

## Scorpio Class II Corvette



### Construction Data

Model Numbers Mk I  
Date Entering Service 2285 (2/22)  
Number Constructed 628

### Hull Data

Superstructure Points 3  
Damage Chart C  
Size

Length 22 m  
Width 7 m  
Height 7 m  
Weight 8,390 mt

### Cargo

Cargo Units 1 SCU  
Cargo Capacity 50 mt  
Landing Capability Yes

### Equipment Data

Control Computer Type L-13

### Transporters

standard 6-person 1

### Other Data

Crew 4

### Engines and Power Data

Total Power Units Available 7  
Movement Point Ratio 1/3  
Warp Engine Type FWA-1  
Number 1  
Power Units Available 6  
Stress Charts F/G  
Maximum Safe Cruising Speed Warp 7  
Emergency Speed Warp 9  
Impulse Engine Type FIA-1  
Power Units Available 1

### Weapons and Firing Data

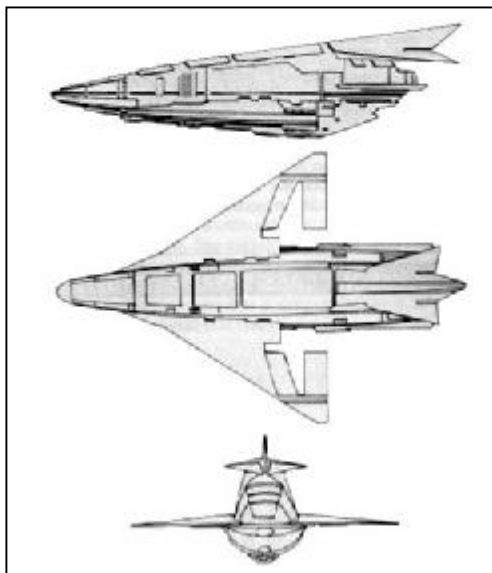
Beam Weapon Type FH-2  
Number 2 in 1 bank  
Firing Arcs t/p/s  
Firing Chart F  
Maximum Power 2  
Missile Weapon Type FP-3  
Number 1  
Firing Arcs f  
Firing Chart D  
Power To Arm 1  
Damage 6

### Shields Data

Deflector Shield Type FSB  
Shield Point Ratio 1/2  
Maximum Shield Power 11

### Combat Efficiency

D-- 80.4  
WDF-- 2.3  
CE-- 1.8



### Notes:

The *Scorpio* class corvettes have been commissioned to supplement Starfleet's monitors, most of which are restricted to in-system or near-base patrols because of their sub-light engines. The *Scorpio* class is lightweight and warp-capable, thus extending the defensive range of the bases or systems that require protection. These small ships are expected to improve the overall defensive posture of the UFP by allowing capital ships to operate for longer periods in sensitive areas.

The corvettes are organized in groups consisting of 12 ships operating in 3 flights of 4 ships each. At the present time, there are 52 operational groups. The first 15 groups assigned were: the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Pursuit Groups at Starbase 10; the 3<sup>rd</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Pursuit Groups at Starbase 12; the 4<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> Pursuit Groups at Starbase 20; the 1<sup>st</sup> Andorian, 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> Pursuit Groups at Starbase 27; the 2<sup>nd</sup> Andorian and 12 Pursuit Groups at Starbase 15; and the 13<sup>th</sup> Pursuit Group at Starbase 14.

Though the original design for the *Scorpio* came from Andorian contractors, construction contracts were awarded to the shipyards at Morena and Salazaar, the latter being an Andorian-operated facility. Like so many Andorian designs, these vessels are made to close quickly with their enemies and deal crippling or fatal blows. The highly efficient FWA-1 warp engines allow the corvettes to rapidly surround an enemy vessel, causing it to divert power to an all-around defense and, therefore, weakening its offensive capability.

These ships carry only two FH-1 phasers and one FP-3 photon torpedo, but they are considered to have sufficient offensive power to deter pirates, smugglers and small enemy warships from operating in their patrol areas.

The Morena and Salazaar shipyards produced the *Scorpio* at a peak rate of 180 ships per year. Initial contracts called for 45 groups, consisting of 540 ships. This was extended to a total of 48 groups. Orders placed in 2290 ordered an additional 50 *Scorpios* to form a total of 52 operational groups. New production is on hold pending the results of the Khitomer accords.



### Changes to FASA Mk I:

- Weight changed due to component mass.
- D factor lowered (see next line below).
- FIA-1 used as per FASA stats (even though not a valid option per ship construction charts due to mass of vessel) to retain "spirit" of design.
- Superstructure calculated at 3.1, rounded down to 3.0. Mass reflects 3.1 superstructure.
- WDF adjusted.

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