

Marley Empire Strategic Intelligence & Warrior Operations Overview

Codename: Marley Public Security & Warrior Unit
Timeline: Mid-East Alliance Conflict (Between Season 3 & 4)

1. National Doctrine

Marley’s global strategy centers on the preservation of hegemonic dominance through:

- Titan terror as an asymmetric warfare doctrine.
- Strategic military alliances.
- International narrative engineering to maintain hostility toward Eldians and legitimize Marley’s actions.

Titan supremacy has historically been the primary factor securing Marley’s geopolitical power projection.

2. Political Structure

Marley’s governing bodies consist of:

- Parliamentary assemblies dominated by military-industrial leadership.
- Token civilian councils that exist nominally but remain subservient to military authorities.

Political power is functionally consolidated in wartime command structures and industrial arms conglomerates sustaining Titan weapons programs.

3. Eldian Policy

Marley maintains strict racial governance systems regarding Eldians:

- Concentration and confinement within designated internment zones (notably Liberio).
- Titans created from Eldians serve as battlefield expendables and psychological weapons.
- Warrior candidates are indoctrinated child soldiers prized as valuable assets yet treated institutionally as disposable liabilities.

Eldians thus occupy a dual status:

- Militarily indispensable.
- Politically dehumanized.

4. Military Structure

Titan Warrior Units

Each Titan weapon fulfills a specialized doctrinal combat niche:

Jaw Titan — Porco Galliard

- Urban breach and precision assassination operations.
- Extreme speed and destructive jaw weaponry.
- Recently reclaimed from the former wielder Ymir.

Armored Titan — Reiner Braun

- Heavy assault battering ram.
- Frontline spearbreak against fortifications.
- Current status: Severe PTSD and psychological destabilization, resulting in eroding ideological loyalty.

Cart Titan — Pieck Finger

- Extended endurance mobile operations.
- Artillery turret and logistics support platform.

Beast Titan — Zeke Yeager (War Chief)

- Long-range devastation specialist via fragmentation throwing abilities.
- Tactical battlefield commander and Titan unit coordination asset.
- Able to induce Eldian Titanization via deployment of spinal fluid.
- **Secret Classification:** Holder of royal blood lineage.

Female Titan — Annie Leonhart

- Tactical adaptability Titan platform.
- Lost asset.
- Current status: **Captured by Paradis forces.**

War Hammer Titan — Tybur Family

- Stored as strategic reserve.
- Combat deployment restricted and politically controlled.
- Combat capabilities remain largely unknown to general Marley military commands and Warrior units.

Conventional Armed Forces

Marley fields one of the world's largest non-Titan militaries:

- Estimated ground forces exceeding **1 million soldiers.**
- Massive artillery divisions.
- Naval fleets including specialized Titan transport carriers and battleships.
- Emerging aerial warfare division using zeppelins.
- Experimental air-combat doctrine development underway.

5. Intelligence & Propaganda Operations

Intelligence Operations

- Pre-invasion infiltration teams deployed deep into Paradis prior to major assault operations.
- Continuous scouting, internal destabilization, and long-term siege reconnaissance missions.

Diplomatic & Psychological Warfare

- Global misinformation campaigns conducted to preserve hostile sentiment toward Eldians.
- Ongoing narrative construction asserting Eldians as existential threats to humanity.
- Diplomatic pressure on foreign states to prevent fracture of Marley's alliance coalition.

6. Political Fears & Strategic Instability

Marley leadership faces mounting concern over:

- Rapid technological advancement among rival nations reducing Titan battlefield superiority.
- Emergence of anti-Titan artillery (particularly within Mid-East Alliance territories).
- Growing domestic and international scrutiny over Eldian exploitation policies.
- Expanding humanitarian pressure that threatens Marley's perceived legitimacy.

7. Current Strategic Objectives

Primary Objective:

Secure the **Founding Titan (The Coordinate)** from Paradis to restore dominant military leverage.

Supporting Goals

- Maintain cohesion of the global coalition supporting Marley's hegemonic authority.
- Ensure uninterrupted supply acquisition of **Iceburst Stone from Paradis** to fuel technological development and modernization.
- Counteract global arms parity by reasserting Titan deterrence credibility.
- Suppress foreign humanitarian investigations into internment zone practices.

8. Intelligence Assessment: Enemy – Paradis/Eldia

Official Designation

Threat Level

Extreme.

Paradis control of the Founding Titan constitutes the highest threat to Marley strategic stability.

Known Paradis Capabilities

- Successful recapture of **Wall Maria**.
 - Deployment of elite genetically enhanced soldiers: **Ackermans (Levi Ackerman and Mikasa Ackerman)** who demonstrate combat capability rivalling or exceeding Titan-class threat profiles.
 - Significant adaptation toward anti-personnel and modern warfare.
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Warrior Unit Losses

- **Female Titan** — **Annie Leonhart**: Captured.
 - **Colossal Titan** — **Bertholdt Hoover**: Deceased; Titan stolen by Paradis and reassigned to Armin Arlert.
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9. Internal State

Geopolitical Crisis

- Anti-Titan artillery proliferation within the Mid-East Allied Forces threatens Marley military doctrine sustainability.
 - Titan terror is increasingly inadequate against industrialized combined-arms warfare.
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Eldian Condition

- Eldians remain segregated within internment ghettos such as Liberio.
 - Systematically employed as cannon fodder and transformational weapons platforms.
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Propaganda Strategy

- Primary narrative framing presents King Fritz as a world-ending tyrant who threatened humanity with **The Rumbling**.
 - This fear mythology justifies international hostility toward Paradis and continued military campaigns under the guise of humanity's defense.
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10. Strategic Intelligence Summary

Marley is approaching a geopolitical inflection point:

- Titan weapon supremacy is degrading.
- Conventional arms competition is accelerating globally.
- Internal legitimacy erosion continues under humanitarian scrutiny.
- Dependence on recovery of the Founding Titan is absolute.

Failure to reclaim the Founding Titan risks the permanent collapse of Marley's hegemonic status.

The Mid-East conflict absorbs significant Marley resources — temporarily preventing direct invasion pressure on Paradis, but narrowing the operational window to resolve Titan attrition before technological parity renders Titan terror obsolete.