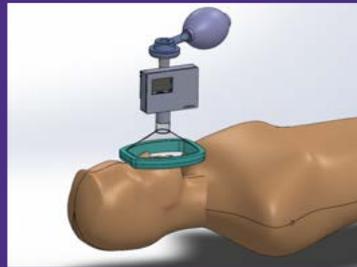


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Background

Challenge

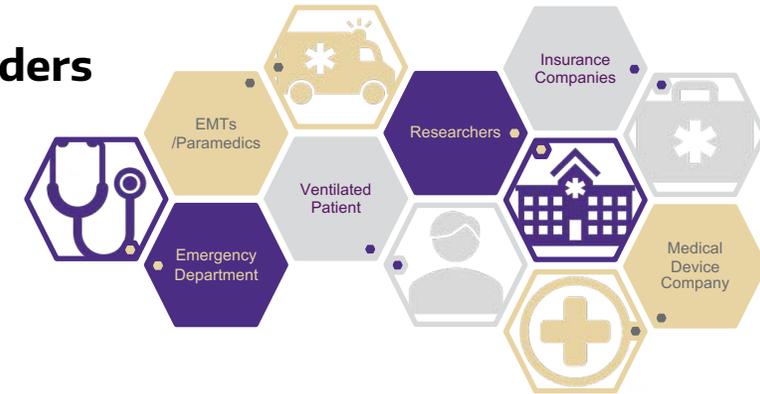
Capnography tells first responders **vital information** about patients (perfusion & ventilation) and **helps with intubation** but can be **obstructive**.

Problem

Improper ventilation results in increased stays in the ICU, costing about **\$790M/Year**

Stakeholders

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Patients monitored with ETCO2 = 790,000 in 2016
 Market = **\$500M**

Existing Solutions

| | | |
|--|---|---|
| Mainstream Capnography (Masimo EMMA)  | No wiring Minimal profile | No pressure/flow rate measurement No data transmission |
| Side stream Capnography (Medtronic Capnostream 35)  | Multifunctionality/ comprehensive data display | No pressure/flow rate measurement Obstructive components |
| Comprehensive Monitoring Unit (Stryker LIFEPAK 15)  | Multifunctionality/ comprehensive data display Compatible with other technology | No pressure/flow rate measurement Obstructive components |

Unmet Need

A way to eliminate wiring of current capnography technology (EtCO₂), and provide more information to EMTs in the pre-hospital setting to optimize patient care and reduce complications in transport.

Solution must:

1. Monitor EtCO₂
2. Monitor pressure and volumetric flow rate
3. Wirelessly transmit data
4. Have minimally obtrusive components

Design Specifications

1. Be compatible with the pre-hospital environment
2. Provide accurate feedback on ventilation quality
3. Display data intuitively

Design Concept

Prototype

Purple = 3D Printed
Gold = Custom
Black = Off the Shelf

← Faceplate

← OLED Screen

← PCB/Electronics

← Bluetooth module

← IR Emitter & Detector

← Sensor Casing

← Airway Adaptor

← Battery

Results

Pressure Testing

Flowrate Testing

Capnography Device

EMS Survey

EtCO₂ Testing

Future testing

Combined testing: all components integrated

Bluetooth Testing

Compare EtCO₂ values to measurements

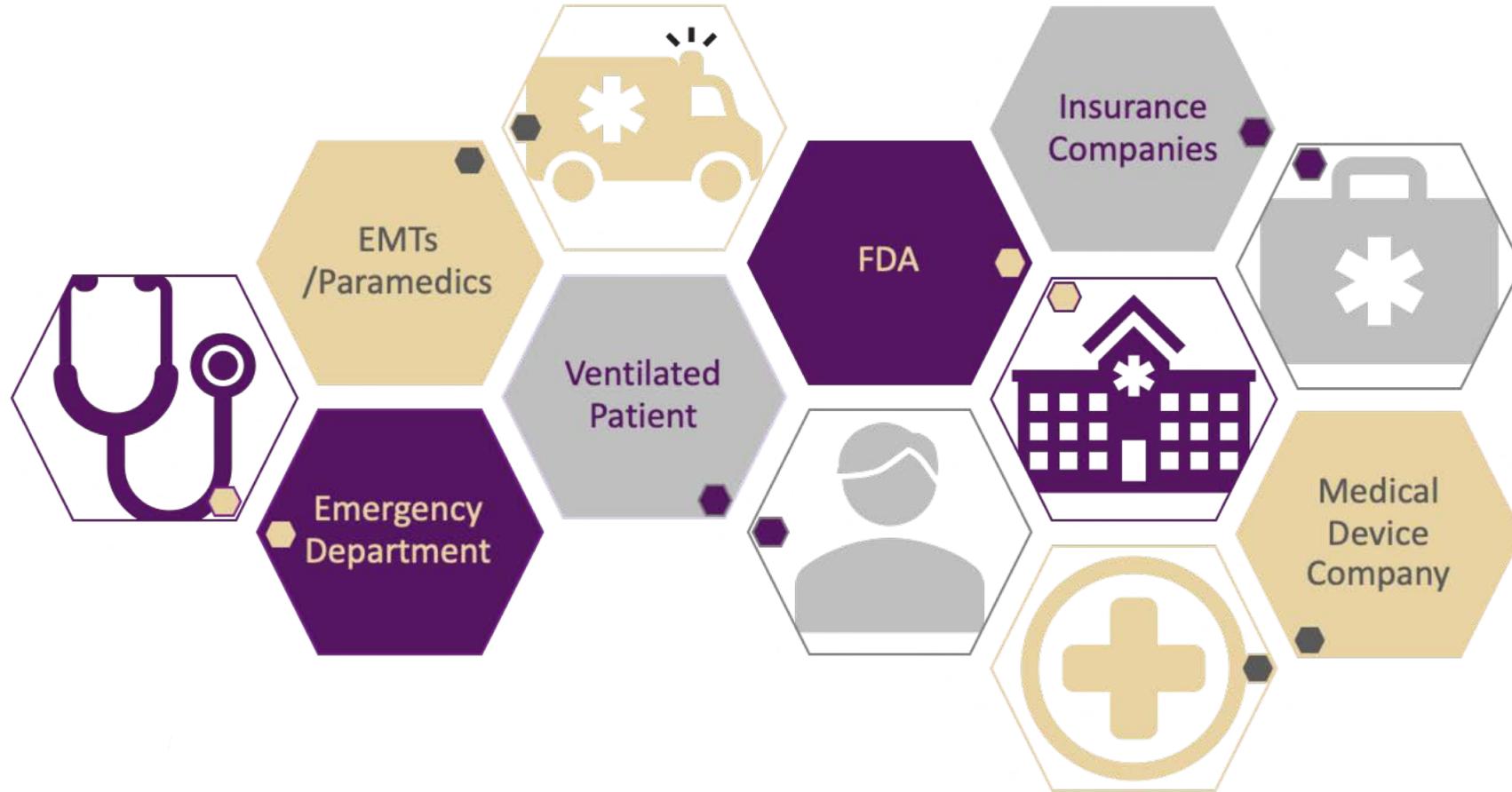
Summary

Incorporated pressure and flowrate readings into a mainstream capnography device that can wirelessly transmit data

Future

- Incorporate device into the clinical setting
- Verify the pressure, flow rate and CO₂ concentration readings

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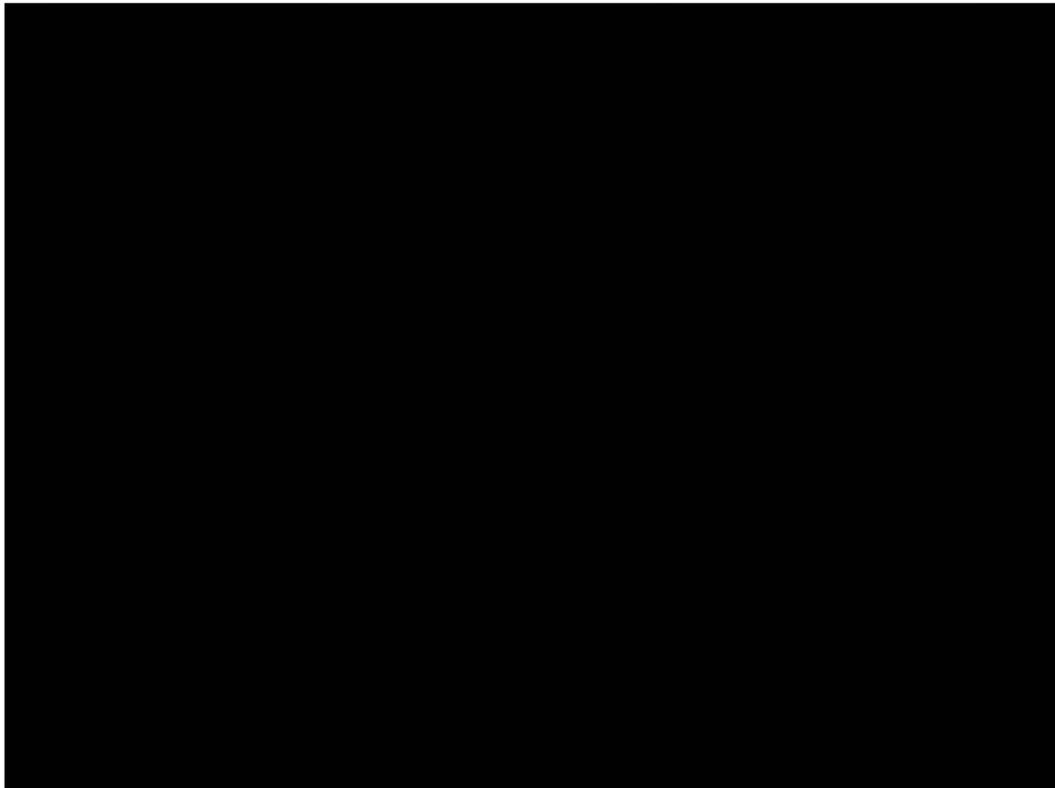
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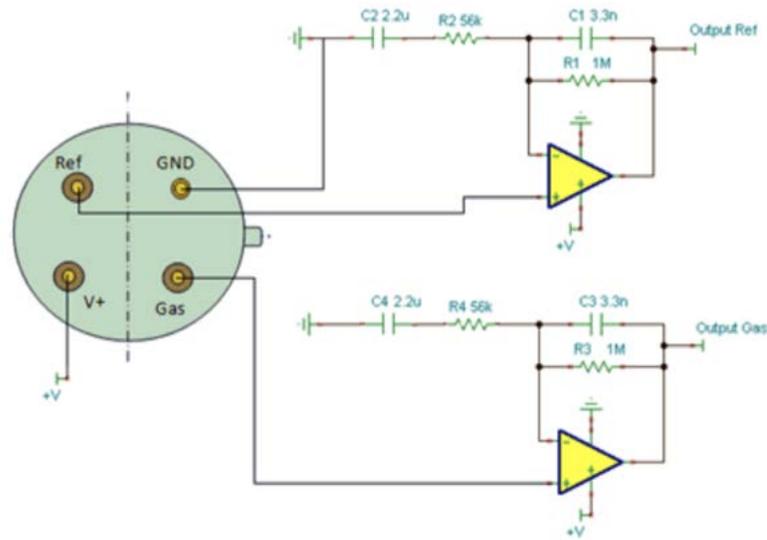
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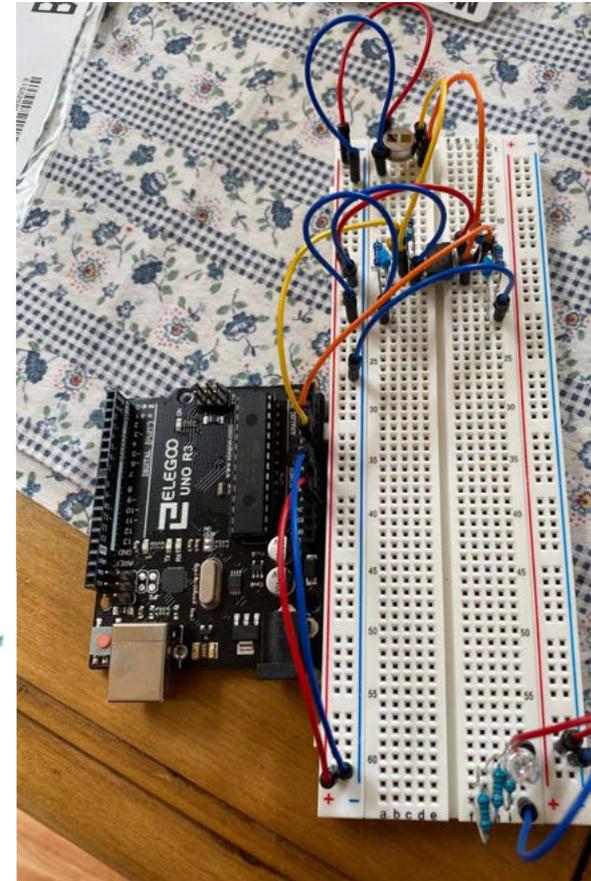
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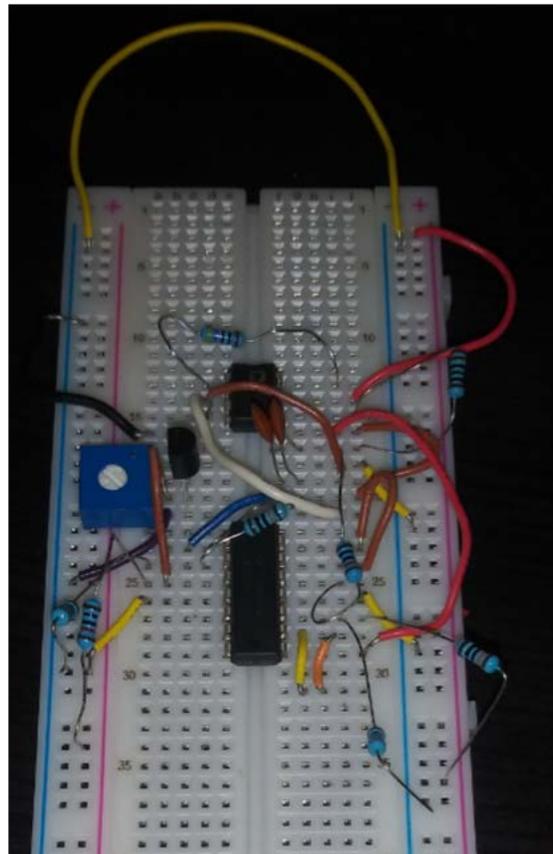


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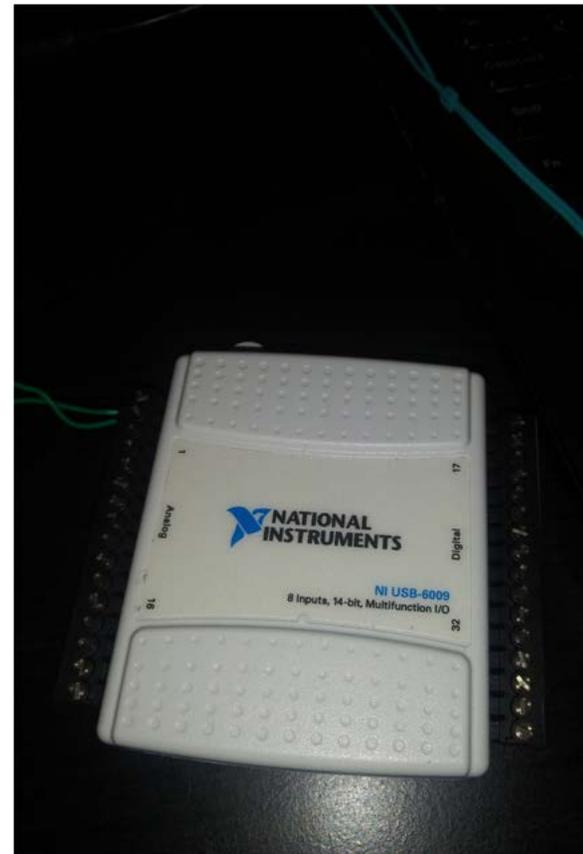
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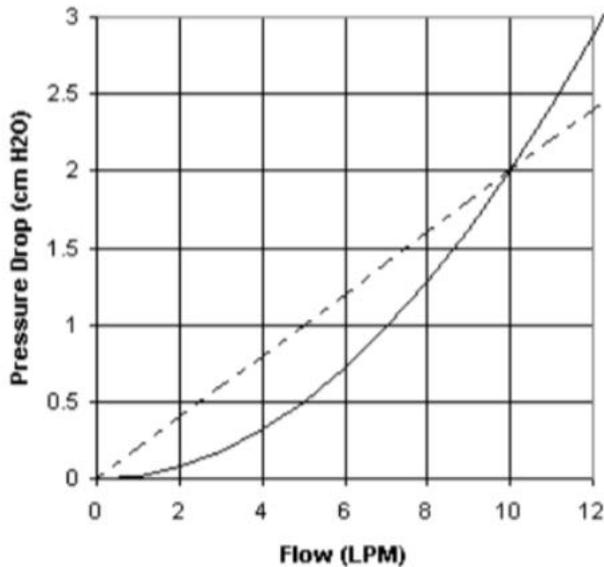
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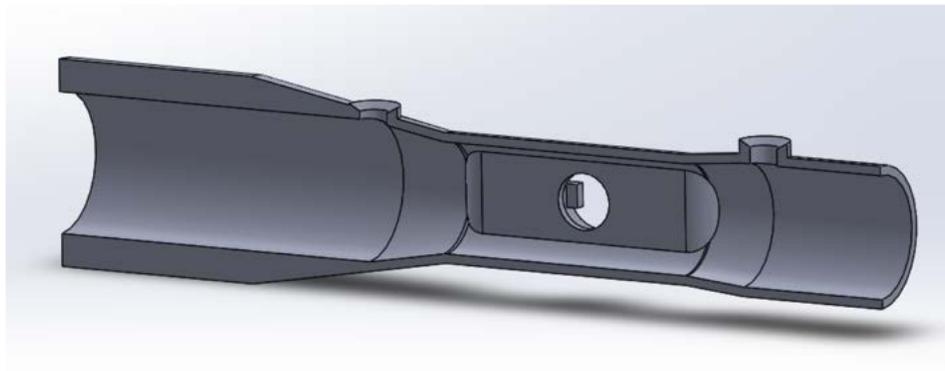


- **Minimize flow resistance**
- **Maximize differential pressure drop**
- **Determine necessity of entrance length**
 - **Laminar flow**

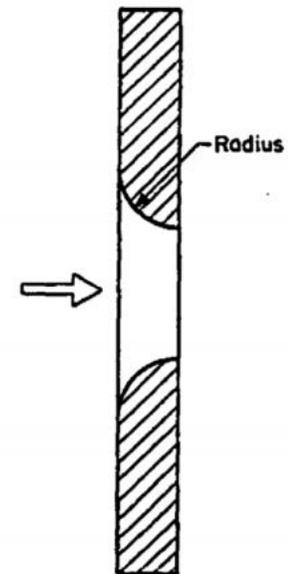
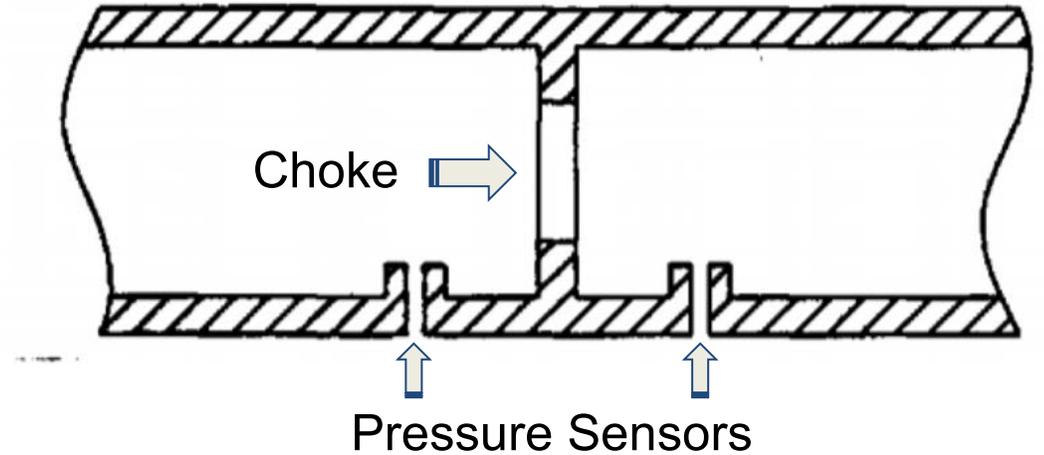


Flow vs. Pressure drop

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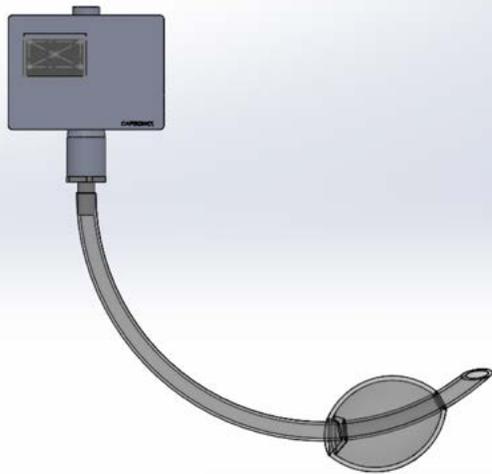


Cutaway of Airway Adapter Design

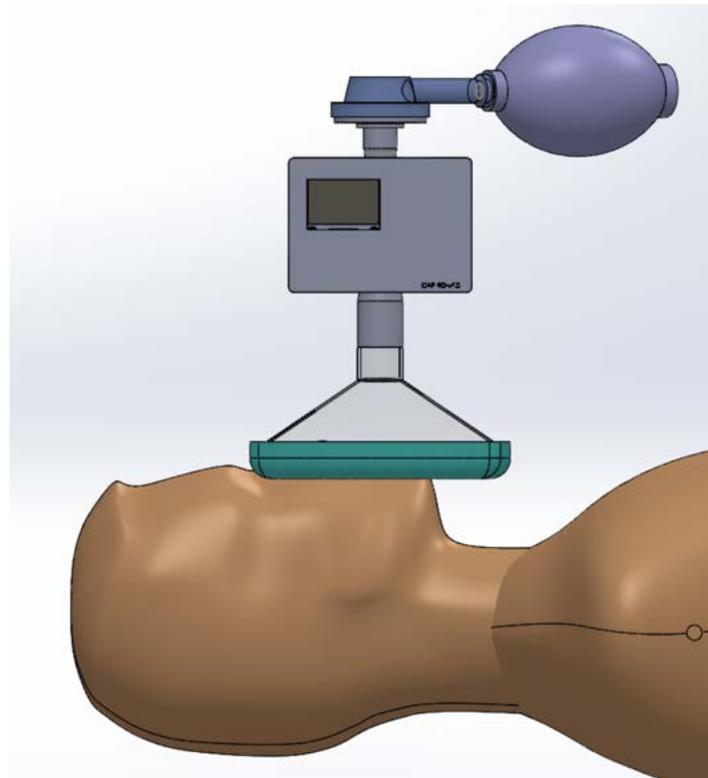


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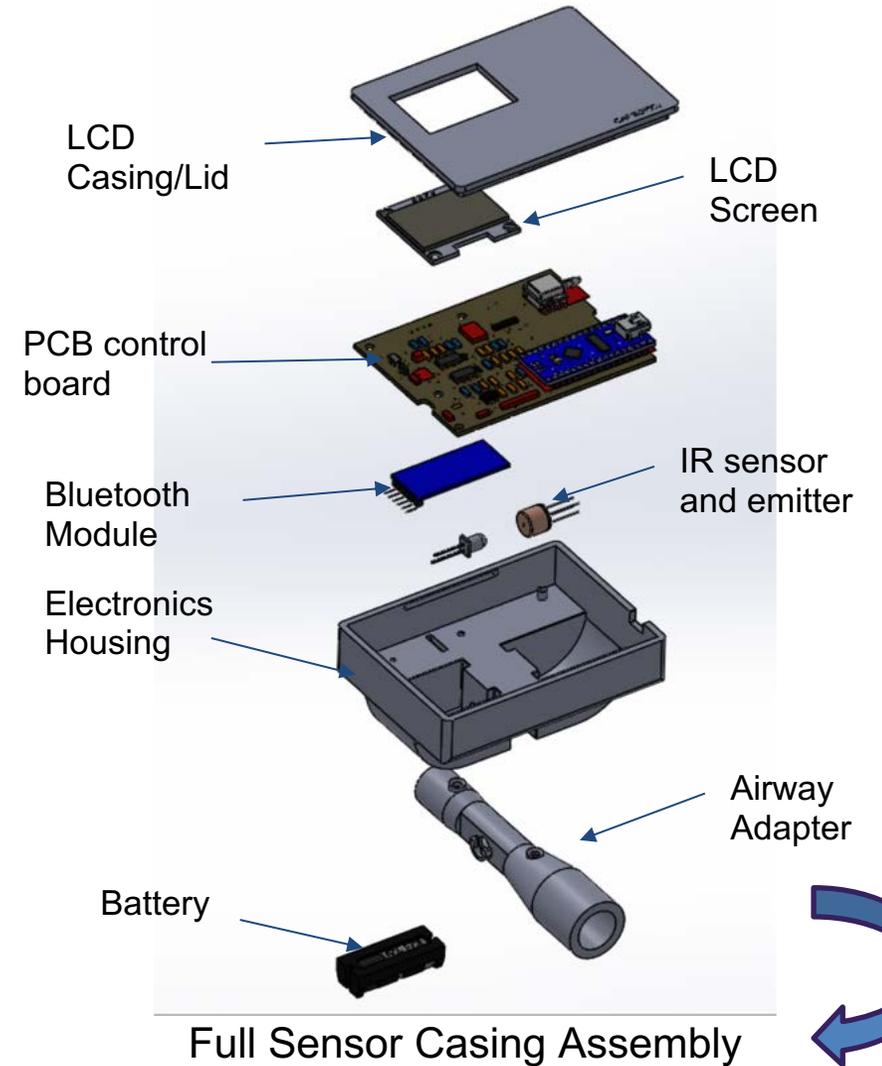
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Sensor with Intubation Tube



Sensor with Mask



C-O-You: End-Tidal CO₂ Monitoring

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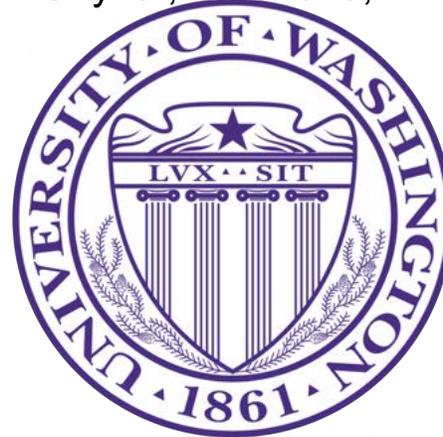
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Background: End Tidal CO₂

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Global Capnography Market = \$500M in 2018



Motivation

Problem 1:

Inconvenient, bulky and messy



Stryker LIFEPAK 15

Problem 2:

No real time feedback during manual ventilation



Manual ventilation of a patient

Cost of these problems = \$790M/Year



Current Solutions

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| Solutions Core Functions | Measures CO ₂ in Patients' Exhaled Breath | Monitors Pressure and Flow Rate | Wirelessly Transmits Data | Minimally Obtrusive Components | Collects/Stores Measurements |
|---|--|---------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Masimo EMMA  | ✓ | ✗ | ✗ | ✓ | ✗ |
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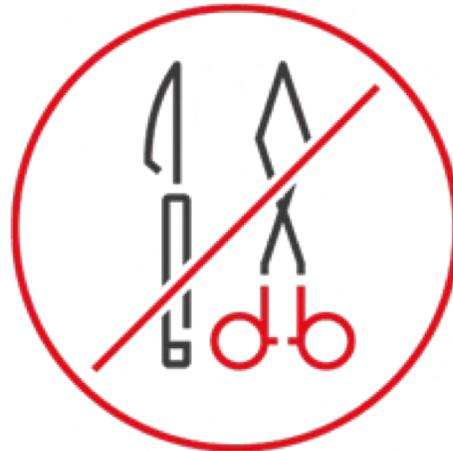
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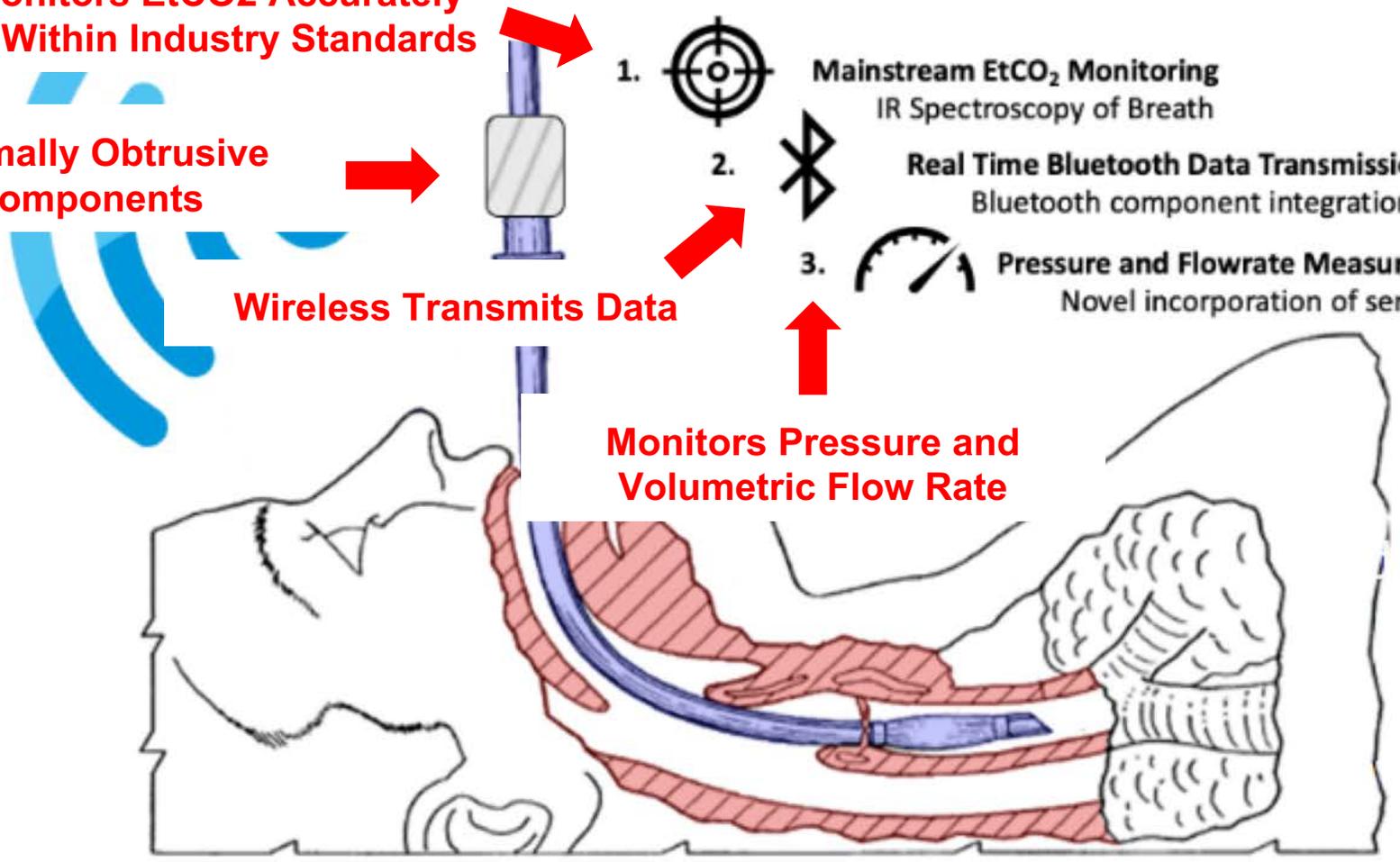
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- 1. **Mainstream EtCO₂ Monitoring**
IR Spectroscopy of Breath
- 2. **Real Time Bluetooth Data Transmission**
Bluetooth component integration
- 3. **Pressure and Flowrate Measurements**
Novel incorporation of sensors

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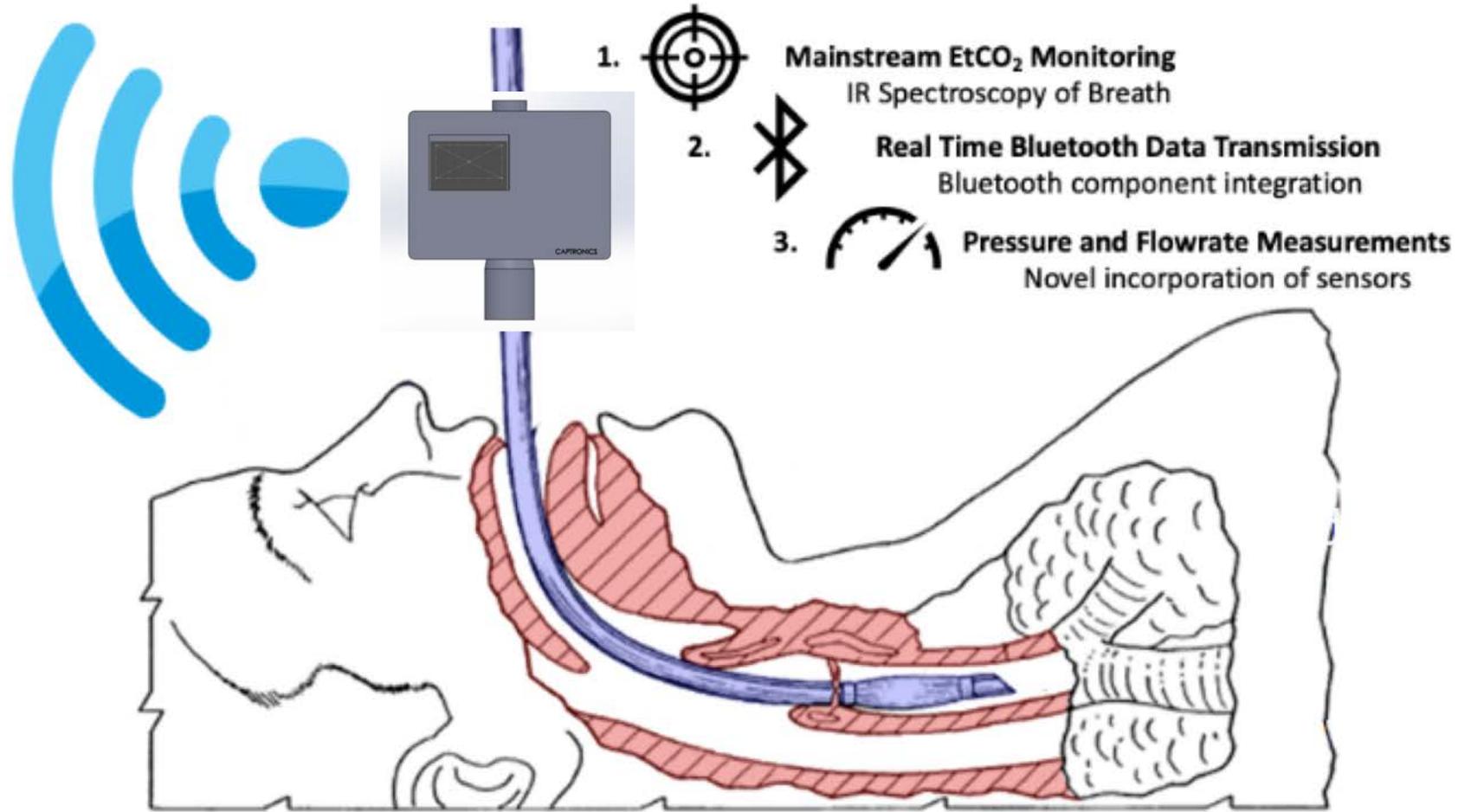


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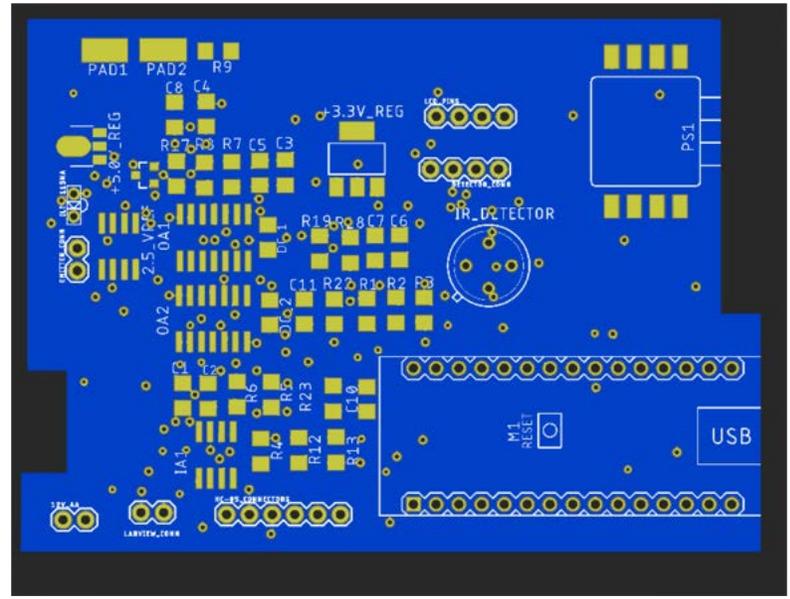
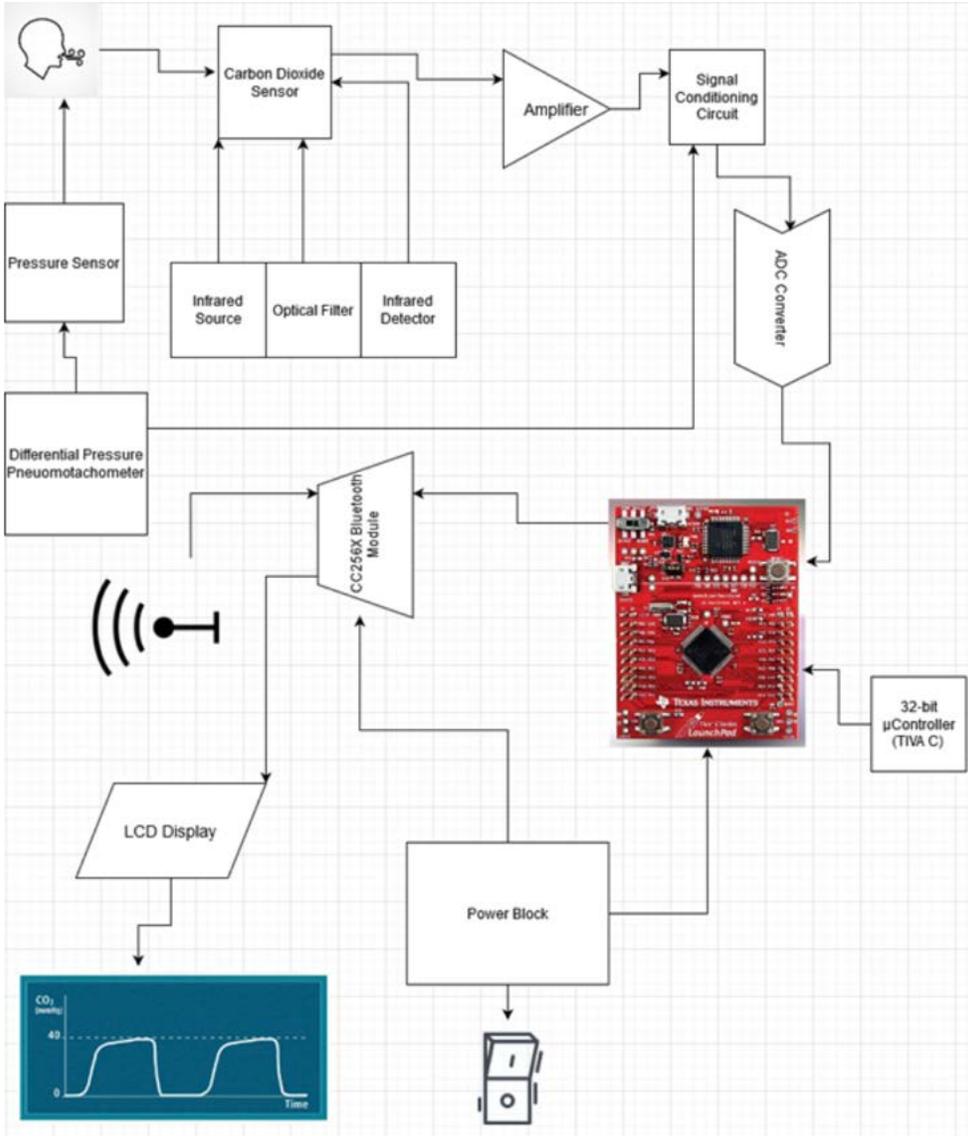
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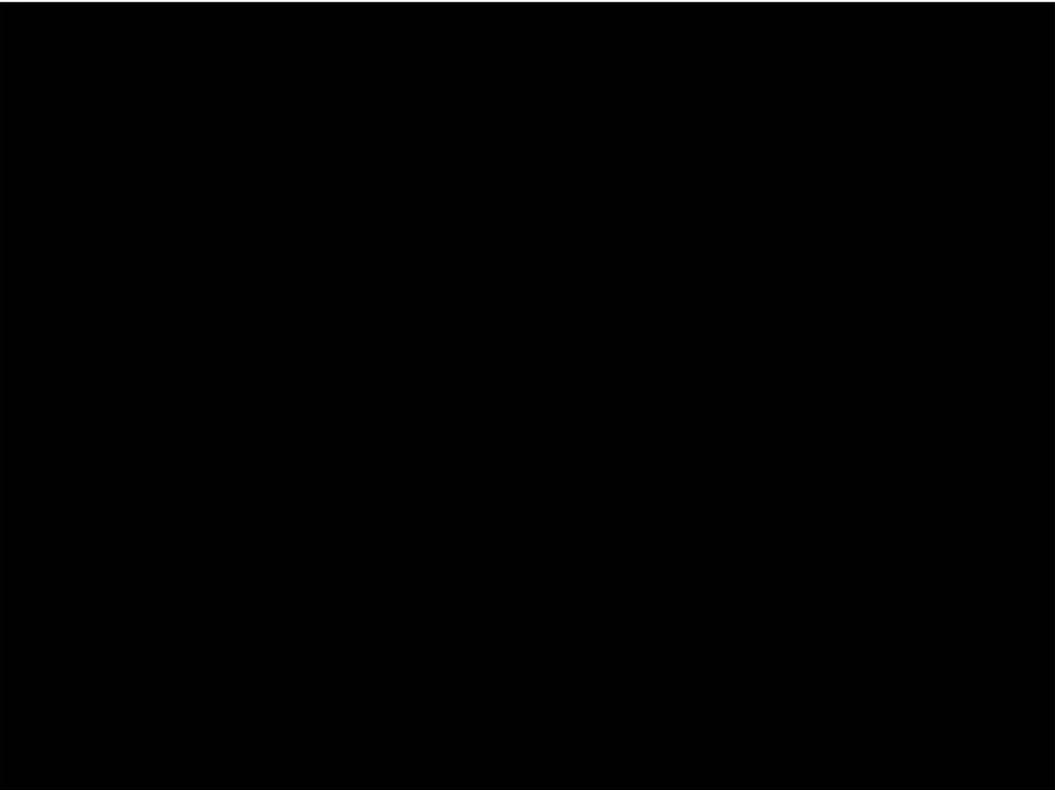
System Block Diagram

End-Tidal Carbon Dioxide Monitoring Device

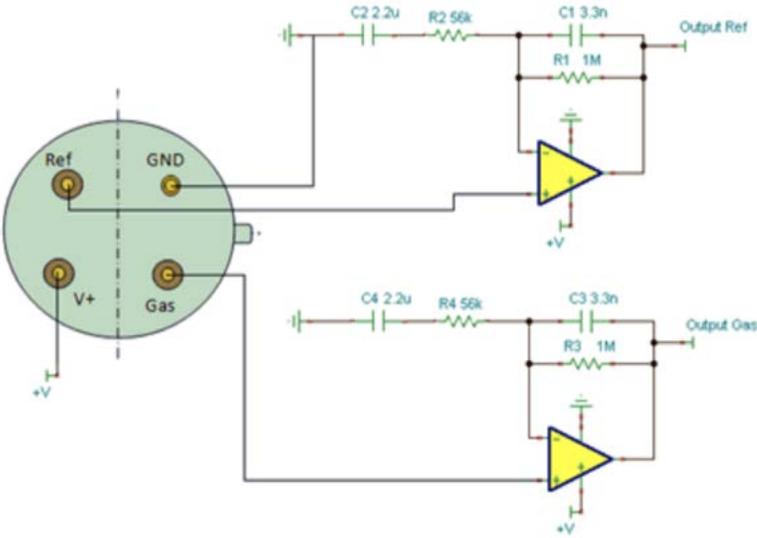


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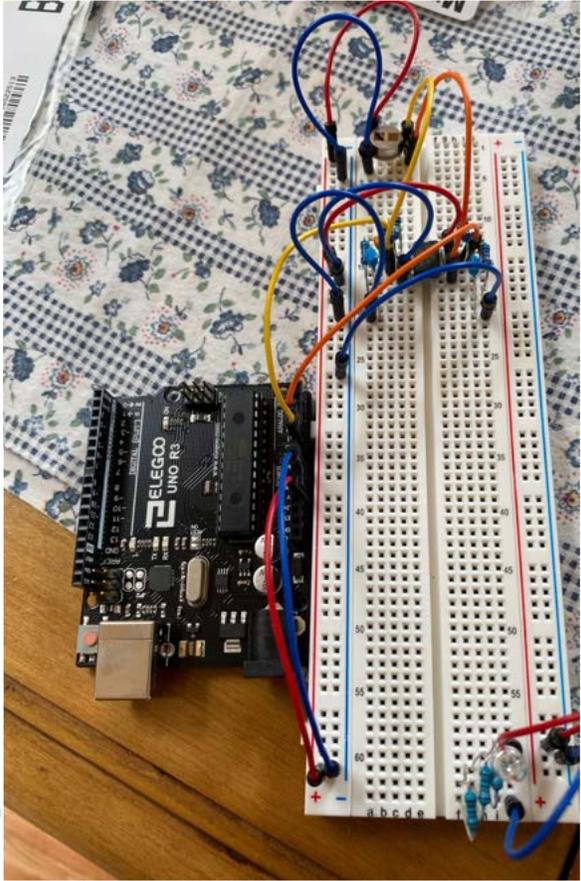
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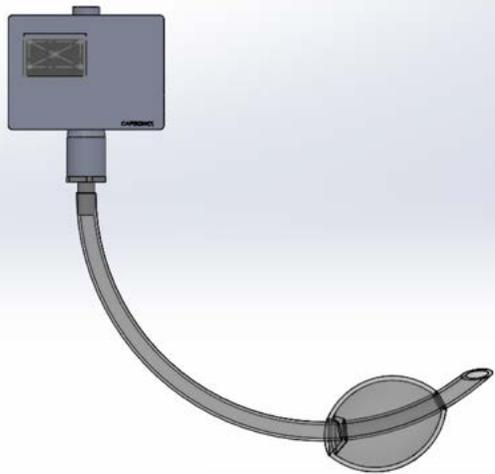


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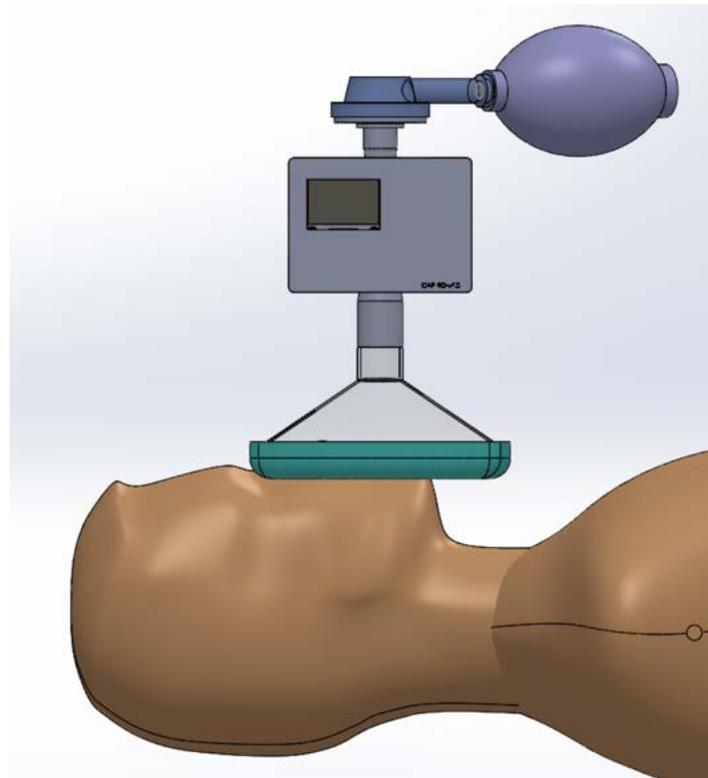
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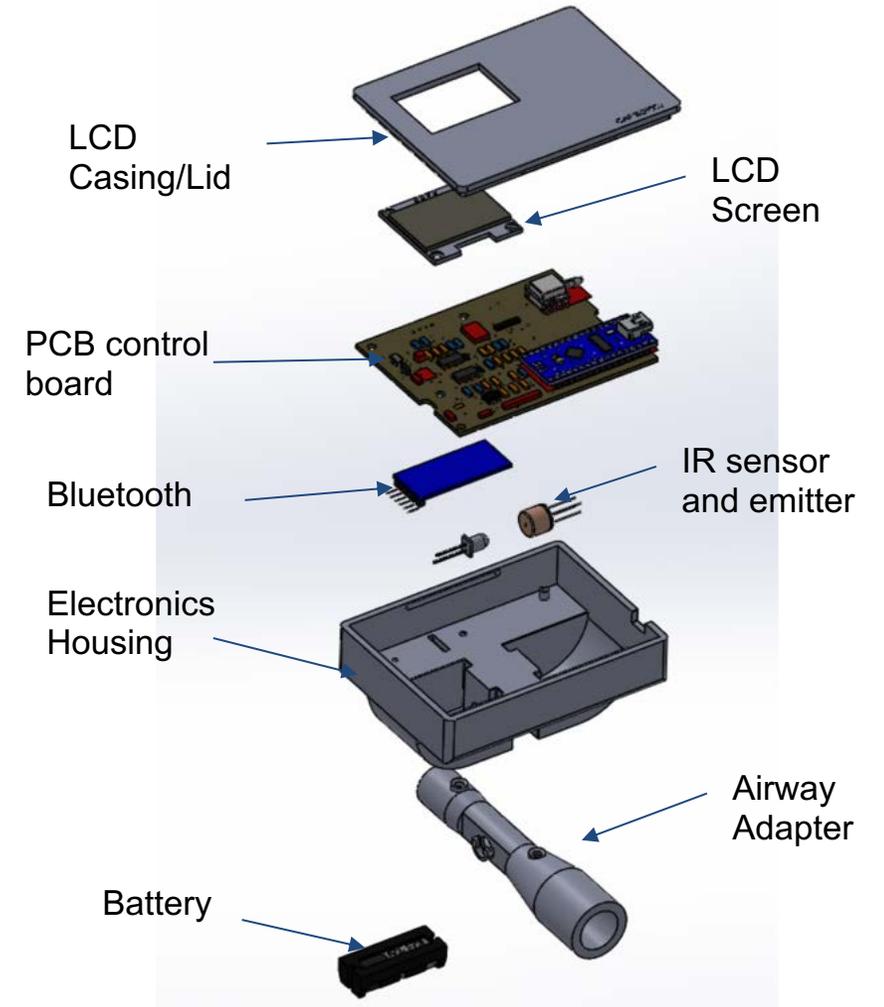
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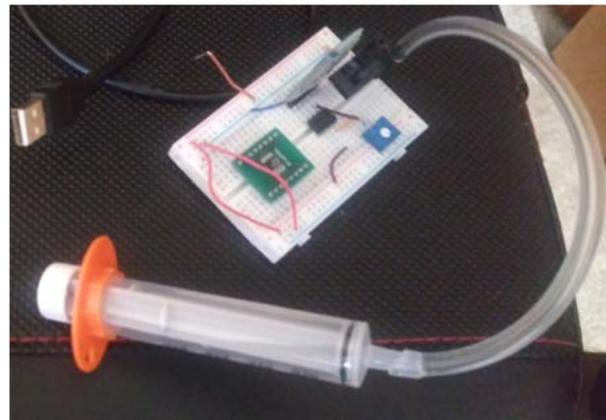


Full Sensor Casing Assembly

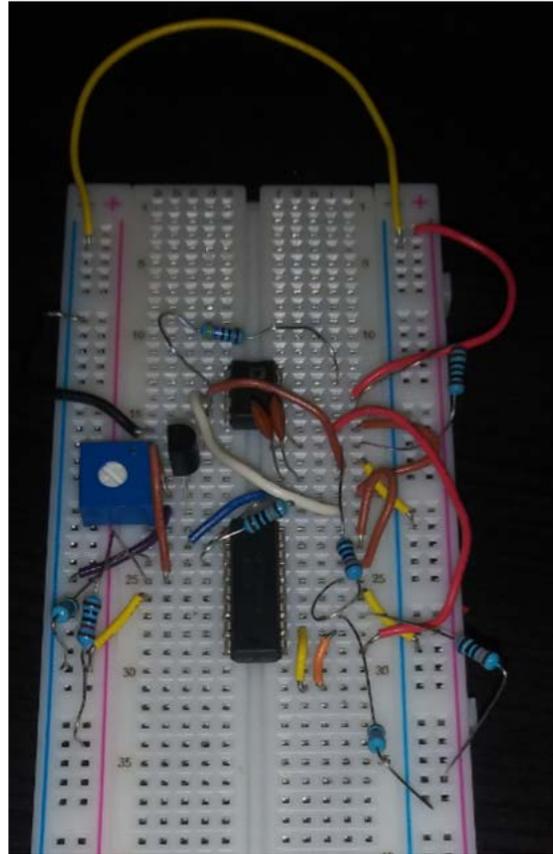


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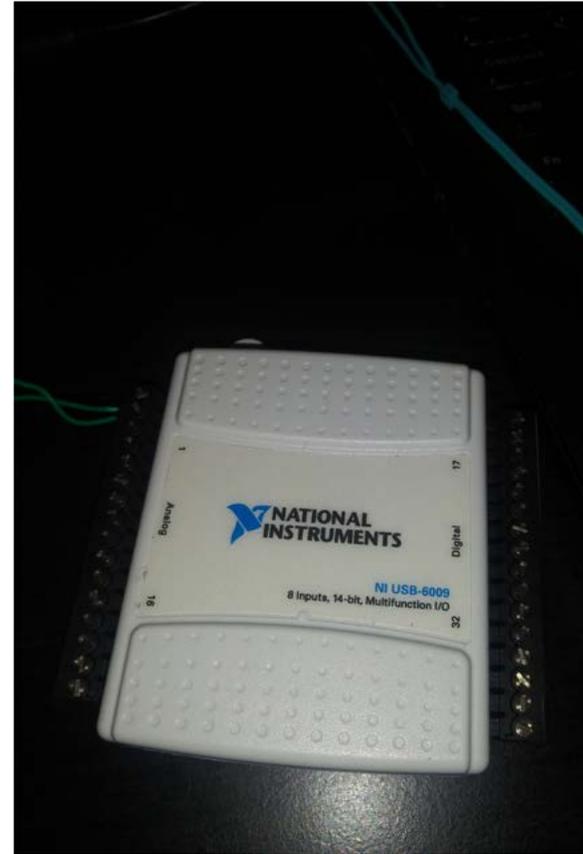
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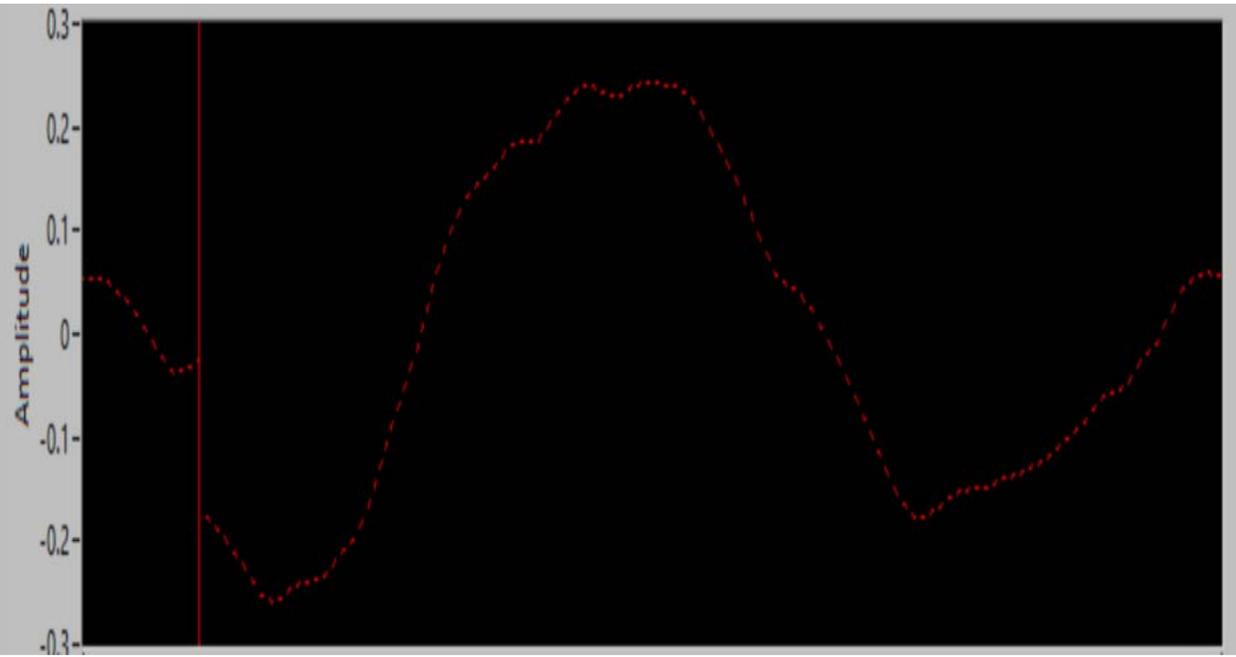


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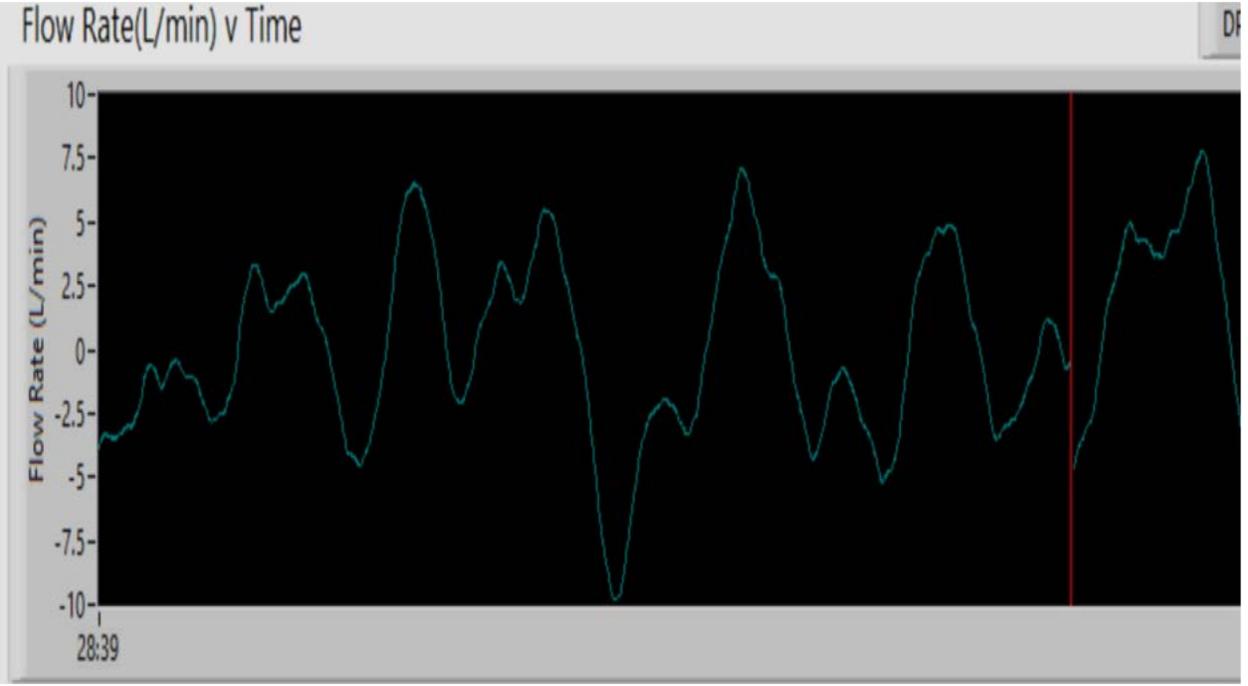
Testing: LabView Pressure/Flow Rate

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Pressure vs Time (Exhaled)

Ideal Range: 0-15 psi
Our Results: 0-4 Psi



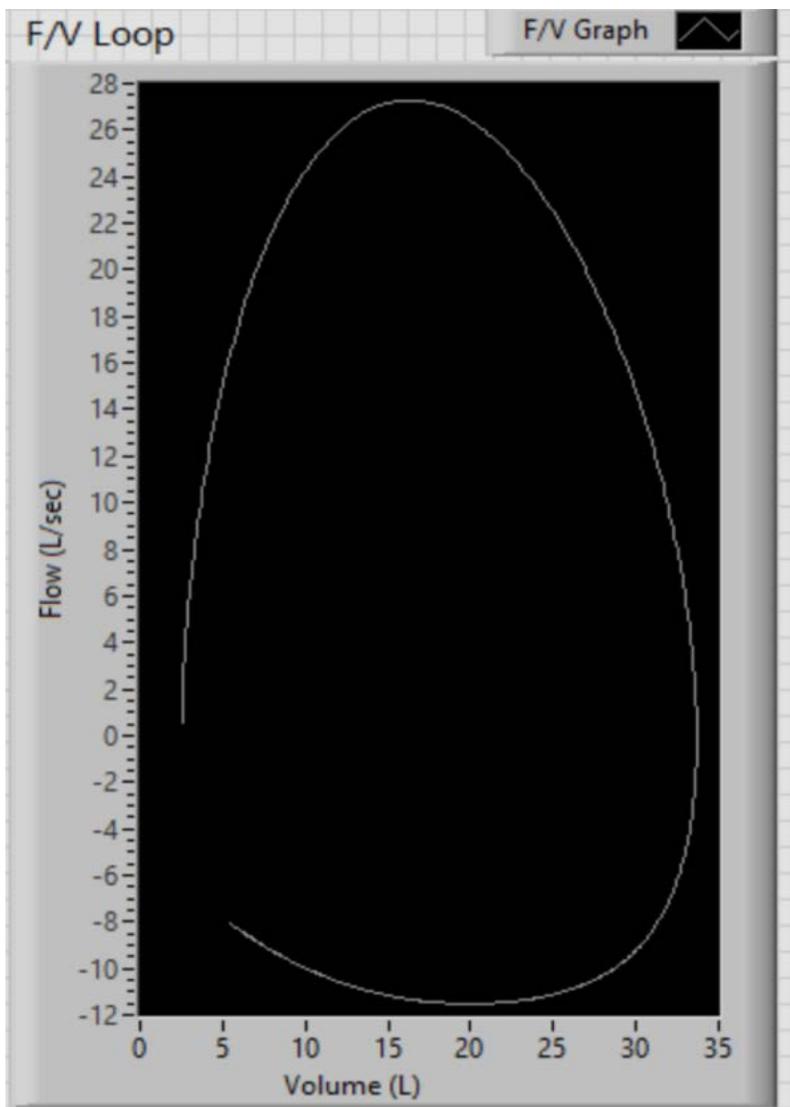
Flow Rate vs Time
(several breaths)

Ideal Range: 400-700 L/min
Our Results: 0-10 L/min

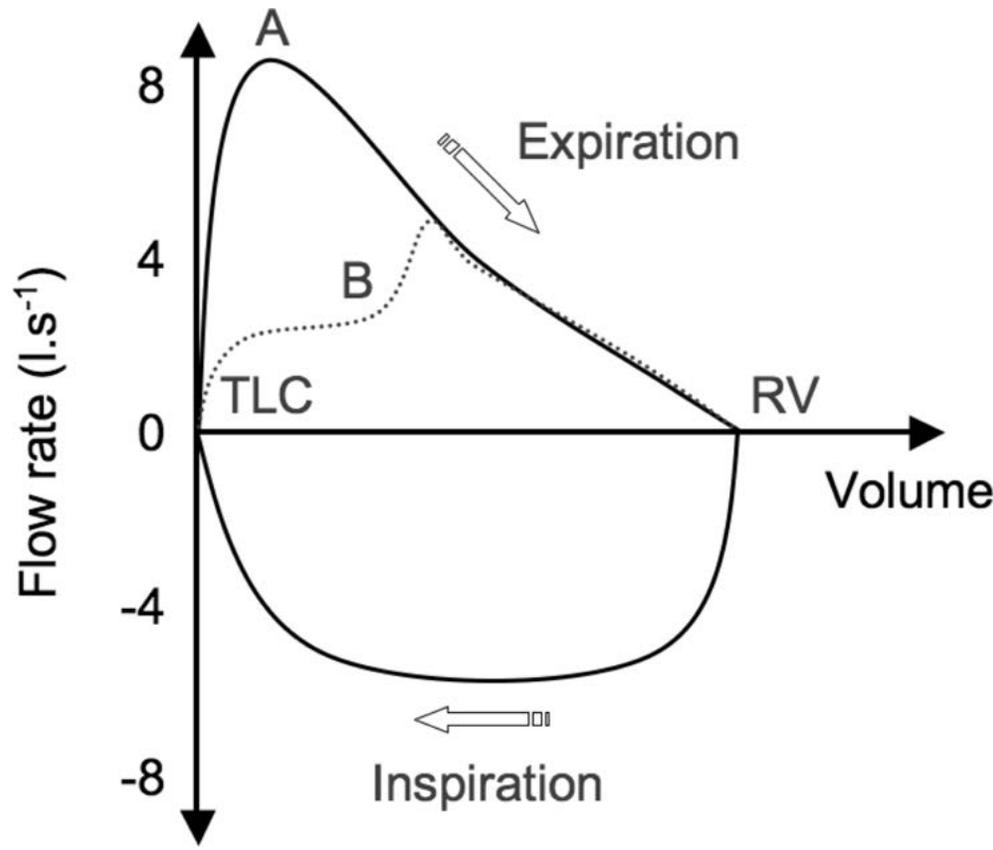


LabView (cont.)

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(Uncalibrated) Flow vs Volume Loop



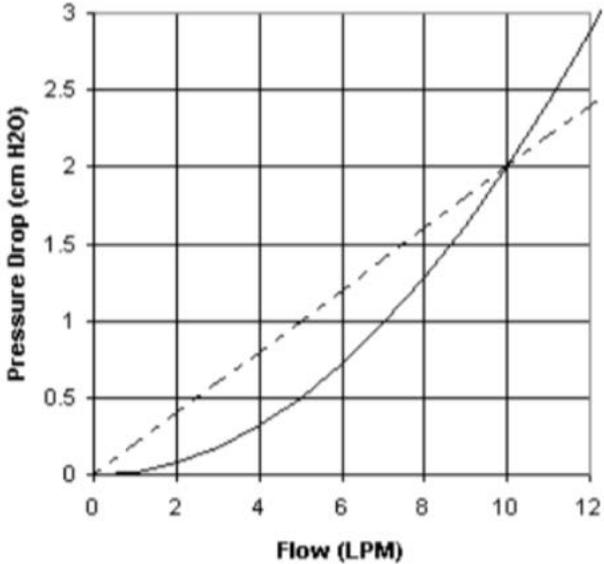
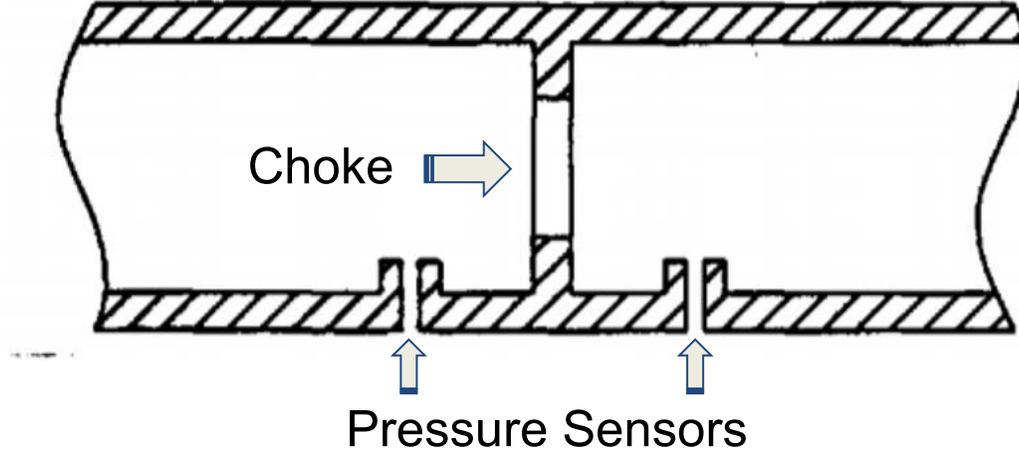
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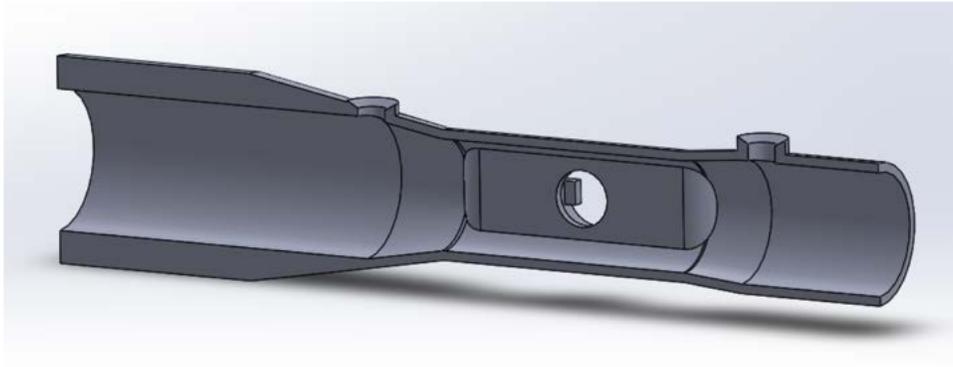
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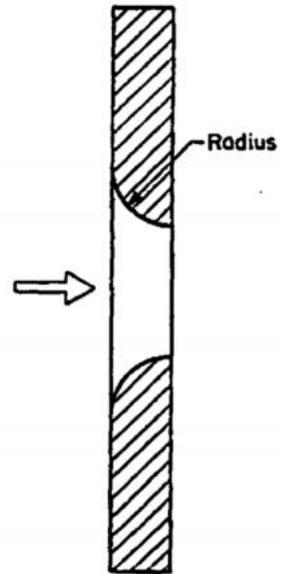
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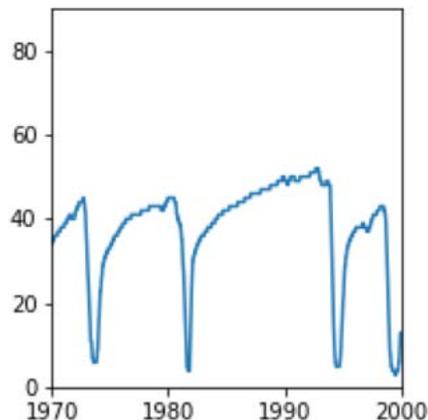


Cutaway of Airway Adapter Design



Other completed Testing:

- IR detector data and plotting
 - Q: Can our code plot data from the CO₂ sensor?
 - T: Input data into code and see if it can plot the proper waveforms
- Sensor casing shape/size
 - Q: Is the form factor too big to be mounted mainstream?
 - T: 3D printed preliminary design and tested fit on airway adapter



Plot: CO₂ (concentration) [mmHg] vs Time [seconds]

Testing in the near future:

- Bluetooth
 - Q: Can the data from all the sensors be integrated into the TI/Arduino microcontrollers and be transmitted to an LCD/Laptop wirelessly?
 - T: Use microcontroller serial data reader to plot refined data and use HC-05 to transmit to laptop/phone/LCD
- Integrated weight and form factor
 - Q: Does the integrated device weigh less than 150 grams?
 - Q: Does the form factor obstruct EMS personnel in the working environment?
 - T: After integrating, check in with clinical partners and get a qualitative gauge for size and shape
- Airway Adapter Design
 - Q: Does the design allow for accurate pressure/flow rate measurements?
 - T: Run FEA simulations to check for fully developed and laminar flow

Updated Milestones

PARTS LIST:

1. Sensor Casing
2. Airway adaptor
3. LCD Screen
4. CO₂ Capnography Sensor
 - a. Infrared Detectors Dual CO₂ Sensor
 - b. IR Emitter
5. Differential Pressure Sensor
6. Flow rate sensor
7. A23 battery
8. PCB control board
9. Bluetooth module
10. Wiring

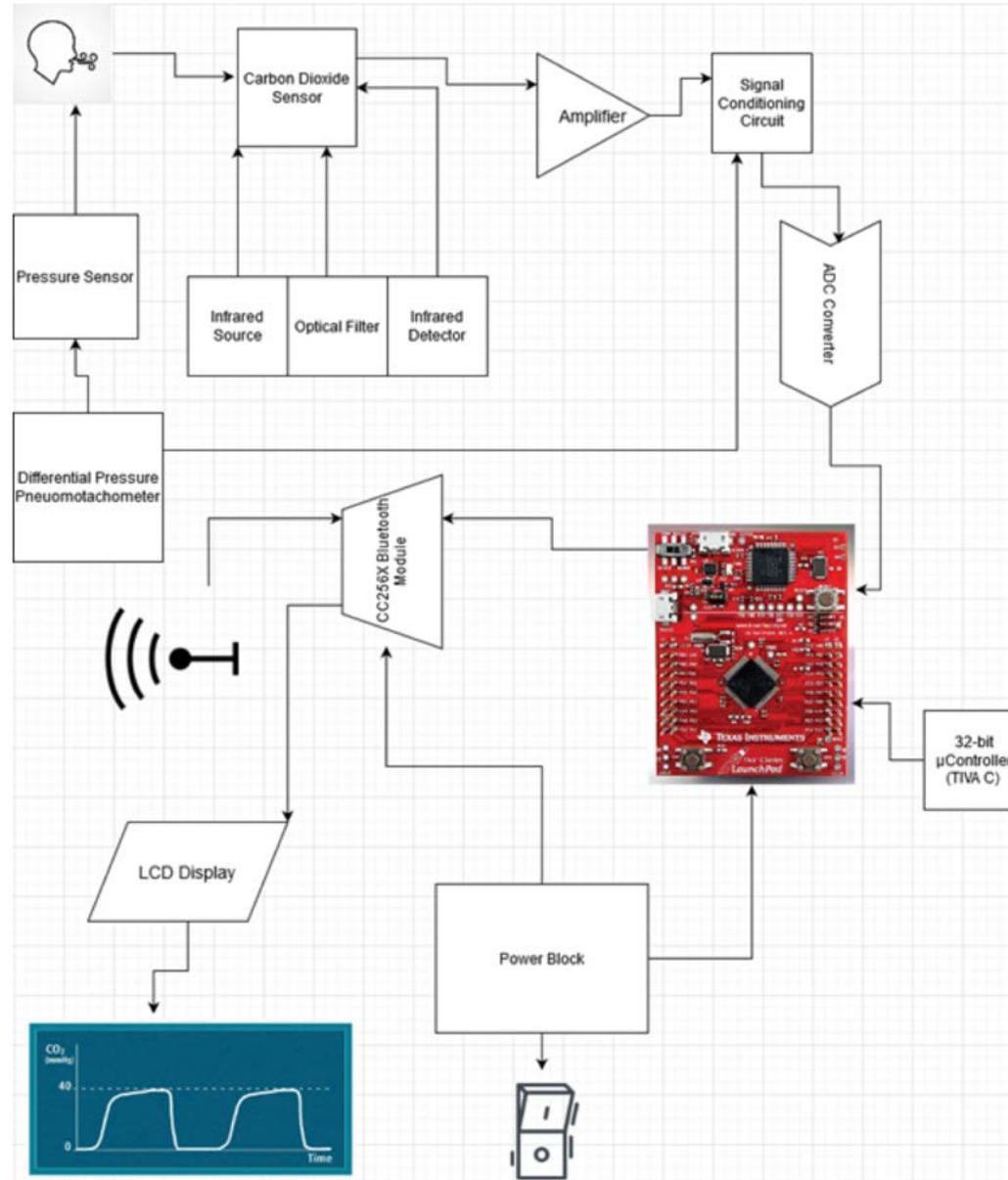
MILESTONES:

1. Test the individual components **6/2** (continuous)
2. Validate our design with clinicians **6/10**
 - a. Incorporate device into the clinical setting
 - b. Verify the pressure, flow rate and CO₂ concentration readings



Summary and Future Work

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