

INTERNATIONAL TRADE FAIR

# 23rd World Gas Conference in Amsterdam

The 23rd World Gas Conference was held between 5 June and 9 June at the RAI Convention Centre in Amsterdam. With its over 4000 conference participants from 88 countries, the World Gas Conference is one of the most important events in the gas sector in 2006.



The World Gas Fair that is affiliated to the Conference covers all aspects of gas supply – from exploration through transport and distribution to consumption.

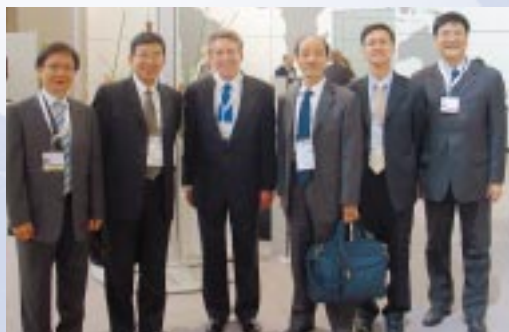
**Facts and figures of the 2006 Fair**

- > Over 230 exhibitors from 40 countries
- > Over 10,000 visitors
- > 15,000 sq. m exhibition area

Elster-Instromet presented system solutions for an extremely wide variety of areas in gas distribution at the Fair, under the theme of “The brand of Innovation”.

After the “Gas Berlin 2006” that was held in early April, the World Gas Fair was the Elster-Instromet Group’s second biggest showcase event this year, but aimed with greater focus on an international public in line with the claim in the title of the Fair.

Besides Elster-Instromet, other members of the Elster Group were on show with their special solutions at the joint stand. Interested visitors were able to find out more about the measuring instruments and control equipment of the American Meter Company, control equipment of Elster-Jeavons and the innovative range of pipe connectors and fittings of the Perfection Corporation.



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International trade fairs are an important medium for exchange of information and experience beyond national boundaries. Participants at the Conference, visitors to the fair and Elster-Instromet staff who had made the trip to the trade fair from all over the world specifically to provide support and advice to customers made use of this forum.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all visitors and also our own fair participants for their interest in our solutions and the interesting discussions and for making the event a successful one in every respect.

We look forward to seeing you all again in Argentina at the 2009 World Gas Conference.

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