



Hunter Defence represents over 100 companies in the Hunter region competing for prime and supply chain contracts. It prepares them for these opportunities and helps them articulate their value proposition and capabilities to government and major defence industry players.

The Hunter Defence Task Force within Hunter Defence is a collaborative taskforce focused on demonstrating the capability of established Hunter defence industry suppliers to CASG, ODIS and primes and upskilling local SMEs to become 'defence ready'.

This work involves understanding regional defence capabilities and capacities, aligning them with opportunities, encouraging SMEs to form advanced capability groups, and synergising broader product offerings via closer collaboration.

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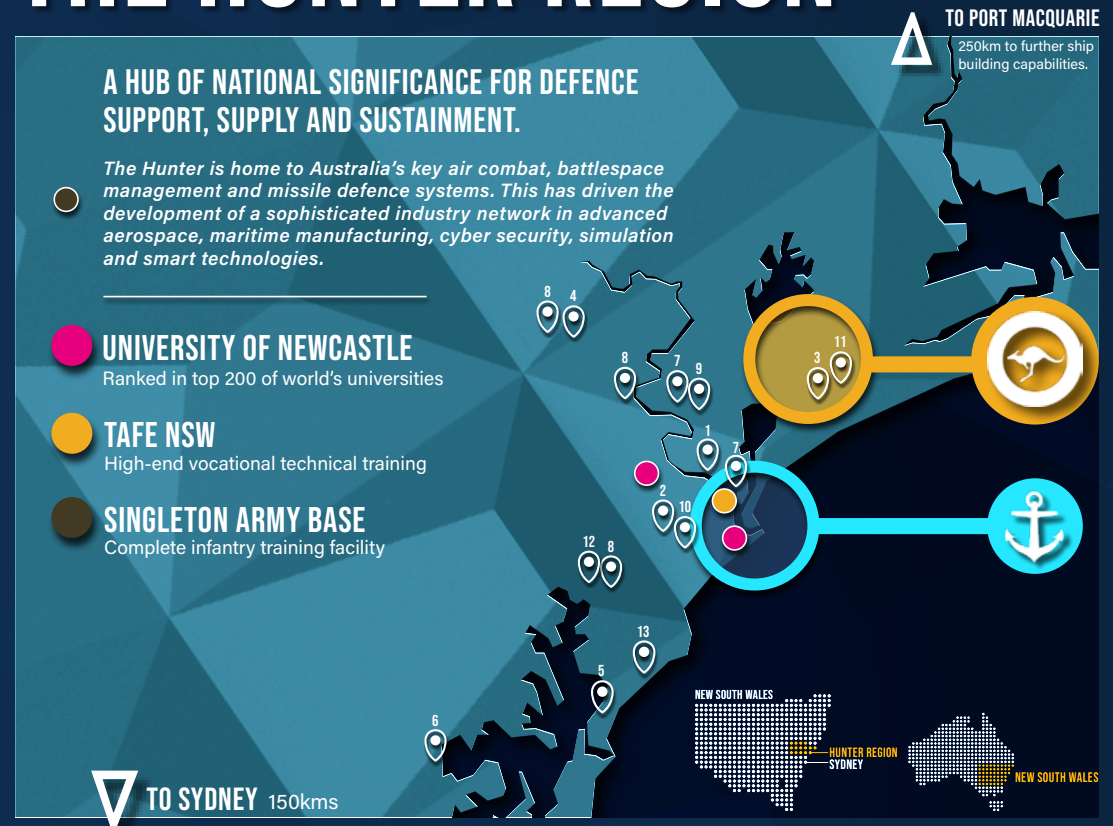
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Home to the nation's air combat capability.

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