



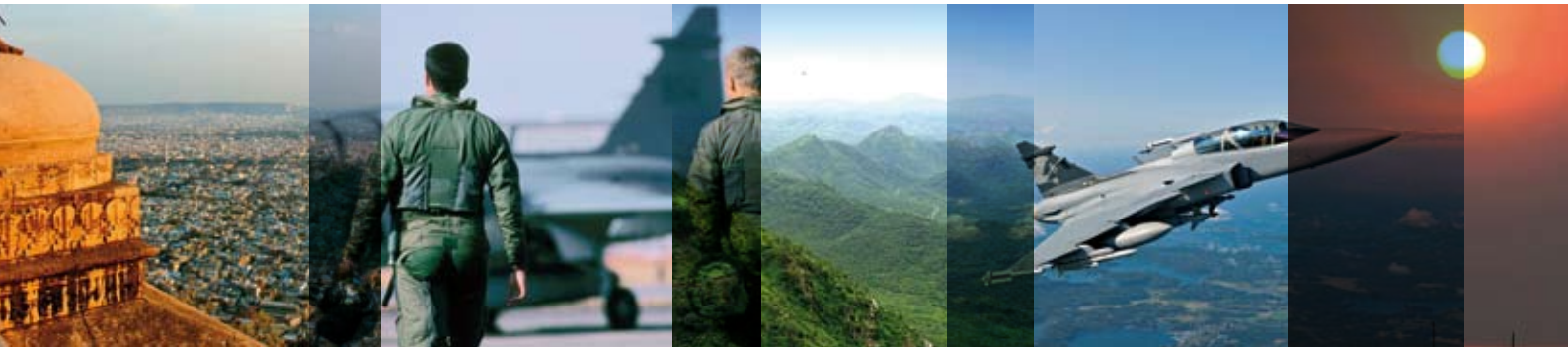
**GRIPEN IN FOR INDIA**  
**-THE INDEPENDENT CHOICE**



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SAAB IS DELIGHTED to offer the Gripen IN to India, a variant of the next generation Gripen, which is the world's most technologically advanced multi-role fighter aircraft with futuristic warfare technologies. Gripen employs only the very best and latest technologies from Sweden and the rest of the world.

GRIPEN WILL MEET OR EXCEED every operational requirement defined by the Indian Air Force. Gripen will provide exceptional autonomous multi and swing role capability in normal and hostile Forward Operating Base (FOB) operations and it will act as a perfect force multiplier. The Gripen is designed to provide superior availability with a minimum of logistics, together with enhanced range and supercruise abilities.

GRIPEN WILL DELIVER strategic reach and give the Indian Air Force the ability to sustain high tempo operations for long periods of time. Gripen will have a substantially lower real Life Cycle Cost than its competitors.

FREEDOM OF CHOICE in weapons and sensors will provide India with a capability that offers complete independence of weapon supply, avoiding the major operational penalties of sole source sanctions or interruption of supply.

MASSIVE FUTURE GROWTH POTENTIAL for India to harness to the maximum extent, ensuring that this fighter above all others will stay in the lead as future technology brings yet greater effectiveness and firepower.

GRIPEN COMES WITH A GUARANTEE that Saab is committed to ensuring that India will have the fighter that the Indian Air Force wants. Saab will do this by transferring all necessary technologies to enable Indian industry and the Air Force to manage all aspects of the life cycle. Furthermore, through the Industrial Co-operation programme, Gripen is the only option that will fundamentally shift India's defence prowess to one that is able to realise its ambition of being a global player.

GRIPEN IS FULLY OPERATIONAL today and with the total long-term commitment and support of the Swedish Government, Gripen will provide the basis for significant Indian and international co-operative programmes in future.

### GRIPEN IN FEATURES

- **Netcentric Fighter** - A truly Network connected next generation multi-role fighter with the world's most highly developed secure and multi-frequency data link.
- **Superior Sensor Fusion** - Latest generation avionic mission system with high computation power operating on ultra fast digital data bus highways.
- **Smart Digital Cockpit** - An advanced fully digital cockpit layout with large colour, Multi-Functional Displays (MFD) and Hands-On-Throttle-And-Stick (HOTAS) provides the pilot with a superior situation awareness as a combat advantage.
- **See First – Kill First** - A combination of low radar, IR and visual signatures, along with

a state-of-the-art AESA radar, an Infra Red Search and Track (IRST) sensor and superior sensor fusion, including world leading new generation weapons integration, ensure a high kill ratio in any engagement.

- **Outstanding Agility** - The world's most agile fighter for close combat. A combination of advanced aerodynamic layout, utilizing a combined close-coupled canard – delta configuration and a triplex, digital Fly-By-Wire Flight Control System (FCS). A winning Dog-Fight capability in combination with the latest generation high off-bore sight missiles and Helmet Mounted Display (HMD).
- **High Operational Tempo** - Gripen's high operational availability, rapid turnaround

and minimal support requirements enables sustained high sortie rates providing Commanders the ability to meet the most demanding operations with minimum resources.

- **Affordability** - Gripen IN achieves the lowest operating cost of any modern fighter. This is accomplished by combining advanced system design, high technology, modern commercial off the shelf (COTS) components and the highly reliable and powerful General Electric F414G engine.
- **Future development** - The Gripen is built to be adaptable to changing threats and operational requirements that a modern Air Force faces.

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