Prototyping

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Why do you need a Prototype?

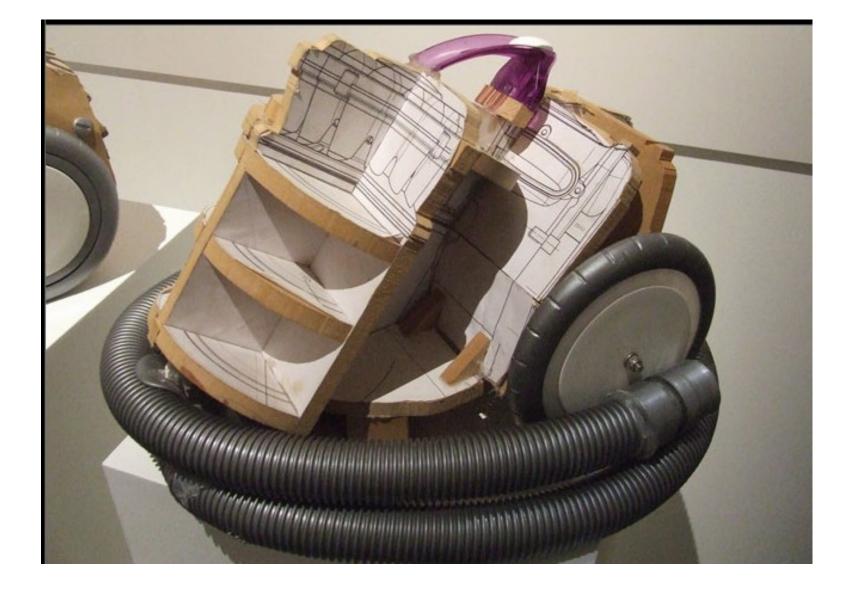
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Function



Decide on which side you will focus development.

Who will see and use the prototype? What are you trying to convince them to do? Is a prototype really the best way to convince them? 2. Early Prototypes Of Everyday Things



http://www.core77.com/gallery/vienna-design-week-2010/26.asp



http://www.inventionpartner.com/prototyping-model.html







4inch

10inch (estimate)

http://www.boreme.com/posting.php?id=21374



http://www.theverge.com/2013/3/12/4086434/microsoft-surface-concepts-prototypes-photos







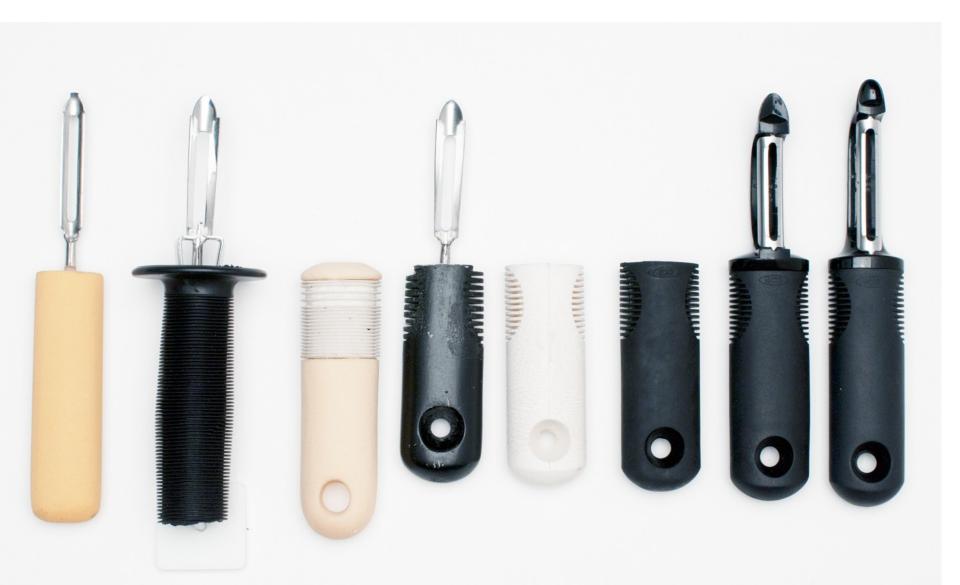
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http://gizmodo.com/here-are-what-the-prototypes-of-google-glass-looked-lik-507193147



http://smartdesignworldwide.com/work/oxo-good-grips/

The first Doritos Locos Taco prototype



"To show executives how the companies could fuse the flavor of Doritos with taco shells, the dev teams "basically went out to Home Depot to <u>buy a paint-spray gun,</u> <u>and then sprayed [Doritos] flavoring onto our existing yellow corn tacos</u>," recalls Creed, with a chuckle. "It was pretty funny watching people from behind glass spraying our tacos with a paint gun. But it was enough for us to know conceptually that we had a big idea."

"Since it launched in <u>early 2012</u>, Taco Bell has sold <u>more than 450 million</u> Doritos Locos Tacos" [as of June 2013]

http://www.fastcompany.com/3008346/deep-inside-taco-bells-doritos-locos-taco

AMS New SUB Kinetic Art Projects:

Runoff.





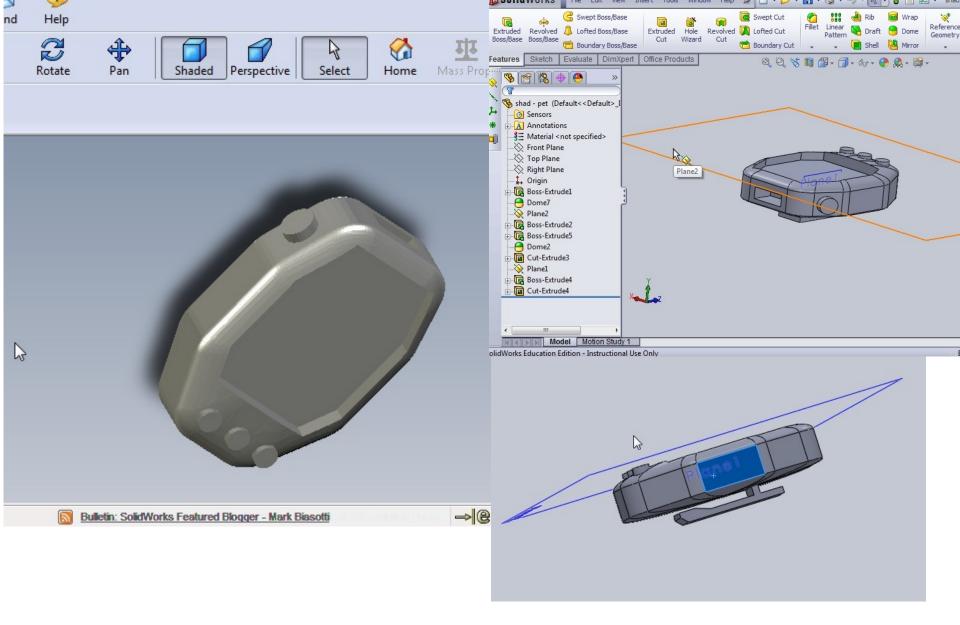
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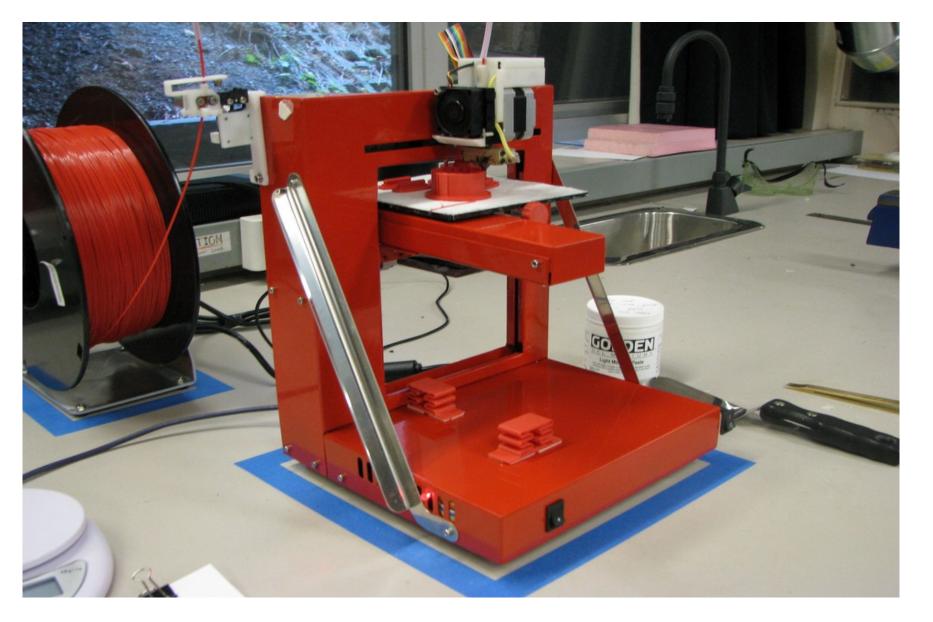
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Computer Aided Design (CAD) software



3D Printer – makes physical models from ABS plastic



Laser Cutter/Engraver – can cut cardboard, wood, some plastics.



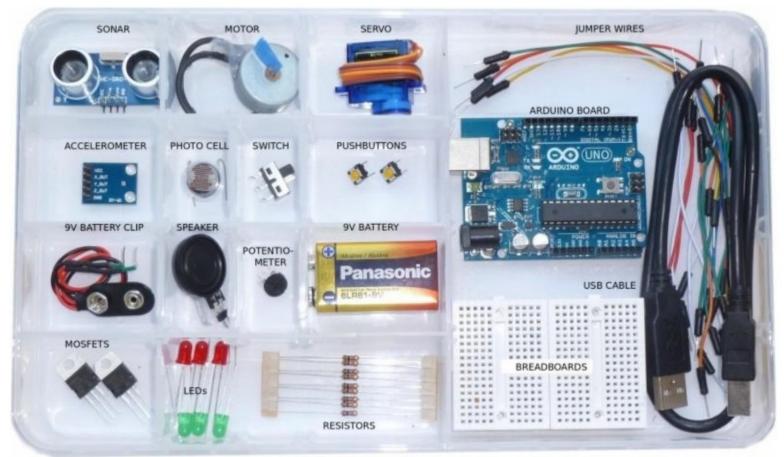
Finished – idea from high school students Thurs night, completed on Sun night.



WaterJet cutter Our most versatile prototyping machine. Cuts everything

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Your kit contains:

1x Arduino Uno 1x USB cable 9x resistors 1x knob (potentiometer) 2x small breadboards 2x MOSFET transistors

- 1x 9V battery 1x 9V battery clip 1x small servo motor 1x small DC motor (with blue flag) 6x LEDs, assorted colours & sizes 1x photocell
- 1x sonar 1x accelerometer 1x switch 2x pushbuttons A set of jumper wires

If items are missing, we do have some spares at the front.

Rapid Prototyping for Electronics - Arduino microcontroller

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Ideas to Reality – IP and Patents

<u>Patents</u> are exclusive rights granted to the inventors of an idea or method, in exchange for making the idea public knowledge.

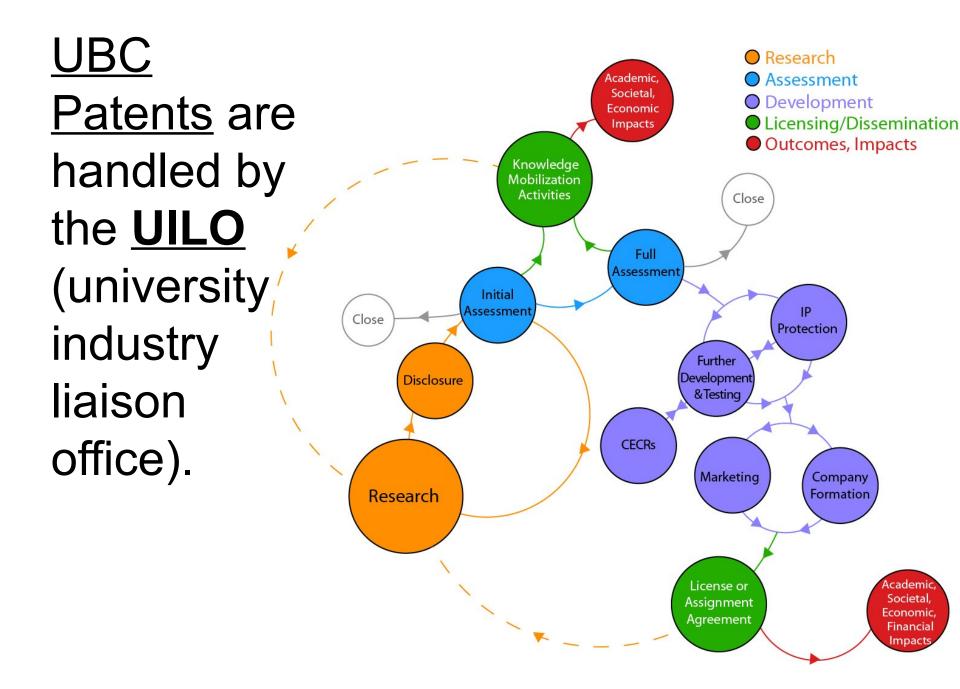
Can be expensive (\$10,000 +)

You can make money 3 ways:

Licensing and allowing another group to use your patent for a fee.

Selling your patent (aka assignment).

<u>Using your patent for your own business.</u>







The Challenge:

Develop something to help with music discovery in a non-conventional way.

This Can Mean:

- Commercial Partner (McD, Starbucks, Lululemon, etc),
- Packaging format,
- Something Interactive and Tactile,
- etc...

The Rules:

• Work in groups of ~4.

Materials

- Paper, Cardboard
- Foamboard and pink insulation
- Modeling clay
- Adhesives (hot glue, clear/duct tape)
- Some sheet metal
- Scissors and knives

Use your own items (headphones / cellphone / computers)

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Thanks!

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