FUGUHITO

From the Depths rise the fuguhito. Land lovers call these spine-covered water breathers "pufferfolk", and as one might expect, the fuguhito looks like a humanoid pufferfish. Their needles are not just sharp but carry a powerful toxin capable of paralyzing foes.

Servants of Qhek. The marids of Qhek use the fuguhito as their frontline. And since fuguhito can exist out of water and are closer to human size than the sahuagin or merfolk, they make excellent spies.

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Medium humanoid (fuguhito), lawful evil

Armor Class 13 (natural armor) Hit Points 13 (2d8 + 4) Speed 30 ft., swim 30 ft.

STR DEX CON INT WIS CHA
11 (+0) 14 (+2) 15 (+2) 8 (-1) 11 (+0) 9 (-1)

Damage Immunities poison
Condition Immunities poisoned
Senses darkvision 60 ft., passive Perception 10
Languages Aquan
Challenge 1 (200 XP)

Barbed Hide. At the start of each of its turns, the fuguhito deals 4 (1d8) piercing damage to any creature grappling it. A creature who takes damage from the fuguhito's barbed hide must succeed on a DC 12 Constitution saving throw or become paralyzed for 1 minute. Creatures immune to poison automatically succeed on their saving throw. A paralyzed creature can repeat its saving throw at the end of each of its turns, ending the effect on itself with a success.

Limited Amphibiousness. The fuguhito can breathe air and water, but it needs to be submerged at least once every 4 hours to avoid suffocating.

Actions

Scimitar. Melee Weapon Attack: +4 to hit, reach 5 ft., one target. Hit: 5 (1d6 + 2) slashing damage.

Needles. Ranged Weapon Attack: +4 to hit, range 30/60 ft., one target. Hit. 7 (2d4 + 2) piercing damage. If the target is a creature, it must succeed on a DC 12 Constitution saving throw or become paralyzed for 1 minute. Creatures immune to poison automatically succeed on their saving throw. A paralyzed creature can repeat its saving throw at the end of each of its turns, ending the effect on itself with a success.

