

TREE OF CHEEM

The Trees of Cheem, also known as The Forest of Cheem, are a race of intelligent humanoid trees, descended from the rain forests of Earth. They are made from wood and have large, intricate heads and bark-like skin. The Forest respect all forms of life, but neither respect nor understand technology, referring to computers as "metal minds" or "metal machines" (but they were known to use them). They are of huge financial importance due to their land holdings and forests on various planets and as such, they have "roots" everywhere. As one of the higher species who were aware of the course of the Time War, and its history-changing effects, they were mortified by the bloodshed.

Name: TYPICAL TREE OF CHEEM

Attributes

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| STR – Level IV | CHA – Level V |
| END – Level IV | MNT – Level V |
| DEX – Level IV | ITN – Level VI |

Special Ability

Bark-like Skin – Provides 1D6+3 protection.

Retractable Vines – A Tree of Cheem can shoot out a vine from each arm which has a range of 6 meters (4 squares) and do 1D3 points of damage. It is considered inappropriate to shoot these tendrils in public.

Combat Statistics:

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| AP: | 7 |
| Unarmed Combat, Tendrils | Level II |

Significant Skills

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| Administration | Level V |
| Earth Sciences, Hydrology | Level IV |
| Engineering, Bio-Engineering | Level VI |
| Chemical Engineering | Level IV |
| Life Sciences, Agriculture | Level VI |
| Botany | Level VI |
| Ecology | Level V |
| Social Sciences, Economics | Level V |
| History (Forest of Cheem) | Level IV |
| Verbal Interaction, Haggling | Level V |
| Negotiation/Diplomacy | Level V |

Weakness:

Being made from wood, the Trees of Cheem are especially vulnerable to fire which causes Type A (Energy Weapons) damage.

Info Text Source:

TARDIS Index File Tree of Cheem Article (http://tardis.wikia.com/wiki/Tree_of_Cheem)

Forest of Cheem entry on the Wikipedia list of Doctor Who creatures and aliens (http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_Doctor_Who_creatures_and_alien)

