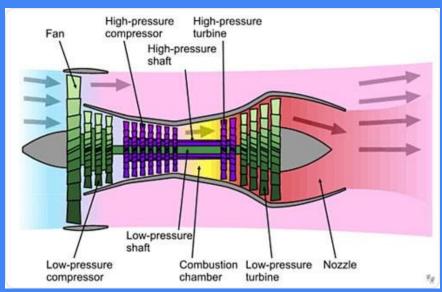
# Thermodynamic Demo Unit 1B

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# **Project Description**

To design a brayton cycle consisting of a high bypass turbofan for thermodynamics educational uses

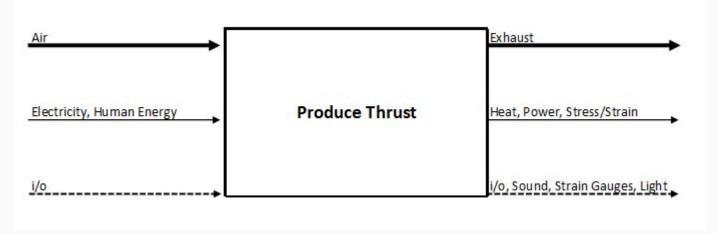
Client: David Willy

The team plans to design and construct a working 8:1 Bypass Ratio for the Brayton Cycle

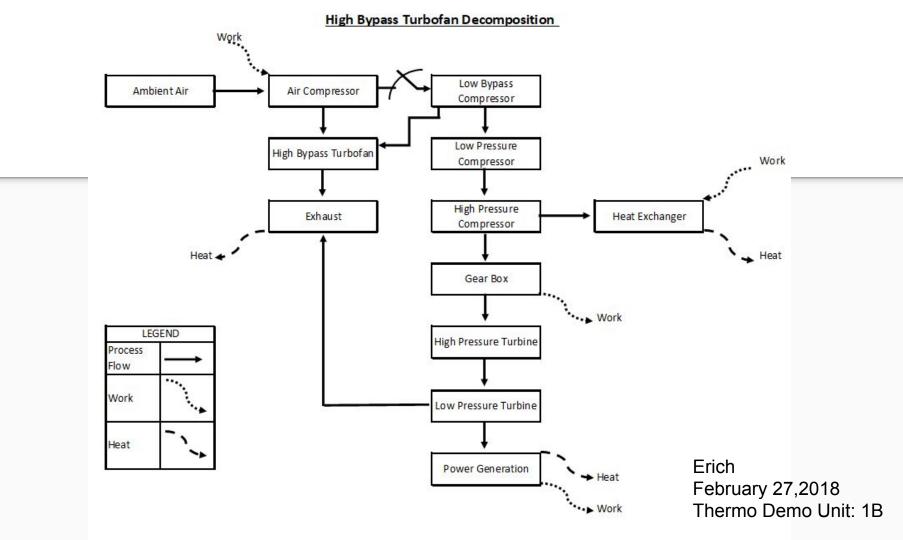
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# **Project Decomposition**

#### Black Box Model



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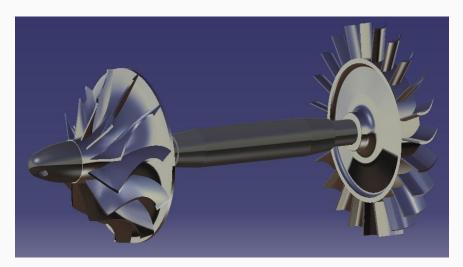


# Researched Designs

## Current Rolls Royce Trent Engine



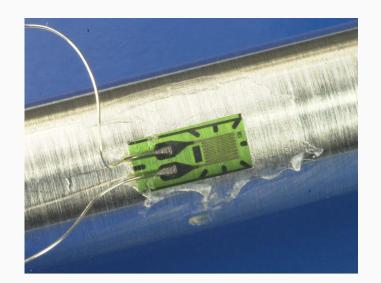
#### **Double Shaft**



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# Data Acquisition

**Strain Sensors** 



#### Pitot Static Tube



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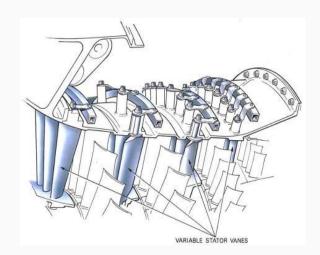
## **Stator Blades**

#### Located on Inner Casing

Easier to construct and implement

#### **Located on Shaft**

Complicates design with rotational shaft



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## Gear Box

#### No Gearbox

Loss of work from driving shaft

Cheaper and less work required to implement

Demonstrates the power output from aerodynamic thrust

### <u>Gearbox</u>

Added Aerodynamic drag

Control of Gear ratios to display Turbofan gearboxes

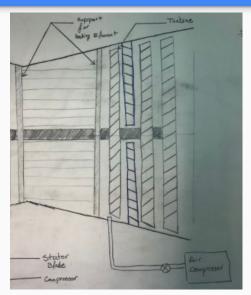


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## **Combustion Chamber**

- Heat will be added with a heating element run longitudinally through the combustion chamber
- **Issue:** 3D printer filament has a glass transition temperature of 105 °C

**Solution**: Compressed air will be used simulated the isobaric expansion usually accomplished by combustion





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## **Decision Matrix**

		Stator Blade on casing	Stator Blade on shaft	Gear box	No Gear box
		Concept 1	Concept 2	Concept 5	Concept 6
Criteria	Weight				
Work Output	5	S	S	+	-
Isentropic Efficiency	3	+	ie.	+	
Thermal Capacity	2	S	S	S	S
Volume	3	S	S	+	-
Data acquisisition	5	S	S	S	S
Cost	3	S	S	+	-
Aerodynamic	4	S	S	9 <u>4</u> 7	+
Internal Velocity	3	S	S		+

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# Proposed Design

Pitot Static Tubes

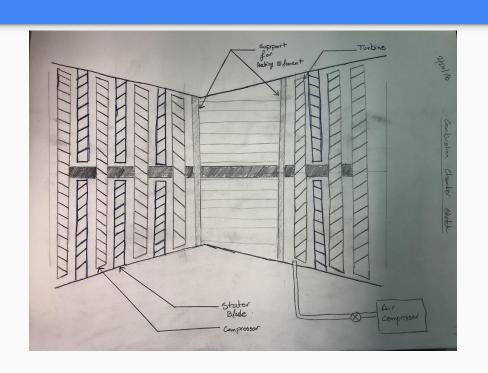
Thermocouple

4:3 Compressor to Turbine Ratio

Hot Wire Cutter for heating element

8:1 Bypass Ratio

No Gear box



# **GANTT**

		2/6 - 2/8	2/13 - 2/15	2/20 - 2/22	2/27 - 3/1
		Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
Task	Assigned				
Team Charter	All				
Peer Eval 1	All				
Presentation 1	All	Presentation 1			
Website	Brendan				Website
Conceptual Report	All		Conceptual Report		
Presentation 2	All				Presentation 2
Analyses Memo	All				
Website 2	Brendan				

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## Schedule

Milestones:

3D Benchmark Prototype: March 16

Compressor Blade Design: May 4

Turbine Blade Design: May 4

Heating Element Designed and Built: March 16

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# Budget

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Material	Cost per Unit	Estimated Amount	Total \$
Strain Gauge	\$175	1	\$ 175.00
Colored 3D Printer Filament	\$25	10	\$ 250.00
Clear 3D Printer Filament	\$20	2	\$ 40.00
LED Lightbulb	\$7.50	1	\$ 7.50
Wiring	\$1	1	\$ 1.00
Air Compressor w/ 2 Gal Tank	\$75	1	\$ 75.00
Pressure Regulator	\$15	1	\$ 15.00
Brushless DC Generator	\$15	1	\$ 15.00
Heating Element	\$30	1	\$ 30.00
Tubing and Connections	\$20	1	\$ 20.00
1/2" Aluminum Shafts	\$10	1	\$ 10.00
Gearing for Gear Box	\$50	1	\$ 50.00
Thermal Couplers	\$4	5	\$ 20.00
Pressure Gauges	\$7.50	2	\$ 15.00
Material for Pitot Tube	\$10	4	\$ 40.00
Miscellaneous Expenses	\$50	1	\$ 50.00
		Estimated Total:	\$ 813.50

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