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**Live + Work in Olaine Municipality!**

# Olaine Municipality: 308,5 km<sup>2</sup>

In the north it borders Riga City and Mārupe Municipality, in the south-west Jelgava Municipality, in the south Bauska Municipality and in the east Ķekava Municipality.



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Olaine Municipality is made up of Olaine Town and Olaine Rural Territory.

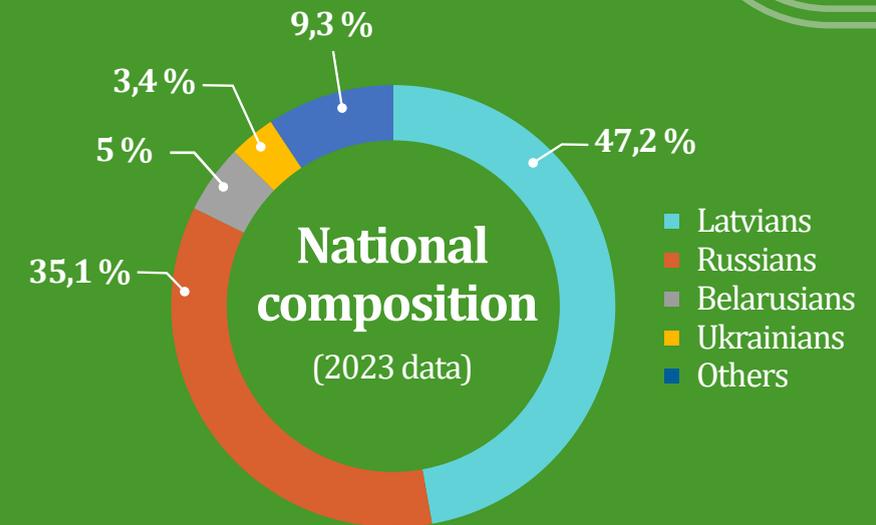
Largest populated areas at the beginning of 2023: Olaine (10084), Jaunolaine (3300), Medemciems (1727), Stūnīši (1208), Jānupe (1075)



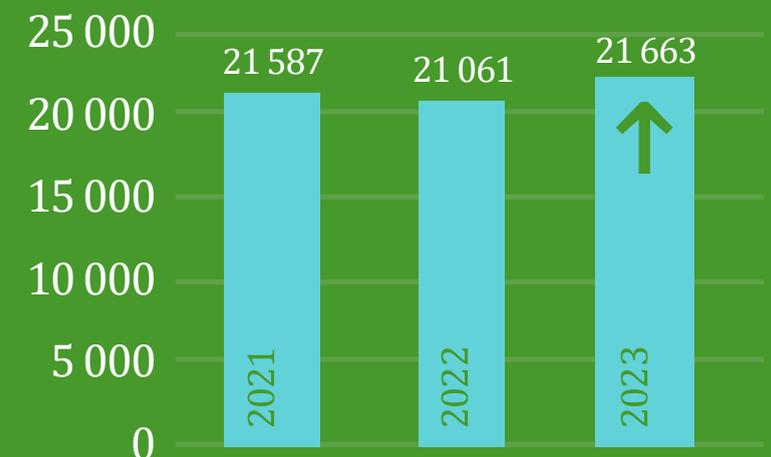
Olaine → centre of Riga 26,63 km



Olaine → Airport Riga 26,76 km



## Population dynamics



# Movement within **Olaine Municipality**



**A** State main road A8 (Riga–Jelgava–Lithuanian border), A5 Riga bypass (Salaspils–Babīte) and A7 (Riga–Bauska–Lithuanian border) cross the municipality. National local roads: V7 (Baloži–Plakanciems–Iecava), V8 (Jaunolaine–Plakanciems), V12 (Jānupe–Mežsētas–Zīles), V13 (Tīraine–Jaunolaine), V27 (Misas tilts–Dzērumi), V28 (Blukas–Emburga), V1066 (Daibe–Lejashbēnūži), V1081 (Upmaļi–Cīruļi), V1088 (access road to Klīve quarry) and local roads. The international highway E77 runs through Olaine Municipality.

 The Riga–Jelgava railway line crosses the municipality, with the Olaine railway station and the Jaunolaine and Baloži stops.

 Passenger transport on the routes Riga–Olaine, Riga–Gaismas is provided by AS Nordeka. On the routes Riga–Mežsētas–Vaivadi, Riga–Mežsētas, Riga–Medemciems, Riga–Pavasaris–Virši, Olaine–Sila kapi–Pēternieku kapi–Jaunolaine passenger transport is provided by AS Liepājas autobusu parks. For the residents of the municipality, transport services are also provided in the direction of Jelgava and Dobele.



# Business areas



Number of active companies:

2020	1475
2021	1424
2022	1416
2023	1454

Number of people working in companies:

2020	6250
2021	6157
2022	5877

The establishment "**Olaine Municipality Business Support Center**" was created with the aim of providing consultation, information and other support to existing and potential entrepreneurs in the municipality. The foundation offers coworking space services.



## TOP 10 largest companies

1. Manufacture of basic pharmaceutical products and pharmaceutical preparations AS Olainfarm
2. Wholesale of agricultural machinery, equipment and supplies SIA Bohnenkamp
3. Processing and preserving of fish, crustaceans and molluscs SIA Atlas Premium
4. Production and sale of vehicle chemicals, fertilisers SIA CrossChem
5. Pharmaceutical retail SIA LATVIJAS APTIEKA
6. Manufacture of non-domestic cooling and ventilation equipment SIA Dinair Filton
7. Transmission and trade of electricity SIA Deco Energy
8. Manufacture of central heating radiators and boilers SIA Lyngson
9. Production of different Azo-initiators and pure chemical substances AS Olaine Chemical Plant BIOLARS
10. Freight Transport by Road SIA AKATRANS

Total amount of taxes paid by companies

2020	44024,23
2021	↑ 50696,86
2022	↑ 54566,28

According to the data of the Subsoil Information System of the Latvian Environment, Geology and Meteorology Centre (LEGMC), as of 2021, there are **23** mineral deposits and **8** inferred resource areas in Olaine Municipality. By type of mineral deposits, the majority or **18** are sand deposits, **7** peat, **2** clay and **2** fresh water lime deposits.

At the beginning of 2021, **146** public organisations, associations and foundations were registered as active in the territory of Olaine Municipality. Approximately **27** associations can be considered as particularly active.

Most of them operate in the fields of civil and interest advocacy, social services, sports, culture, active recreation, education, promotion of citizens' activity and the environment.

# Healthcare in Olaine Municipality

Olaine Municipality is located in the Tīreļi Plain of the Central Latvian Lowlands with large massifs of high marshes. Most of the municipality is covered by forests, followed by agricultural land. Olaine Town is characterised by apartment buildings. Most of the populated areas of the municipality have developed in the last decades as gardening and summer cottage villages.



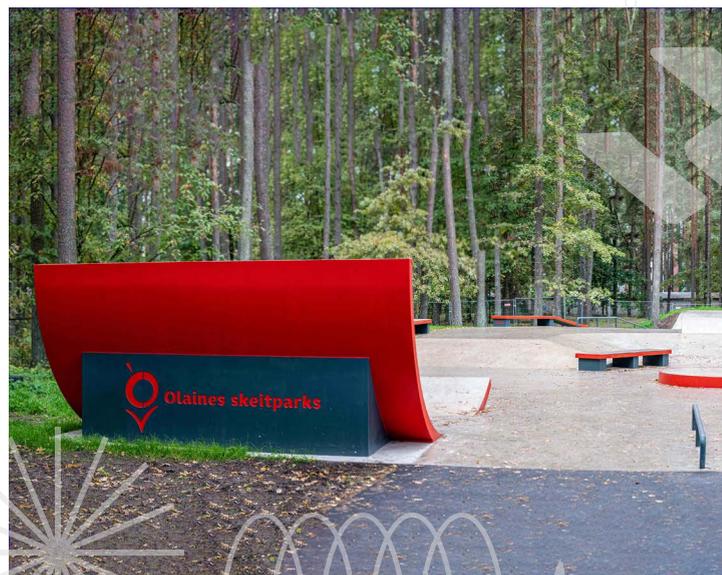
Healthcare services in Olaine Municipality are provided by:

- Clinic OlainMed
- SIA Jūlija Jurgaitiĕ medical practice in gynaecology and obstetrics
- SIA Medical firm Elpa
- 10 GP practices
- Two dental institutions
- Home health care in the municipality is provided by SIA Cilvēks and SIA Aprūpes birojs



# Sports in Olaine Municipality

Sports opportunities in Olaine Municipality: football, figure skating, hockey, artistic gymnastics, swimming, crossminton, ballroom dancing, boxing, athletics, chess, freestyle wrestling, intellectual board games, handball, karate, table tennis, tennis, badminton, etc.



Sports infrastructure:

The following sports facilities are used and managed by the Olaine Municipality institution Olaine Sports Centre:

- Olaine Swimming Pool
- Olaine Skating Rink
- Olaine Stadium
- Olaine Secondary School No. 2 stadium, including mini-football, volleyball and basketball
- Jaunolaine Stadium and Skate Park
- Olaine Sports Centre
- Jaunolaine Sports Centre
- Ziemas kalns
- Olaine cycling track (laine)
- Olaine skate park)



# Education in Olaine Municipality



## Preschool:

Zīle  
Dzērvenīte  
Magonīte  
Ābelīte  
Čiekuriņš

## General education:

Olaine Secondary School No. 1  
Olaine Secondary School No. 2

## Vocational education:

Riga Technical University Olaine College of Technology

## Vocational education:

Olaine School of Music and Art

Olaine Adult Education Centre



# Recreation in Olaine Municipality

The municipality has specially protected nature territories – the nature reserve Cenas tūrelis (part of it) and Lake Melnais bog. The largest rivers are Misa, Cena, Olainīte and Spulle, the largest lakes – Lake Mežezers, Lake Stūnīši, Lake Melnais and Lake Vintapi. The development of amateur art collectives and the diverse cultural processes in Olaine Municipality are ensured by Olaine Culture House and Jaunolaine Culture House. Residents have the opportunity to join one of 18 amateur art (singing and dancing) groups. There are 3 libraries in the municipality.



## Cultural, historical and sightseeing attractions:

- Olaine Forest Park
- Olaine Forest Park open-air stage
- Olaine Museum of History and Art
- Olaine children's playground
- First World War history educational route
- The tallest graffiti water tower in the Baltics
- Asphalted cycle track (pump-track).
- Olaine St Elizabeth Evangelical Lutheran Church
- Uzvaras Līdums (typical rural area)
- Olaine Rural Territory House
- Pēternieki Catholic Church, Primary School and Rural Territory House
- Pēternieki Manor Centre
- Border posts of Vidzeme and Kurzeme Governorates
- Bomb shelter and climbing tower
- First World War history educational route
- Several well-maintained swimming areas:
  - Līdumi quarry, Mežezers, Zirgu sils, Jāņupe quarry

## Annual celebrations in Olaine Municipality:

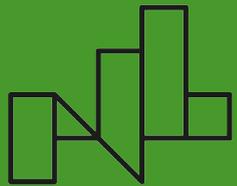
- Olaine Town Birthday
- Summer solstice celebration
- Proclamation Day of the Republic of Latvia
- Jāņupes varavīksne (Jāņupe Rainbow)
- Cranberry Festival





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