

1A **EXT. DESERT HIGHWAY - DAWN**

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The Whisperbike silently races over an empty highway. The windshield shows AVERIE that she's 140 miles away from her destination. ETA: 28 minutes. Temperature: 45 degrees celsius.

AVERIE spots a highway exit.

1B **EXT. ABANDONED TOWN**

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AVERIE parks in the shadow of a church tower and pulls out a water bottle. It's empty. She presses a button on the side, puts it on the ground and the bottle starts sucking in air. The bottle slowly starts filling with water.

Meanwhile AVERIE checks her PDA, attached to her left sleeve. She looks at a 3D rendering of a building and the roads leading up to it. She marks a couple of key points and closes the PDA again.

The bottle has created a couple of solid sips of water. AVERIE touches the button again and the suction stops. She turns off her head protection and drinks. She turns her head protector back on and starts the Whisperbike.

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Back into the blistering heat. She blasts through enormous mountains, hardly slowing down for the tight corners and hairpin turns. As she exits the mountains, a big red warning pops up on her windscreen.

TEMPERATURE: 55 DEGREES.

A drone fires from the back of her bike and flies above her.

CALIBRATING ANGLE...

The drone suddenly deploys into a large round carbon umbrella, shielding AVERIE from the blistering heat. She smiles and accelerates, the drone follows her effortlessly.

She passes the new experimental farms. Fields, shielded by the same type of umbrella she herself is using, with multiple scientists controlling drones that work the land. AVERIE slows down to look at it. The white shields seem to filter the overwhelming heat into manageable proportions, making agriculture possible again. Large watertanks are sucking in air on the end of each field.

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EXT. CITY GATES

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A large gate appears in front of her. She slows down to let the READERS scan her permit. A green light appears on the gate and the gate drops down. As AVERIE enters the city we see a sign:

VIENNA