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Starfleet Kelvin-class Impulse System: SBD-a (.6c) (C)

Deep Space Surveyor; Commissioned: 2220

Hull Data

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Structure: 45 [99 space][1 space remains] Size/Decks: 7/28 Length/Height/Beam: 450/233/107 m Complement: 800

Tactical Data

	Phasers: Type I (x5/B)	[-5]
3	Penetration: 4/3/2/0/0	
	Torpedo Launchers: Mk 6 IF (x9/B)	[-9]
8	Photon Penetration: 3/3/3/3/3	
8	Deflector Shield: PFF 2 (A)	[-5]
	Protection/Threshold: 12/2	

Operational Data

Warp System: PB-32 Mod 3 (6/7/8 OCU) (D)

Atmosphere Capable: No		
Cargo Units: 100		
Life Support: Class 3 (D)	[-6]	
Operations System: Class 3 (D)	[-6]	
Sensor System: Class 3 (+3/+2/+1/0/0/C)		
Separation System: No	[0]	
Shuttlebay: 7 a		
Shuttlecraft: 49 size worth		
Tractor Beams: 1 fv, 1 ad	[-1]	
Transporters: 5 standard, 5 emergency, 5 cargo		

Miscellaneous Data

Maneuver Modifiers: +1C, +2H, 0T

Traits:	Hangarbay	[-5]
	Hardened System (Operations)	[-5]
	Prototype (+1 beam)	[-2]

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Mission

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The Kelvin-class starship's primary purpose is deep space exploration beyond the frontiers of the Federation.

Features

The Kelvin features multiple phaser banks and several photon torpedo launchers, providing it with an adequate amount of firepower, particularly at close range. Equipped with the latest deflector shield grid, the Kelvin can withstand attacks from even a Klingon battle cruiser. As a dedicated exploration vessel, the Kelvin possesses a powerful warp drive and some of the best sensors available to Starfleet. Similarly, the ship is equipped with a large number of shuttlecraft to assist in planetary survey missions where transporters would be either unfeasible or impractical. In extreme cases, the entire complement of the starship can be evacuated with its shuttles.

Ships in Service

	Name	<u>Registry</u>	Notes
3-29093 8-38989 7-38948	U.S.S. Kelvin	N.C.C. 0514	Lead ship of the line. Under the command of Captain Richard Robau, returned to Earth after a successful deep space survey mission of 9 months (2233).
	U.S.S. Iowa	N.C.C. 1142	Completed covert scans of Archanis IV without detection from local Klingon forces (2243).
	U.S.S. Covington	N.C.C. 1224	Lost in the former Delphic Expanse (2245).



Background

The Kelvin-class was a natural development following the Bonaventure-class starship. The success of the Bonaventure-class

expanded the borders of the Federation at an unprecedented rate, necessitating a new class of starship to boldly go beyond those borders. While capable of defending itself, the Kelvin was designed primarily to evade conflict, doubtless due to heavy influence from the Vulcan Confederation of the late 22nd/early 23rd centuries.

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	Appearances	
LCARS 03-4900		<u>Media</u>
00-23892		Motion Picture "Star Trek" 2009.
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