



## Cosmic Wars (2 of 2)

### Previously

Ronan the Accuser: Formerly serving the Supreme Intelligence on the Kree Homeworld, he was captured by the Avengers when he tried to pass judgement on Earth. But an elite Kree squad freed him from his prison shortly before the fall of the Kree Empire

The Avengers found themselves on the Kree Homeworld, 1 month after their encounter with Thanos, they stopped a war between the Kree and Tamaranian forces, earning a ship to gain them home, but will they survive the journey?

### Scene 1

Kree Ship, 26<sup>th</sup> October 2018, 12:00 UTC

The Avengers are travelling through hyperspace

Hawkeye: How much longer?

Black Panther: Another half hour before we reach Earth.

Iron Man: Hard to imagine what we'll come back to on Earth. We dealt with 74 supervillains during the breakout that brought us together, it could be a lot more this time

Captain America: Then we'll fight them; that's what we do (their communication feed activates, Ronan appears on the screen)

Ronan: I once judged Earth to be unworthy, your planet will suffer but you die now. (The auto-destruct activates on the ship, 30 seconds counting down)

Captain America: Vision: Can you shut it down?

Vision: I cannot. And we cannot activate our ship's teleporter in hyperspace. However, I have connected to another planet's teleport systems that I can use. (20 seconds remains)

Iron Man: Any time would be good (Wasp and Hawkeye are teleported off the ship)

Vision: I have to grant each of us access individually, stand by (Miss Marvel and Captain America are teleported off the ship) 10 seconds remain (the Hulk and Yellowjacket are teleported next)

Iron Man: Hurry vision

Vision: I only have the ability to teleport 2 more off the ship. It's been an honour. (Iron Man and Black Panther are teleported off the ship as the ship explodes)

## Scene 2

Trooper Production Plant, Planet Geonscopis, 12:33 UTC

The Avengers are teleported onto the plant and are surrounded by defence force troops

AB001: You'd better have a good explanation for what you're doing here?

Iron Man: Well, we're...

Arron: Stand down.

Iron Man: So, you've finally caught up with us?

Captain America: What's going on?

Arron: Yesterday the Green Lantern Corps Fell. Today, we got word that a major attack on this plant is imminent. Since troops are still stretched thin trying to fight and prevent wars across the known universe, this plant needs to be kept operational. They called me in to help.

Iron Man: We just had our ship blown up. The Vision sacrificed himself to get us off the ship.

Arron: Figures, I'm sorry. (An alarm goes off, and the lights turn red)

AK252: Battle stations (troops begin running off in various directions)

Hawkeye: What does that mean?

Arron: It means that you'd better prepare for another teleport. (He speaks into wrist com) command centre, Arron Redbeard (he is teleported away and the others soon follow suit)

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Command centre

Arron stand by a 3D hologram of the base

Arron: This base is surrounded by a force-field but in order to make sure our fire isn't blocked, any shots carrying the same energy signature will come through. Most of the base is armoured against such an attack, but neither of those defences will stop a ground assault. (Some portions of the hologram go red) gear up, it's begun. (Arron prepares to teleport them into place)

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Upper level corridor

Kree stealth sentries begin teleporting onto the base, the Defence tTroops stand ready to fight but are quickly destroyed as the sentries are invisible, Iron Man arrives and takes them down with repulsor rays

Iron Man: Alert the troops, these Kree stealth warriors are visible in ultra-violet.  
(The troops activate ultra-violet scanners and are able to take on the Kree)

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Lower level corridor

Black Panther uses the filter in his mask to see the Kree and throws vibranium daggers at them; they manage to avoid them and try to attack him, but are knocked out by trooper fire

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Command Centre

Arron stands at the command centre

Arron: Something's not right...

Miss Marvel: If the Kree are here then that means

Wasp: Ronan

Miss Marvel: Alright, payback time (Miss Marvel, Captain America, Yellowjacket, Hulk and the Wasp head out, Arron spots Kree fighters enter the command centre, and Arron easily takes them down, Blackfire enters the room)

Blackfire: Hmm, didn't think I'd encounter this much resistance (she throws a swarm of blast fire blasts, Arron blocks the attacks with his shield, and does a jump attack, Blackfire rises above him and prepares a finishing blow)

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Force field control room

Ronan and several Kree sentries arrive and prepare to sabotage the shield; Captain America stops him touching the controls with his shield

Captain America: Take them down (They charge in with Captain America and the Wasp focusing on the Kree sentries whilst the others focus on Ronan, Ronan blasts them, Miss Marvel easily absorbs the blast)

Miss Marvel: You sure you want to go again? You remember what I did to you in round 1

Ronan: You failed to destroy me (he intensifies his blast but Miss Marvel easily absorbs it, the Hulk charges in but he breaks off his attack to knock the Hulk back with his hammer. Miss Marvel blasts with Ronan countering with his energy but Yellowjacket, grown to a larger size punches him back, Captain America hits the final sentry with his shield and knocks him out, the heroes surround Ronan, but he presses a trigger and activates the timers for the bombs, he teleports out)

Captain America: How long before those bombs go off?

Yellowjacket: Hard to tell, a minute maybe

Captain America: Then we're getting out, let's move Avengers (everyone evacuates except the Wasp, who shrinks down and tries to disarm one of the bombs) Wasp, don't

Wasp: If these bombs blow, the shield goes down and we're sitting ducks for Ronan's forces. I have to try (she fires her stingers at the bombs, but they go off, The Hulk and Miss Marvel absorb the impact of the blast, but being so close to the explosion kills the Wasp)

Yellowjacket: JAN! (He falls to his knees, tears falling from his eyes; Miss Marvel is in shock too)

Captain America: (Helping Hank up) On your feet, soldier. We can mourn the Wasp when things are over but we need to honour what she fought for.

Yellowjacket: Yes, just point me to Ronan so I can break his neck

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The force-field begins to deactivate and a huge swarm of fighters attack the base, blowing up several key power units

Inside the command centre Arron feels the room shake

<Arron>: OK enough (he fires a grappling cable around Blackfire's leg and stuns her by running electricity through it, he pulls her down and lands a punch that knocks her out, he rushes to the coms unit)

Arron: Gamma alert, get those defensive turrets up and running; our alert beacon is active but we could be waiting a while for reinforcements.

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Central corridor

Hawkeye is using his visor and arrows to fend off a squad of Kree sentries, one of the troopers behind him activates a turret but is destroyed by a Kree sentry, which Hawkeye defeats with a shock arrow soon after. Hawkeye removes the remains of the troop from the turret

Hawkeye: Never fear, I'm a good shot with anything (he activates the turret controls) cool, pretty similar to the guns on the Quinn-jet (he fires with every shot he takes downing another of the gun ships) bet you can't beat that Tony Stark. (He sees Iron Man out there blasting the gun ships with his repulsor rays) come on! (Ronan enters the room) so you're the guy who's behind all this. I wasn't there when you attacked but I saw you at Hydro-base a few times (Ronan blasts, but Hawkeye dives out the way, the shot destroys the turret) I was beating Stark 3 to 1! (He fires an arrow, but Ronan deflects it away, letting it explode in the background. He blasts, but Hawkeye dodges again, firing an arrow that traps Ronan in a net, before he easily busts out)

Ronan: I grow tired of these games (Hawkeye fires another arrow that seemingly misses but ricochets off the walls and hits Ronan in the back,

Hawkeye: zapping him with electricity, which doesn't affect him at all. Ronan grabs him by the neck and raises him into the air) your toys are pathetic Good job I borrowed one of yours (he holds a bomb in his hand that he's stolen from Ronan, he fires it at Ronan's chest, Ronan drops him as he tries to remove the bomb but Hawkeye fires glue arrow to ensure it can't be removed) no cheating you sonuva... (The bomb detonates, severely weakening Ronan but knocking Hawkeye back, the Hulk knocks the door down)

Captain America: Surrender

Ronan: No (he blasts but Miss Marvel absorbs the blast, Hulk and Yellowjacket both punch him backwards, Black Panther trips him up with a vibranium staff, he tries to get up but Captain America knocks him back with his shield and he's knocked back further by Miss Marvel returning fire, he is backed up against the wall, Hulk and Yellowjacket wail on him breaking him through the wall and causing him to fall, he lands on a hover platform but two other turrets and Iron Man fire upon him, an electrical discharger fired by Arron destroys the hover platform, forcing Ronan to fall to his death. Reinforcements arrive and blow up the Kree ships)

Miss Marvel: Clint? (She goes to check on Hawkeye, she doesn't feel his heartbeat) no no no, not you too.

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10 hours later

Troopers are working on repairing the force-field generator

AT001: We should have the force-field back online in a couple of hours. Production will resume then, the damage was minor all things considered

Arron: Good work.

Iron Man: Well... Not that I don't love this place, but any chance we can get back to Earth.

Arron: Sure, but can I ask a favour.

Iron Man: Go ahead

Arron: Gather everyone you can... We have one final fight before we can end this war. And we'll need every hand we've got

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