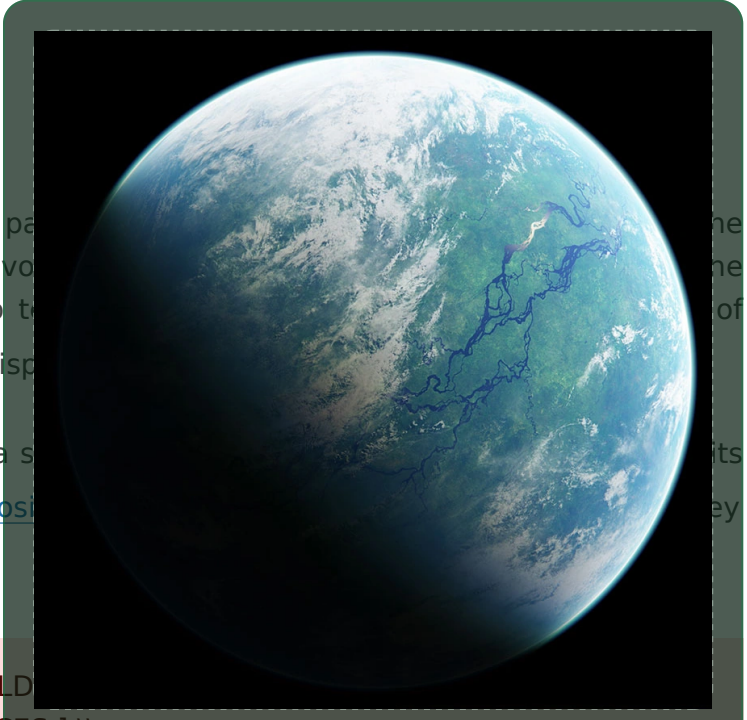


Keshtamor Asteroid Field

Overview

The living memory of a battlefield from ages past, the Keshtamor Asteroid Field is a deadly trap in the Malachor Sector that all travellers know to avoid. Many have entered the Asteroid Field, but very few have returned to tell the tale. Missing [Jedi](#) vessels, cryptic messages, and whispers of a dark force are the only clues left behind.

However, despite its unusual properties, it is a strategic asset due to its proximity to the [Separatist](#) heartland of [Geonosis](#). It has become a key part of [Separatist Naval](#) strategy.



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Due to unexplained phenomena causing risk to life and property upon entering the region of space commonly known as the Keshtamor Asteroid Field have been prohibited.

Any attempts to explore or navigate the Keshtamor Asteroid Field must be done with the knowledge that the Galactic Republic will not attempt any rescue missions for those who voluntarily enter the area.

Any information regarding the anomalous properties or phenomena of the Keshtamor Asteroid Field should be forwarded to your local Republic Judicial Forces representative. Accurate, up-to-date information can be rewarded.

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Basic Information

OFFICIAL NAME	Keshtamor Asteroid Field
REGION	Malachor Sector
SYSTEM	Numidian System

Society

GOVERNMENT TYPE	Cultist
HEAD OF STATE	High Oracle
SENATOR	N/A
CAPITAL	N/A
LANGUAGE	Galactic Basic Standard

Society and Culture

There are no native species that live in the Keshtamor Asteroid Field. However, based on rumors from old travellers, it is believed that the [Children of the Wailing Shade](#) currently reside there. An old and feared cult, they seem to be the only ones who are able to safely traverse and survive in

the Asteroid Field. Not much is known about the Children of the Wailing Shade, and in recent years, it seems they have gone to ground, hiding from the Republic and other galactic powers in their quiet region of space.

Recent Developments

Information from a leaked Separatist Navy transmission shows that a Separatist Fleet, under the direction of Admiral Ravor, a Super Tactical Droid, has been stationed on the outskirts of the Keshtamor Asteroid Field. Only time will tell if this is just preparation by the Confederacy to protect the hyperspace routes into Geonosis or if there is something more behind this sudden movement.

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