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Planetary statistics are listed in Standard Imperial Order: Name, Hex Location, World Size, Atmosphere Type, Hydrographic Percentage, Population Exponent, Government Type, Law Level, Technological Level Bases Code, Remarks, Travel Zone, and Gas Giant. As Additional symbol of – has been added to Technological Level to indicate those worlds which have no population or whose stats is being reviewed by the Imperial Survey Board. Stellar Maps printed in the Trailing Frontier Zones still adhere to the Canmold Projection popular in traditional Solomani circles.

![Diagram of X-boat Route, Amber Zone, Regular Route, Red Zone, Imperial Border]

Initial entry into the Ley Sector was made in the Ikhaton Subsector during -2045 Imperial (2476 AD) in the Rule of Man. This rich Subsector retained its political cohesion in a loose confederation during the Long Night and voluntarily joined the Third Empire. It experienced some turmoil and damage to trade and industry during the Civil War but has quickly recovered.

Jullanan is the residence of Alanir Kimar Re'Donan, Duke of the Ley Sector and serves as both Sector and Subsector Capital. Important Naval Yards here are responsible for upkeep of the Sector Fleet. Some new construction is also accomplished here.
The Ikhaton Subsector contains 38 Worlds with a total population of 223.9 billion. The highest population level is A, at Kerim, Efrit, Delgalieh, Amberbore, and Dragonmist; the highest tech level is C, at Jullanar, Dragonmist, and Ihnyssas.

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The Nightmare Subsector borders on the Lesser Rift. Active expansion and exploration in this direction ended centuries ago and Worlds in this region show considerable development. Naval Bases are maintained along the edge of the Imperial Border as well as the X-Boat links. Trade is active in this Subsector with considerable Starship traffic. All Worlds in this Subsector are Imperium members or uninhabited protectorates.

The Nightmare Subsector contains 37 Worlds with a total population of 155.7 billion. The highest population level is A, at Camsteris, Kizator, Dornis, and Dramelian; the highest tech level is C, at Flamgard, Evereve, Deepwar, and Dramelian.
NOIR DEEP SUBSECTOR

A frontier region with few resources to interest the Imperium, Noir Deep Subsector has seen little development. Naval Forces maintained a strong patrol force here until recently when population buildup and starship traffic became such that local planetary forces could maintain the watch. Frequent rumors of rich mineral strikes in this Subsector have proved to be unfounded. Forerunner artifacts have been found though in the Menanon System. Imperial scientists are investigating.

Baldwin 1703 X130000 -- Undeveloped
Atulella 1707 XAA9000 -- Undeveloped G
Zardkent 1804 E235320 9 Non-industrial
Menanon 1909 E200200 A Non-industrial, Non-agricultural G
Nevguard 2004 CA99599 A S Non-industrial
Roshena 2101 X000000 -- Asteroid Belt, Undeveloped
Howarth 2203 C568846 B
Janvel 2209 X9CA000 -- Undeveloped
Arkwright 2302 X231000 -- Undeveloped
Agergrania 2307 X521000 -- Undeveloped

The Noir Deep Subsector contains 10 world with a total population of 100 million. The highest population is 8, at Howarth; the highest tech level is B, also at Howarth.

Administered from Wolfstar, none of the Worlds in this Subsector are Imperium members but all are under Imperial protection.

[Map of Noir Deep Subsector with world names and symbols marked]
ZAGRATHIAN SUBSECTOR

The Zagrathian Subsector lies entirely within the Lesser Rift and is comprised entirely of Worlds which are not members of the Imperium. The low number of systems in this area and the poor quality of the Worlds located there have led to little Imperial activity here. Several companies do exploit this region and it is under the nominal protection of Imperial forces. The Subsector is administered from Wolfstar.

Hagolton 2501 E110315 A Non-industrial, Non-agricultural G
Alclaria 2607 X323000 Undeveloped
Zagratheis 2710 E234210 9 Non-industrial, Non-agricultural
Aitken 2804 XACA000 Undeveloped
Dunbaris 2904 XAB8000 Undeveloped G
Wereward 3001 XAB3000 Undeveloped
Walgrave 3106 E688513 9 Agricultural
Conanel 3109 X5AA000 Undeveloped
Dorawet 3202 D000210 A Asteroid Belt

The Zagrathian Subsector contains 9 Worlds with a total population of 304 thousand. The highest population is 5, at Walgrave; the highest tech level is A, at Hagolton and Dorawet.
**SPEARHEAD SUBSECTOR**

This well-settled Subsector serves as a lateral and horizontal communications route with X-Boat links passing both ways. This region has extensive trade activity and a great deal of starship traffic. All Worlds in this area are either full Imperium members or uninhabited protectorates.

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The Spearhead Subsector contains 34 Worlds with a total population of 295.5 billion. The highest Population is A, at Redcross, Noscitur, Amelek, Passage, and Umpopula; the highest Tech Level is C, at Hornatis, Usconbuts, and Wilmot.
Two X-boat routes through this Subsector connect the important Frontier Subsector Titanstorm with the Sector Capital in Ikhnation Subsector and the Spearhead Subsector with the Frontier Worlds Subsector. The latter is the defensive bulwark against expansion by the Syndymic Empire.

The Guadix Drift Subsector contains 31 Worlds with a total population of 12.426 billion. The highest population is A, at Helena; the highest tech level is C, at Gheelis and Aldernis. All Worlds in this Subsector are members of the Imperium with the exception of Drelis.
TITANSTORM SUBSECTOR

The leading edge of the wave of recivilization, the Titanstorm Subsector has two major Naval Bases guarding the frontier. Imperial policy in this Subsector has been to encourage industrial and technical development. Considerable interest in possible expansion trailing has led to significant scout activity across the current Imperial Border. Favorable tariff regulations by the Sector Duke have stimulated trade activity, and increased the rate of technical and industrial advancement.

Almira 1712 C733632 6 Non-agricultural
Valisa 1714 B786887 7 Rich
Orlantis 1716 EAA9410 7 Non-industrial
Arcanea 1719 X200000 Undeveloped
Tawdry 1811 C310584 A Mining
Reaginworld 1813 C000422 B Asteroid Mining
Nathalia 1817 B887662 B Agricultural
Arnitag 1915 B996949 B N Industrial
Mira 2011 X310210 8 Undeveloped
Selena 2016 C4446A9 9 Agricultural
Zarifa 2019 C240453 9 Mining
Dugald 2112 E213437 7 Non-industrial
Starbridge 2217 A964899 C N Rich, Subsector Capital
Phantom 2219 E100432 A Non-industrial
Selwynis 2312 D411477 8 Non-industrial
Walter 2320 B886889 S Rich
Tamarine 2415 D524335 5 Non-industrial

The Titanstorm Subsector contains 17 Worlds with a total population of 1.403 billion. The highest population is 9, at Arnitag; the highest tech level is C, at Starbridge. Mira, Selena, Selwynis, and Tamarine are not members of the Imperium.
Located in the Lesser Rift, the Osiris Deep Subsector is administered from Starbridge. None of the Worlds in this region are members of the Imperium although Shanidar has made application. Scoutships based on Shanidar maintain a watch throughout the Subsector, though little activity other than mining goes on. Forerunner artifacts have recently been found in this region, prompting the local Imperial bureaucracy to order a thorough re-survey of the Subsector.

The Osiris Deep Subsector contains 10 Worlds with a total population of 10.48 million. The highest Population is 7, at Shanidar; the highest Tech Level is A, at Anaharan, Zapotec, and Shantunia.
The Highlord Subsector maintained a degree of stability during the Civil War and thus did not regress significantly. Of importance for its own industrial products, it also has an X-Boat route linking with the Noir Deep Subsector, the shield against Sydymic expansion. All systems in the Subsector are either Imperium members or undeveloped protectorates.

The Highlord Subsector contains 28 Worlds with a total population of 34.2 billion. The highest population level is A, at Towermorn, Gravemark, and Onud; the highest tech level is C, at Towermorn, Persifaris, and Warlock.
MATARISHAN FEDERATION SUBSECTOR

Originally settled by refugees fleeing the collapse of the Rule of Man in 1770 Imperial (2751 AD), the Matarishan Federation was a short-lived attempt at political stability in the dark years of the Long Night. During the recovery of territory and expansion after the Civil War, the local inhabitants violently resisted reincorporation into the Imperium. Military pressure soon broke the resistance movement. Political resentment requires that the Imperium keep a larger force than normal in the area to enforce stability.

The Matarishan Federation Subsector contains 23 worlds with a total population of 23.21 billion. The highest population is A, at Abishai and Gorget; the highest tech level is C, at Barkis. All worlds in the Matarishan Federation Subsector are members of the Imperium with the exception of Bilhan.
Though still on the border of the Imperium, the Frontier Worlds Subsector has been settled and developed for several centuries. Interstellar trade is increasing and exploitation of sub-optimal worlds is beginning. Naval Bases are maintained at a high degree of readiness due to the constant threat of armed incursion from the Sydymic Empire.

The Frontier Worlds Subsector contains 31 Worlds with a total population of 31.8 billion. The highest Population level is A, at Westcutt; the highest Tech Level is C at Bastian and Alameth.
SYDYMIC EMPIRE SUBSECTOR

Only Arodites in this Subsector owes allegiance to the Imperium, all other Worlds being claimed or disputed by the Sydyrnic Empire. The Sydymites are another minor variant race of Humans, distinguished primarily by an average height of 2.4 meters (8 feet). First contacted on their homeworld of Sopater in -2174 Imperial (2347 AD), these folk soon spread throughout the Subsector. Employed principally as soldiers and technicians, the Sydymites took the opportunity during the Collapse of the Rule of Man to become independent. Minor clashes with Imperial Forces took place over the next several millennia as they developed their own culture and technology. Major expansion and the declared establishment of the Sydymic Empire took place while the Imperium was otherwise occupied by the Civil War. Temporary accommodation has been reached but it appears most likely that there will be further clashes.

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Zavan    2626  E350396  7  S  Non-industrial  G
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Danites  2828  D9A8794  9  G
Eliakim  2830  E313213  9  Non-agricultural  G
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Ahira    2926  B567898  9  N  Rich  G
Rechah   2928  A679998  A  Industrial  G
Sopater  2929  A567899  B  N  Sydymic Capital  G
Rabmag   3023  D7CB296  A  Non-industrial  G
Jagur    3024  D210397  9  Non-industrial  G
Johoi   3026  C110496  A  Non-industrial  G
Kenaz    3121  D9AA353  8  Non-industrial  G
Ramathaim 3122  D65A110  9  Waterworld  G
Nethum   3124  E324294  9  Non-industrial  G
Gatiameth 3125  B655598  A  S  Agricultural  G
Bazluth  3127  B668798  A  N  Agricultural  G
Diblath  3128  D000497  9  Asteroid Belt  G
Achhor  3129  A865997  A  N  G
Kirdon   3230  E412320  9  Non-industrial  G

This Subsector has 27 Worlds with a total population of 24.04 billion. The highest Population is 9, at Urias, Rechah, and Achbor; the highest Tech Level is B, at Arodites and Sopater.
The Satyressia Subsector is an open frontier of the Imperium, no other political entity having any claim to it. Colonization in this area is encouraged, several groups of political dissidents having established new settlements. Naval and Scout Bases in this area are maintained at a relatively low level of preparedness due to the low probability of hostile activity. Imperial surveys indicate a relative abundance of mineral resources. Long term plans schedule this Subsector for industrial development several centuries from now.

Limer 0132  D978567  5  S  Agricultural
Wardholm 0134  C754689  7  Agricultural
Fresqueen 0137  E89A212  A  Waterworld
Dover 0138  DAA336  8  Waterworld
Lastport 0140  X200000  --  Undeveloped
Bornelos 0231  A667515  C  N  Subsector Capital
Crescent 0233  B654549  9  S  Agricultural
Foulcloud 0237  D797410  7  Non-industrial
Bottomsnarl 0331  E99A301  5  Waterworld
Hothmeg 0332  XACA000  --  Undeveloped
Nomad 0333  C457499  6  Non-industrial
Vanquish 0339  XAAA110  --  Undeveloped
Quitzer 0432  D310316  9  Non-industrial
Burnshe 0434  E322379  8  Non-industrial
Chaneley 0531  D633413  7  Non-industrial
Smoulder 0532  XACA000  --  Undeveloped
Bailaber 0533  D432310  8  Non-industrial
Pearlbase 0536  X996416  7  Non-industrial
Clozeraith 0633  B574664  9  Agricultural
Placid 0638  X96000  --  Undeveloped
Odeb 0731  E449230  0  Undeveloped
Prippin 0737  X99A000  --  Undeveloped
Winghole 0738  XAAA000  --  Undeveloped
Jarab 0832  C875589  8  Agricultural
Goldfaul 0833  B864899  9  N  Rich
Fallow 0834  EA9A421  6  Non-industrial
Slaven 0839  XA94000  --  Undeveloped

The Satyressia Subsector contains 27 Worlds with a total population of 10.15 million. The highest population is 8, at Goldfaul; the highest tech level is C, at Bornelos.
OUTREAUMER SUBSECTOR

This subsector serves as a Communications Link to the often troubled border regions of Thorstone and Tri-Empire. Worlds in this area were settled primarily by colonists from the Ikhnaton Subsector. Each planet was taken by a different political or religious group. During the time of troubles, communications were lost and all worlds regressed to Tech Levels of four and under. Incorporation into the Imperium has been directed primarily by a Cadet branch of the Ley Family, currently headed by Anselm deLey, Count of Tancred at the subsector capital of Arsouf.

Because of the threat of the Syndymic Empire, Naval Bases are maintained at a fairly high level of readiness and the Subsector Navies maintain an active patrol schedule.

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The Outreaumer Subsector contains 21 Worlds with a population of 323 million. The highest populations are 8, at Sidon, Tancred, and Jaffa; the highest Tech Level is C, at Ascalon.
DIAMOND-PRINCE SUBSECTOR

The Diamond-Prince Subsector is the region where active expansion and colonization is proceeding in Ley Sector. Most planets in this Subsector are either members of the Imperium or have applied for membership. Expansion is directed toward the adjacent Outworlds Subsector. Exploration into the Tri-Empire Subsector has been officially discouraged but rumors have it that extensive clandestine activity is taking place there.

Oathcoomb 1731 D676420 6 Non-industrial G
Dark Lagoon 1733 B96A677 A Rich, Waterworld
Kuprod 1735 X9C6000 -- Undeveloped
Gulfex 1832 X120000 -- Undeveloped G
Lanka 1833 C766778 7 Agricultural G
Avonia 1834 DABA314 9 Non-industrial G
Vicar 1840 E244599 9 Non-industrial G
Sledgetower 1934 A7849A8 B N Subsector Capital G
Ogery 1937 C5A6484 A S Non-industrial G
Basin 1940 B787873 7 S Rich, Agricultural G
Elfwine 2031 B755663 9 N Agricultural G
Drumfall 2032 E312210 8 Non-industrial G
Grottel 2035 X8CA000 -- Undeveloped G
Bastis 2036 E610553 7 Non-industrial G
Ell-Ald 2131 DA9A743 8 G
Buldunue 2133 E414351 7 Non-industrial G
Caverine 2134 D000310 9 Non-industrial G
Sunbank 2231 E244523 6 Non-industrial G
Evlory 2232 EABA110 -- Undeveloped
Rapidesia 2233 DS32416 8 Non-industrial G
Sekmetar 2235 E430100 -- Undeveloped G
Atoley 2236 DA9A413 7 Non-industrial G
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Brass 2331 E436543 5 Agricultural G
Colossal 2337 DB9A411 7 Non-industrial G
Vilaruby 2338 X343100 -- Undeveloped G
Straitedge 2339 E236410 8 Non-industrial G
Duatrek 2430 X669000 -- Undeveloped G
Quarry 2433 D130415 7 Non-industrial G
Deadfall 2436 E223423 8 Non-industrial G
Tarnkeep 2438 E537215 7 Non-industrial G
Bearntir 2439 E7A5331 6 Non-industrial G

The Diamond-Prince Subsector consists of 32 Worlds with a total population of 5.46 billion. The highest Population Level is 9, at Sledgetower; the highest Tech Level is B, also at Sledgetower.
The Outworlds Subsector is an area of new exploitation. This region is administered from Sledgetower as a protectorate although several worlds have applied for Imperial membership. Claims are still being adjudicated since the political situation in the adjacent Tri-Empire Subsector is still unresolved. Many of the Worlds have only been hastily surveyed.

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The Outworlds Subsector consists of 36 Worlds with a total population of 1.2 million. The highest Population Level is 5, at Oberitis and Bledisan; the highest Tech Level is 9, at Annuis, Monad, Dawnlord, and Emira.
## Encounter Table

Space, Near Inhabited World

### Starport

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### DMs -- 2D roll

0. A large asteroid on a rear collision course with the players ship. Roll Maneuver capacity or less on 1D to avoid (DMs – Pilot Skill). Failure to avoid means taking 1D Hits, as a Missile.

1. Meteor Shower: as 1D6 Laser shots, roll to Hit with DMs of –Pilot Skill.

2. Smuggler Armed Ship: Equal to Type C Cruiser, will attack players.

3. Smuggler Type A Free Trader: Carries Missile Rack and dual Laser Turret, will flee players.

4. Unmarked Space Minefield: Each turn roll two dice. On a roll of 7 exactly, a Space Mine has come into burst range. The players must make a 2 or less on 1D6 (DMs = Pilot Skill) or they come under Mine attacks. Takes four turns to cross. A Mine carries a Light Laser in it. It will fire one shot at the target ship (as a Beam Laser -2) and then ram it, as a Nuclear Missile. It can be destroyed by ECM and Anti-Missile Fire.

5. Scoutship, Type S: Carries two Lasers, will ignore players, but fight back if attacked.

6. Pirate Scoutship, Type S: carries two Lasers and Missile Racks, will claim to be Customs Inspector, close in, and board.

7. Pirate: Roll on Pirate Ship Chart. They will attack.

8. Privately Owned Type C Cruiser: 17 Troops, and 12 Beam Lasers, 12 Missile Racks, will ignore players but attack if provoked.

9. Subsidized Merchant, Type R: If threatened, will flee.

10. Customs Scoutship: carries three Beam Lasers, will pull alongside players and board to inspect. If threatened, will pull away and call for Imperials.

11. Subsidized Merchant, Type M: If threatened, will flee.

12. Pirate Ship: Roll on Pirate Ship Chart. They will attack.

13. Imperial Ship: Roll on Imperial Ship Chart, will try to board to inspect, and will attack at first show of hostility.

14. Private Yacht: Will ignore players, and fire back if attacked.

15. Nobility Owned Yacht: Will ignore players, and will flee if attacked.
Pirate Ship Chart

2 Scout, Type S, Standard, two Pulsed Lasers.
3 Scout, Type S, Standard, two Beam Lasers.
4 Scout, Type S, Standard, two Missile Racks.
5 Free Trader, Type A, Standard, two Beam Lasers, two Missile Racks.
6 Free Trader, Type A, Standard, two Missile Racks, two Sand Casters.
7 Free Trader, Type A, Standard, three Beam Lasers, two Sand Casters.
8 Yacht, Type Y, three Missile Racks.
9 Corsair, Type P, three Missile Racks, three Beam Lasers, three Beam Lasers.
10 Corsair, Type P, three Beam Lasers, three Beam Lasers, three Sand Casters.
11 Cruiser, Type C, three Beam Lasers, three Beam Lasers, three Beam Lasers, three Beam Lasers, three Missile Racks, three Missile Racks, three Sand Casters.
12 Cruiser, Type C, three Missile Racks, three Missile Racks, three Missile Racks, three Missile Racks, three Missile Racks, three Beam Lasers, three Sand Casters.

Imperial Ship Chart

2 Scout, Type S, Standard, two Beam Lasers.
3 Scout, Type S, Standard, two Missile Racks.
4 Scout, Type S, Standard, three Beam Lasers
5 Scout, Type S, Standard, three Missile Racks.
6 Corvette, Type LE, three Beam Lasers, three Beam Lasers, three Missile Racks, two Sand Casters.
7 Corvette, Type LE, three Beam Lasers, three Beam Lasers, three Missile Racks, three Missile Racks.
8 Yacht, Type Y, three Beam Lasers.
9 Cruiser, Type C, three Beam Lasers, three Beam Lasers, three Beam Lasers, three Beam Lasers, three Missile Racks, three Missile Racks, three Sand Casters.
10 Missile Gunboat — Cruiser, Type C, eight Turrets, three Missile Racks each.
11 Cruiser, Type C, three Beam Lasers, three Beam Lasers, three Beam Lasers, three Beam Lasers, three Beam Lasers, three Missile Racks, three Missile Racks, three Missile Racks, three Missile Racks, two Sand Casters.
12 Colonial Fleet Cruiser, Type CPF, Particle accelerator 10 ton bay, four triple Missile Rack Turrets, six Beam Laser Turrets.
Corvette (Type LE)

A light escort craft displacing 400 tons, this class is equipped with Jump Drive E, Maneuver Drive J, and Power Plant J. Performance is 4 g maneuver and Jump 2, with 180 tons of fuel giving a range of two Jump 2s. The Crew of twelve consists of 2 Pilots, Navigator, Medic, four Engineers, and four Gunners. Four triple Turrets are installed, Model 5 Computer is fitted and 92 tons of cargo hold are available.

Colonial Fleet Cruiser (Type CPF)

A 1000 ton Cruiser, with Jump, Power Plant, and Maneuver Drives of V, giving it Jump 4 and 4 gs maneuver. 600 tons fuel provide for Jump 4 or a Jump 2. The Colonial Fleet Cruiser carries 10 Turrets, and a 10 ton Particle Accelerator. (Code 9). 15 Gunners, two Pilots, two Navigators, one Steward, four Engineers, and three Medics make for a crew of 27. A Model 4 Computer is installed and 23 of the 115 tons of Cargo Space are devoted to Missile storage.

Pirate Corsair (Type P)

Displacing 400 tons, the Corsair carries Jump Drive D, Maneuver Drive F, and Power Plant F for Jump 2 and 3 gs of maneuver. The ship has three triple Turrets installed, with varying weaponry. Pilot, Navigator, three Engineers, and five assorted Troopers make a 10 man crew. It holds twenty emergency low berths. Fuel capacity is 170 tons, for three Jump 2s, and cargo capacity is 117 tons with a special cargo bay allowing entrance of a ship up to 100 tons displacement. The ship contains a Model 2 Computer and can change certain modules and communications modes to disguise its identity.

Encounter Table

Near Small World/Asteroid Belt

1. Smugglers: Roll Ship Type on Pirate Ship Chart. If they are stronger than the encountering party, they will attack. Otherwise, they will flee.

2. Asteroid Swarm: Make three Saving Rolls – Pilot's Skill or less on 1D. Every miss does one Missile Hit. Roll 7+ to avoid entirely (DM + Pilots Skill + Navigation Skill).

3. Imperial Patrol Ship: Roll Ship Type on Imperial Ship Chart. They will order the party to pull alongside for inspection. Resistance means either Imperial reinforcements arrive and attack (roll 7+, roll two more Patrol Craft), or Patrols attacks.

4. Merchant Class R: Will flee if players show any hostile intent.

5. Free Trader Type A: Will flee if players show any hostile intent.

6. Pirate: Roll Ship Type on Pirate Ship Chart. It will come as close as possible, claiming to be Imperial Patrols and will then attack.
In Town Encounter Table

1) While sightseeing through the town, you hear a commotion off to your right. It is a duel in progress, the two combatants using Rapiers. You suddenly notice one of the observers draw a body pistol and aim for one of the duelists.

2) A light ground car has overturned in the intersection behind you and someone is yelling for a Medic.

3) Stepping out of (whatever building you were in), you spot a Shadow Person attempting to break into the ground car in front of you. The crest on the door indicates that this car is property of the Government.

4) Walking down the main thoroughfare, you are approached by a group of irate citizens. They are heading towards the local officials home to express their dissatisfaction at the low quality police force that allows riff-raff from other worlds to roam freely and unchecked through the city. They are so whipped up that they may try to crucify you. To make matters worse, coming the other way is a squad of riot guards dispatched to quell (or eliminate) the mob.

5) A Guild of Merchants Ship has just landed after a trip to __________. They are setting up shop and have for sale fresh Nefarian Proms, handcrafted Tragian Dreus, and rare Nimaran Star Crystals (10,000 CR per ¼ carat), to name a part of their inventory. They also are carrying a line of communication devices, and medical equipment designed for easy use by amateurs.

6) There is much commotion in the Star Dock Facilities due to the siezure of a privately owned vessel (2% chance it is the players).
Inhabited Planet

1-1 The party is approached by the Recruitment Officer of a Mercenary Regiment. He talks to the party about the "glory, excitement, and profit" to be gained from joining a mercenary unit.

1-2 There is a vehicle crash nearby - an overturned ATV or (in cities) a ground car. This will block vehicle and animal-mounted traffic on a road, but will not hinder cross-country travel.

1-3 Vehicle malfunction: A minor pump or control has malfunctioned requiring 1D hours to repair. Travelling with the malfunction has a chance of disabling the vehicle -- roll 2D every hour, and a 9+ disables the vehicle, requiring 1D days to fix. The malfunction may be detected on a roll of 7+. DM -- plus Vehicle skill, and Mechanical skill to detection roll.

1-4 The group is buzzed by an Air Raft piloted by several teenagers. They will make several low passes at the players, shouting obscenities. On a roll of 7 exactly, they will accidentally crash into the players, doing 3D of hits to all involved and wrecking both vehicles. Otherwise, the irritants will go away after 1D passes. If both parties were flying, the teenagers will not crash.

1-5 Local Policemen stop the party to search their vehicle and person for "controlled substances and weapons of a illegal nature". If anything of the sort is on board, roll Law Level or less for the party to be arrested (this represents the thoroughness of the search). DM -- +1 per level of Streetwise.

1-6 A hitchhiker is sighted, asking for a ride. If he is let in the vehicle, he will pull out an automatic pistol and demand that the passengers leave the vehicle. If the passengers comply, he will drive off with the vehicle. If the vehicle is flying, he will not attempt a hijacking.

2-1 Tourists: 3D tourists immediately flock around the group/group's vehicle, pointing to various objects, asking stupid questions, and taking pictures. This will slow movement to a crawl for 1D x 10 minutes.

2-2 A group of street thugs (ages 16 - 19) accost the players if not in a vehicle. They will draw forth Blades, and one revolver, and demand all of the valuables of the party. If the party is in a ground vehicle, the thugs will follow for a distance of up to two miles. If the players leave their vehicle, the thugs will steal its Hubcaps/Bogie Wheels/Grav Plates/Whatever.

2-3 A falling star is seen nearby: It lands within three miles of the party. It is actually a minor orbiting weather satellite which has fallen to earth. There is a chance (roll 6+ DM -- Atmosphere) that parts of the ship remain. In such a case, it will be radioactive on a roll of 9+. This will do 1 hit per 10 minutes to anyone not in protective gear within 20 minutes.

2-4 A local military unit passes by. This will block ground traffic for 1D x 20 minutes. The unit approximates a Terran Foot Infantry Regiment.

2-5 Sudden Rainstorm: Unexpected flash flood takes place. Animal mounted or walking persons must take shelter, or suffer a 24 hour -2 Dexterity. Vehicles are slowed to ½ speed. Aircraft must roll 5+ (DMs plus Pilot expertise) to avoid being crashed by the storm.

2-6 Road reaches destroyed bridge (apparently destroyed by explosives). Ground movement must halt until means may be found to cross the river in question (note that an ATV and a Hovercraft may cross a river at will). On a roll of 8+, the persons who destroyed the bridge are present in hiding -- 2D + 6 Bandits. They wear Jack or no armor, and carry Sub-Machine Guns or Carbines. They will try to ambush the players.
3 - 1 The players pass a sign which says "Danger Mine Field Ahead". About 1 kilometer later, the players enter a 20 meter deep x 1 kilometer wide minefield. Roll 8+ to strike a mine. A mine disables a vehicle on 8+, and does 4D of damage to all within 5 meters. This minefield is about 40 years old.

3 - 2 A local government Patrol Airs Crew (rotary winged aircraft) passes overhead. It carries two Auto Cannon and three Tac Missiles (6D of damage, disable unarmored vehicle on 6+, armored on 9+). It will ignore players unless they or their vehicle show signs of being either off-world or in a recent fight, in which case, it will land and investigate (four man crew – two troops with cloth and Auto Rifles). If fired upon, it will attack.

3 - 3 The party passes the victim of a recent mugging – a beaten-up old lady (age: 72). If aided, she will thank the party and hand them a 10 Credit bill.

3 - 4 Traffic Jam: the ground vehicle, if any, near a road area jammed with cars, reducing speed to 1/4 normal. It is illegal to drive off the road at this location, and a Police Airs Crew (see 3 - 2) is in the area.

3 - 5 A chasm is reached. Ground vehicles will require 8 hours to circumvent this obstacle. Air vehicles are unaffected.

3 - 6 A relic from one of the older wars is passed by. It is a Heavy Tank from Tech Level 7. It carries a large (115 mm) Tube Cannon, which could be repaired to working condition (roll 7+ per week's work, DM plus Mechanical skill). It's tracks are gone, and two bogie wheels are missing on the port side. Its armor is slightly rusted, but intact (105 mm maximum). There is a small hole on the portside of the driving compartment. The engine and driving controls are corroded (and blasted) beyond repair. The tank's rear is scorched from an internal fire in the engine. Roll 8+ to detect this relic.

4 - 1 Rough road from either age or recent explosions nearby – cut speed to 1/2 for all but Hovercraft and Air vehicles.

4 - 2 Heavy winds – Sandstorm. Vehicles are cut to 1/10 normal speed. On a roll of 8+, they are disabled by getting sand and dust up exhaust and into engine, Air vehicles are forced to either head for a very high altitude or land. They will crash on a 7+ after 10 minutes in the storm. Persons on ground must seek shelter immediately.

4 - 3 Private property: Party enters privately owned farmland/road. They will be met by three men with Shotguns who ask them to leave immediately by the way they came. If refused, they will attack.

4 - 4 A nearby transport accident releases a cloud of poisonous gases. A non-airtight vehicle will be subject to contamination. Each player must roll his endurance or less on three dice or take 1D of damage each hour. The local government has the antidote, which costs 200 CR per dose.

4 - 5 Fog/Mist: Heavy Fog covers the area, reducing visibility to short range or less. Lasts 3D hours.

4 - 6 Infested river: a river is reached, containing swarms of small eaters (1 NG, Hits 1/1, no Armor, 2 Wounds with Teeth, Attack in Swarms of 10D Fish). There is no bridge.

5 - 1 Heavy cloud cover: Flying vehicles must either fly at very high or Nape of Earth altitude to avoid 0 visibility cloud cover. Ground movement unaffected.

5 - 2 Magnetic fluctuation: Compasses are drawn 20° off of magnetic north (gradually).

5 - 3 System D: A group of local Marines are encountered, 2D in number, half of which are drunk (round fractions up). They will invite the players to join them for a drink. Roll 11+ for players to be knocked out by drinking too much (DM – 1 if Endurance 5 –; -1 if endurance 9+).
5 - 4 A starship on a re-entry flies overhead to land (apparently), several dozen kilometers away. If the players investigate, they will find a Type A Free Trader landed near a camouflaged Warehouse, loading goods into its cargo bay. The four man crew is inside the ship, while eight smugglers are loading it up. The smugglers are unarmored but carry Automatic Pistols, and have six Automatic Rifles and two Sub-Machine Guns lying nearby.

5 - 5 Animals crossing the road: 2D of herbivorous Grazers cross the road. It is illegal to kill any of them. The players must stop for 3D minutes.

5 - 6 A rebel fixed-wing jet-propelled Aircraft passes by. If the players are using Imperial equipment (standard ATVs/AFVs, most military vehicles), or are in contact with Authorities, Police, etc., the Aircraft will attack. It carries four Tac Missiles and two Auto Cannons. Tac Missiles: 6+ to hit, 6D damage, disable non-armored vehicle on 5+, armored vehicle on 8+, does 2D damage to disabled vehicle occupants when disabling vehicle. The aircraft is armored as Battle Dress. Energy Weapons or explosives will down the plane on a roll of 14+. DMs +1 per die of damage done by weapon. An Auto Cannon, LMG, or URF Gauss Gun will down the plane on a roll of 8+.

6 - 1 Players accidentally enter a military target zone. Each turn, roll 12+ for an artillery shell to land near the party. 1D of damage, disable vehicle on a roll of 13+ (DMs plus damage dice done). Air vehicle will be targeted by a surface to Air missile – 7+ for plane to be damaged – crash and crew takes 2D injury. Roll 8+ for each turn for vehicle to be seen and escorted off by an Airs Crew.

6 - 2 Sudden marsh – reduce to ¼ speed for ground vehicles.

6 - 3 Imperial Watchdog Station - The players stumble upon a hidden Imperial Listening Post -- a short, squat, block building, with a complex Sensor array on top. It is manned by two technicians, and six Imperial Soldiers (Battle Dress, Gauss Rifles, four Grenades, Automatic Pistol). The group will immediately apprehend the party for debriefing and eventual release.

6 - 4 Old Battlefield - An ancient battlefield site is reached. There is a large granite marker engraved “To the memory of those, both Green and Blue, who died for their ideals at Starfall, 360 - 988”. In this area there is a very wide (20 kilometers x 40 kilometers) open prairie. Near the center is the junked hull of a 600-ton Assault Boat (the hull is now hollowed out). Around it are three concentric circles of trenches and foxholes, along with six massive mounds (burial mounds for the 6300 dead. Scattered around the battlesite are hordes of twisted metal debris and ruined personal effects (bits of armor, hole-filled canteens, slightly melted pieces of armor, vehicle wheels (also slightly melted), bits of tank tracks, etc.). There is nothing of any use here.

6 - 5 A series of huge explosions is heard and seen overhead. It is actually a faulty missile which has burned up in re-entry, detonating its non-nuclear multiple warheads.

6 - 6 Mirages - A light appears in the distance. When neared, it disappears, and a second light appears further away. This happens 2D times.
Encounter Table
- Animals on Uninhabited Planet

1) A Psionic Pouncer: Will make a Psionic assault and then attack with The Mindbore, Size: 400 kg, Hits: 22/9, Armor: Mesh, Weapon: Stinger, Wounds: 13. Large critter, vaguely cat-like, with small, beady eyes. Its senses are rather poorly developed, as it can psionically ‘see’ anything living nearby. Because of this, it probably attacks the vehicle, if any, that the players are in. The Psionic Pouncer is a rusty red color, with a mouth full of many tearing and chewing teeth. Its musculature is just sufficient to move at a moderate pace. To aid in its attacks, its declawed feet have a rear ‘spur’, or stinger. They are also tailless, having no need of high speed balancing.

2) The Spongepumper: Filter, Size: 50 kg, Hits: 17/5, Weapons: None on 4 kg or larger creatures, otherwise 1D per turn, Armor: None. This creature is a light, but large, spread out creature. It is found in a river bed, with a large central, hollow body, from the sides of which sprout many hollow, bladder like tentacles which it uses like intake hoses, sucking in water from alternate tentacles into a two chambered main body. The upper chamber accepts and holds water, injecting digestive fluids into the water. The lower half absorbs the digested material, and ejecting water out of the other tentacles. Every half hour, the two body chambers pump water into top, top digested water to bottom, bottom used water out of animal. The Spongepumper is immobile, and reproduces by budding. Buds appear on lower body half, where they take nutrients, and after one week, break off to form new Spongepumpers. Note that the Spongepumper seems harmless. However, its tentacles are poisonous as its sole self-protection, and its dozens of fat tentacles almost fill its watery area.

3) The Mudmouth: Trapper, Size: 100 kg, Hits: 17/8, Weapon: Special, Armor as Jack. The Mudmouth is a huge fibry creature, like an upended jellyfish. Its body is of a tough, woody material, with a sac or bowl-shaped main body, and 12 tentacles at the mouth. It’s tentacles are rather long, tough, and strong, with a very rock-like rough end, used for burrowing. A Mudmouth lives in a great pit, with its mouth upward and its tentacles out. It’s tentacles have leafy sensory organs on the ends, so the 12 tentacles resemble (slightly) a circle of palm trees. It’s ‘stomach’ body cavity is full of special digestive juices. Watery, slightly corrosive material is near the bottom of the stomach, while a brownish, mud or dirt-like corrosive is near the top. The appearance above ground is that of a clearing ‘twixt a dozen or so trees. The Mudmouth encourages this by using its tentacles to brush real dirt and grass over its mouth. It lies in wait, with its bony sac pulled inward. When it detects something on the ‘clearing above it’, it expands its body, sucking the digestive juice layer and its victim inside. The mouth closes, and the tentacles draw over the mouth. Inside, glands release a catalyst which makes the upper and lower layers of digestive juices miscible. The interior victim is swiftly killed, and digested, during which time the Mudmouth absorbs nutrients from its catch.

Then after 2 to 4 hours, the Mudmouth lets its internal contents separate once more, and waste material is drained into a lower, separate body cavity, from which is dumped into the ground beneath the Mudmouth. The Mudmouth resets its trap.

Reproduction in Mudmouths is sexual – each is hermaphroditic, with male and female organs in the tentacles. Male sperm, in spore-like form, is released into the wind. The leafy sensory organs will catch sperm from wind currents, and transfer it to female organs, where they are combined with eggs. The fertile and infertile eggs are released in late autumn, each encased in a light, pea-like casing. The young then ‘hatch’ where they land, burrow deep into the earth, where they grow, living on nutrients in a plant-like manner (it is believed that the leafy sensory structures contain chlorophyll).

When a victim is sucked in, the creature immediately takes 2D of Hits, and 1D every turn thereafter. Note that a person inside a Mudmouth is unaffected if in a Vac Suit, or other pressurized, protective gear. If the Mudmouth is killed, digestion will cease after 1D x 10 minutes.
4) Gapfilters: Filters, Size: 1 kg, Hits: 1/0, Weapon: Special, Armor: Jack. Small, coral-like creatures, they grow in great masses. They usually form loose, hollow structures which look solid. Each individual filter has a small cylindrical body, a tube operates both ends, with tendrils at each end. It secretes a tough, rock-like coral substance, which hardens into a tubular structure, about twice the size of the animal. Tendrils form water currents, drawing in water-carried nutrients. Often in areas where dead Filter 'skeletons' are atop living filters, an air bubble is formed, with a close-knit framework of brittle coral above the bubble. Because of the bubble at the top of the gap, the water at the bottom is usually very concentrated with digestive juices released by the 'corals'. In near surface areas, these are traps for the unwary -- stepping upon the gap usually leads to falling through into a hole full of acidic water. Creatures thus caught near seashores, where the filters are common, take 2D of Hits upon falling, and if unconscious, 1D each half-hour thereafter, not counting drowning damage, if any.

5) Grubber: Grazers, Size: 800 kg, Hits: 17/8, Weapon: as Broadsword, Wounds: 24, Armor: as Cloth -1. The Grubber is a very large, chitin-covered insect-like beast. It has very large front claws, shaped like a digging tool, useful for digging out the roots, larvae, and grubs it feeds upon. It, if irritated, will strike out with one (and probably crush its target's chest into its hindquarters), but otherwise it ignores others.

   Its armor is very tough and flexible chilton, but it's internal structure is very soft and mushy in the central section, so if penetrated, it is fairly easy to kill.

   The Female Grubber is marginally larger than the male, but slightly weaker, so it can be treated as a male Grubber.

6) Rabzol: Intermittent, Size: 50 kg, Hits: 16/11, Weapon: Claws, Wounds: 1, Armor: None. The Rabzol is a large lizard-like critter, with four thin legs ending in three-toed clawed feet, the claws being mainly suited to clinging, but usable as weapons. The Rabzol has a beaked upper jaw and a drill-like tongue, which allows it to feed on the sap of trees. Its main defense while feeding is its protective smell—it repels all predators with a horrible smelling and tasting skin secretion. Its tail is rough on the underside, as is his belly, to help him cling securely to tree branches, and trunks.

   The Rabzol is usually harmless, but when surprised it can fling drops of musk with its tail up to 40 meters. It’s musk will only wear off after several years in fabric, but metal can be cleaned of it with an abrasive material. The Rabzol’s mating habits are little known, but are suspected to involve its awful smell, and it lays eggs.

7) Springal: Gatherer, Size: 25 kg, Hits: 11/9, Weapon: Body Pistol, Wounds: 5, Armor: None. This creature is an amphibious type, spending most if its time near water, the rest in water. It prefers seaweed and other underwater plants. It has a wide, four-legged body, a flat, rather ‘boomerang’ looking head, and a long snakey tail. Its front feet are webbed, with four toes each, but the back feet have fins. The tip of the Springal’s tail secretes digestive juices very slowly, forming a sort of loose blister, which hardens to a pellet filled with digestive juices loosely attached to the tail. The Springal, while on land will fling these at prey with surprising speed and accuracy, penetrating its target with digestive fluid. The creature dies, and the Springal sucks out the creatures digested innards. This works on creatures up to 5 kg. Each blister weighs about ¼ kg.

   The Springal’s mouth is small, with a pair of fangs used to open a creature to reach its digested soft parts.

   The creature lays soft, jelly-coated eggs.

8) Hardbeaks: Flying Hunter, Size: 12 kg, Hits: 8/7, Weapon: as Broadsword, Wounds: 13, Armor: None. The Hardbeak is a fair-sized bird, with a very large beak, shaped vaguely like a sickle. It can eat plants when meat is unavailable, but it prefers meat. Its attack method is a screaming dive with its irregularly shaped beak. It makes a rear pass, slashing the victim with its beak, and then hovering and waiting for it to die. The Hardbeaks attack in groups of 2 - 12. They generally rest in the ground at the base of a tree.
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<td>Chameleon: A large “rock” turns out to be a huge Crustacean creature: Size: 400 kg, Hits: 25/9, Weapon: Stinger, Wound Points: 17, Armor: None, Type: Pouncer, Attack 6+, Flee 11+ at Double Speed.</td>
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**Rumors**

While in a newly opened tavern on ____________, you have overheard a rumor of someone willing to pay 30,000 CR to anyone who will take him to Tancred.

Rumor has it that recently a House of Minnara official was arrested for having supported a Belter uprising in the ____________ Sub-sector.

The latest bit of information from the Hiring Hall is that the Entertainer's Guild is going to start hiring mechanics and pilots for their new class of ships, the Psaltry Class.

During an overhaul of your ship, you overheard two workers talking about the sudden disappearance of local agitators supporting the overthrow of the Corporate Authority.

Reportedly a ship carrying artifacts of the first Solomani Expansion was siezed by local forces, but no official mention of this has been made.

There is a persistant rumor going about, on many worlds, that the Planetary Navies are going to be disbanded, and the members and vessels be absorbed into the Imperial Navy.

A ship bearing the yellow corona, red disk center starburst crest of the House of M'lar, was seen heading in the direction of the Kagima Confederation.

It has been rumored that an unarmed party is interested in purchasing one of the five Hunter Class Scoop Ships.

Recent talk has carried with it the suggestion that due to the untimely death of Thantas Demos, of the House of ____________, great confusion has been created among the first families in their struggles to seize control of the vast Merchant House.

Prior to entering your ship, you overhear two men discussing a job offered by Land'Anash, an animal shipper, living at 1529 Talbat Centre.

Unconfirmed reports have it that a shipment of small Arms and Ammunition were highjacked by Pirates last month, and that some of these weapons have turned up in The Spinward Marches.

Rumor has it that the Imperial Redundancy Ministry of Redundancy has newly opened its offices for the second time.

The Emperor's missing heir was surprised and kidnapped by brigands in the ____________ Sector.

**News**

Current News has it that the Emperor's only male heir was last heard from as his private Cruiser entered the ____________ Sector. A reward of 500,000 CR has been offered for news of his whereabouts or return.
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A calm, quite relatively sedate world, this planet is characterized by the smooth, rolling lands and gently wafting breezes. Weather patterns are normally calm, with about two major storms in a year. Life here has a very low keyed pace and is often frequented by convalescent patients. Upon discovery of this world, it was first decided to limit Human interaction with the race found already to be there. This race is almost identical with Human-kind, with the more notable exception being an opposable thumb on each side of the hand. General Human interaction was permitted upon discovery of the natives almost total acceptance of Human ideas and technology. The natives are at a technological level near that of 18th century Earth, and have shown no influence on their life style by Human presence. They are willing to share their world on the condition that Humankind 'share and share alike'. These people have developed Jewelry to a fine art and their products are in high demand by citizens and passersby alike. To preserve their way of life, they allow no Human technology in direct contact with the young. This race obviously has a high degree of innate wisdom and it is expected that philosophers and metaphysicians will flock to this world.
Foulcloud D 797410

This planet bears the long-aged scars of a massive thermo-nuclear conflict. There is hardly an area on this moderate sized sphere (equatorial diameter, 11,430 kilometers, equatorial circumference, 35,908 kilometers), that did not undergo bombardment. Radiation levels are within tolerable levels for humankind, and give an idea as to the time of the conflict, approximately 70,000 PI (Pre-Imperium). Little is known of the original inhabitants of this world, other than the fact that they were very war-like. Recently the planet has been lifted from Interdict, placed while surveys were conducted to determine if any surviving descendants could be found, to conduct archeological surveys, and to search out items imical to man. Very little filled either category. The planet has been opened "to colonization by any person or persons who have demonstrated a willingness to make this a permanent settlement and to work towards the eventual reclamation of this world as a productive area". As of yet, several settlements have been established but the rush to the new world has not been great. A small Space Port has been established in preparation for the anticipated flood of colonists.
Kitron  B 454570

This small sized planet, equatorial diameter of 6,000 kilometers, has made its mark in the logs of many inter-system joy seekers. The major attraction of this world is the near to lawlessness which offers to many the chance of speedy gratification of desires. Recently the Imperium has established a garrison with the intention of clamping down of the free-for-all attitude, but have not had too much success in taking a grip on the situation. The planet surface is rich in many of the precious stones and minerals which have become scarce on the longer established worlds. Indigenous to the planet is an interesting form of life closely resembling the Guinea Pig, but forming very tight empathic links, making this a much desired pet. The major disadvantage is that for reasons not yet uncovered, these animals are unable to reproduce off-planet. A thriving business in the export of these animals has spawned a rapidly expanding economy.
A moderate sized planet with an equatorial diameter of 12,900 kilometers and an equatorial circumference of 40506 kilometers. A standard class atmosphere encases this incredibly fertile world. The vast majority of its land masses, and some parts of the teeming seas are used for agriculture. The abundance of foodstuffs of many kinds has resulted in the development of a massive export based economy. Several Star Ports service this world, taking off the much sought after fresh foodstuff and are the gateway for the needed agricultural machinery and light industrial equipment to keep the several small manufacturing centers functioning. The continual availability of fresh foodstuffs has made this planet a prime stop for many liners, private ships and long duration military craft. An Imperial garrison has been set up at the request of the inhabitants to prevent any sneaky doings of competitor food conglomerates and 'private' loading in the dark of night.
Drewatol E 68A654

The sole inhabitable planet of this system is the fifth planet which is a small world, 92% water covered. The loose knit Feudalistic Government is going into a somewhat regressive state, their being near total Anarchy prevalent at this time. Although Anarchy has reigned nearly 300 standard years, destruction has been relatively minor due to the great respect that the average Drew has for others property. Drews in general have adjusted to the situation well and only recently have any groupings bigger than the family-clan began to develop. None of the presently forming tribal warrior groups have gained a large following or sphere of influence due to the limited transportation afforded to a low tech level waterworld. Owing to their extreme scarcity, metals of any sort are extremely valuable. Drewatol's most valuable commodity is the Rinlarnex family of Anti-Toxins, which can be derived only from some of the marine life in Drewatol's waters. Few off-worlders know just which species are valuable for this. Now that the ban on off-worlders ocean access has been lifted, a few small fishing concerns have begun a profitable trade. Also unique to Drewatol are the family-clan oblikesque replicas which are reknown for their intricate carving and rarity which stems from the fact that a family can give but one replica every 50 years. Drews are becoming increasingly ambitious to gain new technology and to do so, many individual Drewatol families have arranged with the travellers agency to adopt an off-worlder into their family for a period of several months to a year. This has made Drewatol a popular vacation spot for the adventurous traveller.
Arsouf is the capital of the Outreamer Subsector. Physically, it is an average sort of planet; about 9000 miles in diameter, 50% water covered, and with a slightly denser than normal atmosphere. Although governed by a fairly strict dictator, the 10 million people of Arsouf like him. This sector is only now coming into firm Imperial control as it was on the frontier when the first Empire collapsed. The planet is a valuable Imperial Outpost as it's leader is in agreement with Empire policies and because there is a good Star Base on the planet with refueling provision made at the system's gas giant. Even though the Arsoufans are loyal to their dictator, it is believed they would revolt if the group was tightened to much because of their ancestors previous great freedom. This makes Arsouf a potential hot spot which the Imperium can ill afford to lose and thus watches closely. Arsouf was chosen as the capital due to the fact that its pre-first Empire collapse Space Port Facilities were relatively intact thus it was the cheapest stepping stone for the reconquest of this Subsector. Imperium Military Forces are kept at a high state of readiness on Arsouf due to its proximity to the border. New industry is young and no one is for certain what potentials the planet has resource-wise although its strategic position within the Imperium could possibly make it a major Star Base for the whole sector.
Kzimus D AC9477

Another moderate sized planet, some 17,500 kilometers equatorial diameter, 54,980 equatorial circumference, this world is well known for the high sharp mountains rising out of the coppery colored seas. There are some large land masses on this 90% waterworld. Those land areas are all but totally under the control of various corporations whose industrial centers mine the rich aluminum deposits and procure the raw ore into light weight structural parts used throughout the organized systems. Many private research outposts have been set up along the mountain ranges conducting enquiry into many and varied subjects. One of the more useful aspects of the planet is the computer net connecting these stations which is available to use by passing vessels with the proper authorizations from the local garrison commander and the proper fee. Other than aluminum products, there is some exportation of the sea water and local sea creatures, to curious collectors and several aquariums on the more popular worlds.
The third planet out in a system of eight, Bastis is the only one with any significant population. Settled by religious dissidents some 5 centuries ago, this 8,590 kilometer diameter planet is mostly dead sand. The population lives in domed, oasis cities near the poles. The major form of animal life is the Sandworm, a large, legless, semi-reptilian herbivore. While some forms of Sandworm do secrete valuable drugs, the target of most hunters is the Slink, a very large carnivore.

Also of interest is the Elven Forest on the third moon of the gas giant (seventh planet). A 47-kilometer long bottom of a chasm which is covered by a large number of spires of water and ammonia ice, this feature is thought to be natural.

The Simba Safari usually jumps into the system on the outbound journey and refuels from the spaceport as the Hunting Party goes after Sandworms or Slink. On the return journey, the Hunting Party is conducted on a tour of the Elven Forest while the ship skims the gas giant for fuel.
Bawar C 600412

A dry, airless world, this planet has become an almost ideal Mining Colony. The all but non-existent gravity allows high yield mining with reduced costs. The planet is run by a consortium of smaller companies, and offers openings for any small sized mining company with the capital to survive. Coal, Iron, Aluminum, Uranium and some Silver are to be found in abundances throughout this 8,900 kilometer diameter planet. Many small outfits of retired Belters have opened shop in the 'frontier' territories. Other than Mining considerations, this planet has become a key Training Base for the Imperial Navy, who utilize the rough terrain and isolated cities and towns as 'targets' to train cadets in null-gee surface tactics and near space combat indoctrination. The planet has become a spot for tourists (in Vacc Suits) who are interested in spending a few days 'trying their luck' mining for Silver. As a side role, one of the tourist and historical attractions is that this world boasts one of the last remaining, and still functioning Mass-Drivers in the Imperium.

The planet has also become a prime location for research into Solar Power, and a small industry in the manufacture of Power Cells for export has sprung up.
SEKMETAR  2235  E430100

Second planet in a system of six, Sekmetar has proven notable only for its wildlife. Some of the largest crypto-arthropod predators known are found roaming its equatorial deserts. Large ruins of an indigenous race have been discovered. From what little work has been done in this area, it appears that the race reached Tech Level 6 or 7 before disappearing.

This planet is a popular stop in Simba Safari's itinerary. Hunters seek the giant Scorpoids, and others find the ancient ruins interesting.
The third planet out in a system of ten, Atoley is in the process of being colonized. The tainted atmosphere classification is caused by a series of organic trace compounds that cause a long-term allergenic reaction in about 50% of the Humaniti that are exposed to them. The land surface is only 20% of the planet and is scattered in a large number of moderate-sized islands. Marine life is extensive, and land life is composed primarily of insect-like and bird-like animals. Most of the land animals are also flyers, reaching quite large sizes, permitted here by the atmospheric conditions. Some research has been done on the atmospheric contaminants, and a solution to the allergenic reaction seems probable. The population has been building up slowly since the Atoley Colony Corporation was established 200 years ago.

The Simba Safari comes here for both the aerial and marine creatures. Hamlar and his crew have made detailed surveys of a number of archipelagos in return for exclusive hunting rights in them for a 10-year period. Many island groups still remain completely unexplored.
VILARUBY  2338  X343100

The fourth planet out in a system of seven, Vilaruby is noted for its forests. Most of the available land area is covered with a cool forest. Not a jungle or rainforest, this special ecosystem has a very large number of furred, aboreal predators. While most of the creatures are of moderate to small size, the fur is of exquisite quality. Much of the planet is unmapped, and no other valuable resources are known.

KEY

Mountains  •  City.

Icecap  •  Starport

Forest  Rough

Desert  Ruins
Third planet out in a system of nine, Tarnksep is noted for its marine life. The continents are all fairly small, and native land life is not well developed. A small research installation is maintained by the Tm’ Ramis Corporation, and small groups of colonists are beginning to settle. The major drawback to colonization has been the thin atmosphere.

The Simba Safari calls primarily to hunt the giant sea mammals which abound here.
William Self (order #4987768)

rough

mountains

installation

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