Powered Human Grasp Assist

• Joint development: NASA and General Motors
• Technology spinoff from Robonaut 2, first humanoid robot in space
• Reduce grasping force for astronauts and factory workers

• Reconfigurable for a variety of grasp scenarios

**Grasp Assist Components**

- Wireless interface
- Integrated controller
- Integrated drive electronics
- Compact linear actuators
- High strength tendons
- Thumb force sensor
- Adjustable finger rings

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**Features**

- 4 actuated fingers
- 10 lb. grasp assistance
- 1” grasp diameter
- Self contained
- 2 lb. glove weight
- Rechargeable battery
- Battery belt