

## Press release

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# ADM Sevilla 2026 confirms record participation with 315 companies from 30 countries

With just 10 days to go before the event, ADM Sevilla 2026 has already confirmed the participation of 315 companies from 30 countries, including a strong international presence among contractors, 57% of whom come from abroad, further reinforcing the event's global profile.

For the first time, the event will also feature two dedicated areas focused on startups and universities, alongside the launch of a new "Student Day" initiative bringing together more than 200 students, academic institutions and companies from the aerospace, space and defence sectors.

Companies wishing to attend can still register via the official website [www.admsevilla.com/es](http://www.admsevilla.com/es) and follow the latest event updates on social media using the hashtag #ADMSevilla26.

As Aerospace & Defense Meetings – ADM Sevilla 2026 prepares to open its doors at FIBES Seville from 19 to 21 May, the event is already shaping up to be a record-breaking edition, having surpassed participation figures from all previous editions held since 2012.

Spain's leading aerospace business convention and the largest event of its kind in Southern Europe, ADM Sevilla 2026 has already confirmed the participation of 315 companies from 30 countries across four continents. Organised by the Regional Ministry of Economy, Finance, European Funds and Social Dialogue, through Andalucía TRADE, together with BCI Aerospace, the event continues to strengthen its international profile and strategic position within the global aerospace industry.

Of the registered companies, 279 will exhibit within more than 7,000 square metres of exhibition space, which reached full capacity several weeks ahead of the event. Compared with the same period ahead of the previous edition, this represents a 19% increase in registered companies, a 29% increase in exhibitors and a 15% rise in international participation, with nearly half of exhibitors coming from abroad.

ADM Sevilla plays a key role in supporting the internationalisation of the Andalusian and Spanish aerospace industry while attracting foreign industrial investment to the region. The international dimension of the event is further reflected by the participation of major contractors, with 57% of the nearly 50 registered OEMs coming from foreign markets, alongside a strong international presence among sponsors and partners.



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### Strong industry and institutional support

ADM Sevilla 2026 is organised by the Regional Ministry of Economy, Finance, European Funds and Social Dialogue, through Andalucía TRADE, in partnership with BCI Aerospace, a specialist in international aerospace business conventions. Airbus, Europe's leading aerospace manufacturer, participates as the event's main partner.

The event is also supported by major national and international companies including Aciturri Aerostructures as Platinum Sponsor, and Pilatus Aircraft, Akkodis, Capgemini, Sofitec, Turboco Española, Aerotecnic and GSC (Grupo Sevilla Control) as Gold Sponsors, reinforcing a high-level ecosystem focused on industrial excellence and innovation.

In addition, ADM Sevilla benefits from the institutional support of key organisations within the Spanish aerospace ecosystem, including TEDAE (Spanish Association of Defence, Security, Aeronautics and Space Technology Companies), Andalucía Aerospace, the Spanish Space Agency (AEE) and CATEC – Advanced Center for Aerospace Technologies.

### Innovation, talent and emerging technologies

As a major new feature for 2026, ADM Sevilla will strengthen its focus on innovation and emerging technologies through the launch of the AeroLabs pavilion, a dedicated space for startups and innovative companies within the aerospace ecosystem. The initiative aims to foster collaboration, support entrepreneurship and connect emerging players with key industry stakeholders in a sector increasingly driven by technological transformation and high-value innovation.

The AeroLabs pavilion will bring together eight companies from Spain, France, Belgium and India, including Axirium Aerospace, Fabheads Automation, Cuantico Innovation, Dovetail Electric Aviation, Halo Space Flight, Outrigo International, Coexpair Dynamics and TotalEnergies Marketing France. These companies are developing solutions in strategic areas such as sustainable aviation, advanced composite materials, industrial automation and aerospace digitalisation.

ADM Sevilla 2026 will also reinforce its commitment to talent development and education through the introduction of a dedicated universities pavilion and the organisation of its first-ever Student Day, taking place on 21 May. The initiative will bring together more than 200 students, universities and companies from the aerospace, space and defence sectors, creating opportunities for direct interaction between academia and industry.

The universities area will host seven Andalusian academic and student organisations, including ARUS, Vantus (University of Seville), Córdoba Racing Team, ADA-ITS, Coheteros (ETSI University of Seville), Asociación Fycus and I.E.S. San José de la Rinconada. The programme will also include conferences, technical workshops and



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networking activities focused on employment opportunities, skills development and the future needs of the aerospace industry.

### A high-level conference programme

ADM Sevilla 2026 will feature an extensive conference programme comprising 12 panels focused on the major challenges and opportunities facing the aerospace and defence industries, including sustainable aviation, space, innovation, defence and cyber defence.

Throughout the event, industry experts and executives from leading organisations such as Airbus, Moeve, ITP Aero, GMV and Akkodis will discuss disruptive technologies in sustainable aviation, Europe's evolving defence landscape, technological sovereignty in the space sector and the future role of Andalusia and Spain in aerospace development.

Particular attention will also be given to talent attraction, digital transformation and technological security as key drivers for the future of the sector. Sessions will explore topics such as generative artificial intelligence, digital twins, legal and regulatory challenges, and the growing importance of cybersecurity across critical infrastructure and supply chains. The programme will also address the increasing role of drones in current conflicts.

With this multidisciplinary approach, ADM Sevilla 2026 further strengthens its position as one of Europe's leading forums for innovation, investment and collaboration across the aerospace and defence industries.

### Registered companies from 30 countries

Registration for ADM Sevilla 2026 remains open via the official website [www.admsevilla.com/es](http://www.admsevilla.com/es)

. As in previous editions, the event organised by Andalucía TRADE will be co-funded by the European Union under the Andalusia ERDF Operational Programme 2021–2027, with up to 85% EU contribution, or through any other European programme eligible to support this initiative.

To date, a total of 315 aerospace companies from 30 countries across four continents have registered for ADM Sevilla 2026, including 279 exhibitors. The event has also confirmed the participation of 49 original equipment manufacturers (OEMs), of which 28 are international and 21 Spanish.

International OEMs come from 19 countries, including Australia, Brazil, Chile, China, the United States, the United Arab Emirates, France, India, Italy, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, the United Kingdom, the Czech Republic, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey and Ukraine. As with the exhibiting companies, the majority of Spanish contractors are based in Andalusia and Madrid.



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