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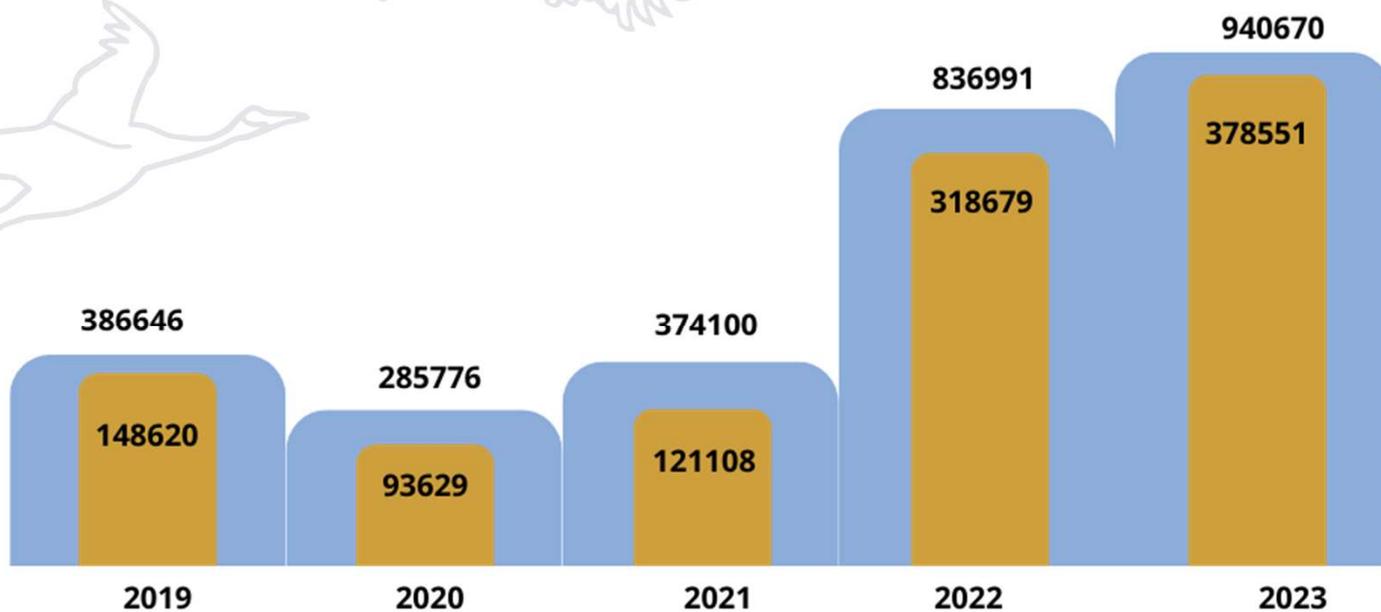
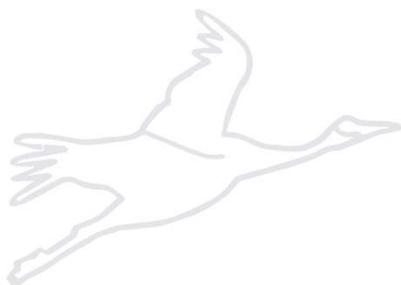
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# NEW PASSPORT



# Issue of Latvian citizen's passports **2019 - 2023**







# History of citizen's passports of the Republic of Latvia



**On 20 November 2007**

started issuing passports incorporating biometric data.



**On 28 January 2015**

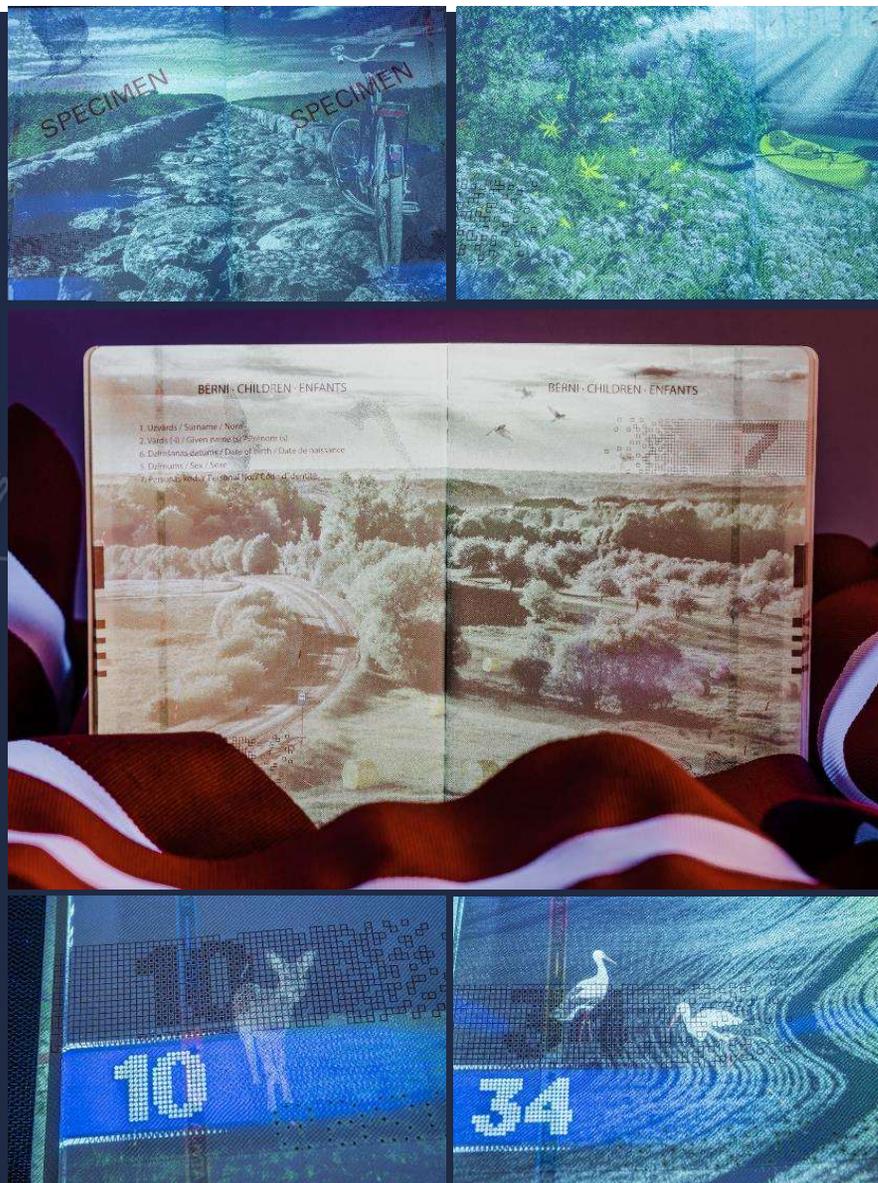
issue of the 4th model passports began – the first electronically readable e passports with an embedded microchip.

Design theme of the 4th model passports was the Nationwide Latvian Song and Dance Festival.



# New passport design elements

- The design of the passport is based on Latvian nature in all seasons and local birds.
- The passport is designed by the Office.
- Nature photos by Andris Eglītis.
- The first Latvian passport with a different design on each side of the page, which significantly increases the security level of the passport and makes forging of passport more difficult.



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# New passport design elements

- Symbols of the Republic of Latvia - the coat of arms and the Latvian flag, the Latvian anthem.
- The unifying motif of the passport is cranes.
- The passport depicts a total of 20 birds found in Latvian nature.
- Latvia's natural geographic diversity - flora, fauna, sea, meadows, forests.

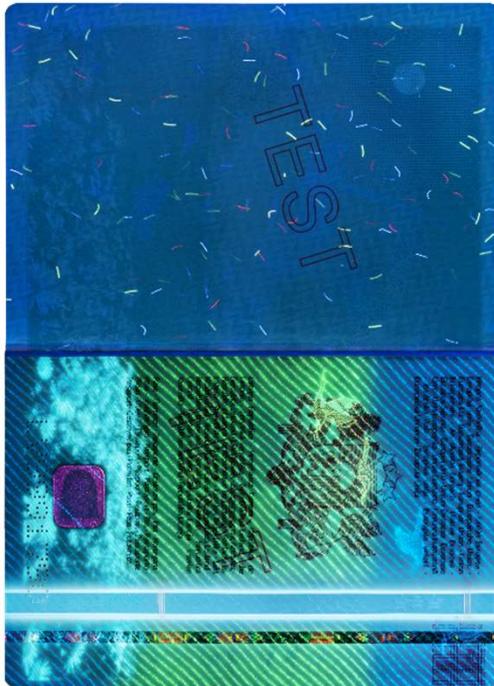


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# Security elements

UV printing on the data sheet  
and on the first page.



Holographic strip





# Security elements

Visa pages with colour UV printing.





## Security elements

**OVI** optically variable ink function,  
printed as an oak leaf that appears  
in different colours.



**MAGIC ID** – a multi-laser  
image embedded in the  
surface of the card.





# General information about passport and eID card



Passport  
validity  
term **10**  
**years.**



Identity documents can  
be applied for at **29**  
**territorial divisions**  
throughout Latvia.



Pasport **may**  
**contain** details of  
the person's  
child/children,  
nationality and the  
original form of the  
name, surname.



Fee for identity card  
or eID card remains  
unchanged **EUR 15.**



**The passport of the previous model is  
valid for use unless it is expired.**



# General information about passport and eID card

There are 3 ways to apply for a passport and eID card:



on a first-come,  
first-served basis,  
i.e. without an  
appointment, but  
by attending one  
of our divisions;



by remotely  
picking up a  
number to attend a  
specific division on a  
specific day,  
using the Qticket  
mobile app;



by a pre-  
appointment  
[www.pmlp.gov.lv](http://www.pmlp.gov.lv)  
for a specific date  
and time.





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