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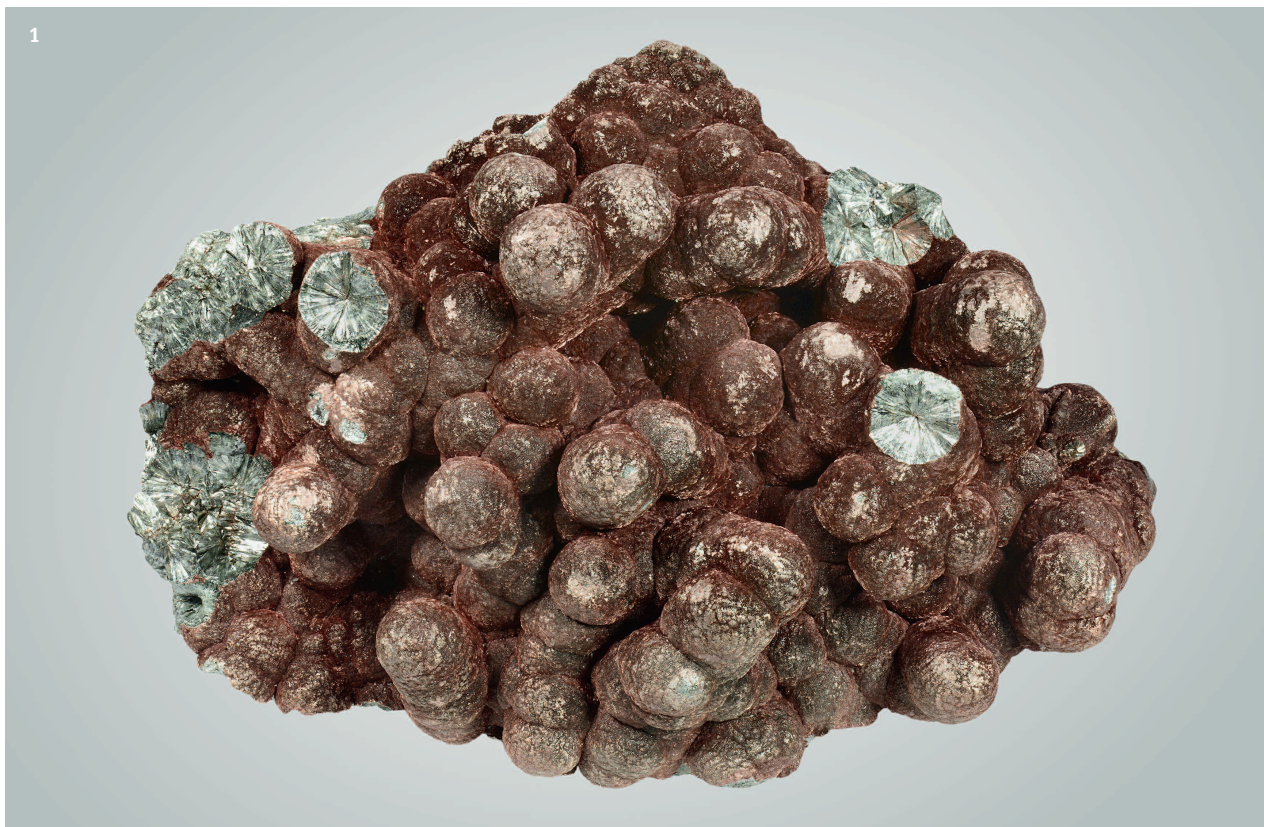
The “Gemma” Mineral Show took place on October 8-9, 2016 at the Sokolniki Congress and Exhibition Center in Moscow. As always many mineral collectors and amateurs were happy to visit this show and see and buy minerals and publications.

Clusters of pseudostalactites of clinochlore from the Korshunovskoe iron deposit, Siberia, Russia, presented by Mikhail Moiseev and Grigoriy Ryabinin are worth noting among the novelties of the season.

A new lot of blue barrel- and spindle-shaped corundums from Potaninskie Mts, South Urals, Russia, represented by Vasilii Borzykh was also striking.

Curved galena, a product of compression between crystals of other minerals in cavity as a result of tectonic movements from the Berezovskoe gold deposit, Middle Urals, Russia, and a very good valentinite from China were show-stoppers among other specimens.

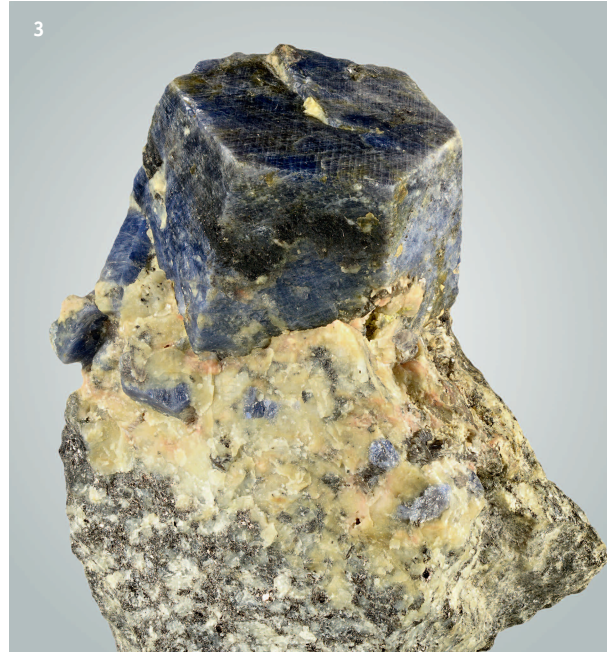
1. **Clinochlore.** 22 x 34 cm.  
Korshunovskoe deposit, Siberia, Russia.  
Specimen: Mikhail M. Moiseev.







2. **Valentinite**. 4 x 5 cm (clusters up to 1 x 1.5 cm).  
Xikuangshan, Hunan,  
Specimen: Dmitry V. Lisitsin.



3. **Corundum**. 9 x 11 cm.  
Potaninskie Mts, South Urals, Russia.  
Specimen: Vasily Borzykh.



4. **Malachite**. 13 x 15 cm.  
Dzhezkazgan, Karaganda Oblast, Kazakhstan.  
Specimen: "Russian Minerals" company.

5 (a,b). **Galena**. 6 x 7 cm.  
Berezovskoe deposit, Middle Urals, Russia.  
Specimen: Anatoly V. Kasatkin.

