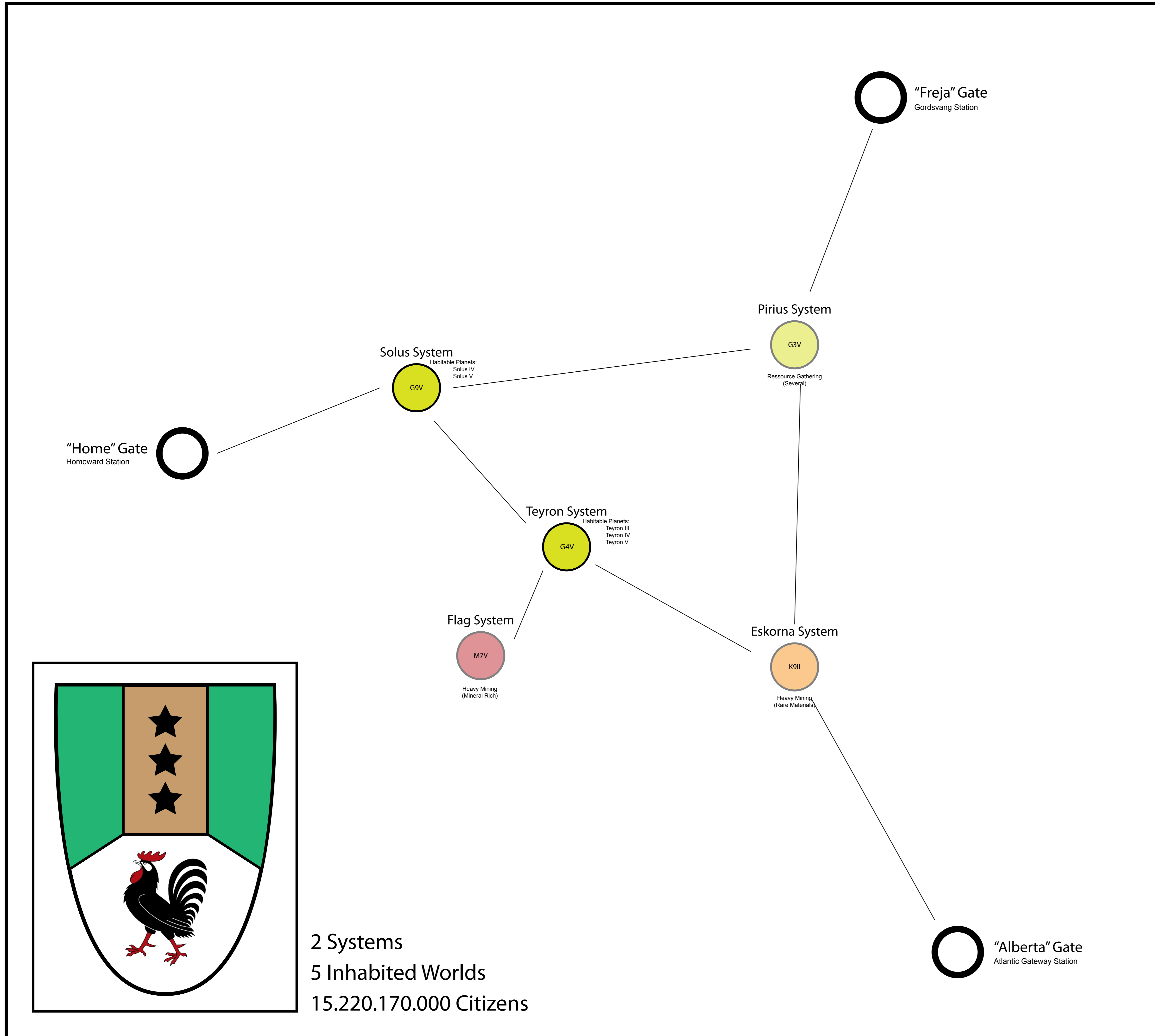


THYRIOS Cluster Record File

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Cluster Layout and Baseline Information

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Recent Historical Events

- 3078-01-01 State-sponsored 41st Flag Rally
- 3078-01-26 Singapore-based raiders attack the Solus System: The pirate-fleet vectors in from outside of normal routes and take the Solus Navy by surprise. The major losses were:
 - TNS Drago (Battle Cruiser, heavily damaged)
 - TNS Farro (Cruiser, heavily damaged)
 - TNS Parrina (Battleship, destroyed)
 - TNS SALVAY (Battleship, destroyed)
 - TNS ZNI (Cruiser, destroyed)
- 3078-02-01 The Singapore raid bears fruit when the attackers land in Catania after initial orbital bombardment. Casualties rise over the course of the day and finally come to a standstill around the 50,000 mark. Conexus Terra declares State of Emergency in the Protectorate and sends troops to intervene, including the whole sixth fleet under command of Admiral Jacobi. While civilian casualties rise to high levels, the damage done is - monetarily - devastating. Several high-profile companies close down following the attack on Solus IV (including Ravenna Foods, Duskwil Productions and Segarra Automobiles). Trade goods worth more than 137 billion Conexus Credits are stolen.
- 3078-02-04 The extended pirate-raid comes to a stop when the badly hurt Solus Naval Force finally regroups and merges with the Cluster Defense Fleet. Before actual battle starts, the pirates leave behind high-grade fusion explosives and take the populace hostage. Admiral Silvio Perugia, leader of the Cluster Defense Fleet feels the decision to let the pirates leave without engagement, sparing millions of lives on the planet. Admiral Corvi, commander of the Solus Naval Force oversteps his rank when he nonetheless orders his ship (TNS Modena, Battleship) to fire on the Singapore-Pirates. The pirates do not hesitate and set off the planet-bound bombs, obliterating several of the major cities on Solus IV. Part of the pirate group escapes, while over half of it falls to the blazing fire of the Cluster Defense Fleet under Admiral Perugia.
- 3078-02-08 Admiral Jacobi of the Sixth Conexus Terra fleet activates the Bifrost Station and catapults himself to a specifically set place within the Pirius System, where he expects the pirates to file to before leaving known space for their shady home. Jacobi had evaluated the strategy of the pirates correctly and devastated nearly all of the deployed forces with a barrage from long range battleships that awaited nearby all of the enemy force. With little left to their name, the pirates surrendered. They are taken prisoner and are handed over to the Thyrios Government as Terrorists.
- 3078-02-19 Conexus Terra convoys arrive near Solus with relief-goods and a great amount of medical and technical teams to discern the amount of damage caused and help those in need. Things turn out worse than expected and the slow process of rebuilding begins with the help of Conexus Terra and local companies like GASPAR and Gallo. Gerofolo's Grenadiers take on a garrison mission on Solus IV and pledge to work day and night until the harm has been undone.
- Former admiral Francisco Corvi stands trial publicly on Teyron IV, seat of the highest Court in the Cluster. The man, by now a shadow of his former self, is held accountable for the death of over nine million lives lost in the fusion bomb detonations. Charged with what amounts to several hundred years of prison, Corvi attends the general public before opting into the Gran Punizione (Death by shooting) available to all major criminals. In his address to the public Corvi speaks of the grief he has caused and that his own actions have created far too many orphans, widows and other victims of war. He tries to ask for forgiveness, but his voice fails him and he is dragged away from the podium by a pair of policemen. The Gran Punizione is executed the next day. Corvi entered the history books of Thyrios as an example of failure by emotion, a man led to grand destruction by his own impulses.
- 3078-04-09 Following all the events of the "Singapore Incursion", the government elects to create a series of monuments to the fallen. Admiral Perugia is named Fleet Admiral of the Cluster Defense Fleet, after the stepping down of the former Fleet Admiral Rossolotto. In response to the incursion, the government begins to create better patrol-patterns for recon scouts and commissions a series of Colline-Class Recon-Battlescuers with the GQNV (Grand Canadian Naval Yard) to further safeguard it's own borders. The Canadian Republic agrees to fulfill the commission and also offers a series of "loaned" Colline-Class ships until the first two have finished construction.
- 3078-09-02 An enormous solar eruption causes a widespread communications blackout in the Solus System, which causes the Night of Fear, an event that never took place. The eruption causes the irrational fear that pirates attack once more. Several thousand people lose their lives this night. Five days later, when communications resume, the shock and horrors of the "Singapore Incursion" become clear for all to see. Public health care is to include psychological therapy for all those whom were subject to harm or loss in the "Singapore Incursion". The program does much to alleviate the trauma, but is not able to fully help or heal all affected.
- 3079-03-24 A misfired training exercise on part of the Freja Naval Forces sends a showcase from Freja to Thyrios, resulting in an emergencylockdown of the Gate and nearby station as well as ships. The incident draws the ill will of government officials, and sanctions are called for by major political figures.
- 3079-03-28 The Freja Government issues a formal apology and offers to pay a small amount of reparation for damages caused. While Thyrios politicians call for censure and sanction, the Freja Government extends a helping hand in union with apologies. Technical teams from Freja are sent to Thyrios in order to aid in the replacement of parts to get ships and stations back into working shape. Nationalist parties use the fallout and carefully-selected information to try and stage a coup, feeling that the people are ready for a more hardline approach in government. While the plan works splendidly in most of Solus, the rest of the Cluster stays level-headed.
- 3079-05-02 Key nationalist party members are arrested on account of fraud and public mis-information on political grounds. The instigators are taken to the Formal Court and are sentenced to several years prison each.
- 3079-06-17 Prime Minister of the Independent Freja Cluster, Karl Jorgenson, travels to Thyrios to further smooth the waves of discomfort between the two independent clusters. He stays for an extended period of time and attends several public speeches regarding the standing of the two clusters and how working together could be so much more helpful to both parties.
- 3079-11-07 Karl Jorgenson presents the Thyrios Government with a proposal: Work together, train together, trade together. Form an alliance between the two Clusters to enable survival on both sides of the Freja Gate. The proposal finds a lot of resistance in the Thyrios Government, and becomes the most-discussed piece of politics in the last two centuries. Public forums are filled with people debating the pros and cons of this treaty, dissecting the very wording of it all. The Government calls for a public vote after nearly half a year has passed since the original proposal.
- 3080-05-11 The Public Vote on the Jorgenson-Treaty. The public vote on the issue of an alliance between Freja and Thyrios. Participation breaks all records of the last sixty years with 87% of eligible voters casting their opinion as well. With a strong 62% of the people have spoken in favor of the treaty, only 22% being against the idea outright.
- 3080-08-08 Chief of State Felicias Alicante travels to Freja aboard the TNS Adrianna, the ship of now-legendary Fleet Admiral Silvio Perugia. Once in Freja, a scheduled meeting on Frig IV is held together with a public event declaring the alliance as being in effect. Festivities include an exchange of students, workers and families that have volunteered, as well as many other activities.
- 3080-12-29 An unexpected swarm of meteors strikes the Atlantic Gateway Station and the nearby ships. A panicking NAA Freighter crashes into the TNS Ertesina in a hasty evasion maneuver, heavily damaging the ship and killing several dozen crewmembers in the process. The freighter lost half of it's cargo. The incident quickly escalates, as radical elements of the NAA Government demand reparations for lives lost and damage inflicted to a military vessel. By ways of help from Conexus Terra and Freja, the Thyrios Government can force it's claim and receives an appropriate sum as reparations, although not without grumbling from the NAA.
- 3081-01-05 Radical elements from the NAA plot a terrorist attack on Atlantic Gate Station, but are uncovered before their incoherent plot bears fruit. While the NAA Police crack down on the terrorists, harsh sentiments form between officials on both sides. With the NAA being constantly plagued by radicals, it is unsure whether future attacks will also be uncovered. Concerned about their own safety, traffic through Atlantic Gate begins to be highly regulated. Soon problems arise with contracts not being fulfilled because of the slowed down traffic, and companies lodge a complaint with TradeComm against the blockade. Military officials are not willing to compromise and cite security as their primary concern. The situation continues.
- 3081-02-19 With the continuing slowing of traffic along the Atlantic Gate, shipping companies begin to reroute important goods through Suez, which soon impacts the balance of Thyrios as an Independent Cluster-State. Freja officials lodge formal complaints day and night, seeing their own tariffs go down as well. Tensions spread from the NAA, Thyrios front to the Thyrios/Freja front. The military and intelligence service remain harsh in their stance and keep the Atlantic Gate traffic down to a minimum.
- 3081-04-16 An investigative journalist by the name of Ramon Costa uncovers a major scandal: The heads of military and intelligence services receive multi-million credit bribes from the official Suez Trading Court in return for their continued - and unwarranted - slowing of traffic through the Atlantic Gate. The scandal is blown wide open by a portage piece written by Costa, whom is soon the victim of an "accidental weapons malfunction". While Costa died, the momentum of the story was unstoppable. Security minister Raul Ortega stepped down in response to this shameful revelation, even though he never had part in it. The same happened with Defence Minister Alcos Costa, whom did not want to be involved in any of this, and simply stepped down. The re-arranging of the military and intelligence communities revealed the whole situation. Most of the commanding staff were on the take and were enforcing the will of the Suez Trading Court. Felicias Alicante, Head of State, issues a formal warning towards Suez and declared a full embargo on all trade goods, work forces and technical knowllege. Nobody within Thyrios was furthermore allowed to trade with Suez in any way, shape or form. The embargo was soon followed by similar declarations from Freja and several other independent colonies. Suez does not react and simply denies all claims of influencing others.
- 3081-06-02 A new term of office is beginning in four months. Voters ready themselves as candidates begin to publicly speak of their visions and dreams, their hopes for a better tomorrow. While the publicity goes to her competitors, Felicias Alicante stays full-on in her job and negotiates a treaty with several independent colonies to further isolate and punish Suez. Her direct attitude in this manner garners her many votes, even though a major offensive in the trade-dispute against Suez fails. Alicante had tried to get New China into her newly forming "Anti-Suez" league, but the chinese did not agree to her terms and were offended by her "meddling". A formal warning by the radical state gave pause to the electoral campaigns, as the people of Thyrios remembered the horrors of the far-away Asian Commonwealth War.
- 3081-08-07 The Suez-Intervention League, as it is now called, acts as a uniform bastion against the shady dealings of the Suez Trade Court. Consisting of Thyrios, Freja, Mongolia, Bohemia and the Abyss Colonies, they send a formal warning to Suez. The warning spells out, in great detail, the methods the Intervention League is capable of, including open warfare. Fair trade is what they seek and will enforce, if necessary. Specifically Novograd, Minos and Frankonia demand fair trade quotes instead of extortion-by-trade. While the Suez Trading Court makes a public show of ignoring the statement of the League, they nevertheless lower prices across the board for the Abyss Colonies, which are dependent upon the throughfare of Suez. On close channels the Patriarch of Suez sends another message to all the participants in the League: "Be warned, I will not let myself be a subject of threats any more. Suez has become the major trade route for New China and Republican Canada, two powers that will - without doubt, be unhappy about a cessation of trade on my part because of threats or warfare." An ongoing battle between traitors and loyalists had left one of the systems disintegrated and in fear. The moment the Alliance Fleet had assembled and was moving onward to engage the traitors, the New China Xunjin Fleet arrived, a massive behemoth of a warfleet. Broadcasting on all channels, they proclaimed the Freja/Thyrios Alliance Fleet to be attacking their subjects, an act of open warfare, and that they should immediately cease all fire. Heated arguments from the Frejan Fleet Admiral went past the Fleet/Admiral on the chessside, whom simply ignored all comments made. The New Chinese tried to claim the Jormud System in the cluster one of their provinces, but failed to comprehend the range of their actions as full. Two days after the occupation of Jormud II, the Conexus Terra Grand Fleet arrived, over half of their two-hundred Supercats in the fleet. Messing over two-thousand ships (excluding fighters), the fleet fired a single warning salvo, sinking three Chinese ships. Grand Admiral Joshua Harburg simply broadcast: "You are in violation of Protectorate Territory. Retreat back to the Great Wall before we call in the rest of the artillery. Harburg out."
- 3082-01-01 Precarious peace between New China and Conexus Terra/Freja/Thyrios.

Local Noteworthy Corporations

<p>THYRIOS MINING CO.</p> <p>Headquarters on Teyron IV Mining Ventures on Teyron III, Teyron IV, Teyron V, Teyron VI, Flag III, Eskoma II, Eskoma III, Eskoma VII, Solus II, Solus IX, Pirius III Refinery Complex on Teyron III Primary Center of Trade on Calgary IV in the Alberta Cluster (Neo American Alliance, Canadian Republic) Minor business ventures across the Teyron Cluster Privately held company</p>	<p>Carvalho's Grenadiers CTMC Registered High Threat Mercenaries</p> <p>Headquarters on Solus IV Ground-based mercenary force (2 Infantry Divisions, 1 Armor Division, 1 Mechanized Division) Contract History: Thyrios Army Mercenary Branch, Freja Military Corps, Canadian Mercenary Task-Force "Snowdew" Evaluation: Loyal force, spotless behavior, experienced commanders Privately held mercenary force (Charter signed 2779)</p>
<p>G & I Grossschmelzwerk Metallwerke</p> <p>Headquarters on Solus IV Primary Factory Complexes on Teyron IV, Solus IV, Solus VI Great Orbital Foundry in orbit around Flag III Primary Center of Trade on Solus IV (Local) State-sponsored public company</p>	<p>GASPAR</p> <p>Headquarters on Teyron V Low-G Training facility in orbit around Teyron V GASPAR Starbase in orbit around Teyron II Construction Projects: Atlantic Gateway Expansion 3, Gallo Orbital Foundry II in orbit around Eskoma III Prior Projects: Atlantic Gateway Expansion 1 and 2, Gordvang Station, Gallo Orbital Foundry, Government Mining Stations in Flag, Teyron and Solus Cluster-locked publicaly traded company</p>
<p>Galactica</p> <p>Headquarters on Teyron IV Hydroponic Farms on Teyron III, Teyron IV, Solus IV Hydroponics Technology Lab on Teyron III Hydroponics Engineering on Teyron III Primary Center of Trade on Teyron III (Local) Privately held company</p>	<p>BATTAGLIA ARMS</p> <p>Headquarters on Solus V Primary factory on Solus V Primary Contractor: Bureau of the Grand Marshall Privately held company</p>

Thyrios Naval Forces

<p>Cluster Defense Force</p> <p>Fleet Admiral Silvio Perugia Flagship: Supercarrier "TNSC Felicias" (Silvio Perugia) 2 Capital Ships - Carrier: TNC Moriente (Carita Di'Agonia) Dreadnought: TND Gregoriano (Mikhael Barrusso)</p> <p>12 Mainline Ships 81 Small Crafts 2,000+ Fighters</p>	<p>Homeward Station Fleet</p> <p>Admiral Teresa Nien Flagship: Battle Station "TBS Homeward" (Teresa Nien) 1 Mainline Ship 60 Small Crafts 1,200+ Fighters</p>	<p>Flag Protection Fleet</p> <p>Admiral Lia Aquila Flagship: Battleship "TNS Lontia" (Lia Aquila) 1 Mainline Ship 26 Small Crafts 50+ Fighters</p>	<p>Patrol Flotilla 1</p> <p>Captain Roger Mision 10 Small Crafts 12 Fighters</p>
<p>Solus Naval Force</p> <p>Admiral Valentina Alesini Flagship: Battleship "TNS Alberti" (Valentina Alesini) 5 Mainline Ships Battleship "TNS Messian" (Kriszof Muraman) Battlecruiser "TNBC Corsica" (Manuel Camena) Cruiser "TNCI Alcantari" (Jennifer Susate) Cruiser "TNCR Espirito" (Ricardo Gossini) Cruiser "TNCR Tolivetto" (Ramona Ricante)</p> <p>41 Small Crafts 300+ Fighters</p>	<p>Atlantic Gate Station Fleet</p> <p>Admiral Lydia Stefano Flagship: Battle Station "TBS Atlantic Gate" (Fabio Singaro) 5 Mainline Ships Battleship "TNS Eliot" (Amaranta Nicotoli) Battleship "TNS Donatello" (Alberto Corbani) Battleship "TNS Agostino" (Sesto Monte) Battleship "TNS Sovorno" (Rocco Albani) Battleship "TNS Gregorio" (Marcello Pellegrino)</p> <p>260 Small Crafts 2,500+ Fighters</p>	<p>Pirius Protection Fleet</p> <p>Admiral Zaira Cino Flagship: Battleship "TNS Escuria" (Zaira Cino) 1 Mainline Ship 22 Small Crafts 40+ Fighters</p>	<p>Patrol Flotilla 2</p> <p>Captain Adriana Consola 10 Small Crafts 12 Fighters</p>
<p>Teyron Naval Force</p> <p>Admiral Sabina Caliente Flagship: Battleship "TNS Rosso" (Sabina Caliente) 3 Mainline Ships Battleship "TNS Alinari" (Emilio Missiro) Cruiser "TNCR Concor" (Emilio Passerini) Cruiser "TNCR Tossimare" (Lello Longo)</p> <p>37 Small Crafts 400+ Fighters</p>	<p>Gordvang Station Fleet</p> <p>Admiral Lydia Stefano Flagship: Battle Station "TBS Gordvang" (Lydia Stefano) 3 Mainline Ships Battleship "TNS Evania" (Evo Corvo) Cruiser "TNCR Evania" (Evo Corvo) Cruiser "TNCR Seppi" (Evo Corvo, Frejan Ship)</p> <p>30 Small Crafts 500+ Fighters</p>	<p>Eskorna Protection Fleet</p> <p>Admiral Beniamino Tosetti Flagship: Battleship "TNS Tosetti" (Beniamino Tosetti) 1 Mainline Ship 29 Small Crafts 60+ Fighters</p>	<p>Patrol Flotilla 3</p> <p>Captain Kerlo Mastori 10 Small Crafts 12 Fighters</p>
		<p>Advanced Recon Flotilla</p> <p>Rear Admiral Cristina Valente Flagship: Battle Cruiser "TNBC Sardinia" (Cristina Valente) 2 Mainline Ships Battleship "TNCR Mercurio" (Virginia Stabile) Cruiser "TNCR Gosalotto" (Basilio Nardi)</p> <p>12 Small Crafts 20+ Fighters</p>	<p>Patrol Flotilla 4</p> <p>Captain Ulrich Meister 10 Small Crafts 12 Fighters</p>
			<p>Patrol Flotilla 5</p> <p>Captain Marco Diletti 10 Small Crafts 12 Fighters</p>

Thyrios Government Information

<p>Parliament</p> <p>Other Pro-GT Pro-MA National Socialist Reactionary Liberal Conservative</p>	<p>Important Officials</p> <p>Head of State: Felicias Alicante Foreign Minister: Josef Tuzi Defence Minister: Roberta Nardi Interior Minister: Rafael Bertoli Justice Minister: Zaira Vontas Commerce Minister: Isabella Mikasi Industry Minister: Hubert Alisson</p> <p>Grand Marshal: Miro Bassalot Grand Admiral: Riccardo Tourno</p>	<p>Courts and Head Judges</p> <p>Thyrios High Court: Judge Argentina Cormito Teyron Court: Judge Trizano Meisa Solus Court: Judge Antonio Cricato Military Tribunal: Judge Gen. Tomas Curio</p>	<p>Capitols</p> <p>Teyron III: Moriente (11.3M) Teyron IV: Alcantari (17.0M) Solus IV: Evania (9.3M) Solus V: Corica (54.2M) Teyron Cluster: Tossimare (14.9M) Gregoriano (218.3M)</p>	<p>Public Bureaus and Institutions</p> <p>Polizia Thyrios Polizia Thyrios is the Cluster-wide recognized police force. They fulfill common police roles and boast a wide array of special task forces, from smuggling to organized crime. The PT also encompasses the federal police, which is responsible for more specific crimes and multi-district events and crimes.</p> <p>Trade Comm Trade Comm stands for Trade Commission, the singular monolithic force of commerce that decides upon all major transactions and mega-corporation acquisitions. The Trade Comm is enforced by local military, and thus trade can be rough in Thyrios.</p> <p>Admin Admin stands for Planetary Administration and represents the sum of all administrative bureaus that would otherwise be split into singular institutions. The Bureau covers all those planetary things that do concern the daily lives of millions of Thyrians. Admin works closely with TradeComm and the Police, ensuring a safe and efficient working environment for not only the employees but also the people of Thyrios.</p> <p>Admiralty The Admiralty, currently under Grand Admiral Tourno, is the cornerstone of the Thyrios Navy. Supply, Maintenance and Construction orders all come from this office. All of the naval administration if organized in this institution, with it's main offices in the orbit around Teyron III and local bases all over the system, including Flag and Eskorna.</p> <p>Bureau of the Grand Marshal The Bureau of the Grand Marshal is, essentially, the beating heart of the ground-based military. All assets that are not spacefaring in nature belong to the Bureau and fall under the direct command of the Grand Marshal and his superior, the Head of State. The Bureau keeps bases on all colonized planets and several high-danger training facilities off-world, to school recruits and veterans alike in hazardous area combat. All the ground forces receive their training by ways of all subjects willing to join the naval forces. Between normal soldier training and officer school, they also offer special courses for the future ahead.</p>	<p>Other Information</p> <p>A single term of office consists of 8 years, with a single reconfirmation vote halfway through. The reconfirmation vote can cut the time of a ruler short and if the parliament does not trust it's head any longer, an immediate reconfirmation can be demanded.</p> <p>The voting process is performed in secret ballots method and goes along several steps.</p> <p>A voter picks his planetary favorite ruler, the party he wants to see as primary rulers and lastly the Head of State itself.</p> <p>All picks are added and the parliament is then split according to the given votes.</p> <p>The parties set up their mayors and governments, whom then add an additional vote to the planetary ruler. Added together with the public vote, the new planetary ruler emerges from the will of the people.</p> <p>Any planetary ruler casts several votes for his favorite ministers. These ministers may then, just as the planetary ruler, cast their vote for the Head of State.</p> <p>Once all votes are collected from all stages, the numbers are added up, with each additional step above the normal people counting double the prior in vote (i.e. a mayor's vote counts double, a planetary ruler's quadruple, etc.)</p> <p>Once the Head of State has been chosen, he is inaugurated in the Old Palace of State, which actually is the original colony ship that touched down first in the Cluster.</p> <p>In this ceremony, the ruler must swear by his life and spirit, that he will do all in his or her power to further the welfare of his subjects, the prosperity of the state and secure the borders of his worlds.</p> <p>Once the ceremony is over, it is tradition for newly voted Heads of State to assemble the ministers and stark heading for the future ahead.</p> <p>In cases of rigged votes and untrustworthy rulers, the Grand Marshal and Grand Admiral have the obligation to deny office to the falsely chosen ruler.</p> <p>This must be done in accordance with the rules of majority (i.e. an internal vote must be cast with 65% or more of the colony being in favor).</p> <p>The denial of office happened a total of three times in Thyrios over the last 500 years.</p>
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