

# Feynman's Mining Station

Contact with the Mining station stopped two days ago. When the crew's ship shows up, they are unable to hail anyone at the station. External scans show signs of damage from possible attack, and defensive system appears to be offline. The scan shows that the station still has full life support but zero signs of life. The station's docking clamps are malfunctioning and will need to be forced manually by the crew to dock their ship

When they dock with the station they see that another ship is docked as well. This ship has large sections of its haul completely removed, exposing the ship's interior to space.

Alien nanites from the Core found in the mine have taken control of all the androids in the mine and station. They are being used to strip the station and ships for parts to build some kind of alien device, as well, as to protect the nanite core or nest from intruders. Whenever a nanite infected Android attacks, the nanites will try to dismantl or take control of any mecnical, electrial device, or metallic object.

The Core is the alien nanite's nest and Hive Mother. It is the structure the miners found. it was inactive while buried within the asteroid until uncovered. Now it is seeking to reconnect with more of its like by building a device to move the asteroid through hyper-space. All nanites originate from this core. destroying the core will deactivate the nanites.

