

THE
STAR FLEET
HANDBOOK



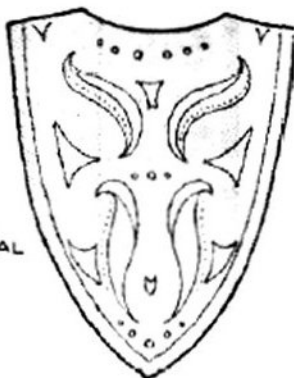
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THE ALIENS OF *STAR TREK*

ANDORIANS



ANDORIAN
CEREMONIAL
VEST



SHRAS & THELEV

Andor is a planet of Epsilon Indi, an orange star some 3.5 parsecs from Earth. The Andorian Star Empire encompasses several other planets in the star system, and a number of Andorian-colonized planets in neighboring systems. Although a member of the United Federation of Planets, Andorians are self-admittedly a violent, warrior race. They do not, however, fight without reason. Andorians are not noted for sympathy, but are nonetheless very efficient in their internal affairs and in dealing with other life forms. One of the few empathies that they do have is for family.

Physiologically, Andorians are rather slim and fragile looking humanoids, although they do possess great agility and strength. Andorian skin color varies from pale blue to yellow green (the same variation is observed in Orions); their hair is white. Curved, flaring antennae, projecting from the back of the head and ending in round knobs, serve as hearing organs; although these have less range than human ears, they pick up a wider range of frequencies. Because of the sensitive antennae, Andorians listen with their heads down and slightly tilted. Except for the antennae, Andorians are very similar in physiology and mentality to the Orions; it is probable that the two have considerable common ancestry. As is found with a number of non-human species, Andorians speak standard English with a soft Mittel-european accent.

Traditional customs and accoutrements are important to Andorians. Ceremonial dress consists of a studded, tooled leather vest, worn over a silver metallic shirt. A sword may be worn as well.

Typical male Andorian names include Shras, Thelev, and Thel'n. Females are designated by a feminine genitive of their husband's name.

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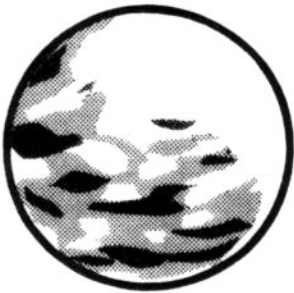


PART 1 - Vulcans, Klingons, Romulans

PART 2 - Andorians

PART 3 - Kzinti, Caitians, Tholians

PLANETARY CLASSIFICATION

	Surface	Atmosphere	Description	Example	Life Forms
A	tenuous, may not be present	reducing: methane, etc.	radiates heat, "failed" star	Jupiter	unknown
B	tenuous, may not be present	reducing	non-radiant	Neptune	unknown
C	iron/silicate	reducing, dense	high surface temperature	Venus	Medusans, Tholians
D	metallic/silicate	fluid, very dense	small, young	Excalbia	carbon cycle
E	silicate, some metals	reducing/oxidizing	large molten core	Janus VI	Hortas
F	silicate, some metals	oxidizing	very young (less than 10^9 years)	Delta-Vega	little or no free oxygen
G	silicate	oxidizing, thin	desert planet	Rigel XII	humanoid
H	silicate	variable	geologically active	Gothos	unknown
I	nickel-iron/silicate	(A-G) none; (H-N) tenuous	asteroids	Ceres Yonada	Vedala
J	silicate	very tenuous: noble gases	moons	Luna	unknown
K	silicate	tenuous: some water	adaptable with pressure domes	Mars	primitive invertibrates
L	silicate/water	oxidizing	geologically inactive	Psi 2000	humanoid
M	silicate/water	oxidizing	geologically active	Terra	humanoid
N	water entirely	oxidizing	pelagic planet	Argo	humanoid

	Appearance	Description	Example
1		fast axial rotation; dense cloud layer forming circular bands that obscure surface features	Omicron Ceti III
2		slow axial rotation; moderate to dense cloud layer forming mottled patches, with warm convection currents visible as light areas, some surface features visible	Gamma Hydra IV
3		moderate axial rotation; variable cloud layer ranging from dense, opaque whorls to scattered individual clouds, most surface features visible	Alpha Carinae II

PLANETARY LOG

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Aldebaran III
 (Aldebaran Colony)
 Alfa 177
 Alpha III
 Alpha Carinae II, V
 Alpha Centauri
 Alpha Eridani II
 Alpha Majoris I
 Alpha Proxima II
 Altair VI
 Andor
 Antares
 Antos IV
 Amusement Park Planet
 (Omicron Delta Region)
 Arcadia III
 (Motherlode)
 Arcanis
 Arcturus
 Ardana
 Argelius II
 Argo
 Argus X
 Ariannus
 Arret
 Axanar

 Benicia Colony
 Berengaria VII
 Beta III
 (Star System 6-11)
 Beta XIIA
 Beta Antares IV
 Beta Aurigae
 Beta Canopus II
 Beta Lyrae
 Beta Portalan
 Beta Six Colony
 Black Star

 Camus II
 Catulla
 Capella IV
 Centauri VII
 Cereberus II
 Gestus III
 Ceti Alpha V
 Cheron
 Colony Five
 Coridian System
 Corinth IV
 Cygnet XIV
 Cygnia Minor Colony

 Daran V
 Deneva
 Delta-Vega
 Deneb II, IV, V
 Dimorus
 Draymia, Dramia II

Eden
 Planet 892-IV
 Ekos
 (M43 Alpha)
 Elas
 (Tellun Star System)
 Elba II
 Eminiari III
 (Vendikar)
 Eminiari VII
 (Star Cluster NGC 321)
 Epsilon Canaris III
 Epsilon Indi
 Excalbia
 Exo III

 Gamma II
 Gamma 7A System
 Gamma 400 System
 Gamma Canaris N
 Gamma Hydra IV
 Gamma Trianguli VI
 Gamma Vertis IV
 Gideon
 Gorla Colony
 Gothos

 Hanson's Planet
 Holberg 917-G
 (Omega System)
 Ingraham B
 Izar

 Janus VI

 Kelva
 (Andromeda Galaxy)
 Kzin

 Solar System L370
 Solar System L374
 Lavinius VI

 Planet M-113
 Makus III
 Malurian System
 (Omega Cygni)
 Manark IV
 Marcos XII
 Marcus II
 Medeusa
 Megas-Tu
 Melkotian System.
 Memory Alpha
 Merak II
 Metron System
 Midos V
 Minara
 Mudd
 Murasaki 312

 Neural
 New Paris Colony

Omega IV
 Omicron IV
 Omicron Ceti III
 Ophiuchus VI
 Organia
 Orion (Orion Colonies)

 Pallas XIV-I (Bezaride)
 Pallas XIV-II (Mantilles)
 Pallas XIV-III (Alondra)
 Phylos
 Platonius
 Pollux IV, V (Beta Geminorum)
 Psi 200
 Pyris VII

 Planet Q

 Regulus V
 Remus
 Rigel II, IV, V, VII, XII
 (Rigel Colonies)
 Romulus

 Sandara
 Sarpeidon (Beta Niobe)
 Saturnius
 Scalos
 Sherman's Planet
 Sigma Draconis III, IV, VI
 Sigma Iotia II
 Sol III (Earth, Terra)
 Sol IV (Martian Colonies)
 Spica

 Talos IV
 Tantalus V
 Tarsus IV
 Tau Ceti
 Taurus II
 Tellar
 Terratin
 Thasus
 Theta VII
 Theta Cygni V
 Tholia
 Tiburon
 Time Planet
 Triacus
 Triskelion (M24 Alpha)
 Troyius (Tellun Star System)
 Tycho IV
 Typerias

 Ursula

 Vega IX (Vega Colony)
 Vulcan (40 Eridani)
 Vendor
 Verdanis

 Wrigley's Pleasure Planet
 Zeon (M43 Alpha)

GALACTIC HISTORY

PRE-FEDERATION ERA - YEARS AGO:

10,000,000,000 - 300

YEARS AGO

- 10,000,000,000* Birth of Milky Way Galaxy.
- 5,000,000,000* Creation of Solar System. Stellar cataclysm forms energy corona at Galaxy rim
- 4,000,000,000 Earth cools. Life evolves.
- 1,000,000,000 Slavers control Galaxy. Slave races revolt - all life destroyed.
- 300,000,000 Insect-like aliens explore the Galaxy.
- 5,000,000* Birth of Organians.
- 3,000,000* Birth of Thasians.
- 2,000,000* Birth of Metrons.
- 1,743,912 Makers arrive from Andromeda Galaxy and establish outposts. Their descendants begin the Kalandan Empire.*
- 1,500,000* Disease causes the fall of the Kalandans. The Preservers arrive and seed the humanoids throughout the Galaxy.*
- 1,000,000* Time Travellers create the Guardian of Forever.
- 800,000* Hortas evolve on Janus VI.
- 750,000* Birth of the Vedala.
- 500,000 Birth of humanoids on Annet. Life on Annet is destroyed by war.
- 400,000* Old Ones on Exo III go underground as their sun fades.
- 300,000* Birth of humanoids on Triskelion. The Triskelians develop beyond their physical bodies.
- 100,000* Birth of humanoids on Talos IV. After a devastating war, the Talosians move underground.
- 50,000 Birth of humanoids on Cheron. Sentinent life on Cheron is destroyed by war.
- 30,000* Arrival of Flying Parasites in Galaxy. Fall of the Beta Portalan civilization.
- 20,000* Birth of humanoids on Pollux IV.
- 18,000* Birth of Vians on Minara.
- 15,000* Birth of Medeusans.
- 12,000* Amusement Park Planet built in Delta Omicron. Last known visit of the Wanderers Who Play.
- 10,000 Fabrina goes nova - launching of Yonada.
- 9,500 Pre-Reform Vulcan undergoes savage colonization period.
- 9,000 Wars on Vulcan. Romulans are taken by Preservers.* Vulcans turn to the logic of Surak.
- 8,000* Civilization falls on Camus II.
- 7,500* Kukulcan arrives on Earth.
- 6,000 Landru creates the Body on Beta III. Flint is born on Earth.
- 5,000* Inter-universe warp discovered on Lazarus' Planet. The Pollux humanoids arrive on Earth and begin the Greek mythology. Ice age on sarpeidon as the sun enters pre-nova phase.

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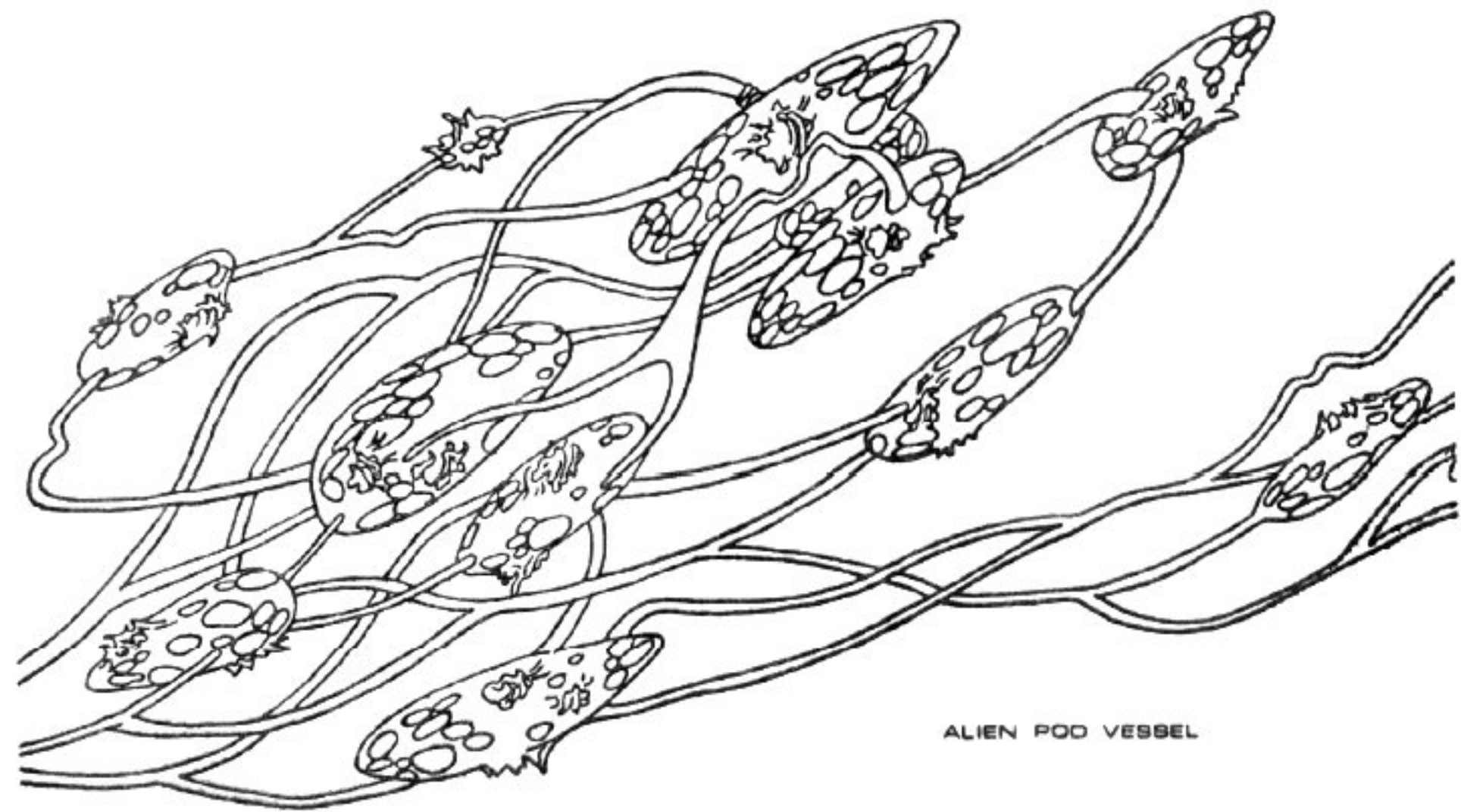
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- 4,500* Megans arrive on Earth.
- 4,000* Triacus supports a band of pirates that control Epsilon Indi.
- 3,500* Birth of Melkotians.
- 3,000* Birth of Phylosians.
- 2,500 Sandara goes nova. Platonians arrive on Earth. Platonius is colonized.
- 2,000* American Indians are taken by Preservers.
- 1,000* Birth of Vegans. Beginning of Vegan Tyranny.
- 800* Birth of the First Federation.
- 600* Time travel is developed on Serpeidon. Reign of Zor Kahn.
- 500 Birth of humanoids on Eminiar VII. Eminiar colonizes and begins war with Vendikar.
- 400* Bacteriological war starts on Omega IV. Redjac arrives on Earth. Civilization falls on M-113. Kahless sets the pattern of living on Klingon.
- 350* Near destruction of Omicron IV. Doomsday Machine arrives in Galaxy.
- 300 Life prolongation experiment causes death of adult population on parallel Earth. Gary 7 arrives on Earth.

* hypothetical

birth of a civilization dates from its development of space travel



ALIEN POD VESSEL

FEDERATION CHRONOLOGY

FROM THE TERRAN PERSPECTIVE

- 1980** Development of space shuttle.
Permanent manned orbiting space station constructed in international cooperative effort.
Flying belt found in Slaver stasis box on the moon.
- 1990** Revival of NERVA nuclear rocket research program. Designs for DY-100 Interplanetary vessel completed, prototype built. Eugenics Wars (World War III) 1992-96. Risen fall and disappearance of "supermen", departure of
- 2000** S.S. Botany Bay. 37 million killed. Formation of United Earth and UESPA. Departure of Nomad probe, 2002. Construction of space stations, permanent lunar Base. First manned Mars landing, exploration and settlement.
Fundamental Declaration of the Martian Colonies. Asteroid belt investigations begin. DY-200 ships designed, 2018, improvements in engines make interplanetary "sleeper ships" unnecessary. S.S. Savannah makes first journey to Jupiter. S.S. Goddard lost on first Saturn mission. Col. Christopher expedition completes mission successfully.
- 2010**
- 2020** Birth of Zefram Cochrane, 2025.
Moon and Mars continue to grow in population. "Space Ferries" developed to transport colonists.
- 2030** Genocidal war on earth led by Col. Green.

Exploration and colonization of Solar System continues. DY-300 and DY-400 Class vessels built. Numerous research stations on distant moons. Standard
- 2040** Procedures developed for exploratory missions. Discovery of Dilithium,
- 2050** Zefram Cochrane begins work on space warp experiments. DY-500 vessels with Ion-impulse drive appear. Kzinti reach Solar System, 2051. First Man-Kzin War. Kzinti are finally defeated when Cochrane's faster-than-light drive is used by Earth vessels.
- 2060** S.S. Bonaventure sent out by UESPA to survey nearby star systems. Return of Bonaventure. Existence of other planets and races confirmed.
- 2070** UESPA begins construction of several Galactic Survey Cruisers. Departure of S.S. Valiant. Last message received from Valiant, vessel presumed lost.

Bonaventure lost on third voyage.
- 2080** Colonies established in nearby systems. Plans made for further exploration, exploration.
- 2090** Contact with Vegans, Earth-Vega War.
End of Vegan Tyranny.

FEDERATION CHRONOLOGY

FROM THE TERRAN PERSPECTIVE

Exploration reveals many new planets.

- 2100** First contact with Vulcans, 2100.
Cultural exchange program begins.
Six women murdered in Martian Colonies, 2105.

- 2110** Disappearance of Zefram Cochrane from Alpha Centauri, 2112.

- 2120** Exploration and discovery continues. Many new races contacted.
Interstellar commerce and cultural exchange prospers.

- 2130** Proposal to join civilizations into a giant political network.
Formation of United Federation of Planets. Ratification of
Articles of Federation. Star Fleet Academy, Star Bases established.

- 2140** Procedures standardized for future exploration.
Aliens begin appearing in Star Fleet.
All starships designated by prefix U.S.S.
Colonization of Deneva.

- 2150** Ten women murdered, Heliopolis, Alpha Eridani II, 2156.
U.S.S. Archon disappears on survey mission to Beta III.

Birth of Sarek, 2161.

- 2160** Romulan War, 2161-62. Treaty of Peace and neutral zone established.
Asteroid outposts constructed to prevent further aggressions.
U.S.S. Horizon visits Sigma Iotia II, leaves "The Book" in violation of the
Prime Directive.

- 2170** First contact with Klingon Empire.

- 2180** Exploration and discovery continues. New classes of ships designed
For exploration and commerce. New colonies continue to be established.

- 2190** Birth of Robert April, 2190
Janus VI mining colony established.

- 2200** Birth of Amanda Grayson

- 2210** Constitution Class Starships designed, fourteen built. Robert April assumes
command of U.S.S. Enterprise. U.S.S. Valiant is lost on exploratory probe to
Eminiar VII, reports that planet is at war with its neighbor.

Birth of Richard Daystrom. Birth of Christopher Pike, 2216.

FEDERATION CHRONOLOGY

FROM THE TERRAN PERSPECTIVE

2220

Birth of James T. Kirk, 2229.

2230

S.S. Columbia crashes on Talos IV.

Installation of Daystrom's computer systems aboard Starships.

2240 Battle of Donatu V with the Klingons; inconclusive.

Kodos "the executioner" murders half the population of Tarsus IV.

Christopher Pike assumes command of Enterprise. Talos IV expedition.

2250 Cloud-vampire attacks U.S.S. Farragut in Tycho star group.

James T. Kirk assumes command of U.S.S. Enterprise.

2260

On mission to edge of Galaxy, Enterprise finds disaster recorder ejected from S.S. Valiant 189 years previously.

THE REST IS KNOWN