



TYRANIDS

COLLECTORS' GUIDE

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What is a Collectors' Guide?

The Tyranids Collectors' Guide is the definitive tome for anyone interested in the Warhammer 40,000 Tyranids miniatures range. It's ideal for anyone who collects Tyranids, containing the full range of models and their component parts.

We've laid the range out following Codex: Tyranids, grouping models as to where they appear in the army lists. All the HQ choices are therefore in one section, followed by Elites, Troops, Fast Attack and Heavy Support units. We hope this will make it easier for you to navigate through and find the models or components you seek.

The Tyranids Collectors' Guide is far more than a simple catalogue. It also includes a number of other features, such as painted examples of Tyranid hive fleets, some fantastic armies, great conversions, brilliant dioramas and excellent Golden Demon entries.

So if you collect, paint or game with Tyranids, then this is the book for you!

When you reach the Components section, you will find that some of the models are classed as **Classic Range** or **Collectors' Models**.

Classic Range models (like the Lictor, pictured far right) are no longer available in stores but are still ideal for use in your army.

Collectors' Models (like the Genestealer Advisor, pictured right) are no longer available in stores, but represent a piece of Games Workshop history (some of the models being over 10 years old!). Although they are mostly no longer covered by the rules, these models still make great collector's pieces or a basis for some conversion work.

Don't worry, all the Classic Range and Collectors' Models will be clearly labelled inside.

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THE GREAT DEVOURER



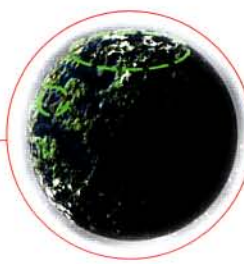
HIVE FLEET BEHEMOTH

Hive Fleet *Behemoth* was the first documented encounter between Mankind and the Tyranid race. An Adeptus Mechanicus Explorator station on Tyran identified a number of worlds in the eastern fringes which had been mysteriously stripped of all biomass and atmosphere. The station was also subsequently attacked and consumed, but their records allowed an Inquisitor called Kryptman to identify the pattern of attacks and correctly predict the course of the hive fleet. The

extra-galactic entities were named Tyranids and were to prove unstoppable as they cut a swathe into the realm of Ultramar, the empire of the Ultramarines Chapter of the Adeptus Astartes. Even the immense martial power of Ultramar was unable to stay the thousands of hive ships. Finally, Chapter Master Marneus Calgar mustered everything he could for a last ditch defence of the Ultramarines homeworld of Macragge. Hive Fleet *Behemoth* was all but destroyed at Macragge, but only at a terrible price.



Hive Fleet *Behemoth* 745.M41



MACRAGGE

UL01.01
Orb. Dist. 2.01AU
1.48G/Temp 23°C
Adeptus Astartes Homeworld
Tithe Grade: Adeptus Non
Aestimare: D0
Population: 400,000,000
Defeat of Hive Fleet *Behemoth*.
(qf: Battle of Macragge 745.M41)

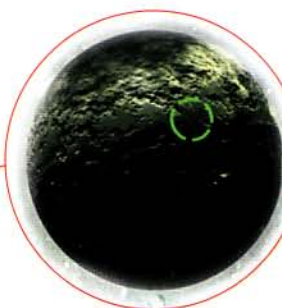
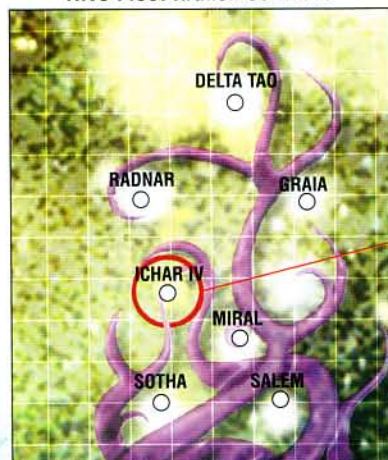
HIVE FLEET KRAKEN

The Tyranids had been believed destroyed at Macragge but over two centuries later there were renewed reports from the eastern fringe. Genestealer infiltrators inspired insurrections on many worlds and close on their heels came a new hive fleet which was code-named *Kraken*. Whereas Hive Fleet *Behemoth* had stayed together and obliterated one world after another, *Kraken* was more insidious. Seen on a galactic scale, *Kraken* moved as many

different independent hive fleets, attacking across a front which covered thousands of light years. Worlds were often bypassed, isolated or attacked unexpectedly, making a defence almost impossible to mount. The Imperium was forced to concentrate its forces on the most strategic forge worlds and hive worlds while it evacuated or simply abandoned many others to their fate. This policy resulted in the tremendously bloody Battle of Ichar IV.



Hive Fleet *Kraken* 992.M41



ICHAR IV

IC04.01
Orb. Dist. 1.4AU
1.21G/Temp 50°C
Hive World
Tithe Grade: Exactis Extremis
Aestimare: B100
Population: 500,000,000,000
Genestealer insurrection crushed by Ultramarines Chapter:
One hive fleet invasion defeated.

HIVE FLEET LEVIATHAN

Once again it was Inquisitor Kryptman who alerted the Adepts of Terra to a new Tyranid assault which he had identified in a pattern of attacks stretching across the Ultima Segmentum, Segmentum Tempestus and even Segmentum Solar itself. Both *Behemoth* and *Kraken* have made inroads into the galactic rim, striking it edge-on as they emerge from the galactic

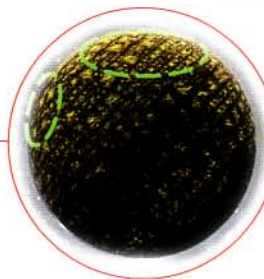
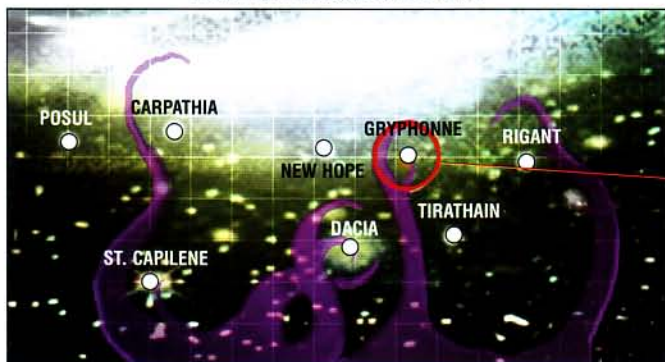
void. The hive fleet which he named as *Leviathan* appears to have circumnavigated the edge of the galaxy and is now attacking 'up' into the galactic plane, threatening the Imperium of Man from a new angle.

"Tyranids are creatures from our darkest nightmares. But remember this; they can bleed and they can die..."

Inquisitor Kryptman



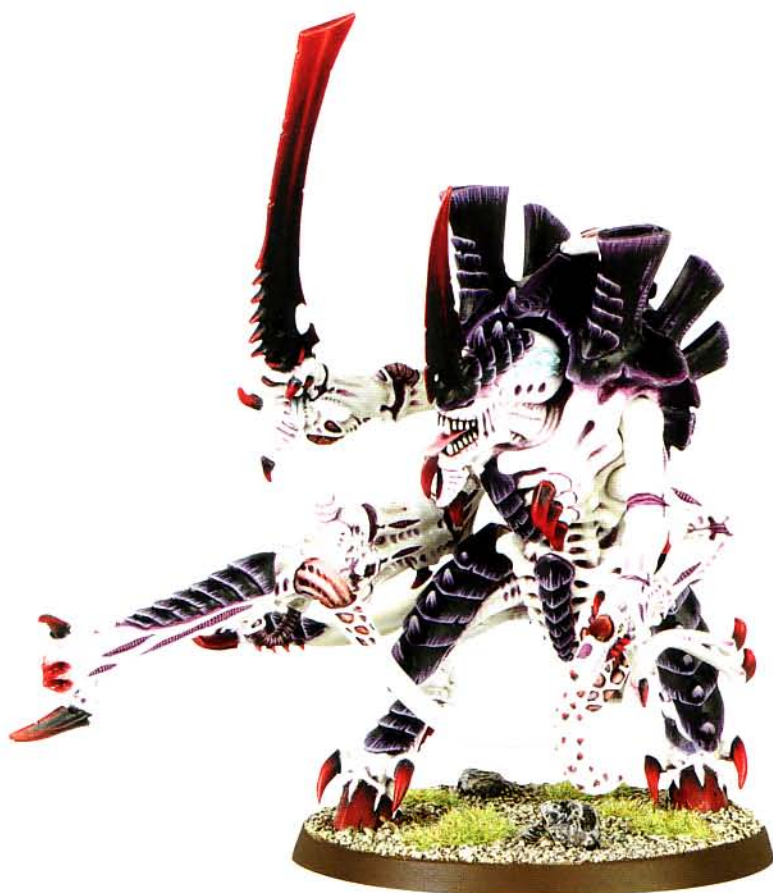
Hive Fleet *Leviathan* 997.M41



GRYPHONNE

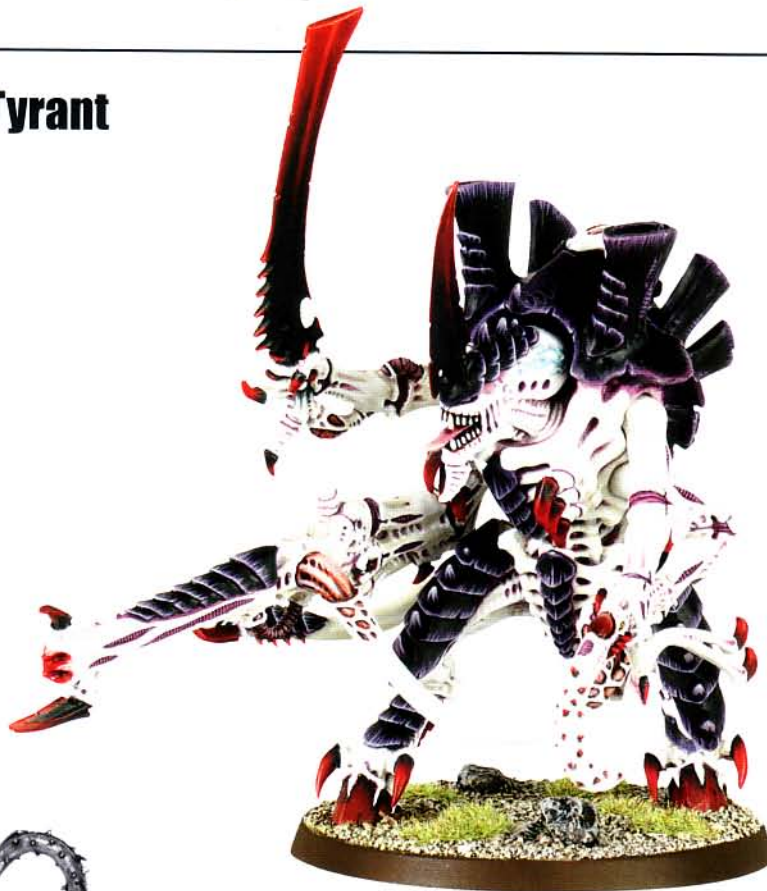
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Orb. Dist. 4.2AU
0.91G/Temp 54°C
Forge World
Tithe Grade: Adeptus Non
Aestimare: A50
Population: 12,000,000,000
Home base of War Gryphon
Titan Legion.





Section One: Headquarters

Hive Tyrant



TYRANID HIVE TYRANT
99110106040 £20 Complete



HIVE TYRANT LASH WHIP
9947010604003 £2.50



HIVE TYRANT TAIL END
9947010604010 £2



HIVE TYRANT BONESWORD
9947010604001 £3



HIVE TYRANT LEFT LEG
9947010604009 £2



HIVE TYRANT LEFT TORSO
9947010604006 £3



HIVE TYRANT RIGHT TORSO
9947010604004 £3



HIVE TYRANT RIGHT LEG
9947010604007 £2



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9947010604011 60p



HIVE TYRANT TAIL BASE
9947010604008 £3



HIVE TYRANT TORSO MIDDLE
9947010604005 £3



HIVE TYRANT HEAD
9947010604002 £2

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9947010603203 £2



CLASSIC HIVE TYRANT TORSO
9947010603207 £3



CLASSIC HIVE TYRANT HEAD
9947010603201 £4



CLASSIC HIVE TYRANT LEFT LEG
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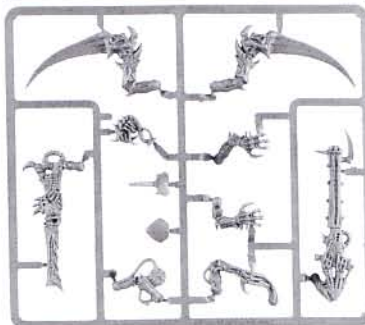


CLASSIC HIVE TYRANT TAIL
9947010603208 £3

Classic Hive Tyrant



CLASSIC HIVE TYRANT
99110106032 £20 Complete



TYRANID MONSTROUS ARMS SPRUE
99380106004 £4
Sprue shown at 30% of actual size.



CLASSIC HIVE TYRANT RIGHT LEG
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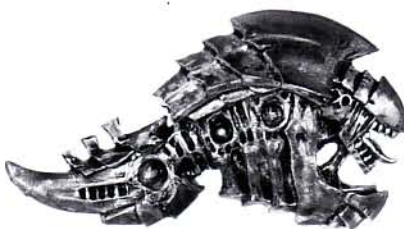
Tyrant Guard



TYRANID TYRANT GUARD
99060106042 £10 Complete



TYRANT GUARD CLAWS 1
9947010604202 £2.50



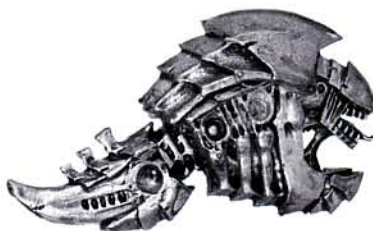
TYRANT GUARD BODY 1
9947010604201 £3



TYRANT GUARD CLAWS 2
9947010604204 £2.50



TYRANT GUARD LEFT LEGS
9947010604205 £2.50



TYRANT GUARD BODY 2
9947010604203 £3



TYRANT GUARD RIGHT LEGS
9947010604206 £2.50

Classic Range

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Classic Tyrant Guard



CLASSIC TYRANT GUARD
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Genestealer Broodlord



GENESTEALER BROODLORD
99060106045 £9 Complete



BROODLORD CLAWS
9947010604502 £2.50



BROODLORD TALONS
9947010604503 £2



BROODLORD BODY
9947010604501 £3



BROODLORD LEGS
9947010604504 £2.50

Classic Genestealer Patriarch

Classic Range

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CLASSIC GENESTEALER PATRIARCH
99060106054 £9 Complete





Section Two: Elites



TYRANID LICTOR
99060106044 £12 Complete



LICTOR BODY
9947010604401 £3



LICTOR HEAD
9947010604402 £1



LICTOR RENDING CLAWS
9947010604404 £1.50



LICTOR LEFT LEG
9947010604406 £1.50



LICTOR LEFT SCYTHING TALONS
9947010604409 £2



LICTOR RIGHT SCYTHING TALONS
9947010604408 £2



LICTOR RIGHT LEG
9947010604407 £1.50

Classic Range

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Classic Lictor



CLASSIC TYRANID LICTOR
99060106034 £12 Complete

Please note you will require the Classic Ravener Claws to make a complete Classic Tyranid Lictor. For codes and prices please refer to page 23.



CLASSIC LICTOR HEAD
9947010603401 £1



CLASSIC LICTOR BODY
9947010603403 £3



CLASSIC LICTOR FLESH HOOKS
9947010603402 £1



CLASSIC LICTOR LEFT ARM
9947010603404 £1



CLASSIC LICTOR RIGHT ARM
9947010603405 £1



CLASSIC LICTOR LEFT LEG
9947010603406 £1.50



CLASSIC LICTOR RIGHT LEG
9947010603407 £1.50

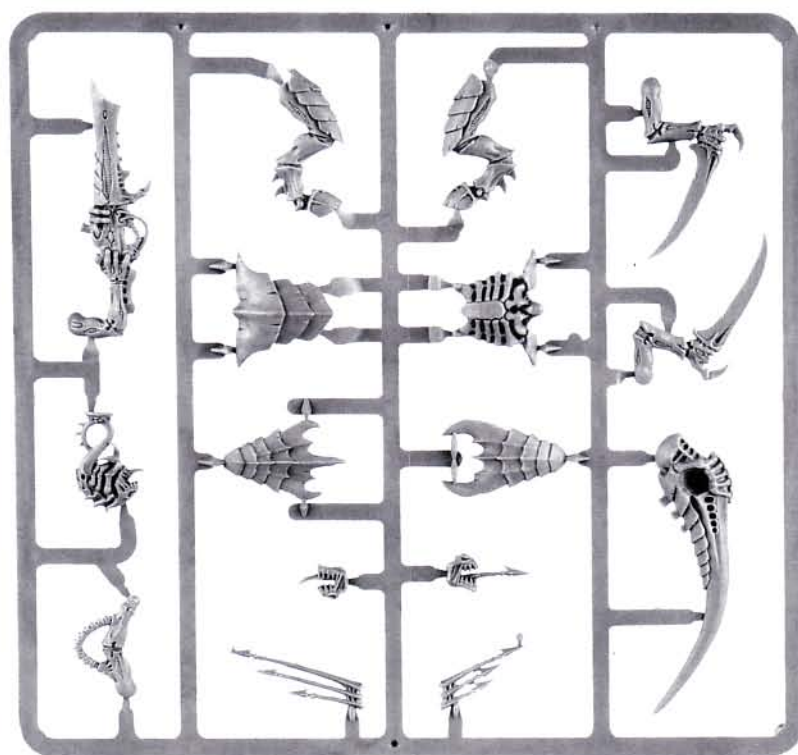
Tyrannid Warriors



TYRANID WARRIORS
(Contains 3 Warriors & 1 swarm base)
99120106003 £18 Complete

Classic Range

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TYRANID WARRIOR SPRUE
99380106005 £6
Sprue shown at 70% of actual size.



CLASSIC TYRANID WARRIOR
99060106009 £8 Complete

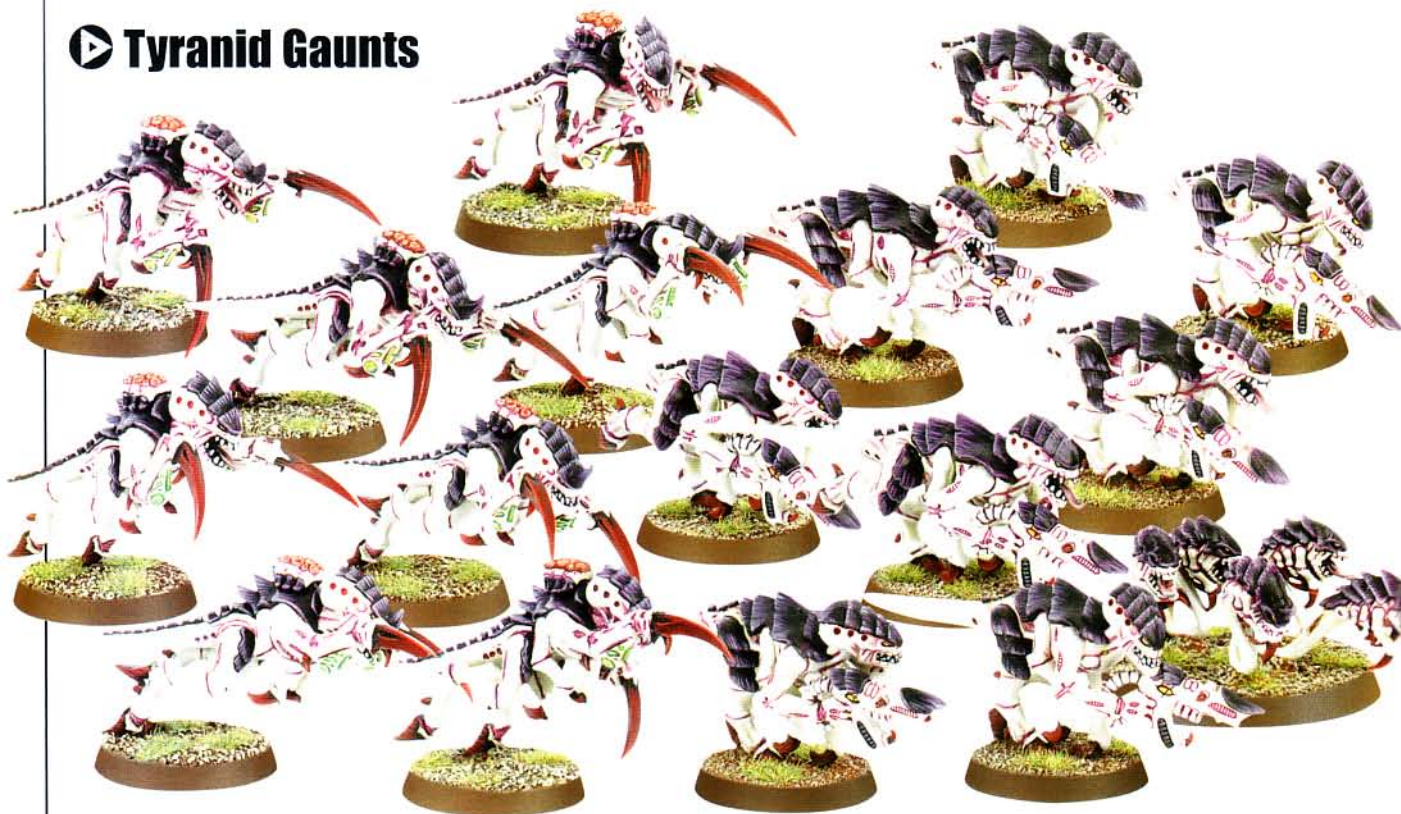


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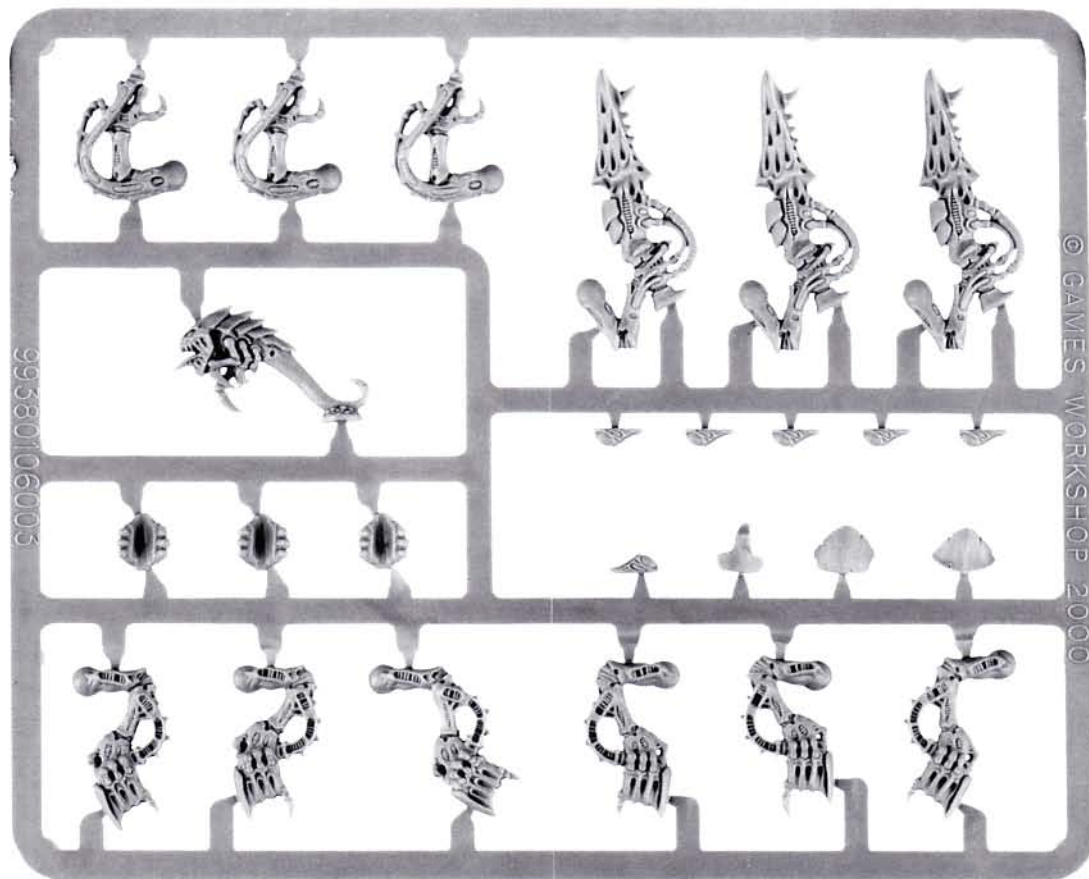


Section Three: Troops

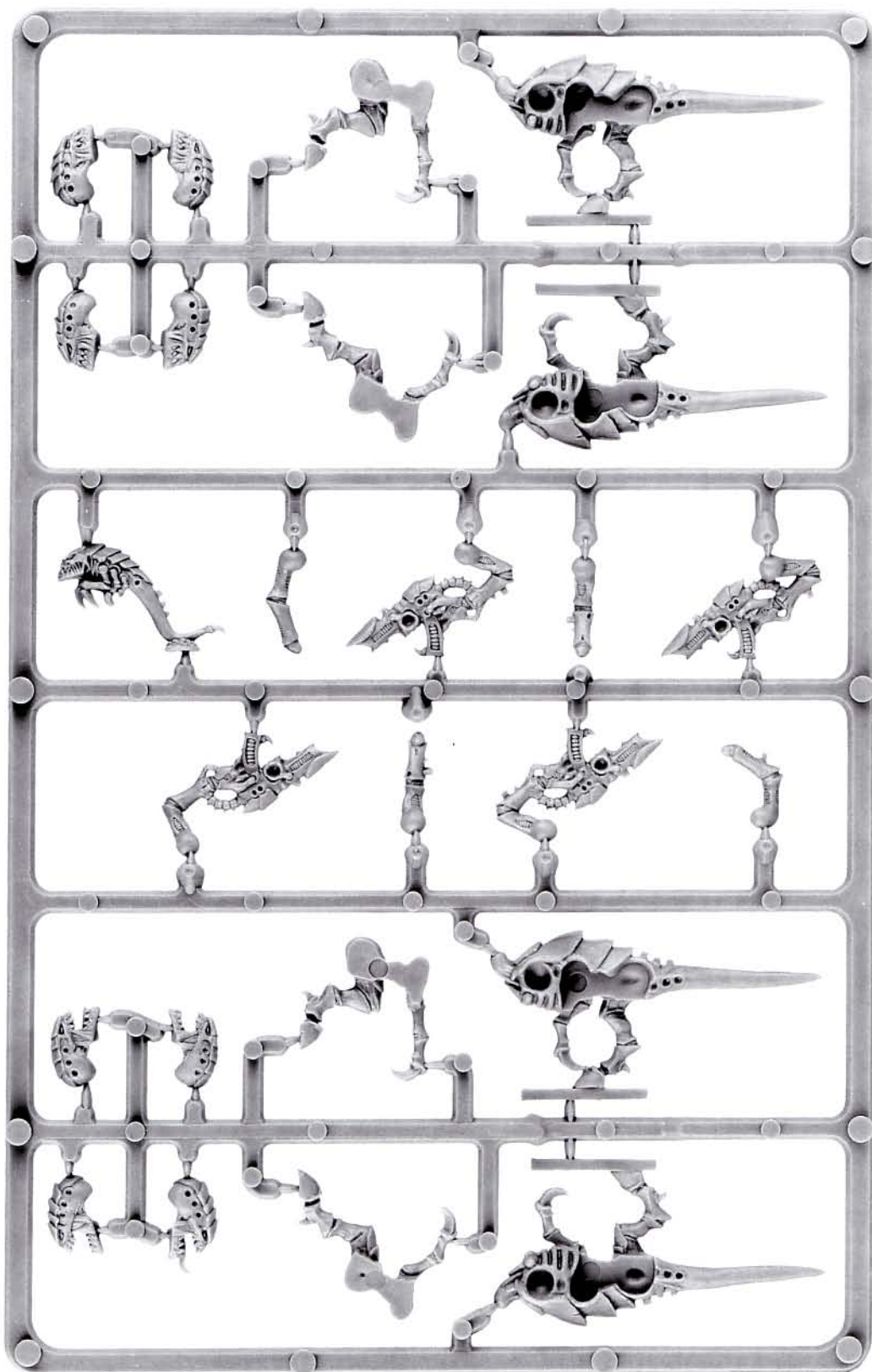
Tyranid Gaunts



TYRANID GAUNTS
(Contains 8 Hormagaunts, 8 Termagants & 1 Ripper
swarm base)
99120106004 · £18 Complete



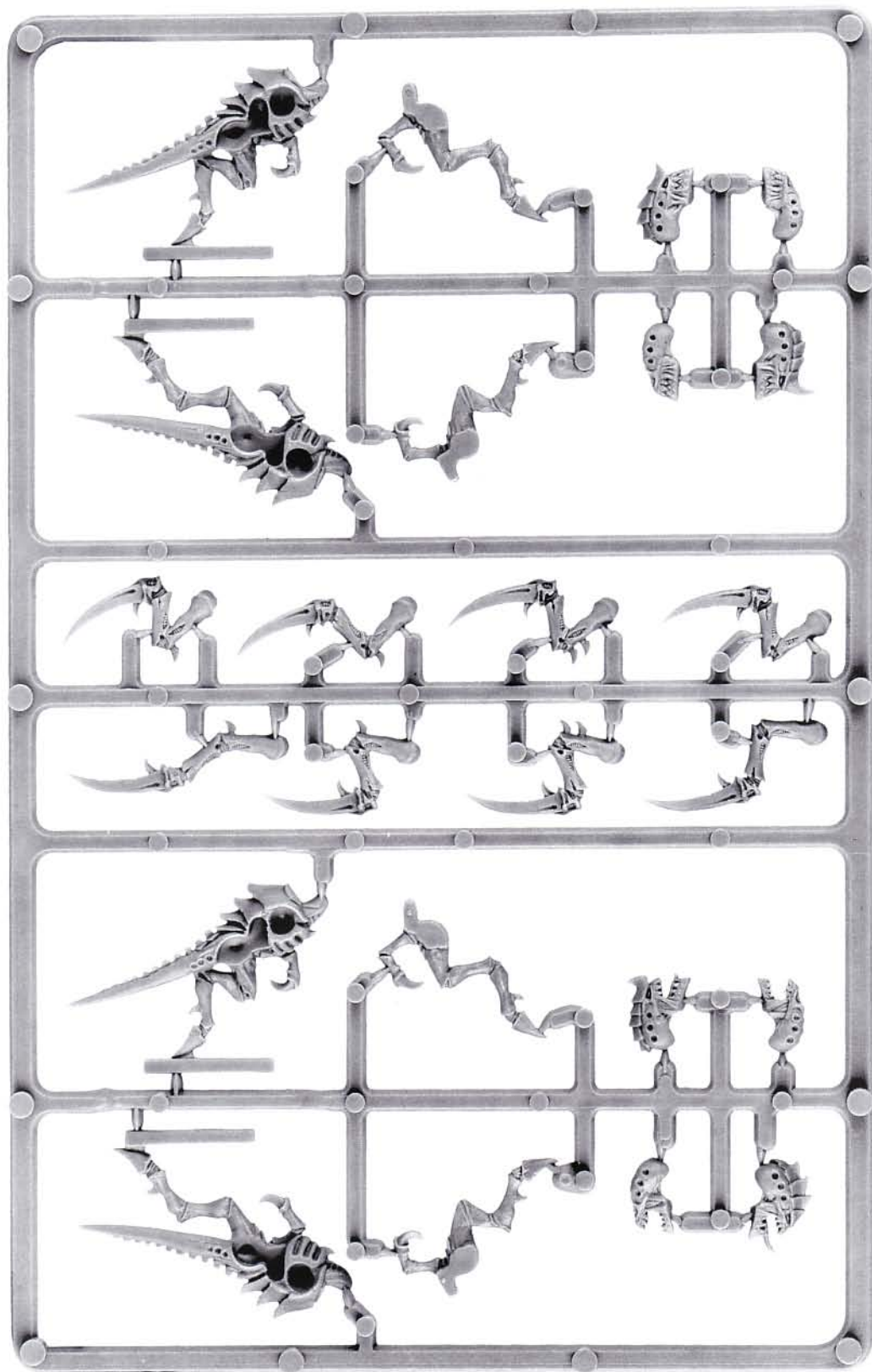
TYRANID BIOMORPHS SPRUE
99380106003 £4
Shown at 100% of actual size.



TYRANID TERMAGANT SPRUE

99380106002 £5

Shown at 100% of actual size.



TYRANID HORMAGAUNT SPRUE

99380106001 £5

Shown at 75% of actual size.

Classic Range

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CLASSIC HORMAGAUNTS
(Contains 3 models)
99060106006 £6 Complete



CLASSIC HORMOGAUNT LEFT FOREARM
9947010600605 £1



CLASSIC HORMOGAUNT REAR CLAWS
9947010600606 £2



CLASSIC HORMOGAUNT RIGHT FOREARM
9947010600604 £1

Classic Rippers



Painted example of a completed Classic Ripper Swarm.



CLASSIC RIPPER SWARM 2 BODIES
9947010601203 £1



CLASSIC RIPPER SWARM HEADS
9947010601201 £1

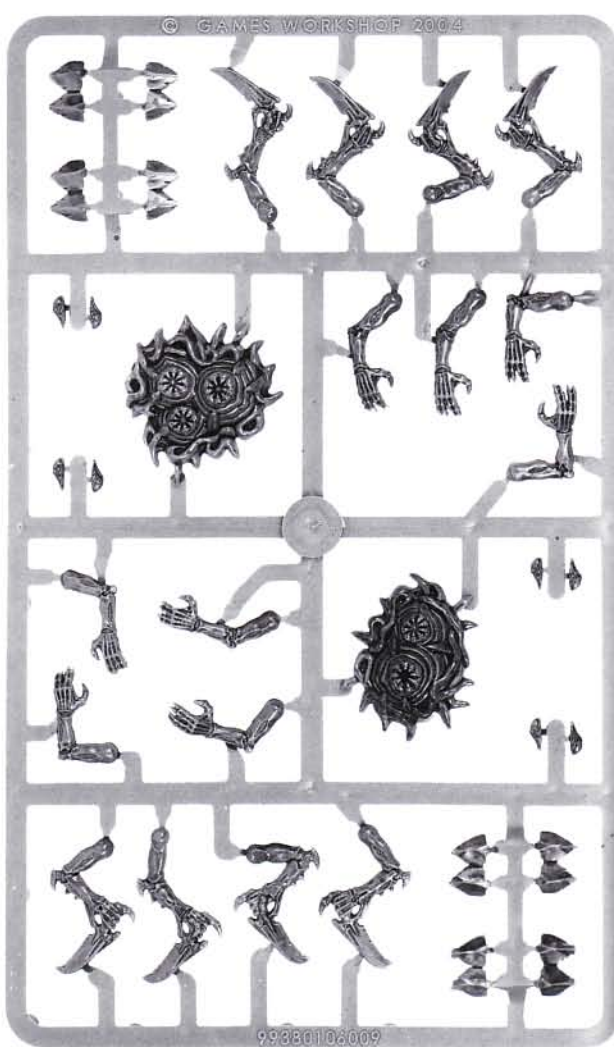
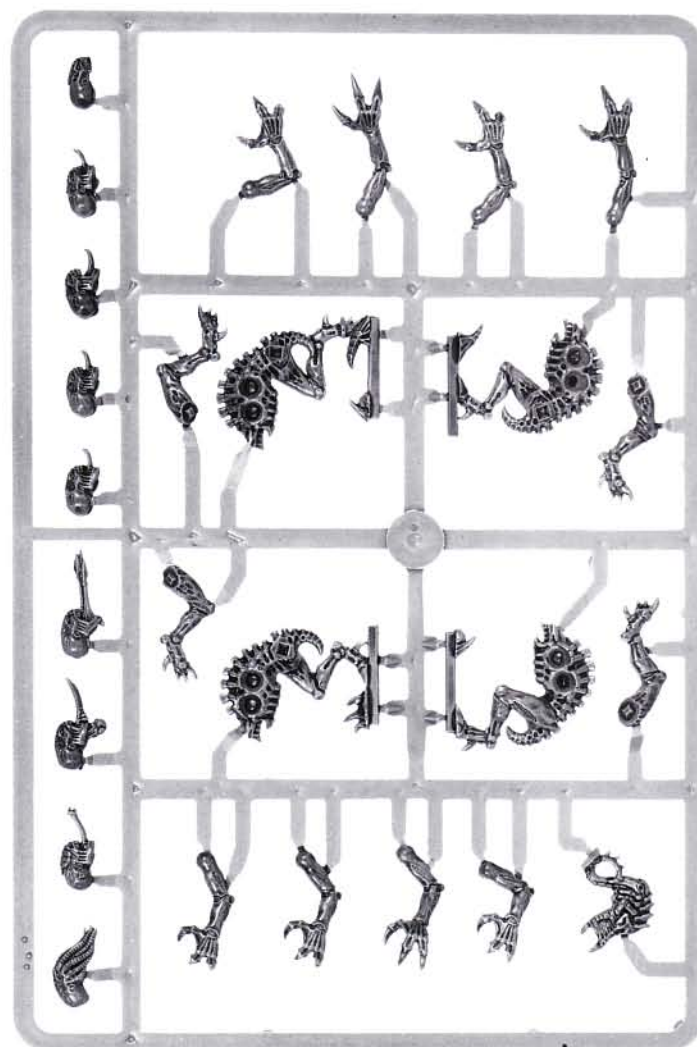


CLASSIC RIPPER SWARM BODY 1
9947010601202 £1

Genestealers



GENESTEALERS
(Contains 8 models)
99120106007 £15 Complete



GENESTEALERS SPRUE
99380106009 £8
Shown at 65% of actual size.



Section Four: Fast Attack

Tyranid Ravener



TYRANID RAVENER
(Contains 1 random model)
99060106046 £7 Complete



TYRANID RAVENER HEAD 1
9947010604601 £2



TYRANID RAVENER BODY
9947010604603 £3



TYRANID RAVENER HEAD 2
9947010604602 £2



TYRANID RAVENER CLAWS 1
9947010604605 £2.50



TYRANID RAVENER TAIL
9947010604604 £1.50



TYRANID RAVENER CLAWS 2
9947010604606 £2.50

Classic Range

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Classic Tyranid Ravener



Painted example of completed Classic Ravener.



CLASSIC TYRANID RAVENER GUN
SUPPORT ARM
9947010602911 60p



CLASSIC TYRANID RAVENER HEAD 1
9947010602907 £1.50



CLASSIC TYRANID RAVENER
HEAD 2 JAW
9947010602904 60p



CLASSIC TYRANID RAVENER
HEAD 2
9947010602903 £1



CLASSIC TYRANID RAVENER
GUN ARM
9947010602910 £1



CLASSIC TYRANID RAVENER
LOWER TORSO
9947010602908 £2



CLASSIC TYRANID RAVENER
UPPER TORSO
9947010602909 £2



CLASSIC TYRANID RAVENER
LEFT CLAW 1
9947010602905 £2



CLASSIC TYRANID RAVENER
RIGHT CLAW 1
9947010602901 £2



CLASSIC TYRANID RAVENER
LEFT CLAW 2
9947010602906 £2



CLASSIC TYRANID RAVENER
RIGHT CLAW 2
9947010602902 £2

Tyranid Gargoyles



TYRANID GARGOYLES
(Contains 2 random models)
99060106030 £6 Complete



TYRANID GARGOYLE WINGS
9947010603005 £2

Classic Tyranid Gargoyles

Classic Range

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CLASSIC TYRANID GARGOYLE
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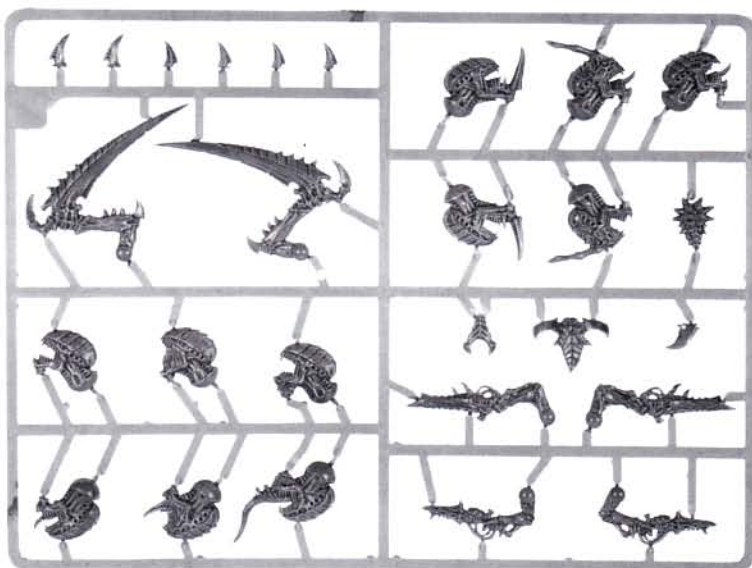
CLASSIC TYRANID GARGOYLE WINGS
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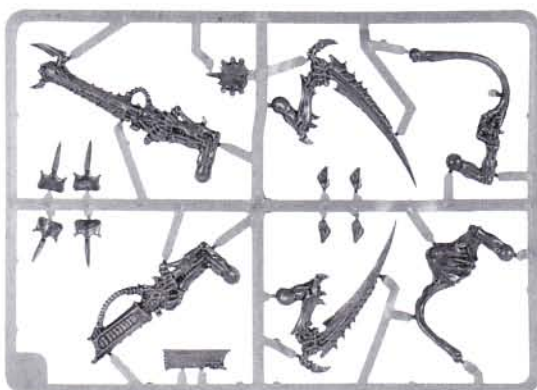
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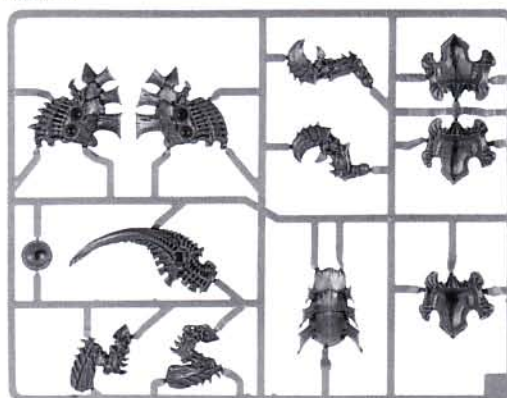
TYRANID CARNIFEX
99120106010 £20 Complete



CARNIFEX SPRUE C
99380106012 £6
Shown at 35% of actual size.



CARNIFEX SPRUE A
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Shown at 25% of actual size.



Carnifex sprue B. Shown at 25% of actual size. Please note this sprue is only available in the Tyranid Carnifex boxed set.

Carnifex Biomorphs & Weapon Symbiotes



Standard



Enhanced senses



Tusked



Bio-plasma



Regenerate



Acid maw



Standard carapace



Spine banks carapace



Spore cysts carapace



Deathspitter



Venom canon



Devourer



Barbed strangler



Crushing claws



Scything talons

Left: 'Screamer-Killer' Carnifex with two pairs of scything talons and bio-plasma attack.

Right: Carnifex with implant attack, spore cysts, crushing claws and twin-linked devourers.



Classic Carnifex

Classic Range

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CLASSIC TYRANID CARNIFEX
99110106033 £20 Complete



**CLASSIC TYRANID CARNIFEX
LEFT MANDIBLE**
9947010603305 £1



**CLASSIC TYRANID CARNIFEX
RIGHT MANDIBLE**
9947010603306 £1



CLASSIC TYRANID CARNIFEX HEAD
9947010603301 £2.50



CLASSIC TYRANID CARNIFEX CARAPACE
99470106033002 £6



CLASSIC TYRANID CARNIFEX TAIL
9947010603304 £2.50



**CLASSIC TYRANID CARNIFEX
LEFT LEG**
9947010603307 £2



CLASSIC TYRANID CARNIFEX CHEST
9947010603303 £3



**CLASSIC TYRANID CARNIFEX
RIGHT LEG**
9947010603308 £2

Zoanthrope



TYRANID ZOANTHROPE SPINE PLATES
9947010604103 £2



TYRANID ZOANTHROPE LEGS SPRUE
9947010604104 £1.50



TYRANID ZOANTHROPE TAIL
9947010604102 £2



TYRANID ZOANTHROPE HEAD
9947010604101 £4



TYRANID ZOANTHROPE
99060106041 £9 Complete

Classic Range

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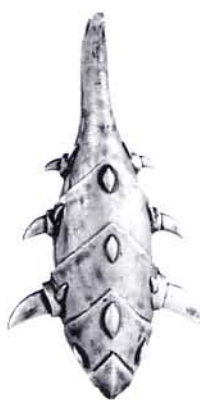
CLASSIC ZOANTHROPE HEAD
9947010602802 £3



CLASSIC ZOANTHROPE BODY
9947010602801 £3



CLASSIC ZOANTHROPE CARAPACE 1
9947010602803 £3



CLASSIC ZOANTHROPE CARAPACE 2
9947010602804 £3

Classic Zoanthrope



Painted example of a completed Classic Zoanthrope.

Tyranid Biovore



TYRANID BIOVORE
(Contains 1 Biovore and 3 random Spore Mines)
99060106036 £7 Complete

Direct Only

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TYRANID POISON SPORE MINES
(Contains 6 models)
99060106050 £4 Complete



TYRANID BIO-ACID SPORE MINES
(Contains 6 models)
99060106051 £4 Complete



TYRANID FRAG SPORE MINES
(Contains 6 models)
99060106049 £4 Complete



Section Six: Collectors' Models

Collectors' Hive Tyrant



Painted example of completed Collectors' Hive Tyrant.

Collectors' Models

The models in this section are no longer available in stores, and for the most part, are not covered by the current rules system. However, they can be the basis of a conversion, or merely just great old models to complete your collection.



**COLLECTORS' HIVE TYRANT
TAIL CLAW**
9947010600210 £1



COLLECTORS' HIVE TYRANT TAIL
9947010600209 £2.50



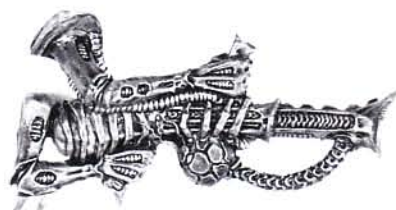
COLLECTORS' HIVE TYRANT HEAD 1
9947010600201 £1.50



COLLECTORS' HIVE TYRANT HEAD 2
9947010600211 £1.50



**COLLECTORS' HIVE TYRANT
SPINE PLATES**
9947010600203 £1.50



**COLLECTORS' HIVE TYRANT
BARBED STRANGLER**
9947010600212 £3



**COLLECTORS' HIVE TYRANT
BONESWORD**
9947010600206 £2



COLLECTORS' HIVE TYRANT TORSO
9947010600202 £4



**COLLECTORS' HIVE TYRANT
LASH WHIP**
9947010600208 £1



**COLLECTORS' HIVE TYRANT
VENOM CANNON**
9947010600205 £3



**COLLECTORS' HIVE TYRANT
LASH WHIP ARM**
9947010600207 £1.50



COLLECTORS' HIVE TYRANT LEGS
9947010600204 £4

Collectors' Enthroned Genestealer Patriarch



COLLECTORS' ENTHRONED
GENESTEALER PATRIARCH
99110106053 £15 Complete

Collectors' Tyranid Lictor



Painted example of completed Collectors' Tyranid Lictor.



COLLECTORS' LICTOR
SPINAL BLADES
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COLLECTORS' RED TERROR ABDOMEN
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**COLLECTORS' CARNIFEX
LOWER RIGHT CLAW**
9947010600108 £2

Showcase

Hive Fleet Carcharodon

Rob Cardiss, Games Workshop Wakefield

Rob: If I can give you a piece of advice about collecting any army, it's simply: choose an army you like. There is no such thing as the "best army". You will be spending a lot of time building and painting it, so it is important you enjoy it and that makes the whole job a lot easier. This is exactly the reason I went for the 'Nids; they have the kind of flexibility that allows me to go a little wild with conversions and painting. The army here was painted in around five weeks and although fairly complex looking was actually quite easy to achieve. The basecoat for the flesh is a mixture of Green Ink and Scaly Green highlighted by mixing in Hawk Turquoise. The carapace is Black Ink and Scorched Brown

highlighted by adding Bleached Bone and painting in stripes. I like to add inks to my basecoats as they cover a lot better than adding water and also provides a layer of shading along the way. The bits I enjoyed the most were the Lictors and the Ripper Swarms. I have tried to show the Lictors' adaptive camouflage by blending them into whatever colour they touch. The Rippers were just great fun. I always like to spend time adding character to swarm bases making them almost mini dioramas. The army is on display at the Wakefield store where I am manager and I will be happy to play anyone who wants to challenge them. Just give us a call.



Rob's centrepiece is this monstrosity of a Hive Tyrant. Made from several different components, Rob has used Classic and Collectors' range pieces to complete this masterpiece!





Here we see Rob's Ripper Swarms spilling forth from unfortunate Space Marines.



Rob's awesome Lictors hunting their prey. Check out the camouflage of the Lictors as they disguise themselves with their surroundings.



Showcase

Hive Fleet Nemesis

Games Workshop Northern Europe

Asger: The Tyranid army before you is not part of a single person's efforts. We in Northern Europe Mail Order decided to paint up an office army, for mutual use by almost anyone. All being fans of the bugs, we just had to decide on a simple colour scheme that could easily be achieved by anyone in the group. A classic bug scheme, black and green. This army was collected and painted almost a

year ago, and with the release of the new models we decided we had to expand the army, hopefully replacing the old models with the new releases altogether. We hope to have it all completed in the not-so-distant future. Personally, I painted up the new Carnifex and Hive Tyrant, and am quite pleased with it, both the actual models (drool), and the paint job.



The awesome new Hive Tyrant, painted by Asger Granerud for the Northern Europe Mail Order team.





The Northern Europe Mail Order Tyranid army have used models from the Classic range as well as the new range of miniatures.



Showcase

Hive Fleet Cerbarus

James Lister, Games Workshop UK

James: I have been gaming and modelling with Tyranids for over 10 years now and have never been so hooked on an army before. I did try Space Marines, Tau and Chaos Space Marines but I always seem to revert back to the Tyranids. The thing that really gets me going with Tyranids is the monsters and the fear that they portray. No matter who faces the Tyranid race, from the mighty Space Marines to the sinister Dark Eldar, they all have to face the fact that no matter how many victories are won, they are just stalling the inevitable consumption of all bio-mass in the entire universe.

This is how I fight with my army, scaring my opponent with either vast numbers or the massive creatures of death. I chose the colour scheme from the old Tyranid Codex; I wanted something different to any I had done before, plus I had always wanted to base up an army in the snow. I used Midnight Blue as the basecoat, and then added Codex Grey to it for successive highlights, and the white is a mixture of Codex Grey and Skull White. I think that the two contrasting colours work well together and help to unify the Tyranid battleforce.



James' colour scheme he has chosen really stands out as he uses two contrasting colours that work well together.





Here we can see the colour scheme on the Carnifex and Broodlord. The contrasting colours make the armour plates really stand out.

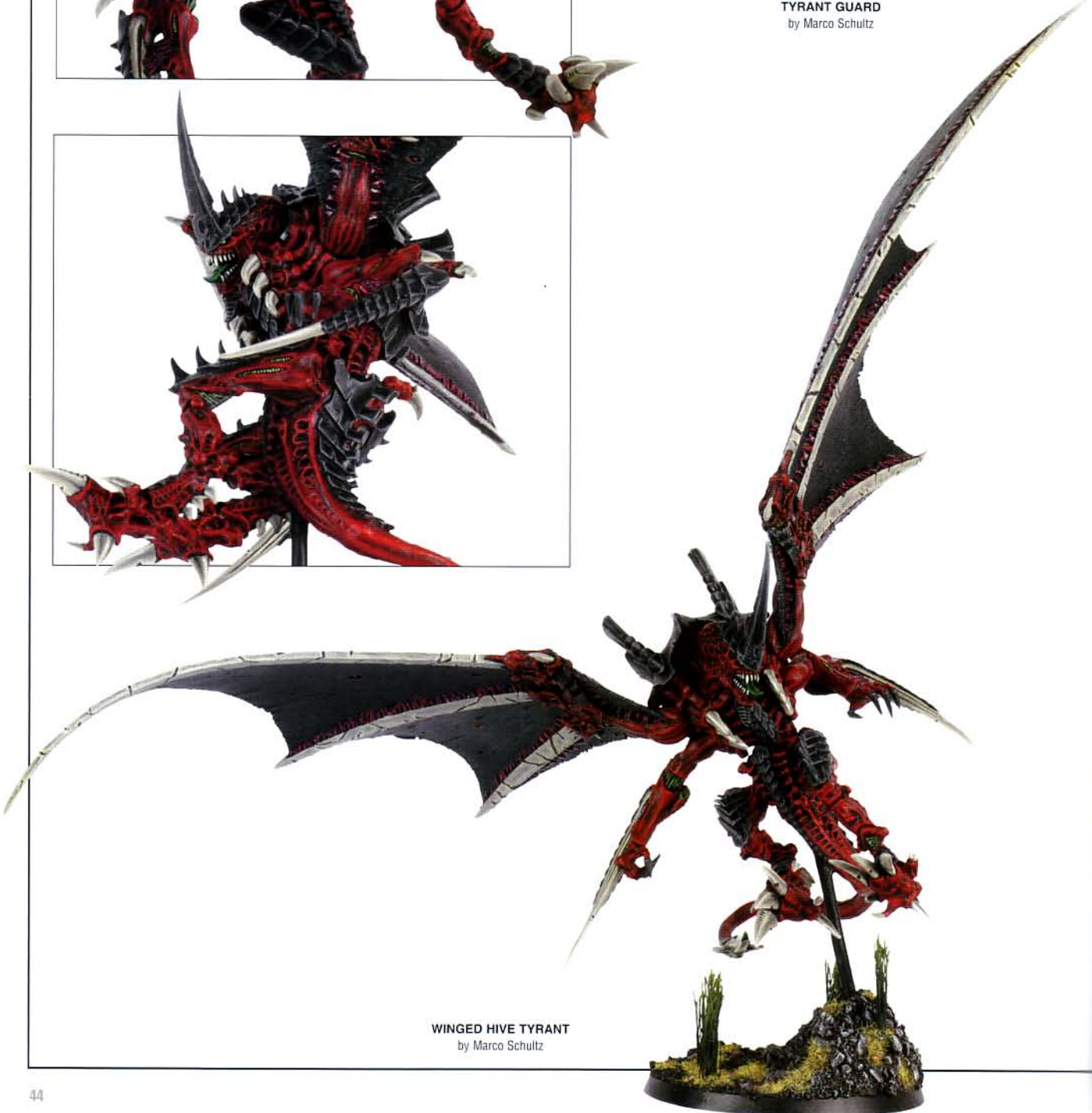


Conversions

With the many possibilities available using the Tyranid range, gamers and hobbyists have used components from various sources to make their biomorphs really stand out in these monstrous creations!



TYRANT GUARD
by Marco Schultz



WINGED HIVE TYRANT
by Marco Schultz



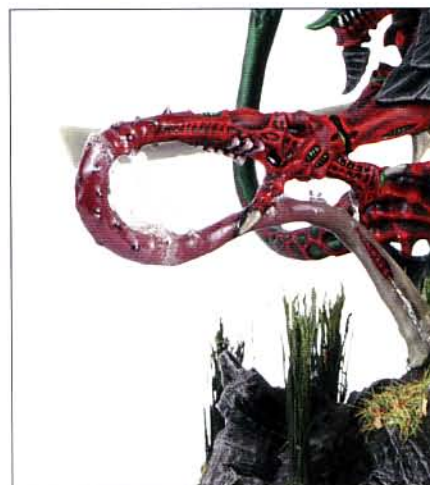
WINGED HIVE TYRANT
by Tyson Koch



TYRANID BIOMORPH
by Stuart White



HIVE TYRANT
by Marco Schultz





RIPPER SWARM
by Marco Schultz



WINGED HIVE TYRANT
by Vicky Hare

Dioramas

Dioramas can be used as snapshots to stories. They can be effective as centrepieces to your army or just as stunning as stand-alone pieces to show some background to your force.



GENESTEALER BROODLORD vs SENTINEL
by Sam Lee



GENESTEALERS
by Marco Schultz



LICTOR
by Victoria Lamb



GUARDSMEN vs TYRANID WARRIOR
by Marco Schultz

Golden Demon Entries

The Golden Demon competition is a very heated contest. Every year talented hobbyists paint and convert their masterpieces in the hopes of lifting the much coveted Slayer Sword. On the following pages you can see the level of workmanship that is put into these awe-inspiring models.



RED TERROR

by Jason Richards (Golden Demon Baltimore 2001)



Special Edition

This Special Edition Lictor was only available as part of the 2005 Tyranid army deal. This model is now no longer available.



HIVE TYRANT

by Franz Sander (Golden Demon UK 1998)



CARNIFEX

by Marike Reimer (Golden Demon Los Angeles 2003)





CARNIFEX
by Tyson Koch (Golden Demon Los Angeles 2003)



LICTOR
by Chris Blair (Golden Demon UK 1999)



WINGED HIVE TYRANT
By M. Robertson (UK Golden Demon 2003)



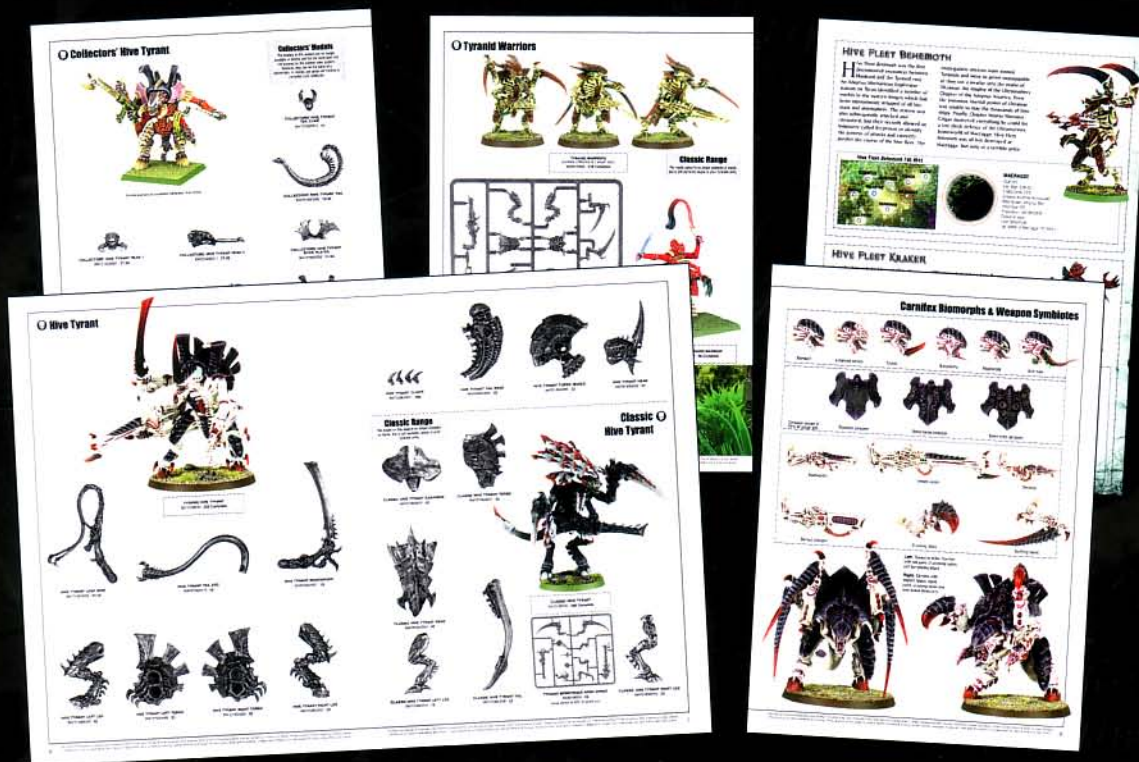
The Great Devourer

From the cold darkness of the void comes a race of ravenous aliens, a numberless horde governed only by the instincts to hunt, kill and feed. Each Tyranid is a living weapon, perfectly adapted to its designated function, but each creature is no more than a single cell in a galactic entity governed by a monstrous Hive Mind. As the Tyranid hive fleets drift through space, they strip all life from the worlds in their path leaving nothing but scoured rock in their wake.

The Tyranids Collectors' Guide is the most comprehensive resource ever compiled for anyone who has an interest in Warhammer 40,000 Tyranid models. This full-colour, 48-page book is packed full of:

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- Background on the different hive fleets.
- Tyranid-themed Golden Demon winning entries from around the world.
- Great Tyranid conversions.
- The best Tyranid dioramas.
- Awesome Tyranid armies.

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