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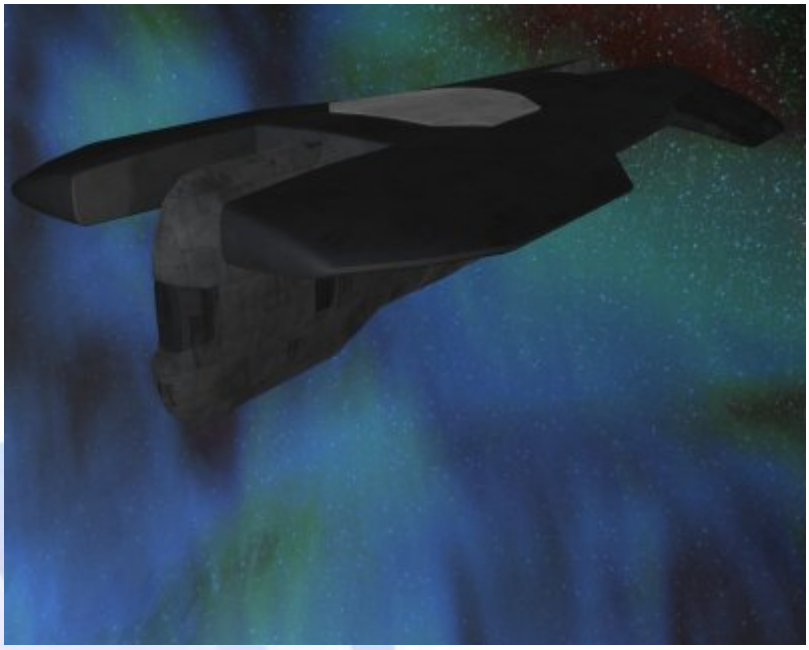

Name: Star-Manta Frigate
Type: Vertizon Construction Yards Star-Manta Frigate
Scale: Capital
Length: 250 Meters
Skill: Capital Ship Piloting: Star-Manta
Crew: 854; skeleton 350/+10
Passengers/Troops: 250
Crew Skill: Astrogation 3D, Capital Ship Piloting 3D+2, Capital Ship Gunnery 4D+1, Starship Shields 3D, Sensors 3D+1
Consumables: 2 Years
Cost: 5.5 Nillion Credits
Cargo Capacity: 6,000 Tons
Hyperdrive Multiplier: X2
Hyperdrive Backup: X18
Nav Computer: Yes
Space: 5
Atmosphere: 320; 900kmh
Maneuverability: 1D+1
Hull: 5D
Shields: 1D
Sensors:
- Passive: 45/0D+1
- Scan: 85/1D+1
- Search: 145/3D+1
- Focus: 3/5D

Fighters: 12
Transports: 1

Weapons:
- 10 Turbolaser Batteries
  - Scale: Capital
  - Fire Arc: 6 Front, 1 Left, 1 Right, 2 Rear
  - Fire Control: 2D
  - Space: 1-5/35/75
  - Atmosphere Range: 6-30/70/150km
  - Damage: 4D
- 6 Laser Cannons
  - Scale: Starfighter
  - Fire Arc: 2 Front, 2 Left, 2 Right
  - Fire Control: 1D+2
  - Space: 1-3/12/25
  - Atmosphere Range: 2-6/24/50km

Damage: 4D

2 Tractor Beam Projectors

Scale: Capital

Fire Arc: 1 Front, 1 Back

Fire Control: 3D+1

Space: 1-5/15/30

Atmosphere Range: 2-10/30/60km

Damage: 4D

Description: The Star-Manta is a heavily armoured frigate designed around the same time as the Nebulon series of Frigates, due to Imperial restrictions on who could buy capital ships, the Star-Manta was only bought in small numbers. The toughness of the Star-Manta's hull allowed them to be very survivable in combat, but most owners prefered to add more powerful shields since the preinstalled set were notoriously weak. Star-Manta's have one feature which makes them especially notorious however, the hull being designed to take stealth coatings and the engines to take stealth baffling systems, making the frigate extremely hard to detect once these systems are added. This has led to more Star-Manta's being purchased by the pirate community than any other capital ships, with pirates trading in captured vessels to gain the advantages that a stealth ship would provide.

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