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Ephemera

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Ephemera are a type of [cosmetic](#) item for [Warframes](#) and [Operators](#). When equipped, they create special visual effects that emanate from the character's body.

Equipping

To equip an Ephemera, go to the "**Arsenal**" page, then click on a Warframe's "**Appearance**" tab. The Ephemera can be equipped in the option "**Attachments**" under the section labeled as "**Ephemera**".

The *Ephemera* section will **not** appear until at least one Ephemera has been obtained.

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Variants

Archon Shard Series

The Archon Shard Ephemeras take into account what [Archon Shards](#) the Warframe has installed.

Shard Hex Shard Bane



Expose the power that courses through you. This Ephemera dynamically updates with your Warframe's installed Archon Shards.

This Ephemera embeds a cosmetic Archon Shard through the Warframe's chest, which inherits the Warframe's Energy colors. When the Warframe stays still, all installed Shards will orbit around the Warframe, disappearing as soon as the Warframe moves.

Purchased from [Chipper](#) of [Kahl's Garrison](#) for 45  [Stock](#), requiring players to be at **Rank 5 - Home** to purchase.

Aspirus Series

Aspirus Aspirus Emergent Aspirus Apex

Pay tribute to Jade and mark the battle of Operation Belly of the Beast with this transcendent Ephemera.

Can be purchased during [Operation: Belly of the Beast](#) from [Ordis](#) in [Larunda Relay](#), [Mercury](#) for 40 [Volatile Notes](#) once Community Progress has reached 30%.





Body Series

- Bleeding Body
- Smoking Body

A grisly blood effect emanates from your Warframe.

Obtained from Arbitration Honors for **30**
[Vitus Essence](#).





Manufacturing Requirements					
1,000,000	10,000	1	1		Time:
					72
					hrs
1,000,000	10,000	1	1		Rush:
					50
Market Price: N/A			Blueprints Price: N/A		

Conquera

- Conquera
- Conquera II

Wear this Ribbon Ephemera as a symbol of support in the Quest to Conquer Cancer.

Conquera 2021 (<https://www.warframe.com/news/quest-to-conquer-cancer-2021-en>) donation goal reward.



Crania

Surround yourself with the echoes of the fallen – earned on the Steel Path.

Can be bought from [Teshin](#) in the [Steel Path Honors](#) store for [85](#) [Steel Essence](#)



Eidolon

Move as the Eidolons and burn the ground coldly with footsteps of shimmering Void energy.

Awarded after reaching certain ranks in [Nightwave](#):

- Rank 15 in [Intermission I](#).
- Rank 15 in [Intermission II](#).
- Rank 17 in [Nora's Mix Volume 5](#)



Fae Path

Your Warframe leaves a trail of fireflies and forest leaves in its wake.

(PC only) Obtained via in-game inbox message after enabling Two-Factor Authentication (2FA) post-[Update 25.0](#) (2019-05-22).



Purchased from [Baro Ki'Teer](#) (permanently available) for **1,000** and 15 [Ducats](#) on all platforms.



Festering

Persistent sores and bubbles burst with every move.

Exclusive to the [Deimos Supporter Packs \(https://www.warframe.com/supporter-packs\)](https://www.warframe.com/supporter-packs) available from August 25th, 2020 to July 6th, 2021.



Was made permanently available in the [Market](#) for **65** on March 1st, 2024. Also part of the Deimos Tribute Pack for **465**.



Fog Of War

Emerge from the fog of war unscathed.

Purchased from [Chipper](#) of [Kahl's Garrison](#) for 45 [Stock](#), requiring players to be at **Rank 5 - Home** to purchase.



Ki'Teer

Spread the influence of the System's greatest trader wherever you go!

Introduced in [Hotfix 27.2.2](#) (2020-03-06). This Ephemera is sold by [Baro Ki'Teer](#) in the Concourse section of the [Tenno Relay](#) for **150,000** and **100**. Note that Baro Ki'Teer's stock changes with each appearance, and this Ephemera may not be available on a succeeding appearance.





Ki'teer Reverence

Exemplify sophistication with every step.

This Ephemera is sold by [Baro Ki'Teer](#) in the Concourse section of the [Tenno Relay](#) for **350,000** and **250**. Note that Baro Ki'Teer's stock changes with each appearance, and this Ephemera may not be available on a succeeding appearance.



Kudzon

Become one with the overgrowth.

Obtained via Prime Gaming's Febuary 2023 reward as a part of Amazon Prime.





Lohk's Embrace

Feel the whisper of the Void.

The Lohk's Embrace Ephemera is only available in the [Market](#) as part of the [Golden Mend Collection](#) for **430**.



Lotus

Your Warframe leaves a trail of fragrant petals in its wake.

Obtained via [Twitch/Mixer drop \(https://forums.warframe.com/topic/1101797-warframe-empyrean-e3-teaser-trailer/\)](https://forums.warframe.com/topic/1101797-warframe-empyrean-e3-teaser-trailer/) from watching any mainstage panel for 30 minutes during [TennoCon](#) 2019 – watching the TennoLive stream **did not** fulfill the requirement.

This Ephemera is sold by [Baro Ki'Teer](#) in the Concourse section of the Tenno [Relay](#) for **450,000** and **250**. Note that Baro Ki'Teer's stock changes with each appearance, and this Ephemera may not be available on a succeeding appearance.

Obsidian

A next-generation Ephemera.

A PS4-exclusive Ephemera included in the [Renown Pack XVII \(https://www.warframe.com/news/renown-pack-xvii-available-now\)](https://www.warframe.com/news/renown-pack-xvii-available-now) Bundle, available from September 10th, 2019 to March 10th, 2020.

Okuri Tails

Share the path with your inner beast.



The Okuri Tails Ephemera can be bought from the [Market](#) for **70**, or as part of the [The Pack's Heart Bundle](#) for **775**.



Prime

[Baurahn Prime](#) [Catena Prime](#) [Corposant Prime](#) [Oni Prime](#) [Sanguine Prime](#) >

Coiling, hissing, the spirits of flame ride with their kin.

Obtained via the [Nezha Prime Access Accessories Pack](#) (<https://www.warframe.com/news/nezha-prime-access>), available from October 27th, 2020 until February 23rd, 2021.





Protovyre

Main article: [Protovyre](#)

Protovyre	Protovyre Emergent	Protovyre Apex
<i>An evolving Ephemera that draws upon Sentient technology. Earn Focus with this Ephemera equipped to unlock two additional looks.</i>		
Can be bought from the Market for 80 .		



Seasonal

Spring Step

Mark the path to a new season with a trail of decorative eggs.

Obtained from the Market for **5,000** originally from April 17th – April 24th 2019. It was made available again from April 8th – April 15th 2020, and again from March 31st – April 7th 2021.



Limited-time seasonal Ephemera usable until the end of the Spring event and removed from the player's inventory after that date.



Halloween

Naberus Nyctalus Spinneret

*A warrior walks, alone in crowds
Companion to moon and mist and bat
With a vision grim the mind enshrouds*

This fearsome, deathborne aristocrat.



Manufacturing Requirements					
10,000	1,000	5			Time:
					36
					hrs
					Rush:
					50
Market Price: N/A			Blueprints Price: N/A		

Awarded after completing the 4th stage of the [Tactical Alert](#) "[Hallowed Flame](#)", between October 25th, 2019 - November 1st, 2019. Its blueprint can be bought from [Daughter](#) for **45** [Mother Token](#) during [Nights of Naberus](#) between October 15th - November 1st, 2020.

Summer

- [Dog Days](#)
- Soaker

Soak off with this Dog Days Ephemera - Only for a limited time!

Surrounds the character in an inner tube. Can be bought from [Nakak](#) for 1 [Nakak Pearls](#) during [Dog Days Tactical Alert](#). Limited-time seasonal item first appeared during [Dog Days Tactical Alert 2021](#) and was removed from player inventories on [August 3rd, 2021](#) (<https://forums.warframe.com/topic/1275636-dog-days-ephemera-floats-away/>).

Eros Wings

Wings to lift your love starward.

The Eros Wings Ephemera can be bought from [Ticker](#) in [Fortuna](#) during [Star Days](#) for 35 [Training Debt-Bond](#) or at Rank 4 of [Nightwave: Nora's Choice](#).



Winter

Frostfall

Become the heart of the winter, beneath a cloud of falling snow.

The Frostfall Ephemera was awarded during Tennobaum 2020 if over **120,000** gifts were given to other players. After standing still for a few seconds, the Ephemera will generate a cloud of snow.



It could be bought from [Ticker](#) during [Star Days](#) 2022 for 5 [Medical Debt-Bond](#).





Lunar Renewal

Peach Blossom

Purified Bloom

Xianglong

Surround your Warframe with softly falling peach blossoms, to celebrate the Lunar Renewal.

The Peach Blossom Ephemera can be bought from the [Market](#) for **60**, or as part of the [Radiant Lunar Renewal Collection](#) for **500** between February 15th - March 7th, 2022.



Sisters Series

Obtained from defeating a [Corpus Sister](#), provided she has an Ephemera herself, regardless if she is Vanquished or Converted. Sisters have a **20%** chance to appear with an Ephemera depending on [the Warframe who created her](#). Unlike the Vengeful



Ephemera, these Sisters Ephemera cannot be equipped on [Companions](#), [Archwings](#), or [Necramechs](#).

[Gloriana](#)[Hypatia](#)[Kyruna](#)[Lucretia](#)[Solena](#)[Sybillina](#)[Zarina](#)

An icily imperious Ephemera seized from a converted or vanquished Sister of Parvos.

Appears on Sisters with the [Cold](#) element.



Spore

Infested spores emanate from your Warframe.

Awarded from reaching certain ranks in [Nightwave](#):

- Rank 19 in [Series 2: The Emissary](#).
- Rank 18 in [Intermission III](#).
- Rank 27 in [Nora's Mix Volume 4](#).





Step Series

- Blazing Step
- Freezing Step
- Seeding Step
- Shocking Step

The Warframe leaves flaming footprints in its wake.

Drops from [Pyr Captain](#), [Glacik Commander](#), [Lektro Commander](#), [Blite Captain](#): 0.387%.

Purchasable from Arbitration Store for **30 Vitus Essence**



Manufacturing Requirements					
1,000,000	100	1	1		Time: 72 hrs
					Rush:
					50
Market Price: N/A			Blueprints Price: N/A		



Tenebrous

<https://imgur.com/a/q4chWLf>

Walk wreathed in Sentient unlight.



Purchased from [Little Duck](#) in [Fortuna](#) for **15** [Anomaly Shards](#) earned from clearing [Sentient Anomalies](#) in the [Veil Proxima](#).

Prior to [Hotfix 27.0.11](#) (2020-01-16), this Ephemera dropped from Reinforced Sentient Storage Containers aboard the Sentient Anomaly in Veil Proxima.



The grey color of this ephemera cannot be changed for the most part, with only a few of the embers that fly off of the body inheriting the energy color of attachments.



Tennocon 2021

Bestowed upon those who joined together in celebration at TennoCon 2021.

Obtained from the Tennocon 2021 Digital ticket pack.



Trio Orbit

Surround yourself with a trio of orbiting energy – earned on the Steel Path.



Can be bought from [Teshin](#) in the [Steel Path Honors](#) store for **3** [Steel Essence](#).



Vengeful Series

Obtained from defeating a [Kuva Lich](#), provided the Lich has an Ephemera themselves, regardless if they are Vanquished or Converted. Liches have a **20%**^[1] chance to be generated with an Ephemera, depending on [the Warframe who created them](#). Unlike most Ephemera listed here, these Ephemera can be equipped on [Companions](#), [Archwings](#), and [Necramechs](#), though with a slightly subdued effect. Please take note of the following:

- The Vengeful Trickster Ephemera has a more pronounced effect in-game than what is depicted below due to filesize restrictions.
- Because of how Warframes are rendered in [Archwing](#) missions, the Vengeful Charge Ephemera becomes much more pronounced to the point of becoming visually jarring while using an Archwing or channeling [Razorwing](#).

Vengeful Charge Vengeful Chill Vengeful Flame Vengeful Pull Veng>

A shocking ephemera seized from a converted or vanquished Kuva Lich.





Verv

Broadcast your presence with every move.

Obtained via Prime Gaming's September 2021 reward as a part of Amazon Prime.



Waveform

Sweet frequencies ripple through this Nightwave themed ephemera.

Awarded from reaching certain ranks in [Nightwave](#).

- Rank 19 in [Nora's Choice](#);
- Rank 5 in [Nightwave/Nora's Mix Volume 3](#)



Zariman

[Raptwing](#)

Seraphayre

Take on the majesty of an angel's wings.

Coats the character in [Void](#) energy, while also giving them a pair of [Void Angel](#) arms that mirror the movements of their original arms.

Blueprint can be bought from [Cavalero](#) for **30,000** requiring **Rank 5 - Angel** with [The Holdfasts](#).



Manufacturing Requirements					
10,000	5	15	5	150	Time:
					36
					hrs
					Rush:
					50
Market Price: N/A			Blueprints Price: N/A		



Notes

- Ephemera will inherit the color of the Warframe's attachments **energy** color, rather than the emissive color.
 - An exception to this is Vengeful Shockwave Ephemera which the stones are not affected by any color selection. The beams of light coming off the stones can be colored using the Warframe's Energy color. However, it is affected by [Rhino's Iron Skin](#) by which it can change color according to the Warframe's tint color if [Iron Skin](#) was cast by [Rhino Prime](#), just like the owner.
 - A few ephemera also inherit the color of the Warframe's attachments **accents** color: the dragon bodies of Baurahn Prime, the arms of the Raptwing ephemera, and the various arm/knee spikes from the Seraphayre ephemera.
- All Ephemera and their blueprints are untradeable. The Vengeful and Sisters Ephemera are partial exceptions to this; while they cannot be traded by themselves, players can trade Converted Liches/Sisters who possess them, to others.
 - The Ephemera will be awarded to both the original progenitor of the Lich/Sister, and the buyer of the Converted Lich/Sister.

Trivia

- The Sister Ephemeras project [Corpus lettering and iconography](#):
 - Gloriana, Zarina, and Lucretia translate to "Power In Prosperity, Prosperity In Victory".

Bugs

- The Frostfall and Spinneret Ephemera will persist visually on an Operator in the Orbiter by simply previewing them. Even if neither are equipped they will both visually persist at the same time until leaving and returning to Operator mode, and is only bugged on the Orbiter itself.
- The Eros Wings Ephemera's light trails persist when other Ephemeras are previewed within the menu until the Arsenal is left.

References

1. "Doubled the chance of a Kuva Lich to have a Vengeful Ephemera from 10% to 20%!" - [Update 27.1](#) (2020-02-04) patch notes

Patch History

Hotfix 36.0.4 (2024-06-26) • Fixed Temporal Prime Ephemera’s orbs not taking on custom player-selected colors.
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