My name is Hunter Allen, and I work in a neuroscience laboratory at Indiana University Bloomington. In my spare time, I build, program, and create things as much as I can. If you’re reading this, then you’ve found the payload of my high-altitude balloon, likely either before I was able to track it down or because my tracking system failed, causing me to lose it completely.

The Styrofoam box and its contents are completely harmless! This project basically consisted of a very large weather balloon that carried everything you see up to the edge of space (hopefully around 100,000ft).

On the outside, there are 3 cameras, various sensors (light/temp/humidity), and a row of gas sensors. I hope to retrieve some great pictures from space and data that can help me learn about the conditions at different layers of the atmosphere.

If you find this, I’d appreciate it greatly if you could contact me so I can come retrieve it. Thanks!

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