



Rosoboronexport Reports 30-plus Spacecraft of 14 Countries Put into Orbit

Rosoboronexport, a member of Rostec, is going to mount a vigorous marketing campaign at the International Aviation and Space Show MAKS-2017 to promote space products and services.

“Rosoboronexport offers a wide range of space services. We broker contracts between Russian space companies and foreign customers for development and launching of spacecraft designed for various roles. Besides, we implement contracts for production of ground-based spacecraft control systems, as well as data receiving and processing stations communicating with observation satellites. Foreign customers are supplied with map products incorporating orbital survey data, while specialists from partner nations are trained in thematic earth remote sensing data processing and analysis,” explained Director General Alexander Mikheev of Rosoboronexport.

Foreign customers are very particular about quality of space products and services, thus working with them boosts competitiveness of Russian enterprises, which ultimately translates into improvements of equipment for domestic market. Additionally, foreign trade has positive financial impact on space industry, contributes to its stability and demand for the products.

“The special arms exporter has had a hand in putting into orbit 30-plus spacecraft of 14 countries, including Great Britain, Germany, Italy, China, Norway, Sweden, and the European Space Agency,” added Alexander Mikheev.

The most prominent projects that have been implemented since Rosoboronexport inception and bear its footprint are launches of:

- Satellites from Sea Launch's platforms in the interest of the Republic of Korea, Italy, and the U.S.,
- Five SAR-Lupe Earth remote sensing military spacecraft (Germany) from the Plesetsk cosmodrome,
- Four communications satellites in the interest of Australia (Intelsat-22), the UAE (Yahsat-1B), Canada (Anik G1), and Turkey (Turksat-4A) from Baikonur.

Moreover, Rosoboronexport's contracts resulted in 15-plus civil spacecraft getting into sun-synchronous orbits by small-lift launch vehicles.



the international market. Its share in Russia's military exports exceeds 85 percent. Rosoboronexport cooperates with more than 700 enterprises and organizations in the Russian defence industrial complex. Russia maintains military technical cooperation with more than 70 countries around the world.

Rostec State Corporation is a Russian corporation that was established in 2007 to facilitate the development, production and export of high-tech industrial products designed for civilian and military applications. The Corporation comprises over 700 organizations that are currently part of 11 holding companies operating in the military-industrial complex and 3 holding companies working in civilian industry, as well as 80 directly managed organizations. Rostec's portfolio includes well-known brands such as AVTOVAZ, KAMAZ, Kalashnikov Concern, Russian Helicopters, VSMPO AVISMA, UralVagonZavod, etc. Rostec companies are located in 60 constituent entities of the Russian Federation and supply products to more than 70 countries. In 2016, the consolidated revenue of Rostec amounted to 1 trillion 266 billion rubles, while the consolidated net income and EBITDA amounted to 88 and 268 billion rubles respectively. In 2016, the average salary in the Corporation was 44,000 rubles. According to Rostec strategy, the main objective of the Corporation is to ensure that Russia has a technological advantage in highly competitive global markets. Rostec's key objectives include the introduction of a new techno-economic paradigm and the digitalization of the Russian economy.

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