# 2015 International Forum on DFMA

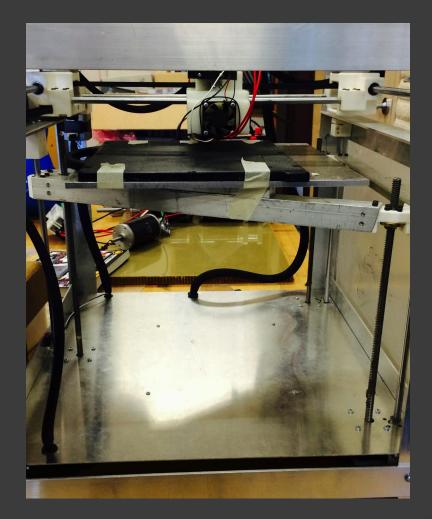
# THE RAPTER

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### Overview

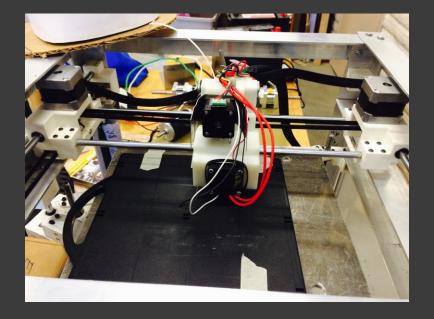
- Side View
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### Side View



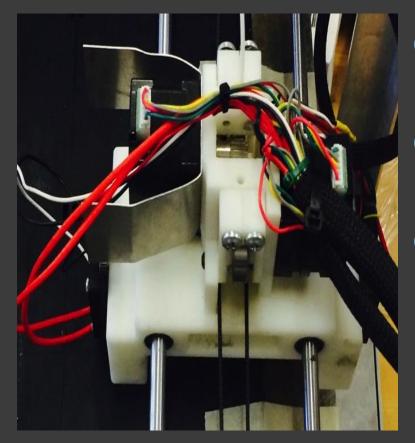
- 3 ACME Screws
- Dual Fans
- Printed Blocks

### Gantry



# Dual Nema Stepper Motors for X and Y-Axis

### Extruder



 Single Printed ABS Block

 Integrated Cooling Passages

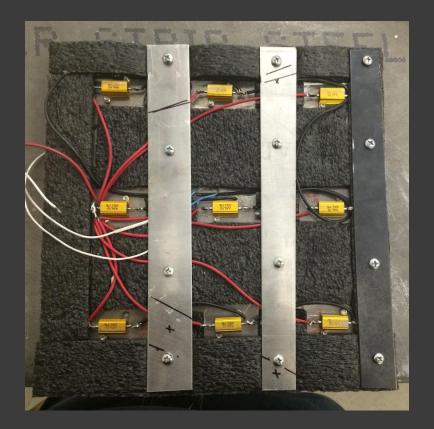
### 2 Nema Stepper Motors

## Hot End



- Dual 40W Heater Cartridges
- O 2 Cooling Fins
- Interchangeable
  Print Nozzles
- Kevlar Insulation

### Heated Plate



- 9-20 Ohm Resisters
- High Temperature
  Foam Insulation

### **Power Consumption**

Subsystem	Supply Voltage (V)	Power (W)	Current (A)
Hot End	12	80	6.7
Heated Plate	12	53	4.5
Motors	12	72	6
Electronics	12	18	1.5
Total	12	223	18.7

### Initial DFA Index Value



### Analysis Totals for Design for Assembly (DFA)

Entries including repeats	Original
Parts meet minimum part criteria	91
Parts are candidates for elimination	731
Analyzed subassemblies	14
Separate assembly operations	917
Total entries	1753

#### Assembly labor time, s

Parts meet minimum part criteria	756.00
Parts are candidates for elimination	8892.95
Insertion of analyzed subassemblies	135.58
Separate assembly operations	7407.84
Total assembly labor time	17192.37

#### **Design efficiency**

DFA Index 1.95
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### **Initial Price**



Analysis Totals for Design for Manufacture and Assembly (DFMA)

Per product costs, \$	Original
Assembly process	224.74
Manufacturing piece part	3338.40
Total cost without tooling	3563.14
Total tooling cost	0
Total cost	3563.14

#### Total tooling investment, \$

Assembly tools and fixtures	0
Manufacturing tooling	0
Total investment	0

#### **Production life data**

Life volume	10,000
Total production life cost, \$	35,631,369

### Printer Back



Frame Screws
 Eligible for
 Redesign

## Plastic Block Screws Eligible for Redesign

### Redesign DFA Index Value



### Analysis Totals for Design for Assembly (DFA)

Entries including repeats	Original
Parts meet minimum part criteria	91
Parts are candidates for elimination	495
Analyzed subassemblies	14
Separate assembly operations	917
Total entries	1517

#### Assembly labor time, s

Parts meet minimum part criteria	756.00
Parts are candidates for elimination	5697.35
Insertion of analyzed subassemblies	135.58
Separate assembly operations	7407.84
Total assembly labor time	13996.77

#### **Design efficiency**

DFA Index	2.39

### **Redesign Price**



#### Analysis Totals for Design for Manufacture and Assembly (DFMA)

Per product costs, \$	Original
Assembly process	182.96
Manufacturing piece part	3310.40
Total cost without tooling	3493.36
Total tooling cost	0
Total cost	3493.36

#### Total tooling investment, \$

Assembly tools and fixtures	0
Manufacturing tooling	0
Total investment	0

#### **Production life data**

Life volume	10,000
Total production life cost, \$	34,933,644

### Summary

- 12V, 18.7A Draw
- DFA Index: 1.95 to 2.39
- 18.4% Index Improvement
- Unit Price: \$3563.14 to \$3493.63
- 1.95% Price Reduction
- Assembly Time: 4.78hr to 3.89hr
- 18.6% Assembly Time Reduction

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