SITUATION ENGINEERING SHEET

British Solar

CAMPAIGN: Exploratory Ventures SITUATION: _______ Dereliction of duty? (M/E)

NSPIRATIONS (LABEL WHICH PLAYER EACH COMES FROM

Eleanor Santiago

- friends in low places
- challenges authority
- innovative thinker

Sir Guy Thatcher

- British upper crust
- extremely self-confident
- Chivalrous to a fault

Berenice Coppersmith

- great inventor's daughter
- unmarriagable bluestocking
- idealist

Reginald Christian

- civilize d savage
- loyal marine
- curious explorer

Ajitabh lyroogee

- wog
- daredevil pilot
- spit in their eye!
- Seat of the pants, balls-to-the-wall flying (E)
- Leave orbit to go explore (M); Adventure, planetary romance (S); Exotic locales (L)

CONFLICT #1

Sabotage of the ship via the Babbage Engine; one of Eleanor's people is a suspect. Eleanor and Berenice must put aside accusations and work

- Friends in low places (L)
- Great inventor's daughter (S)

CONFLICT #2

Rivalry between ships: invited to dinner, the Navy trash-talk the Iris. Ajitabh Mooljee flies off the handle and Sir Guy has to apologize for

INSPIRATIONS & PLAYERS

- Chivalrous to a fault (M)
- Spit in their eye! (E)

CONFLICT #3

A shadowy enemy ambushes the Navy ship. Find, rescue? Eleanor and Ajitabh have different ways of attacking the problem.

INSPIRATIONS & PLAYERS

- Daredevil pilot (E)
- Innovative thinker (L)

CHECK: ARE ALL PLAYERS REPRESENTED WITH AT LEAST ONE INSPIRATION?

SIMPLE COGS Saboteur (ANT) Eleanor's assistant (VIC) Engineering room (SET) Solar sails Babbage engine

| SIMPLE COGS | |
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| Captain of the Navy ship | (ANT) |
| BSEV | (VIC) |
| Rival ship | (SET) |
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| (ANT) |
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| (VIC) |
| (SET) |
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COMPLICATED COGS (STRIKE SIMPLE COGS AS YOU LIST COMPLICATED COGS HERE.)

Saboteur --> Navy --> Shadow enemy

The saboteur is working for a rogue faction of the Royal Navy, which does not want civilian control of the experimental Analytical Engine, and frames Eleanor's assistant, Dudley Fraser. But Fraser is actually working for the shadow enemy, who has become interested in the Iris. Did the saboteur pick Fraser at random, or intentionally?

The HMS Illustrious is captained by a school friend of Sir Guy, and does not like Mooljee. The saboteur is the captain's younger brother, but the captain does not not his covert role and would certainly deny it.

SITUATION ABSTRACT (REMEMBER TO PROVIDE THE HOOK TO INVOLVE CHARACTERS!)

On her maiden voyage out into deep space past the asteroid belt, the Iris and her crew discovers that the ship's Babbage engine has been sabotaged. Repairs are complicated by the arrival of the HMS Illustrious and a rivalry soon develops between the two vessels. But when disaster strikes will the crew of the Iris be able to avert a tragedy in the darkness of space?