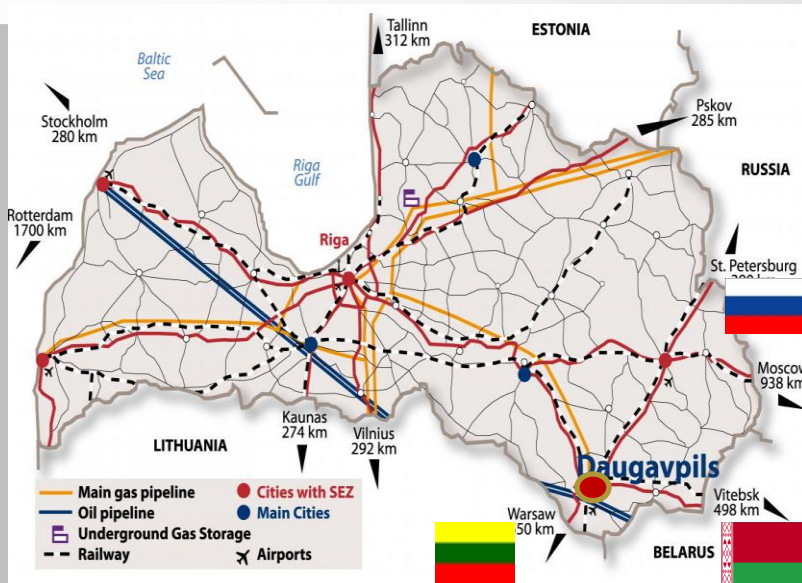


Daugavpils



Daugavpils – second largest city in Latvia at the Eastern border of EU



Lithuania – 25 km
Belarus – 35 km
Russia – 120 km

Important cross-border center of industry, transportation, commerce, services, education, culture and tourism.



Dünaburg – castle on the Düna river



738 anniversary in 2013

1275

Master of Livonian Order
Ernst von Ratzeburg
established the castle of **Dünaburg**



Body armor used by the Livonian Order



on the trade route “from Vikings to Greeks” (river Daugava)

Daugavpils since 1920



1925



1275 - 1656

1656 - 1667

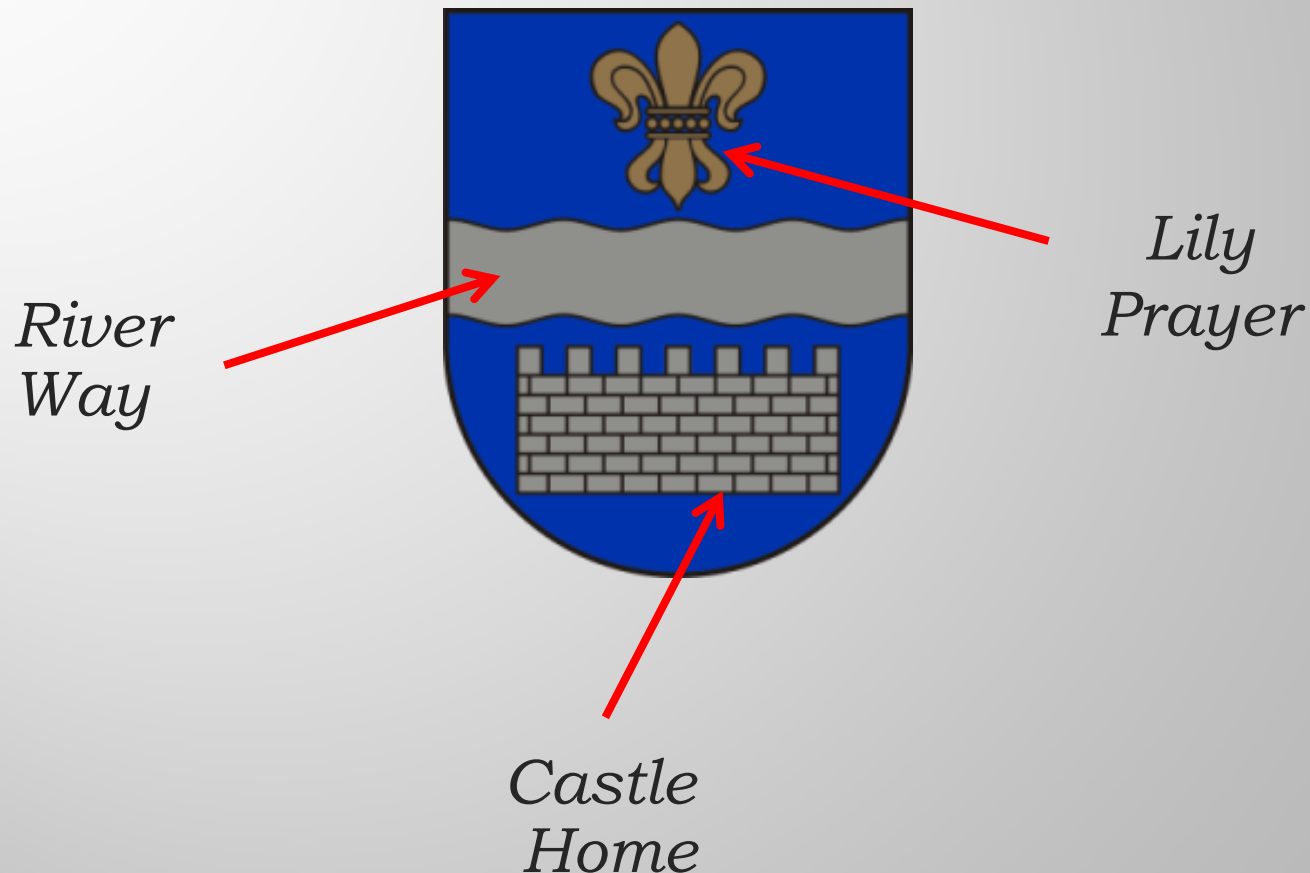
1667 - 1893

1893 - 1920

since 1920

Dünaburg – Борисоглебск – Dünaburg – Двинск – Daugavpils

The Coat of Arms of the City of Daugavpils



1275 - Castle of Düna was first mentioned in historical chronicles

1582 - Düna was granted town rights by King of Poland Stephen Bathory according to Magdeburger law

Church Hill

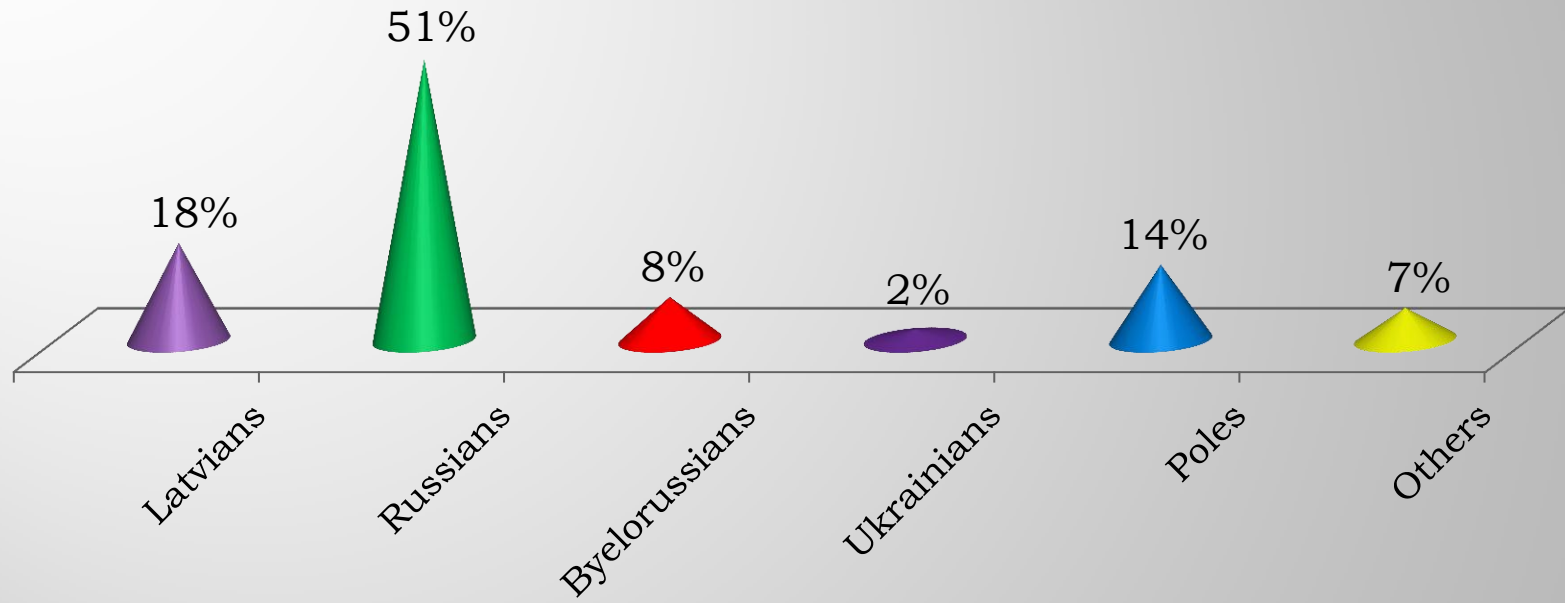
unique sacral place in Daugavpils



Four churches of different confessions stand side by side:

- St. Boris and Gleb Cathedral (1905)
- Martin Luther Cathedral (1893)
- The Roman Catholic Church of Blessed Virgin Mary's birth (1902)
- The House of prayer of the First Old-Believers' Community (1908)

Population of Daugavpils - 100 003



source: Latvia citizenship and immigration bureau, 01.01.2013



Daugavpils Polish society is the largest and strongest among Latvian cities



Daugavpils is the home town of 14000 poles
The Centre of Polish Culture was established 1997
Polish national society has 300 members

In 2005 the polish national society was awarded with bronze statue from Polish journalist club
In 2012 polish ensemble "Kukuleczka" was awarded by polish TV "Polonia"
for "Popularization of Polish culture outside of Poland"



Center of Polish Culture

In 1930 the building of Polish House was purchased by the collected means of local poles.

Polish national society "Promień",
Children folklore group "Kukuleczka",
Children theater



Do zobaczenia na Międzynarodowym Festiwalu Polskiego Folkloru!



J.Pilsudska Daugavpils state polish school

1991 - The school was established
2014 - 430 school children



Polish state investments in Daugavpils

2008 - 2011

- Reconstruction of Polish secondary school (525 196)
- Reconstruction of Polish kindergarten (53 664 €)
- Reconstruction of Polish House





On September 11th 2010 the President of Poland **Bronisław Komorowski** and the president of Latvia **Valdis Zatlers** visited Daugavpils



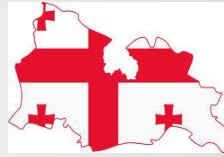
Daugavpils Cooperation and Twin-Cities



Magdeburg
(Germany)



Panevėžys
(Lithuania)



Batumi
(Georgia)



Alaverdi
(Armenia)



Kharkov
(Ukraine)



Daugavpils
(Latvia)



Ramla
(Israel)



Motala
(Sweden)



Harbin
(China)



**Central Administration District of Moscow,
Naro-Fominsk, Saint-Petersburg,
Pskov, Magnitogorsk** (Russia)



Babruysk, Lida, Vitebsk, Braslav
(Belarus)



Radom
(Poland)

Daugavpils – city of students



Daugavpils university

–largest regional university in Latvia



Daugavpils University

- 2 380 students

Riga International Economic
and Business Administration
High School

- 193 students

Riga Technical University

- 280 students

Institute
for Transport and Logistic

- -200 students

7741 students (2013/2014) – high and professional schools)

10 high schools

6 professional schools

Development of Daugavpils university



€ 23 784 712
LVL 16 715 991

- Increasing quality of educational programs
- Providing accessibility
- Construction of new laboratory Building for natural and technical sciences
- Purchasing contemporary equipment

Daugavpils - center of education



Daugavpils State
Technical School
– 1743 students



Daugavpils professional
construction school
– 983 students



Daugavpils professional
trade school
– 424 students



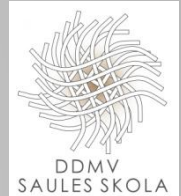
Daugavpils medical college
– 280 students

Daugavpils - center of education

Music school
515 students



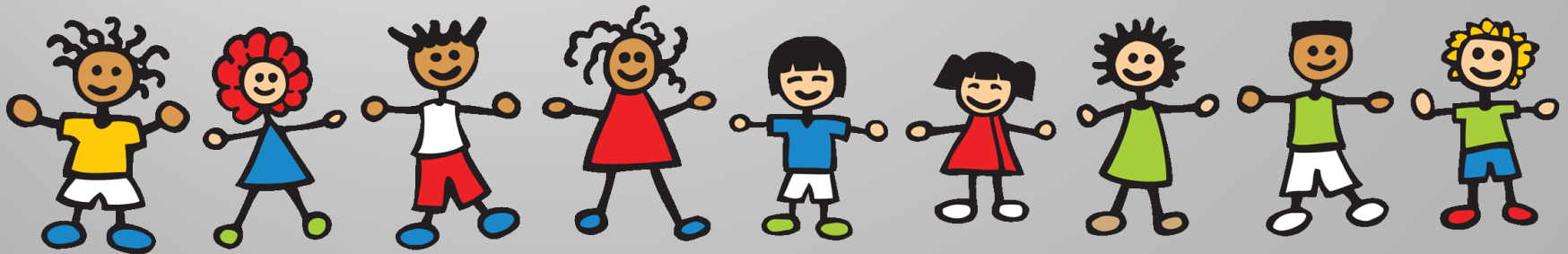
Art school
«Saules skola»
340 students



Daugavpils - center of education

29 kindergartens – 4517₍₊₁₇₎ children

18 schools – 8756 pupils



Development of infrastructure of educational institutions



- Energy efficiency of public buildings
- Improving yards and sports playgrounds
- Acquisition of modern technical learning devices

LVL 8 461 747 schools

LVL 2 837 101

kindergartens

II section



Daugavpils municipal investment portfolio

Total financing volume 187,6 mil €, planning period 2007-2013

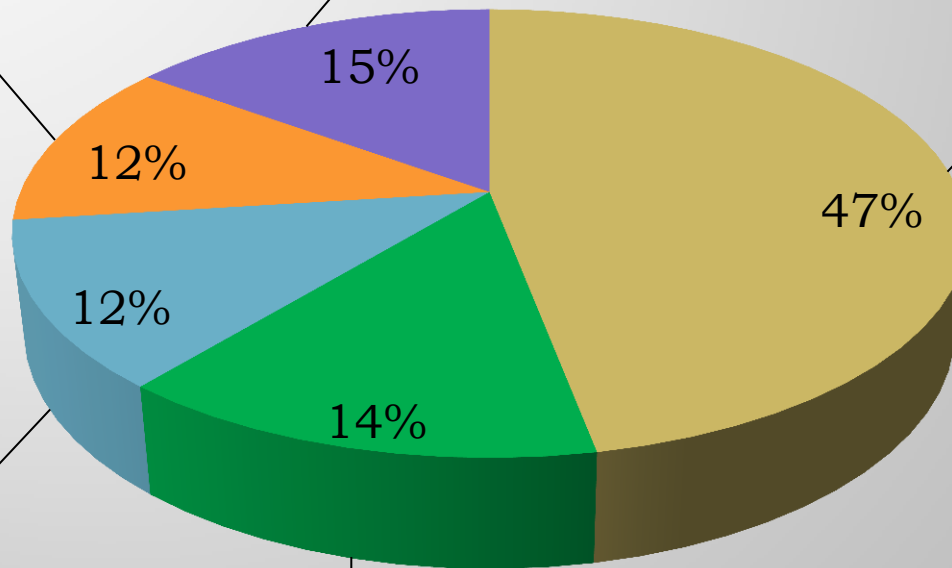
Medical and social
infrastructure
€ 21 168 977
LVL 14 818 284

Central heating and
water supply
infrastructure
€ 27 941 777
LVL 19 559 244

Transport
infrastructure
€ 88 051 146
LVL 61 635 802

Tourism, culture and
sport infrastructure
€ 22 007 731
LVL 15 405 412

Infrastructure of
educational
institutions
€ 28 387 871
LVL 19 871 510



€ 187 557 503

LVL 131 290 252

Planning period

2007 - 2013

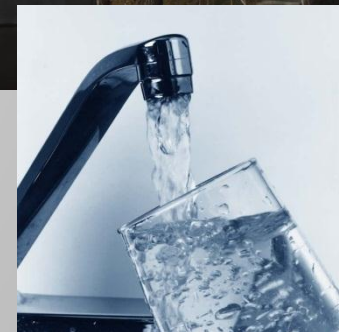
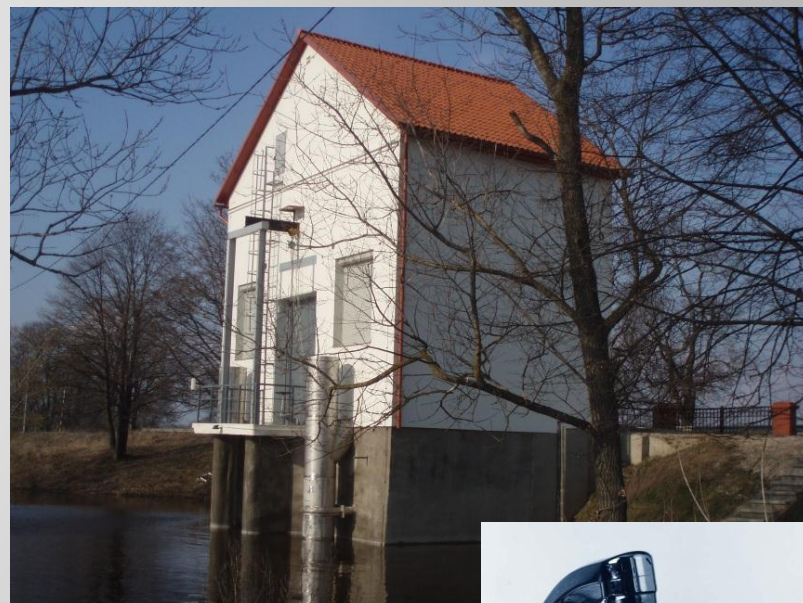
Reconstruction of city roads



€ 9 812 579
LVL 6 868 805

I and II section

Development of central water supply system



Sewage treatment plants
Reconstruction of water supply network

€ 21 506 684
LVL 15 054 679

III section

Development of central heat supply system



€ 923 510
LVL 646 457

ул. Лиепаяс, Старые Стropy



Jauna katlu māja Kalkunos

€ 2 189 733
LVL 1 532 813

Новое строение, Химия, Центр

Reconstruction of heat supply network
Reconstruction of heat production stations

Development of trams -environmental friendly public transport



€ 18 155 234
LVL 12 708 664



Reconstruction of rails
and acquisition of tramcars

Development of medical institutions

Daugavpils regional hospital



Maternity hospital



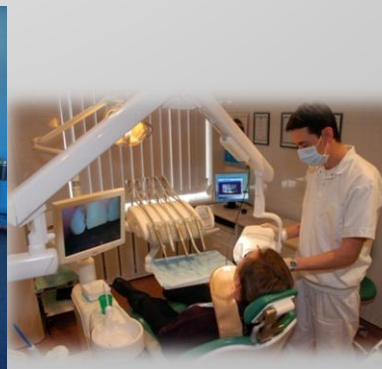
Ambulatory health center



Psycho-neurological hospital and outpatient center



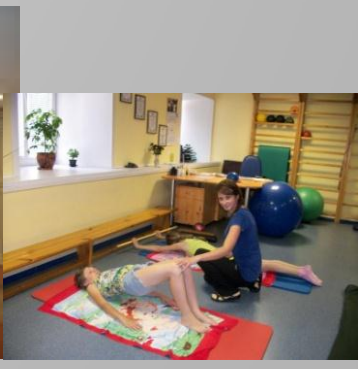
Mobile mammography lab



Dentistry health center



Children's health center



Daugavpils Theater

– the oldest professional theater in Latvia



Plays in Latvian, Russian and Latgalian languages

Daugavpils historical center – “UNITY HOUSE”



€ 1 156 944
LVL 833 000

Home of International festivals



International spiritual music festival
“Silver Bells”



International Jazz Festival
“JAZZ JOY SPRING”



International Mask tradition festival



Daugavpils historical center - RIGA STREET

Car-free zone

First in Latvia Pedestrian street - PROMENADE



Daugavpils historical center - DUBROVIN Park



Daugavpils CENTRAL park



Love tree



Bench alley

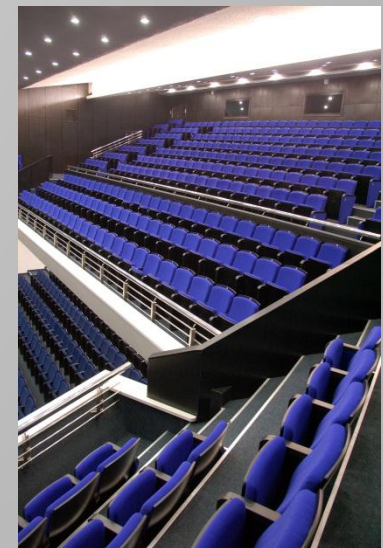


DAUGAVPILS PALACE of CULTURE

Promoting of cross border cultural activities
2009-2010, ERDF, 1 110 703 LVL
Palace of Culture in Daugavpils



International Circus Festival
for Young Artists "PARAD ALLE"

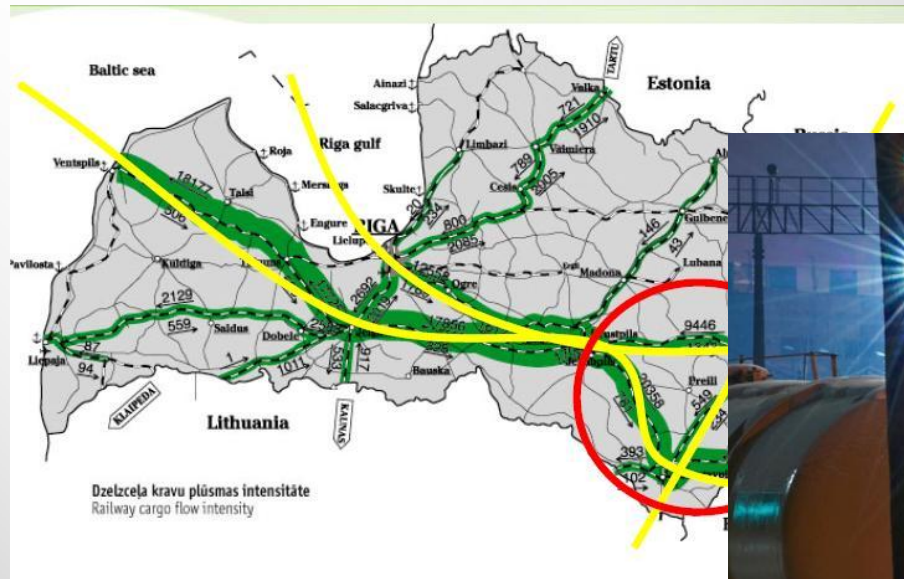


Historically Daugavpils has been developing as industrial city

First railway in Latvia, 1861
Saint-Petersburg – Daugavpils – Warsaw



Logistic Hub at the Eastern border of EU



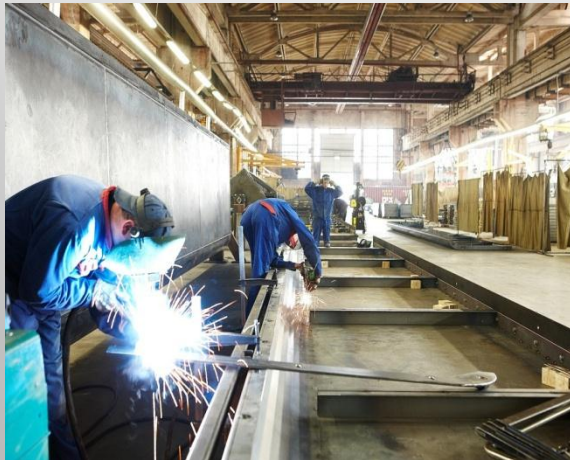
3500 jobs



Daugavpils railway freight turnover
2 Mil. cargo cars / year

Largest production sectors of Daugavpils

- Metal processing
- Locomotive and railway rolling stock repair service
- Production of food and beverages



29%

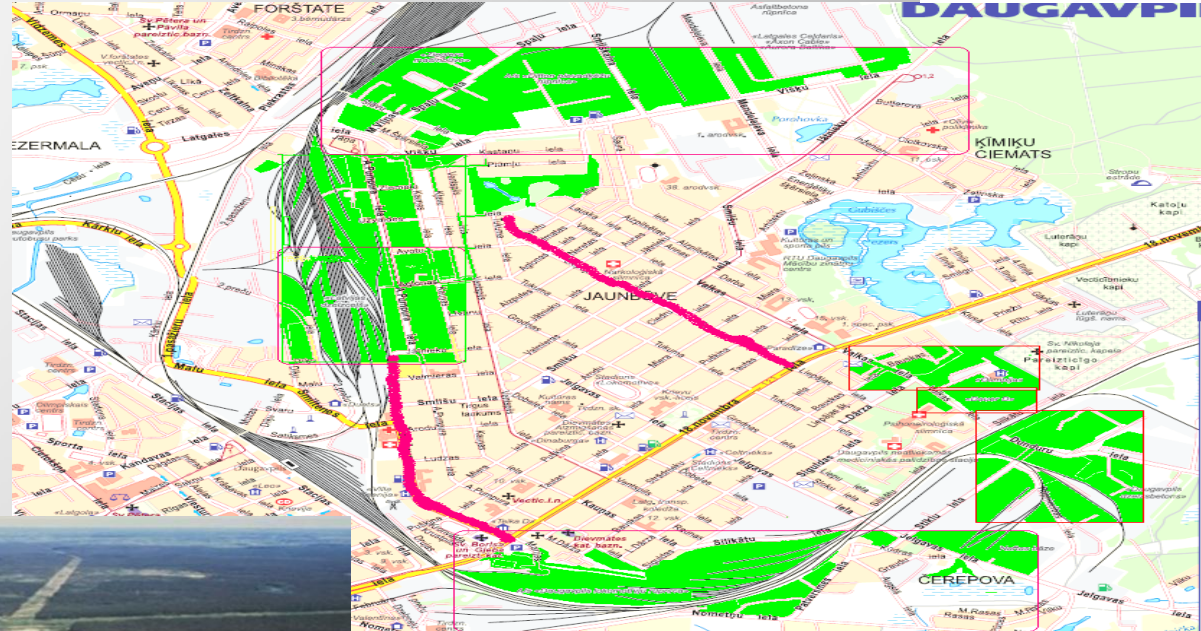


24%



16%

Accessibility of Daugavpils industrial zones



€ 3 945 970

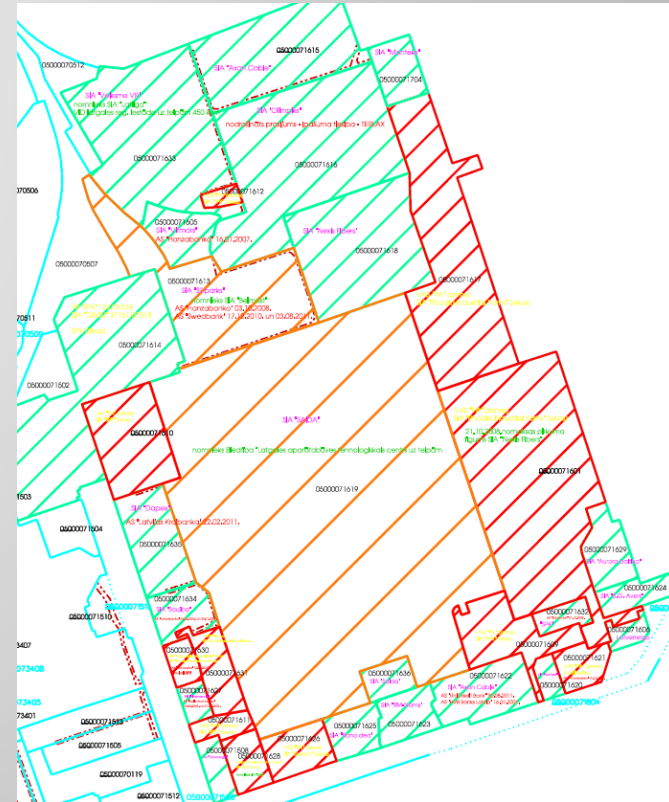
LVL 2 762 179

Liepājas un Varšavas ielas

Development of “Northern” Industrial Zone



18 enterprises
1200 jobs



- Engineering and technical communications
- Lighting
- Landscaping
- Driveways

€ 4 472 342
LVL 3 130 640

Daugavpils airport



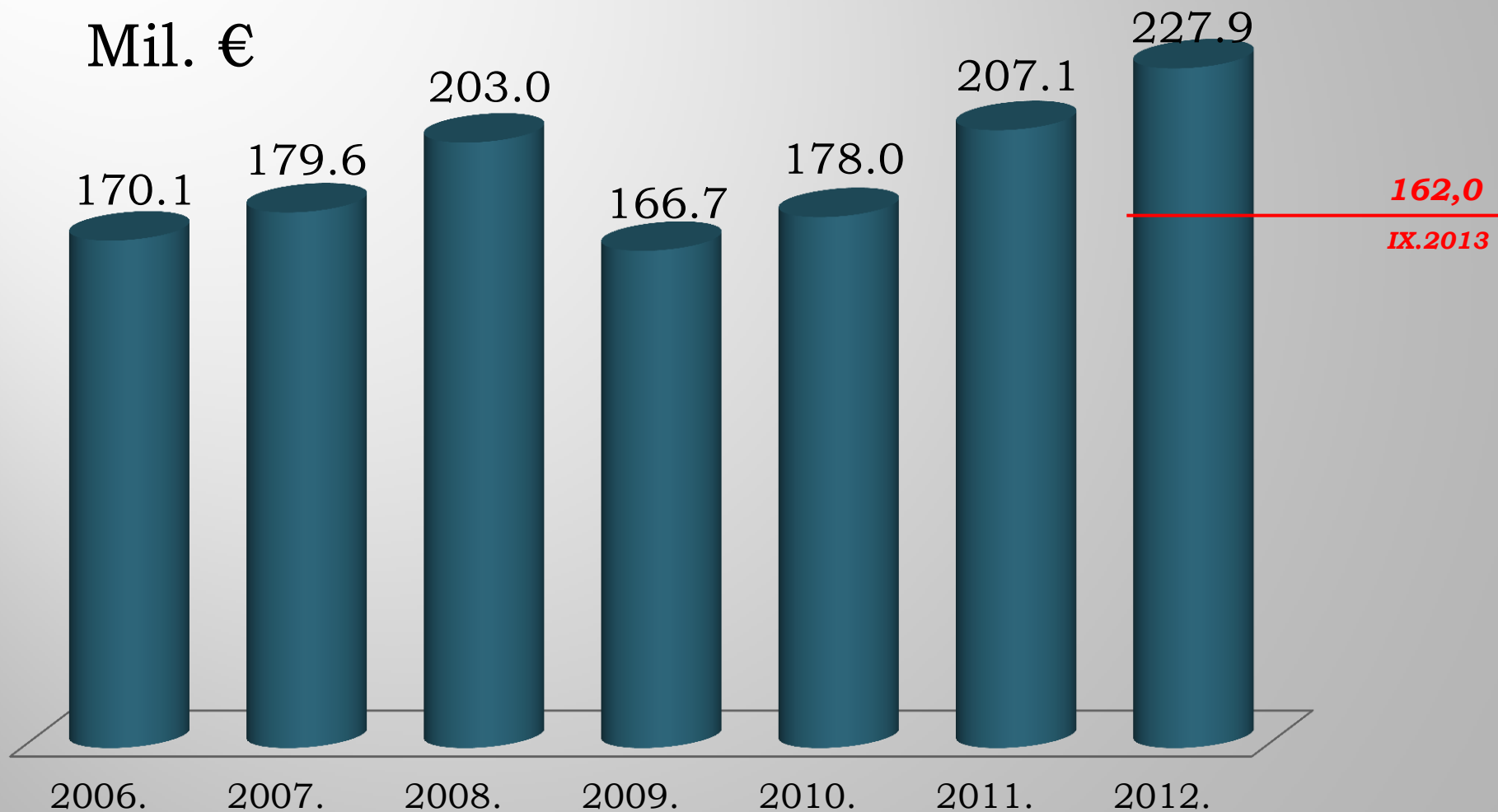
- Development vision – *to become an international regional airport providing services for regular national and international air traffic, business, charter and private aviation flights, offering passenger, cargo and mail transportation to Baltic States, Scandinavian, Western European and CIS countries.*



**Sport,
medical,
agricultural,
military
flight**

Volume of industrial production in Daugavpils

(actual prices, city council data)





Green industries



Sia «Eko Iso»



Recycling
Sludge energy
Peat energy
Fuel pellets from biomass

Sia «Ecostep Baltic»



AS „Daugavpils Lokomotīvu Remonta Rūpnīca”

the biggest company in Baltic states
which overhauls and modernizes rolling stock
and manufactures spare parts



1145 employees



Daugavpils Locomotive Repair Plant

A/S «Ditton pievadkēžu rūpnīca»

large enterprise with old historical traditions in driving chains manufacturing around Europe and Asia

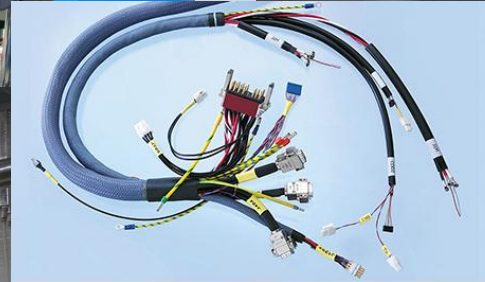


342 employees



Ditton Driving Chain Factory

SIA «Axon Cable » *in Daugavpils since 2000*



396 employees



Manufacturing of high quality cable assemblies for medical, military and aerospace industry



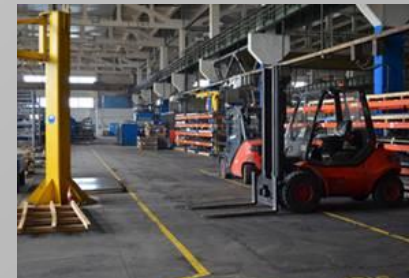
SIA «Zieglera Mašīnbūve» *in Daugavpils since 1999*



384 employees



Daugavpils in Latvia is the location for machine construction and automotive technology (agricultural machinery, parking sensors)





SIA «Nexis Fibers» *in Daugavpils since 2000*



108 employees



Manufacturing of high-strength polyamide technical yarns

SIA «Magistr»

227 employees



Manufacturing of ropes, fishing nets and gear

Dauer group SIA «BM Industrial»

Metal works



96 employees



SIA «Belmast»

Metal works



241 employees



Posts, Masts

East metal *in Daugavpils since 2005*



200 employees



Metal constructions – welding, surface treatment



«Belwood» *in Daugavpils since 2001*



30 employees

One of top ten of Latvian exporters of wooden boards and pallets.
Manufacturing pallet boards and timber, pallets and pallet components,
garden interior equipment: poles, gates and fences

SIA «Dinaburga Tekst»



209 employees



Knitted garments for women, men, children

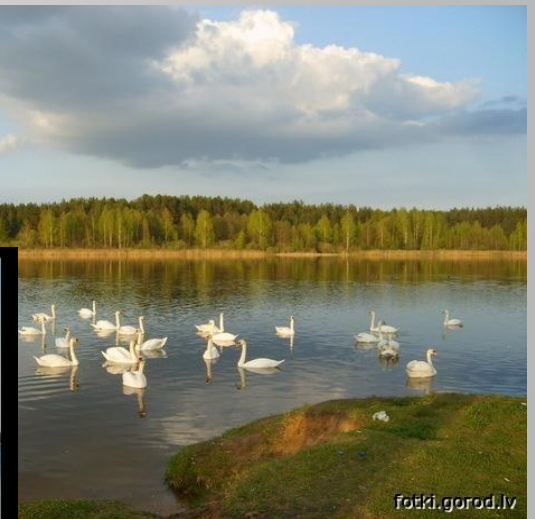


SIA «Regula Baltija» *in Daugavpils since 2001*



Primary activity of the company is **production of devices for authenticity control of security papers**, IDs, passports, banknotes, driving licenses etc. Company also develops software to operate the above mentioned products and databases of travel documents. Magnifiers and compact devices; spectral luminescence magnifiers; banking equipment for currency authentication; portable complex for detection of falsifications of vehicle identification numbers (VIN) by magneto-optical visualization (non-destructive method); mobile laboratories for examination of documents and other security papers; fingerprint scanners.

Latgale – country of blue lakes



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City public beach

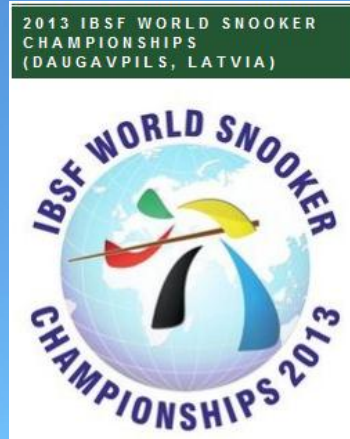
Blue flag – international sign
for environmental quality



outdoor fitness equipment



Multifunctional sport complex



International competitions
Sports possibilities
Family recreation



Speedway sport in Daugavpils

Speedway Grand Prix
of Latvia

August 17th 2013

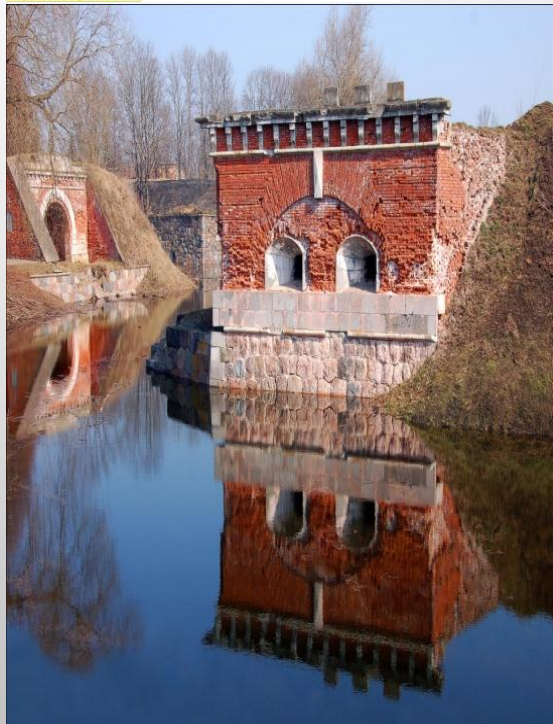


After the construction
Speedway Stadium is
one of the biggest in
Europe.

Daugavpils Fortress – the pearl of cultural and historical heritage



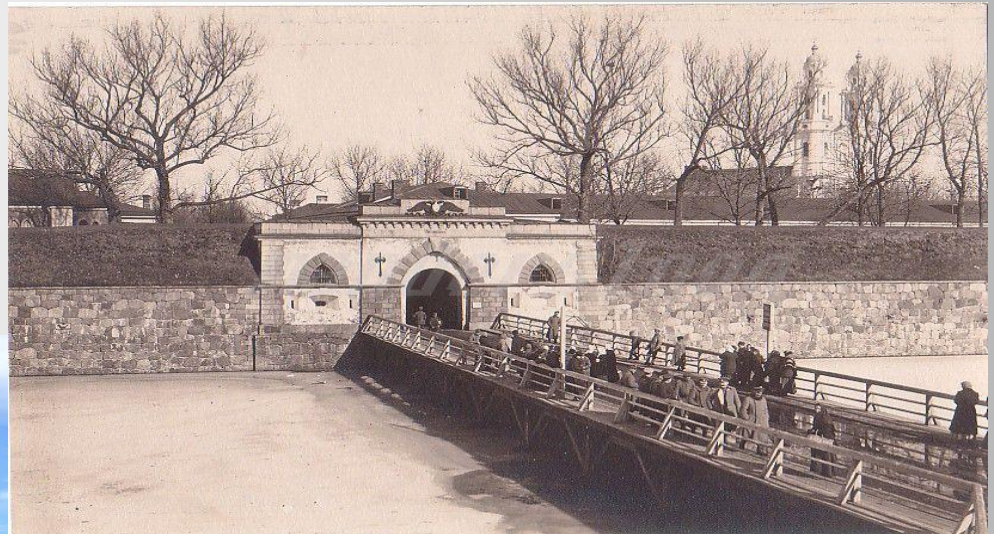
Daugavpils Fortress



€ 29 395 780 LVL 20 577 046
incl. municipal projects
€ 15 395 780 LVL 10 777 046

The only Fortress of early 19th century in Eastern Europe
that has remained virtually unchanged

Reconstruction of Nicholas Street



€ 1 876 776
LVL 1 313 743

State police administration building



Old Water Tower



Tourist Information Center



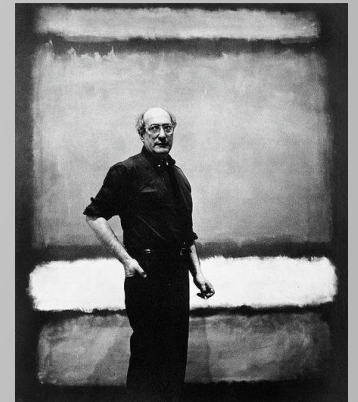
Military arsenal building



Mark Rothko Art Center



Mark Rothko Art Center

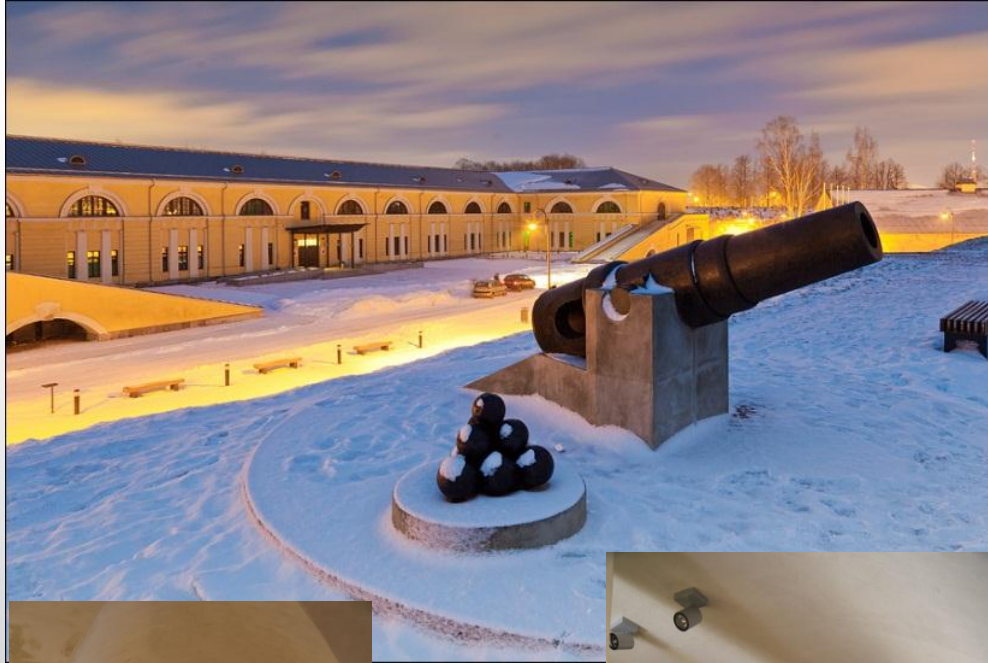


This will be **the only place in Eastern Europe** where world famous artist, founder of **abstract expressionist Mark Rothko original works** will be presented.



€ 6 404 204
LVL 4 482 943

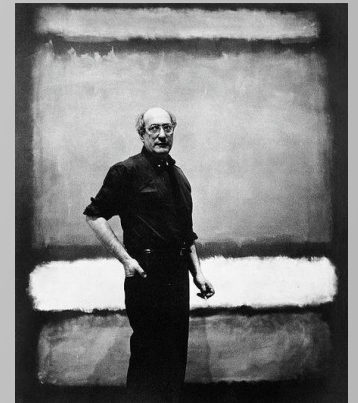
Mark Rothko Art Center



*At the Centre will be **opportunity to see Mark Rothko's art originals** and reproductions, asses' digital exhibition of the artist's life and works.*



Mark Rothko Art Center

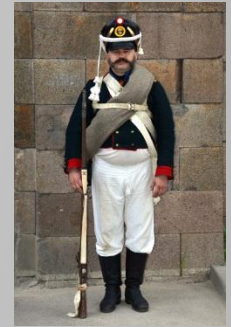


3 thousand visitors

Night of museums

9 months - 90 000 visitors

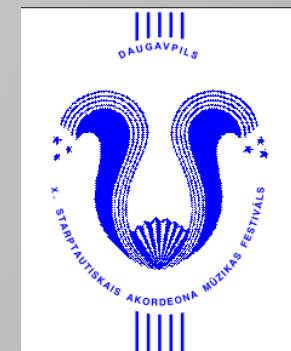
in Daugavpils



night of museums
in Daugavpils



Daugavpils – city of international festivals





Daugavpils City Festival

June 6th-8th, 2014



Musical August in Daugavpils



„Gaudeamus” in Daugavpils June 27th-29th, 2014



*Students' of Baltic
States Song and
Dance Festival
«Gaudeamus»*



DAUGAVPILS welcomes You!



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