Our Global Expertise



Company / Capability Overview

Nova Systems is Australia's largest privately-owned Defence company with a global presence as a leader ir capability assurance and systems integration.

Nova Systems provides operational and engineering solutions to help clients solve their challenges in all Defence domains. Our people combine technical skills with an in-depth understanding of what is needed to deliver and sustain capability.

For more than two decades we have been a trusted partner to Defence. We are Australian leaders in Test & Evaluation (T&E), Certification and Systems Assurance, and incorporate the latest Digital Engineering tools and methods including modelling, simulation and digital twins.

Partners & Projects

- Spacecraft assembly, integration, test and systems engineering supporting Kanyini Earth Observation mission.
- Ground station support to SpIRIT satellite.
- Hosting ground terminals for Kongsberg Satellite Systems and Leaf Space.
- Technical advisory for launch safety in Australia, New Zealand and Norway.
- On-site Range Safety compliance support for NASA's first commercial site Sounding Rocket campaigns.
- Represented clients Fleet Space, Quasar Satellite Technologies and Skykraft in international forums to secure spectrum licensing and spacecraft filing services.
- Collaborated with the Australian National University, University of Wollongong, ANSTO, Saber Astronautics, Heavy Ion Accelerators and Steritech to develop the National Space Qualification Network.
- Foundation partner to SmartSat CRC and AROSE.

Lines of Business

Nova Systems has been a trusted advisor to Defence, industry, and government for more than 25 years.

We deliver core capabilities across: Defence (including Air, Land, Maritime, and Joint), Space and Command, Control, Communications, Computers, Intelligence, Surveillance, Reconnaissance, and Electronic Warfare (C4ISREW); Information and Cyber; and Essential Services.

Our offerings include:

Test and Evaluation

Systems Integration

Digital Engineering

Space Safety & Mission Assurance

EMS Engineering Services

Ground Station as a Service

Software Development

Specialty Engineering (C4ISREW)

Project and Asset Management

Systems Safety and Certification

Capability Requirements Definition

Training

Geospatial Services

1,600+
talented and
dedicated
professionals.

25 Australian Defence Force partner

500+ local supply chain partner

\$400m+

\$17m+ invested into research & development in the last 5 years

8,000+ hours

on Test & Evaluation (T&E) capability, training and practitioner development in the past 12 months



Challenge

In 2021, Norway sought expert support to regulate commercial space launches from Andøya Spaceport, including licensing and safety standards.

Solution

Nova's Australian Safety & Mission Assurance specialist collaborated with Norwegian colleagues to advise on risk, review technical data, and support flight safety, enabling Isar Aerospace's inaugural launch in March 2025. The partnership continues to build Norway's space safety capability.