

The Drone Thief



The Drone Thief is a short film in the grounded science fiction genre. It takes place in the inevitable near future where flying rotocopter drones deliver packages throughout **New York City**.

The rooftops of New York are now owned or rented by major companies, to protect and secure the drone shipping lanes. The companies paint gigantic branding ads on the rooftops so they can be seen by private drones, airplanes and on by satellite images on Google and Bing Maps



Delivery drone air traffic is also monitored and protected by a set of remotely piloted drones operated by the Department of Homeland Security. These drones have a series of non-lethal weapons [pepper spray, rubber bullets , tazers , flash bombs] mounted to deter people from interference with the future of commerce





Enter Pepperjack: A lonely albino man who lives in a high tech cyberpunk hovel in Brooklyn.

He has a mini drone that is his hunting partner , assistant and friend. He loves retro video games, abandoned tech toys and Nickle.

Nickle is his advanced sex robot companion. He spent all his cash on purchasing and maintaining Nickle.



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Pepperjack has fallen deeply in love with Nickle.

There is just one problem, she is broken and malfunctioning badly. She has a huge wound in her abdomen area. He has neither the cash nor the parts to mend her - but that is about to change.

To fix the love of his life, he begins the highly illegal practice of robbing delivery drones.



Pepperjack has several tools at his disposal to hunt delivery drones. He wears a jury-rigged trench-coat filled with refrigeration coils to hide from Infra-Red Heat Signature Scanners.

He has a high tech mask fitted with camera Zeiss lenses that let him focus on the target. He carries a home-made pneumatic pump cannon to shoot nets to capture drones and a few other tricks up his sleeves.

His mini drone also helps him track and target drones by analysing all data on the internet.



Pepperjack's race to fix Nickle is an action packed adventure but his goals run afoul of the overzealous Dept of Homeland Security and he finds himself face to face with his worse night mare.

A female drone hunter. His world will never be the same again.

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REFERENCE PHOTOS

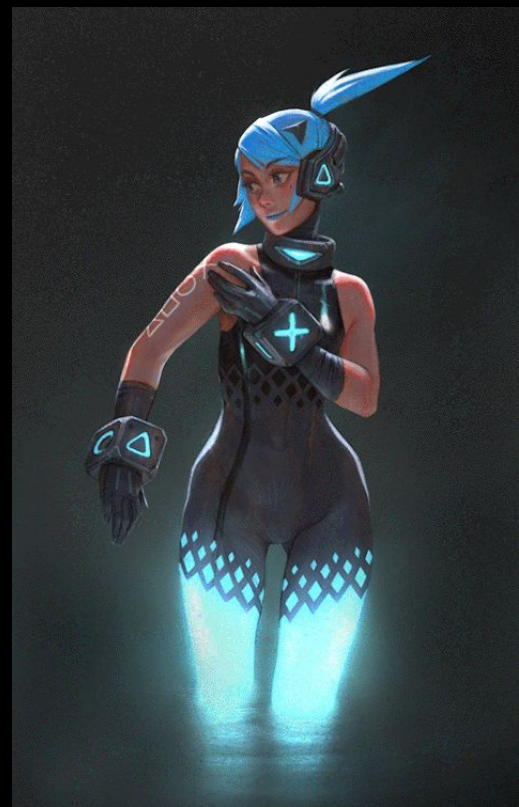








NICKLE







WARNING

- Bionic Limb may exhibit sentience & independence if not properly calibrated
- Emotional attachment to limb is not advised

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