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ME, ECE, lE Capstone Design Programs

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PATENT

Patent (US8215165 B2)

A device for simulating projectile performance Includes:

- > Support frame
- > Removable inserts:
 - Hide
 - Muscl
 - Bone
 - Organs

Specifically simulates projectile performance on:

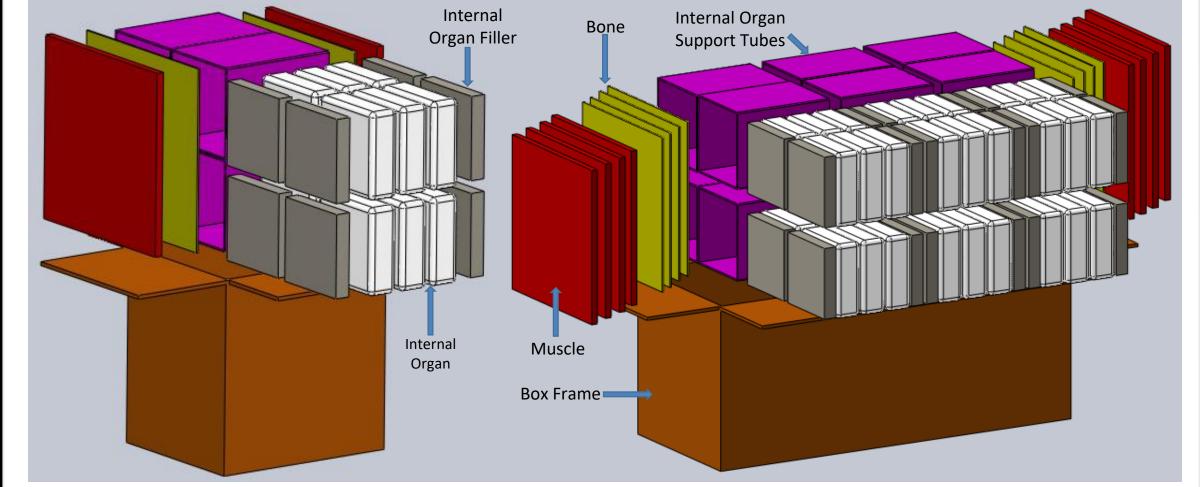
- ➤ Big game hunting animals (Whitetail deer, Elk, Grizzly bear and Cape buffalo)
- Human Torso (for bulletproof vest affectability)

Constraints:

- > 1:1 Simulant to average biological material thickness ratio
- ➤ Width must be the same as average of animal it is simulating (i.e. 30" for Cape buffalo)

PRODUCT

Deer and Cape buffalo Simulator



Key Features

- Simple design: Low-cost manufacturing and ease of use for the consumer.
- Recyclable: System can be tossed in recycling when testing is complete.
- Interchangeable Parts: Same parts manufactured between deer and Cape buffalo

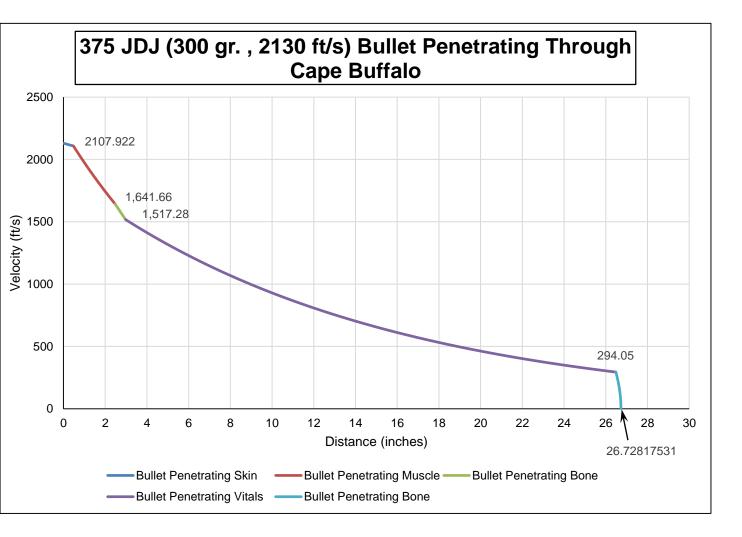
MATHEMATICAL MODEL

Penetration estimate by Poncelet's Ballistics Model

$$\Delta V = \sqrt{\frac{1}{\rho} \left[(\tau + \rho V_o^2) e^{-(2\rho \frac{A}{m} x)} - \tau \right]}$$

$$P = \frac{m}{2\rho A} \ln \left(\frac{\rho V^2 + \tau}{\tau} \right)$$

- $\Delta V = Velocity increment$
- $\rho = Target density$
- $\tau = Target shear strength$
- $V_0 = Bullet \ velocity$
- $A = Cross\ sectional\ area\ of\ bullet$
- m = Mass of bullet
- x = Material thickness



*NOTE: Graph above shows skin, even though removed from test model, in order to incorporate all parts.

VALIDATION

.22LR Muscle Test

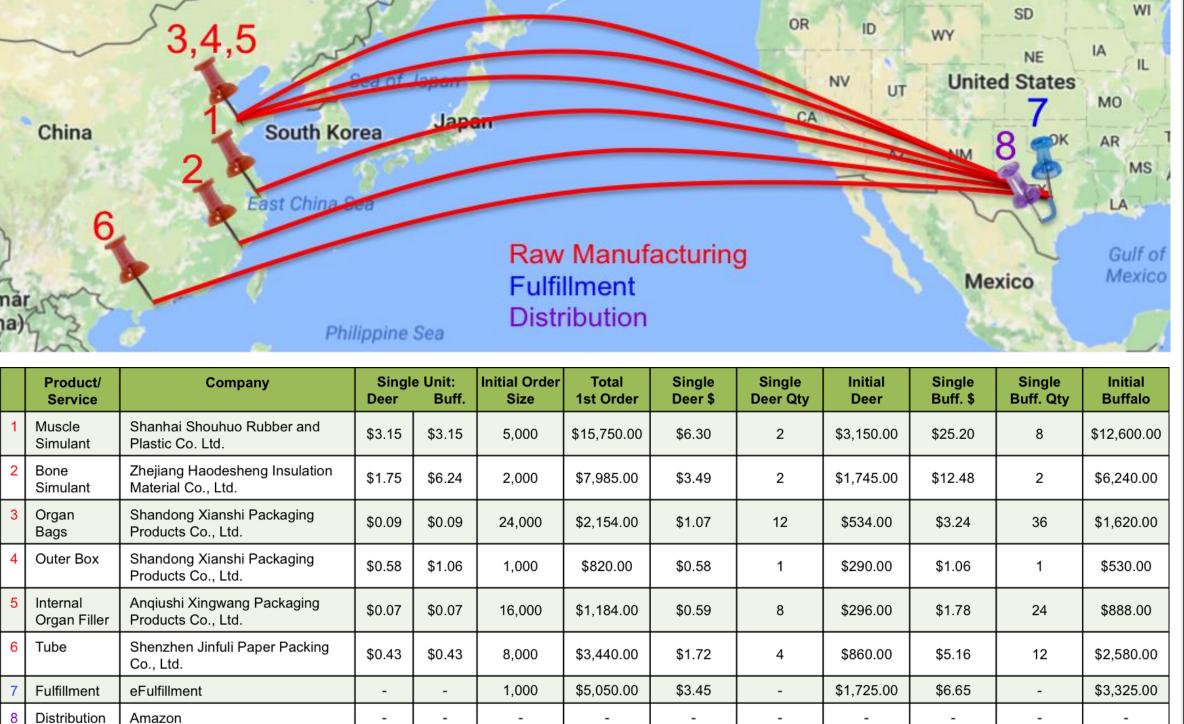
Alternate to Corbin SIM-Test required due to cost
 Neoprene Duro 60 selected for accuracy and reduced cost



| | | | | CST | 54.7570 | | | | |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|---------|-----------------------------------|
| Cape Buffalo | Shot | Caliber | Bullet Weight (gn) | Shot Location | Impact Velocity (f/s) | Calcualted Depth (in.) | Actual Depth (in.) | % Error | Within Tolerance (+/- 10%)? |
| CB1 | Shot 1 | .375 JDJ | 300 | BL | 2130 | 26.728 | 25.885 | -3.257 | ✓ |
| | Shot 2 | .375 JDJ | 300 | BR | 2108 | 26.722 | 25.125 | -6.356 | ✓ |
| | Shot 5 | .44 Mag | 340 | TR | 1404 | 26.728 | 25 | -6.912 | ✓ |
| | Shot 6 | .44 Mag | 340 | TL | 1412 | 26.547 | 25 | -6.188 | ✓ |
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| CB2 | Shot 7 | .44 Mag | 340 | BR | error | | 25 | | |
| | Shot 8 | .44 Mag | 340 | BL | 1395 | 26.546 | 25 | -6.184 | ✓ |
| | Shot 3 | .375 JDJ | 300 | TL | 1853 | 26.664 | 25.125 | -6.125 | ✓ |
| | Shot 4 | .375 JDJ | 300 | TR | error | | 25.125 | | |

- Full scale test completed with .375 JDJ and .44 Magnum in Cape buffalo.
- All results within our required +/- 10% range of accuracy
- Shorter than predicted penetration attributed to increased cross sectional area of deformed bullet
- Deer simulator used for the testing of various types of hunting ammunition

MANUFACTURING/DISTRIBUTION



BUDGET

2.07% 11.61% 30.04% = Neoprene Fiberglass = Bags = Box = Tubes Gift Card

| Project Budget | | | | | | |
|----------------|------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Item | Cost | | | | | |
| Neoprene | \$362.25 | | | | | |
| Fiberglass | \$370.23 | | | | | |
| Bags | \$260.00 | | | | | |
| Box | \$48.33 | | | | | |
| Filler | \$10 | | | | | |
| Tubes | \$120.00 | | | | | |
| Gift Card | \$25.00 | | | | | |
| Total | \$1,195.81 | | | | | |
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SAFETY



http://selfdefensesoftware.com/four_rules.html

- All personnel on range required to wear ear and eye protection.
- Safe range location.
- Capt. Dave is designated range officer.
- All personnel have a right to call a cease fire for any reason.

September: Survey

October: Concept Generation

November: Planning/Design

February: Supplier Search

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March: Prototype
Assembly

April: Testing

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