# TERMINUS PROBOTS

Vast is the arsenal Omega, Lord of the Terminus, has gathered in his never-ending crusade to conquer and consume the worlds of the omniverse. The devices of a thousand thousand universes are his to command, like pawns in a cosmic game.

One such weapon is the probot, a scout construct, often the first indication a universe has of the existence of the Terminus, and a herald of what is to come. Countless probots are hurled out into the myriad realities of the omniverse by the power of the Doom Coil. Passing through the dimensional membranes like an infection, they land on unsuspecting worlds (often taken for meteors or other space debris), where they activate and begin their mission: to analyze a world's potential, neutralize threats, and summon the forces of the Terminus to conquer and consume it.

Probots often travel in the void for centuries, even millennia, before they encounter a world, and many more find worlds of no interest to their lord and master. A handful land on suitable planets in other realities. They immediately search for signs of habitation and civilization, and home in on these traces. The probots gather information about the local life-forms, technology, and culture, transmitting it back to the Terminus. They also eliminate any potential threats they encounter along the way, assessing their strengths and weaknesses.



TERMINUS PROBOTS

MUTANTS & MASTERMINDS GADGET GUIDES

## TERMINUS PROBOT

STR	STA	AGL	DEX	FGT	INT	AWE	PRE
16	-	0	2	8	0	2	0

## **POWERS**

Colossal: Growth 16 (Permanent, Innate) • 33 points

Machine: Immunity 40 (Fortitude effects, mental powers), Impervious Toughness 16 • 56 points

Rockets: Flight 8 (500 MPH) • 16 points

Sensor Array: Senses 18 (Analytical Vision, Communication Link with the Terminus, Darkvision, Direction Sense, Distance Sense, Extended Vision 2, Radio, Rapid Vision 2, Time Sense, Ultravision, Vision Penetrates Concealment) • 18 points

Weapon Array: Array (31 points)

- Blaster: Ranged Damage 14, Accurate, Variable Effect (energy types) • 1 point
- Force Web: Ranged Cumulative Affliction 10 (Resisted by Dodge, Overcome by Damage; Hindered and Vulnerable, Defenseless and Immobilized), Extra Condition, Limited Degree • 31 points

### SKILLS

Insight 4 (+6), Investigation 8 (+8), Perception 8 (+10), Ranged Combat: Weapons Array 4 (+6), Technology 8 (+8)

## ADVANTAGES

Assessment, Eidetic Memory

Usually, once a probot has landed on a world, it is already too late. Although a formidable force, the probot is only a scout. A world capable of defeating one is certainly noteworthy, but hardly a concern for the forces of the Terminus. Still, probots are equipped to deal with such potential concerns: if Omega or his lieutenants feel the newly encountered world is potentially more trouble than it is worth, the probot can be turned into an omega-bomb, capable of wiping out the entire world and removing it as a concern.

On a few occasions, probots become damaged during their long journey across the omniverse. Sometimes they land on planets and fail to activate, remaining buried beneath crash sites, or drifting through omniversal space, until some outside influence activates them. A damaged probot is even more dangerous, as its behavior is completely unpredictable, and it may become a walking bomb, just waiting to go off, if it is not handled carefully.

## PERSONALITY

Machines programmed for one purpose, probots have limited artificial intelligence and personalities. They are capable of communicating (absorbing the local language as part of their scanning process) but rarely have anything to say to the populace, apart from informing them of their eventual fate, either to be conquered by the Terminus, or destroyed. Probots cannot be dissuaded from their mission or reasoned with, although they can potentially be fooled.

•	7	7	7	П	•	г
ш	13	Þ	13		-	н
	ш	ш	ш	м	ш	ш

INITIATIVE +0					
Blaster +8	Ranged, Damage 14 (variable)				
Force Net +8	Ranged, Affliction 10 (Dodge DC 20)				

Unarmed +8 Close, Damage 16

	ł	E	15	Ē
--	---	---	----	---

DODGE	8	FORTITUDE	Immune
PARRY	8	TOUGHNESS	16
WILL	6*		

<sup>\*</sup>Immune to mental powers

POWER POINTS			
ABILITIES	14	SKILLS	16
POWERS	155	DEFENSES	16
ADVANTAGES	2	TOTAL	217

## COMPLICATIONS

Machine: Probots are sophisticated machines, but machines nonetheless, and often limited in their "thinking" and individual

Motivation—Programming: Probots are programmed to carry out their tasks as scouts and saboteurs before an invasion and do not vary from their instructions.

## **POWERS & ABILITIES**

A probot is a massive machine powered by a cosmic energy furnace in its torso. Built of alien alloys and covered in armor plating, a probot can survive re-entry and crash landing on a planet's surface, as well as resisting most weapons. As machine, they are immune to the biological needs of living things, and lack a true "mind" for mental powers to influence them.

A probot is equipped with antigravitational and rocket propulsion, allowing it to fly at subsonic speeds, although many of them walk, gathering data as they inexoribly move towards their targets. The robots have an array of sensors, able to scan a wide range of electromagnetic frequencies, including local broadcast transmissions. All of this information is stored in the probot's data-banks, and regularly transmitted back to the Terminus via subspace link.

Probots are equipped with both offensive and capture weapons. A force web projector can fire pulses of energy that ensnare targets, usually for later analysis, while the machine's blaster cannons can be tuned to project different forms of energy based on the probot's analysis of target weaknesses, also useful in gathering information for its master.

GADGET GUIDES \_\_\_\_\_\_ MUTANTS & MASTERMINDS

### **OPEN GAME LICENSE Version 1.0a**

The following text is the property of Wizards of the Coast, Inc. and is Copyright 2000 Wizards of the Coast, Inc ("Wizards"). All Rights Reserved.

- 1. Definitions: (a)"Contributors" means the copyright and/or trademark owners who have contributed Open Game Content; (b)"Derivative Material" means copyrighted material including derivative works and translations (including into other computer languages), potation, modification, correction, addition, extension, upgrade, improvement, compilation, abridgment or other form in which an existing work may be recast, transformed or adapted; (c) "Distribute" means to reproduce, license, rent, lease, sell, broadcast, publicly display, transmit or otherwise distribute; (d)"Open Game Content" means the game mechanic and includes the methods, procedures, processes and routines to the extent such content does not embody the Product Identity and is an enhancement over the prior art and any additional content clearly identified as Open Game Content by the Contributor, and means any work covered by this License, including translations and derivative works under copyright law, but specifically excludes Product Identity. (e) "Product Identity" means product and product line names, logos and identifying marks including trade dress; artifacts; creatures characters; stories, storylines, plots, thematic elements, dialogue, incidents, language, artwork, symbols, designs, depictions, likenesses, formats, poses, concepts, themes and graphic, photographic and other visual or audio representations; names and descriptions of characters, spells, enchantments, personalities, teams, personas, likenesses and special abilities; places, locations, environments, creatures, equipment, magical or supernatural abilities or effects, logos, symbols, or graphic designs; and any other trademark or registered trademark clearly identified as Product identity by the owner of the Product Identity, and which specifically excludes the Open Game Content; (f) "Trademark" means the logos, names, mark, sign, motto, designs that are used by a Contributor to identify itself or its products or the associated products contributed to the Open Game License by the Contributor (g) "Use", "Used" or "Using" means to use, Distribute, copy, edit, format, modify, translate and otherwise create Derivative Material of Open Game Content. (h) "You" or "Your" means the licensee in terms of this agreement.
- 2. The License: This License applies to any Open Game Content that contains a notice indicating that the Open Game Content may only be Used under and in terms of this License. You must affix such a notice to any Open Game Content that you Use. No terms may be added to or subtracted from this License except as described by the License itself. No other terms or conditions may be applied to any Open Game Content distributed using this License.
- 3. Offer and Acceptance: By Using the Open Game Content You indicate Your acceptance of the terms of this License.
- 4. Grant and Consideration: In consideration for agreeing to use this License, the Contributors grant You a perpetual, worldwide, royalty-free, non-exclusive license with the exact terms of this License to Use, the Open Game Content.
- 5. Representation of Authority to Contribute: If You are contributing original material as Open Game Content, You represent that Your Contributions are Your original creation and/or You have sufficient rights to grant the rights conveyed by this License.
- 6. Notice of License Copyright: You must update the COPYRIGHT NOTICE portion of this License to include the exact text of the COPYRIGHT NOTICE of any Open Game Content You are copying, modifying or distributing, and You must add the title, the copyright date, and the copyright holder's name to the COPYRIGHT NOTICE of any original Open Game Content you Distribute.
- 7. Use of Product Identity: You agree not to Use any Product Identity, including as an indication as to compatibility, except as expressly licensed in another, independent Agreement with the owner of each

element of that Product Identity. You agree not to indicate compatibility or co-adaptability with any Trademark or Registered Trademark in conjunction with a work containing Open Game Content except as expressly licensed in another, independent Agreement with the owner of such Trademark or Registered Trademark. The use of any Product Identity in Open Game Content does not constitute a challenge to the ownership of that Product Identity. The owner of any Product Identity used in Open Game Content shall retain all rights, title and interest in and to that Product Identity.

- 8. Identification: If you distribute Open Game Content You must clearly indicate which portions of the work that you are distributing are Open Game Content.
- 9. Updating the License: Wizards or its designated Agents may publish updated versions of this License. You may use any authorized version of this License to copy, modify and distribute any Open Game Content originally distributed under any version of this License.
- 10. Copy of this License: You MUST include a copy of this License with every copy of the Open Game Content You Distribute.
- 11. Use of Contributor Credits: You may not market or advertise the Open Game Content using the name of any Contributor unless You have written permission from the Contributor to do so.
- 12. Inability to Comply: If it is impossible for You to comply with any of the terms of this License with respect to some or all of the Open Game Content due to statute, judicial order, or governmental regulation then You may not Use any Open Game Material so affected.
- 13. Termination: This License will terminate automatically if You fail to comply with all terms herein and fail to cure such breach within 30 days of becoming aware of the breach. All sublicenses shall survive the termination of this License.
- 14. Reformation: If any provision of this License is held to be unenforceable, such provision shall be reformed only to the extent necessary to make it enforceable.

#### 15. COPYRIGHT NOTICE

Open Game License v 1.0 Copyright 2000, Wizards of the Coast, Inc. System Reference Document, Copyright 2000, Wizards of the Coast, Inc., Authors Jonathan Tweet, Monte Cook, Skip Williams, based on original material by E. Gary Gygax and Dave Arneson.

Modern System Reference Document, Copyright 2002-2004, Wizards of the Coast, Inc.; Authors Bill Slavicsek, Jeff Grubb, Rich Redman, Charles Ryan, Eric Cagle, David Noonan, Stan!, Christopher Perkins, Rodney Thompson, and JD Wiker, based on material by Jonathan Tweet, Monte Cook, Skip Williams, Richard Baker, Peter Adkison, Bruce R. Cordell, John Tynes, Andy Collins, and JD Wiker.

Mutants & Masterminds, Copyright 2002, Green Ronin Publishing; Author Steve Kenson.

Advanced Player's Manual, Copyright 2005, Green Ronin Publishing: Author Skip Williams.

Silver Age Sentinels d20, Copyright 2002, Guardians of Order, Inc.; Authors Stephen Kenson, Mark C. Mackinnon, Jeff Mackintosh, Jesse Scoble.

Mutants & Masterminds, Second Edition, Copyright 2005, Green Ronin Publishing; Author Steve Kenson.

DC Adventures Hero's Handbook, Copyright 2010, Green Ronin Publishing; Author Steve Kenson.

Mutants & Masterminds Hero's Handbook, Copyright 2011, Green Ronin Publishing; Author Steve Kenson.

Mutants & Masterminds Deluxe Hero's Handbook, Copyright 2013, Green Ronin Publishing; Authors Leon Chang, Seth Johnson, Jon Leitheusser, Prof. Christopher McGlothlin, M.Ed., Steve Kenson

Terminus Probot, copyright 2014, Green Ronin Publishing, LLC; Author Steve Kenson

E