United Earth Daedalus-Class

Light Cruiser; Commissioned: 2141; Refit: 2156

Hull Data

Structure: 20

[51 space][2; 1 space remains]

Size/Decks: 4/7

Length/Height/Beam: 105/40/25 m

Complement: 105

Tactical Data

Phase Cannons: PC-10a (x2/B) [-12]

Penetration: 2/2/2/0/0; 3/2/2/0/0

Torpedo Launchers:

FST Mk II (x3/B) [-6]

Mk 1 IF (x2/B) [-6]

Penetration: 1/1/1/0/0; 2/2/2/0/0

Hull Polarization:

HPG Mk 2 (B) [-5]

HPG Mk 3 (C) [-7]

Protection/Threshold: 10/1; 11/1

Propulsion Data

Impulse System: SBC (.5c) (B) [-3]

Warp System: WE-2c (1/1.4/2.2 OCU) (A) [-7]

WE-5 (3/4/5 OCU) (B) [-9]

Operational Data

Atmosphere Capable: No [0]

Cargo Units: 40 [0]

Life Support: Class 2 (C) [-4]

Operations System: Class 1 (B) [-3]

Sensor System: Class 1a (+1/0/0/0/0/AA) [-2]

Class 2 (+2/+1/0/0/0/C) [-2]

Separation System: No [0]

Shuttlebay: 1 a [-2]

Shuttlecraft: 4 size worth [0]

Grapplers: 1 av [0]

Transporters: None [0]

Miscellaneous Data

Maneuver Modifiers: +1C, 0H, +1T

Traits: Enhanced System (Warp x2) [-10]

Vulnerable System (Propulsion) [+5]

Prototype (+1 beam) [-2]

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Mission

The Daedalus-class was humanity’s first true interstellar starship. Though officially designated a light cruiser, like future Starfleet cruisers, its true mission is one of exploration.

Features

The Daedalus-class, like many Earth vessels of its era, is fitted with phase cannons and spatial torpedoes, with polarized hull plating as its primary defensive measure. It was the first Earth-built vessel fitted with an experimental Warp 2.2 engine, making the Daedalus-class twice as fast as its predecessors, the Neptune-class starships.

Background

United Earth designed the Daedalus-class as its first explorer, seeking out new life and new civilizations, to boldly go where no man has gone before. By the mid-2150s, most of the Daedaluses were retired in favor of the more advanced NX and Intrepid. The advent of the Earth-Romulan War brought new life to the class, as developments in the NX-program allowed the Daedalus to be refitted and hastily built to combat the Romulan threat. The production of both the Intrepid and the NX were discontinued in favor of the Daedalus, as three Daedalus-class starships could be built in the same time as two Intrepid-class or one NX-class.

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