



DEFENCE NEWS

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UK reports massive uptick in defense exports

DefenseNews.com

Russian defence exports equated to an estimated market-share of 16%. ... "The increased global defense export market total reflects on-going ...

US defence spending delivers order boost to Ultra Electronics

Telegraph.co.uk

US defence spending delivers order boost to Ultra Electronics ... US has helped boost orders at Ultra Electronics as the defence and technology group ...

How will the UK MoD pay for Trident in an era of funding gaps?

[Naval Technology](#)

"The Chancellor of the Exchequer and I agreed the Ministry of Defence (MoD) will have access to £600m this coming financial year for the MoD's ...

A 'weakness of the West'? UK defense minister warns of lack of grand strategy

[Defence News](#)

"We have to deal with this, and we have to deal with it soon and quickly," the U.K.'s top defense official warned in Washington.

Meggitt raises revenue forecast

[IHS Jane's 360](#)

An effort to streamline and restructure its business to generate growth has resulted in Meggitt reporting an organic revenue increase of 9% year on ...

MOD Halts Frigate Procurement – Lack of Compliant Bids Or Lack of Cash?

Spend Matters

Experts reckoned that a BAE Systems led consortium was also expected to bid. Going back to the announcement of the procurement last September, ...

Chemring director to step down

Insider Media

A director at Hampshire-headquartered Chemring is to step down following his appointment as chairman of Low & Bonar. Daniel Dayan has given the

BAE Systems seeks to automate network cyber defence tools

IHS Jane's 360

DARPA's Cyber-Hunting at Scale (CHASE) programme seeks to build adaptive technologies that can recognise, detect, and defend enterprise ...

Frontline Tech: Why Is The Military Investing In Driverless Vehicles?

Forces Network

In the UK, the Defence Science Technology Laboratory (DSTL) wants robots to bring ammunition, food and other supplies right up to the front line, in a ...

In aerospace industry, female execs soar to the top

Bend Bulletin

By next year, three of the top U.S. defense firms — Lockheed Martin Corp., General Dynamics Corp. and Northrop Grumman Corp. — will have a ...

US Army moves ahead with development of 100-kW mobile battlefield laser

New Atlas

The US Army is moving forward with a new 100-kW laser weapon, awarding US\$10 million to Lockheed Martin and Dynetics to continue development ...

Meggitt's top-flight engineering comes at a cost

The Times

Meggitt is a high-margin business because few make the parts that it does and thus few have the ability to provide the spares in the aftermarket, the ...

Mike Pence says Space Force will be established by 2020

MIT Technology Review

The news: Defense Secretary James Mattis and Pence spoke at the Pentagon ... It will pull people from across other areas of the military to “provide space ... Development Agency to quickly create new space defense technologies.

India is Advancing AI in Military Development

i-HLS - Israel Homeland Security

This, he said, has a potential to fuel technology-driven economic growth and provide military superiority. A multi-stakeholder task force comprising the ...

UK Could Work with US Aerospace Firms on Tempest Fighter Jet

Defense Daily Network

... closely” with U.S.-based aerospace industry partners as it develops its future next-generation fighter aircraft, the nation's defense secretary said Aug

Boeing begins building F-15QAs for Qatar

IHS Jane's 360

The Qatari Ministry of Defence (MoD) disclosed the launch of production in a Tweet posted on 3 August that showed senior government ministers ...

Serco blasts MoD over armed forces' fire and rescue contract

The Times

Serco has accused the Ministry of Defence of running a “flawed and unlawful” bidding process to privatise the armed forces' fire and rescue services.

Defeating modern air defenses is achievable with smart strategies, not only stealth and standoff

Defence News

In the 2019 National Defense Authorization Act, Congress agreed with the Air Force to cancel the manned JSTARS recap program in favor of a largely space-based system, the Advanced Battle Management System

