# **Spells and Prayers**

## **Gaining Spells**

Wizards always know the signature spell from their lore.

- In addition, wizards start with a fixed number of spells that are randomly determined before each battle.
- Whenever a wizard gains a new skill he may up the number of spells that he knows by one instead.

### **Gaining Power Dice**

At the start of each of your turns, each wizard generates 1 power dice. Wizards can store as much power as they wish in this manner.

- Power dice are personal and cannot be shared amongst the wizards.
- Wizards **do not** generate power dice the same turn they are deployed.

# **Casting Spells**

Spells are cast in the Shooting Phase. To cast a spell, the wizard must declare how many power dice he is using and roll equal to or greater than the spell's Difficulty. If he fails, he cannot cast a spell that turn.

- If the wizard rolls two or more naturals 1s for his spellcasting roll, he has caused a miscast.
- If successfully cast, spells automatically hit their target.
- All spells require line-of-sight, except where otherwise noted.
- Spells can be cast while the Wizard is engaged in close combat.
- Wizards may cast spells the same turn they moved, made running moves or charged.
- Wizards cannot cast spells and fire missile weapons the same turn.
- Wizards cannot cast spells if they are wearing armour. (Shields are Armour.)
- Each Wizard may only attempt to cast one spell per turn.
- If a spell has both a normal version, as well as a more powerful version, you must declare which version you are attempting to cast before rolling any dice.

### **Targeting Spells**

- The wizard may target any visible enemy that is not hidden. (Spells do not have to target the closest enemy like shooters do.)
- Spells may be cast into close combat involving friendly warriors. Spells will automatically hit their intended target.
- (Spells may be cast into close combat, even if they deal damage to friendly warriors.)
- Wizards cannot cast spells "out of" close combat: While a wizard is engaged in close combat, all his spells, gainful or hurtful, must target warriors that are engaged in that are within 1".

## Spells that Remain in Play

- Remains in play-spells are immediately dispelled if the caster is taken out of action, or if caster attempts to cast the spell again.
- Once cast, you cannot change the target of a spell that remains in play unless you successfully cast the spell again.
- Once cast, remains in play-spells remain in effect, even if the target moves further away from the caster than the spell's range.

### Spells, Armour Saves and Ward Saves

- Take armour saves against hits from spells as normal unless the specific spell says otherwise.
- If an enemy makes a ward save against a spell, other warriors may still be affected.

### **Prayers**

Prayers are treated in exactly the same way as spells with the following exceptions:

- Priests may wear armour and cast prayers.
- generate power dice. Instead, they must pass a leadership test in the recovery phase.

  (If passed: 1 power dice. If failed: No power this turn.)
- Prayers do not count as spells: Rules or modifiers that apply to spells do not apply to prayers and vice versa.
- Prayercasting never causes miscasts.

# **Prayers of Sigmar**

# Signature: Hammer of Sigmar D6+

The priest blesses the weapons of the faithful, making them glow with inner fire.

Range: 6" or caster

**Effect:** Target's attacks with great weapons have

+1 Strength and are flaming.

• Vs. Undead and Daemons, these attacks have an additional +1 Strength.

### Remains in play

## 1 Sigmar's Fury D9+

The power of Sigmar surges through the recipient.

Range: 6" or caster

Effect: Target gains +1 Attack on profile.

Remains in play

# 2 Healing Hands D9+

Chanting the Deus Sigmar, the priest's palms light up with a white light of holy healing.

Range: 3" or caster

Effect: Target regains 1 lost wound.

#### 3 Hearts of Steel D8+

The priest chants a psalm to Sigmar's glory and his men are heartened for battle.

Range: 6" radius

**Effect:** Friendly warriors, including animals, are immune to fear and have +1 Ld when taking panic tests. (Leadership cannot be increased beyond 10.)

Remains in play

### 4 Soulfire D8+

The wrath of Sigmar comes to earth in the form of purifying flames.

Range: 3" radius

**Effect:** All warriors within 3" of caster take 1 flaming strength 3 hit. (Including friendly warriors but excluding caster.)

- Does not require line-of-sight.
- There is no armour save.
- Undead and Daemons take 1 flaming strength 5 hit instead.

### 5 Shield of Faith D8+ / D11+

A halo of light appears around the priest, shielding him and his men from fowl magic.

Range: 3" radius

**Effect:** Warriors, both friendly and hostile, are unaffected by spells and spells that 'remain in play' and come within 3" of caster are automatically

dispelled. Also affects friendly spells. **Augment:** Radius increased to 6"

Remains in play

# 6 Armour of Righteousness D7+ / D9+

Armour covers the priest and the symbol of the twin-tailed comet hovers above his head.

Range: 6" or caster

**Effect:** Target gains a +1 bonus to his armour save and causes *fear*. This gives him armour save of 6+ if he has none. Wizards can still cast spells.

**Augment:** Target's armour save cannot be negated

beyond 6+.

Remains in play

# **Prayers of Ulric**

# Signature: Bloodlust D5+

The fury of Ulric grips the warrior, impelling him to crush the weak.

Range: 6" or caster

Effect: Target is immune to fear and panic and

causes fear when charging.

Remains in play

### 1 Beasthide D6+

A great pelt grows forth around the target, making him tough as a beast.

Range: 6" or caster

Effect: Target gains +1 Toughness.

Remains in play

## 2 Blizzard D8+ / D11+

A storm of ice and snow blasts the enemies of Ulric.

Range: Flame Template

**Effect:** All models under, or partially under, the template take 1 Strength 3 hit, including friendly warriors. Models successfully wounded are knocked D3" directly away from caster. (See knockback

rules.)

Augment: Hits have +1 Strength.

### 3 Winter's Chill D8+

A protective cold surrounds the follower of Ulric.

Range: 6" or caster

**Effect:** All close combat attacks against the target of this prayer suffer an additional -1 to hit and *flaming* hits against him suffer an additional -2 strength.

Remains in play

# 4 Ulric's Hunting Spear D9+

A mighty hunting spear is hurled through the enemy ranks with all the force of a bolt thrower.

Range: 18" long, 1" wide and 1" tall.

**Effect:** The first model in the path takes 1 Strength 5 hit, the next 1 Strength 4 hit, the next 1 Strength 3 hit, and so on.

Also affects friendly warriors in its path.

### 5 The Wolf Howls D6+

The priest lets out a mighty wolf howl that strikes fear into the hearts of his enemies.

**Effect:** All *fleeing* enemies on the board immediately take 1 strength 3 hit with no armour saves allowed.

- If they survive they immediately *flee* their fleeing movement again. (Usually 2D6".)
- Does not require line-of-sight.

### 6 Wildheart D6+

The priest lets a wild creature feel the call of the hunt.

Range: 18"

**Effect:** One target enemy animal that is not in close combat must take a leadership test. If failed, it will immediately attempt to charge and attack a member of its own warband, chosen by you. (*This movement may be intercepted as normal.*)

• The charged warrior will not strike back.

Lasts Until: The end of this turn.

# Lore of Gold

#### D5+ / D9+ Signature: Brimstone Blast

The wizard hurls a grenade-like orb towards his target which explodes in a sulphurous blast.

Range: 12"

Effect: Target takes 1 flaming Strength 4 hit. If target is successfully wounded, it is knocked D3" directly away from caster. (See Knockback rules.)

Augment: Causes D3 hits instead.

#### 1 Fool's Gold **D7**+

The victim is beset with visions of unbelievable riches.

Range: Any enemy within 24" that is not engaged in close combat. Cannot target Animals, Undead or Daemons.

**Effect:** Target must roll equal to or under his Ld on 2D6. If failed, you may immediately move target up to his twice its movement in inches, though target will not charge, climb up or down, or jump off buildings. (This movement may be intercepted by your warriors as normal.)

## 2 Transmutation of Lead D4+ / D6+

The victim's metallic possessions betray him.

**Range: 30"** 

Effect: Target must re-roll successful rolls to hit with Blackpowder weapons. If the re-roll is a natural 1, apply misfire rules as normal.

• (Blunderbusses never roll to hit.) **Augment:** Target's armour save is also reduced by D6. (This may negate it entirely.)

Remains in play

#### **3 Glittering Robe D8+**

A golden robe of glittering energy protects the Wizard from harm.

Effect: Caster gains a +2 bonus to his armour save and his armour save cannot be negated beyond 5+. Glittering Robe give caster an armour save of 5+ if he has none. He can still cast spells.

Remains in play

#### D6+ / D10+ 4 Gleaming Arrows

Glittering, golden arrows swirl around the wizard and fly to strike down his enemies.

Range: 24"

**Effect:** Target takes D3 Strength 3 hits. If target is successfully wounded, it is knocked D3" directly away from caster. (See knockback rules.) Augment: Causes 2D3 hits instead.

#### **5 Gilded Cage D7**+

Golden bars erupt from the ground, freezing the target in its place.

Range: 24"

Effect: Target immediately takes 1 flaming Strength 4 hit and suffers another flaming Strength 4 hit if it moves or is moved, other than to pivot on the spot.

**Lasts Until:** The beginning of your next turn.

#### D9+ / D14+ 6 Squall of Molten Silver

A rippling wave of liquid, molten silver spews forth and torches the wizard's enemies.

Range: Flame Template

**Effect:** All models under, or partially under, the template take 1 flaming Strength 3 hit, including friendly warriors. Models successfully wounded then take an additional *flaming* Strength 2 hit. Augment: All hits from this spell have +1 Strength.

# Lore of Daemons

# Signature: Timewarp D6+

The sorcerer bends the fabric of time.

Effect: Caster may immediately move again. (He may climb, run or charge as opportunity permits, taking climb tests as normal.)
If caster moves into close combat this turn, he strikes first, even if the enemy is wielding a spear or halberd.

### 1 Daemonic Aura D6+

The sorcerer exists partly in another dimension, which allows some blows to pass through him.

**Effect:** Caster gains a 6+ ward save that stacks with other ward saves but is negated by attacks from artefacts, spells and prayers.

Remains in play

### 2 Glean Magic D7+

The sorcerer makes a mockery of the powers of other wizards by mimicking their spells.

**Effect:** Caster can cast the spells (not prayers) of enemy Wizards in play as if they were his own.

 Does not require line-of-sight to enemy Wizards.

### Remains in play

### 3 Dimensional Portal D5+

The sorcerer opens a gate to another plane.

**Range:** 6" or caster - cannot target enemies or warriors in close combat.

**Effect:** Target is removed from the board.

 At the end of your opponent's next turn, place target anywhere within 18" of where he was, though he cannot be placed in close combat.

# 4 Tendrils of Entrapment D7+

Otherworldly daemonic tendrils erupt from the ground and bind the daemon's enemy in his place.

Range: 24"

**Effect:** Target immediately takes 1 Strength 4 hit and suffers another Strength 4 hit if it moves or is moved, other than to pivot on the spot.

Lasts Until: The beginning of your next turn.

### 5 Pink Firestorm D7+ / D10+

Searing flames of pink magic spurt from the Chaos Sorcerer's outstretched fingers.

Range: Flame Template

**Effect:** All models under, or partially under, the template take 1 *flaming* Strength 3 hit, including friendly warriors. Models successfully wounded lose

any stored power dice they have. **Augment:** Hits have +1 Strength.

### 6 Bolt of Change D8+

The sorcerer hurls a bolt of raw, warping magical energy at his foes.

Range: 18"

**Effect:** Target must roll equal to or under his Toughness on a D6 or he suffers -D6 to a random characteristic for the rest of the battle. Which characteristic is determined by rolling another D6:

(1) WS (2) BS (3) S (4) T (5) I (6) Ld.

- (Note that this is not a 'remains in play' spell.)
- (Characteristics cannot be reduced below 1.)

# **Chaos Rituals**

# Signature: Wings of Darkness D6+

The sorcerer is lifted by two shadowy daemons and carried wherever he wants to go.

**Effect:** Caster may immediately move to anywhere within 12". He may use this to move into close combat, in which case he counts as charging, but cannot use this spell to leave close combat.

### 1 Black Tongue D5+

Using unholy incantations the sorcerer disrupts the power words spoken by other wizards.

**Effect:** Whenever an enemy wizard rolls on the miscast table, roll an extra D6 and apply the lowest.

 Does not require line-of-sight to enemy Wizards.

### Remains in play

# 3 Daemonic Whispers D7+

Whispering daemons seep into an enemy's mind.

Range: 24"

**Effect:** Whenever the target of this spell successfully suffers a wound, that warrior immediately takes 1 Strength 3 hit with no armour saves allowed. Wounds from this spell do not cause additional hits in this manner.

### Remains in play

### 5 Blood Bolts D8+

The mage cuts his palm open with a dagger and bolts of magical blood shoot forth.

Range: 24"

**Effect:** Target takes D3+1 Strength 3 hits and caster takes D3 Strength 1 hits.

- Hits from this spell ignore armour saves.
- Hits from this Spell cannot take caster out of action. (He is simply left with 1 Wound.)
- Caster must have at least 2 Wounds left to cast this spell.

## 2 Eye of God D4+

The chaos mage implores the darks gods to grant a boon to his champion.

**Effect:** You may re-roll any one 'The Eye of Chaos' or 'Random Happenings' roll, even if it pertains to the enemy.

• Then this spell is dispelled.

### Remains in play

### 4 Mind Twist D8+

The sorcerer uses the dark power of chaos to rend his foe's mind asunder.

Range: 6"

**Effect:** D3 Strength 4 hits with no armour saves allowed.

 Each time a warrior is successfully wounded by this spell, he looses one random skill, spell or prayer for the rest of the battle. (Special Rules are not skills.)

### 6 Lure of Chaos D7+

The mage calls upon the taint of chaos that exists inside the soul of all living beings.

Range: Any enemy within 18" that is not engaged in close combat. Cannot target Undead or Daemons. Effect: Target must roll equal to or under his Ld on 2D6. If failed, you may immediately move target up to its twice its movement in inches, though target will not charge, climb up or down, or jump off buildings. (This movement may be intercepted as normal.)

# Dark Magic

# Signature: Doombolt D8+ / D12+

A powerful blast of Dark energy rushes towards the target, causing severe wounding.

**Range: 18"** 

Effect: Target takes 1 strength 5 hit.

**Augment:** Everyone within 3" of target takes 1 strength 5 hit as well. Also affects friendly warriors.

## 1 Death Spasm D10+

A bolt of Dark magic strikes a single target within a short distance. Weaker targets are killed outright.

Range: 6" - cannot target Undead or Daemons.

Effect: Target must take a Toughness test. If failed, warrior suffers 2 wounds with no armour saves allowed.

## 2 Witch Flight D6+ / D9+

The mage uses the power of the void to transport him across the battlefield, to any point he desires.

**Effect:** Caster may immediately move to anywhere within 12". He may use this to move into close combat, in which case he counts as charging, but cannot use this spell to leave close combat. **Augment:** Warrior may use this ability to leave close combat. (Enemies will get "Free Hacks" as normal.")

# 3 Arnizipal's Black Horror D9+ / D13+

The mage conjures a swirling cloud of darkness that moves across the field, annihilating everything.

Range: 18"

**Effect:** Target, and all models within 3" of target, must take a Strength test. If failed, they suffer 1 Strength 4 hit with no armour saves allowed.

Also affects friendly warriors.

**Augment:** Warriors successfully wounded by this spell must take a panic test. Also affects friendly models.

# 4 Transfixing Glare D7+

The sorcerer's beguiling and otherworldly gaze lures a mere mortal astray.

Range: Any enemy within 18" that is not engaged in close combat. Cannot target Undead or Daemons. Effect: Target must roll equal to or under his Ld on 2D6. If failed, you may immediately move target up to his twice its movement in inches, though target will not charge, climb up or down, or jump off buildings. (This movement may be intercepted as normal.)

### 5 Word of Pain D6+

The sorcerer calls a curse down on his enemy, causing pain and reducing his willingness to fight.

Range: 24"

Effect: Target suffers -1 to hit, in both shooting and

close combat.

Remains in play

### 6 Power of Darkness D4+

The wizard draws upon the power of raw, unmediated chaos energy.

**Effect:** When cast, roll a D6:

- (1): caster suffers 1 wound with no saves of any kind allowed.
- (2-6): Caster gains D3+1 power dice.

# **Necromancy**

# Signature: Call of Vanhel D3+ / D9+

With an unholy whisper, the mage invigorates the machinations of undeath to fight with haste.

Range: 6"

**Effect:** One target zombie may immediately move again. It may run or charge as opportunity permits. **Augment:** Affects two zombies instead, or a single

Dire Wolf.

# 1 Curse of Years D8+ / 10+

The mage accelerates the ageing process of his foe.

Range: 24"

Effect: Choose which: Target suffers -1 Toughness,

or -3 Initiative.

Augment: Target suffers both.

Remains in play

### 2 Lifestealer D11+

Enemies feel the very life force sucked out of them.

**Range:** 6" - cannot target Undead or Daemons. **Effect:** Target suffers a wound and caster gains a wound. This may take caster above his original number of wounds.

• Ignores Armour Saves.

## 3 Gaze of Nagash D9+

A beam of magic shoots from the mage's eyes, corroding and withering any target in its path.

Range: 24"

Effect: Target takes D3 Strength 3 hits with no

armour saves allowed.

### 4 Wraith Form D7+

The mage takes the guise of a ghastly wraith.

**Effect:** Caster causes *fear* and may move through walls and other terrain features. This has no effect on climbing up and down. While this spell is active, warrior cannot *hide* or capture scenario objectives.

**D8+** 

The necromancer floods an enemy with images of

Remains in play

6 Death Vision

his coming death.

### 5 Re-Animation D9+

The necromancer's raises the bodies of the dead.

**Effect:** One of your Zombies that is *out of action* is immediately returned to anywhere within 3" of caster with D3 wounds on profile.

- The zombie cannot be placed into Close Combat.
- Caster can only animate one zombie at a time and if this spell is dispelled, the zombie immediately goes out of action.

# Range: 18"

**Effect:** Whenever target suffers a wound, he must take a panic test. No effect if target is immune to

panic.

Remains in play

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# **Eshin Mysticks**

# Signature: Warp Lightning D8+ / D12+

The caster chants shrill incantations, thrusts its claw forward and casts a bolt of warp-lightning at its foe.

Range: 12"

**Effect:** Target, and everyone within 3" of target, takes 1 Strength 4 hit. Also affects friendly warriors.

• Targets that can fly take Strength 5 hits

instead.

Augment: Everyone within 6" of target of target

take 1 Strength 4 hit instead.

### 1 Unseen Kismet D6+

A veil of darkness descends to conceal the advance of the Skaven.

Range: 18" and/or caster

**Effect:** Up to two target warriors that did not Shoot or attempt to cast spells/prayers in this Shooting Phase are immediately *hidden*.

 (They are still revealed at any time an opponent has a view of them that is completely free of cover.)

### 2 Skitterleap D7+

With a puff of sulphurous smoke, a Skaven disappears only to reappear near the mystic.

**Range:** 30", does not require line-of-sight. **Effect:** Target friendly warrior is immediately moved to anywhere within 6" of caster.

- Target may be placed into close combat, in which case he counts as charging.
- Cannot target Monsters, or warriors currently engaged in Close Combat.

### 3 Jade Puzzle Box D8+

A mysterious puzzle box hovers over the victims head, draining his mental attentions.

Range: 24"

**Effect:** Target must take an Ld test at the start of each of his own turns; if failed he suffers 1 Strength 3 hit with no armour saves allowed.

Remains in play

# 4 Warpscorch D9+ / D11+

A tide of violent green-sparkling flame leaps from the mystic's paw and torches his enemies.

Range: Flame Template

**Effect:** All models under, or partially under, the template take 1 *flaming* Strength 3 hit, including friendly warriors. Models successfully wounded

must take a panic test.

Augment: Hits have +1 Strength.

### 5 Choke D10+

The victim clutches his throat and has great trouble breathing. Dark wisps of smoke seep from his mouth and nostrils as his lungs fill with noxious fumes.

Range: 6" - cannot target Undead or Daemons. Effect: Target must take a Toughness test. If failed, warrior suffers 2 wounds with no armour saves allowed.

### 6 Crack's Call D8+

A crack appears in the earth, and shoots outward like lightning.

Range: 18" long, 2" wide and 1" tall.

**Effect:** All warriors in the path, both friendly and hostile, must roll equal to or under their Initiative on a D6 or suffer 1 wound with no saves of any kind allowed.