

Thanks for downloading Perpetual Motion!

What you have here is a rough draft containing the first six months of my work on the Perpetual Motion TCG. Right now, the core rules are fixed, but many, many balance changes will certainly be needed. If you think you've found an issue, I'd love to hear from you in the Perpetual Motion Discord: <https://discord.gg/2HxT7MxH4B>

For your first game, I highly recommend you use the "Introductory Deck".

There are three ways you can play:

1. Print-and-play

By far the simplest of your options, print-and-play is just what it sounds like. There are PDFs of files for the seven starter decks I've composed for you to play with, and you can print them—my preferred method has been printing them on printer paper, and then sleeving them with another TCG's card behind to provide the cardstock feel—and then play! See note at the bottom, though, regarding "Leader" cards.

2. Tabletop Simulator

If you have the app Tabletop Simulator, good news — you can play Perpetual Motion in there! I've included JSON files for all the included decks, and you can use dice on the app as counters easily. Would recommend some familiarity with Tabletop Sim if you're doing this. Also, see note at the bottom for this option as well.

3. Cockatrice

If you have the app Cockatrice and know how to use it, you can play Perpetual Motion this way as well! There will be some difficulties since the app is built for Magic: The Gathering and will try to enforce Magic's rules in ways that aren't perfect. If you aren't already experienced with Cockatrice I don't recommend this option, but if you are it'll go great, and it's by far the easiest way to build your own decks if that's of interest to you.

Note on Leaders:

For TTS and print-and-play, "leader" cards are separate from their decks. You'll need to go get them. Here's which card goes with which deck:

Introductory Deck - none (for simplicity, playing without one helps)

Coalition Deck - Markus Trent, Coalition Boss

Industry Deck - Floor Boss Archimedes

Government Deck - Violet Krawn, Head of Finance

University Deck - Academy President Brand

Artificer Deck - Marol, Curio Collector

Revolution Deck - Supplymaster Chara