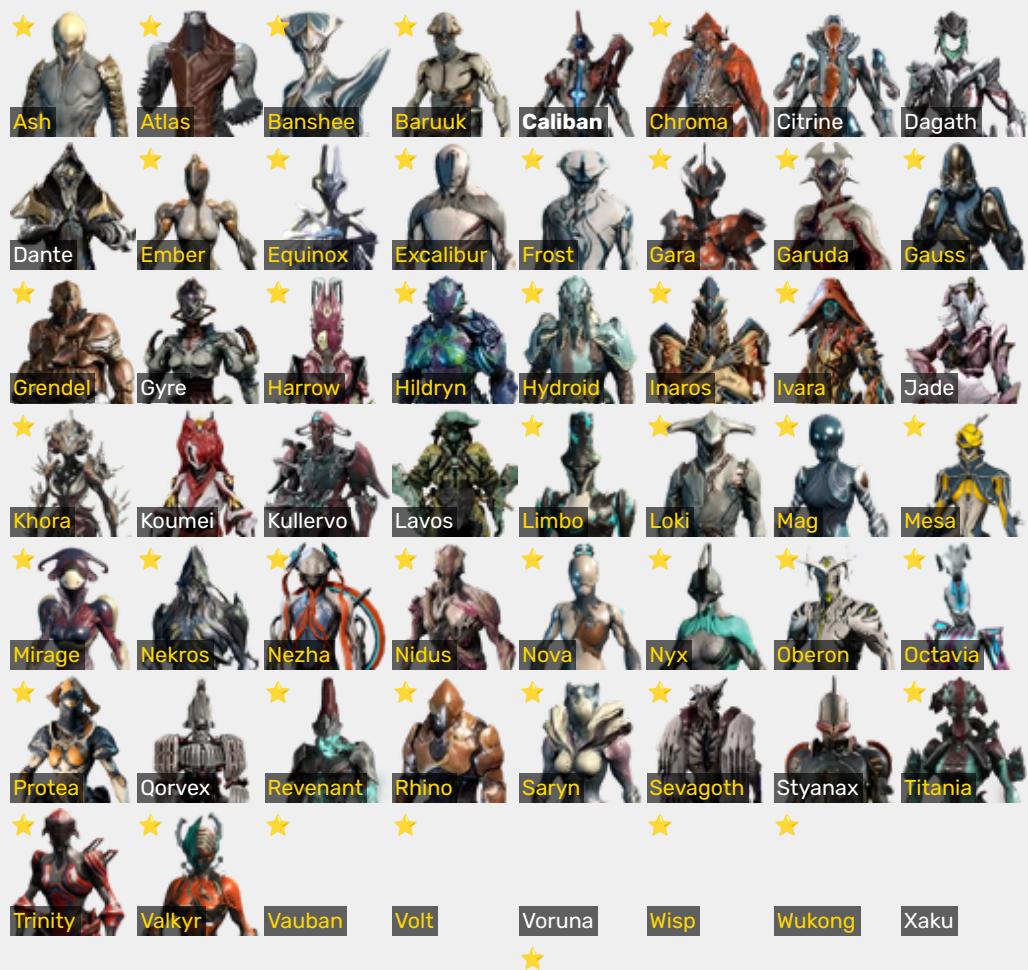


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Caliban

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The heir of twin kingdoms ascends. Biological and Sentient life meet in Caliban. An adept monarch, he offers crowd control and survivability. His creator had more than one world in mind.

For the node on Uranus, see [Caliban \(Node\)](#).

A twisted hybrid of Warframe and Sentient, he is raised from the wreckage of the Old War. This is Caliban, the survivor, the adaptive.

Once a weapon consigned by Erra after the Old War, Caliban is yours to sow vengeance in the New.

—Natah

Release Date: December 15th, 2021

Amalgamated with our ancient nemesis, his vessel of Helminth morph suffused by adaptive bionics.

Hybridize the powers of [Warframe](#) and [Sentient](#) combined as **Caliban**, the chimera prototype. Splinter forth his triad of familial fragments, to sweep death from Tau across Origin, through cyclonic devastation and destructive energy infusion. Caliban returned to wage war in [Update 31.0 \(2021-12-15\)](#): The New War.



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Description

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Passive

Allies within Affinity range gain increased resistance to the types of damage they are currently taking.

Abilities**1st Ability**

Razor Gyre



Acquisition

- Caliban's main blueprint is purchased from the [Market](#). His component blueprints are acquired from [Narmer Bounties](#) after completion of [The New War](#). One component blueprint is available as an uncommon drop; which component is available is chosen randomly on every Bounty refresh after 2½ hours.
- To celebrate his rework on [Update 37.0](#) (2024-10-02), all players who log into WARFRAME between October 2nd to October 16, 2024 will receive a free Caliban Warframe complete with a pre-installed [Orokin Reactor](#) and Warframe Slot via inbox message.

Item	Source	Chance
	Narmer	
	Fortuna	
	Bounty	
Systems Blueprint	Lvl 50-70	8.11%
	Stages 2 & 3 / A	
	Narmer	
	Cetus	
	Bounty	
Systems Blueprint	Lvl 50-70	8.11%
	Stages 2 & 3 / A	

3rd Ability	Lethal Progeny
4th Ability	Fusion Strike
General Information	
Sex	Male
Mastery Rank	0
Max Rank	30
Health	270 (370 at Rank 30)
Shields	550 (650 at Rank 30)
Armor	290
Energy	140 (190 at Rank 30)
Starting Energy	75
Sprint Speed	1.1
Aura Polarity	
Exilus Polarity	None
Polarities	
Introduced	Update 31.0 (2021-12-15)
Themes	Hybridization, Sentient, Adapting
Progenitor Element	Electricity
Subsumed Ability	Sentient Wrath
Tactical Ability	Sentient Wrath
Sell Price	25,000
Official Drop Tables	
https://www.warframe.com/droppables	



Item	Source	Chance
Systems Blueprint	Narmer Fortuna Bounty Lvl 50-70 Stage 4 / A	
Systems Blueprint	Narmer Cetus Bounty Lvl 50-70 Stage 5 / A	
Systems Blueprint	Narmer Fortuna Bounty Lvl 50-70 Stage 5 / A	
Systems Blueprint	Narmer Cetus Bounty Lvl 50-70 Stage 4 / A	
Neuroptics Blueprint	Narmer Fortuna Bounty Lvl 50-70 Stages 2 & 3 / C	
Neuroptics Blueprint	Narmer Cetus Bounty Lvl 50-70 Stages 2 & 3 / C	



Item	Source	Chance
Neuroptics Blueprint	Narmer Fortuna Bounty Lvl 50-70	Stage 4 / C
Neuroptics Blueprint	Narmer Cetus Bounty Lvl 50-70	Stage 5 / C
Neuroptics Blueprint	Narmer Fortuna Bounty Lvl 50-70	Stage 5 / C
Neuroptics Blueprint	Narmer Cetus Bounty Lvl 50-70	Stage 4 / C
Chassis Blueprint	Narmer Fortuna Bounty Lvl 50-70	Stages 2 & 3 / B



Item	Source	Chance
Chassis Blueprint	Narmer Cetus Bounty Lvl 50-70 Stages 2 & 3 / B	
Chassis Blueprint	Narmer Fortuna Bounty Lvl 50-70 Stage 4 / B	
Chassis Blueprint	Narmer Cetus Bounty Lvl 50-70 Stage 5 / B	
Chassis Blueprint	Narmer Fortuna Bounty Lvl 50-70 Stage 5 / B	
Chassis Blueprint	Narmer Cetus Bounty Lvl 50-70 Stage 4 / B	

All drop rates data is obtained from [DE's official drop tables](https://warframe.com/droptables) (<https://warframe.com/droptables>). See

[Mission Rewards#Standard Missions](#) for definitions on reward table rotations.

For more detailed definitions and information, visit [here](#).



Crafting

Manufacturing Requirements					
 Edit blueprint requirements					
25,000	1	1	1	Orokin Cell	Time: 3 Day(s) Rush: 50
Market Price: 325		Blueprints Price: 50,000			
Caliban Neuroptics Blueprint					
15,000	Anomaly Shard 3	Narmer Isoplast 12	Neural Sensors 10	Tralok Eyes 20	Time: 12 Hour(s) Rush: 25
Caliban Chassis Blueprint					
15,000	Anomaly Shard 3	Narmer Isoplast 16	Mortus Horn 20	Hespazym Alloy 100	Time: 12 Hour(s) Rush: 25
Caliban Systems Blueprint					
15,000	Anomaly Shard 3	Narmer Isoplast 12	Breath Of The Eidolon 30	Hexenon 30	Time: 12 Hour(s) Rush: 25

Lore

Caliban's Power is Now Yours

[PLAYER NAME],

The Warframe Caliban was created for one purpose: to destroy you.

He is an aberrant amalgamation of Warframe and Sentient. I fear his true



How relieved I am that his creator no longer controls him.

Today, I give you the chance to bring balance to this beast. I place Caliban in your domain.

Master his abilities. Discover his potential. Restore his honor.

Lotus

Birthed during [The Old War](#) by the [Sentient](#) warlord, [Erra](#), Caliban was created for a single purpose: to destroy the [Tenno](#).

A freakish amalgamation of both Warframe and Sentient, it is a miracle that his creator no longer controls him.

Notes

- When Caliban wields his [Signature](#) [Venato](#), each Melee hit has a **50%** chance to gain additional [Melee Combo](#) points.
- Caliban's ability kit is able to inflict [Tau](#) damage, which is neutral to all health types meaning its damage is neither increased or decreased against all enemies. His abilities are also able to trigger the Status Vulnerability [Status Effect](#).

Trivia

- Caliban is the 48th unique [Warframe](#) to be released, and is the second [Sentient](#)-themed Warframe after [Revenant](#).
- Caliban was first revealed in [TennoCon 2021](#)'s Art of Warframe digital panel. The panel featured his concept artist, Keith Thompson, who designed much of the [Sentient](#) faction's aesthetic.
- [Caliban](#) is a character from Shakespeare's play *The Tempest*, which depicts him as half human and half monster.
- Caliban is second in line of Sentient-themed Warframes, after [Revenant](#) who is predominantly based on the [Eidolon](#), a subspecies of undead spectral Sentients.
 - Similar to Revenant's Eidolon energy, Caliban exudes the signature Sentient unlight within his core cavity and the various exhaust vents on his body.
 - Caliban sports animated parts on his body ranging from the antennae spikes to the hovering shoulder blade pads.
 - Much like the Sentient drones and fragments, Caliban's body is bisected in



- Caliban's abilities are derived from some attacks used by Sentient enemies:
 - [Razor Gyre](#)'s spinning from [Conculysts](#).
 - [Sentient Wrath](#)'s shockwave from [Eidolons](#).
 - [Lethal Progeny](#)'s Sentient summon from Eidolons, [Oculysts](#), and [Summulysts](#).
 - [Fusion Strike](#)'s beam convergence from [Ropalolyt](#).
- Following his rework on [Update 37.0](#) (2024-10-02), Caliban is the first Warframe to possess abilities that inflict [Tau](#) damage.
- Caliban shares his name with a mission node on [Uranus](#).
- Caliban is third Warframe after [Titania](#) and [Wisp](#) and the first male Warframe with hovering [Idle Animations](#). However, he does not have unique movement animations.
- Oddly enough, despite Caliban's Sentient composition that would make him highly susceptible to [Void](#) damage, he and [Revenant](#) do fine in areas rife with Void Energy such as the [Orokin Void](#) and the [Zariman Ten Zero](#).
- Caliban is currently the last Warframe to have a dedicated profile video, as subsequent releases ([Gyre](#), [Styanax](#), and so on) lacked such.

References

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Ash •	Atlas •	Banshee •	Baruuuk •	Caliban •	Chroma •	Citrine •		
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• Gara •	Garuda •	Gauss •	Grendel •	Gyre •	Harrow •	Hildryn •		
Hydroid •	Inaros •	Ivara •	Jade •	Khora •	Koumei •	Kullervo •		
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