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Russia



Stamp Album

∞ Volume 4 ∞

U.S.S.R. Soviet Period

1960 - 1969

Currency: 100 Kopeks = 1 Rouble

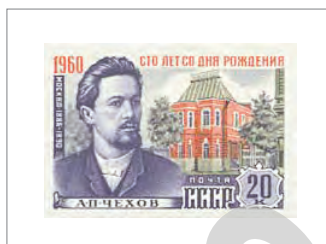


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1960 Birth Centenary of Chekhov (Writer)



Chekhov and Moscow Residence



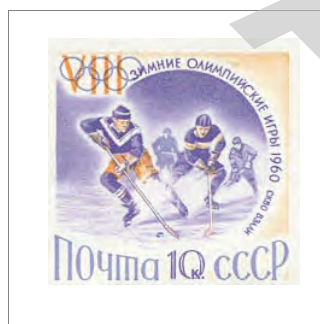
Chekhov and Yalta Residence

1960 75th Birth Anniv. Frunze



M. V. Frunze
(Military Leader)
(1885-1925)

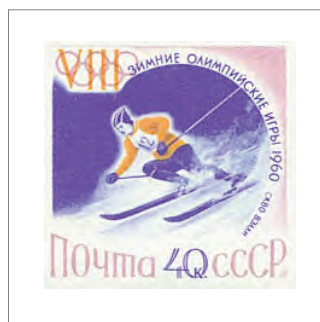
1960 8th Winter Olympic Games



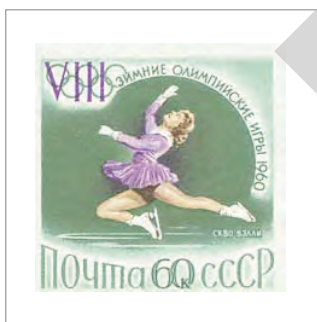
Ice Hockey



Ice Skating



Skiing



Free-skating



Ski Jumping

1960 Birth Centenary Gabrichevsky



G. N. Gabrichevsky
(Micro-biologist)
(1860-1907)

1960 50th Death Anniv. Komissarzhevskaya



V. F. Komissarzhevskaya
(Actress)
(1864-1910)



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1960 AIR Post

1960 Heroes of Second World War



Timur Frunze and Air Battle



Chernyakhovsky and Battle Scene



Mil Mi-4 Helicopter
over Kremlin

1960 15th Anniversary
Liberation of Hungary

1960 50th Anniversary
International Women's Day

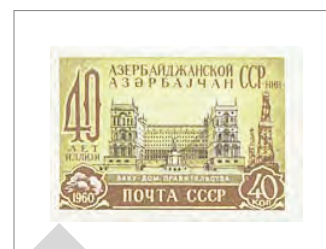


Women of Various Races



Liberty Monument,
Budapest

1960 40th Anniversary
Azerbaijan Republic



Government House,
Baku

1960 Moon Research - Flight of "Lunik 3"

1960 15th Anniversary
Czechoslovak Republic



"Lunik 3"
Photographing Moon



Lunar Map



"Fraternisation"



Charles Bridge,
Prague



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1960 Capitals of Autonomous Republic (1st Series)



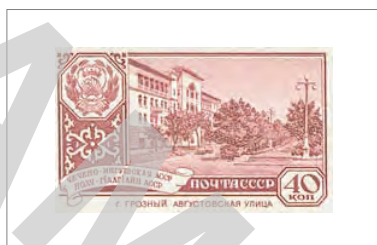
Petrozavodsk
(Karelian Republic)



Batum
(Adzharia)



Izhevsk
(Udmurt)



Grozny
(Chechen-Ingush)



Cheboksary
(Chuvash)



Yakutsk
(Yakut)



Ordzhonikidze
(North Ossetian)



Nukus
(Kara-Kalpak)



Makhachkala
(Daghestan)



Yoshkar-Ola
(Mari)



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1960 17th Summer Olympic Games



Running



Wrestling



Basketball



Weightlifting



Boxing



High-diving



Fencing



Gymnastics



Canoeing



Horse-jumping

The Games of the XVII Olympiad, were held in 1960 in Rome, Italy.
Representatives of the USSR won 15 of 16 possible medals in women's gymnastics.
The USSR placed 1st winning 103 medals - Gold 43; Silver 29; Bronze 31.



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1960 43rd Anniversary
Great October Revolution



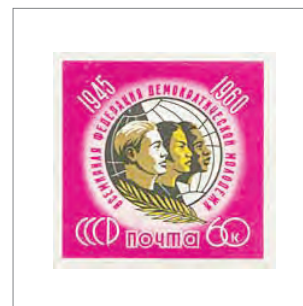
Industrial and Power
Plants

1960 15th Anniv.
of International Democratic
Women's Federation



Federation Emblem

1960 15th Anniv. of World
Democratic Youth Federation



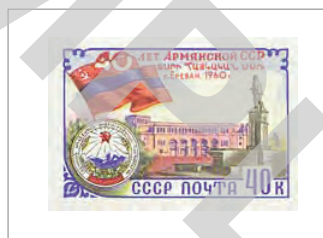
Youth of Three Races

1960 40th Anniversary
Udmurt Autonomous Republic



Izhevsk
(Udmurt)

1960 40th Anniversary
Soviet Armenia



Government House,
Yerevan

1960 Opening
Friendship University

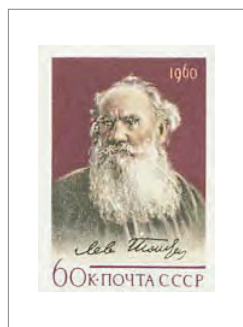


Students and University

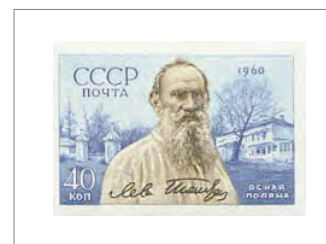
1960 50th Death Anniversary of Tolstoi



L. N. Tolstoi and his Moscow
Residence



Tolstoi Portrait
(1828-1910)



Tolstoi and his Country Estate



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1960 Flowers of USSR



Tulip



Autumn Crocus



Marsh Marigold



Tulip



Panax



Hypericum



Iris



Wild Rose

1960
140th Birth Anniv. of Friedrich Engels



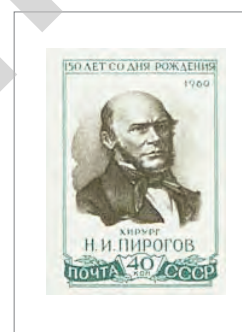
Friedrich Engels
(1820-1910)

1960
125th Birth Anniv. of Mark Twain



Mark Twain
(1835-1910)

1960
150th Birth Anniv. of Pirogov



N. I. Pirogov
(Surgeon)
(1810-1881)



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1961 Capitals of Autonomous Republic (2nd Series)



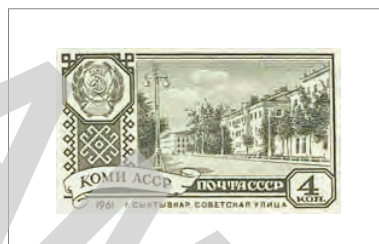
Nalchik
(Kabardino-Balkar)



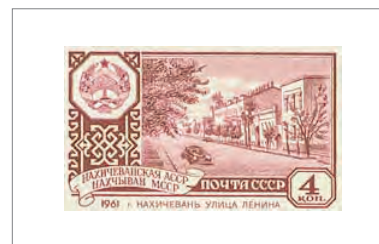
Ulan-Ude
(Buryat)



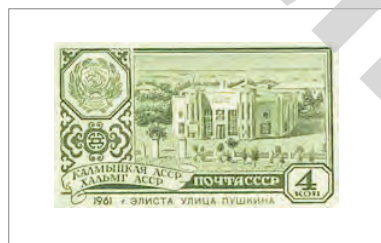
Sukhumi
(Abkhazia)



Syktyvkar
(Komi)



Nakhichevan
(Nakhichevan)



Rodina Cinema
(Kalmyk)



Ufa
(Bashkir)

1961 Lumumba Commem. (2nd Series)



Patrice Lumumba
(1925-1961)



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1961

70th Birth Anniv. of Vavilov

1961 40th Anniv.
Revolution in Mongolia

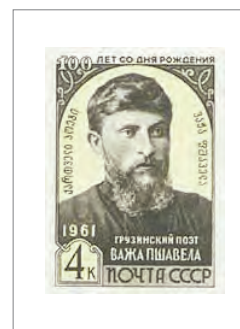


Sukhe Bator Monument and
Government Buildings, Ulan Bator



S. I. Vavilov
(Scientist)
(1891-1951)

1961 Birth Cent.
Vazha Pshavela
(Georgian Poet)



Vazha Pshavela
(1861-1915)

1961 World Youth Forum



Youths Pushing Tank into River



"Youth and Progress"



"Youth Activities"

1961 Fifth International
Biochemical Congress



Congress Emblem

1961 7th Soviet
Trade Union Spartakiada



Javelin Thrower

1961 Birth Centenary
"Kalevipoeg" (Estonian Saga)



Hero of Epos Kalevipoeg



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1962 25th Anniversary
First Soviet Polar Drifting Station



1962
150th Birth Anniv. of Goncharov (Writer)

1962 International
Ski Championships



Ski Jumping



Skier



I. A. Goncharov
(1812-1891)



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1962 Summer Sports Championships



Cycle Racing



Volleyball



Rowing



Football

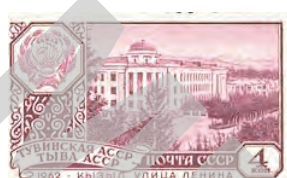


Horse Jumping

1962 Capitals of Autonomous Republic (3rd Series)



Kazan (Tatar)



Kyzyl (Tuva)



Saransk (Mordovian)

1962 Centenary of Lenin State Library



Lenin Library 1862



Modern Library Building

1962 Centenary of Pasteur's Work



L. Pasteur
(1822-1895)

1962 Fur Bourse



Fur Bourse, Leningrad and Ermine



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1962 Soviet Cosmonauts Commemoration



Four Soviet Cosmonauts

Yu. A. Gagarin, G. S. Titov, A. G. Nikolaev and P. R. Popovich

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1967 50th Anniversary of Great October
(1st Issue)



Armenia



Azerbaijan



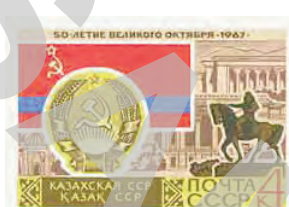
Belorussia



Estonia



Georgia



Kazakhstan



Kirgizia



Latvia



Lithuania



Moldavia



Russia



Tadzhikistan



Turkmenistan



Ukraine



Uzbekistan



Soviet Arms and Flag

Great October

The Great October Socialist Revolution (Velikaya Oktyabr'skaya sotsialisticheskaya revolyutsiya) of 1917 was the official name for the October Revolution in the Soviet Union since the 10th anniversary celebration of the Revolution in 1927. Today this name is used mainly by Russian Communists. The term Red October has also been ascribed to the events of the month; this name has in turn been lent to a tractor factory made notable by the Battle of Stalingrad, a Moscow sweets factory that is well-known in Russia, and a fictional Soviet submarine.



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1968 14th Soviet Trade Union Congress



Congress Emblem

1968 90th Birth Anniv. of Ulyanova



Lenin's Sister M. I. Ulyanova
(1878-1937)

1968 Heroes of Second World War



S. G. Baikov (1914-1941)



A. A. Pokalchuk (1921-1942)



P. L. Gutchenko (1923-1942)

1968 Soviet Horse-Breeding



Racehorse



Orlov's Horse



Budenov's Horse



Arabian Horse



Akhaltekin Horse



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1968 50th Anniversary
Soviet Armed Forces



Red Star and Forces' Flag



Rockets, Tank, Warship
and Red Flag



Lenin Addressing Recruits



Recruiting Poster



Red Army Entering Vladivostok



Statue "On Guard" and Dnieper Dam



Meeting of Red Army in Ukraine
and Belorussia



Poster "To the West"



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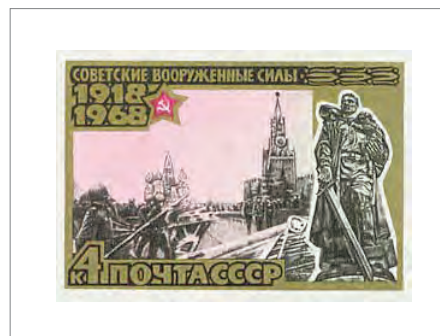
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1968 50th Anniversary
Soviet Armed Forces
(continued)



Stalingrad Battle Monument and German
Prisoners of War



Treptow Monument and Victory Parade
in Red Square



Rockets, Tank, Warship and Red Flag



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1968 Soviet Nature Reserves



American Bison and Common Zebra



Ostrich and Golden Pheasant



Great Egrets



Purple Swamphen and Lotus



Eland and Guanaco



Glossy Ibis and White Spoonbill

1968 Soviet Geology



Geologist Prospecting for Minerals



"Tracking Down" Metals



Oil Derrick and Geologic Camp



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1968 USSR Resorts



Borovoe (Kazakhstan)



Djety-Ogez (Kirgizia)



Borovoe (Kazakhstan)



Issyk-kul (Kirgizia)

1968 Awards to Soviet Post Office



International Exhibition in Paris



Stamp Exhibition in Berlin



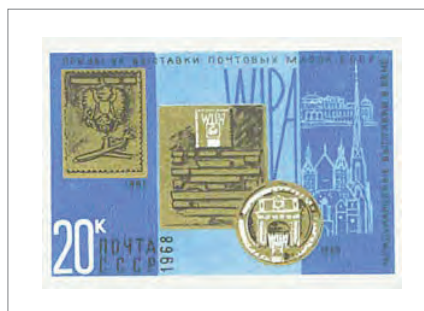
International Exhibitions in Richchon



Exhibition in Buenos-Aires



Exhibition in Rome



Exhibition in Vienna



Exhibition in Prague

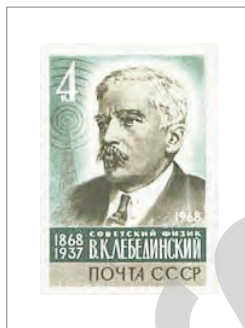


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1968 Birth Cent.
V. K. Lebedinsky



Physicist
(1868-1937)

1968 50th Anniv of Estonian
Worker's Commune



Worker with Banner

1968 Happy New Year



Fir Branch and Moscow
Buildings

1968 Space System "Orbita"



USSR Map with "Orbita" and Receiving Stations
TV Satellite "Molniya-1" - Receiving Station

Russian Satellites for Television Broadcasting

Television in the Soviet Union, like all other media, was owned by the state and was under its tight control and censorship. The governing body in the late Soviet Union was "USSR State Committee for Television and Radio Broadcasting", or USSR Gosteleradio, which was in charge both of Soviet TV and Soviet radio. Soviet TV production was classified into central, republican, and regional broadcasting. Not all channels were available everywhere in the Soviet Union. Many regions only had access to the First Programme and the All Union Programme until after Perestroika. The Soviet domestic satellite system was known as Orbita - in 1990 there were 90 Orbita satellites, supplying programming to 900 main transmitters and over 4,000 relay stations. The most famous Soviet satellites were the Molniya (or "Lightning") satellites; other satellite groups were christened the Gorizont ("Horizon"), Ekran ("Screen"), and Statsionar ("Stationary") satellites. With the right equipment, people outside the Soviet Union who used TVRO satellite television could receive Soviet television programming.



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1969 Lenin Places



Lenin University
(Kazan)



Lenin House-museum
(Kuibyshev)



Lenin House-museum
(Shushenskoe)



Lenin House-museum
(Pskov)



Lenin Hay Hut
(Razliv)



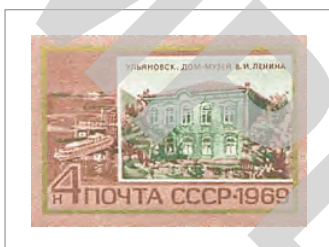
Smolny Institute
(Leningrad)



Lenin's Office in Kremlin
(Moscow)



Lenin House-museum
(Leninskie gorki, Moscow)



Lenin House-museum
(Ulyanovsk)



Lenin House-museum
(Ulyanovsk)

1969 Birth Cent. of Suleiman Stalsky



Dagestan Poet Suleiman Stalsky
(1869-1937)

1969 50th Anniversary Ukraine Academy of Sciences



Main Laboratory and Academy



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1969 Moscow Botanical Gardens



Rose "Clear Glade"



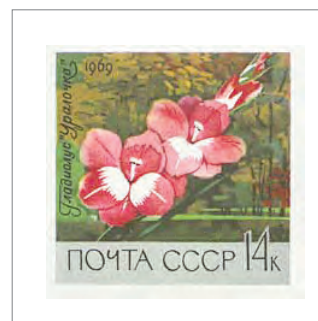
Lily "Slender"



Orchid (Cattleya hybr)



Dahlia "Leaves Fall"



Gladiolus "Ural Girl"

1969 6th International Cinema Festival



Emblem of Festival
in Moscow



Ballet Dancers

1969 3rd International Congress of Protozoologists



Congress Emblem
(Division of cell)

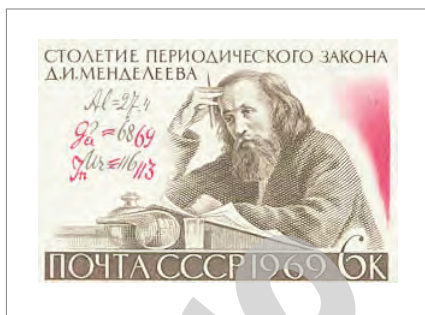


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1969 Cent. of Mendeleev's
Periodic Law of Elements

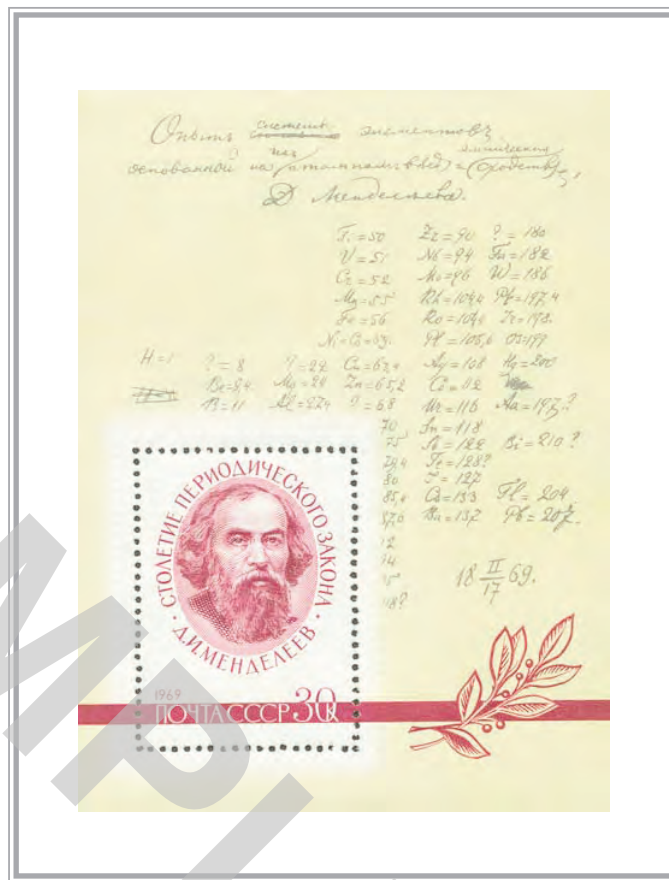


Portrait of Russian Scientist
D. I. Mendeleev (1834-1907)

1969 Centenary
Estonian Choir Festival



Estonian Singer



Portrait of Chemist D. I. Mendeleev

1969
50th Years of Soviet Inventions



Rocket on Laser Beam,
and Moon

1969 Birth Bicent.
I. P. Kotlyarevsky



Ukrainian Writer
(1769-1838)

1969 20th Anniversary
World Peace Movement



Peace Banner and World Landmarks



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1969 25th Anniversary
Belorussian Liberation



War Memorial in Minsk
and Campaign Map

1969 2500th Anniversary of Samarkand



Registan Square



Hotel "Intourist"

1969 Soviet Ice Hockey
Victory in World Championship



Red Overprint "Stockholm 1969"

1969 25th Anniversaries
Bulgarian and Polish Peoples' Republic



Bulgarian Arms, USSR and
Bulgarian flags, hands
holding torch



Polish Arms and Flag

1969 25th Anniversary
Liberation of Nikolaev



Liberation Monument in Nikolaev

1969 International Sporting Events



Volleyball
(European Jnr
Championships)



Canoeing
(European
Championships)



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1969 125th Birth Anniv
Mikhail Munkachi



Hungarian Painter
(1844-1900)

1969 50th Anniversary
First Cavalry Army



"Horse-drawn Machine-guns"
(M. Grekov)

1969 Centenary of Donetsk



Miners' Sculpture,
Donetsk

1969 125th Birth Anniversary of I. E. Repin



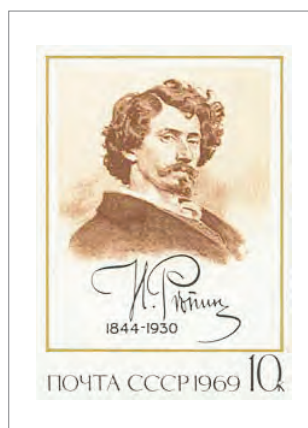
"Barge-haulers on the Volga"
1870-1873



"Unexpected"
1884



"The Refusal of Confession"
1879-1885



"Self-portrait"



"Zaporozhtsy Write the Letter to
the Turkish Sultan" 1880-1891

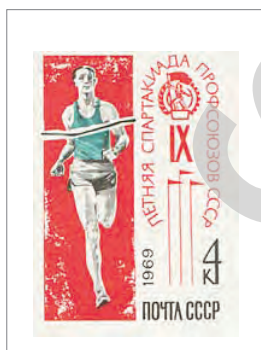


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1969 9th Trade Unions Spartakiada



Running



Spartakiad



Gymnastics

Spartakiad initially was the name of an international sports event that the Soviet Union attempted to oppose the Olympics. (In Russian language, there is a certain parallelism in the names: "Spartakiada" vs. "Olimpiada".) The name, derived from the name of the slave rebel leader, Spartacus, was supposed to symbolise proletarian internationalism. The first Spartakiad was held in August, 1928 in Moscow. Eventually the Soviet Union decided to join the Olympic movement, and international Spartakiads ceased. However the term persisted for internal sports events in the Soviet Union of different levels, from local up to the Spartakiad of the Peoples of the USSR. There was also a "Youth Spartakiad". Still another Soviet sports event with this name, Spartakiad of Trade Unions, survived in a number of post Soviet republics, such as Russia, Belarus, Ukraine, Uzbekistan.

1969 Birth Centenary V. L. Komarov



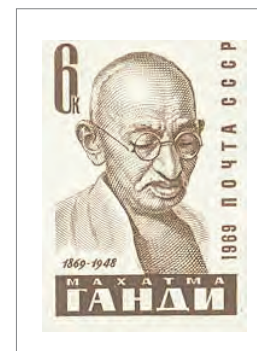
Botanist V. L. Komarov
(1869-1945)

1969 Birth Centenary Ovanes Tumanyan



Armenian Poet Ovanes Tumanyan
(1869-1923)

1969 Birth Centenary Mahatma Gandhi



Indian Liberation Leader
(1869-1948)



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1969 State Museum of Oriental Art in Moscow



Drinking-horn Riton
(Turkmenistan 2nd c. B. C.)

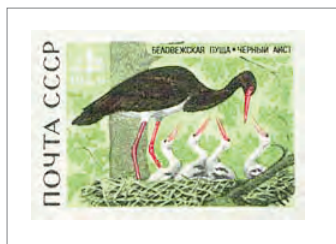
Simurg - vessel as bird with
woman's face (Iran, 13th c.)

Statuette of god Kanym
(Korea, 8th c.)

Statuette of god Bodisatva
(Tibet, 7th c.)

Statuette of god Ebizu
(Japan 17th c.)

1969 Nature Reserve Belovezhskaya Pushcha

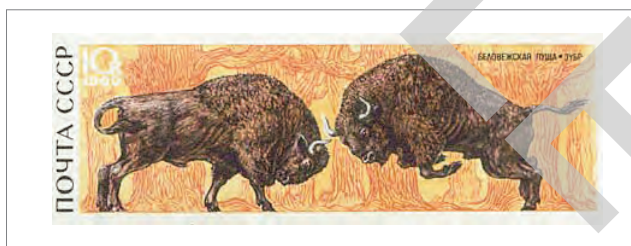


Black Stork at Nest



Red Deer and Fawn

Lynx and Cubs



European Bison Fighting



Wild Boar and Young

1969 Birth Centenary of S. Sogomonyan



Armenian Composer "Komitas"
(1869-1935)



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1969 War Heroes



S. I. Gritsevets
(1909-1939)



E. I. Chaikina
(1918-1941)



Kaunas Resistance Fighters
A. M. Cheponis, Yu. Yu. Aleksonis,
G. G. Boris

1969 120th Birth Anniv I. Pavlov (Physiologist)



I. P. Pavlov
(1849-1936)

1969 20th Anniversary German Democratic Republic



DDR Arms and Flag

1969 160th Birth Anniv A. V. Koltsov (Poet)



A. V. Koltsov
(1809-1842)

1969 25th Anniversary Liberation of Ukraine



Arms of Ukraine and Liberation
Memorial

1969 First USSR Youth Philatelic Exhibition



Portrait of Young Lenin

1969 50th Anniv of Red Army Communications Corps



Corps Emblem
on Red Star



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1969 60th Anniversary
First Russian Revolution



Kremlin Stars, Hammer and Sickle



1969 Group Space Flight



Portraits of Cosmonauts G. S. Shonin and V. N. Kubasov (Soyuz-6)
Portraits of Cosmonauts A. V. Philipchenko, V. N. Volkov and V. V. Gorbatko (Soyuz-7)
Portraits of Cosmonauts A. S. Shatalov and A. S. Eliseev (Soyuz-8)



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1969 Development Soviet Civil Aviation



ANT-2 (1924)



Po-2 (U-2) (1927)



ANT-9



Helicopter TsAGI-I-EA (1930)



ANT-20 "Maksim Gorki"



Tu-104 (1955)



Helicopter Mi-10 (1965)



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