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5 – 8 December, 2023 on Virtual Platform

A Report





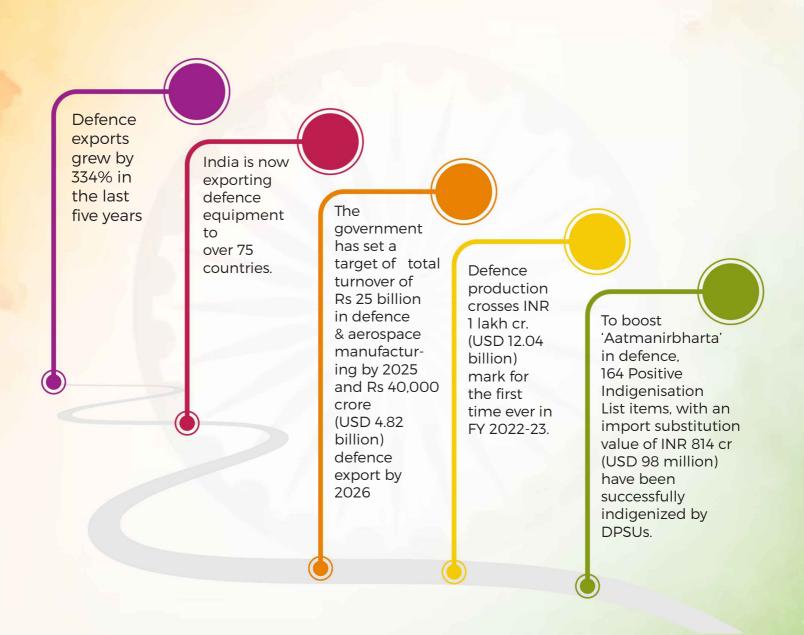
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Indian Defence Milestones





Why the event

The Four day webinar series with MSMEs | Defence Startups, Innovators & Enterpreneurs | Existing & Potential Vendors & Suppliers to Defence Sector | MSMEs seeking Defence Technologies | MSMEs exploring Export & International collaboration opportunities | Industry Professionals, Traders and Businesses was organised by EEPC India with EEPC India with support from the Ministry of Commerce and Industry and Ministry of Defence, Government of India

This was the Edition No 3 of MSME DefenseWeek from 5th to 8th December 2023, on Virtual Platform. (Visit: https://eepcvirtualexpo.com/msmedefence2023).

The event has emerged as one of the biggest virtual platform which witnesses engagement of over 30 speakers over the 4 days, and over 500 industry participants

Speaker profile comprised

Government Ministries, Defence PSUs from Land, Naval and Aerospace segments and Large Private sector manufacturers





Key Themes

Aatmanirbhar & Make in India vision	Funding Schemes in Technology transfer & collaborations
Policies for MSMEs in Defence Manufacturing and exports	International Defence diplomacy & Industry collaborations
DPSUs Vendor Development, Procurement & Sourcing Opportunities	Export opportunities

Discussion themes





FOUR-DAY PROGRAMME

Date	Time (IST)	Session	Session Name
5th Dec 2023,	11.00 am	Session I	Inauguration
5th Dec 2023,	3.00 pm	Session II	International Partnerships in Defence sector (Speakers from Overseas Missions in India and Indian Missions Overseas having Defence Partnerships with India)
6th Dec 2023	11.00 am	Session III	Sourcing Opportunities in Indian Naval & Shipbuilding Sector (MOS, GSL, GRSE, HSL)
6th Dec 2023	3.00 pm	Session IV	Souring Opportunities in Indian Defence PSUs in Aerospace & Defence Manufacturing (HAL, BEL, BDL, BEML, MIDHANI, MDL)
07th Dec 2023	11.00 am	Session V	Sourcing Opportunities in New Defence PSUs (Erstwhile OFB)
07th Dec 2023	3.00 pm	Session VI	Defence modernisation and Building Aatmanirbhar Bharat in Defence Sector
08th Dec 2023	11.00 am	Session VII	Encouraging MSMEs in Defence Exports: Make in India for the World
08th Dec 2023	3.00 pm	Session VIII	Technology Transfer Collaboration Opportunities for MSMEs in Defence Sector





THE SESSIONS

Inauguration



First row from left -

- Dr Samir V Kamat, Secy, Dept of Def R&D & Chairman, DRDO_India as the Chief Guest
- Mr Arun Kr Garodia, Chairman, EEPC India;

Second row from left-

- Mr Suranjan Gupta, Executive Director, EEPC India;
- Ms Pallavi Saha, Joint Director, EEPC India was also present



Session IInternational Partnerships in Defence sector



First row from left -

- Dr.Saroj Bishoyi, Research Fellow, Centre for Technology and Scientific Studies, Vivekananda International Foundation
- Lt Col Taposh Munjal, Associate Director, Aerospace and Defence, KPMG India

Second row from left-

- Mr. Balpreet Singh, Sr. Consultant, Aerospace and Defence, E&Y India
- Captain Shiv Kumar, Defence Attache, Embassy of India, Jakarta, Indonesia

- Mr Arun Shukla, Dy Regional Chairman (NR), EEPC India
- Mr Mayank Krishna, Sr Assistant Director, EEPC India



Session II

Sourcing Opportunities in Indian Naval & Shipbuilding Sector (MOS, GSL, GRSE, HSL)



First row from left -

- Mr. D. Subbarao, General Manager Commercial, Hindustan Shipyard Ltd. (HSL)
- Mr. Hareram Singh, General Manager (Materials), Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders Ltd. (MDS)

Second row from left-

- Ms. Asmita Priolkar, Senior Manager (Purchase), Purchase-Engg, Commercial Dept, Goa Shipyard Ltd. (GSL)
- Mr. B.D. Agarwal, Regional Chairman (Eastern Region), EEPC India

Third row from left-

Mr Vibhanshu Chaturvedi, Project Coordinator, EEPC India



Session III

Sourcing Opportunities in Indian Defence PSUs in Aerospace and Defence Manufacturing



First row from left -

- Mr T Siva Kumar, Assistant Manager (Vendor Development), Bharat Earth Movers Ltd. (BEML)
- Mr Pervez Ahmad, Assistant General Manager, DABG, Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd. (BHEL)

Second row from left-

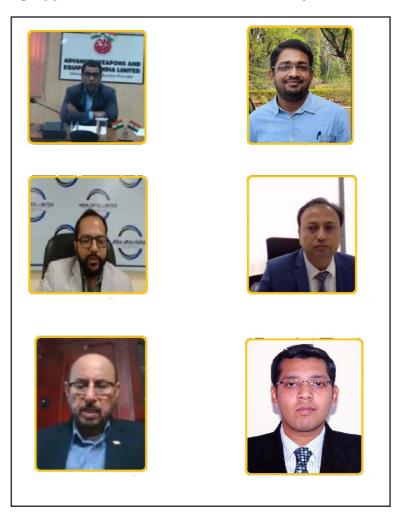
- Mr Vijay Kumar Raju, Sr Manager, (Indigenization), Hindustan Aeronautics Ltd (HAL)
- Capt. Vishal Kanwar (Retd), Managing Director, Aerospace and Defence, PricewaterhouseCoopers International Limited

- Mr. Rohinton R. Engineer, Deputy Regional Chairman (Western Region), EEPC India
- Mr Vibhanshu Chaturvedi, Project Coordinator, EEPC India



Session IV

Sourcing Opportunities in New Defence PSUs (Erstwhile OFB)



First row from left -

- Mr. J P Yadav, General Manager, Advanced Weapons & Equipment India Ltd. (AWEIL)
- Mr. C R Sandeep, Deputy General Manager (Operations), Armoured Vehicles Nigam Ltd. (AVNL)

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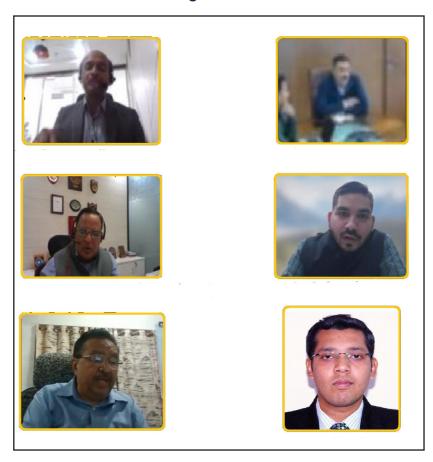
- Mr. Raghav Gupta, Deputy General Manager (Materials Management), India Optel Ltd. (IOL)
- Mr. Shailesh Vagerwal, IOFS, General Manager, Munitions India Ltd. (MIL)

- Mr Ravi Sehgal, Former Chairman, EEPC India
- Mr Vibhanshu Chaturvedi, Project Coordinator, EEPC India



Session V

Defence Modernisation and Building AatmaNirbhar Bharat in Defence Sector



First row from left -

- Wg. Cdr. P. Madhusoodhanan, Vice President, Tamil Nadu Industrial Development Corporation Ltd. (TIDCO)
- Col. Sanjay Singh, Chief General Manager, (Defence Industrial Corridor), Uttar Pradesh Expressways Industrial Development Authority (UPEIDA)

Second row from left-

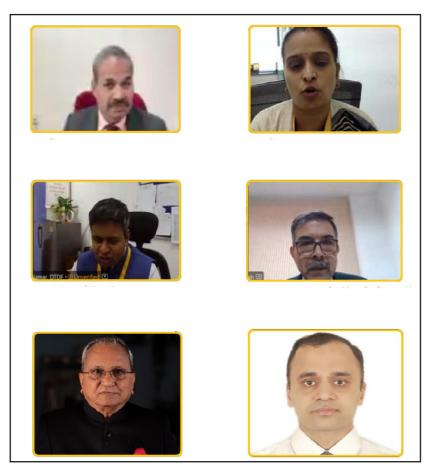
- Commodore B K Munjal VSM (Retd), Defence Advisor, Government e Marketplace (GeM)
- Mr. Animesh Singh, Defence and Aerospace Team, Invest India

- Mr Binod Kumar Sarda, Dy Regional Chairman (ER), EEPC India
- Mr Vibhanshu Chaturvedi, Project Coordinator, EEPC India



Session VI

Encouraging MSMEs in Defence Exports: Make in India for the World



First row from left -

- Dr Vivek Raghav, Scientist F, Additional Director, Directorate of Industry Interface & Technology Management (DIITM), DRDO
- Ms. Sunita Yadav, OSD, Exports Promotion Cell, Department of Defense Production, Ministry of Defence, Government of India

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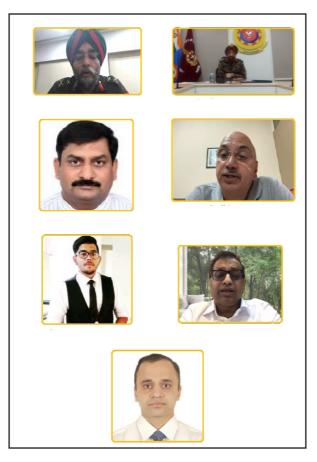
- Mr. Shiv Kumar, Additional Director, Directorate of TDF, DRDO
- Col (Dr.) Rajneesh Singh (Retd), Research Fellow, Manohar Parrikar-Institute of Defense Studies and Analyses, IDSA (Second

- Mr. Mahesh Desai, Immediate Past Chairman, EEPC India
- Mr Mayank Krishna, Sr Assistant Director, EEPC India



Session VI

Technology Transfer Collaboration Opportunities for MSMEs in Defence Sector



First row from left -

- Maj. Gen. CS Mann, VSM, ADG, Army Design Bureau (Industry), Ministry of Defence, Government of India
- Lt. Gen R S Reen, DG, Directorate General of Quality Assurance, Department of Defence Production, Ministry of Defence, Government of India

Second row from left-

- Mr. Arjun Kumar, Additional Director, Directorate of TDF, DRDO
- Dr. Sudhir Kamath, Director, DIA-RCoE (Defence Industry Academia Raman Centre of Excellence), Indian Institute of Science (IISc)

Third row from left-

- Mr. Amarjeet Singh, Program Executive, Defence Innovation Organization (DIO)
- Mr. Anupam Shah, Former Chairman & Chairman EEPC India Committee on Technology upgradation

Fourth row from left-

Mr Mayank Krishna, Sr Assistant Director, EEPC India





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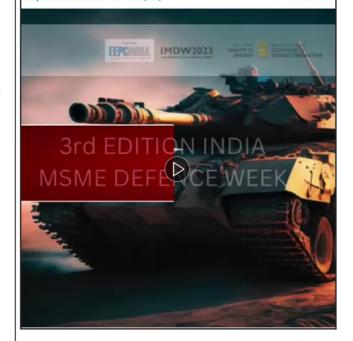


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