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up Stairs

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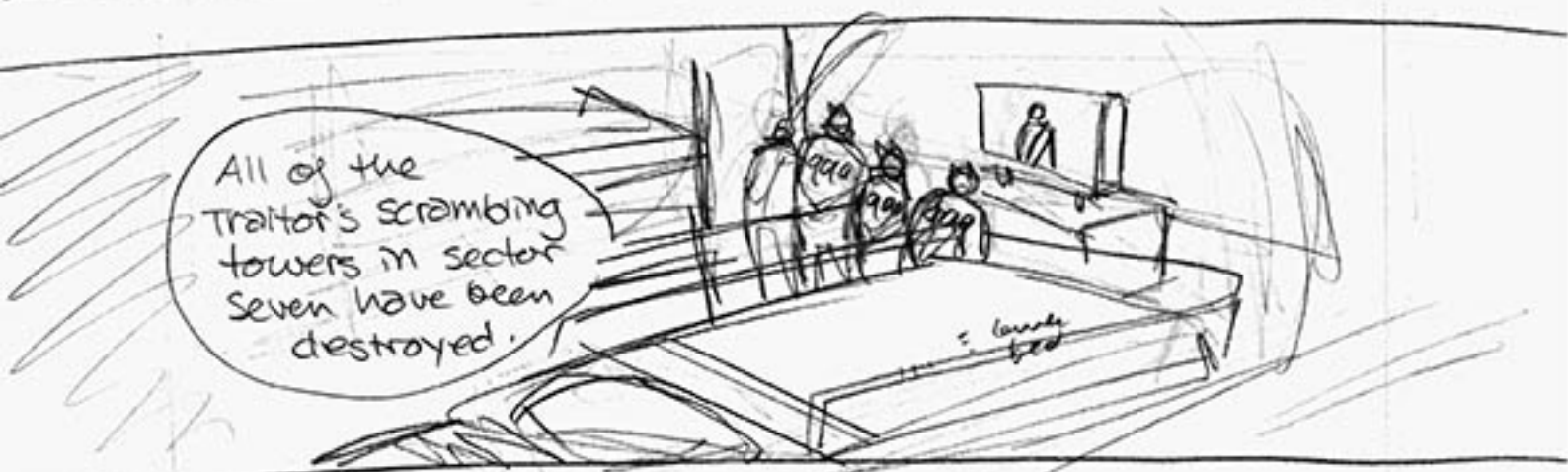
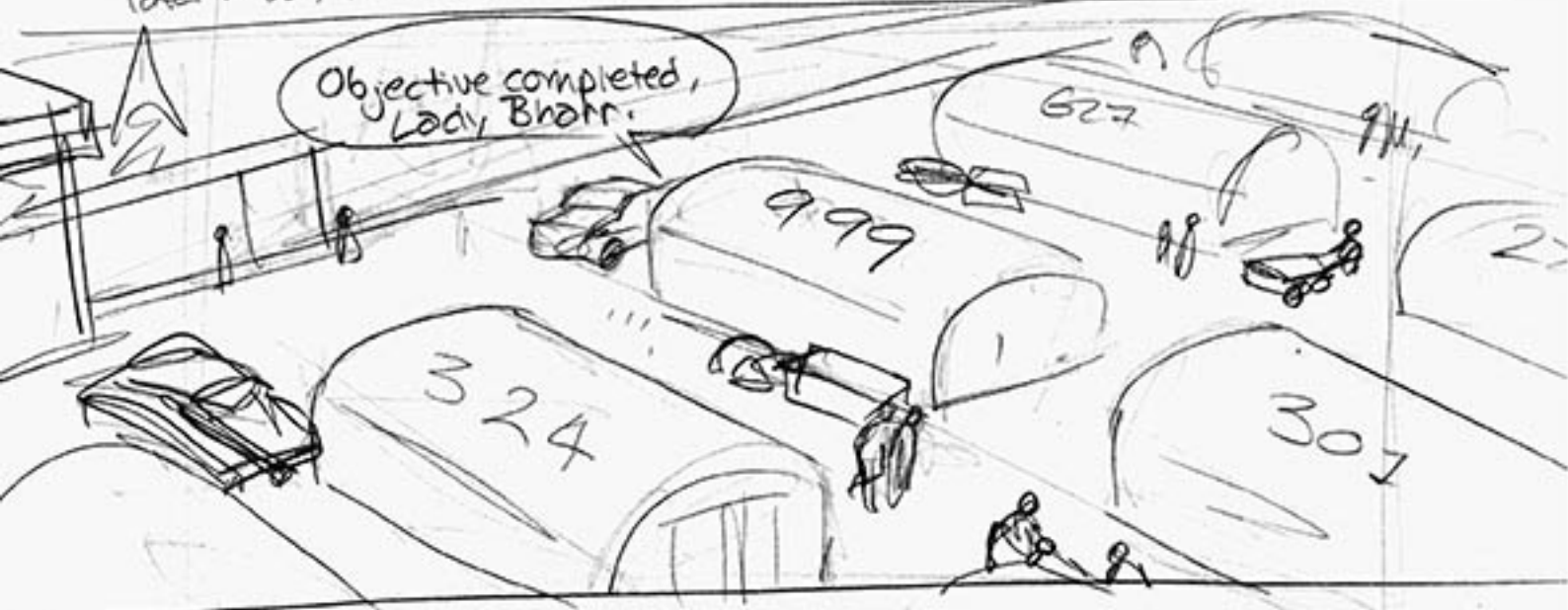
drawing rappelling in perspective is hard.

explosive

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later in day, dusky

Teshari compound

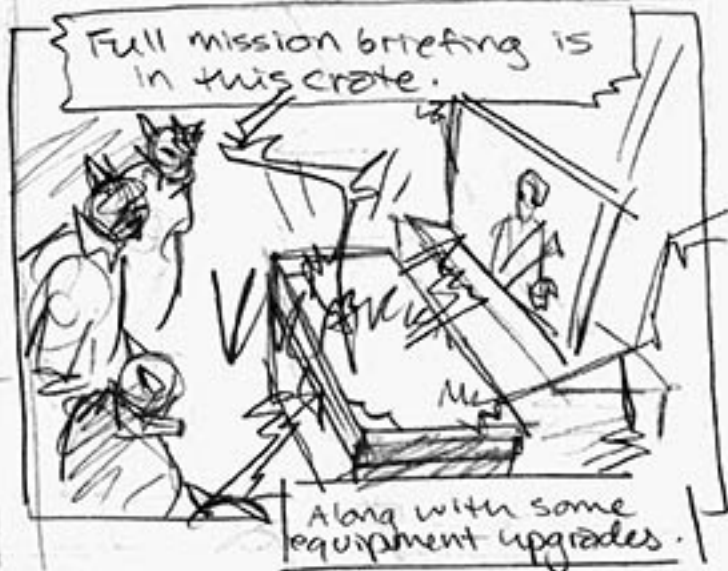


This is Ithan Vaarta. He's a cleric from Sivitas but our satellites are tracking him on the way to Kakaras.



Eliminate him.

Immediately.



Full mission briefing is in this crate.

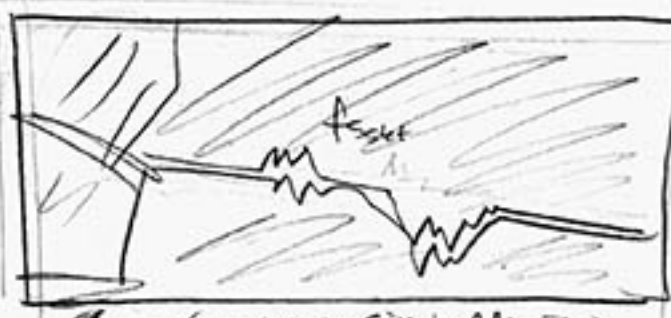
Along with some equipment upgrades.



Understood, Lady Bharr. We'll report as soon as the objective has been completed.



Don't dissepaint us, Kisha.



fck



"Hwan Vaanta"?

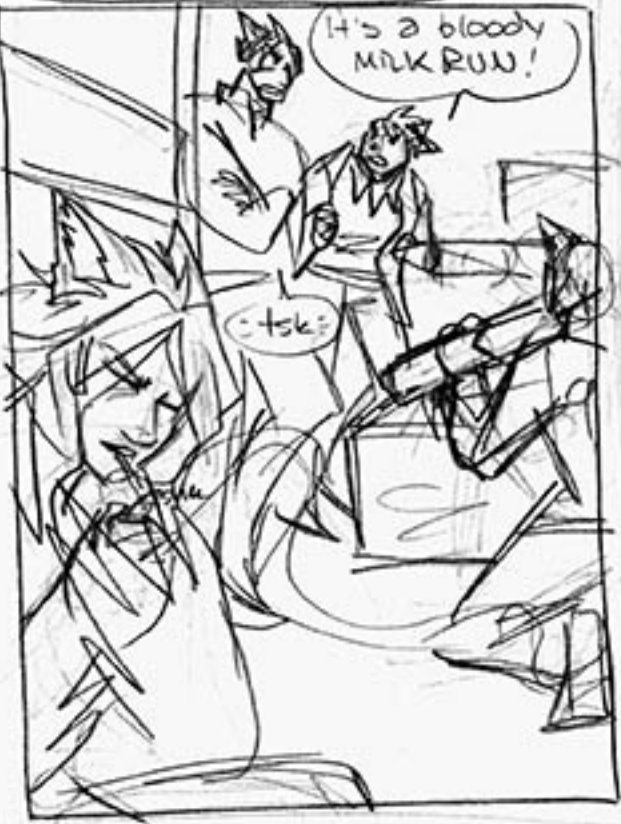
Who in six hells is Hwan Vaanta?

Is this how it's gonna be? They refuse to bolster our ranks and just keep sending us progressively more pointless missions?



We're the BLACK NINES. sending us to off some MONK from SIVIAS?

It's like using a tank to deliver the MAIL



It's a bloody MILK RUN!

-tsk-



If it weren't for
the Circle and
their tech -

and all their
plans and
SECRETS -

... we'd all be
prayin' to Keld
right now.

We do
the mission.

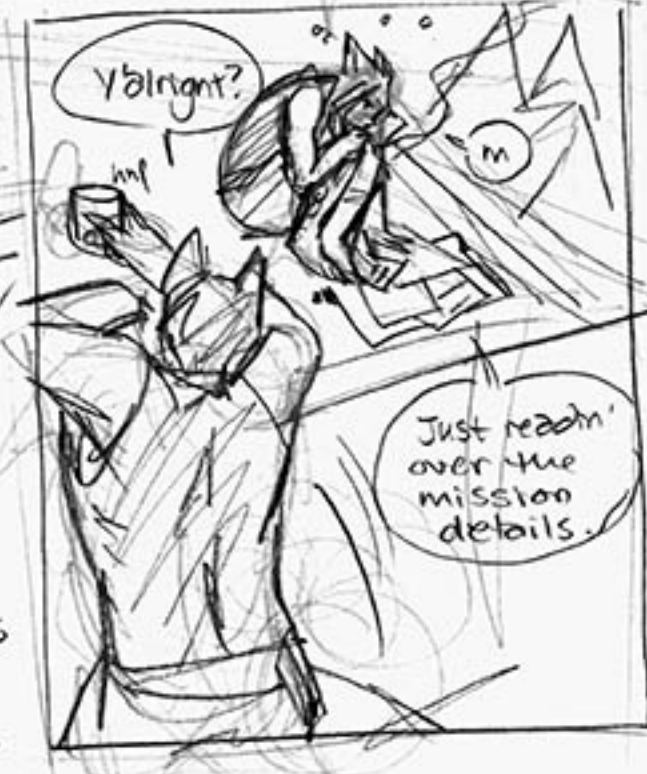
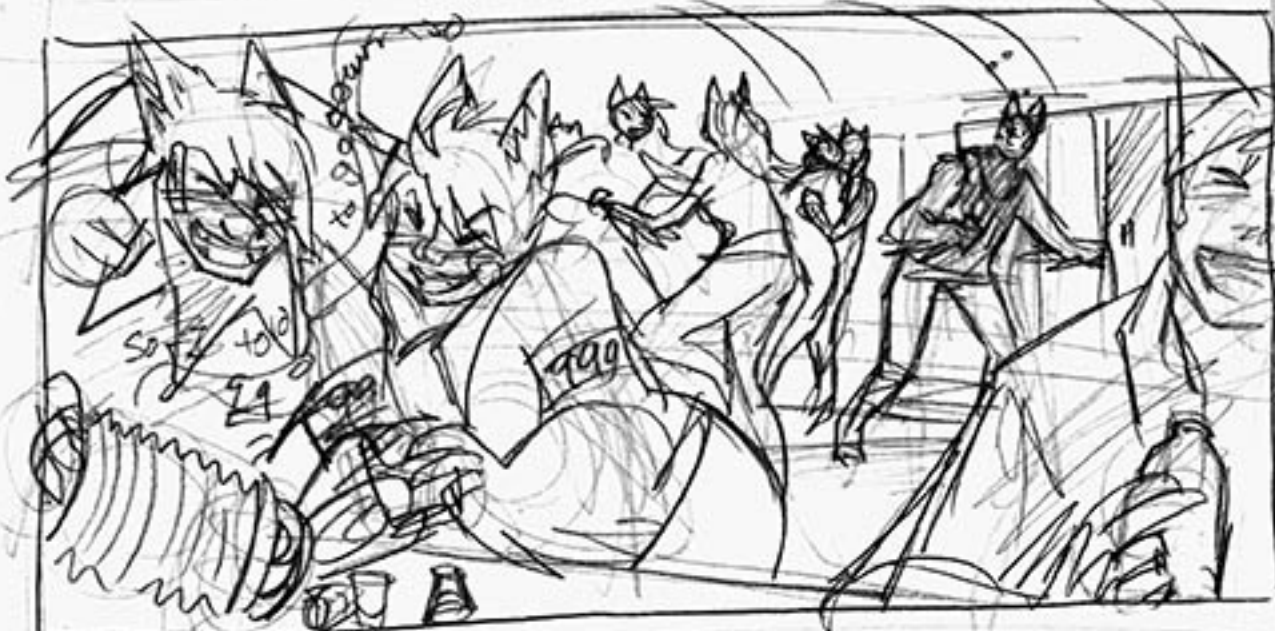
Then we do
the next one.

It's not our
job to ask
questions.

We leave
at 0500
tomorrow.

Dismissed.

night



Thought you
didn't care
about the
mission.

I don't
care WHY
we have
this
MISSION...



I care about
bringing you
home
from it.



Kish'... we
could run
this mission
DRUNK.

I KNOW, but I think
you an' Sheibi are
right... The wind's off
on this one.

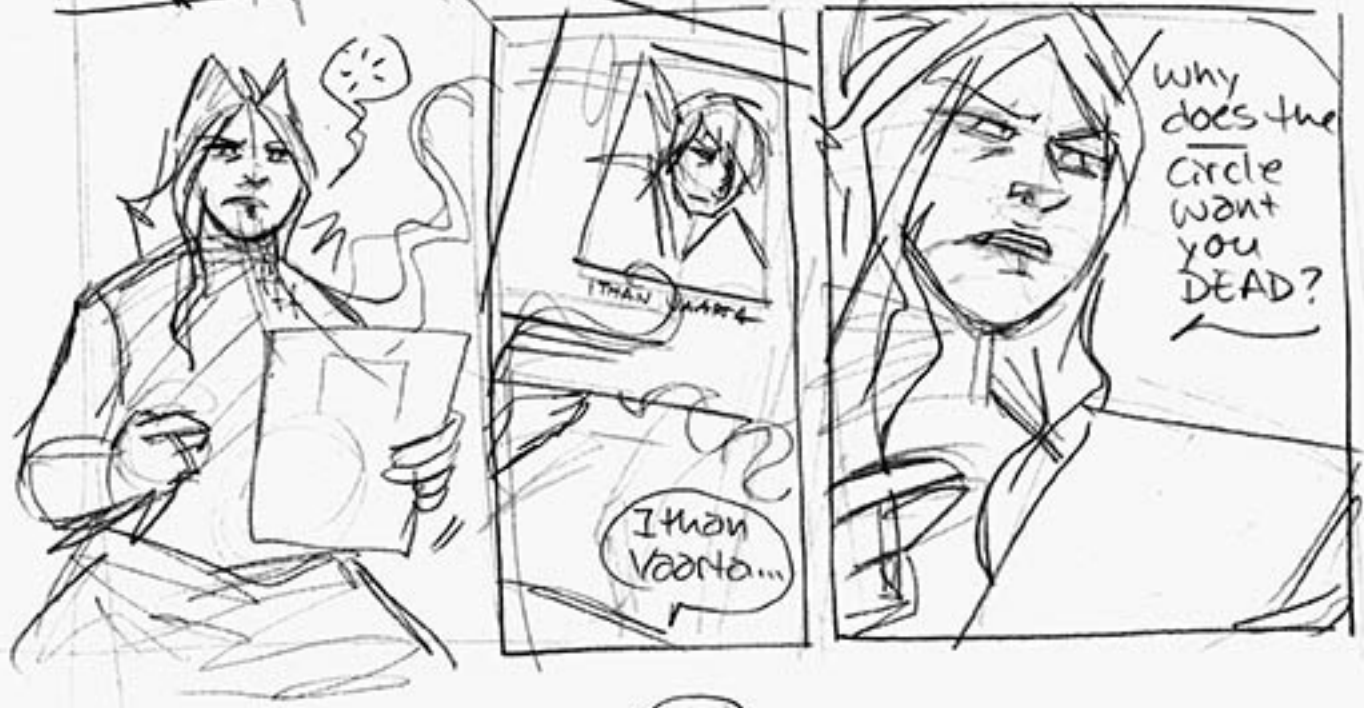
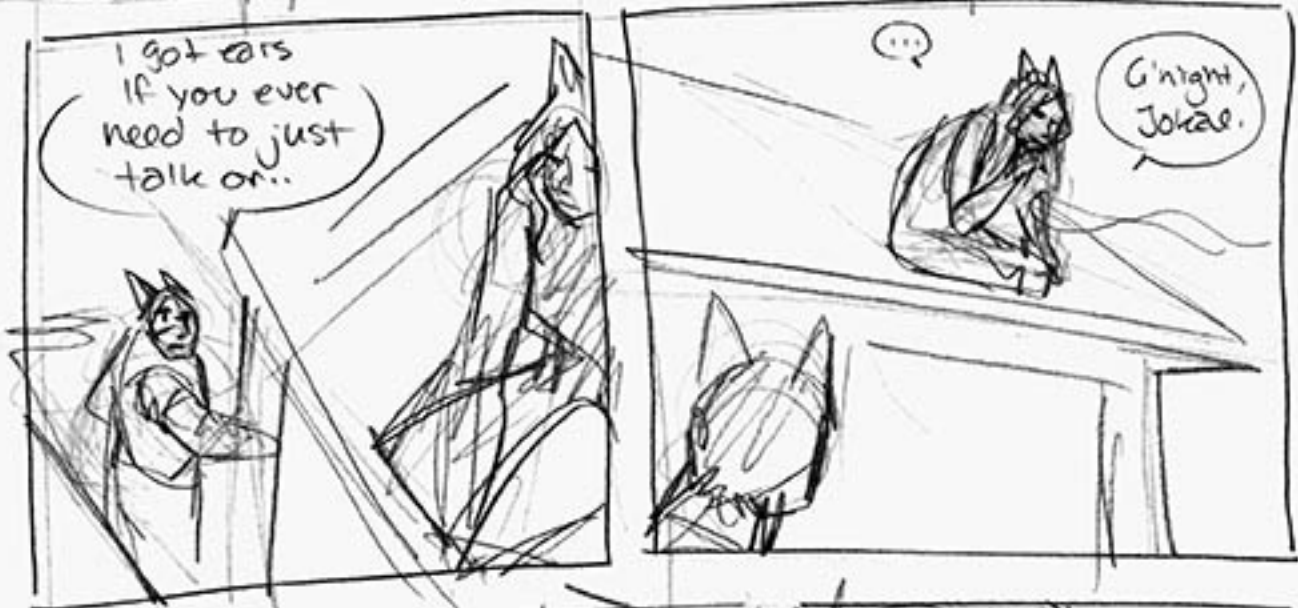


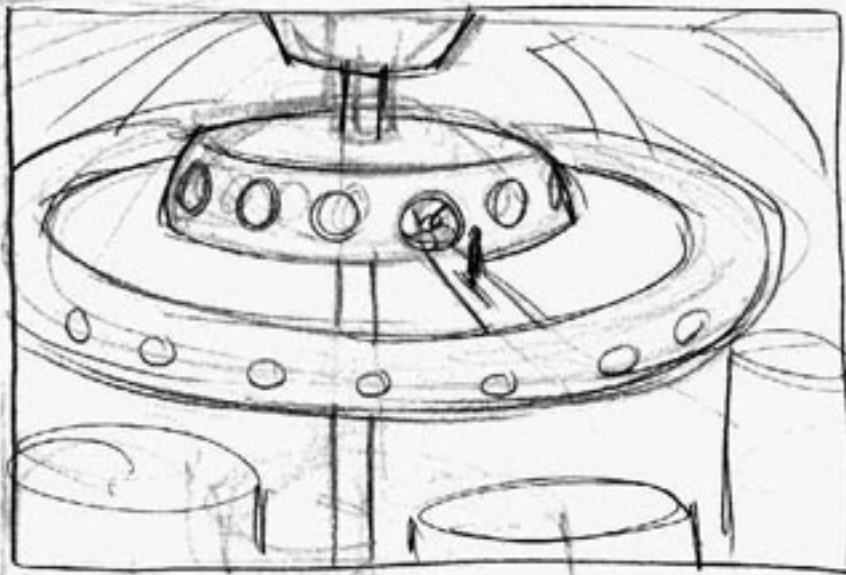
A Doren years
I've survived
this hell
by trusting
the winds...
and they're
off.

=hm/ well







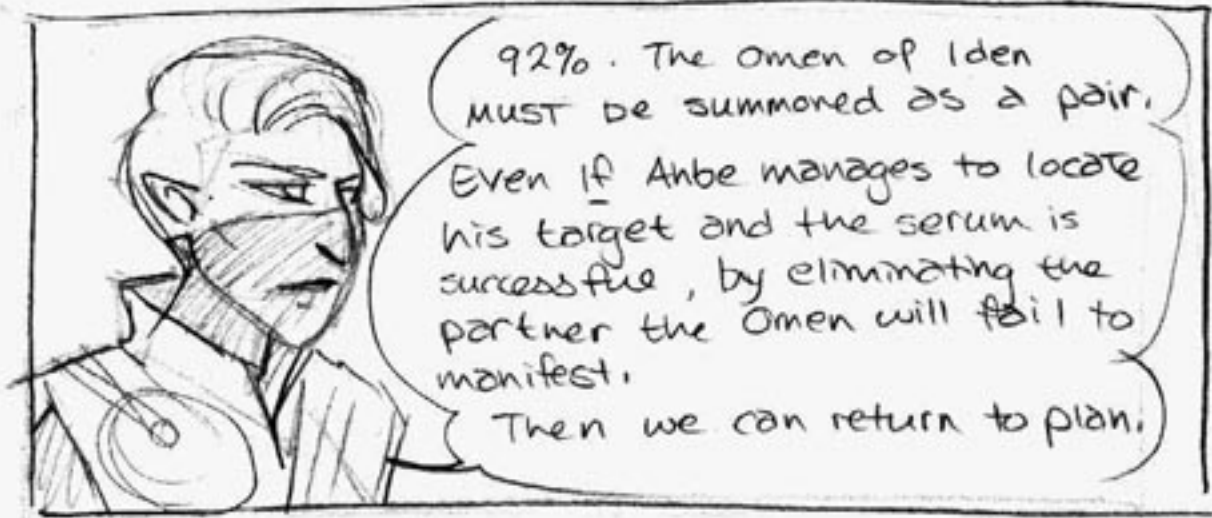


Unit 999-Black has been dispatched to resolve the matter.



What is the predicated success rate?





92%. The Omen of Iden
MUST be summoned as a pair.
Even if Anbe manages to locate
his target and the serum is
successful, by eliminating the
partner the Omen will fail to
manifest.
Then we can return to plan.

This setback
is distressing.

The broader plan is
of critical importance.
our energy resources
will only last another
49 cycles... at best.



We
cannot
fail.



We won't.

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