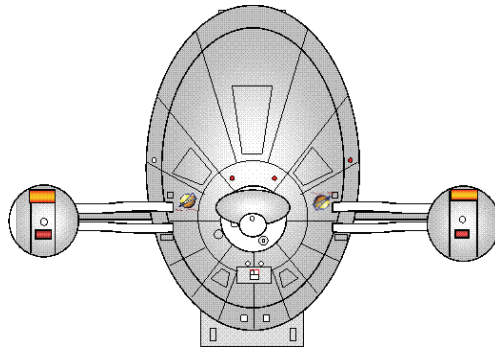
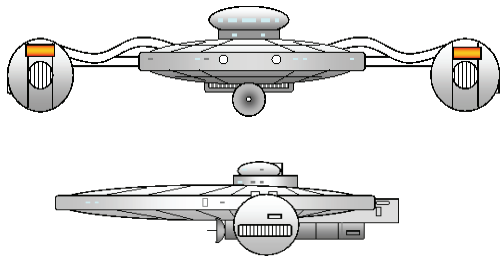


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**Construction Data:**

Model Numbers	A
Classification	II
Date Entering Service	2270
Number Constructed	32

**Hull Data:**

Superstructure Points	10
Damage Chart	B
Size	
Length	45 m
Width	60 m
Height	25 m
Weight	12,000 mt

**Cargo**

Total SCU	
Cargo Capacity	
Landing Capability	Yes

**Equipment Data:**

Control Computer Type	KzCC 3
Transporters	
6 Person	1
Cargo	none

**Other Data:**

Crew	6
Police/Marine Unit	6
Shuttlecraft	0

**Engines and Power Data:**

Total Power Units Available	15
Movement Point Ratio	3/1
Warp Engine Type	KzWB 2
Number	2
Power Units Available	6
Stress Charts	G/K
Max. Cruising Speed	4
Emergency Speed	6
Impulse Engine Type	KzGIC 2
Power Points Available	3

**Weapons and Firing Data:**

Beam Weapon Type	FH 2
Number	2
Firing Arcs	F, FP, FS
Firing Chart	H
Maximum Power	5
+3	-
+2	-
+1	1 - 10

**Missile Weapon Type**

Number	none
Firing Arcs	
Firing Chart	
Power to Arm	
Damage	

**Shields Data:**

Deflector Shield Type	KzDS 2
Shield Point Ratio	1/2
Max. Shield Power	5



Following the signing of the Treaty of Sirius, the Kzin government, including all Kzinti territories, were demilitarized. The Kzinti were forbidden by treaty to possess any sort of weapons or starships – except police vessels, which were to be used solely for peacekeeping. This allowed the Kzin only a limited number of under gunned and under powered ships with which to patrol their space.

The M'weer Ahn, or Kitten's Claw class is an improvement upon earlier classes of Kzin police vessel such as the one used in the "Traitor's Claw" incident of 2268.

Equipped with a 6 man transporter the M'weer Ahn can now remain in orbit while sending down away teams or 6 man police units equipped with stunners and netters. While still showing a reluctance to use federation style computers the ones used aboard the class are nevertheless an improvement over older designs being fairly equal to the federation L14 class computer.

The federation has allowed the Kzin to purchase a limited amount of reconditioned FH-2 phasers with which to arm this ship with the understanding that the technology would not be used in any other fashion.

Although restricted by treaty against the production of weapons there was no such provision for other technologies in the treaty and improvements upon native technologies such as the new gravitic impulse drive show that the Kzin have not been lax in their research and development.

The class name, Kitten's Claw, seems to reflect the current Kzin dissatisfaction with having to abide with the terms of the Treaty of Sirius and limit themselves to what they see as ships unable to counter the threat from Orion and other pirates.

