

# Focus Filtrowa



## Identification

<b>EBN</b>	179740
<b>Name</b>	Focus Filtrowa
<b>Alternative Name</b>	Centrum Biurowe Focus Filtrowa
<b>Construction Type</b>	high-rise building
<b>Current Status</b>	existing [completed]

## Location

<b>Continent Name</b>	Europe	<b>District (1st level)</b>	Śródmieście
<b>Country Name</b>	Poland	<b>Postcode</b>	00-611
<b>State Name</b>	Masovian	<b>Address (as text)</b>	Ulica Filtrowa 1
<b>Metro Area Name</b>	Warsaw Metro Area	<b>Main Address</b>	Aleja Armii Ludowej 26

<b>City Name</b>	Warsaw	<b>Side Address</b>	Ulica Filtrowa 1
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## Map



## Description

<b>Foundation System</b>	caisson foundation	<b>Architectural style</b>	postmodernism
<b>Structural Material</b>	concrete	<b>Main Usage</b>	commercial office
<b>Facade System</b>	curtain wall	<b>Side Usage</b>	shop(s) fitness center
<b>Facade Material</b>	glass granite		

## Spatial dimensions

<b>Height (structural)</b>	162.07 ft	<b>Floors (overground)</b>	12
<b>Height (roof)</b>	162.07 ft	<b>Parking places</b>	385
<b>Height (floor-ceiling)</b>	11.81 ft	<b>Escalators</b>	2

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<b>Length</b>	219.82 ft	<b>Elevators</b>	13
<b>Width</b>	213.91 ft	<b>Gross Floor Area (GFA)</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>
<b>Volume</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>	<b>Usable Floor Area (UFA)</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>
<b>Floors (underground)</b>	3		

## Years and costs

<b>Year (construction start)</b>	1998	<b>Year (construction end)</b>	2001
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## Features & Amenities

- One of the city's famous buildings

## Facts

- The simplicity and monumentalism of the main side and the entrance contrasts with asymmetry of the atrium.
- The sixth story above the main entrance houses a four-story winter garden with views over Pola Mokotowskie park.
- The double-skin glass façade covering the front side fulfills both environmental and acoustical regulations, and will serve as a model for the all-glass Polskie Linie Lotnicze LOT building.
- A monumental stone entrance and the upper glass façade topped by aluminum cornice give the front side of Focus Filtrowa a classic structural division.
- Despite its inconspicuous height "the cube" is a huge scale development with gross floor area as large as Warsaw's Old Town. It can accommodate as many workers as there are Old Town inhabitants.
- Focus's architectural design stems from a geometrically disciplined cube, a form traditionally considered as the most economical and functional, masterly transformed and enriched by the architects.
- Features four different elevation shapes, from a monumental front side, through multi-layered, glittering west façade and decorative east one to expressionist rear side.
- Focus is divided into four separate parts served by each one's elevators, but with common underground parking space and mechanical systems.

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- Focus Filtrowa was voted Best Building in Warsaw 2000-2001 in the Life In Architecture competition organised by Architektura-Murator magazine.

## Involved companies

Architect.....

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## Additional company data available for this building

<b>Architectural Metalwork Supplier</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>	<b>General Contractor</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>
<b>Communications Engineering</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>	<b>Glass Supplier</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>
<b>Construction Company</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>	<b>Ground Surveyor</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>
<b>Cooling Installation</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>	<b>Interior Fit-out</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>
<b>Crane Supplier (construction)</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>	<b>Investor</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>
<b>Developer</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>	<b>Mechanical Engineering</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>
<b>Door Installation</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>	<b>MEP Engineering</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>
<b>Electrical Connections</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>	<b>Real Estate Agent</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>
<b>Electrical Contractor</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>	<b>Roofing Supplier</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>
<b>Environmental Consultant</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>	<b>Sanitary Engineering</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>
<b>Facade Engineering</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>	<b>Structural Engineering</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>
<b>Facade Installation</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>	<b>Window Installation</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>
<b>Fire Protection Engineering</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>	<b>Window Supplier</b>	<a href="#">Contact us</a>
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