

## Z-axis servo/ Stepper motor Pen Plotter mount for V-Slot



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### Summary

12/28/2020 Update: I added the file \*RP\_200411\_Servo\_Z\_Dual\_X.cfg\*\* that has my klipper configuration using the servo...

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#### 12/28/2020 Update:

I added the file RP\_200411\_Servo\_Z\_Dual\_X.cfg\* that has my klipper configuration using the servo for the Z-axis for reference.

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I needed a pen mount for the Rolling Plotter I am designing and <https://www.thingiverse.com/thing:2349232> was pretty much what I wanted except I needed it to mount to a 2020 V-slot. I redrew it in fusion 360 like it was & then modified it to work for my design. I had some troubles getting the servo to work with Marlin firmware, so I made a couple of other mounts to use a nema17 pancake stepper & a 28BYJ-48 stepper motor. I then found a way to use the servo with klipper firmware, but might use a stepper motor later. I found the models of the servo, sharpie, & 28BYJ-48

stepper motor on grabcad, but didn't include them in the fusion 360 assembly file here.

The build log of my printer can be found here: <https://openbuilds.com/builds/a-rolling-plotter.9207/>

Here is a video of my plotter in action.

For any of the mounts print: **Pen\_V\_Mount.stl**  
**V2020\_Z\_6\_4mmShim\_Plate.stl** **Base\_Slide\_Mount\_Long.stl**  
or **Base\_Slide\_Mount\_Short.stl**. The Long version is 5mm longer for looser spring **V2020\_Z\_6\_4mmShim\_Plate.stl**

4 -**M3\_Spacer.stl** if using M3x16mm screws to mount Pen mount to V-slot mount

For the servo mount style you can mount the servo on which ever side is more convenient for you.

Print: **Z\_Servo\_SideMount\_V2020.stl**

Edit the **Z\_Servo\_SideMount\_V2020.f3d** file if you need to change any of the design.

For the 28BYJ-48 motor mount you can also mount on which ever side is more convenient for you.

Print: **Z\_Mount\_28BYJ-48\_V2020.stl** **Horn\_28BYJ-48.stl**

Edit the **Z\_28BYJ-48\_SideMount\_V2020.f3d** file if you need to change any of this design.

For the Nema17 pancake stepper mount, I only made a mount on one side, but you can mirror the part if you want it on the other side.

Print: **Z\_Nema17\_Pancake\_V2020.stl** **Horn\_Nema17.stl**

Edit the **Z\_Nema17\_Pancake\_V2020.f3d** file if you need to change any of this design.

Depending on how deep your motor sits back, you might have to use the 4mm thicker **V2020\_Z\_10\_4mmShim\_Plate.stl** rather than the 6.4mm plate above. If you need more depth than that, you can edit the **V2020\_Z\_6\_4mmShim\_Plate v3.f3d** to the size you need.

I printed all the files at .2mm layer height with eSun PLA+

I printed the Base\_Slide\_Mount with 4 perimeters & 30% infill

All the other parts I printed at 4 perimeters & 50% infill.

I only used supports on the front of **Pen\_V\_Mount.stl** print.

I mounted the Base\_slide to the V-slot mount with 4 - M3x16mm screws & locknuts with a plastic 2mm washer.

2 - M3x10mm screws with locknuts to clamp down the M3 rods on the slider

1 - M3x16mm screw & nut to clamp pen in place, you might want a longer screw for smaller diameter pens.

2 or 4 - M5x12mm screws with T-nuts to mount to V-slot. Since pen is light, I only used 2 screws

2 - M5x16mm screws with T-nuts to mount V2020\_Z\_6\_4mmShim\_Plate to carriage.

I cut a 2020x250mm V-slot in half for the vertical V-Slot & using the openbuilds V-Slot Gantry Plate-20mm for carriage which is 65mmx65mm. The springs I took from pens from a dollar store. Those springs were rather long, so I cut one in half & used half on each side. The M3 rods I took from an old DVD drive as mentioned in the build I remixed this from.

I have only tested the servo mount, so let me know if you find a problem with the other 2 mounts. I sized the nema17 pancake mount around the pancake motor from zyltech.com. All pancake motors are not the same depth.

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## Model files



**v2020\_z\_10\_4mmshim\_plate.stl**



**pen\_v\_mount.stl**

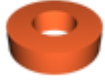


**z\_nema17\_pancake\_v2020.f3d**



**base\_slide\_mount\_long.stl**

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**m3\_spacer\_v1.stl**

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**z\_servo\_sidemount\_v2020.stl**

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**z\_nema17\_pancake\_v2020.stl**

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**z\_28byj-48\_sidemount\_v2020.f3d**

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**z\_servo\_sidemount\_v2020.f3d**

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**horn\_28byj-48.stl**

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**6mmplate\_with\_beltclamp\_v31.stl**

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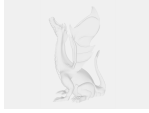
**horn\_nema17.stl**

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**base\_slide\_mount\_short.stl**

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**horn\_28byj-48.f3d**

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**v2020\_z\_6\_4mmshim\_plate.stl**

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**v2020\_z\_6\_4mmshim\_plate\_v3.f3d**

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**z\_mount\_28byj-48\_v2020.stl**

[Find source .stl files on Thingiverse.com](#)

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