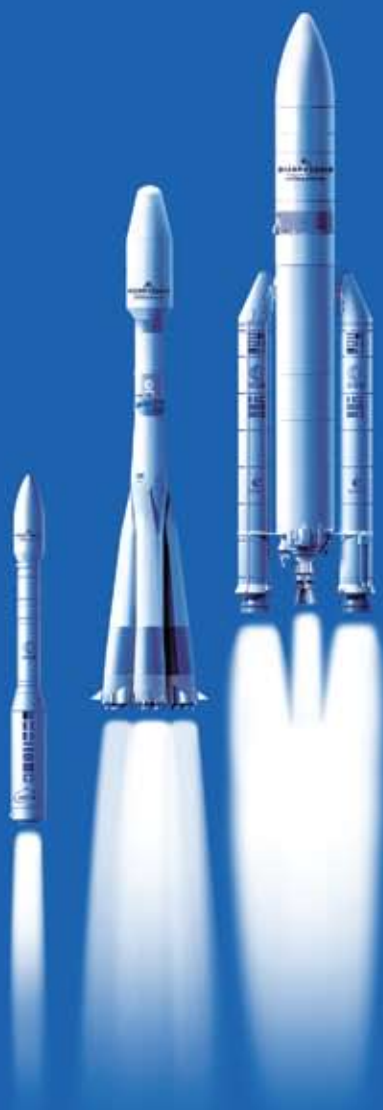


Tempo of Success



An umbilical mast is installed on Soyuz' new launch pad at the Spaceport in French Guiana



CONTINUITY

Preparations for Arianespace's expanded launcher family are gaining new momentum as work progresses on the Soyuz and Vega launch sites in French Guiana. Completion of the Soyuz facility during the coming months will enable the medium-lift vehicle to enter service from the Spaceport later this year.