

## Our history in Spain

From the first deliveries to a global technology powerhouse

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**1862**

Siemens & Halske (S&H) supplies Spain with morse telegraphs

**1865**

A deep-sea cable is laid from Cartagena (Spain) to Oran (Algeria)

**1895**

S&H founds a Technical Bureau in Madrid

**1902**

The stock company Siemens & Halske Compania Anonima Espaniola de Electricidad, Madrid is founded

**1910**

The Cornella Siemens plant begins manufacturing motors, generators and transformers

**1913**

The electrical equipment is supplied for the streetcar in Soller on Majorca

**1923**

Siemens Electromedica Espanola S.A. is founded

**1930**

Siemens combines all its activities in Spain in Siemens Industria Electrica S.A.

**1955**

The Spanish companies are repurchased after World War II

**1970**

Siemens Industria Electrica S.A is renamed Siemens S.A. Madrid

**1979**

Siemens acquires a stake in Tecosa (telephone systems), and takes it over completely in 1993

**1980**

The manufacture of electronic systems is commenced at the Getafe plant

**1989**

Siemens acquires a stake in Controlmatic Ibérica S.A., Barcelona (an automation systems factory)

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### **1992**

Siemens is represented for the first time with its own pavilion at the world exhibition in Seville

### **1992**

A high-speed rail connection is built between Madrid and Seville, with Siemens as consortium leader

### **1996**

Siemens takes over the telecommunications activities of Amper and Siemens Elasa S.A. is founded

### **2002**

Siemens and the state-owned railway Renfe found the joint venture NERTUS for the maintenance and repairs of regional trains

### **2003**

The first fully automated subway line in Spain, built for Barcelona, is equipped by Siemens

### **2006**

Commissioning of Europe's biggest baggage sorting system for the Madrid Airport

### **2007**

The Velaro E, the world's fastest series-production high-speed train, begins service

### **2010**

Siemens becomes the preferred partner to supply, maintain and refurbish the medical technology of Cartagena and Mar Menor Hospitals in the Murcia Region

### **2011–2012**

The Lebrija solar thermal power plant in southern Andalusia, erected by Siemens and Valoriza, starts operation

### **2012**

Siemens installs the first laboratory automation platform in the world, the Apto chain, at the Carlos Haya Hospital

### **2013**

Siemens signs a three-year contract for the integral maintenance of the Airbus plant in Illescas, Toledo