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When the original Ant-Man, Hank Pym, retired from the job, engineer/burglar **SCOTT LANG** stole the costume to save his daughter. But when true villainy reared its head, Scott rose/shrunk to the occasion, proving himself worthy of the tech and the name. With his checkered past mostly behind him, Scott took on the size-changing, ant-communicating abilities of **ANT-MAN!**

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Teen science prodigy **Nadia** escaped the Russian assassin-training **Red Room** to search for her father, Hank Pym, in the United States. His former wife, **Janet Van Dyne**, became Nadia's stepmother and helped her claim her true inheritance: her father's shrinking technology and heroism. In Janet's honor, **NADIA VAN DYNE** wears the mantle of **THE WASP!**

## LAST TIME.....

**Ant-Man and the Wasp--TRAPPED IN THE MICROVERSE!!!** Nadia could get them home, but a confrontation with an evil Microversian blinded her--turning her eyes solid red. While shrunken Scott tried to repair her eyes from the inside, Nadia had no idea she was standing on, and crushing, an even more micro civilization--the **Saarq**. Saarq scientist **Burr Dalen** convinced the military to let him stop the rampaging monstrosity (Nadia) nonfatally. He shrank her to Saarq size, forcing Scott to use the last of his Pym Particles to stay small enough to fit in Nadia's eyeball. Scott escaped at the last second, but Nadia was captured, and separated from her equipment--including her helmet and universal translator....



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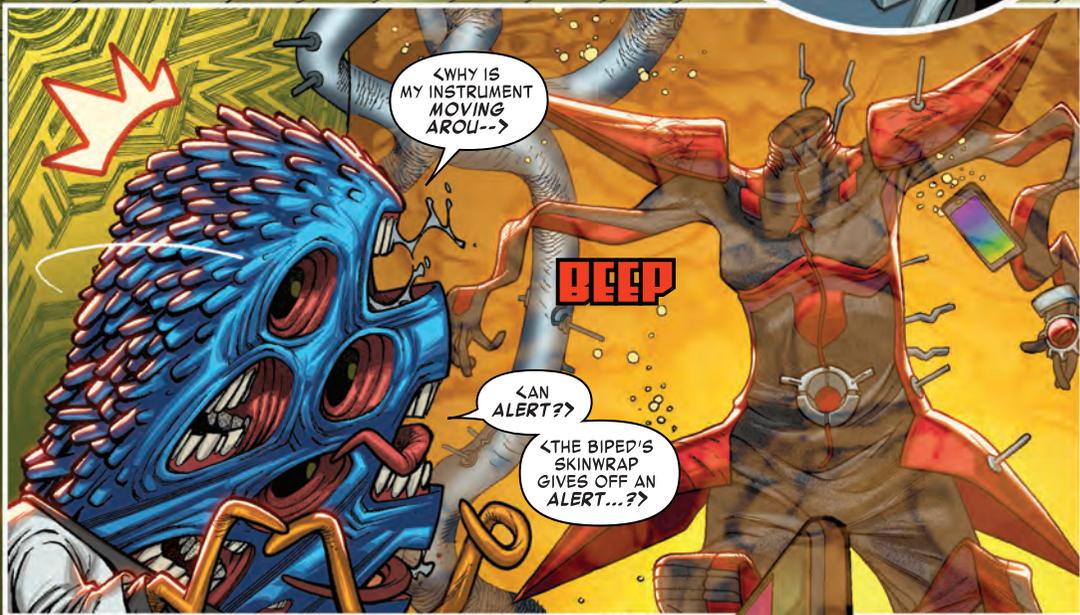
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**THE  
MICROVERSE.**





...PAY ATTENTION TO ME...!



<WHY IS MY INSTRUMENT MOVING AROU-->

**BEEP**

<AN ALERT??>

<THE BIPED'S SKINWRAP GIVES OFF AN ALERT...??>



<HOW ODD...!>

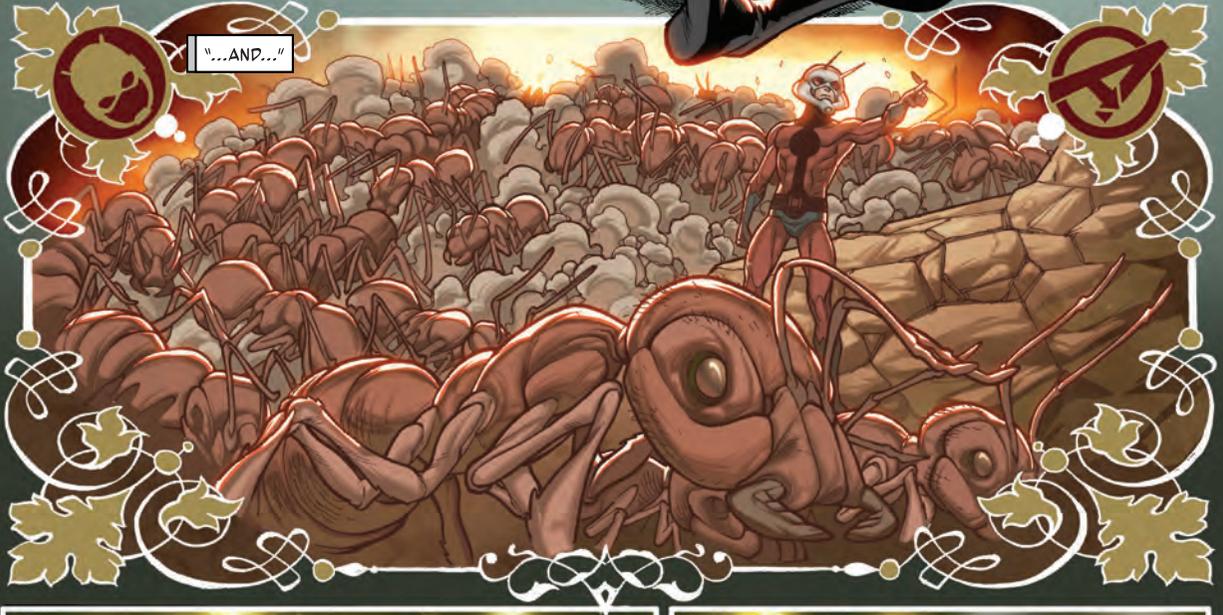


TERRIFIC.  
HE--SHE?--IT?--  
HAS THE ATTENTION  
SPAN OF A FRUIT  
FLY.

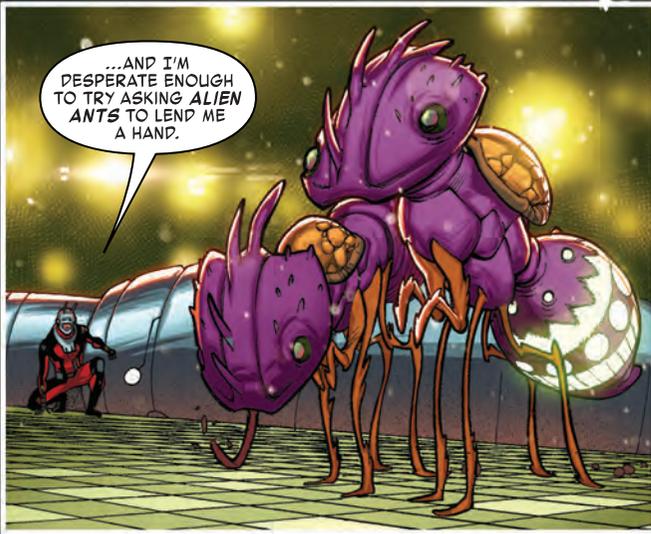
NOW  
WHAT?



I'M STUCK  
AT FLEA SIZE,  
I'M TOO TINY TO  
HEAR, NADIA IS BEING  
HELD PRISONER,  
THESE CREATURES  
HAVE ALL HER  
GEAR...



"...AND..."



...AND I'M  
DESPERATE ENOUGH  
TO TRY ASKING ALIEN  
ANTS TO LEND ME  
A HAND.



HELLO!  
HEY!  
OVER  
HERE!  
KNOCK,  
KNOCK!

NOTHIN'.

