

# RHINOCEROS

**Source:** Real life; 3e *Fiend Folio* (dire rhino).

A rhinoceros is a large herbivorous creature, characterized by a single large horn on its head and extraordinarily thick hide. A rhino is typically a foul-tempered and aggressive beast, and despite being a plant-eater, can be a real danger to adventurers. Dire rhinos are even worse-tempered and are tremendously powerful.

## Rhinoceros Charger

## Level 8 Skirmisher

Large natural beast

XP 350

**HP** 90; **Bloodied** 45

**Initiative** +8

**AC** 22; **Fortitude** 22; **Reflex** 19; **Will** 20

**Perception** +7

**Speed** 8 (plus see *swift charge*)

## STANDARD ACTIONS

**(mbasic) Horn \* At Will**

*Attack:* Melee 1 (one creature); +13 vs. AC.

*Hit:* 3d6+6 damage.

**(melee) Swift Charge \* At Will**

*Effect:* The rhinoceros charges, moving a minimum of 2 squares and up to 10 squares. It makes the following attack in place of a basic attack.

*Attack:* Melee 1 (one creature); +14 vs. AC. (This includes the +1 bonus for charging.)

*Hit:* 4d6+6 damage, and the rhino pushes the target 2 squares.

## TRIGGERED ACTIONS

**Stubborn \* At Will**

*Trigger:* The rhino is pulled, pushed or slid.

*Effect (Immediate Interrupt):* The forced movement is reduced by 1 square.

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**Skills** Athletics +14, Endurance +13

**Str** 21    **Dex** 15    **Wis** 17

**Con** 18    **Int** 1    **Cha** 6

**Alignment** unaligned

**Languages** -

## Rhinoceros Crusher

## Level 12 Brute

Large natural beast

XP 700

**HP** 150; **Bloodied** 75

**Initiative** +8

**AC** 24; **Fortitude** 26; **Reflex** 22; **Will** 22

**Perception** +8

**Speed** 6

## STANDARD ACTIONS

**(mbasic) Horn \* At Will**

*Attack:* Melee 1 (one creature); +17 vs. AC.

*Hit:* 4d8+7 damage.

**(melee) Piercing Blow \* At Will**

*Attack:* Melee 1 (one creature); +17 vs. AC.

*Hit:* 3d6+15 damage, and the target suffers a -2 penalty to AC (save ends).

**(melee) Trample \* Recharges** when first bloodied

*Effect:* The rhinoceros moves up to 4 squares. It can move through medium or smaller creatures' squares during this move, and it makes the following attack against each creature whose space it enters during this movement.

*Attack:* Melee 0 (each creature whose space the rhino enters); +15 vs. Fortitude.

*Hit:* 4d10+6 damage, the rhino pushes the target 2 squares and the target falls prone.

*Miss:* Half damage, and the rhino pushes the target 1 square.

## TRIGGERED ACTIONS

**Stubborn \* At Will**

*Trigger:* The rhino is pulled, pushed or slid.

*Effect (Immediate Interrupt):* The forced movement is reduced by 1 square.

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**Skills** Athletics +18, Endurance +16

**Str** 24    **Dex** 15    **Wis** 15

**Con** 20    **Int** 1    **Cha** 6

**Alignment** unaligned

**Languages** -

**Dire Rhinoceros****Level 19 Soldier**

Huge natural beast

XP 2,400

**HP** 180; **Bloodied** 90

**Initiative** +13

**AC** 35; **Fortitude** 34; **Reflex** 29; **Will** 29

**Perception** +11

**Speed** 6

**STANDARD ACTIONS****(mbasic) Horn \* At Will**

*Attack:* Melee 1 (one creature); +24 vs. AC.

*Hit:* 4d8+9 damage, and the dire rhino pushes the target 1 and shifts into the space the target occupied.

**(melee) Horn Throw \* At Will**

*Attack:* Melee 1 (one creature); +24 vs. AC.

*Hit:* 4d8+9 damage, the dire rhino slides the target 6 squares and the target falls prone.

**(melee) Trample \* Recharges** when first bloodied

*Effect:* The dire rhinoceros moves up to 4 squares. It can move through medium or smaller creatures' squares during this move, and it makes the following attack against each creature whose space it enters during this movement.

*Attack:* Melee 0 (each creature whose space the rhino enters); +22 vs. Fortitude.

*Hit:* 4d10+5 damage, the rhino pushes the target 2 squares and the target falls prone.

*Miss:* Half damage, and the rhino pushes the target 1 square.

**(melee) Incredible Charge \* Encounter**

*Effect:* The dire rhinoceros charges and makes the following attack in place of a melee basic attack.

*Attack:* Melee 1 (one creature); +24 vs. AC.

*Hit:* 6d8+7 damage, and the target is stunned (save ends).

**TRIGGERED ACTIONS****Stubborn \* At Will**

*Trigger:* The rhino is pulled, pushed or slid.

*Effect (Immediate Interrupt):* The forced movement is reduced by 1 square.

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**Skills** Athletics +23, Endurance +19

**Str** 28    **Dex** 15    **Wis** 15

**Con** 20    **Int** 1    **Cha** 6

**Alignment** unaligned

**Languages** -