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# Italian Army updates its own air defence capability



An overview of Italian Army's Artiglieria Contraerei (Anti-Aircraft Artillery) capability resulting from a long conversation with its Commander, Brig. Gen. Giuseppe Amodio. The analysis starts with a historical excursus, then the focus shifts on the developments of the following key sectors: V-SHORAD, anti-drones, SHORAD, and MRAD/LRAD. The article delves into all the new systems being procured: from the anti-drone MANPADS to the new V-SHORAD-IT missile, from GRIFO to SAMP/T NG.

### New trends in the transport aircraft sector



A study on the recent evolution among the transport aircraft, both tactical and logistic, and on the new aircraft for in-flight refuelling.

# Analysis: The vision of Italian Army's Chief of the Staff



A brief analysis by Gen. Carmine Masiello about his vision, from now to three years, of the EI (Esercito Italiano: Italian Army) in the near future.

#### M-346 Block 20 Leonardo trainer's evolution

The article delves into the new M-346 evolutions, in both its training (M-346T Block 20), and combat (M-346F Block 20) versions, starting from the new, large touchscreen-equipped cockpit.

#### The future SAN MARCO Brigade



The new look of the Italian SAN MARCO Marine Brigade: with its unmanned systems (UAV, UGV, and UUV), loitering munition, C-UAV systems and the VBA (from Veicolo Blindato Anfibio: Amphibious Armoured Vehicle) entering the service.