



# FLASH

## SUPERHERO SHOWDOWN 2

THE ROSTER

# DC HEROES



## **BATMAN** (BRUCE WAYNE)

Genius, playboy billionaire who moonlights as a crime-fighting vigilante. Trained to the peak of physical and mental perfection, Bruce devoted all of his time to fighting crime after his parents were killed in a mugging in his youth.

## **SUPERMAN** (CLARK KENT / KAL-EL)

A superpowered alien from the destroyed planet of Krypton who was raised by a farming couple in Kansas. Clark possess many superhuman abilities, such as supersonic speed, enhanced strength and agility, heat vision, and ice breath. His weakness is a gemstone known as kryptonite, which found its way to earth after Clark crash-landed here.



## **WONDER WOMAN** (DIANA PRINCE)

An Amazonian warrior princess from the Greek island of Themyscira who possesses enhanced strength, flight, and speed. Diana made the choice to leave her homeland and fight for the greater good when a pilot crash-landed on her island. As such, Diana is no longer allowed to return to Themyscira due to her contact with the outside world.



## **THE FLASH** (BARRY ALLEN)

A superpowered speedster who can run at the speed of light. Barry can also tap into something known as the Speed Force, which grants him superhuman abilities such the power to become a lightning bolt.



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## **GREEN LANTERN** (HAROLD "HAL" JORDAN)

A test pilot who is given superhuman abilities thanks to an alien ring from outer space, which grants the wearer the power of flight, super strength, and the ability to construct any object the wearer desires. Hal is a member of the Green Lantern Corps, an intergalactic force that patrols the galaxy and prevents any threats to the balance of the universe.

## **CYBORG** (VICTOR STONE)

A superpowered, cybernetic crime fighter whose body is primarily made of machinery. Aside from having a genius-level intellect, Victor has the ability to adapt to almost anything electric or mechanical. He also can create several gadgets to aid him in battle, one of which is his signature sonic cannon.



## **GREEN ARROW** (OLIVER QUEEN)

An expert vigilante archer and marksman that fights crime primarily using a bow and arrow. Oliver is also a billionaire tycoon, and owner of Queen Industries, which he uses to hide the fact that he is the Arrow, similar to Bruce Wayne and his cover of Wayne Industries. Oliver's crime-fighting appearance is that of a modern-day Robin Hood.



## **ROBIN** (DAMIAN WAYNE)

Former assassin turned vigilante and son of Bruce Wayne. Damian is actually the result of a genetic experiment by his mother Talia al Ghul and her League of Assassins. Talia left Damian in Bruce's care in an attempt to distract Bruce from his crime fighting, which proved unsuccessful. Damian is the fifth person to don the Robin costume.



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## **AQUAMAN** (ARTHUR CURRY)

The king of Atlantis who possess the ability to command all aquatic life. Arthur will do anything to preserve life under the seas, which occasionally brings him in to conflict with the surface world and its inhabitants.

## **NIGHTWING** (RICHARD "DICK" GRAYSON)

A former circus performer turned vigilante who is Bruce Wayne's adopted son and former sidekick. Like Bruce, Dick's parents were murdered when he was young, which caused Bruce to officially adopt him as his son, and eventually begin training him to be his sidekick, Robin. As he grew older, Dick decided to become his own hero, becoming Nightwing.



## **BATGIRL** (BARBARA GORDON)

A vigilante crime fighter and the daughter of Gotham City Police Commissioner James Gordon. With skills that rival that of Batman and Robin, Barbara's debut saw her rescuing Bruce from kidnapping attempt. Tragically, Barbara's stint as a crime fighter was cut short when the Joker shot her in the spine, paralyzing her from the waist down.



## **SHAZAM** (BILLY BATSON)

A teenaged crime fighter who can transform into an adult superhero by yelling "SHAZAM!" As Shazam, Billy holds powers of six gods: **S**olomon (endless wisdom), **H**ercules (godlike strength), **A**tlas (invulnerability), **Z**eus (the ability to produce electricity), **A**chilles (strong will), and **M**ercury (extraordinary speed and flight).



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## **ZATANNA** (ZATANNA ZATARA)

A powerful sorceress and magician who uses spells to fight crime. Through magic, Zatanna is able to fly, use telepathy, teleportation, telekinesis, astral projections, and control energy. Any spells Zatanna casts must be spoken backwards, which make her voice a prime target for villains,

## **MARTIAN MANHUNTER** (J'ONN J'ONZZ)

A Martian with telepathic and telekinetic abilities who possesses the power to shapeshift, become intangible, and use x-ray vision. J'onn is the only survivor of a Martian genocide, having been transported to Earth by a teleportation beam. The scientist who transported J'onn died of shock shortly after, effectively stranding J'onn on Earth.



## **RAVEN** (RACHEL ROTH)

A powerful sorceress who possess supernatural abilities such as teleportation, astral projection, telekinesis, and intangibility. While Raven is considered one the most powerful supernatural beings, she is also the daughter of a demon named Trigon, and is constantly at war with him, preventing him from using her as a vessel to destroy the Earth.



## **DOCTOR FATE** (KENT NELSON)

A powerful sorcerer who uses ancient mystical artifacts to fight crime. With the ancient helmet, cloak, and amulet of Nabu the god, Kent possesses many supernatural abilities, including spell casting, flight, enhanced strength, invulnerability, telekinesis, telepathy, pyrokinesis, and lightning manipulation. Kent is the first of many who takes the Doctor Fate mantle.





# VILLAINS



## DARKSEID

The cruel ruler of a planet known as Apokolips. A sadistic, aggressive and merciless tyrant, Darkseid has conquered multiple worlds throughout the entire universe. As the God of Tyranny, Darkseid seeks to enslave all things to his will using the Anti-Life Equation, a powerful mathematical formula that holds the key to the enslavement of all organic life.

## THE JOKER

A notorious serial killer and supervillain who dresses like a clown and commits violent crimes throughout Gotham City. In addition to being deadly and unpredictable, he is a brilliant and ruthless criminal mastermind. His crimes can range from harmless jokes to brutal murders, and require no motivation. He is Batman's nemesis, although he's also fought with the Justice League.



## HARLEY QUINN (DR. HARLEEN QUINZEL)

A former psychologist who is usually seen as an accomplice alongside the Joker. For years, Harley suffered an abusive relationship with the Joker, in some cases causing her to question her self-esteem. In recent years, Harley has become an antihero, and is determined to find a name for herself as well as leave her abusive relationship with the Joker behind.



## DOOMSDAY

An incredibly powerful monster with regenerative healing abilities. Doomsday has the unique ability to be able to evolve past the last thing that killed him. As such, multiple beings have tried killing him, making him slowly invulnerable over the course of time. He often comes into conflict with Superman, since both are somewhat rivalled in strength.





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## **LEX LUTHOR** (ALEXANDER JOSEPH LUTHOR)

One of the most intelligent supervillains on Earth. A brilliant scientist as well as a billionaire tycoon, Lex is Superman's greatest enemy. As one of the first villains Clark encountered as Superman, Lex has a personal feud against Superman, resenting everything he stands for, but for primarily thwarting his many business deals through his company LexCorp.

## **BANE**

A brilliant and strong world-class fighter who augments his physical strength with a steroid called Venom. Raised from childhood in a prison in the Caribbean, Bane was determined to destroy Batman to prove himself. Bane would later succeed in his mission by breaking Bruce's spine over his knee, effectively paralyzing Bruce for the better part of a year until



## **TWO-FACE** (HARVEY DENT)

Former Gotham City District Attorney turned supervillain who is obsessed with the number two. During a court trial, a mobster named Sal Maroni threw a bottle of acid in Harvey's face, permanently scarring the left side. The encounter made Harvey suffer a mental breakdown, and he became a criminal. Two-Face uses a lucky coin to make moral decisions.

## **CATWOMAN** (SELINA KYLE)

A thief who possesses cat-like reflexes and mostly uses a bullwhip as her weapon of choice. Selina has a very complex relationship with Bruce Wayne, and always finds a way to get his attention (when she wants to). Selina can also be seen as an antihero, occasionally going on the rebound to help fight for the greater good, if only to protect herself.





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## ARES

The Greek god of war that serves as a villain to Wonder Woman. As the one of the many children of Greek gods Zeus and Hera, Ares is a villainous cosmic entity whose primary goal is dedicated to forwarding the cause and act of war. He acts as a corrupting influence on others, and is able to manipulate and spread violence from just the smallest amount of anger.

## BRANIAC

An incredibly intelligent alien who possesses massive amounts of knowledge gathered from almost every known universe. Brainiac also possesses advanced mental abilities that allow him to work through numerous robotic and even human problems, which makes him a dangerously formidable opponent.



## REVERSE FLASH (EOBARD THAWNE)

Also known as **PROFESSOR ZOOM**, a time-traveling speedster whose primary goal is to destroy all the Flash stands for. Serving as an arch-nemesis to Barry Allen, Thawne is the descendant of Barry's long lost twin brother Malcolm Thawne. His skills rival that of the original Flash, and both he and Barry have been known to break the sound barrier with their battles.

## TRIGON

A powerful demon lord and enemy to the Teen Titans, primarily his daughter Raven. Existing in the Azarath dimension, he is worshipped by the Church of Blood and their leader, Brother Blood. His ultimate goal is to use his daughter Raven as a vessel to escape Azarath and enslave the Earth.





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## **DEATHSTROKE** (SLADE WILSON)

One of the world's greatest mercenaries who serves as an enemy to the Justice League. Slade was once a soldier in the U.S. Army, and volunteered for an experimental super-soldier project that gave him enhanced strength, agility, and intelligence. Most of Deathstroke's actions are upheld by a personal code of honor, except in terms of money.

## **SINESTRO** (THAAL SINESTRO)

An intergalactic supervillain and enemy of the Green Lantern Corps, particularly Hal Jordan, who is his former subordinate. Originally a member of the Green Lantern Corps, Sinestro was exiled by the Guardians of the Universe after learning of his abuse of power. Using a yellow ring, Sinestro established his own Sinestro Corps to carry out his will throughout the galaxy.



## **POISON IVY** (DR. PAMELA ISLEY)

A former botanist turned supervillain eco-terrorist who possesses the ability to control plants. Protecting nature at all costs, Ivy tends to lash out against humanity as a stain upon the planet. Like Harley and Selina, depending on the circumstances, Ivy will fight for the greater good, if only to protect herself or her plants.



## **BLACK ADAM** (TETH-ADAM / THEO ADAM)

A powerful ancient Egyptian prince and supervillain whose powers rival that of Shazam. Black Adam is the sovereign ruler of the land of Kahndaq, and works to preserve its legacy at all costs, which brings his actions and morals into conflict with Shazam and the rest of the Justice League. Adam's stoic demeanor is often tested during his fights with Shazam.



# MARVEL<sup>®</sup> HEROES



## **IRON MAN** (TONY STARK)

Genius, billionaire playboy philanthropist who fights crime using a suit of armor. Tony also suffers from a heart condition due to a chest injury sustained during an attempted kidnapping.

## **CAPTAIN AMERICA** (STEVE ROGERS)

A 1940s American soldier injected with serum giving him enhanced physical strength, endurance and agility. Steve supposedly died in battle during World War II; in reality he survived, merely fell asleep, and woke up in the 20<sup>th</sup> century.



## **THOR** (THOR ODINSON)

The Asgardian god of thunder who possesses an enchanted hammer named Mjolnir which grants him supernatural abilities such as weather manipulation and flight. After a chance encounter with one of the inhabitants of Earth (known to Asgardians as “Midgard”), Thor swore a personal oath to protect the Earth and its inhabitants until his dying breath.



## **THE INCREDIBLE HULK** (DR. BRUCE BANNER)

An often-angry green skinned, gigantic, muscular being possessing amazing physical strength due to Dr. Bruce Banner’s accidental exposure to gamma radiation. Before becoming a hero, the Hulk was feared by many, and even hunted by several governments, forcing Dr. Banner to go on the run as an international fugitive for several years.



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## **HAWKEYE** (CLINT BARTON)

A master sharpshooter and marksman who never misses a target. Inspired by Tony Stark's acts of heroism as Iron Man, Clint abandoned his job as part of a criminal circus act and decided to become a hero.

## **BLACK PANTHER** (T'CHALLA, KING OF WAKANDA)

King and protector of the African nation of Wakanda (*wuh-KAHN-duh*). T'Challa possesses great amounts of strength, endurance, and agility, thanks to drinking the essence of a heart-shaped herb from the lands of his home.



## **BLACK WIDOW** (NATASHA ROMANOFF)

A former Russian KGB assassin who defects to the United States following her defeat at the hands of Iron Man. Natasha later joins the Avengers alongside Hawkeye and Iron Man, and becomes one of the few of the original Avengers who doesn't have any superpowers.



## **THE WINTER SOLDIER** (JAMES "BUCKY" BARNES)

Former brainwashed assassin who is also Steve Rogers's best friend, and who was believed to have died in battle during World War II. In reality, Bucky survived, was taken to a secret Russian facility where he was fitted with a prosthetic bionic arm, and then brainwashed into becoming an assassin. A clash with Steve caused Bucky to regain his memories.



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## **SPIDER-MAN** (PETER PARKER)

A superhero that possesses spider-like abilities after getting bitten by a radioactive spider. Unlike most heroes, Parker has an unusually upbeat demeanor when fighting crime, and prefers taking down small-time criminals, giving the persona of being “your friendly, neighborhood Spider-Man.”

## **THE FALCON** (SAM WILSON)

Former criminal turned hero who has mechanical wings that give him flight. Sam also has a limited telepathic communication over birds, which he uses to his advantage. Sam was inspired to become a hero after a conversation with Steve Rogers (as Captain America), similar to Clint and Iron Man.



## **THE WOLVERINE** (JAMES HOWLETT / LOGAN)

A mutant that fights crime using retractable claws that come out of the back of his hands. Logan also possesses a regenerative healing factor, allowing him to take on most superpowered villains without any substantial damage to his body.



## **PROFESSOR X** (CHARLES XAVIER)

A paraplegic and powerful mutant who possesses great telepathic and ESP abilities. Although he and Magneto are friends, both have opposing views on the status of mutants and humans. Xavier believes that mutants and humans should coexist peacefully, whereas Erik believes that mutants are and should be the dominant species.



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## **MAGNETO** (MAX EISENHARDT / ERIK LEHNSHERR)

A powerful mutant who can create magnetic force fields and attacks. He is also the father of Wanda and Pietro Maximoff. A Holocaust survivor, Max adopted the name “Erik Lehnsherr” when he killed an angry mob and unintentionally destroyed a city. Unlike his friend Charles Xavier, Erik believes that mutants are the superior species to humans.

## **STORM** (ORORO MUNROE)

A mutant who has the ability to manipulate the weather. Ororo’s parents were killed in Arab-Israeli conflict, leaving her an orphan. Also around this time, Ororo developed claustrophobia, which would follow her well into adulthood.



## **CAPTAIN MARVEL** (CAROL DANVERS)

A former U.S. Air Force pilot whose DNA becomes fused with an alien’s—from a species known as the Kree—following a devastating explosion. The results of the fusion gave Carol superhuman abilities, including enhanced strength, stamina, endurance, and the power of flight.



## **THE SCARLET WITCH** (WANDA MAXIMOFF)

A mutant who possess supernatural abilities such as teleportation, matter manipulation, and time disruption. Due to a raid on her foster parents’ home, Wanda was orphaned as a child alongside her twin brother Pietro, forcing them to fend for themselves well into their adulthood.



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## **GALACTUS** (GALAN OF TAA)

A formerly a mortal man turned cosmic entity known as “The Eater of Worlds.” In order to sustain his life force, Galactus is forced to consume entire planets by draining them of their energy. Due to this, Galactus operates without regard to the morality and judgments of mortal beings.

An intergalactic warlord from the planet Titan, and one of the most powerful beings in the universe. Thanos' ultimate goal is to remove half of the universe's people with the use of a powerful artifact known as the Infinity Gauntlet, which contains equally powerful artifacts known as Infinity Stones. Thanos believes his actions will bring balance to the universe.

## **THANOS**



## **THE ABOMINATION** (EMIL BLONSKY)

A Croatian spy turned supervillain whose attempts to sabotage Bruce Banner's lab at an Air Force base gave him abilities that rivalled that of the Hulk. The Abomination's strength is twice that of the Hulk in his calm state, and he has a heightened sense of intelligence. Emil harbors deep hatred towards Banner because of the public's acceptance of him.



## **BARON ZEMO** (HELMUT ZEMO)

Descendant of Nazis who believes that his family line should rule the world. Zemo has many attributes similar to Steve Rogers, as he took a modified version of the super-soldier serum that was given to Steve during World War II. Zemo has become the leader of HYDRRA, a Nazi organization focused on global conquest, and the Masters of Evil, a team of personally selected individuals to carry out his will.



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## RED SKULL (JOHANN SCHMIDT)

A Nazi general and confidant of Adolf Hitler who at one point was the leader of HYDRA, a Nazi organization bent on global conquest. He has the physical strength of Steve Rogers, having placed his mind into the body of a clone of Steve's, who he viewed as the pinnacle of human perfection. He has been seemingly killed in the past, but has returned multiple times.

## M.O.D.O.K. (GEORGE TARLETON)

An engineer turned supervillain who was mutated into a living computer by a shady company known as AIM (Advanced Idea Mechanics). The experiments on George's body gave him superior intellect and grew the size of his head immensely, which strained his body and confined him to his now-signature hoverchair. His name is also an acronym: **M**ental **O**rganism **D**esigned **O**nly for **K**illing.



## NAMOR (NAMOR MCKENZIE)

The mutant son of a sea captain and a princess from Atlantis, Namor possesses many superhuman and aquatic abilities. Namor is more of an antihero, and tends to view the surface world with disdain, partially due to his heritage. Depending on circumstances, he can be a good-natured yet short-fused superhero or powerful villain seeking vengeance for crimes against his kingdom.



## KLAW (ULYSSES KLAUE)

A human physicist who has been transformed into solid sound, and wears a sonic emitter on his right arm as a prosthetic. Ulysses Klaue is the son of a Nazi war criminal who educated him on the existence of Wakanda and its valuable resource of vibranium. As an adult, Klaue has made multiple attempts to mine and sell Wakandan vibranium for profit.



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## ULTRON

A self-aware and highly intelligent robot created by Hank Pym (the original Ant-Man) out of Hank's bitterness for humanity. Ultron is somewhat a dark reflection of Hank, and his goal is to destroy humanity and replace them with copies of his own body. Due to his constant need for upgrades, he is always looking for a new host body, which in turn caused him to create the hero Vision.

## MEPHISTO

A powerful demon who rules a fiery pocket dimension known as Hell (or Hades, in some translations). Mephisto calls his realm "hell" in order to exploit the Christian belief of absolute evil, who is often referred to as Satan, who rules a separate realm. Mephisto even resembles the traditional visual conception of the Christian devil, though it is unknown whether this is his true appearance or not.



## DORMAMMU

A malevolent cosmic being with the desire to conquer and rule all realms. Dormammu uses his trans-dimensional abilities to invade, attack, and conquer different realms and worlds across all planes of existence. His plans to invade and conquer Earth have been thwarted multiple times by Doctor Stephen Strange, making the two somewhat archrivals.



## LOKI (LOKI LAUFEYSON-ODINSON)

The Asgardian god of mischief who was adopted by Odin the All-Seeing after killing Loki's father, Laufey, a Jotun Frost Giant. Due to his smaller stature, Loki was often shunned by the people of Asgard, who were known for their strength. Due to this, Loki harbors some hatred for Odin and his family, especially his brother Thor. He has on occasion fought heroically, if only just to pull another trick later.



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## **DOCTOR DOOM** (DR. VICTOR VON DOOM)

The brilliant and superpowered monarch ruler of the land of Latveria. Doom has spent much of his time studying both dark magic and science, with plans to remake the world in his own image. His plans are constantly thwarted by the Avengers and the Fantastic Four. His intellect rivals that of Tony Stark and Reed Richards; his sorcery skills rival that of Asgardians.

## **KANG THE CONQUEROR** (NATHANIEL RICHARDS)

A 31st century time traveler who becomes obsessed with the time traveling technology created by Doctor Doom. Kang's obsession with history causes him to travel back in time to multiple points in history and rewrite it in his own image. While successful, he quickly becomes disillusioned with his victories, and decides to visit other timelines and conquer those.



## **MORGAN LE FAY**

A powerful sorceress who is the half-sister of King Arthur. Because she is part faerie (an elf), her heritage has granted her immortality, and she has used this time to master the mystic arts in attempts to take over the world. Her exploits garnered the attention of a time-traveling Doctor Doom, who allied himself with her in an attempt to take over the world.



## **THE ENCHANTRESS** (AMORA THE ENCHANTRESS)

A powerful Asgardian sorceress who uses her natural beauty along with her knowledge of the mystic arts for personal gain. She is often aided by her henchman, Skurge the Executioner, who serves as the muscle and brawn to her schemes. While most of her intentions are unclear, she is insistent on removing any distractions for Thor, whom she wants to herself, which puts her at odds with the Avengers.

