Mechanical systems - Pneumatic toys

Key facts



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Exploded-diagram	A diagram which product, includ	ch shows all of the parts of a ing the internal and external parts.	Exploded-diagrams allow us to see how a product is put together and the different	
Function	How something works.		components inside.	
Input	Input is the mo	otion used to start a mechanism.		
Linkage	Lengths of mat that are joined links can move	erial (for example, metal or card) together by pivots, so that the as part of a mechanism.	Eye Eyelashes	
Mechanism	The parts of an of a machine.	ı object that move together as part	Pipecleaner decoration Split pi	Split pin
Motion	The movement an object makes when controlled by an input or output (e.g. left, right, up, down).		Arm Balloon	
Net	A 2D flat shape, that can become a 3D shape once assembled.			
Output	Output is the motion that happens as a result of starting the input.			
Pivot	The central point, pin, or shaft on which a mechanism turns or swings.			
Pneumatic system	A mechanism that runs on air or compressed gas.			
Thumbnail sketch	Small drawings	to get ideas down on paper quickly.		
When air exits the balloon, the monster's mouth closes. When air enters the balloon, the monster's mouth opens.		Plastic tube		
		You will need:		





