

# The Esseptians

**Homeworld:** Essep IV

**Location:** Essep System (Andromeda Galaxy, Alpha Quadrant)

Esseptian society is essentially classless; they consider themselves an enlightened race and as such have done their best to eliminate social conflict within their borders. They have devoted most if not all of their intellectual pursuits to technological and scientific development and are considered the most technologically advanced race in the Andromedan Alpha Quadrant.

They are an extremely tactful and diplomatic race, slow to anger and slow to make decisions without detailed information. In council discussions they tend to look for the peaceful solution; they are massively intelligent and pacifist to a fault. It took some doing to get them to contribute personnel and equipment to the wars against the Kelvans but once brought in, their technical expertise made them valued allies and they have maintained a seat on the Alliance Council ever since, providing a balancing element of rationality and pacifism to the Kalatian militarism.

The Esseptians are a non-humanoid reptilian species, slight, slim, quiet, and slow in movement and speech -- speaking to them can be tiring to other races who wish to move more quickly into a decision. but their ability to provide a practical, rational, intellectual outlook has proven important in Andromedan political circles.