Delivering Defence capability

Helping Defence clients protect and modernise mission-critical facilities, fuel infrastructure and specialist assets through safe, secure and reliable project delivery in highly regulated environments

A sector experiencing exponential growth

Australia's Defence sector is entering a defining period of growth, creating significant demand for trusted Australian industry partners capable of delivering complex, mission-critical infrastructure.

With $425 billion earmarked for Defence capability and enabling infrastructure, the investment pipeline presents a substantial long-term opportunity across civil, industrial and sustainment programs. As investment accelerates nationally, including strategic Defence precincts at Henderson and Garden Island in Western Australia and Osborne in South Australia, **we are positioned to support Defence and its delivery partners with the specialist engineering, construction and asset sustainment expertise to strengthen sovereign capability, resilience and operational readiness.**



Duratec delivered upgrades at the home of Defence's future leaders at the historic Royal Military College at Duntroon, ACT

Why choose Duratec?

Efficient, integrated solutions for our clients

Duratec design, construct and deliver solutions all under one roof, reducing the number of interfaces needed to complete a project on time and on budget. This project management efficiency is made possible by drawing on the combined expertise of our wholly-ownerd subsidiary companies and combined workforce of 1,500+ personnel nationally.

Whole-of-life approach

Our comprehensive whole-of-life approach—from diagnostic assessment through to project design and management, hand over/take over (HOTO) through to ongoing sustainment —minimises downtime, ensuring assets meet current and future operational needs.

Trusted delivery partner for Defence

Across more than 40 sites throughout the Defence estate nationally, Duratec has delivered uplifts in Defence facilities, delivering measurable improvements in asset reliability, utility and readiness.


Supporting capability on land, sea and air including at the RAAF Base at Williamstown, NSW via hangar upgrades

Industry recognition and accreditations

Winner of two Northern Territory Defence Industry Recognition Awards 2026 in the Veteran Employer of the Year and Outstanding Contribution to Industry categories.

ISO accreditation: ISO 19443 (nuclear energy supply chain management), ISO 9001 (quality), 14001 (environment), ISO 17025 (NATA concrete petrography testing), Gold Star iCIRT rating, DNV accreditation for NDT, PCCP certification.


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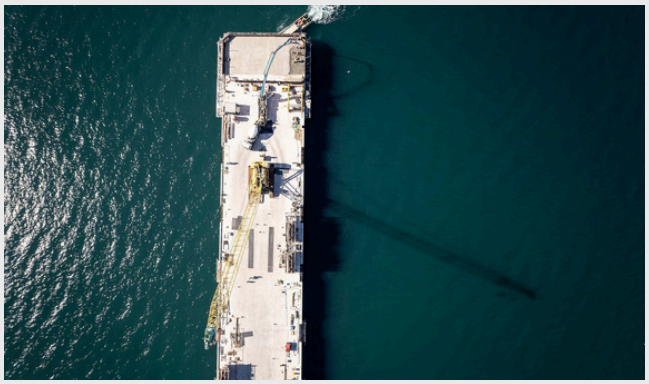
Delivering nuclear infrastructure

Trusted delivery partner to Defence, working within complex operational sites of significant national security, with an unmatched commitment to safety and excellence

Relevant nuclear expertise

AUKUS is driving a generational investment in Australia's nuclear-powered submarine capability. The establishment of Submarine Rotational Force-West and Australia's pathway to the future AUKUS-class submarine fleet requires the development and upgrade of critical naval, sustainment and shipbuilding infrastructure in sites of significant environmental sensitivity.

Duratec is already leading this transformation. Together with joint venture partner Ertech, we are delivering the $281 million upgrade to Diamantina Pier at HMAS Stirling, enabling infrastructure that supports nuclear-powered submarine sustainment. Our investment in the Cockburn Sound region positions us to develop the next generation of Defence infrastructure and shipbuilding capability at Henderson.



Duratec co-delivering upgrades at Diamantina Pier, to sustain nuclear-powered submarines at a live, operating Navy base

Why choose Duratec?

Safety and quality assurance

Duratec was the first Australian construction company with **ISO 19443 accreditation**, the international standard covering nuclear energy quality management. The Standard recognises organisations supporting the nuclear supply chain and covers Important to Nuclear Safety (ITNS) activities of construction and remediation of infrastructure for Defence and radiological waste facilities.

Site security in controlled areas

Our team hold security clearances at NV1 and NV2 levels, streamlining workforce availability to operate in secure workspaces. We are accredited under the Defence Industry Security Program (DISP), and trusted providers of solutions in secure communications and power networks, ensuring data continuity supporting weapons and navigation systems.

Known and trusted partner for Defence

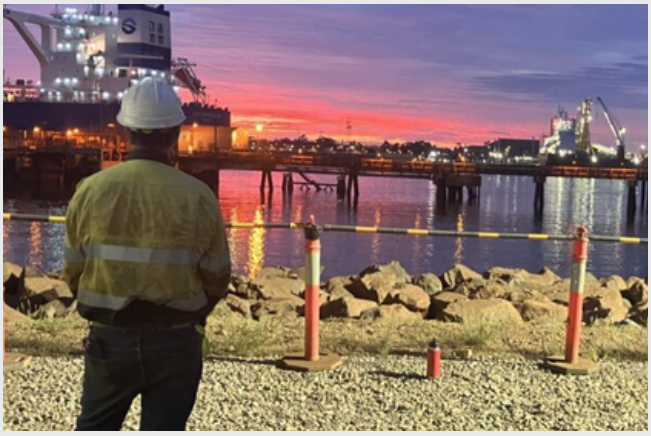
Our experience has been built with Defence since 2014 across more than **450 projects nationally,** for Army, Navy and Air Force. Our capability extends to specialised Defence systems including armament wharves, explosive ordnance and weapons training facilities.

> Duratec demonstrates strong, active and mature leadership commitment to nuclear safety and nuclear-grade quality, aligned with ISO 19443. This is underpinned by excellent ITNS controls, a mature graded-approach framework and a deeply embedded nuclear safety culture.
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> **Lead Auditor DNV**

Complementary expertise

Our work in building nuclear infrastructure is underpinned by the broad skillset of the Duratec Group of companies. Our proven specialist teams work across **fuels, energy assets, transport and water infrastructure, marine, mining and industrial** sectors.

Contact us to discuss how we can help deliver your needs in this growing and highly specialised sector.



We partner with our clients to deliver solutions to engineering challenges on major infrastructure projects around Australia

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