Australian Government Initiatives in the Aerospace Industry

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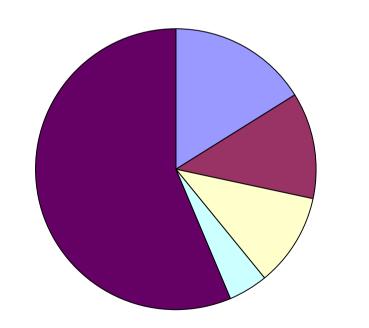


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Australian Aerospace Industry



- Boeing Australia 16.2%
- BAE Systems 12.2%
- □ Australian Aerospace Ltd 10.7%
- ☐ Hawker Pacific 4.6%
- Other 56.3%



National Innovation System

- Defence Science and Technology Organisation (DSTO)
- Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation (CSIRO)
- The Cooperative Research Centres Program (CRCs)





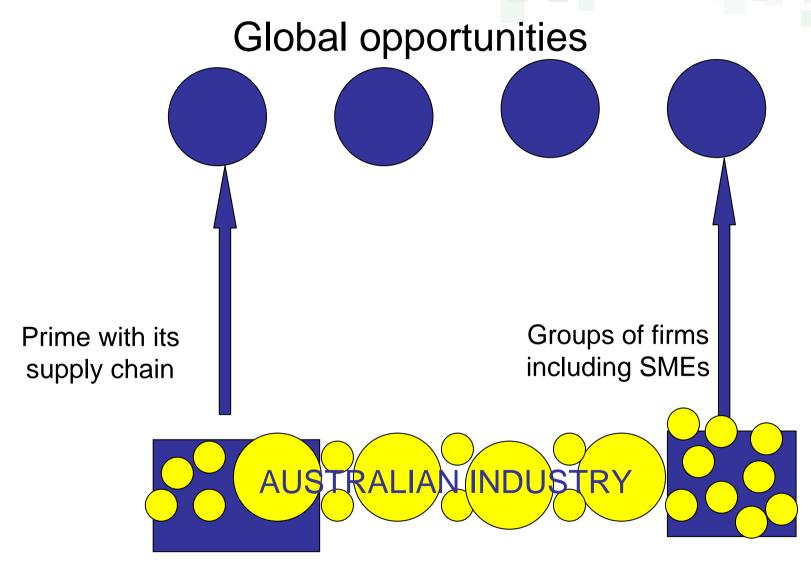
Australian Hypersonics Initiative



HyShot II launch 30 July 2002, Chris Stacey, The University of Queensland





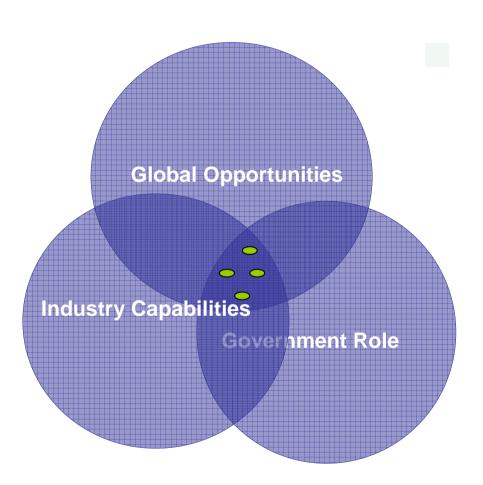






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Australian Aerospace Industry Action Agenda

- Fostering industry development through active participation
- Open dialogue between government and industry
- Setting new strategic directions







Joint Strike Fighter Project

Objectives:

- Ensuring fair access to contracts
- Proactive marketing of industry as a group
- Leveraging off defence contacts
- Focusing on key capabilities





Strategic Investment Incentive

- Grant of \$12.5 million by the Commonwealth Government
- Project valued at \$4 billion
- 220 high technology jobs created
- Additional flow-on work for industry



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Extending Aircraft Life



- Identifying an existing capability
- Creating an Industry Capability Team (ICT)
- Marketing the capability off shore





International Collaboration

- Defence and Industry Policy
- Leveraging Government relationships and contracts
- To ensure fair and equal participation for Australian industry





Conclusion

Facilitation and collaboration leading to global integration.





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