



Press release

## Uniview at Kuwait National Planetarium

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We are proud to announce that the Kuwait National Planetarium in Kuwait city has chosen Uniview™ as their interactive live visualization platform for astronomy in their fulldome environment.

Together with our partner Carl Zeiss from Germany, Uniview™ has been installed alongside a fulldome solution using high performance Sony projectors as part of a powerdome®4DOME high fidelity playback system.



Kuwait National Planetarium, Kuwait City

### About the Kuwait National Planetarium

The Kuwait National Planetarium in Kuwait City is a venue with a 15 meter wide horizontal dome. Inaugurated in 1986, the planetarium was one of the first in the Gulf region. Carl Zeiss equipped the dome with all technical facilities.

The end came after only four years of operation: In 1990 the building suffered partial wreckage during the Gulf War. In 2001, more than ten years after the war damages, the rebuilt planetarium was opened to the public and in 2007 Carl Zeiss received the order for a major upgrade with fulldome capabilities along with Uniview™ to enable state of the art interactive storytelling in a 3D environment.

### About Uniview™

Uniview™ is a visualization and simulation software application aimed at presenting and teaching astronomy, astrophysics and Earthbased sciences such as geography, geology, biodiversity and climatology.

Through the unique Uniview ScaleGraph™ technology Uniview provides a seamless visualization of the entire known universe, from human scales all the way to the cosmic horizon. While being completely interactive, Uniview™ is powered by the Uniview Flight Assist™ algorithms to make sure motion is always smooth and intuitive.



The Earth seen in Uniview™ inside the dome at Kuwait National Planetarium

### About SCISS AB

SCISS AB is a software development company founded in 2004 with its headquarters in Norrköping, Sweden. SCISS AB's mission is to deliver high quality visualization software designed for flexibility and ease of use to planetariums, science centers and other large-scale visualization facilities globally.

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