An Appeal

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Design of an Ergonomic Laparoscopic Device

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Laparoscopy

Laparoscopy is a modern surgical technique where operations are performed through small incisions (0.5 - 1.5 cm) made far from the actual location. **Laparoscopic surgeries** include operations within the abdominal or pelvic cavities.

Laparoscopic Device





Laparoscopic Instruments



Design Brief

"To design an ergonomic laparoscopic device for surgery"

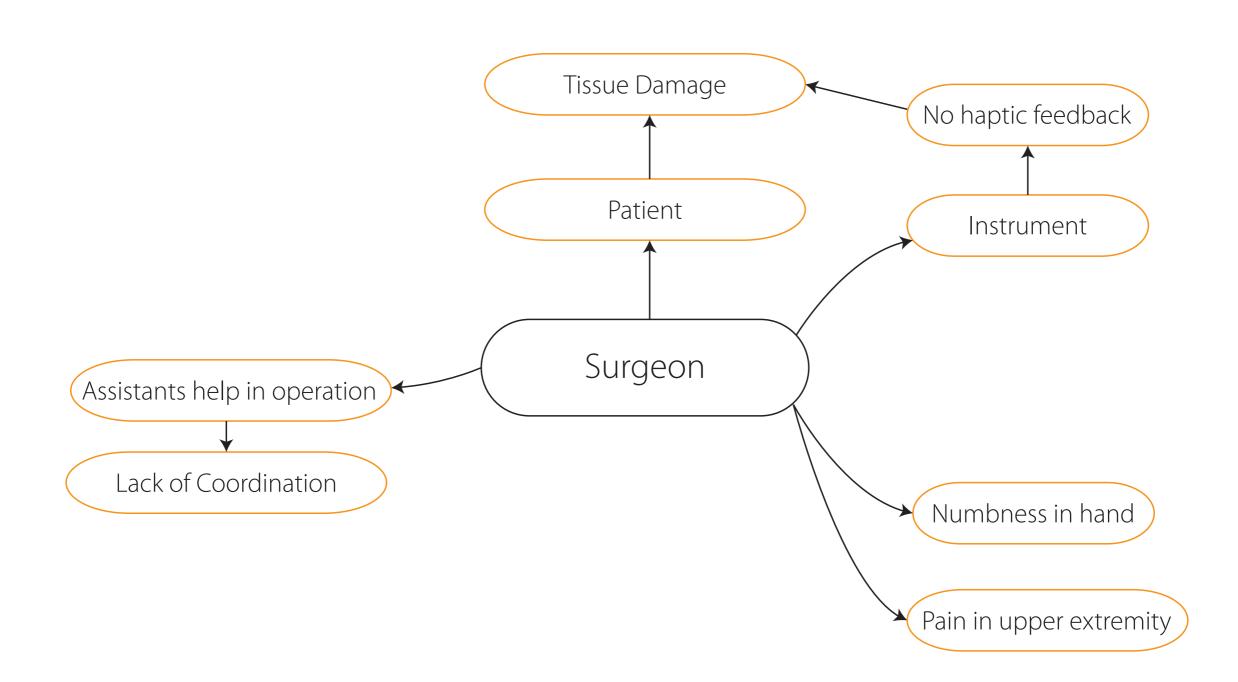
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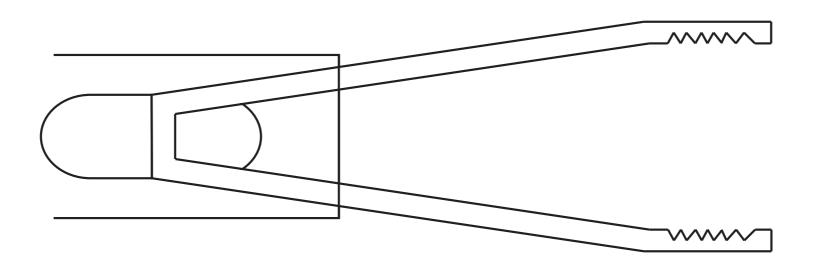
- 1. As a class II device, it should withstand repetitive autoclaving before and after the surgery.
- 2. Different functions should be suitably color coded
- 3. It should be ergonomic and easy to use

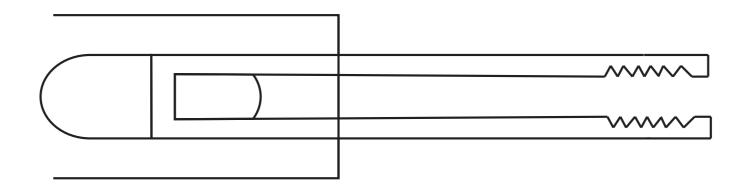
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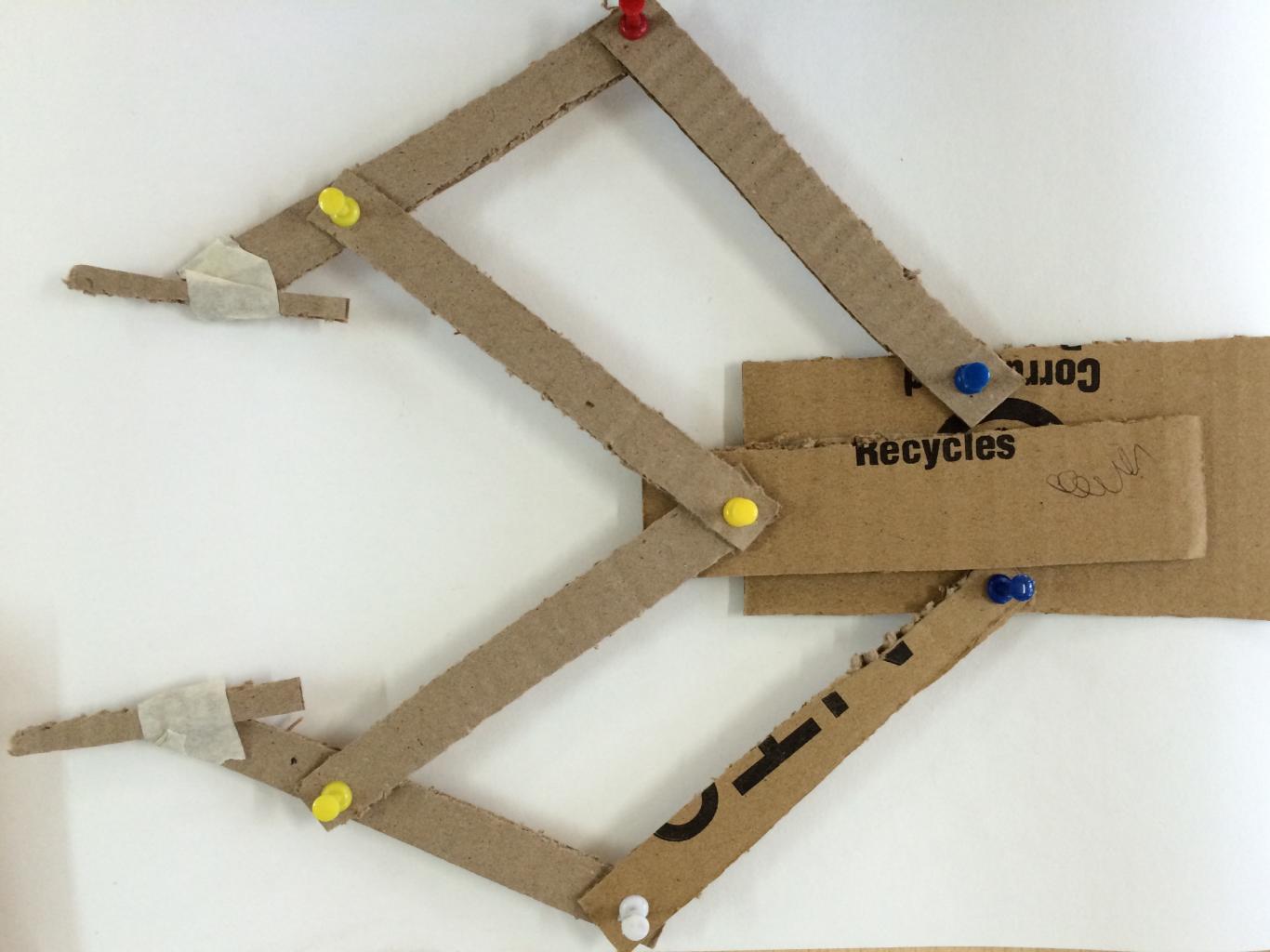
1. The design should be of global standard to make it a competitive product in the market.

Primary Research







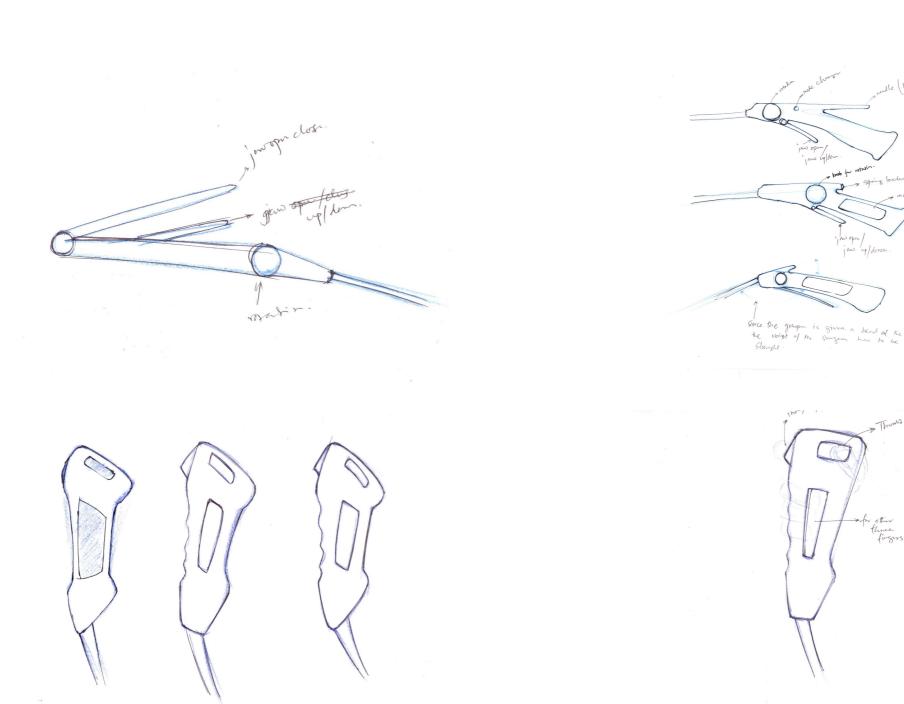


Ergonomics Study



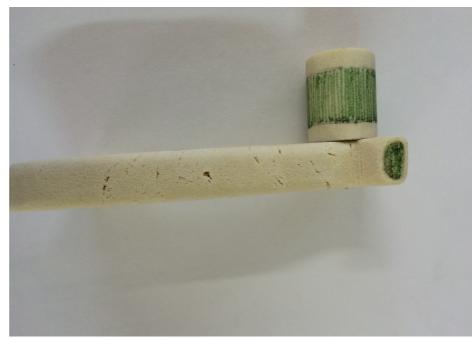


Mapping of Fingers for Various Functions

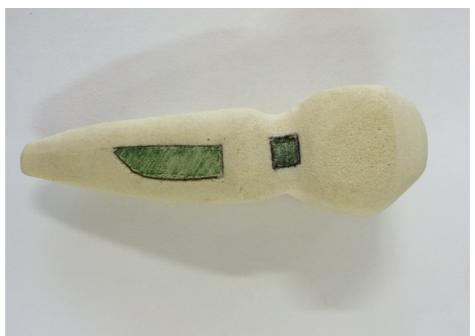


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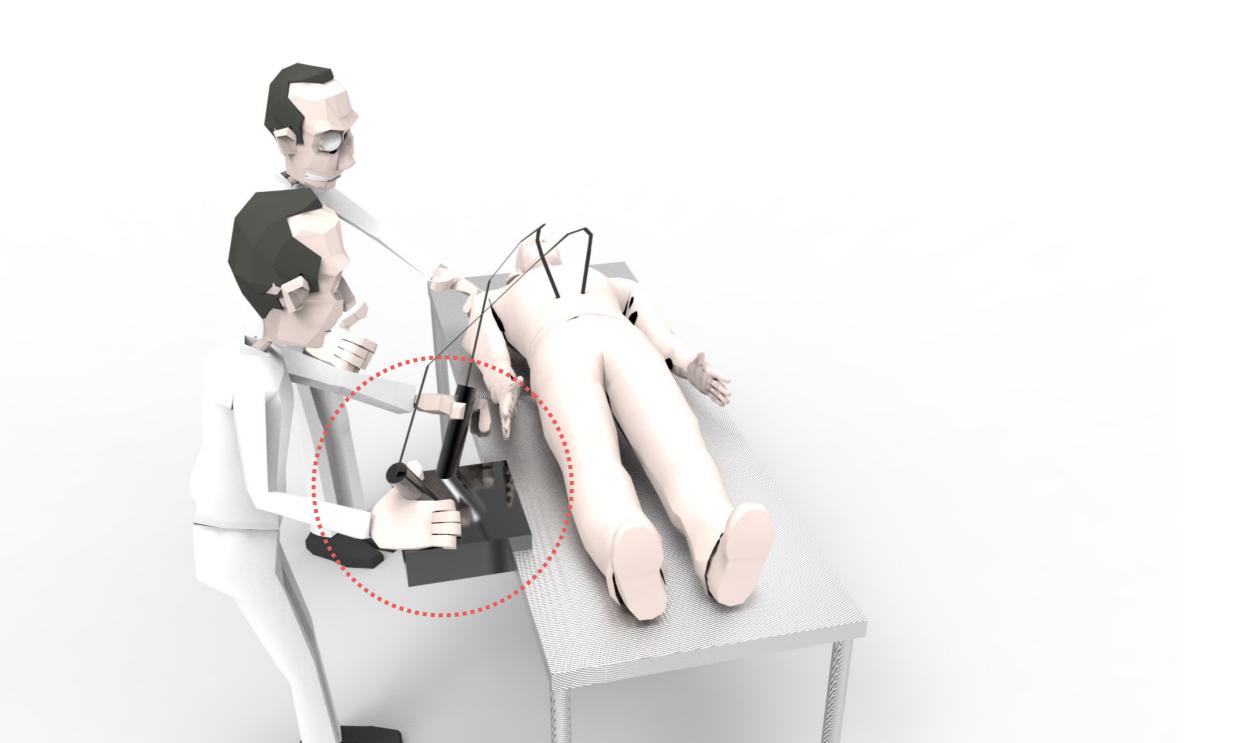


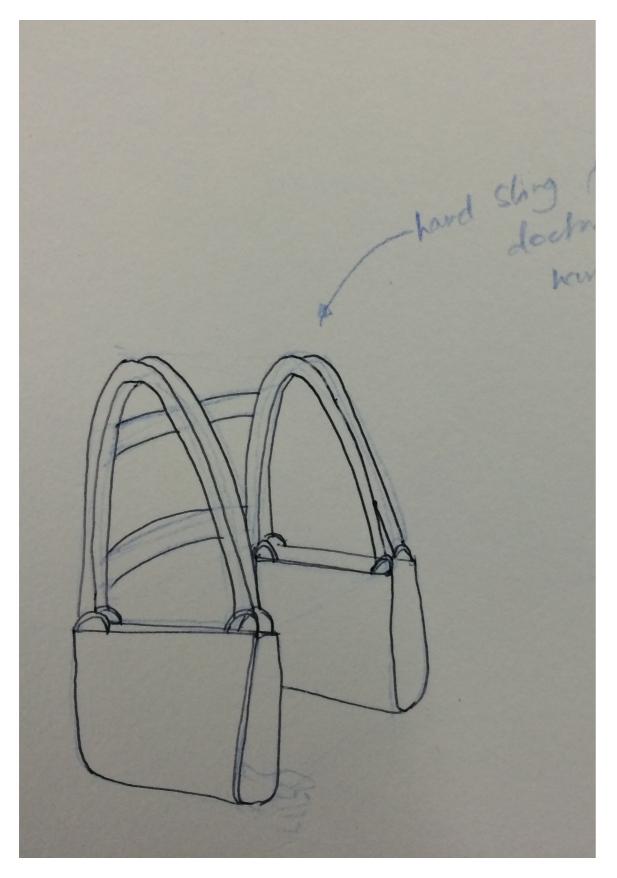


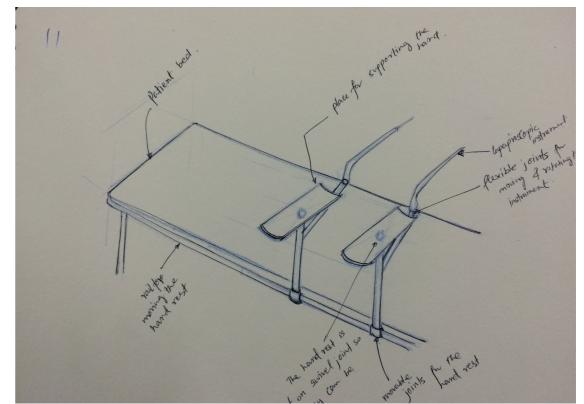


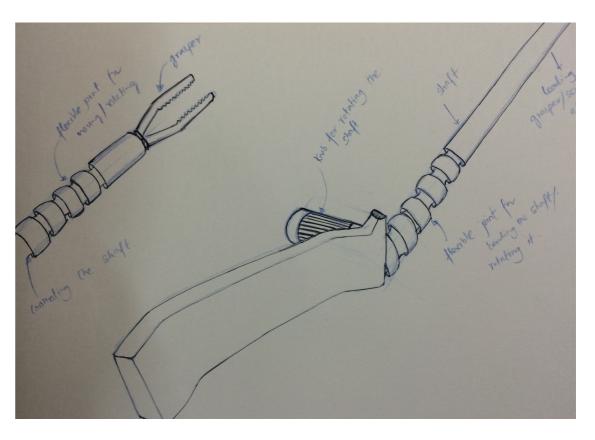


Console Assisted Surgery









All ideations done till now won't work, and 3 months worth of work work went down the drain



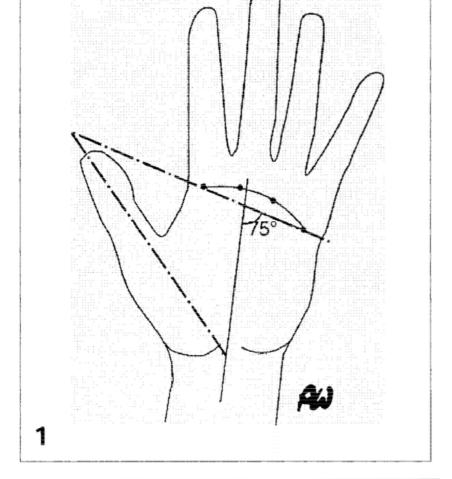
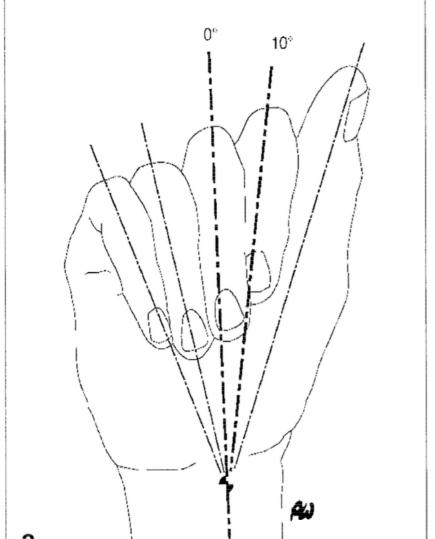
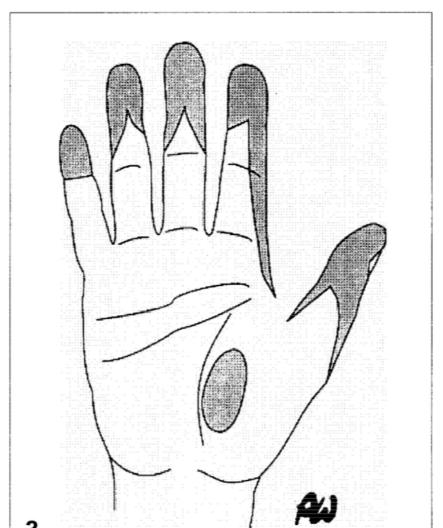


Fig. 1. The position of the heads of metacarpals 2 and 5 forms a line directed to the longitudinal axis of the hand at an oblique angle of 75°.

Fig. 2. When the fingers are flexed, they come to lie, fanlike, on the palm of the hand.

Fig. 3. Most important functional zones of the palm for manipulating laparoscopic handles.

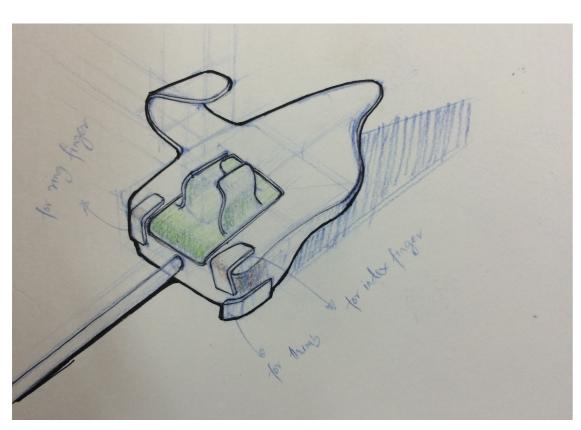


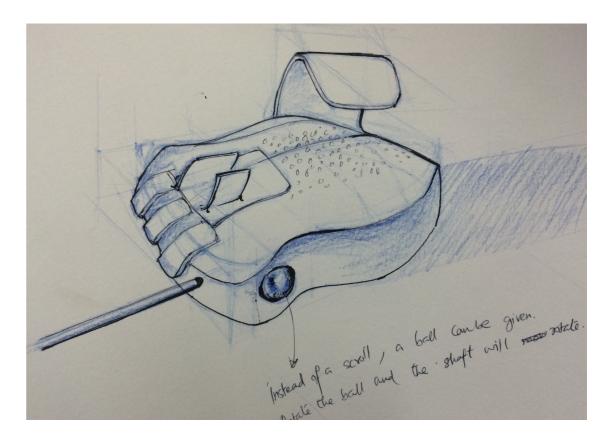


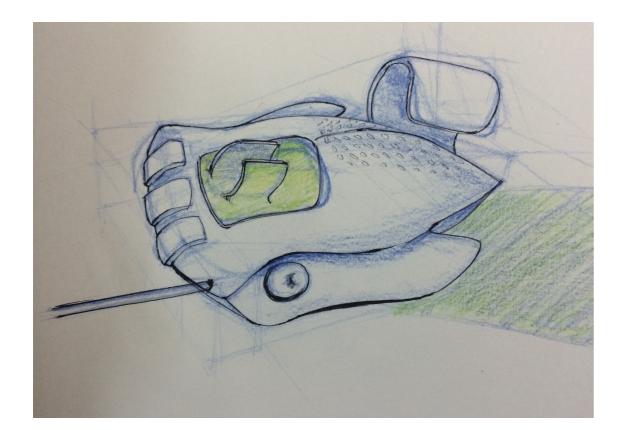


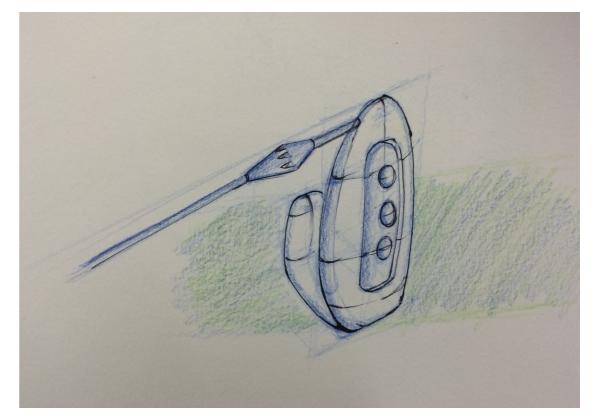
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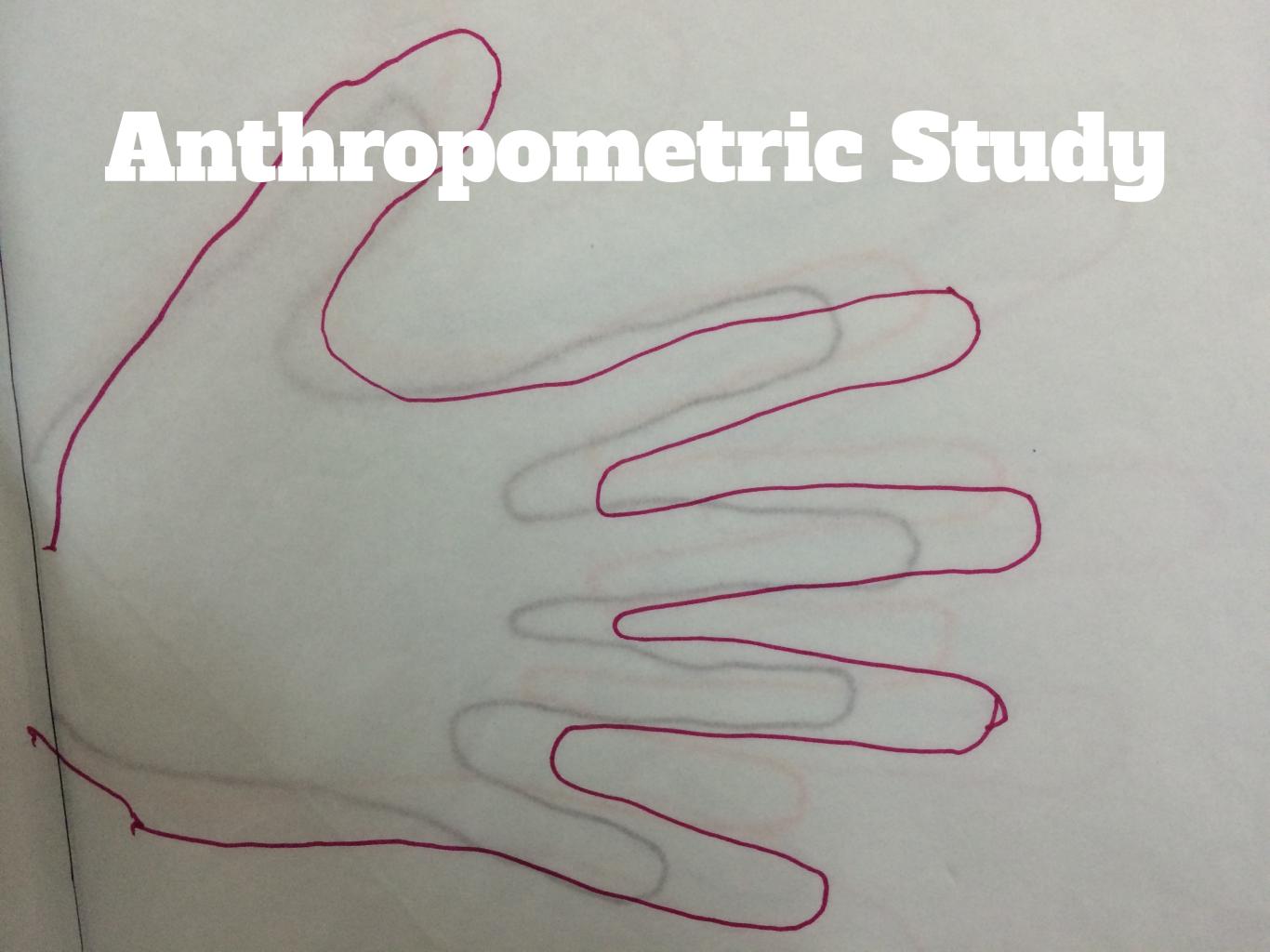


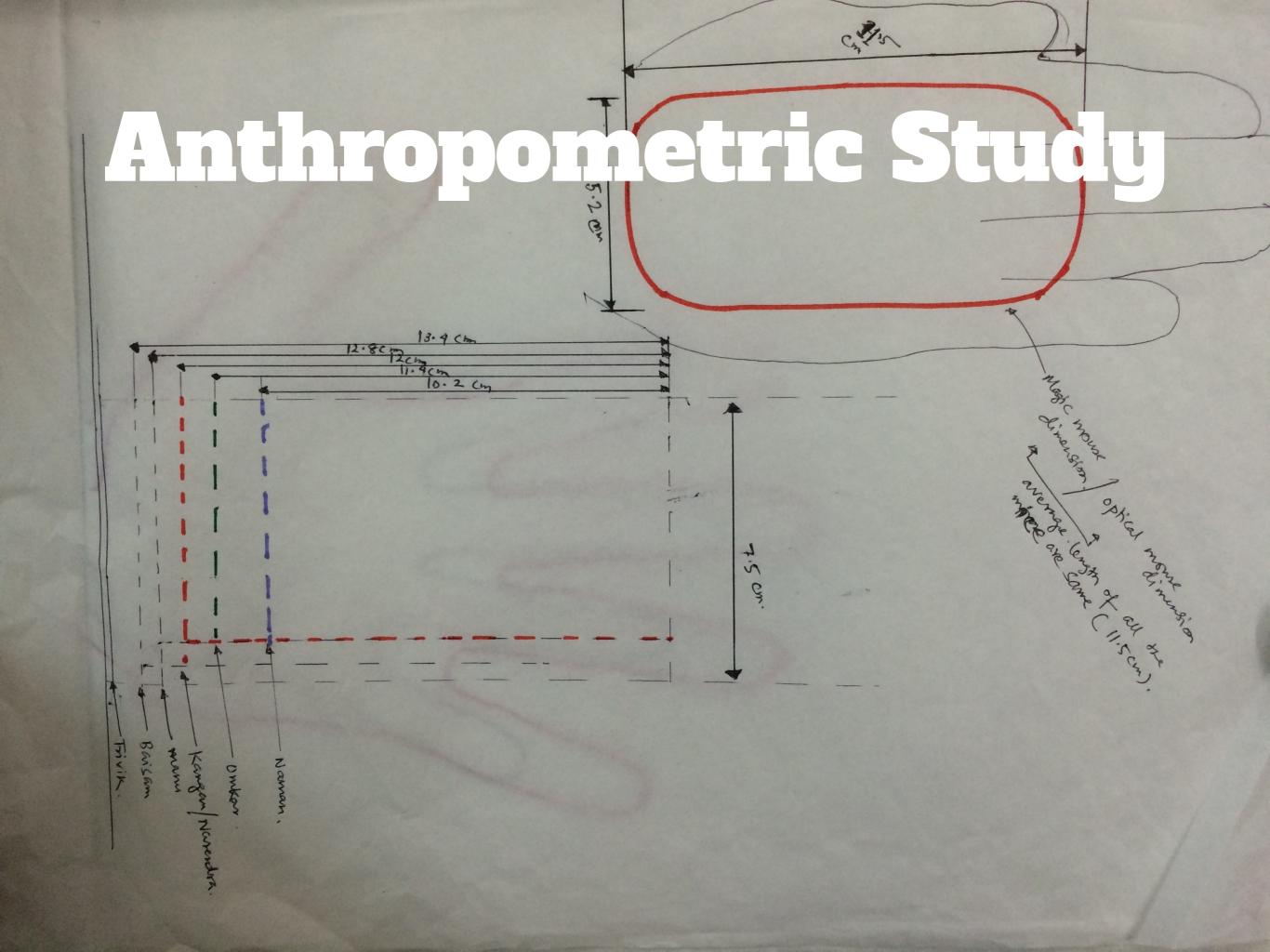




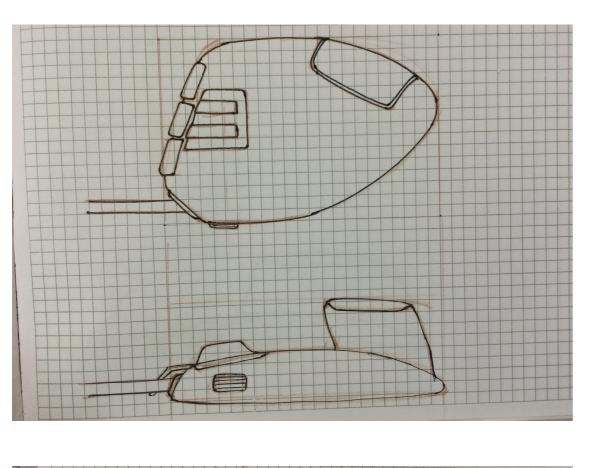


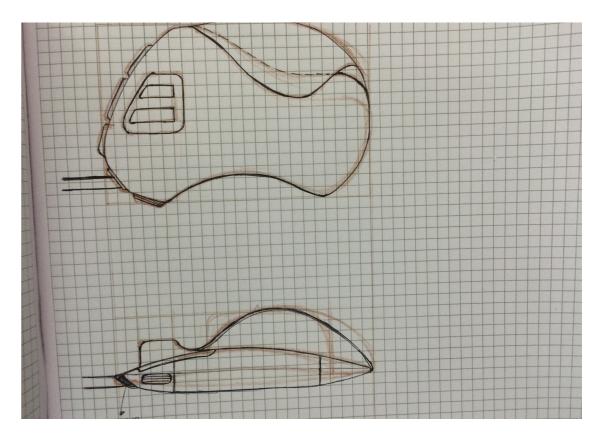


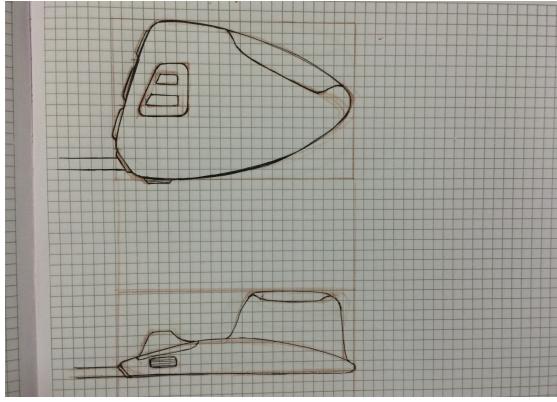


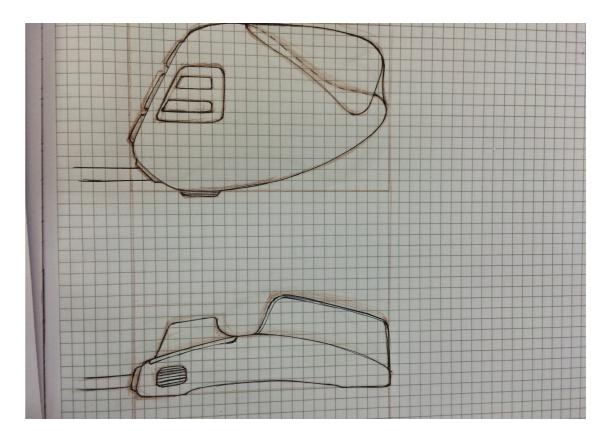


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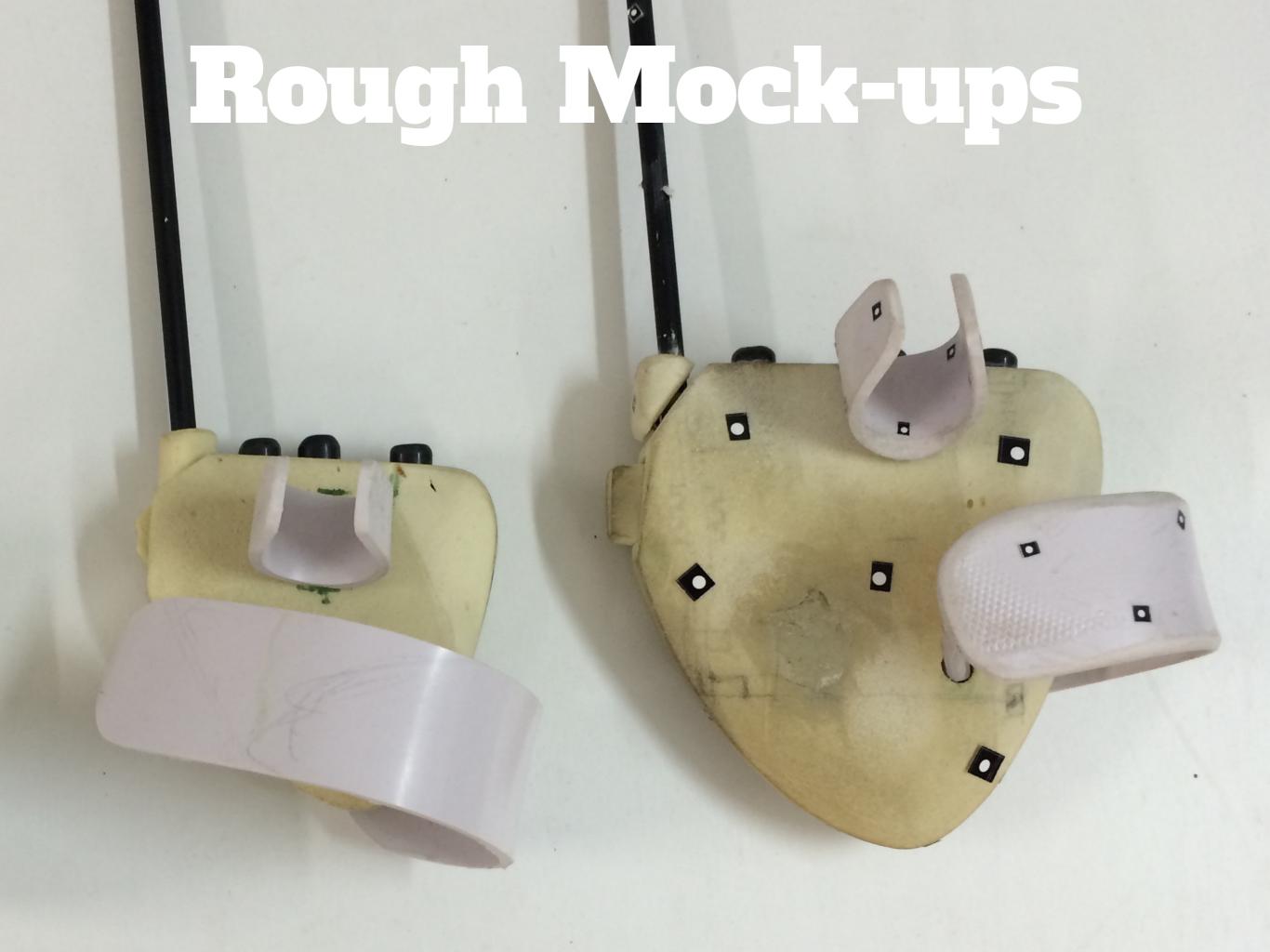






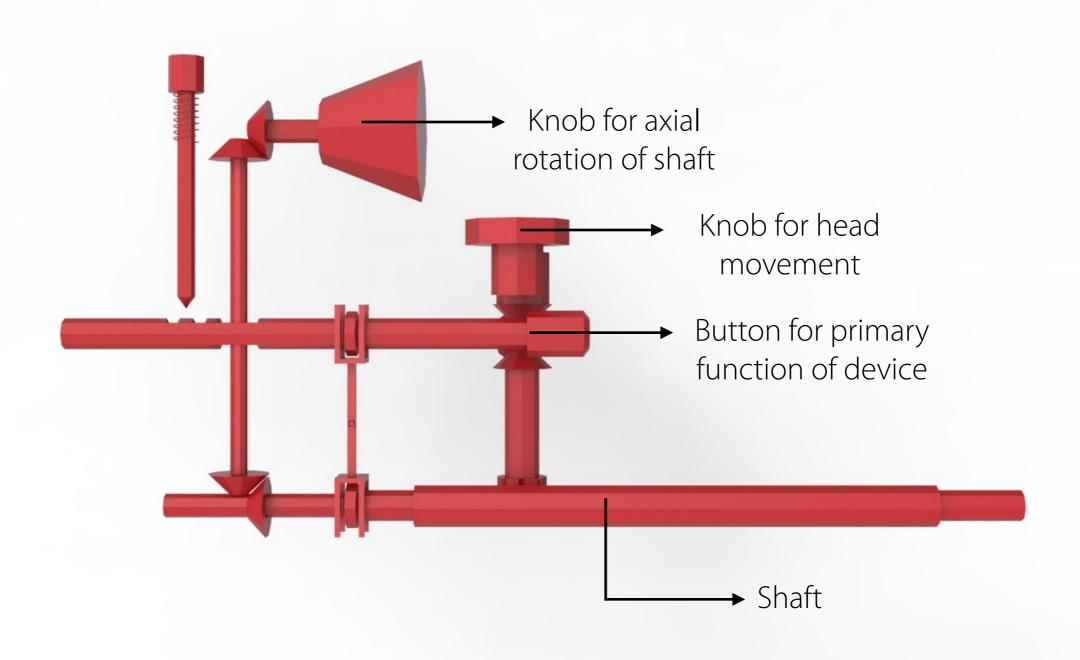




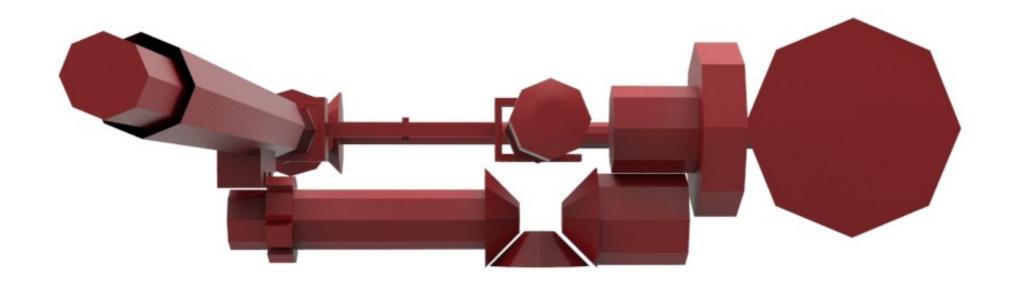




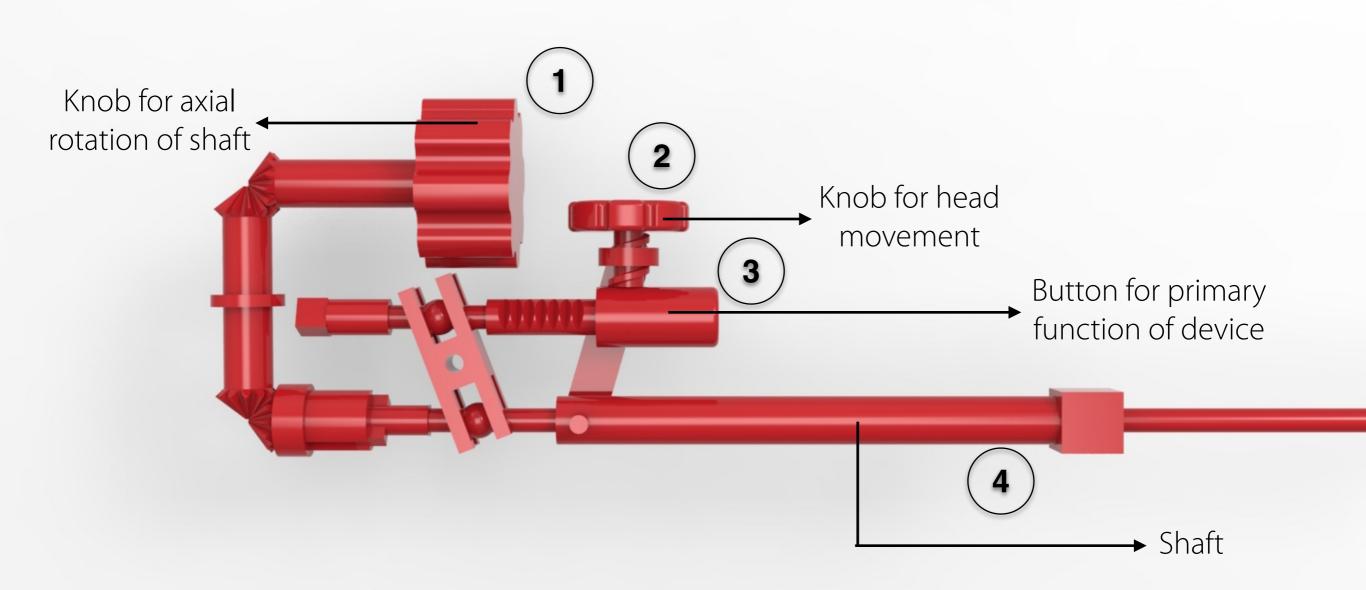
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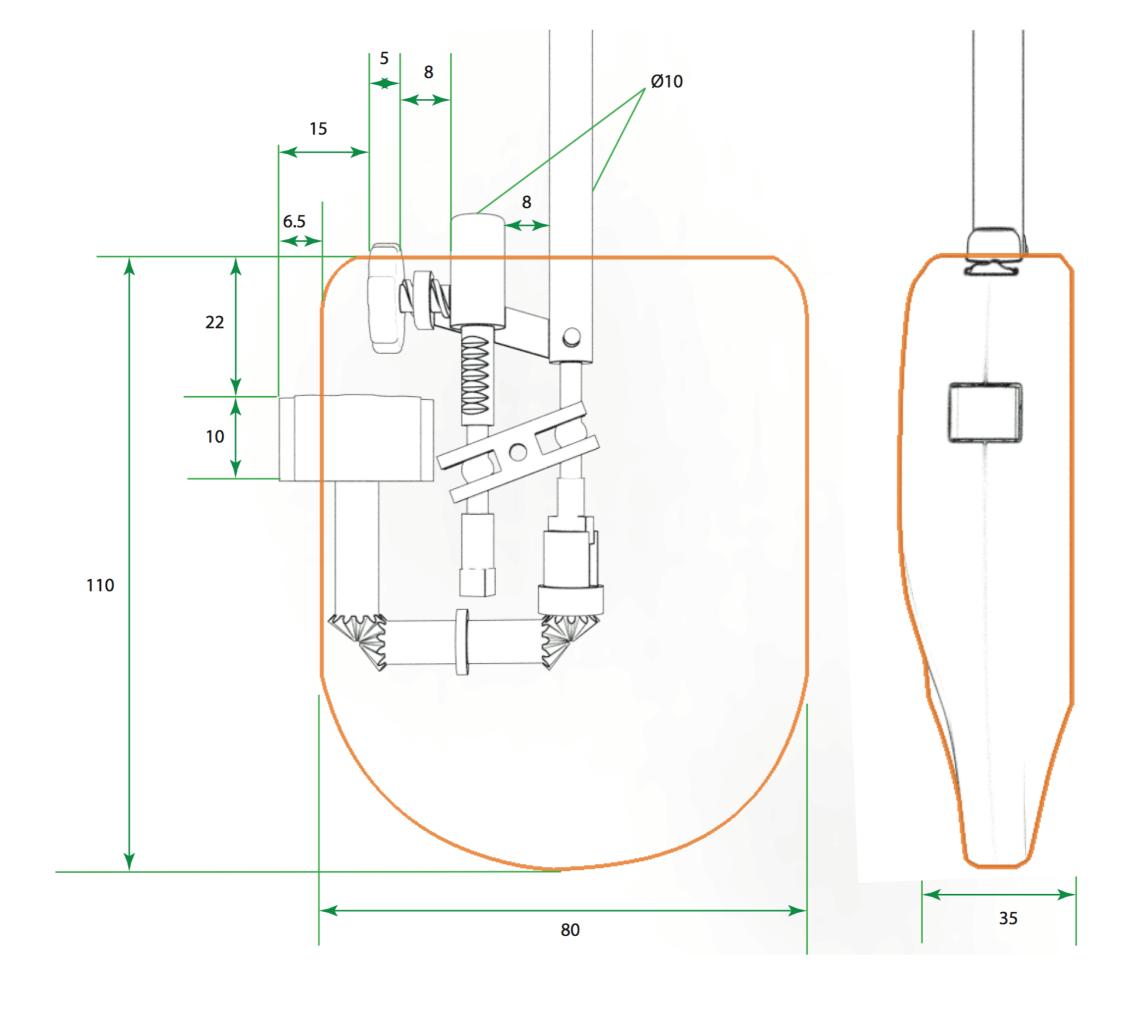


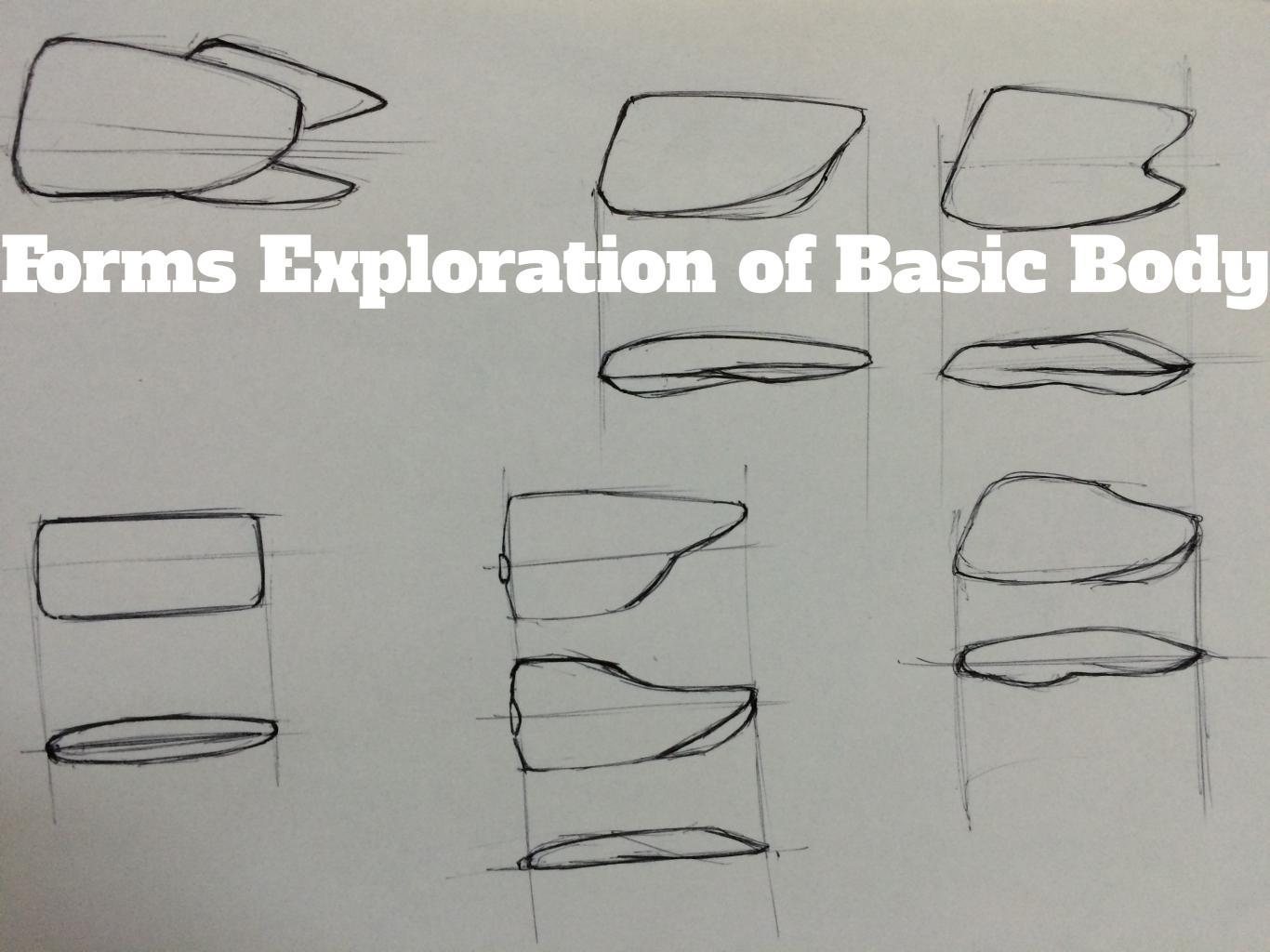
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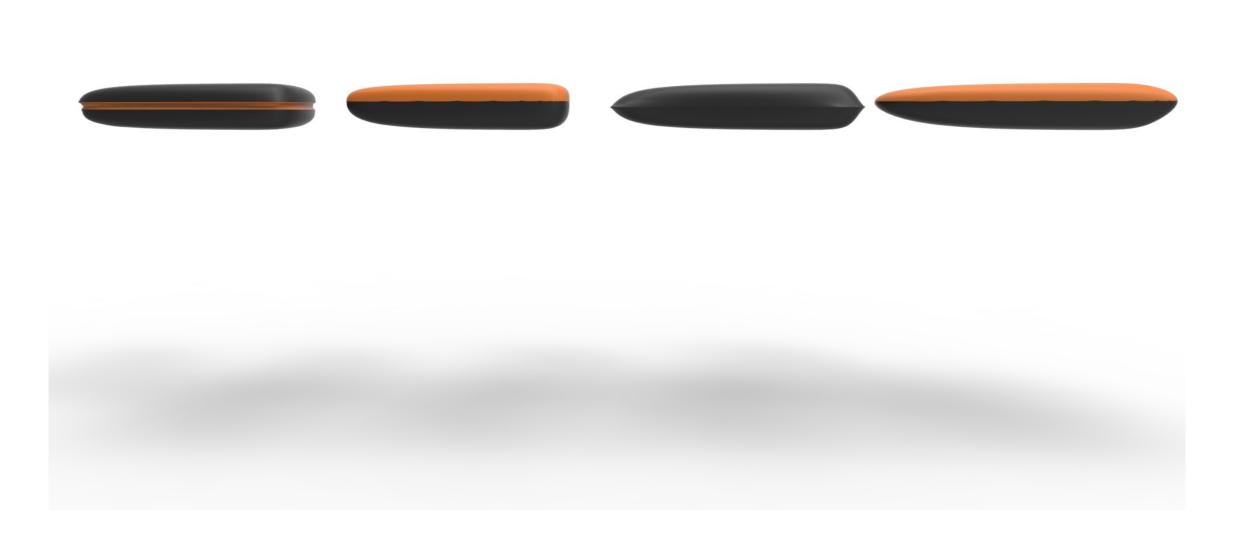
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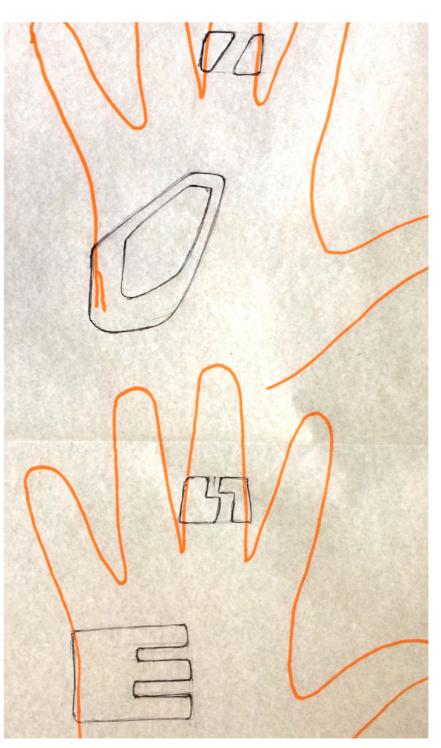


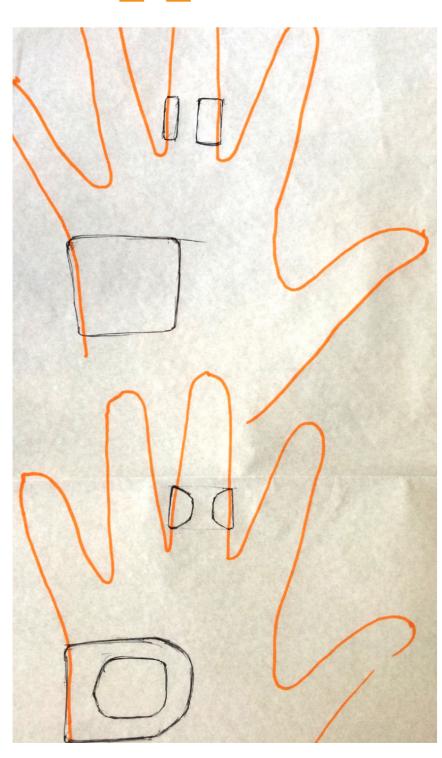
Final Form



Forms Exploration of Grippers

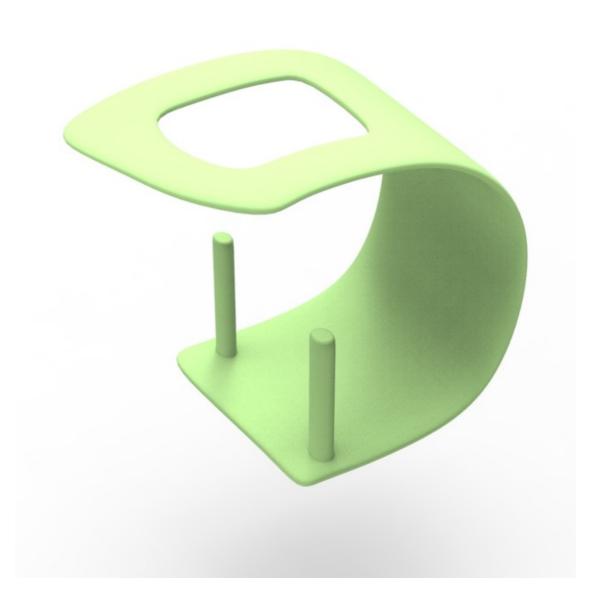






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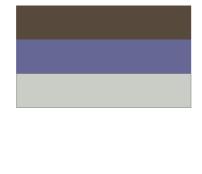
Mood Boards & Color Palate





















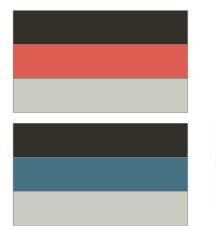
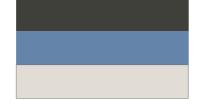




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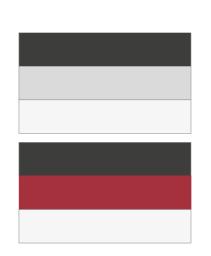




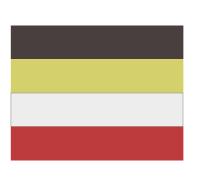






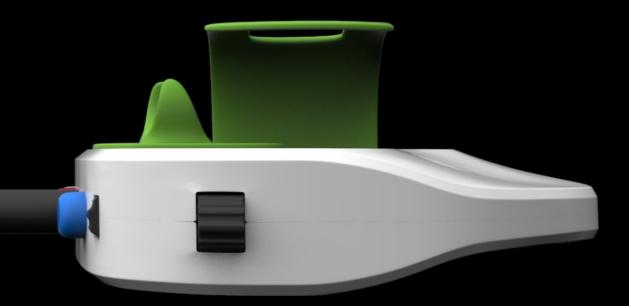




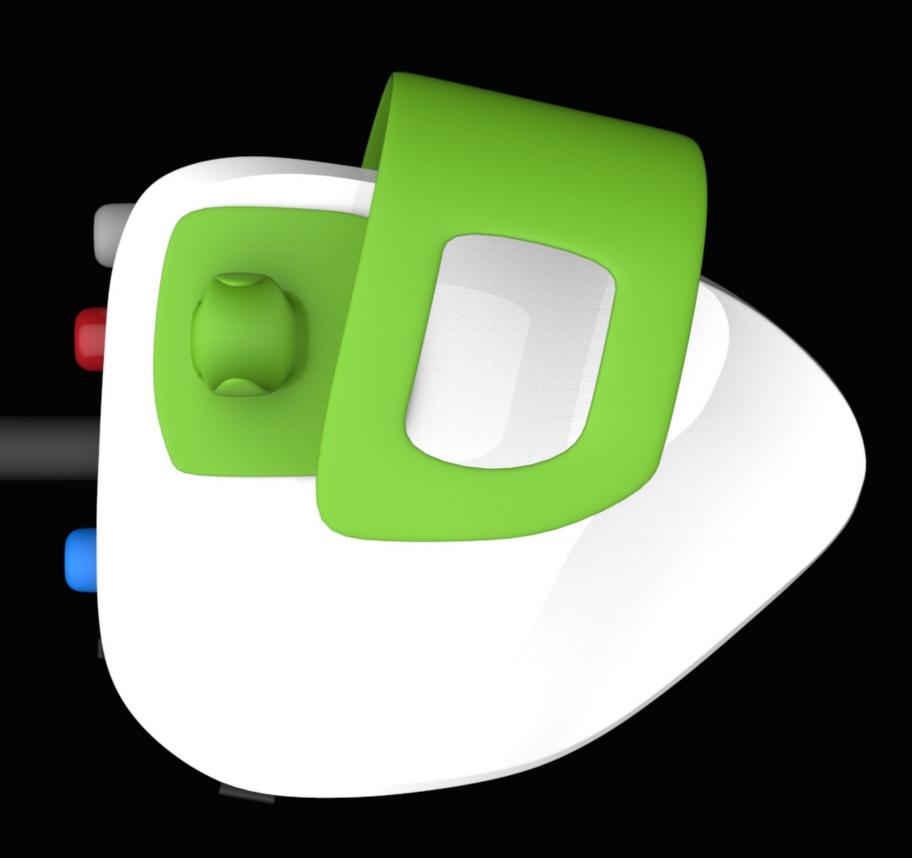


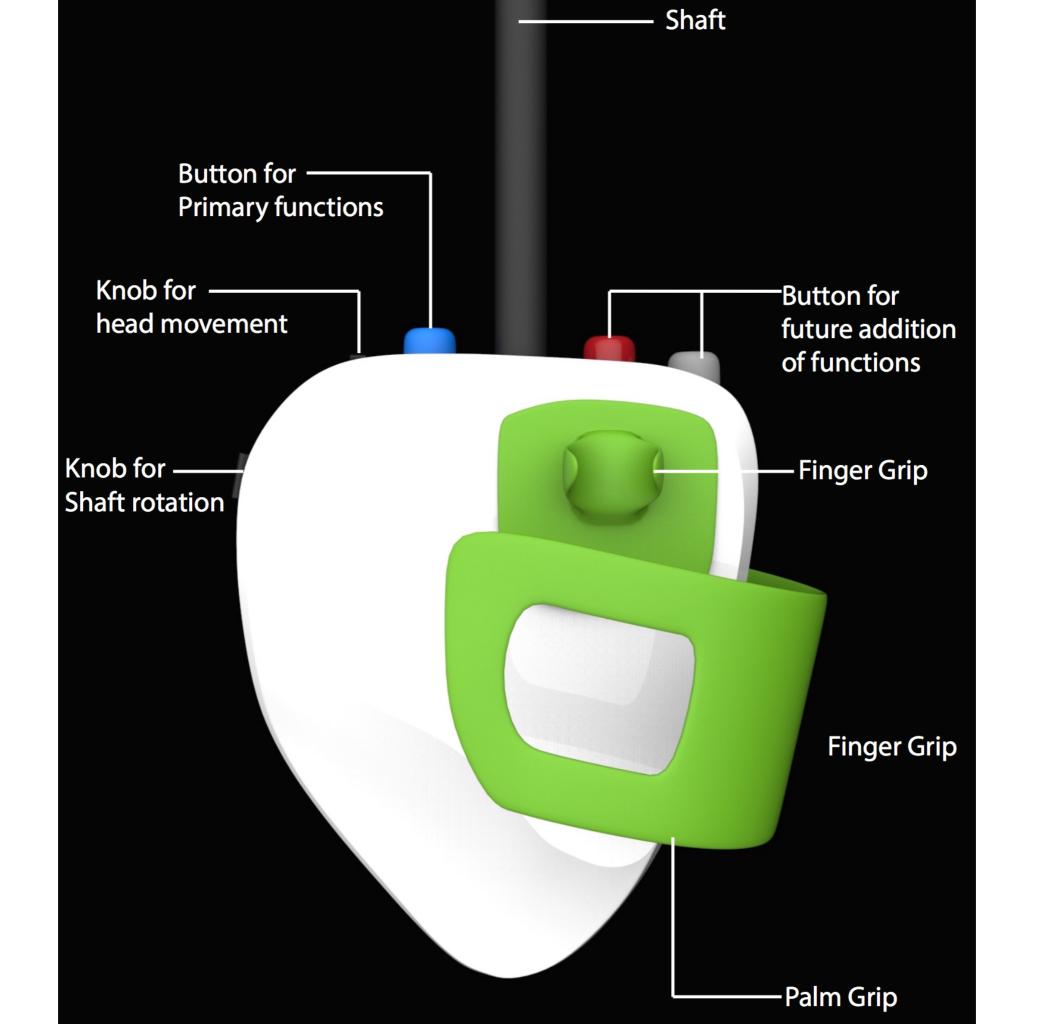


Final Color Palate



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Different Instruments







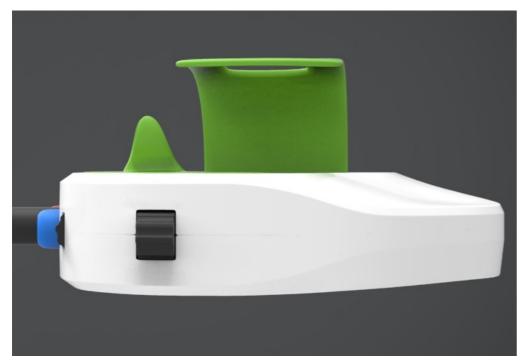
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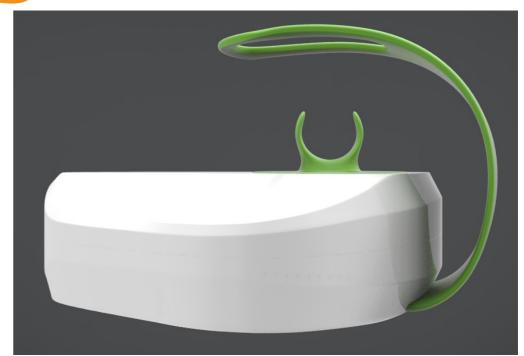
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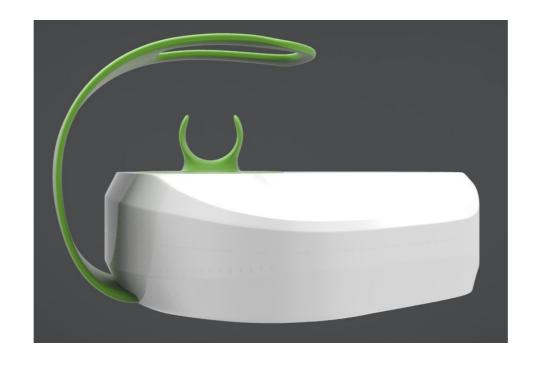


Device for Right-Handed





Device for Left-Handed



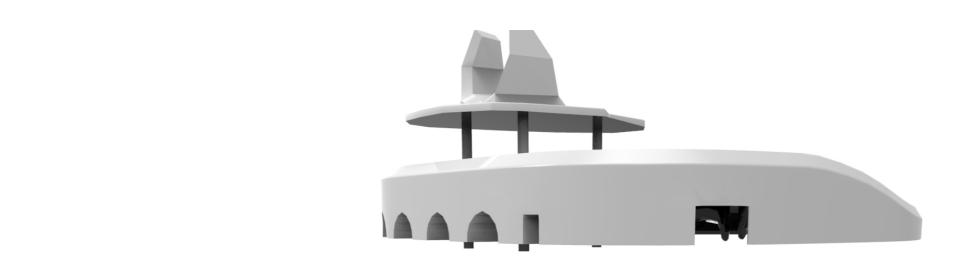
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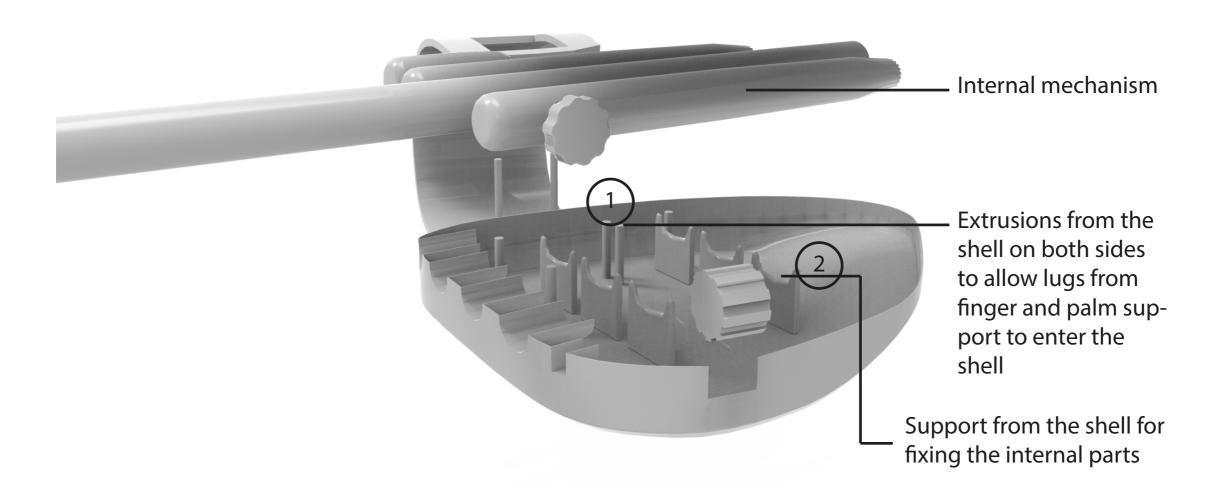
- Medical grade Nylon 12 would be used to create the device handle parts
- Medical grade SS304L and SS316L (biocompatible materials) is to be used for making the internal parts of mechanism where metal parts are required.
- The finger grip and palm grip would be made of TPE (Thermoplastic Elastomer) for its flexible properties
- The device would be autoclaved for maintaining the hygiene standards

Costing

- The weight of the product comes to around 88 grams.
- Cost of medical grade Nylon 12 is around Rs. 450
- So the material cost would be around for 88 grams would be around Rs. 50.
- But since setup cost would be high along with cost of dies and moulds, we estimate that taking all factors into consideration, it would be around 5 times the of base material. So material cost would be around Rs. 250
- If some parts are micro-machined high precision metal parts, the cost can be roughly accounted as Rs. 1000, double that of plastic parts.
- So the cost of the device along with other miscellaneous cost comes to be around Rs. 1500.
- Rough sale price of the device can be around Rs. 3000 Rs. 5000

Manufacturing Details





Branding

1) Xhand

² Xhand

3 Xhand



Branding



Comparison of devices

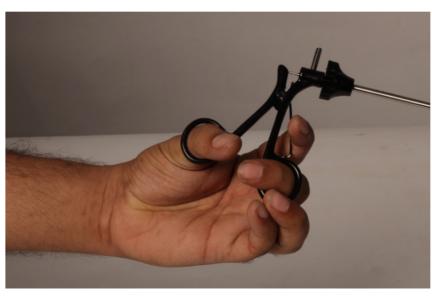






Comparison of devices











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