

An aerial photograph of the New York City skyline, featuring a dense cluster of skyscrapers. The Empire State Building is the most prominent structure in the center. The city is situated on a peninsula, with water visible in the foreground. The sky is overcast with light clouds.

Skyscrapers of New York.

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Met Life Tower



The Metropolitan Life Insurance Company Tower (also Met Life Tower) – the highest building of New York with 1909 for 1913. On February, 6th, 1978 the building has been added in the register of historical places of the USA. Height of a structure of 213 meters (52 floors). In 1913 in New York it has been constructed Woolworth Building (246m.) which has in turn surpassed in height Met Life Tower on 33 meters. On Met Life Tower there are 4 dials of hours on 8 meters in diameter, the size of figures – 1,2 meters in height. The minute hand of hours weighs 500 kg. In 2002 the system of illumination which highlights a building seasonally and significant events has been integrated into a building.

MetLife Building

MetLife Building (to 1981 Pan Am Building) – a skyscraper in the USA, in Manhattan between 44 and 45 streets, Vanderbilt of the Avenue and DePew Place, it is equipped by a platform for landing of helicopters, but after accident with five victims in 1977 was it is repeatedly closed. The design of a building has been based on the non-realized project of a skyscraper in Algeria architect Le Corbusier.

Building building has begun in 1960 and has ended in 1963. The building has 60 floors and is on 11 place on height among skyscrapers of New York.

To 1981 in a building airline Pan American World Airways management has been located. About 1981 building has redeemed Metropolitan Life Insurance Company in this connection its name has exchanged.



Daily News Building



The building of the Daily-news also known as the Building of the News, once was residence of the New York newspaper of the Daily-news. It is known as model for heads of the fantastic newspaper of Daily-planets in which the Superman worked as journalist Clark Kenta. Constructed in 1929, it was residence of the New York branch of the newspaper to the middle of 1990th years.

The skyscraper in style art-deko is located in East 42nd Street, the house 220. Issued by architect Raymond Hood, the building is one of the first skyscrapers without decorative top because of what many see in it the predecessor of the Center Rockefeller.

The skyscraper is named by National Historical Sight in 1989

In the News Building News-TV branch WPIX, and also WQCD, a jazz of station of the News working under name WPIX-FM once settled down. Shortly after partner Njus Company Tribjun has received control over WQCD, the station has been sold companies Emmis-Kommjunktejshn.

Trump Tower



Trump-tower (English Trump Tower) (also it is known as «a tower of Trampa») – a 68-storeyed skyscraper in New York (height 202). It is located on the Fifth avenue with crossing of 56th street. It is used in the mixed format (offices, hotel, apartments). The skyscraper is designed by Donald Trampom and Equitable Life Assurance Company. Construction building has been ended on November, 30th, 1983.