STAFF

As of 1 January 2005, the total number of the staff members at the Joint Institute for Nuclear Research was 5524.

Working at JINR are: full members of the Russian Academy of Sciences (RAS) — V. Kadyshevsky, Yu. Oganessian, M. Ostrovsky, D. Shirkov, A. Tavkhelidze; corresponding members of RAS — I. Meshkov, G. Shirkov; full members of other academies of sciences — V. Aksenov, A. Eremin, I. Golutvin, V. Korogodin, A. Kuznetsov, V. Moskalenko, A. Petrosyants, A. Popeko, A. Sissakian; corresponding members of other academies of sciences — A. Vodopianov, B. Za-

khariev, I. Zvara, S. Ivanova, R. Mir-Kasimov, A. Titov; 265 doctors of science, 628 candidates of science, including 90 professors and 16 assistant professors.

In 2004, there were 510 people employed and 539 people discharged because of engagement period expiry and for other reasons. During the year, the JINR staff members were awarded the titles of professors — 2. In 2004, 11 scientists received a Candidate of Science degree and 8 received a Doctor of Science degree. Among them were scientists from JINR (11), Bulgaria (1), Egypt (1), India (1) and the Russian Federation (5).

AWARDS

By the Order of the RF President of 16 April 2004

- for the success achieved in labour and longstanding conscientious work, the *Order of Friendship* was conferred on chief of department *Yu. Pilipenko* (VBLHE);
- for the achievements in labour and long-standing conscientious work, the Medal of the Order «For Services for Motherland, Second Class» was conferred on tool maker V. Sokolov (VBLHE);
- for services in scientific activities the Honorary Title «Honorary Scientist of the Russian Federation» was conferred on Doctor of Physics and Mathematics, Professor, Advisor to the Directorate of the Bogoliubov Laboratory of Theoretical Physics V. Meshcheryakov and Doctor of Physics and Mathematics, Professor, Advisor to the JINR Directorate on information technologies I. Puzynin.

For favourable activities, large contribution to the development of science and strengthening the inter-

national scientific technical cooperation, the Honorary Badge of the Governor of the Moscow Region «For High Credit» was conferred on JINR Vice-Director A. Sissakian.

For the outstanding service for JINR in the development of priority research trends in science and technology the title "Honorary Doctor of JINR" was conferred on W. Schied (Germany), A. Sinaev (JINR), R. Cashmore (the UK), B. Yuldashev (Uzbekistan), W. Sandhas (Germany), A. Budzanowski (Poland), E. Steinnes (Norway), M. Kirpichnikov (Russia), J. Hamilton (the USA), I. Zvara (JINR).

Eleven JINR staff members were awarded with the title «*Honorary JINR Staff Member*» for the longstanding and fruitful service at JINR.

Eight JINR staff members were awarded with Honorary JINR Diplomas.

193 JINR staff members were awarded in 2004 with the departmental decoration for labour «Veteran in Atomic Energy and Industry».