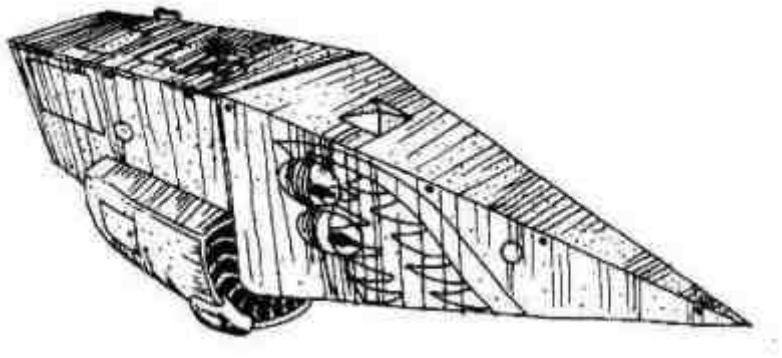


Name: Python Bulk Transport
Type: Bell-Braben Python Bulk Transport
Scale: Capital
Length: 200 Meters
Skill: Capital Ship Piloting - Python
Crew: 10; Skeleton Crew: 5/+15
Crew Skill: Capital Ship Piloting 4D, Astrogation 4D
Passengers: 10
Consumables: 1 Year
Cost: 600,000 (new); 250,000 (used)
Cargo Capacity: 50,000 Tonnes
Hyperdrive Multiplier: X4
Hyperdrive Backup: N/A
Nav Computer: Yes
Space: 4
Atmosphere: 280; 800kmh
Maneuverability: 2D
Hull: 5D
Shields: 2D
Sensors:
- Passive: 20/0D
- Scan: 50/1D
- Search: 80/2D
- Focus: 4/3D

Weapons:
- 4 Medium Laser Cannons
  - Fire Arc: Turret
  - Fire Control: 3D
  - Space: 1-5/15/30
  - Atmosphere Range: 100-500/1.5/3km
  - Damage: 5D

Description: The Python is a bulk transport built by Bell-Braben shipyards, and although a large and unwieldy vessel, it has sold well because of its defensive capabilities and relative cheapness. Used by as many pirate groups as legitimate traders, sales of the Python were restricted by the Empire to avoid Rebel privateers gaining access to yet more armed vessels. However as the New Republic came to power, sales have increased once again as not only traders worried about piracy have purchased these ships, but also governments wanting to avoid their cargoes being seized by their enemies have bought large amounts of this large cargo ship.

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