Enclosure Holder

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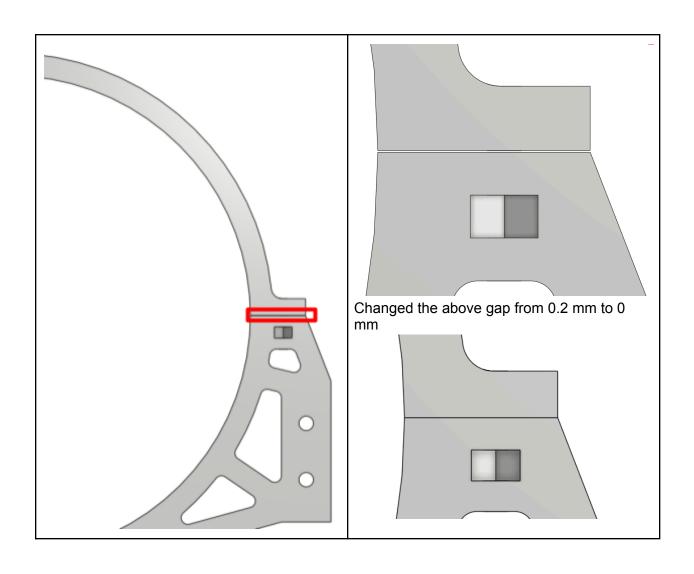
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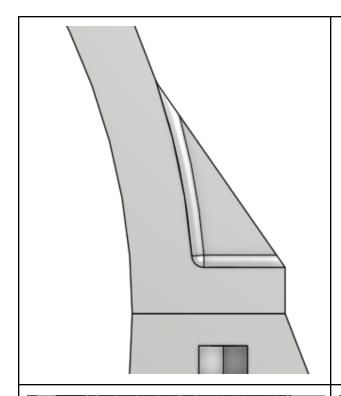
7/17/21 Replacements needed for the 8 in enclosure holder

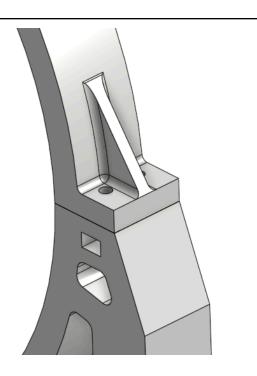


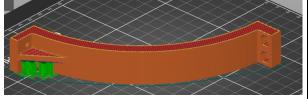
The enclosure clamps broke at the corner between the mounting face and the curve. The team utilized string to tie down the enclosure to continue to apply pressure through ensuring contact between the enclosure and the dycem(kitchen mat). This allowed the team to continue to perform maneuvers while the replacement parts were printing.

The team increased the diameter that the clamps are clamping from 216.2 to 216.6 mm. This is the outer diameter of the tube + 0.7 mm the thickness of the dycem.









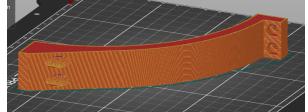
Needs support material the print time with 30% infill and 3 perimeters comes out to 3h41 mins

Sliced Info

12.04 Used Filament (m) Used Filament (mm³) 28968.69 Used Filament (g) 35.92 Cost 0.91

Estimated printing time:

3h40m - normal mode - stealth mode 3h41m



This part would print with the same print settings but take 3H 49 m whilte taking more filament

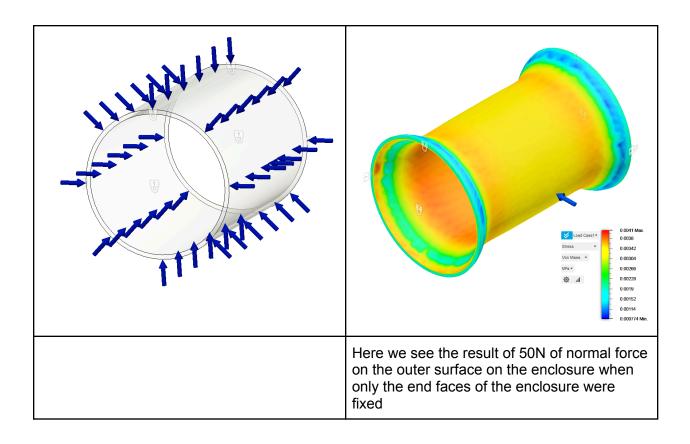
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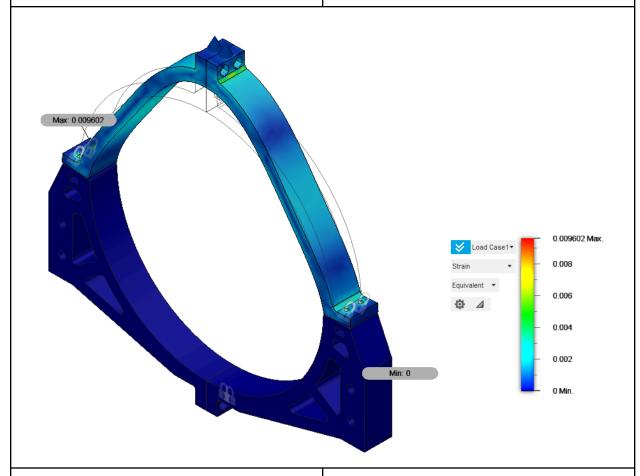
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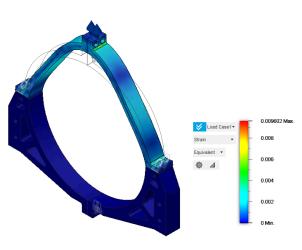
- normal mode 3h49m - stealth mode 3h50m

6/26/21 Strain Analysis on the enclosure

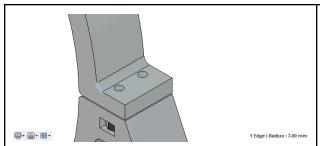




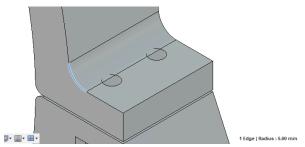




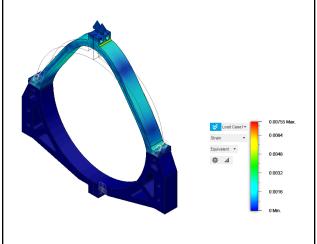
strain analysis when there are 50 N forces pulling up on the clamps. The 50 N was to demonstrate extreme load cases exerted on the piece. This highlights that the areas with the biggest strain were where the corners of intersection between the curves and the extension parts.

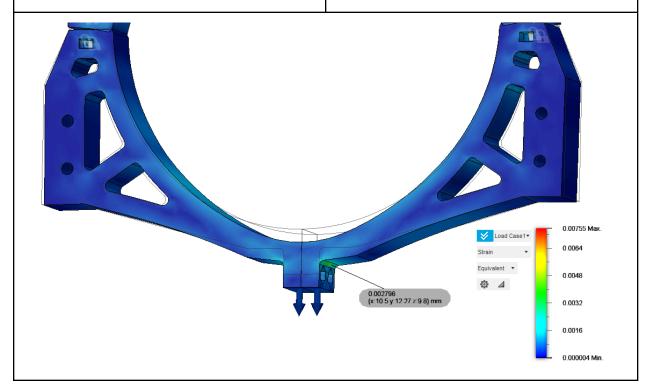


We see that the radius of the filet at the base of the clamp was only 3 mm in the above design

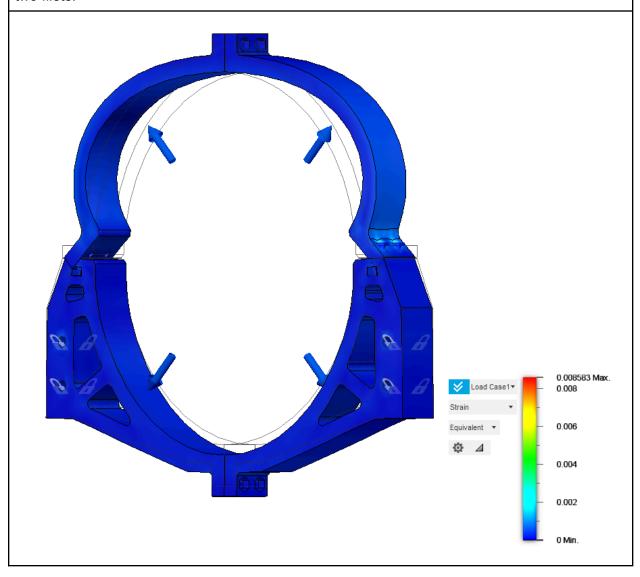


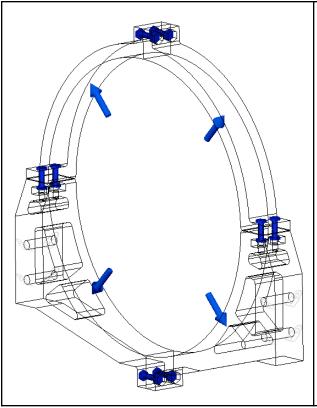
Increasing the radius of the filet on the bottom of the clamp from 3 mm to 5 mm without change to the top filet shows that more of the strain is concentrated at the top filet. However the max strain decreased from 0.009602 N to 0.00755 N $\,$





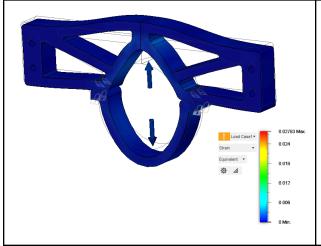
On the base of the clamps we can see there is considerably less strain acting on the parts. Nearly all of the strain that occurs from 50N pulls down on the clamps are found in the bottom two filets.



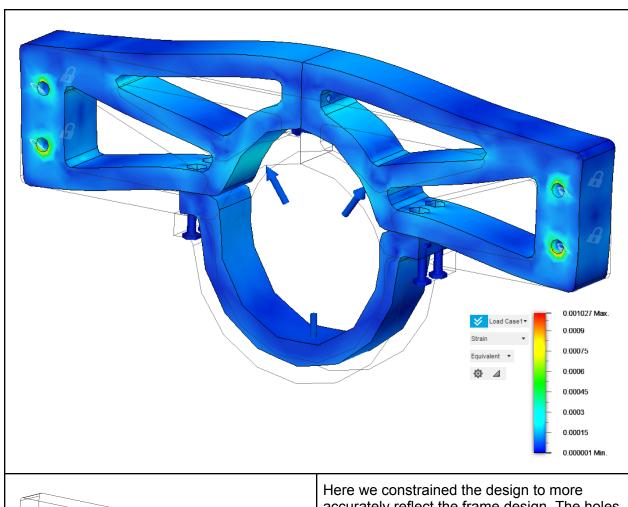


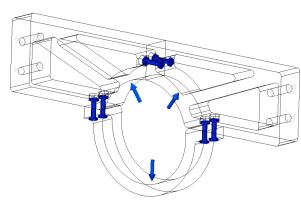
We see another simulation set up to the electronics enclosure. There was 10N of force applied to the normal faces of the objects of the clamp. We see that there is a lot more deformation (keep in mind the deformation has been adjusted to be visible) on the latches then the base of the clamp. This is a result of the bottom base of the clamp being fixed, this corresponds to the bottom parts of the clamp being secured onto the frame of the sub.

6/26/21 Strain Analysis on 3in Enclosure Clamp



For the battery enclosure hodler we can see there is menial amount of stress when 50N of force is applied from the hull expanding or if the





Here we constrained the design to more accurately reflect the frame design. The holes on each end are constrained and fixed, these correspond to the points where the holder is secured onto the frame. All the other parts are constrained together with bolts as seen in the diagram to the left.

The forces applied was 10 N normal to the faces of the inner clamps

6/20/21 Material Failure Documentation

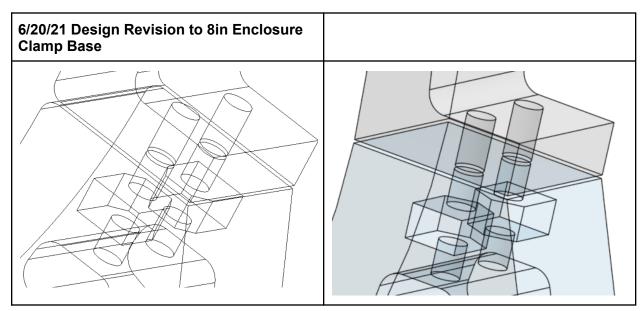


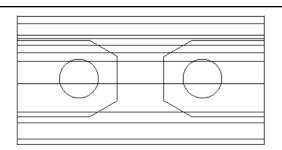
Another clamp broke, and I need to revisit the design.

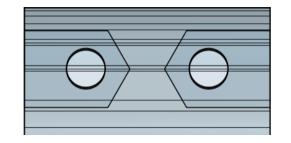
Increasing the fillet size to 5 mm

As well as increasing the infil from 15% to 30%

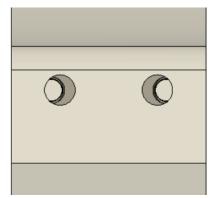
As well as decreasing the distances that the clamp is from the base from 0.5 mm to 0.2 mm







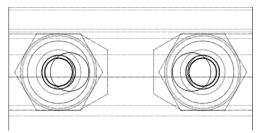
There is only one face and edge faces that support the nut. This previous design allowed the nut to slip as the edges were We can see on the right side we have moved the enclosure clamps onto the onshape. Here we see a different geometry. There are two slides that support the nut.



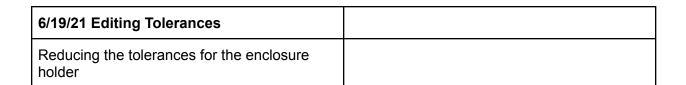
From the previous adjustments. Nuts cannot fit within the slot correctly.

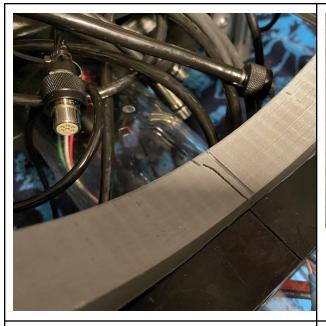


The revised clamp (as seen in balck fits with the rest of the clamps in the same position)



As the areas are only 7.9 mm rectangular cutout the nut physically cannot rotate into the correct direction

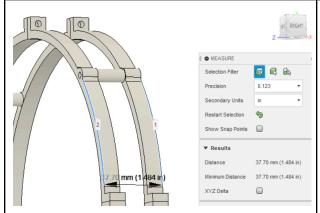




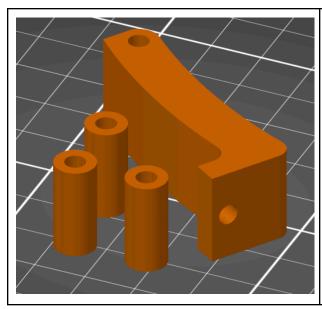


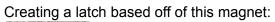
There were cracks that appeared on the enclosure holder, these occurred in the joints of the parts. These original pieces were printed with 15% infill.

5/22/21 Power Latch Evolution



Can use 1.75 inch screws to secure the clamps together which accommodates for a 0.5 inch diameter magnet in the latch





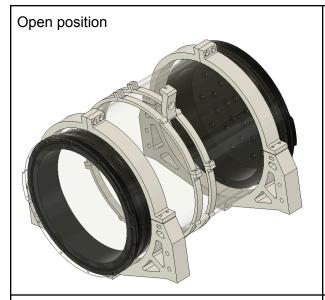


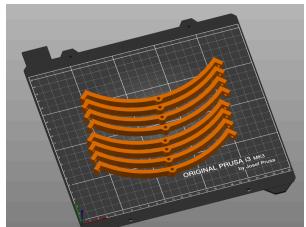
5/21/21 Video Demo of Battery Latch



Video Demo



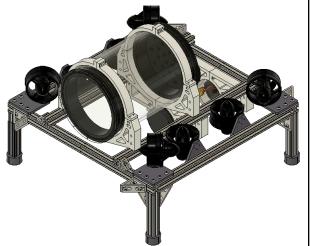




Made the clamps in 4 pieces to ensure that all clamps could be fit on print bed

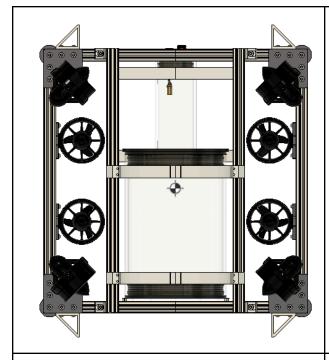
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5/16/21 Documentation of Enclosure Clamp integrated onto Hull

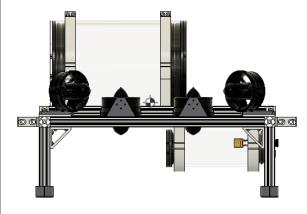


Created model of the current robot configuration

Live link to the robot: https://a360.co/3eRbfbV







Currently without any electronics within the model the center of mass is a bit forward mainly positioned near the frame of the robot

5/15/21 Assembly of Enclosure Clamps onto Hull







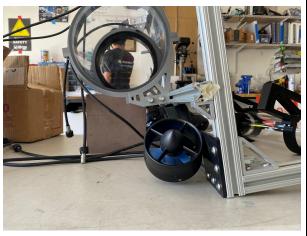
Using a dycem strip to reduce the slippage of the clamp on the enclosure, suggestion to use dycem to go around the whole enclosure to ensure a good fit even when the plastic warps due to heat



Assembled the batter holder. Can see the nested nuts incorporated into the battery clamp design



Mounted the battery clamp onto the bottom of

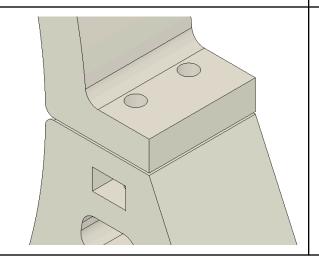


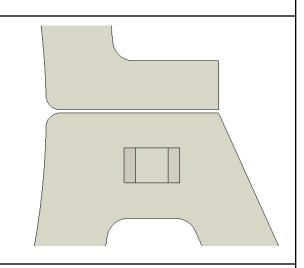
Used a 6in block to prop up the enclosure.

the motor. Ideating how to place the enclosure perpendicular to the length of the robot

There is clearance between the propellers and the table.

5/13/21 Editing Tolerances





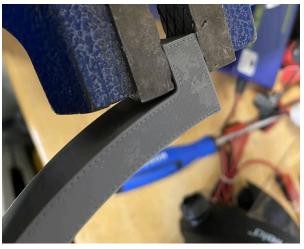
Keeping the bottom arc the same radius, introducing a 0.5 mm gap between the top clamp and the bottom clamps to ensure that the enclosure is clamped well

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5/10/21 Assembly of Enclosure Clamps

8 in enclosure holder taking off supports and cleaning up



Using the clamp to press in the locknuts into the cutouts



The tolerances of 8 mm in the cad were perfect



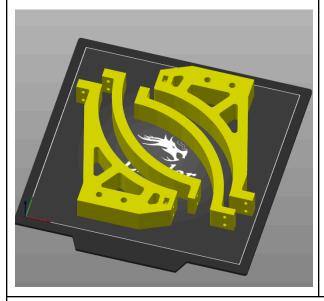
There were some roughness on the insides of the enclosure. Used p100 grit sandpaper to take the roughness out



Perfect fit on the enclosure around the 8 in tube. It is a bit too perfect, the clamps are not clamping down on the enclosure and therefore can slide up and down the enclosure. We can used dycem (kitchen mats) to introduce compressible materials to ensure a clamping motion. We could also reduce the decrease the tolerances for a tighter fit of the clamps and the enclosure

5/9/21 3D Printing Enclosure Clamps

8 in enclosure holder



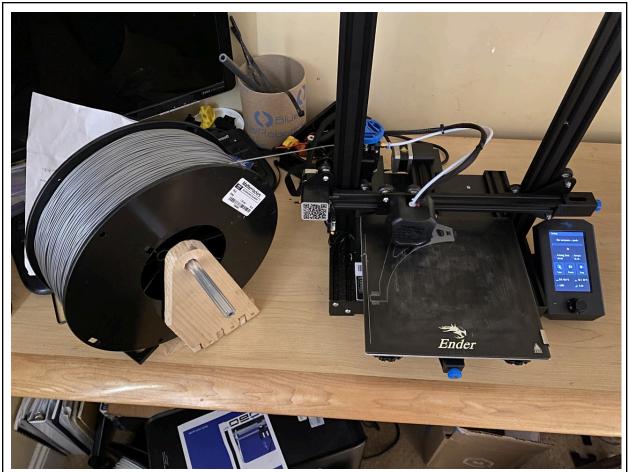
All components can fit in the build plate

User Parameter	thickness	mm	1 in
☆ User Parameter	paddin	mm	10 mm
☆ User Parameter	tubeDiameter	mm	215.90 mm + 0.3 mm

Using the tube diameter _0.3 mm tolerance

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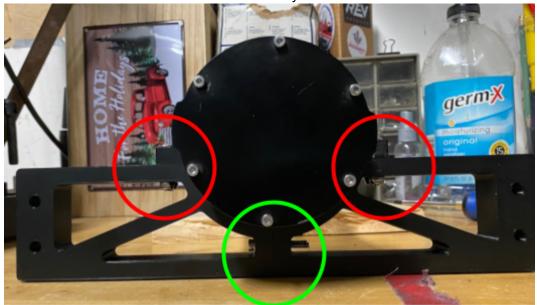
Using a bowden tube printer with the 1 kg spool as the stepper motor used to pull the filament is stationary

5/9/21 Assembly of	Battery	Enclosure
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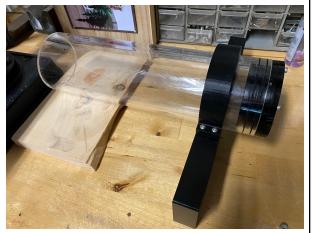
Battery enclosure holder



Observe the difference between the screw styles



The red circles above show how we need to use the 8mm or 5/16 wrench to hold the nuts before screwing in the screws. For the green circle we can see how we utilized the nested nuts, here we did not need to used the wrench as the nuts were held in with the tight tolerances. For assembly it is better to lightly tighten the screws and nuts to loosely secure the top clamp to the base. Then slide in the enclosure without the end cap into the enclosure.



Using a ~0.5 inch board to support the enclosure while tightening the clamp onto the base.



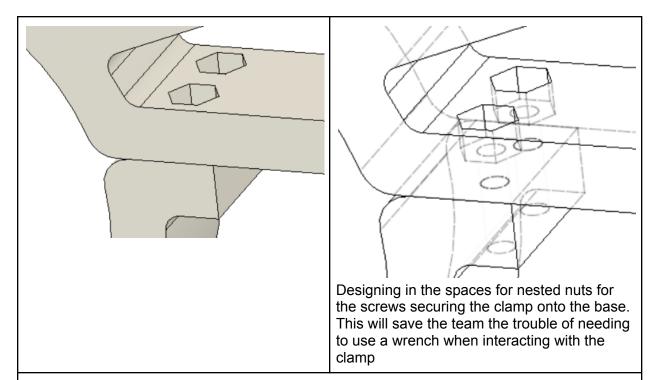
Using 1 inch screws for securing the clamp into the base clamp



Utilizing washers to ensure that the button heads don't dig into the 3d printed base.



No need for the washers for the philips heads which were used on the top clamp as there is a greater surface area of the head.



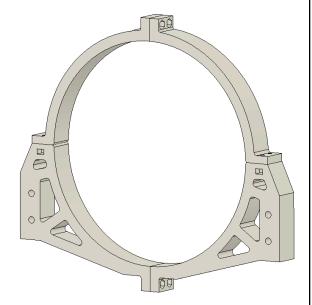
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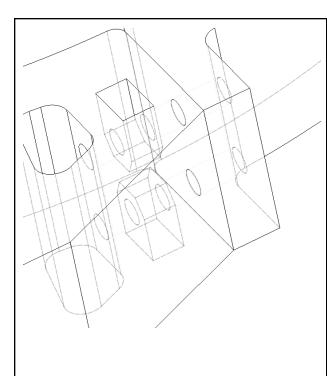
Took inspiration from previous geometry as seen here



8 in enclosure holder

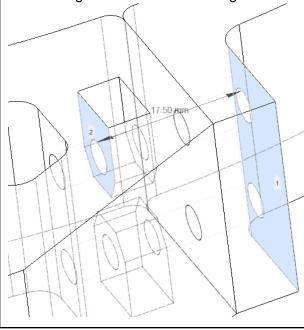


Created an enclosure holder that consisted of 4 3d printed pieces. This is to allow for each part to fit within our printer. See files here



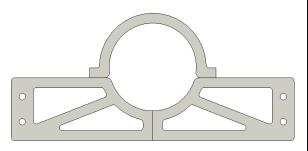
Tolerances from Link

Here we see these troughs that allow for nuts to be inserted from the side. There is a hex pattern on the bottom of the trough to align the nut with the screw hole. This allows the team to continue to utilize stainless steel lock nuts. The screw holes continue throughout the walls of the enclosure holder to accept screws longer than 17.5 mm in length.



5/8/21 Editing Tolerances of Battery **Battery Enclosure Holder Enclosure Holder** User Parameter thickness 30 mm mm User Parameter thickness 1 in mm 25.40 mm thickness Decreasing the thickness of the enclosure mount to better it User Parameter diameterenclosure 89.06 mm mm User Parameter diameterenclosure 89.06 mm + 0.3 mm mm Increasing the tolerance of the clamping portion to ensure that the enclosure can fit.

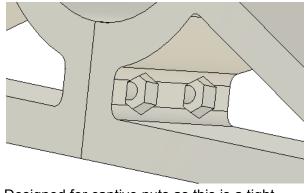
5/2/21 Initial Design and Fabrication of Battery Enclosure Clamp



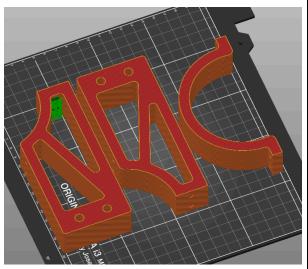
Notes from today: "4101" of 90 angle bracket for sub 89.06 mm diameter of the enclosure

Interactive link of the battery enclosure holder https://a360.co/3gWe0dp

Front view of the design

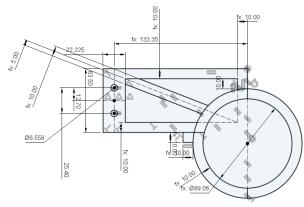


Designed for captive nuts as this is a tight space to fit a wrench to secure the nuts while tightening the screws.



Everything fits on the build plate

Holes for securing base to base



Screws of front view if needed to be transferred CAD programs

