Course Project Presentation

Paper 3D LOM

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Objective

- LOM based 3D Printer
- Making rapid Prototyping affordable
- Large scale models possible
- Material optimisation

Concept

- Galvanometer based CO2 laser
- Paste and cut
- Indexed feed
- one side adhesive laminated material as feed
- 4 degrees of freedom for pasting

Galvanometer

- Two mirrors for reflecting the laser beam
- Covers the area of 300mm*300mm
- Large acceleration and high speed
- Precise and accurate
- 2 degrees of freedom

Feed

- Laminated sheet
- pair of Three rollers set
- Indexed feed
- constant thickness
- Responsible for the X-direction of motion

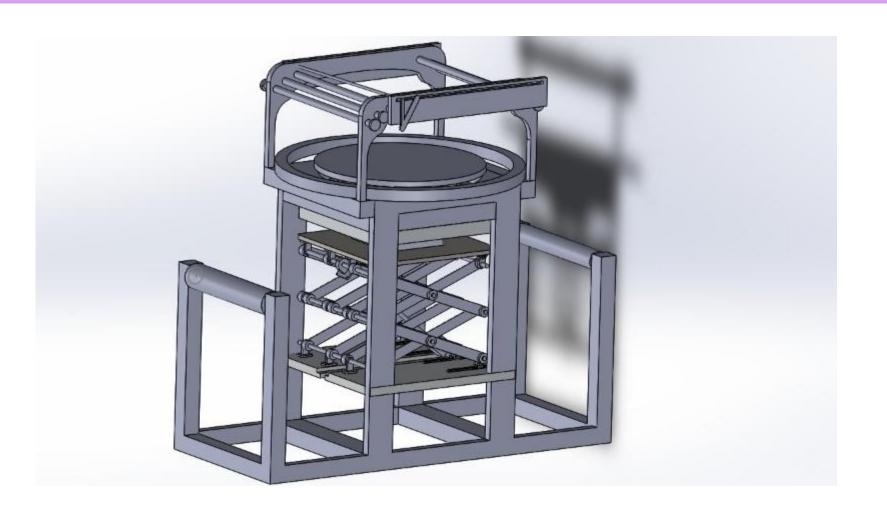
C-Motion of the table

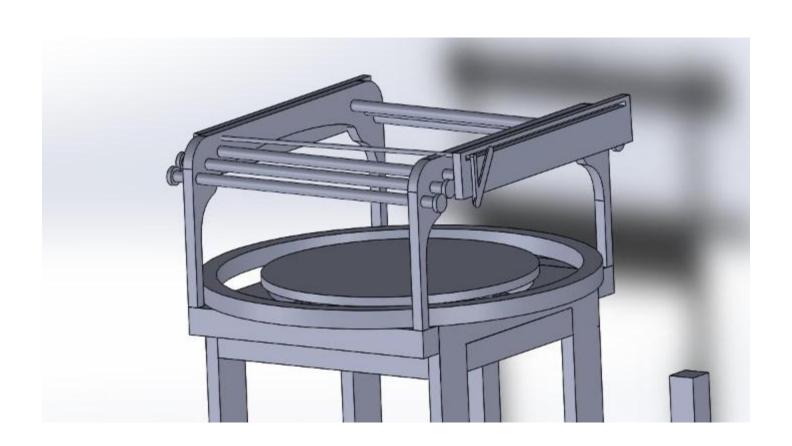
- This motion of the table is governed by the planetary gear arrangement
- Servo motor for running the mechanism
- Feedback mechanism
- Small least count

Hot Roller

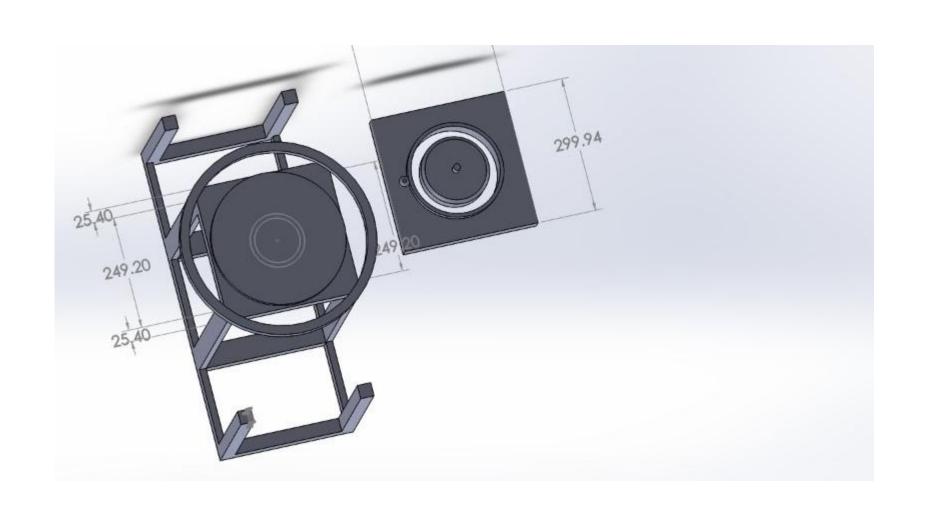
- Ensures the contact between two layers
- Melts the adhesive
- Even distribution of the melted adhesive
- constant pressure

CAD Model









Material

- Cellulose based paper
- HDPE based lamination
- Low melting point
- affordable
- Low thickness (70-100 micrometer)

Optimisation of material used

- Multiple shape cut from one index of feed
- Efficient arrangement of different objects in a region without any overlap and with minimal wasted gap between shapes
- Disadvantage of losing tension in the paper
- Feasibility and speed (considering indexing)

Summary

 On full manufacturing of the 3D LOM machine, we would be able to bring down the time as well as the cost of the whole process.

Thank you!