



CENTR

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Overview

- CENTR
- What is on our mind.
- Numbers and Statistics



What is CENTR?

- Council of European National Top Level Domain Registries
- Non-profit organisation based in Brussels
- Forum for TLD managers
 - Primarily ccTLDs (but also gTLDs) 56 Registry members representing 69 TLD operations
 - European focus (but members from around the world)
 - European Commission, invited Governments, RIPE and ICANN observers.
- One of 4 Regional Associations
- Just passed 44 Million domain names (August 2008)



CENTR's Membership

- SK-Nic (.sk)
- nic.tr Domain Name Registration (.tr)
- TRE (.al)
- AFGNIC Afghanistan (.af)
- STA Andorra (.ad)
- ISOC.AM Armenia (.am)
- NIC.AC Ascension Is. (.ac), (.io), (.sh)
- NIC.AT Austria (.at)
- DNS Belgium Belgium (.be)
- Register.Bulgaria (.bg)
- CIRA Canada (.ca)
- CARNet Croatia (.hr)
- UCY-DNS Cyprus (.cy)
- CZ.NIC Czech Republic (.cz)
- DENIC Germany (.de)
- FK Hostmaster (.dk)
- FICORA Finland (.fi)
- AFNIC France (.fr), Mayotte (.yt), Reunion (.re), St. Pierre & Miquelon (.pm), Wallis & Futuna Is. (.wf)
- GibNet Gibraltar (.gi)
- GR-Hostmaster Greece (.gr)
- Holy See Internet Office (.va)
- Island Networks Guernsey (.gg), Jersey (.je)
- CHIP Hungary (.hu)
- IEDR Ireland (.ie)
- IPM Iran (.ir);
- ISNIC Iceland (.is)
- ISOC-IL Israel (.il)
- LITNET NOC Lithuania (.lt)
- Lv Nic (.lv)
- RESTENA DNS-LU Luxembourg (.lu)
- NIC .FO (.fo)
- NIC Malta Malta (.mt)
- NIC-Mexico Mexico (.mx)
- SIDN Netherlands (.nl)
- ISOCNZ New Zealand (.nz)
- NORID Norway (.no), Bouvet Is. (.bv), (.sj)
- PNINA (.ps)
- NASK Poland (.pl)
- FCCN Portugal (.pt)
- RNC Romania (.ro)
- Coordination Center for TLD RU(.ru)
- RED.ES Spain (.es);
- ARNES Slovenia (.si)
- NIC .SE (.se)
- SWITCH Switzerland (.ch), Lichtenstein (.li)
- Nominet UK United Kingdom (.uk)
- NeuStar United States of America (.us), (.biz)
- VeriSign (.com, .net)
- Afilias (.info)
- Public Interest Registry (.org)
- EURid (.eu)
- Domicilium Ltd (.im)
- IT-NIC Italy (.it)
- JPRS Japan (.jp)
- Domini Punt CAT (.cat)



Meeting Themes, Topics and Projects

- General Assemblies
 - Marketing and New Services
 - Security (general/tech/network security/critical infrastructure)
 - IGF
 - .IDN
 - The future of the DNS
- Admin WS
 - Whois (policy, database accuracy)
 - Customer relations (benchmarking, customer satisfaction)
 - EPP
 - Factors in ccTLD usage
- Legal and Regulatory WS
 - Internet Fraud, ADR
 - Deutscher Adressdienst (DAD)
 - EU Regulation
- Technical WS
 - IPv6, Internationalised Domain Names, DNSSEC
 - IANA



Domain Counter

- Lack of reliable statistics
- Basics stats public Q1 2009

Domain Counter Test

This is the domain counter see !

Search domain counts

Select date range

only most recent data

From to

Select members

all

from list

Member	tld	date	total	blocked	desactivated	new	reactivated	traded	transferred
My Member		2006-02-20	19568	81	89	20	65	94	78
My Member	be	2007-01-25	49725	89	6	32	84	81	34
My Member	de	2006-12-31	13133	16	14	45	85	46	93
My Member	uk	2006-09-13	54654	87	92	70	45	97	3




Figures












TOP 5	Total # Domains	YoY Growth
DE	12.243.335	+9%
UK	7.010.037	+14%
NL	3.068.007	+21%
EU	2.886.739	+13,5%
RU	1.623.955	+66%



Figures

- Strongest growth (in CENTR): Russia (+66%)
- Strongest growth worldwide: .CN (+950%)
- 11 ccTLDs > 1 Million Domains:
 - DE, UK, EU, NL, IT, RU, FR, CH, CA, PL, ES.
- Hardly reliable figures for gTLDs/country
 - (working on that)

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About CENTR

CENTR is an association of Internet Country Code Top Level Domain Registries such as .uk in the United Kingdom and .es in Spain. Full Membership is open to organisations, corporate bodies or individuals that operate a country code top level domain registry. The project that became CENTR was form...

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- 04 Sep 2008 [CZ.NIC Competition for Young Programmers](#)
- 02 Sep 2008 [DNSSEC protects the .cz domain](#)
- 02 Sep 2008 [Monthly CENTR Roundup, August 2008](#)
- 31 Aug 2008 [Audio code for CAPTCHA on .ro website](#)
- 28 Aug 2008 [.uk register passes seven million mark](#)
- 28 Aug 2008 [EuroDNS modifies communication.co.nl](#)



Meetings


General Assembly

 [37th CENTR General Assembly](#)
02 Oct 2008 - Viareggio, Italy

 [36th CENTR General Assembly](#)
05 Jun 2008 - Crete, Greece

Technical Workshop

 [19th CENTR Technical Workshop](#)
25 Oct 2008 - Dubai, United Arab Emirates

 [18th CENTR Technical Workshop](#)
04 May 2008 - Berlin, Germany

Legal & Regulatory Workshop

 [27th CENTR Legal and Regulatory Meeting](#)
10 Oct 2008 - Warsaw, Poland

 [26th CENTR Legal and Regulatory workshop](#)
16 May 2008 - Oslo, Norway

Administrative Workshops

 [14th CENTR Administrative Workshop - Market Development](#)
01 Oct 2008 - Viareggio, Italy

 [13th CENTR Administrative Workshop](#)
04 Jun 2008 - Crete, Greece

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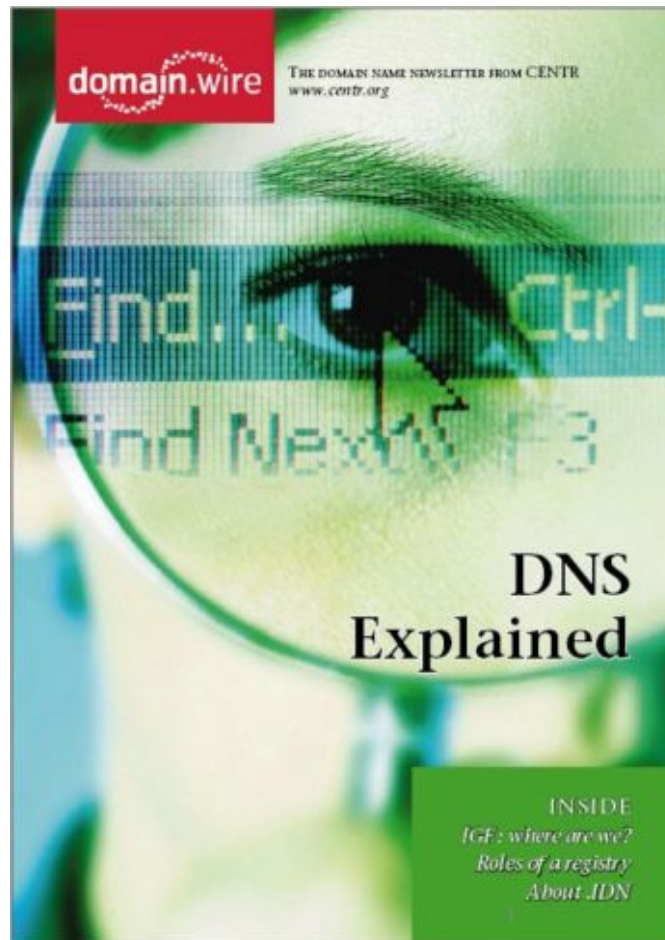
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Domain Wire





Thank you!

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