



# Goodman Technologies, LLC



**ULTRA-LIGHTWEIGHT, ULTRA-STABLE ROBOSIC  
ADDITIVELY MANUFACTURED LASERCOM TELESCOPE**

**2018 Mirror Technology Days**

**NASA Phase I Results**

**Contract #80NSSC18P1995**

*An ACTIVE Participant in STEM  
"You have to give it away to keep it"*



- ▶ **NASA Needs (PCOS and COR PATR)**
- ▶ **Marketplace**
- ▶ **Path to Lasercom Telescope - Technical Objectives**
- ▶ **Performance**
- ▶ **Bolts**
- ▶ **OAP**
- ▶ **Phase II Plan**



- ▶ **Dimensional stability, low scatter, extreme light-weighting, and precision structures**
  - ▶ Common theme for NASA 2017 Physics of the Cosmos (PCOS) and Cosmic Origins (COR) Program Annual Technology Report (PATR). Multiple Priority Tier 1-4 technology gaps
- ▶ **NASA's Long Range Optical Communications Goals for FSO**
  - ▶ >100 gigabit/s cislunar (Earth or lunar orbit to ground)
  - ▶ >10 gigabit/s Earth-sun L1 and L2,
  - ▶ >1 gigabit/s per AU-squared deep space
  - ▶ >100 megabit/s planetary lander to orbiter.
- ▶ **Laser communications telescopes (LCTs):**
  - ▶ 30-100 cm CA, WFE <62 nm, cumulative WFE and transmission loss < 3-dB (far field)
  - ▶ Advanced thermal/stray light design for operation while sun-pointing (3-degrees)
  - ▶ -20° C to 50° C operational range (wider range preferred)
  - ▶ Areal density <65kg/m<sup>2</sup>.
- ▶ Common solution of interest: Silicon Carbide and 3D printing or additive manufacturing



▶ December 31, 2017 “Internet World Stats” estimates that there are 4.2 billion global internet users

▶ CISCO: 24% CAGR for data transfer between 2016 and 2021

▶ 278.1 exabytes by 2021

▶ Companies planning high-volume space satellite networks include Telesat, SpaceX, Kaskilo and Leosat

### WORLD INTERNET USAGE AND POPULATION STATISTICS DEC 31, 2017 - Update

World Regions	Population (2018 Est.)	Population % of World	Internet Users 31 Dec 2017	Penetration Rate (% Pop.)	Growth 2000-2018	Internet Users %
<a href="#">Africa</a>	1,287,914,329	16.9 %	453,329,534	35.2 %	9,941 %	10.9 %
<a href="#">Asia</a>	4,207,588,157	55.1 %	2,023,630,194	48.1 %	1,670 %	48.7 %
<a href="#">Europe</a>	827,650,849	10.8 %	704,833,752	85.2 %	570 %	17.0 %
<a href="#">Latin America / Caribbean</a>	652,047,996	8.5 %	437,001,277	67.0 %	2,318 %	10.5 %
<a href="#">Middle East</a>	254,438,981	3.3 %	164,037,259	64.5 %	4,893 %	3.9 %
<a href="#">North America</a>	363,844,662	4.8 %	345,660,847	95.0 %	219 %	8.3 %
<a href="#">Oceania / Australia</a>	41,273,454	0.6 %	28,439,277	68.9 %	273 %	0.7 %

Global Internet data transfer (exabytes/month; 1 exabyte = 1 billion gigabytes)



Company	Constellation
SpaceX	Creation of constellation in several stages: 1 stage: 1,600 satellites 2 stage: 2,825 satellites (altitude: 1,100 to 1,325 kilometres) 3 stage: 7,518 satellites (altitude: 340 kilometres) Total number of satellites: 11,943
Kaskilo	Constellation of 300 satellites (altitude: 1,100 kilometres)
Telesat	Creation of constellation in several stages: 1 stage: 117 satellites (altitude: 1,000 to 1,250 kilometres) 2 stage: 117 satellites (altitude: 1,000 to 1,250 kilometres)
Leosat	Creation of constellation in several stages: 1 stage: 78 satellites 2 stage: 30 satellites (altitude: 1,400 kilometres)

# MASSIVE COMMERCIAL MARKET



- **Demonstrate new RoboSiC Optical and Structural Materials**
  - Minimize surface roughness and scatter for mirrors (super-polishable)
- **Print general asphers (We are printing an Off-Axis Parabola)**
- **Demonstrate Super-Dimensionally Stable Structural Grade**
  - W.R.T. BASELINE RoboSiC (100% SiC) Structural Grade is Lower Density, Higher Stiffness, Higher Strength, Lower Coefficient of Thermal Expansion and other Multi-Functionality
  - Phase II Plan
- **Deliverables: *New Technology Called RoboSiC™***
  - 1/4 x 80 and 1/4x 20 threaded RoboSiC bolts
  - 10-30 mm diameter printed RoboSiC OAP substrate & DD Form 250

# TECHNICAL OBJECTIVES



► The reason SiC works - simple linear expansion equation:  $dL = L \alpha dT$ , where L is the length,  $\alpha$  is the linear CTE, and dT is the temperature gradient.  $dT \rightarrow 0$  when Thermal Diffusivity is HIGH.....If  $dT \rightarrow 0$ , then  $dL \rightarrow 0$

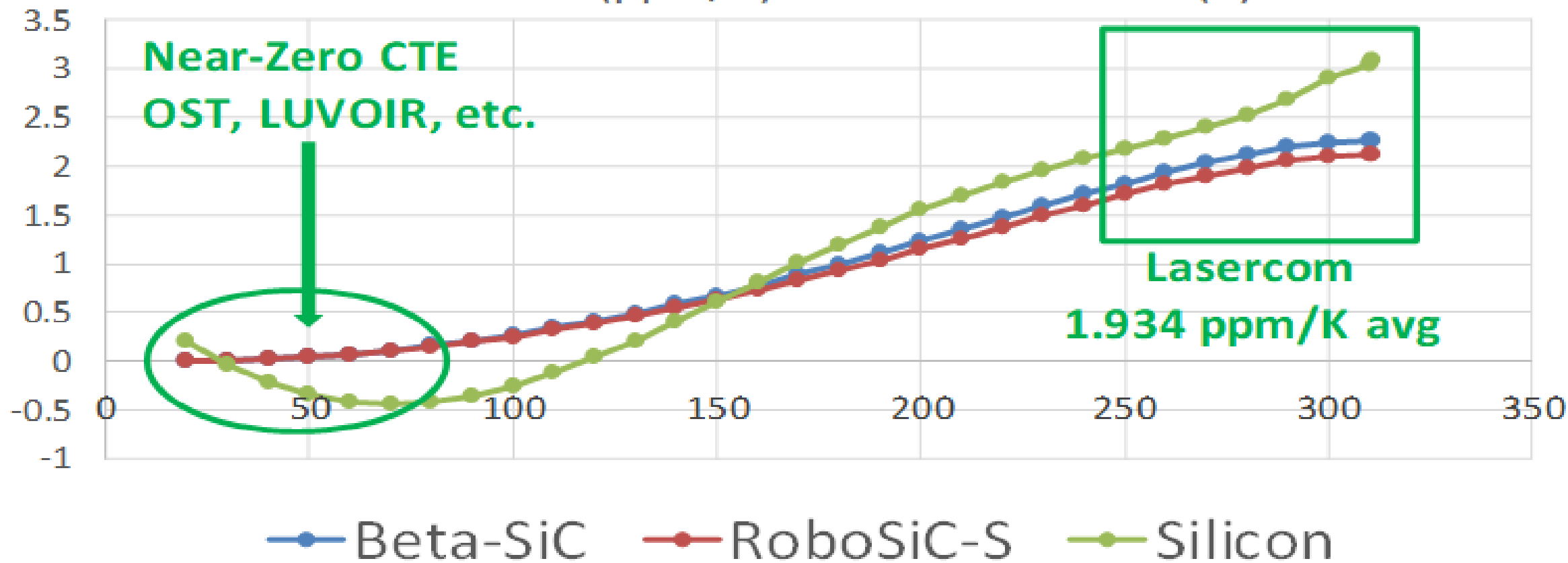
	$\rho$	E	E/ $\rho$	$\sigma_t$	$\sigma_t/\rho$	$\alpha$	k	$C_p$	D=k/ $\rho C_p$	k/ $\alpha$	D/ $\alpha$	$\nu$
Room Temperature Property:	Density	Young's Modulus	Specific Stiffness	Tensile Strength	Specific Strength	Thermal Expansion	Thermal Conductivity	Specific Heat	Thermal Diffusivity	Steady State Stability	Transient Stability	Poisson's Ratio
Units:	kg/m <sup>3</sup>	GPa	MPa-m <sup>3</sup> /kg	Mpa	MPa-m <sup>3</sup> /kg	10 <sup>-6</sup> /K	W/m-K	J/kg-K	10 <sup>-6</sup> /m <sup>2</sup> /s	W/ $\mu$ m	m <sup>2</sup> -K/s	arbitrary
Preferred Value:	Small	Large	Large	Large	Large	Small	Large	Large	Large	Large	Large	
Zerodur	2530	90.3	36	variable	variable	-0.09	1.46	800	0.72	-16.22	-8.01	0.24
M55J/954-6 T300/954-6 Axial	1742	53	30			-0.125	10			-80.00		
M55J/954-6 T300/954-6 Hoop			43			Spanner Tube avg 25-125K						
Invar 36	8050	141	43	276	0.03	1	10.4	520	2.48	10.40	2.48	
Aluminum:6061	2700	68	25	276	0.10	22.5	167	900	68.72	7.42	3.05	0.33
Single Crystal Silicon	2330	130	56	120	0.05	2.5	148	750	84.69	59.20	33.88	0.24
SiC: Sintered (alpha)	3100	410	132		0.00	4.02	125	670	60.18	31.09	14.97	0.14
SiC: Reaction Bonded	2950	364	123	300	0.10	2.44	172	670	87.02	70.49	35.66	0.18
Carbon Nanotube	2100	1060	505	100000	47.62	-12	3000	750	1904.76	-250.00	-158.73	
Graphene Nanosheet	2100	1000	476	130000	61.90	-8	3000	750	1904.76	-375.00	-238.10	
RoboSiC-Optical	3210	460	143	470	0.15	2.2	380	640	184.97	172.73	84.08	0.21
RoboSiC-S-R1	3198.9	466	146	1465.3	0.46	2.058	406.2	641.1	198.07	197.38	96.24	0.21
<b>FACTOR OF IMPROVEMENT</b>			<b>4.08</b>	<--	<b>COMPARED TO</b>		<b>Zerodur--&gt;</b>		<b>274.58</b>	<b>-12.17</b>	<b>-12.01</b>	
			<b>4.79</b>	<--					<b>JWST--&gt;</b>	<b>-2.47</b>		

**PATENT PENDING RESULTS ARE ASTONISHING**

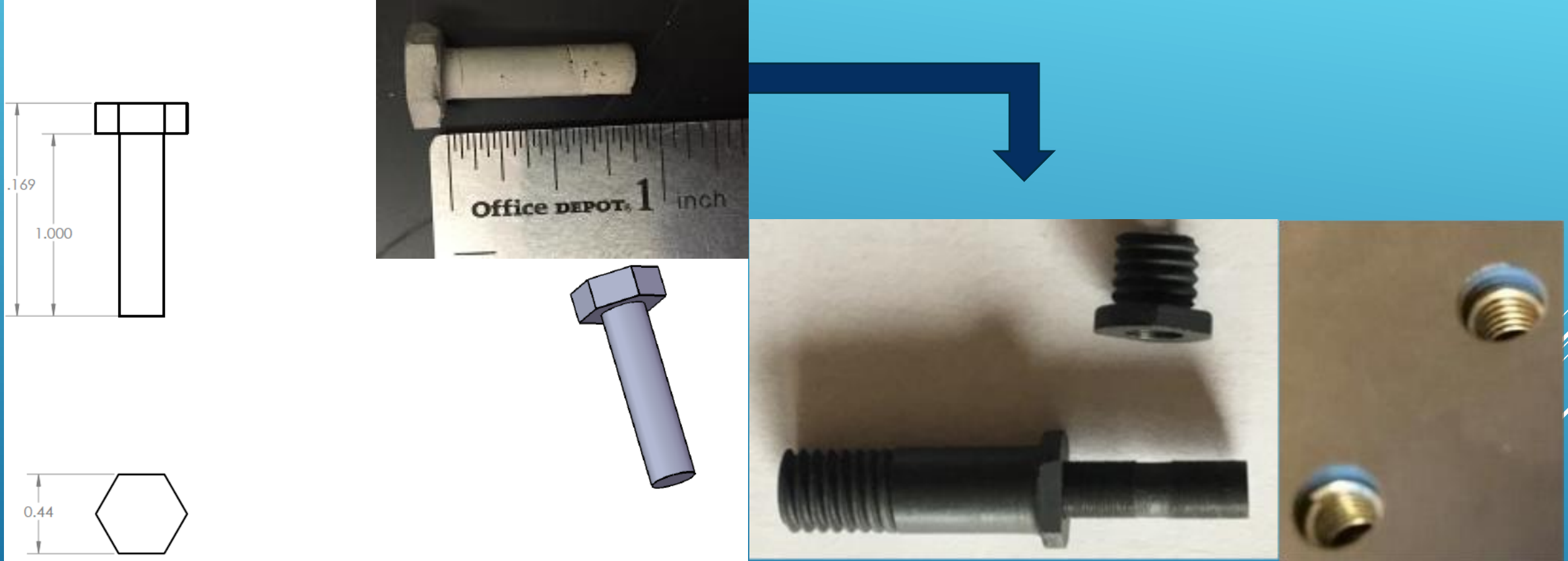


▶ RoboSiC-S can provide the thermal stability required for Lasercom and other mission requirements

CTE (ppm/K) VS TEMPERATURE (K)

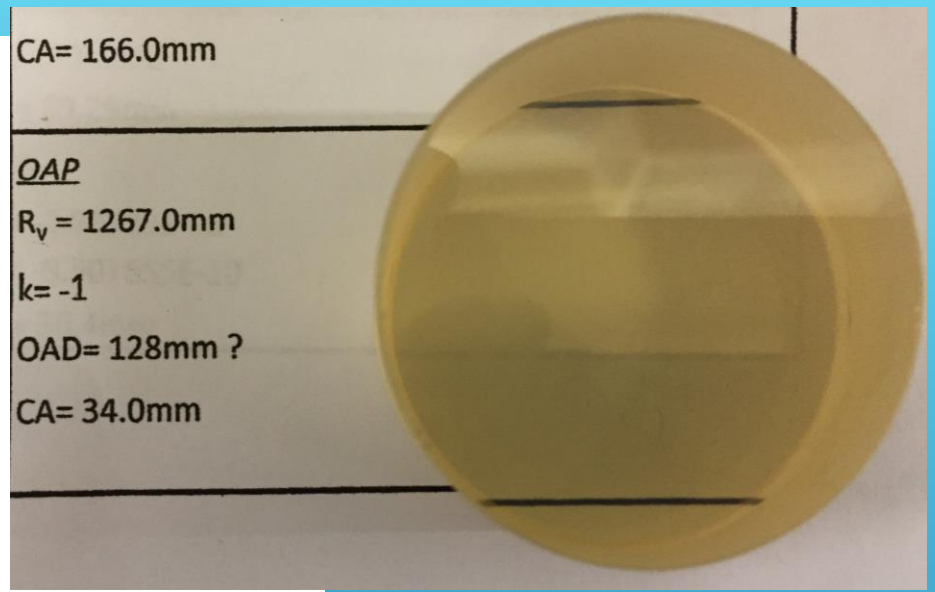
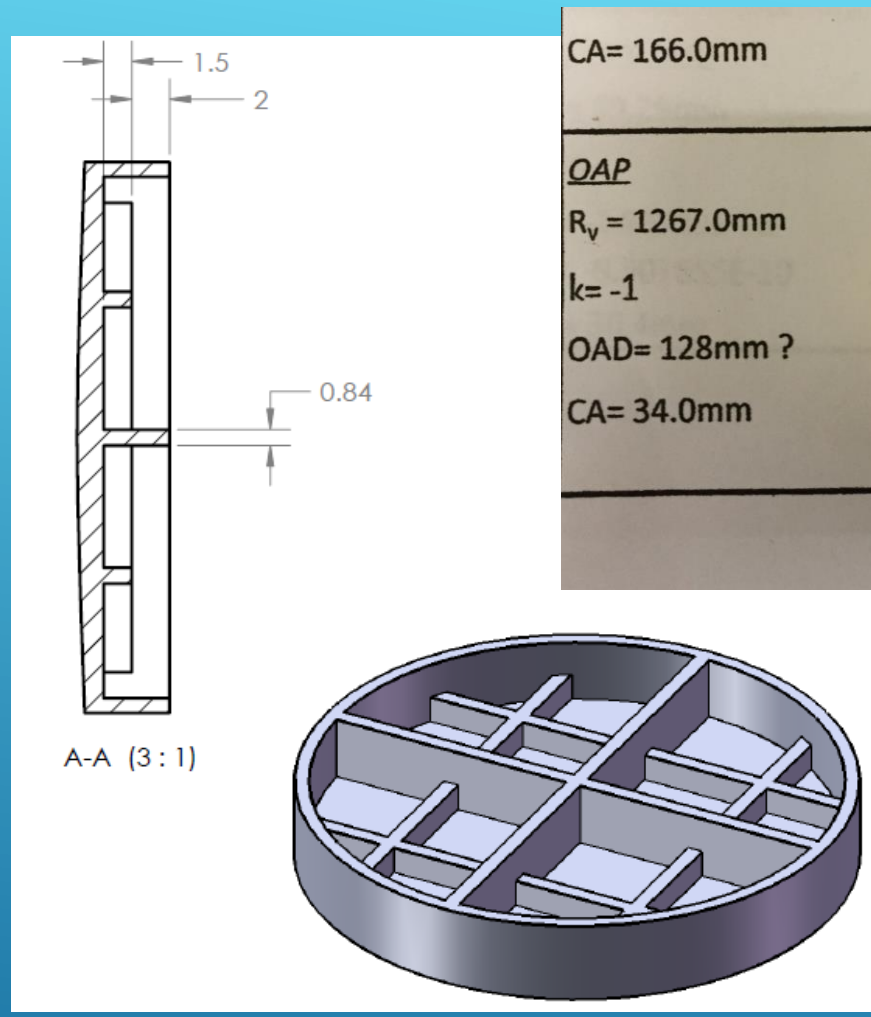
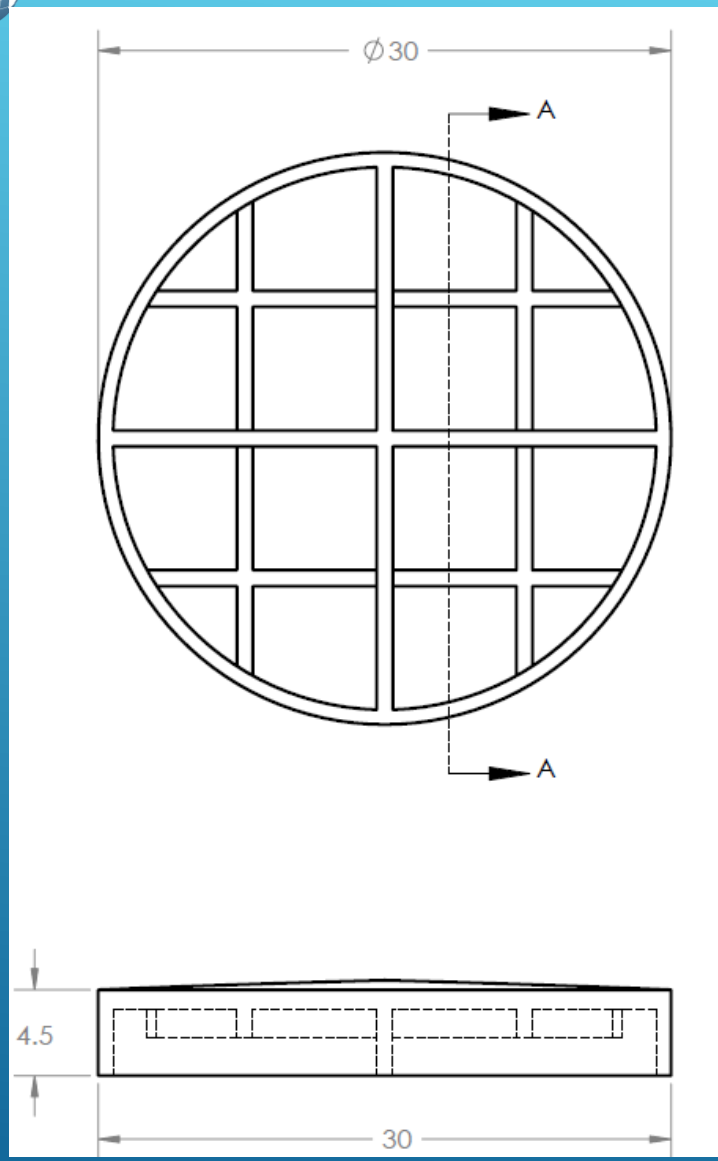


“FLAT” CTE VS T IS HIGHLY DESIRABLE



“BOLT-TOGETHER DESIGN” FOR LOW COST ASSEMBLY/ALIGNMENT

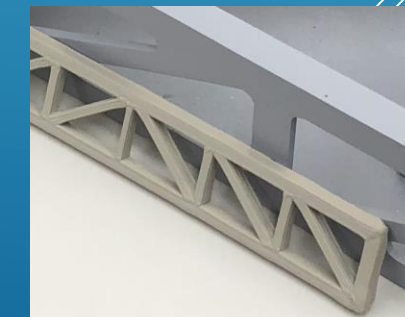
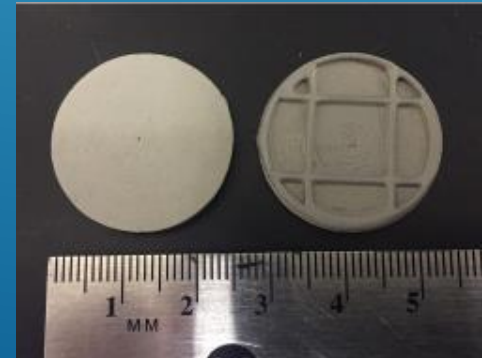
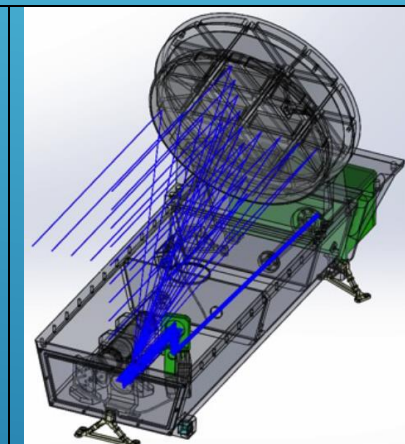
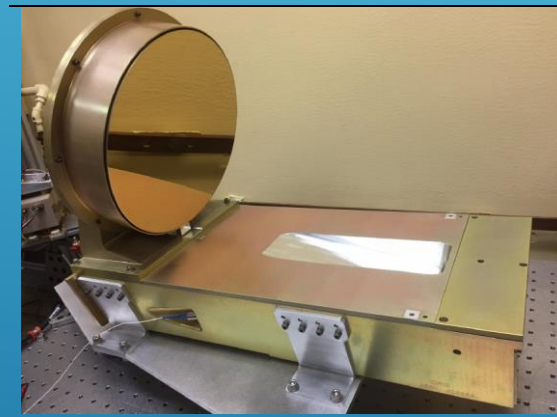
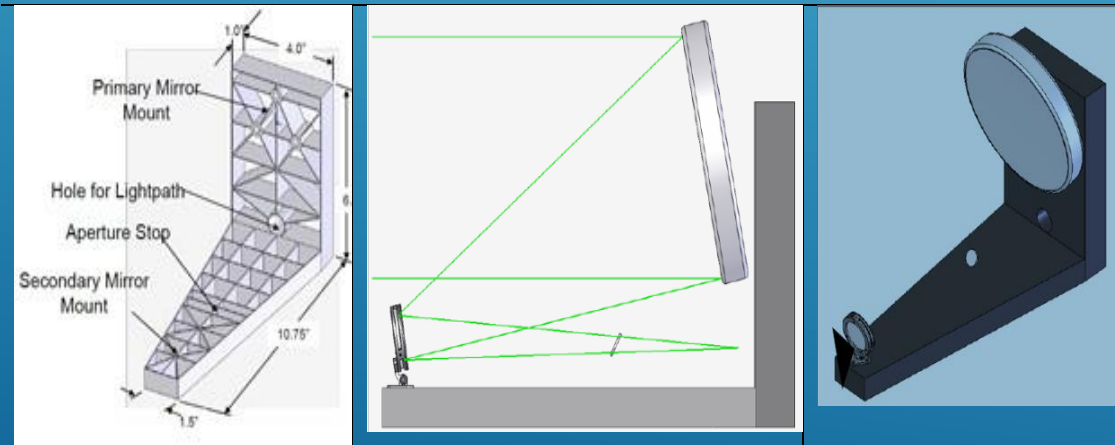




# OFF-AXIS PARABOLIC DEMONSTRATOR



- ▶ NASA Gregorian Telescope – internal field stop for straylight control
- ▶ GT Senior Systems Engineering team: design/build lightweight & dimensionally stable telescope meets/exceeds all NASA requirements
  - ▶ PM: Dr. Andy Motes – GT Chief Technologists – wrote a book on Lasercom
  - ▶ 3D, AM and bolt-together approach for rapid, low cost assembly



**PHASE II PLAN**