Type: TaggeCo Z-X3 experimental droid trooper
Dexterity: 2D
    Blaster 5D, Dodge 4D, Grenade 4D
Knowledge: 1D
    Survival 4D
Mechanical: 2D
Perception: 2D
Strength: 3D
Technical: 1D

Equipped with:
    Humanoid Body
    Vocabulator
    Two visual and two auditory sensors
    Armoured Skin (+1D)
    Blaster Cannon Harness (5D)

Move: 10
Size: 1.9 meters
Cost: (available only on the black market) 10,500

Description: The Z-X3 experimental droid trooper, also spelled Zee-Exthree, was a crimson battle droid developed by TaggeCo during the Imperial era.
The Z-X3 was designed to work under extreme planetary conditions even stormtroopers couldn't survive such as radioactive environments and outer space.

It was similar in design to the earlier L8-L9 model developed by TaggeCo during the Clone Wars, though its outer plating was designed to resemble stormtrooper armor. The Z-X3 had no built-in weapons, so it carried a blaster rifle or Briletto AAP-IV "blaster box" on its chest. It also featured increased agility and maneuverability.

After the Z-X3's rejection by the Empire, two new stormtrooper divisions—the Zero-G "space trooper" and Radiation Zone Assault Trooper, or "Radtrooper"—filled the niches for which the Z-X3 was designed.

Tagge recruited Rom Mohc to his Droid Trooper Project, which made an experimental production of seventy Z-X3's for the Imperial military.

Ultimately, the Imperials were not satisfied, and with the defeat of the Separatist Droid Army fresh in the mind of Imperials, the Z-X3 was rejected. However, the model was used as a starting point for the later

Dark trooper project.

A small number of Z-X3 droids were sent to Imperial garrisons, but most of the units ended up serving in private installations.

One Z-X3 went on to work as a security officer for the cyborg Kligson on his moon, the Droid World. In 3 ABY, he tried to kill Kligson and take over but killed a decoy instead. He was then destroyed by Kligson.