• **Title**: Preventing Weightlifting Injuries by Barbell Modifications, Weightlifting Injuries, BME301

• **Date**: 3/15/24-3/21/24

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- **Problem statement**: Over one million weightlifters each year experience weightlifting injuries that put them in the emergency room. Of these one million, 18-46% are reported to be caused by bench pressing a barbell. Our team's task is to create a marketable system that increases safety for lifting, specifically bench pressing.
- **Brief status update**: Peer evaluations are complete and the team is working on making a prototype in time for show and tell.
- **Difficulties / advice requests**: No difficulties or advice requests for this coming week
- **Current design**: We are thinking about going with a barbell attachment that will use radar to calculate the movement of the barbell during the lift.

Design	Full barbell		Barbell attachment		Full suit + VR		
Safety (25)	4/5	20	5/5	25	5/5	25	
Ease of Use (20)	4/5	16	5/5	20	2/5	8	
Uniqueness (20)	3/5	12	2/5	8	5/5	20	
Marketability (20)	3/5	12	4/5	16	5/5	20	
Cost (10)	3/5	6	5/5	10	1/5	2	
Ease of Fabrication (5)	2/5	2	4/5	4	1/5	1	
Overall Score:	68		83		76		

Technology	Radar/Lidar		Accelerometer		IMU	
	HC-	\$ 0.04 \$ 5.00 \$ 5.00 \$ 7.00 \$				
Accuracy (25)	5/5	25	4/5	20	3/5	15
Reliability (25)	3/5	15	4/5	20	4/5	20
Marketability (20)	5/5	20	2/5	8	3/5	12
Cost (15)	2/5	6	4/5	12	3/5	9
Ease of Fabrication (10)	2/5	4	4/5	8	3/5	6

Safety (5)	5/5	5	5/5	5	5/5	5
Overall Score:	75		72		67	

Materials and expenses: a concise accounting of the amounts and types of expenses incurred on the project. Use the template provided here:
http://bmedesign.engr.wisc.edu/course/resources/#bpaq

Item	Description	Manufact urer	Mft Pt#	Vendor	Vendor Cat#	Date	Q T Y	Cost Each	Total	Link
Ultrasonio	Sensors									
CUI				CUI						
Ultrasonic	Ultrasonic Sensor	CUI		Devices		3/14	2	\$6.70	\$22.93	<u>url</u>
Max		Max		MaxBot						
Ultrasonic	Ultrasonic Sensor	Sonar		ix		3/14	2	\$29.95	\$68.95	<u>url</u>
Category 2										
									\$0.00	
									\$0.00	
								TOTAL		
								:	\$91.88	

- Major team goals for the next week: Have a good spring break!
- **Next week's individual goals**: A concise statement of intended action to continue progress on the project be specific, i.e. what will you research.

Kaden: Develop ideas for sensor mounting system

Jacob: Work on the "triangulation" of the ultrasonic sensor

Nolan: Figure out what fabrication help I can provide the team when getting back from

break.

James: Work on circuitry, specifically with power supply and transmitters.

Project Goal Deadline Assigned Progress Completed

Initial meeting with client	1/31	Team	100%	Y
Gather research/project information	2/2	Team	100%	Υ
Product Design Specification (PDS)	2/8	Team	100%	Υ
Design Matrix	2/15	Team	100%	Υ
Preliminary Presentation PDF	2/26	Team	100%	Υ
Preliminary Report	3/1	Team	100%	Υ
Order/Gather Materials	3/20	Team	30%	N
Create prototypes, test	4/22	Team		
Final fabrication	4/22	Team		
Test and finalize final design	4/22	Team		
Poster Presentation PDF	4/22	Team		
Final Report	5/1	Team		
Final Notebook Team	5/1	Team		

• Previous week's goals and accomplishments:

Team: This past week the team researched different design components for purchasing list.

Kaden: Worked on show and tell and researched sensor mounting options

Jacob: Fabricated rudimentary prototype for show and tell and conducted error testing for the ultrasonic sensors.

Nolan: Worked on creating a fabrication protocol with the team.

James: Created cardboard model of design from protocol and worked with Jacob to set up the sensors and code for them.

Activities: a concise accounting of time spent working on the project.

	Kaden	Jacob	Nolan	James
Week 1	2.5hrs	2.5 hrs	3 hrs	2.5 hrs
Week 2	2 hrs	1.5 hrs	2 hrs	1.5 hrs

Week 3	1.5 hrs	1.5 hrs	1.5 hrs	1hr
Week 4	2.5 hrs	2 hrs	1.5 hrs	1hr
Week 5	2 hrs	1.5 hrs	1.5 hrs	1.5 hrs
Week 6	2.5 hrs	3 hrs	2 hrs	2.5 hrs
Week 7	1.5 hrs	1.5 hrs	1.5 hrs	1.5 hrs
Week 8	2 hrs	5 hrs	2 hrs	3.5 hrs