

Boccia Workshop

Boccia Equipments



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Boccia Ball

Boccia Ramp

Assitive Devices: Wheelchair,

Pointer, Repair tool, etc...

Boccia Ball

First Question!

Is Boccia Ball a perfect Sphere?

Boccia Ball

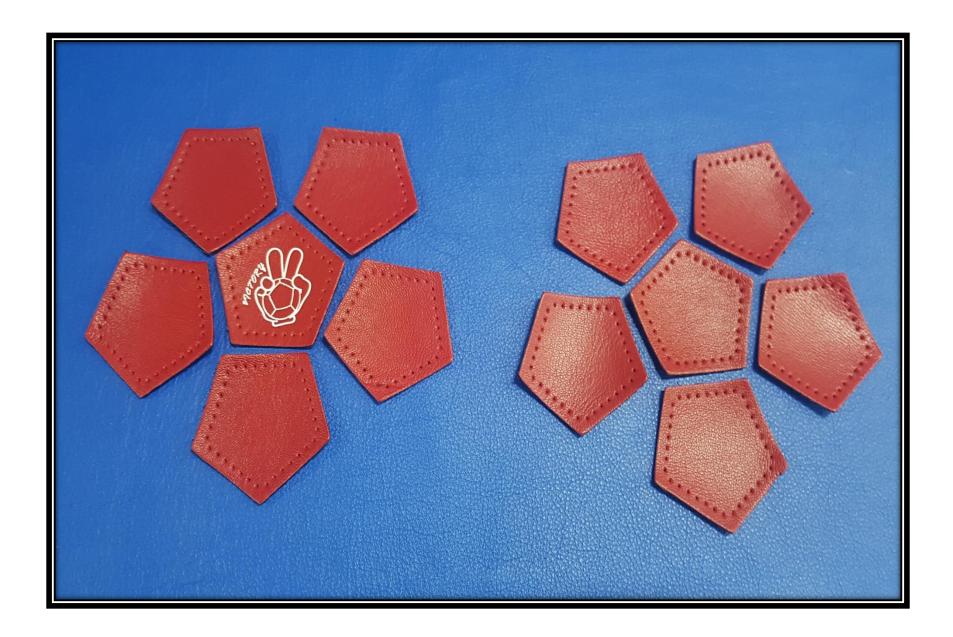




Boccia Ball

The combination of

12 Pentagonal leathers

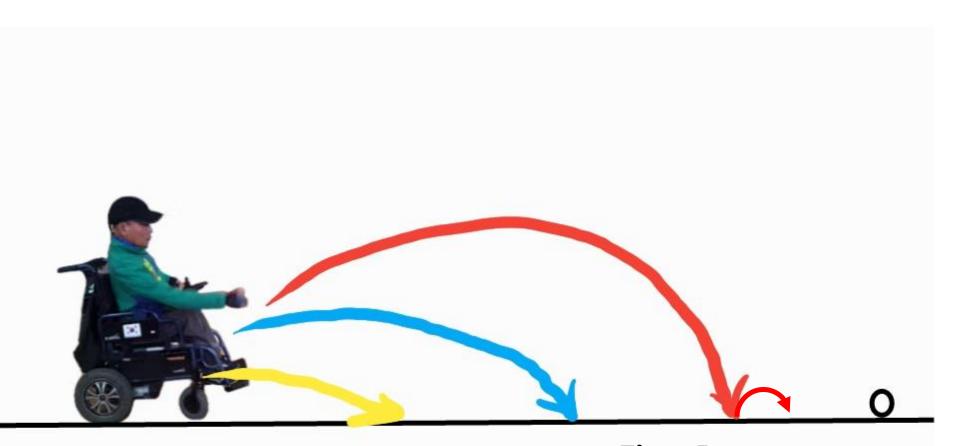


What are Problems in Boccia Ball

Ball bounces to another direction sometime

Ball rolls curved sometime

First Problem: Bounce



First Drop

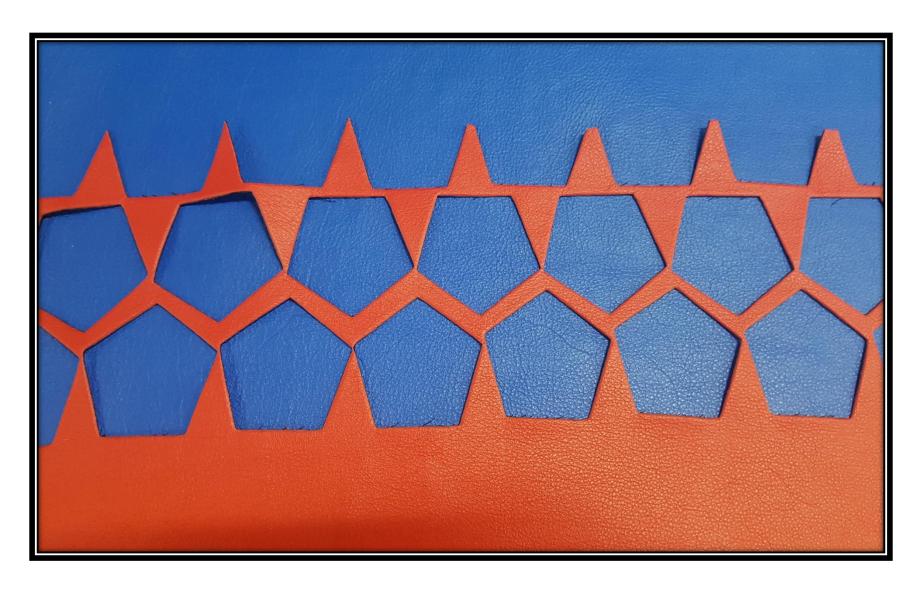
Second Problem: Curve

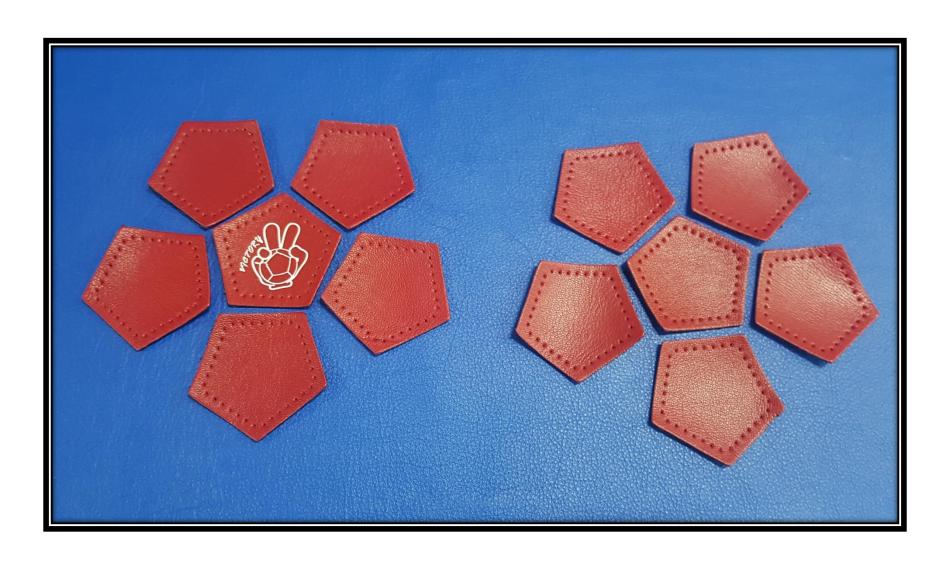


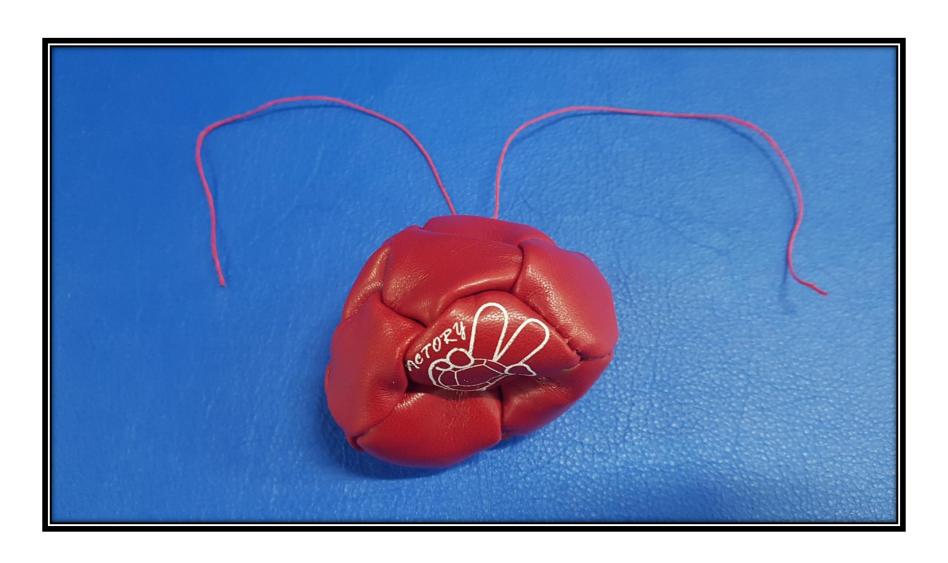
Science of Bocci Ball

- Ball Criteria

- Weight: 275 +/- 12g (**263 ~ 287g**)
- Circumference : 270mm +/- 8mm
- Diameter: 83.4 ~ 88.5mm













Comparison between Artificial leather and Natural leather

Artificial leather Natural leather **Natural Softness Leahter Equiaity Poor Durability Non-Equality**

Boccia shot cannot be accurate perfectly! Why?



Why boccia shot cannot be accurate perfectly?

Physical Factor: Unskilled shot

Ball Factor: Not Sphere

Court Factor: Not level

We can improve the accuracy and power by modifying the ball

Accuracy

Softening

Keep Good Shape

in the Rounder

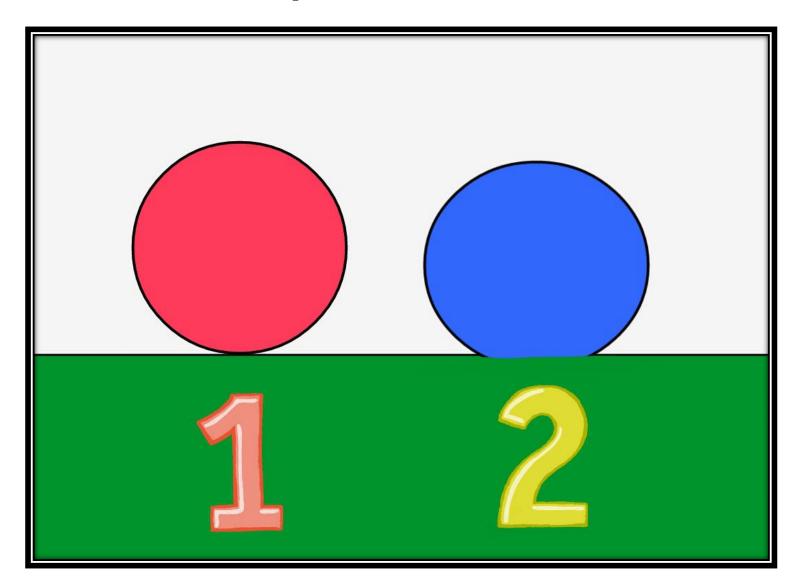
Power

Super Hard ball

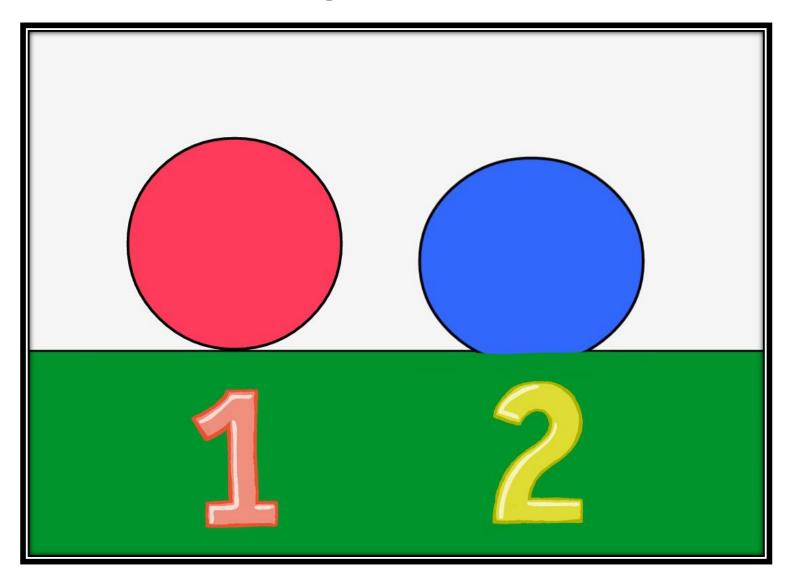
Slippery

Painting

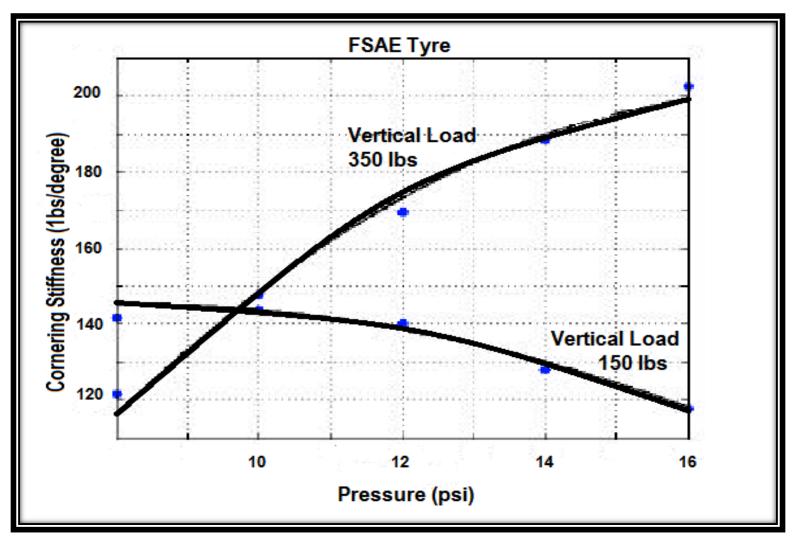
The Softer, The more accurate



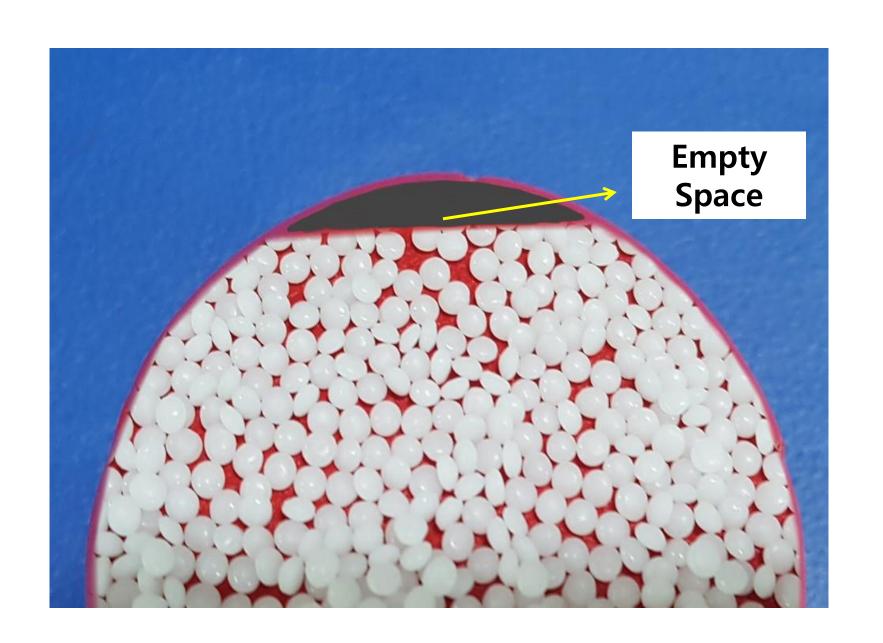
The Softer, The less curved



corelation between tyre pressure and Cornering stiffness







Proper Softness for the Accurate Soft ball



Ball's Arrangement Determinants

Athlete's Strength

Athlete's Tactics

Opponent's Tactics

Ball's Arrangement by hardness

Туре	Hardness(1~12)	Purpose
Super Soft	1, 2	Approach
Soft	2, 3	Approach, Push
Soft Medium	4, 5	Push, Rocochet
Medium	6, 7	Push, Knock off
Hard	8, 9	Knock off
Super Hard	10, 11	Knock off strongly

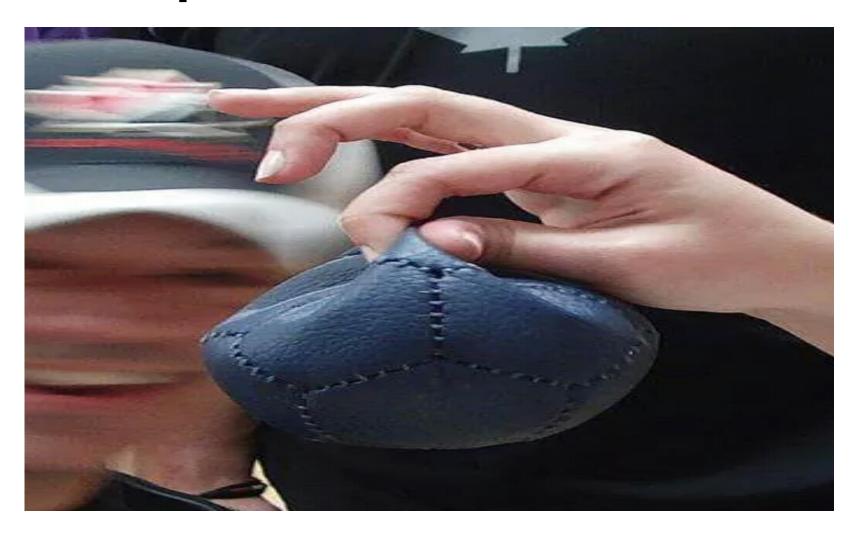
Ball's Arrangement for BC3

Туре	Hardness(1~12)	Number of ball
Super Soft	1, 2	
Soft	2, 3	
Soft Medium	4, 5	
Medium	6, 7	
Hard	8, 9	
Super Hard	10, 11	

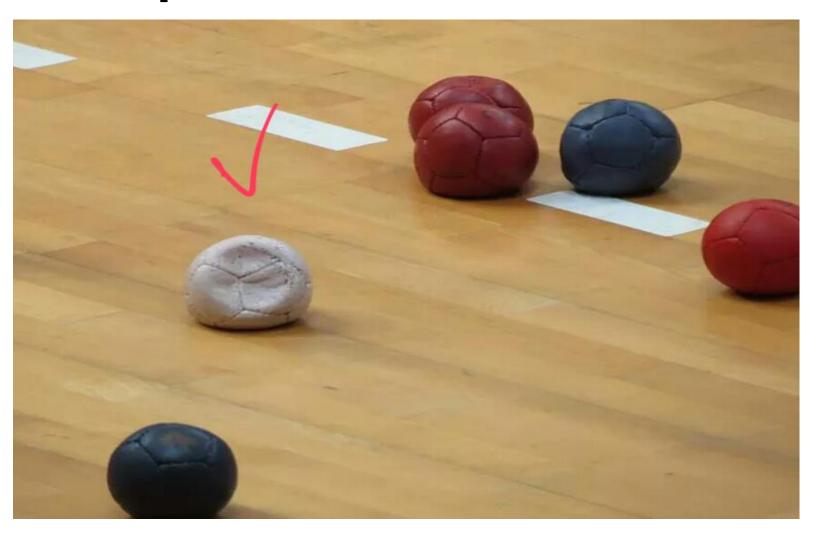
Ball's Arrangement for Thrower

Туре	Hardness(1~12)	Number of ball
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Soft Medium	4, 5	
Medium	6, 7	
Hard	8, 9	
Super Hard	10, 11	

Super soft ball's Problem



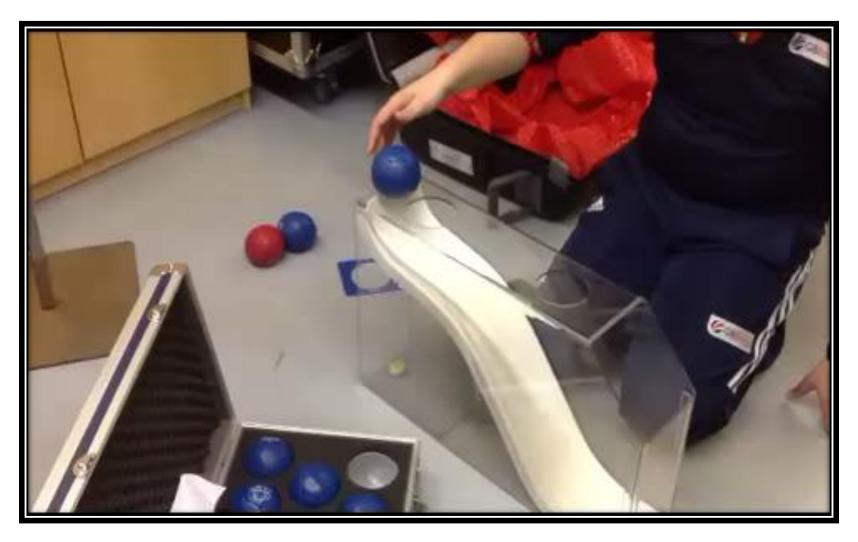
Super soft ball's Problem



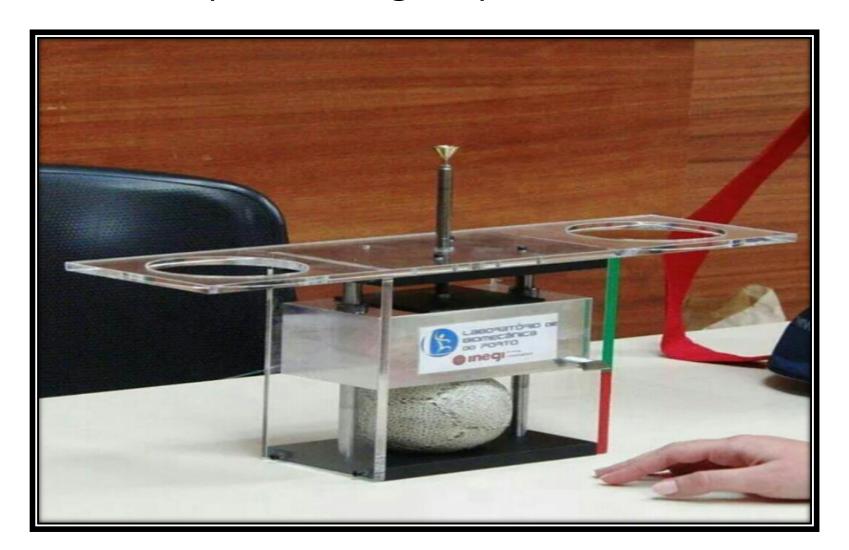
Problems of Super Soft ball



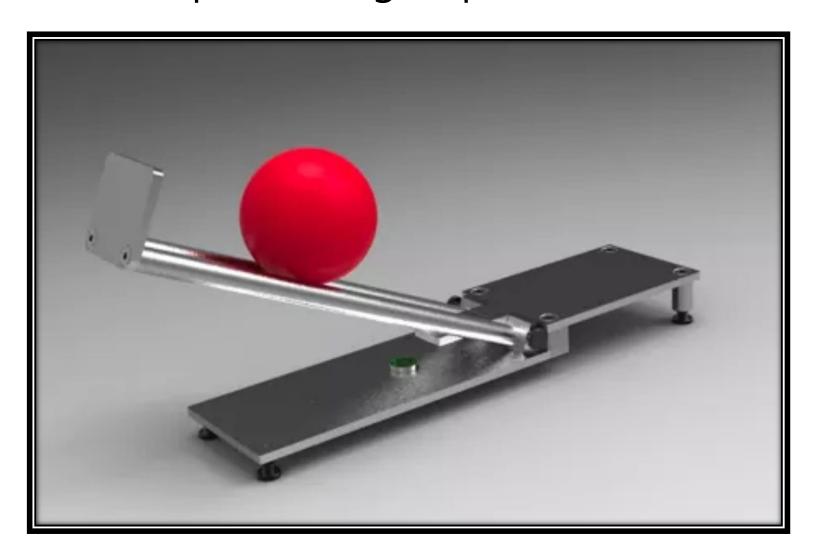
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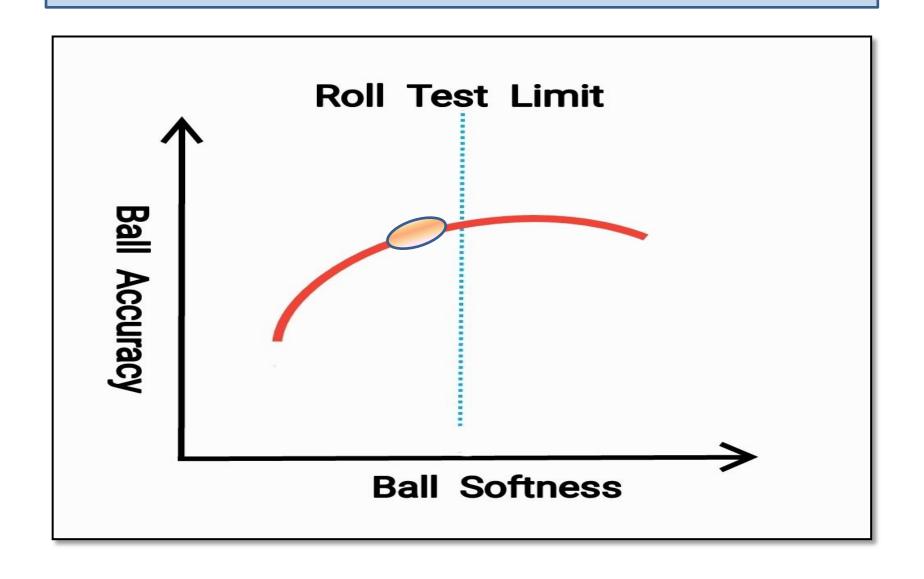
BISFed's New Test device for preventing Super soft ball



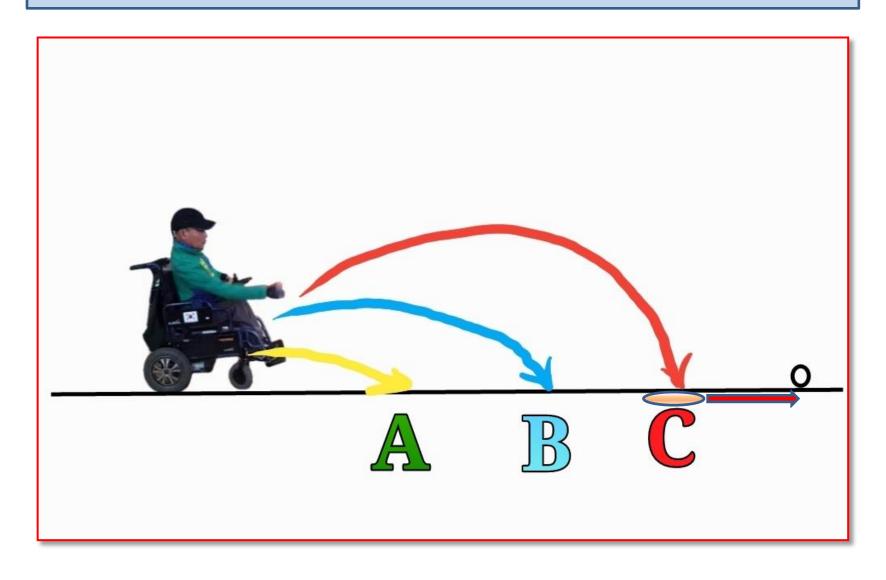
Is unmoveable Ball Problem solved after Roll test was adopted?



Boccia Soft Ball's Accuracy



Proper Softness of Soft ball for thrower



How to modify the Soft ball?

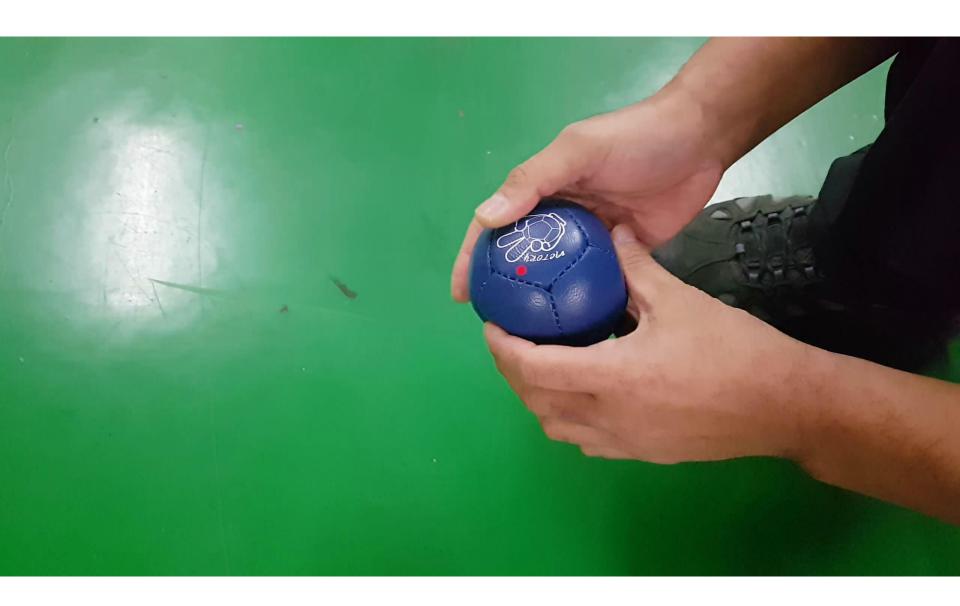
Drop the ball repeatedly

Sandpaper slightly

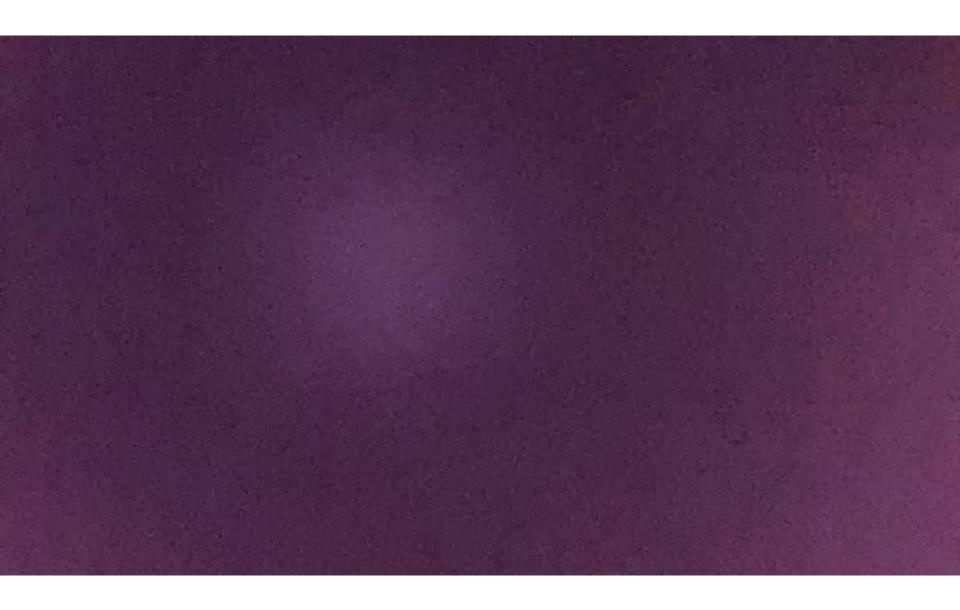
Pull some pellets out

Apply Leather Lotion

Softening (Dropping)

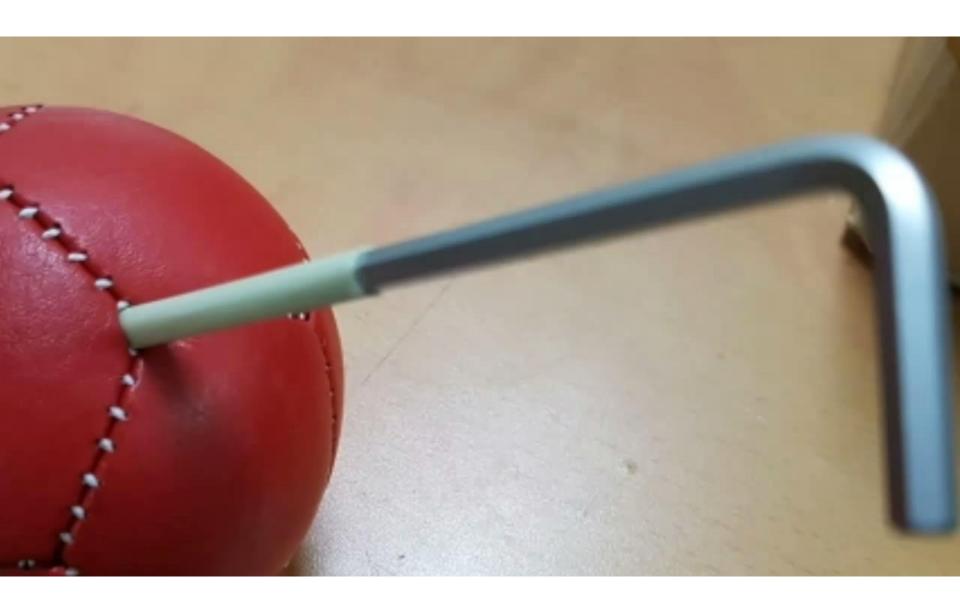


Softening (Change inner Pellets)



Recovery the hole(after modification)

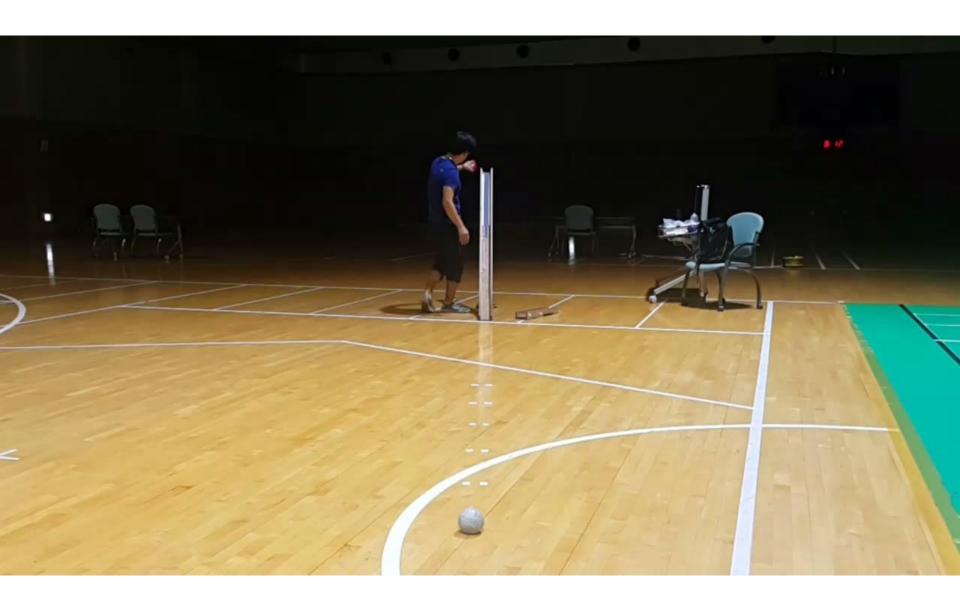




Ball Test for Thrower's Ball



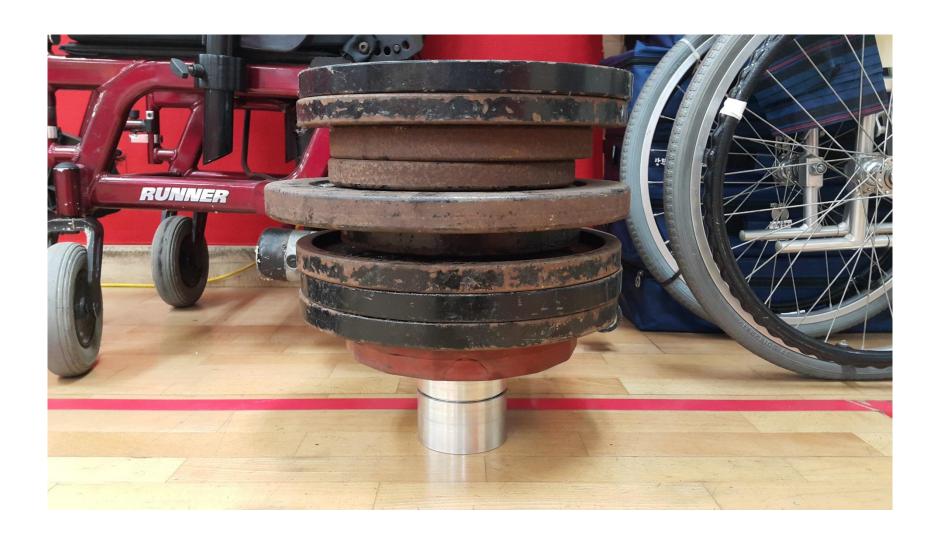
Ball Test for BC3 Athlete's Ball



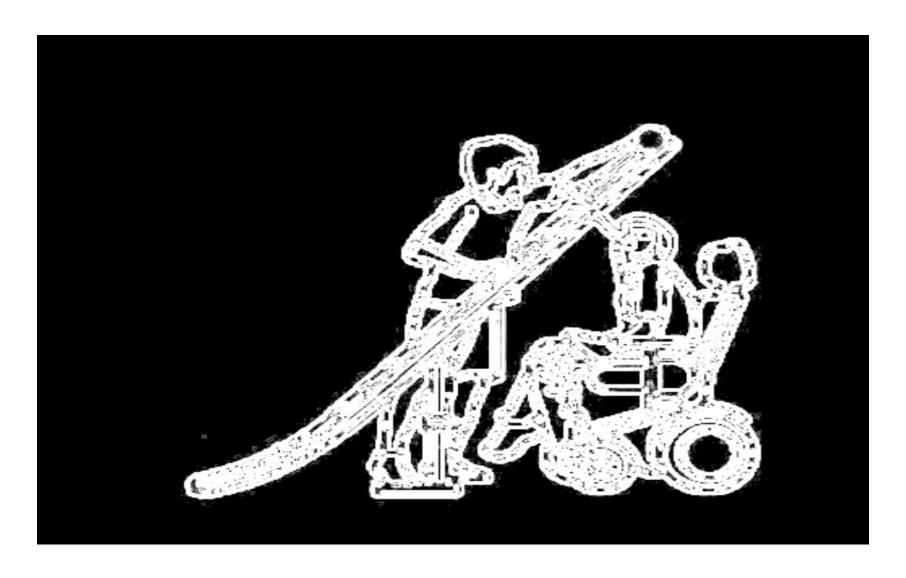








Boccia Ramp History



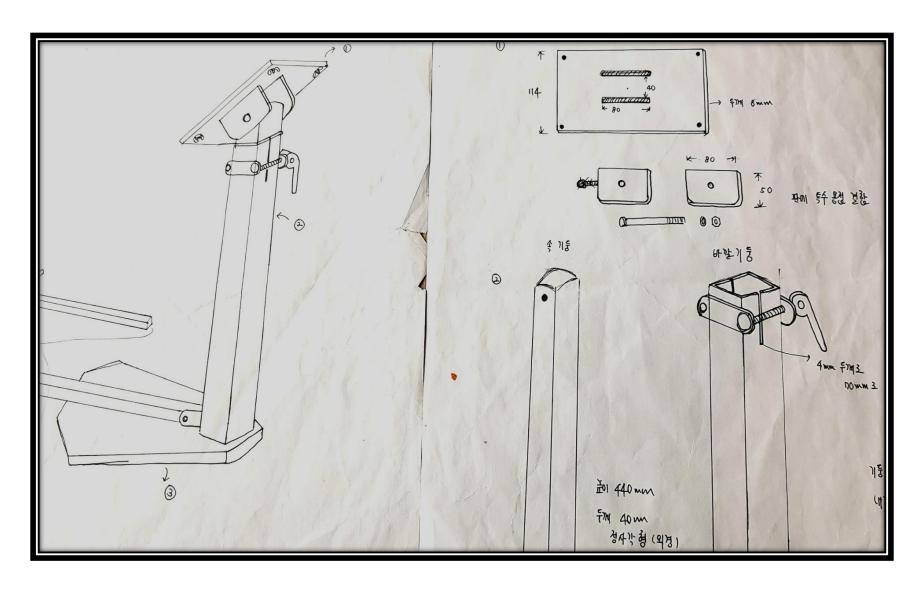
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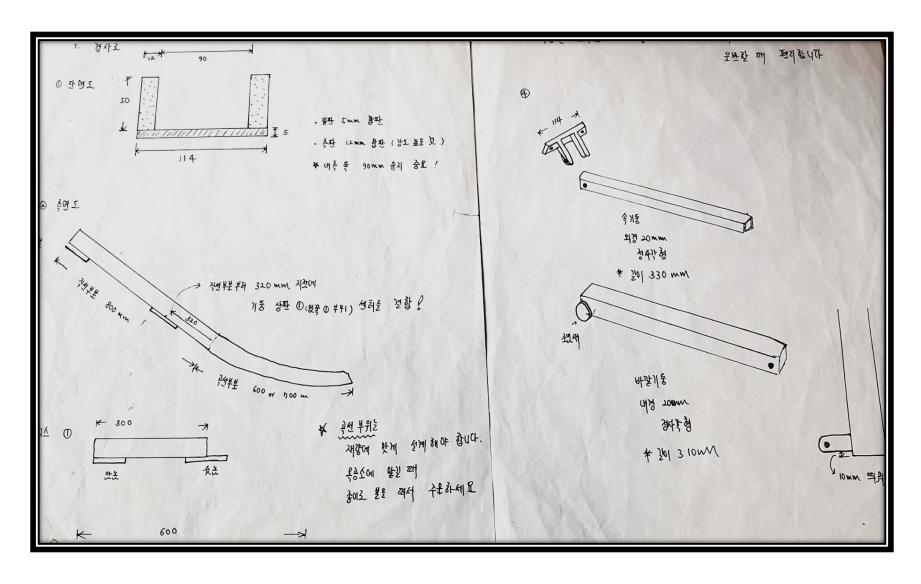
2003 Christchurch WC



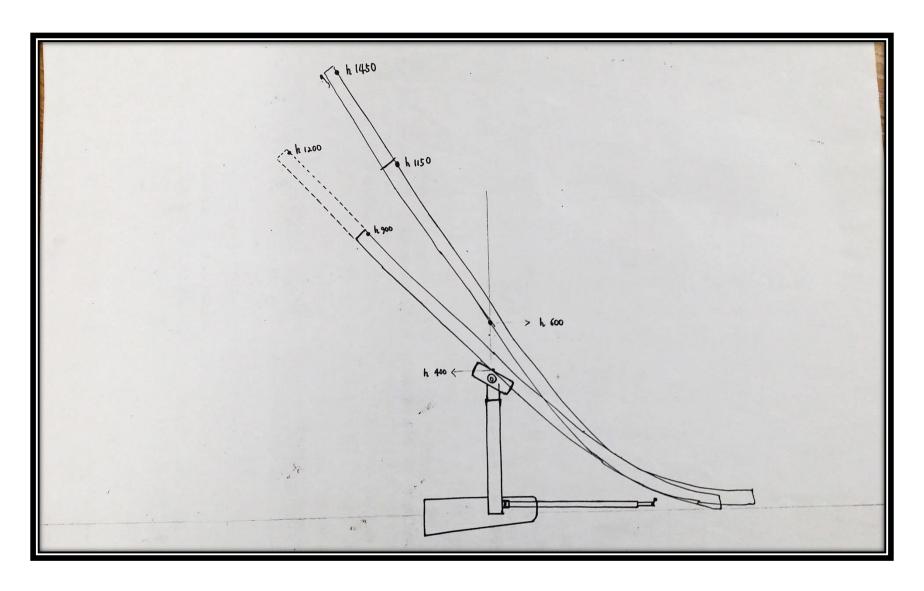
Improve Ramp



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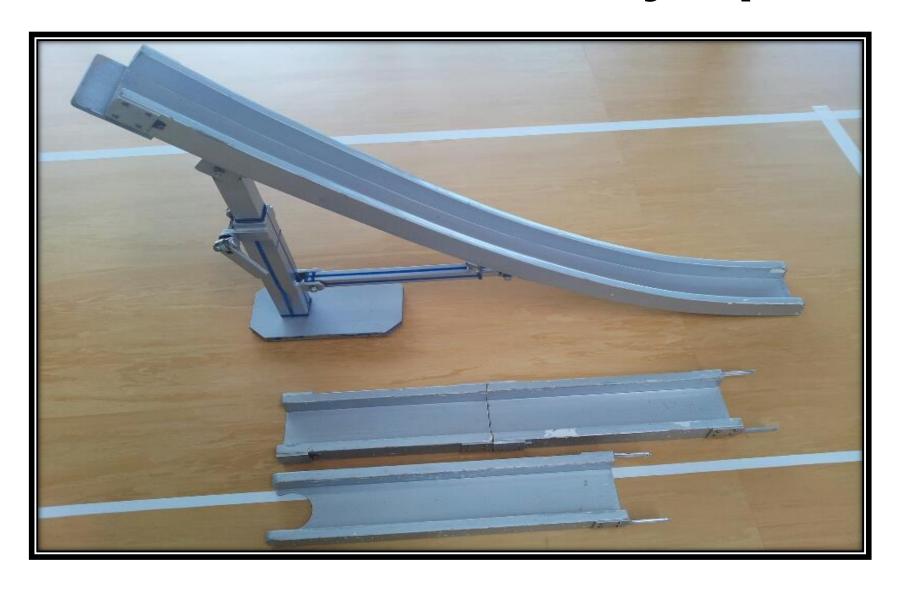
2004 Athene Paralympic



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2006 Rio Worldchampions



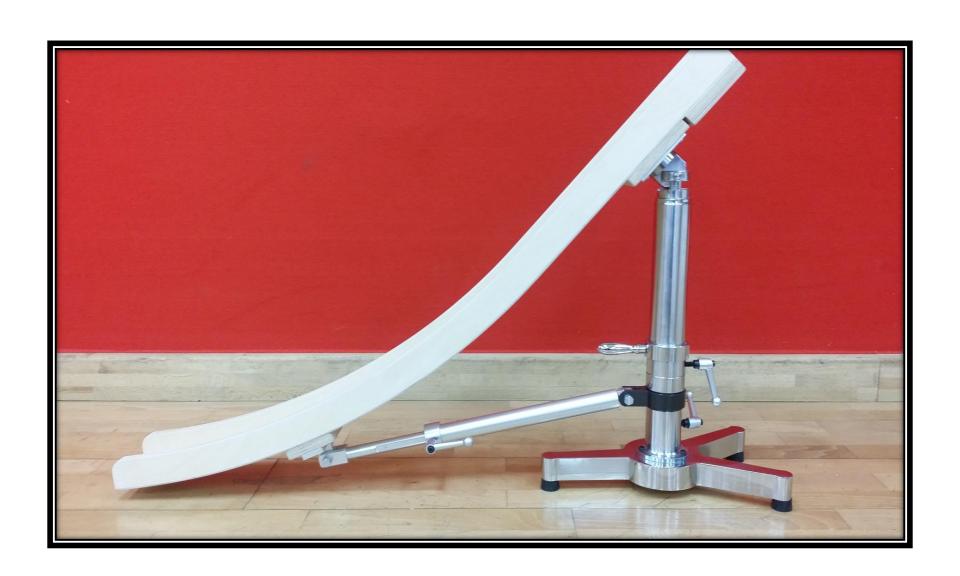
2008 Beijing Paralympic



2009 ~ 2013



2014 New version



Grigoris Polychronidis(GRE)



Macedo Carlos (POR)



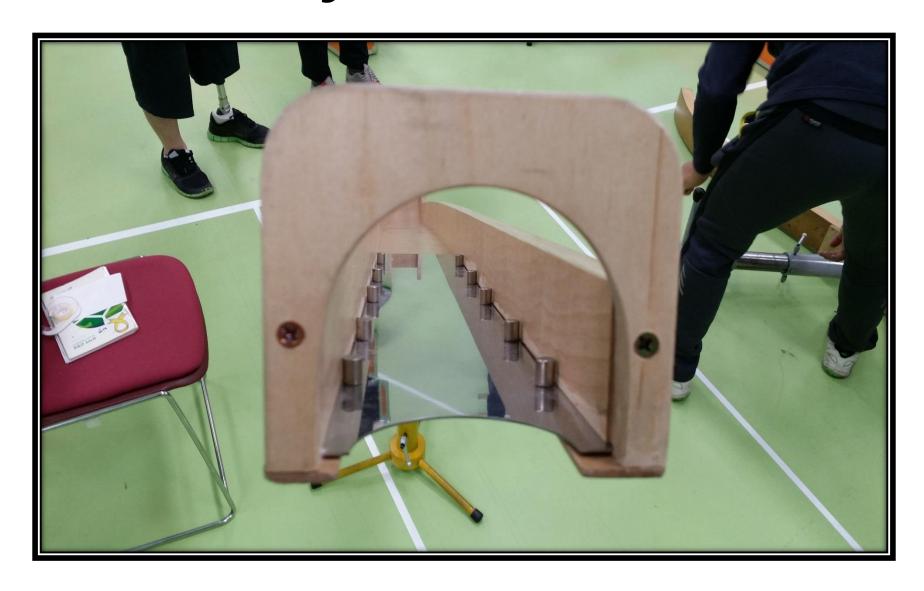
Extension Rail System



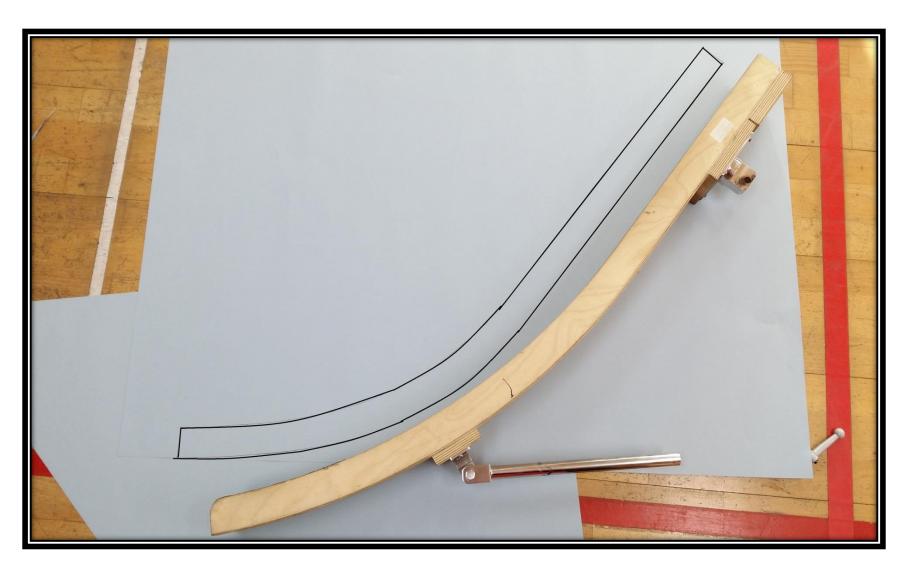
Modify the extension



Modify the extension



Modify the ramp's gradient



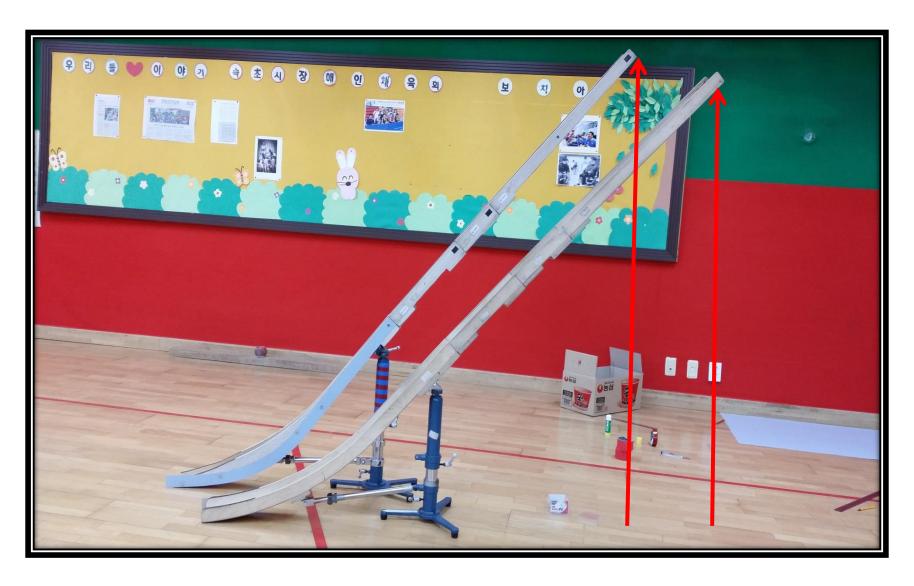
Singapore Boccia Workshop



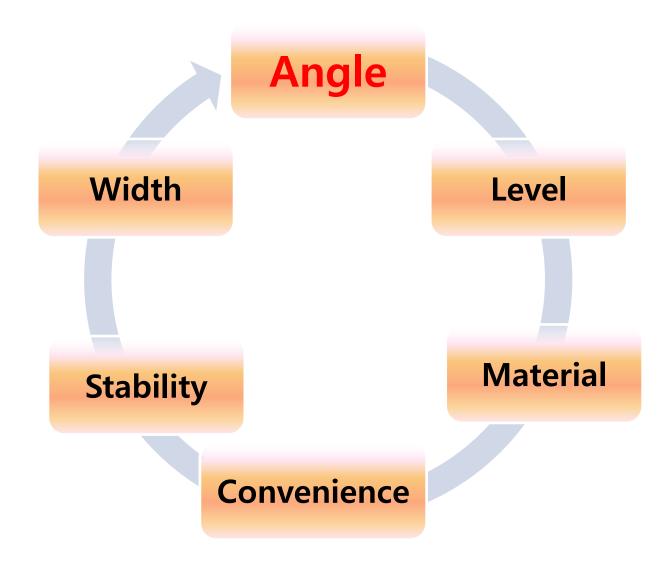
New ramp Gradient



Comparison with old ramp



Important Factors of Ramp



Ramp Angle

Slow

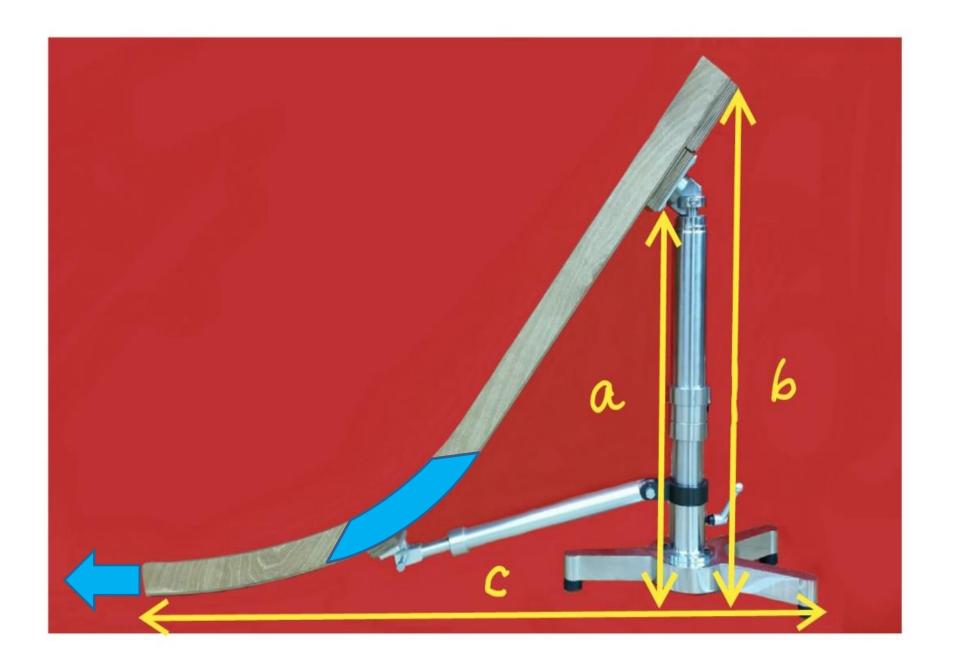
Weak Power

Steep

Inaccuracy

Proper

Power and Accuray



Ramp Inner Width

Narrow

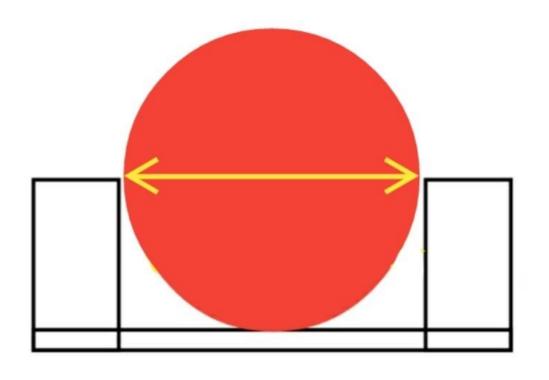
Weak Power

Wide

Inaccuracy

Proper

Power and Accuray



Ball circumference: 262 ~ 278 mm

Ball Diameter: 83.4 ~ 88.5 mm



Importance of Ramp Angle



Ramp Level



Advantage of a Narrow Base



Wheelchair Stabilization Device



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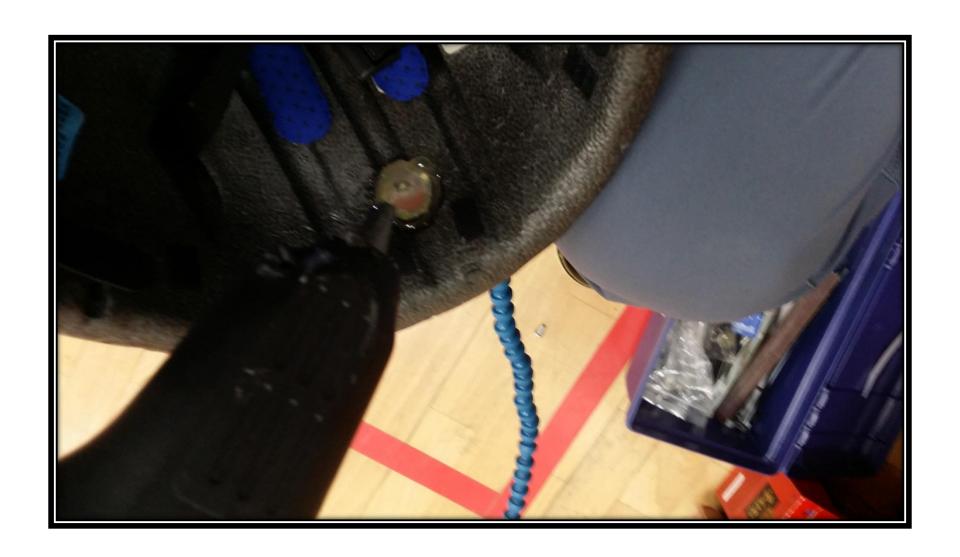


Wheelchair Stabilization Device



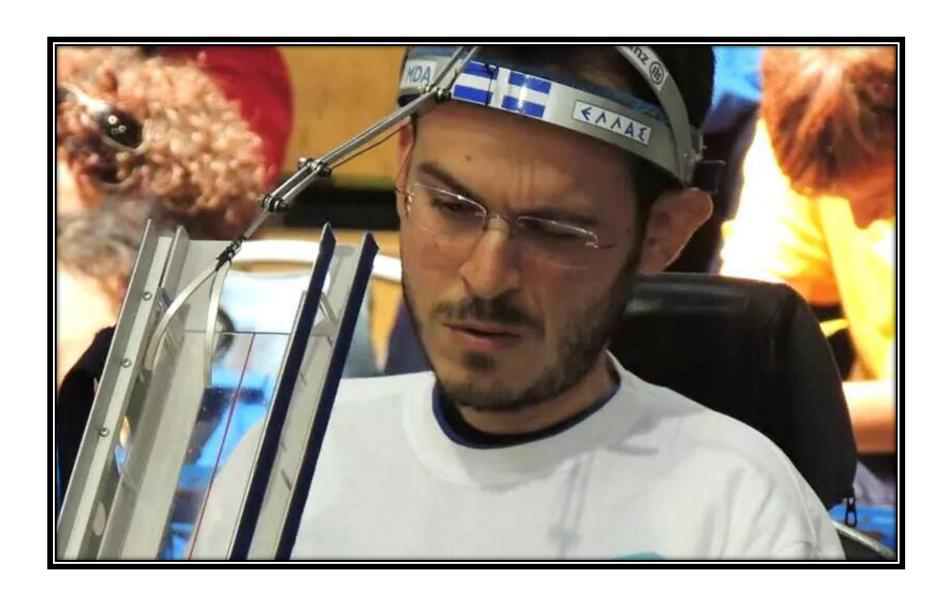
















BC3 Assistant Emergency Tools



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Korean Proverb

"Rice grows up listening the sound of a peasant footstep"

Fate of Sisyphus and Fate of BC3 assistant

