

Facts and Figures

SVIAZ EXPO COMM MOSCOW 2005 again has proven to be the strongest telecommunications and information technology exhibition in Russia and the Commonwealth of Independent States. The world's leading telecommunications and computer networking manufacturers and service providers came to Moscow to meet major decision makers from throughout Russia and the CIS. This year's event marked 30 years since the launching of SVIAZ and 10 years of cooperation between Expocentr and E.J. Krause & Associates Inc.

Exhibitor structure: 872 exhibiting companies (301 international, 571 domestic) from 33 countries including manufacturers from CIS and Baltic States showcasing their latest technologies and products in the field of telecommunications, networks, wireless technologies, internet, satellite industry, computers & peripherals, broadcasting and electronics

Total square meters: 25.597 sqm net space
(international exhibitors 10.580 sqm
domestic exhibitors 15.017 sqm)

Visitor structure: Total: 72.000 visitors of which the majority were actively involved in the purchase decision for the products and services exhibited

Established: 1991

Schedule: Annual

Opening ceremony:

SVIAZ EXPO COMM MOSCOW 2005 was opened on May 10 by:

MR. EVGENI M. PRIMAKOV	President Chamber of Commerce and Industry of the Russian Federation
MR. ORDJONIKIDSE	Deputy Mayor of Moscow
MR. BORISOV	Chief of the Department of Radioelectronic Industry, Ministry of Industry & Power
MR. V.L. MALKEVICH	General Director Expocentr
MRS. COMANS-MARTINEK	Vice President Europe, E.J. Krause & Associates, Inc.

VIP Guests visited the exhibition:

MR. MIKHAIL FRADKOV	Prime Minister of Russian Federation
MR. GERMAN GREF	Minister of Economic Development and Trade

National Pavilions

- German Pavilion

On behalf of **BITKOM** the Hannover Messe International organized a national pavilion with 16 German companies with support from the Ministry for Economy and Labor.

- USA Pavilion

For the seventh time the USA Pavilion was certified from the **DOC** Department of Commerce.

- Korea Pavilion

For the sixth time, a Korean Pavilion was organized under the auspices of **KAIT**, the Korean Association of Information & Telecommunication with 11 companies.

- Spanish Pavilion

For the fourth time, a Spanish Pavilion with 10 companies was organized by **ICEX**, Spanish Institute for Foreign Trade, in collaboration with **SECARTYS**, Electronics and Information Technology Exporters Association of Spain, and **AETIC**, Association of Electronics, IT and Telecommunications Companies of Spain (with government support).

- French Pavilion

The French Pavilion with 8 companies was organized by **UBIFRANCE**, the French Agency for International Business Development (with support from the government).

- Canadian Pavilion

For the second time the Canadian Pavilion was organized from the **Canadian Embassy of Moscow**

New for the first time

- Taiwan Pavilion

The Taiwan Pavilion with 16 companies was organized by **TEEMA**; the Taiwan Association for Electrical And Electronic Manufacturers.

- Finnish Pavilion

For the first time the Finnish Pavilion was organized from the **Finpro Marketing Ltd.**

For 2006 we are expecting further national pavilions from Italy and Japan.

Website

Exhibition information and daily exhibition news could be monitored on the website www.svyazexpo-online.ru . The website was produced from Informcouriersviaz.

Exhibition Guide - Navigator

The Navigator Book, a summary of innovations launched by exhibitors for SVIAZ EXPO COMM MOSCOW 2005 – analysed and classified by experts of InformkuriersSviaz Magazine

Newspaper

Seti and Systemy, official GENERAL INFORMATION SPONSOR, published three issues of the Exhibition Daily Newspaper.

Conference

Seti and Systemi organized the conference alongside the exhibition.

The basic sections of the SVYAZ-EXPOCOMM-2005 symposium program were oriented toward modern decisions in constructing, operating and effectively managing networks. Special attention was given to progressive technologies and solutions for wired and wireless networks, new telecommunication and network equipment, program systems in enterprise IT infrastructures. Further topics have been the modern solutions designed for the large-scale development of the domestic market of additional communication services and, as a result, the expansion of the spectrum of services for the end users.

More than 30 russian and foreign companies such as ZTE, Alvarion, Hewlett Packard, Wuhan Research Institute, 3M, Intracom, Abitel Group and others held their presentations and demonstrated their new technologies. More than 450 telecommunication experts participated at the conference, which promotes establishing and strengthening business contacts, and exchanging experience about advanced technologies.

Venue News

The venue is currently under construction to accommodate an additional pavilion (hall 8 with 10.000 sqm), which is planned to be ready for the 2007 show. By 2006 the new Metro Station will be operating next to Krasnaya Presnya Fairground.

The success of SVIAZ EXPO COMM MOSCOW 2005 is being reflected in the rebook that was organized during the show:

95 % of the exhibition space has already been sold for SVIAZ EXPO COMM 2006!

E.J. Krause & Associates would like to thank all exhibitors and sponsors of the event.

Next event: May 10 – 13, 2006
May 14 – 18, 2007