## ARMY RULES

#### SYNAPSE

Some Tyranids serve as synaptic conduits or nodal relays through which a portion of the Hive Mind's iron will flows, overriding the natural instincts of the swarm to direct the teeming warrior-beasts to function as a single, gestalt organism on the battlefield.

If your Army Faction is **TYRANIDS**, while a **TYRANIDS** unit from your army is within 6" of one or more **SYMAPSE** models from your army, that unit is said to be within Synapse Range of your army. Each time a **TYRANIDS** unit from your army takes a Battle-shock test, if it is within Synapse Range of your army, take that test on 3D6 instead of 2D6.

#### SHADOW IN THE WARP

Tyranids flood the battlefield with the psychic signature of the hive fleet, an icy, alien dread that gnaws at the minds of their prey and smothers even the most stalwart courage. When faced with such unfathomable horror, many are driven insane or suffer catastrophic neural damage.

If your Army Faction is **TYRANIDS**, once per battle, in either player's Command phase, if one or more units from your army with this ability are on the battlefield, you can unleash the Shadow in the Warp. When you do, each enemy unit on the battlefield must take a Battle-shock test.



# TYRANIDS – INVASION FLEET DETACHMENT RULE

If your Army Faction is TYRANIDS, you can use this Invasion Fleet Detachment rule

#### HYPER-ADAPTATIONS

Every warrior organism in the Tyranid race is fashioned by the ineffable alien will of the Hive Mind. Their flesh and chitin is endlessly mutable, honed into whatever form will prove most lethal to the prey.

At the start of the first battle round, select one of the following Hyper-adaptations to be active for TYRANIDS units from your army until the end of the battle:

#### SWARMING INSTINCTS

Each time a TYRANIDS model with this Hyper-adaptation makes an attack that targets an enemy INFANTRY or SWARM unit, that attack has the [SUSTAINED HITS 1] ability.

#### HYPER-AGGRESSION

Fach time a TYRANIDS model with this Hyper-adaptation makes an attack that targets an enemy MONSTER or VEHICLE unit, that attack has the [LETHAL HITS] ability.

#### HIVE PREDATORS

Each time a TYRANIDS model with this Hyper-adaptation makes an attack that targets an enemy CHARACTER unit, if a Critical Hit is scored, that attack has the [PRECISION] ability.



## **TYRANIDS – INVASION FLEET**

## **STRATAGEMS**

If you are using the Invasion Fleet Detachment rule, you can use these Invasion Fleet Stratagems.



1CP

#### RAPID REGENERATION

#### INVASION FLEET - BATTLE TACTIC STRATAGEM

Prey stare in horror as chitinous armour regrows and flesh, muscle and sinew knots back together as though never harmed.

WHEN: Your opponent's Shooting phase or the Fight phase, just after an enemy unit has selected its targets.

TARGET: One TYRANIDS unit from your army that was selected as the target of one or more of the attacking unit's attacks.

EFFECT: Until the end of the phase. models in uour unit have the Feel No Pain 6+ ability. If your unit is within Synapse Range of your army, until the end of the phase, models in your unit have the Feel No Pain 5+ ability instead.



1CP

#### **DEATH FRENZY**

#### INVASION FLEET - STRATEGIC PLOY STRATAGEM

Tyranids care nothing for selfpreservation, lashing out even in death.

WHEN: Fight phase, just after an enemy unit has selected its targets.

TARGET: One TYRANIDS unit from your army that was selected as the target of one or more of the attacking unit's attacks.

EFFECT: Until the end of the phase, each time a model in your unit is destroyed, if that model has not fought this phase, roll one D6: on a 4+, do not remove it from play. The destroyed model can fight after the attacking model's unit has finished making attacks, and is then removed from play.



#### ADRENAL SURGE

INVASION FLEET - BATTLE TACTIC STRATAGEM

These warrior organisms destroy all as their adrenaline surges.

WHEN: Fight phase.

TARGET: Up to two TYRANIDS units from your army that are within Synapse Range of your army and are eligible to fight, or one other TYRANIDS unit from your army that is eligible to fight.

EFFECT: Until the end of the phase, each time a model in one of those selected units makes an attack, a successful unmodified Hit roll of 5+ scores a Critical Hit.



#### OVERRUN

#### INVASION FLEET - STRATEGIC PLOY STRATAGEM

Tyranids are an unstoppable avalanche of flesh and chitin.

WHEN: Fight phase, just before a TYRANIDS unit from your army Consolidates.

TARGET: That TYRANIDS unit.

EFFECT: Until the end of the phase, each time a model in your unit makes a Consolidation move, it can move up to 6" instead of up to 3", provided your unit can end its Consolidation move in Unit Coherency and within Engagement Range of one or more enemy units. If your unit is within Synapse Range of your army and not within Engagement Range of any enemy units, instead of making that Consolidation move, it can instead make a Normal move of up to 6".





## **TYRANIDS – INVASION FLEET**

## **STRATAGEMS**

If you are using the Invasion Fleet Detachment rule, you can use these Invasion Fleet Stratagems.



1CP

#### SYNAPTIC INSIGHT

#### INVASION FLEET - STRATEGIC PLOY STRATAGEM

Guided by the instincts of leader-beasts, a portion of the swarm can be tasked with focusing its hunting instincts to destroy a particular foe.

WHEN: Your Command phase.

TARGET: Up to two TYRANIDS units from your army that are within Synapse Range of your army, or one other TYRANIDS unit from your army.

EFFECT: Select one Hyper-adaptation.
Until the end of the battle round, that
hyper-adaptation is active for those
selected units in addition to any other that
may be active for your army.

RESTRICTIONS: You cannot select the same hyper-adaptation you selected at the start of the first battle round.



#### **ENDLESS SWARM**

#### INVASION FLEET - STRATEGIC PLOY STRATAGEM

As the battle rages, more organisms pour in to bolster the swarms.

WHEN: Your Command phase.

TARGET: Up to two ENDLESS MULTITUDE units from your army that are within Synapse Range of your army, or one other ENDLESS MULTITUDE unit from your army.

**EFFECT:** Up to D3+3 destroyed models are returned to each of the selected units.



## TYRANIDS – INVASION FLEET

## **ENHANCEMENTS**

If you are using the Invasion Fleet Detachment rule, you can use these Invasion Fleet Enhancements.

#### **ALIEN CUNNING**

This leader-beast possesses highly sophisticated neural pathways, allowing it to identify priority strategic assets and adapt the position of its warriors to seize them before the foe even recognise their value.

TYRANIDS model only. After both players have deployed their armies, select up to three TYRANIDS units from your army and redeploy them. When doing so, you can set those units up in Strategic Reserves if you wish, regardless of how many units are already in Strategic Reserves.

#### PERFECTLY ADAPTED

This creature was created for one purpose: to completely eradicate the defenders of the target prey world.

**TYRANIDS** model only. Once per turn, you can re-roll one Hit roll, one Wound roll, one Damage roll, one Advance roll, one Charge roll or one saving throw made for the bearer.

#### SYNAPTIC LINCHPIN

With a cerebral cortex that pulsates with the irresistible power of the Hive Mind, this leader acts as a blazing synaptic beacon to the lesser creatures of the swarm, the better to direct their actions and react to the ever-changing state of battle.

**TYRANIDS** model only. While a friendly **TYRANIDS** unit is within 9" of the bearer, that unit is within Synapse Range of your army.

#### ADAPTIVE BIOLOGY

The same weapon rarely works against this leader-beast twice, as its alien physiology adapts at an astonishing rate to counter the attacks of the foe.

**TYRANIDS** model only. The bearer has the Feel No Pain 5+ ability. At the start of any turn, if the bearer has fewer than its starting number of wounds remaining, until the end of the battle, it has the Feel No Pain 4+ ability instead.





Φ	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D
	Heavy venom cannon [BLAST]	36"	D3	2+	9	-2	3
	Stranglethorn cannon [BLAST]	36"	D6+1	2+	7	-1	2

MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D	
Monstrous bonesword and lash whip [TWIN-LINKED]	Melee	6	2+	9	-2	3	
Monstrous scything talons [EXTRA ATTACKS]	Melee	4	2+	7	-2	2	
Tyrant talons	Melee	5	2+	7	-2	2	

#### **ABILITIES**

CORE: Deadly Demise D3, Deep Strike

FACTION: Shadow in the Warp, Synapse

Will of the Hive Mind: Once per turn, one friendly TYRANIDS unit within 12" of one or more models with this ability can be targeted with a Stratagem for OCP, even if another unit from your army has already been targeted with that Stratagem this phase.

Paroxysm (Psychic): At the start of the Fight phase, you can select one enemy unit within 12" of and visible to this model and roll one D6: on a 1, this PSYKER suffers D3 mortal wounds; on a 2+, until the end of the phase, subtract 1 from the Attacks characteristic of weapons equipped by models in that unit.

**INVULNERABLE SAVE** 

KEYWORDS: Monster, Character, Psyker, Fly, Great Devourer, Synapse, WINGED HIVE TYRANT



## **WINGED HIVE TYRANT**

When the Hive Mind deploys airborne swarms, it spawns Winged Hive Tyrants to direct them in battle. Wielding an array of nightmarish organic weapons, their monstrous forms singing with the synaptic might of the Hive Mind, these dread swarm-leaders spread terror and death wherever the dark shadow of their wings falls.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

- This model's monstrous bonesword and lash whip can be replaced with one of the following:
  - 1 heavy venom cannon
  - 1 stranglethorn cannon
  - 1 monstrous scything talons

#### **UNIT COMPOSITION**

■ 1 Winged Hive Tyrant

**This model is equipped with:** monstrous bonesword and lash whip; Tyrant talons.

KEYWORDS: Monster, Character, Psyker, Fly, Great Devourer, Synapse,
Winged Hive Tyrant







RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D
Heavy venom cannon [BLAST]	36"	D3	2+	9	-2	3
Stranglethorn cannon [BLAST]	36"	D6+1	2+	7	-1	2

<b>*</b>	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D	
	Monstrous bonesword and lash whip [TWIN-LINKED]	Melee	6	2+	9	-2	3	
	Monstrous scything talons [EXTRA ATTACKS]	Melee	4	2+	7	-2	2	

#### ABILITIES

CORE: Deadly Demise D3, Leader

FACTION: Shadow in the Warp, Synapse

Will of the Hive Mind: Once per turn, one friendly TYRANIDS unit within 12" of one or more models with this ability can be targeted with a Stratagem for OCP, even if another unit from your army has already been targeted with that Stratagem this phase.

Onslaught (Aura, Psychic): While a friendly TYRANIDS unit is within 6" of this model, ranged weapons equipped by models in that unit have the [ASSAULT] ability.

INVULNERABLE SAVE

4+

KEYWORDS: Monster, Character, Psyker, Great Devourer, Synapse, Hive Tyrant



## **HIVE TYRANT**

Hive Tyrants command the swarm on the Hive Mind's behalf. Not only are they powerful warrior organisms in their own right, but they are also possessed of a depth of sentient autonomy and strategic cunning that makes them truly deadly foes. Where the Hive Tyrants bestride the battlefield, death comes for the prey.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

- This model's monstrous bonesword and lash whip can be replaced with one of the following:
  - · 1 heavy venom cannon
  - 1 stranglethorn cannon
  - · 1 monstrous scything talons
- This model's monstrous scything talons can be replaced with one of the following:
  - 1 heavy venom cannon\*
  - 1 stranglethorn cannon\*
- \*This model cannot be equipped with both a stranglethorn cannon and a heavy venom cannon. This model cannot be equipped with more than 1 heavy venom cannon, and it cannot be equipped with more than 1 stranglethorn cannon.

#### **UNIT COMPOSITION**

• 1 Hive Tyrant

**This model is equipped with:** monstrous bonesword and lash whip; monstrous scything talons.

#### LEADER

This model can be attached to the following unit:

■ TYRANT GUARD

KEYWORDS: Monster, Character, Psyker, Great Devourer, Synapse,
Hive Tyrant



## THE SWARMLORD

8" 10 2+ 10 7+ 3



<b>\Phi</b>	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D
	Synaptic pulse [PSYCHIC, TORRENT]	18"	D6+3	N/A	5	-1	2
*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
	Bone sabres [TWIN-LINKED]	Melee	8	2+	9	-2	3

#### **ABILITIES**

CORE: Deadly Demise D3, Leader

FACTION: Shadow in the Warp, Synapse

**Hive Commander:** At the start of your Command phase, if this model is on the battlefield, you gain 1CP.

Malign Presence: Once per battle, after your opponent uses a Stratagem, if this model is your WARLORD and is on the battlefield, it can use this ability. If it does, until the end of the battle, increase that Stratagem's cost to your opponent by 1CP.

**Domination of the Hive Mind:** While a friendly **TYRANIDS** unit is within 9" of this model, that unit is within your army's Synapse Range.

INVULNERABLE SAVE

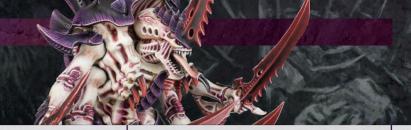
4+

KEYWORDS: Monster, Character, Epic Hero, Psyker, Great Devourer, Synapse, The SwarmLord



### THE SWARMLORD

The Swarmlord is the herald of the Hive Mind and may be as old as the Tyranid race itself. Upon death, the beast is always absorbed through the synaptic link and spawned anew. It has presided over the annihilation of countless civilisations, and with every incarnation it only becomes more deadly.



#### WARGEAR OPTIONS

None

#### **UNIT COMPOSITION**

■ 1 Swarmlord - EPIC HERO

This model is equipped with: synaptic pulse; bone sabres.

#### LEADER

This model can be attached to the following unit:

**TYRANT GUARD** 



## **BROODLORD**



*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
	Broodlord claws and talons	Melee	5	2.	6	-2	2
	[DEVASTATING WOUNDS, TWIN-LINKED]	MEIEE	3	LT	U	-2	_

#### **ABILITIES**

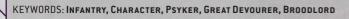
CORE: Leader, Scouts 8"

FACTION: Synapse

Vicious Insight: While this model is leading a unit, weapons equipped by models in that unit have the [DEVASTATING WOUNDS] ability.

Hypnotic Gaze (Psychic): At the start of the Fight phase, select one enemy unit within Engagement Range of this model. Until the end of the phase, each time a model in that unit makes an attack, subtract 1 from the Hit roll.

INVULNERABLE SAVE





## **BROODLORD**

Mightiest and most intelligent of the Genestealer bioforms, the Broodlord is an insidious predatory infiltrator. Able to act as a forward commander for the invasion swarms, it sows carnage through the enemy lines while maximising the cunning and lethality of lesser warrior organisms around it.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

■ None

#### **UNIT COMPOSITION**

- 1 Broodlord

This model is equipped with: Broodlord claws and talons.

#### LEADER

This model can be attached to the following unit:

■ GENESTEALERS



## **WINGED TYRANID PRIME**



MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
Prime talons	Melee	6	2+	6	-1	2

#### **ABILITIES**

CORE: Deep Strike, Leader

FACTION: Shadow in the Warp, Synapse

Alpha Warrior: While this model is leading a unit, weapons equipped by models in that unit have the [SUSTAINED HITS 1] ability.

Death Blow: If this model is destroyed by a melee attack, if it has not fought this phase, roll one D6: on a 4+, do not remove it from play. The destroyed model can fight after the attacking model's unit has finished making its attacks, and is then removed from play.

KEYWORDS: INFANTRY, CHARACTER, FLY, GREAT DEVOURER, SYNAPSE, WINGED TYRANID PRIME



### **WINGED TYRANID PRIME**

Tyranid Primes adapted for flight possess all the physical and synaptic might of an alpha war-beast, while also boasting the frightening speed and manoeuvrability imparted by huge leathery wings. Swooping down into the midst of the foe, they rend and tear until nought remains but corpses and fleeing prey.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

None

#### **UNIT COMPOSITION**

■ 1 Winged Tyranid Prime

This model is equipped with: Prime talons.

#### LEADER

This model can be attached to the following units:

- GARGOYLES
- TYRANID WARRIORS WITH MELEE BIO-WEAPONS
- TYRANID WARRIORS WITH RANGED BIO-WEAPONS



## TERVIGON

8" 11 2+ 16 7+ 5



<b>Φ</b>	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D
	Stinger salvoes	24"	8	3+	5	0	1
*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
	Massive crushing claws	Melee	4	4+	12	-3	D6+1
	Massive scything talons – strike	Melee	4	3+	9	-2	D6
	Massive scything talons – sweep	Melee	8	3+	7	-1	2

#### **ABILITIES**

CORE: Deadly Demise D6

FACTION: Shadow in the Warp, Synapse

Spawn Termagants: In your Command phase, you can select one friendly Termagants unit within 6" of this model and return up to D3+3 destroyed Termagant models to that unit. A Termagants unit cannot be selected for this ability more than once per phase.

Brood Progenitor (Aura, Psychic): While a friendly TERMAGANTS unit is within 6" of this model, ranged weapons equipped by models in that unit have the [LETHAL HITS] ability.

#### **DAMAGED: 1-5 WOUNDS REMAINING**

While this model has 1-5 wounds remaining, each time this model makes an attack, subtract 1 from the Hit roll.

Before selecting targets for this weapon, select one of its profiles to make attacks with.

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## **TERVIGON**

Beyond simply being large and powerful synapse beasts, Tervigons are also able to spawn skittering masses of Termagant warrior organisms from within their bulging abdomens. These dripping spawn instinctively protect their broodmother with their lives, their numbers growing all the time until they overwhelm the prey.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

■ This model's massive scuthing talons can be replaced with 1 massive crushing claws.

#### **UNIT COMPOSITION**

• 1 Tervigon

This model is equipped with: stinger salvoes; massive scything talons.



	*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
		Old One Eye's claws and talons – strike	Melee	6	3+	14	-3	D6+1
į		Old One Eye's claws and talons – sweep	Melee	12	3+	6	-1	1

#### **ABILITIES**

CORE: Feel No Pain 5+, Leader

FACTION: Synapse

**Alpha Leader:** While this model is leading a unit, each time a model in that unit makes an attack, you can re-roll the Hit roll.

**Unstoppable Monster:** At the start of each player's Command phase, this model regains up to D3 lost wounds.

Before selecting targets for this weapon, select one of its profiles to make attacks with.

 ${\sf KEYWORDS:}\, \textbf{Monster, Character, Epic Hero, Great Devourer, Old One Eye}$ 



## **OLD ONE EYE**

Known as the Beast of Calth, this unstoppable brute was first seen during the First Tyrannic War. Though many have thought it slain over the centuries, always the scarred monster rises again. Whether it is a Tyranid subgenus or the same unstoppable monster come again is a mystery few in its path live long enough to ponder.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

None

#### UNIT COMPOSITION

■ 1 Old One Eye - EPIC HERO

This model is equipped with: Old One Eye's claws and talons.

#### LEADER

This model can be attached to the following unit:

■ CARNIFEXES



## TYRANID WARRIORS WITH RANGED BIO-WEAPONS



Φ	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D
	Barbed strangler [BLAST]	36"	D6+1	4+	6	-1	1
	Deathspitter	24"	3	4+	5	-1	1
	Devourer	18"	5	4+	4	0	1
	Spinefists [ASSAULT, PISTOL, TWIN-LINKED]	12"	2	4+	4	0	1
	Venom cannon [BLAST]	36"	D3	4+	9	-2	2

MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
Bio-weapons	Melee	5	3+	5	-1	1

#### **ABILITIES**

FACTION: Shadow in the Warp, Synapse

Adaptable Predators: This unit is eligible to shoot and declare a charge in a turn in which it Fell Back.

## TYRANID WARRIORS WITH RANGED BIO-WEAPONS

Strong, swift, independently intelligent and amongst the Hive Mind's most adaptable bioforms, Tyranid Warriors are the backbone of many Tyranid invasions. Their synaptic link imbues them with advanced martial abilities, and also allows them to serve as synaptic linchpins within the wider swarms during battle.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

- Any number of models can each have their devourer replaced with one of the following:
  - 1 deathspitter
  - 1 spinefists
- For every 3 models in this unit, 1 model's devourer can be replaced with 1 barbed strangler.
- For every 3 models in this unit, 1 model's devourer can be replaced with 1 venom cannon.

#### **UNIT COMPOSITION**

- 1 Tyranid Prime
- 2-5 Tyranid Warriors

Every model is equipped with: devourer; bio-weapons.

## TYRANID WARRIORS WITH MELEE BIO-WEAPONS



MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
Bio-weapons [TWIN-LINKED]	Melee	6	3+	5	-2	1

#### **ABILITIES**

FACTION: Shadow in the Warp, Synapse

Adrenalised Onslaught: At the start of the Fight phase, you can select one of the following abilities to apply to models in this unit until the end of the phase:

- Aggression Imperative: Each time a model in this unit makes a melee attack, re-roll a Hit roll of 1.
- Preservation Imperative: Each time a saving throw is made for a model in this unit, re-roll a saving throw of 1.



## TYRANID WARRIORS WITH MELEE BIO-WEAPONS

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#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

None

#### **UNIT COMPOSITION**

- 1 Tyranid Prime
- 2-5 Tyranid Warriors

Every model is equipped with: bio-weapons.

## **TERMAGANTS**



Φ	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D	
	Fleshborer [ASSAULT]	18"	1	4+	5	0	1	i
	Termagant spinefists [ASSAULT, PISTOL, TWIN-LINKED]	12"	2	4+	3	0	1	
	Termagant devourer	18"	2	4+	4	0	1	

MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
Xenos claws and teeth	Melee	1	4+	3	0	1

#### **ABILITIES**

FACTION: Synapse

Skulking Horrors: Once per turn, when an enemy unit ends a Normal, Advance or Fall Back move within 9" of this unit, if this unit is not within Engagement Range of one or more enemy units, it can make a Normal move of up to D6".

KEYWORDS: INFANTRY, BATTLELINE, GREAT DEVOURER, ENDLESS MULTITUDE, **TERMAGANTS** 



### **TERMAGANTS**

Scuttling predators that attack in huge swarms, Termagants were originally spawned to roam the tight arterial passages of hive ships and hunt intruders. They harry their prey with a hail of firepower, seeking always to outflank and envelop their victims as they erode their numbers.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

- All models in this unit can each have their fleshborer replaced with 1 Termagant devourer.
- All models in this unit can each have their fleshborer replaced with 1 Termagant spinefists.

#### **UNIT COMPOSITION**

■ 10-20 Termagants

**Every model is equipped with:** fleshborer; xenos claws and teeth.

KEYWORDS: Infantry, Battleline, Great Devourer, Endless Multitude, Termagants



## **HORMAGAUNTS**

10" 3 5+ 1 8+ 2



3	4+	3	-1	1
	3	3 4+	3 4+ 3	3 4+ 3 -1

#### ABILITIES

FACTION: Synapse

**Bounding Leap:** This unit is eligible to declare a charge in a turn in which it Advanced.

KEYWORDS: Infantry, Battleline, Great Devourer, Endless Multitude, Hormagaunts



## **HORMAGAUNTS**

Swarming shock troops, Hormagaunts are seeded onto prey worlds in their billions. As simple hunter-slayer organisms, they can be left to rampage, wearing down defence lines and forcing the prey to expend lives and ammunition. Many formidable bastions have been buried in literal mountains of these chitinous horrors.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

■ None

#### **UNIT COMPOSITION**

■ 10-20 Hormagaunts

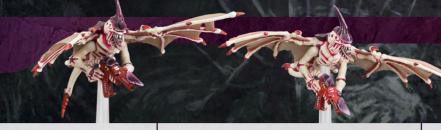
Every model is equipped with: Hormagaunt talons.

KEYWORDS: Infantry, Battleline, Great Devourer, Endless Multitude, Hormagaunts





12" 3 6+ 1 8+ 2



Φ	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D	
	Fleshborer [ASSAULT]	18"	1	4+	5	0	1	
*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D	
	Blinding venom	Melee	1	4+	3	0	1	ĺ

#### ABILITIES

CORE: Deep Strike

FACTION: Synapse

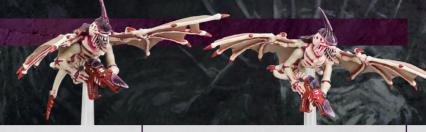
Winged Swarm: In your Shooting phase, after this unit has shot, if it is not within Engagement Range of any enemy units, it can make a Normal move of up to 6". If it does, until the end of the turn, this unit is not eligible to declare a charge.

KEYWORDS: Infantry, Battleline, Fly, Great Devourer, Endless Multitude,
Gargoyles



## **GARGOYLES**

Gargoyles are often the first warrior organisms hurled against a prey world. Their teeming swarms darken the skies. Their opportunistic attacks spread panic and disarray. Worst of all, the creatures can squirm through gaps that appear far too small, bursting through gun slits and vent pipes to assail horrified defenders.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

■ None

#### **UNIT COMPOSITION**

■ 10-20 Gargoyles

Every model is equipped with: fleshborer; blinding venom.

KEYWORDS: Infantry, Battleline, Fly, Great Devourer, Endless Multitude,
Gargoyles



## TOXICRENE

8" 11 3+ 14 8+ 4



Φ	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D
	Massive toxic lashes [ANTI-INFANTRY 2+]	9"	2D6	3+	6	-1	2
*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
	Massive toxic lashes [ANTI-INFANTRY 2+]	Melee	12	3+	6	-1	2

#### ABILITIES

CORE: Deadly Demise D3

FACTION: Synapse

**Grasping Tendrils:** Each time an enemy unit (excluding **TITANIC** units) within Engagement Range of one or more units from your army with this ability is selected to Fall Back, you can roll one D6: on a 3+, that enemy unit must Remain Stationary instead.

Hypertoxic Miasma (Aura): At the end of your Movement phase, roll one D6 for each enemy unit within 6" of this model: on a 2-3, that unit suffers 1 mortal wound; on a 4-5, that unit suffers D3 mortal wounds; on a 6, that unit suffers D6 mortal wounds.

#### **DAMAGED: 1-5 WOUNDS REMAINING**

While this model has 1-5 wounds remaining, each time this model makes an attack, subtract 1 from the Hit roll.



## **TOXICRENE**

The semi-sentient spores spewed by the Toxicrene can penetrate even sealed armour and enviro-suits before multiplying within the victim's body to burst their organs and dissolve their flesh. Prey not slain in this horrible manner soon fall to the Toxicrene's monstrous bulk and vast, lashing tendrils as it rampages ever onwards.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

■ None

#### UNIT COMPOSITION

= 1 Toxicrene

This model is equipped with: massive toxic lashes.





*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
	Bone cleaver, lash whip and rending claws [TWIN-LINKED]	Melee	3	3+	5	-1	2
	Crushing claws and rending claws	Melee	3	4+	8	-2	2
	Scything talons and rending claws	Melee	5	3+	5	-1	1

#### ABILITIES

FACTION: Synapse

Guardian Organism: While a CHARACTER model is leading this unit, that CHARACTER has the Feel No Pain 5+ ability.

## **TYRANT GUARD**

Incredibly well armoured and resilient, Tyrant Guard form a mobile bulwark around their assigned synapse organism. So extreme is their bio-adaptation, they do not even possess weak spots such as eyes. Instead, they are guided as extensions of their charge's synaptic will, acting as living weapons and shields.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

- Any number of models can each have their scything talons and rending claws replaced with one of the following:
  - 1 bone cleaver, lash whip and rending claws
  - · 1 crushing claws and rending claws

#### **UNIT COMPOSITION**

= 3-6 Tyrant Guard

**Every model is equipped with:** scything talons and rending claws.



Φ	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D	
	Psychic scream [IGNORES COVER, PSYCHIC, TORRENT]	18"	2D6	N/A	5	-1	2	
*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D	
	Neurotyrant claws and lashes	Melee	6	3+	5	0	1	

#### **ABILITIES**

CORE: Leader

FACTION: Synapse, Shadow in the Warp

**Node Lash (Psychic):** While this model is leading a unit, each time a model in that unit makes an attack, add 1 to the Hit roll. If the target is Battle-shocked, add 1 to the Wound roll as well.

Psychic Terror (Psychic): If one or more NEUROTYRANTS from your army are on the battlefield when you unleash the Shadow in the Warp, subtract 1 from the Battle-shock test each enemy unit on the battlefield must take as a result.

Synaptic Relays: In your Command phase, you can select up to two friendly TYRANIDS units within 12" of this model's unit. Until the start of your next Command phase, the selected units are always considered to be within Synapse Range of your army.

**Designer's Note:** Place a Synaptic Relay token next to each selected unit to remind you.

#### **INVULNERABLE SAVE**

4+

KEYWORDS: Monster, Character, Fly, Psyker, Great Devourer, Synapse,
Neurotyrant



## **NEUROTYRANT**

The Shadow in the Warp radiating from this immensely powerful psyker-analogue creeps in all directions, driving even non-psychic prey organisms to screaming madness. As its foes writhe in agony, the Neurotyrant guides the swarms around it to slaughter with brutal efficiency.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

■ None

#### **UNIT COMPOSITION**

1 Neurotyrant

This model is equipped with: psychic scream; Neurotyrant claws and lashes.

#### LEADER

This model can be attached to the following units:

- NEUROGAUNTS
- **TYRANT GUARD**







★ MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
Lictor claws and talons [PRECISION]	Melee	6	2+	7	-2	2

# ABILITIES

CORE: Fights First, Infiltrators, Lone Operative, Stealth

FACTION: Synapse

Feeder Tendrils: Each time this model destroys an enemy CHARACTER model, you gain 1CP.

**Pheromone Trail**: Once per battle round, you can target one model with this ability with the Rapid Ingress Stratagem for OCP.

INVULNERABLE SAVE

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# LICTOR

Lictors are an adaptation of the Tyranid Warrior bioform specialising in infiltration, scouting and assassination. Hidden by their chameleonic skin, Lictors pick off their prey opportunistically, always looking for a chance to crack open their victims' skulls and suck out the secrets held within using their feeder tendrils.



# **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

None

# UNIT COMPOSITION

- 1 Lictor

This model is equipped with: Lictor claws and talons.

# DEATHLEAPER



★ MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
Lictor claws and talons [PRECISION]	Melee	6	2+	7	-2	2

# **ABILITIES**

CORE: Fights First, Infiltrators, Lone Operative, Stealth

FACTION: Synapse

Feeder Tendrils: Each time this model destroys an enemy CHARACTER model, you gain 1CP.

Fear of the Unseen (Aura): While an enemy unit is within 6" of this model, worsen the Leadership characteristic of models in that unit by 1. In addition, in the Battle-shock step of your opponent's Command phase, if such an enemy unit is below its Starting Strength, it must take a Battle-shock test.

**INVULNERABLE SAVE** 



# **DEATHLEAPER**

The Deathleaper is an advancement of the Lictor strain intended to act as a terror weapon. Possessing an instinctive understanding of how to spread fear through prey populations, it uses its skills in stealth, infiltration and assassination to sow paranoia and dread before the hive fleet attacks en masse.



# **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

None

# **UNIT COMPOSITION**

■ 1 Deathleaper - EPIC HERO

This model is equipped with: Lictor claws and talons.

# **HUNTER ORGANISM**

This model cannot be your WARLORD.



# **MALECEPTOR**

<b>\Phi</b>	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D
	Psychic overload [BLAST, PSYCHIC]	18"	D6+3	3+	10	-2	3
65	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	ws	c	A D	D
	MELEE WEAFUNS	RANGE	A	WS	<u> </u>	АГ	<u>"</u>
	Massive scything talons – strike	Melee	3	3+	9	-2	D6+1
	Massive scything talons – sweep	Melee	6	3+	7	-1	2

# **ABILITIES**

CORE: Deadly Demise D3

FACTION: Shadow in the Warp, Synapse

Encephalic Diffusion (Aura, Psychic): While an enemy unit is within 6" of this model, each time a model in that unit makes an attack, subtract 1 from the Hit roll, and, if that enemy unit is Below Half-strength, subtract 1 from the Wound roll as well.

#### **DAMAGED: 1-5 WOUNDS REMAINING**

While this model has 1-5 wounds remaining, each time this model makes an attack, subtract 1 from the Hit roll.

**INVULNERABLE SAVE** 

Before selecting targets for this weapon, select one of its profiles to make attacks with.

KEYWORDS: MONSTER, PSYKER, GREAT DEVOURER, SYNAPSE, MALECEPTOR



# **MALECEPTOR**

Amongst the most powerful Tyranid psyker-analogues yet known, Maleceptors wield colossal synaptic power. Ethereal psychic pseudopods lash about them, able to literally detonate victims' skulls with the slightest touch, while the encephalitic orbs set into their carapaces focus the smothering dread of the Shadow in the Warp.



# **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

■ None

# **UNIT COMPOSITION**

= 1 Maleceptor

**This model is equipped with:** psychic overload; massive scything talons.

# **PYROVORES**



ı	Φ	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D
I		Flamespurt [IGNORES COVER, TORRENT, TWIN-LINKED]	12"	D6+1	N/A	6	-1	1
ľ	<b>*</b>	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
Γ		Chitin-barbed limbs	Melee	2	4+	5	0	1

# ABILITIES

CORE: Deadly Demise 1

FACTION: Synapse

Burning Spray: In your Shooting phase, after this unit has shot, select one enemy unit hit by one or more of those attacks. Until the end of the phase, that enemy unit cannot have the Benefit of Cover.

# **PYROVORES**

Pyrovores exist to predigest biomass. The acids that drip from their maws are so corrosive they can melt adamantine. Meanwhile, their flame-spewing dorsal organisms can engulf entire squads of prey in roiling chemical fire. Even killing these bioforms is perilous, for their volatile innards can detonate upon death.



# **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

None

# UNIT COMPOSITION

■ 1-3 Pyrovores

**Every model is equipped with:** flamespurt; chitin-barbed limbs.

# **HARUSPEX**



Φ	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D
	Grasping tongue [PRECISION]	12"	1	3+	6	-2	D6+1
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X	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	ע
X	Ravenous maw	Melee	14	WS 3+	7	AP -1	<u>р</u>

# **ABILITIES**

CORE: Deadly Demise D3

FACTION: Synapse

Grisly Spectacle: Each time this model is selected to fight, after resolving its attacks, if one or more enemy units were destroyed by those attacks, each enemy unit within 6" of this model must take a Battle-shock test.

# **DAMAGED: 1-5 WOUNDS REMAINING**

While this model has 1-5 wounds remaining, each time this model makes an attack, subtract 1 from the Hit roll.



# **HARUSPEX**

The infinite hunger of the Haruspex can see it consume an entire platoon of prey organisms in moments. Nothing escapes its yawning gullet and lashing tongue for long; its victims meet a horrible end as they are swallowed down to be gradually dissolved into raw biomass within the monster's churning innards.



# **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

■ None

# UNIT COMPOSITION

■ 1 Haruspex

**This model is equipped with:** grasping tongue; ravenous maw; shovelling claws.

# **VENOMTHROPES**



MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
Toxic lashes [ANTI-INFANTRY 2+]	Melee	5	3+	3	0	1
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# **ABILITIES**

CORE: Stealth

FACTION: Synapse

Foul Spores (Aura): While a friendly TYRANIDS unit is within 6" of this unit, each time a ranged attack targets that unit, models in that unit have the Benefit of Cover against that attack. In addition, while a friendly TYRANIDS unit (excluding MONSTERS) is within 6" of this unit, models in that unit have the Stealth ability.

# **VENOMTHROPES**

Venomthropes drift forward amidst miasmal clouds of spores that spew from within their bodies. The touch of their tendrils is extremely poisonous, and those exposed to the Venomthropes' spore clouds for any length of time drown on their own frothing fluids as they dissolve from the inside out.



# **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

■ None

# UNIT COMPOSITION

= 3-6 Venomthropes

Every model is equipped with: toxic lashes.

# **VON RYAN'S LEAPERS**

10" 5 4+ 3 8+



MELEE WEAPONS F	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
Leaper's talons	Melee	6	3+	5	-1	1

# ABILITIES

CORE: Fights First, Infiltrators, Stealth

FACTION: Synapse

**Pouncing Leap:** You can target this unit with the Heroic Intervention Stratagem for OCP, and can do so even if you have already used that Stratagem on a different unit this phase.

INVULNERABLE SAVE

6+



# **VON RYAN'S LEAPERS**

Stealthy hunters and expert ambushers, Von Ryan's Leapers are swift, agile and especially lethal when fighting in dense terrain. Akin to living mines, they lie still at the optimum locations to cause as much damage as possible. When they sense the perfect time to strike, they butcher all around in a murderous frenzy.



# **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

■ None

# **UNIT COMPOSITION**

■ 3-6 Von Ryan's Leapers

Every model is equipped with: Leaper's talons.



# **NEUROGAUNTS**

6"

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★ MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
Xenos claws and teeth	Melee	1	4+	3	0	1
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# ABILITIES

FACTION: Synapse

**Neurocytes:** While this unit is within Synapse Range of your army, it has the **SYNAPSE** keyword.

# **NEUROGAUNTS**

Neurogaunts scuttle forward in seething masses, driven on by the parasitic neurocytes that cling to their backs. Their primary purpose is to protect the synaptic node beasts coordinating invasion swarms. It is a task they go about with single-minded savagery, slashing, biting and giving their lives without an instant's hesitation.



# **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

None

# **UNIT COMPOSITION**

- 1-2 Neurogaunt Nodebeasts\*
- = 10-20 Neurogaunts

Every model is equipped with: xenos claws and teeth.

\* This unit can only contain 2 Neurogaunt Nodebeasts if it contains 20 Neurogaunts.



# **ZOANTHROPES**

5" 5 5+ 3 7+ 1

Ф	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D
	Warp Blast – witchfire [BLAST, PSYCHIC]	24"	D3	3+	7	-2	D3
	Warp Blast – focused witchfire [LETHAL HITS, PSYCHIC]	24"	1	3+	12	-3	D6+1
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<b>×</b> *	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
	Xenos claws and teeth	Melee	2	5+	3	0	1

# **ABILITIES**

FACTION: Shadow in the Warp, Synapse

Spirit Leech (Aura, Psychic): While this unit contains a Neurothrope, while an enemy unit is within 6" of this unit, each time that enemy unit fails a Battle-shock test, it suffers D3 mortal wounds and one model in this unit regains up to D3 lost wounds.

Warp Field (Aura, Psychic): While a friendly TYRANIDS unit is within 6" of this unit, models in that unit have a 6+ invulnerable save.

**INVULNERABLE SAVE** 

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Before selecting targets for this weapon, select one of its profiles to make attacks with.

KEYWORDS: Infantry, Psyker, Fly, Great Devourer, Synapse, Zoanthropes



# **ZOANTHROPES**

A Zoanthrope's physical form is given over to harnessing the might of the Hive Mind. Not only do they act as synapse nodes, but they can also draw upon the energies of the Hive Mind to unleash searing psychic blasts, and to generate fields of defensive power that can stop an artillery shell dead.

# **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

None

# **UNIT COMPOSITION**

- = 1 Neurothrope
- = 2-5 Zoanthropes

**Every model is equipped with:** Warp Blast; xenos claws and teeth.







★ MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
Genestealer claws and talons	Melee	4	2+	4	-2	1
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# **ABILITIES**

CORE: Scouts 8"

FACTION: Synapse

Vanguard Predator: Each time a model in this unit makes an attack, re-roll a Wound roll of 1. If the target is within range of an objective marker, you can re-roll the Wound roll instead.

INVULNERABLE SAVE

# **GENESTEALERS**

Swift vanguard organisms armoured in chitin and possessed of terrifying strength and agility, Genestealers are peerless predators. Their broods move ahead of the hive fleets to seek out fresh feeding grounds. Then, when the invasion swarms descend, the Genestealers burst from hiding to begin the slaughter.



# **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

■ None

# **UNIT COMPOSITION**

■ 5-10 Genestealers

Every model is equipped with: Genestealer claws and talons.





₩	RANGED WEAPUNS	RANGE	A	B2	S	AP	ע
	Thoracic bio-weapon	12"	3	4+	4	0	1
*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
	Ravener claws and talons [TWIN-LINKED]	Melee	7	3+	5	-1	1

# **ABILITIES**

CORE: Deep Strike

FACTION: Synapse

Death From Below: At the end of your opponent's turn, if this unit is not within Engagement Range of one or more enemy units, you can remove it from the battlefield and place it into Strategic Reserves.

# **RAVENERS**

Serpentine bioforms capable of a terrifying turn of speed, Raveners are made doubly dangerous by their ability to tunnel swiftly through even solid bedrock. Often assaulting their prey from below, Raveners are especially vicious and predatory warrior organisms used as shock troops by the Hive Mind.



# **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

Any number of models can each be equipped with 1 thoracic bio-weapon.

# **UNIT COMPOSITION**

= 3-6 Raveners

Every model is equipped with: Ravener claws and talons.

# **RIPPER SWARMS**





<b>Q</b>	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D
	Spinemaws [PISTOL]	6"	4	5+	3	0	1
*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D

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CORE: Deep Strike

FACTION: Synapse

Chitinous Horrors (Aura): While an enemy unit is within Engagement Range of this unit, halve the Objective Control characteristic of models in that enemy unit.

# RIPPER SWARMS

Living carpets of Rippers squirm across the ground wherever the Tyranid swarms advance. Little more than simple eating machines, these chitinous horrors swarm over the wounded and dead alike, and can even drag down trained warriors in sufficient numbers. Once a Ripper's fangs sink home, it will not let go...





# **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

• All models in this unit can each be equipped with 1 spinemaws.

# UNIT COMPOSITION

= 3-6 Ripper Swarms

Every model is equipped with: xenos claws and teeth.

# PARASITE OF MORTREX



*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
	Barbed ovipositor [ANTI-INFANTRY 3+, EXTRA ATTACKS]	Melee	1	2+	3	-2	3
	Clawed limbs	Melee	6	2+	5	-1	1

# **ABILITIES**

CORE: Deep Strike, Lone Operative, Stealth

FACTION: Synapse

Parasitic Infection: Fach time an INFANTRY model is destroyed by an attack made with this model's barbed ovipositor, after this model has finished making its attacks, you can add one new RIPPER SWARMS unit to your army consisting of D3 models and set it up within 3" of this model. If you do, that RIPPER SWARMS unit can be set up within Engagement Range of the destroyed model's unit (but not within Engagement Range of any other enemy units).

It Itches!: At the start of the Fight phase, select one enemy unit within Engagement Range of this model. That enemy unit must take a Battle-shock test



# **PARASITE OF MORTREX**

Swooping on leathery wings, Parasites of Mortrex use their barbed ovipositors to drive Ripper gestation pods deep into their victims' bodies, from where the swiftly growing creatures soon eat their way out. Such was the doom of the defenders of Mortrex, the world first cursed by the Parasites' onslaught.



# **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

None

# **UNIT COMPOSITION**

■ 1 Parasite of Mortrex

This model is equipped with: barbed ovipositor; clawed limbs.





*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
	Distensible jaw [ANTI-INFANTRY 4+, DEVASTATING WOUNDS, EXTRA ATTACKS]	Melee	1	3+	5	0	3
	Mawloc scything talons	Melee	16	3+	8	-2	1

# **ABILITIES**

CORE: Deep Strike

FACTION: Synapse

Terror From The Deep: Each time this unit is set up on the battlefield using the Deep Strike ability, roll one D6 for each enemy unit within 12" of this model: on a 2-4, that unit suffers D3 mortal wounds; on a 5+, that unit suffers 3 mortal wounds and must take a Battle-shock test.

#### **DAMAGED: 1-5 WOUNDS REMAINING**

While this model has 1-5 wounds remaining, each time this model makes an attack, subtract 1 from the Hit roll.



# **MAWLOC**

Vast, burrowing wormforms, Mawlocs hunt by sensing even the smallest vibrations on the surface above them. Once they have located prey, the Mawlocs surge upwards in an eruption of bedrock and soil, yawning maws swallowing everything above them before they plunge back under the surface again.



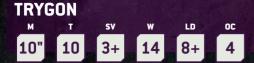
# **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

■ None

# UNIT COMPOSITION

= 1 Mawloc

**This model is equipped with:** distensible jaw; Mawloc scything talons.





<b>\Phi</b>	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D
	Bio-electric pulse [sustained hits 2]	12"	6	3+	5	0	1
父	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
	Trygon scything talons	Melee	12	3+	q	-2	3

# ABILITIES

CORE: Deep Strike

FACTION: Synapse

Subterranean Tunnels: Each time this model is set up on the battlefield using the Deep Strike ability, it can be set up anywhere on the battlefield that is more than 3" horizontally away from all enemy units. When doing so, if this model is set up within 9" of one or more enemy units, until the end of the turn, it is not eligible to declare a charge.

#### **DAMAGED: 1-5 WOUNDS REMAINING**

While this model has 1-5 wounds remaining, each time this model makes an attack, subtract 1 from the Hit roll.



# **TRYGON**

Trygons are battle-tank-sized living tunnelling machines. As they dig through the substrata of the prey world, they excavate huge tunnels for other Tyranid beasts to exploit. At the same time, the rasping of their chitinous plates builds up a powerful bio-electric charge that the Trygons can unleash as a weapon.



# **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

■ None

# **UNIT COMPOSITION**

■ 1 Trygon

**This model is equipped with:** bio-electric pulse; Trygon scything talons.



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# **ABILITIES**

CORE: Deep Strike

FACTION: Synapse

**Bio-minefield:** Enemy units cannot start or end an Advance move within 6" of this unit.

Floating Death: Each time an enemy unit ends a move within 3" of a model in this unit, and each time a model in this unit ends a move within 3" of an enemy unit, roll one D6: on a 2-5, that enemy unit suffers D3 mortal wounds; on a 6, that enemy unit suffers D6 mortal wounds. The model in this unit that caused that roll is then destroyed.

# **MUCOLID SPORES**

These rudimentary organisms are filled with poisonous gases held under extremely high pressure. Instinct drives them to drift towards prey formations or up into the path of enemy aircraft, before detonating in a nauseating spray of poisonous filth and chitinous shrapnel.



# **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

None

# UNIT COMPOSITION

■ 1-2 Mucolid Spores

Every model is equipped with: nothing.





CORE: Deep Strike

FACTION: Synapse

**Bio-minefield:** Enemy units cannot start or end an Advance move within 6" of this unit.

 $\label{eq:Floating Death: Each time an enemy unit ends a move within 3" of a model in this unit, and each time a model in this unit ends a move within 3" of an enemy unit, roll one D6: on a 2-5, that enemy unit suffers 1 mortal wound; on a 6, that enemy unit suffers D3 mortal wounds. The model in this unit that caused that roll is then destroyed.$ 

# **SPORE MINES**

Spore Mines are a form of living mine or bomb, which drift across the battlefield in shoals and detonate when they detect prey organisms nearby. Those caught in the blast are torn apart as surely as if they had caught a brace of live frag grenades. The Hive Mind often uses Spore Mines to deny areas of the battlefield to the prey.

# **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

■ None

# UNIT COMPOSITION

= 3-6 Spore Mines

Every model is equipped with: nothing.



Ф	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D
	Bio-plasmic cannon [BLAST, HEAVY]	36"	D6+3	3+	8	-3	3
*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
	Powerful limbs	Melee	3	3+	7	0	2

# ABILITIES

CORE: Deadly Demise D3

FACTION: Synapse

Symbiotic Targeting: In your Shooting phase, after this model has shot, select one enemy unit hit by one or more of those attacks. Until the end of the phase, each time a friendly TYRANIDS model makes an attack that targets that unit, re-roll a Hit roll of 1.

#### **DAMAGED: 1-5 WOUNDS REMAINING**

While this model has 1-5 wounds remaining, each time this model makes an attack, subtract 1 from the Hit roll.



# **EXOCRINE**

Huge, tough and very stupid, the Exocrine's only task is to carry the dorsal cannon organism on its back into an optimal firing position. Once in place, the bio-plasmic cannon emits a terrible, high-pitched hiss before unleashing a searing blast of bio-plasma capable of reducing tanks and bunkers to glowing craters.



# **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

■ None

# UNIT COMPOSITION

■ 1 Exocrine

**This model is equipped with:** bio-plasmic cannon; powerful limbs.

# **BIOVORES**



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#### **ABILITIES**

CORE: Deadly Demise 1

FACTION: Synapse

Seed Spore Mines: In your Shooting phase, each time this unit is selected to shoot, it can use this ability instead of making any attacks with its ranged weapons. If it does, you can add a new Spore MINES unit to your army and set it up anywhere on the battlefield that is within 48" of this unit but more than 9" horizontally away from all enemy units. That Spore MINES unit contains 1 model for each model in this unit

# **BIOVORES**

These living artillery pieces nurture a clutch of Spore Mines within their bodies. After anchoring themselves to the ground with their chitinous spurs, the creatures fire their living ammunition in high arcs, allowing the Spore Mines to drift languidly down into the midst of the foe where they detonate with sudden violence.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

None

#### UNIT COMPOSITION

■ 1-3 Biovores

**Every model is equipped with:** Spore Mine launcher; chitin-barbed limbs.







Ф	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D	
	Bio-plasma [ASSAULT, BLAST]	12"	D3	4+	7	-2	1	Ī
	Deathspitters with slimer maggots	24"	6	4+	7	-2	1	
	Devourers with brainleech worms	18"	12	4+	6	0	1	
	Heavy venom cannon [BLAST]	36"	D3	4+	9	-2	3	
	Spine banks [ASSAULT]	6"	5	4+	5	0	1	
	Stranglethorn cannon [BLAST]	36"	D6+1	4+	7	-1	2	

*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
	Carnifex crushing claws	Melee	4	4+	12	-3	D6+1
	Carnifex extra scything talons [EXTRA ATTACKS]	Melee	2	4+	9	-2	3
	Carnifex scything talons	Melee	6	4+	9	-2	3
	Xenos claws and teeth	Melee	4	4+	6	0	1
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CORE: Deadly Demise 1

FACTION: Synapse

Blistering Assault: Each time an enemy unit is selected to shoot, after that unit has shot, if any models from this unit lost one or more wounds as a result of those attacks, this unit can make a Blistering Assault move. To do so, roll one D6, adding 2 to the result: each model in this unit can be moved a distance in inches up to the result, but this unit must finish that move as close as possible to the closest enemy unit. When doing so, those models can be moved within Engagement Range of that enemy unit. Each unit can only make one Blistering Assault move per phase.

## **CARNIFEXES**

Carnifexes have been a mainstay of the hive fleets for centuries. Rugged and adaptable organisms, they can support a great range of weapon grafts and biomorphs while retaining the raw strength, durability and armoured ferocity that has seen them smash through countless prey defence lines like living battering rams.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

- Any number of models can each have their Carnifex extra scything talons replaced with one of the following:
  - · 1 deathspitters with slimer maggots
  - · 1 devourers with brainleech worms
  - · 1 heavy venom cannon
  - 1 stranglethorn cannon
  - · 1 Carnifex crushing claws
- Any number of models can each have their Carnifex scything talons replaced with one of the following:
  - · 1 deathspitters with slimer maggots
  - · 1 devourers with brainleech worms
  - · 1 Carnifex crushing claws
- Any number of models can each be equipped with 1 bio-plasma.
- Any number of models can each be equipped with 1 spine banks.

#### **UNIT COMPOSITION**

■ 1-2 Carnifexes

**Every model is equipped with:** Carnifex scything talons; Carnifex extra scything talons; xenos claws and teeth.



FACTION KEYWORDS:
TYRANIDS

# **SCREAMER-KILLER**

Φ	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D
	Bio-plasmic scream [ASSAULT, BLAST]	18"	D6+3	4+	8	-2	1
*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D

### ABILITIES

CORE: Deadly Demise 1

FACTION: Synapse

Death Scream: In your Shooting phase, after this model has shot, select one unit hit by one or more of those attacks. That unit must take a Battle-shock test, subtracting 1 from that test.

## **SCREAMER-KILLER**

An older adaptation of the basic Carnifex strain, the Screamer-Killer was christened by terrified Imperial troops for the distinctive howl it emits as it generates then unleashes its bio-plasmic blasts. Screamer-Killers are often seen at the forefront of a Tyranid assault, where they can inflict the most damage quickly.

#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

■ None

#### UNIT COMPOSITION

= 1 Screamer-Killer

**This model is equipped with:** bio-plasmic scream; Screamer-Killer talons.

FACTION KEYWORDS:
TYRANIDS





Φ	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D
	Impaler cannon [HEAVY, INDIRECT FIRE]	36"	4	4+	5	-1	1
	Shockcannon [anti-vehicle 2+]	24"	2	3+	7	-1	3
*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	Α	WS	S	AP	D
	Xenos claws and teeth	Melee	3	4+	5	0	1

FACTION: Synapse

Defensive Stance: Each time you target this unit with the Fire Overwatch Stratagem, while resolving that Stratagem, hits are scored on unmodified Hit rolls of 5+, or unmodified Hit rolls of 4+ instead if this unit is within range of an objective marker.

## **HIVE GUARD**

Hive Guard are spawned to protect Tyranid bio-architecture and vital spore-seeding sites. They carry a monstrous arsenal of grafted bio-weapons and are instinctively driven — or sometimes synaptically impelled — to lay down heavy hails of firepower against those prey organisms the Hive Mind wishes to see eradicated.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

Any number of models can each have their shockcannon replaced with 1 impaler cannon.

#### UNIT COMPOSITION

= 3-6 Hive Guard

**Every model is equipped with:** shockcannon; xenos claws and teeth.



9" 12 2+ 16 8+ 5



*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
	Powerful limbs	Melee	4	3+	8	0	2

#### **ABILITIES**

CORE: Deadly Demise D6

FACTION: Synapse

Resilient Organism: Each time an attack is allocated to this model, subtract 1 from the Damage characteristic of that attack.

#### **DAMAGED: 1-5 WOUNDS REMAINING**

While this model has 1-5 wounds remaining, each time this model makes an attack, subtract 1 from the Hit roll.



# **TYRANNOFEX**

The Tyrannofex is a walking battle tank and heavy weapons platform of huge size and resilience. These warrior organisms are extremely well armoured, more than capable of going toe-to-toe with the heaviest battle tanks of their prey species in a shooting match. Few foes can stand against even one of these beasts.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

- This model's fleshborer hive can be replaced with one of the following:
  - 1 acid spray
  - o 1 rupture cannon

#### **UNIT COMPOSITION**

= 1 Tyrannofex

**This model is equipped with:** fleshborer hive; stinger salvoes; powerful limbs.



Φ	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D
	Tyrannocyte bio-weapons	24"	5	4+	5	-1	2
*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
	Flensing whips	Melee	6	4+	7	-1	2



CORE: Deadly Demise D3, Deep Strike

FACTION: Synapse

Aerial Seeding: This model must start the battle in Reserves, but neither it nor any units embarked within it are counted towards any limits placed on the maximum number of Reserves units you can start the battle with. This model can be set up in the Reinforcements step of your first, second or third Movement phase, regardless of any mission rules. Any units embarked within this model must immediately disembark after it has been set up on the battlefield, and they must be set up more than 9" away from all enemy models. After this model has been set up on the battlefield, no units can embark within it.

KEYWORDS: Monster, Fly, Transport, Dedicated Transport, Great Devourer,
Tyrannocyte



FACTION KEYWORDS: TYRANIDS

## **TYRANNOCYTE**

Tyrannocytes are huge spores, heat-resistant to endure atmospheric re-entry and with wet, pulsing interior chambers within which broods of organisms can ride down to a world's surface. Once its passengers spill forth into battle, the Tyrannocyte drifts skyward again and goes hunting for its own prey.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

■ None

#### **UNIT COMPOSITION**

• 1 Tyrannocyte

**This model is equipped with:** Tyrannocyte bio-weapons; flensing whips.

#### **TRANSPORT**

This model has a transport capacity of 20 **TYRANIDS INFANTRY** models, or 1 **TYRANIDS MONSTER** model with a Wounds characteristic of 12 or less. Each **INFANTRY** model with a Wounds characteristic of more than 1 takes up the space of 3 models.

KEYWORDS: Monster, Fly, Transport, Dedicated Transport, Great Devourer, Tyrannocyte



FACTION KEYWORDS: TYRANIDS



20+"



Ф	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D
	Drool cannon [TORRENT]	12"	2D6	N/A	6	-1	1
	Stinger salvoes	24"	8	3+	5	0	1
	Tentaclids [ANTI-VEHICLE 4+, DEVASTATING WOUNDS]	36"	4	3+	7	0	2

*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	ws	S	AP	D
	Scything wings	Melee	4	4+	7	-1	2
	Thorax spur [anti-fly 2+, extra attacks]	Melee	1	3+	10	-3	D6

#### **ABILITIES**

CORE: Deadly Demise D3, Hover

FACTION: Synapse

Airborne Predator: Each time this model makes a ranged attack that targets a unit that can FLY, add 1 to the Hit roll.

### **DAMAGED: 1-4 WOUNDS REMAINING**

While this model has 1-4 wounds remaining, each time this model makes an attack, subtract 1 from the Hit roll.



# **HIVE CRONE**

Hive Crones scour the skies for prey fighter craft. The tentaclids they release pursue enemy aircraft before erupting in bio-electric pulses that banish motive force and send the dark, dead machines tumbling groundward. Then, drool cannons slathering, the Hive Crones dive down to seek fresh, land-based prey.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

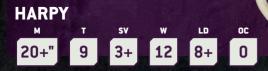
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#### UNIT COMPOSITION

■ 1 Hive Crone

This model is equipped with: drool cannon; stinger salvoes; tentaclids; scything wings; thorax spur.

FACTION KEYWORDS:
TYRANIDS



Φ	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D
	Stinger salvoes	24"	8	3+	5	0	1
	Twin heavy venom cannon [BLAST, TWIN-LINKED]	36"	D3	3+	9	-2	3
	Twin stranglethorn cannon [BLAST, TWIN-LINKED]	36"	D6+1	2+	7	-1	2

MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
Scything wings	Melee	4	4+	7	-1	2

CORE: Deadly Demise D3, Hover

FACTION: Synapse

**Spore Mine Cysts:** Each time this model ends a Normal move, you can do one of the following:

- Select one enemy unit it moved over during that move and roll six D6: for each 3+, that unit suffers 1 mortal wound.
- Add a new SPORE MINES unit containing D3 models to your army and set it up anywhere on the battlefield that is within 6" of this model and more than 9" horizontally away from all enemy units.

#### **DAMAGED: 1-4 WOUNDS REMAINING**

While this model has 1-4 wounds remaining, each time this model makes an attack, subtract 1 from the Hit roll.



## HARPY

Harpies are flying bioforms whose natural agility allows them to outmanoeuvre most prey fighter craft. They are often sent in amidst the first waves of an invasion, dropping organic munitions onto panicked defenders and diving down to attack.



• This model's twin stranglethorn cannon can be replaced with 1 twin heavy venom cannon.

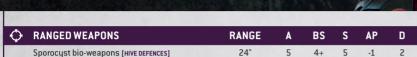
#### UNIT COMPOSITION

• 1 Harpy

**This model is equipped with:** stinger salvoes; twin stranglethorn cannon; scything wings.

FACTION KEYWORDS: TYRANIDS





Hive Defences: Each time an enemy unit is set up or ends a Normal, Advance or Fall Back move within range of this weapon, if that enemy unit is an eligible target, the bearer can shoot with this weapon at that unit as if it were your Shooting phase (the bearer can do so up to four times per phase).

MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D
Flensing whips	Melee	6	4+	7	-1	1



CORE: Deadly Demise D3

FACTION: Synapse

Seed Mucolids: In your Shooting phase, each time this model is selected to shoot, it can use this ability instead of making any attacks with its ranged weapons. If it does, you can add a new MUCOLID SPORES unit containing 1 model to your army and set it up anywhere on the battlefield that is within 18" of this model but more than 9" horizontally away from all enemy units.

# **SPOROCYST**

Dropped from orbit, Sporocysts dig into the surface of the prey world like ticks then begin spewing toxic spores from their living chimneys. They are able to eject shoals of Mucolid Spores, while prey who stray too close are subjected to hails of organic projectiles from the bio-cannons grafted to the Sporocyst's hide.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

■ None

#### UNIT COMPOSITION

■ 1 Sporocyst

**This model is equipped with:** Sporocyst bio-weapons; flensing whips.





Φ	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D		
	Psychoclastic torrent [IGNORES COVER, TORRENT]	12"	D6	N/A	6	-1	1		
*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D		

CORE: Deadly Demise 1, Feel No Pain 5+

FACTION: Synapse

Bio-stimulus (Aura): While a friendly TYRANIDS unit is within 6" of this model, models in that unit have the Feel No Pain 6+ ability.

Feeding Frenzy: Each time this model makes a melee attack that targets a unit that is below its Starting Strength, add 1 to the Hit roll. If that target is also Below Half-strength, add 1 to the Wound roll as well.



# **PSYCHOPHAGE**

These monsters stampede into battle with frightening speed. They devour any prey organism in their paths, but especially favour those victims with psychic abilities. How they metabolise such esoteric powers is unclear, but doing so allows them to project surges of psychocorrosive ash that deflagrate their victims' minds and souls.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

None

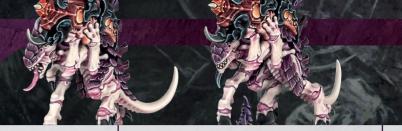
#### UNIT COMPOSITION

1 Psychophage

This model is equipped with: psychoclastic torrent; talons and betentacled maw.

FACTION KEYWORDS: TYRANIDS





Φ	RANGED WEAPONS	RANGE	A	BS	S	AP	D	
	Bio-cannon [BLAST, HEAVY]	24"	D6	4+	5	0	1	
*	MELEE WEAPONS	RANGE	A	WS	S	AP	D	
	Xenos claws and teeth	Melee	1	4+	4	0	1	

FACTION: Synapse

Disruption Bombardment: In your Shooting phase, after this unit has shot, if an enemy INFANTRY unit was hit by one or more of those attacks made by this unit's bio-cannons, until the end of your opponent's next turn, that enemy unit is disrupted. While a unit is disrupted, subtract 2 from its Move characteristic, and subtract 2 from Advance and Charge rolls made for it.

# **BARBGAUNTS**

Barbgaunts are little more than living weapons, their bodies and bio-cannons slaved to the will of a pulsating ganglio-parasite that piggybacks them into battle. There, they unleash volleys of chitinous barbs that detonate with the fury of violent muscle-spasms and transfix nearby victims with hails of jagged projectiles.



#### **WARGEAR OPTIONS**

■ None

#### UNIT COMPOSITION

■ 5-10 Barbgaunts

**Every model is equipped with:** bio-cannon; xenos claws and teeth.