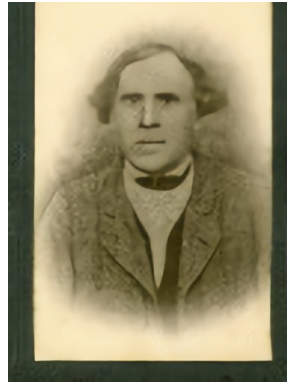


Anša Dinsbergs



Founded/Born

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1817 - 1893

Closed/Death

Still active?

no

Description

In 1859, Ansis Dinsbergs, a teacher and organist at Dundaga Evangelical Lutheran Church, along with three assistants, constructed the church's organ. At that time, organ building in churches was still monopolized by German craftsmen, making the Dundaga organ an exception.

Sources

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Dundaga, Dundagas evanģēliski luteriskā baznīca

8, Pils iela, 3270 Dundaga, Latvia



Builder	A. Dinsberģs
Year	1859
Period/Style	Romantic
Stops	15
Keyboards	2+P
Keyaction	tracker/mechanical

Description

These are the only surviving organs built by the first Latvian organ builder, Ansis Dinsbergs. The organ prospect is crafted in a distinctive pseudo-Baroque style.

The original wooden pipes have been completely preserved, while from the metal pipes, only the bass end of the Gedeckt 4' remains. The other metal pipes were likely replaced with pipes from the A. Laukhuff factory in 1921. The instrument is built robustly and solidly.

Unusually, the disposition includes three Gedeckt registers. Currently, the key action of the first manual is particularly heavy, and there are also issues with the air supply.

Stoplist/Disposition

Hauptwerk	Oberwerk	Pedal
Bourdon 16'	Salicional 8'	Principalbass 16'
Principal 8'	Zartflöte 8'	Subbass 16'
Gamba 8'	Gedeckt 8'	Octavbass 8'
Flöte 8'	Gemshorn 4'	
Gedeckt 8'		
Octave 4'		
Gedeckt 4'		
Octave 2'		

Additional: Pedal Coppel, Manual Coppel, Calcant, Windfall

Sources

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