

Starships D6 / Cylon Freighter (Original Series)

Cylon Freighter

Craft: Cylon Freighter

Type: Cylon Empire Multipurpose Cargo Transport.

Scale: Capital

Length: 100m

Skill: Space Transports Piloting: Cylon Freighter

Crew: 2 (pilots).

Crew Skill: Space Transports Piloting 4D.

Passengers: N/A (Though the xcargo space could be converted to carry hundreds of people or troops).

Cargo Capacity: 20,000 metric tons.

Consumables: N/A (Cylons do not need these, but if converted for Human use, could carry a few months worth or more).

Cost: N/A

Hyperdrive: N/A

Nav Computer: No.

Maneuverability: 0D

Space: 3 (Combat Speed when engaging enemies; Maximum Speed is Lightspeed)

Hull: 2D+1

Shields: N/A

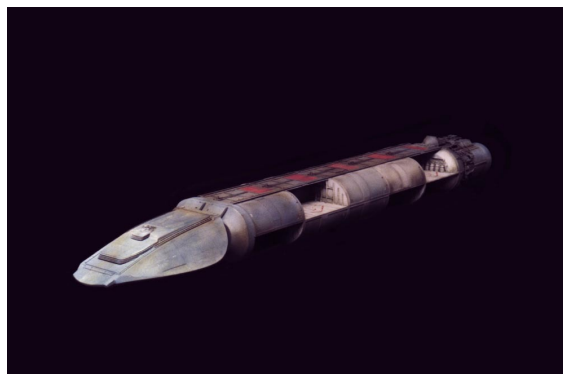
Sensors:

-Passive: 10/0D

-Scan: 25/1D

-Search: 40/2D

-Focus: 2/3D



DESCRIPTION:

The Cylon freighter (or Cylon tanker) is an unarmed ship used throughout the Cylon sphere of influence to transport fuel and other goods. Cylon fuel tankers may be used to support an offensive operation, as demonstrated at the Battle of Cimtar. Cylon fuel tankers allow the fighters to deploy far in excess of the ranges they are normally capable of without basestar support. This frees the basestars to attack the colonies while the fighters disposed of the battlestars at Cimtar (Saga of a Star World).

Vipers from both Galactica and Pegasus launch a mission in an attempt to capture Cylon freighters in order to resupply the fleet. The plan is foiled when Commander Cain intentionally destroys the freighters in order to force Adama into a position where he needed to attack Gamoray (The Living Legend, Part I).