



***Jelgava in
figures
2011***



Honorable residents and guests of Jelgava

Jelgava is keeping true in the development course of recent years. Long-term investment programs for city infrastructure, education system, support for business and provision of social services.

In 2010 we have successfully completed the construction of Zemgale Olympic centre, and reconstructed the symbol of Jelgava - St. Trinity church tower. Now they are accessible to all to enjoy. The development of city infrastructure is ongoing.

One of the main factors in the development of the city and the state is the stability and predictability of business environment. Currently we can see positive trends in the GDP growth. The unemployment rate in Jelgava is lower than the national average.

Many of us have faced challenges in the last year, but together we have managed to steer the development of the city in a stable, safe and prosperous direction. To ascertain yourselves of this, I welcome you to read the latest statistics about Jelgava.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "A. Raviņš".

Andris Rāviņš,
Chairman of Jelgava City Council

Briefly About Jelgava

Jelgava is located in the southern part of the Zemgale plain.

It is the fourth largest city in Latvia.

The total area of Jelgava is 60.3 km², of which:

- water covers 2.72 km²
- parks cover 1.62 km²
- forests cover 12.64 km²



Jelgava is the only city in Latvia that contains the country's small coat of arms within its coat of arms. The city received the coat of arms at the same time as it received city rights, in 1573. The first coat of arms depicted a crowned stag head on a raspberry red field, the current coat of arms contains an elk head on a crimson field.



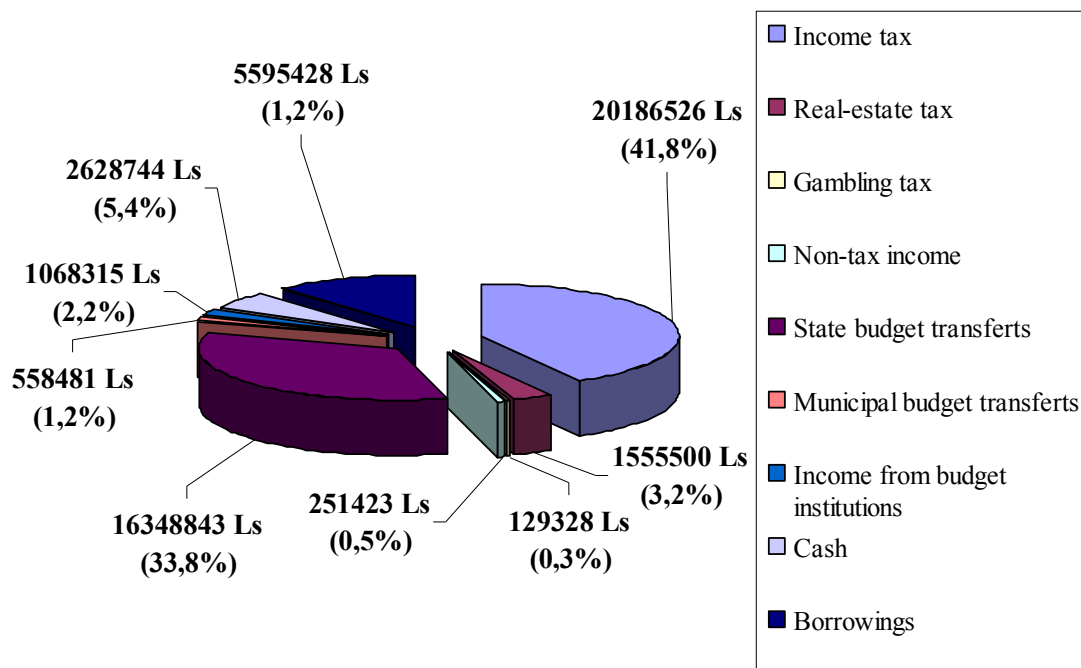
On October 28th, 1938 the city's flag was approved.

The flag is divided into two parts of equal breadth: the upper half is dark blue, the lower – red; in the centre of the flag is the Jelgava city coat of arms.

Distances:

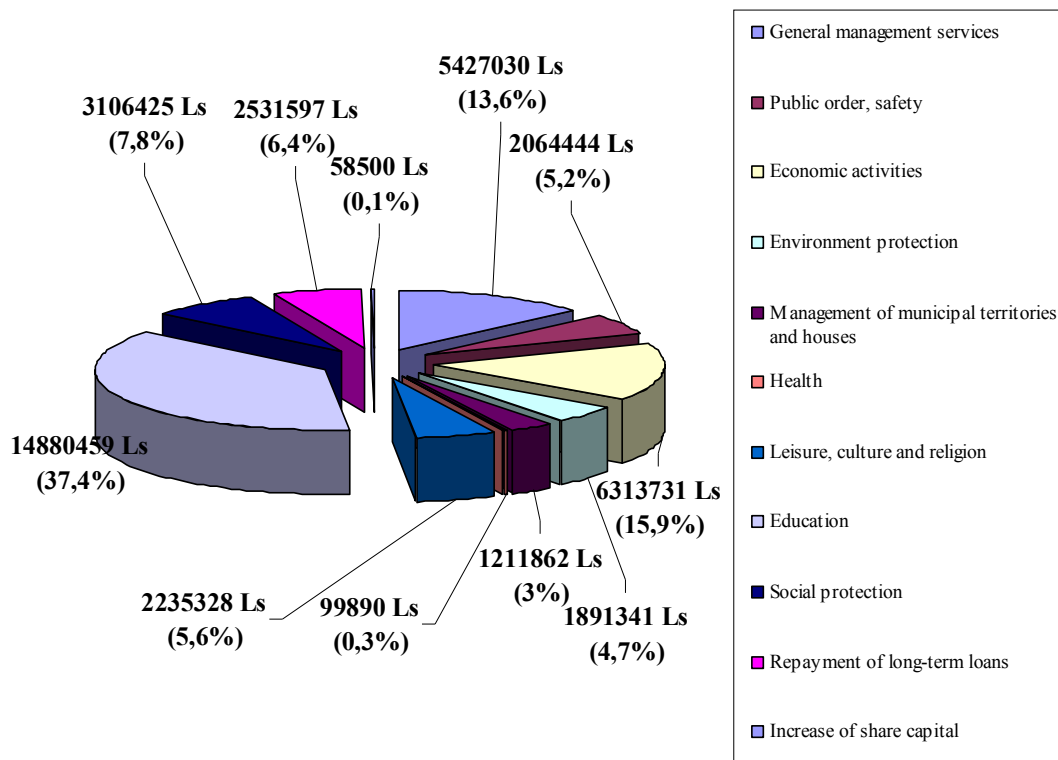
Jelgava – Riga	42 km
Jelgava – Vilnius	295 km
Jelgava – Tallinn	350 km
Jelgava – Moscow	1053 km
Jelgava – Stockholm	482 km
Jelgava – Berlin	1221 km
Jelgava – Venice	1403 km

Budget revenues in 2010, %



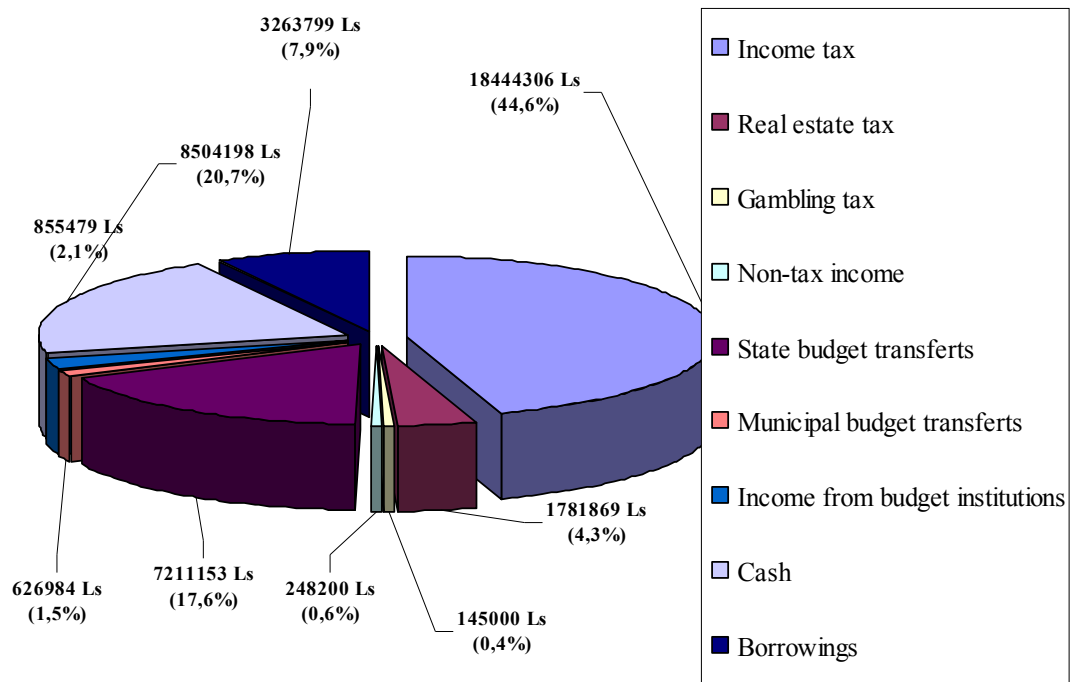
Source: Jelgava city municipality

Budget expenditure in 2010, %



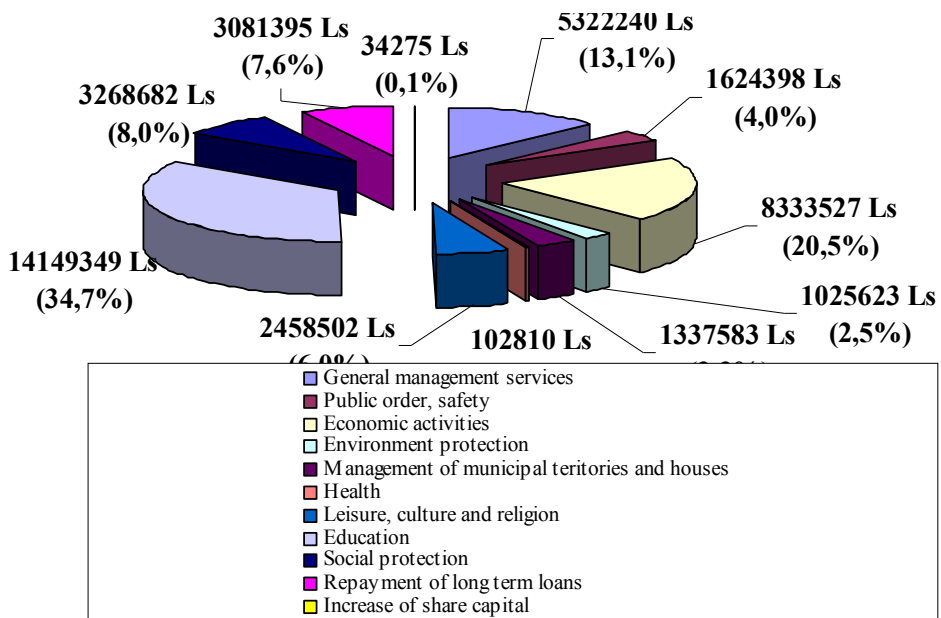
Source: Jelgava city municipality

Planned budget revenues 2011, %



Source: Jelgava city municipality

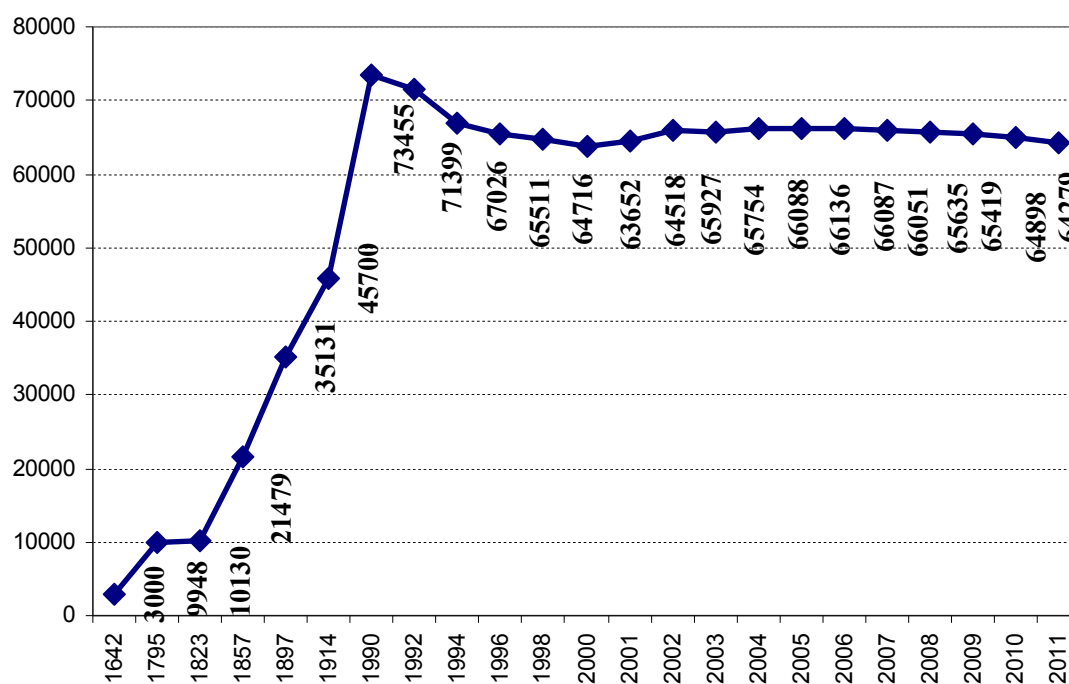
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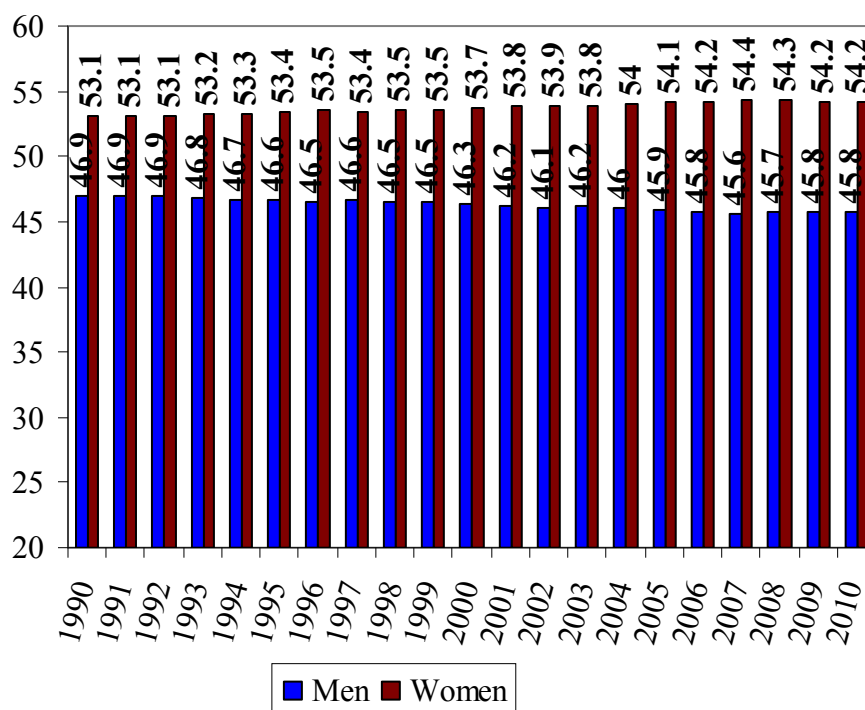
Inhabitants

Inhabitants in Jelgava



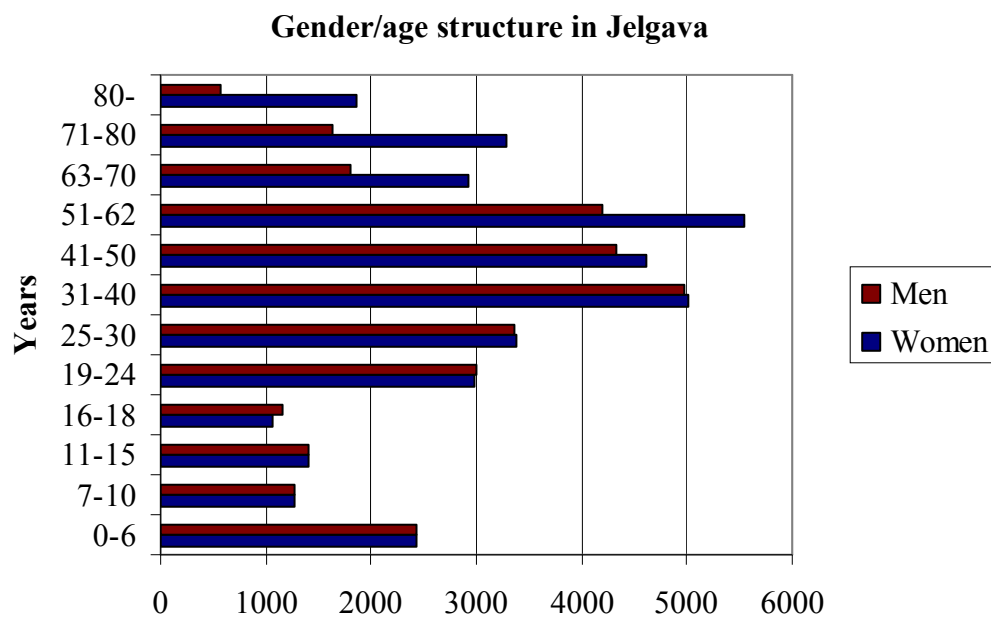
Source: Central Statistical Bureau of the Republic of Latvia

Gender structure in Jelgava, %

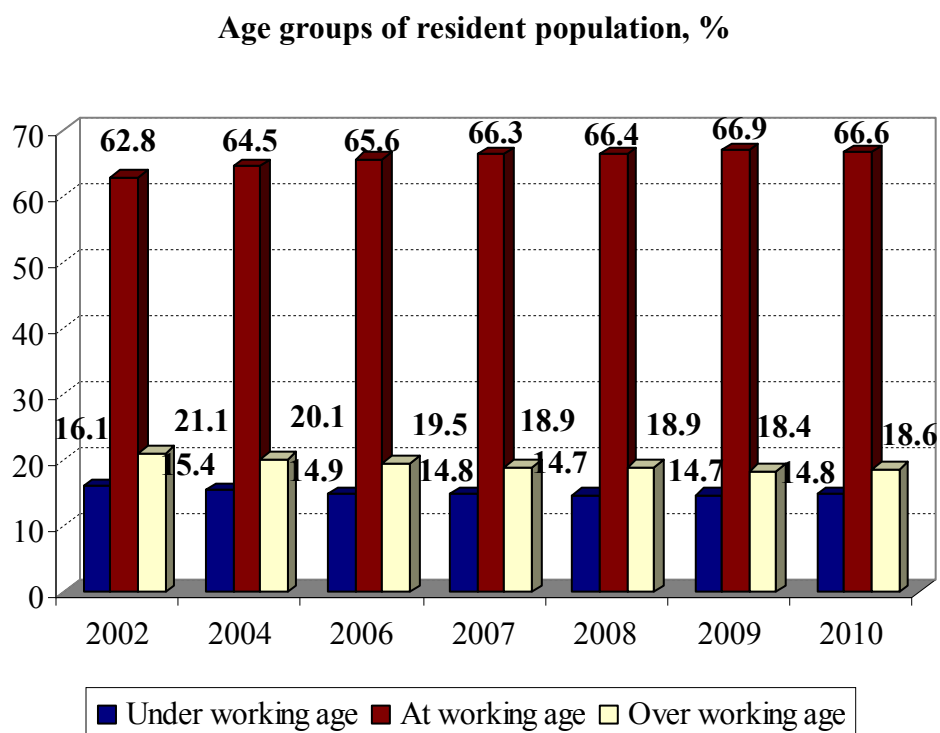


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Source: Jelgava city municipality, data for February 15, 2011



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Division of the Resident Population of Latvia and its Large Cities According to Working Age

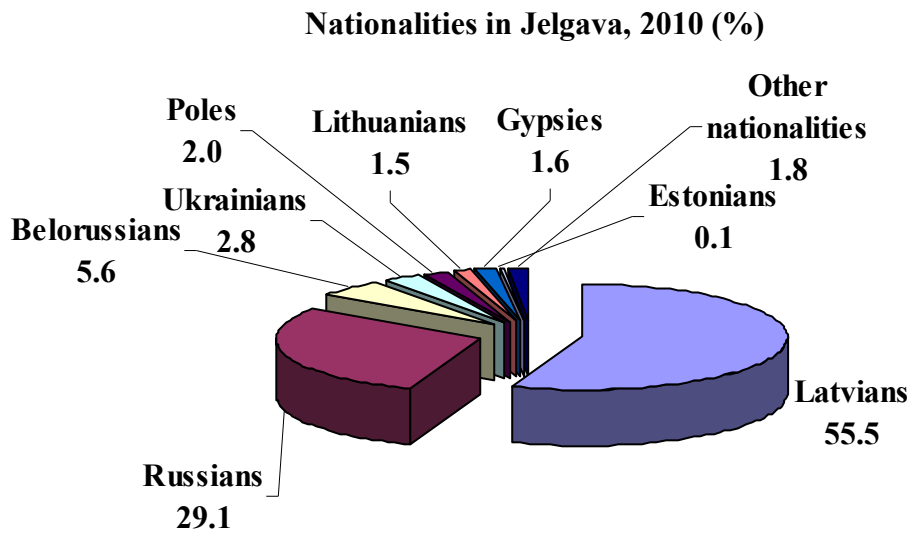
	Division of the Resident Population into Age Groups in 2008		
	below working age, %	of working age, %	above working age, %
Jelgava	14,7	66,4	18,9
Daugavpils	12,0	67,8	20,2
Jūrmala	13,0	65,8	21,2
Liepāja	14,7	64,4	20,9
Rēzekne	13,5	66,9	29,6
Ventspils	13,9	65,8	20,3
Latvija	13,8	65,6	20,6

	Division of the Resident Population into Age Groups in 2009		
	below working age, %	of working age, %	above working age, %
Jelgava	14,7	66,9	18,4
Daugavpils	12,2	68,1	19,7
Jūrmala	13,2	66,2	20,6
Liepāja	14,9	64,8	20,3
Rēzekne	13,5	67,3	19,2
Ventspils	13,8	66,4	19,8
Latvija	13,7	66,2	20,1

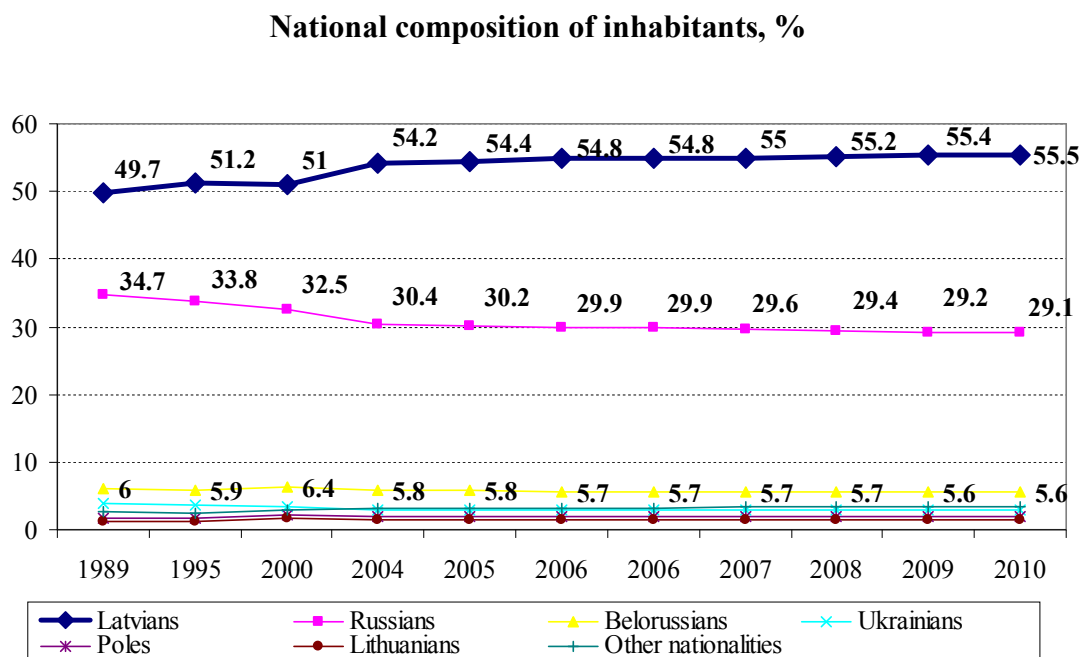
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Jelgava	14,8	66,6	18,6
Rīga	12,7	65,9	21,4
Daugavpils	12,5	67,4	20,1
Jēkabpils	14,7	66,3	19
Jūrmala	13,3	65,9	20,8
Liepāja	14,9	64,6	20,5
Rēzekne	13,8	66,8	19,4
Valmiera	14,6	65,9	19,5
Ventspils	13,9	66	20,1
Latvija	13,8	66	20,2

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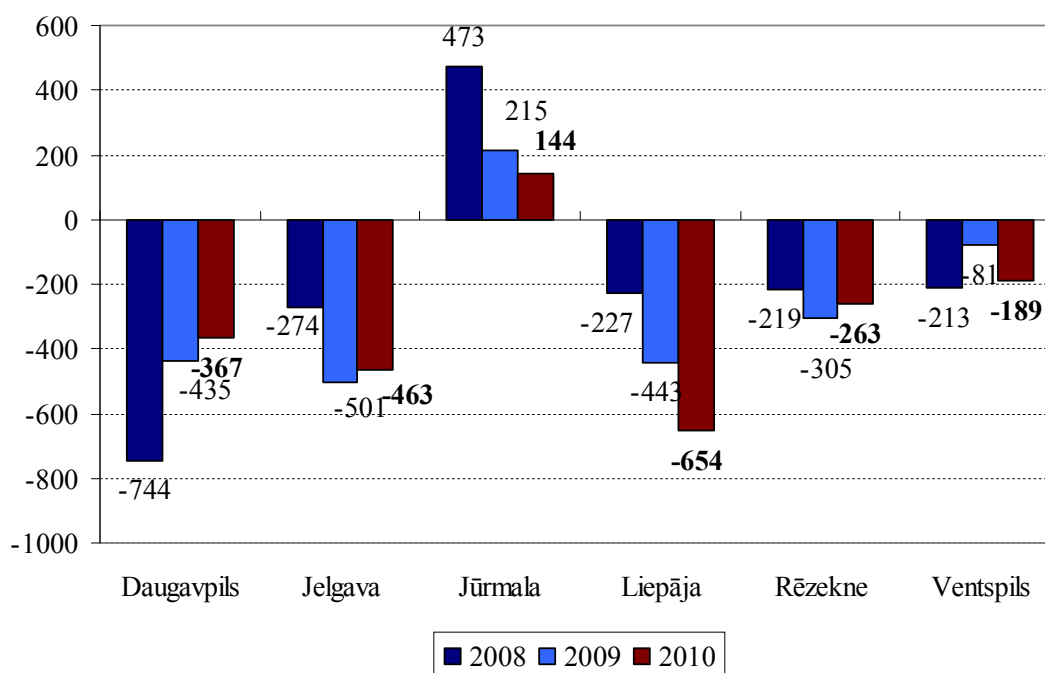
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Migration balance in cities (2008., 2009. and 2010)



Source: Central Statistical Bureau of the Republic of Latvia

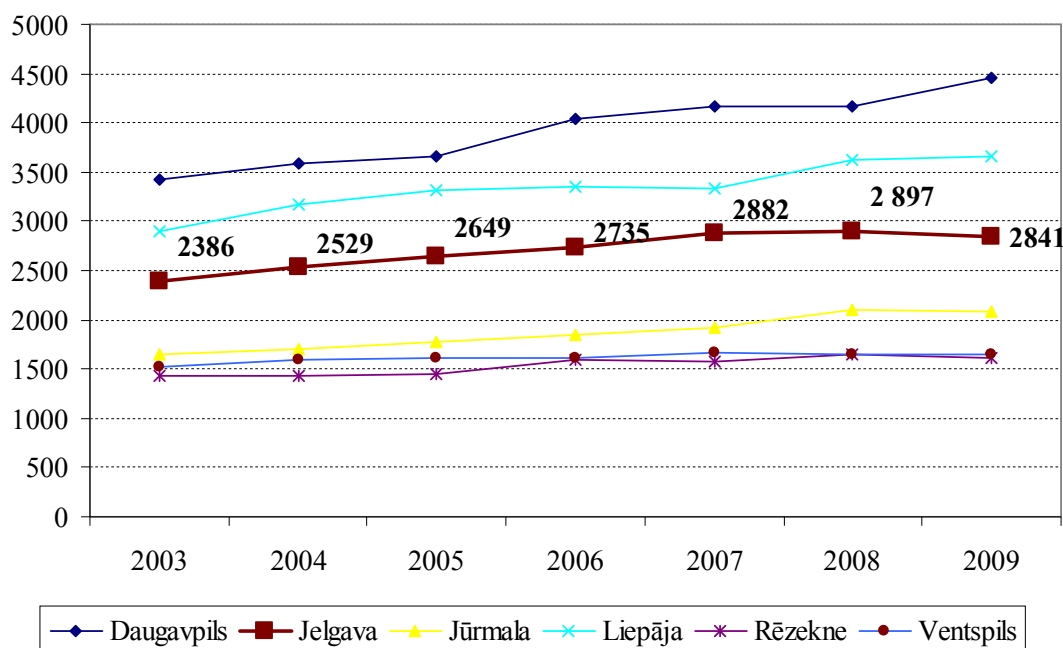
Population Growth in Latvia and the Large Cities of Latvia

	Population Growth per 1000 Inhabitants			Population Growth in 2010	
	2007.gadā	2008.gadā	2009.gadā	Population Growth	Population Growth per 1000 Inhab.
Jelgava	-1,4	0,9	-0,3	-156	-2,4
Daugavpils	-5,9	-3,4	-4,8	-685	-6,7
Jūrmala	-5,4	-3,3	-4,1	-235	-4,2
Liepāja	-3,3	-0,9	-2,7	-359	-4,3
Rēzekne	-4,7	-3,9	-4,1	-289	-8,4
Ventspils	-4,4	-2,9	-3,4	-174	-4,1
Latvija	-4,3	-3,1	-3,6	-10821	-4,9

Source: Central Statistical Bureau of the Republic of Latvia

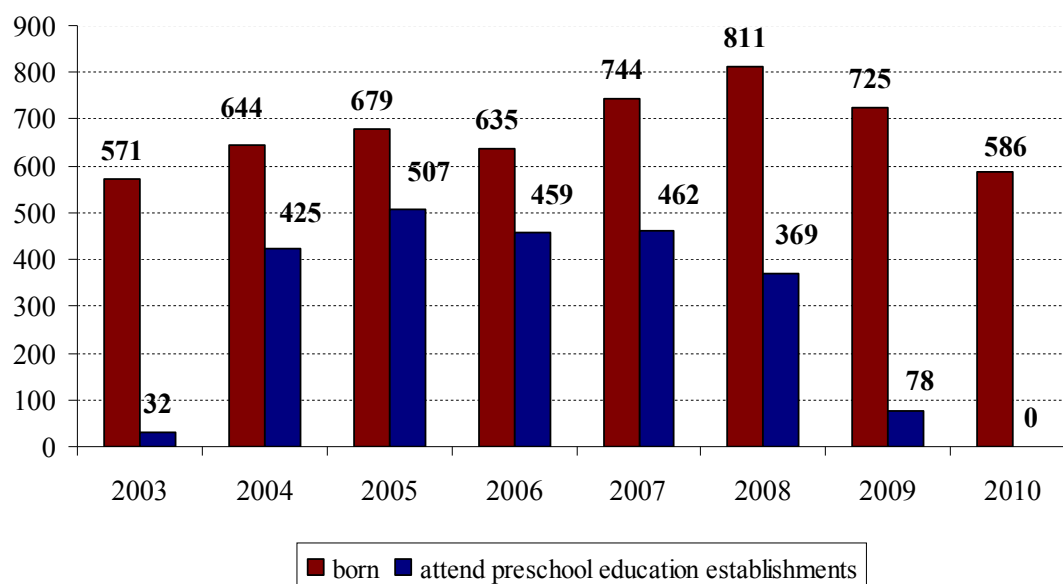
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Children in preschool educational establishments in cities



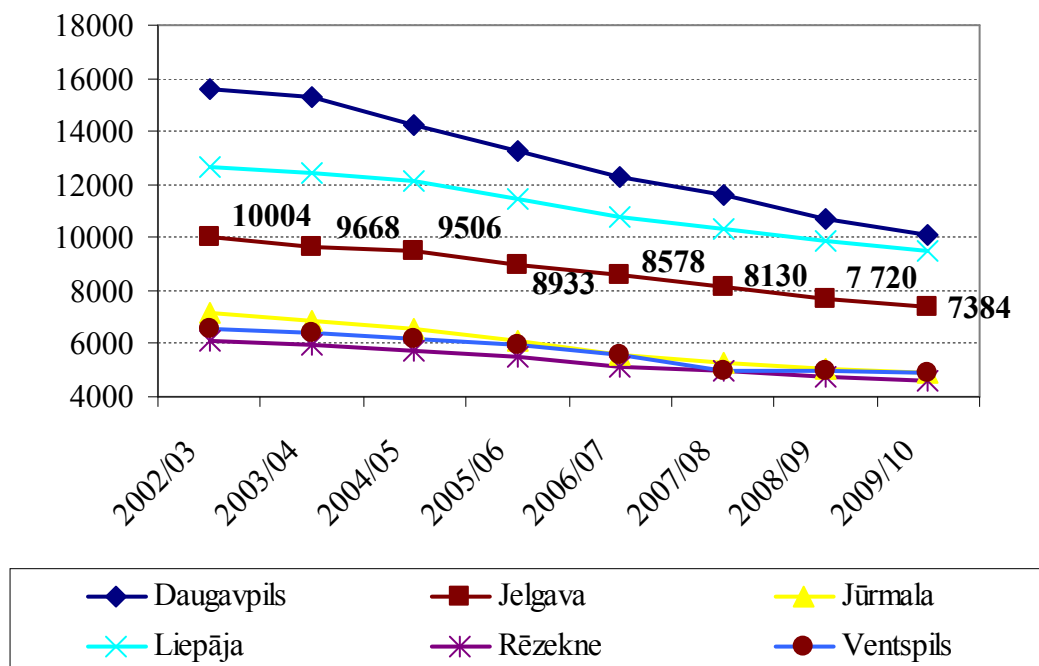
Source: Central Statistical Bureau of the Republic of Latvia

Children attending preschool educational establishments in Jelgava, grouped by Year of birth, school year 2010/11



Source: Jelgava city municipality

Pupils in comprehensive schools in cities



Source: Central Statistical Bureau of the Republic of Latvia

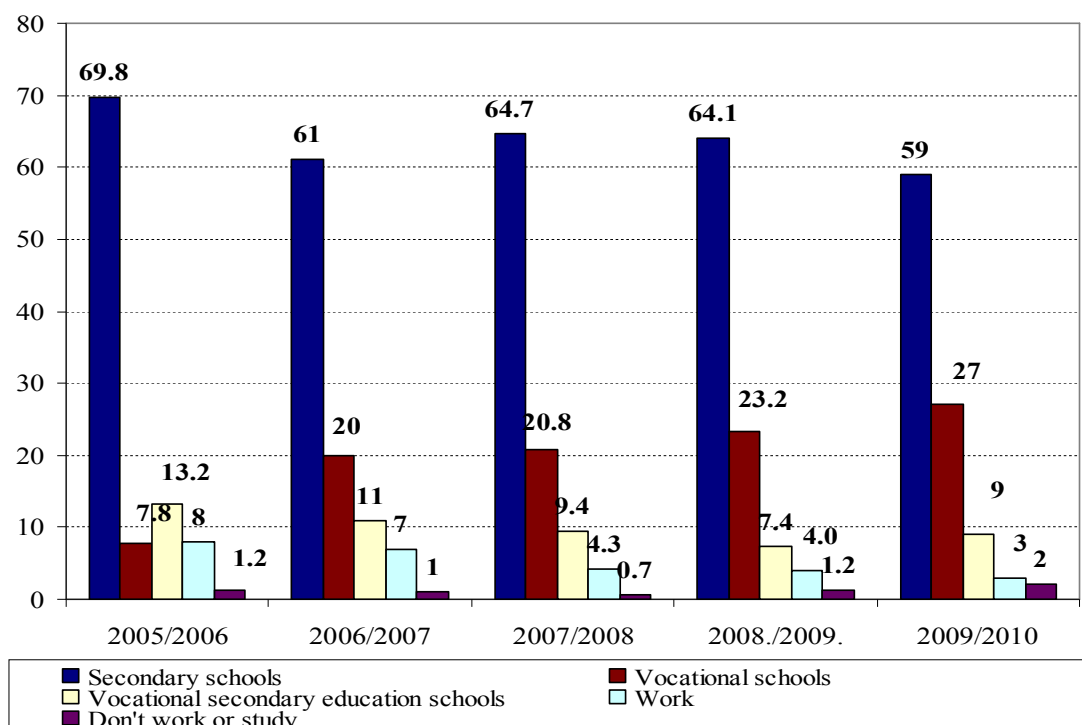
The Number of Students that Graduated Jelgava Trade High School in 2009 and the Qualification They Obtained

No.	Occupation	Number of Graduates
1.	Confectioner	8
2.	Cook	17
3.	Hairdresser	17
4.	Retailing entrepreneur	20
5.	Assistant chef	18
6.	Bread and flour products specialist	9
	Kopā	89

Source: Jelgava city municipality

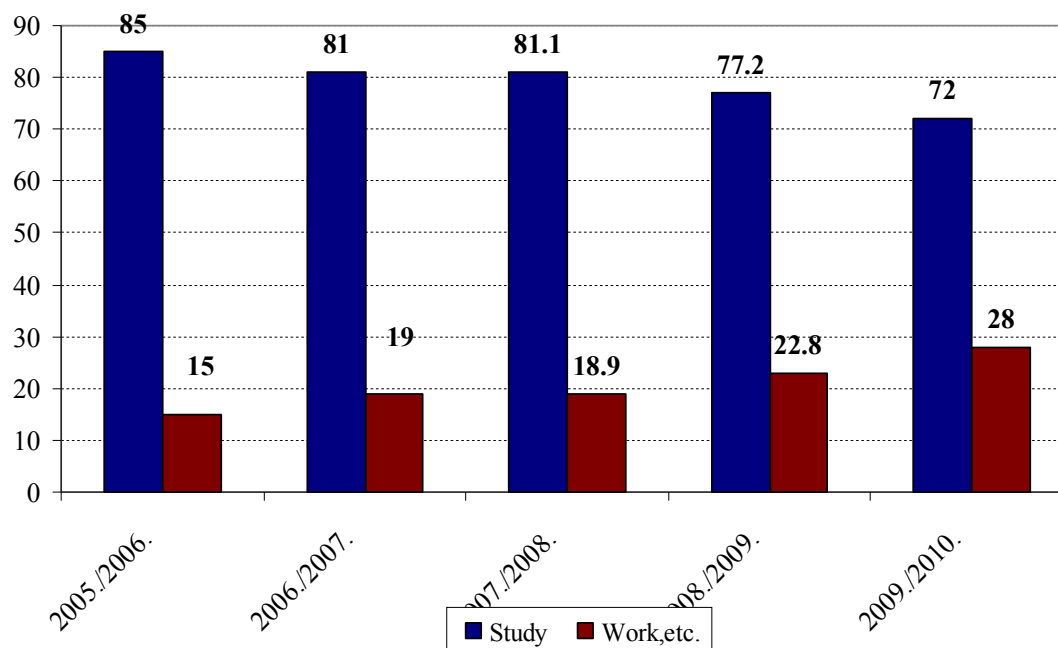
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Number of 9th Grade Graduates from Jelgava that Continue Their Studies, %



Source: Jelgava city municipality

Number of 12th Grade Graduates from Jelgava that Continue Their Studies, %



Source: Jelgava city municipality

Employment

9th Grade Graduates of 2010 from Educational Establishments in Jelgava Continue Their Studies in the 2010/2011 Academic Year

Graduated 9 th Grade	Study		
	Educational Institution	Number	%
626	General Secondary Education Institutions	370	59
	Vocational Education Establishments Total, int. al.	173	27
	Jelgava Trade High School	75	12
	Jelgava Crafts High School	723	11
	Vocational High School Institutions	55	9

Source: Jelgava city municipality

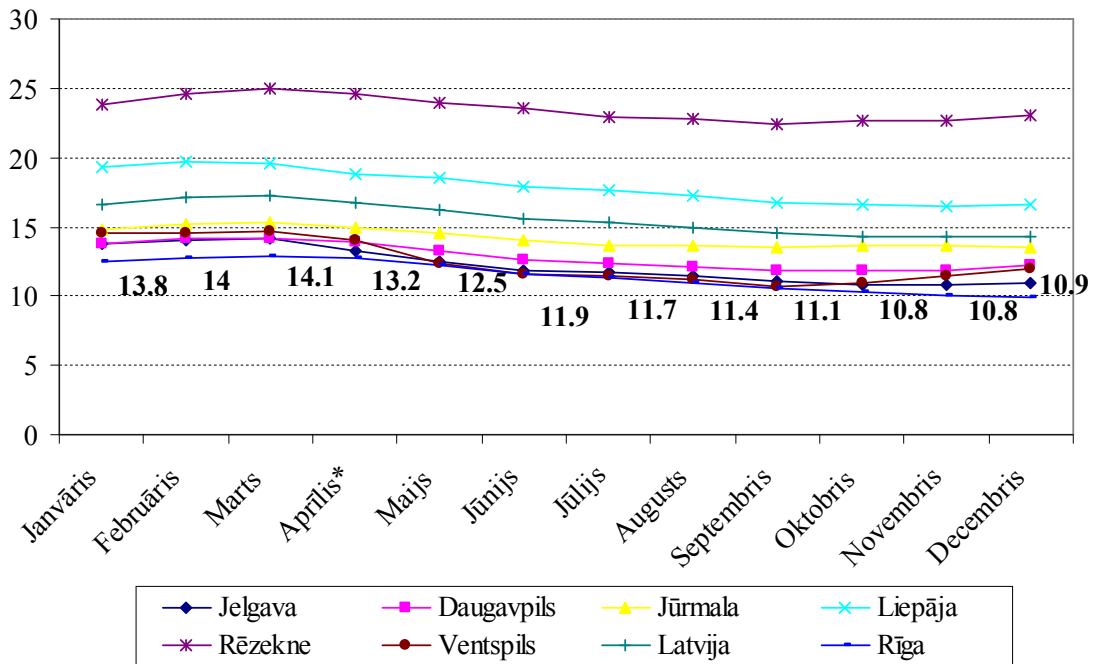
12th Grade Graduates of 2010 from the Educational Establishments in Jelgava Continue Their Studies in the 2010/2011 Academic Year

Graduated 12 th Grade	Study		
	Institutions of Higher Education	Number	%
575	Institutions of Higher Education Total, int. al.	380	66
	LUA	125	22
	1 st Degree Institutions of Higher Vocational Education	35	6

Source: Jelgava city municipality

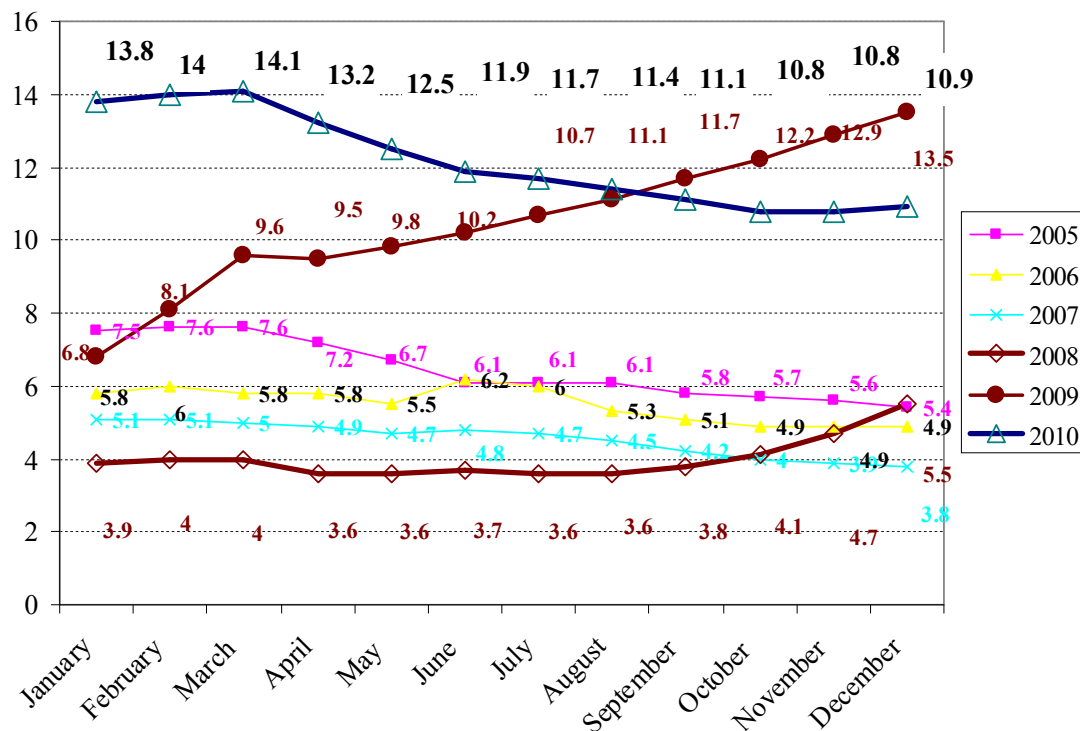
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Registered unemployment rate in Latvia and cities in 2010, %



Source: Employment State Agency

Registered unemployment rate in Jelgava, %



Source: Central Statistical Bureau of the Republic of Latvia and Employment State Agency

Employment

Number of Jelgava Citizens Working in Riga (Dynamics from 2002 to 2010)

Gads	Number of Employees Living in Jelgava and Working in Riga
2010	12374
2009	13521
2008	19365
2007	14799
2006	13942
2005	14217
2004	13544
2003	12949
2002	12024

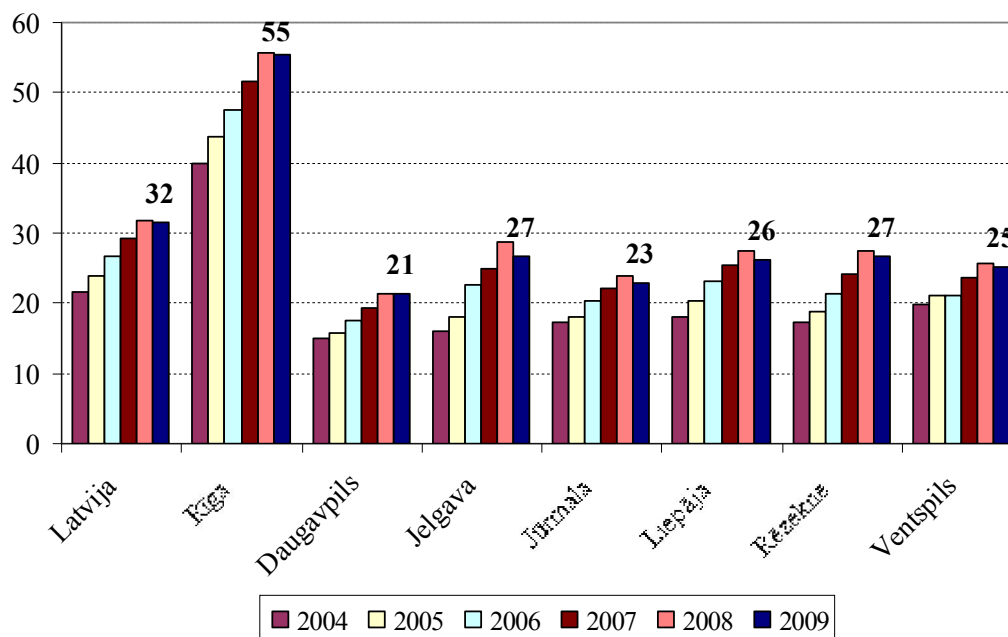
Source: State Revenue Service

Number of Employees from Surrounding Districts Working in Jelgava-Based Companies in 2010

Employee's Declared Place of Residence	Number of Employees
Riga	1478
District of Riga	488
District of Jelgava	4531
Jelgava	11922
District of Dobeles	754
Including Dobeles	247
District of Bauska	354
Including Bauska	93

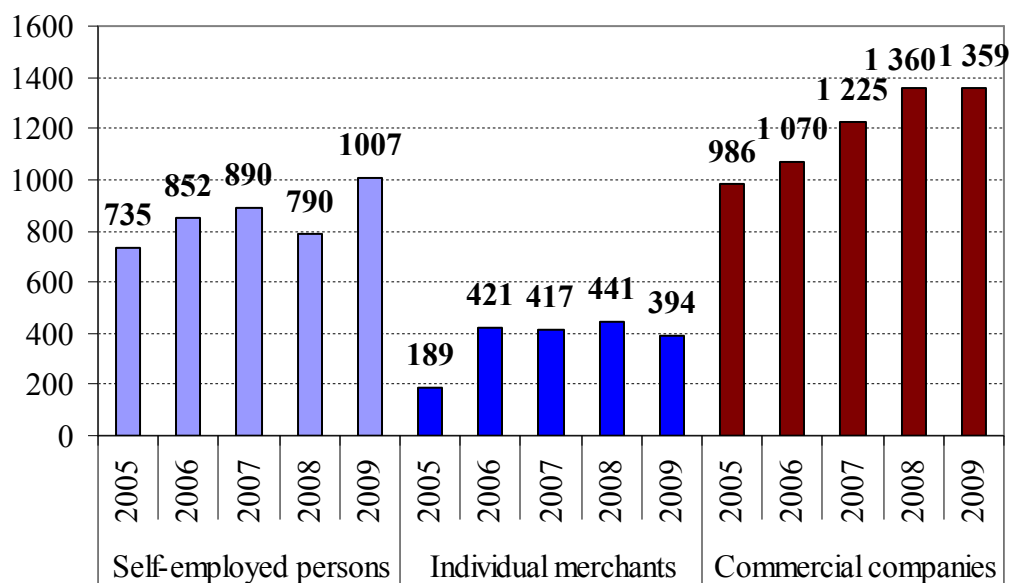
Source: State Revenue Service

Active businesses in Latvia and cities (per 1000 inhabitants)



Source: Central Statistical Bureau of the Republic of Latvia

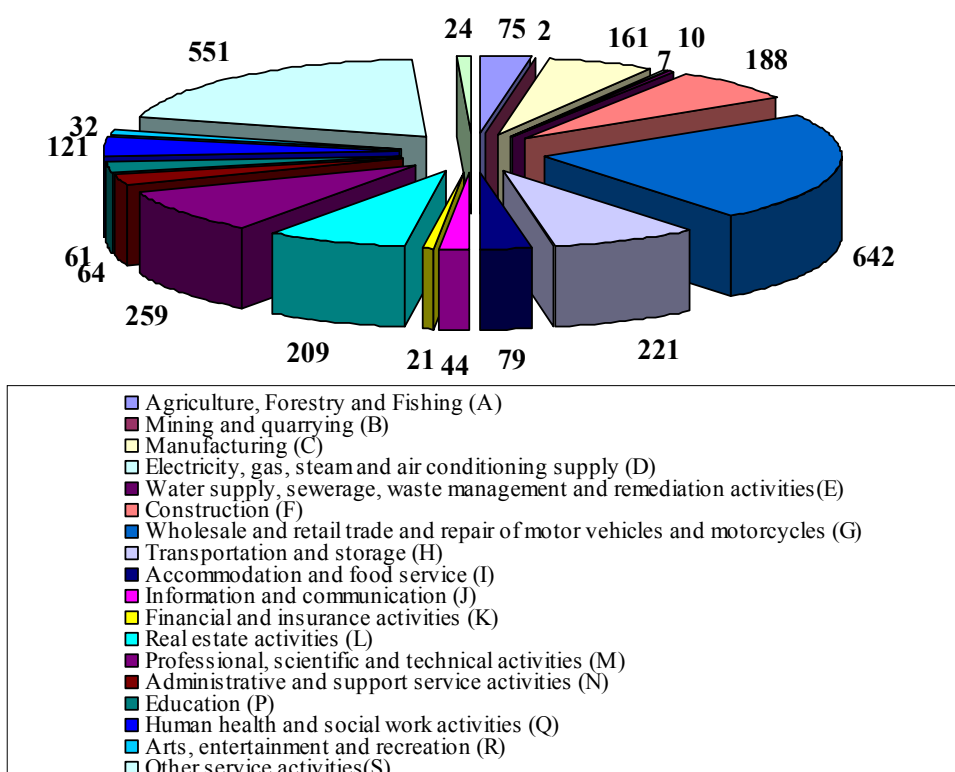
Number of enterprises by form of entrepreneurship in Jelgava



Source: Central Statistical Bureau of the Republic of Latvia

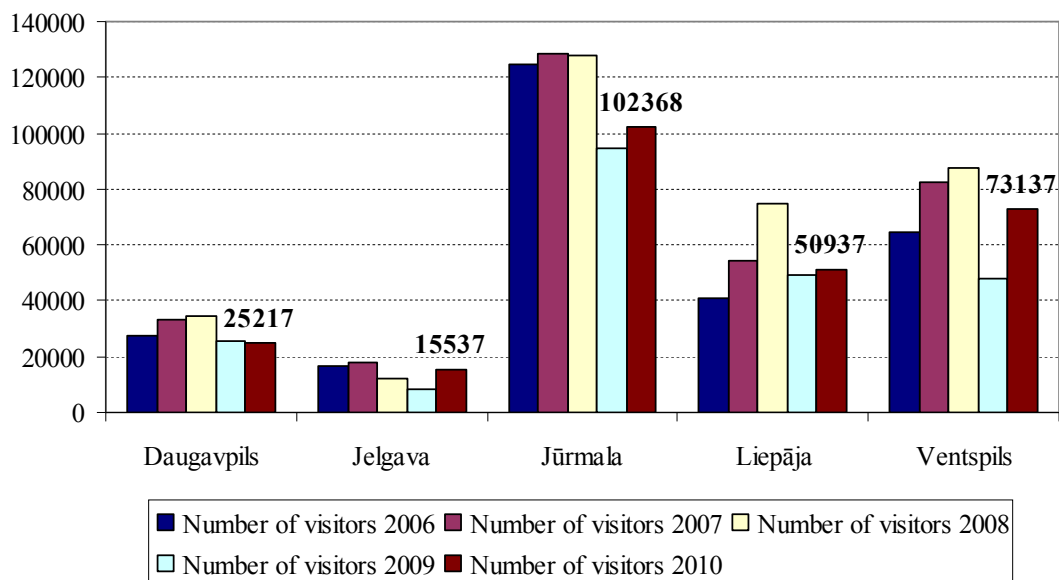
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Number of enterprises by kind of activity in Jelgava, 2009



Source: Central Statistical Bureau of the Republic of Latvia

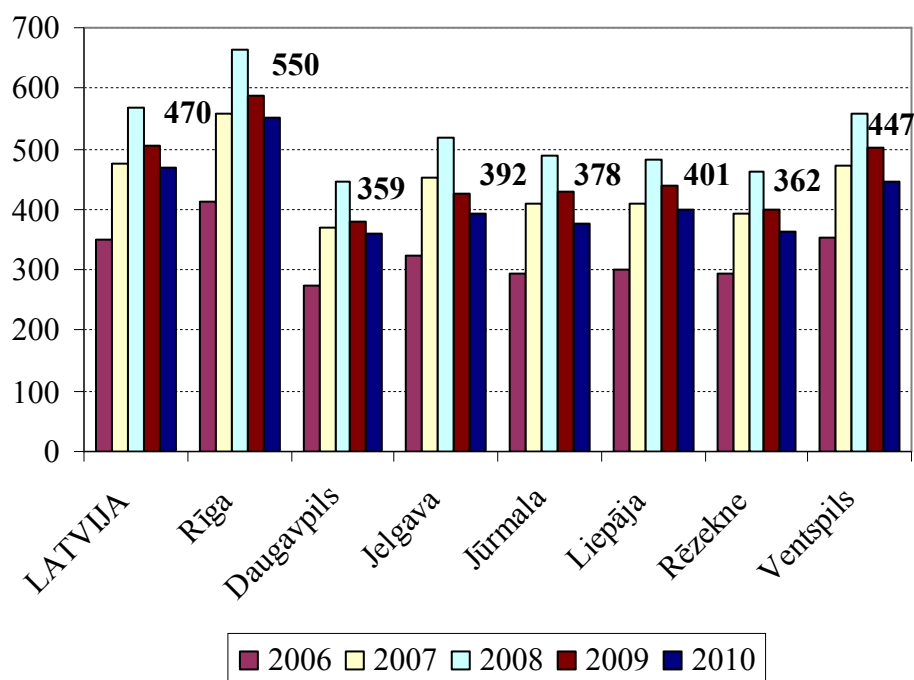
People serviced in hotels and other tourism related lodging locations in cities



Source: Central Statistical Bureau of the Republic of Latvia

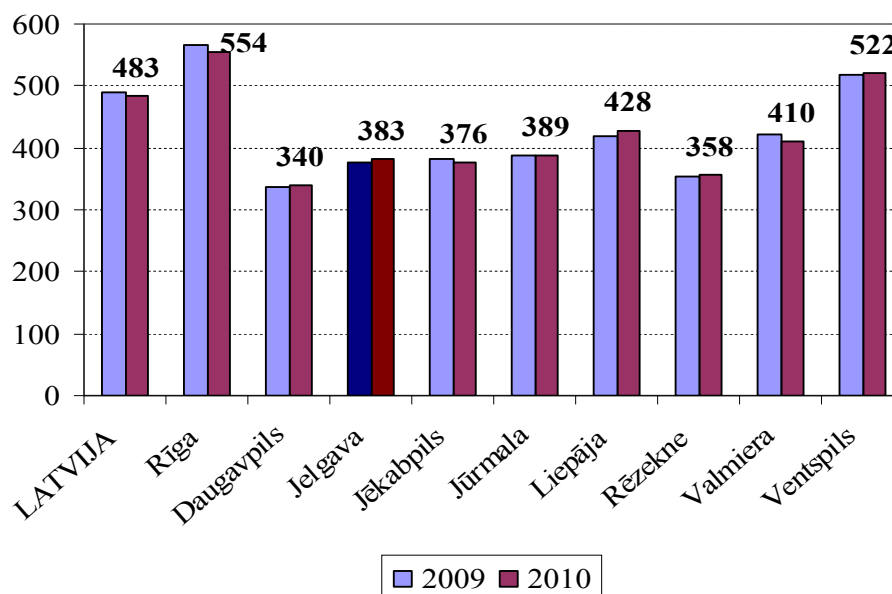
Economy

The average monthly gross salary in public sector in Latvia and cities, Ls



Source: Central Statistical Bureau of the Republic of Latvia

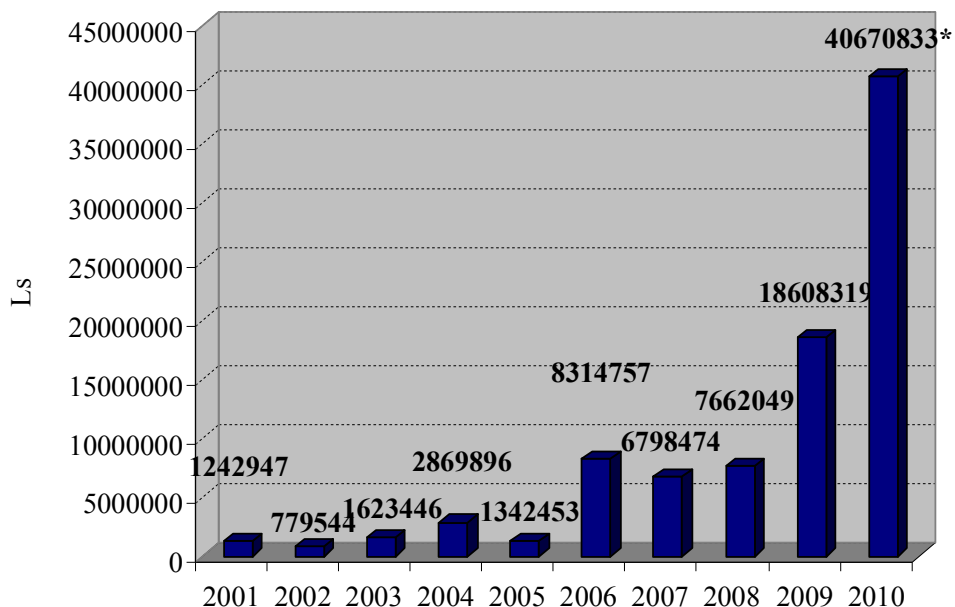
The average monthly gross wage and salary in Latvia and cities, Ls



Source: Central Statistical Bureau of the Republic of Latvia

Projects

Investments attracted by municipality and municipal establishments, 2001.-2010.gados, LVL



*Including financing for a Cohesion fund project of "Jelgavas Ūdens" Ltd. 17 657 174 LVL

Source: Jelgava city municipality

Finances Attracted by the Municipality of Jelgava and Its Offices in the Form of Projects* in 2010, Classified According to Municipality Functions, LVL

Improvement of the Territory	19 181 944
Organizing communal services	17 567 174
Education	1 430 711
Culture	79 853
Entrepreneurial Promotion	80 003
Civil Defence	186 000
Public Sphere	2 145 148
Total	40 670 833

Source: Jelgava city municipality

Projects

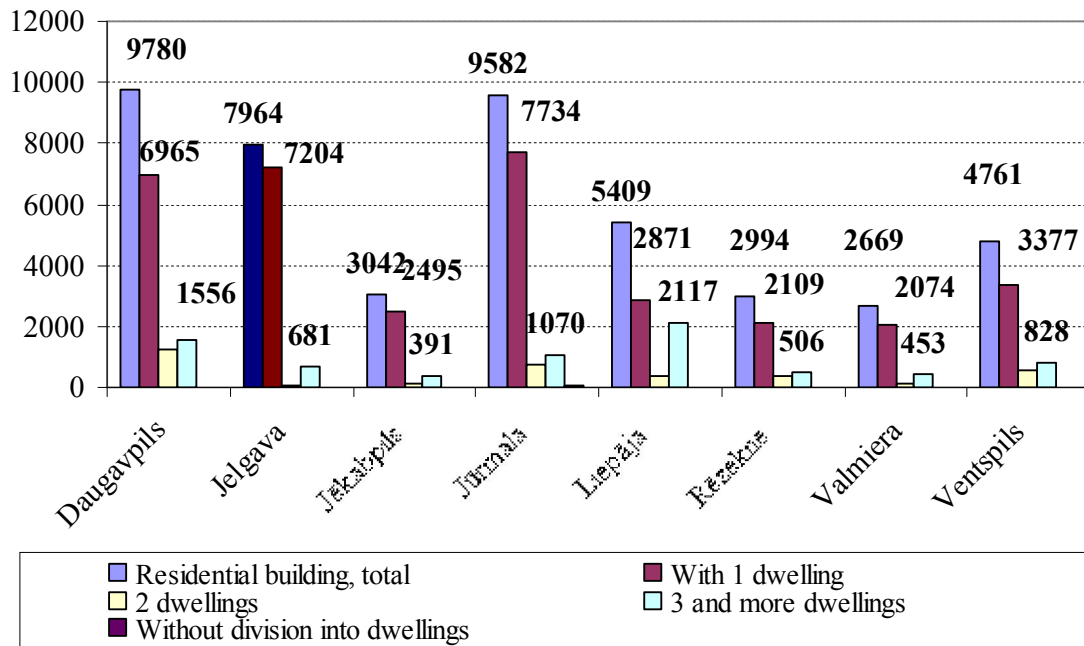
The Largest Projects on the Financing of which a contract was signed in 2010

Title of the project	Total project financing, LVL	Sources of project financing
Building of a Biofuel CHP power plant on Rūpniecības street 73, in Jelgava	29 380 370	KF – 13.61% Enterprise – 86.39%
Development of water supply and sewage services in Jelgava, II round	17 657 174	KF – 71.42% Enterprise – 28.58%
Development of streets infrastructure and Driksa riverside	13 435 060	ERAF - 85% State - 2.25% Municipality - 12.75%
Reconstruction of Dobeles freeway in Jelgava	4 900 100	ERAF – 78.50% State – 2.80% Municipality – 18.70%
Improvement of infrastructure and patient health care in Jelgava City Hospital	2 106 534	ERAF – 85% State – 13.21% Enterprise – 1.79%
Modernisation of training equipment and improvement of infrastructure in Jelgava Vocational Highschool	1 182 990	ERAF – 86% State – 2.10% Municipality – 11.90%
Reconstruction of ameliorative system in the territories affected by sugar industry in Jelgava	658 906	ELGF – 75.83% Municipality – 24.17%
Raising the energy efficiency of apartment building in Raiņa street 3	187 878	ERAF – 50% Apartment owners – 50%
Improvement of thermal efficiency of social dwelling house	186 000	ERAF – 75% Municipality – 25%
Cooperation between Sauliai and Jelgava in the development of culture and sports	78 078	ERAF – 85% Municipality – 15%
Improvement of energy efficiency of Jelgava Vocational highschool	150 000	KPFI – 80% Municipality – 20%
Cooperation for improvement of quality of educational programmes	89 556	ERAF – 85% State – 5% Municipality – 10%

Source: Jelgava city municipality

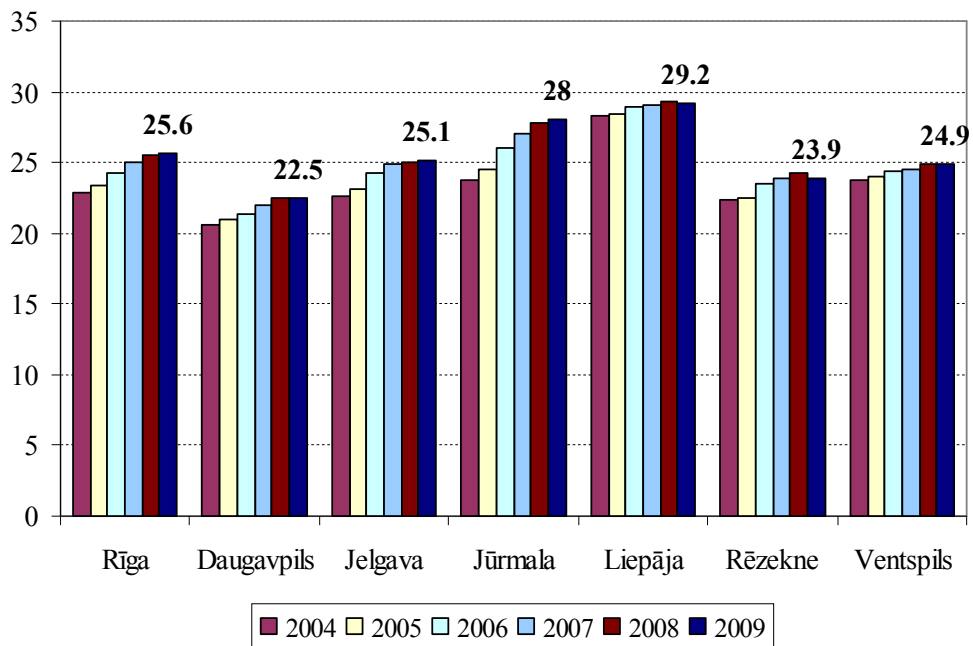
Construction

Residential buildings by cities, number in 2009



Source: Central Statistical Bureau of the Republic of Latvia

Housing stock in cities on average per inhabitant, m²



Source: Central Statistical Bureau of the Republic of Latvia

Construction

Houses Accepted into Exploitation and Building Permits Issued in Jelgava in 2010

No.	Constructions	Building permits issued (number):			Accepted into exploitation (number):		
		Total	New construction	Reconstruction, renovation	Total	New construction	Reconstruction, renovation
	Constructions total (I+II)	151	55	96	156	100	56
I	Buildings						
1.	Residential buildings						
1.1.	Individual buildings	60	23	37	90	60	30
1.2.	Apartment buildings	4	-	4	2	-	2
2.	Non-residential building						
2.1.	Factories	7	4	3	3	2	1
2.2.	Shops (trade objects)	4	-	4	4	2	2
2.3.	Services objects	22	-	22	11	2	9
	Other	18	10	8	12	7	5
II	Engineering structures						
1.	Streets	14	-	14	7	1	6
	etc.	22	18	4	27	26	1

Source: Jelgava city municipality

The Most Notable Objects Accepted into Exploitation in 2010

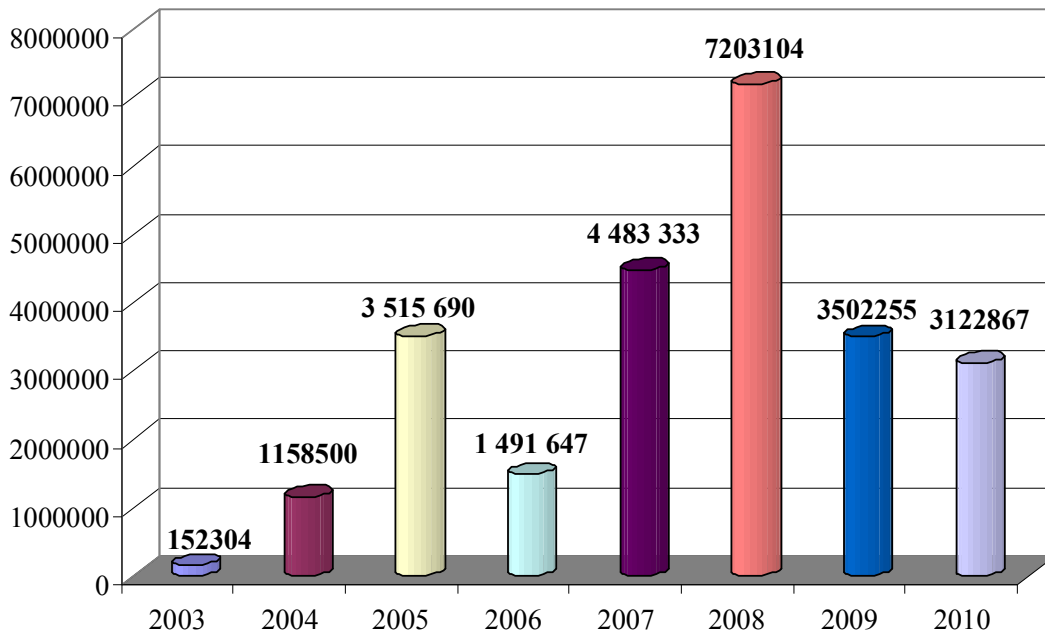
Address	Title
Langervaldes street 1	"M-2" Ltd., production complex
Kristapa Helmaņa street 3	Jelgava City Municipality, Apartment house renovation
Filozofu street 69	SJSC hospital "Ģintermuiža", Reconstruction of the existing building complex (II.round, 1 st subround) Kitchen block 1 st round, stationary 2 nd building with the joining galleria and stationary 3 rd building with the joining galleria
Aviācijas street 42	Joint Stock Company "AMO PLANT", car production complex Administrative building and checkpoint building (Including communications and refurbishment of the area)
Kronvalda street 24	„Zemgales Olimpiskais centrs” Ltd, Multifunctional sports complex
Akadēmijas street 10	Jelgava municipal institution „Ģ.Eliasa Jelgavas vēstures un mākslas muzejs”, Reastoration of facades, refurbishment of territory (II round of the project)
Lielā street, Dobeles freeway	Jelgava City Council, Reconstruction of Lielā street from Dambja street to Māras street and reconstruction of Dobeles freeway from Māras street to Atmodas street
Rūpniecības - Atmodas street	Jelgava City Council, Improvement of traffic safety in the section from Rupniecības street to Atmodas street
Jāņa Asara street section from Vecpilsētas to Kr.Barona street	Jelgava City Council, Reconstruction of J.Asara Street from Vecpilsētas street to Krišjāņa Barona Street
Kr.Barona street section from Jāņa Asara ielas to Vecpilsētas street	Jelgava City Council, Reconstruction of Kr.Barona street from J.Asara street to Vecpilsētas street
Akadēmijas street 1	Jelgava City Council, Reconstruction of
Akadēmijas street 1; Lielā street 1, J.Čakstes boulevard 7	Jelgava City Council, Refurbishment of area around Jelgava St.Trinity Church tower
Akmeņu street 1	Jelgava City Council, Increasing the energy efficiency of Jelgava 4 th highschool
Filozofu street 69	SJSC hospital "Ģintermuiža", Reconstruction of the existing building complex (II.round, 2 nd subround) Kitchen block 2 nd round, 4 th building with the joining galleria and 7 th building and the gate

Construction

The Most Notable Objects that Received Building Permits in 2010

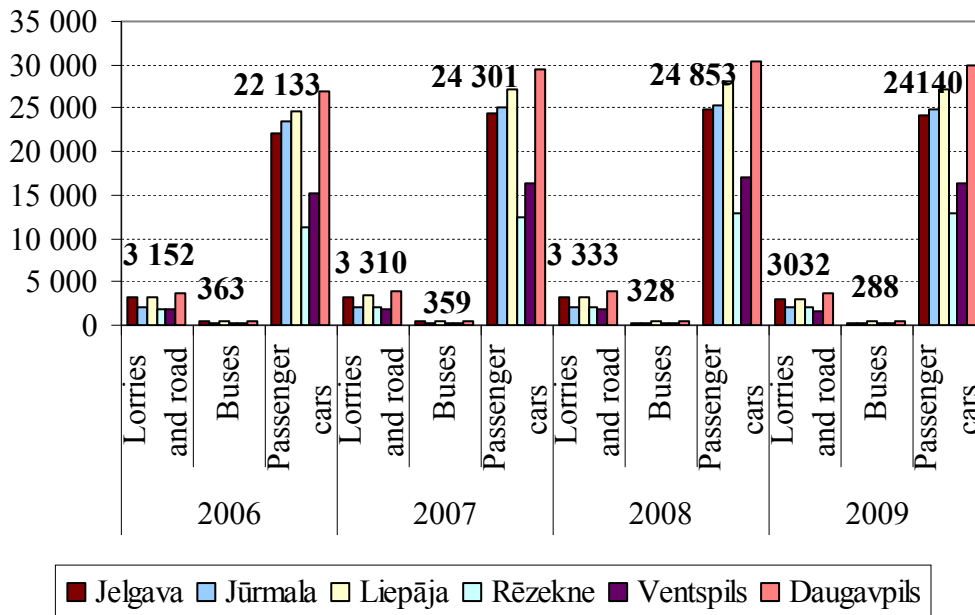
Address	Title
Viskaļu street 74	"ROSĪBA ZS" Ltd., Meat products plant
Rūpniecības- Atmodas, Filozofu, Dambja street	Jelgava City Council, Reconstruction works to increase the traffic safety in the section of Rūpniecības – Atmodas street
Dobeles freeway	Jelgava City Council, Reconstruction of Dobeles freeway section from Pūra road to 5 th line, 1 st round
J.Asara street	Jelgava City Council, Reconstruction of J.Asara street section from Vecpilsētas street to Kr.Barona street
Pulkveža Brieža street 23A	Jelgava City Council, increasing the energy-efficiency of the educational institution on Pulkveža Brieža street 23A
Pulkveža Brieža street 23A	Jelgava municipal institution "Jelgavas izglītības pārvalde", reconstruction of educational institution on Pulkveža Brieža street 23A
Akmeņu street 1	Jelgava City Council, Increasing the energy efficiency of Jelgava 4 th highschool
Lāču street 20	"ROSĪBA ZS" Ltd , Biofuel cogeneration station
Lapskalna street 18A	"M3J" Ltd., Biofuel cogeneration station
Akadēmijas street 1	Jelgava City Council, Refurbishment of area around Jelgava St.Trinity Church tower
Filozofu street 3	Jelgava City Council, „Adolfs Alujnans memorial museum” Reastoration of facade, refurbishment of territory
Sarmas street 2	Jelgava City Council, Increasing the energy efficiency of Jelgava 2 nd elementary school
Meiju road 31	Jelgava City Council, Increasing the energy efficiency of preschool educational institution "Kamolītis"
Uzvaras street 10	Jelgava City Council, Increasing the energy efficiency and insulating the facade of Jelgava 3 rd elementary school (2 nd round)
Aspazijas street 18	Jelgava City Council, Increasing the energy efficiency of Jelgava preschool educational institution “Pasaciņa”
Raiņa street 3	“JNĪP” Ltd., Apartment building (Elementary renovation of facade)
Filozofu street 50	Jelgava City Council, Jelgava Special Boarding school
Institūta street 4	Jelgava City Council, Improvement of infrastructure of Boarding Elementary school of Jelgava 1 st Sanatorium
Dobeles freeway	Jelgava City Council, Reconstruction of Dobeles Freeway from 5 th line till the bridge over river Svēte, 2 nd round.
Brīvības boulevard 6	Improvement of infrastructure and patient health care in Jelgava City Hospital. Reconstruction of patalogy ward, histology lab, outpatient department and neurology ward.
Aviācijas street 40	JSC “AMO PLANT”, Industrial complex for car building. Composit material production plant. Draining of the territory

Finances allotted to reconstruction of streets, 2003.-2010., LVL



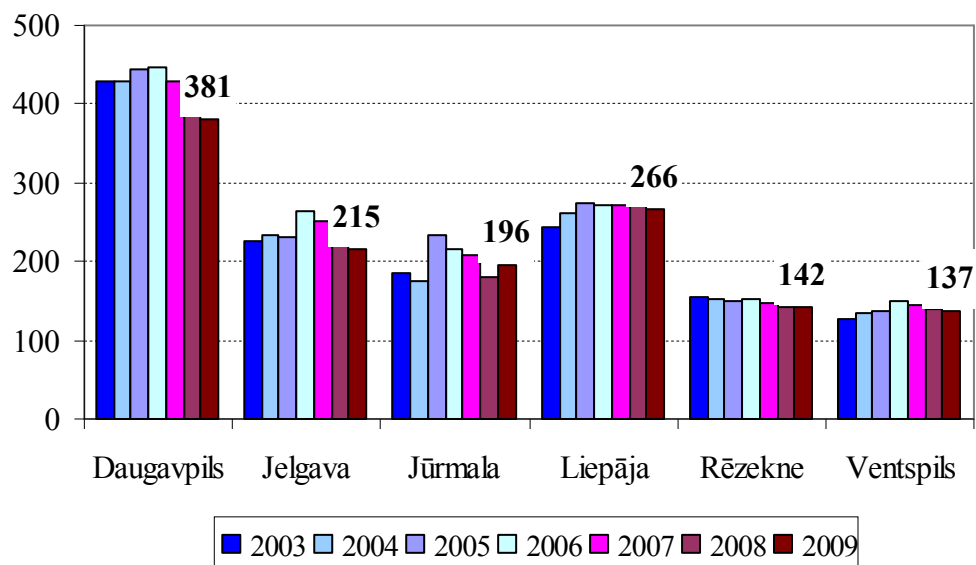
Source: Jelgava city municipality

Registered motor vehicles in cities



Source: Central Statistical Bureau of the Republic of Latvia

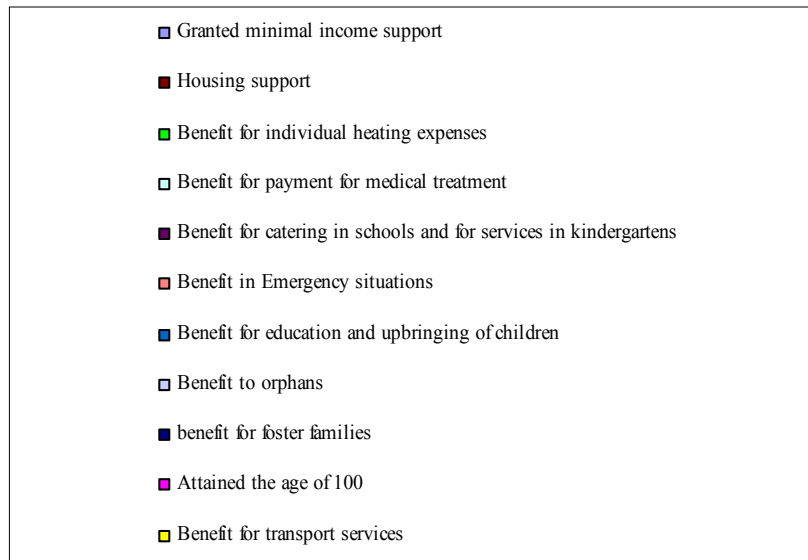
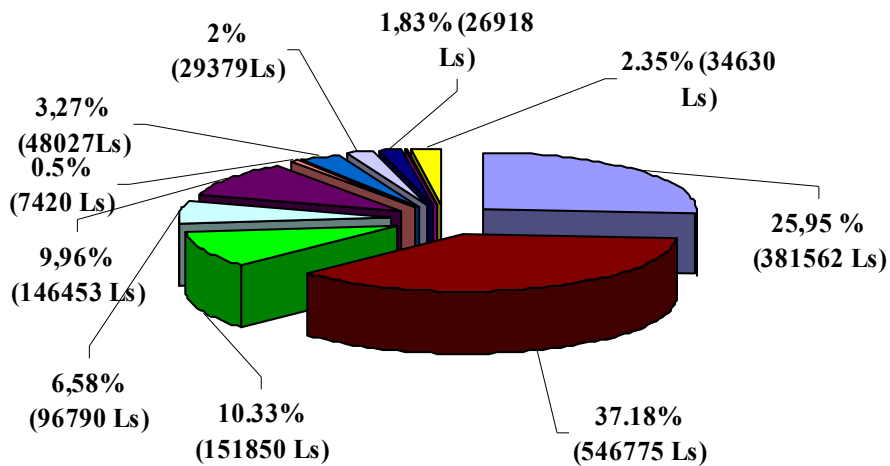
Number of doctors in cities



Source: Central Statistical Bureau of the Republic of Latvia

There are 43 family doctors working in the city of Jelgava, on average there are 1688 patients registered to one family doctor. In the hospital there are 283 beds, there work 55 doctors and 1 chemist and 37 doctors working in post merger, as well as 148 medical nurses, midwives and laboratory assistants and 4 working in post merger. 111 nurse assistants take care of the patients in full time and 5 in post merger. 61 workers take care of maintenance in full time and 5 in post merger. In a year in the hospital over 13643 people are provided with medical attention with an average treatment time of 5.96 days. The number of participants in informative, educational health promotion campaigns is 725.

Municipal social benefits in 2010 (%)



Source: Jelgava city municipality

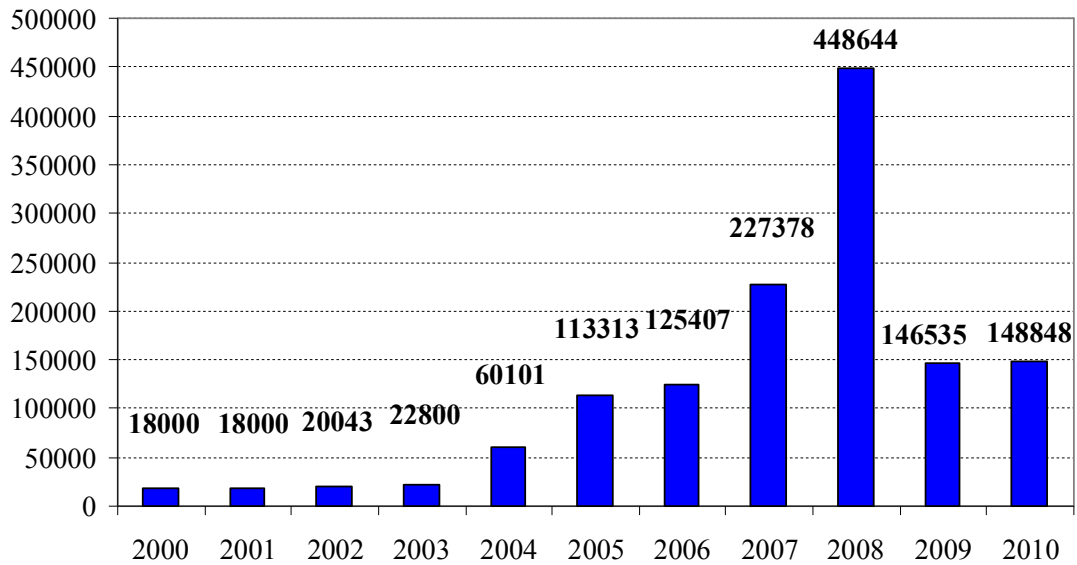
Characterization of the Families Receiving Social Benefits According to Income and Financial Conditions

Ģimenes tips	Ģimeņu skaits	Personu skaits	Sociālais pabalsts (Ls)
Children and one or more able-bodied	1281	4634	637476
Children and no able-bodied	50	139	17852
No children and one or more able-bodied	1187	1951	323074
No children and no able-bodied	2201	2346	391781
Kopā	4719	9070	1370183

Source: Jelgava city municipality

Culture

Financing allotted to culture events, 2000.–2010.g., Ls



Source: Jelgava city municipality

Cultural events

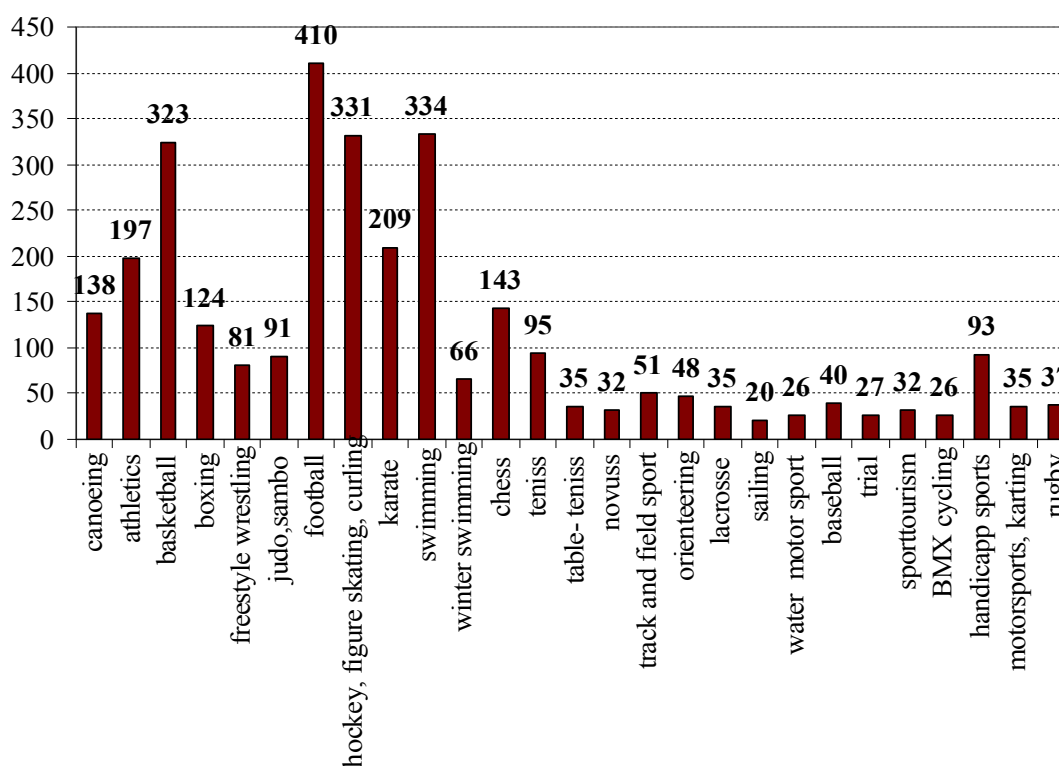
	2007	2008	2009	2010
Number of cultural events in the Jelgava House of Culture	245	250	241	220
Number of open-air events	40	51	36	30
Total number of events	285	301	277	250
Attendance of cultural events in the Jelgava House of Culture	151 258	155 321	149 730	157 401
Attendance of open-air events	159 210	178 379	177 551	163 565
Total attendance	310 468	333 700	327 281	320 966

Number of Sports Events Organized that were Co-financed by the Municipality

2007	Events organized by the sports service centre	39	111
	Competitions organized by sports clubs and sports schools	72	
2008	Events organized by the sports service centre	45	130
	Competitions organized by sports clubs and sports schools	85	
2009	Events organized by the sports service centre	42	132
	Competitions organized by sports clubs and sports schools	90	
2010	Events organized by the sports service centre	40	135
	Competitions organized by sports clubs and sports schools	95	

Source: Reports of sport clubs

Number of Jelgava Citizens Participating in Sports Club Activities in 2009, Sorted According to Type of Sports



Source: Reports of sport clubs

Jelgava Compared to the Other Large Cities in Latvia in 2009

	Population	Area, km²	Density, people/km²
Rīga	706413	303	2331.4
Daugavpils	103922	72	1443.4
Jelgava	64898	61	1063.9
Jēkabpils	26386	26	1014.8
Jūrmala	55858	100	558.6
Liepāja	84074	61	1378.3
Rēzekne	35074	18	1948.6
Valmiera	27234	18	1513.0
Ventspils	42734	58	736.8

Twining Cities

Pärnu (Estonia)

The cooperation agreement was signed in 1957. Collaboration occurs within the realms of education and culture. The city covers an area of 32 km². The population is approx. 45 000.

www.parnu.ee



Siauliai (Lithuania)

The cooperation agreement was signed in 1960. The most important areas of cooperation are education, culture, sports, social welfare and prevention of addictive substances. Area – 69.5 km², population – approx. 133 800.

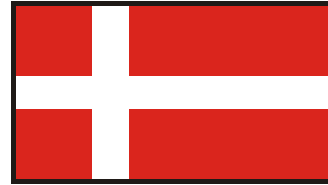
www.siauliai.lt



Vejle (Denmark)

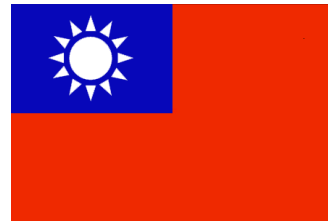
The cooperation agreement was signed in 1992. Collaboration occurs within the realms of education and experience exchange of municipality workers. The city is located in the continental part of Denmark, the population is approx. 54 000.

www.vejle.dk



Shin-Ying (Taiwan)

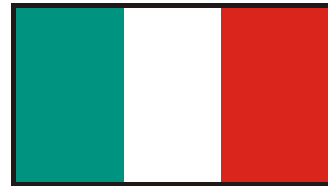
The cooperation agreement was signed in 2000. It foresees cooperation in the areas of art and culture. The city is located in the northern part of Tainan County and is the administrative centre of the province. Area – 38.54 km², population – approx. 75 000.



Alcamo (Italy)

The cooperation agreement was signed in 2002. It predicts collaboration in supporting the realms of culture, sports and social welfare. It is planned to develop trade commerce and to encourage entrepreneurship. The rotari clubs of Jelgava and Alcamo are actively cooperating.

www.alcamo.it



Baranovichi (Belarus)

The cooperation agreement was signed in 2003. The central areas of collaboration – education, culture, sports, prevention of addiction. Stimulating cooperation within the realm of economics is also planned.

www.baranovichy.by



The Southern Administrative Region of Moscow (Russia)

The protocol of intent was signed in 2003, laying the foundations for cooperation in the realm of engineering. Currently there is collaboration with the ZIL factory and preparations are being made in order to begin manufacture of mid-carrying capacity vehicles in the “AMOPlant” factory in Jelgava.

The population in the southern region of Moscow is approximately 9 000 000 people.

www.mos.ru



Magadan (Russia)

The cooperation agreement was signed in 2006, foreseeing collaboration in the realms of culture, education, economics, sports, tourism, science and social politics. Besides, the city contains a Latvian Diaspora (Latvians or their descendants were sent there in the years of the USSR occupation) that would love to maintain strong contacts with Latvia.

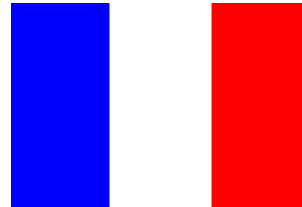
www.magadan.ru



Rueil-Malmaison (France)

The partnership began in France during the festival “Surprising Latvia” and was strengthened during the “Spring of France” festival in Latvia. The cooperation agreement was signed in 2007, predicting collaboration in the realms of economics, entrepreneurship, education, science and culture. There is collaboration between Jelgava State Gymnasium and Richelieu Lyceum.

www.mairie-rueilmalmaison.fr



Berlin (Germany)

An agreement on partnership was signed in 2003, intending a close cooperation in the realm of municipal economy and in the development of public transport in Zemgale. The agreement also indicates the purpose of stimulating investment attraction to Zemgale and the strengthening of bonds in the areas of culture and education.

www.berlin.de



Nova Odessa (Brazil)

The protocol of intent was signed in June 10, 2007, predicting collaboration in many aspects, including providing support for organizations, companies, state institutions and non-governmental organizations, assisting the establishment of mutual relations and promoting the understanding of the cultures and history of both countries. Furthermore, Nova Odessa contains the largest community of Latvians in Brazil.

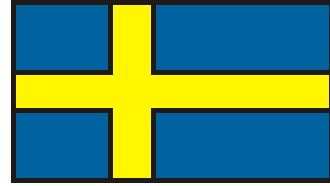
www.novaodessa.sp.gov.br



Hällefors (Sweden)

The cooperation agreement was signed in 2004. Collaboration is being realized in the forming of the city environment and the education of landscape architects. A partnership with the Faculty of Food Technology from the Latvia University of Agriculture has been established in the realm of culinary arts. Cooperation in the realm of culture and social affairs is predicted in the future.

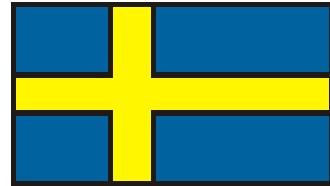
www.hellefors.se



Nacka (Sweden)

A suburb of Stockholm with a population of approx. 75 700. Originally a partnership was established within the boundaries of EU-financed projects. Currently a close collaboration has formed and there is exchange of experience in the areas of municipality administration, environment, education, culture, sports and prevention of addiction. Collaboration with youth (for example, the students of Spidola Gymnasium) and civic organizations ("Parents for Jelgava") has also begun.

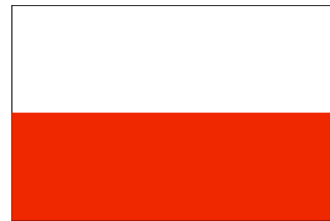
www.nacka.se



Białystok (Poland)

Białystok is the largest and one of the most historically rich cities in north-east Poland. Area – 102 km², population – approx. 295 000. An active collaboration has been established in the exchange of experience for the municipalities as well as the realm of culture. The partnership is strengthened by the Jelgava chapter of the Association of Poles in Latvia.

www.bialystok.pl



Maladzyechna (Belarus)

Area – 27 km². Located 72 km from the capital – Minsk. Population – 98 200. The 15th largest city in Belarus, according to population. Collaboration occurs in the realms of culture.

www.molodechno.by



Ivanofrankovska (Ukraine)

The cooperation agreement was signed in 2007 in order to form a partnership in the areas of culture, education, entrepreneurship, municipal economy and social welfare, and to realize joint EU project.

www.mvk.if.ua



Culture Events

The Most Notable Cultural Events in the City of Jelgava in 2011

Date	Event	Location
February 11-13	13 th Annual Ice Sculpture Festival	Victory Park
February 12	Concert by Latvian dance troupes "We Love In Dance"	The House of Culture
February 14	St. Valentine's Love Ball	Jelgava Palace
February 23	22 nd Student Folk-festival	LUA hall
March 5	Anniversary concert of the folkdance ensemble "Kalve"	LUA hall
March 11	20 th Anniversary of the Vokal ensemble „Rūta”	The House of Culture
March 12	Uldis Ozols Dance Concert	The House of Culture
March 23	Spring concert	LUA hall
April 2	20 th Anniversary concert of the youth dance ensemble "Skalbe"	LUA hall
April 24	Easter stroll	The castle park
May 7-8	Latvia Seedling Day	The castle park
May 8	Mothers day concert	The House of Culture
May 14	Dance concert "I think I can fly"	LUA Palace island
May 14	Museum night	Palace muzeum, Jelgava History and Art museum in the name of Ģ.Elias,
May 27-29	Jelgava City Festival	Jelgava
June 23	Herb market	Square in front of the House of Culture
July 8-10	5 th International sand sculpture festival	Victory Park

Culture Events

Date	Event	Location
August 27	XI Annual Latvia Milk, Bread and Honey Festival in Jelgava, IX Milk Carton Boat Regatta	Duke Jacob square, Victory Park, Lielupe river
August 9-11	International Theatre festival "Baltic Ramp"	The House of Culture
September 10-11	Metal sculptures festival	Victory Park
September	Poetry days	Jelgava
September 17	Autumn fair „Miķeļdienu gaidot”	Duke Jacob square
September 29	Azemitolog's Festival	Jelgava Palace
October 8-9	13 th Latvian Amateur Theatre Festival "Jokes Spring from Actor"	The House of Culture
October 30	Concert of Latvian dance ensembles "Autumn Dancing"	The House of Culture
November 16	Student Day opening concert	Jelgava Palace
November 17	Student Day	Jelgava
November 18	Celebration of the proclamation of Latvian Independence	Duke Jacob square, The House of Culture
December 1	Lighting the Great Christmas tree	Duke Jacob square
December 17	Christmas Fair	Duke Jacob square
December 17	Christmas Ball	Jelgava Palace

Sports Events

The Most Notable Sports Events in the City of Jelgava in 2011

Date	Event	Location
January 5-9	2 nd qualifying round for the European Youth Volleyball Championship	ZOC
January the 8 – December 10	Jalgava City Billard Championship (12 rounds)	6 th Highschool
January 22-23	International artistic gymnastics tournament “Baltic Flower 2011”	ZOC
January-March	Championship of the 1 st and 2 nd division of the Latvian Basketball League with the participation of the local teams “Zemgale” and „Zemgale LLU”	ZOC (home games)
January-March	Baltic Basketball League “Challenge Cup” with the participation of the local team “Zemgale”	ZOC (home games)
January – April; October-December	Latvian Ice-Hockey championship with the participation of the local team “Zemgale/JLSS”; Latvia Womens Ice-Hockey Open Championship with the participation of local team SHK „Zemgale” Championship of Zemgale Amateur Ice-hockey League	Latvijas Krajbanka Ice Arena
January-March	Schenker Volleyball League championship with the participation of the local team VK “Biolars/Olaine/Jelgava”	ZOC (home games)
January-December	Open tournament of Jelgava Novus Club “Health Days 2011” (12 rounds)	ZOC
February 26	Jelgava City J.K.A. karate-do championship	LUA sporta nams
February 27	“All Stars Game 2011” of Latvian Basketball League	ZOC
February - December	Sports Service Centre table tennis cup; Jelgava open table tennis championship	Jelgava sports hall
February-April	Jelgava City open basketball championship fot men	Jelgava sports hall
March 5	The Republic of Latvia open powerlifting championship	Jelgava sports hall
March 20	Latvia Football cup quarterfinal FK „Jelgava” – SK „Liepājas metalurģis”	ZOC
March 23-24	„LIELĀ BALVA 2011” for Jelgava preschool institutions and schools	Jelgava sports hall
March 26-27	The Republic of Latvia box championship	ZOC
March 25-27	European Youth Basketball League championship stage	Jelgava sports hall
April-November	Latvia Premierleague and 1 st league football championship with the participation of local teams FK „Jelgava” and FK „Jelgava 2”	ZOC (mājas spēles)
May 1	“Spring Cup” The Republic of Latvia long distance rowing championship for adults and youth	Rowing base, Pasta island
May 6, 7	21 st Universiade of Latvian Universities: basketball, tack and field	ZOC, LUA sports facilities
May 9	„May relays”	Starts on Duke Jacobs square
May 11-14s	European Standing amputee ice-hockey Championship	Latvijas Krajbanka Ice Arena

Sports Events

Date	Event	Location
May 19, 20	Jelgava swimming championship 2011	LUA pool
May 19-21	Jelgava and Sauliai Sports days	Sauliai
May 30	1 st round of Baltic Jet-ski championship „Jelgava Cup”	Lielupe, Pasta island
May	Round of the Latvian Lacrosse championship	ZOC
June 10-15	Sports games of the American Latvian Association	ZOC
June 25-26	48 th games of Latvia sports veterans, finals	ZOC
July 1-3	Team of Jelgava City municipality participates in Youth Olympics of Latvia	Sports facilities of The republic of Latvia
July 2-3	BMX Zemgale Cup and Latvian Championship	ZOC BMX track
July 29-31	International Curling tournament “Ondulat Cup - 2011”	Latvijas Krajbanka Ice Arena
July	International Football tournament for youth and children “Friendship Cup 2011”	ZOC
July	Jelgava open in Triathlon, Round of Latvian and Baltic Trial championship	„Priežkalni”, Ozolnieki municipality
August 6	Round of The republic of Latvia Championship and Jelgava Open in vater motorsports	Lielupe, Pasta island
August 19	Baltic cycle race	Starts on Duke Jacobs square
August 20	Festival of Technical sports	"Rullītis"
August 20	Sailing – Jelgava Open. Reggata for wedges yachts and micro Cruising yachts	Jahtclub base, Pils island
August 27	Jelgava city kayaking and canoeing championship	„KC” rowing base, Pasta island
September 24	Jelgava Open in orienteering	Valgundes monestary
September	Jelgava city championship for kayaking and canoeing (deuces), “Jelgava deuces Cup”	BJSS Rowing Base, Pils island
September	“Jelgava City Council Cup” in Basketball for men	ZOC
October 1	Freestyle wrestling Jelgava Open 2011	Jelgava sports hall
October 1	Zemgale Autumn Marathon – Latvian and Baltic kayaking and canoeing championship for	„KC” rowing base, Pasta island
October-December	Basketball for men Sports Service Centre Cup	Jelgava sports hall
November 18-20	International Curling Tournament „Zemgale Cup 2011”	Latvijas Krajbanka Ice Arena
November 25, 26	Republic of Latvia youth swimming championship	LUA peldbaseins
November	Sports festival for families with preschool age children „Heijā, heijā, pulkā nāc!”	Jelgava sports hall
December 10	Barbell bench press – The Republic of Latvia Open	Jelgava sports hall
December 21, 22	Christmas competition in swimming, A.Miskarova Cup	LUA pool
December 29	New Years swimming sprint J.Mistera Cup	LUA pool
December	Volleyball “New Years Prize”	Jelgava sports hall

Reference Information

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Communication and transport

24-hour information service	1180
“Lattelecom” client service	177
“Latvijas Mobilais Telefons” 24-hour service	8000076
“Tele 2” 24-hour service	29560600
“Bite” mobile connections	25850110
“Latvian Railway” services	1181
Jelgava Bus Fleet	63022513
Jelgava bus terminal	63022639
Taxi services	28440044,27036400

Services

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