Non-Contact Sensor for Measurement of Small Tendon Samples

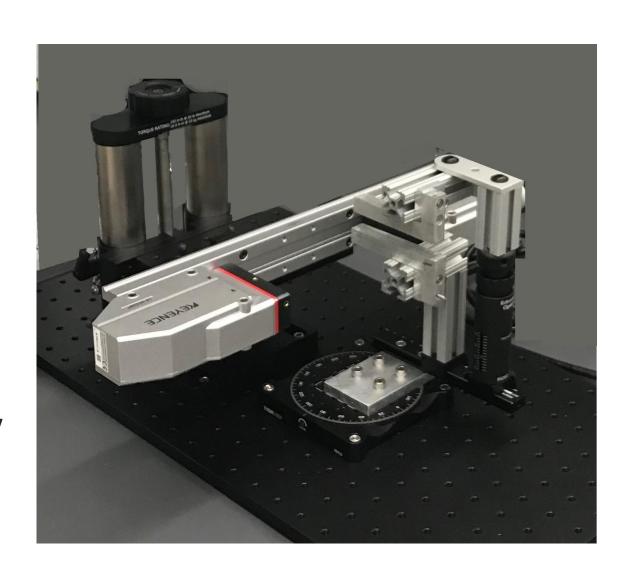
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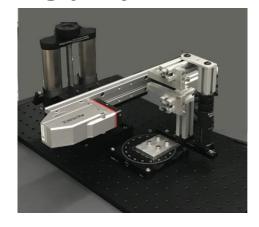
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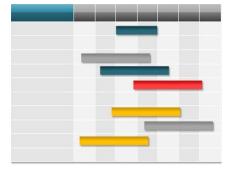




This presentation focuses on the result of the semester long project.



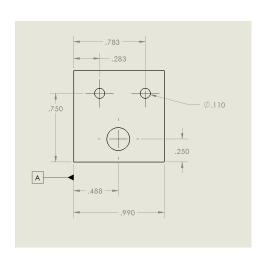
Final Design



Schedule



Project Finances



Fabrication

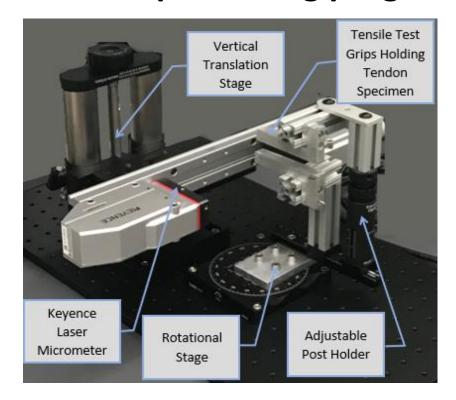


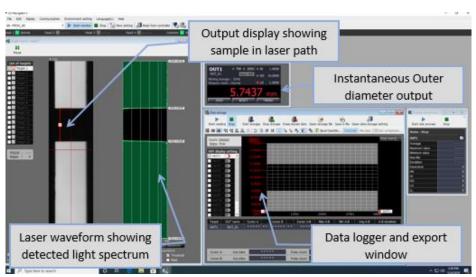
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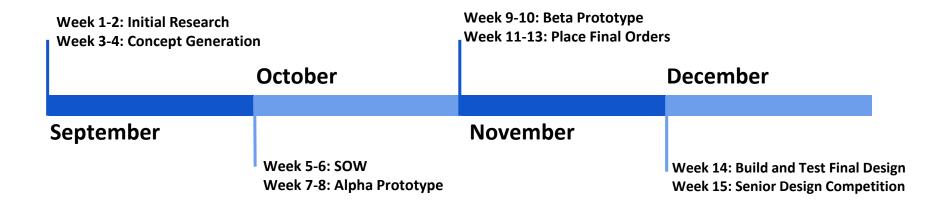
Conclusion

The final design comprised of a laser micrometer system and data processing program.

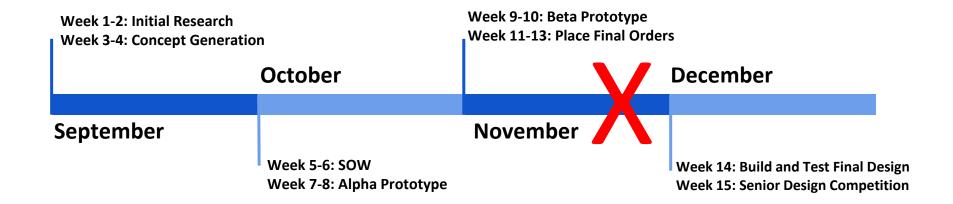




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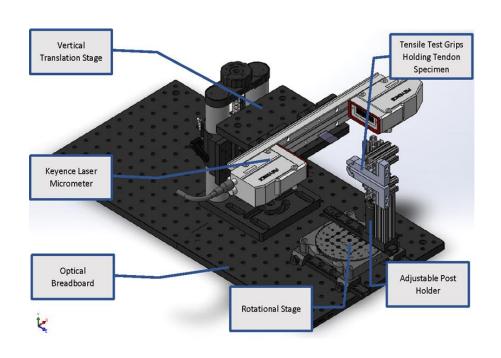


Our final budget includes the hardware and materials used for manufacturing.

| Travel | \$0.00 |
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| Equipment Usage Time | \$0.00 |
| Hardware - Keyence Laser Micrometer | \$10,017.50 |
| Materials - Thorlabs, McMaster, and Manufactured Materials | \$1,942.55 |
| Poster | \$64.24 |
| Total | \$12,024.29 |

The final design was developed with the help of an alpha and beta prototype.

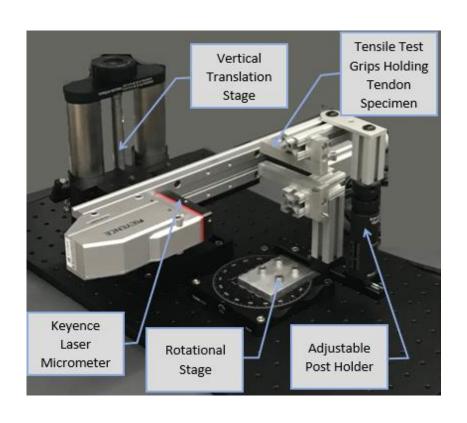


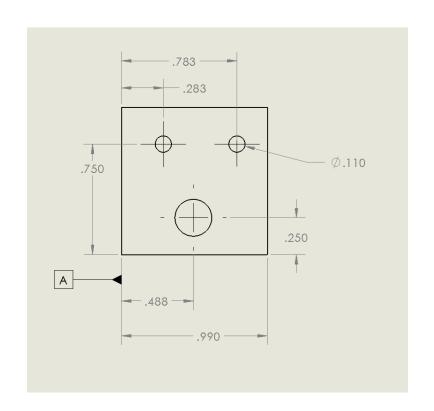


Alpha prototype

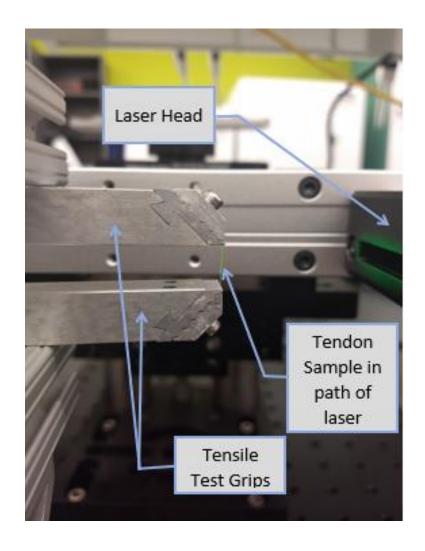
Beta prototype

The products used to assemble our system consisted of off the shelf and manufactured components





The final design was tested by measuring objects of known diameters and a translucent tendon sample.



The final design met the primary design specifications for a successful product.

| Specification | Target Value | Tested Value |
|--|------------------|---------------------------------|
| Accuracy of measurement for objects of known diameter | < 0.5% error | Maximum error of 0.38% |
| Reliability of measurement for tendon samples | < 5 µm deviation | 1.28 µm deviation (n=42) |
| Speed of average operation to keep sample Hydrated | < 5 min | 3 min 24 sec ± 52 sec (n=15) |
| Speed of post-processing to calculate cross-sectional area | < 5 min | 4 min 38 sec ± 11 sec (n=15) |

In summary, the design successfully measures the cross sectional area of tendon samples.

