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Regional Reports

Royal Norwegian Air Force



The "Luftforsvaret" is in the process of replacing its F-16 AM fleet with 62 F-35A, and the LYNX Mk. 86 naval helicopters (operated by the Air Force) are subject to replacement by NH90 aircraft. The article looks at equipment, organisation and tasks.

Franco-German Defence Cooperation

MALE RPAS, A400M, C130J, NH90, TIGER, COBRA are prominent examples of current Franco-German armament cooperation efforts. Against the background of the PESCO credo the article considers achievements and perspectives.



The Belgian Fighter Competition



To replace its ageing fleet of F-16 AM/BM combat aircraft the Belgian Air force is evaluating competitive bids from Lockheed Martin and Eurofighter. With 34 aircraft planned the programme is estimated to reach a volume of €3.7 billion.

Other subjects include:

- Defence and Security in Greece
- Canadian Naval Update
- Defence Industry in Spain
- The UK's Type 31e Surface combatants

Sea

Capital Ship Programmes

With Type 26, Type 31e and the QUEEN ELIZABETH Class carriers in the UK, FREMM and PPA in France and/or Italy, F125 and MKS180 in Germany, the joint Belgian/Dutch frigate requirement and the F110 project in Spain the European naval industry is quite busy in response to requirements for capital surface combatants. A survey.



Other subjects include:

- Lightweight and Heavy Torpedos
- Naval Optronics
- The All-Electric Ship Programme Subject to Modification

Joint Forces/Land

European Tank Numbers



The article analyses the current state of European armour based on real data and interprets that data to present a picture of European tank fleets including MBTs, artillery pieces and armoured combat vehicles.

Shotguns for Military and Police Forces

In anticipation and to mark the forthcoming Shot Show in Las Vegas ESD presents a survey and analysis of recent and latest developments of shotguns for police and military applications.



Thermal Sights for Small Arms



Thermal imaging technology has reached such a level of sophistication that its implementation and use practically allows for around-the-clock employment of small-calibre weapons. Solutions and perspectives.

Vehicles for Special Operations Forces

Special Operations Forces (SOF) are by definition highly versatile and qualified to operate a wide variety of equipment including general and specialised vehicles ranging from ultra-light manoeuvrable dirt-bikes and ATVs/UTVs to armoured gun platforms.



Casualty Treatment



With European and friendly forces deployed in crisis areas in the Middle East and Africa, casualty treatment in theatre has become an issue of priority. The article considers concepts, dedicated equipment and requirements.

Border Protection Resources

The scope of equipment items deployed and suggested to secure and control frontiers and borderlines is manifold ranging from lighting, cameras, different sensors through to unmanned aerial systems and weaponry. The article discusses border protection requirements and looks at current programmes.

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