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Lecture - 16 Looking around for concepts and integration

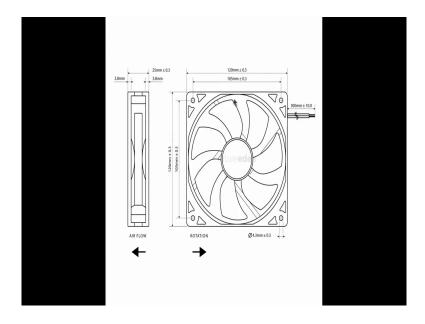
I will now start with a few of the real life situations in which you may be asked to make a small enclosure for actual practical applications like this.

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This one is taken from our <u>power</u> lab. You see that the main what you call the device here is a layout for a very complicated some device.

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Anyway if we get into that we are likely to get lost. So, I will avoid that. So, the thing here is saying 2 things are there which you need to see here. One is at the back. Can you see? They have power supplies and they have something else also here. I am not very sure about the what you call technical specifications. I just wanted to tell you that in practical applications, we will end up with having to work for equipment which work under that very what you call potentially hazardous and dangerous situations and any small mistake here, somebody can you know wrongly connect something or it is likely to lead to injury. Seen this?

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So, at the bottom they have the same power supply at the top they have this new what you call range of oscilloscopes. So, it is very critical that you design a proper human interface with the whatever computer they have. So, a small error here is likely to lead to sometimes fatal consequences.

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So, you see here. So, one of the what you call students, he is trying to get on with his work and just nothing I am not sure what it is all about, but you are expected to make equipment for these things and somebody has to you know work it should work without any error.

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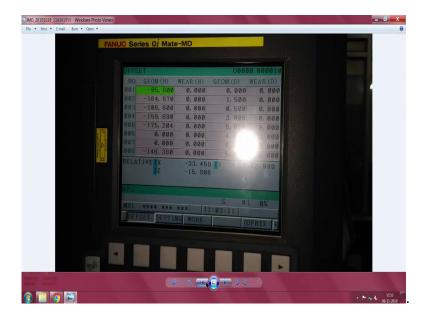


And this is this similar thing, but part of a CNC machine.

You see here while at one level we are I mean quite happy with it. We have a very complicated display here and then there is a keyboard here though it is supposed to be fully computerized numerical control, still we end up with a reasonably good front panel. So, at this point what I wanted to stress for you is this is in what you call part of a horizontal machining center.

So, the way these things are laid out are slightly different from. that laid out here.

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Can you see here? This one is that same this thing. I could not have enough space for you to take a proper photograph. This one is a vertical machining center. If you see that keys and this organization is a is actually the very same thing what was here.

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The same thing only instead I have keeping it on the right side they had to bring it to the bottom such that they can operate it and including that what you call the actual override control plus all these things, it needs a lot of design of the panel. If you notice inside this can be done by software there is no problem, but; however, the outside the basic structure we end up with making having to design that and then at this point I still feel you as a professional or what you call serious or mature can easily make all these things and you can present it to your friends and in between this is taken from my garden.

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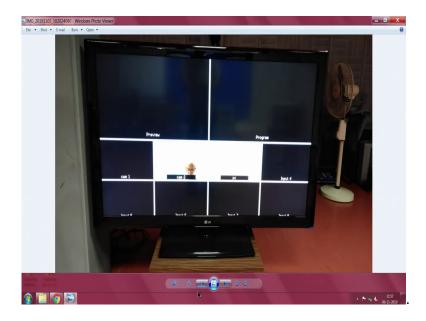
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You see this is the usual what you call I do not know what you call it, the small temperature measuring device elsewhere another one I had opened it and showed you everything even in a place like this while it looks I would say easy or anything certain improvements can be made.

So, in this case it is of course, obvious saying well I will not pick on these things know saying I wish these letters were above and something else you know is there and of course, this displays a dollar there. What looks otherwise, simple still does take a little bit of design and most important what you will notice is probably here we have a display and this blue sheet is a mask for all the things that are underneath, this is probably all of these are mounted on a printed circuit board.

And you need to make this overlay sheet and it becomes a product until that point it is not a product and you will notice that most of this bottom half is probably occupied by the power supply. This is this can be used in the you know environment and I mean you can measure the soil temperature just near the now the human says otherwise a little deeper where a little more activity takes place.

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This is the monitor which is placed in front of me. So, I am here. The small fellow in the corner is here and our people you know set up these things before my work starts.

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You will notice this is some old equipment. This could make sense if you had lot of desktop space and the total amount of these gadgets on your desk is limited and then this is probably an audio mixer which was purchased for something else.

So, when you want to make something important decision is do you think this main wheel should be on the right or is it on the left and you have all these you know mixer, slider and this thing, should they be a right on the left and then how do you need to organize these things, you can always make a mock up and discuss it with your friends.

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This is getting a little more professional. This one is the master I do not know what they call lever which does all the mixing and so on and these are all the various options of wipes. Looks easy is it not and then we even have a joystick there.

First time when you need to organize it, you probably have to make several alternatives presented to actual user. Actual user can be any professional and there a little what you call used to operating it in the conventional way in which their previous things have operated or it is not exactly a population stereotype, but easy for them to adopt and a new course they can change things.

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This were our early camera controls. I showed you a camera picture earlier. These 2 were the camera devices which control the various things of the camera. Right now fortunately we have very good things which do not need all these, but these are all professional equipment which I have been borrowed from what is called the 3 camera chain of old time studios and this is probably something used for mixing the 2 and so on.

I have no clue, I just wanted to show you that if you take a thing like this and present it to somebody as used everything earlier he will become a member of a focus group. That focus group will now decide and tell you, it is not a matter of putting any random color you like. In this field these are all the expected things there is a standard related to this.

So, the focus group is likely to give you all the necessary inputs before you actually fabricate a full-fledged prototype. So, you need to make all these what you call decals and stickers and all

that so that eventually it can be used, tested on the focus group and you can make beautiful equipment.

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From here, I will take you to an actual lab where some network activities are going on. I have no clue what these are, but this is part of the lecture I try to told, I mean I try to demonstrate earlier. This is a typical 3 u rack, 3 u sub rack I am sorry, these are all the plug in units and this is the as I told you we have captive not see here floating nuts by which you assemble these things.

Now, when you get the sub rack, first time you will notice that yes I need to plug in various devices here and over there are cables in the front end and you have noticed something here, this one is a small battery which temporarily they have replace there. Normally, such devices you know like these batteries and all are not packed here there will be in the rare side.

Yesterday if you remember I showed you one picture of a rack which is populated from the front as well as at the back. So, this is probably one of those you know, this is a back panel and this is only temporarily a storage is kept here.

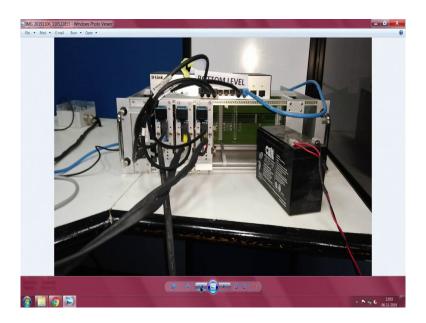
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Are you liked or not we keep ending up with these equipment and there is a simple shelf on which these things are placed. And, eventually after the work is over and everything you know works either this is removed, this device is completely removed or replaced by a rack mounted supply. That is where I told you there are half rack, one fourth rack and devices where this whole thing it is just it has a small display, next pictures I will show you.

Once you plug it inside this power is no longer drawn from the front, it is probably taken from the back end then it will come back here. And, this is a very convenient way of mounting it in a shelf.

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Invariably in all the designs and when you are trying to develop things this is part of it. You have seen here, they have removed the small 7 ampere battery and I do not even know what these things are, but since there is space they have just populated this small modules here.

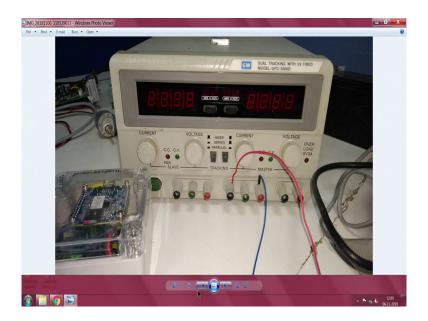
Once your test is ready, now it is possible for you to go ahead and try to produce these things here. Can you see here? So, we have something here then I do not even know what it is what it goes there and wiring can be made very you know a very convenient if probably keeping something here and making the you know links short. So, something equivalent to a large number of jumper cables can be kept there. So, I do not know where this is coming from where this is an RF feed or whatever it is.

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You have seen that this is a small transparent covered small equipment like this. So, part of the feed which was coming from there probably has to go here.

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And, then you have a working thing ready. It looks like a miracle, but it is really it is a hard work.

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This is a closer look it. So, there a display there and then I do not know what these electronics are and then this looks like a different type of connectors we have and then you have some indicators. So, when you are working with these things usually there is a way of making a printed circuit board which sits there and then you need to attach this front panel.

And, this where I would thought I will tell you that if you take all the necessary dimensions and all from the catalogues you will build a library which will be useful for you for the for this generation of equipment.

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It is a some smart switch. So, you have all these nice beautiful colored things and whether you like it or not we have this power switches.

So, next, when I have the time I will show you how this is go into the regular rack.

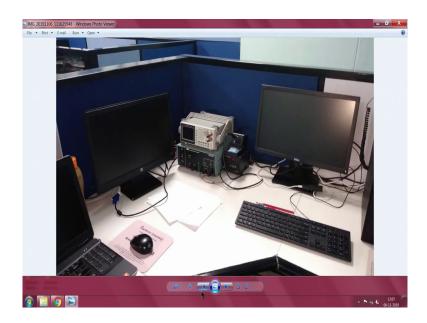
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Now, you see here this one of the sub racks were already at the back. You have a backplane and you have all these slots for the printed circuit board. This was a very elaborate thing which I showed you in the previous lecture, you can go there and check with it.

In general, if you are in the new networking products you will end up with these things and if in the initial stage itself you take a little bit of precaution you will be able to use them optimally to the maximum.

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And, this is from the work table of one of the people have been working there. We are into computers like you know there is a display here, there is a display here and probably there is a laptop here and finally, whether you whichever way you look at it, you end up with this things here, I still do not know what it is. This is one generation and this is a previous generation and anyway this is not part of it this is a something to do with the soldering technique.

And, when this new generation equipments have come this old generation also it is very easy for us to convert it into that type of an appearance by just what you call improving it. So, while paralleling the electronics inside improves tremendously, the front look also you can practice by using any illustrated software and you can come out with very interesting combinations.

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So, one lady is operating one I do not know what exactly it is. It looks like it is some UV curing equipment for this printed wiring board where there is some heating and. The thing important thing to notice here is you have a profile for ramping up the temperature and ramping down the temperature. At this point you probably do not actually require a very complicated LCD display. All you need to do is you just need to you know make these points and probably there is a small bit of selection.

So, this ramp 1 ramp 2 everything is you know displayed here and by manipulating these switches they are able to get that thing going. So, I am impressed by it.

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This is actually a real life very I mean to me it is dangerous. I do not want to go any closer. This is some power electronics equipment. First time you will notice is these are all very high voltage, it takes 400 volts rectifies and keeps it there. And, you have this many what you call things to work on, eventually all that will go into the drive which I have shown you. So, I think this is made for some 100 kilowatt high speed what you call multi phase drive.

When the people want to package it now, they need to come and show us what is it they wanted to do. Say this one I he told me each one of them is some like of some part of an inverter while in the beginning we start like this eventually everything will be you know made better.

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So, it is this. There are so many of these printed circuit boards here, probably this is one of them. And, this and this and all that after the actual test is over finally, they will get neatly packaged and you will have a running thing.

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This is something which I have taken from my home collection. This is nothing, it is a 3-phase I am sorry it is a 3 pin single phase some power device. You will see that here you will notice that you have a switch and then you have a fuse and you have these. These things once you buy it you probably need to add an extra cover plate on this which shows to what type of load this is connected; what load has to be connected here, what is the operation that is connected here and what is the status of the power, in case of fail what goes and all that.

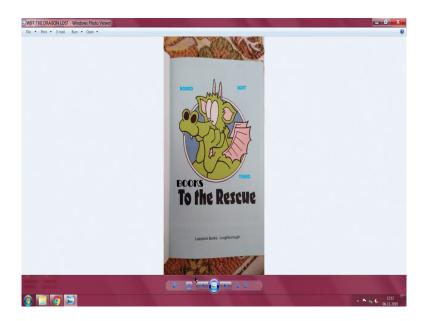
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This is not a actually real life product, it is not a full product actually. This is only what you call a 2D rendering and this particular one talks about a you know start and stop button. I am sorry green is usually start stop button and there is a load here and this one is they what you call in famous timer which you find ubiquitous more than infamous famous ubiquitous so called I think I do not know it is called fortune or something timer which you find anywhere.

So, how do you arrange all these things and once you have this it is very easy for us to move on to the workshop and just follow this template and carry out the operations. And, where do we get all the information?

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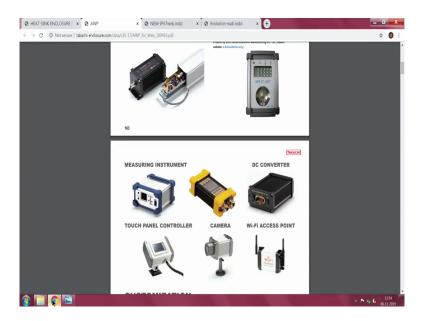


They are always the this is actually I taken from my Childs book saying if you do not get the information or if you are lost you can read books. But, in this case I refer to various types of catalogues, any information you want is probably available somewhere in the catalogue. And, over the years if you try to build on this, information like this is freely available. You see here whole centers 105 mm for a 120 millimeter fan.

And, for arranging these things if you make just two views saying one in the front or back view, one in the side view or the top view your thing is ready absolutely; life cannot be better and easier than this.

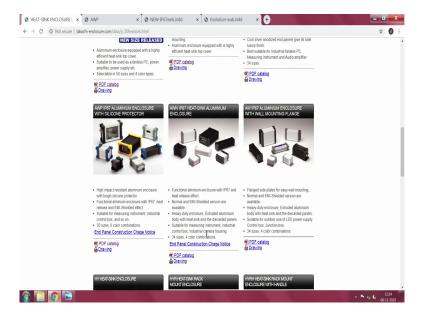
Now, for a while I will just close this.

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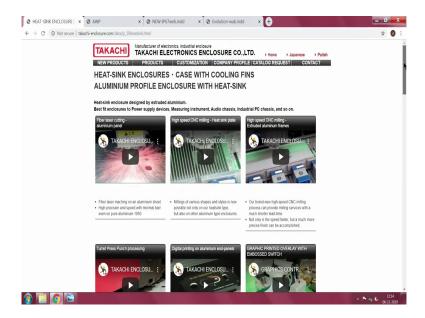


And, try to take you back to electronic enclosures.

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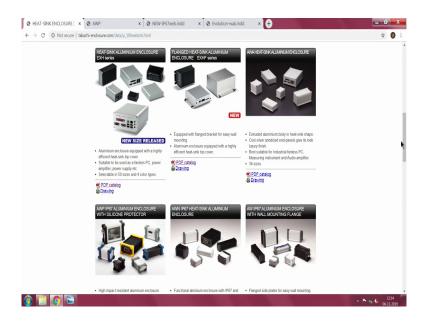


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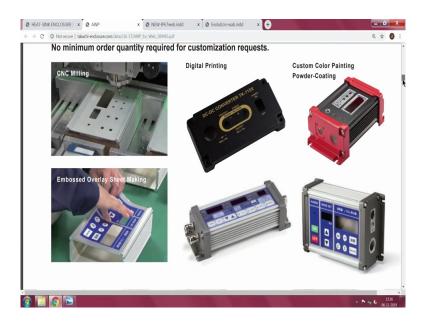
See in this first thing you will notice in this is anything you want, especially if you say the that the other device which I try to show you there is probably useful equivalent devices available for you.

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So, we have aluminium enclosures. Fully sealed IP 67 is you know you can even immerse it in water, then we have all these things and in these cases all you need is I try to show you the other day, all you just need to do is try to make a just a front panel. And, to make the front panel without having to worry too much about it if you have all the necessary data from the books, you can very easily make any of these things what you wanted to do.

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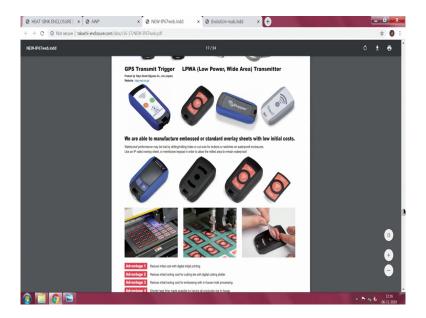
Main thing is you can talk to your other people in your group and get things going. So, two levels here – one level is just to concept conceive the product and for that this is where I was trying to tell you this I would earlier I had shown you this. You just need to think about it and eventually you know if you now send the file, it is easily milling and all can be done, but the first time if you do it properly everything fits properly. So, we are into new way of manufacturing things.

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This I do not know whether I had shown you earlier.

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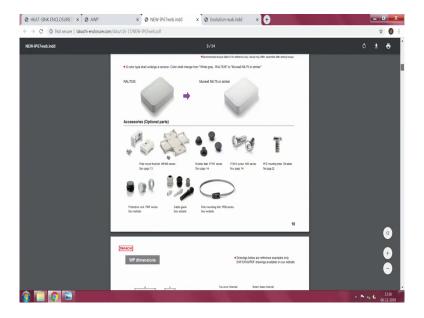


But, I think no harm in our checking it.

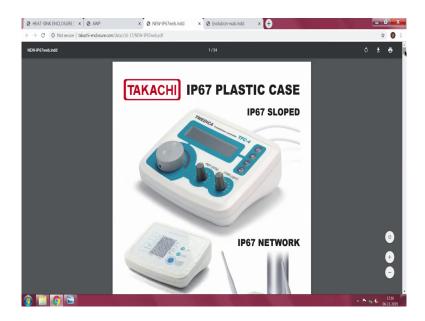
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Anything you can think of all the hardware is available. It is for you to just to conceive a product and then as I said earlier probably you pass it on to a focus group. The focus group will now give you a feedback saying while in your layout it this looks ok, I would rather this device not be present here, I wanted here or I wanted the side or anything. For you to make a mock up is very easy.

And, while the 2D mock up can be done with any illustrator or even any 3D software you can always attach all these small devices directly onto your cardboard model and make one yourself.

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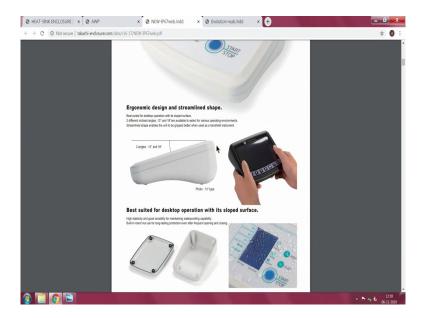
Or in case it looks a little you know not worth the making, you can always exchange it with your other team members will be quite.

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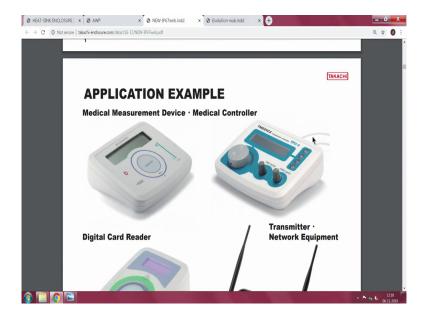
I am sure eager that one had if you remember that earlier thing what I showed you and the knob. Instead in this case it is just a overlay sheet with a tactile feedback switch.

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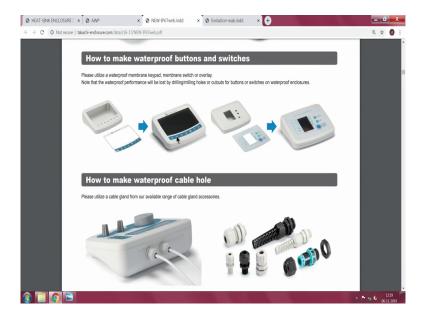
So, from here this is directly taken from the catalogue, it is a full I mean nice example. So, we have various things made out of basically the similar thing.

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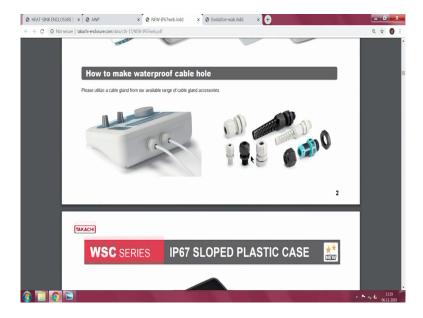
If you remember I had shown you this digital card reader earlier and in fact, what even is a very simple what you call a black box can still be made a little more interesting by arranging things such that they are very convenient.

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See in here anything you want all these things are available including what looks like a beautiful display.

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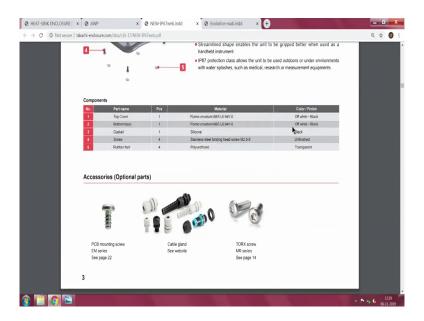
And now that because these are available, you need not spend too much time on the hardware.

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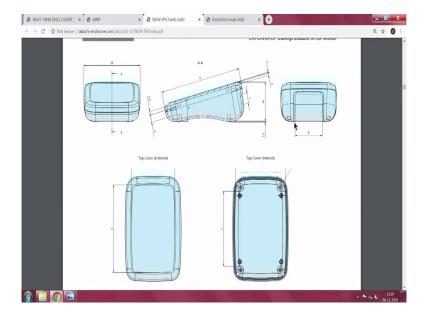
Yes, this will be maybe I expect know if you want to make it in bulk production it will be 3 to 4 times the cost of your own making. But, if you are making a few hundred pieces and if the market supports it you can buy these things directly.

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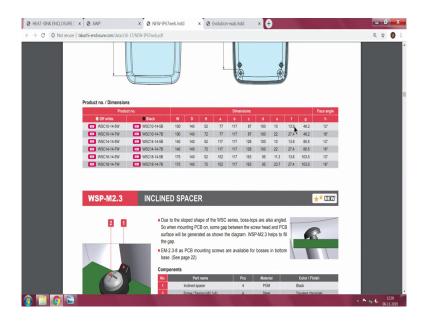
All you need to do is think a little about these dimension.

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This is where I said books come to the rescue. So, necessary details are all here.

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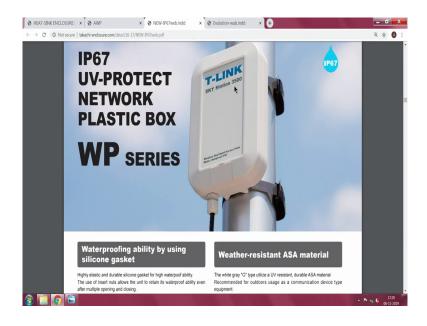
At the bottom they have given a large table of available dimensions, see in this.

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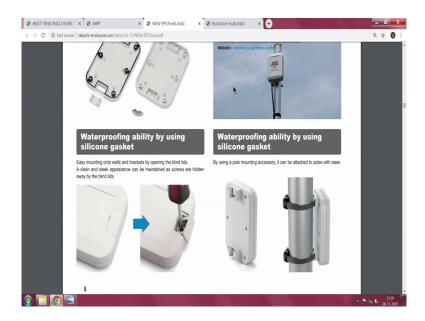
So, it is for you which I feel is relatively easy.

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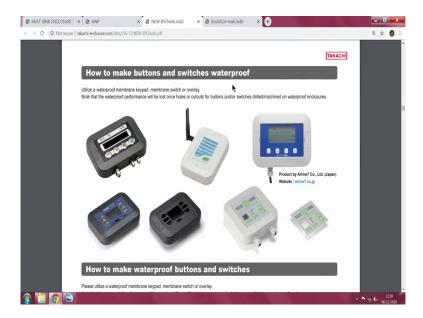
To make anything you want. All you need to do is a little bit of forethought so that I just make a appropriate sticker.

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And, make things that much more interesting.

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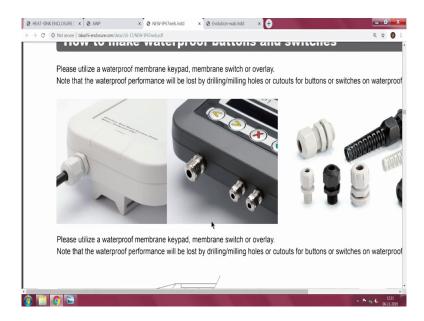
Things are this I think we can take a just a closer look. See near the actual utility enclosure and then here you see the openings and if you conceive of the product and make the printed wiring board to suit this and you can upload the file and all these things are very easily they are all made easily and they are available here. Can you see here? Large number of things I come in.

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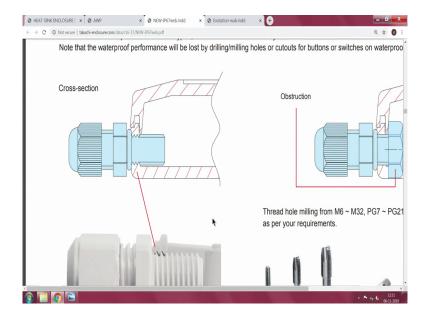
I really do not know what it is.

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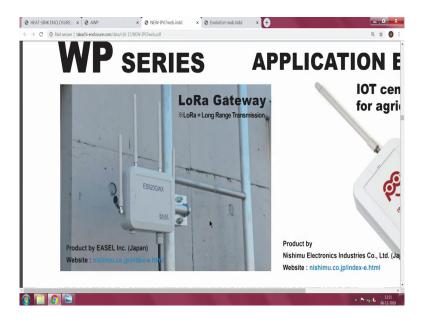


But, you can see that without having too much of without you are having to spending too much about it anything you want is already available.

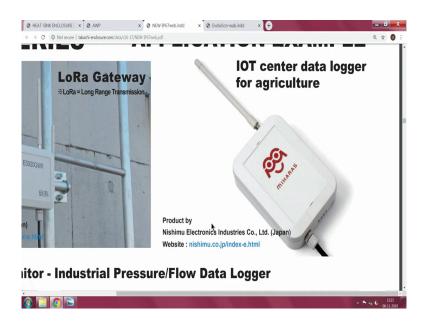
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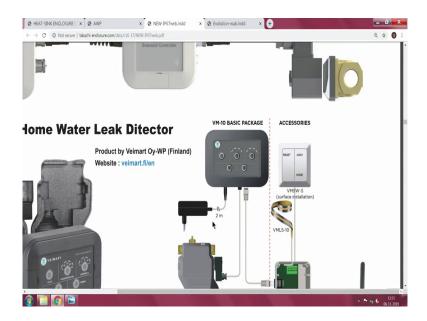


All you need to do is put a sticker IOT probably and you can sell your products better; IOT central data logger for agriculture.

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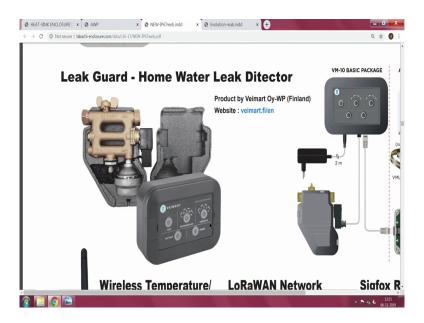


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Now, you see here.

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If you see this box, we have all the things already there. It is a question of what will you.

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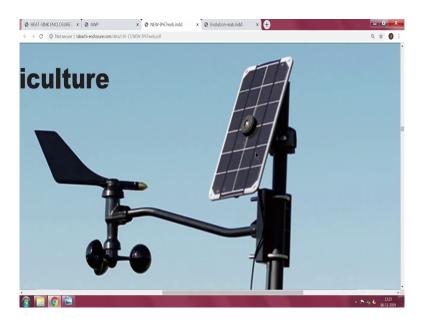
See here something has been added to that by which we have some settings and basically it is waterproof. All you need to do is design what you want and this here I feel know is where you will be able to probably deal with your group and decide which is better and there is a place and there is a niche market for these products. All it requires a little bit of our imagination here. You have seen this?

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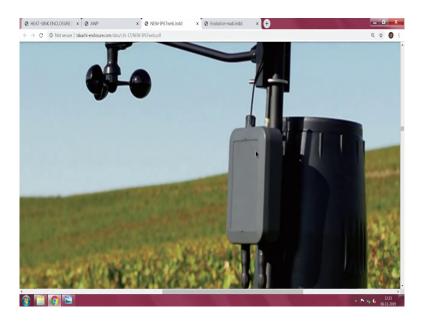


These are all fantastic amount of this products are available.

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See here my interest is this. It is easy.

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Any of you in fact, all of us, you and I know all of us can easily get these things into the field.

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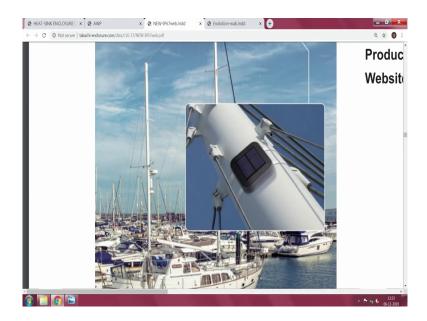
Now, maybe you will appreciate the small temperature device which I was trying to show you that one is a normal kitchen thermometer and these are all the next level of agricultural things which very easy for us to do.

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Can you see?

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So, many of these things are unbelievably very good devices. All these things it requires a little bit of your imagination.

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And, anything you want is here ok.

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See here I still do not know what it is it says some leakage detector by some Takatronix and it show you the amount of what you call the various types of things that you know can be taken up and so on.

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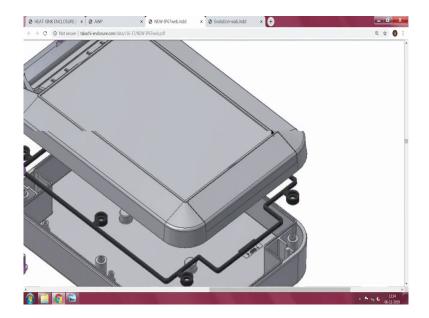
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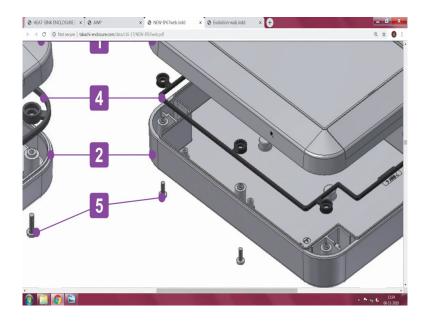
There is a gateway.

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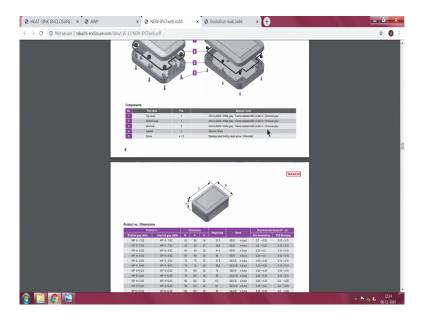


All these products they are very I feel know relatively easy for you.

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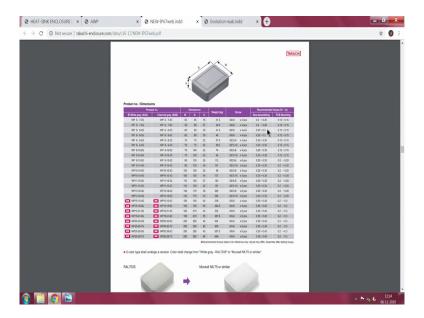


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Now, at the bottom huge selection of sizes is given there.

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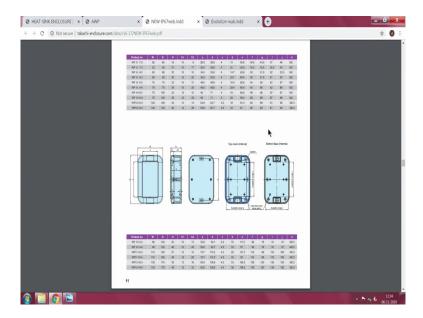


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And, the hardware.

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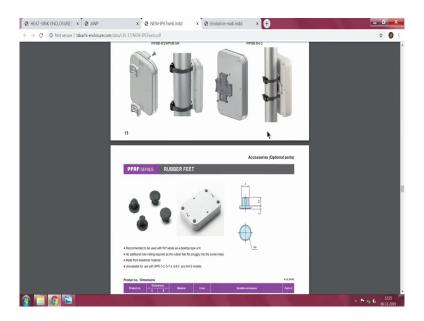
I will not what you call I suggest you know look up these things at your leisure.

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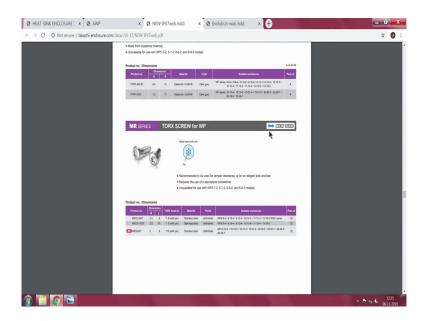
So, anything you want is probably available.

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All you need to do is conceive of a product.

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And, even waterproof series are there. So, all you need to do is design the product, make a proper sticker which was my what you call thing if you see these examples here you will appreciate.

So, I will continue this in the next session. You see here that there are any amount of possibilities by which only thing that you need to do is try to arrange the components and make it into a scale some scale. And, go to a catalogue pick the corresponding product that you know is likely to be you know case renewers. Design a I will call it a interface panel; it could be front back sides or anything and just paste it on top of it and a perfect product is ready.

So, I am wishing you the best that you make one of these very interesting things. At the moment I thought I will show you these things.

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This is a new pointer for the power point.

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This was an existing old thing. I am sure some of you have seen it let me peel this what you call a tape it is old must be at least some 10 years old. It is all falling apart, but works very well. So, in this if you see I have keys, then I have a centre key, then I have something and if I am lucky and if I switch it on it is dead now. So, this is an earlier version of it. Now, they have sleek fantastic devices. All these you can easily make in your own what you call on the desktop and so on.

So, I will stop here thank you. Let us meet again in the next session.

Thank you.