

# Milestone Review Flysheet

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Vehicle Properties	
Total Length (in)	108.8
Diameter (in)	5.5
Gross Lift Off Weigh (lb)	37.27
Airframe Material	G12 Fiberglass
Fin Material	G10 Fiberglass
Coupler Length	14 in

Motor Properties	
Motor Designation	Aerotech L1150R
Max/Average Thrust (lb)	294.5 / 258.5
Total Impulse (lbf-s)	801.35
Mass Before/After Burn	8.1 / 3.9
Liftoff Thrust (lb)	292.3
Motor Retention	Screw-on Retainer

Stability Analysis	
Center of Pressure (in from nose)	77.7
Center of Gravity (in from nose)	60.2
Static Stability Margin	2.26
Static Stability Margin (off launch rail)	2.54
Thrust-to-Weight Ratio	7.6:1
Rail Size and Length (in)	1515, 144
Rail Exit Velocity	71 ft/s

Ascent Analysis	
Maximum Velocity (ft/s)	600
Maximum Mach Number	0.55
Maximum Acceleration (ft/s^2)	265
Target Apogee (From Simulations)	5282
Stable Velocity (ft/s)	52
Distance to Stable Velocity (ft)	7.5

Recovery System Properties				
Dogue Parachute				
Manufacturer/Model	Sunward Group Ltd / 18" Nylon Parachute			
Size	18 in			
Altitude at Deployment (ft)	5270			
Velocity at Deployment (ft/s)	52			
Terminal Velocity (ft/s)	111.5			
Recovery Harness Material	Tubular Kevlar			
Harness Size/Thickness (in)	1/2			
Recovery Harness Length (ft)	27			
Harness/Airframe Interfaces	1 swivel tied to each end of the harness with 2 quick links attached to each, each quick link attached to a different U-bolt on the airframe.			
Kinetic Energy of Each Section (Ft-lbs)	Section 1	Section 2	Section 3	Section 4
	875	883	1455	N/A

Recovery System Properties				
Main Parachute				
Manufacturer/Model	Giant Leap Rocketry / Tac-1			
Size	84 in			
Altitude at Deployment (ft)	800			
Velocity at Deployment (ft/s)	111.5			
Terminal Velocity (ft/s)	18.8			
Recovery Harness Material	Tubular Kevlar			
Harness Size/Thickness (in)	1/2			
Recovery Harness Length (ft)	27			
Harness/Airframe Interfaces	1 swivel tied to each end of the harness with 2 quick links attached to each, each quick link attached to a different U-bolt on the airframe.			
Kinetic Energy of Each Section (Ft-lbs)	Section 1	Section 2	Section 3	Section 4
	24.9	25.1	41.4	N/A

Recovery Electronics	
Altimeter(s)/Timer(s) (Make/Model)	Missile Works / RRC3 "Sport" Altimeter
Redundancy Plan	Use two altimeters with separate batteries. Use separate ejection charges for each altimeter.
Pad Stay Time (Launch Configuration)	~83 hr

Recovery Electronics	
Rocket Locators (Make/Model)	Adafruit/Adafruit Ultimate GPS Breakout
Transmitting Frequencies	902 - 928 MHz
Black Powder Mass Drogue Chute (grams)	1.6
Black Powder Mass Main Chute (grams)	2.8

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## Autonomous Ground Support Equipment (MAV Teams Only)

Capture Mechanism	Overview
Container Mechanism	Overview
Launch Rail Mechanism	Overview  ***Include Description of rail locking mechanism***
Igniter Installation Mechanism	Overview

## Payload

Payload 1	Overview
Payload 2	Overview

## Test Plans, Status, and Results

Ejection Charge Tests	The ejection charge test for the subscale rocket was performed successfully prior to its test flight. The ejection charge test for the full scale rocket is planned for January 27th.
Sub-scale Test Flights	The subscale test flight was performed on December 10th; however, there was a motor anomaly which caused the rocket to crash shortly after motor ignition. The data that was gathered from the flight was analyzed and is included in the CDR report and slides. The results verified the functionality of the airframe, and provided a chance to finalize checklists for both launch and packing.
Full-scale Test Flights	The full scale test flight is planned for February 4th at the Valley Aerospace Team launch. If that date does not work, backup launches are planned for the 5th, 11th, and 12th of February.

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Additional Comments