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At the core of "Make in India" mission is to involve our Scientists, Academia, Industry and independent Experts more closely in research and development.

SHRI NARENDRA MODI
Hon'ble Prime Minister of India

Market Overview

- The Indian Aerospace and defence (A&D) market is experiencing significant growth and is projected to reach around \$70 billion by 2030.
- This growth is driven by increased modernization of Defence services, government support.
- The government is encouraging private sector participation in the aerospace industry and Defence manufacturing. The Aerospace and other Defence sector in India involves building aircraft, ships, spacecraft, weapon systems and other defence equipment.
- This rapid growth in these sectors therefore is propelling the growth of the manufacturing of equipment of international quality as well as establishing technologically advanced manufacturing facilities.
- The Union budget for 2025 -26 envisaged an outlay of Rs. 6.81 Lakh Crore (US\$ 78.7 billion) representing an enhancement of 9.5% over than budget of 2024 - 2025.
- Annual defence production hit a record high of approx. Rs. 1.27 Lakh Crore (US\$ 15.34 billion) in FY 24 up by 16.7% from last year.
- Defence Exports crossed Rs.21,000 Crore (US\$ 2.43 billion) in CY 24 with a target of Rs. 50,000 Crore (US\$ 5.8 billion) by 2029.

About AEDEX 2026

AEDEX 2026, a premier Aerospace and defence Expo, will be held in Delhi, India.

This event is designed to bring together industry leaders, manufacturers, technology providers, government agencies, and research institutions from India and across the globe to showcase cutting-edge technologies, foster collaborations, and explore new business opportunities.

India's aerospace and defence sector is among the fastest-growing worldwide, driven by government initiatives like Make in India and Atmanirbhar Bharat that promote indigenous manufacturing, innovation, and export growth.

AEDEX 2026 will serve as a vital platform to accelerate this growth by connecting stakeholders across the entire aerospace and defence ecosystem.



Advantage India

- The Indian aerospace and defence market is projected to reach USD 70 billion by 2030, fuelled by modernization, technology adoption, and international partnerships.
- With the recent approval of the AMCA (Advanced Medium Combat Aircraft) project by the Government of India, the momentum for public-private partnerships in the defence sector has received a significant boost.
- This landmark initiative reaffirms India's commitment to technological self-reliance under the 'Atmanirbhar Bharat' mission and opens new avenues for collaboration between domestic and international players.
- Against this dynamic backdrop, AEDEX 2026 presents a timely and strategic platform to explore partnerships with India's leading defence organizations such as HAL (Hindustan Aeronautics Ltd.), BEL (Bharat Electronics Ltd.), BDL (Bharat Dynamics Ltd.), NAL (National Aerospace Laboratories) and DRDO (Defence Research and Development Organisation).



AEDEX & Airport Expo events launched by release of brochures in presence of Sushree Shobha Karandlaje, Hon'ble Minister of State for Labour & Employment and Minister of State for MSME, Govt. of India and other dignitaries at the SIATI's Annual Awards Function, on May 9th 2025, Bengaluru.

Who Should Participate

- Aerospace and defence manufacturers (large enterprises, MSMEs, Start-ups).
- Government defence agencies and armed forces decision makers.
- Technology providers specializing in AI, Robotics, Cyber Security, Avionics, Bio Technology and Materials.
- Research Organizations and Academic Institutions.
- Component and subsystem suppliers.
- Maintenance, Repair and Overhaul (MRO) service providers.
- Financial investors and institutions.
- Exporters and trade promotion bodies.

Why to Participate?

Brand Visibility: Showcase your capabilities to government officials, armed forces, industry leaders, and global buyers.

Business Development: Engage in B2B meetings, identify new clients, and explore joint ventures and export opportunities.

Networking: Connect with decision-makers and innovators from India, USA, France, UAE, Germany, Japan, Israel, Singapore, and more.

Technology Exposure: Present and learn about the latest advancements in aerospace manufacturing, defence systems, AI applications, and materials.

Knowledge Sharing: Participate in expert-led seminars and workshops to stay ahead of industry trends.

Government Engagement: Understand support schemes, indigenisation challenges, and policy updates from Ministries and Defence bodies.

Highlights of AEDEX

- Showcase of Global Excellence
- International Conferences & Knowledge Sessions
- International Pavilions
- Exclusive CEO's Forum
- Start-Up & Innovation Pavilion
- Strategic Networking Sessions

AEDEX 2026 is more than just an exhibition. It is a convergence point for cutting-edge defence technologies, policy-makers, and industry leaders.

Exhibitor Profile

- Defence Public Sector Undertakings
- DRDO and Affiliated R&D Laboratories
- MSMEs and Start-up Specializing in Aerospace Components and AI Technologies
- Private Defence manufacturers
- Engineering and process Companies (Casting, Forging, CNC Machining)
- Electronics and Avionics Firms
- Maintenance and Logistics Service Providers
- Academic and Research Institutions
- Aerospace Giants
- Defence Contractors and System Integrators
- AI and Robotics Technology Providers
- Advanced Materials and Composites Manufacturers
- Cyber Security Firms specializing in Defence Applications
- UAV and Autonomous Systems Companies
- Financial Institutions and Export Promotion Agencies

Visitor Profile

- Representatives from Defence Ministries
- Related State and Central Government Authorities
- International & National OEMs
- Country Delegations
- Space & Geospatial Industry Leaders
- Marine and Shipbuilding Industry Leaders
- Research & Development Professionals
- Technology Developers, Innovators & Startups
- Procurement & Supply Chain Professionals
- Sub-contractors, Suppliers, End Users & Buyers
- Consultants, Investors & Venture Capitalists



Participating Options

OPTION 1: Bare Space (inside AC Exhibition Hall)

Exhibitors can adopt design of their choice with approval of the organiser.

OPTION 2: Built-Up Octonorm Stall (inside AC Exhibition Hall)

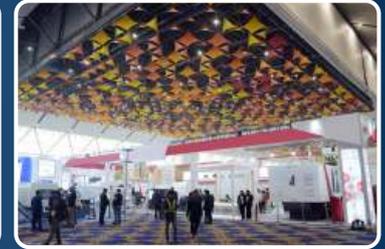
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Venue - Yashobhoomi

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Few Glimpses of our other related International Exhibitions



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About SIATI

Society of Indian Aerospace & defence Technologies and Industries (SIATI) was founded to bring together the various industries, R&D and other organizations in the country engaged in the field of aerospace on a common platform to provide interaction among themselves as well as with overseas industries/ organizations to enhance growth opportunities for all. SIATI an important 'Gateway' to Indian Aerospace business and Global co-operation for tie-up in R&D, Technology, Joint Ventures, Collaborations, Co-productions and information-exchange.

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