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## **GAME NEWS**

CTF Arena #392 [2005 Championship]: Turn #6 saw some strong scoring but little change in the comparative ratings as we still have strong leaders in the first and second place positions. There are some contenders for third place but the current leader has a steady grip on the position. Next turn could see two Bot casualties and a shakeup in the standings.

Turn #7 saw a slowdown in the scoring pace but a BIG jump for the first place Pilot as the second place contender failed to score <u>any</u> hits! However, all is not lost for the second placer as he still has a solid lead over third place. The battle for third place is now VERY close with a mere 0.03 separating the two contenders. Casualties for next turn now seem very likely as we have three Bots close to destruction!

Turn #1: Lowest: 0.10 Average: 0.26 Best: 0.53
Turn #2: Lowest: 0.33 Average: 0.53 Best: 0.93
Turn #3: Lowest: 0.40 Average: 0.73 Best: 1.35
Turn #4: Lowest: 0.63 Average: 0.97 Best: 1.72
Turn #5: Lowest: 0.64 Average: 1.18 Best: 2.20
Turn #6: Lowest: 0.78 Average: 1.43 Best: 2.92
Turn #7: Lowest: 1.19 Average: 1.74 Best: 3.42

CTF Arena #393: This is a Standard Paced 2-Sided contest with a full compliment of nine bots per team. Side #1 is fielded by FRAG' DEN HENKER and weighs in at a solid 600 tons. Side #2 weighs in at a hefty 670 tons and is headed by the SISTERS OF SILICON. Both teams have comparable levels of experience. The Arena contains a fairly dense and varied set of terrain features with a large number of buildings which will no doubt have a significant effect on tactics. We look forward to an exciting contest.

CTF Arena #394: This is a Standard Paced 2-Sided contest — a special reduced price contest for small groups and independents. Side #1 is spearheaded by PACIFIC STORM with one veteran Pilot and weighs in at 240 tons. Side #2's ranking officer (and the only experienced Pilot on the team) is a member of the LEGION OF WAR and the team weighs in at 240 tons. With good weather, a varied landscape and well-matched sides we can look forward to a fun contest.

Coming Up: We are now taking applications for Arena #395. We are currently close to starting a Fast Paced 4-Sided contest!

## **HALL OF FAME**

Pilot Ratings do not include the results of Face-to-Face games. Ratings are only for those Pilots who have completed games and do not include games in progress. Kills, however, do include games in progress.

Senior Ranking Pilots

General Dutchman General Madmartigan General Anthony Stark General Cutthroat Collins General Bolo General Mad Dog General Bastlor Grumock General Riva Irongrip General Mordius General Lunatik General Helen Narena General Slime Sledge Hammer General Rugal Ratslayer General Solo McIntres General Whispering Death General Blood Shredder General H.A.L. Mayne General I.B. Tryon General Angus McNarley General Jerek Loren General Frontal Robotomy General Richard Shadowhand General Kael

Top Light Bot Ratings
Lt. Colonel Wan Tyn Sol Jr. — 8.30!
Lt. General Slanter Jax — 7.92
General Madmartigan — 7.82
Captain Condor — 7.65
Colonel Otto Von Braun — 7.52
Major Odysseus — 7.45
Brig. General Idomeneus — 7.43
General I.B. Tryon — 7.40
Major Eric Sunsword — 7.30
Colonel Artemis — 7.18

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Lieutenant Findem And Fryem — 6.99
Colonel Bili the Axe — 6.89
General Slime Sledge Hammer — 6.37
Major Roger Dawkins — 6.20
Lt. Colonel Hammerhead — 6.14
\* General Angus McNarley — 5.99
\* General Jerek Loren — 5.78
Lt. Colonel Chico Delgado — 5.87
Captain Walks Softly — 5.54
Lt. Colonel Egoan Mor — 5.51

Top Heavy Bot Ratings
Captain Mack Ross — 5.60
Captain Achilles — 5.21
Major Embo Slamboa — 5.01
Captain Hagen — 4.99
Captain Krunch — 4.86
Brigadier General Botman — 4.80
Brig. General Oliver Stone — 4.75
Lt. Colonel Storm Chanter II — 4.60
Major Cannon Fodder — 4.52
Colonel Dana Malh — 4.48

Top Light Bot Pilots (3+ Game Average)
Major Odysseus — 6.07
Lieutenant Bad Karma — 5.67
Colonel Larry Underwood — 5.40
General Kael — 5.32
Captain Condor — 5.17
Major U.B.1 Snotlicker — 4.77
Lt. Colonel Ian McTaggert — 4.73
Brigadier General Botman — 4.66
General Madmartigan — 4.62
Major General Arlos Terminator — 4.62

Top Medium Bot Pilots (3+ Game Average)
Major General Hawkeye — 4.34
Captain Flaxen Fury — 4.28
\* Colonel Bili the Axe — 4.30
\* General Angus McNarley — 3.85
General I.B. Tryon — 3.64
\* General Jerek Loren — 3.64
General Merlin D'Arcy — 3.63
Colonel Draka Deathdealer — 3.63
\* General Slime Sledge Hammer — 3.50
Lt. Colonel Zhitnik Zezel — 3.41

Top Heavy Bot Pilots (3+ Game Average)
Lt. Colonel Augustus — 3.57
General Blood Shredder — 3.43
Major Cannon Fodder — 3.41
Brigadier General Botman — 3.30
Captain Antannyn Rykkr — 3.27
Captain Vercingtorx — 3.25
Captain Krunch — 3.24
Captain Hagen — 3.22
Lieutenant Marc Aragon — 3.16
General Kael — 3.06

Pilots With The Most Individual Victories General Solo McIntres — 7

Pilots With The Most Team Victories General Anthony Stark — 16

Pilots With The Most Bot Kills Captain Grim Reaper — 7

Pilot With The Most CP Kills General Blood Shredder — 10

Top 2-Sided Team Ratings
A#363 Side #2 (un-named) — 3.22!
A#385 Side #2 (Legion Of War) — 3.03
A#378 Side #2 (Dynachrome Brigade) — 3.02
A#326 Side #2 (un-named) — 2.89
A#186 Side #2 (Centurions) — 2.87
A#379 Side #2 (Legion Of War) — 2.85
A#327 Side #1 (Kzinti Fithp) — 2.83
A#294 Side #2 (4th Praetorian Guard) — 2.83
A#209 Side #2 (Black Company) — 2.83
A#346 Side #2 (Frag' Den Henker) — 2.82
A#314 Side #2 (Mechastorm) — 2.82
A#348 Side #1 (Lensmen) — 2.77
A#389 Side #1 (Legion Of War) — 2.76
A#355 Side #1 (Frag' Den Henker) — 2.76

Top 4-Sided Team Ratings
A#359 Side #3 (Bot Busters) — 5.11
A#377 Side #4 (un-named) — 5.10
A#302 Side #2 (B'Hood of Thunder) — 5.07
A#386 Side #4 (Legion Of War) — 4.71
\* A#390 Side #2 (Bot Busters) — 4.66
A#339 Side #3 (Intrepid Enterprises) — 4.48
A#366 Side #3 (Bot Busters) — 4.38
A#249 Side #4 (Intrepid Enterprises) — 4.40
A#263 Side #2 (Intrepid Enterprises) — 4.34
A#317 Side #3 (B'Hood of Thunder) — 4.28
A#319 Side #3 (Legion of War) — 4.22
A#161 Side #4 (un-named) — 4.21
A#375 Side #4 (Legion Of War) — 4.16
A#310 Side #2 (Assass./Intrepid Ent) — 4.12

Top 2x4 Team Ratings
A#376 Side #2 (Kzinti Fithp/The Line) — 3.31
A#368 Side #1 (Legion of War) — 3.01
A#333 Side #1 (Berserkers) — 2.96

## **SPREAD THE WORD**

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