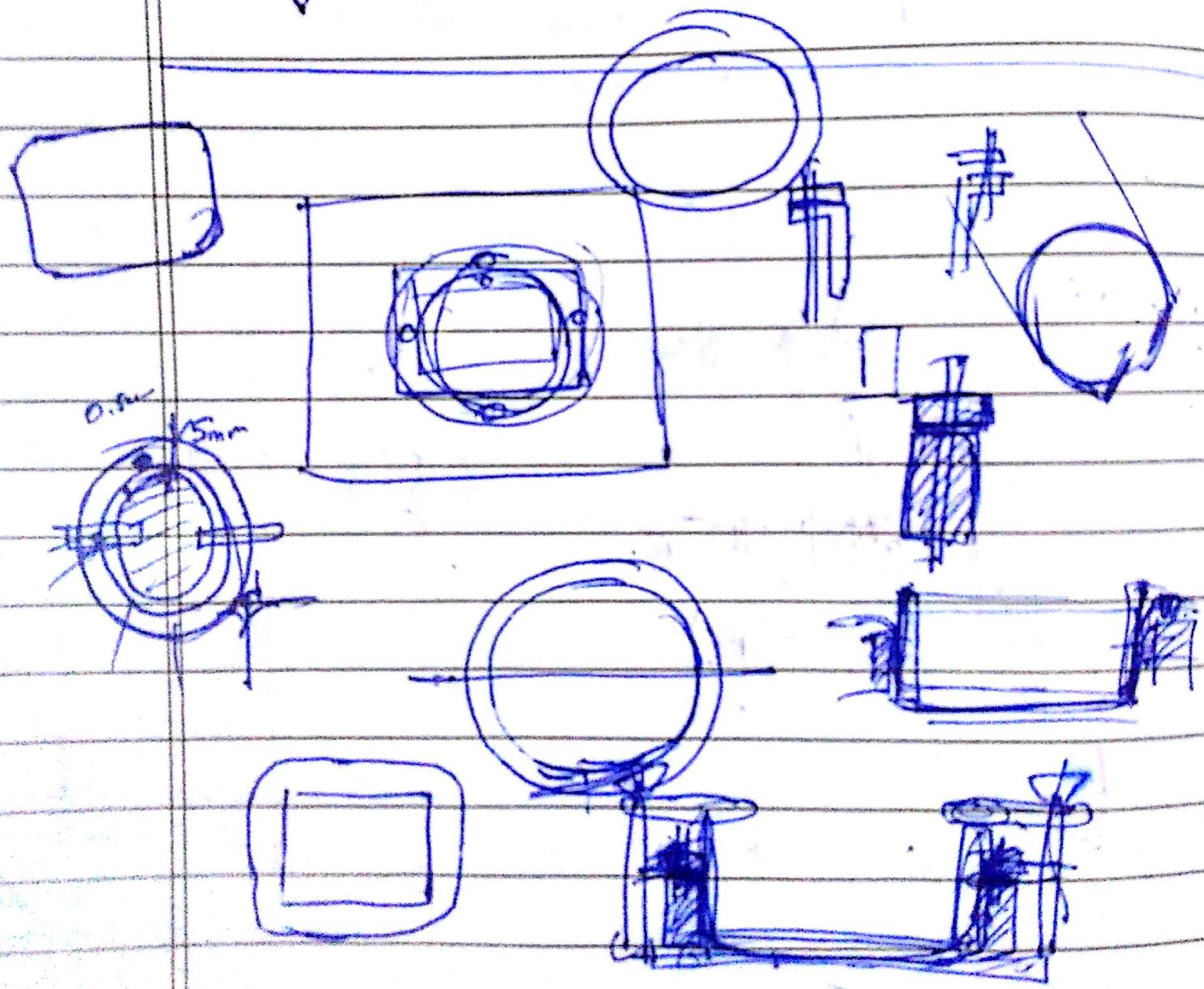
Hole \rightarrow $\phi 20$ mm Δ (extreme) \rightarrow 1 cm.

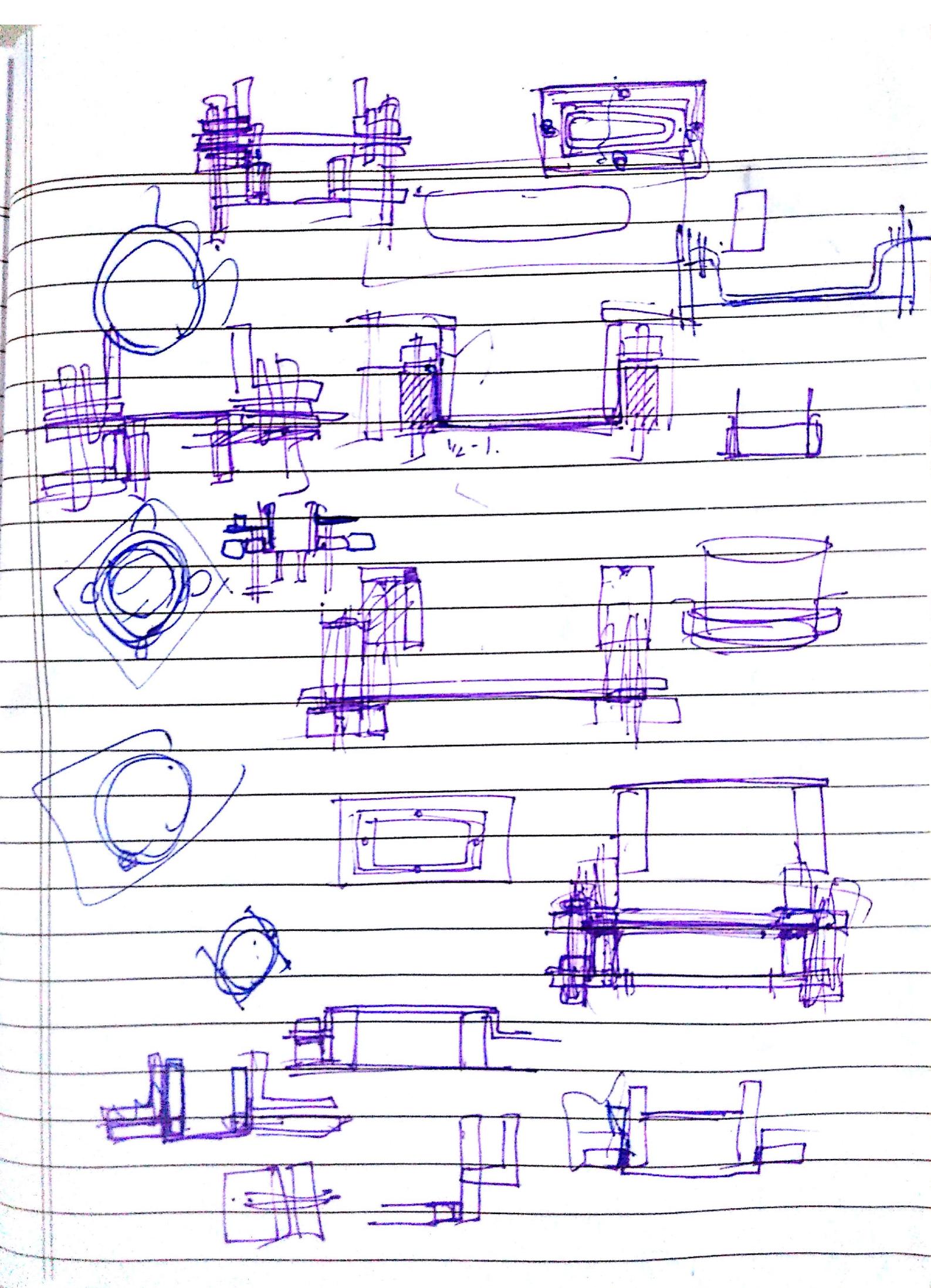
Nut \rightarrow $\phi 40$ mm $\Delta \rightarrow$ 1 cm.

Fillet \rightarrow 3 mm.

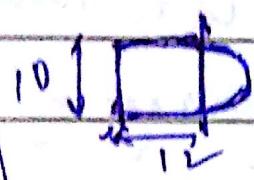


$\angle \perp \parallel =$ (symmetry) $\rightarrow \phi \circ \rightarrow \square$





SS → 202, 304 (grades)

- Max. thickness of acrylic that can be cut | curves
- Rounding of acrylic / availability of tubes | fillet
- Machining on acrylic
- Rates
 - file type
 - On metals too | 
 - shop opening, location
 - alternative availability of materials.
 - type of files (format)
- Coats of on acrylics | color
- M4/M6 | M8 holes | transparency

Quantity → Just sample, small

preoplastics@yahoo.com

→ 3-15 mm | thick.
6-4, 8-4 foot
₹ 30/mm/sq.ft

gum
j.
wires

10- 12 mm

Rate → ₹ 70 / mm / sq. ft
size - 8-4

Cut size → Available

32/2 D.B Gupta Road

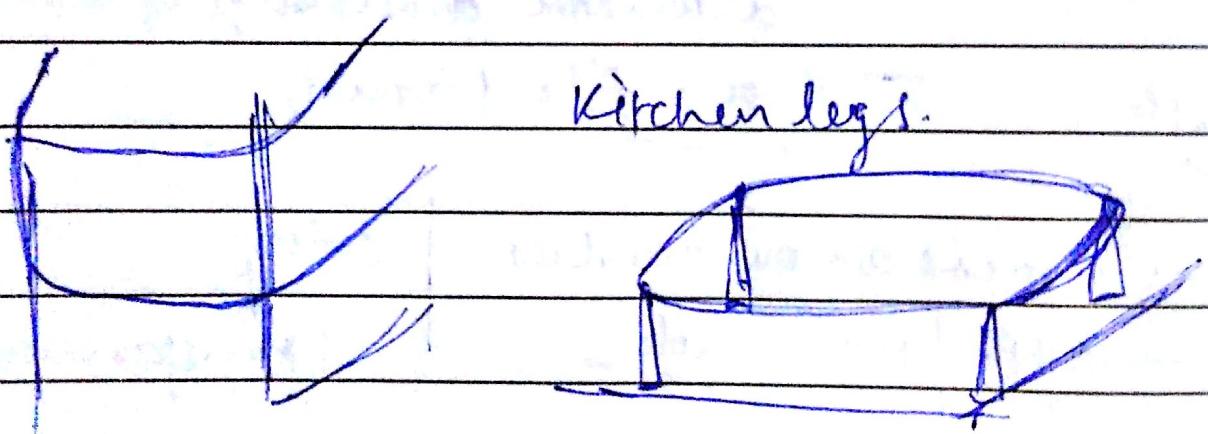
• Drawing

2 mm

Drawing format

12 mm

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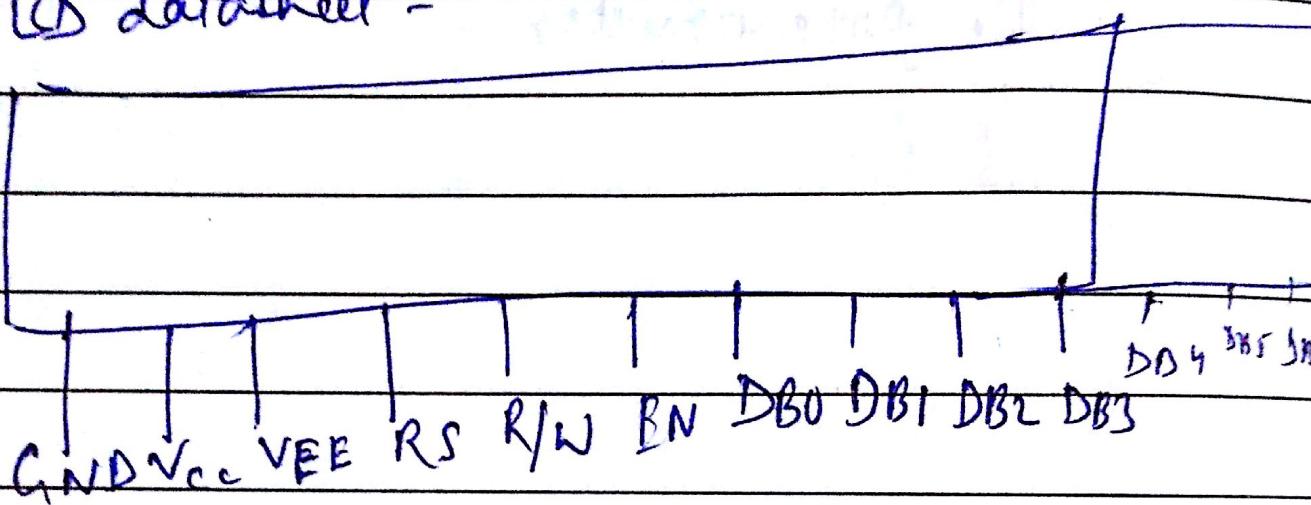
Position sensors / linear position sensors + Angular
sensor

The potentiometer

Assembling

- welding part
- base plate (aluminium)

16x2 LCD datasheet -



\r → Enter

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320 The etiquettes of 3D printing

- 3D modelling

- 3D scanning

- Augmented reality

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Reality term by
 competing Autodesk

Arduino Coding - Functionality Addition

char startChar = '<'; → save
 char endChar = '>'; → end
 char gcodeStartChar = 'G'; ↓

G2 → Motor movement F | movement
 I → indication. | movement type

- Doubts (ability) -

- Stepper object
- Serial object (defined in which header?)
- shutterclosed • shutteropen

servo.attach(servoPin);
 servo.write(shutterclosed); } current
 ↴ 45

xtop_limit → P1 // 40, top limit switch pin | LEDs code already
 xbot_limit → P5 // 42, bottom limit switch pin. | defined.

on_top_limit — false | default
 on_bottom_limit — false | default

shutterclosed | printing3d = false.
 projection angle.

→ ssistring = false; // flag to put the data in our buff

— Glowing yellow LED while the process is running

~~delay~~ → microcontroller.

On top/bottom position — Red,

In working position — green.

When in ready — yellow.

Touch bot-limit & then raise to reach

25 mm → 2mm

110 mm → 0.5mm

home posⁿ.

write
←

Mbyte

= 0

Homepos = 0

Reset.

\pm 9 steps — save.

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An EEPROM write takes $3.3 \frac{ms}{step}$ to complete. The EEPROM memory has a specified life of 100000 write/erase cycles, so be careful about how often do you write to

`millis()` in arduino →

Returns the number of milliseconds since the Arduino board began running the current program. This number will overflow (go back to 0) after approx 50 days.

Parameters → None

Returns — Number of milliseconds since the program started (unsigned long).

Note: Errors may be generated if a programmer tries to do math with other datatypes, such as ints.

Ex: - ~~Use~~ unsigned ~~int~~ long time;

void setup() {

 Serial.begin(9600);

}

void loop() {

 Serial.print("Time: ");

 time = millis();

 // prints time since program started.

 Serial.println(time);

 // wait a second so as not to send massive amount of data

} delay(1000);

$$\text{Finish} - \text{Start time} = \cancel{20}^{\cancel{19}} \quad \cancel{7901.0} \quad 19 \cancel{000}.$$

(79) (79) 160 OT : 19.

start time.

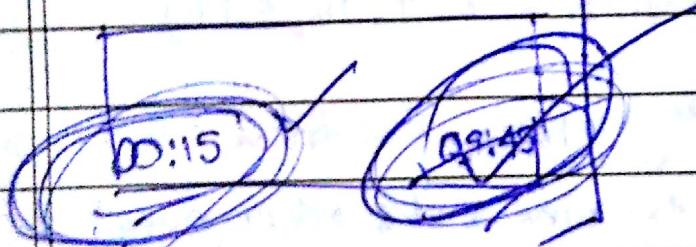
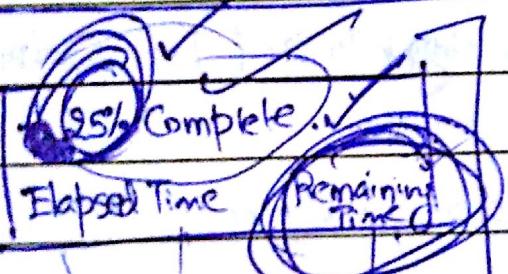
end time.

if (start time) = 0)

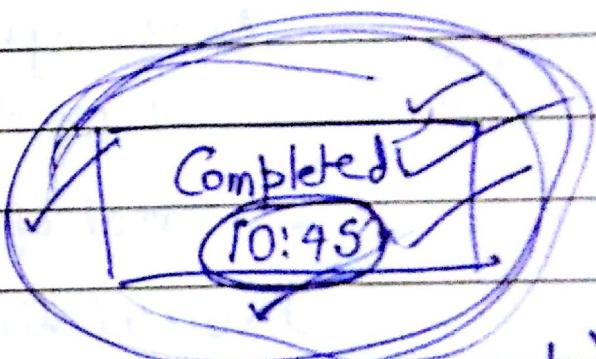
function call(start time)

Remaining

(start time + 5000)
 millis > start time
start time = 0



build start time



G9 = Completed

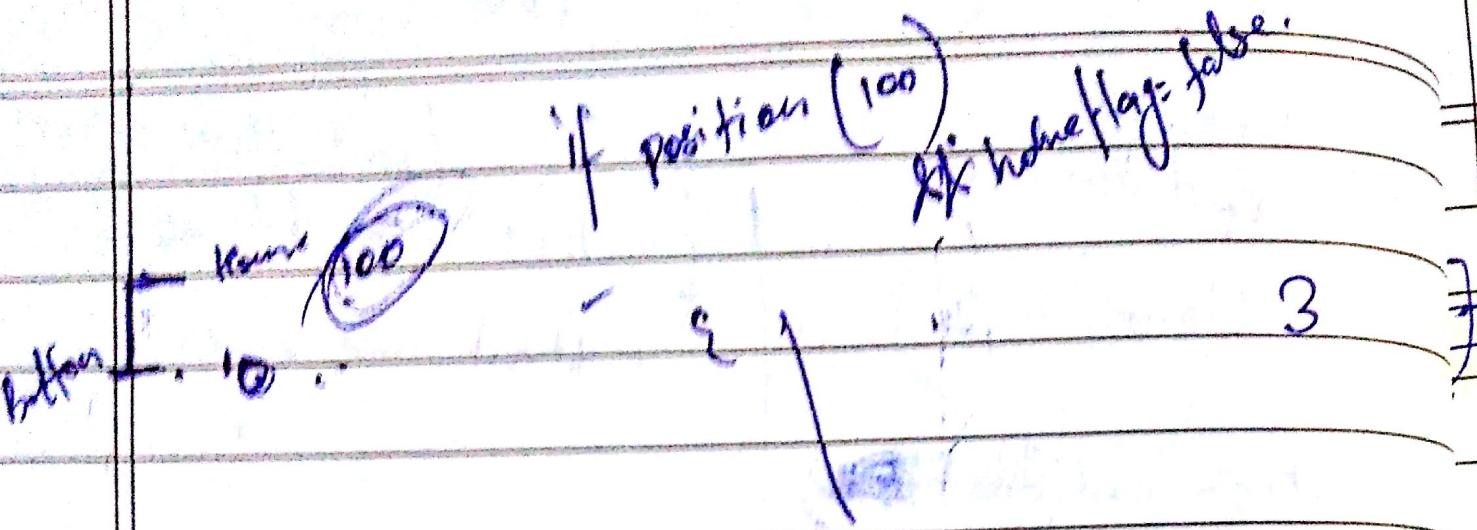
Ready.	✓
At Home Position.	

→ G8 = Init ✓

Total G7 = Total no. of
G6 =

define motorSpeed, motorAccel:

From my side - on_top_limit = false;
 on_bottom_limit = false;
 printing3d = false.



Arduino Uno -

SPS library
I C SPI
connection.

PWM \rightarrow 3, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11 & 13 - provide PWM output with the analogWrite() function.

Analog inputs - A0 - A5, A6 - A11

(on digital pins 4, 6, 8, 9, 10, & 12)

- Total of 12 analog inputs, pins from A0 to A5 labelled directly on the pins & the other ones that you can access in code using the constants from A6 through A11 are shared respectively on digital pins 4, 6, 8, 9, 10 & 12. All of these can also be used as digital I/O.

Motor → Lift Motor Dir Pin
 Lift Motor Step Pin
 Lift Motor Enable Pin } OUTPUT: | 10 | 11
 | 11 | 12
 | 12 | 10

LCD → Lcd Input → INPUT
 6 pins A0 - A5

Switches → Spring Top } OUTPUT INPUT | 6
 Spring Bottom | 7.

ledPinGreen } OUTPUT | 2
 ledPinYellow | 3
 ledPinRed | 4

half
 RS → AO (Grey)

Enable → AL (Black)

D4 → FB

DS → R —

DL → 0

D7 → Y

R/W (white) → Gnd

cathode — node

B → 10'0

B → 10'1

R → 3

O → 4

Y → 5

VG → 6

BDU → 7

C1 → 8

W → 9 word passing

(Up)

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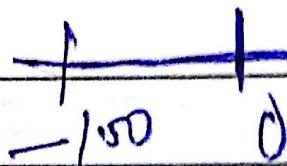
CMS

time point,
(sec., column)

dir

returnPosition,

486"



C0
→ INIT
Dir

home

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