

Gas Explosion at Kemerovo Coal Mine Kills 2

By [The Moscow Times](#)

January 23, 2014

The  Moscow Times

Russian officials say a methane gas explosion ripped through a coal mine late Wednesday and killed two miners.

A total of 105 miners were in the Dzerzhinsky mine in the Kemerovo region of Siberia when the gas exploded just before 9:30 p.m.

The regional administration said in a statement that two of the miners died, but the rest had made it out alive.

The cause of the blast was unknown. The regional administration said an investigation was underway.

Original url:

<https://www.themoscowtimes.com/2014/01/23/gas-explosion-at-kemerovo-coal-mine-kills-2-a31383>