

Fantastic Four #5 (Marvel, 1962) Marvel Silver Age Hero Comic #7. Origin and first appearance of Doctor Doom. Jack Kirby cover and art. The origin and first appearance of Doctor Doom in this issue makes it the second most valuable in the entire run. Stan Lee (writer) and Jack Kirby (artist) at their best! #6 most valuable 1st appearance silver age Marvel (1960-62) comic. Print run estimate: 125,000 copies.

Doctor Victor von Doom is a fictional supervillain that appears in publications by Marvel Comics. The son of Romani witch Cynthia Von Doom, Doctor Doom is a recurring archenemy of the Fantastic Four, and leader of the fictional nation of Latveria. He is both a genius inventor and a sorcerer. While his chief opponents have been the Fantastic Four, he has also come into conflict with the Avengers and other superheroes in the Marvel Universe. Doctor Doom has made many appearances in video games, television series, and merchandise such as action figures and trading cards. He was ranked as the 4th Greatest Villain by Wizard on its 100 Greatest Villains of All Time list. IGN's list of the Top 100 Comic Book Villains of All Time ranked Doctor Doom as #3. Doctor Doom has also been featured in other Marvel-endorsed feature films such as *The Fantastic Four* played by Joseph Culp, while actor Julian McMahon played him in the 2005 film *Fantastic Four* and its 2007 sequel *Fantastic Four: Rise of the Silver Surfer* as the film's antagonist. Toby Kebbell will portray the character in the upcoming 2015 reboot. Created by writer-editor Stan Lee and artist/co-plotter Jack Kirby, the character first appeared in *The Fantastic Four #5* (July 1962) wearing his trademark metal mask and green cloak. Like many of Marvel's Silver Age characters, Doctor Doom was conceived by writer Stan Lee and artist Jack Kirby. With the *Fantastic Four* title performing well, Lee and Kirby were trying to dream up a "soul-stirring...super sensational new villain." Looking for a name, Lee latched onto "Doctor Doom" as "eloquent in its simplicity — magnificent in its implied menace." Due to the rush to publish, the character was not given a full origin story until *Fantastic Four Annual #2*, two years after his debut. Jack Kirby modeled Doctor Doom after Death, with the armor standing in for that character's skeleton; "It was the reason for the armor and the hood. Death is connected with armor and the inhuman-like steel. Death is something without mercy, and human flesh contains that mercy." Kirby further described Doctor Doom as being "paranoid", wrecked by his twisted face and wanting the whole world to be like him. Kirby went on to say that "Doctor Doom is an evil person, but he's not always been evil. He was [respected]...but through a flaw in his own character, he was a perfectionist." At one point in the 1970s, Kirby drew his interpretation of what Doctor Doom would look like under the mask, giving Doctor Doom only "a tiny scar on his cheek." Due to this slight imperfection, Doctor Doom hides his face not from the world, but from himself.

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