

CO2 Car

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Design Brief



DL: Design a Game Design Brief Template
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Design Brief

Client	Co2 Cars
Target Consumer	Co2 Drag Racers
Designer(s)	Om Patel
Problem Statement	Make a Co2 car that is durable, light, fast and aerodynamic to allow the car to win a Co2 drag race competition.
Design Statement	As a design engineer I will create a car that is durable, light, fast and aerodynamic, It should hold a Co2 Cartridge and withhold it's force allowing the consumer to win there drag race competition.
Criteria	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Car has to be able to hold Co2 Cartridge2. Co2 Cartridge must stay tightly and securely in the car3. Eye Hooks must be able to feed wire and clear to the ground
Constraints	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. DESIGN/BODY SPECIFICATIONS MAXIMUM (inch) MINIMUM (inch)2. WHEELBASE 9.3 - 4.133. AXLE LENGTH - 1.54. AXLE HOLE CLEARANCE (ON DIAMETER) 0.06 - 0.045. AXLE HOLE: POSITION FROM EACH END OF THE BODY 4 - 0.356. AXLE HOLE: POSITION FROM THE BOTTOM OF THE CAR 0.4 - 0.27. DRAGSTER BODY LENGTH 10 - 4.88. VEHICLE WIDTH - OVERALL 4.59. CO2 CARTRIDGE HOLE DEPTH 2.05 - 1.9710. CARTRIDGE & AXLE HOUSING, SCREW EYE BOSS THICKNESS - 0.1211. CO2 CARTRIDGE CHAMBER DIAMETER 0.78812. CO2 CARTRIDGE CENTERLINES FROM BODY BOTTOM 1.378 - 1.2213. SCREW EYE DISTANCE FROM END OF THE BODY 0.75 - 0.5
How are the listed constraints measurable?	

Design Sketches & Decision Matrix

Design 1



Design 2



Design 3



Decision Matrix

x	Design	Aerodynamics	Weight	Speed	Total
Design 1	3	4	3	4	14
Design 2	2	2	4	3	11
Design 3	5	3	1	3	12

1 worse to 5 best

Design 1

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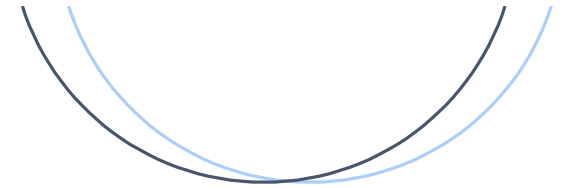
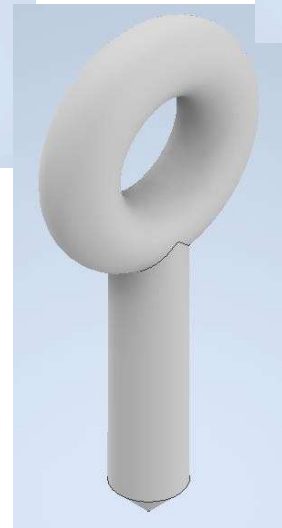
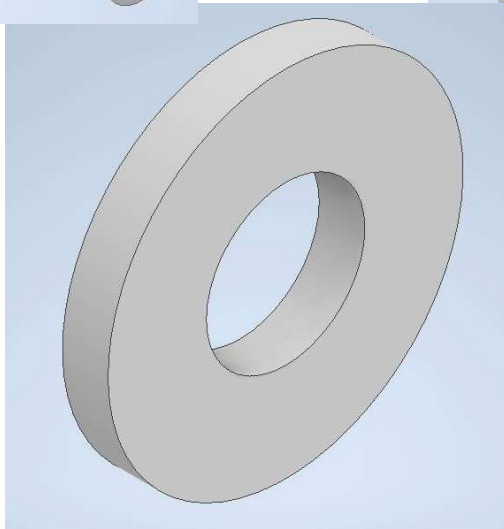
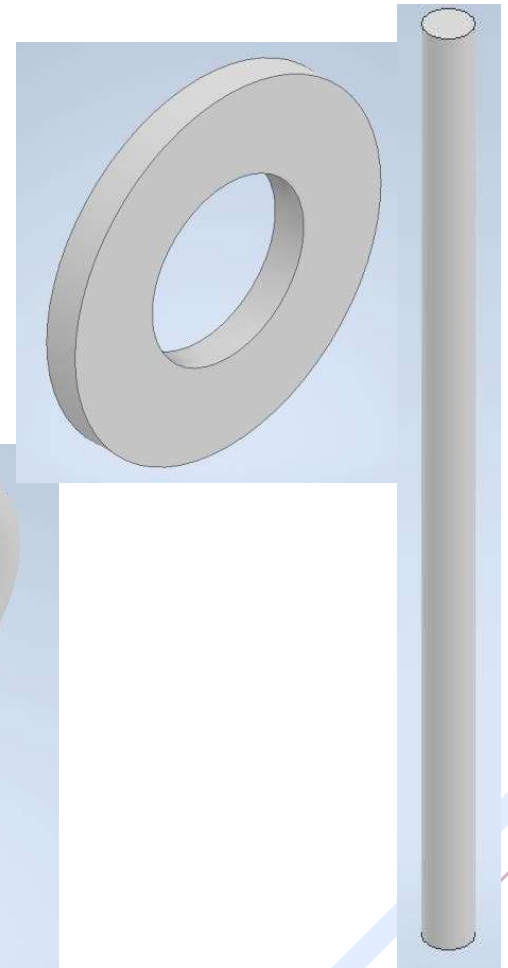
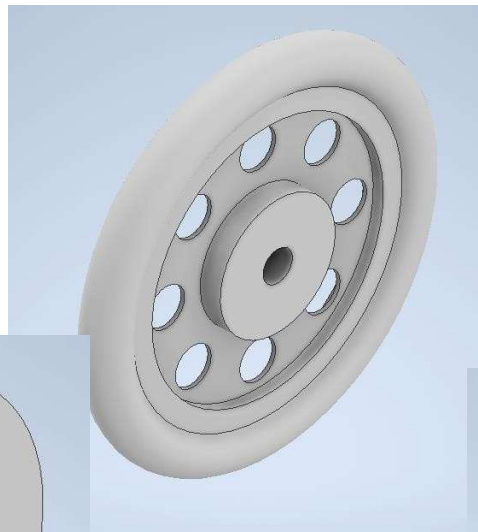
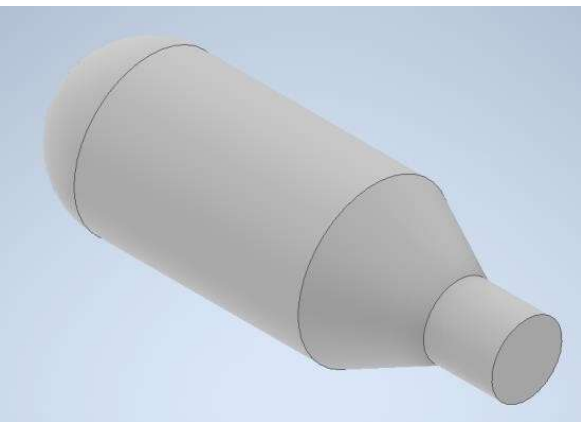
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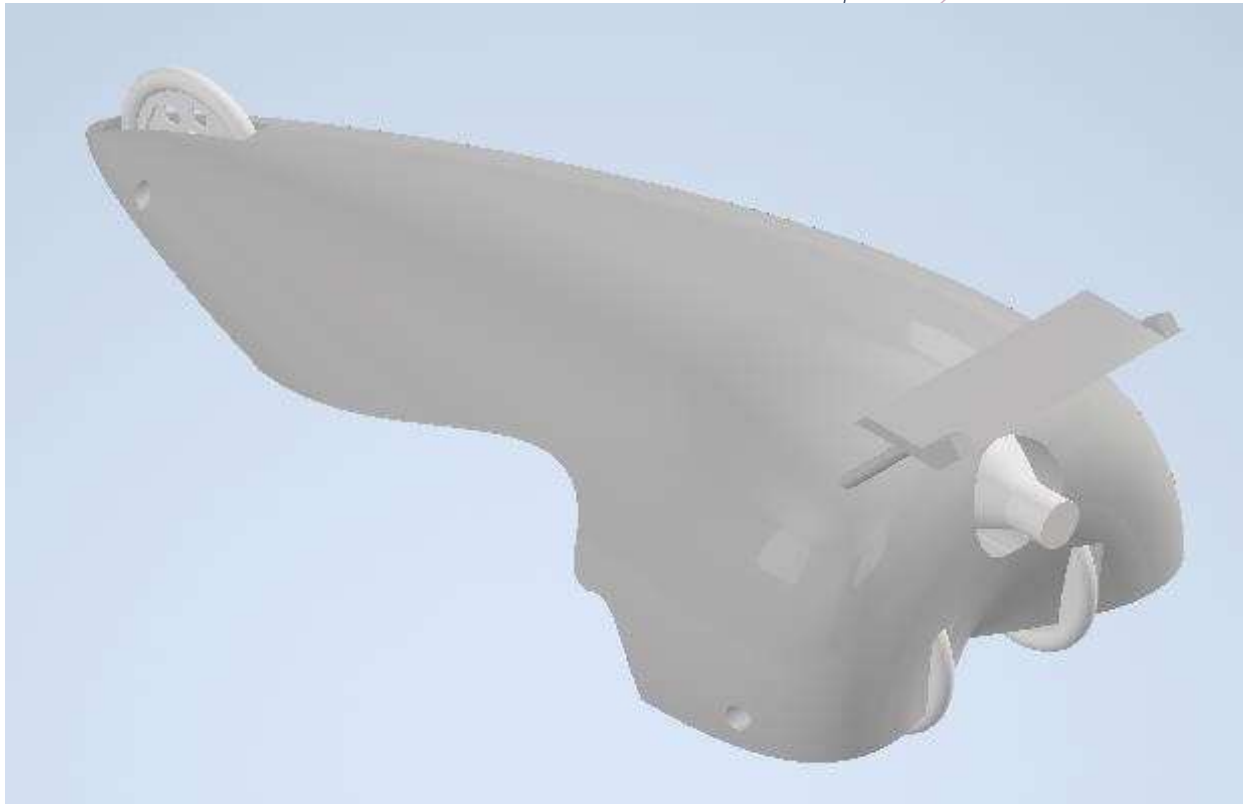
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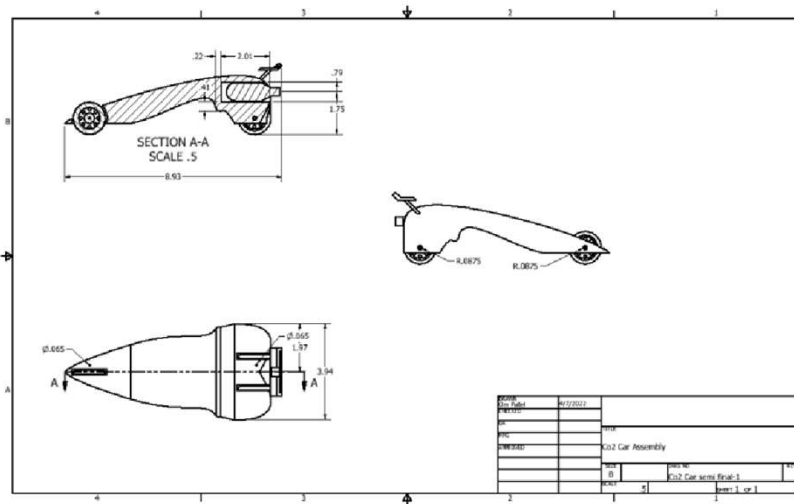
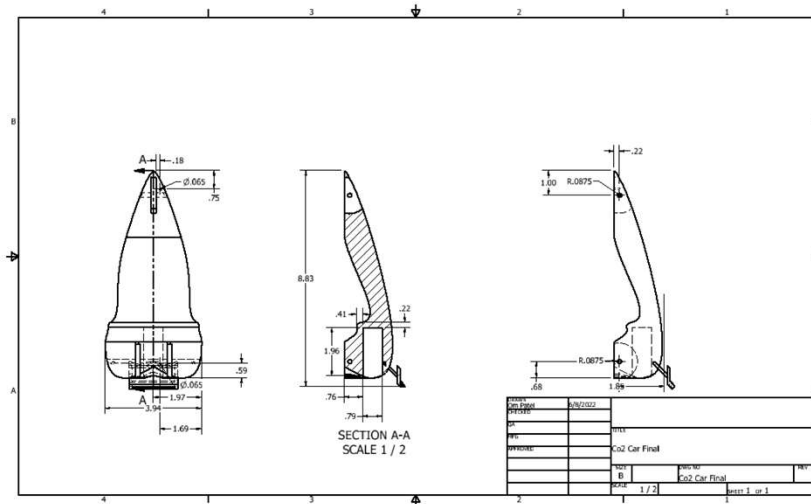
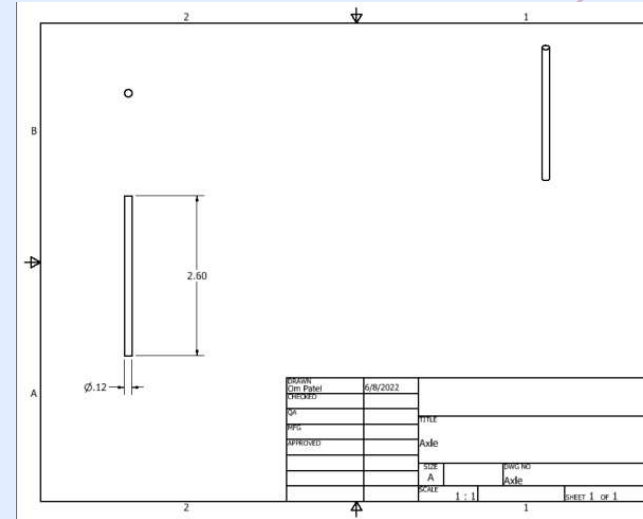
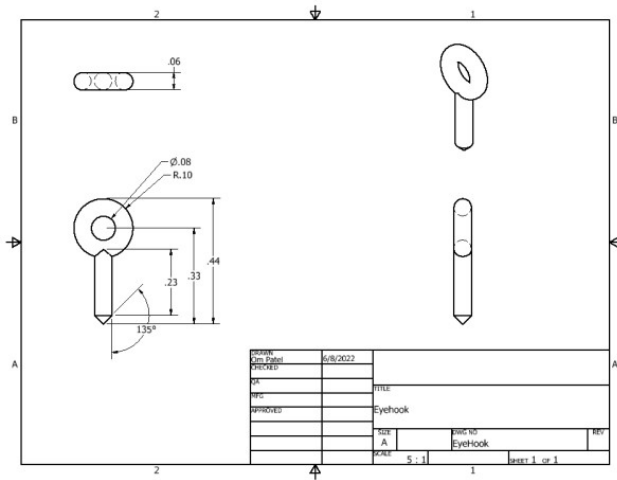
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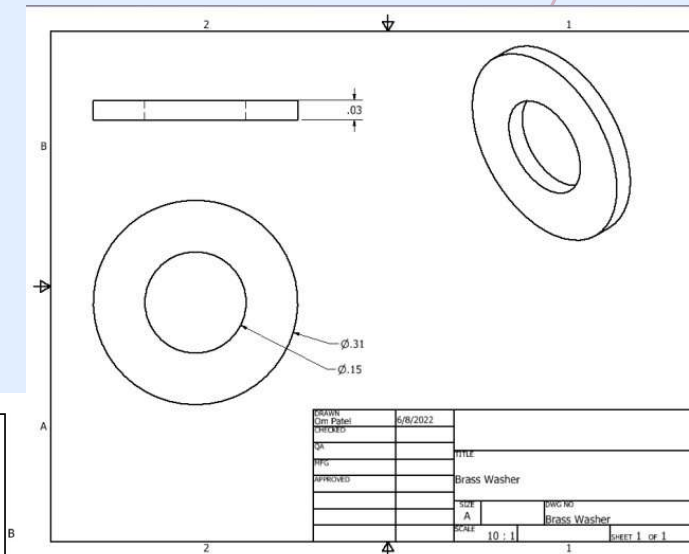
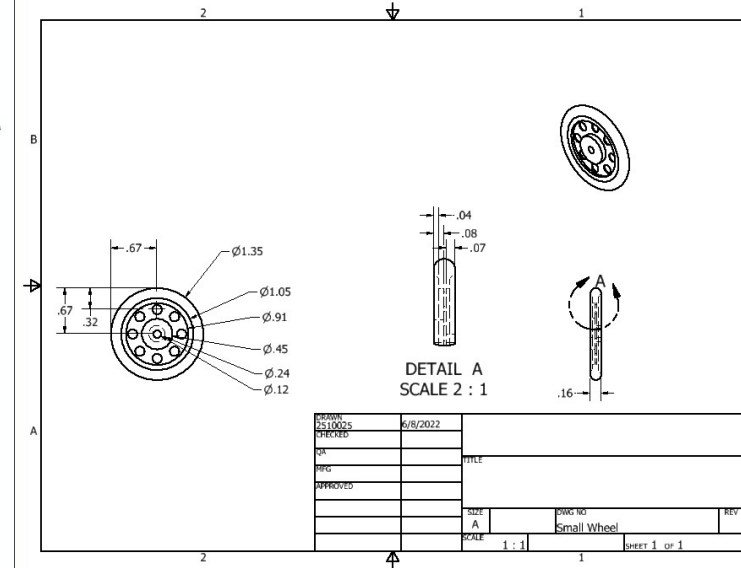
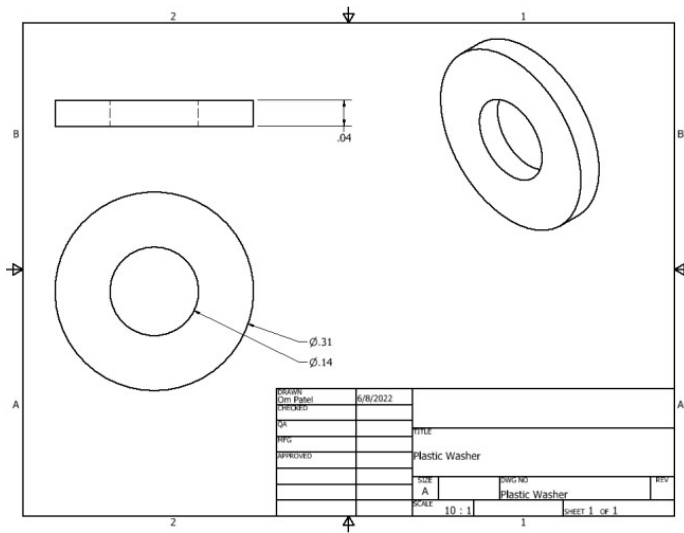
CO2 Car Assembly from Inventor



Dimensioned Drawings of CO2 Parts E Assembly from Inventor 1



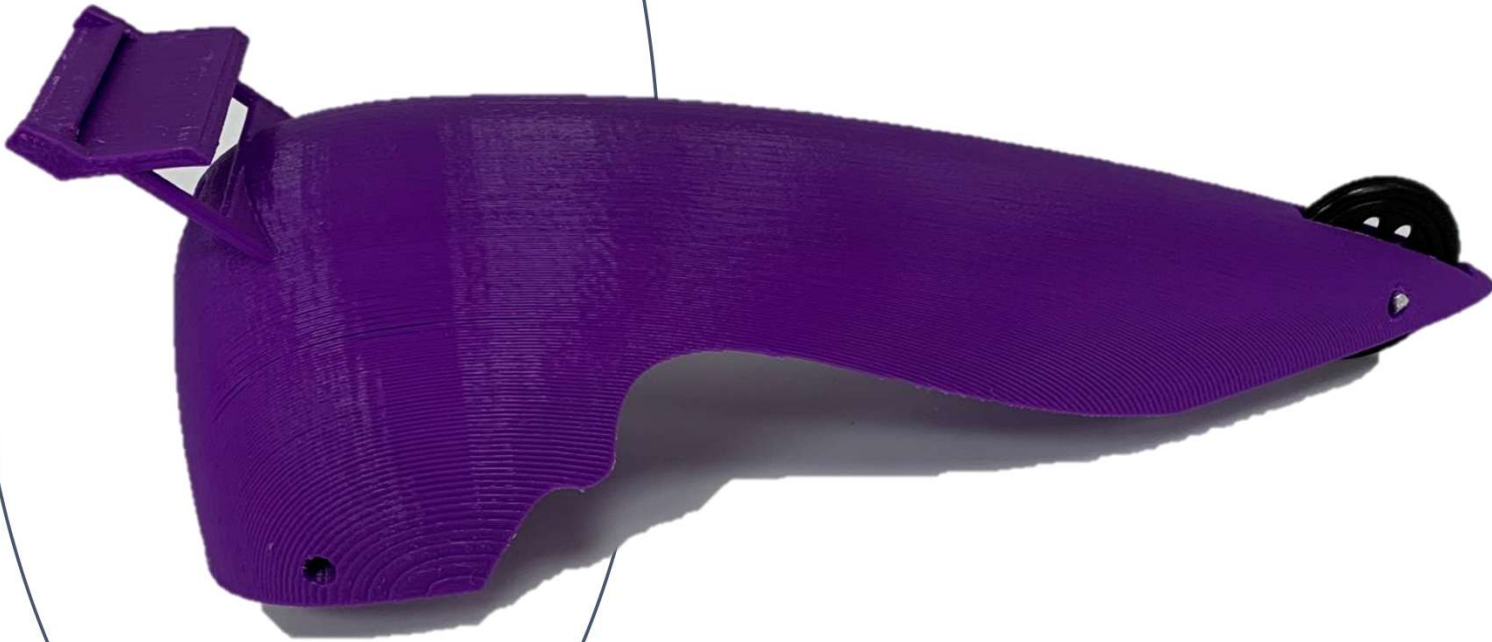
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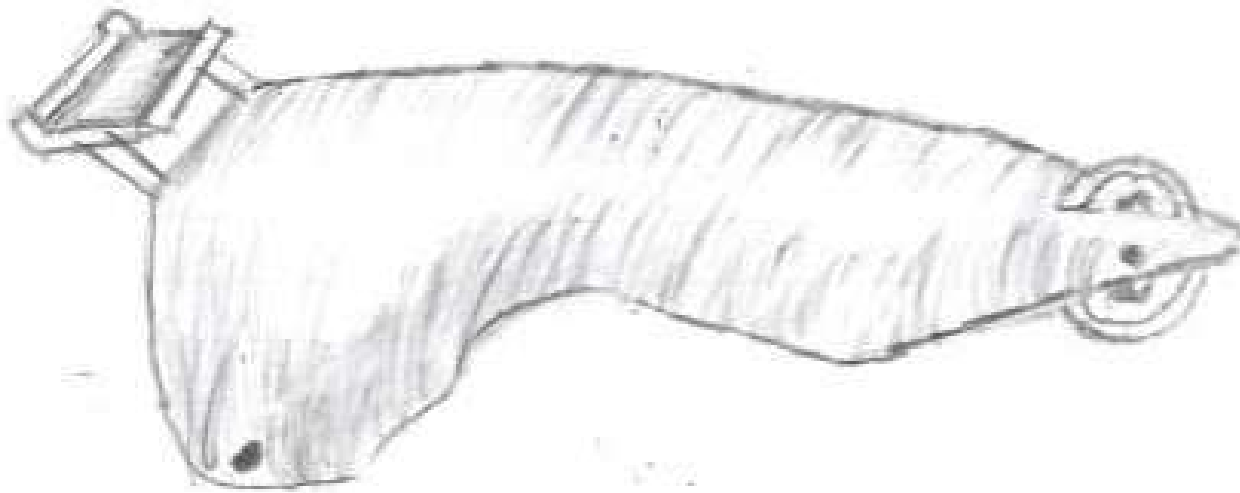
Picture of CO2 Car Disassembled



Picture of CO2 Car
Assembled



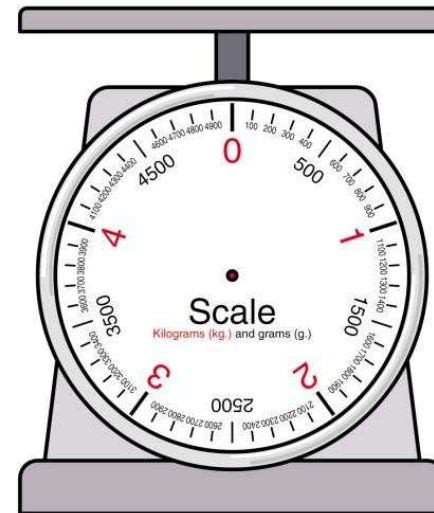
Isometric Hand Sketch of CO2 Car



Weight of CO₂ Car



The weight of the fully assembled Co2 Car was **135.91 grams**.



Names	Reaction Tim	Final Time	Speed FTS	Speed MPH	Names	RT	FT	Speed FTS	Speed MPH	Names	RT	FT	Speed FTS	Speed MPH	Round 1	RT	FT	Speed FTS	Speed MPH	Winner		
Albert	0.4	1.733	37.796	25.764	Sam	0.161	1.543	42.450	28.336	Audrey	0.21	1.543	42.450	28.336	Jayden	0.167	1.143	57.305	39.063	Jayden		
Anthony	0.248	1.256	52.160	35.549	Audrey	0.183	1.513	43.291	29.510	Anthony	0.218	1.222	53.689	36.597	Anthony	0.265	1.303	50.263	34.266			
Steven	0.503	1.63	40.184	27.392	Anthony	0.214	1.206	54.312	37.022	Vill	0.231	1.329	49.285	33.596	Caroline	0.18	1.489	43.989	29.986			
Saim	0.343	1.68	38.988	26.577	Saim	0.202	1.55	42.258	28.806	Kenng	0.225	1.725	37.971	25.883	Jayden	0.169	1.153	56.514	38.524			
Allan	0.324	2.031	32.260	21.984	Justin	0.19	1.74	37.644	25.660	Caroline	0.17	1.39	47.122	32.122								
Vyatt	0.202	2.128	30.780	20.982	Vill	0.219	1.324	49.471	33.723	Om	0.195	1.933	33.885	23.098		Round 2	RT	FT	Speed FTS	Speed MPH		
Justin	0.295	1.831	36.773	24.385	Ben	0.185	2.165	30.394	20.719	Jayden	0.179	1.17	55.983	38.161	Anthony	0.164	1.171	55.335	38.129			
Vill	0.097	1.188	55.135	37.583	Kenng	0.249	1.711	38.282	26.095	Josh	0.171	1.667	39.292	26.784	Jayden	0.164	1.147	57.105	38.927			
Conner	1.733	37.796	25.764		Eric	0.159	1.556	42.035	28.695													
Ben	0.344	2.341	27.979	19.073	Caroline	0.178	1.37	47.810	32.590													
Matt	0.31	3.301	19.842	13.526	Jake	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Names	Average RT	Average Mph			Average Reaction	StDev Reaction	Average Final	StDev Final	Average RT	StDev RT	Average Mph	StDev Mph
Kenng	0.219	1.69	38.767	26.419	Om	0.224	1.415	46.230	31.564	Albert	37.796	25.764			0.215	0.065	1.658	0.522	42.450	10.129	28.942	6.904
Dylan L	0.267	2.545	25.737	17.544	Jayden	0.194	1.174	55.792	38.031	Anthony	51.612	36.545										
Sam	0.161	4.009	16.238	11.137	Alexa	0.142	1.301	50.346	34.319	Steven	40.184	27.392										
Eric	0.169	1.956	42.099	28.695	Josh	0.189	1.689	39.789	26.435	Saim	40.825	27.631										
Caroline	0.25	1.443	48.392	30.942	Stephanie	0.207	1.79	36.592	24.944	Allan	32.260	21.984										
Trevor	0.244	2.095	31.595	21.312						Vyatt	38.779	20.982										
Emily	0.221	1.502	43.609	29.726						Justin	36.708	25.023										
Jake	0.189	1.162	56.368	38.424						Vill	51.040	34.732										
Om	0.225	1.896	34.546	23.549						Conner	37.796	25.764										
Joel	0.209	2.223	29.485	20.085						Ben	29.189	19.896										
Jayden	0.189	1.169	56.031	38.194						Matt	19.842	13.526										
Luke	0.207	2.67	24.532	16.722						Kenng	38.339	26.133										
Dylan R	0.197	1.214	53.954	36.778	</																	

Excel Sheet with my Times

Run #	Reaction Time	Run Time	Average Speed (ft/s)	Average Speed (mph)
1	0.225	1.896	34.546	23.549
2	0.224	1.415	46.290	31.554
3	0.195	1.933	33.885	23.098
Average	0.215	1.748	38.240	26.067
Standard Dev	0.014	0.236	5.698	3.884