

# PSYCHIC AWAKENING: WAR OF THE SPIDER

#### **Indomitus Version 1.3**

These documents collect amendments to the rules and present our responses to players' frequently asked questions. Often these amendments are updates necessitated by new releases or community feedback; these can be identified by the presence of an asterisk before the page reference. At other times, these amendments are errata designed to correct mistakes or add clarity to a rule that is not as clear as it might be.

As they're revised regularly, each of these documents has a version number; where a version number has a letter, e.g. 1.1a, this means it has had a local amendment, only in that language, to clarify a translation issue or other minor correction. When a document is revised, the version number will be incremented and new updates will be highlighted in blue, while new errata and FAQs will be highlighted in magenta.

# DESIGNER'S NOTES WEAPON UPDATES

Several weapon profiles were updated in the 2020 edition of Codex: Space Marines. As a result, where those same weapons appear in this publication, they are updated to match. The weapon in question, and the updated profile for it, is found at the end of this document, and should be changed wherever it appears in this book.

## **UPDATES & ERRATA**

#### \*Page 35 - Shield Hosts

Change the first paragraph to read:

'If your army is Battle-forged and includes any **ADEPTUS CUSTODES** Detachments, you can select which shield host each of those Detachments belongs to from the shield hosts listed on the following pages. If you do so, all **ADEPTUS CUSTODES** units from that Detachment (excluding **CAPTAIN-GENERAL TRAJANN VALORIS** and **VALERIAN**) gain the relevant Faction keyword.'

#### Add the following:

#### 'Crusade

Each time you add an **ADEPTUS CUSTODES** unit to your Crusade force's Order of Battle, you can choose for that unit to belong to one of the shield hosts listed on pages 35-37. If you do so, that unit gains the relevant **<SHIELD HOST>** Faction keyword.

When mustering a Crusade army:

- ADEPTUS CUSTODES units cannot gain a new <SHIELD HOST> Faction keyword.
- If all of the **ADEPTUS CUSTODES** units in a Detachment belong to the same shield host, it gains access to the Warlord Traits, Stratagems and Relics of Terra rules as outlined on this page.'

#### Page 36 - Shield of Honour

Replace the first sentence of this Stratagem with the following: 'Use this Stratagem in any phase when an **IMPERIUM CHARACTER** unit (excluding **VEHICLE** units) from your army is chosen as the target of an opponent model's attacks.'

#### Page 38 - Ten Thousand Heroes

Add the following sentence to the end of this Stratagem: 'If a model is given a Warlord Trait using this Stratagem, that model does not gain a second one if they are selected for the Shoulder the Mantle Stratagem during the battle.'

#### \*Page 38 - Vengeance of the Machine Spirit

Change the first sentence to read:

'Use this Stratagem in any phase, when an ADEPTUS CUSTODES VENERABLE LAND RAIDER model from your army is destroyed.'

#### Page 38 - Ancient Artifice

Change this Stratagem to read:

'Use this Stratagem when an **ADEPTUS CUSTODES DREADNOUGHT** model from your army is chosen as the target for an attack. Until the end of the phase, when resolving an attack made against that model, you can reduce any damage suffered by 1, to a minimum of 1 (this is not cumulative with any other rules that reduce the damage).'

#### \*Page 44 - Prosecutors, Prosecution Protocols

Change to read:

'Each time you select a target for a ranged weapon a model in this unit is making an attack with, you can ignore the Look Out, Sir rule if the target is a **PSYKER**.'

#### \*Page 52 - Vindicare Assassin, Deadshot

Change the first sentence to read:

'Each time you select a target for a weapon this model is making an attack with, you can ignore the Look Out, Sir rule.'

#### \*Page 76 - Creations of Bile

Add the following:

'Crusade

Each time you add a **<LEGION>** unit to your Crusade force's Order of Battle, if **FABIUS BILE** is in your Order of Battle, you can replace that unit's **<LEGION>** keyword with **CREATIONS OF BILE**.'

### **FAOS**

Q: Can a model with the Unstoppable Destroyer Captain-Commander trait make a Consolidation move while any enemy models are in base contact with it?

A: No.

Q: If an enemy PSYKER that is within 18" of a Sisters of Silence unit successfully manifests a psychic power that targets an Adeptus Custodes unit from my army, can I use both the Fortress of Willpower and Empyric Severance Stratagems to attempt to negate the effects of that power? If my army also includes an Adepta Sororitas Detachment, and the enemy Psyker is within 24" of an Adepta Sororitas unit from my army, could I also use the Purity of Faith Stratagem from Codex: Adepta Sororitas to give me a third attempt to negate the power? If so, how is this resolved?

A: Yes. Each Stratagem must be used subsequently. If the first Stratagem you use fails, you can then choose to spend Command points to use another, and so on.

Q: When The Emperor's Auspice Stratagem is used, does the effect also prevent re-rolls that are not part of the Making Attacks sequence, such as the number of attacks made for a weapon that makes a random number of attacks?

A: No.

Q: The Vindicare Assassin's Stealth Suit ability can subtract 2 from the hit roll; given that these rolls cannot be modified by more than -1 or +1, how does this work?

A: While hit rolls and wounds rolls cannot be modified by more than -1 or +1, this limit takes effect after all applicable modifiers have been applied, some of which may cancel each other out.

For example, if a model that is making an attack against a Vindicare Assassin which is in cover (thereby conferring a -2 modifier to the hit roll) also has a rule that applies a +1 modifier to the hit roll, then, after applying both of these modifiers to the roll, there would be a final modifier of -1.