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EXPO '92
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Background

- **Expo'92** will be held in Seville, Spain from April 20 to October 12, 1992.
- It is the first Universal Exposition since Montréal's Expo'67 and Osaka's Expo'70; it is the first world exposition held in Europe since Brussels' in 1958.
- **Expo'92** coincides with the Barcelona Summer Olympics and the opening of the European Community single market.
- To date 110 countries are participating and most are building unique pavilions to reflect their own culture.
- It is anticipated that there will be more than 30 multinationals, 23 international organizations as well as the 17 autonomous regions of Spain.
- **Expo'92** is expected to attract 40 million visits; 55% of visitors will be Spanish and 45% will be from other, mostly European, countries.
- The 215 hectare site is on the island of La Cartuja in the Guadalquivir River opposite the historic quarter of the city and close to the commercial centre.

Expo'92 Theme

- "The Age of Discovery": the exposition will celebrate mankind's capacity to discover in all areas of endeavour and through all periods of time - past, present and future.

Facilities

- high-speed train station • 3 monorail stations • 3 cable-car stations • heliport • 40,000 parking spaces • quay and jetty in the harbour • 30 km of road network • 6 entrance gates • new bridges over the Guadalquivir River • 16 entertainment venues • 96 restaurants • 70 bars and cafeterias • 51 shops.

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