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Symphony of Pain

The forces of Chaos Space Marines that have fallen to Slaanesh, the Prince of Excess, often join together in ravaging warbands with the purpose of combining their sonic weaponry with one another en masse. Over the course of a campaign more and more Noise Marines will group together until an entire battlefield is simply filled with mind-rending discordant sound. Mighty heroes marked by Slaanesh will also join in the fray, eager to feel the sensations produced by such a gathering of torture-musicians. As the music builds, the fabric of reality itself is weakened, allowing the daemons of pleasure to spill into the material world, adding their beautiful harmonic cries, and those of the enemy, to the composition.



Forces

- 1+ HQ model chosen from the following:
 - Chaos Space Marine Daemon Prince with Mark of
 - ☐ Chaos Space Marine Lord with Mark of Slaanesh
 - ☐ Chaos Space Marine Sorcerer with Mark of Slaanesh
 - Lucius The Eternal
- 3+ units chosen from the following:
 - ☐ Noise Marines with Icon of Slaanesh
 - ☐ Chaos Space Marine Terminators with Icon of Slaanesh

Special Rules

Mark of the Prince: All units in the Legendary Formation must number 6 models (optionally 12, if available in the unit entry) and, as so blessed, are *Fearless*.

Embrace of the Noise: The Symphony of Pain is brought about by a massed gathering of sonic weaponry, discordant and cacophonous, and continually draws in more and more Noise Marines as the warband progresses. The Chaos Space Marine HQ choices may take a Doom Siren for +10 points, a Sonic Blaster for +5 points, or a Daemon Weapon for +30 points. Any Chaos Space Marine Terminator in the Legendary Formation may replace their twin-linked Bolter for a Sonic Blaster at +5 points or up to two Blastmasters per unit at +40 points each, but they may not take Reaper Autocannons or Heavy Flamers. Chaos Space Marine Havocs in the Legendary Formation may replace their Lascannons with Blastmasters for free and may replace their Bolters with Sonic Blasters for +5 points. Any Aspiring Champion in the Legendary

☐ Chaos Space Marine Havocs with Icon of Slaanesh 3+ units chosen from the following:

POINTS: 150 + models

- Daemonettes
- ☐ Seekers of Slaanesh
- Fiends of Slaanesh
- 0+ Keepers of Secrets
- 0+ Heralds of Slaanesh
- 0-1 The Masque

Formation may take a Doom Siren for +10 points and may upgrade his bolter/twin-linked bolter to a Sonic Blaster for +5 points.

Frame Shaking: Any unit in the Legendary Formation may take the Tank Hunter universal special rule for +3 points per model, although it is not usable in close combat. All Blastmasters in the Legendary Formation count as AA Mounts when fired at Varied

Warp Leap: Daemons of Slaanesh are drawn to a Symphony of Pain just as other sonic musicians are. The music whips them into frenzy as they prepare to make entry from the warp, tearing through the veil of reality with fervor. Any Daemons in the Legendary Formation may enter the battle summoned off of an Icon of Slaanesh also in the Formation, and may Assault after being summoned as such (as per Summoned Lesser Daemons in Codex: Chaos Space Marines).