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# The Dealt Damage Deals

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One of the little clues that a card has a triggered ability is when the rules text begins with "Whenever". We've run a few searches and estimate that over 750 cards begin with that **Magic** word. However, of those, there have only been 17 that use the trigger: Whenever X is dealt damage. The most popular first appearance of this trigger was on the *Alpha* **Fungusaur** which says... "Each time Fungusaur is damaged but not destroyed, put a +1/+1 counter on it."

*Fifth Dawn* adds another similar trigger as today's preview card **Rite of Passage** (featured in Mark Gottlieb's article "[It Can't Be Wrong If It Feels So Rite](#)") shares this rare Fungusaur-like ability.

As a tribute to all of the cards that react to being dealt damage, today's Arcana presents:

### Whenever It Is Dealt Damage!

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|----|---------------------------|---|----------------------------|
| 1  | <b>Binding Agony</b>      | 1 | Enchant Creature           |
| 2  | <b>Broodhatch Nantuko</b> | 1 | Creature - Insect<br>Druid |
| 3  | <b>Death Pits of Rath</b> | 3 | Enchantment                |
| 4  | <b>Druid's Call</b>       | 1 | Enchant Creature           |
| 5  | <b>Filthy Cur</b>         | 1 | Creature - Hound           |
| 6  | <b>Fungusaur</b>          | 3 | Creature - Fungusaur       |
| 7  | <b>Grollub</b>            | 2 | Creature - Beast           |
| 8  | <b>Jackal Pup</b>         | 2 | Creature - Hound           |
| 9  | <b>Mogg Maniac</b>        | 1 | Creature - Goblin          |
| 10 | <b>Mortal Wound</b>       | 1 | Enchant Creature           |
| 11 | <b>Phyrexian Negator</b>  | 2 | Creature - Horror          |
| 12 | <b>Repercussion</b>       | 1 | Enchantment                |
| 13 | <b>Saber Ants</b>         | 3 | Creature - Insect          |
| 14 | <b>Shriveling Rot</b>     | 2 | Instant                    |
| 15 | <b>Soul Link</b>          | 1 | Enchant Creature           |
| 16 | <b>Thrashing Mudspawn</b> | 3 | Creature - Beast           |
| 17 | <b>Wall of Hope</b>       | * | Creature - Wall            |



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