

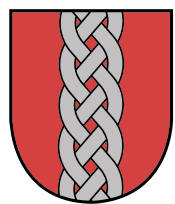
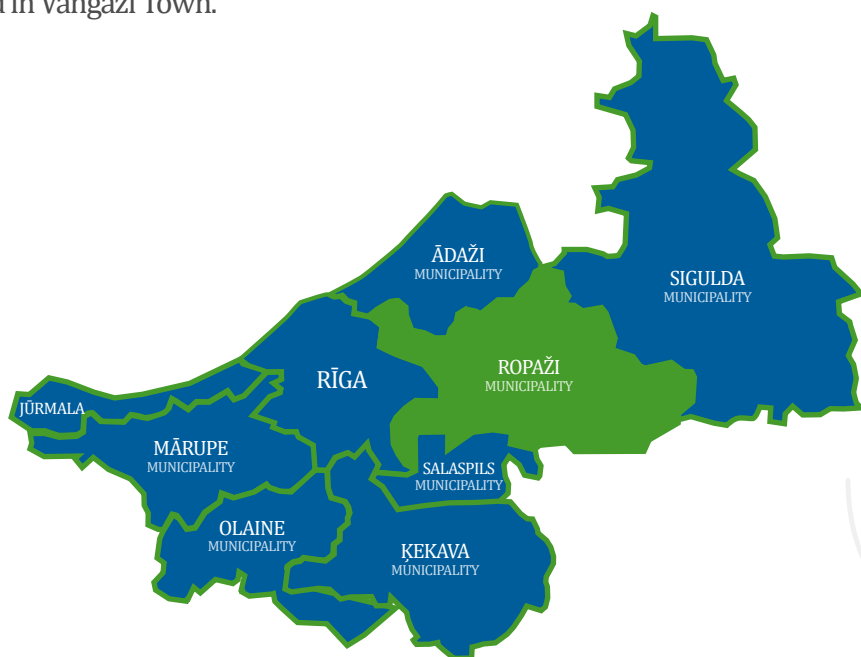
Ropaž novads

Live + Work in Ropaži Municipality!

Ropaži Municipality: 534 km²

The administrative centre of the municipality is Ulbroka; the municipality includes Garkalne Municipality, Ropaži Municipality, Stopiņi Municipality and Vangaži Town. It borders the capital city Riga, Ādaži Municipality, Sigulda Municipality, Ogre Municipality and Salaspils Municipality.

The population in all municipalities and Vangaži Town continues to grow steadily each year, averaging 2% per year. The largest number of residents in Ropaži Municipality, exceeding the 10 000 mark, is in Stopiņi Municipality – 40%, followed by Garkalne Municipality – 30%, less than 10 000 residents live in Ropaži Rural Territory – 20%, and in Vangaži Town – 10%. There are 4 State and Municipal customer service centres in the municipality, located in each municipality and in Vangaži Town.



Ropažu novads



RĪGAS
PLĀNOŠANAS
REĢIONS



Garkalne Rural Territory: Amatnieki, Baltezers, Bāliņi, Bergi, Bukulti, Garkalne, Gāršas, Langstiņi, Makstenieki, Priedkalne, Priežlejas, Skuķīši, Sunīši, Suži, Upesciems

Ropaži Rural Territory: Augšciems, Bajāri, Bajārkrogs, Gaidas, Jaunbagumi, Kangari, Kākciems, Lielkangari, Mucenieki, Nāgelmuiža, Podkājas, Ropaži, Rotkaļi, Silakrogs, Tumšupe, Ūlupji, Vāverkrogs, Villasmuiža, Zaķumuiža.

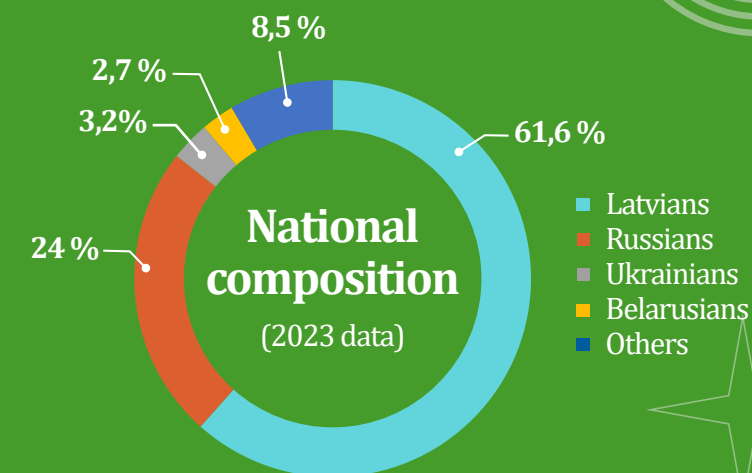
Stopiņi Rural Territory: Ulbroka, Cekule, Dreiliņi, Dzidriņas, Līči, Rumbula, Saurieši, Upeslejas, Vālodzes



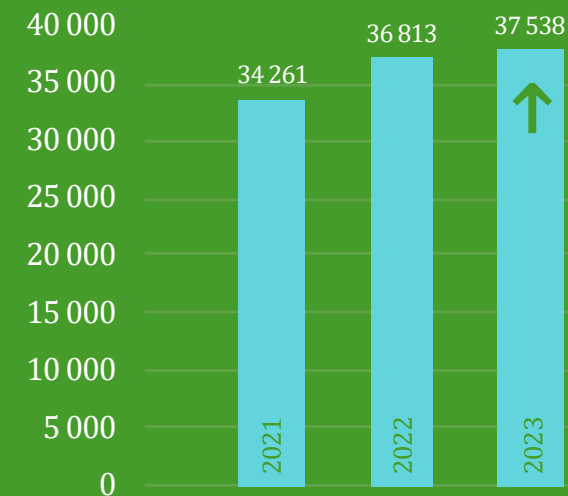
Ulbroka → centre of Riga **15,84 km**
Vangaži → centre of Riga **33,63 km**



Ulbroka → Riga Airport **24,73 km**
Vangaži → Riga Airport **41,92 km**

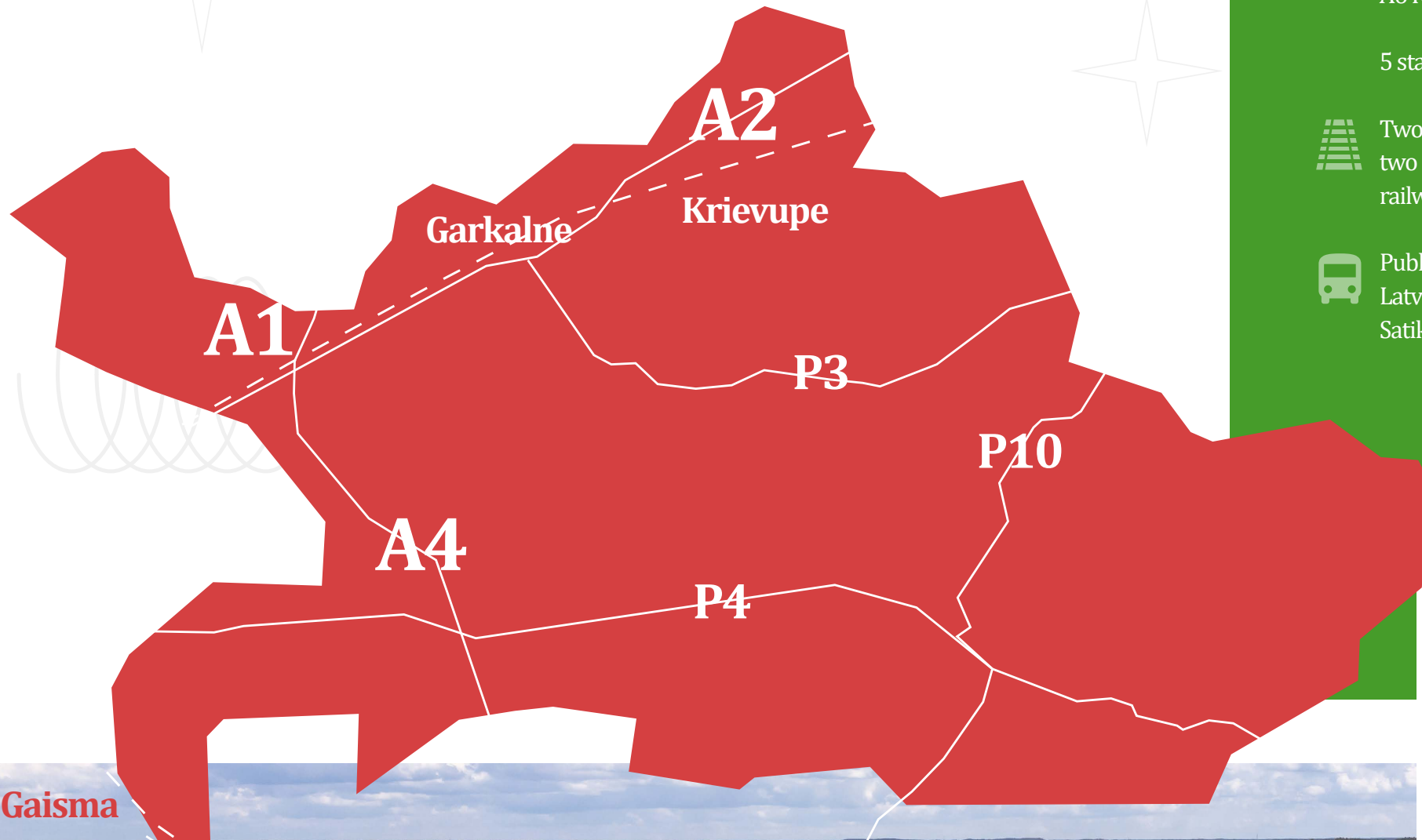


Population dynamics



Lursoft data

Movement within Ropaži Municipality



The main state roads cross the municipality: A1 Riga (Baltezers)–Estonian border (Ainaži), A2 Riga–Sigulda–Estonian border (Veclaicene), A4 Riga bypass (Baltezers–Saulkalne), A6 Riga–Daugavpils.

5 state regional roads and 15 state local roads.



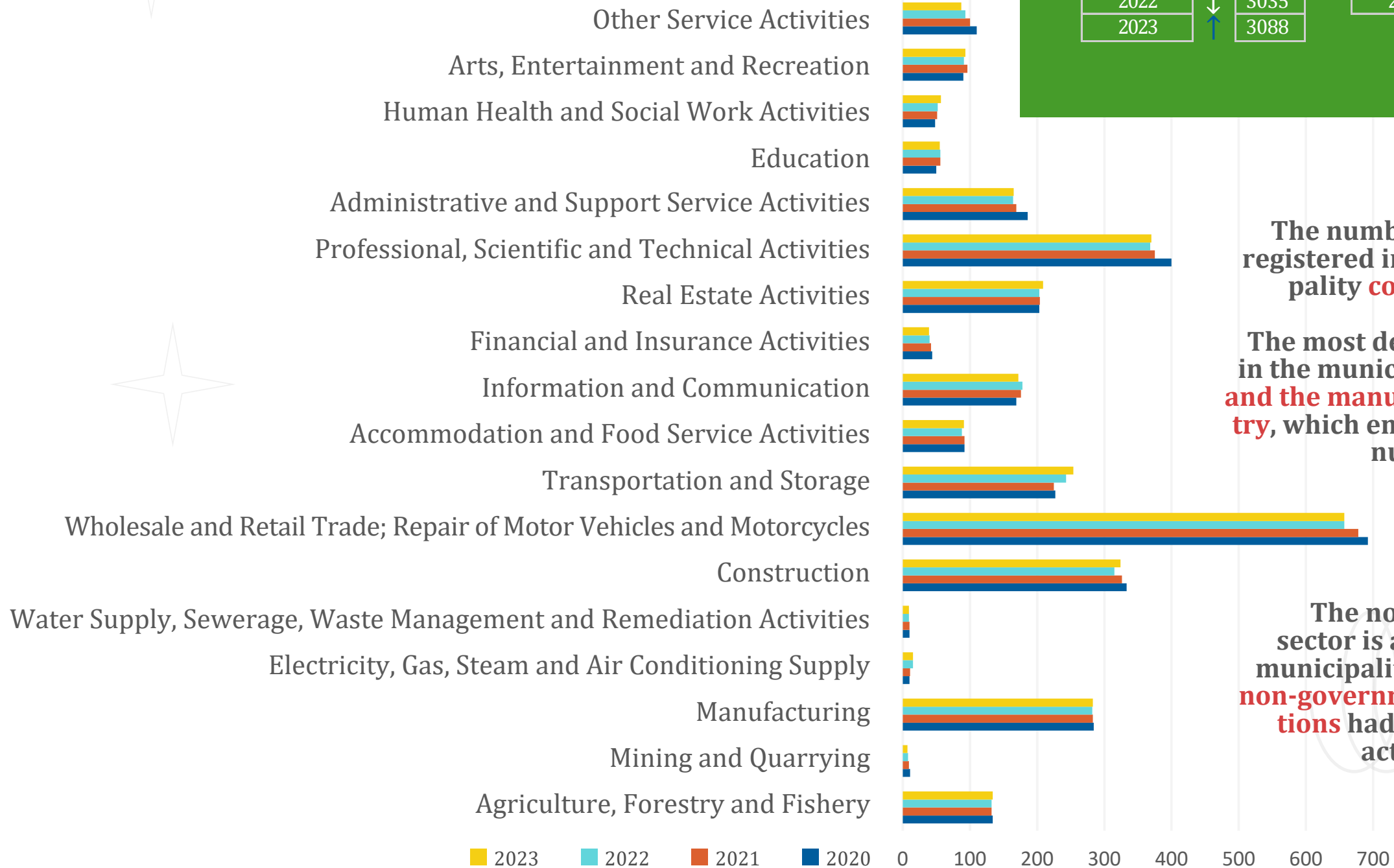
Two railway lines cross Ropaži Municipality: Riga–Valga with two railway stations Garkalne and Krievupe, and the electrified railway line Riga–Aizkraukle with the railway stop Gaisma.



Public transport services are provided by AS Nordeka, SIA Latvijas Sabiedriskais Autobuss, AS CATA and SIA Rīgas Satiksme.



Business areas



Number of active companies:

2020	3154
2021	3091
2022	3035
2023	3088

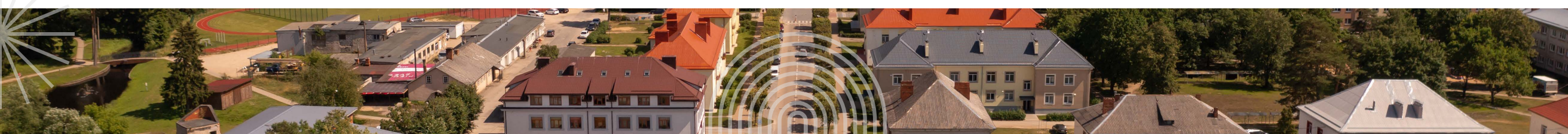
Number of people working in companies

2020	17 003
2021	16 703
2022	16 435

The number of companies registered in Ropaži Municipality **continues to grow**.

The most developed sectors in the municipality are **trade and the manufacturing industry**, which employ the largest number of people.

The non-governmental sector is also active in the municipality – in 2023, **450 non-governmental organisations** had registered their activities in Ropaži Municipality.



Largest production units

Saurieši – SIA Knauf gypsum building materials plant

Rumbula – SIA Getliņi EKO landfill, SIA Sakret manufacturer of dry building materials, SIA Latvijas tilti bridge design, construction and reconstruction

Vangaži – SIA Gaujas koks wood processing plant and SIA Izoterms metal construction plant

Zaķumuiža – SIA Linde Gas industrial gas production

TOP 10 largest companies

1. Building materials, garden and household goods store chain SIA DEPO DIY
2. Pharmaceutical product retailer SIA Tamro
3. Purchase and sale of agricultural products SIA AVRORA BALTIC
4. Wholesale and retail of alcoholic beverages SIA Amber Distribution Latvia
5. Wood processing SIA Gaujas Koks
6. Manufacturer of wooden packaging SIA Kronus
7. Swedish home improvement merchant SIA Paul Mason Properties
8. Manufacturer of building materials and construction systems SIA KNAUF
9. Retail of medicines SIA BENU Aptieka Latvija
10. Vehicle maintenance, repair and sales SIA Volvo Truck Latvia

Total amount of taxes paid by companies:

2020. gads	↓	318888,21
2021. gads	↓	240044,87
2022. gads	↓	227143,68

Fastest growing sectors

Manufacture of Other Non-metallic Mineral Products

Manufacture of Wood and of Products of Wood and Cork, Except Furniture; Manufacture of Articles of Straw and Plaiting Materials

Construction of Buildings

Retail Trade, Except of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles

Wholesale Trade, Except of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles

Manufacture of Fabricated Metal Products, Except Machinery and Equipment

Land Transport and Transport via Pipelines

Food and Beverage Service Activities

Human Health Activities

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■ MSSIC contributions in thousand EUR per 1 employee 2020

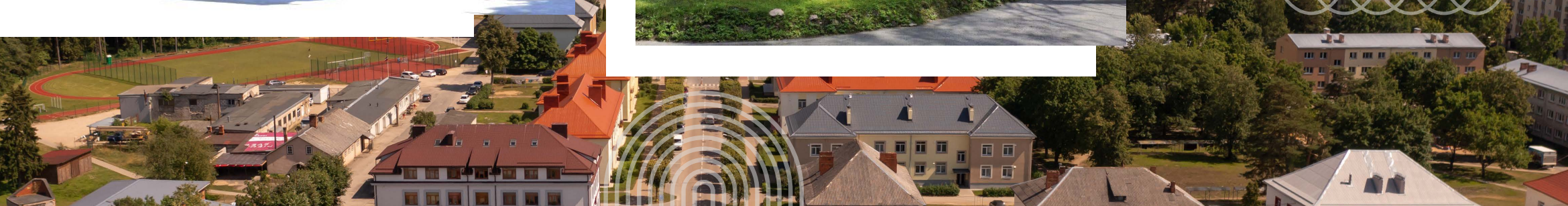
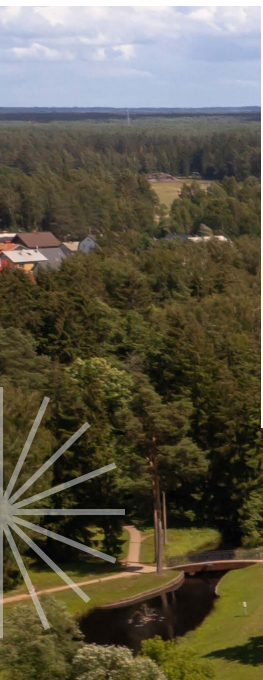
■ MSSIC contributions in thousand EUR per 1 employee 2022

Healthcare in Ropaži Municipality

Populated areas have been established at different times. There are many new and previously developed private housing areas, especially near the Riga border and the A4 Riga bypass. There are many former garden areas which are more and more becoming permanent residences. High-rise residential buildings are located in villages with a longer history – Cekule, Garkalne, Mucenieki, Ropaži, Saurieši, Silakrogs, Ulbroka, Upeslejas, Vangaži and Zaķumuiža. Rural farmsteads have been preserved, especially in Ropaži Rural Territory.

Health care services in Ropaži are provided by:

- Municipal agency Stopiņu ambulance
- Health centre Baltezers
- 15 GP and six dental practices
- 300 beds are available in the Centre for Tuberculosis and Lung Diseases of Riga East University Hospital in Upeslejas, Stopiņu Rural Territory

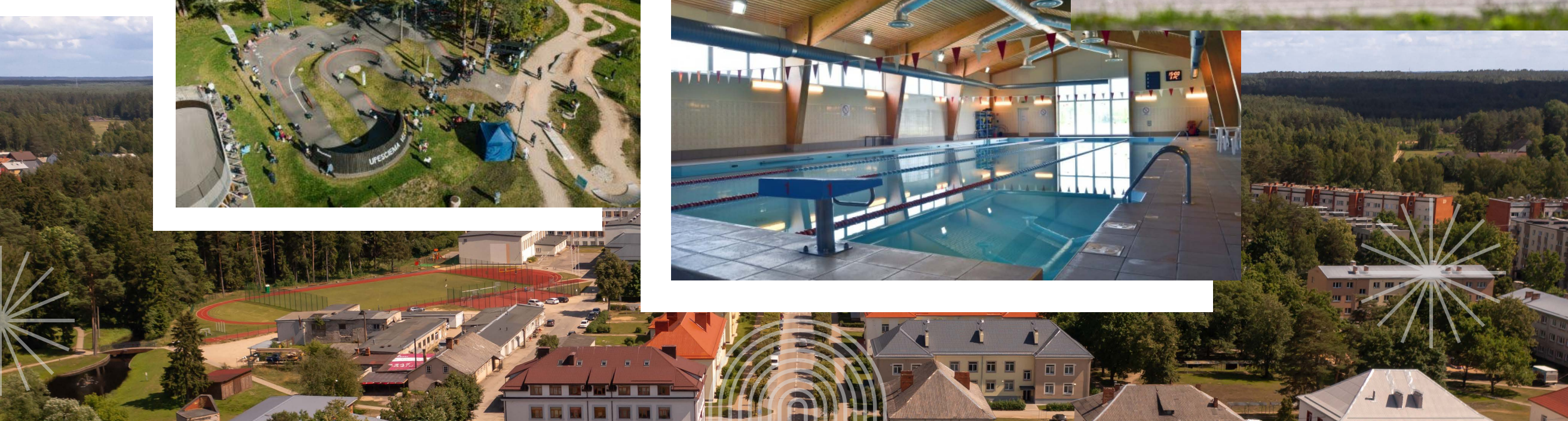
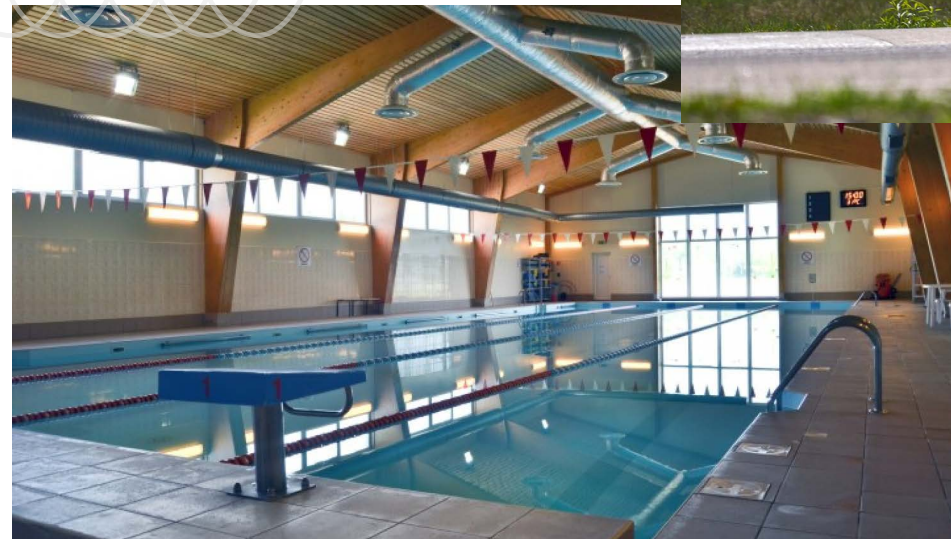


Sports in Ropaži Municipality

Sports activities: cycling, fitness, football, Nordic walking, roller skating and skiing, orienteering, basketball, floorball, volleyball, athletics, karting, aerobics, horse riding, novuss, table tennis, rugby, chess, tennis, karate, equestrian sports, hockey, ice-skating, skeet shooting, etc.

Sports infrastructure:

- Garkalne sports centre
- Ropaži sports centre
- Ulbroka sports complex
- Stopiņi swimming pool
- Vangaži sports centre
- Sporta komplekss 333
- Riga Shooting Center





Education in Ropaži Municipality

General education and secondary education institutions:

Ropaži Secondary School
Stopiņi Primary School
Ulbroka Secondary School
Upeslejas Primary School
Vangaži Secondary School

Vocational education:

Berģi Primary School of Music and Arts
Garkalne Arts and Comprehensive Primary School
Ropaži School of Music and Art Rodenpois
Ulbroka School of Music and Art
Vangaži School of Music and Art

Special educational institution:

Gaisma Primary School (Rumbula)



Preschool:

Langstiņi preschool educational institution Čiekuriņš
Garkalne preschool educational institution Skudriņš
Ropaži preschool educational institution Annele
Ulbroka preschool educational institution Pienenīte
Vangaži preschool educational institution Jancis

Educational institutions implementing preschool education programmes:

Ropaži Secondary School
Stopiņi Primary School
Upeslejas Primary School
Vangaži Secondary School

There are also 8 private pre-schools in the municipality.

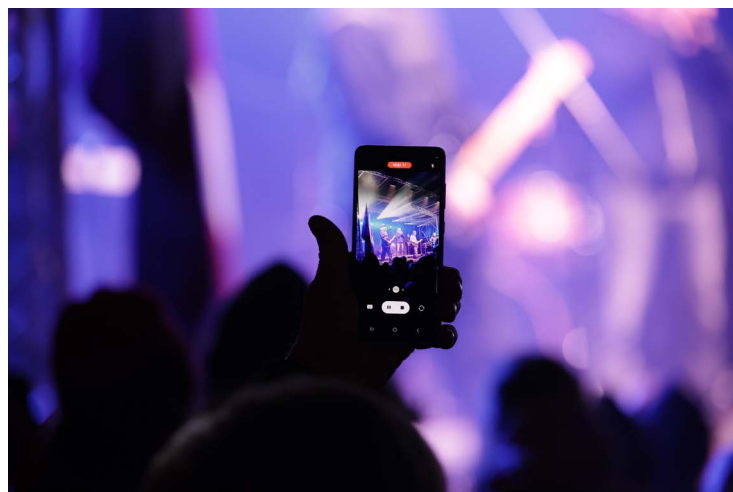


Recreation in Ropaži Municipality

Active cultural life is ensured by four cultural centres – in Ulbroka, Bergī, Vangaži and Ropaži with a branch in Zaķumuiža. 39 artistic groups operate in the cultural centres of Ropaži Municipality.

There are seven libraries in the municipality – in Ulbroka, Garkalne, Upesciems, Vangaži, Saurieši, Zaķumuiža, Ropaži and four book distribution points in multifunctional centres.

There are 7 rivers in Ropaži Municipality – Lielā and Mazā Jugla, Piķurga, Tumšupe, etc., 17 lakes – Lielais and Mazais Baltezers, Lake Ulbroka, Lake Langstiņi, Lake Asari, Silezers, Lake Kangari, etc.



Important cultural places:

Ropaži Rectory
Chapel in Ulbroka Forest Cemetery
Ropaži Evangelical Lutheran Church
Jānis Jaunsudrabiņš Memorial Room with an educational trail in Garkalne
Krīvi barn in Stopiņi Rural Territory
Līgo park in Ulbroka
Ropaži Castle Ruins
Lante Manor
Kangari Station
Valdenrode – Zaķumuiža manor complex
Railway bridge over the River Mazā Jugla
Ulbroka Manor
Centenary Square in Ulbroka
Lake Ulbroka, activity track, sports fields, skate park, viewing platform, recreation areas
Walking trail along Ulbroka lakeside
Lielie Kangari observation tower and trail in Ropaži Rural Territory
Recreation complex Sauleskalns
Culture centre Ulbrokas Pērle
Oaks and steep bank of Bajāri
Nāgelmuiža Linden Park and Nāgelmuiža Large Oak
Large Oak Nature Trail and Bee nests

Annual celebrations in Ropaži Municipality:

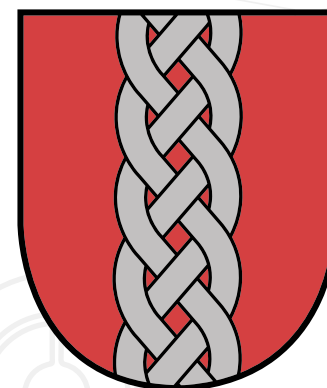
Barricade Memorial Day event in Ulbroka, at the memorial site
Commemorative events for the repressed on 25 March and 14 June
Easter
4 May
Līgo (Midsummer)
Ropaži Municipality Festival
Proclamation Day of the Republic of Latvia
Lāčplēsis Day torchlight walk in Ulbroka and Zaķumuiža
Christmas and New Year



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