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Airgineers is a STEM challenge for secondary school aged students who will need to design, build and learn to fly their own radio-controlled quadcopter, often referred

to as a drone.

It was created to provide a cutting-edge design and manufacture project that would allow students to learn CAD skills and apply them to manufacturing techniques such as 3D printing, laser cutting and vacuum forming as well as hand-made prototypes.

Micro Drones are just about the easiest way to learn how to make and fly a radio controlled multirotor. Teams will need to design and build an efficient and manoeuvrable micro-sized flying machine that will compete in team games, individual challenges and time trials. And just in case making your own drone wasn't amazing enough, you'll experience all the action from First Person View or FP V via a tiny camera mounted on the drone itself.



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Design using free CAD software

Autodesk are the biggest name in CAD software and have products that are used in engineering, product design, architecture, film, game design and VR. Airgineers have worked closely with Autodesk to develop resources for the Fusion 360 and TinkerCAD software to help students learn how to design a drone from scratch, and the best part is that for schools and students, this software is completely free.

Fusion 360

Fusion 360 is professional-grade software that combines computer-aided design, manufacture and engineering (CAD, CAM and CAE) into a single software package. Whilst the software is installed and run locally, Fusion 360 allows users to harness the massive power of Autodesk's cloud computing to speed up rendering and processing of more complex designs.

TinkerCAD

TinkerCAD is a free, easy-to-use browser-based app for 3D design, electronics and coding with a shallow learning curve. Because it is browser-based, there is no software to install and students can access it almost anywhere

Visit www.airgineers.co.uk to learn how to access the software.

Design Examples

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Entirely 3D printed using two separate parts. The main frame has the motor mounts, propeller ducts and flight controller mounts. The camera is mounted using a separate bracket.



CNC milling and 3D printing

The main frame is CNC milled from HDPE and 3D printed parts are used to protect the motors and to mount the camera. HDPE has the advantage of being more robust than 3D printing and you could even try making your own HDPE sheet from old plastic milk bottles.

Vacuum forming and 3D printing

The main body and camera mount including the ducts are vacuum formed. A 3D printed part is used for the motor mounts.

Foamboard and 3D printing

The motor mounts are 3D printed but the main frame, propeller ducts and camera mount are hand cut from foamboard. This has the advantage of being quick and easy to make as well as extremely light.



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Tutorials and safety

Video tutorials for every aspect of Airgineers Micro Drones can be found at www.airgineers.co.uk

If you are new to CAD, learn how to use Fusion 360 or TinkerCAD to design your drone frame. Our tutorials also show you how to assemble a Micro Drone, use BetaFlight to configure your flight controller and help you understand the principles behind how a drone flies.

You'll also find a wealth of information regarding the safe use of different types of drones, including Micro Drones

Starter kits

Airgineers Starter Kits contain everything you need to build a Micro Drone. The only thing that is not included is the frame as this is designed and manufactured by the students.





Order code

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- · 4x Airgineers FS-i6S transmitter · 4x set of 4 propellers · 4x set of 4 motors · 4x Flight controller
- · 4x FPV camera and video transmitter
- · 15 drone batteries and suitable chargers

· 4x VR-007pro FPV goggles and batteries

Transmitter requires 4xAA batteries, not included





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This kit is the perfect place to begin your Airgineers journey because it contains everything you need to build both Micro and a 3S Class drones.

The Tyrant-S 3S Class kit contains all of the components and the frame required to build a fully functioning racing drone. Some soldering and basic tools are required to complete assembly.

The Micro Class kit contains all of the electronics needed to make an FPV micro-drone. However, this kit does not come with a chassis – your students will need to design and manufacture one using 3D printing, laser cutting or other techniques. CAD files for a basic chassis are available to download from **www.airgineers.co.uk**.

Kit includes:

- FlySky FS-i6S transmitter
- VR-007pro FPV goggles
- Tyrant-S 3S Class FPV racing drone kit
- · Micro Class racing drone kit
- · Batteries and chargers

Transmitter requires 4x AA batteries, not included.



Tyrant-S 3S Class FPV Starter Kit



If you need a complete set-up for an Airgineers 3S Class racing drone, this is the kit for you.

The Tyrant-S 3S Class FPV starter kit contains all of the components and the frame required to build a fully functioning racing drone. The kit also includes FPV goggles, batteries and chargers.

Some soldering and basic tools are required	
to complete assembly.	

Kit includes:

- FlySky FS-i6S transmitter
 Tyrant-S 3S class FPV racing drone kit
- VR-007pro FPV goggles
- Batteries and chargers
- Transmitter requires 4xAA batteries, not included.

 Type
 Order code
 1+

 Tyrant-S starter kit
 70-1203 272.99

DIATONE INNOVATIONS Tyrant S Racing Drone



A racing drone needs to be fast, agile and seriously robust - all features that the $\ensuremath{\mathsf{Tyrant-S}}$ has in spades.

The 4mm thick carbon-fibre frame is a tough as they come and the 2205 motors and 30A ESCs mean that power comes in abundance. But power is nothing without control which is why the Tyrant-S uses the latest FC-Fury F3 flight controller to ensure an incredible responsive flight whilst still allowing varying degrees of self-levelling to help new pilots learn to fly.

We recommend this kit version for use in the **Airgineers** competition. This allows students to learn how the drone is built so that in the event of a really big crash, they can fix it themselves!

Features:

- · Unassembled kit version, ideal for learning
- Robust 4mm thick carbon-fibre frame
- High-power 2205 motors
- 30A Electronic Speed Controllers
- FC-Fury F3 highly configurable flight controller
- 800TVL FPV camera
- 40-channel FPV video transmitter
- 5045 3-blade propellers
- Mounting plate for GoPro or other similar HD action camera

Requires a transmitter, receiver, battery and charger (not included) to get into the air.







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Tyrant S Replacement Frame Kit



Don't fear! If the worst should happen and you have a really big crash that breaks the frame, replacements are available. This kit is a complete replacement frame with all fixings and hardware required to put it together.

Туре	Order code	1+		
Replacement frame kit	70-1163	31.23		
				565790

5045 3-Blade Propellers Set of 4

These propellers have the same specification as the ones supplied with the Airgineers Tyrant-S racing drone.

They come as a complete set with two clockwise and two counterclockwise propellers. It's always worth keeping a couple of packs handy in case you break a blade when flying.

Features:

- 127mm (5in.) diameter
- 114.3mm (4.5in.) pitch
- 3 blades
- Pack contains 2x CW and 2x CCW propellers

When changing propellers, be sure to fit the clockwise and counterclockwise propellers to the correct motors!

Туре	Order code	1+	
3-blade propellers	70-1170	0.86	

Diatone Fury F3S Flight Controller The Diatone Fury F3S

The Diatone rule years is a BetaFlight-based flight controller with integrated on-screen display designed for use with FPV drones. It can be configured using BetaFlight and other similar configurators and features and integrated PDB and on-screen



display (OSD). Each flight controller is supplied with rubber mounting bushes to allow it to be "soft-mounted".

This is the same as the flight controller supplied with later versions of the **Diatone** Tyrant-S kit but it is also backwardly compatible with earlier versions of the kit that were supplied with the Fury-F3.

The F3S has an integrated PDB which can supply up to 35A to each of the four ESC ports and a 5V BEC rated at 1.5A.

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- Processor: STM32 F303
- Motion sensor: MPU6000 • OSD chip: AT7456
- BEC: 5V 1.5A (2A burst) Input: 3-5S LiPo (11.1V – 21V)
- Max current: 140A (4x 35A)
- Mounting: 30.5mm pitch
- Dimensions: 44x 40x 6.6mm
- Weight: 10g

Type Order code 70-1197 16.90 F3S

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M2205 2300KV Motor

These high-power brushless motors are identical to the ones used on the Airgineers Tyrant-S racing drone but are ideal for use on any number of drone projects.

Туре

Order code 1+

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M2205 2300KV motor **70-1166** 4.82

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302XD ESC Electronic Speed Controller

A replacement ESC (Electronic Speed Controller), as used on the Airgineers Tyrant-S racing drone.

The ESC is based on the Silabs EFM8BB21 (BB2) with the latest version of Blheli_S firmware.

Features:

- 3-4S LiPo input
- 30A continuous current
- 60A burst current
- Supports oneshot125, oneshot42, Multishot and Dshot600 protocols
- Weight 5g

Diatone type 302XD

Туре Order code Speed controller 70-1165 6.93

800TVL FPV (First Person View) Camera

These miniature cameras are ideal for use in FPV (first person view) applications on drones or any other radio controlled model.

They are the same as



the camera used on the Airgineers Tyrant-S racing drone, so are an ideal replacement if the original gets damaged.

Туре	Order code	1+		
800TVL FPV camera	70-1167	7.53		
				565794

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Circular Polarized VTX Antenna

A circular, polarised video transmitter antenna for use with 5.8GHz FPV systems. It is the same as the

camera used on the Airgineers Tyrant-S racing drone, so it is an ideal replacement if the original gets damaged.

Features:

- · Circular, polarised design for omni-directional signal
- Rugged case to protect element
- Fitted with SMA plug

Туре	Order code	1+	
Circular VTX antenna	70-1169	2.88	

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Anti-Slip Hook and Loop Battery Strap

It's very important to

make sure that your LiPo battery is securely fastened to your drone at all times, even more so if you are racing or doing acrobatics.



This anti-slip battery strap is designed to safely secure a 3S LiPo battery and is identical to the one used on the Airgineers Tyrant-S racing drone.

Order code

70-1171 0.35

• Features:

- · Hook and loop fastening
- Rubberised anti-slip coating
- · Length suited to 3S LiPo batteries
- Size 20 x 200mm
- Supplied singly

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11.V 1550mAh 3-cell 75C LiPo Battery

Drone racing puts some serious strain on your batteries, so it is vital to have something that is capable of delivering the power when it matters.



These Tattu batteries are recommended for the Airgineers 3S class racing drones.

Features:

- 3S, 11.1V 1550mAh capacity
- High 75C discharge rating
- XT60 power connector
- XH style balance connector

Note: Lithium Polymer (LiPo) batteries should always be charged and stored in a LiPo safety bag, see order code 70-1178.





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LiPo Battery Charger

The Voltcraft V-Charge Eco is a plug-and-play charger for 2, 3 and 4S LiPo rechargeable batteries.

Simply connect the battery via its balance connector, plug into the socket and wait until the battery is fully charged done! It's that easy!



• Features:

- Plug and play
- Suitable for 2, 3 or 4S LiPo batteries
- 3A maximum charge current
- XH style balanced charge connectors

Note: Lithium Polymer (LiPo) batteries should always be charged and stored in a LiPo safety bag, see order code 70-1178.

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fechnical specification		
Max. charging capacity	35W	
Charging current (max.)	3A	
Operating voltage	230V AC	
Width	72mm	
Length	117mm	
Height	40mm	
Weight	178g	
Туре	Order code 1+	

LiPo battery charger 70-1187 21.53



5-piece Basic **Electronics Tool Kit**

- Flat blade screwdriver
- Phillips screwdriver
- Zip case

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