



# From Lab to Scale

### **Designing with Manufacturing in Mind**



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# In the context of this presentation, the word "Design" is the combination of Product Design and Process Design









# Raise your hand if you've made a S'more within the past year.





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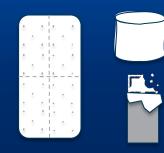
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#### Let's Talk About Your Design.



#### **Ingredients:**

- Graham Cracker 1.
- 2. Marshmallow
- 3. Chocolate



#### **Processing:**

- Toasted the 1. Marshmallow
- 2. Broke the Graham Cracker, Chocolate



#### **Assembly:**

1.

- 2.
  - Chocolate
- 3. Cracker





Put chocolate on Graham Cracker Put Marshmallow on Sandwich Graham





What if I asked you to make 1,000 S'mores?

How fast can you make them?
Can you guarantee repeatable results?
Can you customize to my preferences?
Can you meet my price point?
What if I asked for 10k, 50k, or more?









#### What if I asked you to make 1,000 S'mores?

# Would your design change?









### S'mores vs your Technology

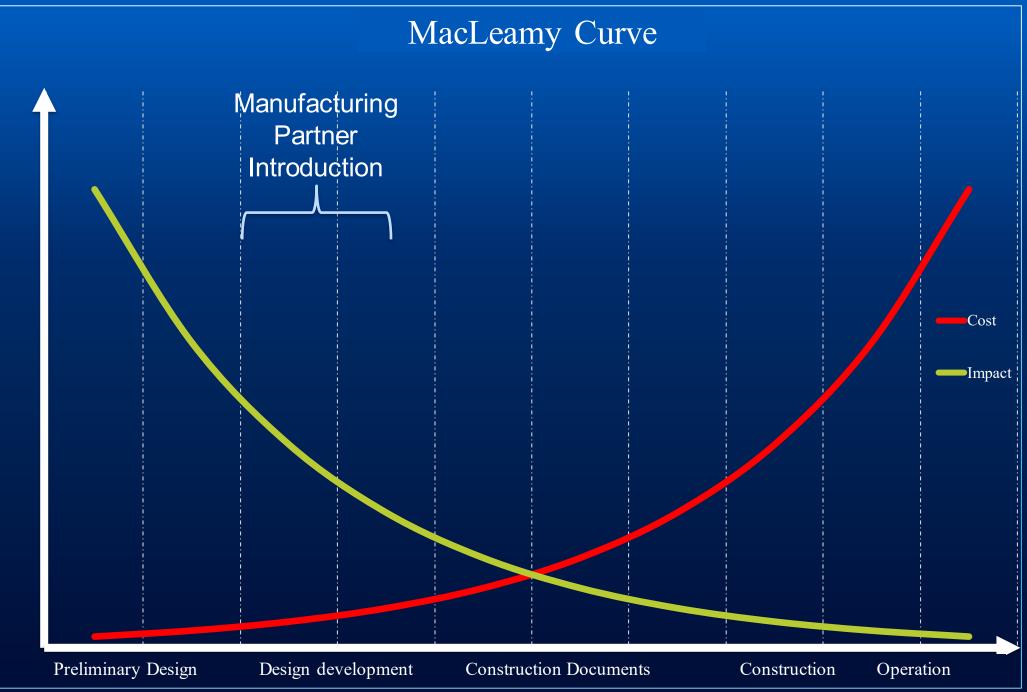
1. Overview of Costs design changes 2. When, Why, and how to involve a manufacturing partner

3. Design for Manufacturing Considerations





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#### When should you get a manufacturing partner?





Manufacturing Readiness Level (MRL) Deskbook v2.0, OSD Manufacturing Technology Program



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MRL 4: Produce technology in lab

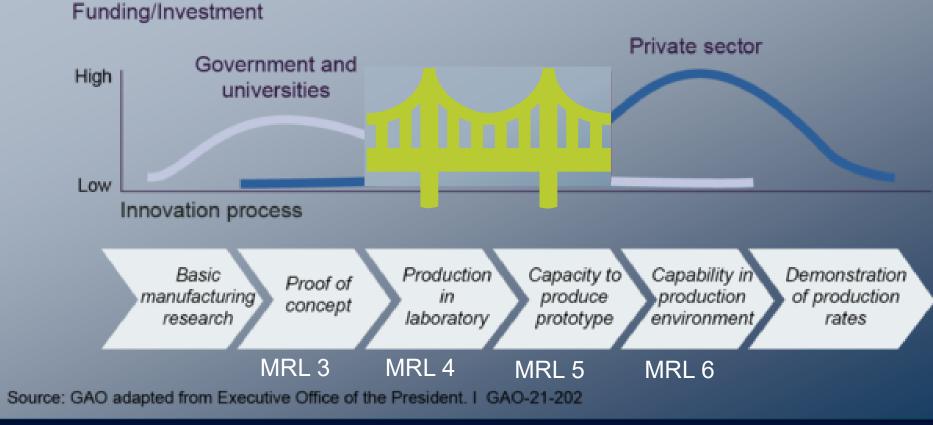
#### Manufacturing Role

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#### Why should you get a manufacturing partner early?

## 1. Bridge the Innovation Valley of Death



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Why should you get a manufacturing partner early?

**1. Bridge the Innovation Valley of Death** 2. Design feasibility for Manufacturing 3. Established Supply Chain 4. Quality Systems in Place



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http://www.segway.cz/products/centaur/index.html





How to get a manufacturing partner?

Define your Scope and Manufacturing Needs
 Research manufacturers within your industry
 Negotiate terms and agreements









#### **Design for Manufacturing Considerations**

- State of the Art vs State of the Practice trade-offs
- Determine specific material requirements, not specific materials
- Make tight tolerances only when necessary
- Do not underestimate the cost of manufacturing
- Know what approvals are necessary in your industry









#### Back to the S'mores...





#### Ingredients:

- Fudge Stripes™ 1.
- Marshmallow 2.

#### **Processing:**

Toast the 1. Marshmallow



#### Assembly: 1. Sandwich the toasted marshmallow in between

the cookies













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