

To print your Cypher Deck, set your double-sided printer to **short-edge binding** and print on a cardstock material. Then, with a sharp utility knife and straight edge, use the crop marks as guides to trim the cards apart.

If you don't have a double-sided printer, print the pages individually and then glue them back-to-back with a thin, even coat of adhesive. Before glueing, hold the back-to-back sheets up to a light source to ensure they are lining up correctly.

The gutters between the cards give you a little bit of leeway if the two sides do not line up exactly.

The Strange[™] GMs and players alike will find it easy to randomize and manage cyphers using the cards in this deck. When a PC finds a random cypher, rather than rolling on the charts in the book, the GM draws one form card and one power card. Looking at the form card, the GM knows the general shape the item, and can expound on the details. The GM then picks one of the powers on the power card to assign to the cypher. The player can hang on to the cards as a reminder of the cypher and its ability, turning it back in when she uses it.



Design: Bruce Cordell & Monte Cook Graphic Design: Reece Ambrose

© 2014 Monte Cook Games, LLC THE STRANGE and its logo are trademarks of Monte Cook Games, LLC in the U.S.A. and other countries. All Monte Cook Games characters and character names, and the distinctive likenesses thereof, are trademarks of Monte Cook Games, LLC.

STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE

vernon reich - writevern@gmail.com - 164630



STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE

vernon reich - writevern@gmail.com - 164630

LEVEL 1D6 LEVEL 1D6 1. TRICK EMBEDDER 1. SPEED DEFENSE ENHANCEMENT A non-intelligent animal perfectly For the next day, the character has learns one trick it is capable of physitraining in Speed defense. cally performing (roll over, heel, spin, shake, go to an indicated place within 2. TRACKER long range, and so on) designated Influence from the base device creates when cypher is activated. an invisible tracker that clings to any surface within short range. For the 2. VISUAL DISPLACEMENT DEVICE next day, the base device shows the Projects holographic images of the user distance and direction to the tracker, to confuse attackers. The images appear as long as both are in the same recuraround the wearer. This gives the wearer sion. If the tracker moves into a differan asset to Speed defense actions for ent recursion, the base device shows ten minutes. distance and direction to nearest gate that leads to that recursion, in any. 3. COMPUTER PROGRAMMING 3. FORENSIC SCIENCE ENHANCEMENT ENHANCEMENT For the next day, the character has For the next day, the character has training in computer programming training in forensic science. (and computer hacking). LEVEL 106 + 1 LEVEL 1D6 + 1 1. EFFECT RESISTANCE 1. EFFORT ENHANCER (COMBAT) User gains a second defense roll to After a few rounds of set-up leading avoid a failed defense roll against to activation, user gains a 1 - hour window during which she can apply direct damageing effects (except blunt force, slashing, or piercing) if the level one level of Effort to any task without of the attack is less than or equal to spending points. The level of Effort the cypher level for 1 day. provided does not count toward the maximum amount of Effort a character can normally apply to one task. 2. ARMOR REINFORCER +2 User's armor gains a +2 bonus to Armor 2. ARMOR REINFORCEER +3 for 1 day. User's armor gains a +3 bonus to Armor for 1 day. 3. EFFORT ENHANCER User can apply one level of Effort to

3. GRENADE (RUK CREATURE)

Explodes and creates a momentary inapposite gate. A Ruk creature whose level is equal of less than the cypher's appears through the gate and attacks the closest target.

LEVEL ID6

1. VOCAL TRANSLATOR

Translates everything said by user into a language that anyone can understand for a day.

2. WATER ADAPTER

User can breathe underwater and operate at any depth (without facing debilitating consequences of changes in pressure) for eight hours.

3. DISQUISE ENHANCEMENT

For the next day, the character has training in disguise.

LEVEL 1D6 + 1

1. EQUIPMENT CACHE (COMBAT)

User produces from the cypher a desired piece of equipment that is available on the current recursion (or any recursion with a transit time of less than a month if used in the Strange) whose level does not exceed the cypher's. The piece of equipment produced presists for up toe 24 hours, unless its fundemental nature is oneuse (such as a bottle of wine).

2. ARMOR REINFORCER +3, FIRE User's armor gains a +3 bonus to Armor (+5 vs. fire) for 1 day.

1. ADEYANCE TRAP

Target creature within short range whose level does not exceed the cypher's goes into abeyance, exactly as if it had translated to another recursion, except that no version of the creature appears in any other recursion. Instead, the affected creature simply doesn't exist for one hour.

2. ARMOR REINFORCER +1

User's armor gains a +1 bonus to Armor for 1 day.

3. CURSE BRINGER

When victim carrying activated cypher next tries an important task, the difficulty is modified by three steps to the victim's detriment.

LEVEL 106 + 1

LEVEL 1D6 + 1



2. ARMOR REINFORCER + 3, COLD User's armor gains a + 3 bonus to Armor (+5 vs. cold) for 1 day.

3.**GRENADE (GRAVITY INVERSION)** Explodes, and gravity reverses for one hour within a long-range radius of the explosion.

mally apply to one task.

a non-combat task without spending

does not count toward the maximum

amout of Effort a character can nor-

points. The level of Effort provided

STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE

vernon reich - writevern@gmail.com - 164630

LEVEL 106 + 1

1. LIFT

User can float up into the air or back down again at a rate of 20 feet (6.1 m) per round for one hour. Winds or other effects can move the cypher user laterally.

2. ARMOR REINFORCER +3, ACID

User's armor gains a +3 bonus to Armor (+5 vs. acid) for 1 day.

3. MIND MELD

User can speak telepathically with creatures it can see within short range for one hour. The user can't read a target's thoughts, except those specifically transmitted. This effect transcends normal language barriers, but a target must have a kind of mind for communication to be possible.

LEVEL 106 + 2

CONTINGENT ACTIVATOR

If activated in conjunction with another cypher, the user can specify a condition under which the linked cypher will activate. The linked cypher retains the contingent command until the cypher is used (either normally, or contingently). For example, when this cypher is linked to a cypher that provides a form of healing or protection, the user could specify that the linked cypher activate for the user if the user ever becomes damaged to a certain degree or is subject to a particular dangerous circumstance. Until the linked cypher is used, this cypher continues to count toward the maximum number of cyphers a PC can carry.

LEVEL 1D6 + 1



User can go without food and water for a number of days equal to cypher level.

2. PHASE CHANGER

User goes out of phase for 1 minute, and can pass through solid objects as though she were entirely insubstantial, like a ghost. She cannot make physical attacks or be physically attacked.

3. REPEATING MODULE

For 1 minute, the ranged weapon the cypher is fixed to fires one additional time per user's action (extra ammo is fabricated by the module).

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

1. FLASHBURST

If thrown, travels to indicated spot within short range and explodes in an immediate radius, blinding all within it for one minute.

2. DISQUISE MODULE

For the next hour, the wearer's features become almost identical to one designated person the wearer has previously interacted with. This lowers the difficulty by two steps when the wearer attempts to disguise herself as the designated person. Once designated, the user cannot shift the effect to look like another person, though the wearer could remove the module to look like herself again before the end of the hour.

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

1. ANALEPTIC

Points equal to the cypher level are restored to the user's Speed Pool.

2. BLACKOUT

An area within immediate range of the user becomes secure against any effect outside the area that sees, hears, or otherwise senses what occurs inside. To outside observers, the area is a blur to any sense applied. Taps, scrying sensors, and other direct feed surveillance methods are also rendered inoperative within the area for the duration.

3. CURATIVE

Points equal to the cypher level are restored to the user's Might Pool.

LEVEL ID6 + 2

. DRAINING CAPACITOR

An object connected to the cypher is drained of a portion or all its energy; an artifact's owner must make a depletion roll, a cypher is rendered useless, and another kind of powered machine or device becomes partly or wholly depowered, as the GM determines. Meanwhile, the draining capacitor now holds a charge of energy that can be used in one of the following ways.

Detonation: The capacitor can be thrown at a target within short range where it detonates and deals damage (usually from fire and shrapnel) to all targets in immediate range, damage equal to the cypher's level. Detonation: The capacitor can be thrown at a target within short range where it detonates and deals damage (usually from fire and shrapnel) to all targets in immediate range, damage equal to the cypher's level. Improve Cypher: Give another unused cypher a second use, unless the cypher is fundamentally a one-use item, such as a detonation. Repower Cypher: A used cypher is revitalized, becoming as if unused.

Intellect Hit: User gains 1d10 Intellect points.

1. ANTIDOTE

Ends an ongoing poison, paralysis, or disease condition, if any, already in the user's system.

2. CONTEXTUALIZER

Explodes in an immediate radius, changing the context of any creature in the area to the context of the currently occupied recursion. Native creatures and translated visitors are unaffected, but affected creatures who arrived through an inapposite gate are treated as if they had stepped through a translation gate to arrive in the current recursion. As a result, certain items possessed by a target creature, or even a creature itself that does not possess the spark, is immediately returned to its native recursion.

LEVEL 106 + 2

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

1. FOCUS HOOK

If used while translating or during the recovery period immediately after translating to another recursion or prime world, the user can retain the focus of the previous recursion or prime world even if that focus is not normally draggable. The focus is retained for as long as the user remains in the new recursion.

2. THICK SMOKE AMMUNITION

When fired, the cypher bursts in a poisonous cloud within an immediate distance. The cloud lingers for 1d6 rounds unless conditions dictate otherwise. Sight is occluded while the cloud lasts.





STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE

vernon reich - writevern@gmail.com - 164630

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

1. CELL · DISKUPTING GRENADE Explodes in an immediate radius, inflicting damage equal to the cypher level, but only against flesh.

2. CHOKING GAS AMMUNITION

When fired, the cypher bursts in a poisonous cloud within an immediate distance. The cloud lingers for 1d6 rounds unless conditions dictate otherwise. Living creatures that breathe lose their actions to choking and coughing for a number of rounds equal to the cypher level.

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

1. AMNESIA GAS AMMUNITION

When fired, the cypher bursts in a poisonous cloud within an immediate distance. The cloud lingers for 1d6 rounds unless conditions dictate otherwise. Living creatures that breathe and think permanently lose all memory of the last minute.

2. NERVE GAS AMMUNITION

When fired, the cypher bursts in a poisonous cloud within an immediate distance. The cloud lingers for 1d6 rounds unless conditions dictate otherwise. Living creatures that breathe suffer Speed damage equal to the cypher level.

1. CORROSIVE GRENADE

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

Explodes in an immediate radius. inflicting acid damage equal to the cypher level.

2. POISON GAS AMMUNITION

When fired, the cypher bursts in a poisonous cloud within an immediate distance. The cloud lingers for 1d6 rounds unless conditions dictate otherwise. Living creatures that breathe suffer damage equal to the cypher level.

LEVEL 1D6 + 2



Explodes in an immediate radius, inflicting damage equal to the cypher level with an electrical discharge.

2. CORROSIVE GAS AMMUNITION

When fired, the cypher bursts in a poisonous cloud within an immediate distance. The cloud lingers for 1d6 rounds unless conditions dictate otherwise. Everything in the cloud suffers damage equal to the cypher level.

1. HEAT DRAIN GRENADE

Explodes in an immediate radius, inflicting cold damage equal to the cypher level.

2. HALLUCINOGENIC GAS AMMUNI TION

When fired, the cypher bursts in a poisonous cloud within an immediate distance. The cloud lingers for 1d6 rounds unless conditions dictate otherwise. Living creatures that breathe lose their actions to hallucinations and visions for a number of rounds equal to the cypher level.

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

1. SHRAPNEL GRENADE

Explodes in an immediate radius, inflicting shrapnel damage equal to the cypher level.

2. MIND NUMBING GAS AMMUNITION

When fired, the cypher bursts in a poisonous cloud within an immediate distance. The cloud lingers for 1d6 rounds unless conditions dictate otherwise. Living creatures that breathe suffer Intellect damage equal to the cypher level.

LEVEL 106 + 2

1. RECURSION COLLAPSING GRENADE

Collapses the pocket dimension or young recursion in which it is detonated if the level of the recursion is half the level of the cypher or less. All contents of the recursion suffer damage equal to the cypher level and are dumped directly into the Strange.

2. FEAR GAS AMMUNITION

When fired, the cypher bursts in a poisonous cloud within an immediate distance. The cloud lingers for 1d6 rounds unless conditions dictate otherwise. Living creatures that breathe and think flee in a random direction in fear (or are paralyzed with fear) for a number of rounds equal to the cypher level.

LEVEL 106 + 2

LEVEL 106 + 2

1. INFORMATION

The wearer can activate the cypher's function a total number of times equal to the cypher's level during a day. Each time, the wearer can select a living creature within long range and learn the following about it: creature's level, creature's native recursion, creature's species, creature's name, and possibly other facts (such as an individual's accessible information on Earth. like credit score, home address, phone number, and related information).

2. FIRE GRENADE Explodes in an immediate radius, inflicting fire damage equal to the cypher level.



STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE

vernon reich - writevern@gmail.com - 164630

LEVEL ID6 + 2

1. MAGNETIC MASTER

Establishes a connection with one metal object within short range that a human could hold in one hand. After this connection is established, the user can move or manipulate the object anywhere within short range (each movement or manipulation is an action). For example, the user could wield a weapon or drag a helm affixed to a foe's head to and fro. The connection lasts for ten rounds.

2. RAY EMITTER (MIND · DISRUPTING) Projects a ray of destructive energy up to 200 feet (61 m) that inflicts Intellect damage equal to the cypher's level. Victim cannot take actions for a number of rounds equal to the cypher's level.

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

1. SPEECHLESS MENTAL SCRAMPLER Two rounds after being activated, the device creates an invisible field that fills an area within short range and lasts for one minute. The field scrambles the mental processes of all thinking creatures so that they cannot speak. The effect lasts as long as they remain in the field and for 1d6 rounds after, although an Intellect defense roll is allowed each round to act normally (both in the field and after leaving it).

2. HEAT RAY EMITTER

Projects a ray of heat/concentrated light up to 200 feet (61 m) that inflicts damage equal to the cypher's level + 2.

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

1. MAPPER

When activated, the device displays a scale map of the currently occupied recursion for up to one hour. The user can focus in on specified geographic features to a resolution of about 8 feet (2.5 m) per map image section (in other words, a pixel). Features are not named, but the map is a real-time rendition of the recursion, so objects or creatures large enough to show up in the resolution can be seen.

2. MEDITATION AID Points equal to the cypher level are restored to the user's Intellect Pool.

LEVEL 106 + 2

1. **PARALYZING MENTAL SCRAMPLER** Two rounds after being activated, the device creates an invisible field that fills an area within short range and lasts for one minute. The field scrambles the mental processes of all thinking creatures so that they cannot act. The effect lasts as long as they remain in the field and for 1d6 rounds after, although an Intellect defense roll is allowed each round to act normally (both in the field and after leaving it).

2. **RADIATION RAY EMITTER** Projects a ray of cell-disrupting radiation up to 200 feet (61 m) that inflicts damage equal to the cypher's level + 2.

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

1. MANIPULATION BEAM

The user can activate the cypher a total number of times equal to the cypher's level during a day. Each time, the wearer can choose to affect an object she can see within long range that weighs no more than an object the wearer herself could physically affect. The effect must occur over the course of a round, and could range from closing or opening a door, keying in a number on a keypad, transferring an object a short distance, wresting an object from another creature's grasp (on a successful Mightbased roll), or pushing a creature an immediate distance.

2. RAY EMITTER (FEAR)

Projects a ray up to 200 feet (61 m) that causes target to flee in terror for one minute.

LEVEL 106 + 2

1. SLOWING MENTAL SCRAMBLER

Two rounds after being activated, the device creates an invisible field that fills an area within immediate range and lasts for one minute. The field scrambles the mental processes of all thinking creatures so that move slowly and clumsily. The effect lasts as long as they remain in the field and for 1d6 rounds after, although an Intellect defense roll is allowed each round to act normally (both in the field and after leaving it).

2. FORCE RAY EMITTER Projects a ray of force up to 200 feet (61 m) that inflicts damage equal to the cypher's level + 2.

When fired, the cypher bursts in a poisonous cloud within an immediate distance. The cloud lingers for 1d6 rounds unless conditions dictate otherwise. Living creatures that breathe fall asleep for a number of rounds equal to the cypher level or until awoken by a violent action or an extremely loud noise.

2. RAGE GAS AMMUNITION

When fired, the cypher bursts in a poisonous cloud within an immediate distance. The cloud lingers for 1d6 rounds unless conditions dictate otherwise. Living creatures that breathe and think make a melee attack on the nearest creature and continue to do so for a number of rounds equal to the cypher level.

LEVEL 106 + 2

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

1. BLACKOUT MENTAL SCRAMBLER

Two rounds after being activated, the device creates an invisible field that fills an area within short range and lasts for one minute. The field scrambles the mental processes of all thinking creatures so that they cannot see or hear. The effect lasts as long as they remain in the field and for 1d6 rounds after, although an Intellect defense roll is allowed each round to act normally (both in the field and after leaving it).

2. MAGNETIC RAY EMITTER Projects a ray of destructive magnetic energy up to 200 feet (61 m) that inflicts damage equal to the cypher's level + 2.

STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE

vernon reich - writevern@gmail.com - 164630

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

1. FACE BLINDING MENTAL SCRAMBLER

Two rounds after being activated, the device creates an invisible field that fills an area within short range and lasts for one minute. The field scrambles the mental processes of all thinking creatures so that they do not recognize anyone they know. The effect lasts as long as they remain in the field and for 1d6 rounds after, although an Intellect defense roll is allowed each round to act normally (both in the field and after leaving it).

2. DISINTEGRATION RAY EMITTER

Projects a ray of that disrupts molecular bonds up to 200 feet (61 m) that inflicts damage equal to the cypher's level + 2.

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

1. MIND RESTRICTING WALL

Creates an immobile plane of permeable energy up to 20 feet by 20 feet (6.1 m by 6.1 m) for one hour. The plane conforms to the space available. Intelligent creatures passing through the plane fall unconscious for up to one hour, or until slapped awake or damaged.

2. MONOBLADE

Produces a 6-inch (15 cm) blade that's the same level as the cypher. The blade cuts through any material of a level lower than its own. If used as a weapon, it is a light weapon that ignores Armor of a level lower than its own. The blade lasts for ten minutes.

LEVEL 106 + 2

LEVEL 1D6 + 2



Two rounds after being activated, the device creates an invisible field that fills an area within short range and lasts for one minute. The field scrambles the mental processes of all thinking creatures so that they have partial amnesia. The effect lasts as long as they remain in the field and for 1d6 rounds after, although an Intellect defense roll is allowed each round to act normally (both in the field and after leaving it).

2. RAY EMITTER (COMMAND)

1. SLAVE MAKER

one round.)

Projects a ray up to 200 feet (61 m) that forces a target to obey the next verbal command given (if it is understood).

A successful melee attack against

creature similar in size to the user,

and whose level does not exceed the

cypher's, bonds cypher to the target.

The target immediately becomes

calm. The target awaits the user's

to the best of its ability. The target

remains so enslaved for a number

of hours equal to its level minus the

cypher's level. (If the result is o, the

target remains enslaved for one min-

ute; if the result is a negative number,

the target remains enslaved for just

commands, and carries out all orders

LEVEL 106 + 2

1. FREEDOM MENTAL SCRAMPLER

Two rounds after being activated, the device creates an invisible field that fills an area within short range and lasts for one minute. The field scrambles the mental processes of all thinking creatures so that they lose all inhibitions, revealing secrets and performing surprising actions. The effect lasts as long as they remain in the field and for 1d6 rounds after, although an Intellect defense roll is allowed each round to act normally (both in the field and after leaving it).

2. RAY EMITTER (FRIEND SLAYING)

Projects a ray up to 200 feet (61 m) that causes target to attack a close friend for one round when within immediate range.

LEVEL 106 + 2

1. SPYING DETONATION

Cypher produces a tiny spying object that resists detection as a level 8 creature due to its size and nature. The spying object moves at great speed, mapping and scanning an unknown area. It moves 500 feet (152 m) per level, scanning an area up to 50 feet (15 m) per level away from it. It identifies basic layout, creatures, and major energy sources. Its movement is blocked by any physical or energy barrier. At the end of its mapping run, it returns to the user and reports unless it discovers a predefined target during that period (such as a creature of level 5 or higher, a locked door, a major energy source, and so on), in which case it detonates. All creatures and objects within short range take damage (electrical and shrapnel usually) equal to the cypher's level.

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

1. ETHIC INVERTER MENTAL SCRAMBLER

Two rounds after being activated, the device creates an invisible field that fills an area within short range and lasts for one minute. The field scrambles the mental processes of all thinking creatures so that their ethics are inverted. The effect lasts as long as they remain in the field and for 1d6 rounds after, although an Intellect defense roll is allowed each round to act normally (both in the field and after leaving it).

2. SPEED BOOST

Substance adds 1 to Speed Edge for one hour.

LEVEL 106 + 2

1. SNIPER STRANGE AMMUNITION If attached to a weapon that uses ammunition, decrease the difficulty of ranged attacks with that weapon by one step for one hour.

2. STRENGTH DOOST Substance adds 1 to Might Edge for one hour.

vernon reich - writevern@gmail.com - 164630

STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE

vernon reich - writevern@gmail.com - 164630

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

1. ELECTRIC STRANGE AMMUNITION If attached to a weapon that uses ammunition, ranged attacks with that

weapon deal bonus electrical damage equal to the cypher level.

2. SURVEILLANCE SET

If one of the two pieces this cypher comes with is placed at a specific location, whoever holds the other matched piece can choose to see and hear everything going on at the target location as if she were there herself for up to a day. Checking on the remote location requires an action. The onsite piece of the cypher hides its location at a level equal to the cypher's plus two.

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

1. FIRE STRANGE AMMUNITION

If attached to a weapon that uses ammunition, ranged attacks with that weapon deal bonus fire damage equal to the cypher level.

2. WINGS User can fly at her normal speed for one hour.

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

LEVEL 1D6 + 2



ammunition, ranged attacks with that weapon deal bonus cold damage equal to the cypher level.

2. TELEPATHIC BOND

Device enables mental communication with anyone who has a matching implant, regardless of how far users are from each other (even if users are in different recursions) for one hour. These devices are always found in groups of two or more.



1. POISON STRANGE AMMUNITION If attached to a weapon that uses ammunition, ranged attacks with that weapon deal bonus poison damage equal to the cypher level.

2. TRANSLATION REMEDY

Eases a translation attempt. If someone is already easing the attempt, the recovery time after the translation is only one round. If the recovery time is already reduced to one round by another method, all involved in the translation have the difficulty of tasks within one minute reduced by one step, post-translation.

1. ACID STRANGE AMMUNITION

If attached to a weapon that uses ammunition, ranged attacks with that weapon deal bonus acid damage equal to the cypher level.

2. VANISHER

User becomes invisible for ten minutes. While invisible, she is specialized in stealth and Speed defense tasks. This effect ends if the user does something to reveal presence or positionattacking, using an ability, moving a large object, and so on. If this occurs, the user can regain the remaining invisibility effect by taking an action to focus on hiding her position.

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

PSYCHIC STRANGE AMMUNITION If attached to a weapon that uses ammunition, ranged attacks with that weapon deal bonus psychic damage equal to the cypher level.

2. EXPLODING STRANGE AMMUNITION If attached to a weapon that uses

ammunition, ranged attacks with that weapon inflict damage equal to cypher level to all within immediate range of target (if target is hit).

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

LEVEL 106 + 2

1. KNOCKBACK STRANGE AMMUNITION If attached to a weapon that uses ammunition, on an 18-20 successful attack roll, target knocked back 30 feet (9 m).

2. ANALEPTIC

Points equal to the cypher level are restored to the user's Speed Pool.

2. HEART SEEKING STRANGE AMMUNITION

ammunition, on an 18-20 successful attack roll, target is slain.damage

SONIC STRANGE AMMUNITION

If attached to a weapon that uses

weapon deal bonus sonic damage

equal to the cypher level.

ammunition, ranged attacks with that



STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE

vernon reich - writevern@gmail.com - 164630

LEVEL 1D6 + 2



2. CURATIVE Points equal to the cypher level are restored to the user's Might Pool.



level.

2. STIM Decreases the difficulty of the next action taken by three steps.

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

LEVEL 1D6 + 3

1. FORCE SCREEN PROJECTOR

Creates an immobile plane of solid force up to 20 feet by 20 feet (6.1 m by 6.1 m) for one hour. The plane conforms to the space available.

2. BACTERIAL INFECTION CONDITION RELIEVER Cures one occurrence of bacterial infection.





2. CANCER CONDITION RELIEVER Cures one occurrence of cancer.



LEVEL 106 + 3

1. MATTER TRANSLATION RAY

The user can target one nonliving object within long range that is no larger than the user and whose level is less than or equal to the cypher's level. The object is translated directly into a random recursion. If the GM feels it appropriate to the circumstances, only a portion of an object is translated (a portion whose volume is no more than the user's).

2. HANGOVER CONDITION RELIEVER Cures one hangover.

3. FIRE NULL FIELD

User and all creatures within immediate range of the user gains a +5 bonus to Armor against damage from fire for one hour.

LEVEL 1D6 + 2



2. MEDITATIVE AID Points equal to the cypher level are restored to the user's Intellect Pool.



2. FORCE ARMOR PROJECTOR

Creates a shimmering energy field around the user for one hour, during which time he gains +3 Armor (+4 Armor if the cypher is level 5 or higher).

3. AUTOIMMUNE DISEASE CONDITION RELIEVER Cures one occurrence of autoimmune disease.

LEVEL 106 + 3

LEVEL 106 + 3



User gains a single horn on the center of his forehead. The horn is deadly sharp, strong, and spirals down to a solid base where it fuses with the user's flesh and bone. The user is specialized in making melee attacks with the horn, which is considered a medium weapon. The horn lasts for a number of hours equal to the cypher's level.

2. HEARTBURN CONDITION RELIEVER Cures one occurrence of heartburn.

STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE

vernon reich - writevern@gmail.com - 164630

LEVEL 1D6 + 3 LEVEL 1D6 + 3 LEVEL 1D6 + 3 LEVEL 1D6 + 3 1. COLD NULL FIELD 1. NULLIFICATION RAY 1. POISON RELIEVER 1. SHELTERING RECURSION User and all creatures within immedi-Immediately ends one ongoing effect Cures one occurrence of poisoning. A pocket-dimension sized recursion ate range of the user gains a + 5 bonus within long range produced by an artiis created that operates under the to Armor against damage from cold for fact, cypher, move, revision, or twist. same law as the recursion in which 2. BLUNT FORCE NULL FIELD one hour. the cypher is used. A single inappo-User and all creatures within immedi-2. PSYCHIC NULL FIELD site gate is also created. The device ate range of the user gains a +5 bonus 2. HICCUPS CONDITION RELIEVER becomes inactive, but the recursion is User and all creatures within immedito Armor against damage from bashpermanent. Cures one occurrence of hiccups. ate range of the user gains a +5 bonus ing for one hour. to Armor against damage from psychic 2. JOINT LIGAMENT CONDITION abilities for one hour. 3. ACID NULL FIELD 3. SLASHING & PIERCING NULL FIELD RELIEVER User and all creatures within immedi-User and all creatures within immediate range of the user gains a + 5 bonus Cures one occurrence of degraded 3. INSOMNIA CONDITION RELIEVER ate range of the user gains a +5 bonus joints, rendering them good as new. to Armor against damage from acid for Cures one occurrence of insomnia. to Armor against damage from slashone hour. ing and piercing for one hour. 3. ELECTRICAL NULL FIELD **A. SONIC NULL FIELD** User and all creatures within immedi-4. VIRAL INFECTION CONDITION User and all creatures within imate range of the user gains a +5 bonus mediate range of the user gains a + 5RELIEVER to Armor against damage from electricbonus to Armor against damage from Cures one occurrence of viral infection. ity for one hour. extremely loud sounds for one hour. LEVEL 1D6 + 4 LEVEL 106 + 4 LEVEL 1D6 + 4 LEVEL 1D6 + 4 1. AGE TAKER 1. INSIGHT **RADIATION SPIKE** A permanent bond is created between User asks GM a question and gets a User sheds a number of years equal to Delivers a powerful burst of radiation general answer (from whatever entity, three times the cypher's level over the any two physical objects. The strength that disrupts the tissue of any creature of the bond is equal to the cypher level. institution, or object most associnext seven days, to physiological age touched, inflicting damage equal to the regression limit of twenty-three years. ated with knowing in the particular cypher's level.

2. ENDURING SHIELD

User enjoys the effect of an asset to Speed defense rolls for 1 day.

3. ATTRACTOR

One unanchored item user's size or smaller within long range is drawn immediately to the device over the course of 1 round. The item has no momentum when it arrives.

2. GRENADE (RECURSION)

Explodes and creates a momentary inapposite gate. Creatures within immediate range are sucked into a random recursion (all affected creatures go to the same recursion). Some recursion detonation cyphers transfer targets to a specified recursion. A character who succeeds at a Strange knowledge roll can determine this recursion ahead of time; the difficulty is equal to the cypher's level. User asks GM a question and gets a general answer (from whatever entity, institution, or object most associated with knowing in the particular recursion or area of the Chaosphere the cypher is used). The GM assigns a level to the question, so the more obscure the answer, the more difficult the task. Generally, knowledge that a PC could find by looking somewhere other than his current location is level 1, and obscure knowledge of the past is level 7. Gaining knowledge of the future is level 10, and such knowledge is always open to interpretation.

2. RECURSION ANCHOR

Creature or object affected by this cypher cannot translate or pass through an inapposite gate for a day. The cypher contains enough energy to affect up to five creatures in immediate range with one use.

STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE

vernon reich - writevern@gmail.com - 164630

LEVEL 106 + 4

1. RECURSION CODE

The cypher serves as a recursion key to a specific location within a recursion. A recursion key does not create a gate to the specified location--the recursor must initiate a translation and succeed on the translation roll normally. But on a successful roll, everyone participating in the translation appears in the location specified by the key (not the default location for the recursion, or the place the recursor initiating the translation left from).

LEVEL 1D6 + 4



User can access any skill or ability she has ever gained by translating to another recursion or prime world for one hour. The user can also access the skills and abilities granted by her original focus, if that focus is not currently active.

2. QLUE

A permanent bond is created between any two physical objects. The strength of the bond is equal to the cypher level.

LEVEL 1D6 + 4

1. TISSUE REGENERATION

User regenerates 1 point of damage per round for one hour, up to a total number of points equal to twice the cypher's level. The character can choose which Pool to add each point as it becomes available. If the character achieves maximum health, the regeneration pauses until the character becomes damaged again, at which point regeneration begins again (if any reserve regeneration remains) until the overall duration expires.

1. TRANSVOLUTION

Once activated (a process requiring a few rounds of set-up), an instantaneous doorway to another specific location is created. The location can be within the serve results and the set of the set o

be within the same recursion, or to a specific location in another recursion. A doorway to a location in the Strange can also be created, but only if this cypher is not used on a prime world (such as Earth). The doorway lasts for up to one minute.

LEVEL 106 + 4

1. **UNINTERRUPTIPLE POWER SOURCE** Once activated, the device provides power appropriate to some other device for up to a day. The device to be powered can be as simple as a light source to as complex as a small starcraft, assuming the cypher's level is equal to the item's power requirements; a desk lamp is the equivalent of a level 1 power requirement, a car engine is a level 5 power requirement, while a starship is a level 10 power requirement.

LEVEL 106 + 3

1. MELT ALL Organic slime dissolves 1 cubic foot (0.3 m) of material each round. After one round per cypher level, the slime dies and becomes inert.

2. FORCE ARMOR PROJECTOR

Creates a shimmering energy field around the user for one hour, during which time he gains +3 Armor (+4 Armor if the cypher is level 5 or higher).

LEVEL 106 + 1

1. EFFECT RESISTANCE

User gains a second defense roll to avoid a failed defense roll against direct damaging effects (except blunt force, slashing, or piercing) if the level of the attack is less than or equal to the cypher level for 1 day.

2. EFFORT ENHANCER

User can apply one level of Effort to a noncombat task without spending points. The level of Effort provided does not count toward the maximum amount of Effort a character can normally apply to one task.

LEVEL 106 + 2

LEVEL 1D6 + 4



User becomes invisible for ten minutes. While invisible, she is specialized in stealth and Speed defense tasks. This effect ends if the user does something to reveal presence or position attacking, using an ability, moving a large object, and so on. If this occurs, the user can regain the remaining invisibility effect by taking an action to focus on hiding her position.



User can fly at her normal speed for one hour.

STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE

vernon reich - writevern@gmail.com - 164630

LEVEL ID6 LEVEL 1D6 LEVEL 1D6 LEVEL 1D6 1. SNIPER MODULE 1. INTELLIGENCE FOCUS 1. MELEE ENHANCEMENT 1. TYPE ADILITY ENHANCEMENT For the next hour, the ranged weapon's User trained in melee attacks for 1 day. The difficulty of any task involving For the next day, the character has effective range this cypher is intelligent deduction, such as playing training in one twist, revision, or move attached to increases to 2 miles (3.2 the user has. 2. DARKSIGHT chess, inferring a connection between km). clues, solving a mathematical Grants the ability to see in the dark for problem, finding a bug in computer 2. REFLEX ENHANCER eight hours. code, and so on, is decreased by two 2. EFFORT ENHANCER The difficulty of any task involving steps for the user for one hour. In the User applies one level of Effort to a 3. CHAOSPHERE NAVIGATION manual dexterity is decreased by two hour following the first, the strain noncombat task without spending any increases the difficulty by two steps for steps for the user for one hour. ENCHANCEMENT points from a Pool. The level of Effort the same tasks. User trained in Chaosphere navigation provided by this cypher does not 3. FRACTAL SURFING ENHANCEMENT for 1 day. count toward the maximum amount of Effort a character can normally ap-User trained in fractal surfing for 1 day. 2. RANGED ENHANCEMENT ply to one task. For the next day, the character has training in ranged attacks. 3. DARKSIGHT Grants the ability to see in the dark for eight hours. LEVEL 1D6 + 1 LEVEL 1D6 + 1 LEVEL 1D6 + 1 LEVEL 1D6 + 2 1. ARMOR REINFORCER +2 1. EFFECT KESISTANCE 1. ARMOR REINFORCER +3, COLD **1. MAGNETIC RAY EMITTER** User's armor gains a +2 bonus to Armor User gains a second defense roll to User's armor gains a +3 bonus to Projects a ray of destructive magnetic for 1 day. avoid a failed defense roll against Armor (+5 vs. cold) for 1 day. energy up to 200 feet (61 m) that direct damaging effects (except blunt inflicts damage equal to the cypher's force, slashing, or piercing) if the level + 2. 2. NUTRITION AND HYDRATION 2 LIFT level of the attack is less than or equal User can go without food and water to the cypher level for 1 day. User can float up into the air or back 2. ANALEPTIC for a number of days equal to cypher down again at a rate of 20 feet (6.1 m) Points equal to the cypher level are per round for 1 hour. Winds or other level. 2. ADEYANCE TRAP restored to the user's Speed Pool. effects can move the cypher user 3. EFFORT ENHANCER Target creature within short range laterally. whose level does not exceed the User can apply one level of Effort to cypher's goes into abeyance, exactly as 3. ARMOR REINFORCER +3, ACID a noncombat task without spending if it had translated to another points. The level of Effort provided User's armor gains a +3 bonus to recursion, except that no version of does not count toward the maximum Armor (+5 vs. acid) for 1 day. the creature appears in any other amount of Effort a character can norrecursion. Instead, the affected creamally apply to one task. ture simply doesn't exist for one hour.

STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE

vernon reich - writevern@gmail.com - 164630

LEVEL 106 + 2

1. FLASHØURST

If thrown, travels to indicated spot within short range and explodes in an immediate radius, blinding all within it for one minute.

2. CURATIVE

Points equal to the cypher level are restored to the user's Might Pool.

LEVEL 1D6 + 3

1. FORCE ARMOR PROJECTOR

Creates a shimmering energy field around the user for one hour, during which time he gains +3 Armor (+4 Armor if the cypher is level 5 or higher).

2. FORCE SCREEN PROJECTOR

Creates an immobile plane of solid force up to 20 feet by 20 feet (6.1 m by 6.1 m) for one hour. The plane conforms to the space available.

LEVEL 106 + 2

1. MANIPULATION BEAM

The user can activate the cypher a total number of times equal to the cypher's level during a day. Each time, the wearer can choose to affect an object she can see within long range that weighs no more than an object the wearer herself could physically affect. The effect must occur over the course of a round, and could range from closing or opening a door, keying in a number on a keypad, transferring an object a short distance, wresting an object from another creature's grasp (on a successful Might-based roll), or pushing a creature an immediate distance.

2. MEDITATION AID

Points equal to the cypher level are restored to the user's Intellect Pool.

LEVEL 1D6 + 3

1. BLUNT FORCE NULL FIELD

User and all creatures within immediate range of the user gains a +5 bonus to Armor against damage from bashing for one hour.

2. ACID NULL FIELD

User and all creatures within immediate range of the user gains a +5 bonus to Armor against damage from acid for one hour.



LEVEL 106 + 2

1. INTELLECT ENHANCEMENT Adds 1 to Intellect Edge for one hour.

2. SPEED ENHANCEMENT Adds 1 to Speed Edge for one hour.

3. BLACKOUT

An area within immediate range of the user becomes secure against any effect outside the area that sees, hears, or otherwise senses what occurs inside. To outside observers, the area is a "blur" to any sense applied. Taps, scrying sensors, and other direct feed surveillance methods are also rendered inoperative within the area for the duration.

LEVEL 106 + 2

1. SHRAPNEL GRENADE

Explodes in an immediate radius, inflicting shrapnel damage equal to the cypher level.

2. FOCUS HOOK

If used while translating or during the recovery period immediately after translating to another recursion or prime world, the user can retain the focus of the previous recursion or prime world even if that focus is not normally draggable. The focus is retained for as long as the user remains in the new recursion.

3. FIRE GRENADE

Explodes in an immediate radius, inflicting fire damage equal to the cypher level.

1. STRENGTH BOOST Adds 1 to Might Edge for one hour.

2. **FIRE STRANGE AMMUNITION** If attached to a weapon that uses ammunition, ranged attacks with that weapon deal bonus fire damage equal to the cypher level.

LEVEL 106 + 4

LEVEL 106 + 2

1. TRANSVOLUTION

Once activated (a process requiring a few rounds of set-up), an instantaneous doorway to another specific location is created. The location can be within the same recursion, or to a specific location in another recursion. A doorway to a location in the Strange can also be created, but only if this cypher is not used on a prime world (such as Earth). The doorway lasts for up to one minute.

STRAIGE STRAIGE

STRAIGE STRAIGE

LEVEL 1D6 + 4

Creature or object affected by this cypher cannot translate or pass through an inapposite gate for a day. The cypher contains enough energy to affect up to five creatures in immediate range with one use.

2. RECURSION CODE

The cypher serves as a recursion key to a specific location within a recursion. A recursion key does not create a gate to the specified location-the recursor must initiate a translation and succeed on the translation roll normally. But on a successful roll, everyone participating in the translation appears in the location specified by the key (not the default location for the recursion, or the place the recursor initiating the translation left from).

LEVEL 1D6 + 4

1. STRANGE APOTHEOSIS

User can access any skill or ability she has ever gained by translating to another recursion or prime world for one hour. The user can also access the skills and abilities granted by her original focus, if that focus is not currently active.

One unanchored item user's size or smaller within long range is drawn immediately to the device over the course of 1 round. The item has no momentum when it arrives.

When fired, the cypher bursts in a poisonous cloud within an immediate

1. NERVE GAS AMMUNITION

 (\mathcal{A})

poisonous cloud within an immediate distance. The cloud lingers for 1d6 rounds unless conditions dictate otherwise. Living creatures that breathe suffer Speed damage equal to the cypher level.

LEVEL 1D6 + 2

2. MIND NUMBING GAS AMMUNITION

When fired, the cypher bursts in a poisonous cloud within an immediate distance. The cloud lingers for 1d6 rounds unless conditions dictate otherwise. Living creatures that breathe suffer Intellect damage equal to the cypher level.

Level 106 + 4

1. TISSUE REGENERATION

User regenerates 1 point of damage per round for one hour, up to a total number of points equal to twice the cypher's level. The character can choose which Pool to add each point as it becomes available. If the character achieves maximum health, the regeneration pauses until the character becomes damaged again, at which point regeneration begins again (if any reserve regeneration remains) until the overall duration expires.

STERANGE STERANGE STERANGE STERANGE

STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE

vernon reich - writevern@gmail.com - 164630



STANDARD PHYSICS (Earth): Taser-like contraption

MAGIC (Ardeyn): Elixir in glass vial

MAD SCIENCE (Ruk): Flechette gun

PSIONICS: Crystal headpiece

SUBSTANDARD PHYSICS: Green rock

EXOTIC: Point of scarlet light



SUBSTANDARD PHYSICS: Smoldering coal

EXOTIC: Dull pain



MAD SCIENCE (Ruk): Spine

PSIONICS: Bright-eyed rat

SUBSTANDARD PHYSICS: Reddish-blue rock

EXOTIC: Smell of lilacs



MAD SCIENCE (Ruk): Injector

PSIONICS: Translucent cape

SUBSTANDARD PHYSICS: Length of hemp

EXOTIC: Sound of chimes



STANDARD PHYSICS (Earth): Black leather glove

MAGIC (Ardeyn): Candle

MAD SCIENCE (Ruk): Palm graft

PSIONICS: Jade bracelet

SUBSTANDARD PHYSICS: Antelope thighbone

EXOTIC: Frog with the face of a woman





vernon reich - writevern@gmail.com - 164630

STERANGE STERANGE STERANGE STERANGE

STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE STRAIGE

vernon reich - writevern@gmail.com - 164630



STANDARD PHYSICS (Earth): Voltmeterlike device

MAGIC (Ardeyn): Rune inscribed on scroll

MAD SCIENCE (Ruk): Adhesive skin patch

PSIONICS: Orbiting psychic crystal

SUBSTANDARD PHYSICS: Shark tooth

EXOTIC: Patterned breeze



EXOTIC: Sound of running water



STANDARD PHYSICS (Earth): Blue pills

MAD SCIENCE (Ruk): Spider that chirps

PSIONICS: Mood ring

bottle

SUBSTANDARD PHYSICS: Thorn headband

EXOTIC: Specific feeling of melancholy fear

STANDARD PHYSICS (Earth): Copper coin

MAGIC (Ardeyn): Golden crown

MAD SCIENCE (Ruk): Umbilical

PSIONICS: Crystal strand

SUBSTANDARD PHYSICS: Boar tusk

EXOTIC: Point of utter darkness





EXOTIC: Series of nonsense words



MAD SCIENCE (Ruk): Biomodule

PSIONICS: Elegant facemask

SUDSTANDARD PHYSICS: Feathered mask

EXOTIC: Dream of an eyeless face





