

UKRAINE DEFENCE INDUSTRY COMPACT

«Building the Alliance of Defence Industries»

Our aim

The aim of this compact is to build the alliance of defence industries and re-enforce the defence industry community's support of Ukraine's effort to build a strong domestic defence industry integrated into the security framework of the EU and NATO and work on the ambition of building the arsenal of the free world together.

Our commitment

By signing this compact we commit to support strengthening of Ukraine's short-term military capacity and resilience and long-term deterrence capability building and future force design planning, plus strengthening of Ukraine's military and industrial base with activities including but not limited to:

1. Enabling Ukraine to grow its weapons and ammunition production capability to meet the needs of its Defence Forces to achieve Victory in its war for freedom and independence in the shortest time possible.
2. Partnering with Ukraine-based companies to develop and manufacture best-in-class weapons and ammunition locally and assisting Ukraine with its objective of becoming a world-class weapons manufacturer and exporter of Defence products. Selected priorities include main battle tanks, infantry fighting vehicles, artillery and air defence systems, ammunition and DefenceTech solutions.
3. Supporting Ukraine-wide development and economic growth via establishing presence and investing in local capability, knowledge and expertise sharing, R&D and education collaboration, where possible and in line with business objectives.

Core principles

We will adhere to three core principles in supporting long-term deterrence building and reconstruction of Ukraine:

1. **Acting responsibly** and reinforcing responsible business practices, aligned with international standards, including adherence to applicable legislation, support and respect of human rights, equitable and inclusive practices and prevention of corruption;
2. **Implementing best practice corporate governance** and working to identify areas where compact signatories and Ukrainian defence companies and organizations can share capabilities and promote best practice governance in a mutually beneficial way;
3. **Respecting all applicable sanctions legislation and regulations.**

Signed by _____ holding a position of _____
being duly authorized and acting on behalf of _____.

Date: _____

Signature: _____

