Using the method of surveying only habitable worlds, however, it took me only 2 attempts! You'll know if you haven't rolled the Zroni if you've surveyed maybe 5 or 6 habitable worlds without the event spawning. Generally, though, it'll spawn on your first couple of habs. One rather obvious limitation of this method, of course, is that you won't be able to claim any systems at all until you either find the chain or give up. To combat this, you might want to spam out quite a few science ships to assist the search.Â You can only get the introductory event for a precursor to lock you in to their chain when surveying planets in their territory. These territories can overlap, and when they do you can get any of the applicable precursors when surveying planets in those system. Energy for a Habitable World by Pierre Elliott Trudeau, 1991, Crane Russak edition, in English.