

CENJOWS hosts MRSAM-India Eco-System Summit 2.0

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The Centre for Joint Warfare Studies (CENJOWS), in collaboration with Aerospace Services India (ASI) and Israel Aerospace Industries (IAI), successfully hosted the Medium-Range Surface-to-Air Missile (MRSAM) India Eco-System Summit 2.0 at the Manekshaw Centre, New Delhi on May 07, 2025. The day-long summit brought together key stakeholders from India's defence eco-system, highlighting collaborative achievements and future possibilities in enhancing the country's air & missile defence capabilities under the *Aatmanirbhar Bharat* and *Make-in-India* initiatives.

The event witnessed participation from senior representatives of the Ministry of Defence (MoD), Armed Forces, DRDO, Bharat Electronics Limited, Bharat Dynamics Limited, and leading Indian defence manufacturers. The participants voiced a shared commitment to elevate India's position as a global hub for advanced defence systems, with ASI reaffirming its vision to become India's premier defence service provider.

The inaugural session was presided over by senior MoD officials and addressed by key industry leaders, focusing on the growing synergy between Indian and Israeli defence sectors. Key sessions of the summit included:

- Panel discussions on operational readiness and self-reliance in missile systems.
- Technology showcases featuring AI-powered service management systems like STORMS developed by ASI.
- Industry interactions on building India's long-term capability in indigenous defence manufacturing.

The summit emphasised the achievements of ASI-IAI's wholly-owned Indian subsidiary, which plays a critical role in providing technical representation, life-cycle support, and local manufacturing for the MRSAM system and its associated subsystems such as the BARAK 8 missile and Air Defence Fire Control Radar. It underscored the importance of establishing a resilient and future-ready air defence infrastructure through sustained collaboration, capability development, and localised innovation.

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