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The ground-based tactical air defence system MEADS (Medium Extended Air Defence System) provides troop protection during out-of-area missions, protection of NATO territory and homeland defence, and international crisis management support.

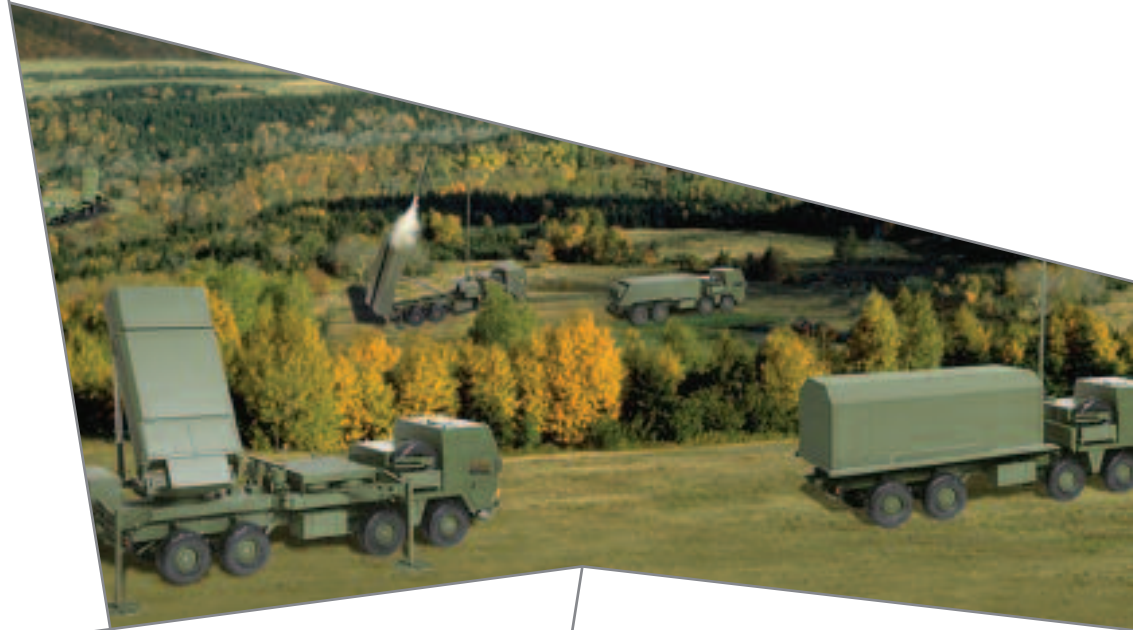
Equipped with 360° radars, a state-of-the-art tactical operations centre and with “hit-to-kill” missiles, the system is operationally capable of covering the entire threat suite, including cruise missiles and tactical ballistic missiles.

It is developed jointly by the United States, Germany and Italy. The development phase for the future tactical air defence system started in 2004. In 2009 the Critical Design Reviews (CDR) for the Major End Items were completed. The final CDR on Systems Level was in August 2010 successfully completed. The programme is implemented by MEADS International Inc., a joint venture between euroMEADS (LFK and MBDA IT) and Lockheed Martin.

- Superior battlefield capabilities
- Reduced life cycle costs
- Unprecedented flexibility
- Interoperability

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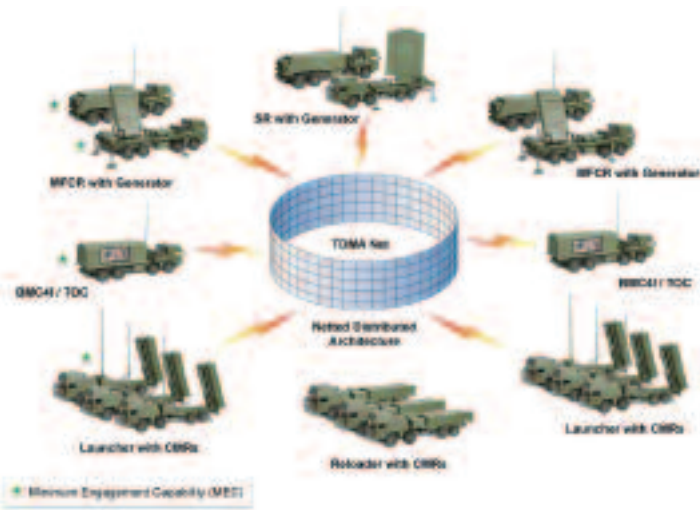
- 360-degree capability
- High precision against weapons of mass destruction
- Strategic transportability (C 130, A 400M)
- Tactical mobility
- Entire threat suite covered

Reduced life cycle costs

Unprecedented flexibility

- Netted and distributed BMC4I
- Plug-and-fight capability
- Tailored/scalable battle elements

Interoperability



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◀ Multi Function
Fire Control Radar MEADS (MFCR)

MEADS Launcher ▶



▶ PAC 3 MSE



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