



Elbit's Hermes drones located dozens of concealed Iranian ballistic missile launchers

November 27, 2025 jpost.com reported: "Elbit's Hermes 900 drones collectively helped locate dozens of Iran's concealed ballistic missile launchers during the June war between Israel and the Islamic Republic, the vice president of Marketing and Business Development for Unmanned Aircraft Systems at Elbit Systems, Amir Bettesh, revealed on Wednesday.

Speaking at the UVID Drone Tech conference in Tel Aviv, Bettesh said that the success of the Hermes 900 during the war with Tehran showed that, despite trends in much of the West where mid-size drones are losing market share, they are still a critical aspect of Israeli national security.

Besides locating Iran's ballistic missile launchers, he said that the Hermes 900, also called the Kochav, helped strike Iran's mobile air defense systems, radar installations, and ammunition facilities..."

'Detached from reality': Muslim Brotherhood slams Trump's terror designation order

November 27, 2025 israelnationalnews.com reported: "The Muslim Brotherhood sharply criticized US President Donald Trump's executive order to begin designating certain chapters of the organization as Foreign Terrorist Organizations (FTOs), calling the move 'detached from reality.'

In a statement released Wednesday and quoted by *Middle East Eye*, the group rejected Trump's allegations of terrorist activity as 'unsupported by evidence.'

The directive, it said, was 'politically motivated and lacks any credible legal or security basis,' warning that 'this Executive Order sets a dangerous precedent.'

The Brotherhood argued that the designation 'undermines US national security and regional stability, and emboldens those who pushed for this outcome to justify repression, collective punishment, and economic sanctions.'

It accused Trump of bowing to pressure from Israel and the UAE. 'The facts have not changed. What has changed is the level of foreign pressure on the United States, particularly from the UAE and Israel, to adopt policies that serve external agendas rather than the interests of the American people,' the statement said..."

Pentagon advances Golden Dome missile defense with new Space Force contracts

November 26, 2025 jpost.com reported: "The US Space Force has awarded about a half dozen small Golden Dome contracts to build competing missile defense prototypes, kicking off a race for future deals worth tens of billions of dollars, according to two sources briefed on the matter.

The awards went to several companies, including Northrop Grumman NOC.N, True Anomaly, Lockheed Martin LMT.N, and Anduril, the sources said.

The contracts mark a significant step forward in the Pentagon's efforts to track and destroy enemy missiles, and include prototypes of space-based interceptors and related systems..."



Golden Dome USA

Facing Russia 'threat', France to restore voluntary military service

November 26, 2025 spacewar.com reported: "President Emmanuel Macron is set this week to announce that France is restoring military service on a voluntary basis in the face of the growing threat posed by Russia, just under three decades after conscription was abolished in the country.

The head of state is due to lay out the change on a visit to an infantry brigade in southeastern France on Thursday, according to multiple sources familiar with the decision who spoke to *AFP*.

The announcement will come more than three-and-a-half years into Russia's full-scale invasion of Ukraine, with Macron and other French officials warning that Moscow risks not stopping at Ukraine's borders.

France's top general, armed forces chief of staff Fabien Mandon, sparked uproar at home last week by warning that France must be ready 'to lose its children', adding that Russia is 'preparing for a confrontation by 2030 with our countries'.

Macron told the RTL broadcaster he would be announcing a 'transformation of national service into a new form' on Thursday, but did not provide further details.

A source with knowledge of the matter, who asked not to be named, told AFP that the plan is for 2,000 to 3,000 people to be trained up in the first year, aiming to increase those signing up over time to 50,000 per year..."

'All-out war to eliminate': China moves to a new, higher level of Christian persecution

November 26, 2025 wnd.com reported: "An expert on China and its antagonism toward Christianity has testified that the communist regime there, under Xi Jinping, has now entered a new phase, a higher level of persecution.

'[T]he CCP under this dictator, Xi Jinping, has launched a war against the faith,' explained Bob Fu, the founder of the Christian human rights group ChinaAid, in a congressional hearing.

'Instead of the old paradigm of controlling Christian churches and other independent religions in the past, now they [have] launched the all-out war to eliminate any independent Christian churches and even ... the thoughts of independence and other religious minorities as well.'

A report in the Washington Stand explains he continued, 'When Xi Jinping took power, he launched three or four wars. [The first] war [was] against the cross and the forced demolition of the cross campaign. All of a sudden, the wooden cross was declared as the enemy of the state, as a national security threat. It really shows how fragile, actually, how fearful this militaristic, atheistic regime [is], and thousands of crosses were taken down. If you don't take down the cross voluntarily — these are government sanctioned churches — the pastors were even arrested. Some were sentenced to 12 to 15 years imprisonment..."

Iran's Larijani urges direct conflict with Israel after IDF strike kills Hezbollah's Tabatabai

November 25, 2025 jpost.com reported: "Ali Larijani, the secretary of Iran's Supreme National Security Council, called on Sunday for a direct conflict with Israel following the IDF airstrike that killed Hezbollah military chief Haytham Ali Tabatabai earlier that day.

Larijani's comment on X/Twitter admitted that Israel had achieved its desired aim in the strike and offered his condolences to Hezbollah Secretary General Sheikh Naim Qassem.

'They have achieved what they desired, but Netanyahu continues his adventures until everyone realizes that no path remains except to confront this fabricated entity,' Larijani wrote. 'I extend my deepest condolences to His Eminence the Secretary-General of Hezbollah and to the mujahideen in its ranks for this blessed martyrdom.'

Earlier, Israel conducted a strike on Tabatabai in Beirut. Hezbollah shortly thereafter confirmed his death, noting that four other Hezbollah terrorists were also killed in the action..."

Chinese humanoid robot's three-day walk sets world record

November 25, 2025 sinodaily.com reported: "A Chinese robot has stepped into the Guinness World Records after completing a three-day, 100-kilometre trek, the longest reported distance ever walked by a humanoid machine.

The 169-centimetre (five-foot six inch) AgiBot A2 set off from the eastern Chinese city of Suzhou on the evening of November 10, traversing highways and city streets before arriving at Shanghai's historic waterfront Bund area on November 13, according to Guinness World Records.

Shanghai-based robot maker AgiBot said its two-legged ambler 'navigated varied surfaces... all while adhering to traffic regulations' during its continuous 106.286-kilometre (66-mile) journey, which was certified as the first feat of its kind on Thursday..."



AgiBot A2