





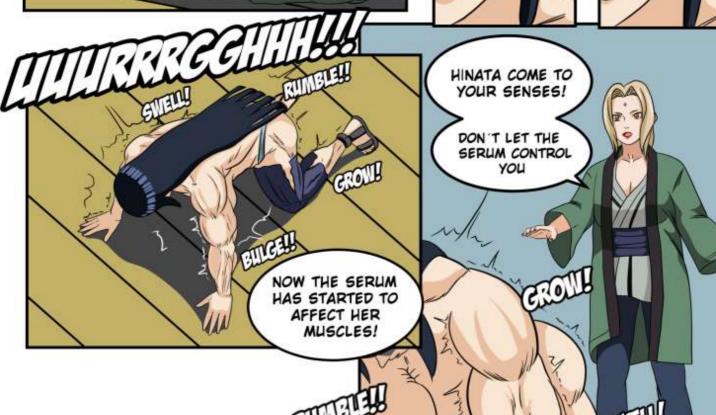




NOW NARUTO-KUN WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO...















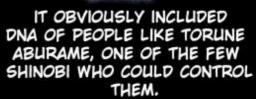
I RECOGNIZE IT,

THEY ARE THE RINKAICHU OF THE ABURAME CLAN.

> OR SOME KIND OF VARIANT.

NANO-SIZED
INSECTS THAT
THRIVE ON
LIVING CELLS
JUST LIKE VIRUSES.

"THE SERUM HAS THE DNA OF THE BEST SHINOBI..."







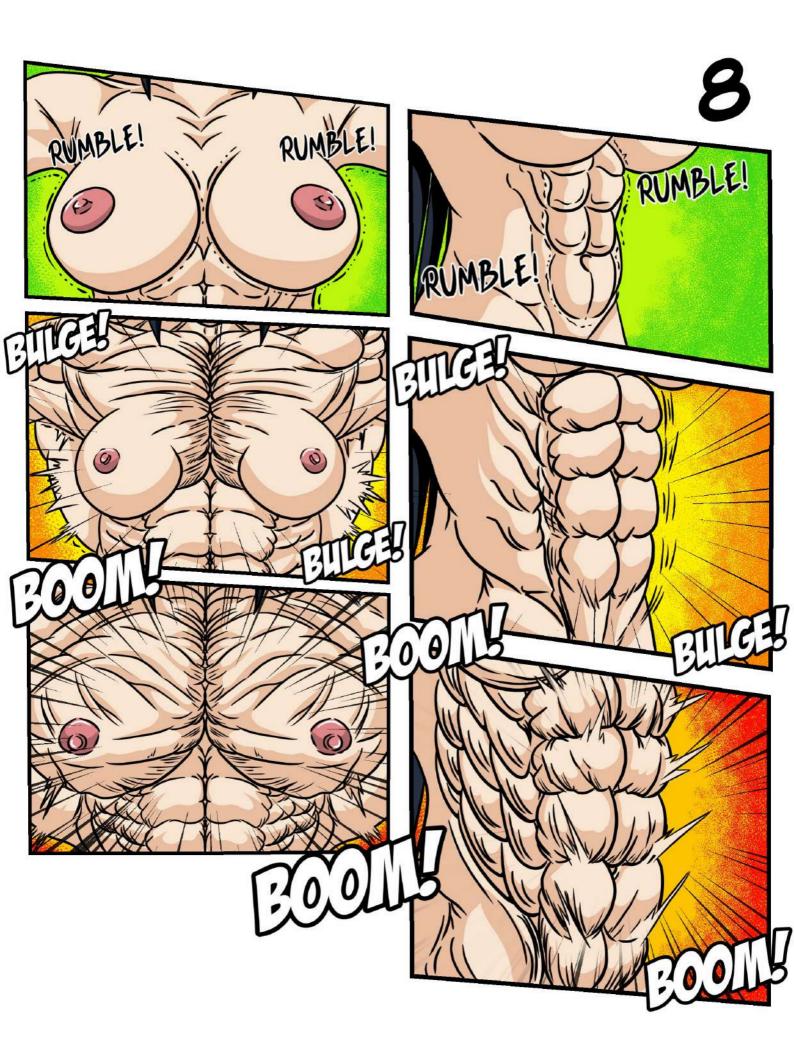


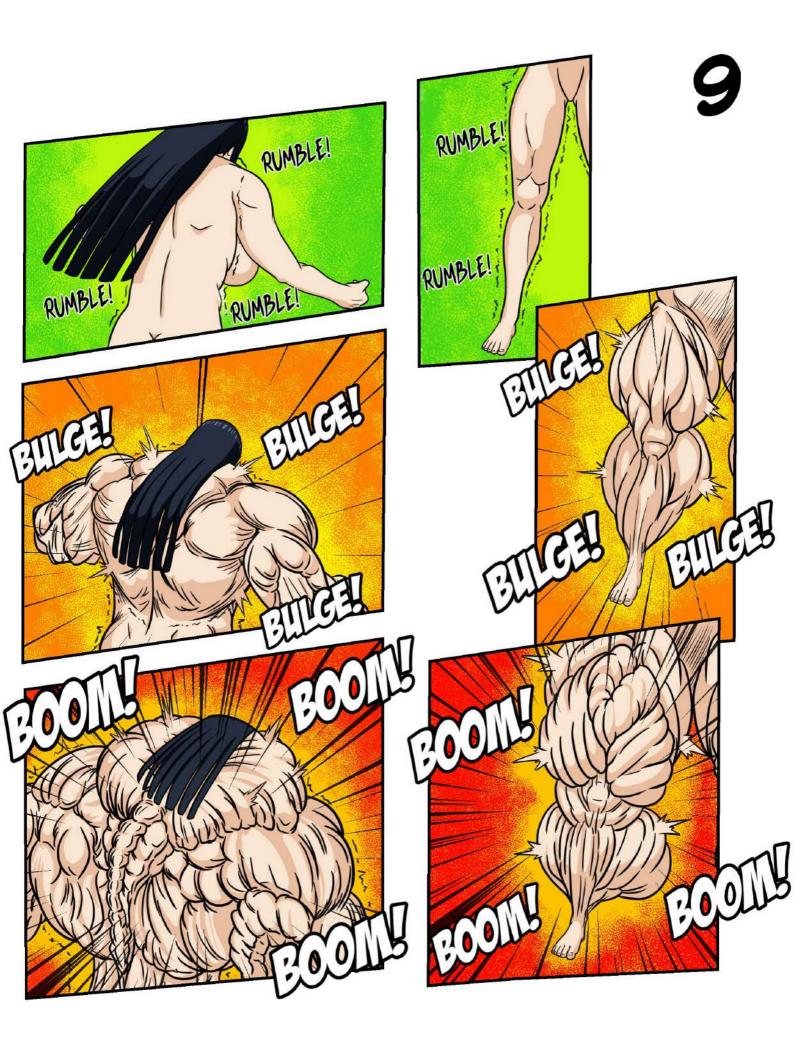




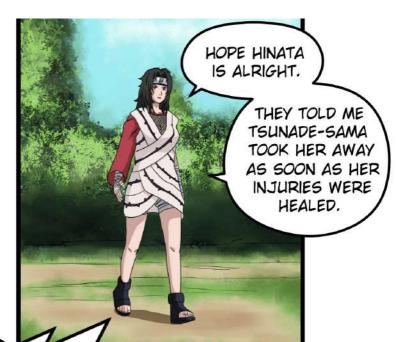








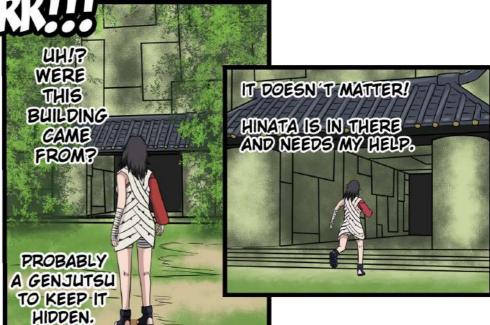






TSUNADE-SAMA!!!



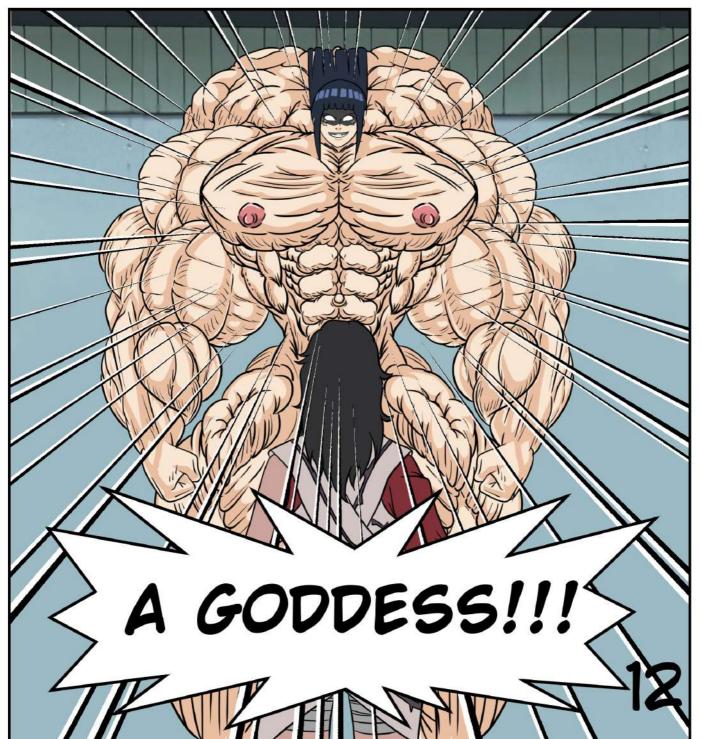


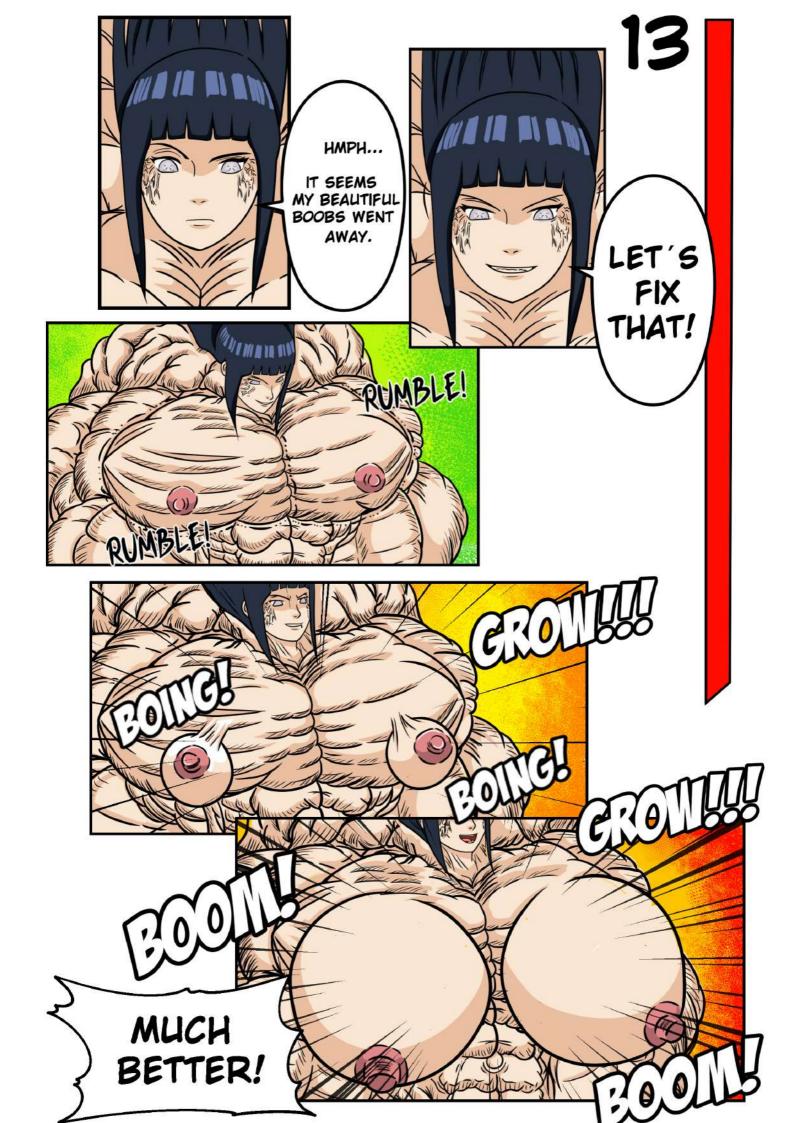
BUT WHERE IS ...

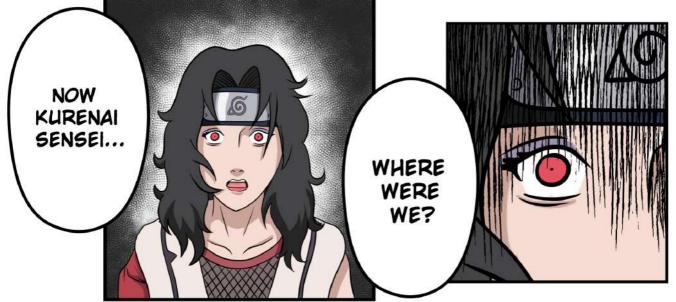


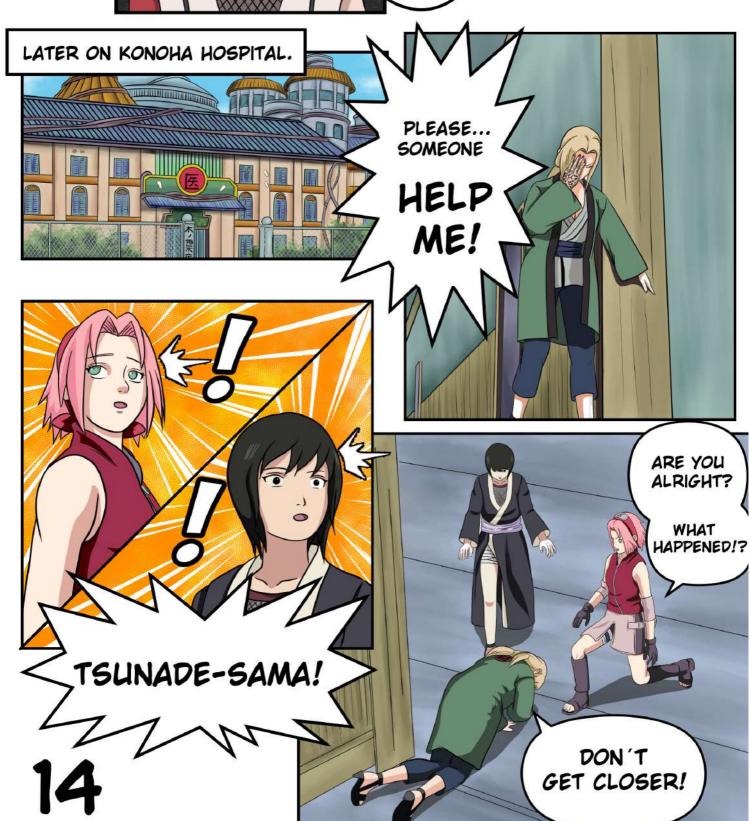


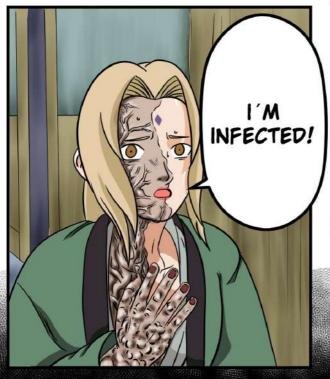














IT'S ALL MY FAULT!...
I JUST WANTED TO PROTECT THE VILLAGE.
AND TO DO THAT I ASKED HINATA HELP ME
TEST AN EXPERIMENTAL SERUM THAT WILL
HELP KONOHA. BUT THINGS WENT OUT OF
CONTROL.

I DON'T WANT TO LOSE ANYONE I CARE
BECAUSE OF MY WEAKNESS.
I DON'T WANT TO LOSE
MORE BELOVED ONES, STUDENTS...



I HAVE LOST SO
MANY IMPORTANT PEOPLE IN
THE PAST. AS HOKAGE MY DUTY
IS TO PROTECT THE VILLAGE.

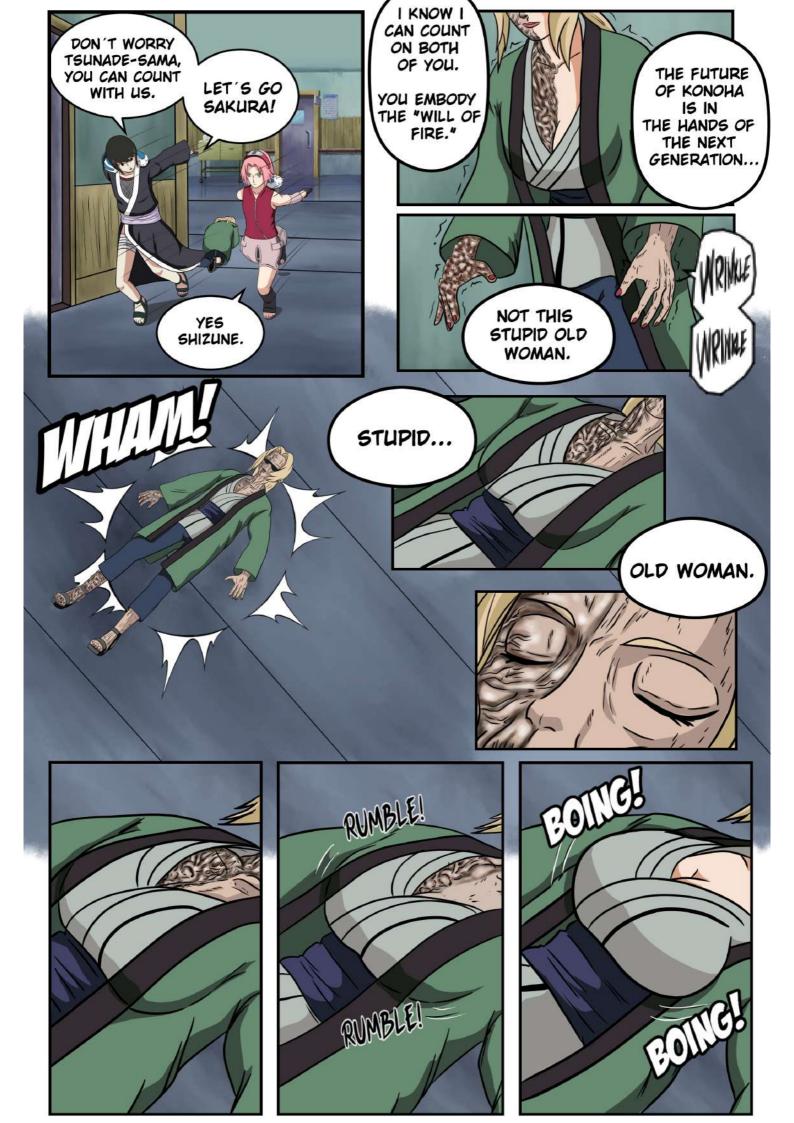


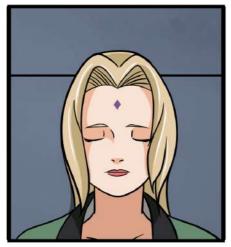
OR PEOPLE WHO HAVE DONE SO MUCH FOR ME LIKE NARUTO.

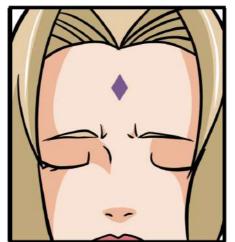




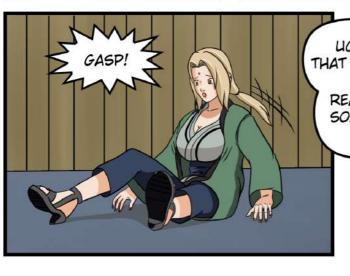












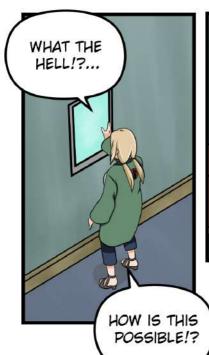


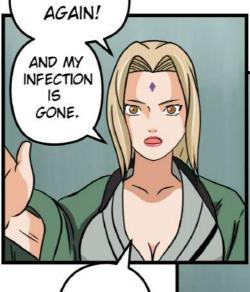
ALSO, WHAT'S

GOING ON WITH

THESE TWO?







BUT...

I RAN OUT

OF CHAKRA.

I'M YOUNG

DID THEY GOT EVEN

BIGGER?

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