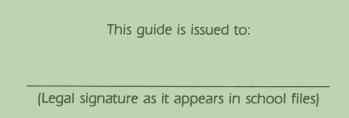
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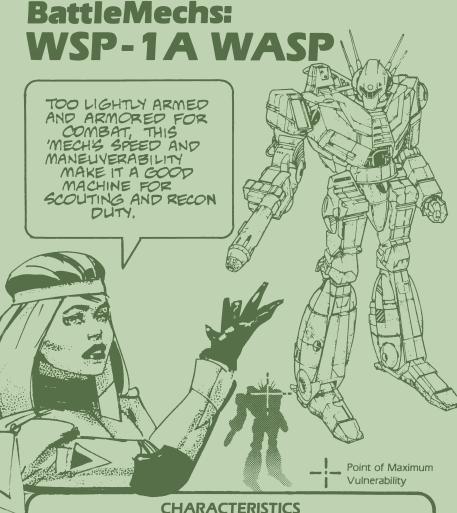


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Running factor: 9

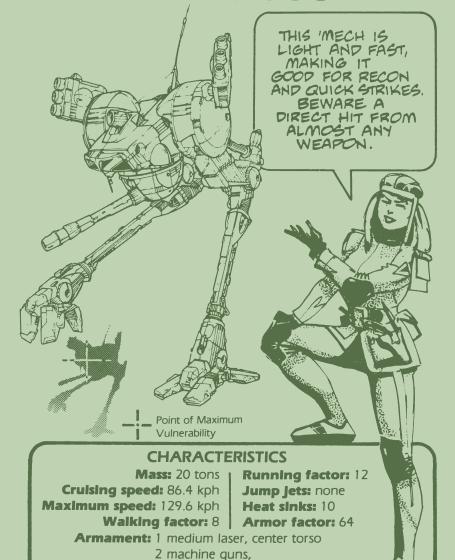
Jump Jets: capacity: 180 meters

Mass: 20 tons Cruising speed: 66.5 kph Maximum speed: 95.1 kph

Heat sinks: 10 **Armor factor: 48** Walking factor: 6

Armament: 1 medium laser, right arm 1 short-range missile, left leg

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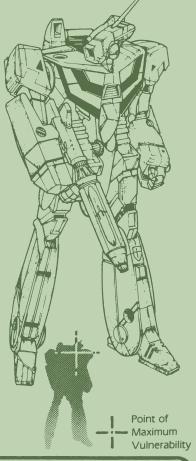


one each in right and left arms

STG-3R STINGER



ALTHOUGH LIGHTLY ARMORED, AND WITH LIMITED WEAPONS, THIS MECH HAS SPEED AND MOBILITY, MAKING IT ONE TOUGH MACHINE TO PIN DOWN.



CHARACTERISTICS

Mass: 20 tons
Cruising speed: 63.4 kph
Maximum speed: 91.6 kph

Walking factor: 6

Running factor: 9

Jump Jets: capacity: 180 meters

Heat sinks: 10 Armor factor: 48

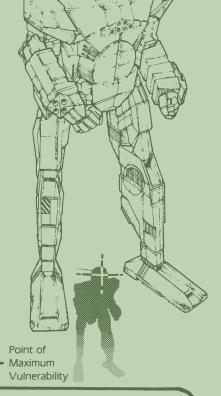
Armament: 1 medium laser, right arm

2 machine guns, one each in right and left arms

COM-2D COMMAN

DESPITE ITS LIGHT ARMOR, THIS 'MECH'S DUAL MISSILE SYSTEMS MAKE IT A 6000 RECON AND EMERGENCY BARRAGE VEHICLE.





CHARACTERISTICS

Cruising speed: 64.8 kph Maximum speed: 97.2 kph

Walking factor: 6

Mass: 25 tons | Running factor: 9 Jump Jets: none Heat sinks: 10 Armor factor: 64

Armament: 2 short-range missiles 1 each in right arm and center torso 1 medium laser, left arm

'Mech Weapons

EACH CLASS OF MECH HAS ITS STANDARD ON-BOARD WEAPONS. YOUR MECH CAN ALSO BE EQUIPPED WITH ADDITIONAL COMBINATIONS OF WEAPONS.

LASERS: Powered off your 'Mech's power plant, these never run out of ammo.

Small lasers

Power output: .8 to 1.5 megajoules Effective range: 90 meters

Medium lasers

Power output: 1.5 to 3 megajoules

Effective range: 300 meters

Large lasers

Power output: 3 to 5 megajoules Effective range: .5 kilometer

PARTICLE PROJECTION CANNON: PPC's damage with a combo of intense heat, kinetic energy, and electrical overload. These generate more heat points per shot than any other weapon.

Welght: 7 tons | Power output: 5 megajoules

Effective range: .5 kilometer

AUTOCANNON: This rapid-fire weapon causes maximum damage to BattleMech composite armor.

Weight: 6 to 14 tons

Effective range: 120 to 700 meters

FLAMER: The plasma fired from this is under such extreme temperature and pressure that it expands in a cloud of flame.

Range: strictly a close-range weapon **Types:** both hand held and vehicle mounted

Anti-'Mech Weapons: **VIBRABOMBS**





BE ON THE ALERT FOR THESE! VIBRATIONS FROM AN APPROACHING 'MECH SET THESE LAND MINES OFF. THESE BOMBS CAN BE SET FOR DIFFERENT WEIGHT CLASSES .. JUST BECAUSE ONE 'MECH PASSES UNHARMED DOESN'T MEAN YOUR MECH IS SAFE.

CHARACTERISTICS

Weight: 1 kilogram

Operation: requires a minimum mass of

10 tons to detonate

INFERNO



FIRED FROM A
STANDARD INFANTRY
SRM LAUNCHER,
THIS SPECIAL-PURPOSE
MISSILE EXPLODES
IN MIDAIR,
DISPERSING A
HIGHLY FLAMMABLE
FLUID AND
SEVERELY RAISING
THE TARGET
'MECH'S HEAT
FACTOR.



CHARACTERISTICS

Operation: Replaces any SRM 2-pack

WARNING: Carries high probability of explosion due to heat build-up—carry on board only with the

utmost caution



Personal Weapons:

HAND-HELD WEAPONS...
SUCH AS THE
VIBRO-BLADE AND
SUBMACHINE GUN-.
ARE SPECIALIZED
FOR COMBAT
OUTSIDE THE
RELATIVE SAFETY
OF YOUR MECH.





Use: A highly effective cutting tool

Weight: 200 grams

Operation: Vibrates at extremely high speed

when activated

SUBMACHINE GUN (SMG)



LASER PISTOL



LASER RIFLE



LASERS: The highest-tech weapons, with longer ranges and greater penetration capabilities than projectile weapons. Guard these scarce armaments with care.



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