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Source: Data provided by Lithuanian municipalities and compiled by the Department of National Minorities under the Government of the Republic of Lithuania¹, together with statistical data from the State Data Agency.

The tables in this annex present the number of national minority projects funded by municipalities, the funding allocated (in euros), the funding allocated per person of a nationality other than Lithuanian, the funding allocated per resident, and municipalities' non-financial or organisational contributions to project implementation, where such information was provided in the data for the respective reporting year.

Table 1. Funding Allocated by Municipalities in Lithuania for National Minority Projects, 2022–2025

Municipality	Number of projects in 2022	Funds allocated for 2022, EUR	Number of projects in 2023	Funds allocated for 2023, EUR	Number of projects in 2024	Funds allocated for 2024, EUR	Number of projects in 2025	Funds allocated for 2025, EUR	Total number of projects	Total funding, EUR
Akmenė District	1	2,145.00	1	5,357.00	-	-	7	9,142.85	9	16,644.85
Alytus City	24	61,873.00	27	58,038.00	5	3,230.56	19	16,940.25	75	140,081.81
Alytus District	5	248,202.00	2	9,800.00	6	22,824.16	5	18,140.00	18	298,966.16
Anykščiai District	10	9,500.00	8	13,570.00	4	29,224.00	11	8,233.00	33	60,527.00
Birštonas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Biržai District	6	9,430.00	2	20.00	3	7,809.14	8	42,117.54	19	59,376.68
Druskininkai	4	13,552.64	7	27,275.20	7	43,600.00	-	-	18	84,427.84
Elektrėnai	-	-	16	18,204.00	-	-	3	-	19	18,204.00
Ignalina District	6	1,200.00	6	5,750.00	3	2,000.00	2	15,500.00	17	24,450.00
Jonava District	28	42,196.00	-	-	4	75,506.00	4	13,800.00	36	131,502.00
Joniškis District	-	-	21	18,880.00	4	16,135.00	15	8,752.27	40	43,767.27
Jurbarkas District	14	32,484.12	-	-	3	2,185.71	14	4,035.00	31	38,704.83
Kaišiadorys District	12	7,936.00	4	24,900.00	11	1,054,355.80	2	5,354.00	29	1,092,545.80
Kalvarija	2	21,709.09	-	-	-	-	6	97,330.00	8	119,039.09
Kaunas City	2	4,650.00	5	17,000.00	7	23,360.00	23	32,633.82	37	77,643.82
Kaunas District	2	22,500.00	38	12,358.00	8	34,942.16	17	20,176.00	65	89,976.16
Kazlų Rūda	8	22,005.74	3	-	-	-	8	5,000.00	19	27,005.74
Kėdainiai District	7	232,249.00	-	-	10	58,100.00	23	360,613.00	40	650,962.00
Kelmė District	-	-	11	1,761.59	-	-	12	550.00	23	2,311.59

¹ Award for support provided by municipalities or state institutions and implemented projects in the field of national minorities, [Apdovanojimas už savivaldybių ar valstybės įstaigų teikiamą paramą ir vykdomus projektus tautinių mažumų srityje - Tautinių mažumų departamentas prie Lietuvos Respublikos Vyriausybės](#)

Municipality	Number of projects in 2022	Funds allocated for 2022, EUR	Number of projects in 2023	Funds allocated for 2023, EUR	Number of projects in 2024	Funds allocated for 2024, EUR	Number of projects in 2025	Funds allocated for 2025, EUR	Total number of projects	Total funding, EUR
Klaipėda City	66	275,820.75	72	71,269.34	10	45,242.00	17	121,450.00	165	513,782.09
Klaipėda District	5	21,477.00	7	35,827.00	5	56,438.00	3	36,600.00	20	150,342.00
Kretinga District	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kupiškis District	2	565,000.00	2	-	2	11,932.00	5	3,321.43	11	580,253.43
Lazdijai District	1	1,559.00	4	-	-	-	1	2,722.72	6	4,281.72
Marijampolė	3	8,350.00	1	600.00	2	1,400.00	4	7,050.00	10	17,400.00
Mažeikiai District	3	20,500.00	-	-	-	-	1	1,830.00	4	22,330.00
Molėtai District	2	2,500.00	-	-	3	3,500.00	3	1,700.00	8	7,700.00
Neringa	-	-	16	48,368.89	1	250.00	10	11,718.50	27	60,337.39
Pagėgiai	1	500.00	1	1,500.00	3	4,800.00	4	11,700.00	9	18,500.00
Pakruojis District	2	262,892.54	1	-	2	3,600.00	3	127,788.55	8	394,281.09
Palanga	3	-	2	2,300.00	1	3,495.17	2	1,822.15	8	7,617.32
Panevėžys City	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Panevėžys District	1	-	1	3,600.00	8	68,198.00	11	169,205.65	21	241,003.65
Pasvalys District	-	-	4	11,280.00	-	-	9	84,557.15	13	95,837.15
Plungė District	-	-	3	51,150.00	1	58,700.00	-	-	4	109,850.00
Prienai District	17	20,920.00	5	3,300.00	-	-	12	300.00	34	24,520.00
Radviliškis District	-	-	3	-	-	-	8	291,000.00	11	291,000.00
Raseiniai District	1	10,000.00	3	7,734.00	1	9,500.00	1	-	6	27,234.00
Rietavas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rokiškis District	8	2,100.00	3	120.00	8	18,354.00	8	5,950.00	27	26,524.00
Skuodas District	-	-	-	-	1	11,000.00	2	25,050.00	3	36,050.00
Šakiai District	11	7,300.00	-	-	2	25,944.00	1	-	14	33,244.00
Šalčininkai District	22	55,235.74	27	90,236.59	35	417,333.13	33	62,287.88	117	625,093.34
Šiauliai City	14	5,849.34	-	-	6	207,190.00	5	34,100.00	25	247,139.34
Šiauliai District	-	-	4	84,438.13	3	38,777.80	10	39,077.80	17	162,293.73
Šilalė District	2	3,200.00	1	1,500.00	1	2,500.00	-	-	4	7,200.00
Šilutė District	7	60,199.00	6	29,067.00	2	34,612.00	13	28,729.48	28	152,607.48
Širvintos District	-	-	2	6,109.20	-	-	6	400.00	8	6,509.20
Švenčionys District	15	120,962.20	10	30,724.31	8	50,739.00	7	38,500.00	40	240,925.51
Tauragė District	4	6,006.00	4	4,670.00	-	-	-	-	8	10,676.00
Telšiai District	11	101,085.60	4	27,407.07	1	4,900.00	4	5,466.50	20	138,859.17
Trakai District	21	33,555.00	17	19,315.00	11	9,925.00	17	22,885.00	66	85,680.00
Ukmergė District	11	17,019.00	20	81,662.10	4	16,479.14	5	15,000.00	40	130,160.24
Utena District	6	14,482.90	4	13,140.00	1	7,200.00	2	17,500.00	13	52,322.90
Varėna District	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	-
Vilkaviškis	-	-	2	10,238.99	4	12,000.00	4	22,700.00	10	44,938.99
Vilnius City	89	257,422.00	75	279,482.00	38	498,926.00	47	4,739,354.00	249	5,775,184.00
Vilnius District	48	725,402.27	36	1,523,522.18	15	502,789.00	56	278,963.35	155	3,030,676.80
Visaginas	4	5,000.00	4	4,000.00	4	4,000.00	-	-	12	13,000.00
Zarasai District	4	10,108.13	-	-	1	3,000.00	-	-	5	13,108.13
Total	515	3,346,079.06	495	2,655,475.59	259	3,505,996.77	495	6,867,047.89	1,764	16,374,599.31

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Table 2. Funding Allocated by Municipalities in Lithuania for National Minority Projects, 2022

Municipality	Number of projects	Funds allocated, EUR	Allocated per person of a nationality other than Lithuanian, EUR	Allocated per inhabitant, EUR	Number of projects with non-financial contributions (Note 4)
Akmenė District	1	2,145.00	2.65	0.11	-
Alytus City	24	61,873.00	47.96	1.17	-
Alytus District	5	248,202.00	500.41	9.70	-
Anykščiai District	10	9,500.00	12.20	0.41	-
Birštonas	-	-	-	-	-
Biržai District	6	9,430.00	28.06	0.40	-
Druskininkai	4	13,552.64	8.04	0.68	-
Elektrėnai	-	-	-	-	-
Ignalina District	6	1,200.00	0.51	0.08	-
Jonava District	28	42,196.00	8.78	1.04	-
Joniškis District	-	-	-	-	-
Jurbarkas District	14	32,484.12	121.20	1.29	-
Kaišiadorys District	12	7,936.00	6.35	0.26	-
Kalvarija	2	21,709.09	206.75	2.15	-
Kaunas City	2	4,650.00	0.37	0.01	-
Kaunas District	2	22,500.00	9.86	0.24	-
Kazlų Rūda	8	22,005.74	122.93	1.99	-
Kėdainiai District	7	232,249.00	163.44	5.00	-
Kelmė District	-	-	-	-	-
Klaipėda City	66	275,820.75	8.96	1.81	-
Klaipėda District	5	21,477.00	7.65	0.38	-
Kretinga District	-	-	-	-	-
Kupiškis District	2	565,000.00	1,543.71	34.18	-
Lazdijai District	1	1,559.00	5.57	0.08	-
Marijampolė	3	8,350.00	10.59	0.15	-
Mažeikiai District	3	20,500.00	17.73	0.39	-
Molėtai District	2	2,500.00	1.69	0.14	-
Neringa	-	-	-	-	-
Pagėgiai	1	500.00	3.04	0.06	-
Pakruojis District	2	262,892.54	688.20	19.96	-
Palanga	3	-	-	-	-
Panevėžys City	-	-	-	-	-
Panevėžys District	1	-	-	-	-
Pasvalys District	-	-	-	-	-
Plungė District	-	-	-	-	-
Prienai District	17	20,920.00	55.19	0.83	-
Radviliškis District	-	-	-	-	-

Municipality	Number of projects	Funds allocated, EUR	Allocated per person of a nationality other than Lithuanian, EUR	Allocated per inhabitant, EUR	Number of projects with non-financial contributions (Note 4)
Raseiniai District	1	10,000.00	41.84	0.32	-
Rietavas	-	-	-	-	-
Rokiškis District	8	2,100.00	1.24	0.07	-
Skuodas District	-	-	-	-	-
Šakiai District	11	7,300.00	33.64	0.27	-
Šalčininkai District	22	55,235.74	2.10	1.84	-
Šiauliai City	14	5,849.34	1.30	0.06	-
Šiauliai District	-	-	-	-	-
Šilalė District	2	3,200.00	44.44	0.14	-
Šilutė District	7	60,199.00	53.37	1.54	-
Širvintos District	-	-	-	-	-
Švenčionys District	15	120,962.20	12.58	5.26	-
Tauragė District	4	6,006.00	13.71	0.15	-
Telšiai District	11	101,085.60	173.09	2.51	-
Trakai District	21	33,555.00	2.73	1.04	-
Ukmergė District	11	17,019.00	10.39	0.49	-
Utena District	6	14,482.90	12.17	0.39	-
Varėna District	-	-	-	-	-
Vilkaviškis	-	-	-	-	-
Vilnius City	89	257,422.00	1.56	0.46	-
Vilnius District	48	725,402.27	12.80	7.53	-
Visaginas	4	5,000.00	0.33	0.25	-
Zarasai District	4	10,108.13	2.75	0.66	-
Total	515	3,346,079.06	-	-	-

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Table 3. Funding Allocated by Municipalities in Lithuania for National Minority Projects, 2023

Municipality	Number of projects	Funds allocated, EUR	Allocated per person of a nationality other than Lithuanian, EUR	Allocated per inhabitant, EUR	Number of projects with non-financial contributions (Note 4)
Akmenė District	1	5,357.00	6.64	0.27	-
Alytus City	27	58,038.00	44.99	1.10	-
Alytus District	2	9,800.00	19.76	0.38	-
Anykščiai District	8	13,570.00	17.42	0.58	-
Birštonas	-	-	-	-	-
Biržai District	2	20.00	0.06	0.00	-
Druskininkai	7	27,275.20	20.60	1.36	-
Elektrėnai	16	18,204.00	5.49	0.78	-
Ignalina District	6	5,750.00	2.44	0.39	-
Jonava District	-	-	-	-	-
Joniškis District	21	18,880.00	37.77	0.89	-
Jurbarkas District	-	-	-	-	-
Kaišiadorys District	4	24,900.00	19.94	0.83	-
Kalvarija	-	-	-	-	-
Kaunas City	5	17,000.00	1.36	0.06	-
Kaunas District	38	12,358.00	5.43	0.13	-
Kazlų Rūda	3	-	-	-	-
Kėdainiai District	-	-	-	-	-
Kelmė District	11	1,761.59	4.37	0.07	-
Klaipėda City	72	71,269.34	2.31	0.47	-
Klaipėda District	7	35,827.00	12.75	0.63	-
Kretinga District	-	-	-	-	-
Kupiškis District	2	-	-	-	-
Lazdijai District	4	-	-	-	-
Marijampolė	1	600.00	0.76	0.01	-
Mažeikiai District	-	-	-	-	-
Molėtai District	-	-	-	-	-
Neringa	16	48,368.89	262.87	13.40	-
Pagėgiai	1	1,500.00	9.15	0.20	-
Pakruojis District	1	-	-	-	-
Palanga	2	2,300.00	3.23	0.14	-
Panevėžys City	-	-	-	-	-
Panevėžys District	1	3,600.00	5.51	0.10	-
Pasvalys District	4	11,280.00	48.20	0.49	-
Plungė District	3	51,150.00	211.36	1.52	-
Prienai District	5	3,300.00	8.71	0.13	-
Radviliškis District	3	-	-	-	-
Raseiniai District	3	7,734.00	32.36	0.25	-

Municipality	Number of projects	Funds allocated, EUR	Allocated per person of a nationality other than Lithuanian, EUR	Allocated per inhabitant, EUR	Number of projects with non-financial contributions (Note 4)
Rietavas	-	-	-	-	-
Rokiškis District	3	120.00	0.07	0.00	-
Skuodas District	-	-	-	-	-
Šakiai District	-	-	-	-	-
Šalčininkai District	27	90,236.59	3.52	3.00	-
Šiauliai City	-	-	-	-	-
Šiauliai District	4	84,438.13	89.64	2.06	-
Šilalė District	1	1,500.00	20.83	0.07	-
Šilutė District	6	29,067.00	28.67	0.74	-
Širvintos District	2	6,109.20	3.59	0.41	-
Švenčionys District	10	30,724.31	3.20	1.34	-
Tauragė District	4	4,670.00	10.66	0.12	-
Telšiai District	4	27,407.07	46.93	0.68	-
Trakai District	17	19,315.00	1.58	0.60	-
Ukmergė District	20	81,662.10	49.89	2.36	-
Utena District	4	13,140.00	11.04	0.35	-
Varėna District	-	-	-	-	-
Vilkaviškis	2	10,238.99	22.31	0.29	-
Vilnius City	75	279,482.00	1.70	0.50	-
Vilnius District	36	1,523,522.18	26.89	15.82	-
Visaginas	4	4,000.00	0.27	0.20	-
Zarasai District	-	-	-	-	-
Total	495	2,655,475.59	-	-	-

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Table 4. Funding Allocated by Municipalities in Lithuania for National Minority Projects, 2024

Municipality	Number of projects	Funds allocated, EUR	Allocated per person of a nationality other than Lithuanian, EUR	Allocated per inhabitant, EUR	Number of projects with non-financial contributions (Note 4)
Akmenė District	-	-	-	-	3
Alytus City	5	3,230.56	1.40	0.06	4
Alytus District	6	22,824.16	35.55	0.90	6
Anykščiai District	4	29,224.00	27.75	1.33	9
Birštonas	-	-	-	-	-
Biržai District	3	7,809.14	15.74	0.36	6
Druskininkai	7	43,600.00	22.82	2.17	-
Elektrėnai	-	-	-	-	6
Ignalina District	3	2,000.00	0.87	0.15	-
Jonava District	4	75,506.00	15.29	1.82	20
Joniškis District	4	16,135.00	31.09	0.81	13
Jurbarkas District	3	2,185.71	1.04	0.09	14
Kaišiadorys District	11	1,054,355.80	722.66	36.93	7
Kalvarija	-	-	-	-	-
Kaunas City	7	23,360.00	0.86	0.08	8
Kaunas District	8	34,942.16	4.96	0.32	28
Kazlų Rūda	-	-	-	-	7
Kėdainiai District	10	58,100.00	22.90	1.28	5
Kelmė District	-	-	-	-	2
Klaipėda City	10	45,242.00	1.04	0.28	-
Klaipėda District	5	56,438.00	7.45	0.81	1
Kretinga District	-	-	-	-	-
Kupiškis District	2	11,932.00	21.97	0.77	-
Lazdijai District	-	-	-	-	1
Marijampolė	2	1,400.00	0.62	0.03	-
Mažeikiai District	-	-	-	-	-
Molėtai District	3	3,500.00	2.42	0.21	-
Neringa	1	250.00	0.69	0.06	4
Pagėgiai	3	4,800.00	24.00	0.69	-
Pakruojis District	2	3,600.00	11.39	0.20	7
Palanga	1	3,495.17	2.21	0.19	-
Panevėžys City	-	-	-	-	2
Panevėžys District	8	68,198.00	87.21	1.93	2
Pasvalys District	-	-	-	-	1
Plungė District	1	58,700.00	65.66	1.79	5
Prienai District	-	-	-	-	11

Municipality	Number of projects	Funds allocated, EUR	Allocated per person of a nationality other than Lithuanian, EUR	Allocated per inhabitant, EUR	Number of projects with non-financial contributions (Note 4)
Radviliškis District	-	-	-	-	1
Raseiniai District	1	9,500.00	17.21	0.32	1
Rietavas	-	-	-	-	-
Rokiškis District	8	18,354.00	10.38	0.68	9
Skuodas District	1	11,000.00	50.69	0.73	2
Šakiai District	2	25,944.00	64.54	1.03	-
Šalčininkai District	35	417,333.13	16.13	13.99	-
Šiauliai City	6	207,190.00	11.29	1.85	3
Šiauliai District	3	38,777.80	38.51	0.97	-
Šilalė District	1	2,500.00	17.61	0.12	-
Šilutė District	2	34,612.00	19.78	0.91	-
Širvintos District	-	-	-	-	-
Švenčionys District	8	50,739.00	5.42	2.36	5
Tauragė District	-	-	-	-	-
Telšiai District	1	4,900.00	5.26	0.13	-
Trakai District	11	9,925.00	0.68	0.28	-
Ukmergė District	4	16,479.14	4.78	0.47	2
Utena District	1	7,200.00	2.49	0.19	1
Varėna District	-	-	-	-	4
Vilkaviškis	4	12,000.00	16.67	0.36	-
Vilnius City	38	498,926.00	2.37	0.82	-
Vilnius District	15	502,789.00	8.08	4.62	1
Visaginas	4	4,000.00	0.26	0.21	-
Zarasai District	1	3,000.00	0.87	0.21	-
Total	259	3,505,996.77	-	-	201

ANNEX 1

Funding Allocated by Municipalities in Lithuania for National Minority Projects, 2022–2025

Table 5. Funding Allocated by Municipalities in Lithuania for National Minority Projects, 2025

Municipality	Number of projects	Funds allocated, EUR	Allocated per person of a nationality other than Lithuanian, EUR	Allocated per inhabitant, EUR	Number of projects with non-financial contributions (Note 4)
Akmenė District	7	9,142.85	7.57	0.48	4
Alytus City	19	16,940.25	7.36	0.33	10
Alytus District	5	18,140.00	33.47	0.71	1
Anykščiai District	11	8,233.00	7.80	0.37	6
Birštonas	-	-	-	-	-
Biržai District	8	42,117.54	84.40	1.93	1
Druskininkai	-	-	-	-	-
Elektrėnai	3	-	-	-	3
Ignalina District	2	15,500.00	6.77	1.14	-
Jonava District	4	13,800.00	2.79	0.33	-
Joniškis District	15	8,752.27	16.86	0.44	10
Jurbarkas District	14	4,035.00	1.92	0.16	11
Kaišiadorys District	2	5,354.00	3.66	0.19	-
Kalvarija	6	97,330.00	380.20	10.15	1
Kaunas City	23	32,633.82	1.20	0.11	15
Kaunas District	17	20,176.00	2.86	0.18	7
Kazlų Rūda	8	5,000.00	18.94	0.46	7
Kėdainiai District	23	360,613.00	141.97	7.92	13
Kelmė District	12	550.00	1.23	0.02	9
Klaipėda City	17	121,450.00	2.80	0.75	-
Klaipėda District	3	36,600.00	4.83	0.53	-
Kretinga District	-	-	-	-	-
Kupiškis District	5	3,321.43	611.68	21.45	3
Lazdijai District	1	2,722.72	7.67	0.16	-
Marijampolė	4	7,050.00	3.11	0.13	-
Mažeikiai District	1	1,830.00	0.57	0.04	-
Molėtai District	3	1,700.00	1.17	0.10	-
Neringa	10	11,718.50	32.37	2.63	7
Pagėgiai	4	11,700.00	57.64	1.67	-
Pakruojis District	3	127,788.55	401.85	7.25	-
Palanga	2	1,822.15	1.15	0.10	1
Panevėžys City	-	-	-	-	-
Panevėžys District	11	169,205.65	216.65	4.78	3
Pasvalys District	9	84,557.15	209.30	3.90	1
Plungė District	-	-	-	-	-
Prienai District	12	300.00	0.50	0.01	11

Municipality	Number of projects	Funds allocated, EUR	Allocated per person of a nationality other than Lithuanian, EUR	Allocated per inhabitant, EUR	Number of projects with non-financial contributions (Note 4)
Radviliškis District	8	291,000.00	132.39	8.57	6
Raseiniai District	1	-	-	-	1
Rietavas	-	-	-	-	-
Rokiškis District	8	5,950.00	3.36	0.22	4
Skuodas District	2	25,050.00	115.44	1.67	1
Šakiai District	1	-	-	-	1
Šalčininkai District	33	62,287.88	2.41	2.09	5
Šiauliai City	5	34,100.00	1.86	0.30	-
Šiauliai District	10	39,077.80	38.69	0.97	5
Šilalė District	-	-	-	-	-
Šilutė District	13	28,729.48	16.39	0.75	1
Širvintos District	6	400.00	0.22	0.03	5
Švenčionys District	7	38 500.00	4.13	1.79	-
Tauragė District	-	-	-	-	-
Telšiai District	4	5,466.50	5.85	0.14	2
Trakai District	17	22,885.00	1.57	0.66	-
Ukmergė District	5	15,000.00	4.35	0.43	4
Utena District	2	17,500.00	6.04	0.47	-
Varėna District	2	-	-	-	2
Vilkaviškis	4	22,700.00	31.40	0.68	-
Vilnius City	47	4,739,354.00	22.56	7.80	2
Vilnius District	56	278,963.35	4.49	2.57	12
Visaginas	-	-	-	-	-
Zarasai District	-	-	-	-	-
Total	495	6,867,047.89	-	-	175

Notes

1. The number of projects includes projects funded by municipalities in the areas of national minority cultures, education, historical heritage, integration, civic education and other related areas.
2. Funding is reported in euros.
3. The indicator “Funding allocated per person of a nationality other than Lithuanian” was calculated on the basis of the population statistics for the respective year.
4. The indicator “Contribution to implementation” identifies projects to which municipalities contributed through organisational, infrastructural or other non-financial support, where such information was provided in the source data.

5. The symbol “–” indicates that the funding or the respective indicator was not reported, or that the municipality did not allocate funding during the respective period.

ANNEX 2

Funding Allocated for Projects of National Minority Cultural and Integration Centres, 2022–2026

Source: Data provided by the Department of National Minorities under the Government of the Republic of Lithuania.

The table in this Annex presents the number of national minority projects funded by the DNM and the funding allocated.

Centre	Funding allocated	Number of projects	Funding allocated	Number of projects	Funding allocated	Number of projects	Funding allocated	Number of projects	Funding allocated	Number of projects	Funding allocated	Number of projects
	2022		2023		2024		2025		2026		Total	Total
House of National Communities	134,000	5	120,000	4	130,000	4	134,000	4	133,000	4	651,000	21
Kaunas Cultural Centre of Various Nations	80,000	4	82,000	4	87,000	4	90,000	4	100,000	4	439,000	20
Klaipėda City Municipality Centre for National Cultures	17,000	3	17,000	1	10,000	1	8,000	1	9,000	1	61,000	7
Lithuanian Folklore and Ethnography Centre of National Minorities	72,000	4	76,000	4	77,000	4	67,000	4	68,000	4	360,000	20
Roma Community Centre	74,000	3	78,000	3	79,500	3	80,000	3	80,000	3	391,500	15
Pabradė Town Cultural Centre	18,000	3	4,000	1	3,000	1	3,000	1	5,000	1	33,000	7
Trakai Cultural Centre / Trakai	8,000	1	6,000	1	2,000	1	4,000	1	5,000	1	25,000	5

Culture and Art Centre												
Švenčionėliai Town Cultural Centre	23,000	5	5,000	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	28,000	7
Visaginas Cultural Centre	12,000	2	–	–	7,500	1	6,000	1	5,000	1	30,500	5
House of Polish Culture in Vilnius	12,000	1	16,000	1	–	–	7,000	1	9,000	1	44,000	4
Vilnius Cultural Centre	–	–	4,000	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	4,000	1
Simon Karczmar Crafts Yard in Dieveniškės	–	–	–	–	2,000	1	3,000	1	4,000	1	9,000	3
I. Ivan Lutskievič Belarusian Museum in Vilnius	–	–	2,000	1	2,000	1	3,000	1	–	–	7,000	3
Ignalina District Cultural Centre	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2,000	1	2,000	1
Total	450,000	–	410,000	23	400,000	21	405,000	22	420,000	22	2,085,000	119

Notes

1. The number of projects includes projects funded by cultural centres in the areas of national minority culture, historical heritage, education, civic education and other related areas.
2. Funding is reported in euros.
3. The symbol “–” indicates that no funding application was submitted or that no funding was allocated.

ANNEX 3

Implementation of the Information Campaign “Get to Know, So There Is No Need to Fear” in 2025

Source: Data summarised by the DNM and the Public Institution Roma Community Centre.

The tables in this annex present the campaign’s communication tools, formats, content and results.

Table 1. Campaign Communication Tools and Reach

Communication tool	Channels	Reach / Results
Press releases for the national media	National news portals	3,447,810 contacts (one press release)
LRT	LRT Television, LRT Radio, <i>LRT.lt</i>	1,171,041 contacts
<i>TV3.lt</i>	Rotating advertisement	Displayed 454,403 times
<i>Facebook</i>	Paid advertising	more than 370,000 users reached
Regional portals	Jurbarkas, Anykščiai, Varėna, Šalčininkai, Jonava, Švenčionys	more than 1.7 million contacts
Outdoor advertising	<i>JCDecaux</i> billboards in Vilnius and Klaipėda	70 advertising panels*
Total		17,779,815 contacts

Notes

1. *In 2025, the campaign’s visibility was further enhanced by *JCDecaux* billboards in Vilnius and Klaipėda; however, their audience reach was not measured.

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Table 2. Forms of communication used

Form of communication	Applied
Video advertising	✓
Audio advertising	✓
Outdoor advertising	✓
Advertising banners	✓
Sponsored articles	✓
Press releases	✓
Social media communication	✓
Facebook advertising	✓

Notes

1. These communication tools were used throughout 2025.

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Table 3. Campaign Content

✓ Key campaign messages
✓ During the Second World War, every third Roma person was killed because of their ethnicity.
✓ The Roma have influenced a wide range of musical styles, including flamenco.
✓ The Romani language is closely related to Sanskrit.

Notes

1. The information was intended to reduce stereotypes, raise public awareness of Roma history and culture, and promote respectful intercultural dialogue.

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Table 4. Campaign Results

Indicator	Value
Total campaign audience	17,779,815 contacts
Population of Lithuania (2025)	2,693,602
Campaign period	2025
Communication channels	National media, regional press, social media, radio, television, online portals, outdoor advertising
Additional dissemination	<i>JCDecaux</i> billboards in Vilnius and Klaipėda
National recognition	Commendation from the Ministry of the Interior in the Good Practice Competition for Crime and Other Offence Prevention Projects and Community Initiatives.

ANNEX 4

List of Publishing and Information Dissemination Projects Funded by the DNM (2022–2026)

Source: Data on the funding of cultural projects for 2022–2026 compiled by the DNM.

The table in this Annex presents the organisations implementing the projects, the project titles and types, and the amount of funding allocated (in euros).

Year	Organisation	Project	Type of publication / information medium	Amount allocated
2022	VŠĮ „Media medis“	Information programme <i>SpecEfir Delfi. Glavnoe</i> (Delfi Special Broadcast: Main News)	TV / online dissemination of information	10,000
	VŠĮ Laisvės TV	<i>Такие дела</i> (That's the way it is)	Video information project	8,000
	VŠĮ „Kurier Wileński“	<i>Visi kartu padėkime Ukrainai laimėti karą</i> (Together, Let Us Help Ukraine Win the War)	Press / information project	6,000
2023	The Armenian Community of Kaunas	Publication of the collection of piano works by Armenian composers <i>Granato stebuklas</i> (The Miracle of the Pomegranate)	Publication	2,500
	The Association of Azerbaijanis in Lithuania	Translation of Balys Sruoga's novel <i>Dievų miškas</i> (Forest of the Gods) into Azerbaijani	Translation of the book	3,500
	Belarusian School Society	<i>Knygų spausdinimo menas – P. Skorina</i> (The Art of Book Printing: P. Skorina)	Publishing project	2,000
	Association of Polish Writers	Publication of the contemporary Polish–Lithuanian poetry anthology <i>Post-Vilnius</i>	Book	2,000
	Association of Polish Writers	Publication of Kamila Zujevič's poetry collection	Book	500
	Association <i>Slinktys</i>	Publication and dissemination of Bartosz Połowski's novel <i>Robčikas</i>	Book	2,000

	Kaunas Club <i>Nadežda</i> of the Lithuanian Russian Assembly	Literary almanac <i>Laisvės alėja</i>	Almanac	1,500
	LS LOGOS	<i>Vilniaus 700-metį minint</i> (Commemorating the 700th Anniversary of Vilnius), two-volume publication	Publication	1,000
2024	Lithuanian Karaite Culture Community	A book about Mykolas Firkovičius	Book	4,000
	VŠĮ „Lietuvių ir kartvelų draugystės ambasada“	The dissemination of Georgian literature in Lithuania	Publishing project	1,200
	Association <i>Vilnius Russian Folklore Centre</i>	Publication of the CD <i>SPELL</i>	Music publication	1,200
	Kaunas Club <i>Nadežda</i> of the Lithuanian Russian Assembly	Literary almanac <i>Laisvės alėja</i>	Almanac	1,500
	School of Traditional Slavic Music	Publication of the teaching repertoire collection <i>Sentikių tradicinės dainos Lietuvoje</i> (Traditional Songs of the Old Believers in Lithuania)	Methodological publication	1,200
	Union of Lithuanian Tatar Communities	Publication of the newspaper <i>Lietuvos totoriai</i>	Newspaper	5,000
2025	Association <i>Slinktys</i>	Preparation and publication of the selected poems of Romuald Mieczkowski	A book of poetry	1,500
	VŠĮ „Media medis“	Television current affairs programme <i>Žingsniai ir šaukštai</i> (Steps and Spoons)	TV / online information	5,000
	Union of Lithuanian Tatar Communities	Publication of the newspaper <i>Lietuvos totoriai</i>	Newspaper	5,000
2026	Vilnius City Belarusian Club <i>Siabryna</i>	A book of translations of Vytautas Mačernis's poetry into Belarusian	Book	1,800
	Association of Polish Writers	Publication and dissemination of the first volume of Bartosz Połoński's novel trilogy <i>Vilniaus sūnūs</i> (Sons of Vilnius)	Book	1,300
	LS LOGOS	Publication of the poetry and prose collection <i>Miestas, kurį sapnuoju</i> (The City I Dream Of)	A collection of literature	1,500

	Union of Lithuanian Tatar Communities	Publication of the newspaper <i>Lietuvos totoriai</i>	Newspaper	5,000
	VŠĮ „Lukiškių kraštas“	Publication of the magazine <i>Totorių Lukiškės</i>	Book	3,500

Notes

1. During the period 2022–2026, at least 24 publishing and information dissemination projects were funded.
2. Support was provided for the publication of books, poetry collections, anthologies, teaching materials, newspapers, translations, CD releases, television programmes and online information projects.
3. The projects covered the culture and history of the Armenian, Azerbaijani, Belarusian, Georgian, Karaite, Polish, Russian, Tatar, Ukrainian and other national minorities.

ANNEX 5

Resident Population at the Beginning of 2025 by Nationality and Municipality

Source: Data summarised by the State Data Agency.

Municipality	Total	Nationality						
		Lithuanians	Poles	Russians	Ukrainians	Belarusians	Not specified	Other
Total	2,890,664	2,377,828	180,403	144,355	63,885	61,281	1,194	61,718
Akmenė District Municipality	18,936	17,727	•	417	434	64	•	230
Alytus City Municipality	50,749	48,434	389	471	663	405	14	373
Alytus District Municipality	25,371	24,829	142	122	49	63	–	166
Anykščiai District Municipality	22,003	20,945	121	460	240	•	•	182
Birštonas Municipality	4,101	3,944	•	29	67	15	•	30
Biržai District Municipality	21,782	21,281	•	141	164	62	•	86
Druskininkai Municipality	20,081	18,160	558	485	380	381	10	107
Elektrėnai Municipality	24,598	19,490	1,470	1,182	700	1,202	•	•
Ignalina District Municipality	13,593	11,302	810	1,040	110	233	•	•

Jonava District Municipality	41,595	36,645	411	2,771	883	256	12	617
Joniškis District Municipality	20,014	19,495	30	205	81	35	–	168
Jurbarkas District Municipality	25,120	23,012	•	195	361	940	•	580
Kaišiadorys District Municipality	28,553	27,089	305	601	295	•	•	150
Kalvarija Municipality	9,592	9,334	•	57	65	54	•	66
Kaunas City Municipality	304,114	276,624	1,083	8,519	7,992	2,791	202	6,903
Kaunas District Municipality	109,614	102,527	344	1,653	1,092	1,149	44	2,805
Kazlų Rūda Municipality	10,831	10,565	•	93	57	54	•	45
Kėdainiai District Municipality	45,554	43,012	•	823	712	298	•	444
Kelmė District Municipality	24,068	23,620	•	287	64	•	–	71
Klaipėda City Municipality	160,979	117,535	526	23,563	9,760	2,902	122	6,571
Klaipėda District Municipality	69,256	61,673	•	2,727	1,386	634	•	2,715
Kretinga District Municipality	37,426	36,690	•	280	227	83	•	112
Kupiškis District Municipality	15,482	14,939	56	215	157	53	–	62
Lazdijai District Municipality	16,949	16,592	84	149	70	•	•	34
Marijampolė Municipality	54,147	51,880	•	304	700	291	•	833
Mažeikiai District Municipality	51,590	48,356	•	912	724	648	•	868
Molėtai District Municipality	16,280	14,831	906	346	96	•	•	58
Neringa Municipality	4,453	4,091	40	128	113	33	–	48
Pagėgiai Municipality	6,990	6,785	14	107	31	•	•	41
Pakruojis District Municipality	17,618	17,298	•	84	99	23	•	92
Palanga City Municipality	18,556	16,968	•	473	546	177	•	304
Panevėžys City Municipality	85,802	81,033	185	1,723	1,786	467	33	575
Panevėžys District Municipality	35,396	34,615	77	354	123	86	–	141
Pasvalys District Municipality	21,691	21,285	•	124	140	33	•	86
Plungė District Municipality	32,767	31,868	•	139	348	92	•	279
Prienai District Municipality	24,514	23,906	89	176	192	44		107
Radviliškis District Municipality	33,962	31,762	•	757	368	524	•	472
Raseiniai District Municipality	29,466	28,909	•	112	179	123	•	107
Rietavas Municipality	7,049	6,937	•	23	56	•	–	22

Rokiškis District Municipality	26,864	25,091	121	1,259	196	•	•	129
Šakiai District Municipality	25,215	24,813	40	110	127	40	–	85
Šalčininkai District Municipality	29,822	3,947	21,850	1,499	•	1,546	•	635
Šiauliai City Municipality	112,018	93,601	145	3,181	4,593	2,498	73	7,927
Šiauliai District Municipality	40,120	39,108	58	592	128	•	•	178
Šilalė District Municipality	20,531	20,384	•	46	67	•	•	16
Šilutė District Municipality	38,181	36,426	•	631	401	131	•	528
Širvintos District Municipality	14,577	12,794	1,194	261	128	•	•	119
Skuodas District Municipality	15,011	14,794	•	78	42	•	–	83
Švenčionys District Municipality	21,459	12,129	5,267	2,692	288	926	•	•
Tauragė District Municipality	37,305	35,819	•	267	499	447	•	236
Telšiai District Municipality	38,478	37,541	•	387	342	61	•	122
Trakai District Municipality	34,863	20,302	8,644	2,577	•	1,505	•	1,010
Ukmergė District Municipality	34,991	31,539	•	1,025	525	772	•	860
Utena District Municipality	37,392	34,492	•	734	604	445	•	884
Varėna District Municipality	19,769	17,931	1,210	235	140	•	•	101
Vilkaviškis District Municipality	33,575	32,850	•	169	154	111	•	227
Vilnius City Municipality	607,667	397,016	84,079	56,912	19,960	30,518	547	18,635
Vilnius District Municipality	108,750	46,544	45,655	7,972	1,465	5,316	10	1,788
Visaginas Municipality	19,402	4,131	2,001	9,088	1,441	2,006	•	•
Zarasai District Municipality	14,032	10,588	725	2,393	112	134	•	•

Notes

1. The symbol “•” indicates that the data are confidential.
2. The symbol ‘–’ indicates that this phenomenon (indicator) did not occur during the relevant period.

ANNEX 6

Funding for National Minority Cultural Projects, 2021–2026.

Source: Data summarised by the DNM.

The table in the Annex presents the number of funded national minority projects, the funding allocated, the number of project applications submitted, the amount of funding requested in the submitted applications, the number of participants in the projects, and the number of children and young people participating in the projects, the calculated funding per project, and the percentage of funded projects, where this indicator was provided in the data for the relevant year.

Year	Projects submitted	Amount requested	Funded projects	Amount allocated	Project participants	Children and young people	Average funding per project	Funded projects (%)
2021	225	1,254,489	184	360,000	27,633	9,501	1,650.94	81.77
2022	232	1,470,466	214	424,500	39,760	11,635	1,941.75	92.24
2023	237	1,413,386	185	386,700	21,158	10,603	2,090.27	78
2024	224	1,500,019	181	349,000	41,383	8,690	1,941.75	81
2025	237	1,431,004	163	329,740	37,230	11,548	2,058.99	40.5
2026	169	1,075,481	121	251,500	–	–	2,078.51	71.60
Total	1,324	8,144,845	1,048	2,101,440	167,164	51,977	1,976.00	80

Notes

1. The number of projects includes projects funded in the areas of national minority cultures, education (national minority non-formal education schools), historical heritage, integration, civic education, cultural cooperation in Eastern Lithuania areas and mass media.
2. Funding is reported in euros.
3. The indicator “Average funding per project” was calculated on the basis of the number of projects funded and the total amount of funding allocated in the respective year.
4. The indicator “Funded projects (%)” was calculated on the basis of the number of projects submitted and the number of projects actually funded.

5. The symbol “–” indicates that the funding or indicator was not reported.

ANNEX 7

National Minority Non-formal Education Schools in Lithuania (2025–2026 School Year)

Source: Data summarised by the DNM.

The table in the Annex presents the numbers of schools, pupils and teachers for the respective years.

Table 1. Network of Non-formal Education Schools by National Minority

National minority	Number of schools / clubs	Pupils	Teachers
Armenians	3	53	8
Azerbaijanis	1	16	2
Belarusians	3	135	12
Estonians	1	15	1
Greeks	1	27	7
Karaites	1	9	2
Kyrgyz	1	30	4
Poles	4	53*	4
Roma	1	55	3
Russians	2	157	8
Tajiks	1	10	2
Tatars	3	39*	6
Ukrainians	4	179	10
Uzbeks	1	10	3
Germans	1	20	2
Jews	3	55	5
Total	31	868	79

Notes

1. The table includes only pupils under the age of 18.
2. The symbol “*” indicates that some schools are also attended by adults.

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National Minority Non-formal Education Schools in Lithuania (2025–2026 School Year)

Table 2. Geographical Distribution of Schools

City or town	Schools currently in operation
Vilnius	13
Visaginas	7
Kaunas	6
Klaipėda	6
Trakai	2
Alytus	1
Kėdainiai	1
Švenčionėliai	1

Notes

1. Some schools operate in more than one location.

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National Minority Non-formal Education Schools in Lithuania (2025–2026 School Year)

Table 3. Educational content

Educational field	Offered
Mother tongue	✓
Literature	✓
History	✓
Culture and traditions	✓
Folk dances	✓
Singing and folklore	✓
Music	✓
Art and creative activities	✓
Culinary heritage	✓
Religion and ethics	✓
Lithuanian	✓
Theatre studios	✓

Notes

1. These activities demonstrate that non-formal education encompasses not only the teaching of the mother tongue, but also the comprehensive development of national identity, culture and civic competences.

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National Minority Non-formal Education Schools in Lithuania (2025–2026 School Year)

Table 4. Age groups

Age group	Participants
Pre-school children	✓
Primary school pupils	✓
Lower secondary school pupils	✓
Upper secondary school pupils	✓
Young people (aged 18–30)	✓
Adults (in some schools)	✓

Notes

1. This demonstrates that many schools provide continuous learning opportunities for different age groups while strengthening intergenerational ties within their communities.

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National Minority Non-formal Education Schools in Lithuania (2025–2026 School Year)

Table 5. Key Indicators

Indicator	Value
Number of non-formal education schools and clubs	31
National minorities represented	16
Number of pupils	868
Number of teachers	79
Locations of activities	8
Highest number of pupils in a single school	145
Youngest participants	aged 2

Oldest participants	aged 65 and over
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Notes

1. In the 2025–2026 school year, there were 31 national minority non-formal education schools and clubs in Lithuania, attended by 868 pupils. The schools operated in at least eight cities across Lithuania and served sixteen national minority communities. The educational content covered the mother tongue, history, culture, traditions, music, dance, folklore, art and other competences essential for the preservation of national identity, thereby contributing to the implementation of Articles 5 and 12 of the Framework Convention.

ANNEX 8

Funding for projects on Citizenship Education, Intercultural Co-operation and the Remembrance Projects in Eastern Lithuania (2021–2025)

Source: Data summarised by the DNM.

The table in the Annex presents the numbers of schools, pupils and teachers for the respective years.

Table 1. Funding and Project Implementation Indicators

Year	Funded projects	Funding allocated	Number of children and young people participating	Average funding per project
2021	35	70,000	5,806	2,000
2022	51	80,000	4,000	1,568.63
2023	44	68,700	3,495	1,561.36
2024	44	69,000	3,170	1,568.18
2025	38	77,975	4,200	2,051.97
Total	212	365,675	20,671	1,724.88

Notes

1. The number of projects includes projects funded by municipalities in the areas of national minority cultures, education, historical heritage, integration, civic education and other related areas.
2. Funding and investment are presented in euros.

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Funding for projects on Citizenship Education, Intercultural Co-operation and the Remembrance Projects in Eastern Lithuania (2021–2025)

Table 2. Programme Impact Indicators (2021–2025)

Indicator	Value
Implemented projects	212
Funding allocated	365,675
Number of children and young people who participated in the projects	20,671
Average funding per project	1,724.88
Average number of participants per project	98
Average investment per participant	17.60

Notes

1. During the period 2021–2025, the DNM funded 212 projects in the Eastern Lithuania region, allocating EUR 365,675 from the State budget. More than 20,000 children and young people from diverse linguistic and cultural backgrounds participated in the projects. On average, each project involved around 98 participants, while the average State funding amounted to approximately EUR 17.60 per participant. This demonstrates that relatively modest investments made it possible to achieve a significant impact on education and intercultural co-operation in communities across the region.
2. Funding and investment are presented in euros.

ANNEX 9

Activities of National Minority Non-governmental Organisations and Traditional Cultural Events in Lithuania (2022–2026)

Source: Data summarised by the DNM.

The tables in the Annex present the number of non-governmental organisations, the national minorities they represent, their main areas of activity and activities carried out, forms of participation, traditional events, information dissemination activities, geographical coverage, youth engagement, and partners.

Table 1. The National Minority Non-governmental Sector in Lithuania

Indicator	Data
Active National Minority Non-governmental Organisations, Associations, Cultural Communities and Religious Communities	More than 200
National minorities represented	More than 20 national minority communities (Armenian, Azerbaijani, Belarusian, Chechen, Estonian, Greek, Georgian, Karaim, Kazakh, Latvian, Polish, Romanian, Russian, Roma, Tajik, Tatar, Ukrainian, Uzbek, Hungarian, German, Jews, etc.)
Main areas of activity	Culture, education, language, religion, youth activities, cultural heritage, human rights
Geographical coverage	Vilnius, Kaunas, Klaipėda, Visaginas, Trakai, Šalčininkai District, Vilnius District, Panevėžys, Kėdainiai, Alytus and other regions of Lithuania
Key partners	State institutions, municipalities, cultural centres, educational institutions, religious communities

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Table 2. Participation of National Minority Organisations in Public Life

Form of participation	Content
Council of National Minorities	Representatives of national minority organisations participate in consultations with State authorities on matters relating to national minority policy.
Consultations with State authorities	Participation in the preparation of legislation, strategic documents, action plans and international reports.
Public consultations and discussions	On issues relating to human rights, non-discrimination, education, culture and social cohesion.
International co-operation	Participation in the activities of the Council of Europe, the OSCE, the European Commission and other international organisations.

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Table 3. Traditional cultural events organised by national minorities

Event	Organisers	Frequency	Purpose
Events held to Mark the Day of National Communities of Lithuania	Department of National Minorities	Annually	Presentation of the culture of national minorities, awards, public dialogue
Lithuanian National Communities Festival "Garden of Cultures"	Kaunas Centre of Cultures of Various Nations	Annually	Presentation of the culture, traditions and culinary heritage of Lithuania's national minorities
International Mother Language Day	Kaunas Centre of Cultures of Various Nations	Annually	Preservation and promotion of the linguistic and cultural identity of Lithuania's national communities while fostering active intercultural dialogue
International Festival "Pokrov Bells"	Lithuanian National Minorities Folklore and Ethnography Centre	Annually	Fostering and disseminating authentic folklore and traditional culture of various nations, promoting intercultural dialogue
Festival of National Cultures in Klaipėda	Klaipėda Centre for National Cultures	Annually	Presentation of the culture, traditions and culinary heritage of Lithuania's national minorities
International Roma Culture Festival "Gypsy Fest"	Roma national minority	Annually	Dissemination of Roma culture and intangible cultural heritage, presentation of artistic creation, strengthening intercultural dialogue, presentation of Roma history, traditions and contemporary culture to the public, reduction of stereotypes and formation of a positive image of the Roma community
Roma Music Festival "Tamburinas"	Roma national minority		Encouragement of young people to preserve and promote Roma culture and traditions
International Festival of Solo Performances "MONORYtai"	Polish national minority	Annually	Dissemination of professional theatre and Polish culture in Lithuania, the strengthening of intercultural dialogue and the promotion of international theatrical cooperation
Širvintos Region Polish Culture Festival "Sing with Us"	Polish national minority	Annually	Promotion of Polish choral and vocal music, strengthening Polish cultural identity, supporting amateur artistic ensembles,

			encouraging intergenerational cooperation and intercultural dialogue
International Polish Culture Festival "Znad Issy"	Polish national minority	Annually	Presentation of Polish culture, arts and traditions, strengthening cooperation among Polish artistic groups from Lithuania and abroad, preserving cultural heritage
Polish Culture Festival "Dźwięcz, Polska pieśni!" ("Resound, Polish Song!")	Polish national minority	Annually	Preservation of Polish song traditions and national culture, strengthening national identity and community cohesion, engaging young people in cultural life
Christmas Carol Concert "The Road to Bethlehem"	Polish national minority	Annually	Preservation of Polish Christmas traditions and sacred music, promotion of Christian cultural heritage, strengthening community ties and encouraging intercultural understanding
"Our Culture is as Beautiful as a Fairy Tale"	Polish national minority	Annually	Preservation and promotion of the traditions of the Polish national minority in Lithuania while safeguarding and enhancing the cultural heritage and cultural values of Lithuania's national communities
Sabantuy	Tatar national minority	Annually	Preserving Tatar culture and traditions
Presentation of Tatar History and Culture throughout Lithuania	Tatar national minority	Annually	Presentation and promotion of the history, culture and heritage of the Lithuanian Tatar community across Lithuania
<i>Marcișor</i>	Romanian and Moldovan national minority	Annually	Presentation of Romanian and Moldovan cultures
<i>Kupalle (Kupala Festival)</i>	Belarusian national minority	Annually	Preservation of traditional summer solstice customs. Promoting Belarusian ethnic culture and traditions
Belarusian Culture Week	Belarusian national minority	Annually	Introducing Belarusians and Lithuanian residents who have arrived in Lithuania to the Belarusian national minority and its history, thus aiming to encourage a more tolerant attitude towards the community
Belarusian Song Festival	Belarusian national minority	Annually	Fostering traditions, educating the younger generation in order to maintain national identity. Preservation of the uniqueness and identity of the Belarusian

			nation
Belarusian Folklore Festival “Old Belarus”	Belarusian national minority	Annually	To introduce Lithuanian society to the folklore and cultural heritage of the Belarusian national minority living in Lithuania
Vyshyvanka Day	Ukrainian national minority	Annually	Promotion of Ukrainian culture and national identity
Ukrainian Culture Days in Lithuania	Ukrainian national minority	Annually	Strengthening of cultural cooperation and mutual understanding between Lithuania and Ukraine
Hanukkah events	Jewish national minority	Annually	Preservation of Litvak religious and cultural heritage
Navruz / Nauryz	Uzbek, Kyrgyz, Kazakh and Tajik national minorities	Annually	Presentation of Central Asian cultures and traditions
Uzbek Culture Days in Lithuania – "Star of the East"	Uzbek national minority	Annually	Presentation of the cultures and traditions of the peoples of Central Asia and fostering of intercultural dialogue
Event Series "Expression of Russian Cultural Identity in Interwar Kaunas"	Russian national minority	Annually	To introduce contemporary Kaunas society to the cultural and educational activities of the Russian diaspora and its contribution to the cultural life of interwar Kaunas
International Literature Festival-Competition "Baltijos Gamajūnas" (Baltic Gamayun)	Russian national minority	Annually	To promote contemporary literary works by representatives of Lithuania's national communities and foreign authors, and to present Lithuania as an open, multilingual and multicultural country through literary expression in the international arena
Armenian culture days	Armenian national minority	Annually	Presentation on Armenian culture, language and history
Armenian Festival	Armenian national minority	Annually	Promotion of cultural cooperation between Lithuania and Armenia through cultural and educational exchanges

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Table 4. Activities carried out by national minority organisations

Area of activity	Content
Culture	Festivals, concerts, exhibitions, folk ensembles
Education	Non-formal education schools, language teaching, educational projects
Youth activities	Peer academy, camps, leadership programmes
Religion	Organising traditional religious festivals
Cultural heritage	Publishing, museums, historical heritage projects
Human rights	Discussions, consultations, citizens' initiatives
Intercultural dialogue	Joint cultural projects and community initiatives

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Table 5. Dissemination of information

Information tool	Content
Websites	Events, projects, news
Social media	Promoting cultural and youth activities
Community publications	History, language, traditions, heritage
Media for national minorities	Press, online news portals, radio and television programmes
Communication by State authorities	Information provided by the DNM, LRT and other institutions on national minority activities

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Table 6. Inclusion of Young People from National Minority Groups

Initiative	Goal
Youth camps	Encouragement of co-operation and civic engagement among young people from different national communities. Cultural awareness and intercultural dialogue

Non-formal education schools	Preserving one's mother tongue, culture and traditions
Youth culture projects	Artistic, creative and civic activities

Notes

1. A network of more than 200 national minority non-governmental organisations and cultural centres operating in Lithuania enables persons belonging to national minorities to freely exercise their rights to freedom of association and assembly, preserve their language, culture, religion and traditions, and actively participate in public life. The activities of these organisations cover all regions of Lithuania, while traditional cultural events, youth initiatives and ongoing dialogue with State authorities contribute to intercultural dialogue, social cohesion and democratic participation.

ANNEX 10

Number of registered religious organisations, 2022–2025

Source: Data summarised by the Ministry of Justice of the Republic of Lithuania.

The table in the Annex presents the religious traditions and a brief description of each.

Name of the religious tradition	Type*	2022 (No. of relig.org.)	2023 (No. of relig.org.)	2024 (No. of relig.org.)	2025 (No. of relig.org.)	Comment
CHRISTIANITY AND CHRISTIAN ORIGIN RELIGIOUS TRADITIONS:						
Roman Catholics (Latin Rite Catholics)	TRAD	910	909	910	912	
Old Believers	TRAD/OTH	64	64	64	64	Most Old Believer religious communities in Lithuania are traditional. In 2017, the Degučiai Old Believer Religious Community was registered after applying for legal status as a non-traditional religious community.
Evangelical Lutherans	TRAD/OTH	58	58	58	58	Most Lutheran communities are recognised as traditional religious communities in Lithuania. However, in 2015, the Martin Luther Religious Community of Skuodas, which is not recognised as a traditional religious community, was registered.
Orthodox Christians (Moscow Patriarchate)	TRAD	57	57	57	57	
Charismatic Evangelical Christian communities	OTH	56	53	52	54	This category includes the “Word of Faith”, “New Generation”, “Vineyard” and related communities that promote the so-called charismatic gifts and do not identify themselves with the Pentecostal tradition.
Pentecostals	(REC)/OTH	36	34	35	35	One of the Pentecostal organisations, the Union of Evangelical Faith Christian Churches of the Republic of Lithuania, was granted the status of a State-recognised religious association in 2016. It brings together 14 Pentecostal congregations. Other Pentecostal communities

						are not recognised by the State.
Baptists and “free churches”	(REC)/OTH	34	32	32	32	This category includes Baptist congregations and related Evangelical congregations. One of the Evangelical Baptist organisations, the Union of Evangelical Baptist Churches, was granted the status of a State-recognised religious association. It brings together 11 Baptist congregations. Other Baptist congregations are not recognised by the State.
Evangelical Reformed	TRAD	17	17	17	17	
Seventh-day Adventists	(REC)/OTH	11	11	11	11	The Seventh-day Adventist Church, which brings together all but one of the Seventh-day Adventist communities in Lithuania, has been granted State recognition as a religious association (the Vilnius Free Seventh-day Adventist Church, registered in 2013, is not a member of the association).
Methodists	OTH	9	8	8	8	
Orthodox (Constantinople Patriarchate)	TRAD			6	7	In 2024, the Exarchate of the Ecumenical Patriarchate of Constantinople in Lithuania was registered, together with several parishes.
Armenian Apostolic Church	OTH	5	4	4	4	
Jehovah’s Witnesses	OTH	3	3	3	3	
Churches of Christ	OTH	3	3	3	3	
The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints	OTH	3	3	3	3	
Greek Rite Catholics	TRAD	2	2	2	2	
Ukrainian Orthodox Church (Kyiv Patriarchate and Ukrainian Autocephalous Orthodox Church)	OTH	1	1	1	1	At the beginning of 2019, the Orthodox Church of Ukraine, which united the communities of the Kyiv Patriarchate and the Ukrainian Autocephalous Orthodox Church, was established and has limited territorial jurisdiction.
Christian community	OTH	1	1	1	1	
Salvation Army	OTH	1	1	1	1	
Interfaith communities	OTH	1	1	1	1	This category includes the International Church of Vilnius (ICV), a religious community organised primarily on a linguistic rather than a religious tradition basis (bringing together English-speaking Anglicans, Methodists and members of other Christian religious traditions).

The New Apostolic Church	(REC)	1	1	1	1	Since 2004, the New Apostolic Church has deregistered all of its parishes that had previously held legal entity status, as well as two religious associations, thereby consolidating the entire Church into a single legal entity. The data do not reflect the annual decrease in the number of legal entities.
Laymen's Home Missionary Movement	OTH	1	1	1	1	
Romanian Orthodox	OTH	1	0	0	0	
Unification Movement (munists)	OTH	1	1	1	1	The first community of the Unification Movement was registered by the Government of the Republic of Lithuania as far back as 1992, but it never submitted the necessary details to be included in the Register of Legal Entities.
Ukrainian Orthodox Autocephalous Church	OTH	1	0	0	0	An Orthodox Church was established in Ukraine in early 2019, bringing together the communities of the Kyiv Patriarchate and the Ukrainian Autocephalous Orthodox Church. It is not yet known how the Ukrainian Orthodox communities in Lithuania identify themselves.
JEWISH RELIGIOUS TRADITIONS:						
Mitnagdim Jews	TRAD	9	9	9	9	
Hasidic Jews	TRAD	2	2	2	2	
ISLAM AND ISLAMIC ORIGIN RELIGIOUS TRADITIONS:						
Sunni Muslims	TRAD	12	12	12	12	
Non-Islamic Sufism communities	OTH	0	0	0	0	
HINDU ORIGIN RELIGIOUS TRADITION:						
Krishna Consciousness religious organisations	OTH	8	8	8	8	
Other religious communities of Hindu origin	OTH	2	2	2	3	The Gaudiya Vaishnava religious community was registered in 2019; the 'Bhakti Marga' religious community was registered in 2022.
BUDDHISM AND						

BUDDHIST ORIGIN RELIGIOUS TRADITION:						
Tibetan Buddhist communities	OTH	6	4	4	4	
Communities professing the teachings of the Buddha	OTH	3	3	3	3	Also known as the “White Lotus” movement.
Zen Buddhist communities	OTH	2	2	2	2	
Japanese Buddhist communities	OTH	1	1	1	1	
Osho meditation groups	OTH	1	1	1	1	The classification of Osho meditation groups as belonging to traditions of Buddhist origin is highly arbitrary: Osho's teachings were influenced by the traditions of Hinduism and Sikhism, as well as by Western schools of psychoanalysis and Western esotericism; in recent years, however, the emphasis has been placed primarily on the Zen tradition.
OTHER RELIGIOUS TRADITIONS:						
Pagans	OTH	8	6	6	7	
Bahá'ís	OTH	2	2	2	2	
Karaites	TRAD	1	1	1	1	
Voodoo religious communities	OTH	1	1	1	1	
Spiritual development groups	OTH	1	1	1	1	
Total		1,336	1,320	1,327	1,334	
Year-on-year change in the number		9	-16	7	7	
Total number of traditional religious communities		1,132	1,131	1,138	1,139	
Total number of other religious communities		204	189	189	195	
The number of religious traditions to which		39	37	38	38	

religious organisations belong						
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Notes

1. Colour codes: **blue indicates** a decrease in the number, while **orange** shows an increase.
2. The symbol “*” indicates the legal form of organisations belonging to a particular religious tradition.
3. TRAD – state-recognised traditional religious communities and associations.
4. OTH – religious communities and associations that are not regarded as traditional.
5. If a religious community has obtained the status of a state-recognised religious community, it is indicated in parentheses (REC).

ANNEX 11

Independent Community Media Outlets

Source: Data summarised by the DNM.

The table in the Annex presents the media outlets, their type, target audience and funding.

Media outlet	Type	Language / audience	Information on funding or activities
<i>Kurier Wileński / Kurier Wilenski</i>	press / portal	Polish	In 2024, the MSF project received EUR 15,000; in 2025, the project received EUR 9,000 and operational funding amounted to EUR 16,268; in 2026, operational funding amounted to EUR 29,595.
<i>Znad Wilii</i>	radio station / portal	Polish	In 2024, the project <i>Lietuvos kaleidoskopas</i> (Lithuanian Kaleidoscope) received EUR 9,000; in 2025, the project received EUR 10,000 and operational funding amounted to EUR 9,740; in 2026, the application was assessed under the operational funding competition.
<i>Wilnoteka.lt</i>	portal	Polish	In 2025, an application was submitted to the MSF call for national minority media projects; however, no funding was awarded.
BM TV	television / audiovisual content	for national minorities, Russian / Polish / Ukrainian audiences	In 2025, operational funding amounted to EUR 10,234; in 2026, operational funding amounted to EUR 9,839.

Media outlet	Type	Language / audience	Information on funding or activities
<i>Vis-Info</i>	online media	Russian	In 2025, operational funding amounted to EUR 15,008; in 2026, operational funding amounted to EUR 19,290.
<i>Obzor / obzor.lt</i>	portal	Russian	In 2025, two projects were submitted, but no funding was awarded; in 2026, operational funding amounted to EUR 24,484.
<i>Šalčia / salcia.lt</i>	regional press / portal	Russian / Šalčininkai District audience	In 2024, the project received EUR 6,000; in 2025, the project received EUR 4,000 and operational funding amounted to EUR 8,394; in 2026, an application for operational funding was submitted, but no funding was awarded.
<i>Ekspress nedelia / Savaitės ekspresas</i>	press	Russian	In 2024, the project received EUR 13,000; in 2025, the project received EUR 13,000; in 2025, the project <i>Pensioner</i> (Retiree) also received EUR 5,000.
<i>Radio R</i>	radio	Russian	In 2024, the organisation participated in the project <i>Šiandien Lietuvoje</i> (Today in Lithuania); in 2025, the project <i>Šiandien Lietuvoje</i> (Today in Lithuania) received EUR 11,876, the project <i>Kalbant paprasčiau</i> (Speaking More Simply) received EUR 3,500, and the project <i>Ryšys su Ateitimi</i> (Connection with the Future) received EUR 2,500.
<i>TV3 Plus žinios</i> (TV3 Plus News)	television	Russian-language / Ukrainian topics	In 2024, the project <i>Ukraina: karas iš arti</i> (Ukraine: The War Up Close) received EUR 17,000; in 2025, the project <i>Ukraina: Artima tragedija</i> (Ukraine: A Tragedy Close to Home) received EUR 20,000.
<i>ru.delfi.lt / Delfi RU</i>	portal	Russian	In 2024, the project received EUR 40,000; in 2025, two projects received EUR 17,000 and EUR 16,000, respectively.
<i>Zanedeliu.lt / Litva za nedeliu</i>	portal / video news	Russian	In 2024, the project received EUR 11,000; in 2025, the project <i>Lietuva per savaitę</i> (Lithuania This Week) received EUR 10,000.
<i>news.tts.lt</i>	portal / online media	Russian	In 2024, the project received EUR 6,569; in 2025, the project received EUR 6,000.
<i>Malanka</i>	portal / community content	Belarusian	In 2024 the project <i>Su meile iš Lietuvos</i> (With Love from Lithuania) received EUR 15,000; in 2025 it received EUR 8,000.
<i>Tie2.lt</i>	portal / cultural media	Ukrainian / cultural audience	In 2025, the project <i>Kultūros tiltas. Šiuolaikinis Ukrainos menas</i> (Culture Bridge: Contemporary Ukrainian Art) received EUR 5,000.
<i>Kinnor / lzb.lt</i>	community / cultural content	topics relating to the Jewish community	In 2025, an MSF project was submitted, but no funding was awarded.
<i>Valtor.eu</i>	community-based / online tool	Karaite / Turkic cultural themes	In 2026, an application was submitted under the MSF operational funding call, but no funding was awarded.
<i>Tautinių bendrijų naujienos</i> (National Communities News)	periodical publication	Lithuanian / national communities	Published by the House of National Communities once a quarter since 2001. Issues are published on the TBN and TMD websites.

ANNEX 12

Content Published in National Minority Languages and Its Reach (2022–2025)

Source: Data from LRT.

Table 1. Number of articles published on the LRT portal in national minority languages

Language	2022	2023	2024	2025	Total
Polish	1,052	3,141	3,176	3,410	10,779
Russian	5,644	6,930	5,895	7,140	25,609
Ukrainian*	–	1,891	2,197	2,076	6,164
Total	9,478	14,346	13,475	15,059	52,358

Notes

1. The symbol “*” indicates that the Ukrainian-language section was launched in 2023.

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Table 2. LRT Television Programmes for National Minorities (2025)

Programme	Language / subject area	Number of broadcasts per year
<i>Kas geresnio kaimyne?</i> (What's New, Neighbour?)	National minorities	52
<i>Mes ukrainiečiai</i> (We are the Ukrainians)	Ukrainian	50
<i>Mūsų rusų gatvė</i> (Our Russian Street)	Russian	53
Pahonia. Vytis	Belarusian	53

Menora	Lithuanian language. Jewish history, culture	N.D.
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Table 3. LRT Radio Programmes in National Minority Languages (2025)

Programme	Language	Channel
Programme in Russian	Russian	LRT Radio
Santara	Polish	LRT KLASIKA

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Table 4. Key audience trends

Indicator	Trend
Accessibility of information	Content is published on an ongoing basis in English, Polish, Russian and Ukrainian.
Scope of content	During the period 2022–2025, more than 52,000 articles were published.
Ukrainian-language content	In 2023, a Ukrainian-language section was launched to ensure access to up-to-date information for Ukrainian citizens who have fled the war.
Audience engagement	In 2024–2025, users spent more time browsing the portal, read more related content and remained on the portal longer than in 2022.
Digital transformation	An increasing proportion of the audience accesses national minority content through the LRT portal, video platforms and social media.

Notes

1. Between 2022 and 2025, LRT consistently expanded access to information for national minorities by ensuring the continuous publication of news and analysis in English, Polish, Russian and Ukrainian. Over the four-year period, more than 52,000 articles were published, and television and radio programmes in national minority languages were broadcast regularly. Audience data indicate not only consistently high information reach but also increasing user engagement. In 2024–2025, readers spent more time on the portal and made more frequent use of related content, demonstrating a growing demand for reliable information and its importance for national minority communities.

ANNEX 13

Periodical Publications in National Minority Languages (2022–2026)

Source: DNM data.

Publications	Description
<i>Kurier Wileński</i>	The only daily newspaper published in Polish in Lithuania and continued to be published throughout the reporting period.
<i>Tygodnik Wileńszczyzny</i>	A weekly newspaper in Polish aimed at readers in the Vilnius region.
<i>Spotkania</i>	A Polish-language cultural and social magazine.
In Russian	<i>Obzor</i> is one of the largest Russian-language periodical publications in Lithuania.
<i>Ekspress nedelya</i>	Russian-language periodical publication.
<i>Vesti Shalchi</i>	Russian-language periodical publication.
<i>Klaipeda</i>	Russian-language periodical publication.
The Tatar community	<i>Lietuvos totorių laikraštis</i> (Lithuanian Tatars' Newspaper) is a periodical publication published on an ongoing basis by the House of National Communities.
A multicultural publication	<i>Tautinių bendrijų naujienos</i> (National Communities News) was published four times a year throughout the period 2022–2026. It publishes information on the culture, traditions, history and current affairs of the national communities living in Lithuania.

Notes

1. Representatives of national minority organisations and the media participate in public consultations and discussions on policies relating to public information, human rights and combating hate speech.

ANNEX 14

Use of National Minority Languages by Municipal Administrations in Providing Services to Residents (2024–2026)

Source: DNM data.

Table 1. Languages Used by Municipal Administrations in Providing Services to Residents

Indicator	Value
Number of municipalities in Lithuania	60
Municipalities where residents are served in languages other than the official language	28
The most commonly used national minority languages	Polish, Russian, Ukrainian
Additional foreign languages used	English, German, Latvian, Estonian
Municipalities where services are provided exclusively in the official language	32

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Table 2. Most Commonly Used Languages in Municipal Administrations

Language	Municipal practice
Lithuanian	Used in all municipalities
English	Widely used when providing services to foreign residents and tourists.
Polish	Used in municipalities with significant Polish national minority populations.
Russian	The most widely used additional language for providing services
Ukrainian	Used to provide information to Ukrainian citizens who have fled the war.
German	Information provided on the websites of some municipalities
Latvian	In some border municipalities

Estonian	In individual cases (e.g. in Varėna District Municipality)
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Table 3. Examples of Good Practices in 5 Municipalities

Municipality	Good Practice
Vilnius City Municipality	Residents are served in Lithuanian, Polish, Russian, English and Ukrainian.
Visaginas Municipality	Information and customer service are available in Lithuanian, Polish, Russian, English and Ukrainian.
Varėna District Municipality	Information is provided in Lithuanian, English, Polish, Russian, German and Estonian.
Klaipėda City Municipality	Information and service in Lithuanian, Russian, English and Ukrainian.
Ukmergė District Municipality	Information on the website is published in Lithuanian, English, Russian and Ukrainian.

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Table 4. Main forms of multilingual service

Type of service	Practical implementation
Verbal customer service	Staff provide services to residents in national minority languages.
Information on websites	Information is published on municipality websites in Lithuanian and other languages.
Information notices	Up-to-date information is published in Ukrainian, English and other languages.
Receipt of applications	In some municipalities, applications are accepted not only in Lithuanian, or arrangements are made for them to be translated.

Notes

1. In practice, almost half of Lithuania's municipalities (28 out of 60) provide services to residents in languages other than the official language. The most commonly used languages are Polish, Russian and Ukrainian, whilst in some municipalities information is also provided in English, German, Latvian or Estonian. This practice is particularly widespread in municipalities where national minorities have traditionally lived or where migration has led to an increase in the number of foreign nationals. Multilingual service provision contributes to improved access to information, more effective delivery of public services, and the practical implementation of Article 11 of the Framework Convention.

ANNEX 15

Participation of the Electoral Action of Poles in Lithuania – Christian Families Alliance (EAPL–CFA) in National and Municipal Elections (2023–2024)

Table 1. EAPL–CFA Election Results

Election	Date	Main results
Municipal Council and Mayoral Elections	5 March 2023	57 municipal councillors and 1 mayor were elected (Šalčininkai District Municipality).
European Parliament elections	9 June 2024	1 member of the European Parliament was elected.
Elections to the Seimas of the Republic of Lithuania	13 and 27 October 2024	3 members of the Seimas were elected in single-member constituencies .

Table 2. Political Participation Indicators

Indicator	Value
Municipal Council Mandates (2023)	57
Mayoral Mandates (2023)	1
European Parliament Mandates (2024)	1
Seimas Mandates (2024)	3