



The **Dora Milaje** are the all-female warrior elite of Wakanda. Recruited from the country's various tribes, their original mission was to protect the **Black Panther** and the royal family, but they recently ended that arrangement and now protect the nation as a whole.

Before declaring their independence from the throne, one of their leaders, **Okoye**, was the personal bodyguard of King T'Challa, along with a fellow *Dora Milaje* named **Nakia**. Nakia grew dangerously obsessed with the king, and when she attacked his friends and family, T'Challa exiled her from the *Dora Milaje*. Embittered and cast out, Nakia developed an arsenal of weapons, including a drug named Jufeiro that gives her power over men.

But longtime use of the drug has made her grossly ill. In a desperate attempt to lure the Black Panther to her before she dies, Nakia stole a weapon called the Mimic-27 that can create power-duplicating doppelgangers. But when Nakia sent it after T'Challa's ex-wife, Storm of the X-Men, the Mimic broke free of her control and attacked her, too. To stop it, the *Dora Milaje* need Nakia's help, but she refused to act until she could see her king again.

Fortunately...the Black Panther just arrived.









