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European frigates: the multi-mission frigates programmes

An overview of the main European programmes for the multi-mission frigates: these are naval ships featuring a balanced mix of AA, ASW and anti-surface capabilities. This article, following and completing the one RID published last month, analyses the programmes currently carried out by France, Greece, UK, Poland, Spain and Germany.

Anti-hypersonic defence

The latest developments in the field of the missile systems designed to counter the hypersonic missiles (glide HGV, cruise, or HCM): this meaning to counter one among the most recent and dangerous threats. An overview of the most important systems in service or being developed.

A 120/55 mm gun and a VULCANO 120 ammunition from Leonardo



Leonardo presented to a small group of selected journalists its latest developments in the field of MBT's artillery. Specifically, they are the new smooth-bore, 120/55 mm gun, and the VULCANO 120 mm guided ammunition, specially designed for the above gun. The article thoroughly analyses these weapons, due to equip the new Italian Army's I-MBT.

The naval MUM-T



This extensive article analyses the naval Manned Un-Manned Teaming (or Crewed UnCrewed Taming, with a focus on the different solutions being studied. The Author presents the possible doctrines and applications.

ARIS and BRONCO



A report from the ARIS company based at Lombardore (near Turin) and specialised in the land vehicles sector. The company can boast collabora-

tions with many national and international major players, and has knowledge and capabilities ranging from the design and production of brand new vehicles, to modification and upgrade of existing vehicles and systems, until MRO activities. Furthermore, the article also deals with the BULLTRACK/BRONCO 3 snow tracked articulated vehicle ARIS presented, with Leonardo, to compete for an Italian Army requirement for the procurement of 450 vehicles (plus options) intended to equip the Alpine/Arctic Brigades.