

The number of contemporary circus performances compiled in the statistics of 2010 was 829 performances in total. Overlapping caused by reciprocal visits is taken into account in the figures. Compared to the figures of the previous year the number of contemporary circus performances has increased by 34 %.

Number of audience has remained high

The aggregate attendance of the circus performances was 395 099 spectators in 2010. The number is 26 % higher than the previous year. New contemporary circus companies and fire art groups were included in the statistics, which has increased the number of aggregate attendance. During the past four years (2006-2010) the aggregate attendance of circus performances has increased with over 130 000 spectators.

The aggregate attendance of Finnish contemporary circus companies has increased both in Finland and abroad. The growth has been particularly strong in Finland in the year of 2010. The aggregate attendance of Finnish contemporary circus companies was 82 776 spectators in Finland, which is two-thirds higher than the previous year, and 64 822 spectators abroad, which is one-fourth higher than the previous year. During 2010, ten Finnish circus companies visited a total of 20 countries.

FURTHER INFORMATION: Finnish Circus Information Centre, www.sirkusinfo.fi

Sirkusryhmien vierailut ulkomailla 2010 Circus companies' visits abroad in 2010

	Esityskerrat No of perform.	Katsojat Spectators
Agit Cirk	11	3 108
Venäjä (kiertue)	8	1 108
Iso-Britannia (Lontoo)	3	2 000
Art Teatro	6	18 920
Saksa (Hannover)	4	18 600
Saksa (Leipzig)	2	320
Association WHS	21	6 390
Ranska (Saint-Orens de Gameville)	1	300
Ranska (Aulnay-sous-Bois)	3	1 100
Argentiina (Buenos Aires)	2	600
Macao (Macao)	2	550
Kiina (Shanghai)	1	800
Etelä-Korea (Chuncheon)	2	600
Saksa (Herne)	1	300
Puola (Kwidzyn)	1	400
Portugali (Lissabon)	2	450
Espanja (Segovia)	2	430
Espanja (Madrid)	3	460
Italia (Torino)	1	400
Circo Aereo	83	6 171
Liettua (Vilna)	2	412
Ranska (kiertue)	43	954
Ranska (Calais)	2	201
Ranska (La Roche sur Yon)	3	109
Ranska (Nexon)	4	380
Ranska (Villefranche de Rouergue)	2	68
Ranska (La Chêlodoine)	2	61
Ranska (Lodève/La Canourgue)	4	129
Ranska (Chatênay-Malabry)	2	930
Ranska (Nanterre)	2	734
Ranska (Luneville)	3	760
Ranska (Saint Ouen L'Aumone)	2	647
Ranska (Port Saint Louis du Rhône)	3	360
Ranska (Serre Chevalier)	1	150
Slovenia (Maribor)	3	111
Slovenia (Ljubljana)	5	165
Flamma	3	6 000
Yhdistyneet Arabiemiraatit (Abu Dhabi)	3	6 000
Kallo Collective	6	530
Uusi-Seelanti (Lyttelton)	5	440
Uusi-Seelanti (Wellington)	1	90
Race Horse Company	46	20 268
Ranska (kiertue)	15	9 003
Iso-Britannia (kiertue)	10	3 458
Belgia (Hasselt)	2	687
Tanska (kiertue)	7	2 106
Ruotsi (Tukholma)	4	925
Norja (Oslo)	2	407
Saksa (München)	6	3 682
Sirkus Aikamoinen	4	765
Espanja (Santiago de Compostella)	1	45
Norja (Oslo)	1	40
Ranska (Strasbourg)	1	280
Ranska (Pariisi)	1	400
Sirkus Supiainen	9	1 920
Ruotsi (Göteborg)	1	90
Norja (Hurum)	1	400
Norja (Oslo)	1	80
Norja (Stavanger)	2	150
Saksa (Berliini)	1	800
Italia (Cagliari)	3	400
SirkusUnioni	2	750
Ruotsi (Tukholma)	2	750
Yhteensä - Total	191	64 822