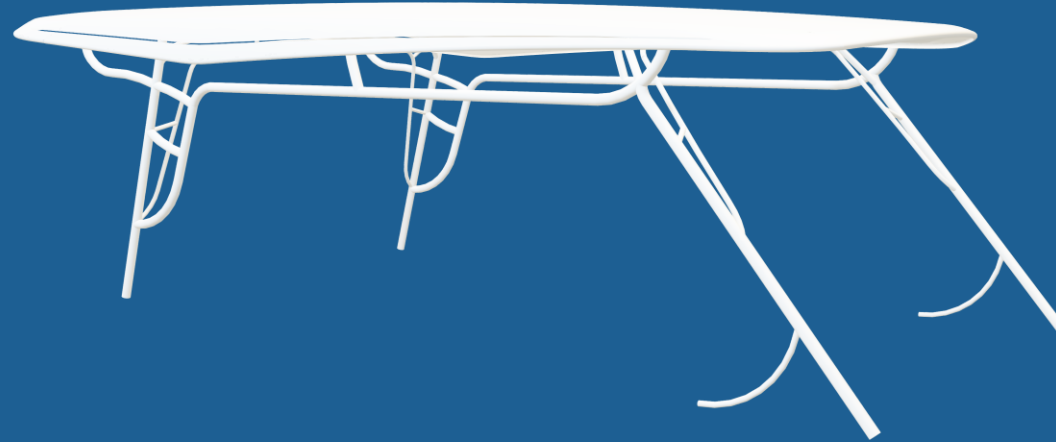


# Team 511: Intrepid Hardtop



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# Intrepid - Redesigned Hardtop Team 511



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## Objective



*To improve the on-water performance of the Intrepid 409 Valor by manipulating hardtop parameters.*

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## Description

**Intrepid wants to improve vessel performance**



The current hardtop is heavier than desired



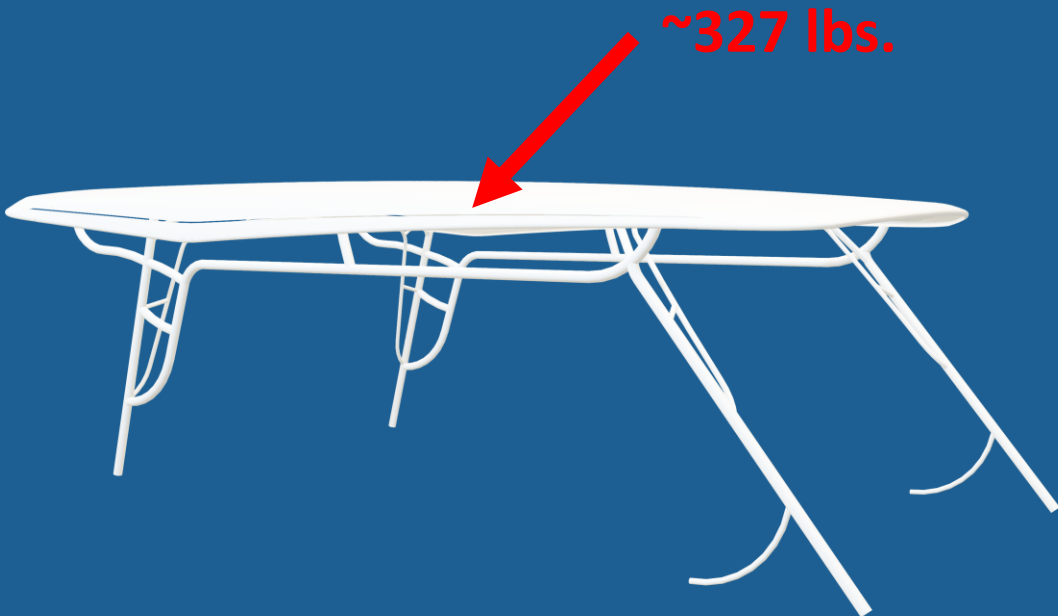
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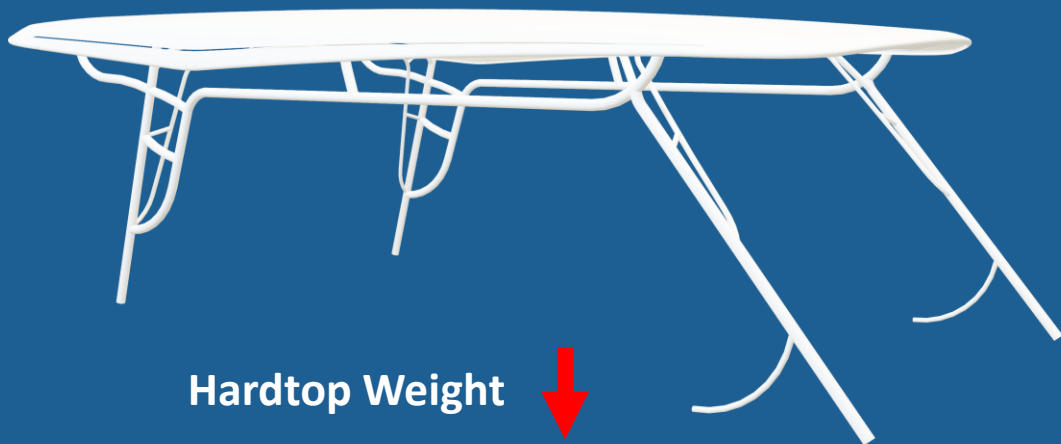
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Hardtop Weight



Lift



Drag



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## Key Goals



Improve boat on water performance

Improve fuel efficiency



Analyze and enhance aerodynamics

Keep the design manufacturable



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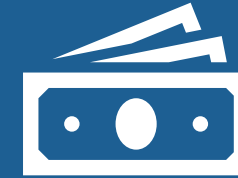
## Key Goals



### Weight

25% Weight Reduction

50% Weight Reduction



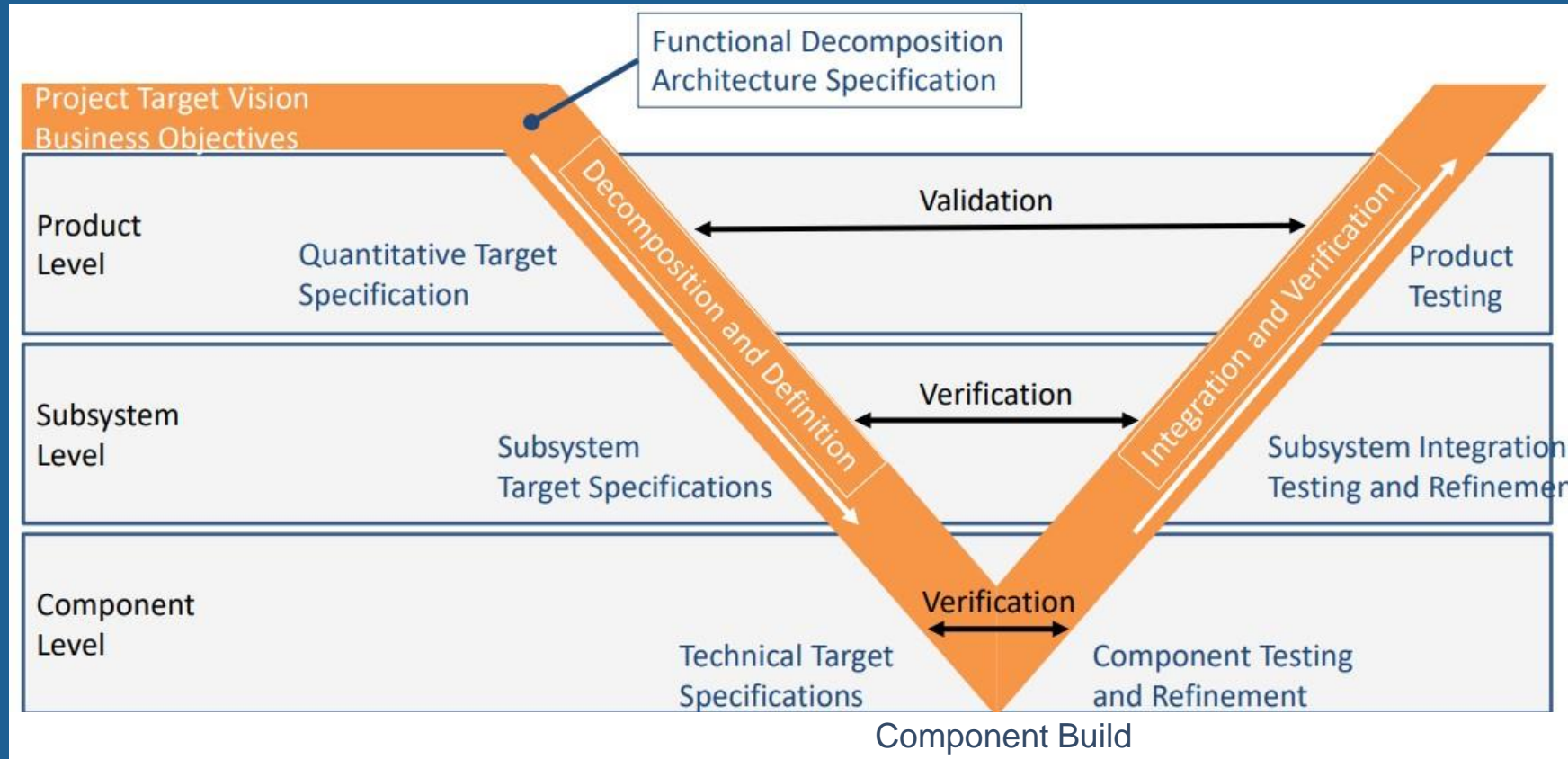
### Cost

5% Cost Increase

25% Cost Increase

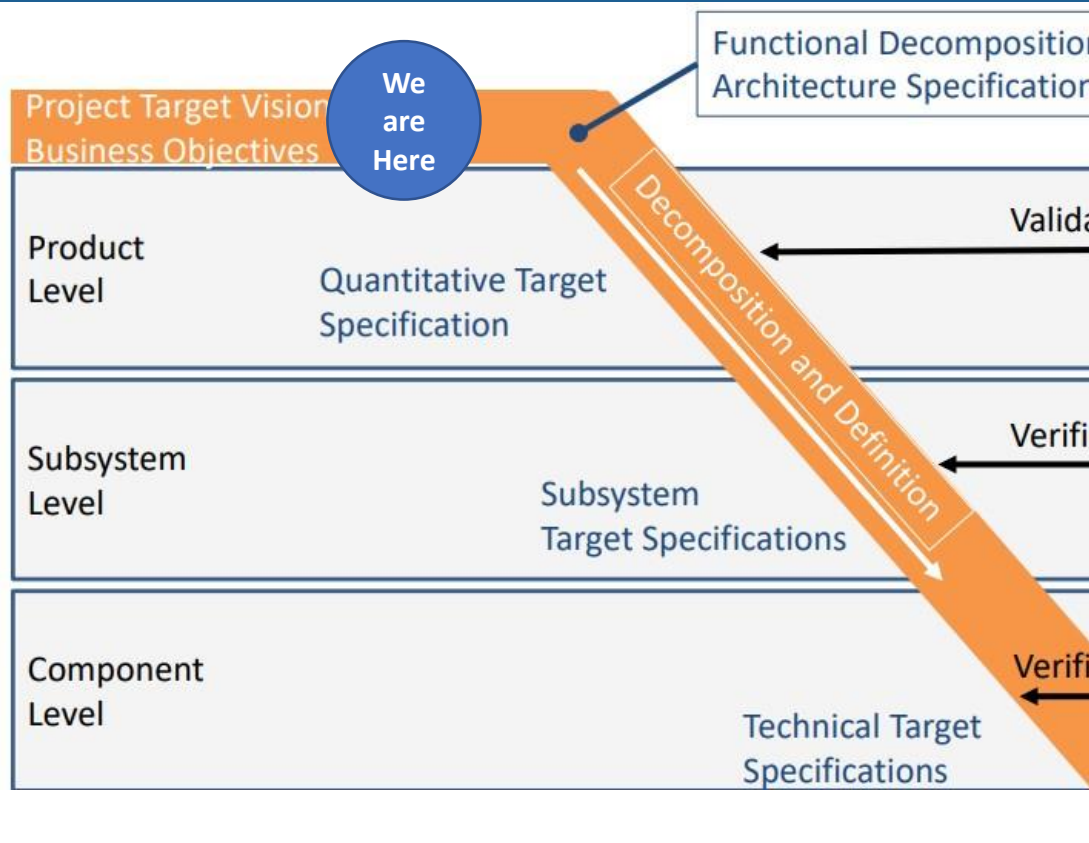
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# Project Breakdown



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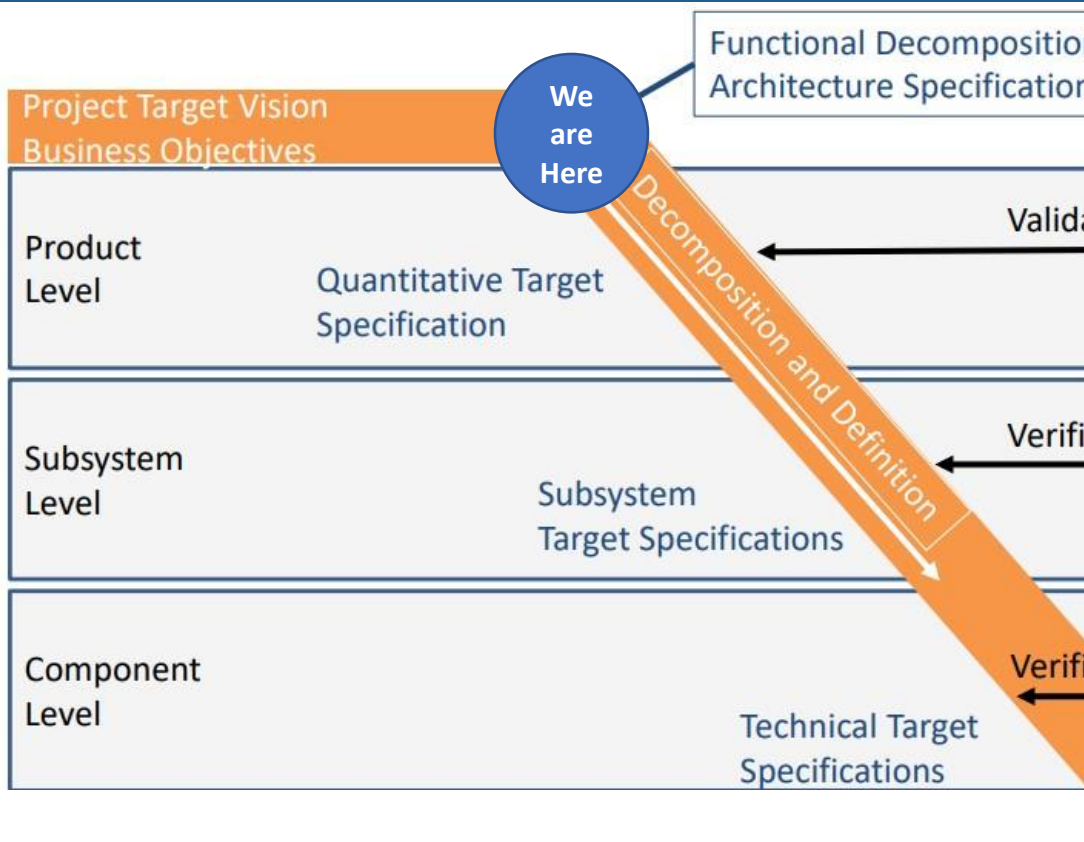
## Customer Needs:

- Similar materials
- Same wire exit points
- Retain manufacturability
- Withstand all loads and conditions

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# Project Breakdown

## Function Decomposition:



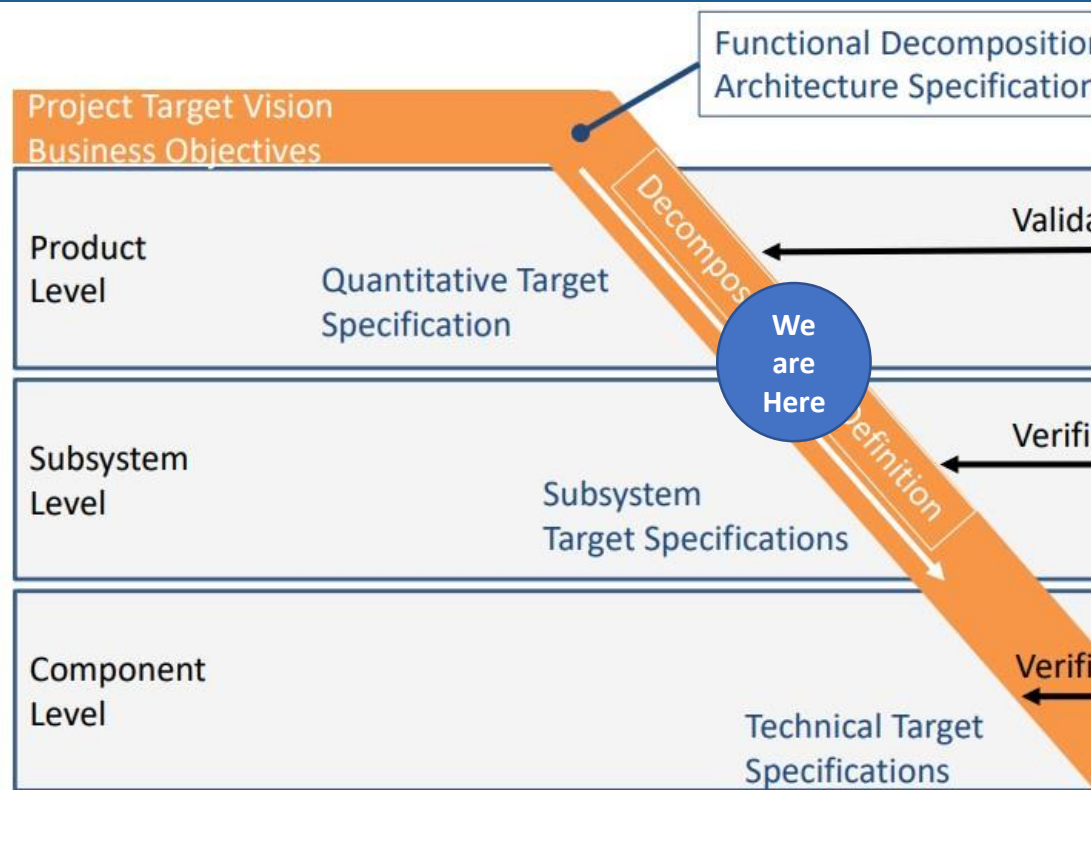
**Aerodynamics:**  
Control Airflow  
Combat Aerodynamic Load

**Materials:**  
Resist Plastic Deformation  
Regulate Deflection

**Support:**  
Combat Aerodynamic Loads  
Support Needed Weight  
Resist Plastic Deformation  
Regulate Deflection

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# Project Breakdown



## Targets:

Withstand Loads

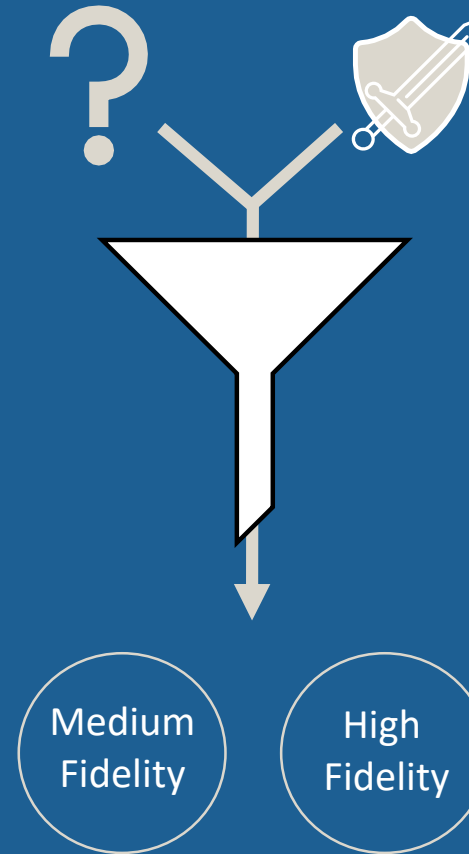
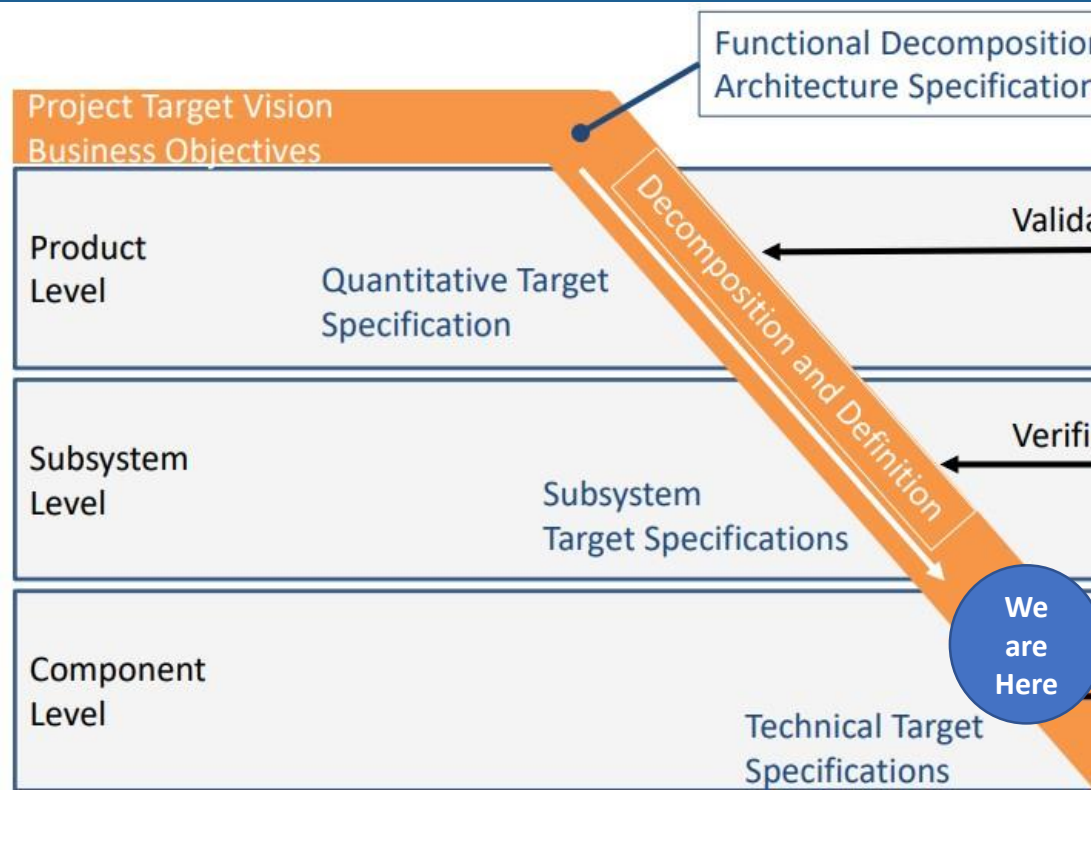
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Support Weight

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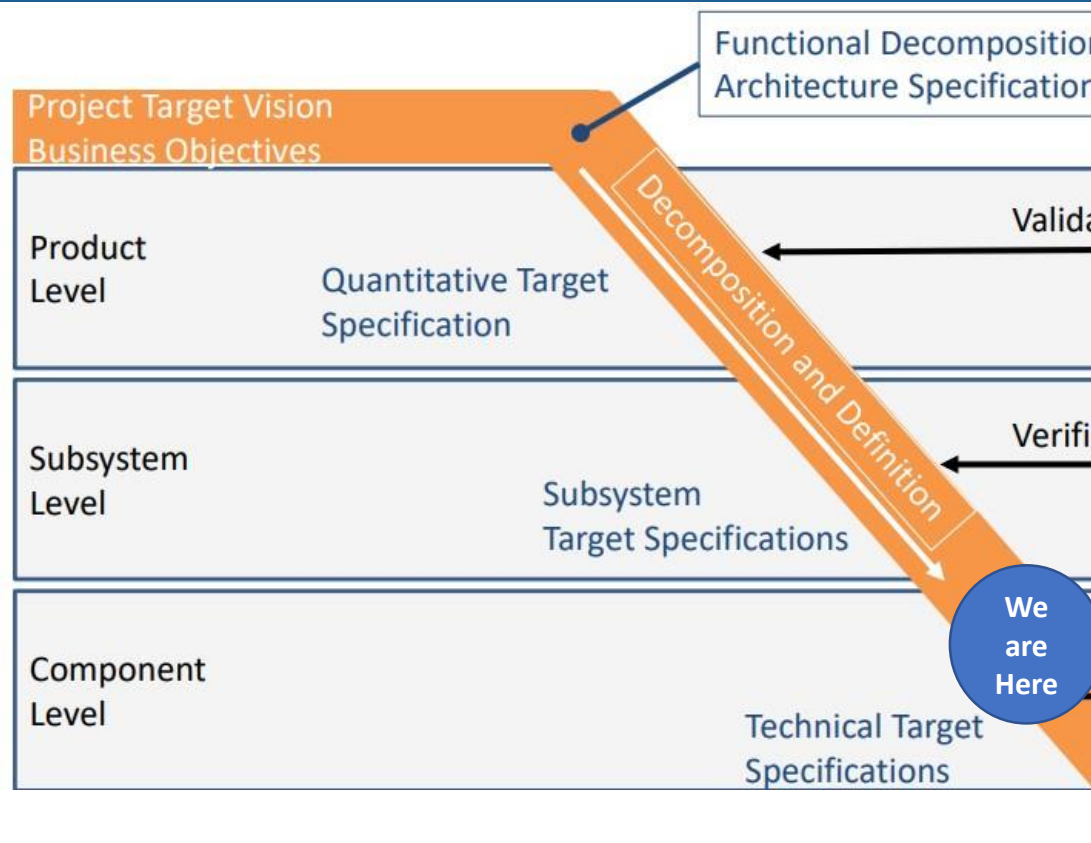
## Concept Generation



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# Project Breakdown

## Concept Selection



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# MATERIALS

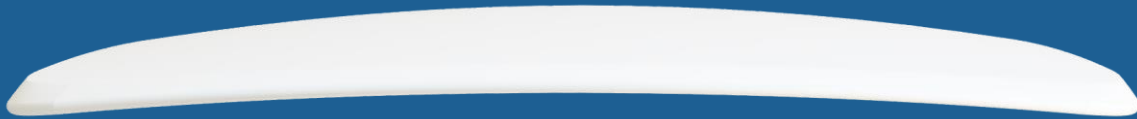
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# Current Lamination Schedule

Changes can be made to the current lamination schedule for light-weighting



## Current Lamination Schedule

Gelcoat

1 oz CSM

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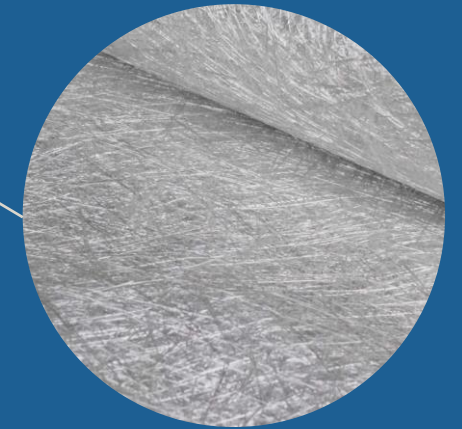
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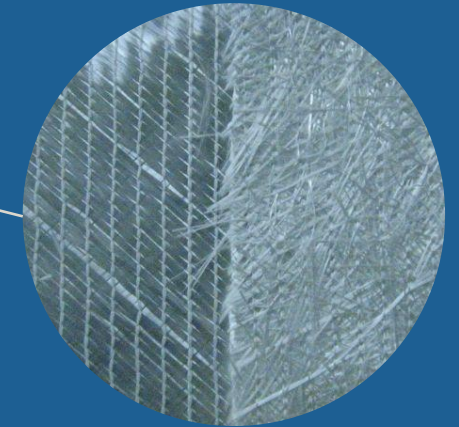
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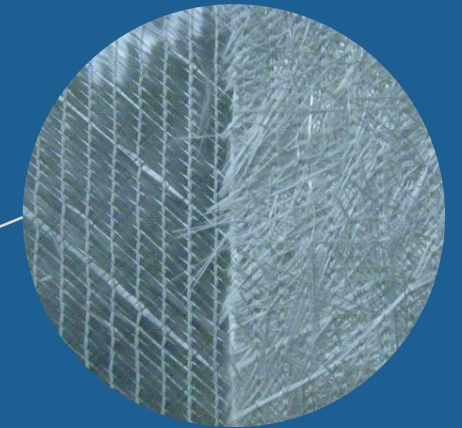
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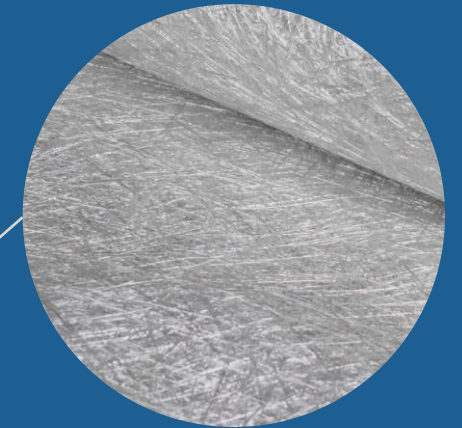
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# Lamination Schedule Changes

## Lamination Schedule

Material	Mat. Weight (lbs)
Gelcoat	16.36
1 oz Chopped Strand Mat	46.30
1208 Fiberglass	81.53
¾" Core	78.51
1" Core	104.68

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Important for:

- Surface Finish
- Waterproofing
- Mold Security

Also, least weight contribution

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# Lamination Schedule Changes

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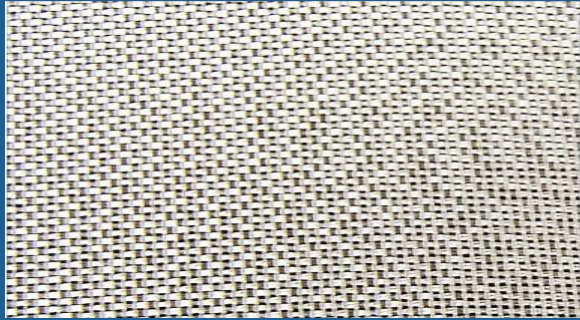
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## Fiberglass Change

# S-2 Fiberglass



- Low Density
- Low Resin Absorption
- Very Thin Fiberglass Sheets
- Excellent Strength to Weight Ratio
- Great Engineering Characteristics
- Water, chemical, corrosion, and environmental resistance

**1208 Fiberglass**



**S-2 Fiberglass**

Juan Tapia

# Fiberglass Engineering Characteristics

## 1208 Fiberglass

Tensile Strength(ksi)-> 270

Compressive Strength(ksi)--> 33.2

Shear Stress(ksi)--> 18.4

Flex. Ult. Strength(ksi)--> 35.6

## S-2 Fiberglass

Tensile Strength(ksi)-> 681.7

Compressive Strength(ksi)-> 580.2

Shear Stress(ksi)-> 507.0

Flex. Ult. Strength(ksi)-> 94.1

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## Fiberglass Change

1208 Fiberglass



S-2 Fiberglass

Density ->  $160.7 \frac{lbs}{ft^3}$

Density ->  $153.8 \frac{lbs}{ft^3}$

Juan Tapia

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## Fiberglass Change

# 1208 Fiberglass



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Thickness -> **0.04** in.

Total Weight -> **81.5** lbs.

Total Cost -> **\$221**

Density -> **153.8**  $\frac{lbs}{ft^3}$

Thickness -> **0.008** in.

Total Weight -> **21.6** lbs.

Total Cost -> **\$393**

Juan Tapia

# Fiberglass Change

1208 Fiberglass  S-2 Fiberglass

18.3% Weight Reduction

3.85% Cost Increase

59.9 lbs. saved

Juan Tapia

# Fiberglass Change



John Karamitsanis

# Working with S-2 Glass

## Safety Hazards

### Exposure



### Symptoms & Health Risks



John Karamitsanis

# Working with S-2 Glass

## PPE Required:

Long sleeves/pants  
and coverings

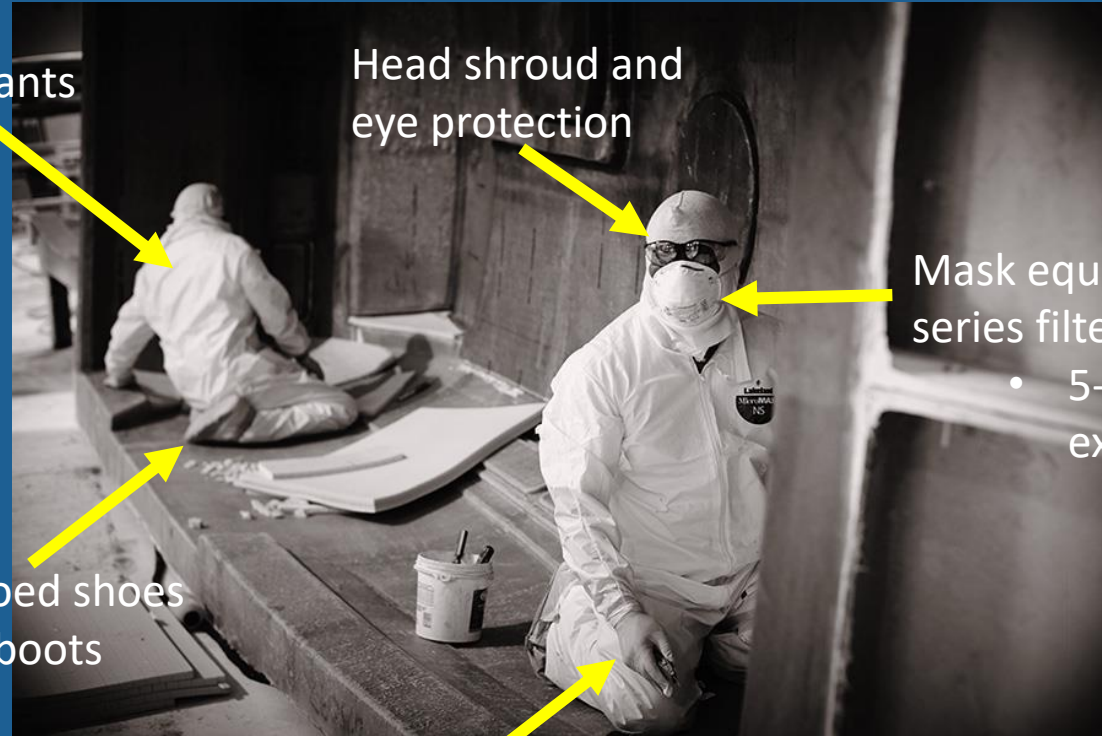
Head shroud and  
eye protection

Mask equipped with P-  
series filter

- 5-10X REL fiberglass  
exposure

Closed toed shoes  
or work boots

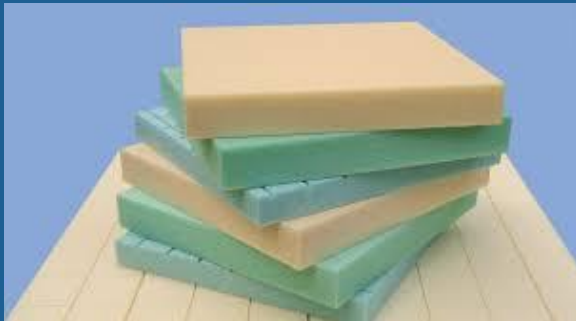
Gloves



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## Foam Core Change

# Divinycell H-45



- Low Density
- High Stiffness to Weight Ratio
- Low Water Absorption
- Low Resin Absorption
- Excellent Strength to Weight Ratio
- Used for Marine Applications

Juan Tapia

# Core Engineering Characteristics

## Aircell T-100 Core

Tensile Strength(ksi)-> 1017

Compressive Strength(ksi)--> 1017

Shear Stress(ksi)--> 968.8

Flex. Ult. Strength(ksi)--> 966.2

## Divinycell H-45

Tensile Strength(ksi)-> 1017

Compressive Strength(ksi)-> 1017

Shear Stress(ksi)-> 600

Flex. Ult. Strength(ksi)-> 966.2

Juan Tapia

## Foam Core Change

# Aircell T-100

Density ->  $9.98 \frac{lbs}{ft^3}$



# Divinycell H-45

Density ->  $2.40 \frac{lbs}{ft^3}$

Juan Tapia



## Foam Core Change

# Aircell T-100

Density ->  $9.98 \frac{lbs}{ft^3}$

Total Weight -> 183 lbs.



# Divinycell H-45

Density ->  $2.40 \frac{lbs}{ft^3}$

Total Weight -> 45.2 lbs.

Juan Tapia

## Foam Core Change

# Aircell T-100

Density ->  $9.98 \frac{lbs}{ft^3}$

Total Weight -> 183 lbs.

Total Cost -> \$1154.96



# Divinycell H-45

Density ->  $2.40 \frac{lbs}{ft^3}$

Total Weight -> 45.2 lbs.

Total Cost -> \$825.64

Juan Tapia

# Foam Core Change

Aircell T-100  Divinycell H-45

42.7% Weight Reduction

7.70% Cost Decrease

140 lbs. saved

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## Total Weight Reduction

327 lbs.  $\longrightarrow$  127 lbs.

61% Weight Reduction

3.7% Cost Decrease

200 lbs. saved

1% decrease in overall vessel weight

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# GEOMETRY CHANGES

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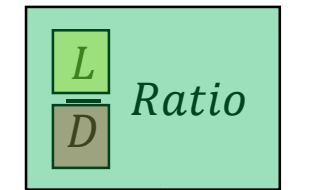
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$$L = \frac{1}{2} C_L \rho V^2 A$$

Increase

$$D = \frac{1}{2} C_D \rho V^2 A$$

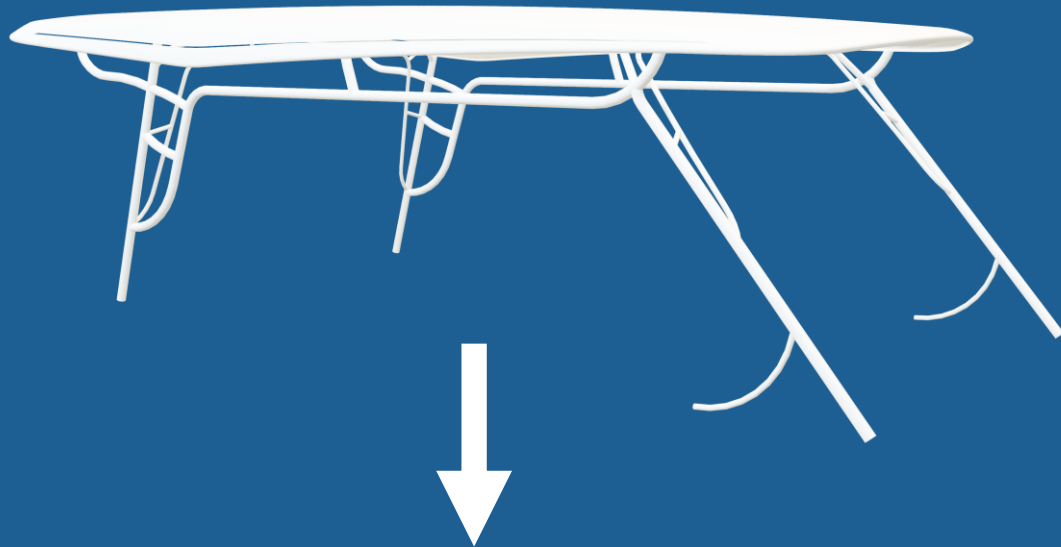
Decrease



Maximize

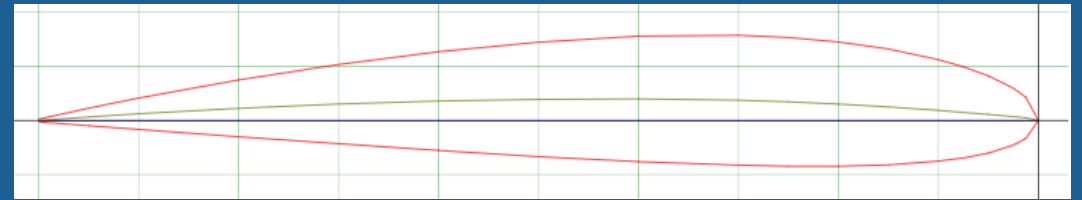
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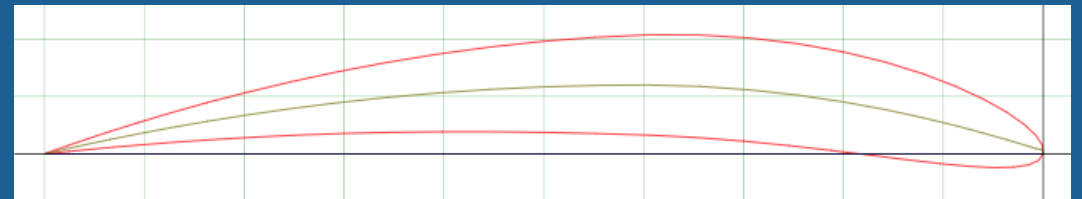


Current hardtop cross-section

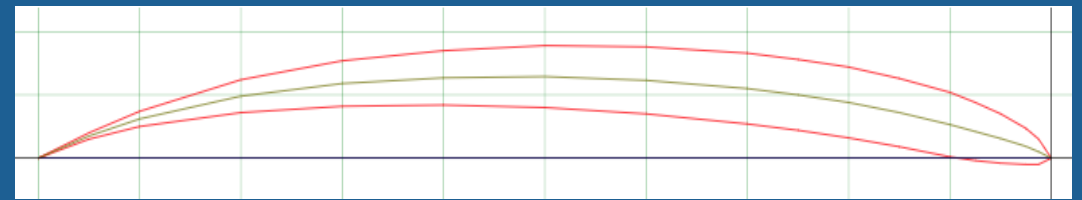
100% Thickness Airfoils



NACA 2412



NACA 6409



EPPLER 58

John Karamitsanis

# Aerodynamic Calculations

## Current 409 Valor Hardtop Cross-section

*Cross-section tested at 70 mph (31.2928 m/s) in COMSOL at three different angles of attack.*

Angle of Attack, $\alpha$ (degrees)	0°	2.5°	5°
Lift (N/m)	1131.9	2237.8	3241.5
Drag (N/m)	32.498	49.169	142.84

## NACA 6409 Airfoil, 25% thickness cross-section

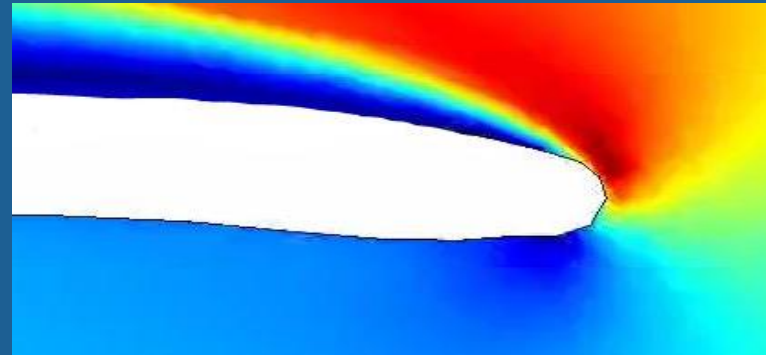
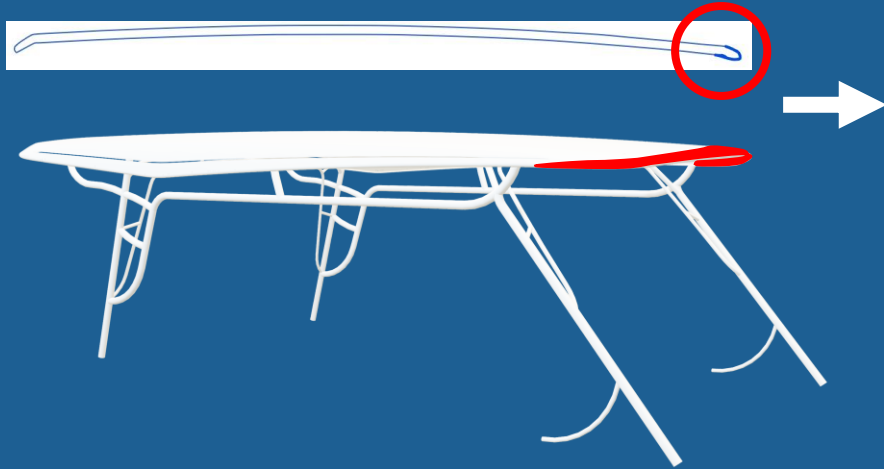
*Cross-section tested at 70 mph (31.2928 m/s) in COMSOL at three different angles of attack.*

Angle of Attack, $\alpha$ (degrees)	0°	2.5°	5°
Lift (N/m)	646.66	1893.9	3129.3
Drag (N/m)	12.826	51.620	194.58

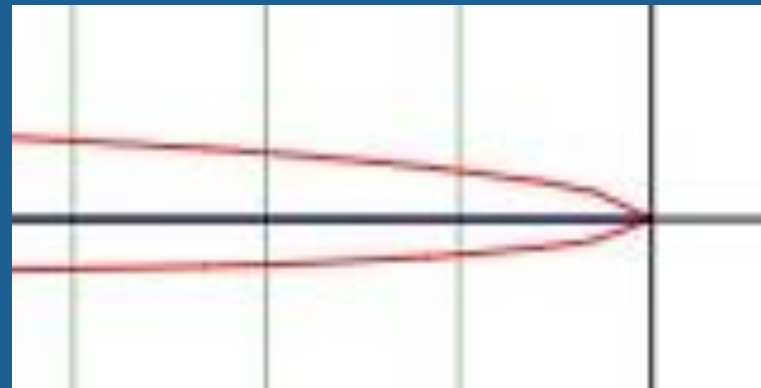
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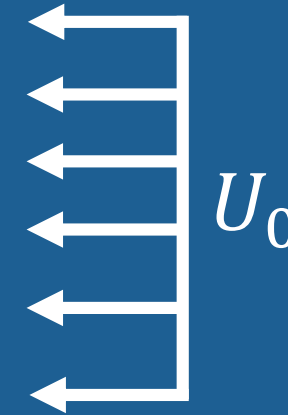
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Current Hardtop



NACA 2412; 25% Thickness



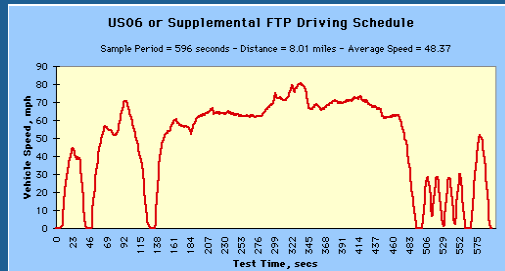
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# SIMULATION

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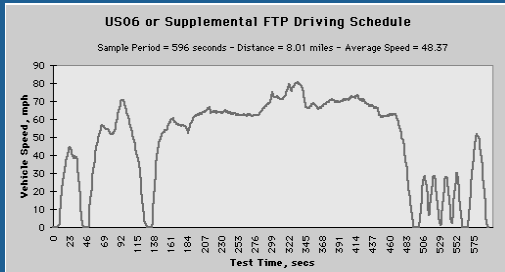
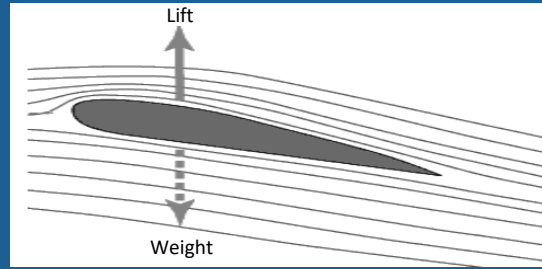


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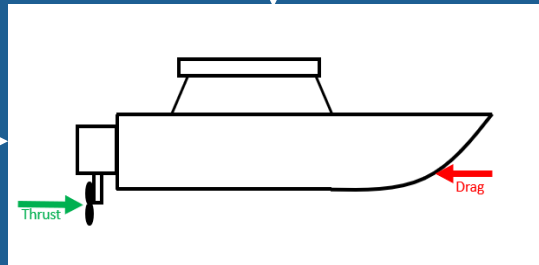
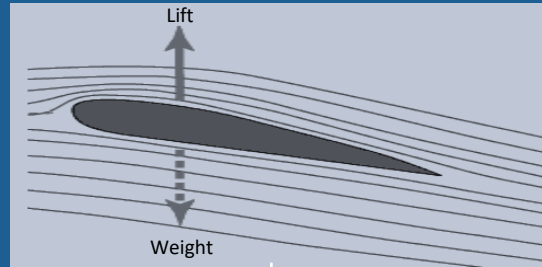
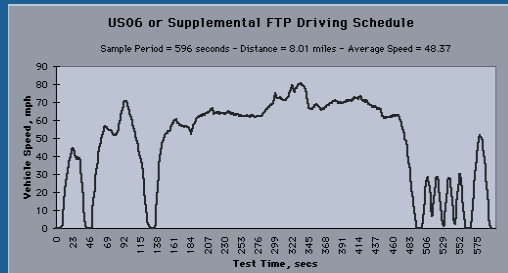
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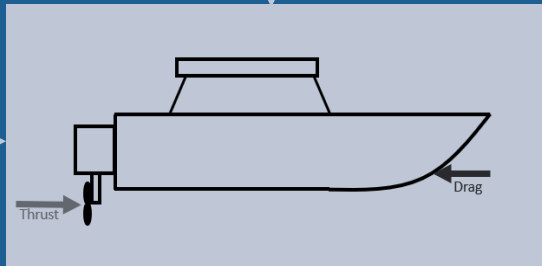
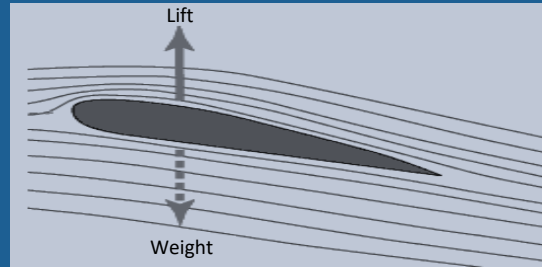
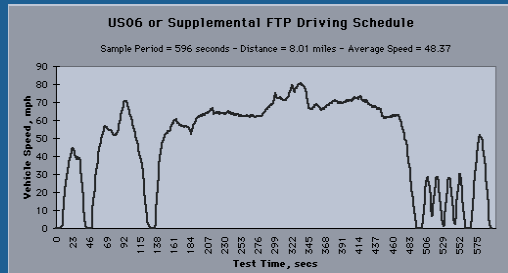
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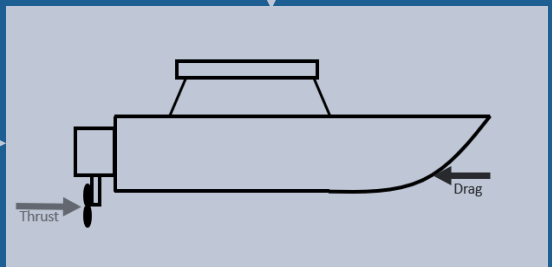
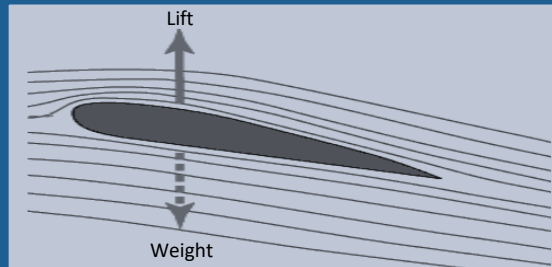
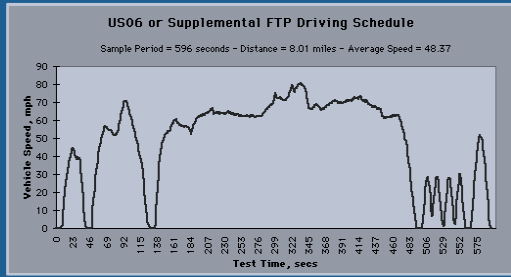
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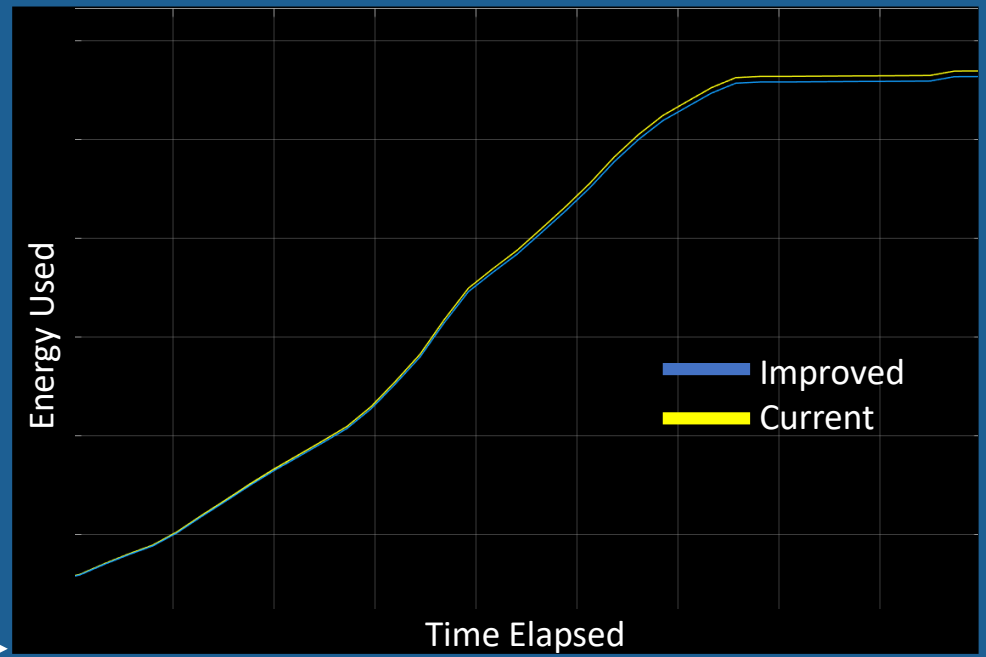
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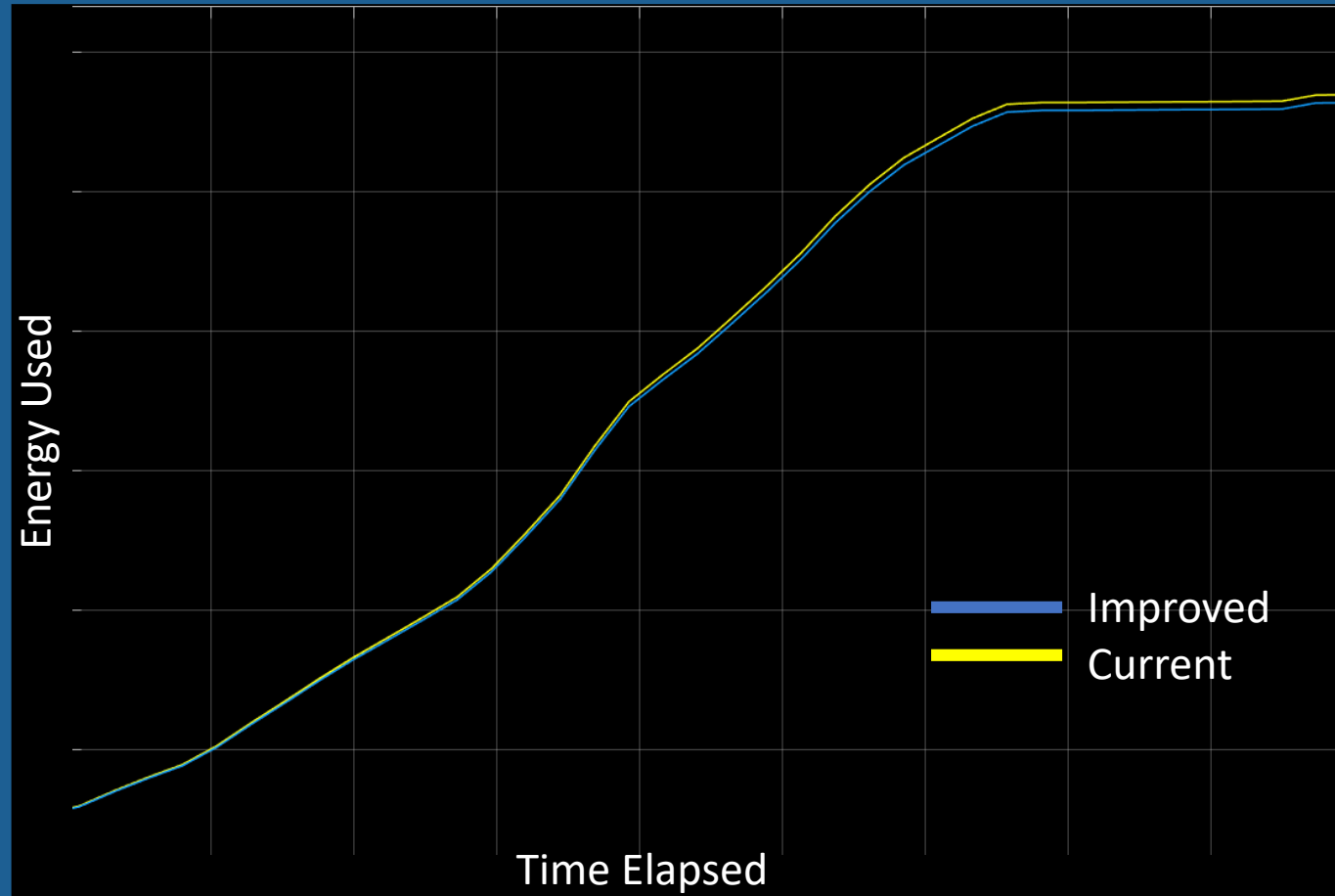


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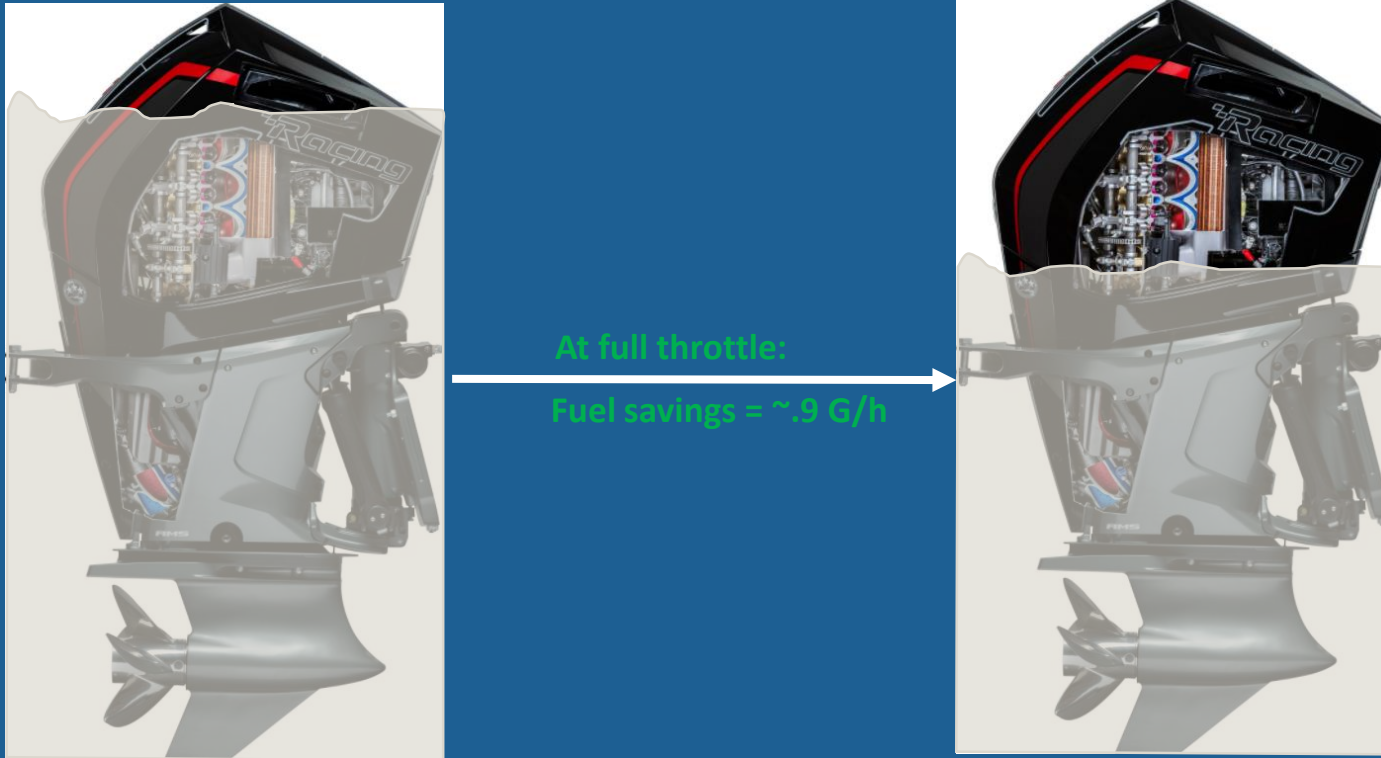
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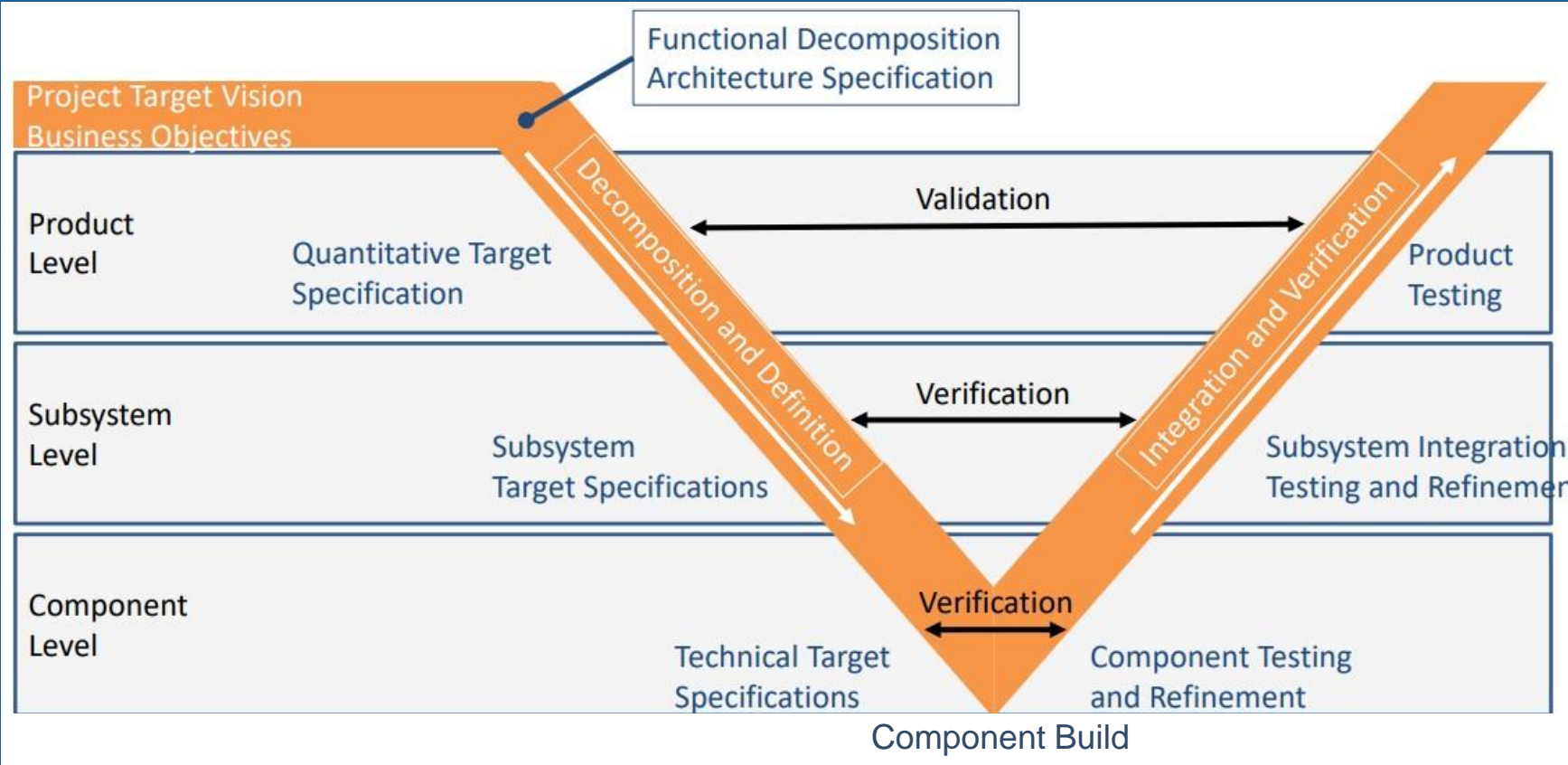


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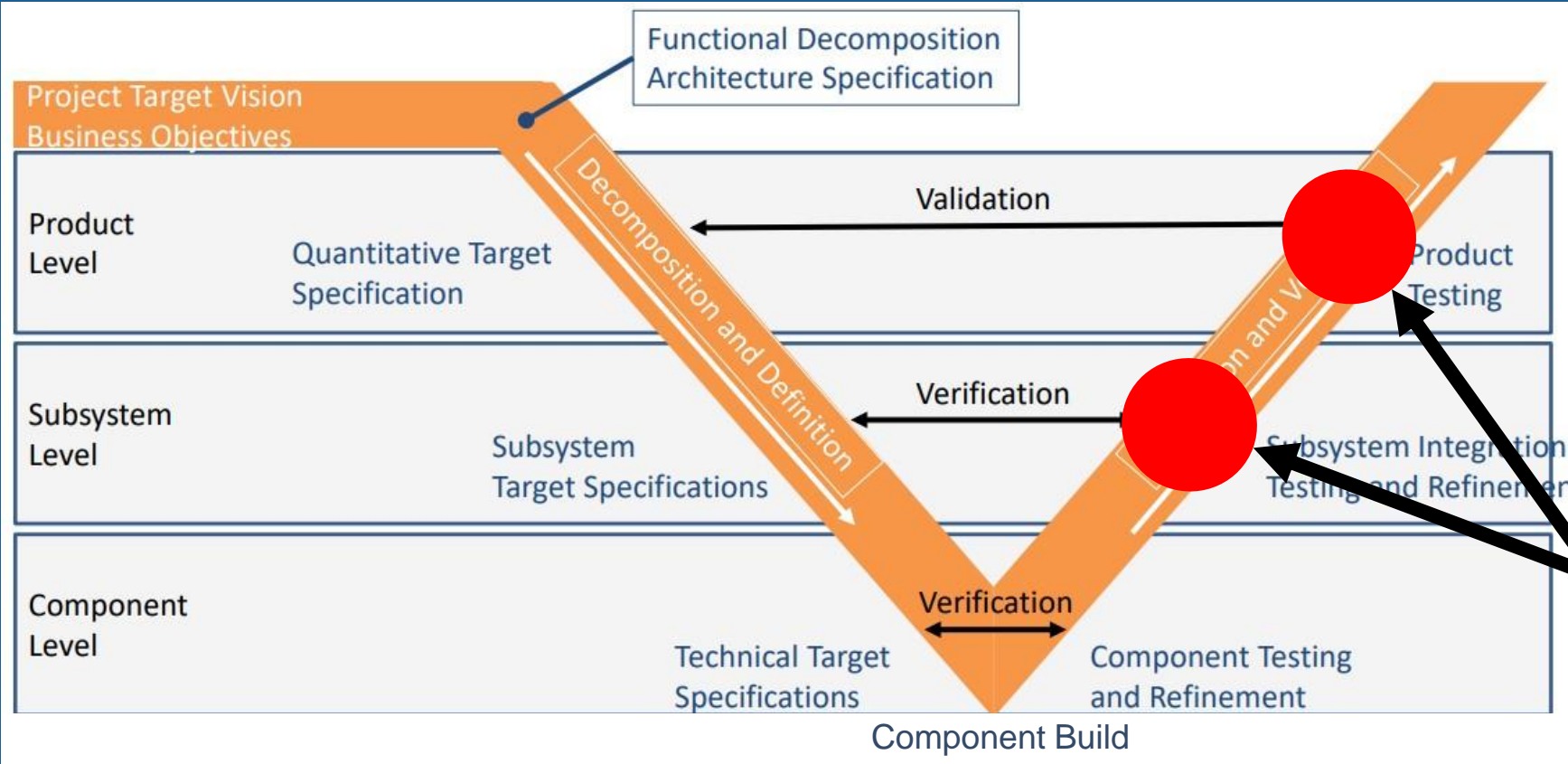
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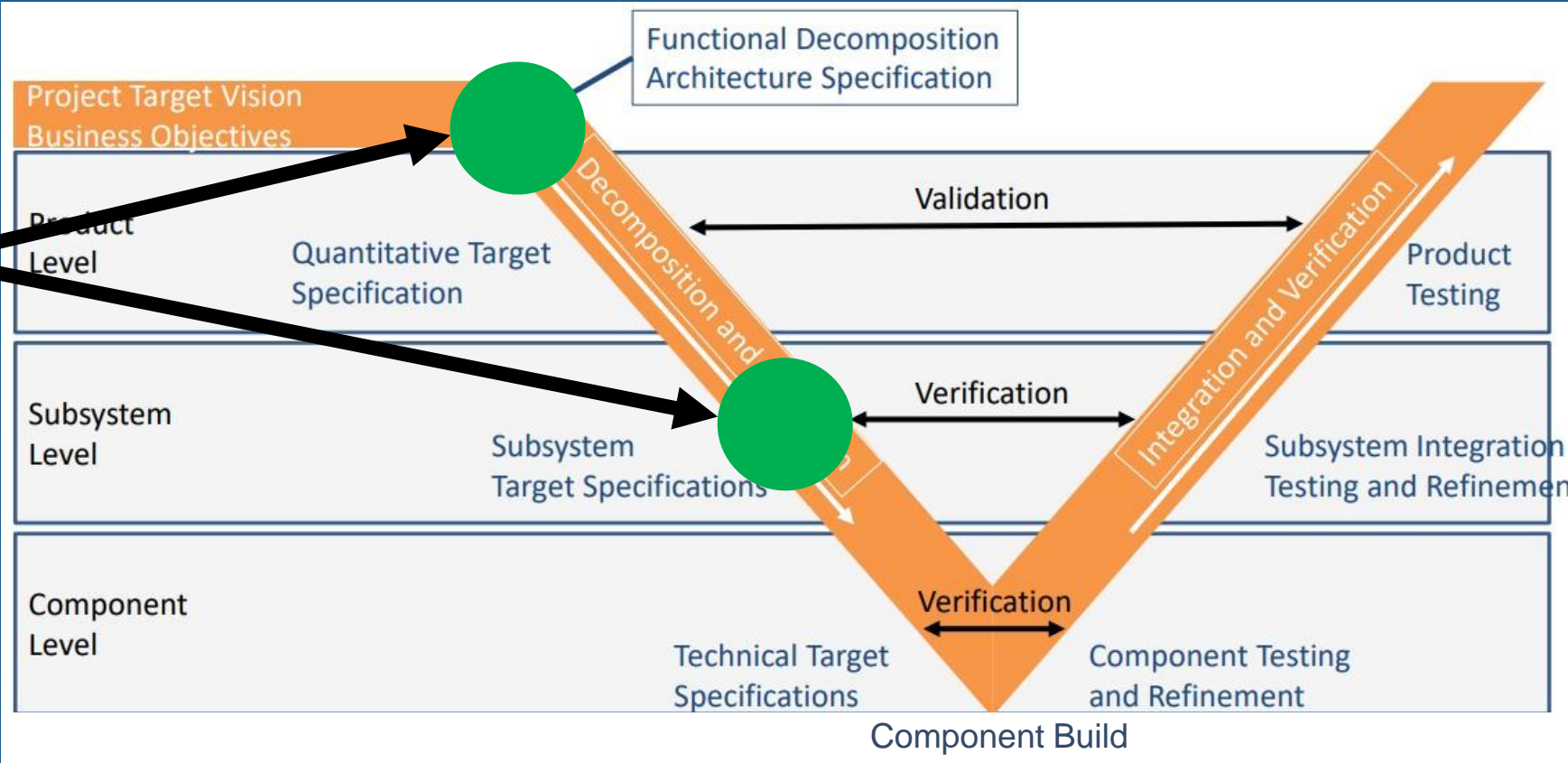


**CURRENTLY  
HERE!**

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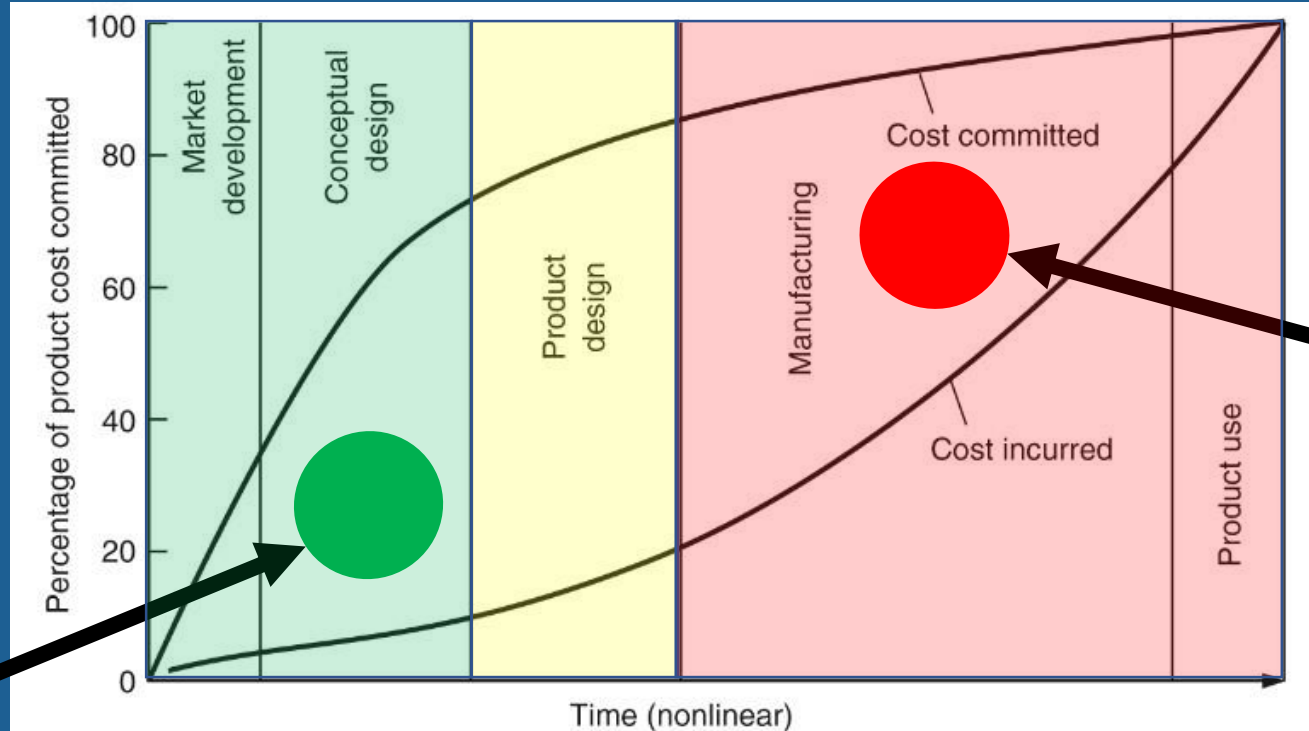
# Design Thinking

**MAKE  
CHANGES  
HERE!**



Cory Stanley

# Design Thinking



Changes = money

Changes become design considerations

Cory Stanley

# Lessons Learned

- Follow the design process and design thinking
  - Cost-benefit analysis showed changes are more valuable early in the design process
  - While changes can be made to the current model to improve it, cost discourages one from making changes this late in the design process
- Reasonable assumptions OK, but try to do without
  - Starting weight reported as ~300 lbs., assumed core material allowed for starting weight of 327 lbs.
- Validation is important
  - The weight reduction achieved is large, materials must be validated
- Check calculations
  - Initial values for material engineering characteristics, densities, and costs incorrect, so checking against all group members allowed us to avoid reporting incorrect values

Cory Stanley



# Summary

*Objective: To improve the performance of the Intrepid 409 Valor by manipulating hardtop parameters*

Switched fiberglass and core materials to achieve a 200 pound weight savings (60% overall hardtop weight)

Current hardtop geometry is desirable and can function to the boat's benefit

Analyzed current hardtop geometry and found overall geometry change is not beneficial; leading and trailing edge changes may reduce drag

Design and manufacturing cost can be reduced if changes are implemented when new model is made (i.e., cost to make changes now outweighs benefits)

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# Backup Slides



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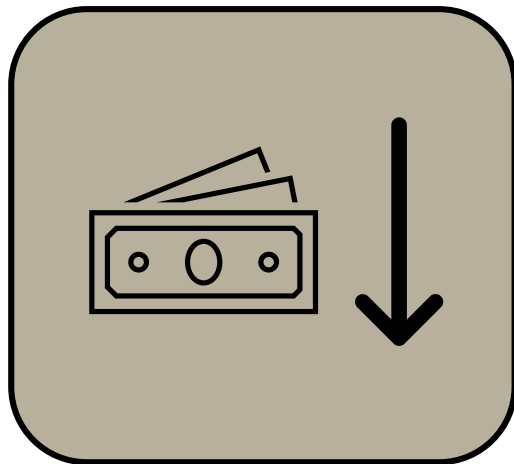
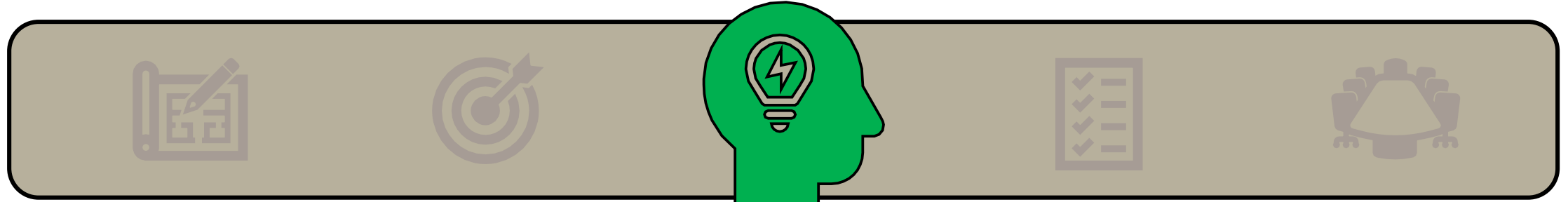
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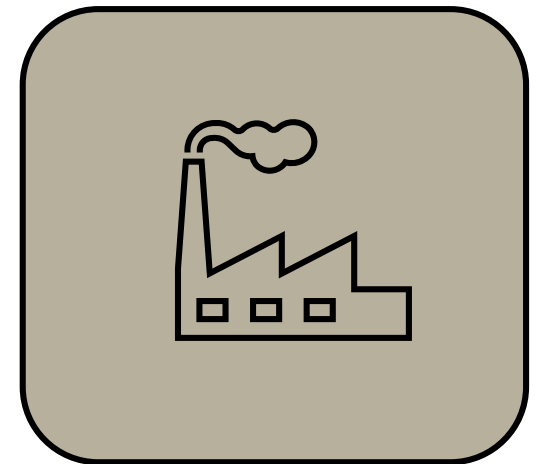
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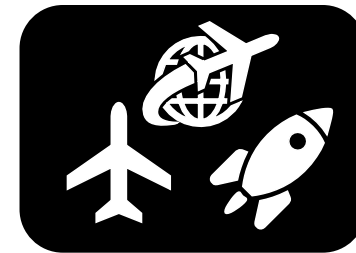
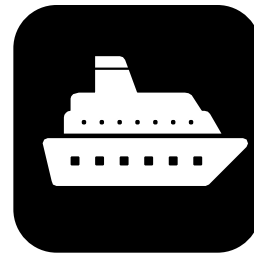
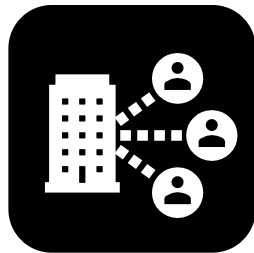
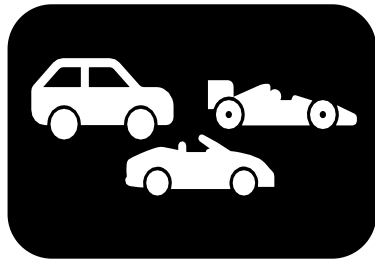
# Project Scope Assumptions



- The changes to the hardtop will still use current mounting points.
- Our changes will only be applied to the hardtop and no other parts of the vessel.
- We are assuming we will not be physically producing the hardtop



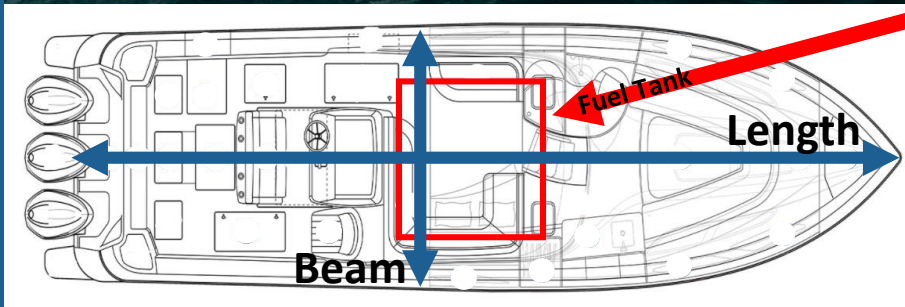
# Project Scope Markets





## Objective

*To improve the on-water performance of the Intrepid 409 Valor by manipulating hardtop parameters*



### Intrepid 409 Valor

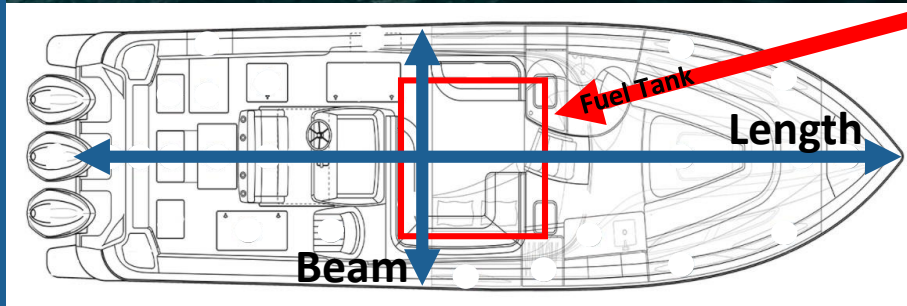
Length:	40' 0"
Beam:	11' 1"
Fuel Capacity:	438 Gallons
Top Speed:	70+ mph
Range:	

Erika Craft



# Objective

*To improve the on-water performance of the Intrepid 409 Valor by manipulating hardtop parameters*



## Intrepid 409 Valor

Length: 40' 0"  
Beam: 11' 1"  
Fuel Capacity: 438 Gallons  
Top Speed: 70+ mph  
Range: ↑ ↑

Increase in Lift  
Reduction of Drag  
Reduction of Weight

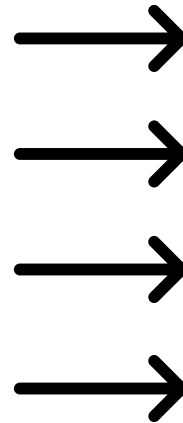
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# Customer Needs



Question

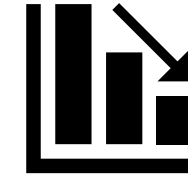
What materials need to be considered?  
Parameters of the current hardtop?  
Can we alter wire/chase tube layout?  
Is there a certain weight the hardtop needs to withstand?



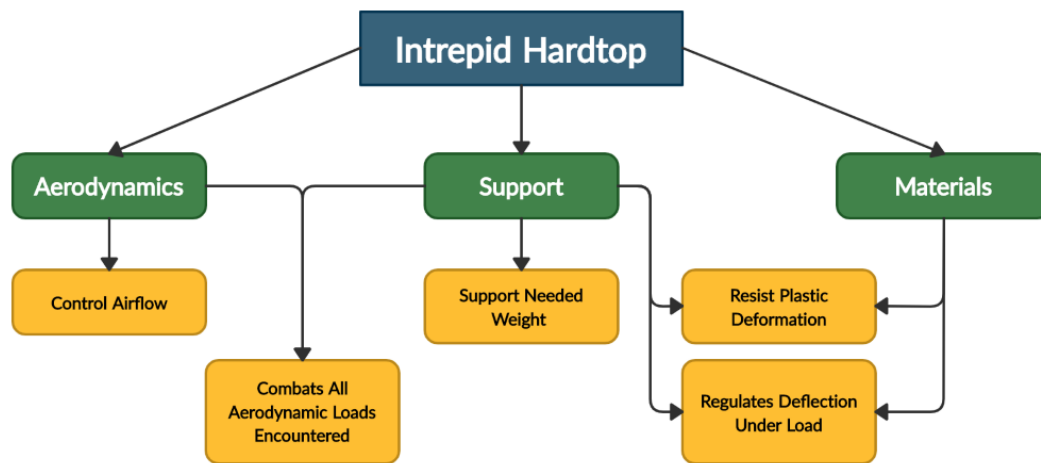
Interpreted Need

Incorporate materials used within Intrepid  
Similar dimensions retained  
Exit points must stay the same  
Design withstands all nominal loads and running conditions

# Functional Decomposition

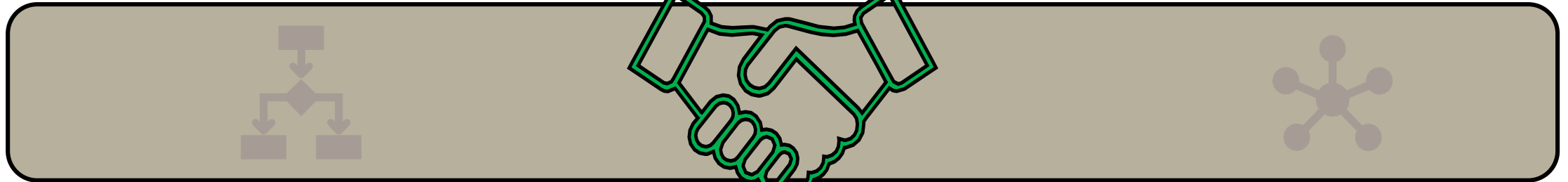
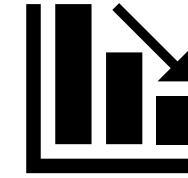


Flow Chart

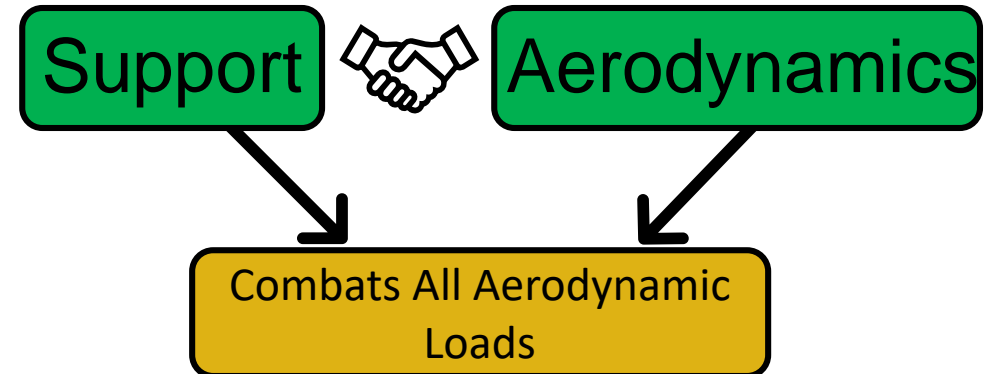
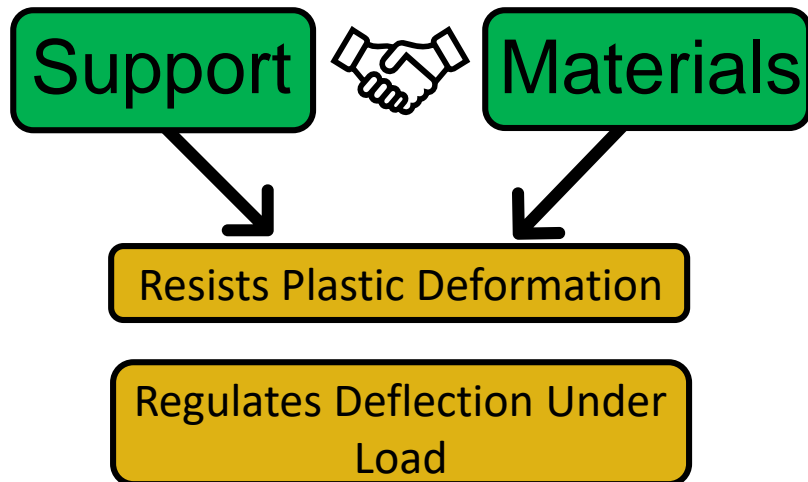




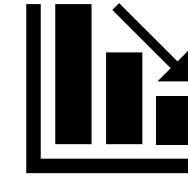
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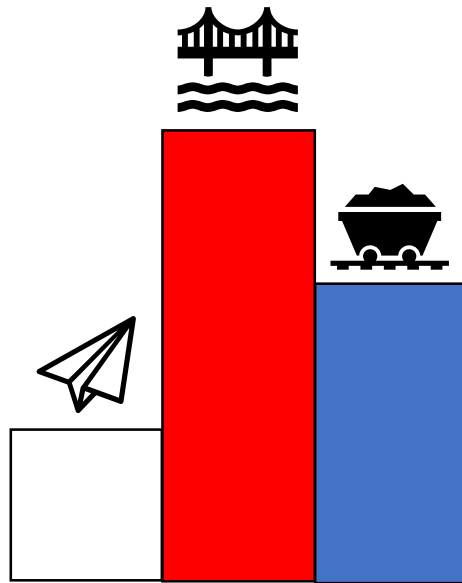
Smart Integration



# Functional Decomposition



Connection to Systems



Highest number of functions  
Highest number of cross system functions

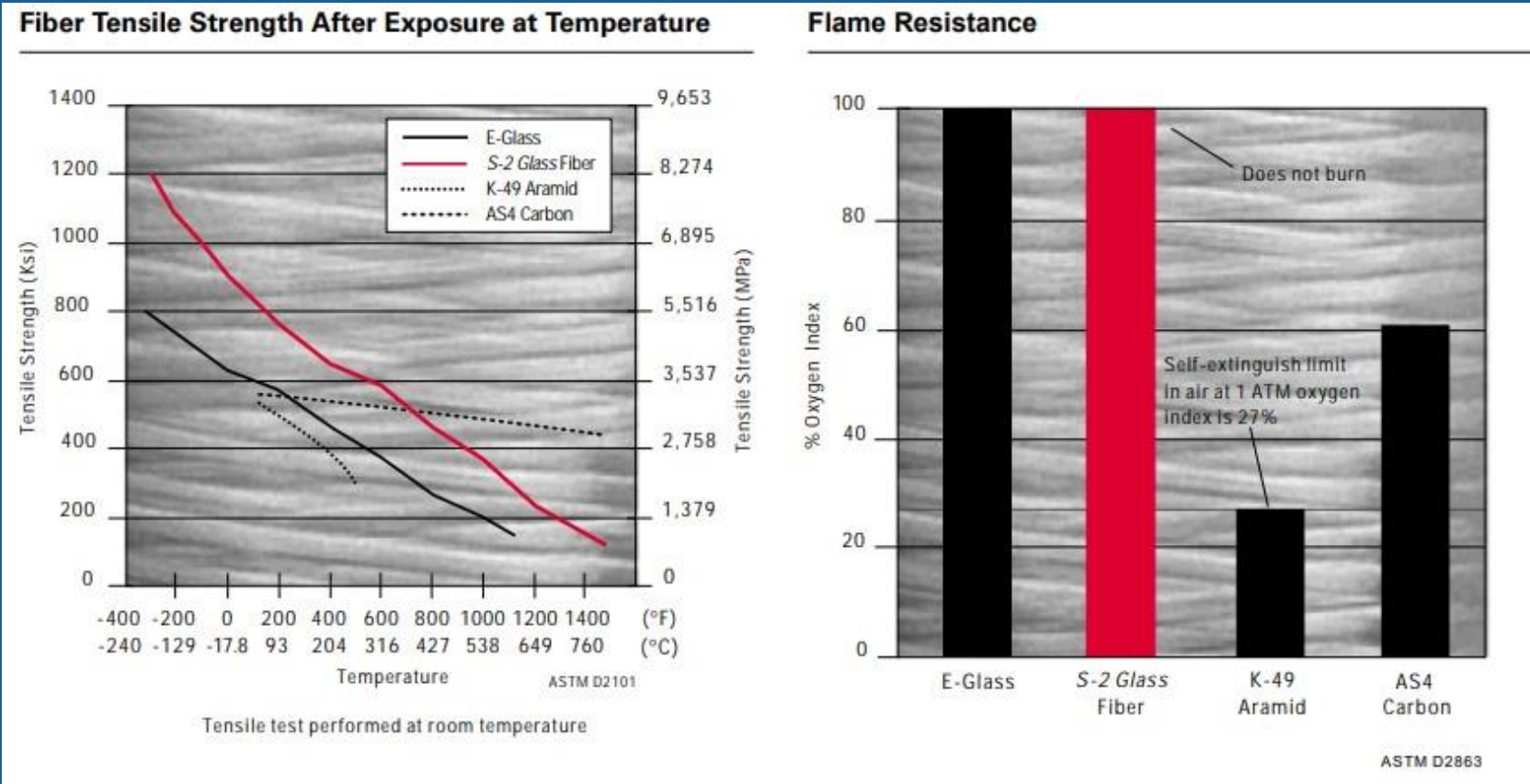


Most shared functions with support system



Least shared functions across systems

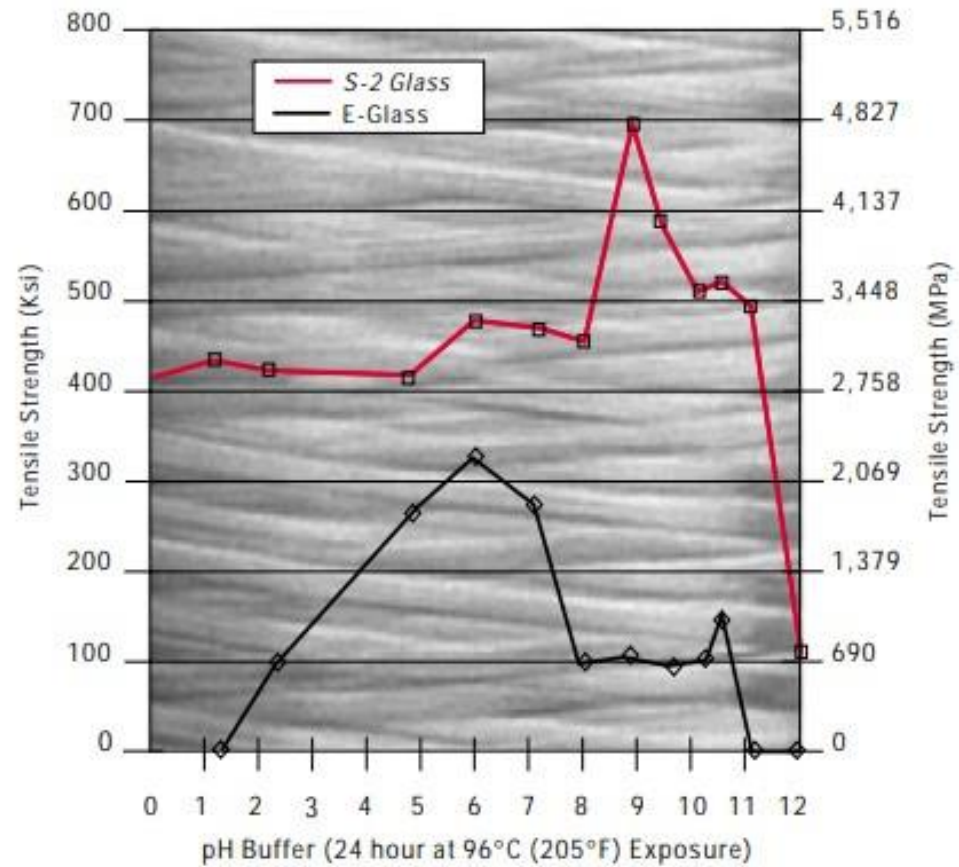
# Fiberglass Change – S-2 Glass Temperature Resistance



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# Fiberglass Change

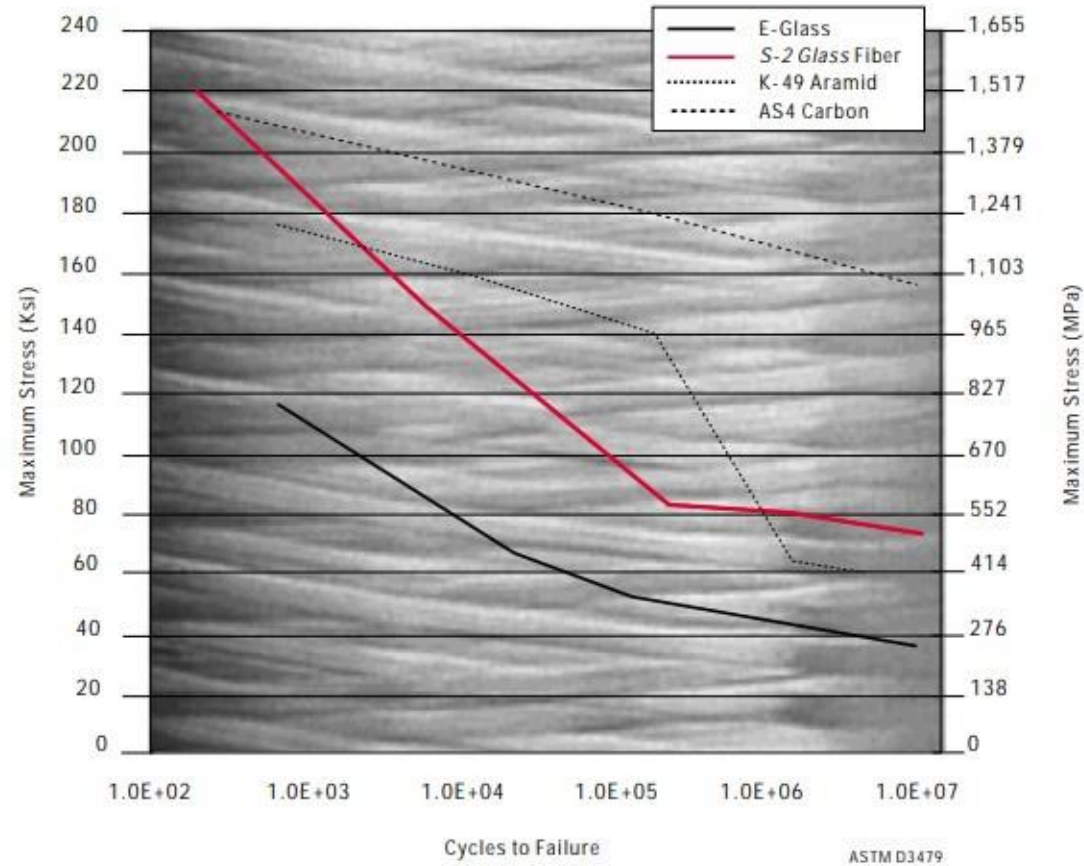
Fiber Strength vs. pH Exposure



John Karamitsanis

# Fiberglass Change

Unidirectional Tension – Tension (R=0.05) Applied Maximum Fatigue Stress and Fatigue Life of Epoxy Composites



John Karamitsanis

# 1208 Properties

ID	Lay-up, Top to Bottom Product	Fiber Content %	vol / wt	Top Up/Dn u/d/m/h	Rotation deg.	Fiber Wt. oz/sq.yd	Layer Thickness	Fiber lb/sq.ft	Resin lb/sq.ft	Total lb/sq.ft	Fiber \$/lb	Fiber \$/sq.ft	Resin \$/sq.ft	Total \$/sq.ft	Layer #
1.	VedE-BXM 1208	44 %	Wt	Hom.	0	20.64	0.040	0.14	0.18	0.324	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	1
2.		-	Wt	Hom.	0	-	-	-	-	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
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4.		-	Wt	Hom.	0	-	-	-	-	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
5.		-	Wt	Hom.	0	-	-	-	-	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
6.		-	Wt	Hom.	0	-	-	-	-	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
7.		-	Wt	Hom.	0	-	-	-	-	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
8.		-	Wt	Hom.	0	-	-	-	-	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
9.		-	Wt	Hom.	0	-	-	-	-	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
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Laminate :	20.6	0.040	0.143	0.18	0.32	Lam :	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	1	# Layers
Core / Solids :	-	-	-	-	-	Core :	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -		Adjustment
Total :	20.6	0.040	0.143								

Laminate Comparison Table

Laminate # ->	Table Units:	us
1	Current Laminate	
Laminate Thickness	0.040	
Mf	44.27 %	
Density	97.7	
Fiber Wt.	0.14	
Resin Wt.	0.18	
Laminate Wt.	0.32	
Vf	27.29 %	
0° Modulus, Ex	1.45	
90° Modulus, Ey	1.45	
Poisson Ratio, PRxy	0.37	
Shear Modulus, Gxy	0.81	
0° Ten. Ult. Stress	23.8	
0° Comp. Ult. Stress	33.2	
90° Ten. Ult. Stress	23.8	
90° Comp. Ult. Stress	33.2	
Shear Ult. Stress	18.4	
0° Flex. Ult. Stress	35.6	
90° Flex. Ult. Stress	35.6	

in. by Wt. lb/cu.ft lb/sq.ft lb/sq.ft lb/sq.ft by Vol. MSI MSI MSI KSI KSI KSI KSI KSI KSI



# AIRCELL T-100 1"

ID	Lay-up, Top to Bottom Product	Fiber Content %	vol / wt	Top Up/Dn u/d/m/h	Rotation deg.	Fiber Wt. oz./sq.yd	Layer Thickness	Fiber lb/sq.ft	Resin lb/sq.ft	Total lb/sq.ft	Fiber \$/lb	Fiber \$/sq.ft	Resin \$/sq.ft	Total \$/sq.ft	Layer #
1.	Pol Aircell T-100 - 1"	100 %	Wt	Hom.	0	119.84	1.000	0.83	-	0.832	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	1
2.		-	Wt	Hom.	0	-	-	-	-	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
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4.		-	Wt	Hom.	0	-	-	-	-	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
5.		-	Wt	Hom.	0	-	-	-	-	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
6.		-	Wt	Hom.	0	-	-	-	-	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
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Laminate :	0.0	-	-	-	0.83	Lam :	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	1	# Layers
Core / Solids :	119.8	1.000	0.832			Core :	\$ -	\$/lb :	\$ -		Adjustment
Total :	119.8	1.000	0.832								

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**Laminate Comparison Table** Table Units

Laminate # ->	1
Laminate	Current Laminate
Thickness	1.000
Mf	0.00 %
Density	10.0
Fiber Wt.	0.00
Resin Wt.	0.00
Laminate Wt.	0.83
Vf	0.00 %
0° Modulus, Ex	0.01
90° Modulus, Ey	0.01
Poisson Ratio, PRxy	0.27
Shear Modulus, Gxy	0.00
0° Ten. Ult. Stress	1017.0
0° Comp. Ult. Stress	1017.0
90° Ten. Ult. Stress	1017.0
90° Comp. Ult. Stress	1017.0
Shear Ult. Stress	968.8
0° Flex. Ult. Stress	966.2
90° Flex. Ult. Stress	966.2

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# DIVINYCELL H-45 1"

ID	Lay-up, Top to Bottom Product	Fiber Content %	vol / wt	Top Up/Dn u/d/m/h	Rotation deg.	Fiber Wt. oz/sq.yd	Layer Thickness	Fiber lb/sq.ft	Resin lb/sq.ft	Total lb/sq.ft	Fiber \$/lb	Fiber \$/sq.ft	Resin \$/sq.ft	Total \$/sq.ft	Layer #
1.	DIA Divinycell H35 - 1"	100 %	Wt	Hom.	0	28.46	1.000	0.20	-	0.198	\$-	\$-	\$-	\$-	1
2.		-	Wt	Hom.	0	-	-	-	-	-	\$-	\$-	\$-	\$-	
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4.		-	Wt	Hom.	0	-	-	-	-	-	\$-	\$-	\$-	\$-	
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Laminate :	0.0	-	-	-	0.20	Lam :	\$-	\$-	\$-	1	# Layers
Core / Solids :	28.5	1.000	0.198			Core:	\$-	\$/lb :	\$-		Adjustment
Total :	28.5	1.000	0.198								

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**Laminate Comparison Table** Table Units US

Laminate # ->	1
Laminate	Current Laminate
Thickness	1.000
Mf	0.00 %
Density	2.4
Fiber Wt.	0.00
Resin Wt.	0.00
Laminate Wt.	0.20
Vf	0.00 %
0° Modulus, Ex	0.01
90° Modulus, Ey	0.01
Poisson Ratio, PRxy	0.27
Shear Modulus, Gxy	0.00
0° Ten. Ult. Stress	1017.0
0° Comp. Ult. Stress	1017.0
90° Ten. Ult. Stress	1017.0
90° Comp. Ult. Stress	1017.0
Shear Ult. Stress	600.0
0° Flex. Ult. Stress	966.2
90° Flex. Ult. Stress	966.2

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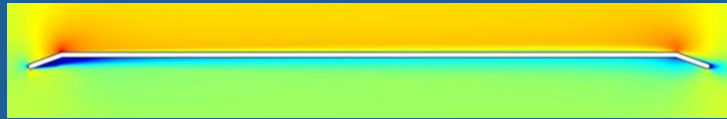




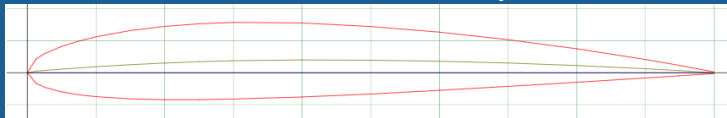
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2	LIFT		Flat Plate	2412	NACA 6409	EPPLER 58				Flat Plate	0	0.7	
3	0 deg	35	0	408 N	1135 N	1536 N				NACA 2412	0.2442	0.8089	
4	0 deg	70	0	1632 N	4540 N	6146 N				NACA 6409	0.679	1.1928	
5	5 deg	35	1170 N	1352 N	1994 N	2239 N				EPPLER 58	0.9192	1.3395	
6	5 deg	70	4680 N	5409 N	7975 N	8956 N							
7													
8	DRAG		Flat Plate	2412	NACA 6409	EPPLER 58							
9	0 deg	35	0	9.5 N	12 N	10 N							
10	0 deg	70	0	38 N	47 N	40 N		A = 11.148 m <sup>2</sup>		cD	@ 0 deg	@ 5 deg	
11	5 deg	35	84 N	13 N	13 N	24 N		V = 15.6464 m/s		Flat Plate	~0	0.05	
12	5 deg	70	334 N	54 N	54 N	96 N		V = 31.2928 m/s		NACA 2412	0.00568	0.00804	
13								rho = 1.225 kg/m <sup>3</sup>		NACA 6409	0.007	0.0079	
14	We are using $L = (1/2) * (cL) * \rho * V * V * A$								rho is STP		EPPLER 58	0.0059	0.01428
15	We are using $D = (1/2) * (cD) * \rho * V * V * A$												

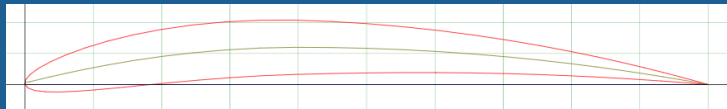
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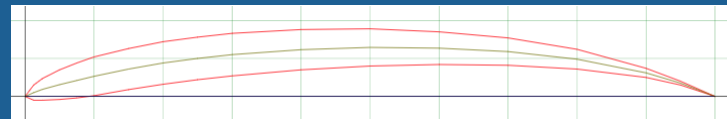
Current Hardtop



NACA 2412



NACA 6409

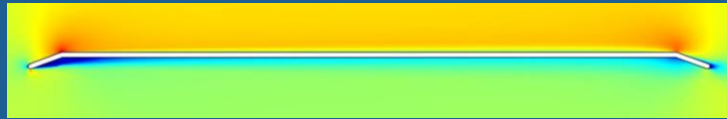


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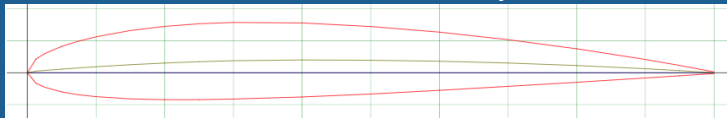
	Lift	Drag	Max. Thickness	Total Weight (lbs)
Current Hardtop	Least	Highest	1.5"	127
NACA 2412	Medium	Low	21.75"	1000+
NACA 6409	Medium	Low	~20"	1000+
Eppler 58	Highest	Lowest	~17"	1000+

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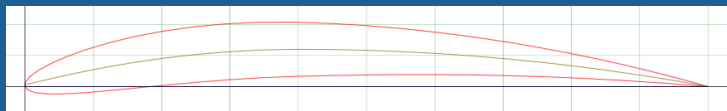
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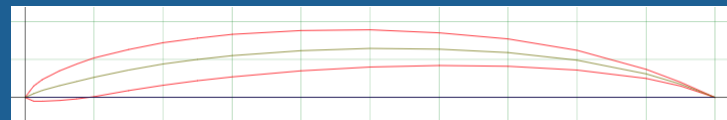
Current Hardtop



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NACA 6409	Medium	Low	~20"	1000+
Eppler 58	Highest	Lowest	~17"	1000+

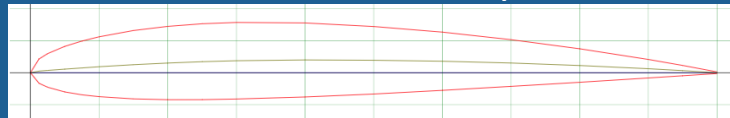
Thicknesses significantly higher

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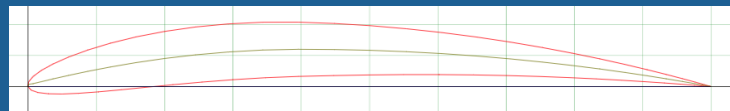
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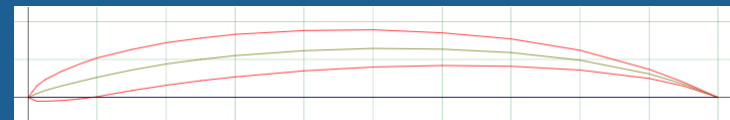
Current Hardtop



NACA 2412



NACA 6409



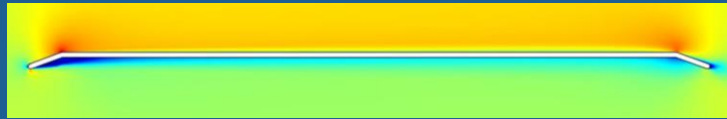
Eppler 58

	Lift	Drag	Max. Thickness	Total Weight (lbs)
Current Hardtop	Least	Highest	1.5"	127
NACA 2412	Medium	Low	21.75"	1000+
NACA 6409	Medium	Low	~20"	1000+
Eppler 58	Highest	Lowest	~17"	1000+

Weights significantly higher

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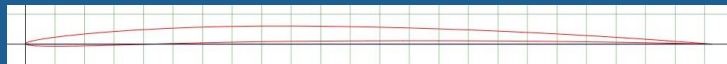
# Aerodynamic Calculations



Current Hardtop



NACA 2412; 25% Thickness



NACA 6409; 25% Thickness

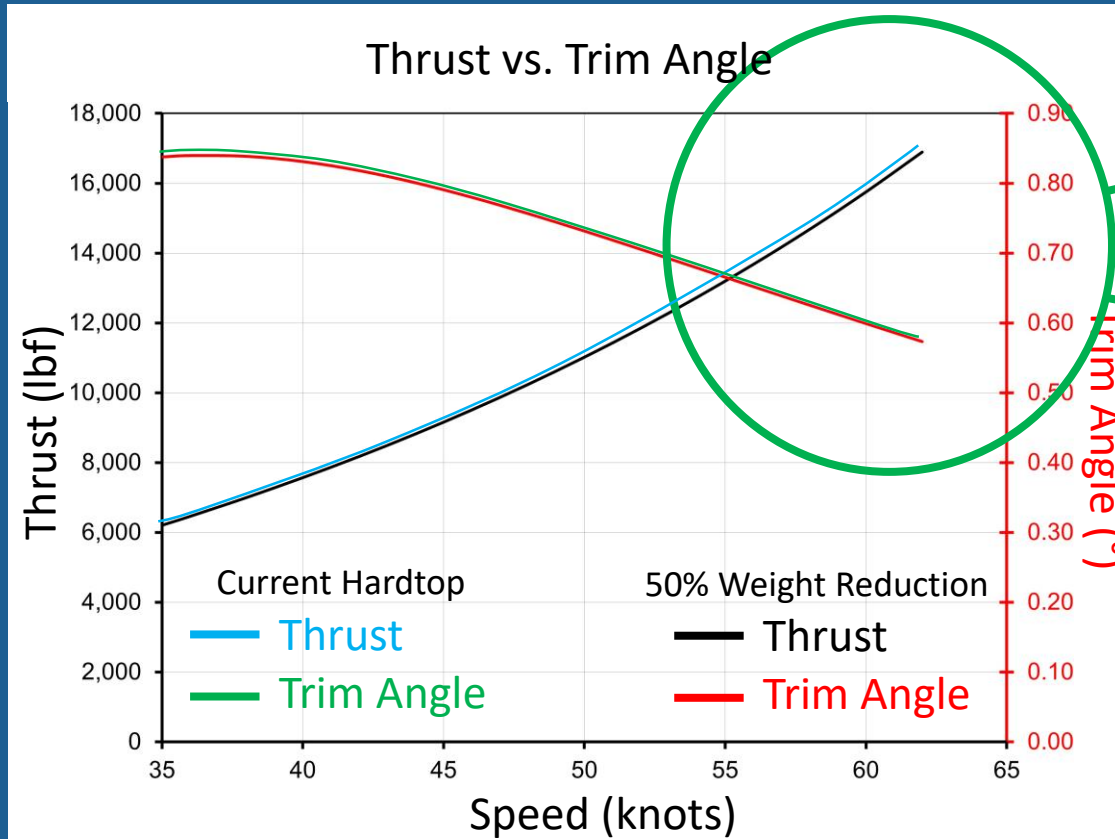
	Lift	Drag	Max. Thickness	Total Weight (lbs)
Current Hardtop	Low	Highest	1.5"	127
NACA 2412; 25% Thickness	Lowest	Low	5.4"	341
NACA 6409; 25% Thickness	Lower	Low	4.1"	336

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Improve fuel efficiency



Key Goals



17038 lbf

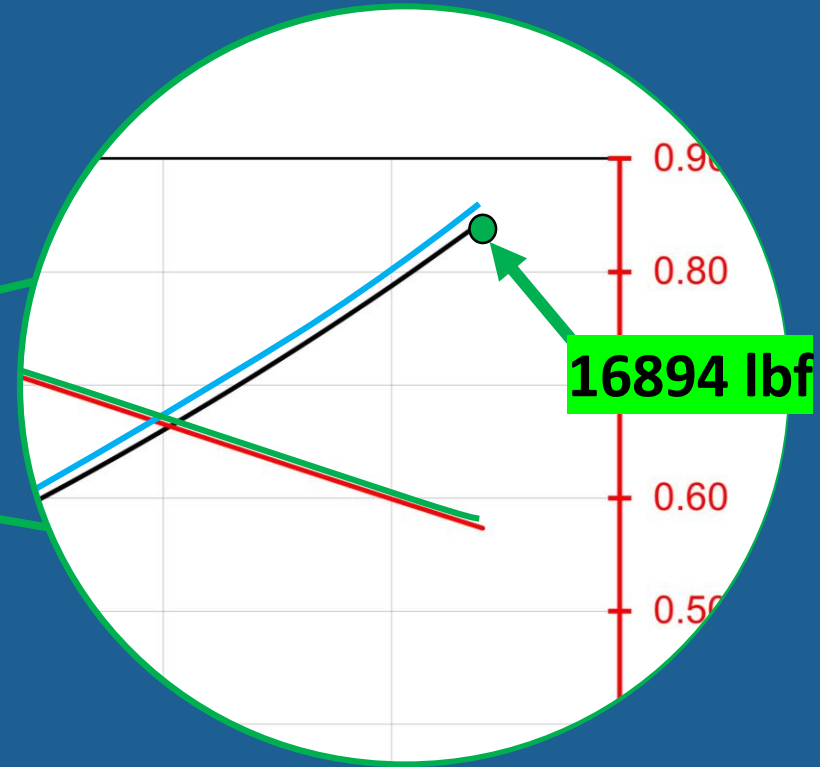
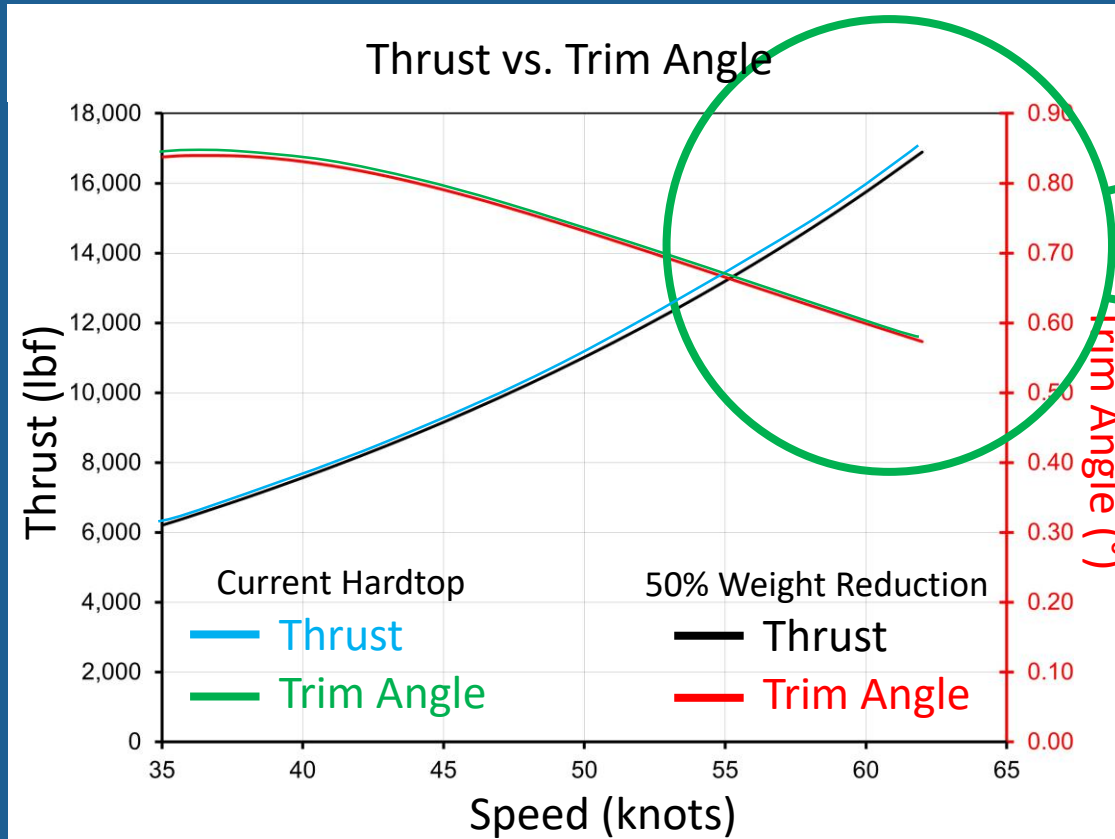
Thrust required is **higher** throughout powerband with current hardtop

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Improve fuel efficiency



Key Goals



Thrust required is **lower** throughout powerband with lighter hardtop i.e. Fuel is saved

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# Thrust Calculations – 4 ft CoG

**INPUT**

This spreadsheet was written by Dingo Tweedie, October 2004.  
Dit rekenblad werd deur Dingo Tweedie, oktober 2004, geschreven.  
Versie 1.2.1

**Hull**

Length of Waterline	L <sub>WL</sub>	40.00	feet	=	12.192	metres
Beam	B	11.08	feet	=	3.378	metres
VCG	VCG	4.00	feet	=	1.219	metres
Displacement	Δ	20,000	lbf	=	9,072	kg
Deadrise @ Transom	β <sub>T</sub>	10.00	°			
Deadrise @ Amidships	β <sub>0/0</sub>	10.00	°			
Distance to Amidships	L <sub>0/0</sub>	20.000	feet	=	6.096	metres
	θ	0.000	°			
Angle of Thrust Line	ε	0.00	°			
	f	0.00	feet	=	0.000	metres
Minimum Speed	V <sub>min</sub>	6.7	kn	=	11.3	feet/s
Maximum Speed	V <sub>max</sub>	145.4	kn	=	245.5	feet/s

This is the minimum speed valid for this analysis  
This is the maximum speed valid for this analysis

**S/Str.**

Length Overall	LOA	40.00	feet	=	12.192	metres
Maximum Beam	B <sub>max</sub>	11.08	feet	=	3.378	metres
Moulded Depth of Hull	Z	11.67	feet	=	3.556	metres
Height of House	H <sub>SS</sub>	0.00	feet	=	0.000	metres
Breadth of House	B <sub>SS</sub>	0.00	feet	=	0.000	metres
Frontal Area of House	A <sub>SS</sub>	0.00	feet <sup>2</sup>	=	0.000	m <sup>2</sup>

**Number**

Number of Propellers	N	3
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**Trim Tab**

Chord	c <sub>F</sub>	1	feet	=	0.305	metres
Span Ratio	σ	0.333	( <= 1 )			
Deflection Angle	δ	2	°			

**Rudder**

Chord	C <sub>rudder</sub>	0.00	feet	=	0.000	metres
Thickness	t	0.00	feet	=	0.000	metres
Area	A <sub>rudder</sub>	0.00	feet <sup>2</sup>	=	0.000	m <sup>2</sup>
Centrepoint	x <sub>c</sub>	0.00	feet from transom	=	0.000	metres (+ve fwd)
	y <sub>c</sub>	0.00	feet from baseline	=	0.000	metres (+ve up)

**Shaft**

Diameter of Shaft	Φ <sub>shaft</sub>	0.00	feet	=	0.000	metres
Length of Shaft & Hub	l	0.00	feet	=	0.000	metres
Centrepoint	x <sub>c</sub>	0.00	feet from transom	=	0.000	metres (+ve fwd)
	y <sub>c</sub>	0.00	feet from baseline	=	0.000	metres (+ve up)

**Strut**

Chord	C <sub>strut</sub>	0.00	feet	=	0.000	metres
Thickness	t	0.00	feet	=	0.000	metres
Area	A <sub>strut</sub>	0.00	feet <sup>2</sup>	=	0.000	m <sup>2</sup>
Centrepoint	x <sub>c</sub>	0.00	feet from transom	=	0.000	metres (+ve fwd)
	y <sub>c</sub>	0.00	feet from baseline	=	0.000	metres (+ve up)

**OUTPUT**

V	LCG		τ	D		T		P <sub>effective</sub>		h		τ <sub>or</sub>		Comments	λ
	[kn]	[ft]		[metres]	[lbf]	[kN]	[lbf]	[kN]	[ehp]	[ekW]	[ft]	[metres]	Lew [°]		
35	29	8.839	0.84	6,201	27.6	6,202	27.6	666	497	1.19	0.363	3.23	2.12	Note: not planing	5.6630
36	29	8.839	0.84	6,459	28.7	6,459	28.7	714	533	1.19	0.363	3.08	2.04	Note: not planing	5.5945
38	29	8.839	0.84	6,996	31.1	6,997	31.1	816	609	1.16	0.354	2.83	1.90	Note: not planing	5.4736
40	29	8.839	0.83	7,566	33.7	7,567	33.7	929	693	1.14	0.347	2.60	1.77	Note: not planing	5.3743
42	29	8.839	0.82	8,172	36.4	8,173	36.4	1,053	786	1.12	0.341	2.41	1.66	Note: not planing	5.2951
44	29	8.839	0.80	8,818	39.2	8,818	39.2	1,191	889	1.09	0.332	2.24	1.56	Note: not planing	5.2351
46	29	8.839	0.78	9,505	42.3	9,506	42.3	1,342	1,001	1.06	0.323	2.09	1.47	Note: not planing	5.1925
48	29	8.839	0.76	10,237	45.6	10,238	45.6	1,508	1,125	1.03	0.314	1.95	1.39	Note: not planing	5.1658
50	29	8.839	0.73	11,017	49.0	11,017	49.0	1,691	1,262	1.01	0.308	1.83	1.32	Note: not planing	5.1537
52	29	8.839	0.71	11,847	52.7	11,848	52.7	1,891	1,411	0.98	0.299	1.72	1.25	Note: not planing	5.1552
54	29	8.839	0.68	12,732	56.7	12,733	56.7	2,110	1,575	0.96	0.293	1.62	1.19	Note: not planing	5.1689
56	29	8.839	0.65	13,675	60.9	13,676	60.9	2,350	1,754	0.93	0.283	1.53	1.14	Note: not planing	5.1946
58	29	8.839	0.63	14,679	65.3	14,680	65.3	2,613	1,950	0.91	0.277	1.45	1.09	Note: not planing	5.2312
60	29	8.839	0.60	15,750	70.1	15,750	70.1	2,900	2,164	0.89	0.271	1.38	1.04	Note: not planing	5.2792
62	29	8.839	0.57	16,894	75.2	16,895	75.2	3,215	2,399	0.87	0.265	1.31	1.00	Note: not planing	5.3390

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# Thrust Calculations – 4.25 ft CoG

**INPUT**

This spreadsheet was written by Dingo Tweedie, October 2004.  
Dit rekenblad werd deur Dingo Tweedie, oktober 2004, geschreven.  
Versie 1.2.1

**Hull**

Length of Waterline	L <sub>WL</sub>	40.00	feet	=	12.192	metres
Beam	B	11.08	feet	=	3.378	metres
VCG	VCG	4.25	feet	=	1.295	metres
Displacement	Δ	20,000	lbf	=	9,072	kg
Deadrise @ Transom	β <sub>T</sub>	10.00	°			
Deadrise @ Amidships	β <sub>1/2</sub>	10.00	°			
Distance to Amidships	L <sub>1/2</sub>	20.000	feet	=	6.096	metres
	θ	0.000	°			
Angle of Thrust Line	ε	0.00	°			
	f	0.00	feet	=	0.000	metres
Minimum Speed	V <sub>min</sub>	6.7	kn	=	11.3	feet/s
Maximum Speed	V <sub>max</sub>	145.4	kn	=	245.5	feet/s

This is the minimum speed valid for this analysis  
This is the maximum speed valid for this analysis

**S/Str.**

Length Overall	LOA	40.00	feet	=	12.192	metres
Maximum Beam	B <sub>max</sub>	11.08	feet	=	3.378	metres
Moulded Depth of Hull	Z	11.67	feet	=	3.556	metres
Height of House	H <sub>SS</sub>	0.00	feet	=	0.000	metres
Breadth of House	B <sub>SS</sub>	0.00	feet	=	0.000	metres
Frontal Area of House	A <sub>SS</sub>	0.00	feet <sup>2</sup>	=	0.000	m <sup>2</sup>

**Number**

Number of Propellers	N	3
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**Trim Tab**

Chord	C <sub>F</sub>	1	feet	=	0.305	metres
Span Ratio	σ	0.333	( ≤ 1 )			
Deflection Angle	δ	2	°			

**Rudder**

Chord	C <sub>rudder</sub>	0.00	feet	=	0.000	metres
Thickness	t	0.00	feet	=	0.000	metres
Area	A <sub>rudder</sub>	0.00	feet <sup>2</sup>	=	0.000	m <sup>2</sup>
Centrepoint	x <sub>c</sub>	0.00	feet from transom	=	0.000	metres (+ve fwd)
	y <sub>c</sub>	0.00	feet from baseline	=	0.000	metres (+ve up)

**Shaft**

Diameter of Shaft	Φ <sub>shaft</sub>	0.00	feet	=	0.000	metres
Length of Shaft & Hub	l	0.00	feet	=	0.000	metres
Centrepoint	x <sub>c</sub>	0.00	feet from transom	=	0.000	metres (+ve fwd)
	y <sub>c</sub>	0.00	feet from baseline	=	0.000	metres (+ve up)

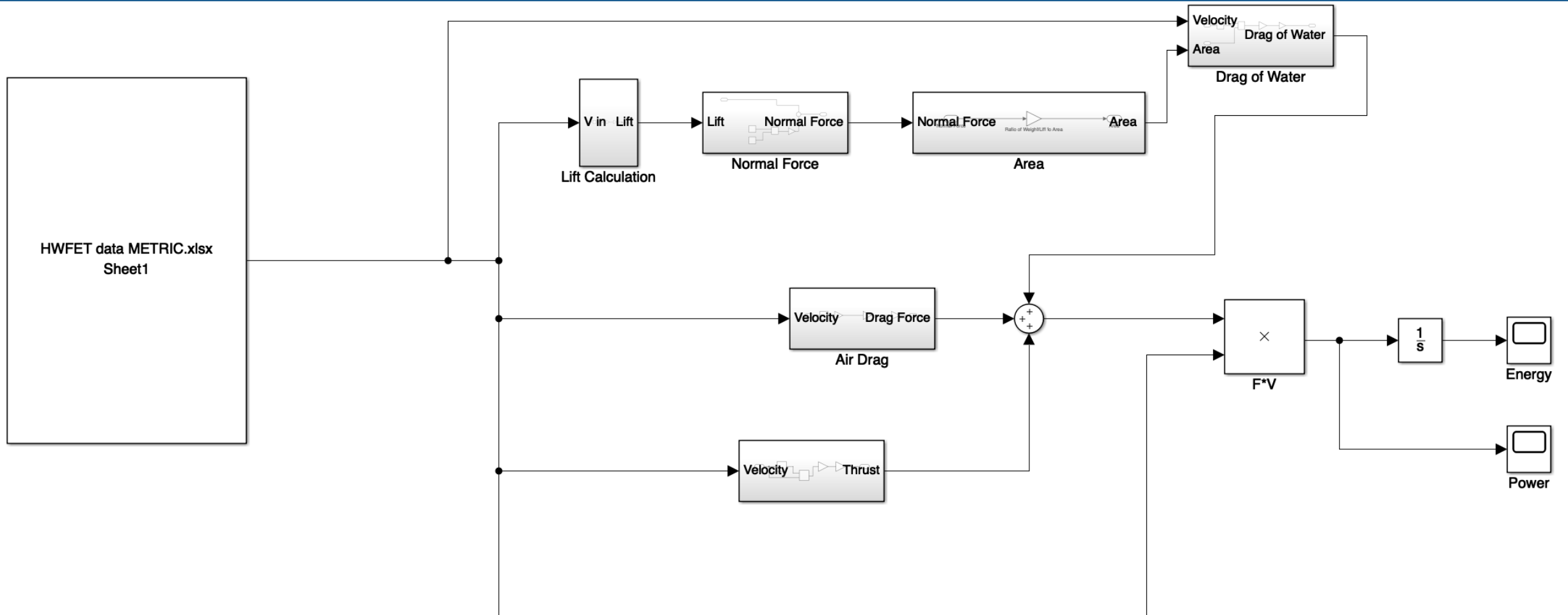
**Strut**

Chord	C <sub>strut</sub>	0.00	feet	=	0.000	metres
Thickness	t	0.00	feet	=	0.000	metres
Area	A <sub>strut</sub>	0.00	feet <sup>2</sup>	=	0.000	m <sup>2</sup>
Centrepoint	x <sub>c</sub>	0.00	feet from transom	=	0.000	metres (+ve fwd)
	y <sub>c</sub>	0.00	feet from baseline	=	0.000	metres (+ve up)

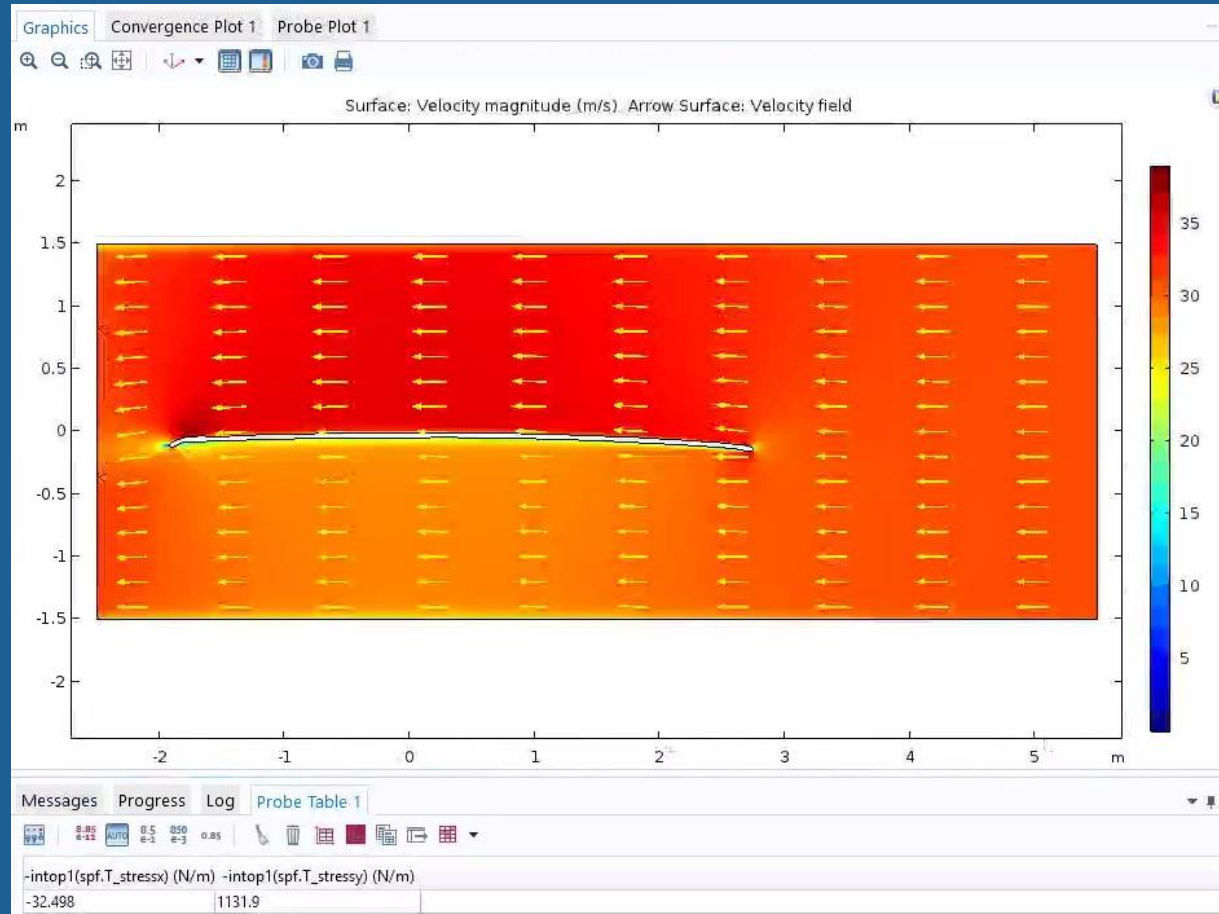
**OUTPUT**

V	LCG		τ	D		T		P <sub>effective</sub>		h		τ <sub>cr</sub>		Comments	λ
	[kn]	[ft]		[metres]	[lbf]	[kN]	[lbf]	[kN]	[ehp]	[ekW]	[ft]	[metres]	Lev.[°]		
35	29	8.839	0.83	6,221	27.7	6,221	27.7	668	499	1.19	0.363	3.23	2.12	Note: not planing	5.6885
36	29	8.839	0.83	6,480	28.8	6,480	28.8	716	534	1.18	0.360	3.08	2.04	Note: not planing	5.6207
38	29	8.839	0.83	7,021	31.2	7,022	31.2	819	611	1.16	0.354	2.83	1.90	Note: not planing	5.5018
40	29	8.839	0.82	7,596	33.8	7,597	33.8	932	696	1.14	0.347	2.60	1.77	Note: not planing	5.4039
42	29	8.839	0.81	8,207	36.5	8,208	36.5	1,058	789	1.11	0.338	2.41	1.66	Note: not planing	5.3265
44	29	8.839	0.79	8,858	39.4	8,859	39.4	1,196	893	1.09	0.332	2.24	1.56	Note: not planing	5.2683
46	29	8.839	0.77	9,552	42.5	9,553	42.5	1,348	1,006	1.06	0.323	2.09	1.47	Note: not planing	5.2276
48	29	8.839	0.75	10,291	45.8	10,292	45.8	1,516	1,131	1.03	0.314	1.95	1.39	Note: not planing	5.2031
50	29	8.839	0.73	11,079	49.3	11,080	49.3	1,700	1,269	1.01	0.308	1.83	1.32	Note: not planing	5.1933
52	29	8.839	0.70	11,919	53.0	11,920	53.0	1,902	1,420	0.98	0.299	1.72	1.25	Note: not planing	5.1969
54	29	8.839	0.67	12,815	57.0	12,816	57.0	2,124	1,585	0.96	0.293	1.62	1.19	Note: not planing	5.2135
56	29	8.839	0.65	13,769	61.3	13,769	61.3	2,366	1,766	0.93	0.283	1.53	1.14	Note: not planing	5.2417
58	29	8.839	0.62	14,788	65.8	14,789	65.8	2,632	1,964	0.91	0.277	1.45	1.09	Note: not planing	5.2826
60	29	8.839	0.59	15,875	70.6	15,876	70.6	2,923	2,182	0.89	0.271	1.38	1.04	Note: not planing	5.3343
62	29	8.839	0.57	17,038	75.8	17,038	75.8	3,242	2,419	0.87	0.265	1.31	1.00	Note: not planing	5.3983

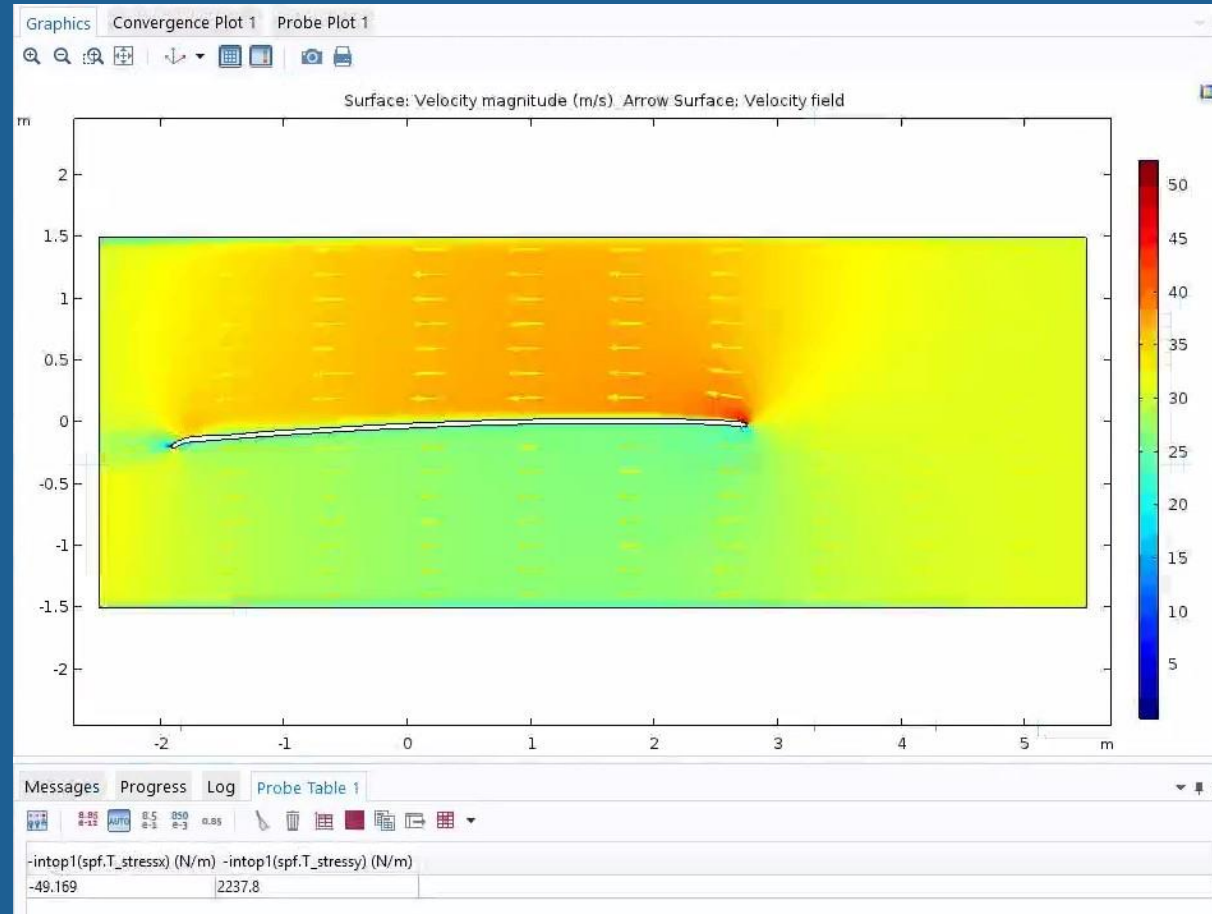
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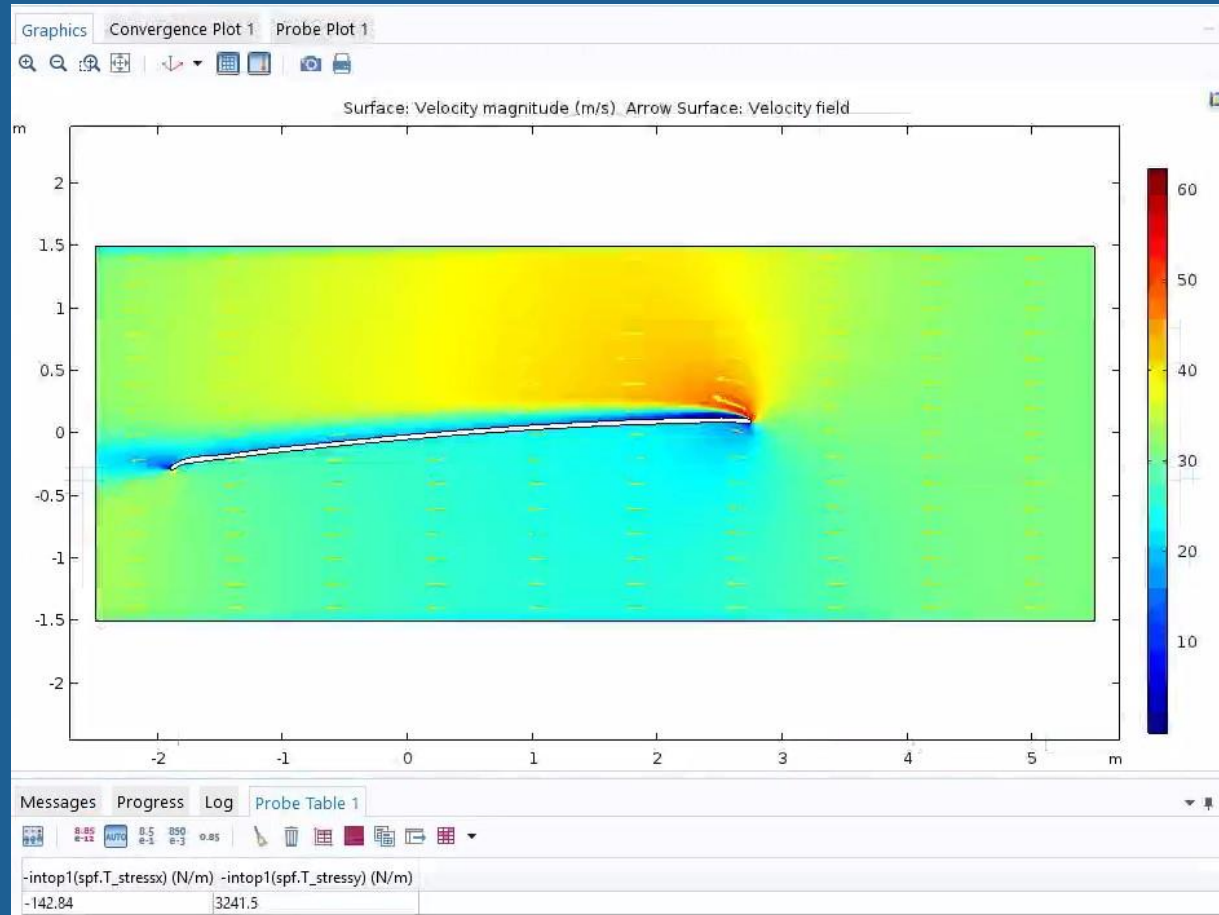
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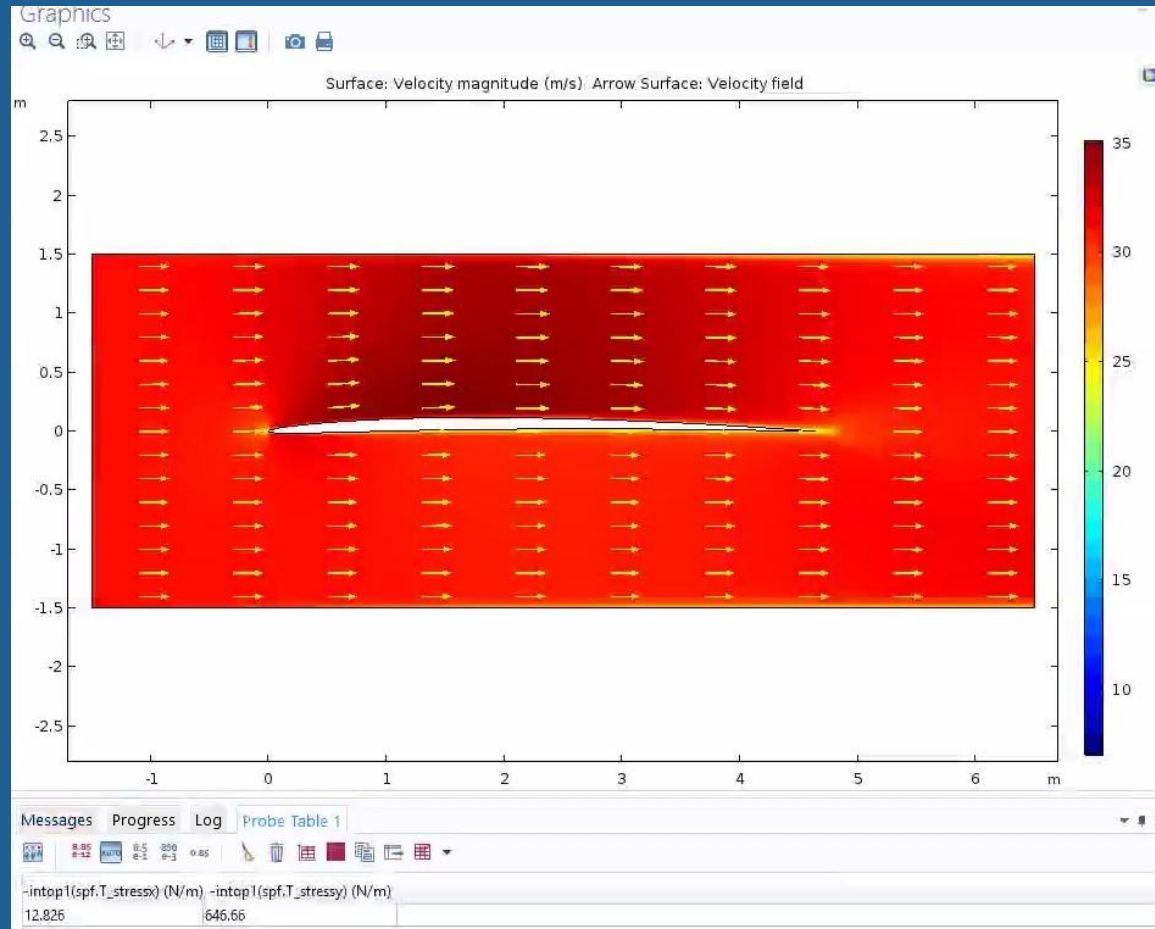
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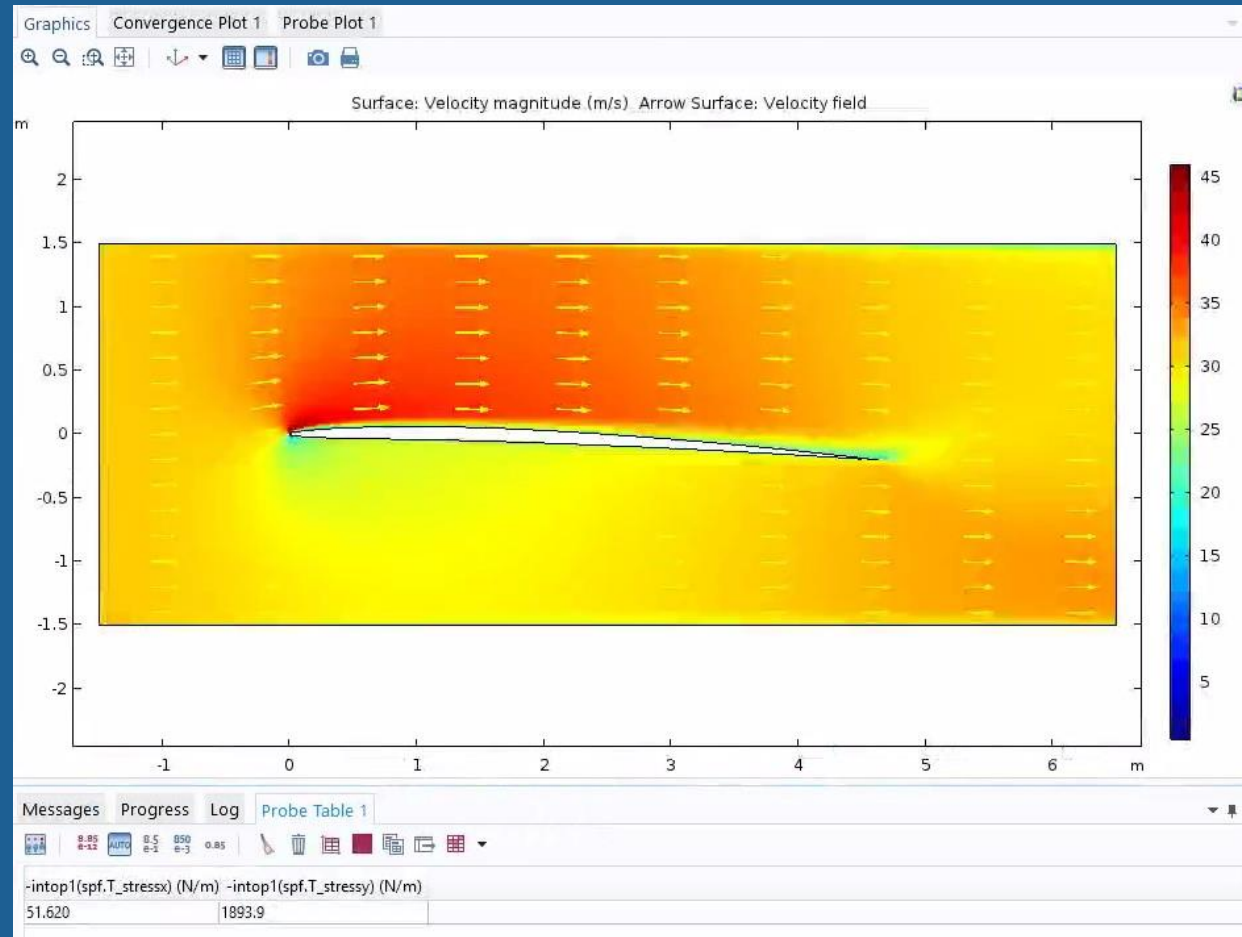
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# NACA 6409 25% Thickness C.S. @ $\alpha = 0^\circ$



# NACA 6409 25% Thickness C.S. @ $\alpha = 2.5^\circ$



# NACA 6409 25% Thickness C.S. @ $\alpha = 5^\circ$

