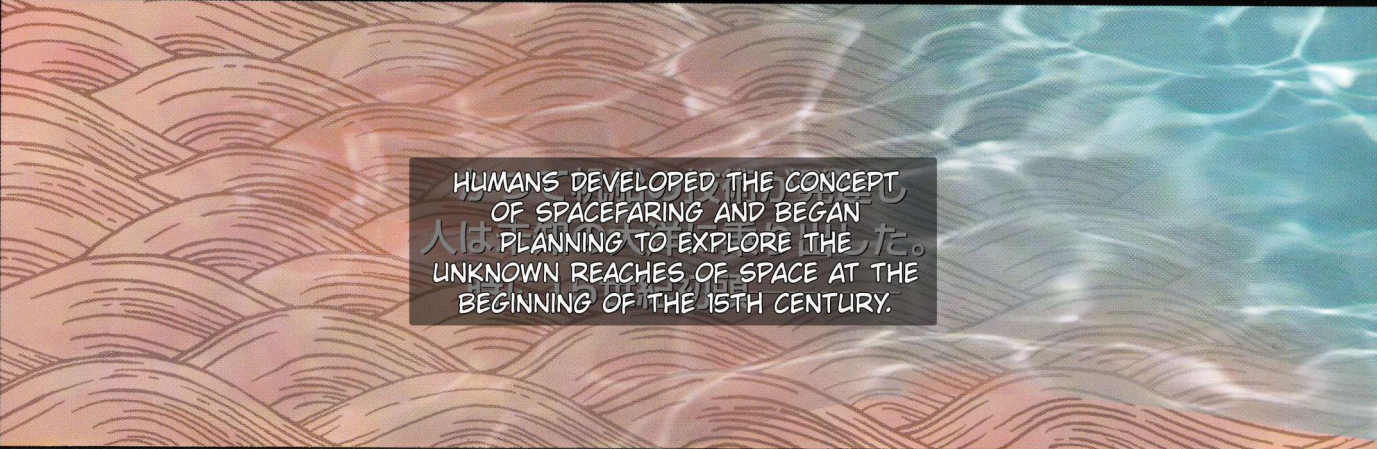
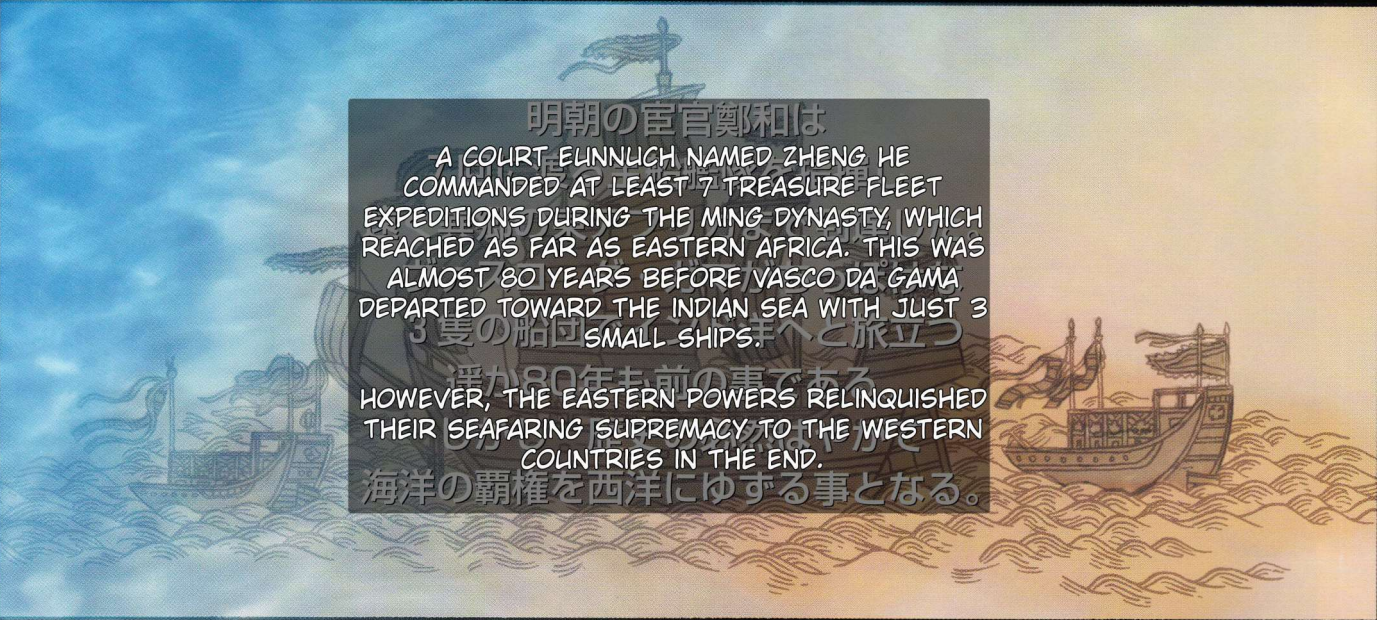


THE
SUKOSHI WAKEARI





HUMANS DEVELOPED THE CONCEPT
OF SPACEFARING AND BEGAN
PLANNING TO EXPLORE THE
UNKNOWN REACHES OF SPACE AT THE
BEGINNING OF THE 15TH CENTURY.



明朝の宦官鄭和は
A COURT EUNNUCH NAMED ZHENG HE
COMMANDED AT LEAST 7 TREASURE FLEET
EXPEDITIONS DURING THE MING DYNASTY, WHICH
REACHED AS FAR AS EASTERN AFRICA. THIS WAS
ALMOST 80 YEARS BEFORE VASCO DA GAMA
DEPARTED TOWARD THE INDIAN SEA WITH JUST 3
SMALL SHIPS.
HOWEVER, THE EASTERN POWERS RELINQUISHED
THEIR SEAFARING SUPREMACY TO THE WESTERN
COUNTRIES IN THE END.
海洋の覇権を西洋にゆずる事となる。

AND A COUPLE OF CENTURIES LATER---

そして数世紀
“Toward Stars”



THAT'S A
PRETTY BIG
OPERATION...
I WONDER
WHAT BRINGS
THEM TO A
BACKWATER
PLACE LIKE
THIS...



A
FLEET?

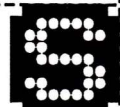
I THINK
THAT'S
TEMPA'S
FLEET
ENTERING
THE PORT
NOW.



WHAT'S
THAT
ALARM
FOR,
JIM?







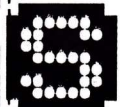
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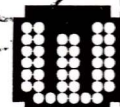
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Illustrations are designed by Takehiko Ito, unless signed otherwise.
*Note- Hiroyuki Haitake is one of Ito's pen names.

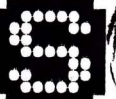
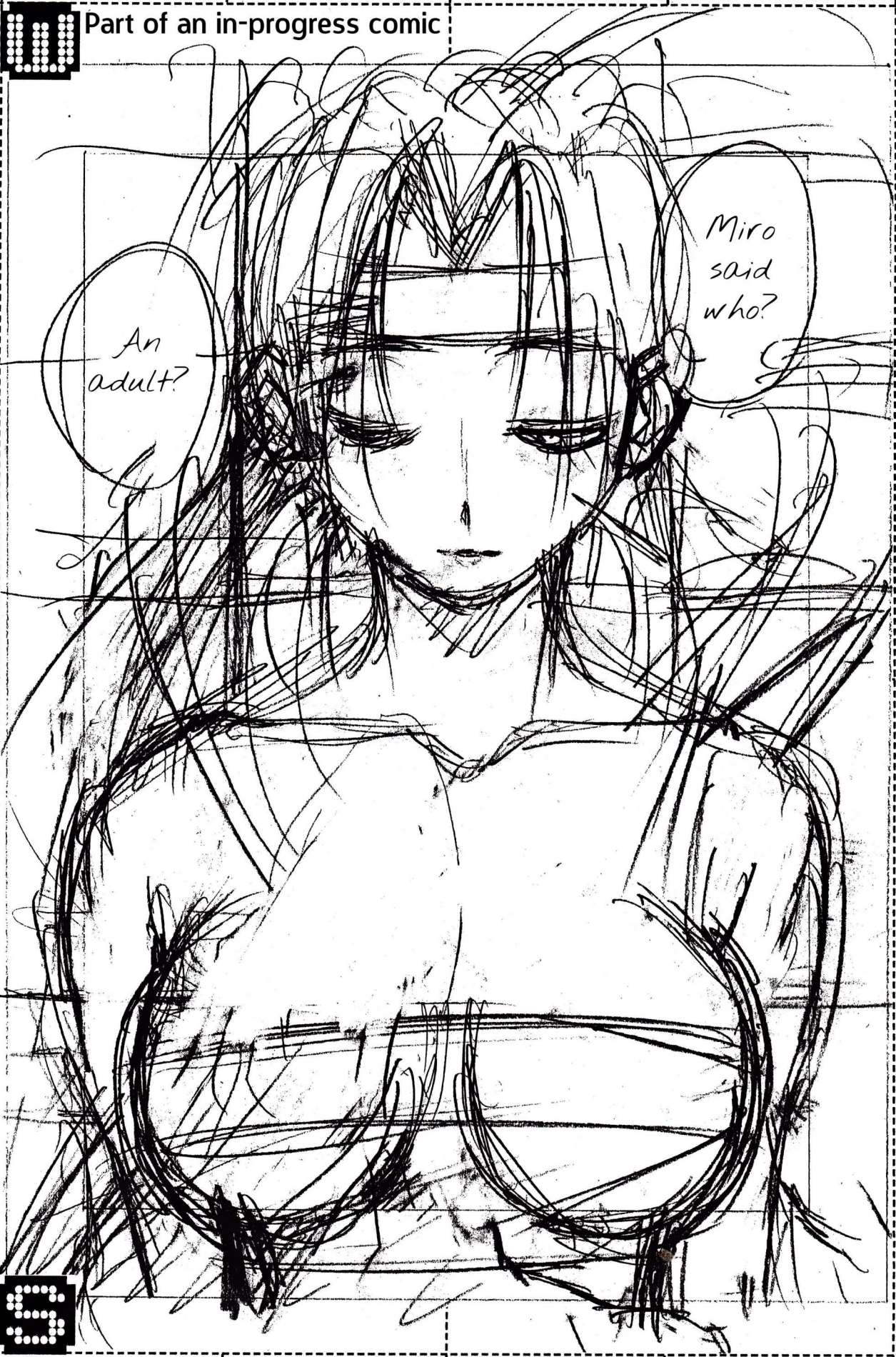


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MANGA EXTRAS

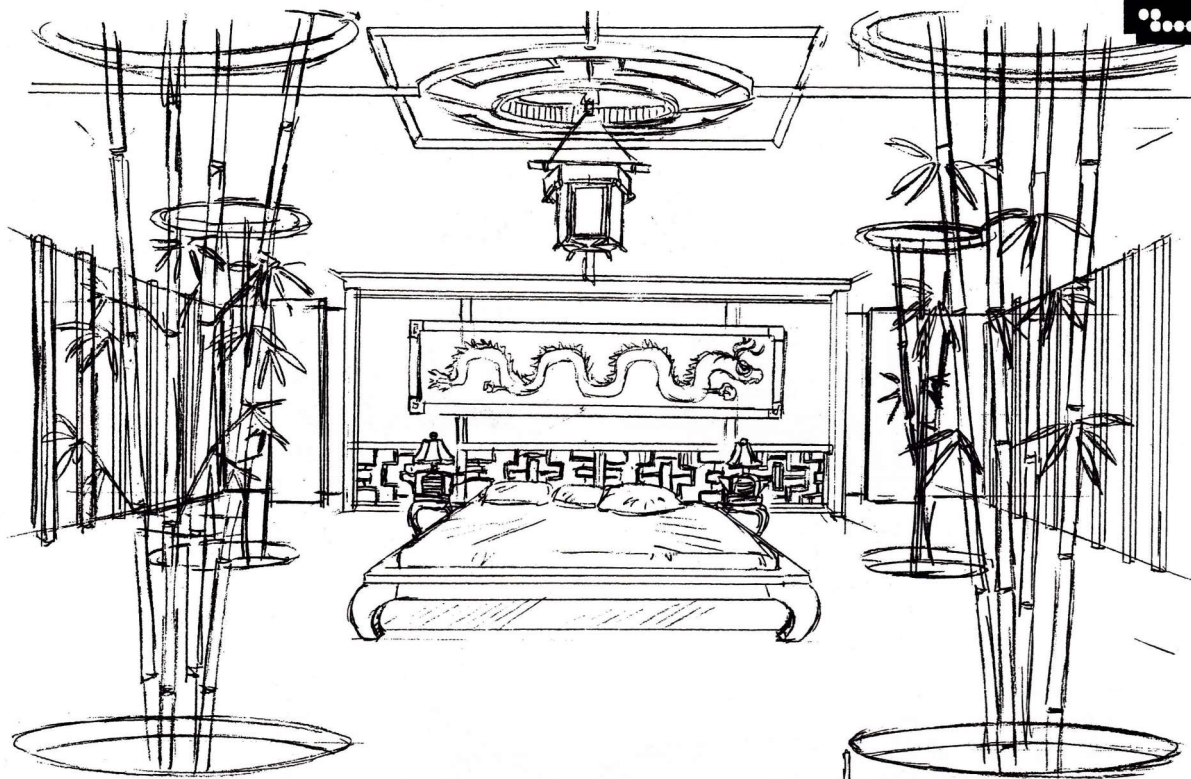




Part of an in-progress comic



XX's Bedroom (Suzuka's Bedroom?)



Chinese themed
enemy with an
obscured face

Rough sketch for an enemy

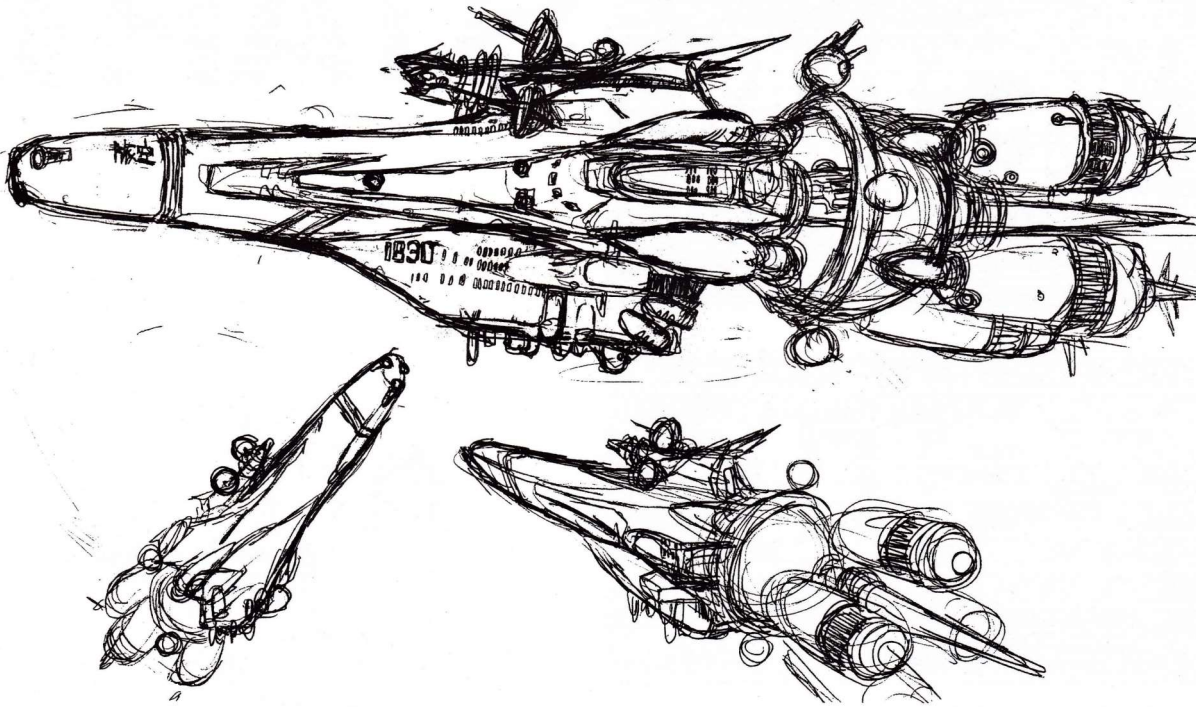


This design is based on the ancient
Yangtze River civilization





Rough sketch for a new spaceship



Adoratio City, on planet Oracion

A large city located on the far side of the continent from where Angel Links takes place. The population is 250 million. It is an industrial city, home to numerous busy spaceports.

Hymnus; Anthem

A space station 1,000m in diameter and 1,500m tall. This space station is a well-known trading post between planets due to its two massive platforms that can accept cargo up to 3,000m in diameter. The platforms are designated "H2" and "H2A". Gene has a small office (the Japanese says "module") on the edge of the platform. He often worries about air leakage or his office's artificial gravity machine breaking.

Outlaw Star 2 : Muramasa ship

A small grappler style spaceship with a 30m long body. This spaceship is an improvement over the original Outlaw Star by Dr. Sputnik utilizing Melfina's "vein data". It also has a plasma blade weapon at the tip of the ship that can slice through anything found in space.

Seiten: A new port for Angel Links

A space station built by the corporation who funds Angel Links (replacing TENKAN, the original space station for Angel Links). This new station was constructed on a tighter budget than the original. To make matters worse, Angel Links had to sell off 6 of their 10 space ships due to the costs incurred by building a 2nd station. It is 50m long and has a gorgeous appearance, prominently featuring a beautiful phoenix.

Murasaki Gasumi-tou: A spaceship

A grappler type spaceship with 35m long body. Shimi from the Anten Seven used to own this ship, which he used to save Gene in the past.

Gamron: An assassin

A professional assassin and a new rival of Gene in the TV show. Gamron is Suzuka's past lover and a younger pupil of Master Kou.

Sensyu: Grappler ship

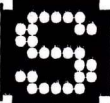
Gamron owns this spaceship with a 40m long body. It is a mysterious ship with 4 arms and 2 extendable wires to enhance the ship's grappling combat capabilities to inhuman levels.

Senkou-ki Type A: 5m tall robot type weapon with Kabuki makeup on its face.

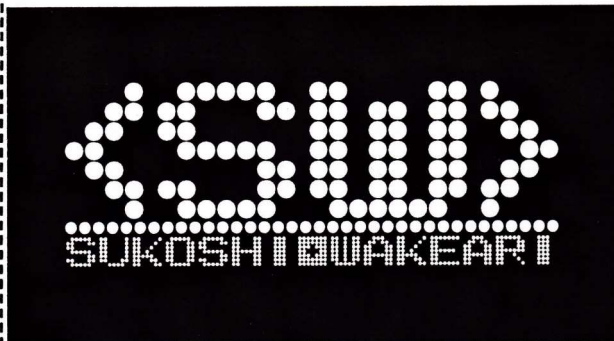
Senkou-ki Type B: 8m tall robot type weapon with Kabuki makeup on its face.

AF Law: A hover car Gene used to own (his 2nd one). A real piece of junk.

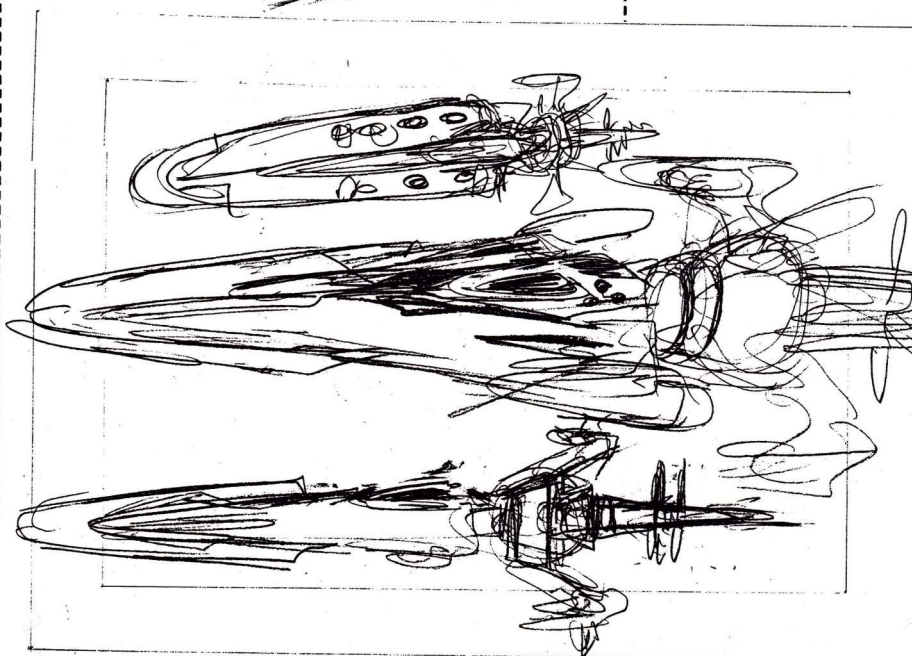
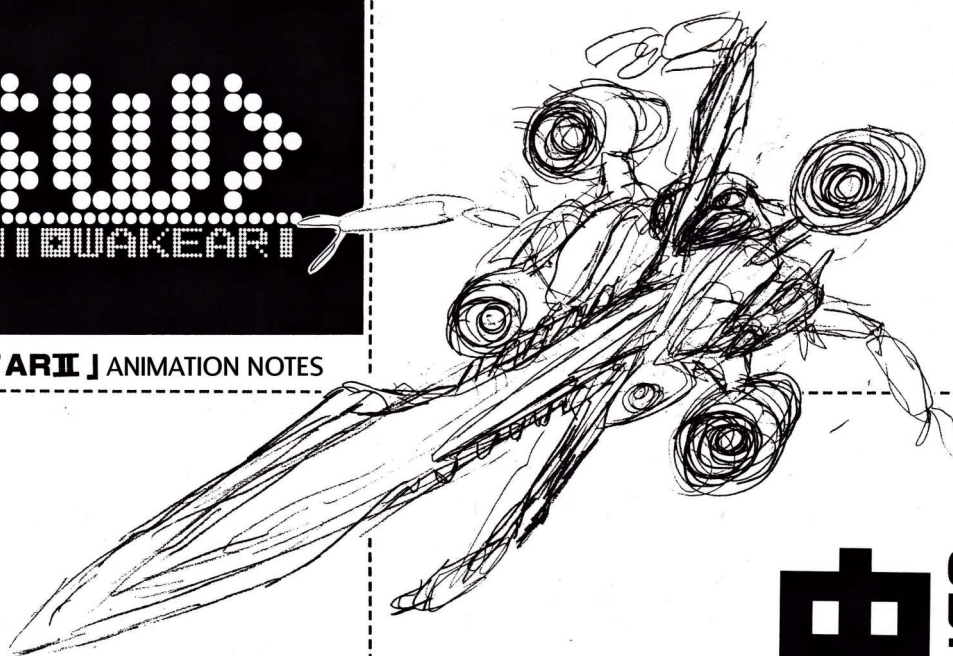
All Chinese grappler type spaceships have Kabuki style makeup on their faces and statues attached to the front of the ship similarly to ocean vessels from Medieval times.



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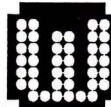


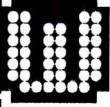
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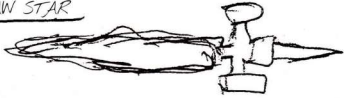
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DESIGNER:
REI NAKAHARA

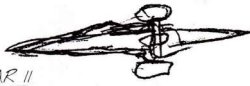




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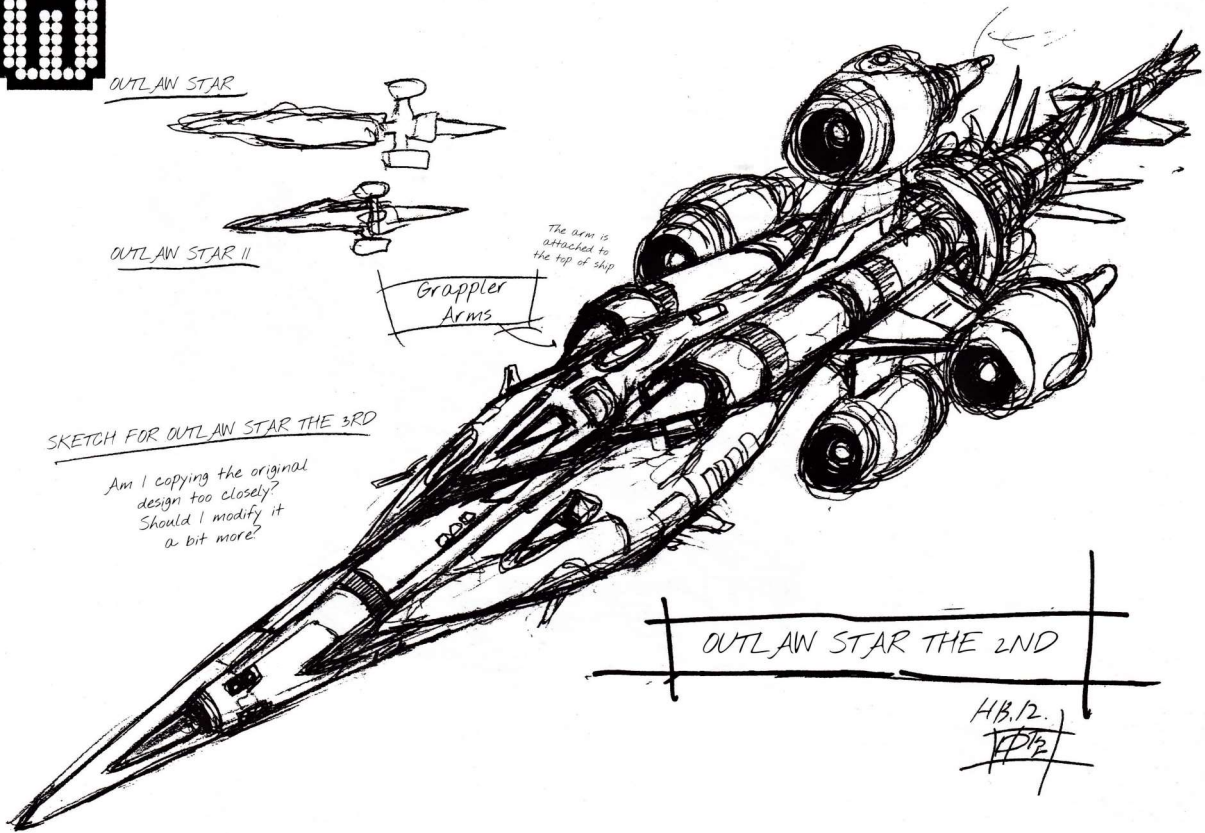


Grappler Arms

The arm is attached to the top of ship

SKETCH FOR OUTLAW STAR THE 3RD

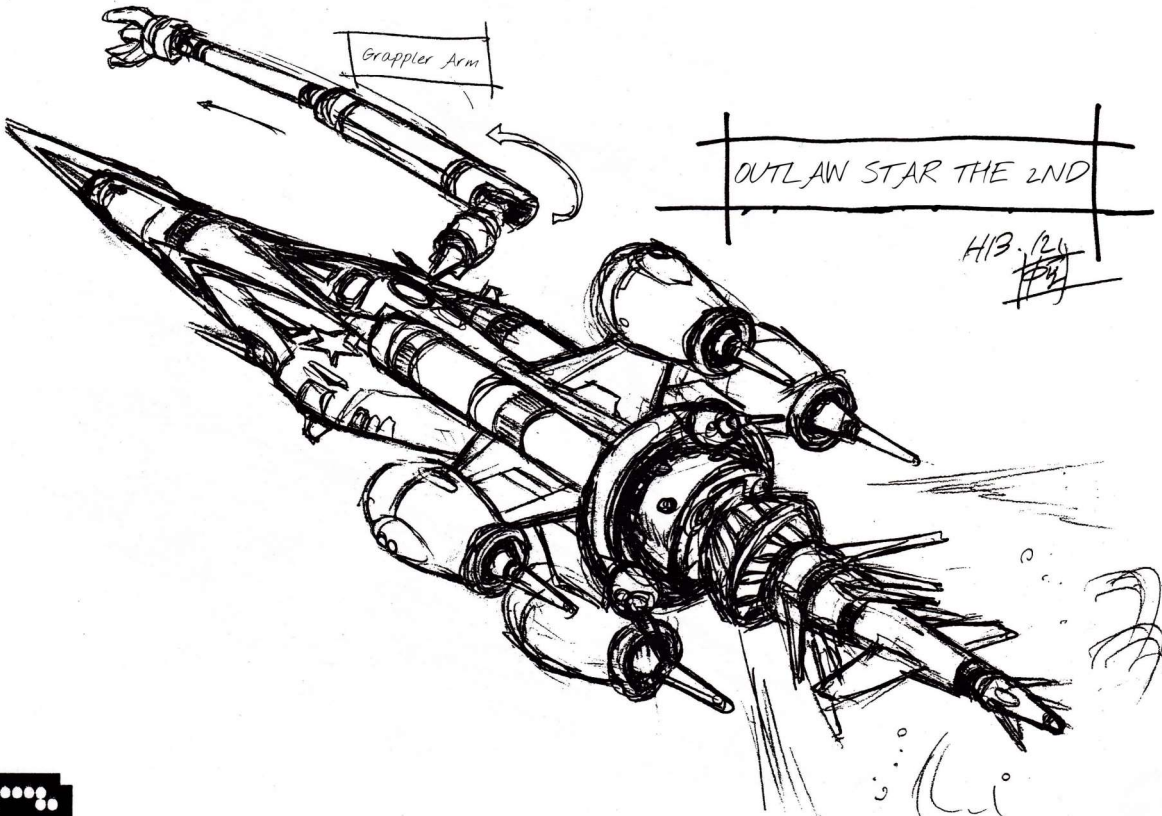
Am I copying the original design too closely? Should I modify it a bit more?



OUTLAW STAR THE 2ND

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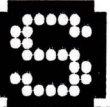
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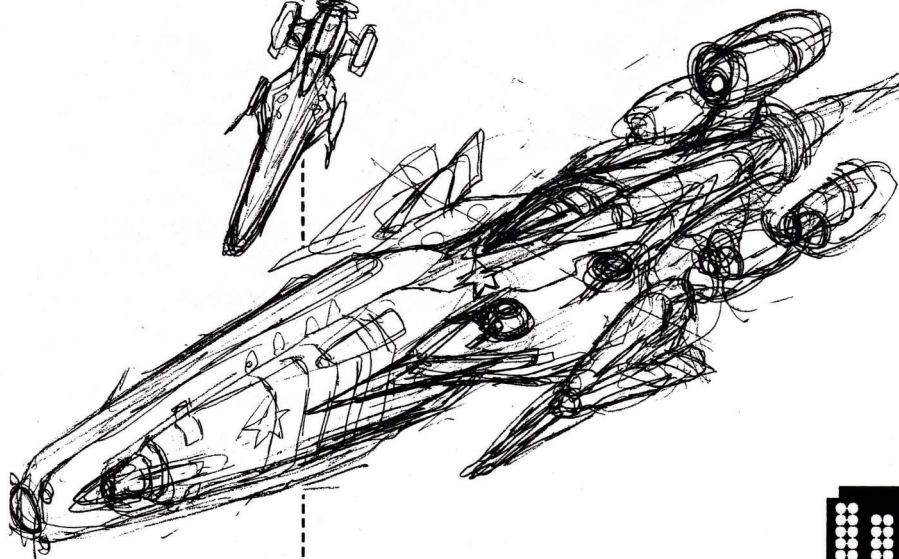
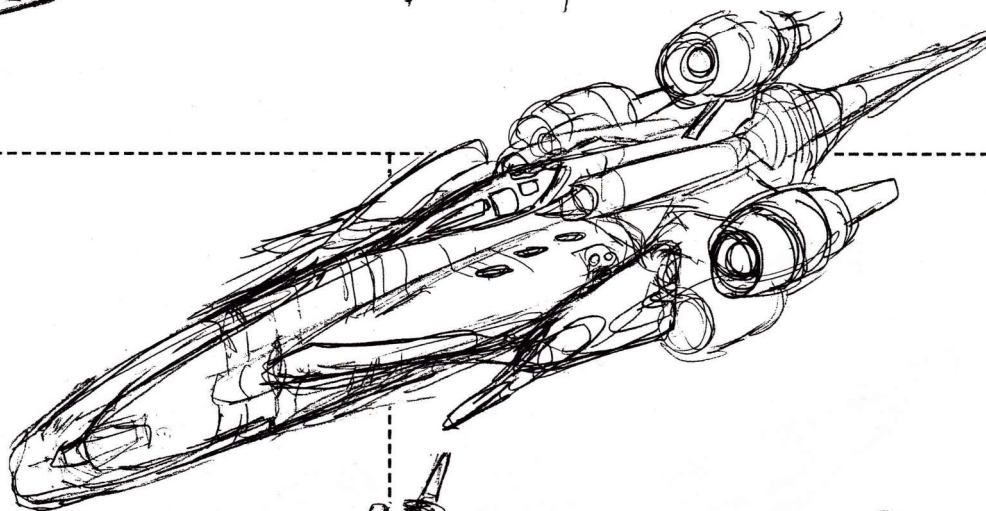
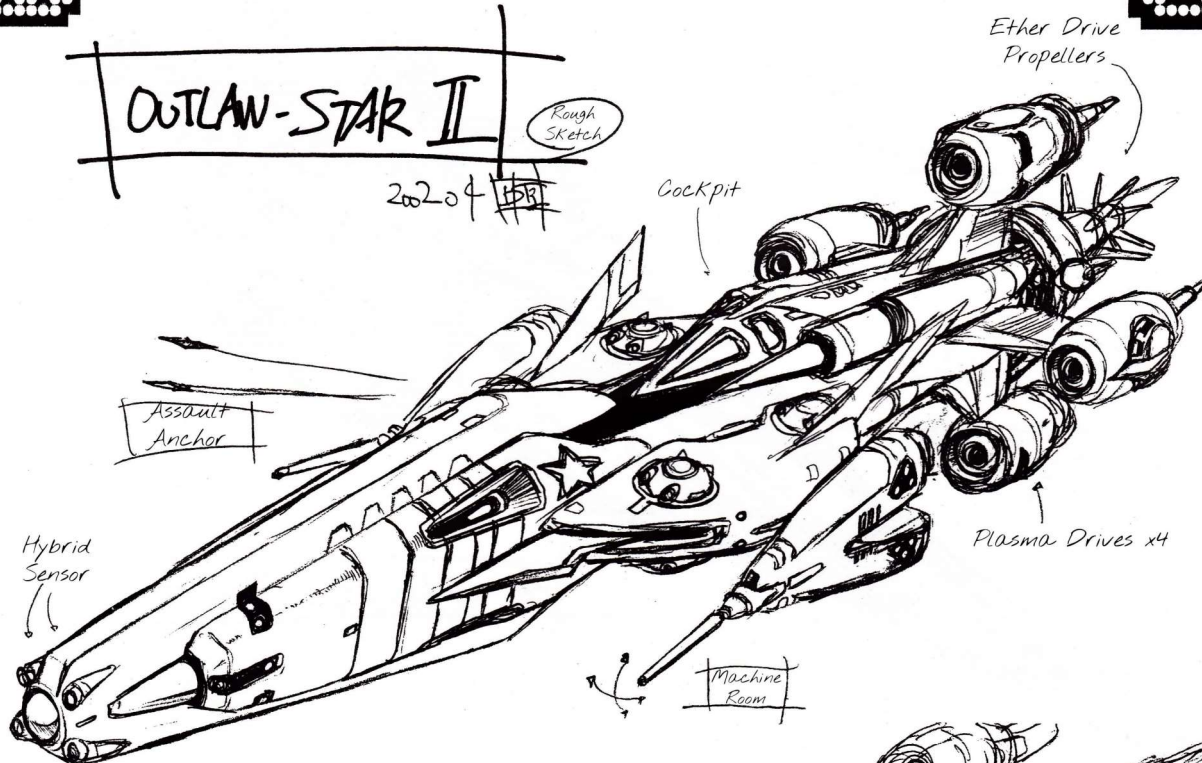
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OUTLAW-STAR II

Rough Sketch

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TOWARD STARS CHARACTER COLLECTION

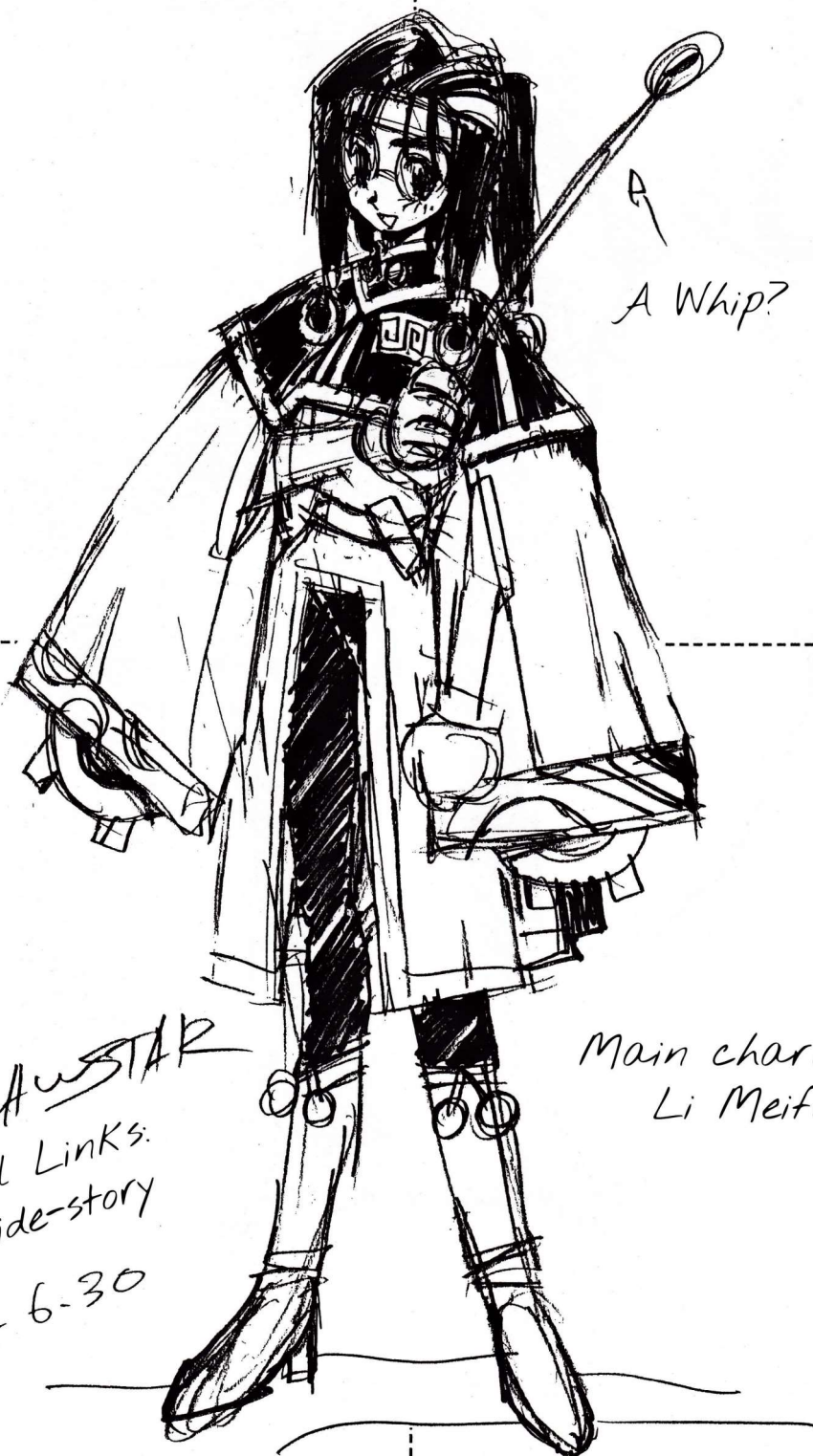


Good Looking

Tyrant Girl

Another heroine in the Outlaw Star universe.

Hataike 96-6-9.



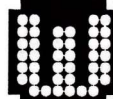
A
A Whip?

OUTCAST STAR

Angel Links:
a side-story

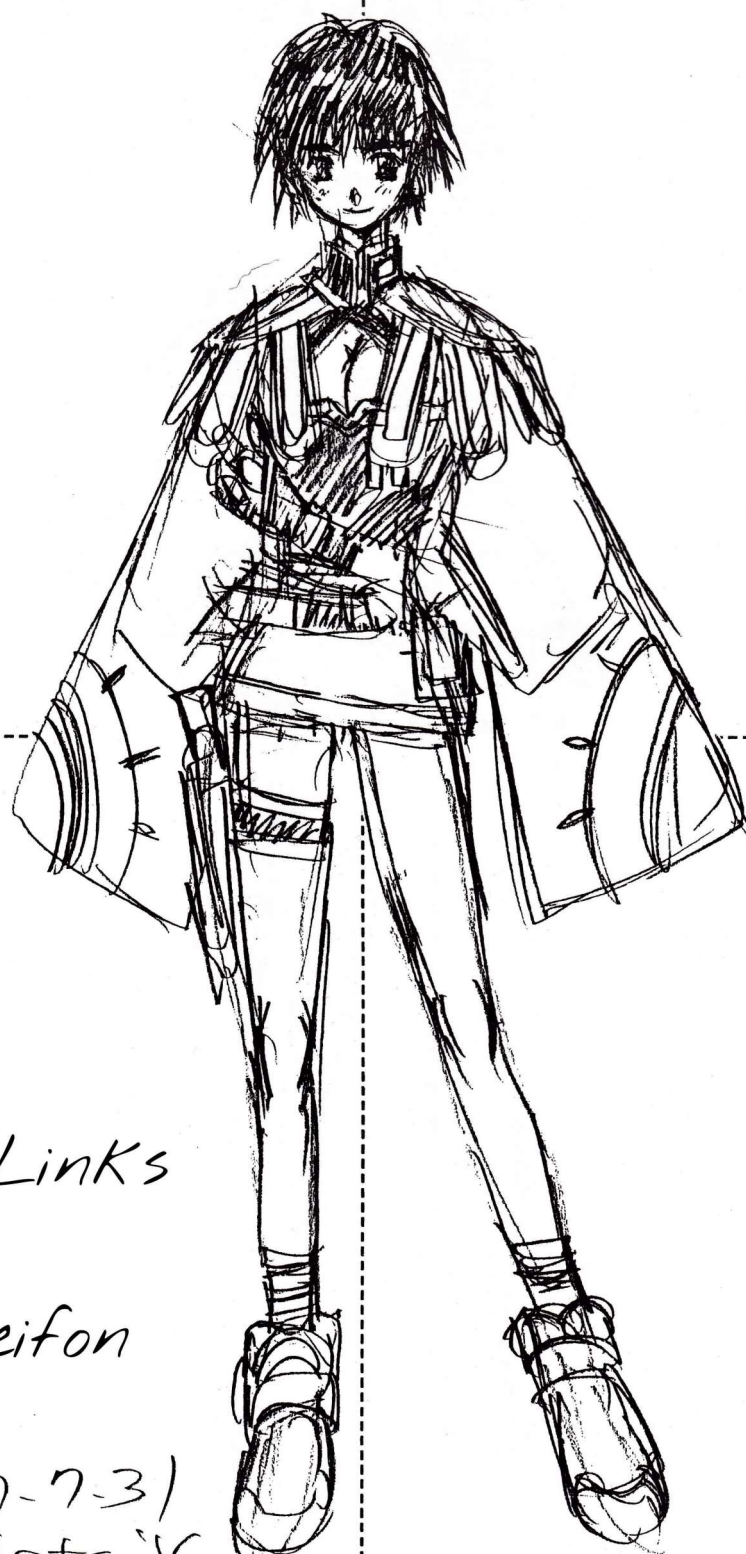
ab-6-30

Main character:
Li Meifon



SUKOSHI+WAKEARI

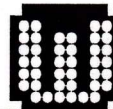
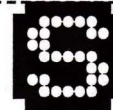




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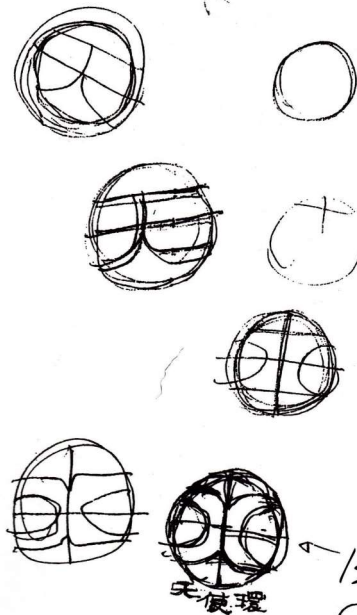
Li Meifon

97-7-31
Hatailke

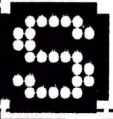
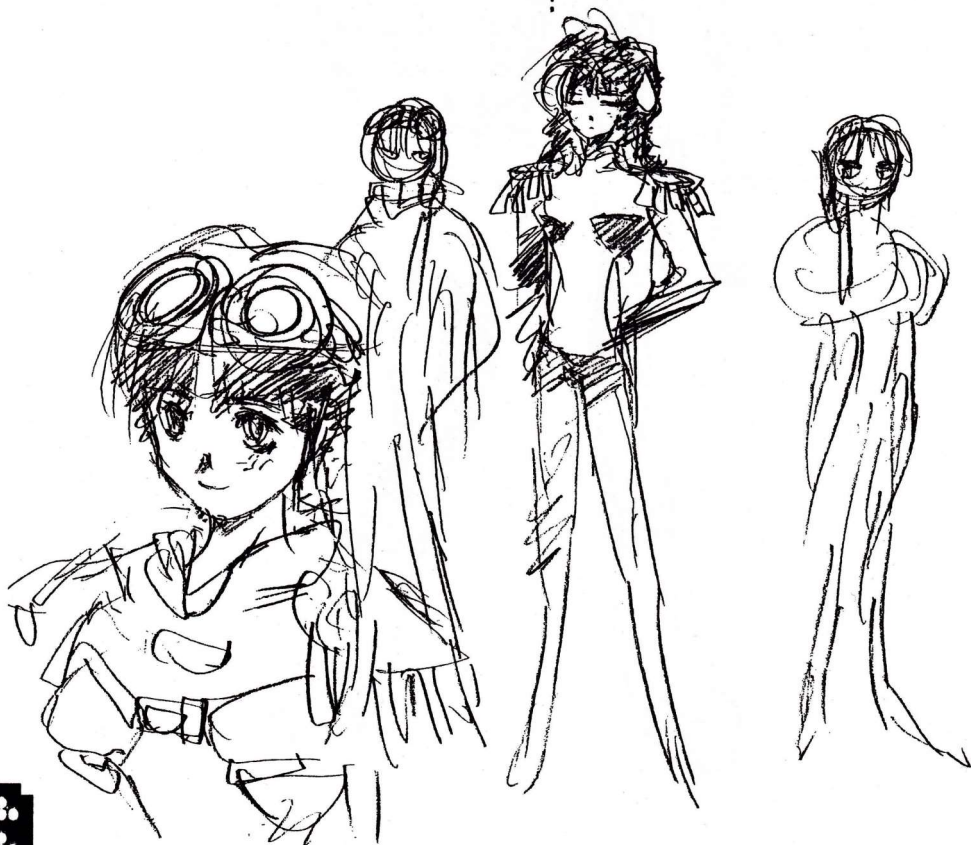




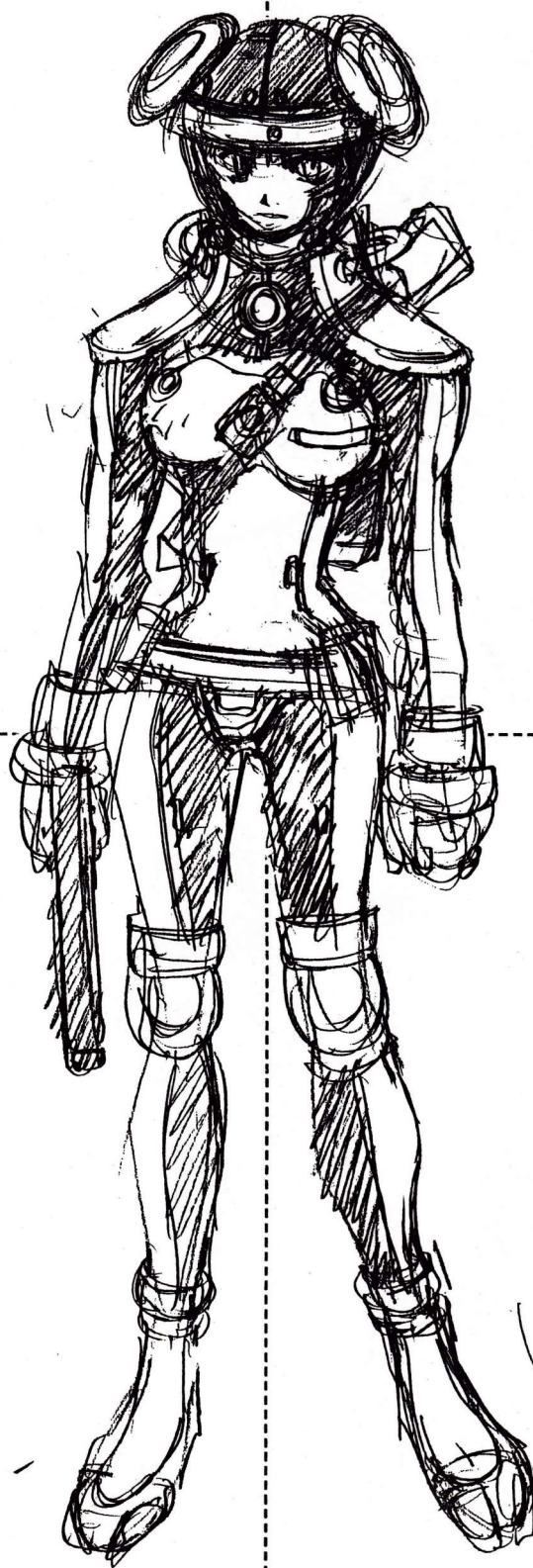
Li
Meifon



Is this
OK?



S



Space suit
design for
Li Meifon
#3-

HataiKee
4-3

U



*Note, Star Wars ep 1
just came out in Japan

Big boobs
of the
dark side?

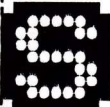
Need to put more
thought into her
shoulder pads

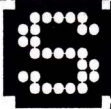
Cuffs

Her curves
would be shown
off better with
black tights?

Long
Sleeve
Kimono

Angel Links
Li Meifon
99.6-5





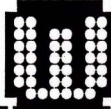
Theme (Inspiration):
Ceremonial clothes
worn in the Qing
Dynasty

This is also a
simplified spacesuit

The base
color is red
with gold
lines on top

Uniform for top
ranking sergeants
in the Tempa Empire

99-6-24.





Duuz

A dragon knight.
Born through the
power of
nanotechnology by
mixing humans
with reptiles.

A terminal
robot in a
spaceship



97. 7-14

Main
character:
Li Meifon

Mr. Kousei

Valeria

Her face should
resemble idol
Ryoko Shosue?

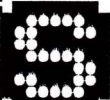


He would need to
look younger
than the original
when the anime
launches



Kousei Hida

This guy looks
like a main
character in
hentai games

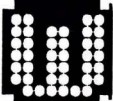




Angel Links
Duuz,
Dragon
Knight

97-10.4
Hafelke.

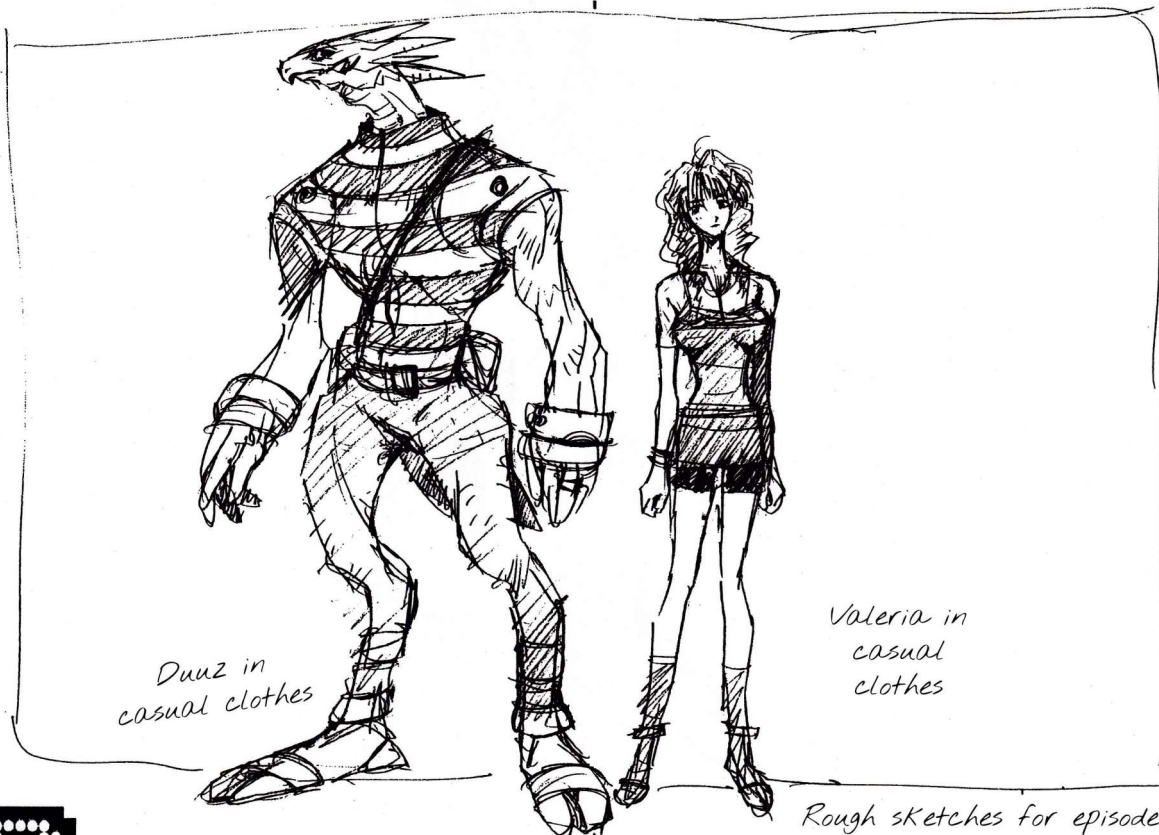
2-2M
tall





Valeria Vertone

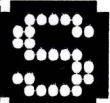
Looks like Gamera?



Dunz in
casual clothes

Valeria in
casual
clothes

Rough sketches for episode 3



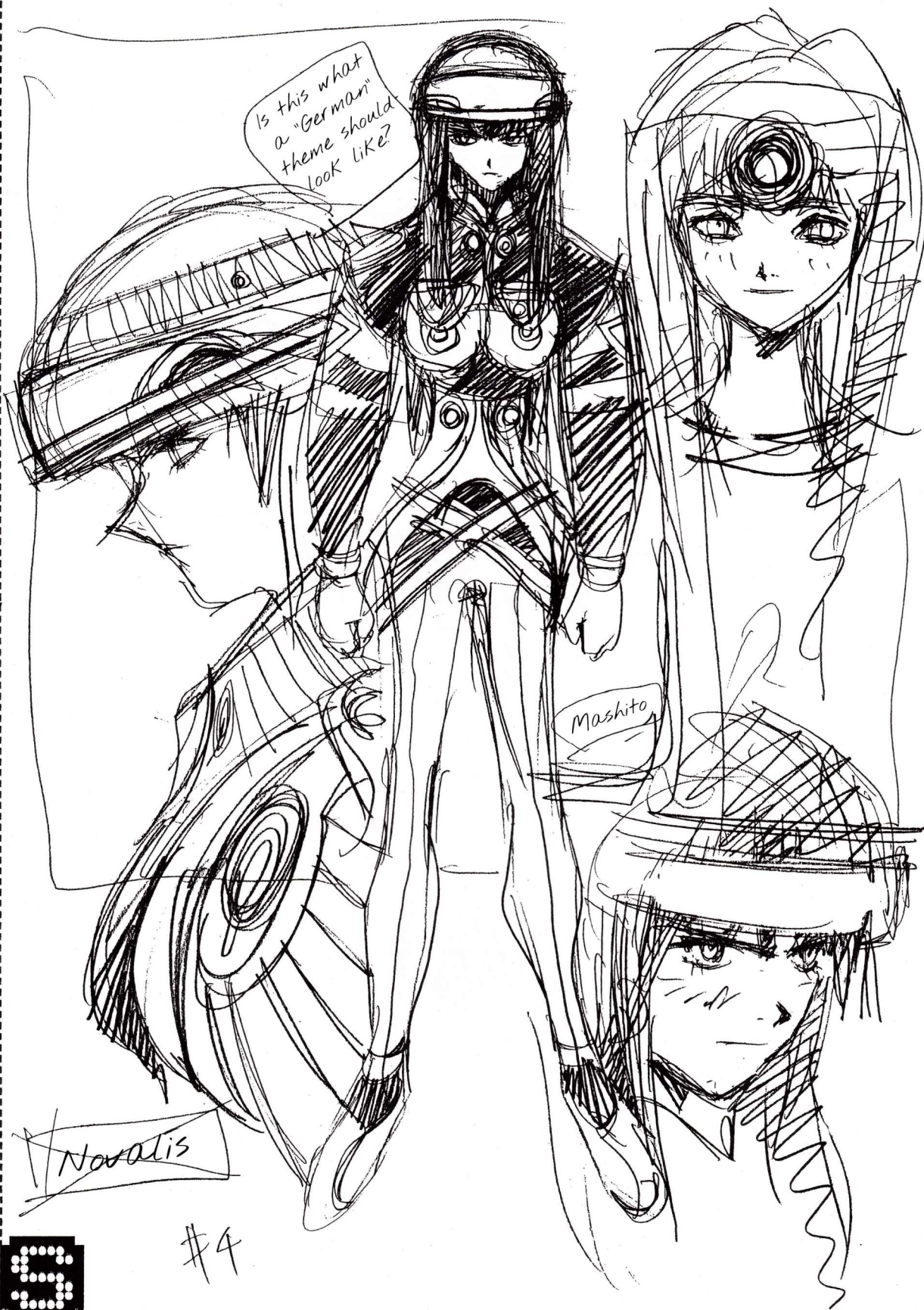
SUKOSHI + WAKEAR

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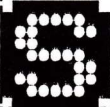


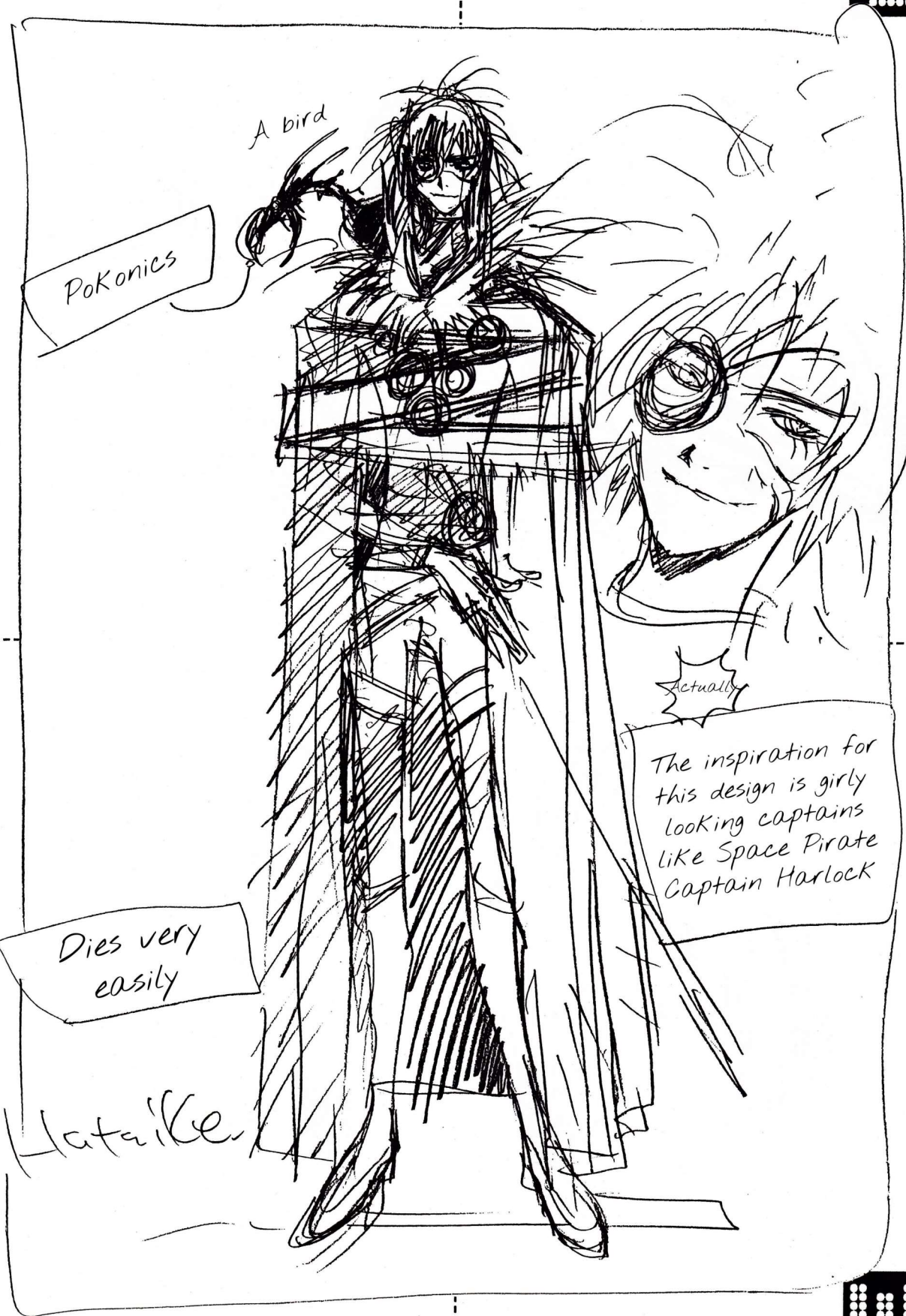
Charlotte
Novalis
Brigadier
General

U



#4





A bird

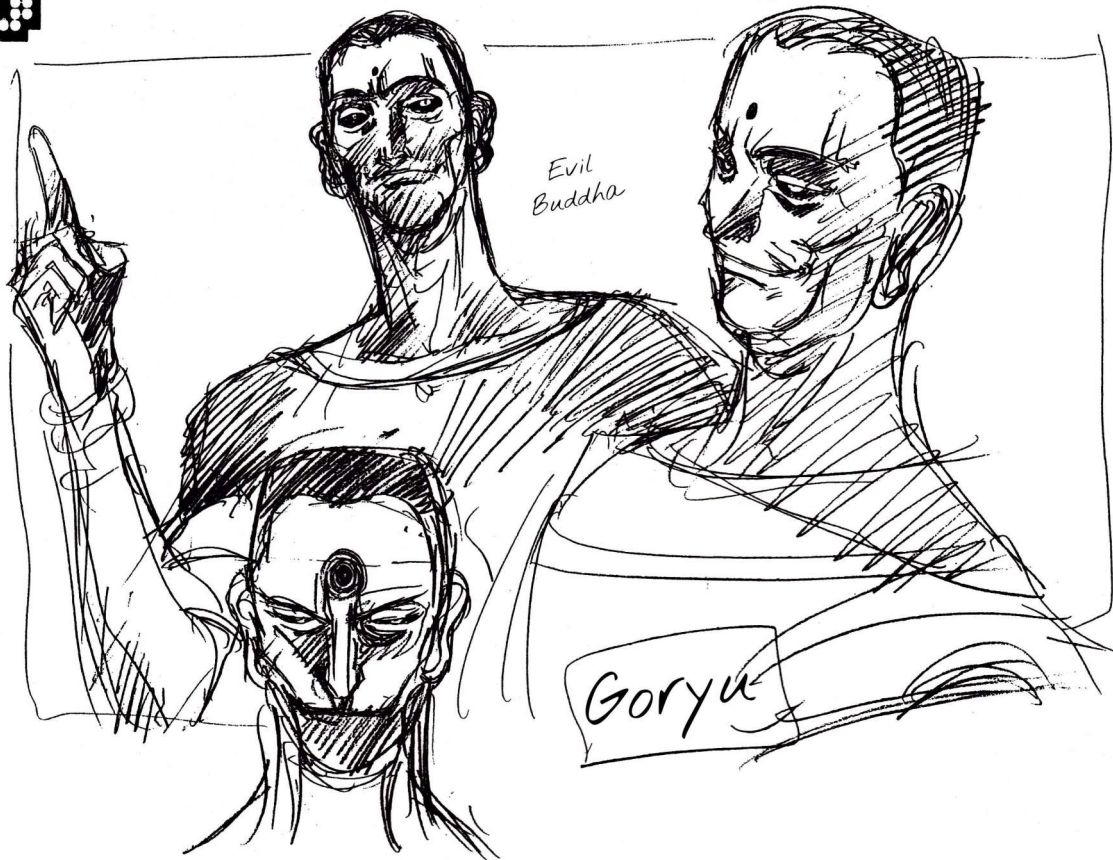
PoKonics

Dies very easily

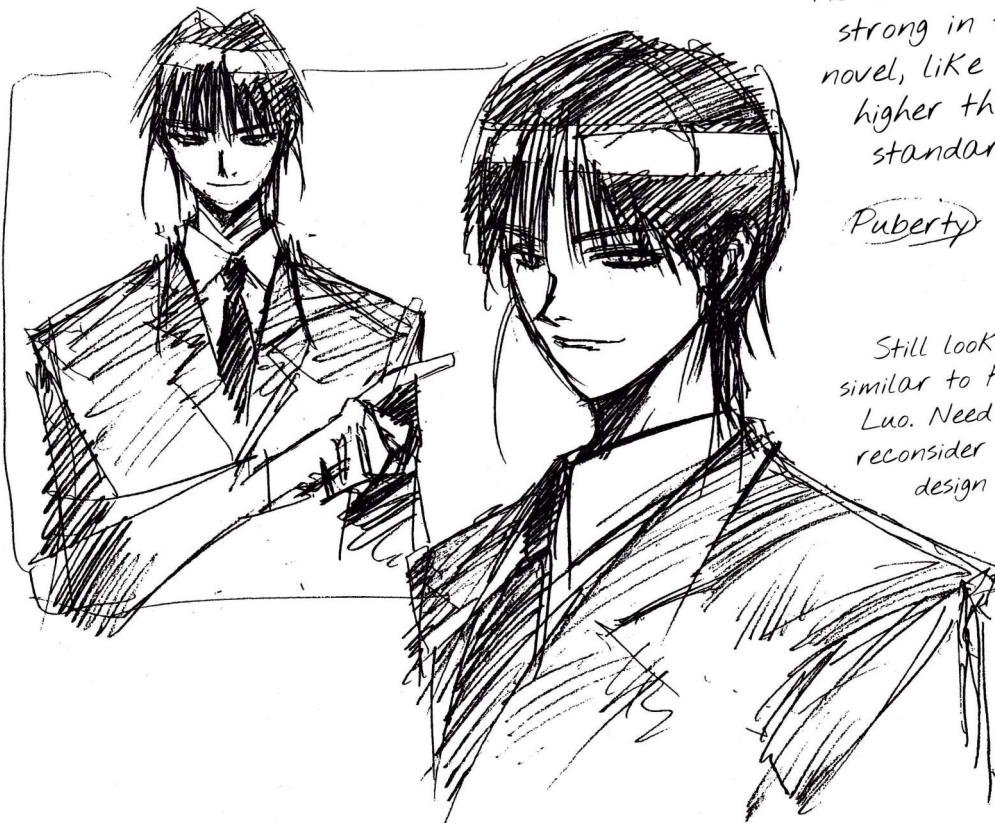
Lataike

Actually

The inspiration for this design is girly looking captains like Space Pirate Captain Harlock



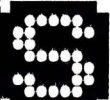
Sinly Gunbetta

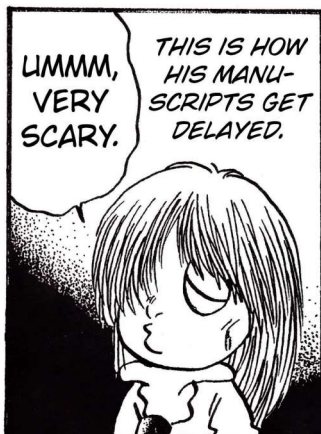
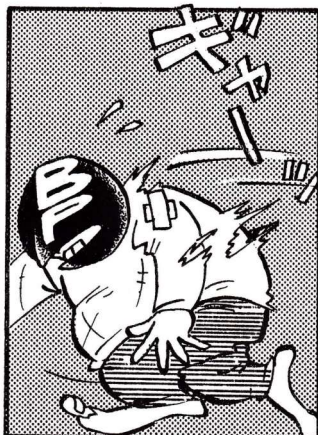
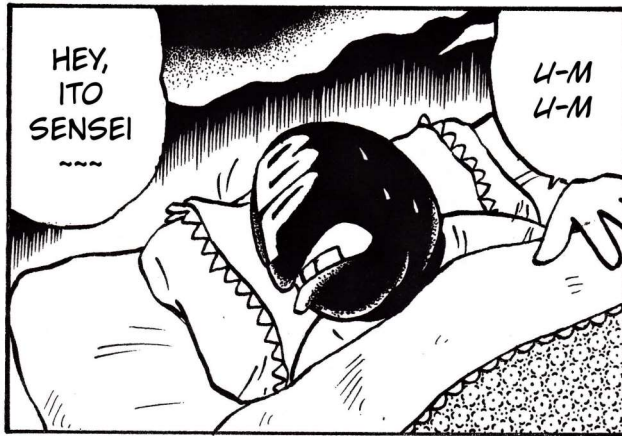


He will be very strong in the novel, like way higher than standard.

Puberty

Still looks similar to Fred Luo. Need to reconsider the design

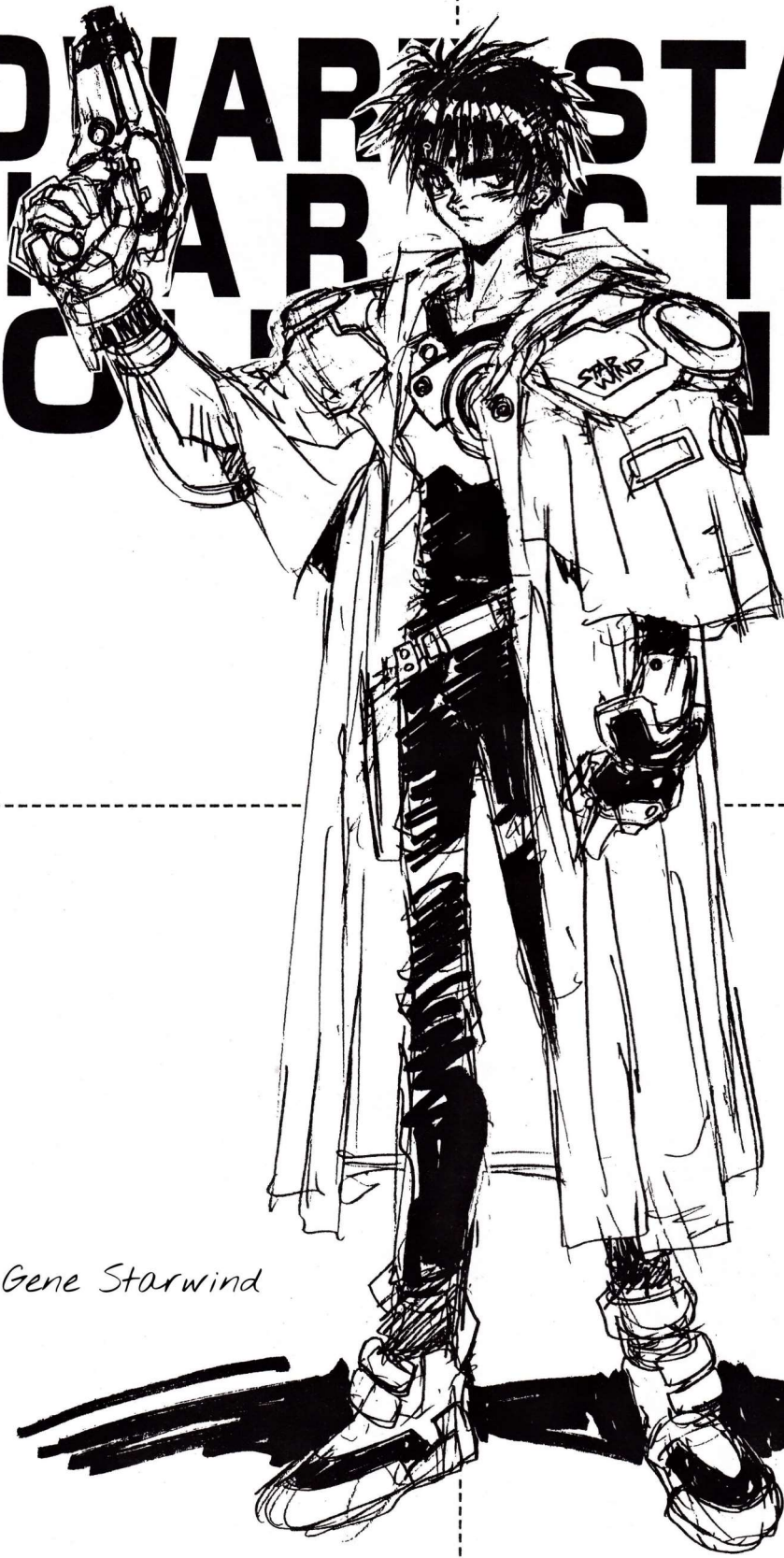




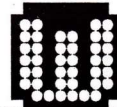
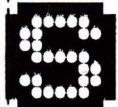
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TO VAPOR STARS! CHARACTER DESIGN CONCEPTION



Gene Starwind

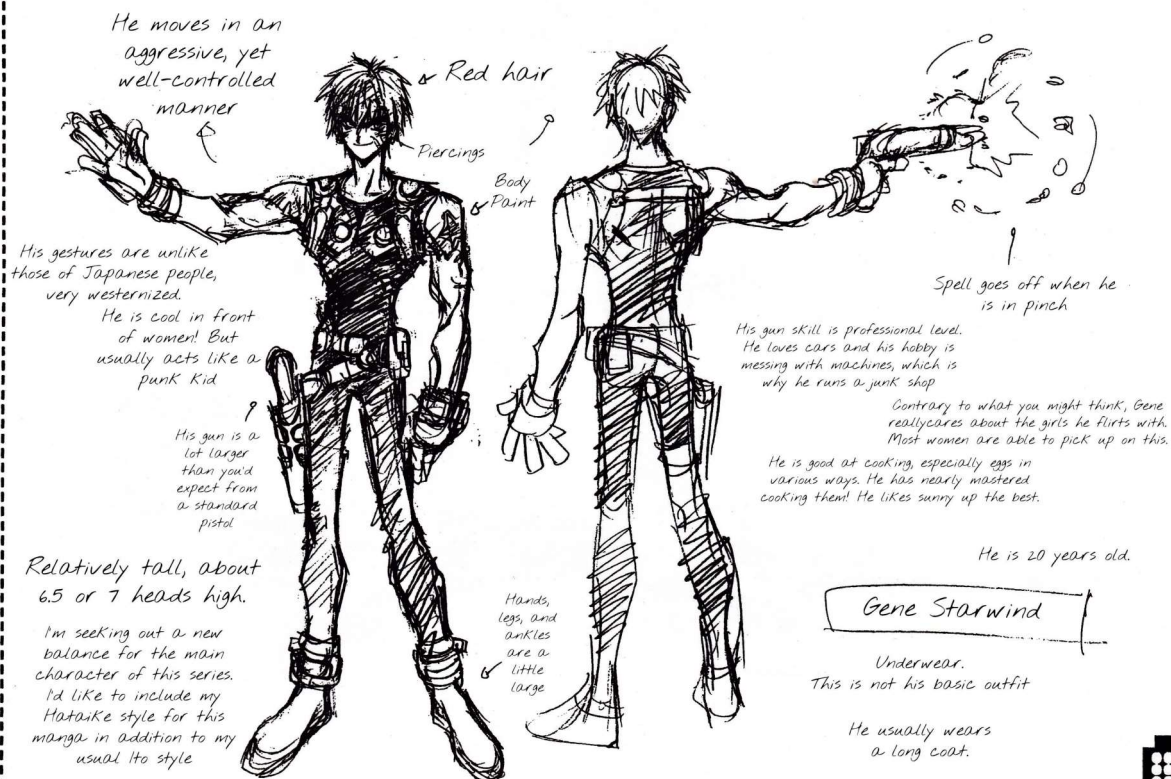


Gene Starwind

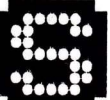
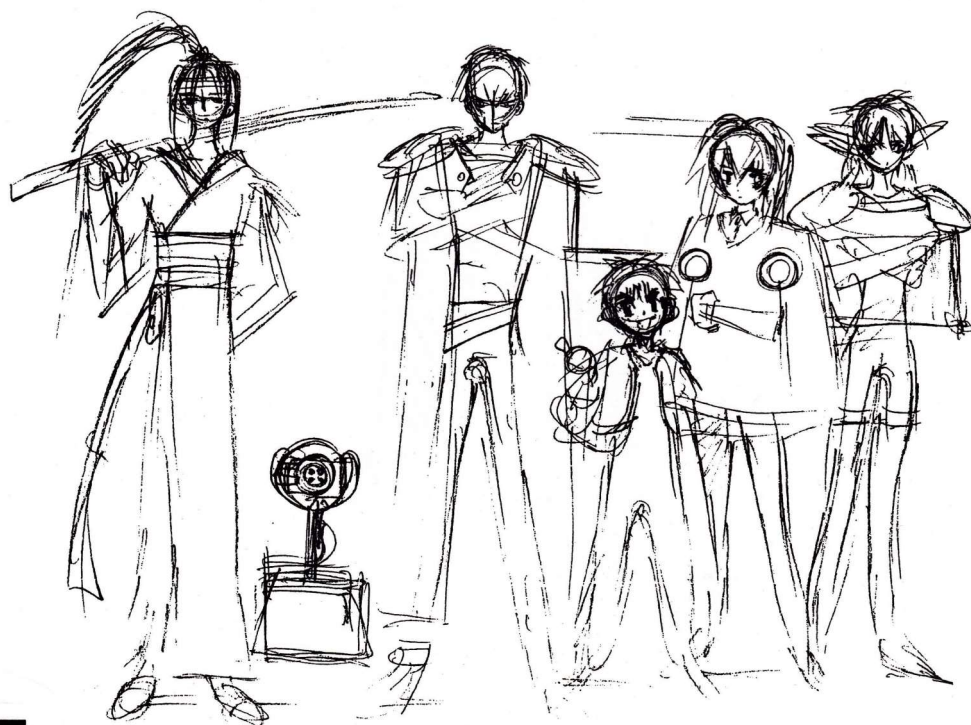
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STAR
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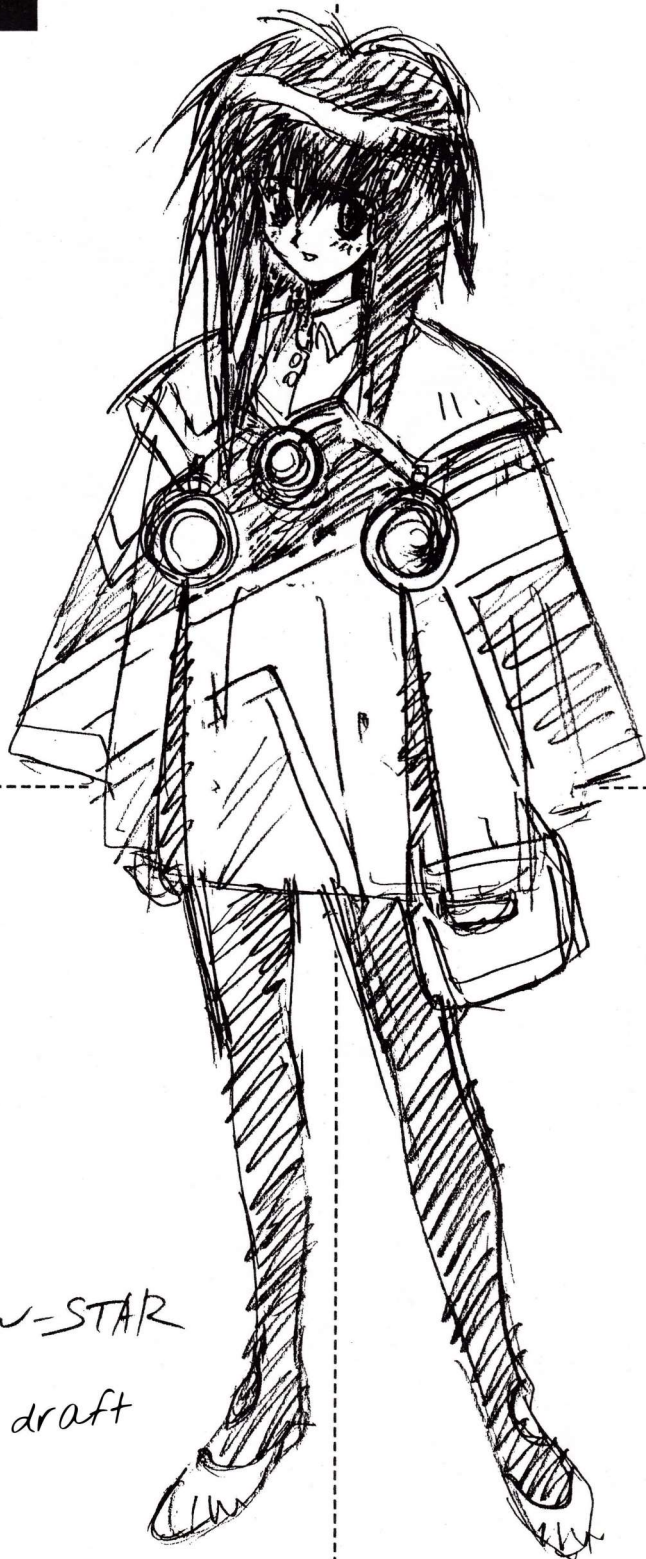
This is an
idea for his
personality

There are scars all over his body.
They are from his past, in part
due to his own recklessness.



96-8-6 (25)





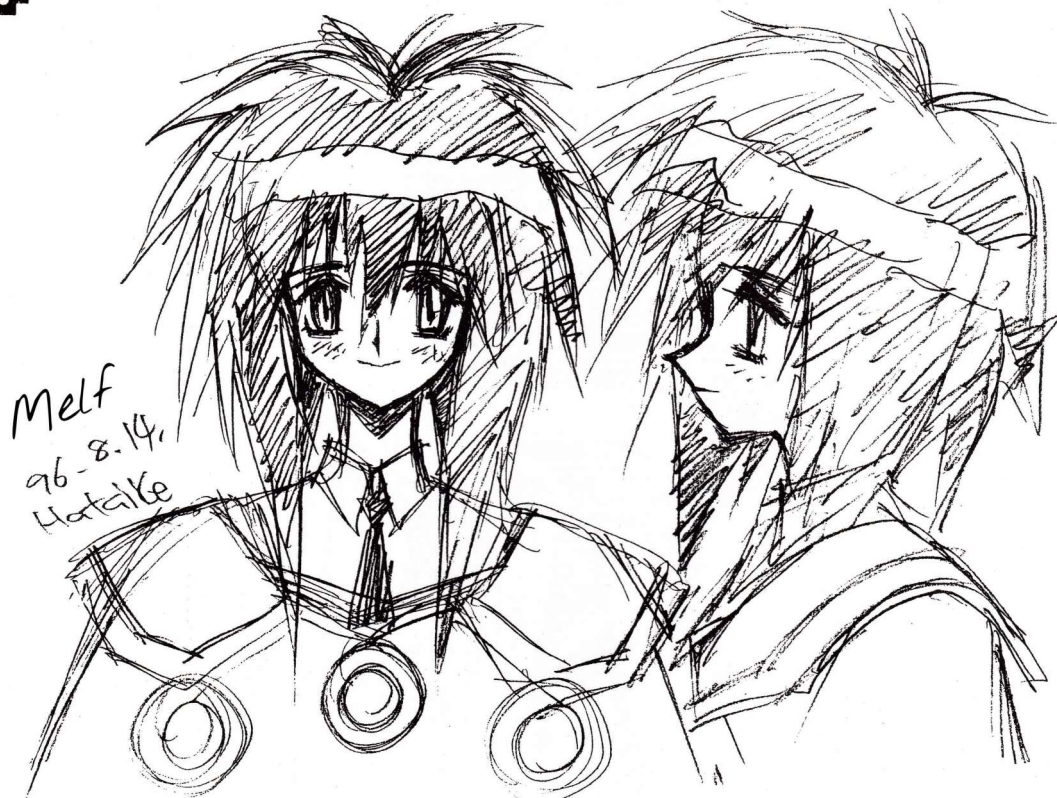
OUTLAW-STAR

First draft

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Hatailke





Melf
96-8-14,
Hataike



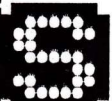
Her light shield pops
up around here

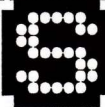
Melfina's special
ability:

She can produce
light shields on her
own

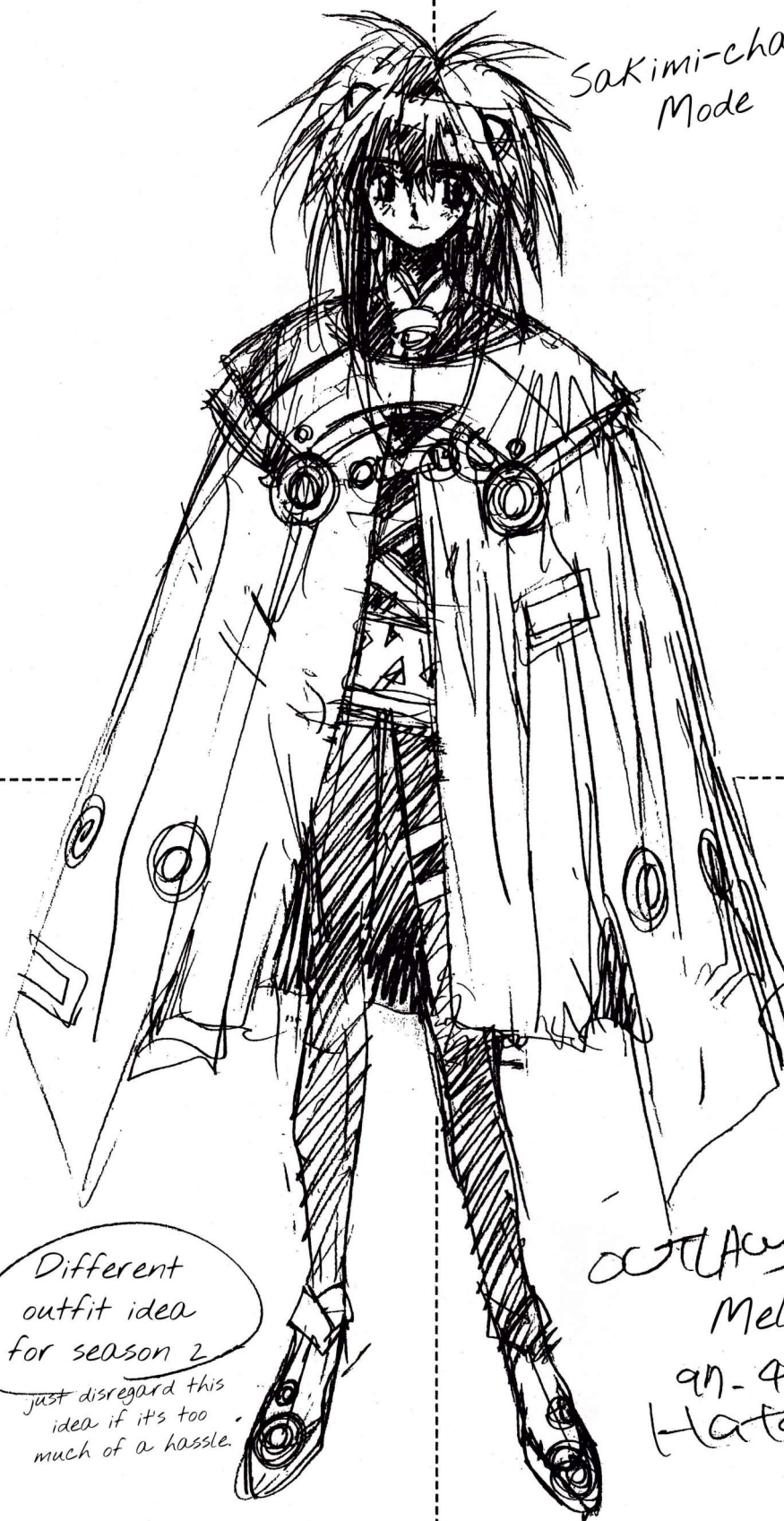
She can't always do
it, but when Gene is
in danger it
activates her special
mode that allows her
to produce light
shields.

Her ability is defensive
in nature.





Sakimi-chan
Mode

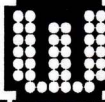


Different
outfit idea
for season 2

just disregard this
idea if it's too
much of a hassle.

OUTLAW STAR
Melf

an. 4.28
Hatake





Jim

96-8-14.



This is a more detailed sketch.

Height of the average girl in Outlaw Star compared to Jim

X He's not actually that small



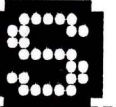
He's incredibly handy with computers, use that in the story.

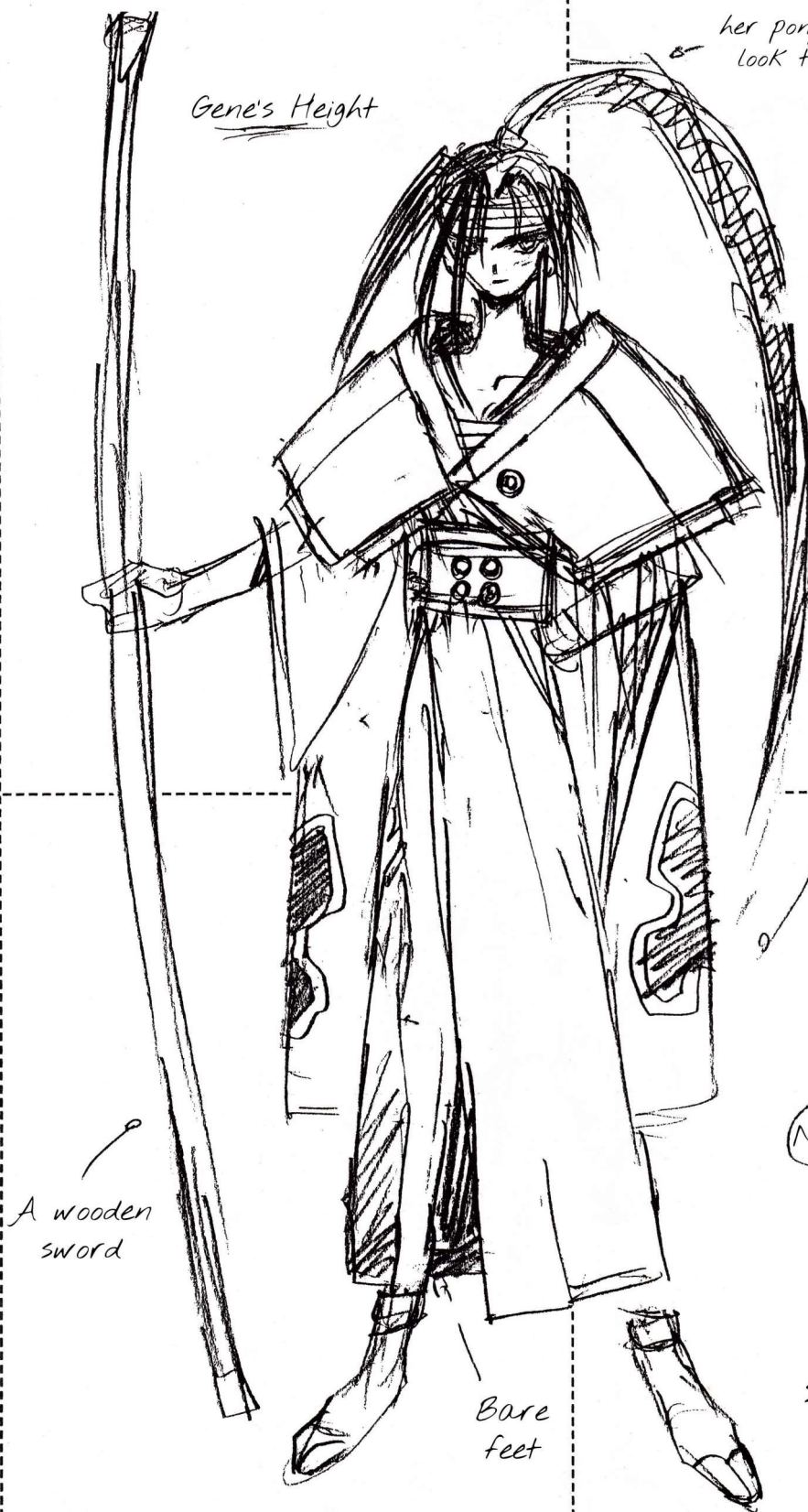
Jim Hawking

10 years old, but wise beyond his years.
He often acts as a guardian keeping Gene in line.
He is also a smart-ass brat.
He's quick to pick up on details and likes taking care of people.
He also does the majority of chores, but Gene is better at cooking which frustrates Jim a bit.

OUTLAW STAR

95-12-6.





her ponytail makes her
look taller than Gene

Gene's Height



During space
battles, a space
suit would come
out from her
ankles and
cover her
smoothly,

complete with a
helmet at the
top. (just by
pressing a
button?)

A wooden
sword

New

Bare
feet

Suzuka's
Japanese
space suit.

91.8/1

Hatailce



Serious personality
but a bit weird.

Kagerou

She names her
attacks, like
"crasher
tornado" and
"Japonesk"
which sounds
cheesy and
makes people
wary.

She used to be
an assassin
and master of
covert weapons.

We should put a men's
dress shirt on her to
show off her boobs.

the wooden sword
she swings around
all the time

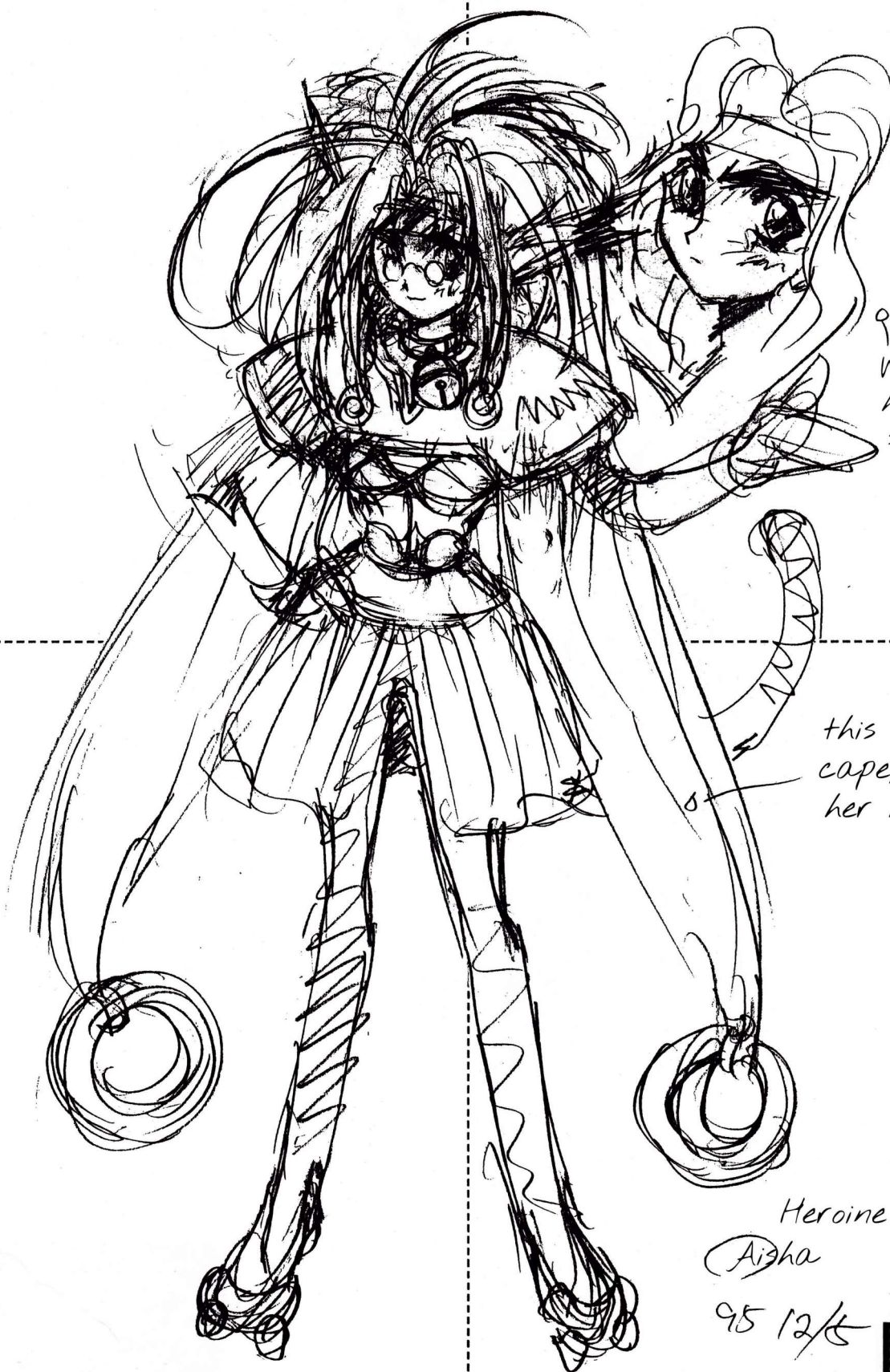
COOLAW
STAR

Hatake

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SUKOSHI WAKEART

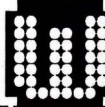


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Wrong
hair-
style

this is a
cape, not
her hair

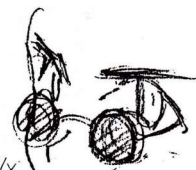
Heroine
Aisha

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her eyes experience
discomfort in bright
places



she usually
hides her
ears.

wearing
sunglasses

some kind
of pattern
on
shoulder/
chest

She can
also hide
her tail

Unconventional
way of speaking,
it's like her own
language

ex. My name
is Aisha



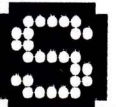
Like cats



She transforms
into animals
like this

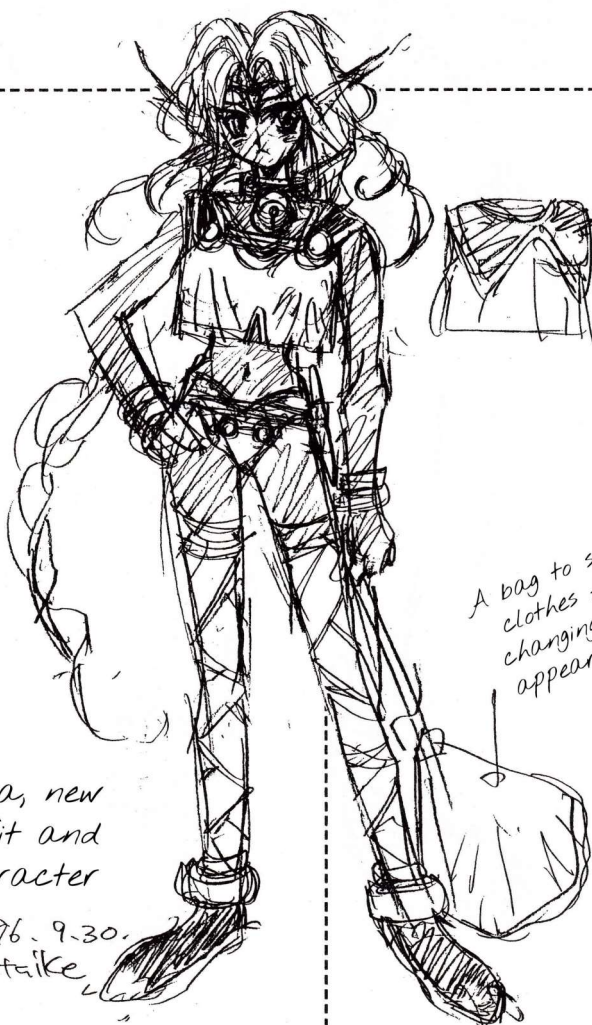
Aisha
Clan-Clan
ver.2

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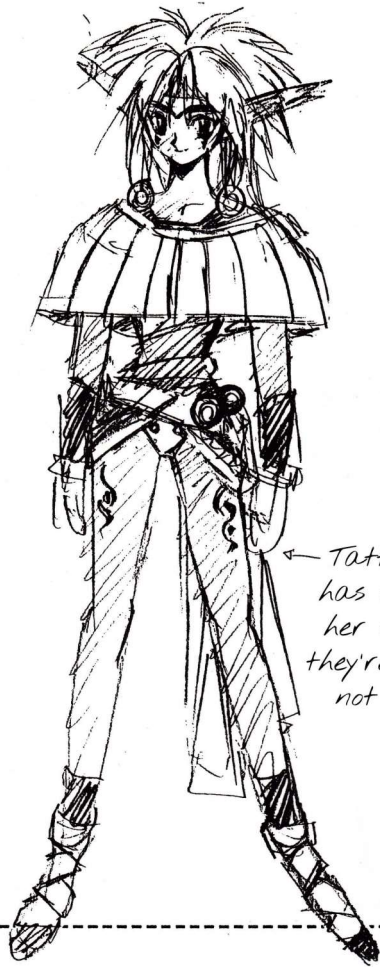
Aisha
96.10.1
Hatailce



A bag to store
clothes for
changing her
appearance.

Aisha, new
outfit and
character

96.9.30.
Hatailce



New
Aisha

96
5/9

← Tattoo. She
has them on
her legs but
they're usually
not shown.

96-8/1.



Being
a spy
isn't an
easy job

Aisha has
her own
way of
speaking

SUKOSHI WAKEART

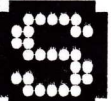


Sooo
good
~

Aisha
96-8-18
HataiKa

Is this
what
peach
tarts look
like?

She wouldn't sit
around talking
like this.



You can see her oxygen nozzle and a microphone if you look closely.

make sure her neck doesn't extend so far out of the suit, it should smoothly transition to her shoulders.

The outfit exaggerates her shoulders.

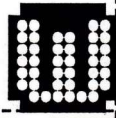
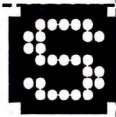
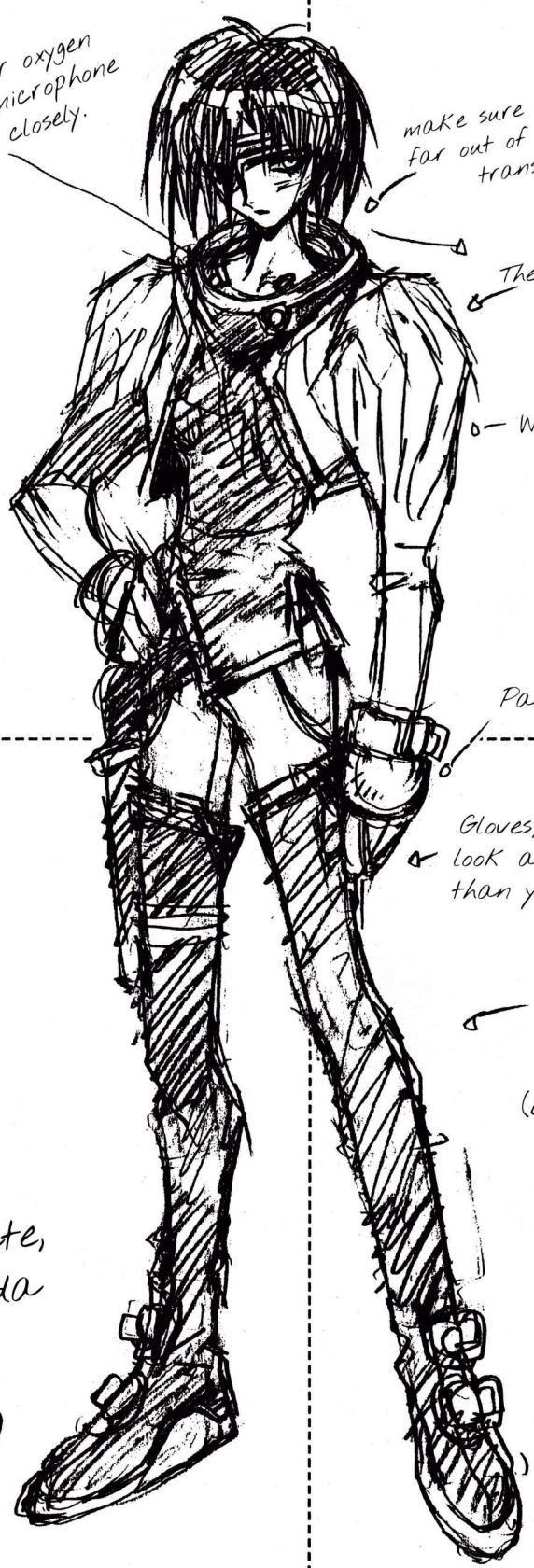
Wrinkles

Pads

Gloves, her fingers look a bit fatter than you'd expect.

She has a skinny body-type. (But some areas are pointy) She is self-disciplined.

Space Pirate,
Hot Ice Hilda
HataiKe
97-2-9





180
— 178
Hilda Gene's
Height

She is charming
when smiling but her
true nature is
revealed by her eyes.
That's the reason
why she is called
"Hot Ice Hilda"

She has
artificial
arms with
batteries
attached.

She has an
ability named
"the Eyes of God"
Forus

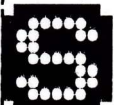
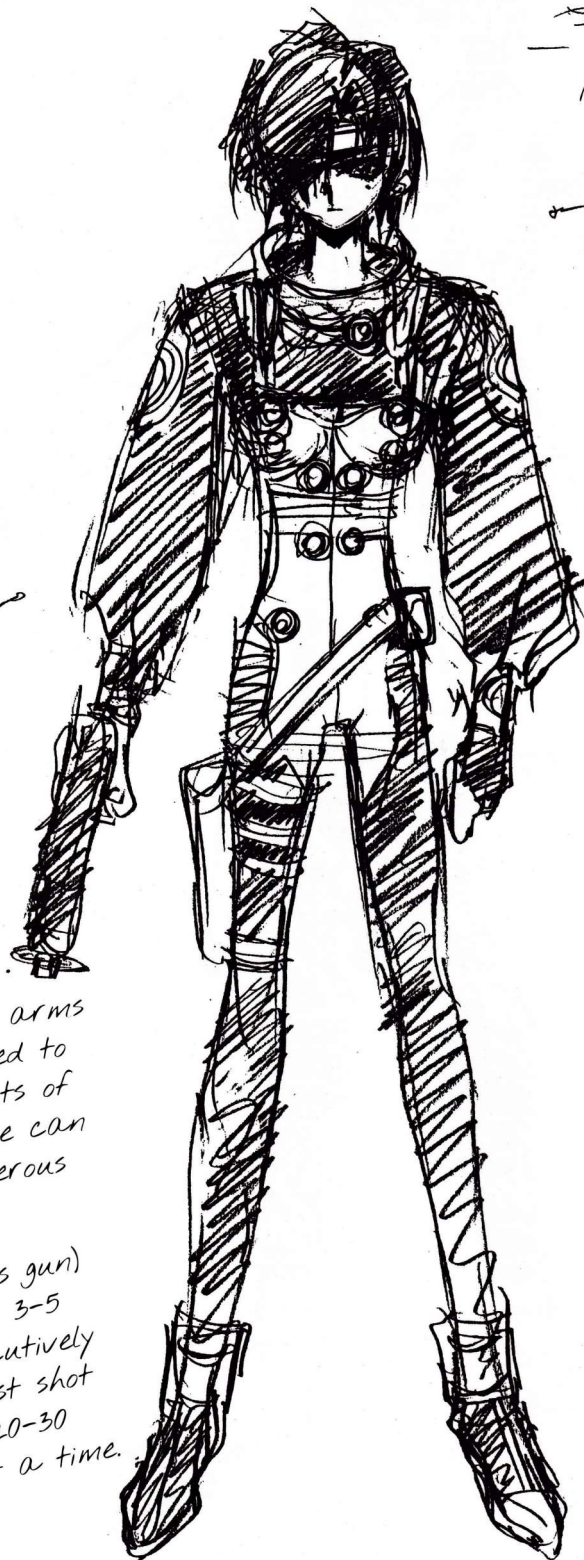


Her artificial arms
are connected to
guns with lots of
bullets so she can
shoot numerous
times

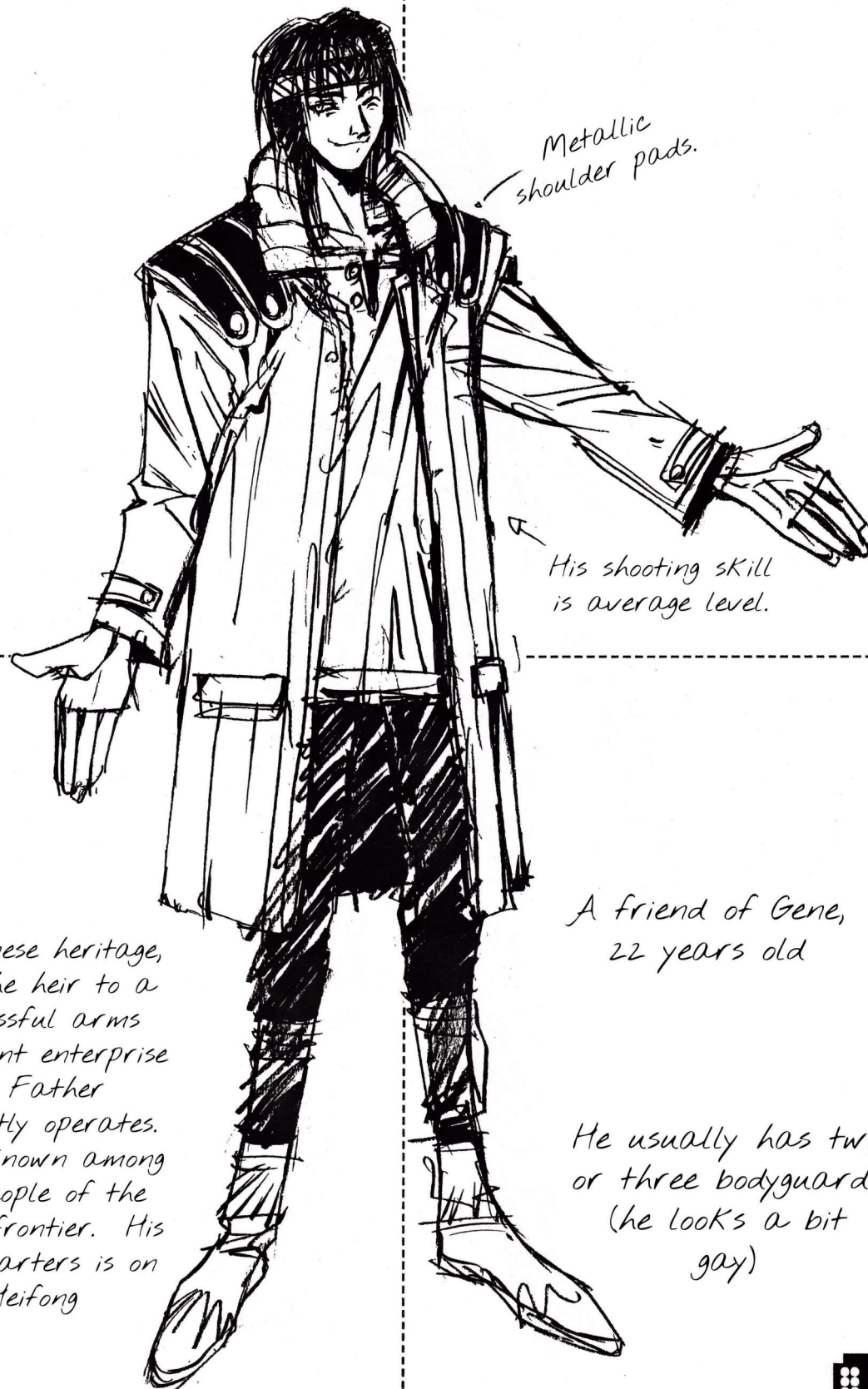
Blaster (Hilda's gun)
can fire for 3-5
seconds consecutively
and the burst shot
can fire 20-30
projectiles at a time.

OUTLAW-STAR

95.11.18.



Fred Luo



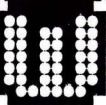
Metallic
shoulder pads.

His shooting skill
is average level.

Of Chinese heritage,
and the heir to a
successful arms
merchant enterprise
his Father
currently operates.
He is known among
the people of the
space frontier. His
headquarters is on
Heifong

A friend of Gene,
22 years old

He usually has two
or three bodyguards
(he looks a bit
gay)



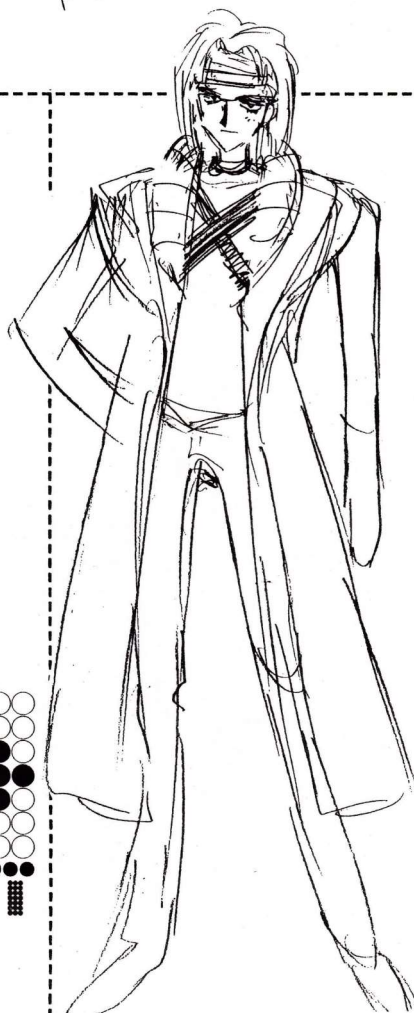
Excuse me, but
I would be
happier if he
looks more
feminine.



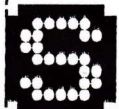
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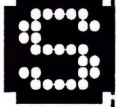


He usually
wears a
T-shirt or
tank top.



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*a famous comedian who passed away in 2007

He looks like a fatter version of Ueki Hitoshi

Harshly sloped shoulders.

There may be a badge on his arms?

He flicks his tongue in and out creepily.

He hides weapons within his sleeves.

He jaunts up and down as he walks.

Chinese Space Pirate
Tao Master Roi Fong



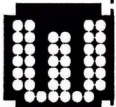
99-2-9.
HataiKe.

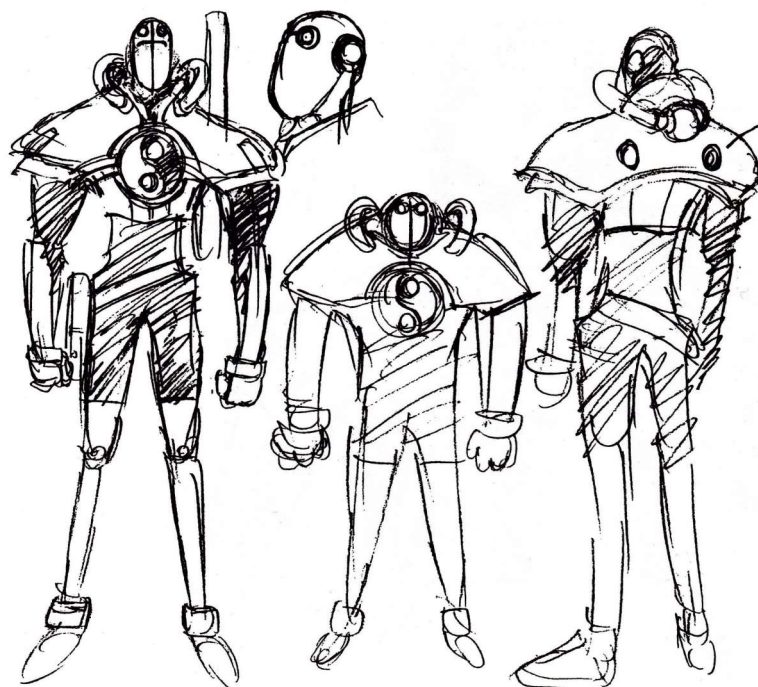
知野海賊



OUTLAW STAR

| Space Pirates





Weapons
attach to the
back of their
shoulders.



A skillful lady
with an artificial
hand

Rough sketch for
space pirates Guild

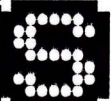
Hetaiice
96.2.29,

He looks
like a
space ninja

His face is not
easily visible,
maybe covered
with a mask
or eye patch

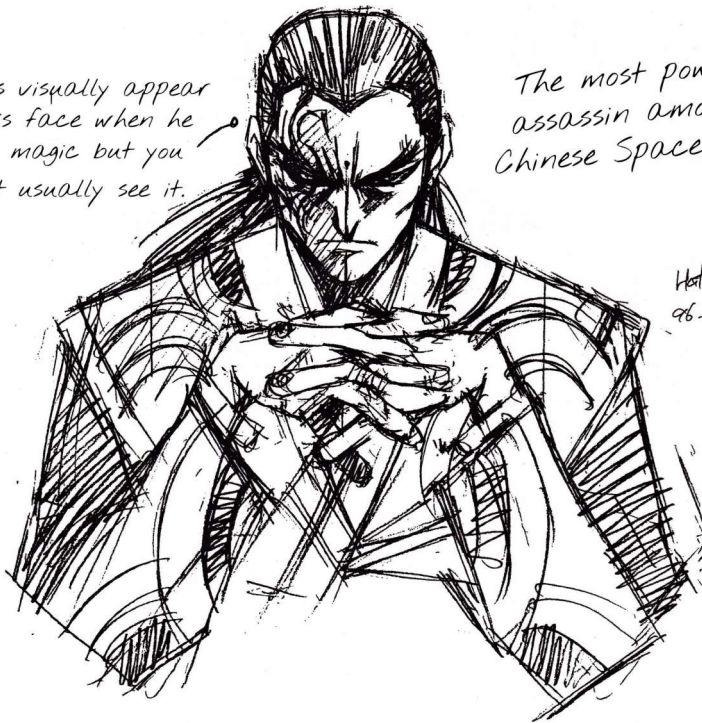
Like a smaller
version of
"Tyalis". Doesn't
need to breathe
oxygen.

R
C
L
A
W
S



Naviron Silver Wolf

Spells visually appear
on his face when he
uses magic but you
don't usually see it.

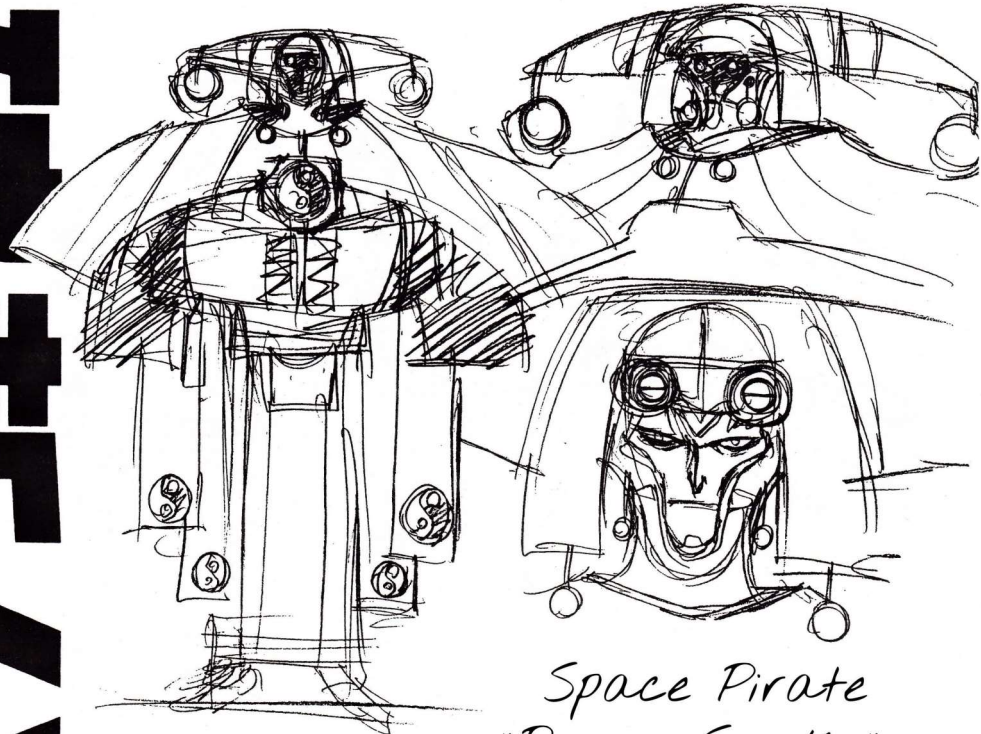


The most powerful
assassin among the
Chinese Space Pirates

Hattori
96-8-18

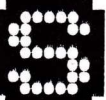
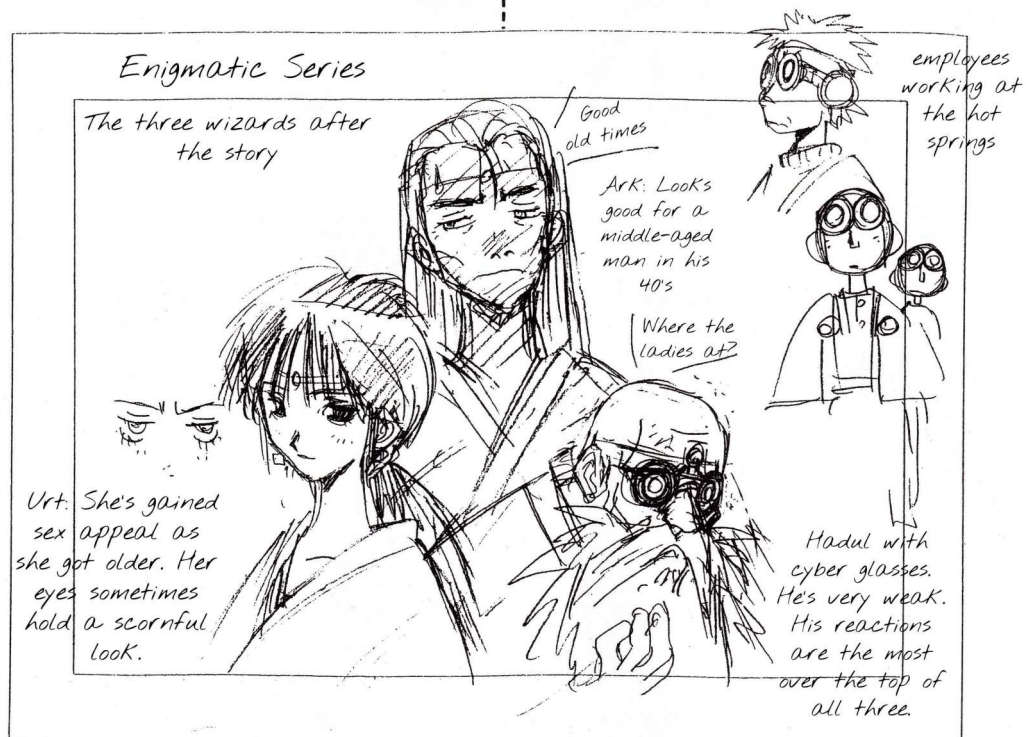
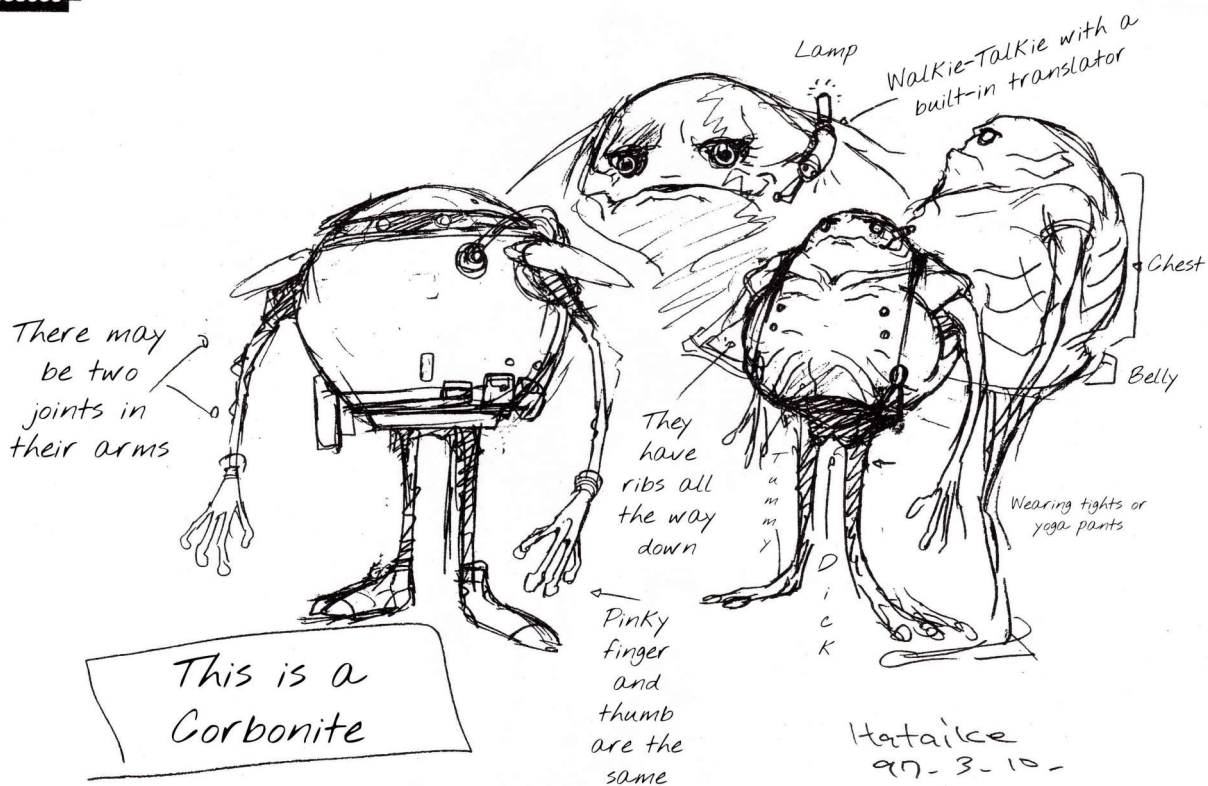
最強

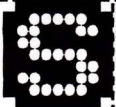
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Space Pirate
"Pepper SanKei"

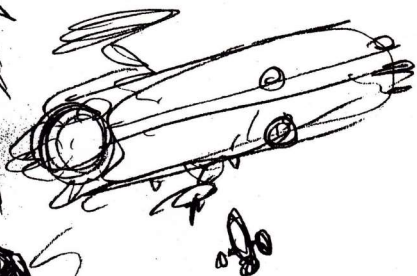






My
backUp
seems
safe.

Her back
up starts
crying after
this and
says "I was
born for
you."



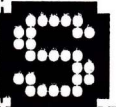
The Black Box
technology from the
Way of the Dragon
was destroyed and
Melfina lost control
of herself. That also
changes her form.



fusion dance
with her
backUp looks
like this

Shadow Melfina,
AKashya
Contact Mode

98-4-18.





Postscript

Well, what's today's date? Comic Revolution is May 12th and Golden week is when??? No, I don't wanna think about my schedule...I believe I'm not falling behind...it's just my misunderstanding...someone help me!!! I can't keep up with this schedule anymore.

This schedule was rougher than ever, wasn't it? Don't you think so Masshi No. 2?

How many more days until...the next meeting. No more SW. Do you know SW? Star Wars!! It is finally going to release! I've been waiting so long to see Yoda doing swordplay. We have been waiting for 25 years for that. Waiting three years for Gato (Note: Gundam character) is nothing...you got something to say about Kycilia Zabi's (Note: Gundam character) plan? You got balls, Acors? Crackers!! (Note: Gundam attack) Take it!! Maybe Star Wind would be good use of the acronym as well, wouldn't it? There were some other rough ideas too, but anyway May the Force Be With You. -Masshi

P.S. There was some stupid slot car looking thing that took over the movie slot this summer?

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Note: Literally "There is a reason why"

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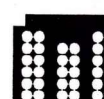
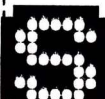
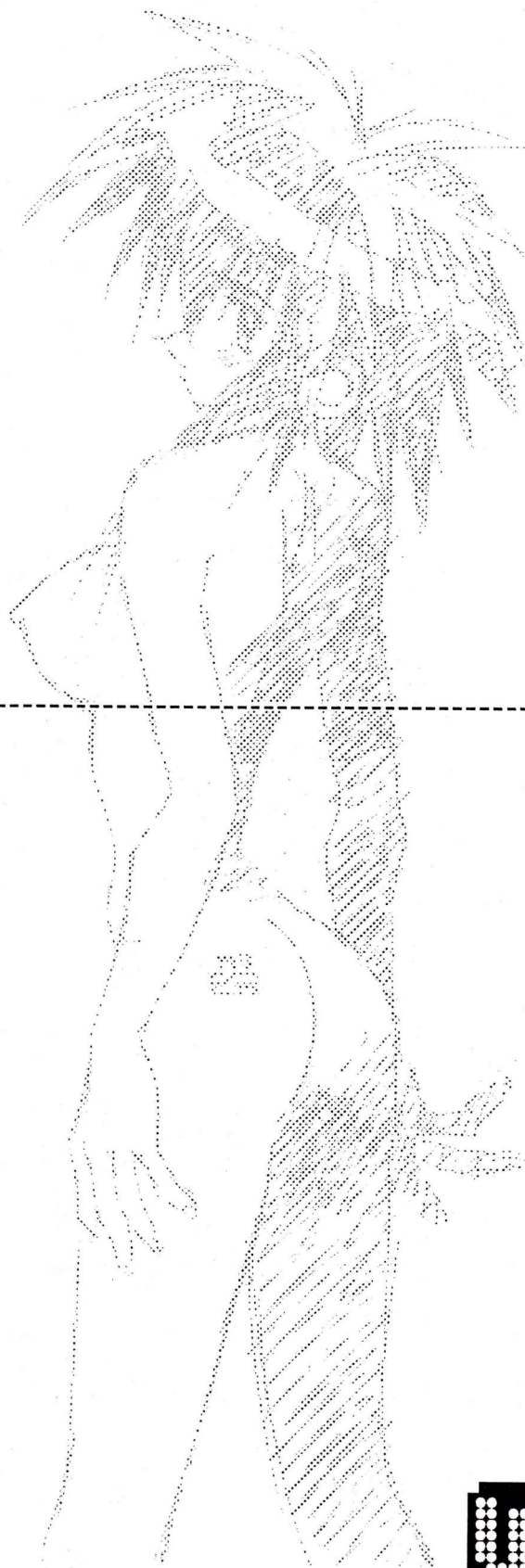
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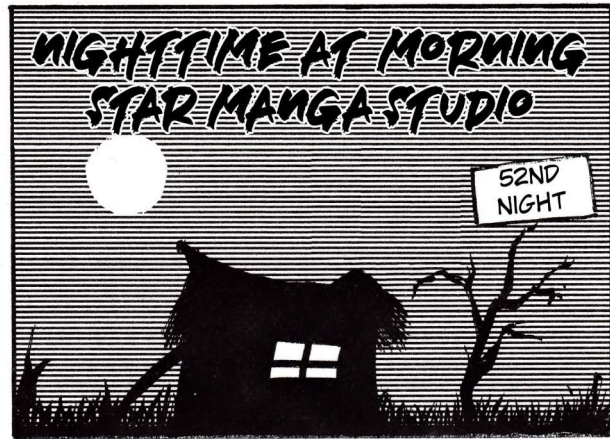
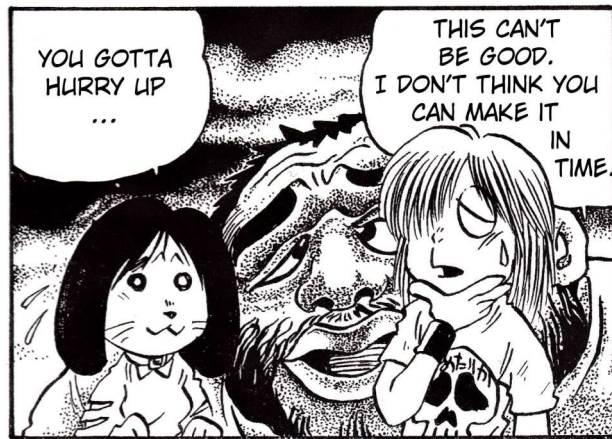
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