The Opposition (pg 176-182)

Fate

- Minor Conflict: 1 Fate/Player
- Major Conflict: 2 Fate/Player
- Climactic Conflict: 3 Fate/Player

Minions

- Average Minions: The Rank and File
- Scopes: One scope at Average (+1).
- Stress Threshold: 1
- Default Group Size: Five.
- Best Purpose: To make the PCs look good.
- Recommended Power Tier: Mundane or Extraordinary.

Fair Minions: The Trained Professionals

- Scopes: One scope at Fair (+2) and one at Average (+1).
- Stress Threshold: 2
- Default Group Size: Four.
- Best Purpose: To challenge the PCs a bit or slow them down.
- **Recommended Power Tier**: Extraordinary, if the Minions outnumber the PCs, or Superhuman if they don't.

Good Minions: The Minion Elite

• **Scopes**: One scope at Good (+3), one at Fair (+2) and one at Average (+1).

- Stress Threshold: 3
- Default Group Size: Three.

• **Best Purpose**: To drain the PCs of resources, such as Fate Points and consequences. Expect the PCs to pay a price for victory over these Minions.

• **Recommended Power Tier**: On par with the PCs. If they aren't a genuine offensive threat, an encounter with Good-quality Minions is just a grind.

Minion Improvement

All Minions are considered to start out at the mundane tier and can have the power of scopes improved by spending Fate as Refresh. They can also purchase Gifts at the standard rate.

Base Construction Steps (pg 187-192)

Step One: Establish First Elements

Players pick one element and collaboratively choose element and define an Aspect for it. GM than picks another element to link to it and indentify it. Players learn Aspect for both Elements

Step Two: Investigation

Players pick another element to investigate. The players collaboratively build a theory of what base element is and declare Aspect. Players then all roll an appropriate skill at a static difficulty decided by GM. GM consults Base Investigation Table to determine results.

Step Three: Rumors

GM and Players each define a rumor about what they heard about the Element and define an Aspect. They then roll an appropriate skill, and the GM can define a minimum threshold for success. The player who rolled the highest chooses one element and can change one aspect of it. If no players win the GM picks from one of the existing elements and can make minor changes to it.

Step 4: Finishing Up

The Players then can continue to complete steps 2-3 until they have identified all Base Elements.

The players can stop at any step past the first, which may be required if the characters are on a limited timetable and the GM puts delays between each step.

Base Elements

- 1. Location
- 2. Builder/Owner
- 3. Purpose
- 4. Inhabitants
- 5. Contents
- 6. Defenses
- 7. History

Advancement (pg 160-161)

Chapter Advancement

Choose One:

- · Swap two skills of adjacent skill ratings.
- Replace one Gift with another or, if you have the Refresh to spend, buy a new Gift.
- Earn one skill point, but only useable for a goal.
- Rename a Free aspect.

Story Advancement

Increase Refresh by One, and then Choose One:

- One chapter advancement
- One skill point
- Rename a Conviction aspect.

• Upgrade the Power Tier of one skill, if you have the Refresh to spend.

Volume Advancement

Increase Refresh by One, Clear a Severe Consequence, and then get all of the following:

- Two chapter advancements.
- One story advancement (No Refresh)
- Rename a Conviction aspect, or turn a Free aspect into another Conviction aspect.

BASE INVESTIGATION TABLE	
Research Rolls	Result
All players succeed	The theory of the players is correct. The gamemaster accepts the new aspect as the players described it.
Half or more (round up) of the players succeed	The theory of the players is mostly correct. The The gamemaster accepts the new aspect but changes one part of it.
Less than half of the players succeed	The theory of the players is mostly incorrect. The gamemaster creates a new aspect but incorporates one part of the player's theory into it.
All players fail	The theory of the players is totally incorrect. The gam- emaster creates a new aspect to describe the element

Adversaries	Starting Group Con- sequences	Tier	Milestones	Skill Point Multipler
10		Personal	2	0.5
1-2	2 Minor, 1 Moderate	City	4	1
3-4	4 Minor, 2 Moderate	National	6	1.5
5-6	6 Minor, 3 Moderate	Global	8	3
7+	8 Minor, 3 Moderate	Cosmic	12	6

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The Adje	ctive Ladder
+10	Divine
+9	Mythic
+8	Legendary
+7	Epic
+6	Fantastic
+5	Superb
+4	Great
+3	Good
+2	Fair
+1	Average
+0	Mediocre
-1	Poor
-2	Terrible

The Power Tiers	
Godlike (G)	
Ascendant (A)	
Superhuman (S)	
Extraordinary (E)	
Mundane	

Conflict Options (pg 168-175)

• Attack: A direct assault to cause stress and consequences using skills with the attack trappings,

• Defend: Defend using skills with defense trappings.

• Full Defense: Sacrifice Action to get +2 on defense trappings.

• Block: Put up a long term defense against a specific type of action. Time to pass dependant on tier difference. Effort Bonus Increased by +1 per Round resisted.

The Time Table Free Action / No Time An Action / An Instant A Full Action / A Few Moments Two Rounds / Half a Minute Three Rounds / A Minute A Conflict / A Few Minutes A Scene / 15 Minutes Half an Hour An Hour A Few Hours An Afternoon A Day A Few Days A Week A Few Weeks A Month A Season Half a Year A Year A Few Years A Decade A Generation A Lifetime A Century Five Hundred Years A Millennium An Eon

tag. Contested Roll or static (Standard Diff: 3).

Consequences

Minor absorbs 2 Stress.

Major absorbs 4 Stress.

Severe absorbs 6 Stress.

The Common Skills (pg 115-116)

ACADEMICS: Information, Research, Languages ALERTNESS: Notice, Initiative [Physical] **ARCANA:** Information, Networking, Research ART: Craft, Repair, Information, Inspire, Networking ATHLETICS: Climb, Dodge, Leap, Move, Move + Unusual: Swimming BUREAUCRACY: Networking, Information, Convince, Influence, Esteem BURGLARY: Examine, Security, Information **COMPUTERS:** Examine. Information. Research. Networking **CONTACTING:** Esteem, Networking, Influence, Initiative [Social], Treatment [Social] **DECEIT:** Guile, Disguise, Dexterity **DRIVE:** Transport, Information **EMPATHY:** Insight, Initiative [Mental], Treatment [Mental] **ENDURANCE:** Stress Capacity [Health] **INTIMIDATION:** Menace, Initiative [Mental] **INVESTIGATION:** Examine. Information **MELEE WEAPONS:** Strike, Strike + Range, Parry, Information **MIGHT:** Physical Force PILOT: Transport. Information PRESENCE: Conversation, Convince, Inspire, Stress Capacity [Reputation] **RESOLVE:** Willpower, Stress Capacity [Composure], Initiative [Mental] **RESOURCES:** Wealth SCIENCE: Craft, Information, Research, Treatment [Physical] **SHOOTING:** Shoot + Range, Information **STEALTH:** Stealth + Hide • Maneuver: Generate/Identify aspect with free **SURVIVAL:** Information. Environment [Wilderness], Treatment [Physical] TECHNOLOGY: Craft, Repair, Dismantle, Information **UNARMED:** Strike, Parry, Information

<u> Trappings (pg 116-135)</u>

Trappings marked with a + symbol have Tier Benefits

Offense

Influence (119): Libel, slander, and public defamation. Deals Reputation stress and Social consequences.

Menace (122): Frighten and threaten. Deals Composure stress and Mental consequences.

Shoot (128): Attack at range (defaults to 1 zone). Deals Health stress and Physical consequences.

Strike (129): Attack in melee. Deals Health stress and Physical consequences.

<u>Defense</u>

Dodge (117): Avoid melee or ranged attacks.
Esteem (117): Defend against social attacks.
Parry (125): Defend against melee attacks.
Resist Damage (127): Defense against Physical attacks through sheer toughness.
+Stress Capacity [Scope] (128): Adds boxes to the chosen scope's stress track (Health, Mental, or Reputation).
Willpower (131): Defense against Mental attacks such as fear or

psychic domination.

<u>Mobility</u>

Climb (112): Move on vertical surfaces. +Leap (121): Jump. +Move (123): Cover ground (on foot, by default).

<u>Social</u>

Conversation (113): Improve someone's attitude toward you. **Convince (114)**: Talk someone into (or out of) a course of action. **Inspire (120)**: Alter the mood of a group of people in a manner consistent with the skill's theme.

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Perception

Examine(117): Prolonged, active perception of an area. Initiative [Scope] (120): Determines order of actions in the chosen scope (Physical, Mental, or Social). +Insight(120): Assess someone's aspects.

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+Craft (114): Create permanent works of art or technology. Dismantle (116): Take apart machines or other technological devices using your own scientific or mechanical know-how. Information(119): Call on expert knowledge appropriate to the skill's theme.

+Languages(121): Read and write additional languages. Repair(126): Fix things of a mechanical or technological nature. Research(127): Make use of a Workspace to deepen your understanding of a topic.

+Treatment [Scope] (129): Clear stress and remove consequences in the chosen scope (Physical, Mental, or Social). **+Workspace (131)**: A physical location to conduct research, experiments, or similar work, such as a library, workshop, or laboratory.

Subterfuge

+Dexterity (115): Sleight of hand and manual finesse.

+Disguise (116): Look and sound like someone else. Guile (118): Lie, misdirect, and mislead people, and get away

with it. Security (127): Bypass security measures such as tripwires and

locks.

+Steath/Hide (118, 128): Move silently or remain unseen.

<u>General</u>

Environment [Type] (117): Survive and thrive in the chosen environment type.

Minions (122): Gain access to servitors, underlings, henchmen, or some other type of faceless helpers.

+Physical Force (125): Apply force to objects in a manner appropriate to the skill's theme.

Transport (129): Ride animals or operate vehicles.

Power Instability

Untrained Power: Character does not have enough skill points. Invoke/Compel: Change skill roll or reduce effectiveness of skill.

Unstable Power: Character does not have enough refresh. *Invoked/Compel*: Force the player to reroll rolls made with this skill.

Chaotic Power: Character does not have enough skills or refresh. *Compelled/Invoked*: Activate the Strange Skill at any time, or Prevent Activation

MISCIBILITY CONSEQUENCES pg 182-186

Burn	Effect	
0	None - the chara	acter operates normally.
1-3	posure stress ca If it is already 1, capacity by 1. I	aracter's maximum com- pacity is reduced by 1. then reduce max health health is at 1, then the a -2 penalty to all rolls.
4-6		character must take 1 m the Miscibility table.
7-9	Major Strain: Th his composure s reduce his maxim	e character must halve tress capacity and mum health capacity by 1, then the character
10-12	Unstable: The ch	naracter must take 1 new om the Miscibility table.
13-19	starts to burn aw die in a manner	ne character's body vay. The character will of hours equal to his ating, with a minimum of
20+	massive internal	he character dies from shock. He lives for a es equal to his current re death.
Minor Cor	nsequence	Severe Consequence
Costs 3 Re	efresh	Cost 0 Refres
 Cosmetic 	: Flaw	 Nullified Powe
 Persister 	t Stress	Temporar
• Weakene	ed Power	 Grotesque Physiologica
• Minor We	eakness	Traum
Moderate	<u>Consequence</u>	Positive Consequence
	<u>efresh</u>	Cost 1 Refres
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