

SIDA DEFENCE EXPO 2026

FROM SUCCESS TO GREATER OPPORTUNITIES

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SOUTH INDIAN DEFENCE SUPPLIERS AND STARTUPS ASSOCIATION

25 & 26 SEPTEMBER 2026

10:00 AM TO 06:00 PM

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From Success to Greater Opportunities Dear Industry Leaders, Innovators, MSMEs, Startups & Defence Stakeholders, After the success of SIDA Defence Expo 2025, SIDA (South Indian Defence Suppliers and startups Association) proudly presents SIDA Defence Expo 2026 - a premier platform for innovation, collaboration, and indigenous defence manufacturing. Building on strong participation and impactful partnerships, the 2026 edition offers expanded opportunities to showcase technologies, explore business growth, and strengthen India's defence ecosystem. Join us in advancing India's journey towards Defence Self-Reliance.

BUILDING A STRONGER, SELF-RELIANT INDIA



HIGHLIGHTS OF SIDA DEFENCE EXPO 2025

- Successful Three Day Defence & Aerospace Exhibition
- Participation from Defence OEMs, MSMEs and Startups
- Product Demonstrations and Technology Showcases
- Industry-Academia Interaction Sessions
- Business Networking and Partnership Opportunities
- Defence Manufacturing Awareness Programs
- Positive Response from Industry Stakeholders
- Valuable B2B and B2G Engagements

SIDA DEFENCE EXPO 2026

- ★ BIGGER EXHIBITION
- ★ MORE EXHIBITORS
- ★ MORE BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES
- ★ MORE NETWORKING
- ★ MORE INNOVATION

FOCUS SECTORS

- Defence Manufacturing
- Aerospace Technologies
- UAV & Drone Systems
- Defence Electronics
- Artificial Intelligence
- Robotics & Automation
- Cyber Security
- Precision Engineering
- Advanced Materials
- Export Opportunities



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★ DAY 1 AGENDA

📅 25 SEPTEMBER 2026

- 👤 09:00 AM • Registration & Networking
- 👤 10:00 AM • Inaugural Ceremony
- 👤 10:30 AM • Welcome Address
- 👤 11:00 AM • Chief Guest Address
- 👤 11:45 AM • India's Defence Manufacturing Vision
- 👤 12:30 PM • Panel Discussion:
Atmanirbhar Bharat & Defence Indigenization
- 🍴 01:15 PM • Lunch & Networking
- 🛒 02:00 PM • Defence Procurement Opportunities for MSMEs
- 🚚 02:45 PM • Supply Chain & Vendor Development
- 🚀 03:30 PM • Startup Innovation Showcase
- 🤝 04:15 PM • OEM-MSME Partnership Session
- 📅 05:00 PM • B2B Meetings & Exhibition Visit

DAY 1 FOCUS

Connecting Defence OEMs,
MSMEs, Startups, Academia
and Government Agencies
for collaboration and growth.



100+
EXHIBITORS



5000+
VISITORS



B2B & B2G
MEETINGS



BUSINESS
GROWTH

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★ DAY 2 AGENDA

26 SEPTEMBER 2026

- 10:00 AM • Opening Remarks
- 10:30 AM • Artificial Intelligence in Defence
- 11:15 AM • Cyber Security & Defence Infrastructure
- 12:00 PM • Future Warfare Technologies
- 12:45 PM • Defence Export Opportunities
- 01:30 PM • Lunch & Networking
- 02:15 PM • Technology Demonstrations
- 03:00 PM • Industry-Academia Collaboration
- 03:45 PM • Defence Startup Success Stories
- 04:30 PM • Awards & Recognition Ceremony
- 05:00 PM • Valedictory Session
- 05:30 PM • Vote of Thanks & Closing Ceremony

WHY PARTICIPATE?

EXHIBITORS



- ▶ Showcase Products & Technologies
- ▶ Meet Defence Buyers
- ▶ Generate Business Leads
- ▶ Build Strategic Partnerships

VISITORS



- ▶ Explore Emerging Technologies
- ▶ Meet Industry Experts
- ▶ Attend Knowledge Sessions
- ▶ Discover Business Opportunities

STARTUPS & MSMEs



- ▶ Present Innovations
- ▶ Connect with OEMs
- ▶ Meet Investors
- ▶ Explore Defence Market Opportunities

EVENT DETAILS



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