

## 11.10.1 Wheel Assembly Engineering Redesign

### Top plate

- No Changes

### Wheel

- Wheel outside diameter changed to  $4\frac{1}{2}'' + 1/8''$  tread of your own Design.
- Wheel width changed to  $1\frac{3}{4}''$  outside edges and  $1''$  at the hub – maintain  $1/16''$  gap between wheel and bushing.
- Wheel clearance distance between top plate and wheel tread is to be  $1/4''$

### Axle support

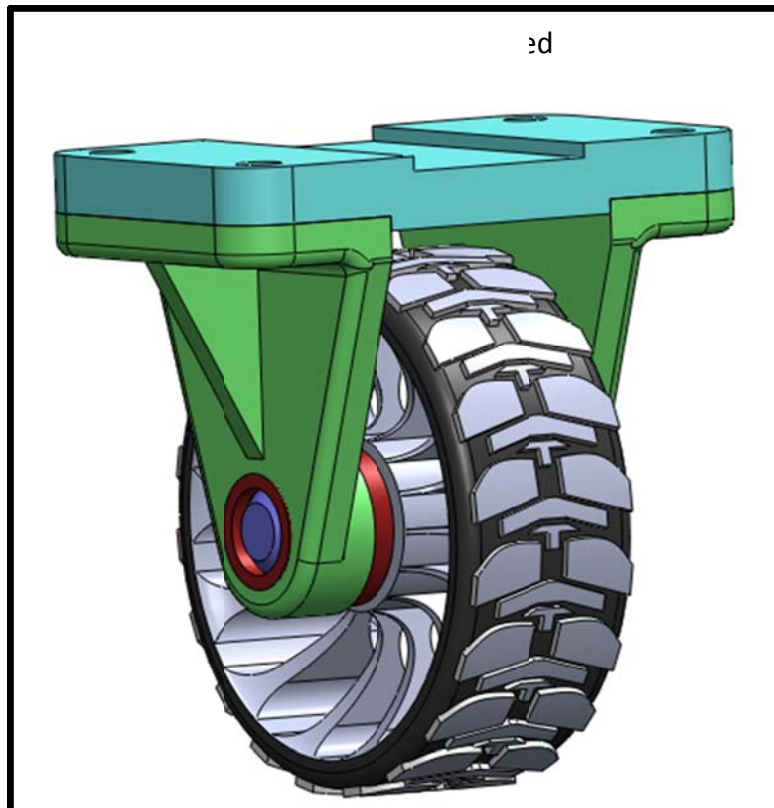
- What other changes need to be made to make the axle support fit correctly into the assembly?

### Axle

- Does the axle need to be redesigned?

### Bushings

- Do the bushings need to be redesigned?



**11.10.1 Wheel Assembly Engineering Redesign Worksheet**

Use this worksheet within your engineering notebook to help in the redesign process

**1. Define the problem**

Redesign the wheel project

**2. Identify criteria and specify constraints**

See wheel assembly redesign on sheet above

**3. Brainstorm, research and generate ideas**

- Tread patterns?
- Wheel design?
- New wheel or modify existing?
- Sketches.....

**4. Develop and propose designs**

- Make some decisions
  - Wheel?
  - How are you going to fix the axle support?
  - Bushing?
  - Axle?

**5. Make a model or prototype**

- How did you modify or create each part in solid works – take notes!!!
  - How did you accomplish it- Mirrored sketches, Scaled sketches, circular patterns, fillets, revolved cuts, etc...

**6. Evaluate the solution**

- Did the assembly go together correctly?
  - Wheel topplate clearance 1/4"
  - Bushing wheel clearance 1/16"
- Did you check the section views?
  - Are there part collisions

**7. Create the final design**

- What needed to be fixed? Take notes!!!
- Color your project- needs to look good
- Create exploded view and animation

**8. Communicate the processes and results**

- Create the updated engineering drawings
  - Detail each part
  - Exploded view with parts list
  - Assembly view