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## SAUTER takes care of a good climate at the 53rd Eurovision Song Contest

The final of the Eurovision Song Contest will take place at the Beogradska Arena in Serbia's capital with 25 European participants and an international TV coverage. The Serbian subsidiary of the international SAUTER Group, specialist in building management systems, takes care of a good climate during the musical top performances by means of its technical solutions.

Thanks to the young Serbian singer **Marija Šerifović**, who won last year's competition in Helsinki with its song *Molitva*, the Serbian capital is venue and host of this year's Eurovision Song Contest at its multifunctional arena.

The Beogradska Arena is among the biggest European event halls. With its 48,000 sqm and the possibility to accommodate more than 20,000 people it already hosted the European Basketball Championships 2005, last year's European Table Tennis Championships or the concerts of famous musicians as Joe Cocker, Rapper 50 Cent or Andrea Bocelli.

Three years ago SAUTER installed with its partner "Projektomontaža" the building management system based on SAUTER EY3600 novaPro. The SAUTER systems at the Beogradska Arena control and regulate the heat supply for the entire building, the central cooling plant, the radiator heating systems, the air handling and cooling plants, the air heating and ventilation plants, the exhaust air systems, the hot air curtains, the domestic hot water systems, the smoke/fire dampers, the stadium and the roof ventilation dampers to ensure the security and the wellbeing of artists, athletes and guests. This year, pop idol Lenny Kravitz or the notably musician Mark Knopfler will benefit from SAUTER's energy efficient building management system at the Beogradska Arena.

In Belgarde also the visitors of the cultural institution Madlenianum or the future users of the new multiplex building **Ušće Center** enjoy SAUTER comfort. Other arenas or cultural venues with SAUTER energy efficiency are the Allianz Arena, Munich, the Royal Opera in London, the soccer stadium Stade de Suisse in the Swiss capital or the National Theatre in Prague.

**Fact sheet - SAUTER Srbija / Beogradska Arena**

**The Beogradska Arena**

Area:	48,000 sqm
Opening:	first time 2004, Re-Opening 2006
Building Management System:	SAUTER EY3600 novaPro
Data points:	4,431
Air handling system in the large hall:	8 units with a capacity of 72'000 m <sup>3</sup> /h on the supply air side and approx. 52,800 m <sup>3</sup> /h on the exhaust air side
Cooling system:	5 units air-controlled, 3 units produce cooled water (6/11°C), the 4th unit produces cold and hot water (40/30°C) through heat recovery. 1 unit is stand-by
Heating:	by heating network of the local authority's district with a power of 10.77 MW
Control and regulation concept:	SAUTER novaLink with 40 MCCs, more than 260 novaLink modules, 39 substations
Plants:	3 radiator heating systems 24 air handling and cooling plants 18 air-heating and ventilation plants 75 exhaust air systems 6 hot air curtains 5 domestic hot water systems 370 smoke/fire dampers 28 stadium dampers 28 roof ventilation dampers.

**The Serbian SAUTER subsidiary**

- First SAUTER installation in Serbia 1960 in the Belgrade hotel "Jugoslavia"
  - own SAUTER representation in Serbia since 1991
  - fully-owned subsidiary since end of 2006
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- Employs a workforce of about 1,900. Present throughout the world and following a course of sustained expansion.
- Complete building management solutions from one single source. Focus: maximum energy efficiency to give customers measurable added value, and to play an active part in protecting the environment. Safeguarding investments and ensuring reliable operation throughout a building's life-cycle.
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