

Aerodynamics of a Fly-swatter

A tale of porosity and stall

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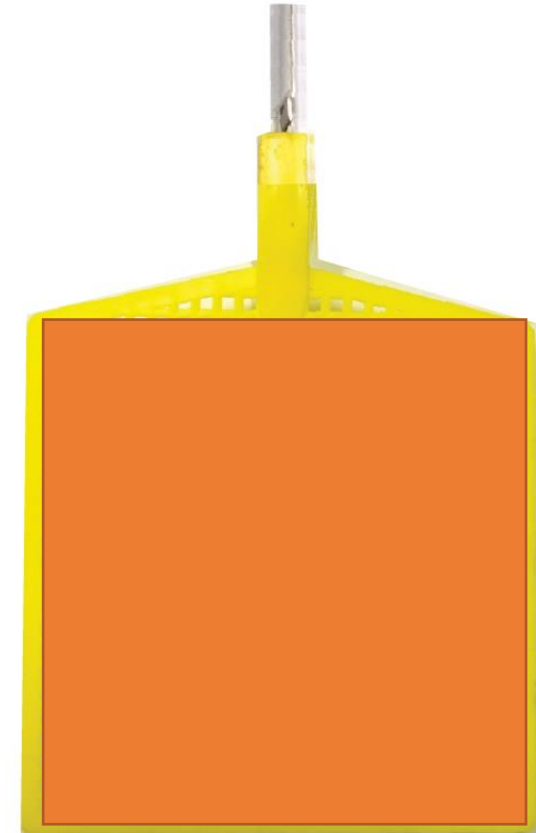
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Fly-swatter

What strikes best
 aerodynamically
 speaking?



Full plate

Stalling or not stalling that is the question...

