Monster Extractor II: THE UN-DEAD

for The Dungeon Crawl Classics Role Playing Game

This generator is designed to help jump-start your brain when you become weary of the garden-variety un-dead out there already staggering through the world, but can't dig up anything from the mist-covered loam of your creative centers. Running through the charts will give you a set of stats and some 'bare bones'. Then you'll need to look at everything you've rolled and 'electrify' this thing into life (so to speak) - but you may well start to have strong ideas along the way, and that is exactly the point of the Extractor: to help you find fun ideas when your skull-candy falters.

HOW TO START • The expected number of Player Characters (#PCs) in the group your monster opposes is used as a baseline to generate some stats • If you already have an idea for some aspect of your monster, don't bother to roll that part • If an idea for the creature strikes you along the way, allow that idea to influence remaining results • Don't re-roll anything during the process; instead, tinker at the end • Don't read the charts all the way across; make a roll for each header.

ARMOR CLASS = 10+(#PCs)

INITIATIVE = +1d14-5

HD TYPE = Double the number of PCs and use the die type nearest to that number. **QUANTITY OF HD** = Highest Level among the Player Characters (PCL).

TIME SINCE FINAL BREATH: $(1d30 - 1) \times (1d100)$ years; 0 years = 1d12 - 1 months.

ALIGNMENT: Roll 1d20: 1-9 Chaotic • 10-14 Neutral • 15-20 Lawful

MOVE	ACTION DICE	# of ATACKS	ATTACK BONUS	INTELLIGENCE IN DEATH
20	1d20	1	PCL-2	Animal
30	1d20+1d16	1-2	PCL	Low
40	2d20	2	PCL+1	Human Average
50	2d20+1d16	2-3	PCL+1d3	Above Average
60	3d20	3	PCL+1d5	Super-Genius
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TYPES OF ATTACKS

Roll 1d10 for each Attack from above:

- 1 Withering 1d3 to 1d6 damage per hit from 1 pre-determined random Ability.
- Amnesia / Confusion Roll under Luck each round to act, for 1d(#PCs) rounds.
- Immobilization Target is motionless for 1d(#PCs) rounds.
- Standard Weapon Randomly determined(?); is significant from former life.
- Possession Creature operates PC while PC operates Creature(?).
- Aging 1d(#PCs) years a Crit = 1d30 years years lost do not "heal".
- Commute Own Wounds Share dying wounds for 1d4 to 1d10 damage.
- Fists & Feet 1d4 to 1d10 damage; may also exist alongside other attack types.
- 9 Ectoplasm All target's rolls drop on Dice Chain (per hit?), until de-slimed.
- 10 Vitality Theft 1d(PCL or #PCs) of damage, which is added to creature's hp total.

If the same result comes up more than once, creature can affect that many adjacent targets with a single attack. Check for each attack: on a 3-in-5 the creature can use that attack against targets 1d8x5' away. Freely combine attack types as seems interesting, e.g., Punch or Kick attack that also inflicts Ectoplasm and its effects.

SAVES: 9-in-10 Un-dead are immune to anything that strikes via a Fort Save. 7-in-10 are immune to anything that strikes via a Will Save. Roll 1d8+#PCs and enter that for all remaining Save types.

- AS THEY LIVED AND BREATHED

10 General/Solider

Roll 1d20 to discover what this thing was most significantly before death.

- 1-6 Gong Farmer, etc. 11 Performer King 12 Prisoner **Nobility** 13 Slave Wizard
 - 14 Outcast 15 Pirate Captain
- 16 Judge
- 17 Doctor
- 18 Psychopath 19 Monster
- 20 Roll Twice

POWERS TO AVOID DESTRUCTION Roll 1d12 #PCs - 1d3 Types • OR • 1d8 - 1d4 Types

- 1 Intangibility (to hit: Ref DC = to AC)
- 2 Flesh Matters Not (All atks do 1 damage)
- 3 Same Alignment = no effect
- 4 Frighteningly Fast (un-dead Ref DC 15 = miss)
- Resumes Death State (Regeneration)
- Throws New Wounds Back At Attacker
- Bend Attacker's Will (to hit: Will DC 15)
- Near-Invisibility (-1d when attacking)
- Different Alignment = no effect
- 10 +1d6 to Armor Class & Reflex Saves
- 11 0 hp = Banishment for 1d30 days
- 12 HD are 2 steps up Chain & maximum hp

OBSESSIVE GOAL

Roll 1d16

- Burn Down/Bring Down A House
- 2 Kill Own Killer
- 3 Destroy All Life
- 4 See Familial Remains Consecrated
- 5 Held By Outside Power
- 6 Protect Specific Location/Item
- Reconcile with Former Foe
- Share a Secret From Their Lifetime
- Return to Life
- 10 Prepare the Way for Being of Power
- 11-13 Follow/Haunt PC(s)
- 14-16 No goal; can only be destroyed Assisting the Un-dead in resolving their obsession may allow them to rest and cease their un-dead existence.

VISAGE

Roll 1d6

- Decayed 4 Skinless 2 Bloodless 5 Skeletal
- 3 Swollen 6 Normal (whatever that is)

POST-ROLLING TINKERING:

- Nothing this size could ever address all potential possibilities. Adjust results as needed to be useful/memorable.
- Don't necessarily strengthen a weakness add more strength elsewhere instead.
- If the monster seems too weak to be a threat, give it supporting mooks.
- This Extractor isn't well suited to threaten high-Level PCs. You may need to strengthen these un-dead creatures for high-level play.

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