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# Ukraine conflict: Lockheed Martin to boost production capacity for popular weapons -

# <u>Janes</u>

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Home · News; Ukraine conflict: Lockheed Martin to boost production capacity for ... according to the US defence contractor's chief executive

# KBR Joint Venture Introduces Sustainable Aviation Options for UK Ministry of Defence thefacts.com

#### thefacts.com

KBR has been instrumental to the UK military flying training program since ... structural changes in the industries in which the company operates; ..

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### Thales and CS GROUP to Develop PARADE System | Joint Forces News

Joint Forces

Press Release, Paris,29 Apr 2022: Thales and CS GROUP are working with their partners in France and Europe's defence industrial and technological ..

# Poland awards new contract for NAREW air defense system - Defence Blog

Defence Blog

... of the MBDA launcher and missiles with the radar station and the C2 communication and command system produced by the Polish defense industry

#### Russia launches secret military payload into orbit | Metro News

Metro

According to a statement from the Russian **Ministry of Defence** (MoD), a space 'combat crew' launched the unidentified payload. It was likely a top

# Are dolphins being used by Russia to guard naval base?

Forces News

Satellite images show two pens at the Sevastopol harbour in Crimea.

#### UK orders seven more Mission Master A-UGVs from Rheinmetall - Janes

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The UK Ministry of Defence (MoD) ordered seven Mission Master autonomous unmanned ground vehicles (A-UGVs) from Rheinmetall in January, the company announced in a press release on 29 April.

# Minister for Defence Procurement at SupportNET 22 - GOV.UK

GOV.UK

Defence Procurement Minister, Jeremy Quin spoke at the SupportNET 22 conference ... Can we change commercial agreements so that industry holds the ..

# **EUROSATORY 2022 ~ INNOVATION AT THE EXHIBITION CORE**

Joint Forces.com

The Eurosatory exhibition returns at the *Parc des Expositions* of Paris-Nord Villepinte from 13 to 17 June with innovation at the core

# Airbus' EGNOS V3 passes initial service performance review

Spacewatch Global Airbus Defence and Space and its EGNOS V3 system has passed an initial service performance review successfully

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#### Nobody Knows Where the Red Line Is for Cyberwarfare

Bloomberg Law

A common explanation for why the Soviet Union never used nuclear weapons during the Cold War was the expectation that any attack would likely prompt a devastating nuclear response.

**Researchers find over 400 vulnerabilities in defense industrial base bug bounty effort** The Record by Recorded Future

A year-long bug bounty program that scrutinized a fraction of the massive U.S. defense industrial base turned up more than 400 valid vulnerabilities, the effort's organizers announced Monday.

#### Satellite Maritime Surveillance of the High North | Joint Forces News

Joint Forces

KONGSBERG and the Norwegian Defence Research Establishment launch new ... model from the defence industry with us into the space industry

#### U.S. nuclear commander warns of deterrence 'crisis' against Russia and China

**Defence News** 

"We are facing a crisis deterrence dynamic right now that we have only seen a few times in our nation's history,"

#### US Army 'defers' Robotic Combat Vehicle-Medium fleet development

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US Army soldiers will not be operating a Robotic Combat Vehicle-Medium (RCV-M) fleet any time soon after service leaders decided to postpone such a future programme

#### British Apache attack helicopters deploy to Macedonia

UK Defence Journal

Exercise Swift Response sees elements of 16 Air Assault Brigade Combat Team and 1 Aviation Brigade Combat Team operate alongside French, American, Italian, and Albanian counterparts in North Macedonia

#### New Zealand rocket caught but then dropped by helicopter

**Defence News** 

Rocket Lab partially pulled off the feat as it pushes to make its small Electron rockets reusable.

#### Curtiss-Wright to provide TDSS system for Challenger 3 tanks

Army Technology

Curtiss-Wright has secured a contract to supply the scalable Turret Drive Servo System (TDSS) and other system components for the British Army's Challenger 3 Main Battle Tank.

#### The next level of simulation training: enter the defence metaverse

#### Army Technology

The idea of metaverse compels excitement in some, while making others cringe. Most of us have seen films or video games where the idea of a synthetic world comes to life, where participants can engage with each other free from the limits of reality. Like it or not, the metaverse did not elude the attention of the defence industry.

#### Thales finalizes acquisition of RUAG training and simulation unit

#### C4ISR.net

French defense technology firm Thales has completed the acquisition of Swiss company Ruag's training and simulation subsidiary

#### DASA calls for proposals on human augmentation technology | UKAuthority

UKAuthority

The Defence and Security Accelerator (DASA) has launched a new innovation focus area on human augmentation (HA). The agency within the Ministry of .

#### MoD awards £155m Gibraltar services contract to Mitie

GBC - Gibraltar News - GBC TV and Radio Gibraltar

The first of a new suite of contracts to provide key services for the UK Armed Forces on overseas Ministry of Defence bases has been awarded

#### Cyber Command sent a 'hunt forward' team to help Lithuania harden its systems

The Record by Recorded Future

U.S. Cyber Command recently deployed personnel to Lithuania to strengthen that country's digital defenses, the second such mission tied to Russia's invasion of Ukraine, a senior command official said Wednesday.

#### A Plan to Keep the Space Force's Future AI Safe

Air Force Magazine The Space Force's chief technology and innovation officer has an idea for how not to let the military's AI get out of

# Raytheon to work with Firehawk Aerospace on hybrid rocket propulsion technologies

**Defence Online** 

Raytheon Missiles & Defense has completed a Series A investment in Firehawk Aerospace, a company that specialises in high-performance propulsion technology

#### Minister calls for Royal Navy warships to be more 'lethal

#### UK Defence Journal

James Heappey MP, Armed Forces Minister, has called on Royal Navy ships to be armed in a more lethal way