

# NATO INDUSTRY FORUM & NIAG

## LISBON, PORTUGAL OCTOBER 21-23 2015



- Opening : Portuguese Minister of Defence; NATO Deputy Sec Gen.; SACT; CEO Finmeccanica
- Panel 1: Building Opportunities: EU; Portuguese Parliament; Industry; Military; North Atlantic Council
- Panel 2: Building Stronger Relationships: NATO Def Investments; EU; Industry; US AT&L
- Panel 3: Building the Future Today: SACT; Industry; French Armament Directorate; NATO Science & Tech; Institute for European Studies



### Day 1

- Attendance by 28 + Partners
- Update NATO Developments
- Support to CNAD
- National Presentations

Day 2: NIAG Plenary Session

Day 3: Tour of Portuguese military displays

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## INDUSTRY FORUM TAKEAWAYS

- Soviet actions drive NATO response
  - Eastern / Southern Flank
- EU Clearly Evaluating “**EUROPE ONLY**”
  - Creates US / NATO / EU Friction
  - EU political stakeholders
- EU Industry = Same Issues as US Industry
- NATO bureaucracy remains major ***hurdle to timely action***



## NIAG TAKEAWAYS

- DASG (DI) summarized recent Defense Ministers Meeting (***Russia***)
- ***Warsaw Summit July 2016***
- NIAG self examination
  - Industry input has clearly made difference
  - Studies inform – is that enough?
  - How to proceed / most impactful action(s)?