

Press release

Liebherr and HAL sign Memorandum of Understanding

Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL) and Liebherr signed a Memorandum of Understanding that lays the basis for future strategic cooperations in the field of on-board systems for HAL's current and future aircraft programs.

Toulouse (France), April 2022 – Within the frame of the agreement, Indian aircraft manufacturer HAL and OEM Liebherr-Aerospace will cooperate to identify and define the best solutions for HAL's fixed-wing and rotary-wing aircraft in landing gears, actuation, air management, and power conversion systems.

This Memorandum of Understanding is a great additional step in the collaboration between HAL and Liebherr that dates back several decades. Together with the strengthening of Liebherr-Aerospace's presence in India, the signature of the contract will enable the acceleration of additional joint projects between HAL and Liebherr.

About Liebherr-Aerospace & Transportation

Liebherr-Aerospace & Transportation SAS, Toulouse (France), is one of eleven divisional control companies within the Liebherr Group and coordinates all activities in the aerospace and transportation systems sectors.

Liebherr-Aerospace is a leading supplier of systems for the aviation industry and has more than six decades of experience in this field. The range of aviation equipment produced by Liebherr for the civil and defense sectors includes flight control and actuation systems, gears and gearboxes, landing gear and air management systems as well as electronics. These systems are deployed in wide-bodied aircraft, single aisle and regional aircraft, business jets, defense aircraft, defense transporters, defense training aircraft and civil and defense helicopters.

Liebherr's aerospace and transportation systems division employs around 6,000 people. It has four aviation equipment production plants at Lindenberg (Germany), Toulouse (France), Guaratinguetá (Brazil) and Nizhny Novgorod (Russia). These production sites offer a worldwide service with additional customer service centers in Saline (Michigan/USA), Seattle (Washington/USA), Montreal (Canada), Hamburg (Germany), Moscow (Russia), Dubai (UAE), Bangalore (India), Singapore and Shanghai (People's Republic of China).

About the Liebherr Group

The Liebherr Group is a family-run technology company with a highly diversified product portfolio. The company is one of the largest construction equipment manufacturers in the world. It also provides high-quality and user-oriented products and services in a wide range of other areas. The Liebherr Group includes over 140 companies across all continents. In 2021, it employed around 49,000 staff and achieved combined revenues of over 11.6 billion euros. Liebherr was founded in Kirchdorf an der Iller in Southern Germany in 1949. Since then, the employees have been pursuing the goal of achieving continuous technological innovation, and bringing industry-leading solutions to its customers.

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Arup Chatterjee, Board Member and Director Engineering and R&D of HAL, and Nicolas Bonleux, Managing Director and Chief Commercial Officer of Liebherr-Aerospace & Transportation SAS, shake hands after the signature of the MoU.

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