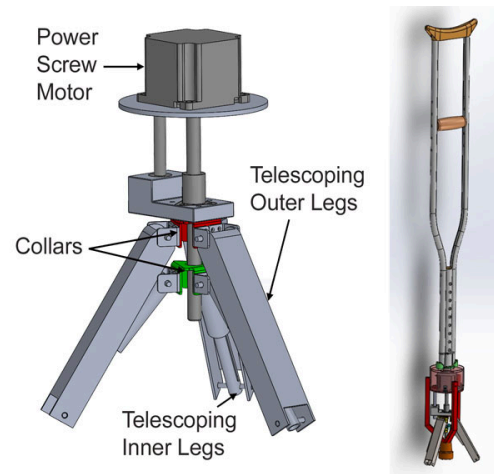




Virtual design collaboration lends key support to self-standing crutch prototype

With the help of a Thomson online selector tool and productive virtual design consultations, a team of engineering students from the University of Waterloo was able to use an electric linear actuator assembly for a prototype that enables a crutch to automatically stand on its own.



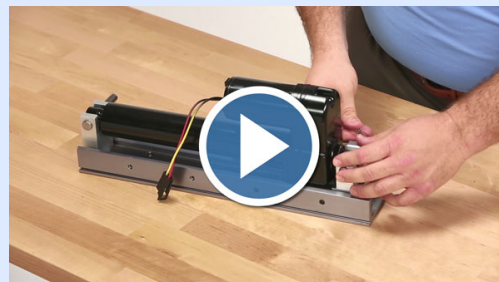
A recent article (also published in *New Equipment Digest*) follows the collaborative process taken by the Waterloo team and Thomson to help design and develop this innovative solution.

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