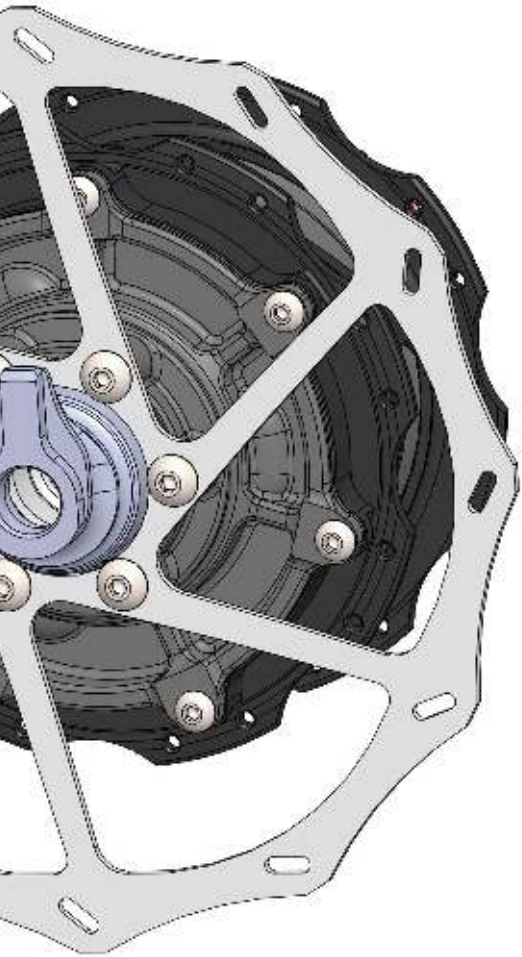


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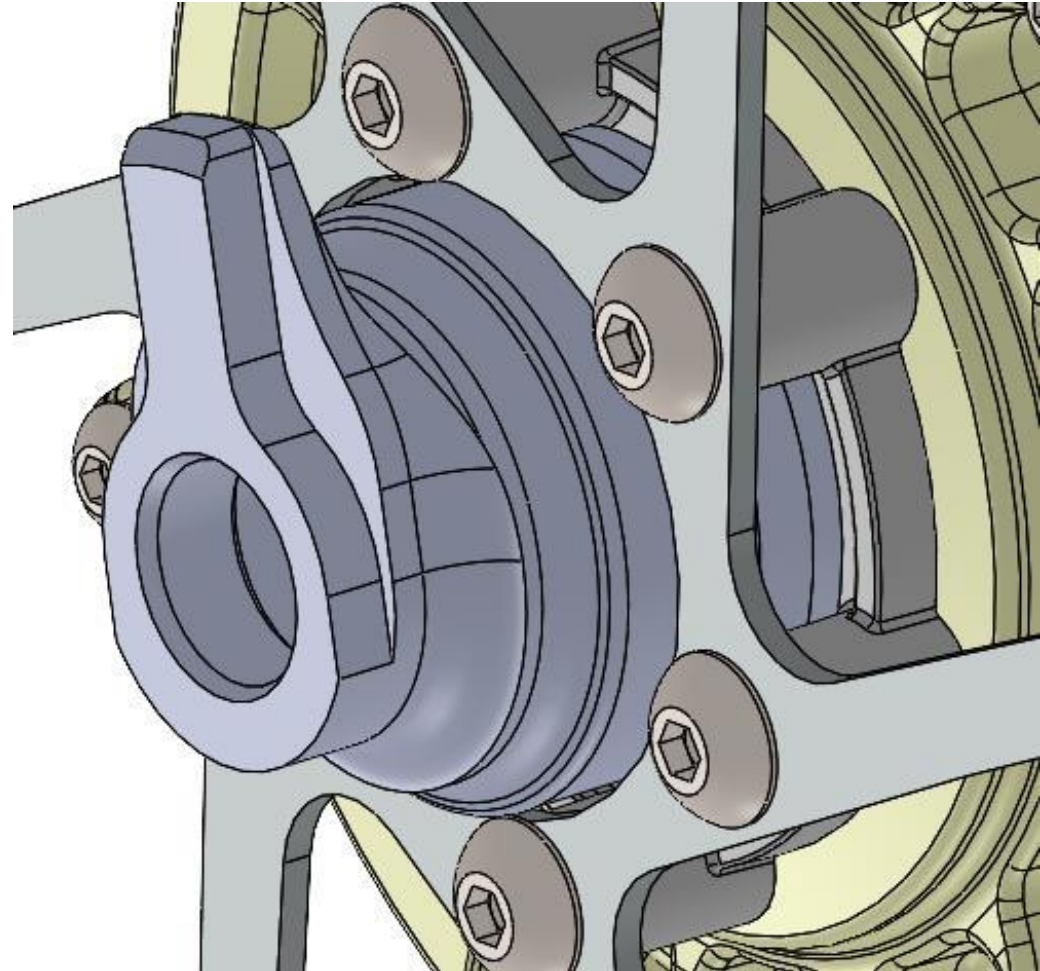
VII CNC2 428 (IS 6-bolt)

PRODUCT SPECIFICATION

SCOPE

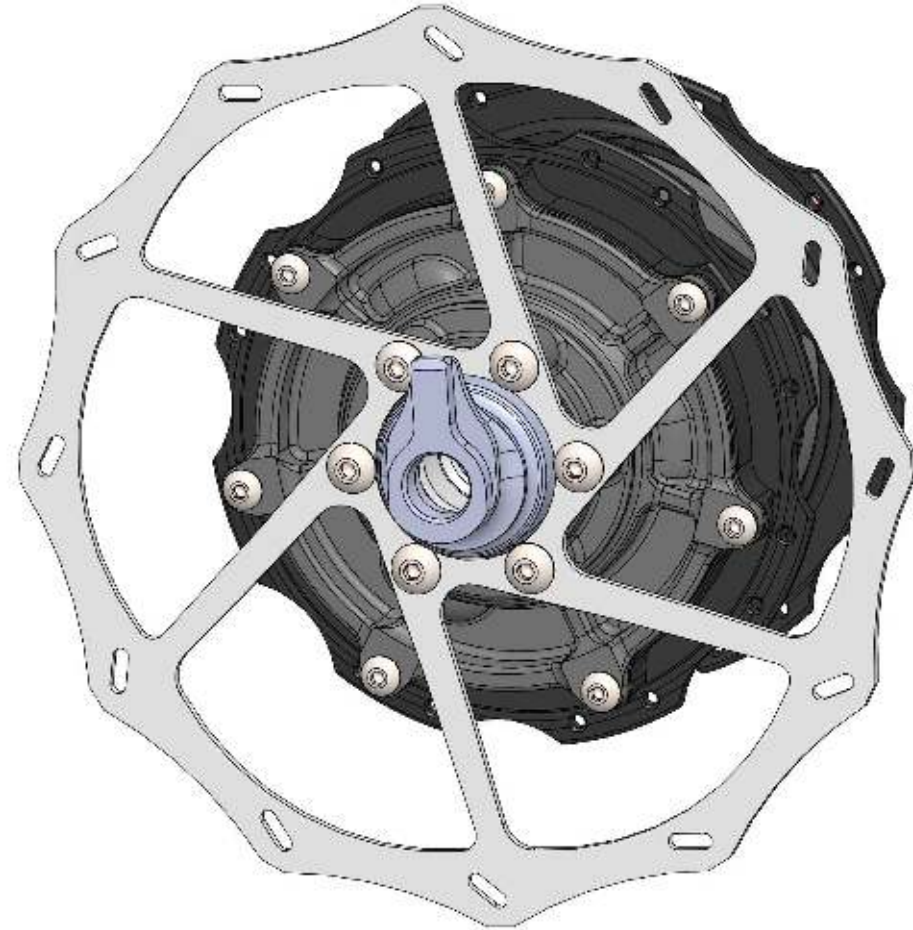
This guide is intended for bicycle and frame manufacturers to..

- Get an overview of the different torque arm options for Kindernay VII CNC2 series
- Find the correct CAD-models and drawings for the desired torque arm solution
- Calculate gear ratio and sprocket combinations
- Find chain- and beltline specifications

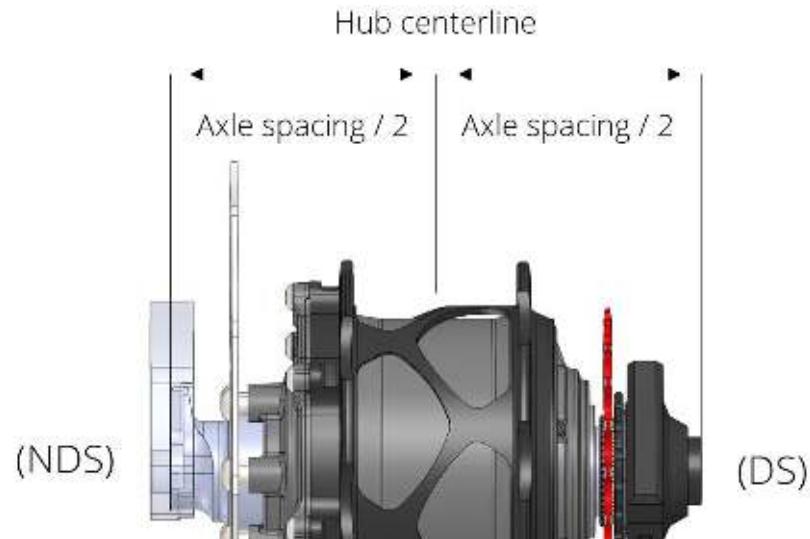


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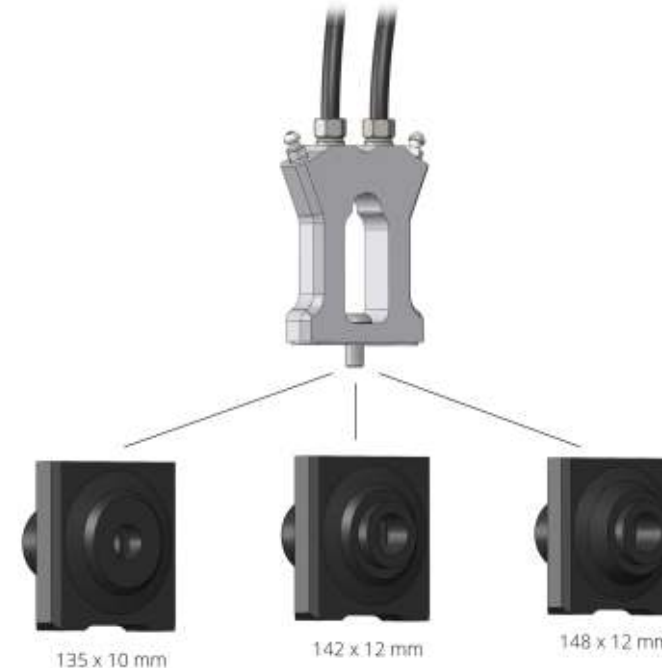
INTRODUCTION



The Kindernay VII gearhub supports the most popular thru-axle standards without requiring frame-specific adaptors.

No matter the configuration, the hub is always centered in the frame. The axle width spacing is taken up both sides of the gearhub:

- Drive side (DS): By using different HYSEQ actuator adaptors (135x10, 142x12 or 148x12 mm)
- Non-drive side (NDS): By using different end caps on the hub (shown in next slides)



HYSEQ actuator adaptors

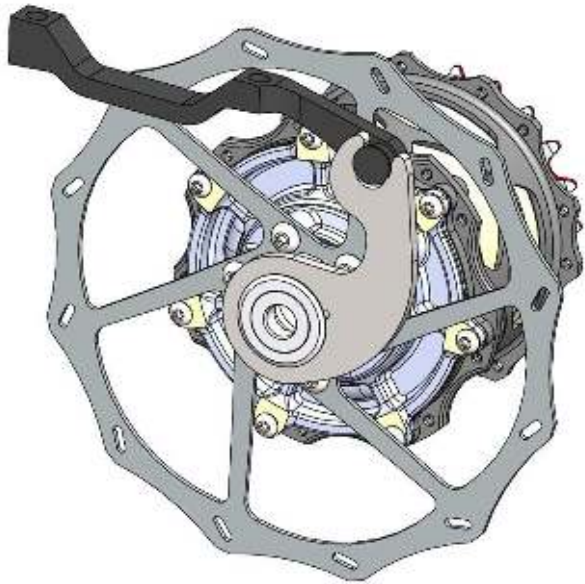
Hence, a combination of correct HYSEQ actuator adaptor and hub end cap **MUST** be used for the hub to be centered in the frame.

The options for the hub end caps and torque arms on NDS will be discussed next.

TWO CATEGORIES – UNIVERSAL VS. INTEGRATED

The VII CNC2 is available with several torque arm / end cap options, depending on frame dropout design and axle width.

There are two main categories:



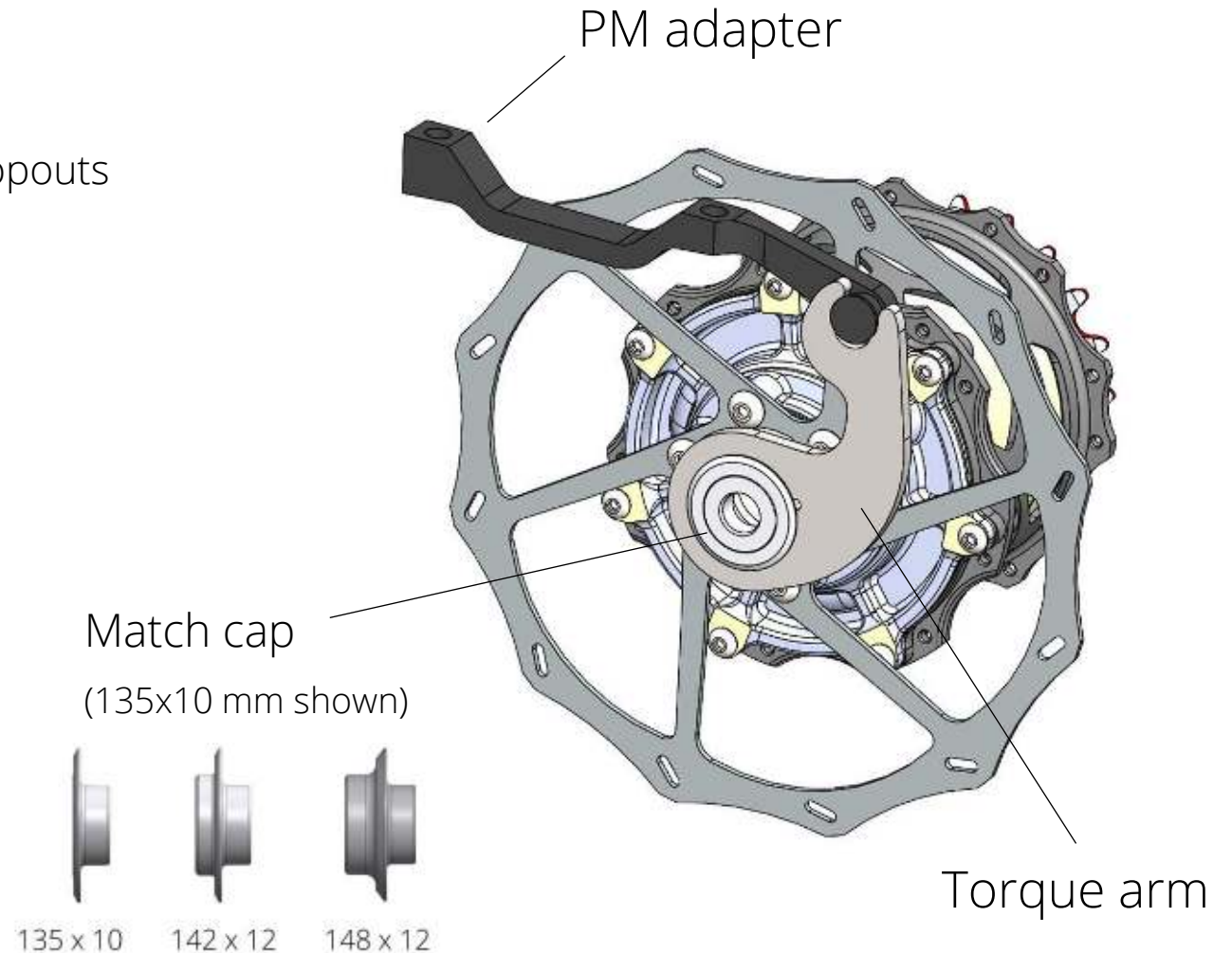
**UNIVERSAL
TORQUE ARM**



**INTEGRATED
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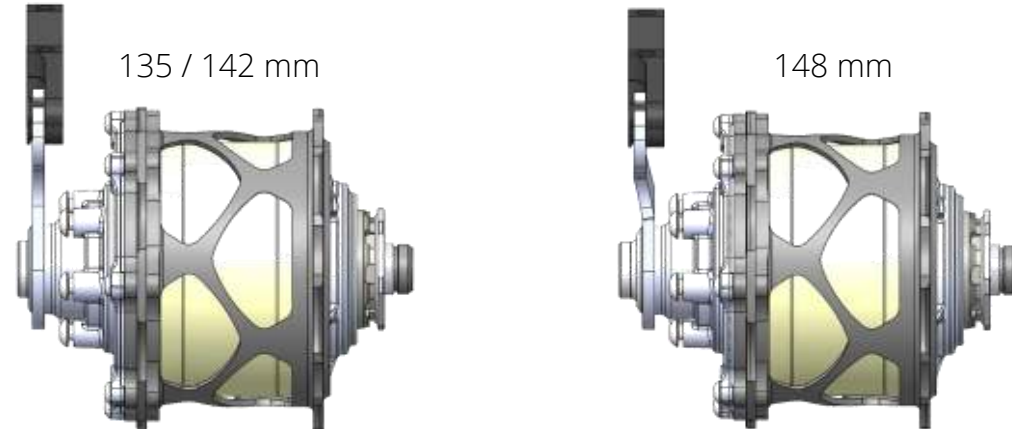
UNIVERSAL TORQUE ARM – OVERVIEW

- User replaceable torque arm
 - Two different geometries to suit various dropouts
 - Can be custom-made to fit specific frames
- User replaceable match caps
 - 135x10, 142x12 and 148x12 mm
- PM mounted torque retainer
 - Adds 20 mm to original frame rotor size
- Works with most frame dropouts
 - No modification required



UNIVERSAL TORQUE ARM – VARIANTS

- The universal torque arm comes in 4 different variants.
 - PM 160/180 135/142
 - PM 160/180 148 mm Boost
 - PM 200/203 135/142
 - PM 200/203 148 mm Boost
- All torque arms use the same PM torque retainer



For Boost 148 mm hubs, the torque arms is offset 3 mm outwards.

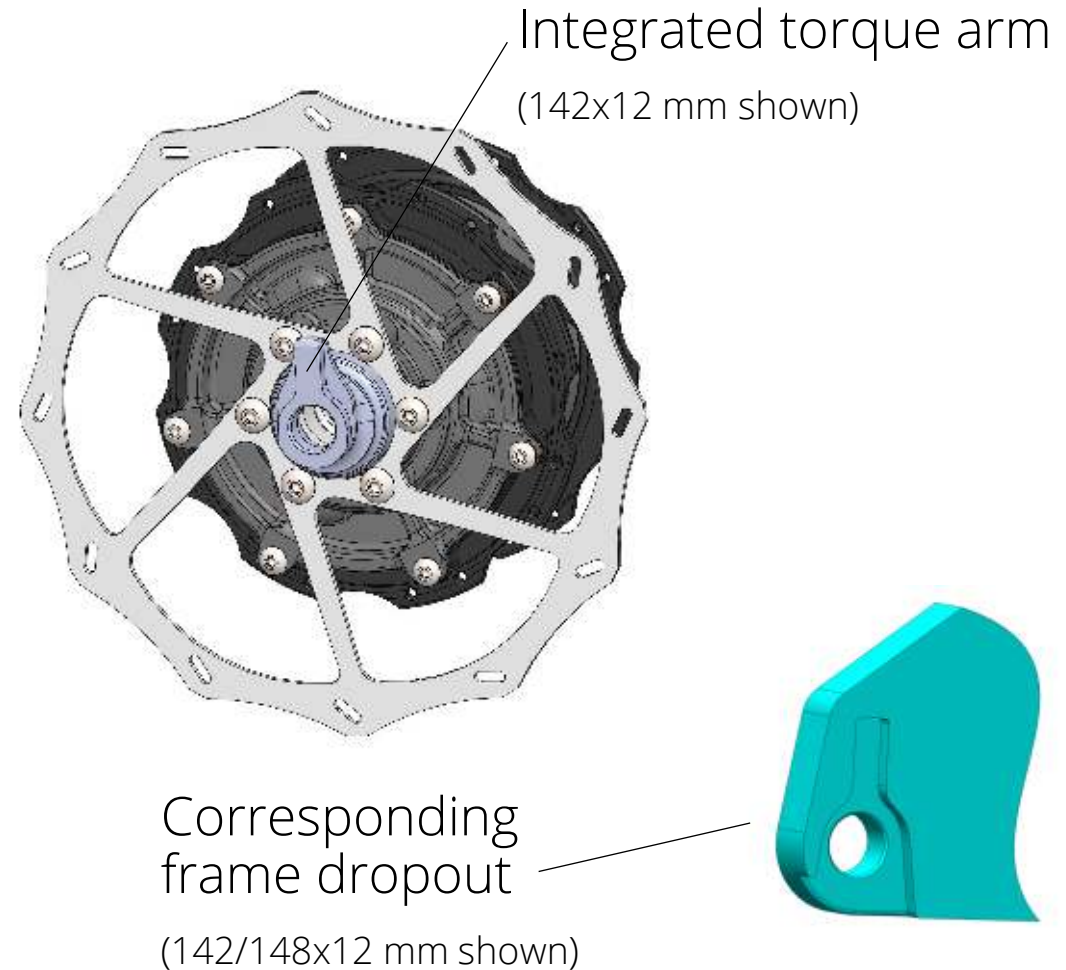


PM160/180 frames use the same torque arm length, as the «bone» rotates downwards.

PM200/203 frames use a longer torque arm, with the same PM torque retainer

INTEGRATED TORQUE ARM – OVERVIEW

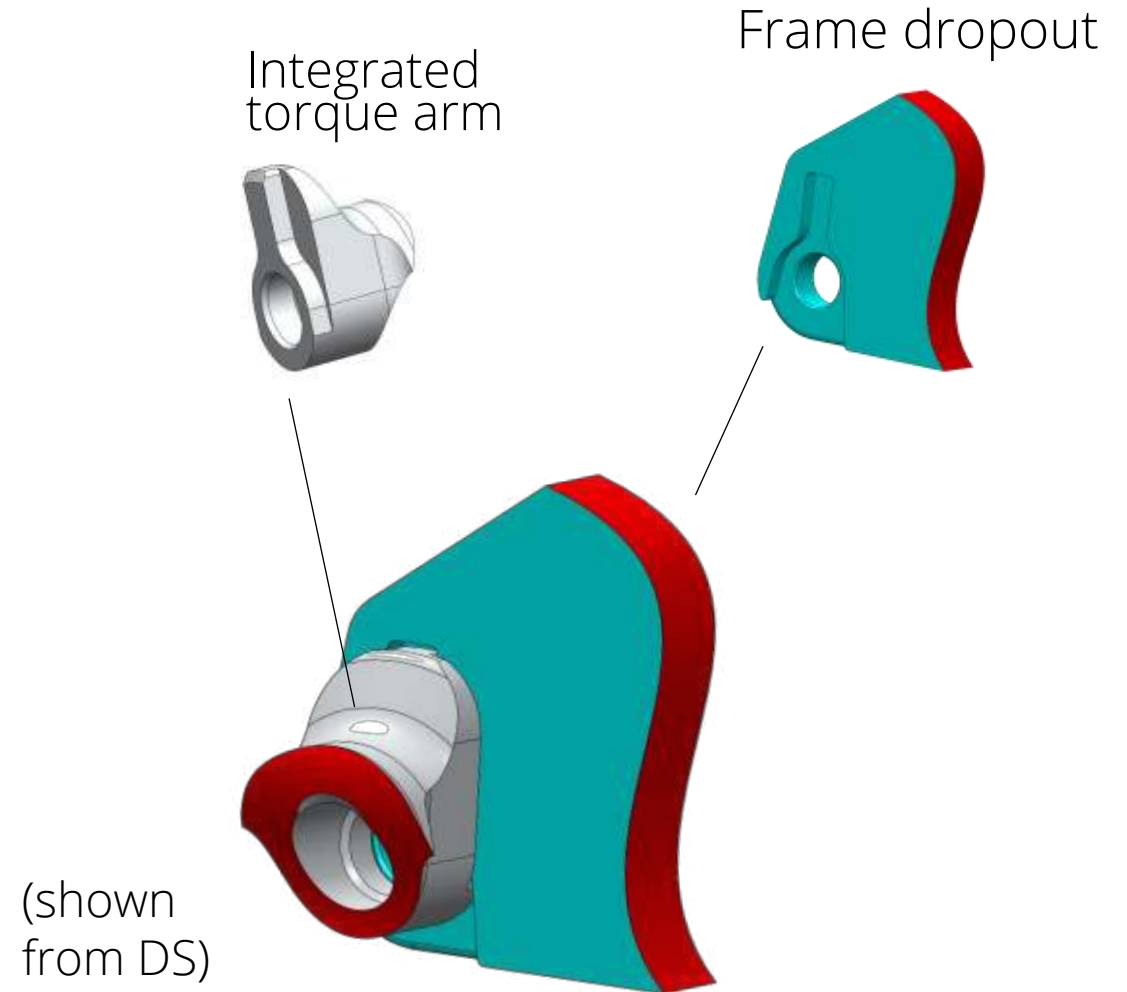
- Integrated torque arm and match cap
- Prevents incorrect mounting of wheel
- Built to order – three versions
 - 135x10, 142x12 and 148x12 mm
- Not user replaceable
 - Gearhub must be rebuilt to change torque arm and axle width
- Requires optimized frame dropout
 - Two designs – 135x10 or 142/148x12
 - Optimized dropout is backwards compatible with regular hubs



INTEGRATED TORQUE ARM

142 / 148 X 12 mm dropout

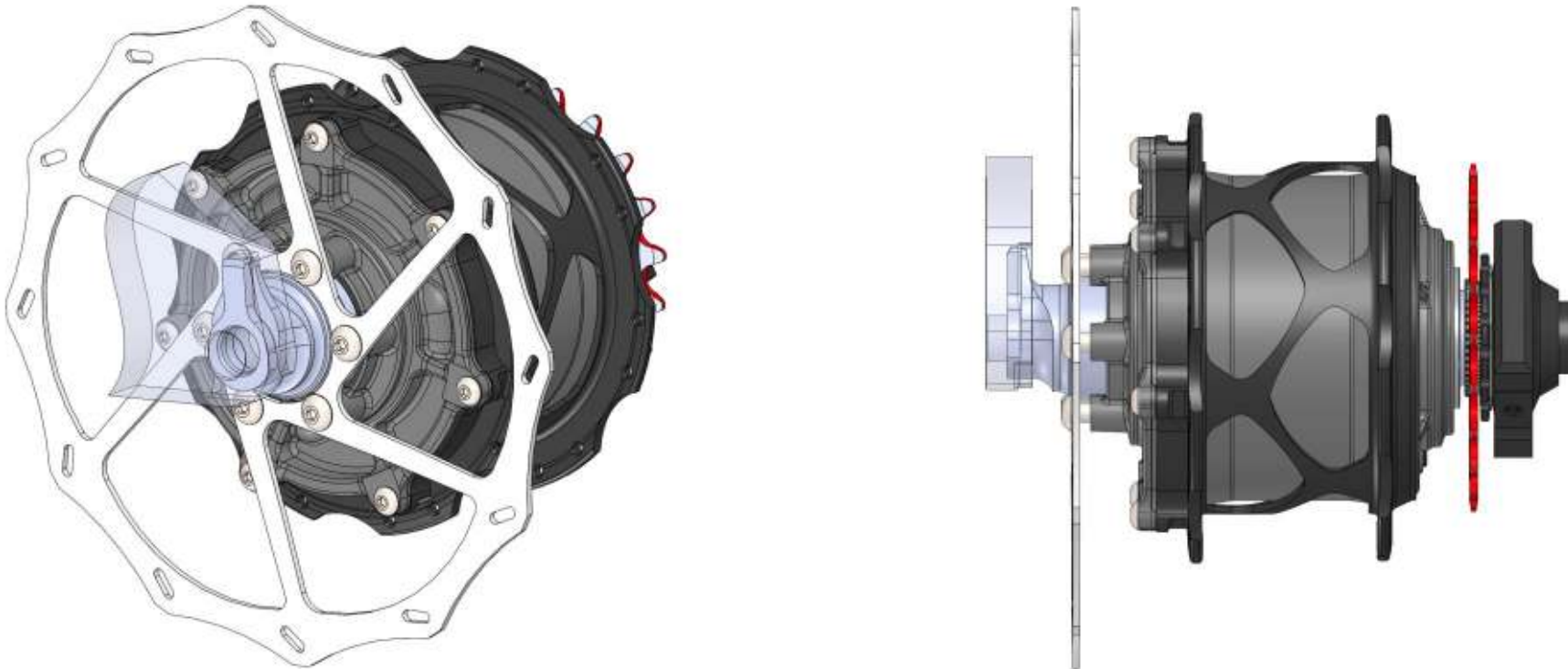
- One dropout for 142/148 x 12 – the spacing is accounted for in the frame, like regular dropouts
- Backwards compatible with regular 142 / 148 mm hubs
- Slot should be vertical, such that the torque arm points upwards during installation
 - Vertical slot will ease mounting of wheel
- Drawing/.step: [Link](#)
 - Password: shifthappens



INTEGRATED TORQUE ARM

142 / 148 X 12 mm dropout

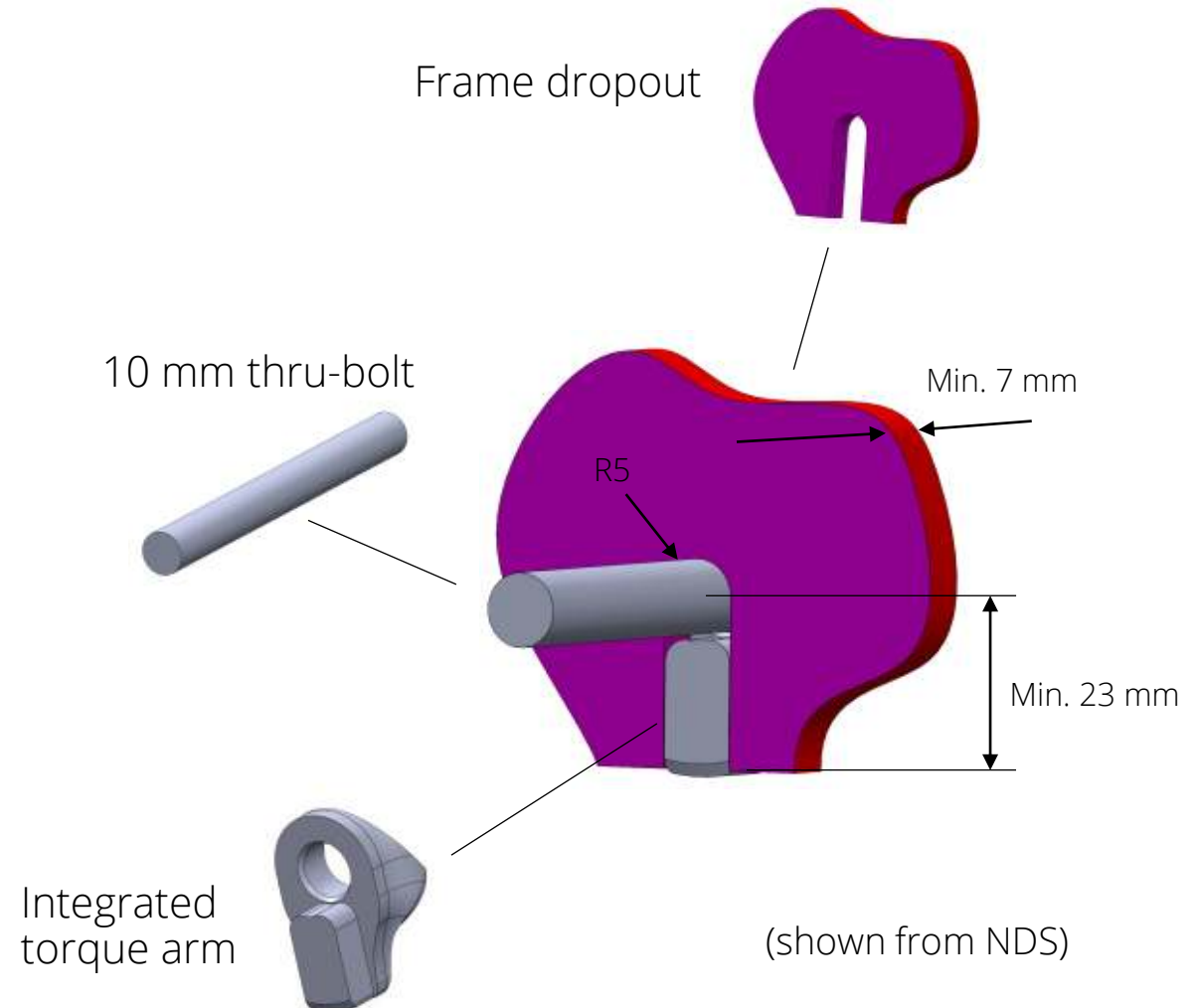
- Dropout shown with gearhub (148 mm):



INTEGRATED TORQUE ARM

135 X 10 mm dropout

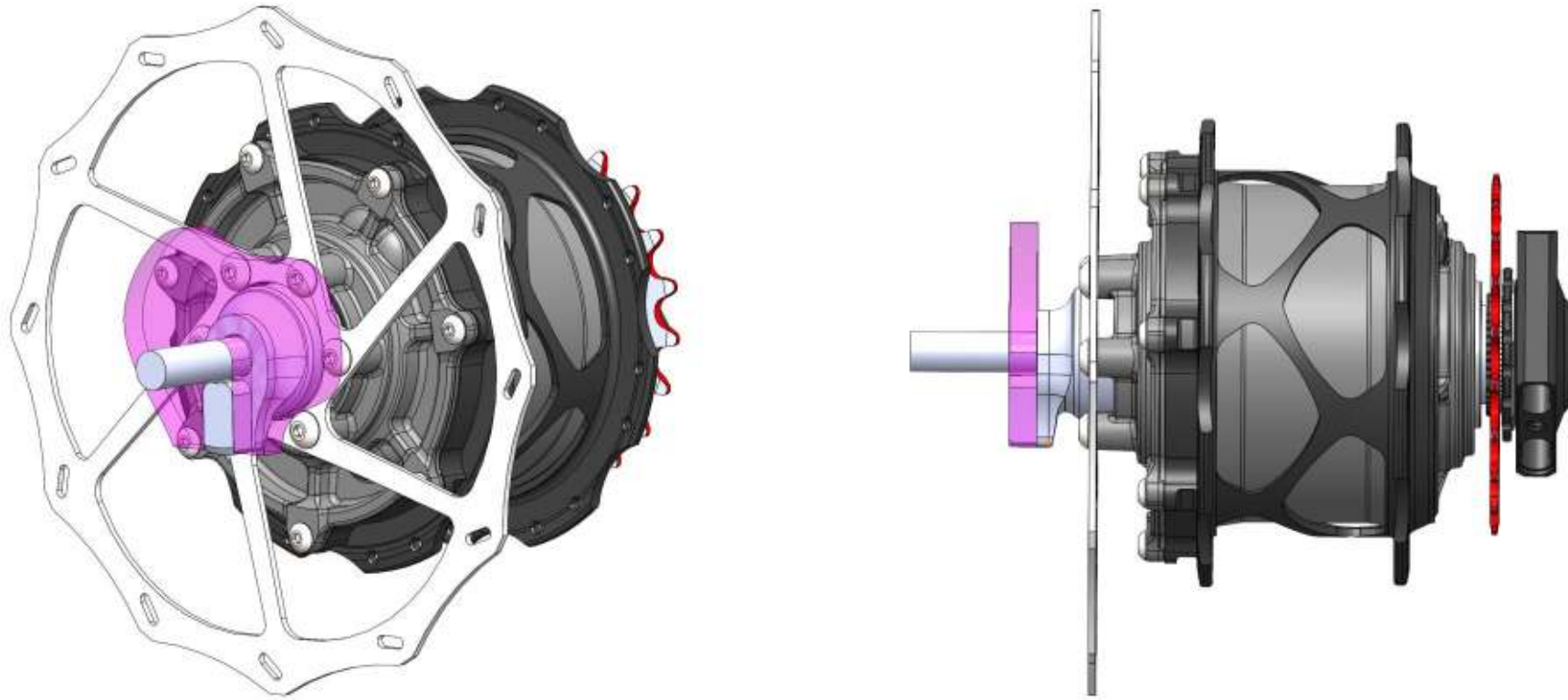
- Specific dropout for 135x10 mm thru-bolt
- Backwards compatible with regular 135 mm hubs
- WARNING: When designing the dropout solution, measures must be taken to avoid the hub loosening during braking
- The torque arm points downwards during installation
- Dropout slot requirements
 - Minimum length: 23 mm from bolt center
 - Minimum thickness: 7 mm
- Drawing/.step: [Link](#)
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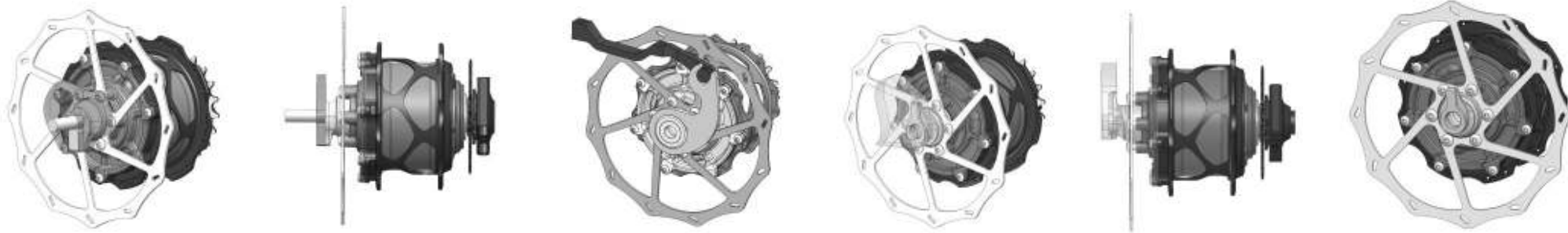
INTEGRATED TORQUE ARM

135 X 10 mm dropout

- Dropout shown with gearhub:



3D-MODELS



- Shell-models for the CNC2 integrated torque arm hubs can be found here:
 - VII CNC2 135 x 10 mm: [Link](#)
 - VII CNC2 142 x 12 mm: [Link](#)
 - VII CNC2 148 x 12 mm: [Link](#)
- Password for all parts: shifthappens

GEAR RATIO

Gear no.	Gear ratio
1	0,484
2	0,616
3	0,785
4	1,000
5	1,274
6	1,623
7	2,068

- The VII has 428% range and even 28% gear steps
- Because of the larger gear steps, it is especially important to specify a suitable sprocket/chainring combination for the intended use case
- For most e-bikes we recommend optimizing the gear ratio to have a comfortable cadence in **6th gear** at 25km/h
- Gear ratio calculator: [Link](#)
 - Password: shifthappens
 - (Download spreadsheet to edit)
- Gates Carbon Drive Calculator: [Link](#)

NOTE!

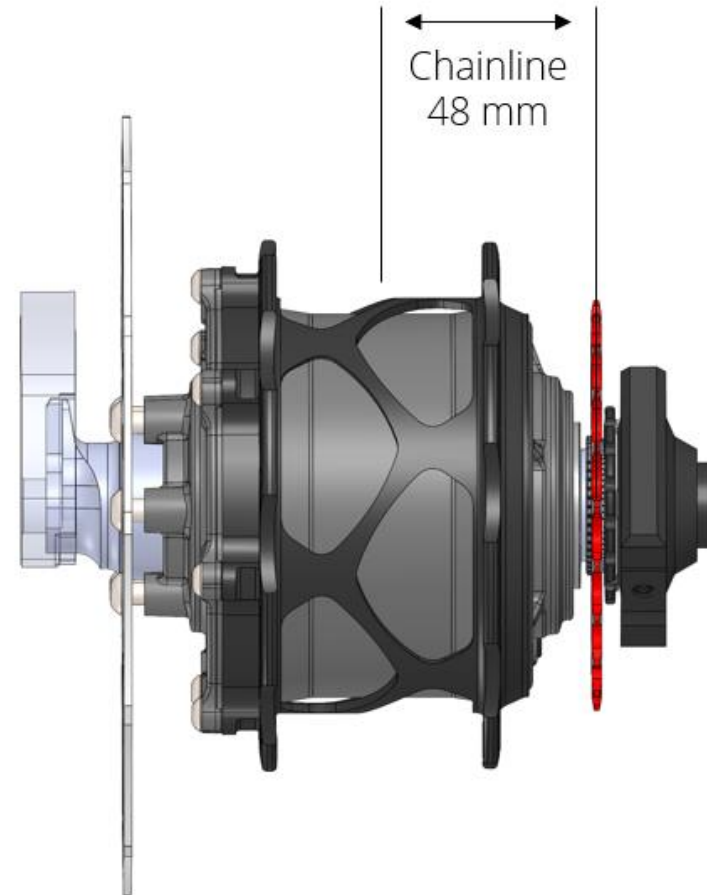
The minimum sprocket ratio of the VII is 1.6. The minimum front chainring is 32T on E-bike and 30T on a non-assisted bike. Using a lower sprocket ratio or front chainring will void the hub warranty.

The sprocket ratio is determined as follows:

$$r_{\text{sprocket}} = \frac{\textit{Front chainring tooth count}}{\textit{Hub sprocket tooth count}}$$

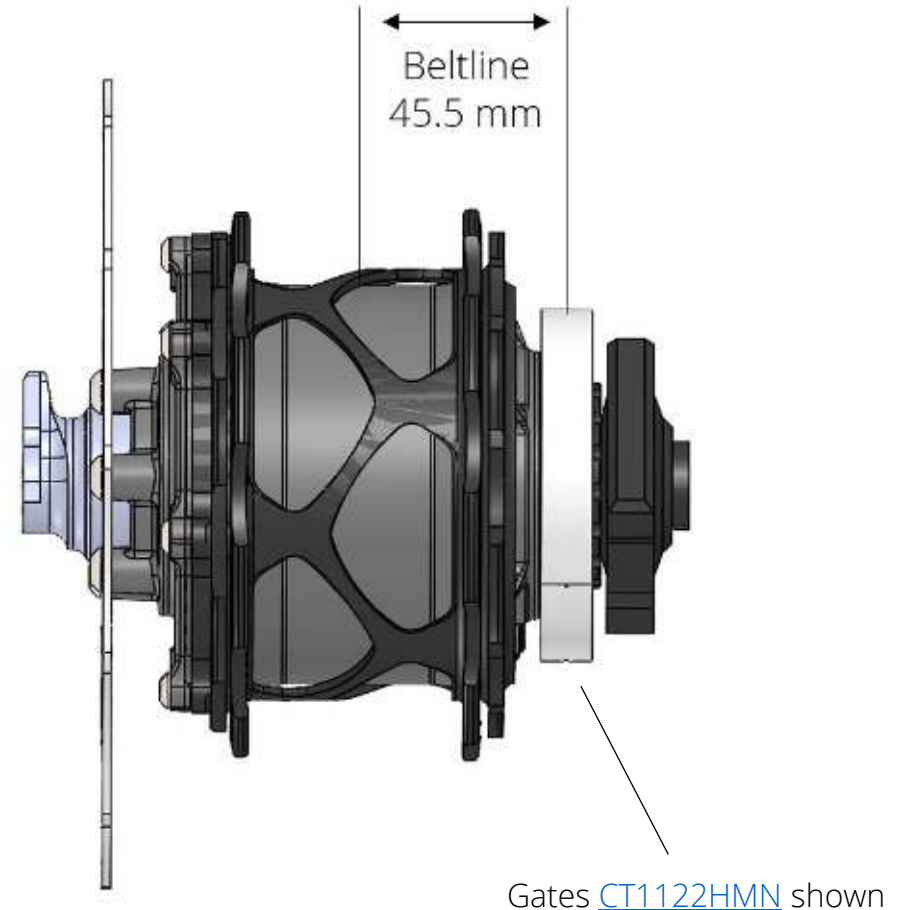
CHAINLINE

- VII chainline: 48 mm
- We specify a minimum gear ratio of 1.6
- For a complete list of gear ratios, check the following spreadsheet: [Link](#)
 - Password: shifthappens



BELTLINE

- The VII is compatible with offset Gates HG HMN sprockets
 - [Link](#)
- The beltline using the above sprocket is 45.5 mm
- For a complete list of gear ratios, check the following spreadsheet: [Link](#)
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