

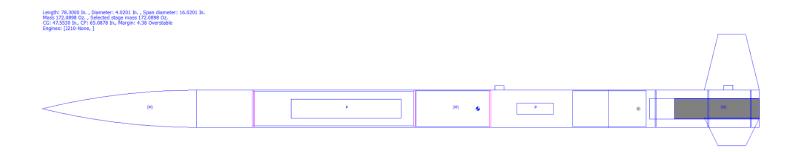
Project Ares

University of Central Florida NASA Student Launch 11/12/2014



Vehicle Dimensions

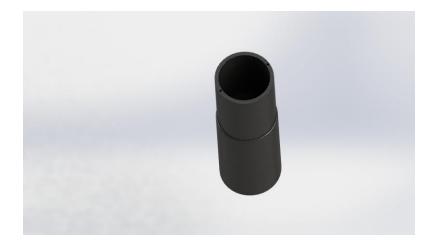
- Length: 78.3 in.
- Diameter: 4 in.
- Mass: 12.92 lb





Materials and Justifications

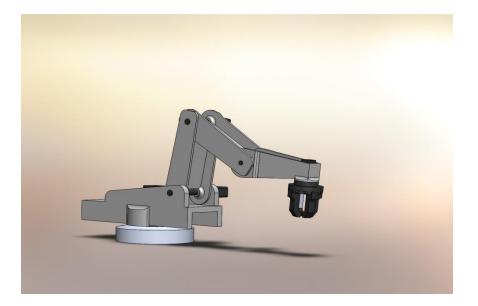
- Carbon Fiber for Rocket Frame and Parts
 - □ Strength
 - Lightweight
 - Manufacturability
- Aluminum for Motor Casing





Materials and Justification (cont.)

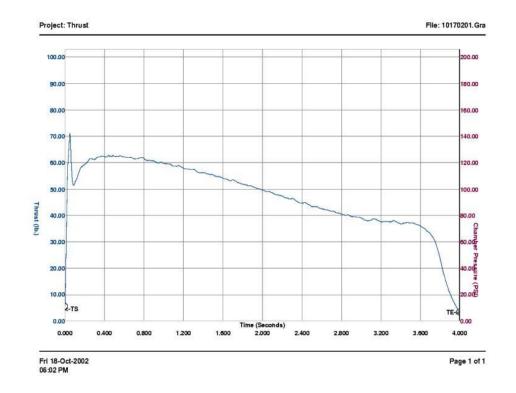
- Aluminum For Rover Frame and Parts
 - Low Cost
 - Manufacturability
 - Strength





Motor Selection

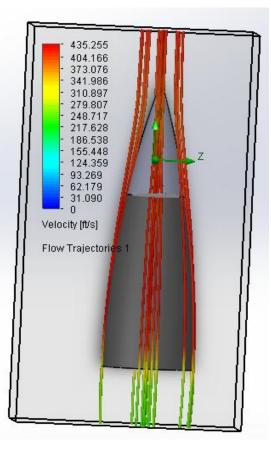
- Cesaroni J210
- Burn Time
 - □ 3.99s
- Total Impulse
 3718 lb*s





Launch Vehicle Verification

- Ran First Order Simulations
- External Flow at Max Q
- FEM Analysis
- CFD Analysis of entire Body





Major Components and Subsystems

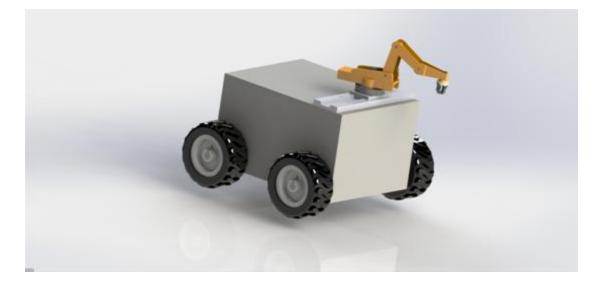
- Payload Compartment with concealed Hinges
- Electronics Bay (flight computer, antenna, etc.)
- Motor
- Airframe
- GPS
- Parachutes





AGSE/Payload Design

- Chassis/Body Structure
- Controller/Wiring
- Arm
- Motors
- Wheels





AGSE/Payload Verification

- FEM Analysis
- Assembly for testing Constraints
- First order Simulations
- Moments and Forces