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Respondent

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Time to complete

1. Date of this semester progress report submission \*

2025-05-16

2. Name of project exactly as it was listed in your award letter \*

Illini Solar Car - 4th Generation Solar-Electric Vehicle

3. Date of original award letter \*

November 21st, 2024

4. Date of expiration listed on award letter (or on scope change approval if more recent) \*

November 21st, 2026

5. What is your project's 6 digit fund account number created for this project and to which the SSC allocation was transferred?

**Please ask your project's financial contact for this information if unknown.**

6. How much was your award (i.e., original award plus any approved budget increases)? \*

\$100,425.58

7. How much of your award has been spent to date (in dollars)? \*

\$185.00

8. Date of forecasted project completion \*

2026-05-20

9. Have you submitted one or more semester progress reports previously? \*

YES

NO

- 10. Describe, in detail, what has been completed on the project since the last semester progress report (or since the project commenced if you have not yet submitted a semester progress report)? \*

While the project is still following the expected timeline, much of the work this semester has been second priority to participating in outreach events with our previous car, as well as preparing it to race this summer. This was to be expected, and we will be hitting more of this project's deadlines over the summer.

- 11. Describe, in detail, the project's challenges/obstacles since your last semester progress report (or since the project commenced if you have not yet submitted a semester progress report)? \*

N/A

- 12. Describe, in detail, the project's successes since your last semester progress report (or since the project commenced if you have not yet submitted a semester progress report)? \*

Though not specifically successes for the fourth-generation vehicle, our team was very successful this semester in participating in the aforementioned outreach events. We spoke with thousands who attended our booth at the Chicago Auto Show this winter, helped spark curiosity in the minds of young students through the Principal's Scholars Program, placed 3rd in Age of Innovation category at Engineering Open House, and attended Sustainapalooza. These outreach events were goals of each of our projects, and, although we did not bring our uncompleted fourth-generation vehicle to these events, we were still asked (and we answered) questions about our fourth-car design at each of this semester's outreach events, which is arguably a success for our fourth-generation project.

- 13. Did your project have any changes to its team that SSC should know about (e.g., project lead, faculty/staff advisor, departmental financial contact)? \*

**NOTE: If yes, please complete the SSC Project Contact Information Change Form located at this link: <https://forms.office.com/r/uBjx9nmNpG>**

- YES
- NO

- 14. Complete and upload the semester financial documentation for your project. You should reflect all expenditures since your last semester project report. **We strongly suggest that you also upload supporting financial transaction reports from Banner for your award CFOP. Talk to your project's financial advisor for more information on generating this report.**

<https://studentengagement.illinois.edu/sites/default/files/2024-09/SSC-Budget-Timeline-SEMESTER-PROGRESS-REPORT-template.xlsx>

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**NOTE: When your project is completed and/or expired (whichever comes first), any remaining project funds will be transferred back to the SSC.**

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- 15. (OPTIONAL FOR SEMESTER REPORT) Upload project marketing and/or media not previously submitted in semester progress reports.

**NOTE: Project marketing and/or media must include SSC's logo and/or a statement of which fee(s) funded the project.**