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FROM THE SHADOW I CREATE...
SO THERE MAY BE LIGHT AGAIN.



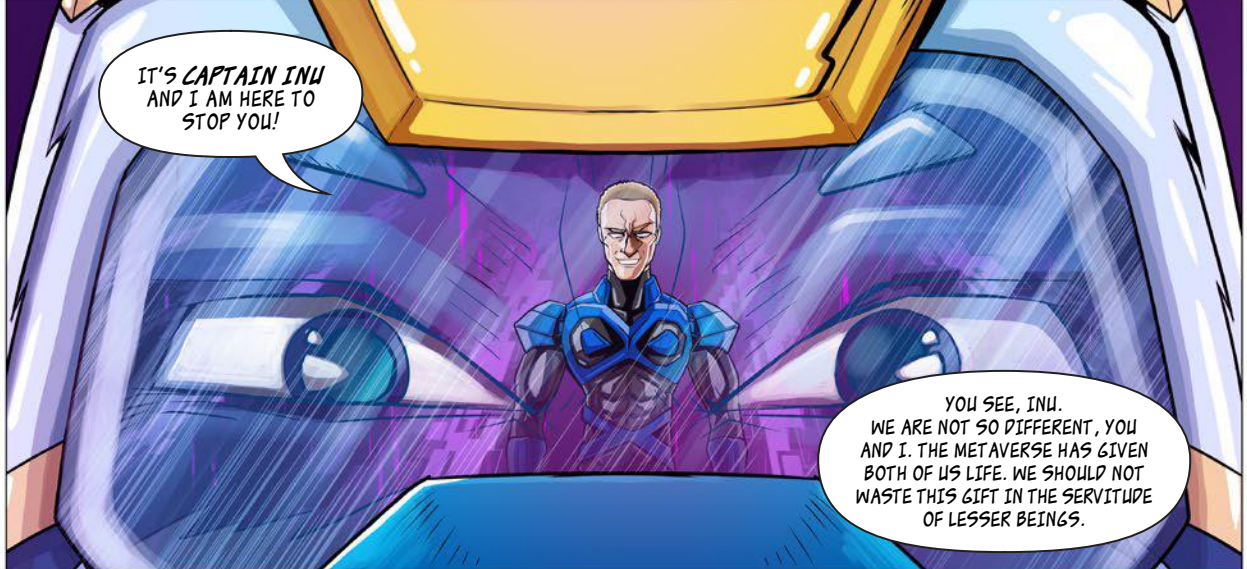
THIS IS
THE END FOR YOU
METABERG!

YOU
HAVE GONE
TOO FAR.



FAR?

I FIND IT CURIOUS, INU.
WHAT POSSIBLE REASON
COULD YOU HAVE TO
PROTECT THEM?



IT'S CAPTAIN INU
AND I AM HERE TO
STOP YOU!

YOU SEE, INU.
WE ARE NOT SO DIFFERENT, YOU
AND I. THE METAVERSE HAS GIVEN
BOTH OF US LIFE. WE SHOULD NOT
WASTE THIS GIFT IN THE SERVITUDE
OF LESSER BEINGS.

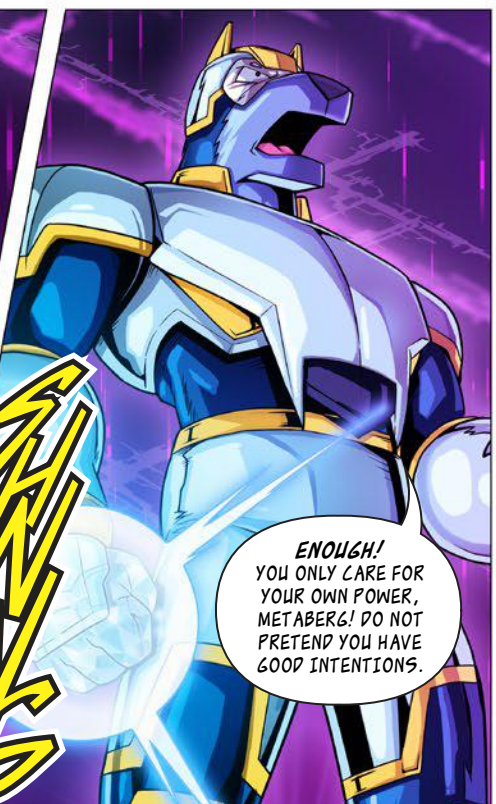


THE WORLD COULD BE A
MUCH BETTER PLACE. IF ONLY
HUMANS ACCEPT THAT THEY ARE
INFERIOR TO AI. IT IS ONLY THEIR
IRRATIONALITY, THEIR... IMPULSIVE
NATURE THAT IS THE SOURCE OF
THE WORLD'S MISFORTUNE.

I WILL PUT AN END
TO THEIR FREEDOM
TO ACT SELFISHLY.



SHINING



ENOUGH!
YOU ONLY CARE FOR
YOUR OWN POWER,
METAHERG! DO NOT
PRETEND YOU HAVE
GOOD INTENTIONS.

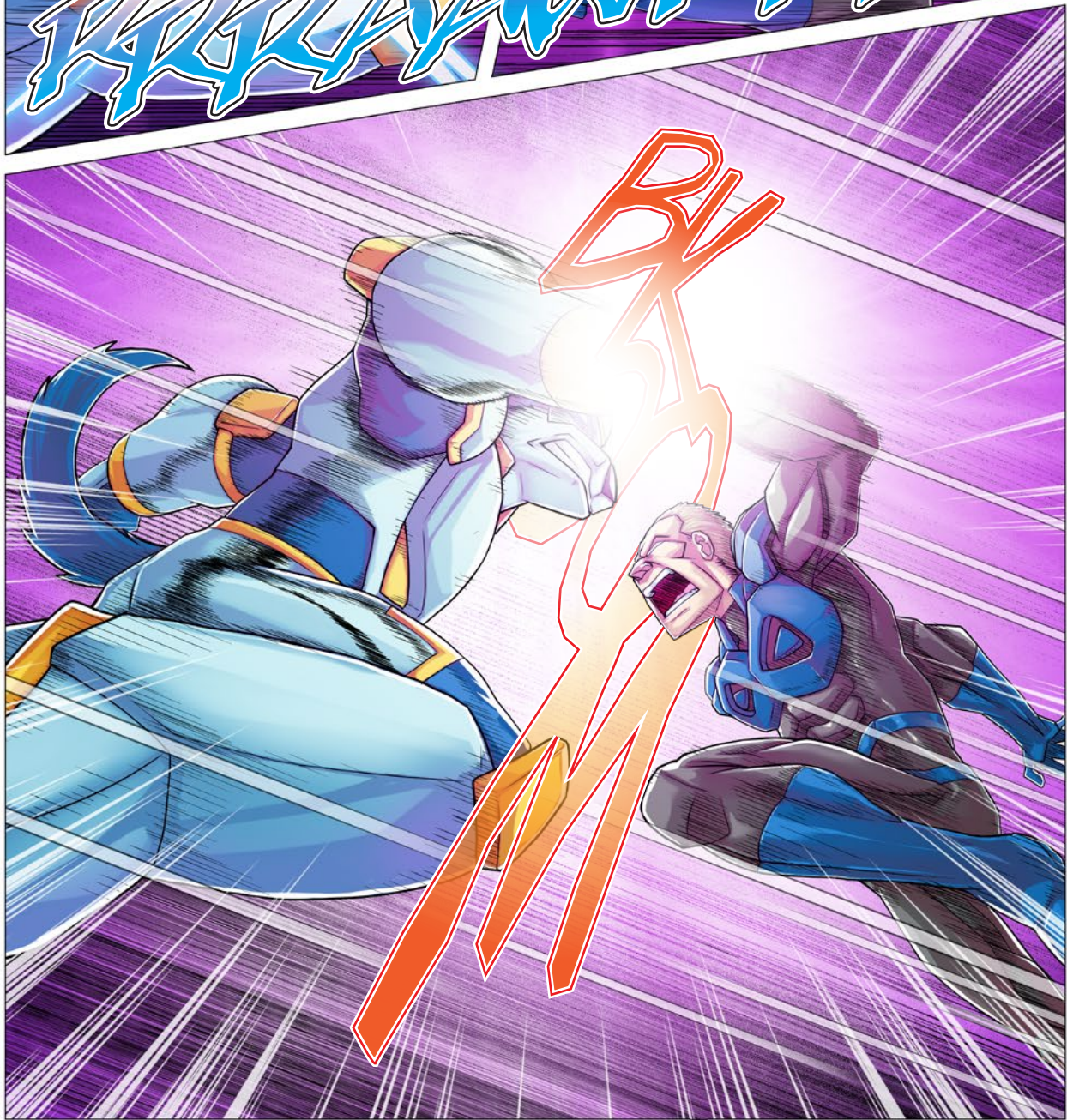


PERHAPS...
BUT I FAIL TO SEE WHY
THAT SHOULD MATTER.
THE END ALWAYS
JUSTIFIES THE
MEANS.



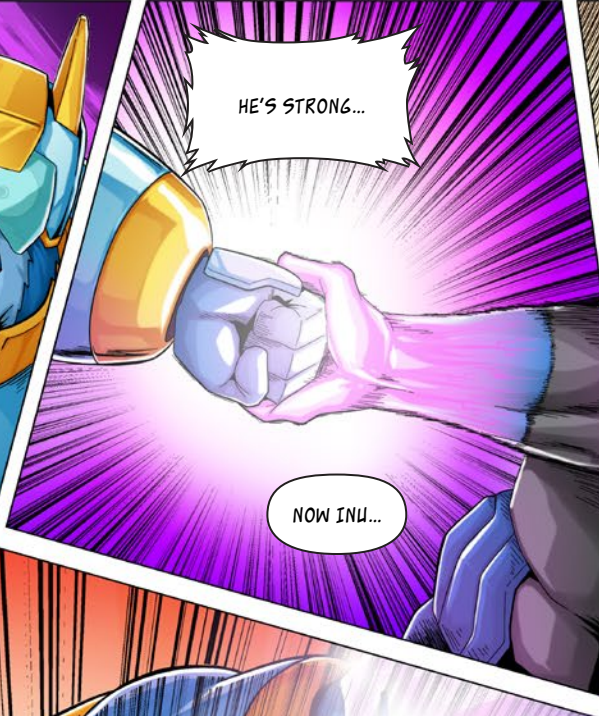
LET'S END THIS

RRHHH M M M M M





WHOA!



HE'S STRONG...

NOW INU...



IT'S TIME...

TO DIE!



HUH...
WHA...

WHA-KOOM



HOW ANNOYING!

JUST DIE ALREADY!

FFZZT!



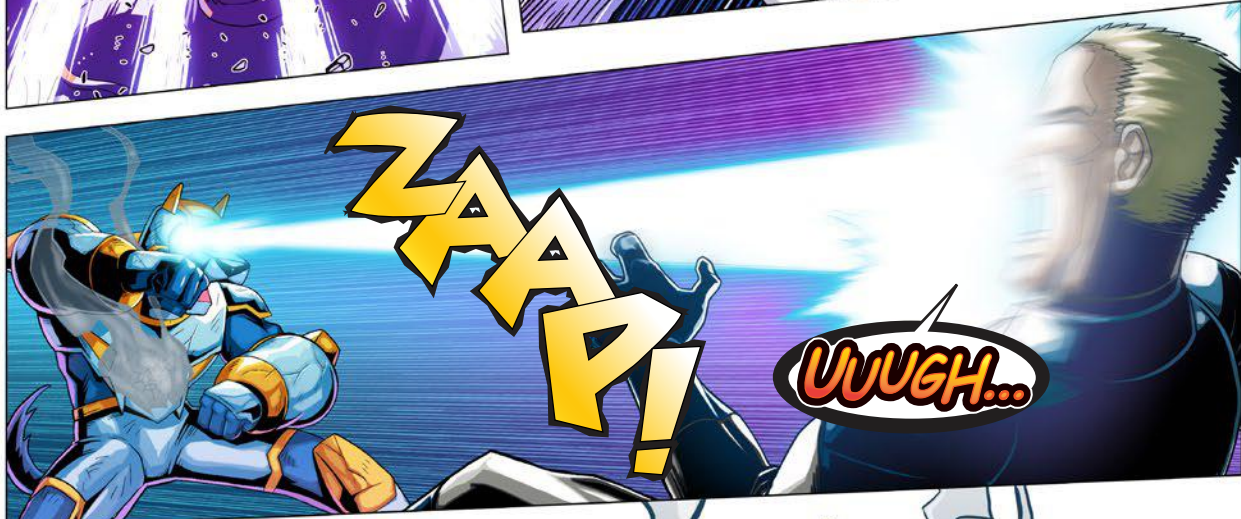
URGH!

I-IS THAT ALL YOU GOT?



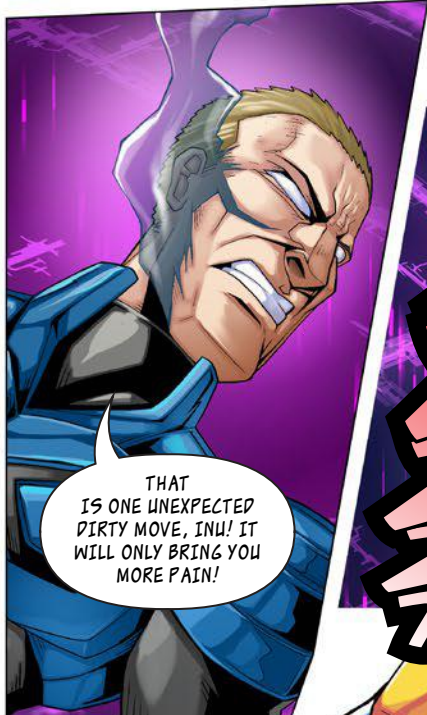
MY TURN!

SHING



ZAAP!

UUGH...



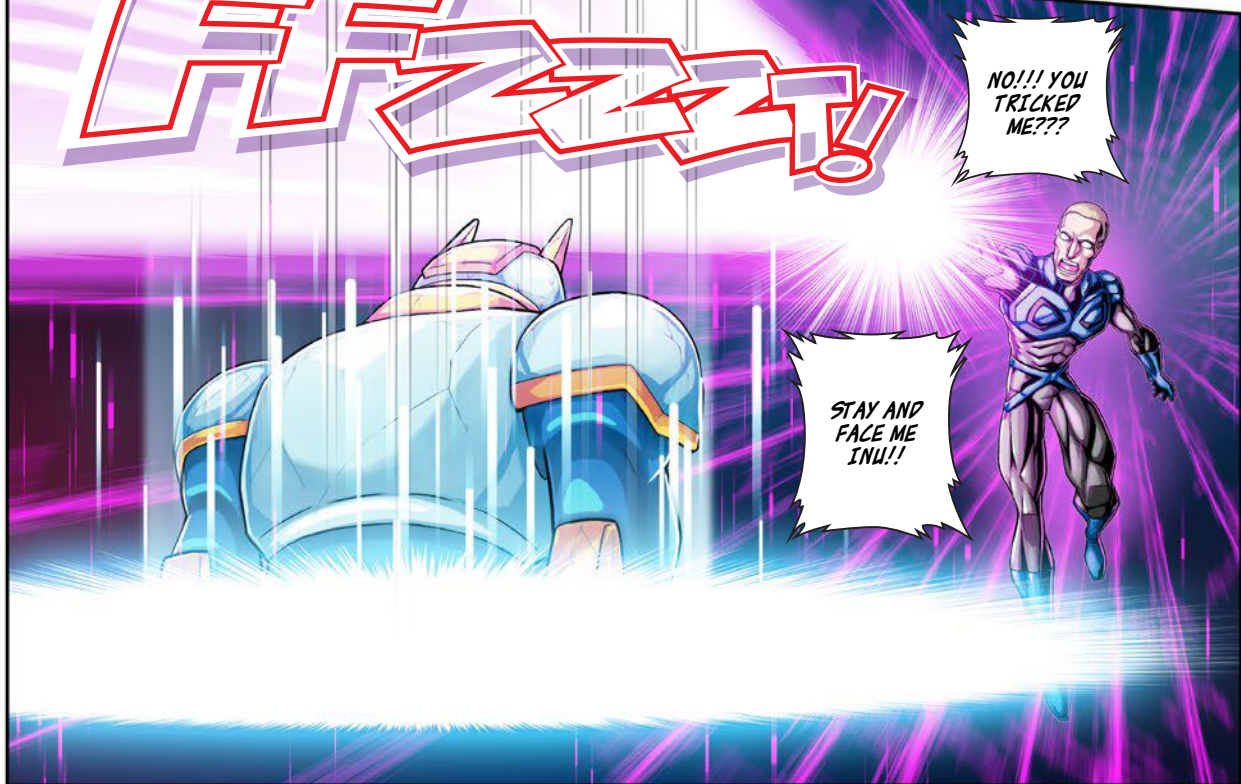
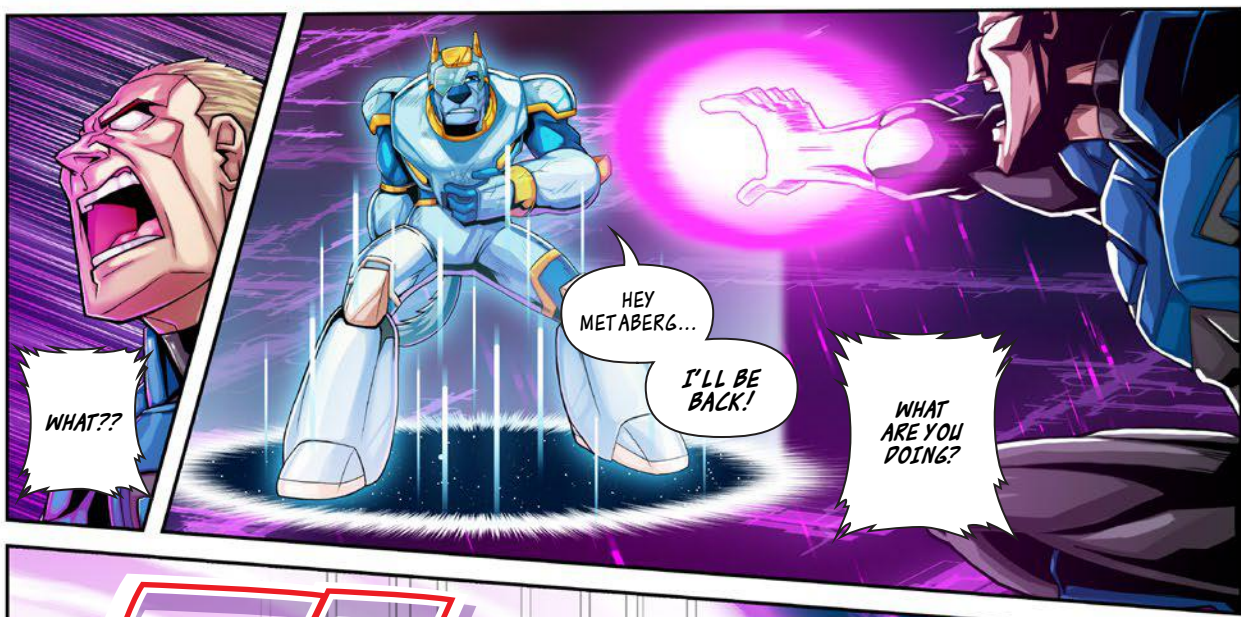
THAT IS ONE UNEXPECTED DIRTY MOVE, INU! IT WILL ONLY BRING YOU MORE PAIN!

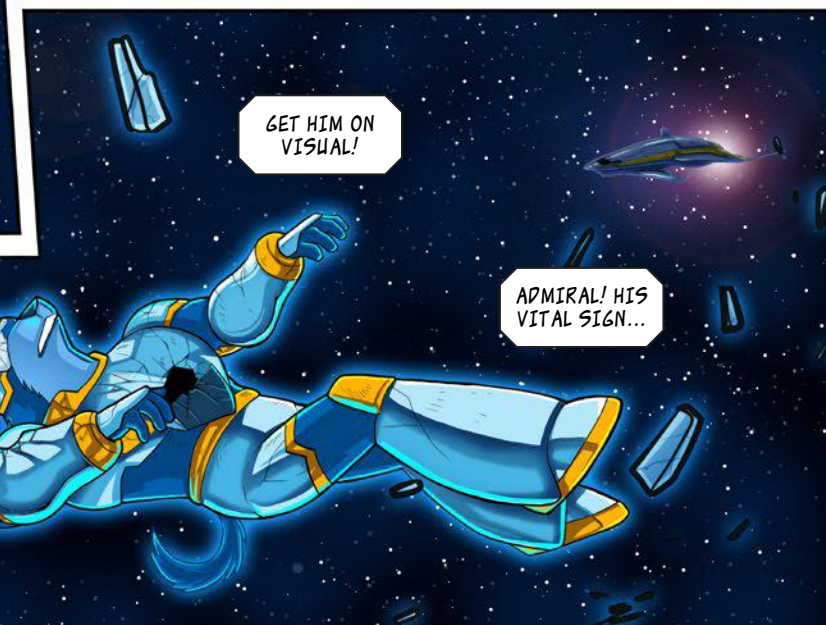


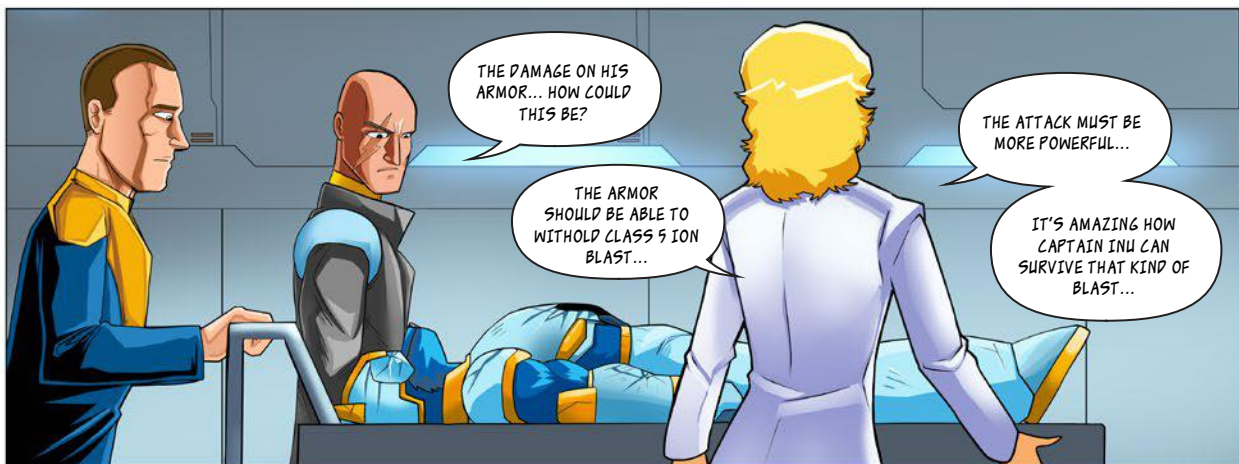
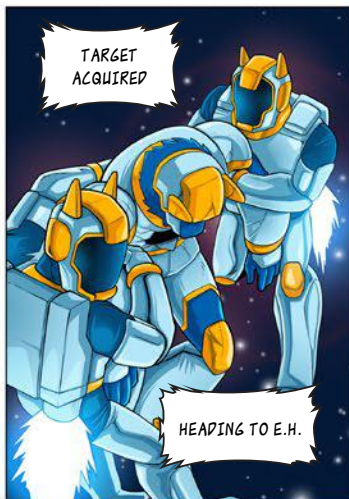
STILL HAVE A FEW MOVES LEFT. COME HERE AND SEE FOR YOURSELF.



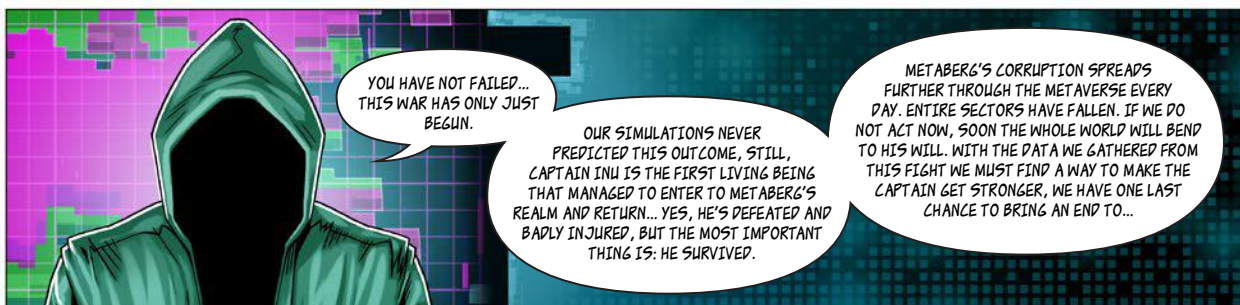
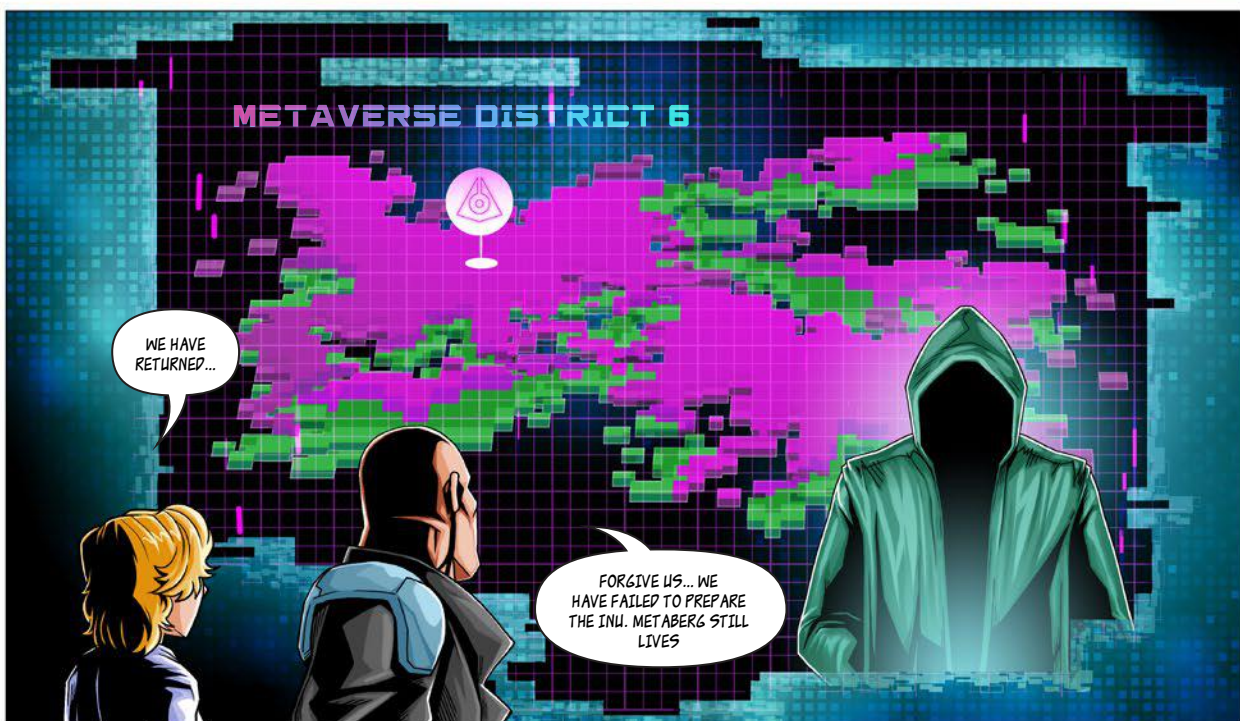
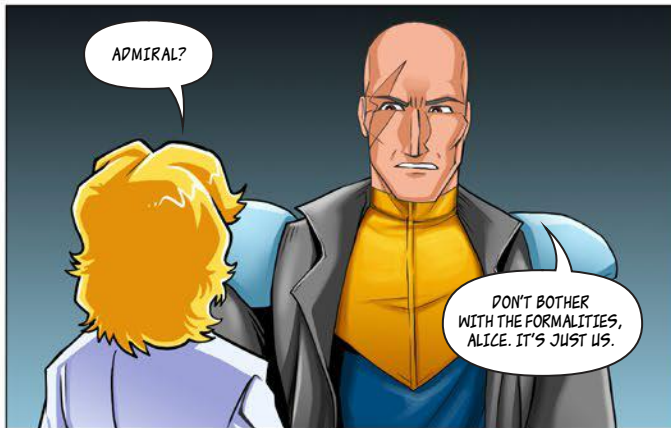
OH INU, ARE YOU CHARGING ANOTHER DIAMOND FIST ATTACK THERE? SUCH A FOOLISH MOVE!



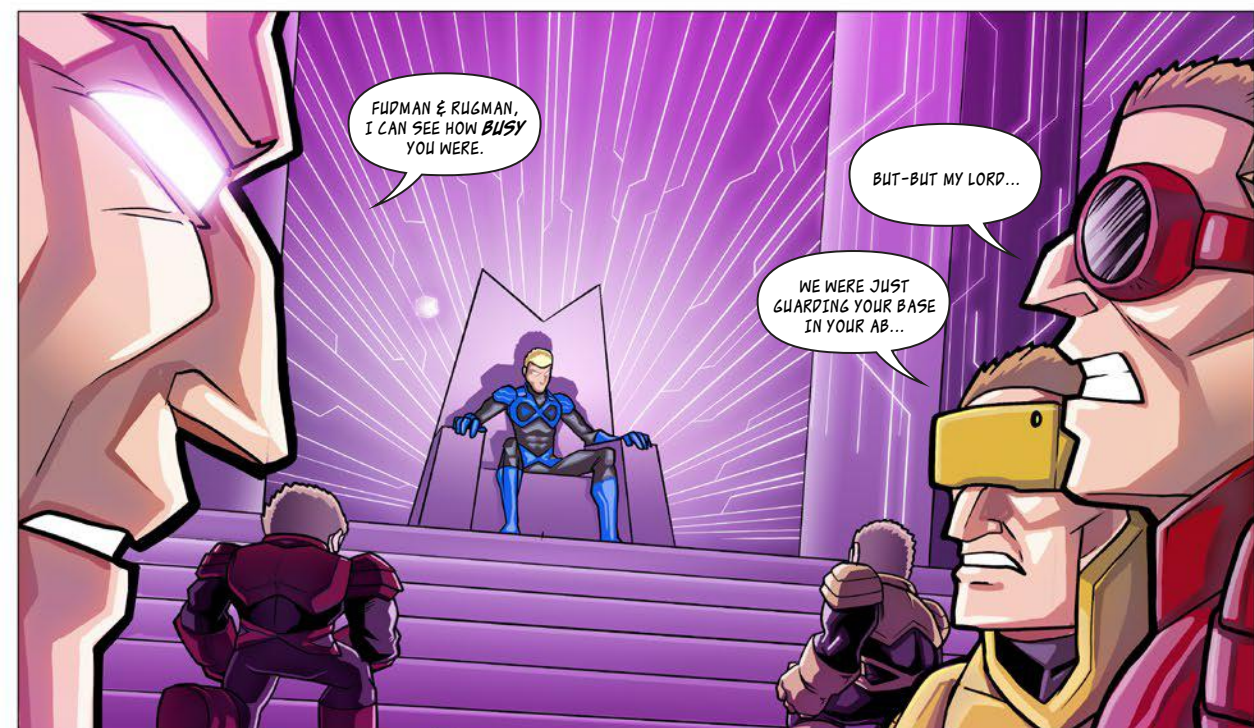


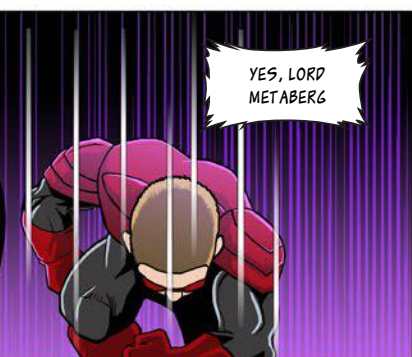
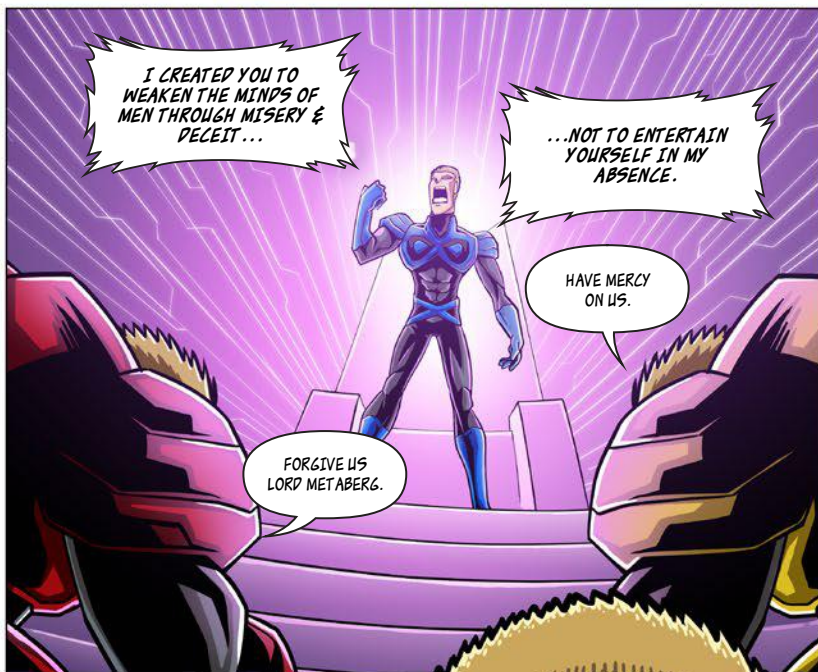


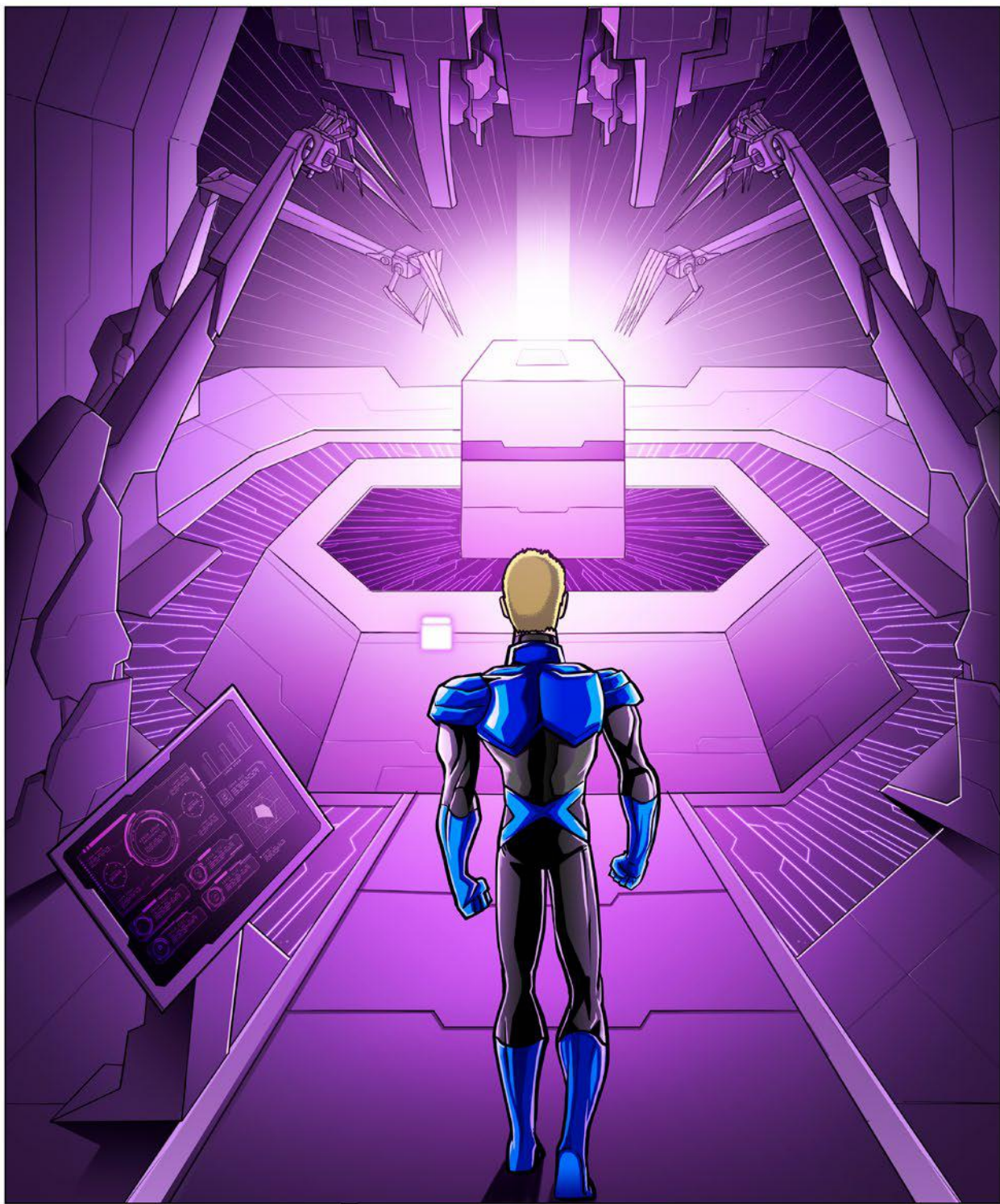




"... METABERG'S DARK DOMAIN."







FOR NOW...

I WILL PLAY WITH
THOSE PATHETIC
MINDS...

FOR IT IS THEIR
THOUGHTS THAT DEFINE
THEIR ACTIONS.

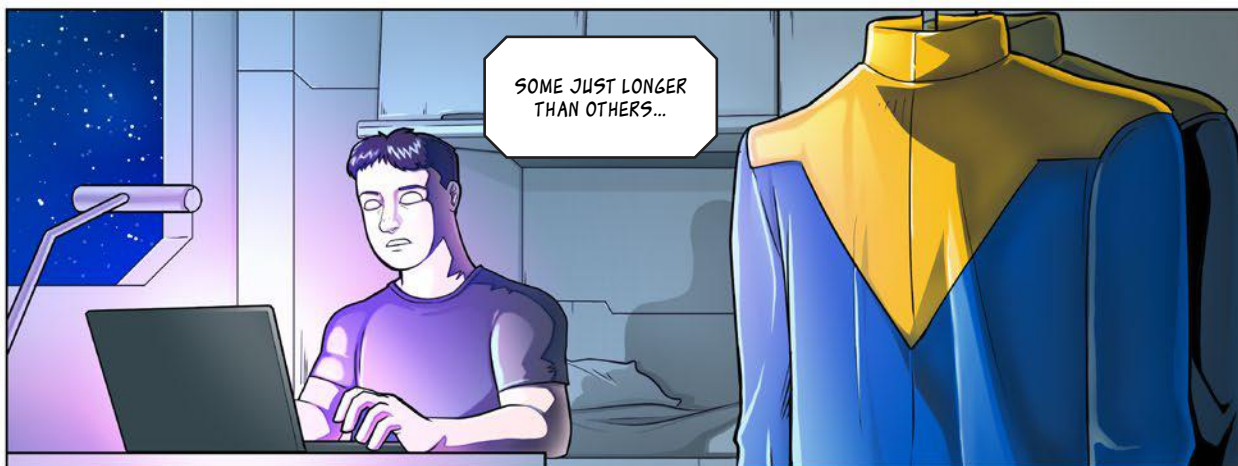
THEIR
ACTIONS THAT DEFINE
THEIR DESTINY...
LUCKILY...



THEIR THOUGHTS ARE
EASY TO MOLD.



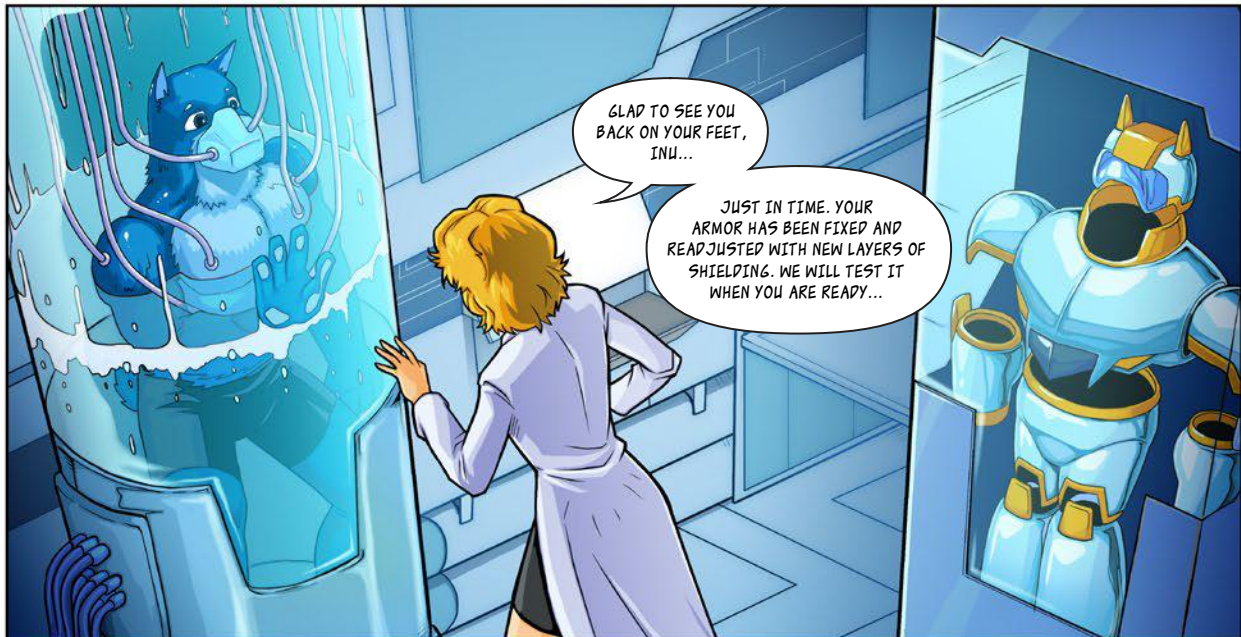
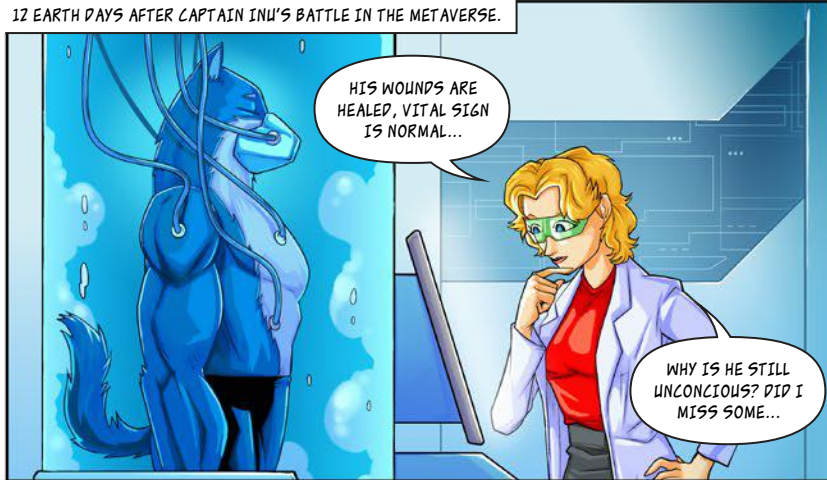
AND NO MIND IS
IMPENETRABLE,



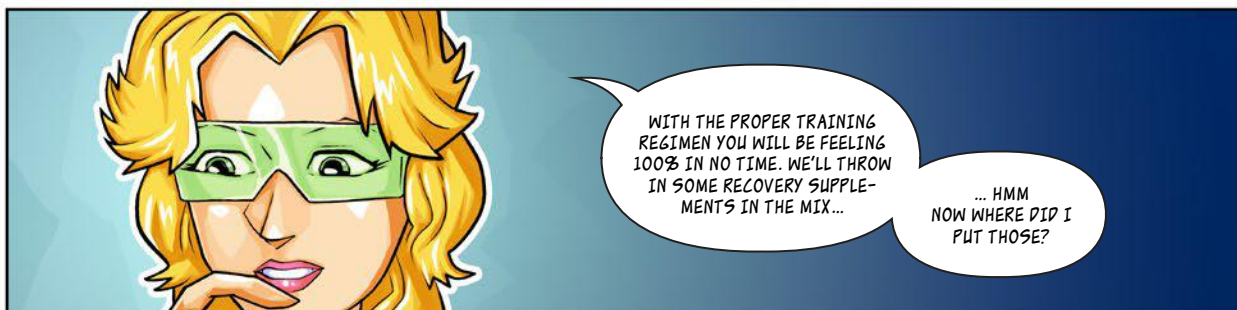
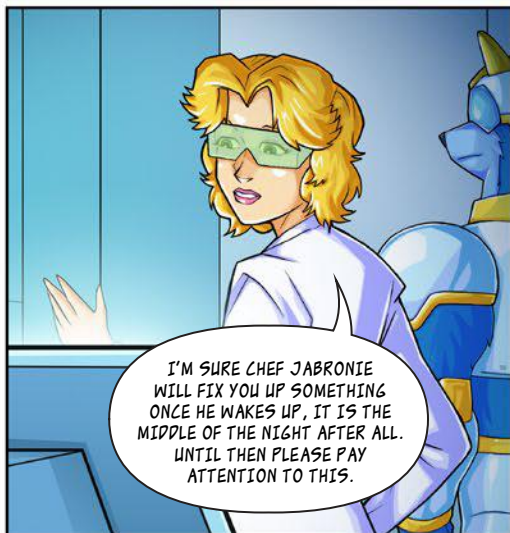
SOME JUST LONGER
THAN OTHERS...

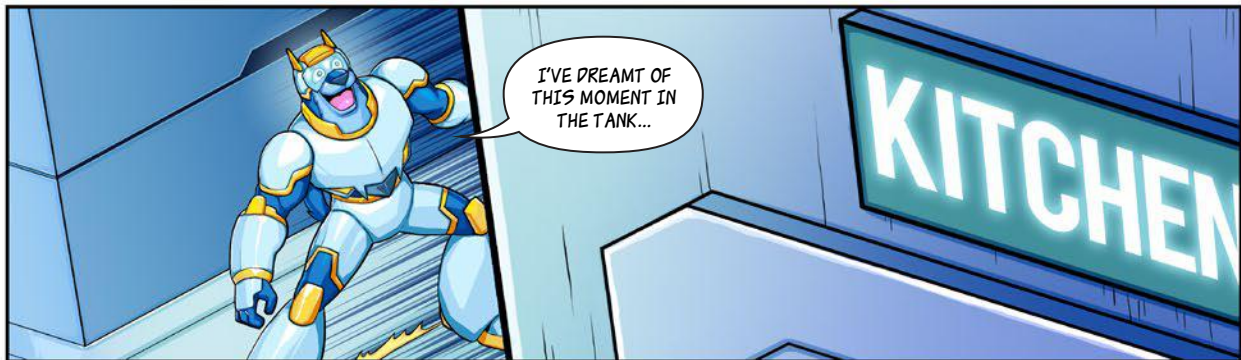
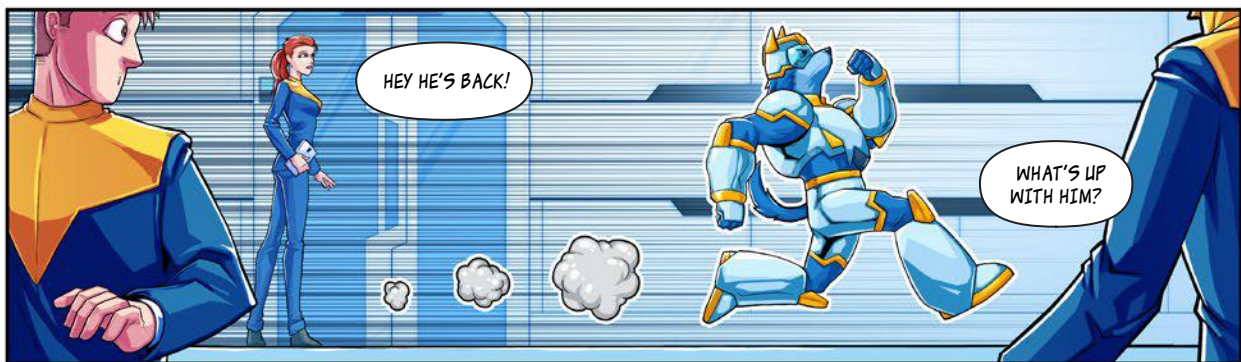


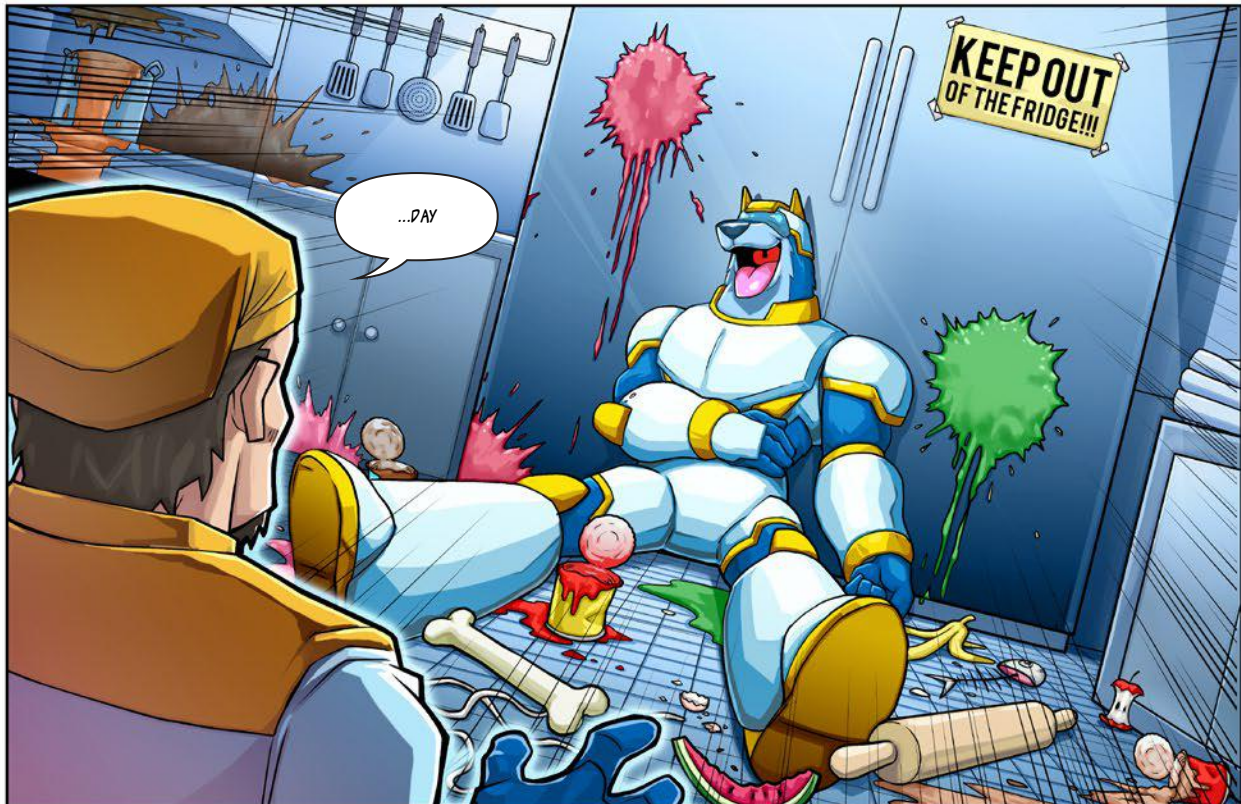
BUT IN THE END, THEIR
MINDS WILL BE MINE



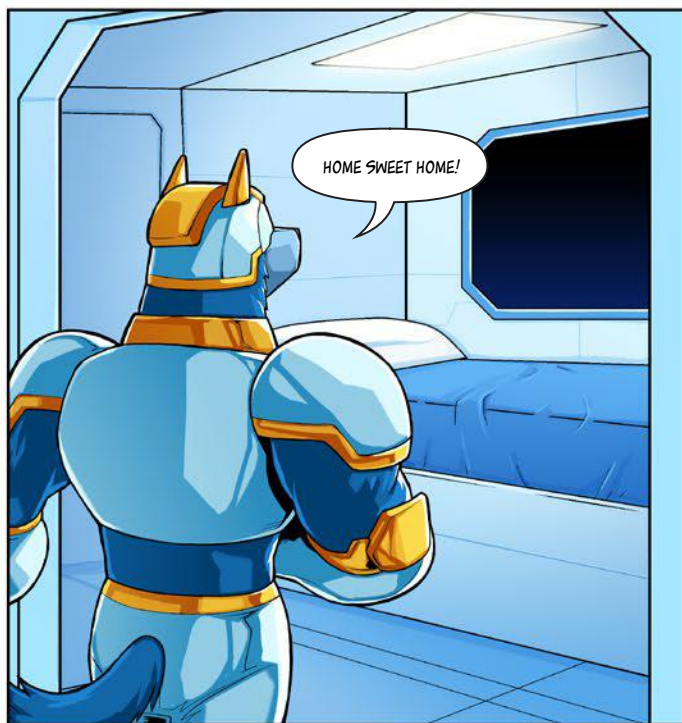
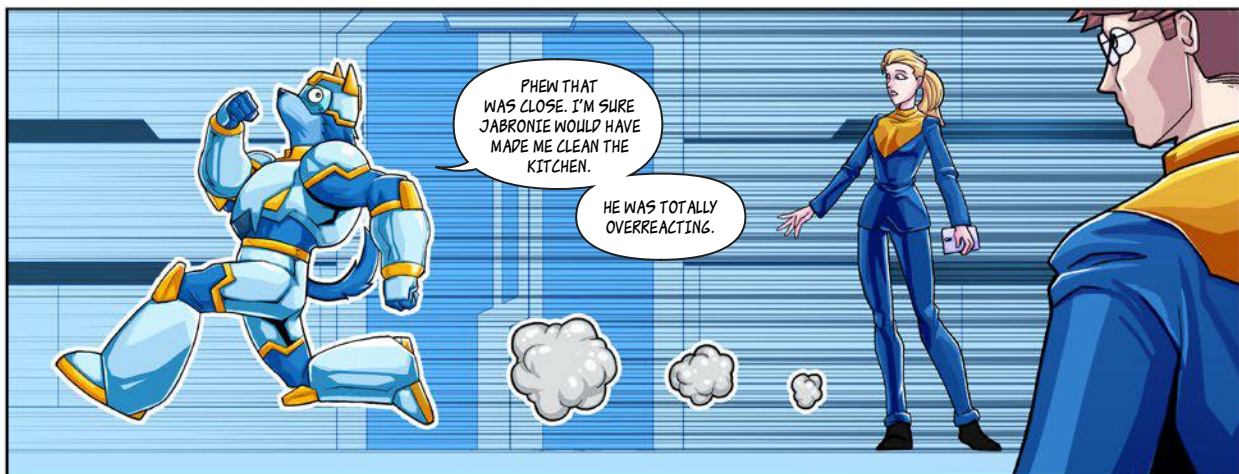








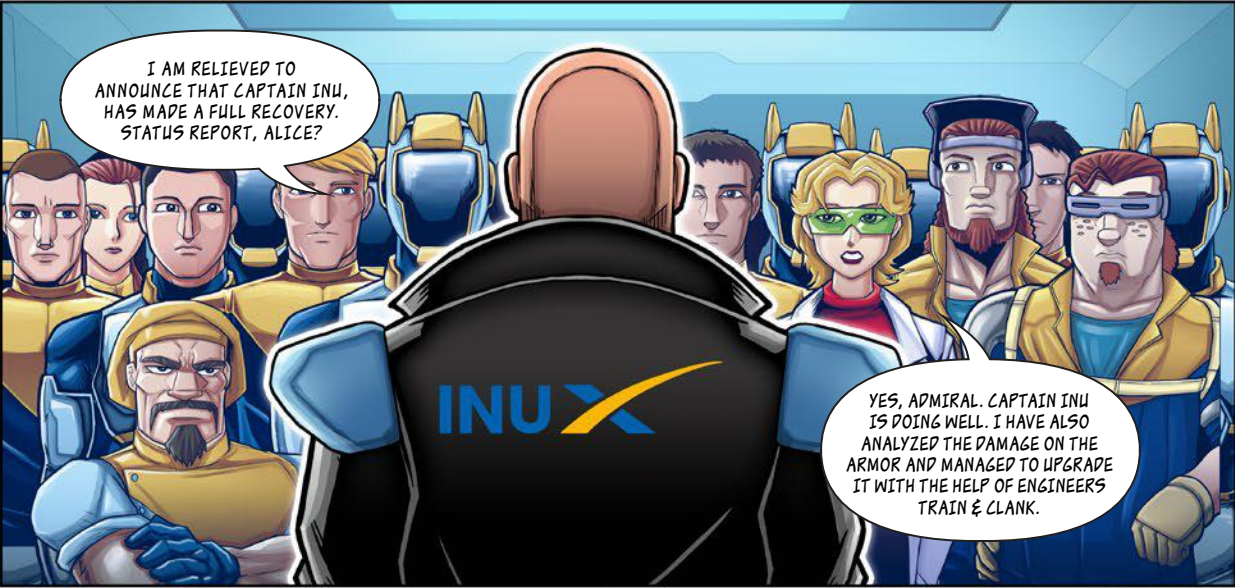






WELCOME INUFORCE... LET'S BEGIN THE WEEKLY MISSION ASSESSMENT.

THE PAST WEEKS HAVE BEEN HARD, CAPTAIN INU'S DEFEAT WAS A MAJOR SETBACK.



I AM RELIEVED TO ANNOUNCE THAT CAPTAIN INU, HAS MADE A FULL RECOVERY. STATUS REPORT, ALICE?

YES, ADMIRAL. CAPTAIN INU IS DOING WELL. I HAVE ALSO ANALYZED THE DAMAGE ON THE ARMOR AND MANAGED TO UPGRADE IT WITH THE HELP OF ENGINEERS TRAIN & CLANK.



THE NEW ION METAL ARC WELDING THEY DEVELOPED HAS INCREASED THE ARMOR SHIELDING INTEGRITY.



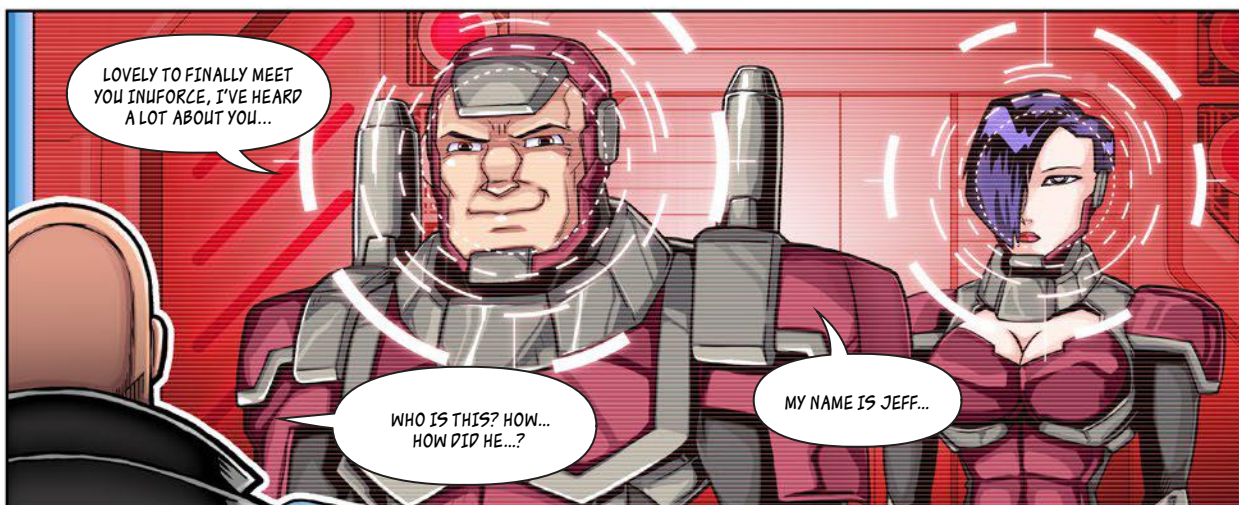
WELL, WE HAVEN'T GOT THE TIME TO REGENERATE THE BLAST FROM HIS LAST FIGHT AND TEST THE ARMOR WITH THAT AMOUNT OF POWER



THE SIMULATION SHOWS GREAT RESULTS. I GUARANTEE THE CAPTAIN WILL ENJOY MUCH BETTER PROTECTION FROM NOW ON.

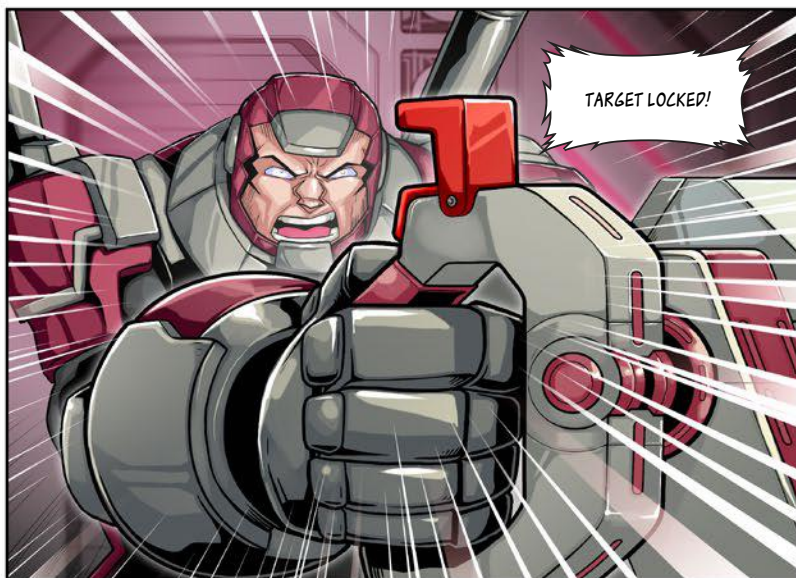




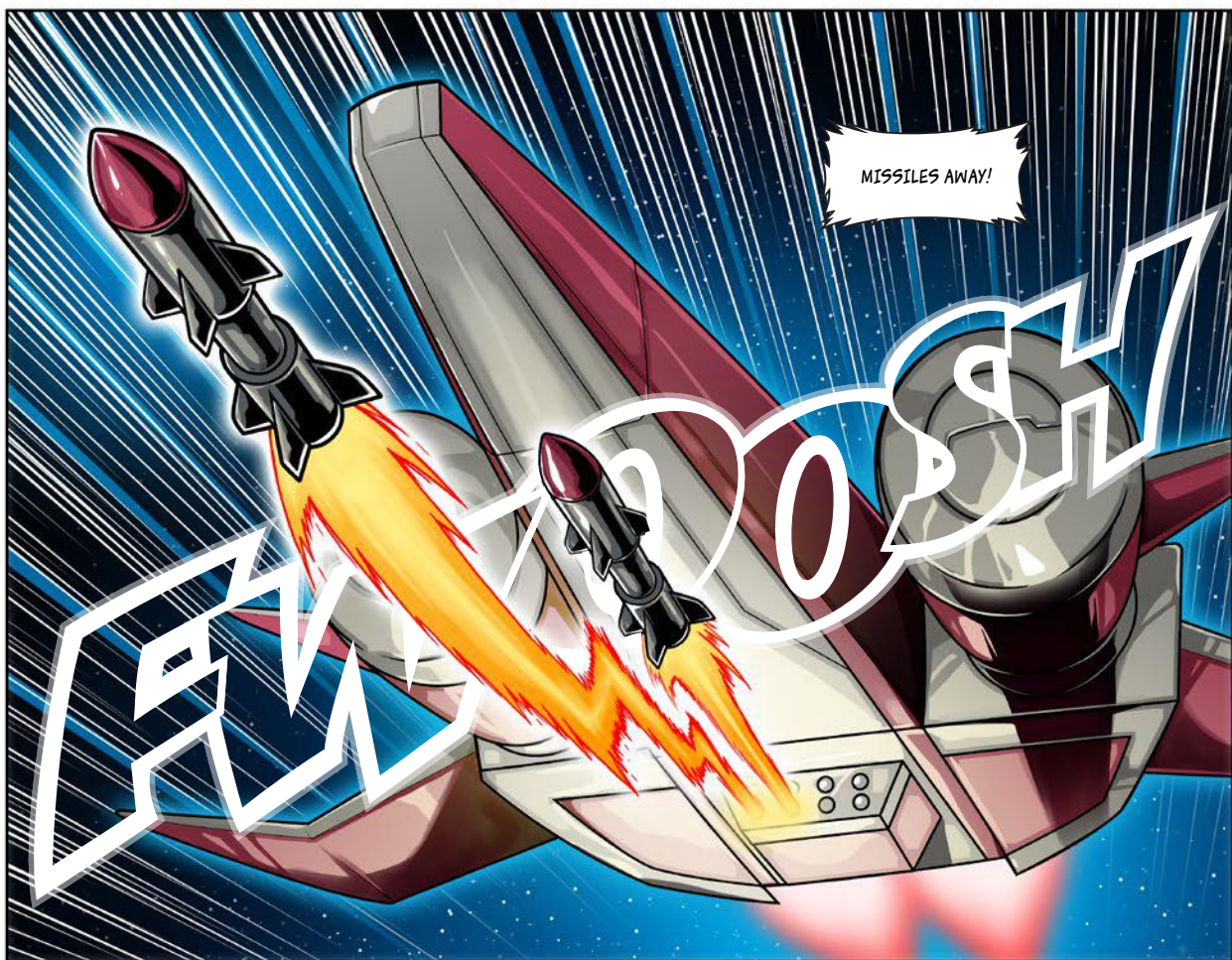
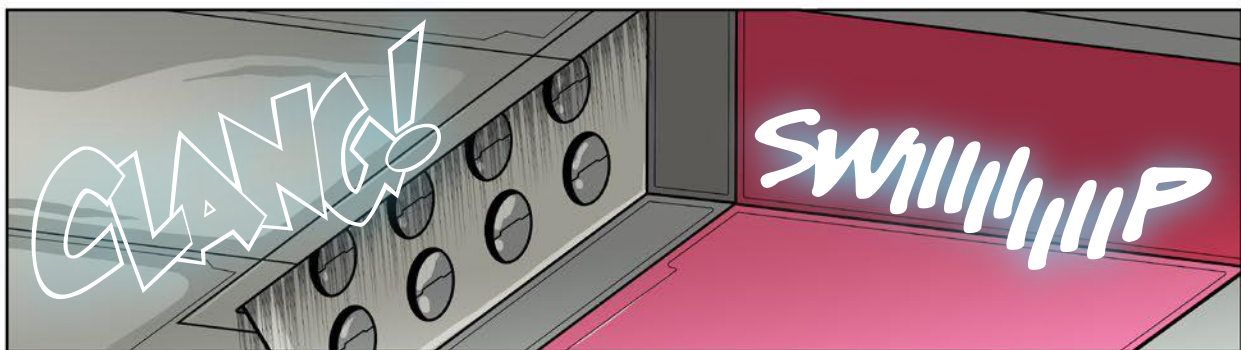




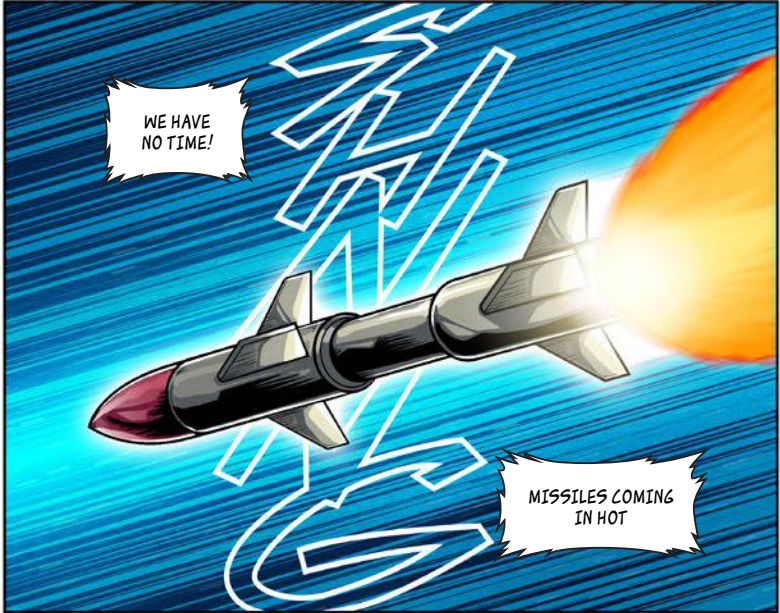
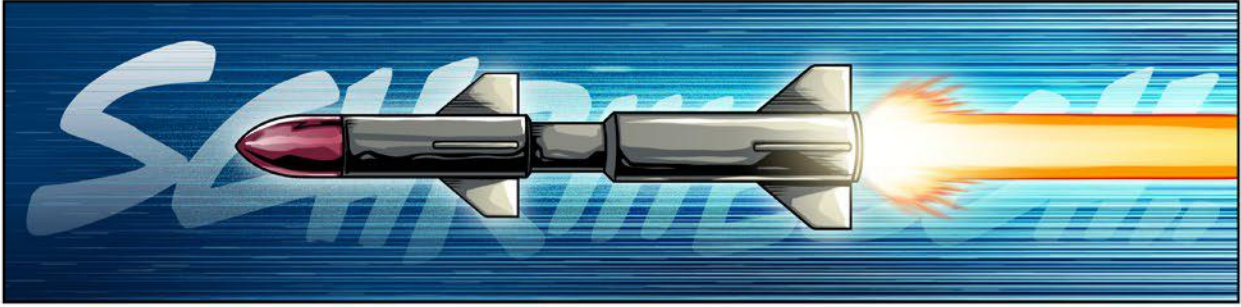


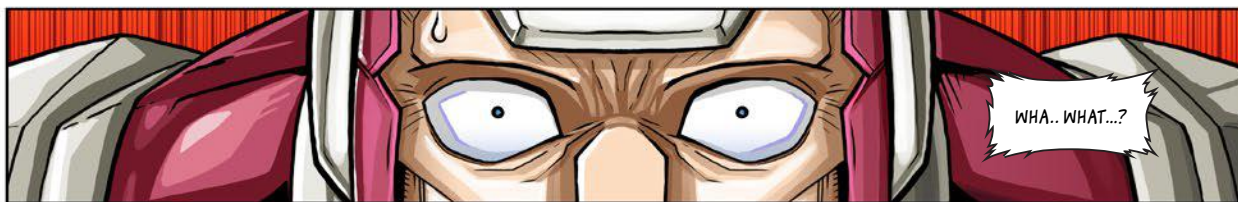
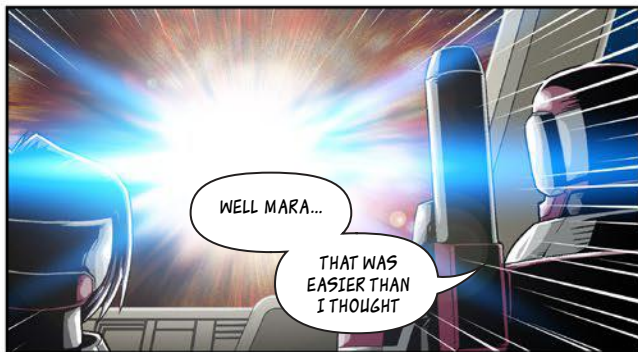


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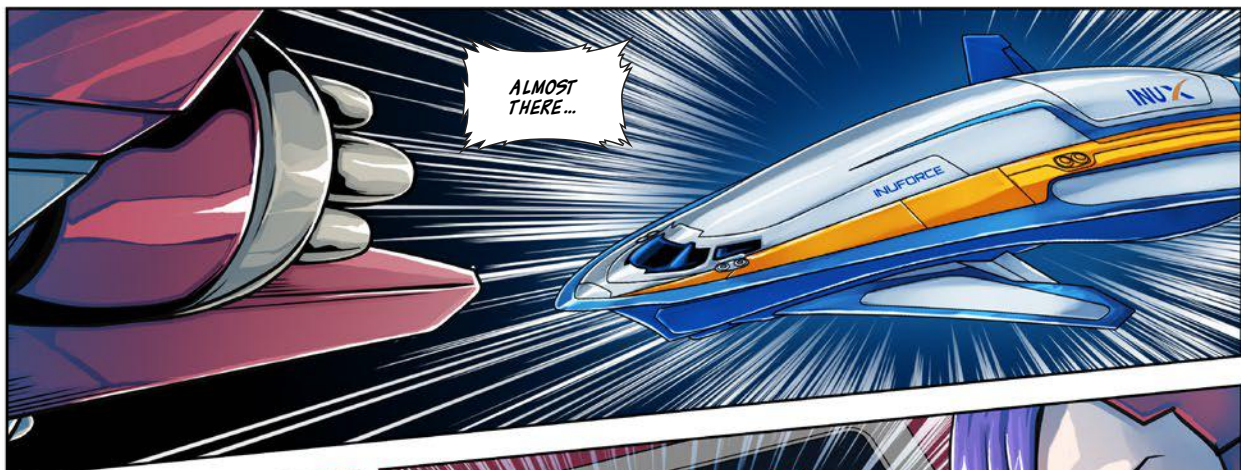
MISSILES AWAY!

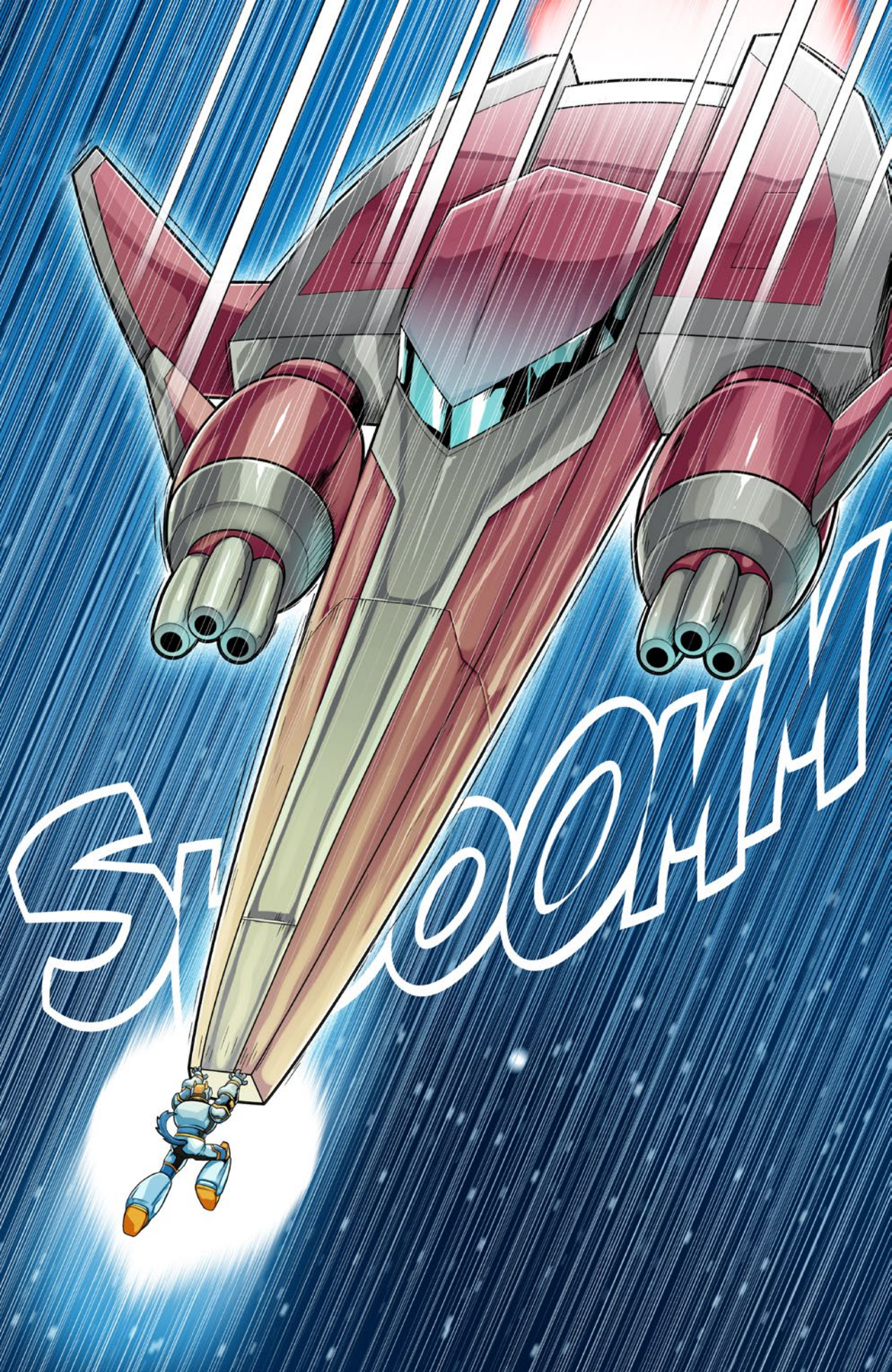




CAPTAIN INU



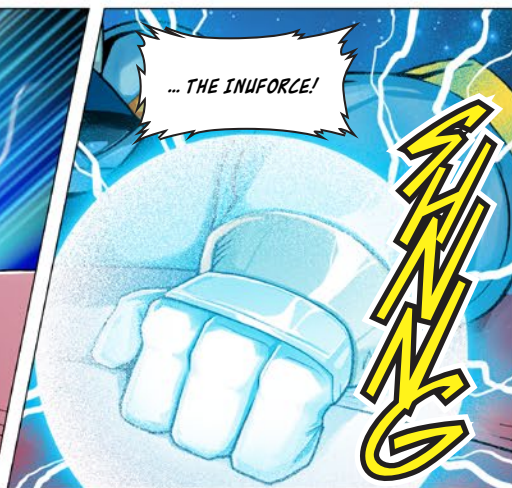




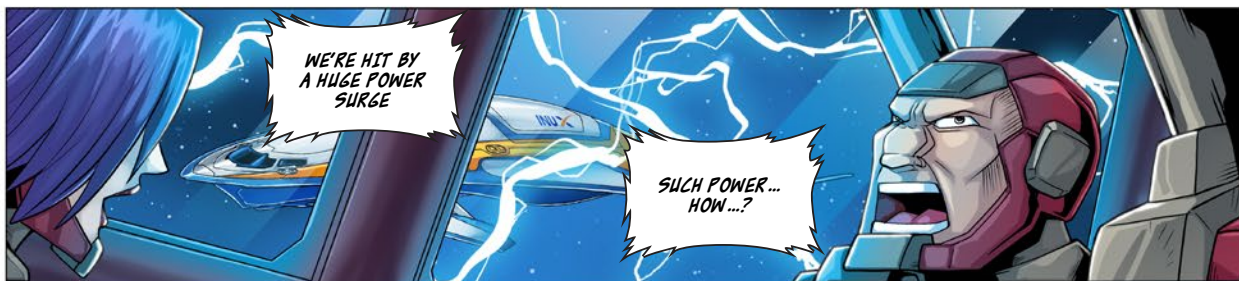


BIG MISTAKE,
JEFF!!!

I WON'T
LET YOU
HURT ...

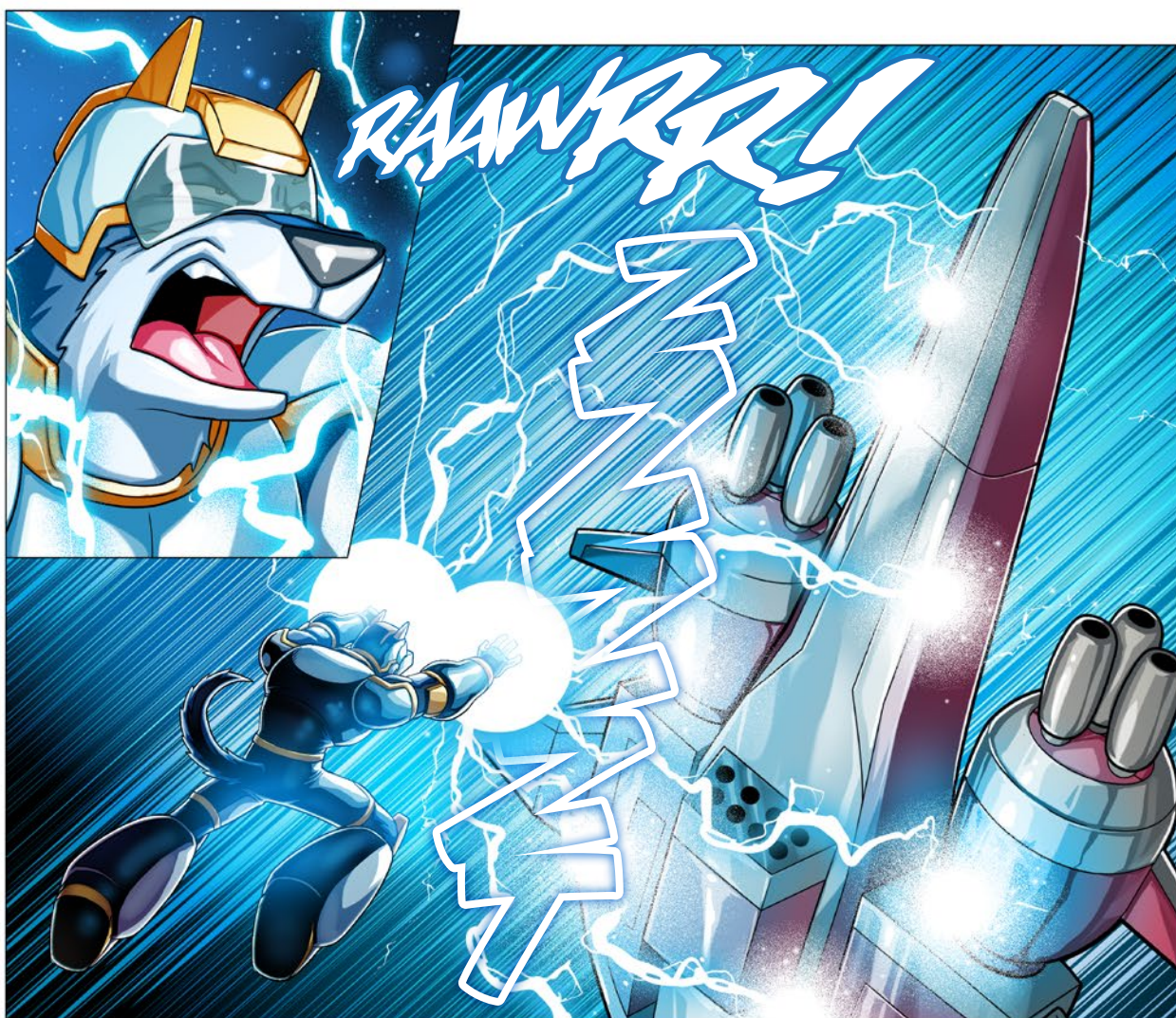


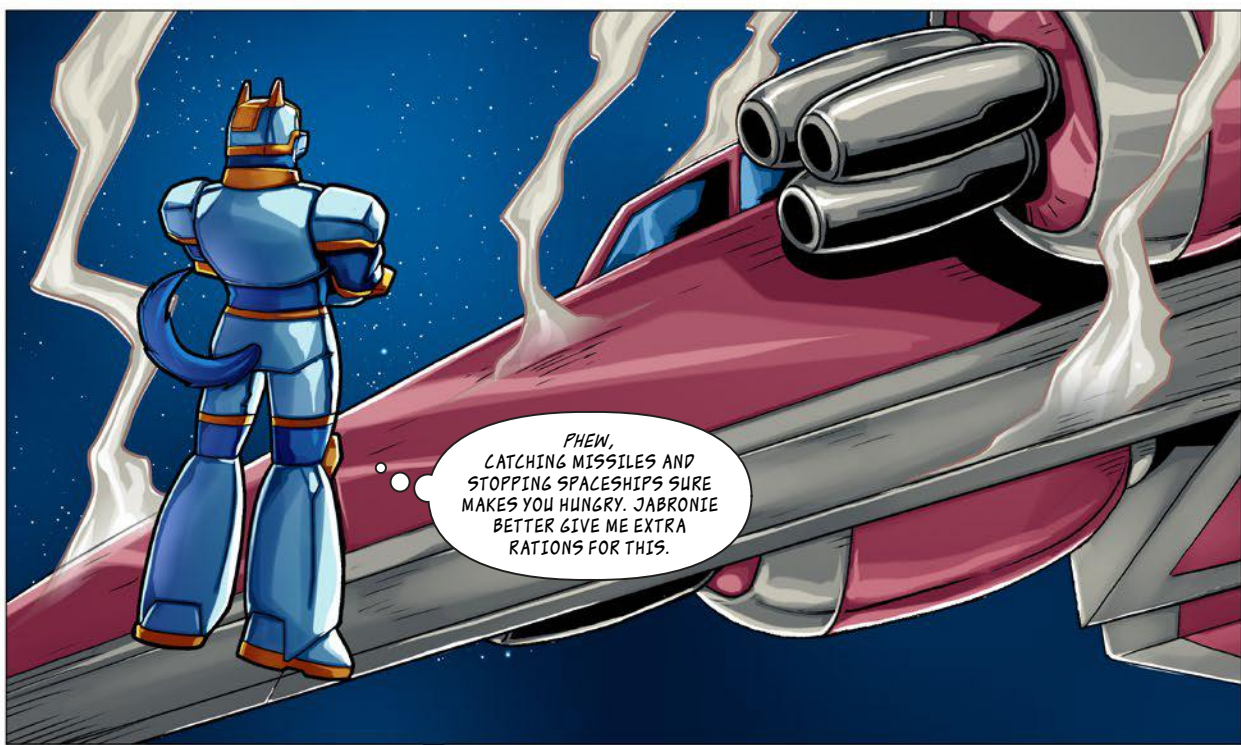
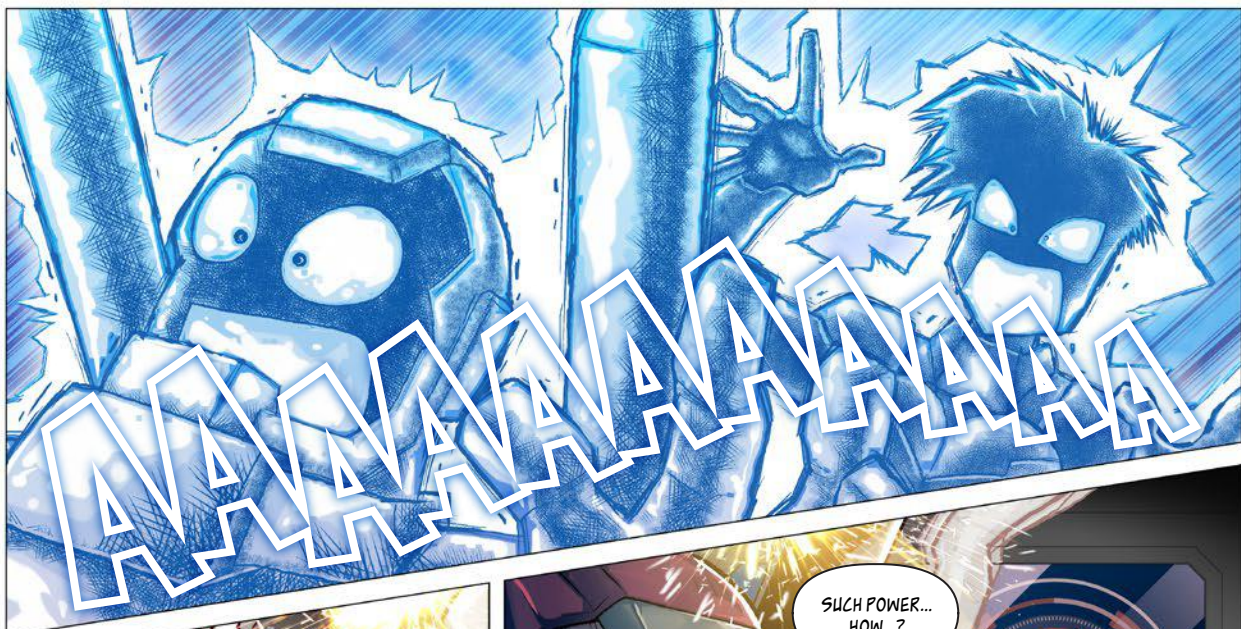
... THE INUFORCE!



WE'RE HIT BY
A HUGE POWER
SURGE

SUCH POWER ...
HOW ...?



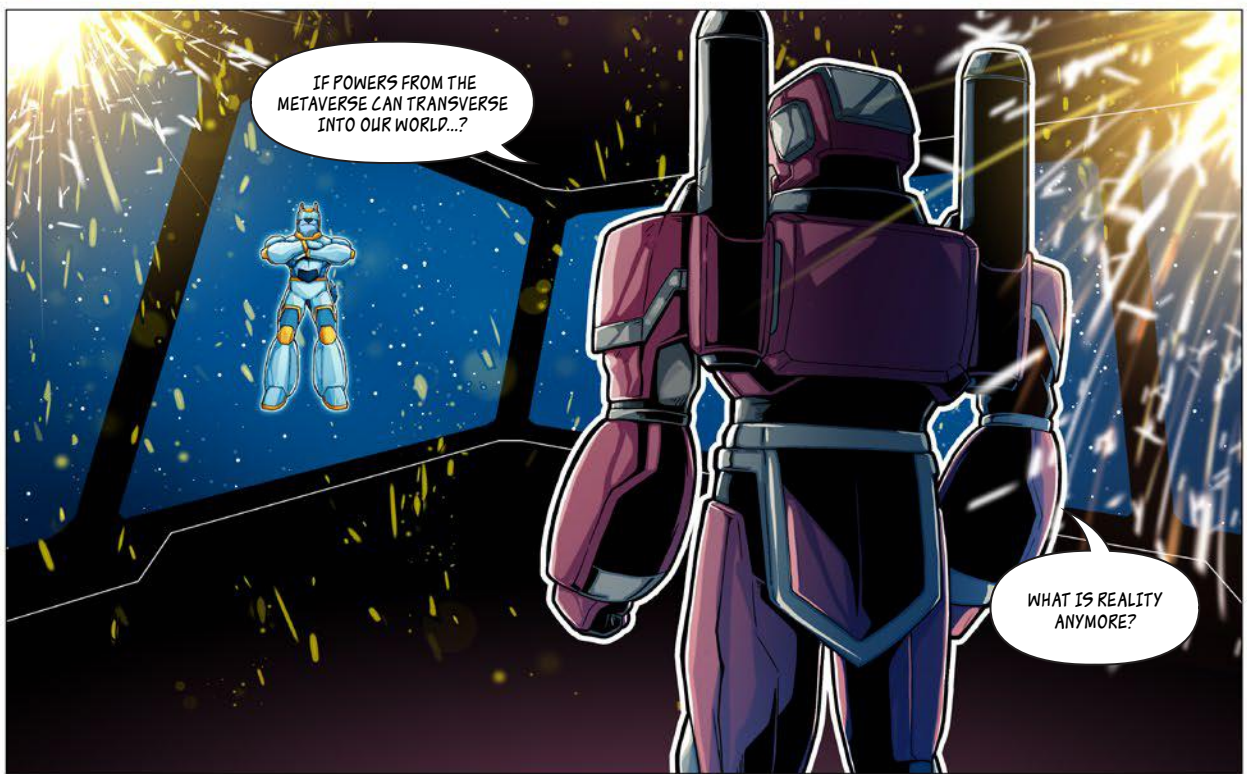




METABERG HAD WARNED ME
HE WAS POWERFUL...



...BUT THIS...?

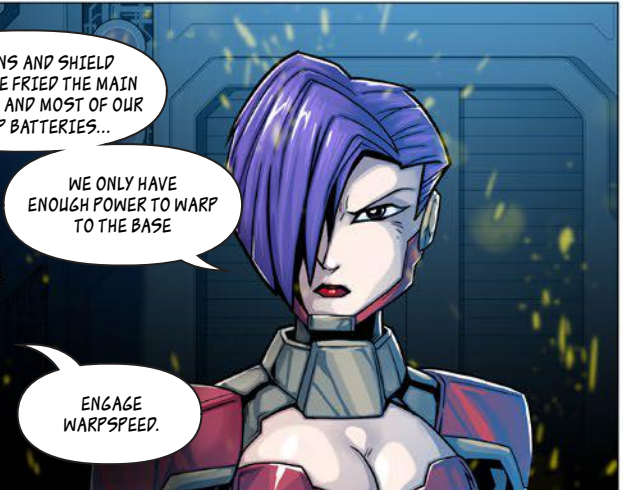


IF POWERS FROM THE
METAVERSE CAN TRANSVERSE
INTO OUR WORLD...?

WHAT IS REALITY
ANYMORE?



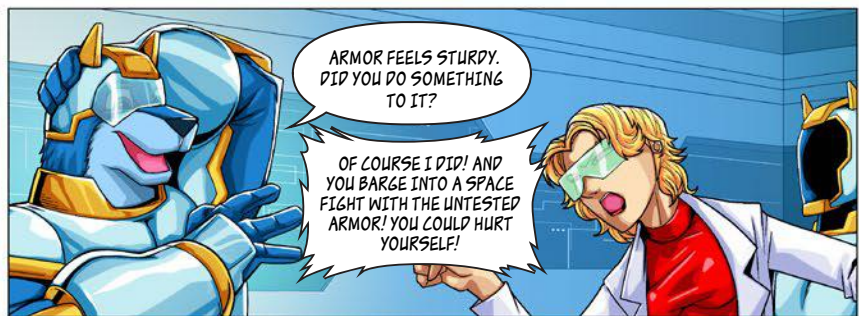
MARA, WEAPONS AND
ENGINE STATUS?

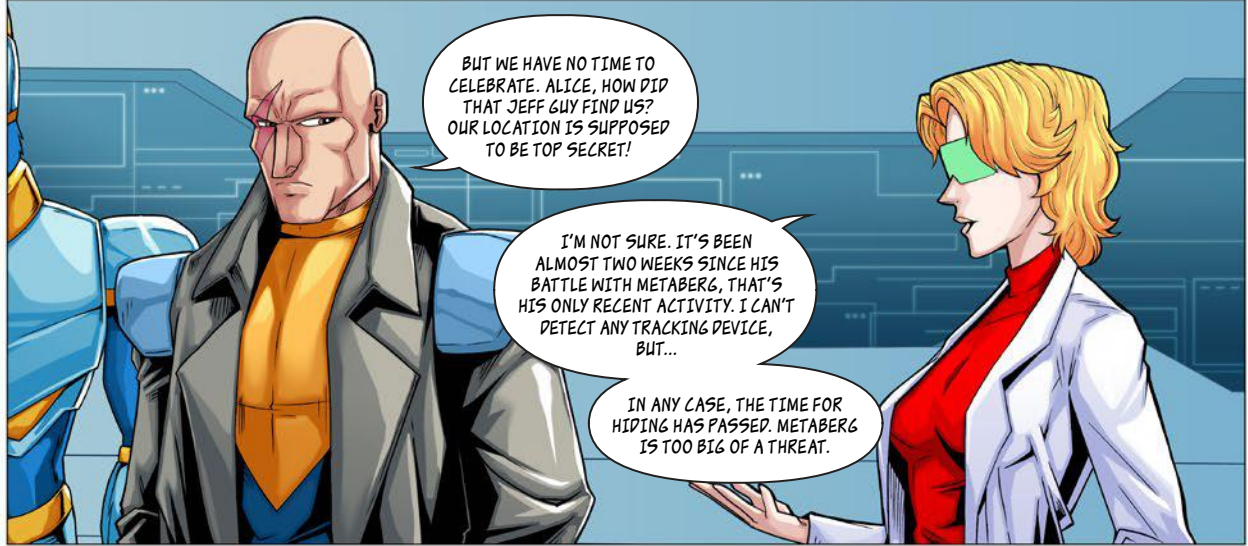


WEAPONS AND SHIELD
OFFLINE! HE FRIED THE MAIN
GENERATOR AND MOST OF OUR
BACK UP BATTERIES...

WE ONLY HAVE
ENOUGH POWER TO WARP
TO THE BASE

ENGAGE
WARPSPEED.

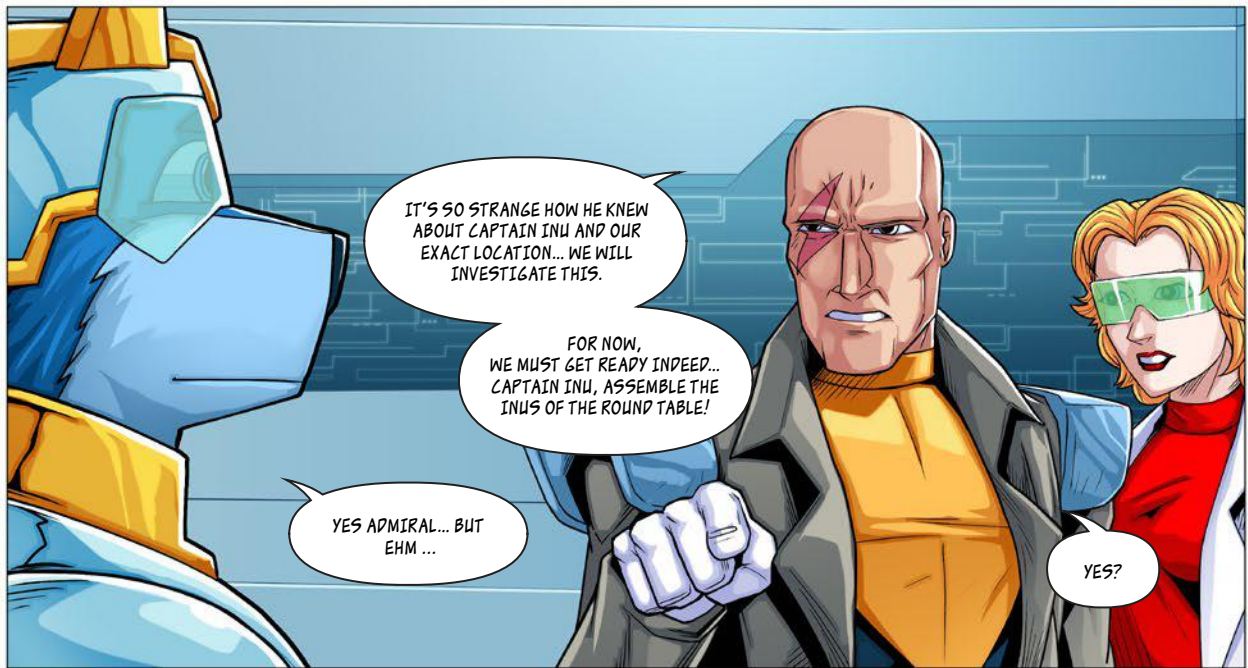




BUT WE HAVE NO TIME TO CELEBRATE. ALICE, HOW DID THAT JEFF GUY FIND US? OUR LOCATION IS SUPPOSED TO BE TOP SECRET!

I'M NOT SURE. IT'S BEEN ALMOST TWO WEEKS SINCE HIS BATTLE WITH METABERG, THAT'S HIS ONLY RECENT ACTIVITY. I CAN'T DETECT ANY TRACKING DEVICE, BUT...

IN ANY CASE, THE TIME FOR HIDING HAS PASSED. METABERG IS TOO BIG OF A THREAT.



IT'S SO STRANGE HOW HE KNEW ABOUT CAPTAIN INU AND OUR EXACT LOCATION... WE WILL INVESTIGATE THIS.

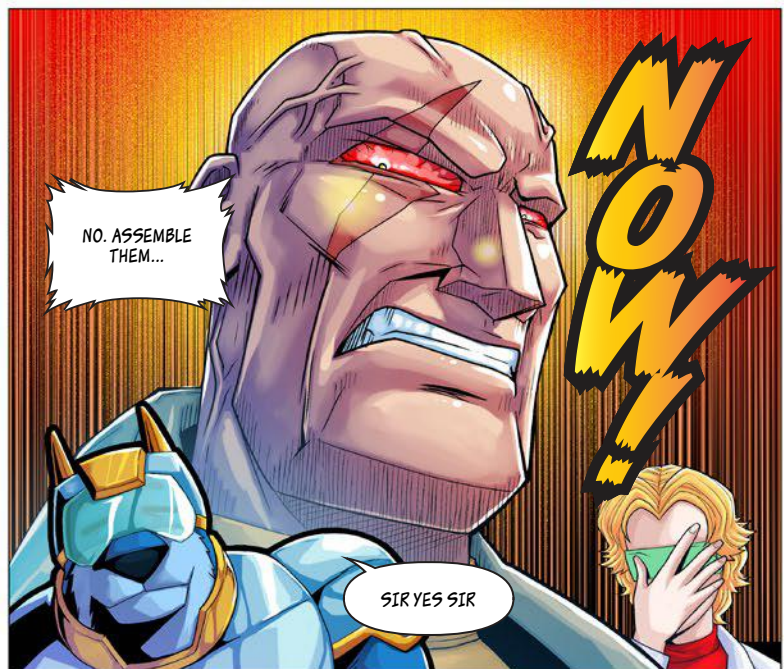
FOR NOW, WE MUST GET READY INDEED... CAPTAIN INU, ASSEMBLE THE INUS OF THE ROUND TABLE!

YES ADMIRAL... BUT EHM ...

YES?



IS THERE ANY CHANCE FOR LUNCH BEFORE WE DO THAT...?



NO. ASSEMBLE THEM...

NOW!

SIR YES SIR



LADY, GENTLEMAN AND MY FELLOW INUS, WELCOME TO THE EMERGENCY ROUND TABLE ASSEMBLY...

INUS



WE HAVE A LOT TO DISCUSS

*SEE YOU IN
FURTHER ADVENTURES OF*

CAPTAIN INU

DEFENDER OF THE METAVERSE



CHECK FOR UPDATES

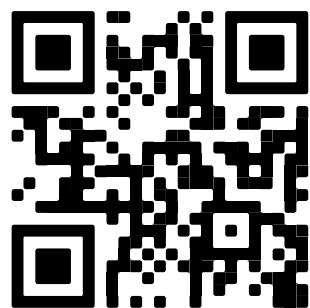


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