LATVIA

Capital: Riga
Area (km²): 64,589
Total population (thousands, 2021): 1,884
Population density (per km²): 29
National currency: Euro (EUR)
National statistical office: www.csb.lv

Women in the labour force, 2021
percentage of total for both sexes: 50%
Gender pay gap
monthly earnings, 2019: 21%
hourly wage, 2021: 15%
Women in part-time employment, 2021
percentage of employed women: 12%
Female tertiary students, 2020
percentage of total for both sexes: 56%
Female victims of homicide, 2021
percentage of total for both sexes: 49%
Women researchers, 2020
percentage of total for both sexes: 50%

Women and men in selected occupation groups, 2021
Managers: 46% Women, 54% Men
Professionals: 68% Women, 32% Men
Clerical support workers: 71% Women, 29% Men
Craft and related workers: 17% Women, 83% Men
Plant and machine operators and assemblers: 11% Women, 89% Men

Women and men in public life
Judges, 2021: 81% Women, 19% Men
Members of parliament, 2022: 27% Women, 73% Men
Government ministers, 2019: 21% Women, 79% Men

Life expectancy at birth, 2021
females, years: 78.0
males, years: 68.2
Life expectancy at 65, 2021
females, years: 17.6
males, years: 12.7
Total fertility rate, 2021
average number of children per woman: 1.6
Adolescent fertility rate, 2021
number of live births per 1000 women aged 15-19: 9.8
Mean age of women at birth of first child, 2021
age in years: 27.7

Internet use by age and sex, 2021
% users over 3 months
Women: 81%, 77%, 70%
Men: 73%, 69%, 58%

Employment (% change over previous year)
Unemployment rate (%)
Youth unemployment rate (%)
### GDP growth rate

- 2017: 3.3%
- 2018: 4.0%
- 2019: 2.6%
- 2020: -2.3%
- 2021: 4.3%
- 2022: 2.8%

### Economic activity rate, 2021, %

- Men: Approximately 70%
- Women: Approximately 60%

### Consumer price index

- 2016: 0.1%
- 2017: 2.9%
- 2018: 2.5%
- 2019: 2.8%
- 2020: 0.2%
- 2021: 3.3%
- 2022: 17.3%

### Forest resources

- Area of forest (percentage of land area, 2015): 54%
- Wood volume (m³ per inhabitant, 2015): 336 m³

### GDP in agriculture, industry, services (2010 = 100)

- Agriculture: 6%
- Industry (including construction): 24%
- Services: 70%

### Transport infrastructure, road accidents and traffic

- Railways: 1,859 thousand km
- Motorways: ..
- Persons injured in road accidents: 0
- Persons killed in road accidents: 78
- Traffic, railways:
  - Million passenger-kilometres, 2021: 361
  - Million tonne-kilometres, 2021: 7,367

### Purchasing Power Parity (PPP)

- EUR per USD, US=1, 2021: 0.506