



# Robotic snakes? AFPC Fellow for Russia Studies Samuel Bendett weighs in on new Russian military tech

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"This [ZMEELOK-3M, an articulated robot snake] is a prototype, but we are seeing that the Russian military is not only thinking creatively about technologies that can assist its war fighters — it also is following in the footsteps of other advanced militaries like the Israeli army that has built a similar snake robot earlier," said Samuel Bendett, fellow for Russia studies at the American Foreign Policy Council and an adviser at the Center for Naval Analyses."

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