

Safe and responsible boating

- Before taking the planned route, make sure that the weather forecast is suitable for boating throughout the day, as wind direction and strength are very much affected in the Daugava.
- If the wind strength exceeds 4-5m/s, waves form in the Daugava, which can be dangerous for canoes and other boats - they can capsize, so boating is not suitable for beginners who do not have significant experience.
- Assess whether the trip is suitable for small children.
- Always wear a life jacket, even when boating close to the shore. The jacket must be properly put on and fastened.
- Watch out for underwater objects – stones, tree parts, etc. objects, as well as fishermen's nets.
- Get along with anglers, try not to scare the fish.
- While the boat is underway, it is not recommended to grab onto trees or branches in the river. This behavior can result in the boat capsizing.
- In areas of the river where there is a strong current, the boat should be kept parallel to

- the current. If the boat turns across the current, it becomes practically unmanageable.
- If you plan to boat on the Aizkraukle side, familiarize yourself with the rules for boating near hydrotechnical structures. It should be noted that it is not possible to boat across the Plaviņas HPP. Boats must be removed from the river, moved, and then re-entered the river on the other side of the HPP. The further journey may be affected by the operation of the HPP - the speed of the current can be difficult to predict.
- The following is prohibited with watercraft: crossing the buoy line, entering protected areas without permission, fishing in protected areas, filming, photographing or documenting the site in any other way. The rules on the use of drones and the parking of cars and motorcycles must be observed. If you plan to boat on the Aizkraukle side, familiarize yourself with the rules for boating near hydrotechnical structures.
- The speed limit for motorboats at Koknese is 9 km per hour!

For information on Daugava boating routes, see the map
“Water tourism routes in Zemgale and Aukštaitija”.

Take care of your own safety and health and that of others!
When on the water and following routes, everyone is responsible for their own safety and the safety of others!

Rescue services: 112

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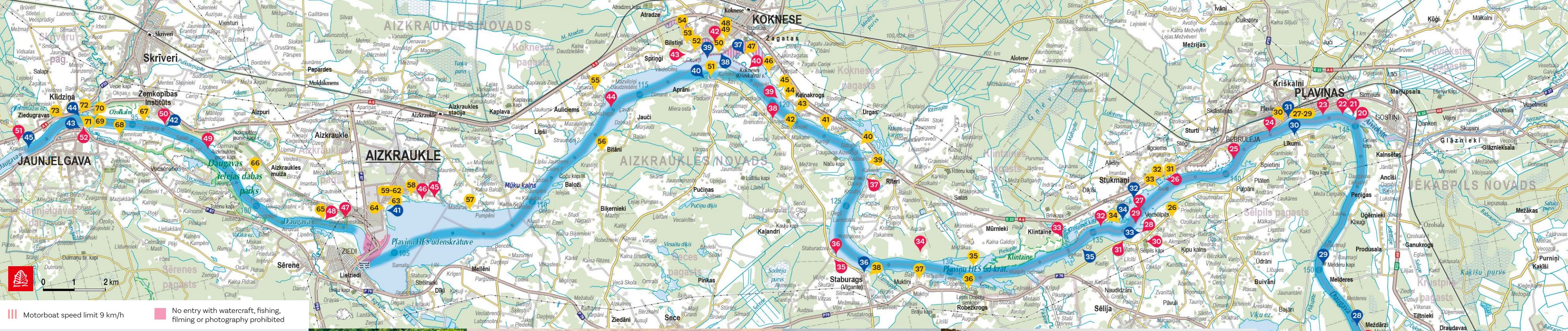


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The Daugava

In Jēkabpils county 92 km, in Aizkraukle county: 56 km – total in both counties – 148 km

The Daugava in Jēkabpils county is dynamic, with several rapids, especially from Līvāni to Jēkabpils. There are also scenic Daugava islands and sandy swimming areas. The fastest part of the Daugava with the Balta rapids, the most powerful in Latvia, and further with the approximately 3.5km long Priži rapids, is located beyond the Jēkabpils border towards Riga. Behind the Priži rapids, the Daugava becomes calmer. Upon reaching the border of Aizkraukle county, the river changes. It turns into the reservoir of the Plaviņas hydroelectric power station with an average depth of 14.6 m, and a maximum depth of 48 m. The usual stream ends and the Daugava surprises with its vastness and the power of water. The map marks certain once important places (The Lost World), which are now covered by water.



- Public access points along the river - from the beginning of the river
- 1 Dunava-Jersika (former ferry). Good access road on both banks. 56.217667, 26.213490
 - 2 Access point, recreation and tent site “Grantsbedres”. +371 26208125, 56.275287, 26.191703
 - 3 Access to the Daugava at Dignāja Manor 56.296040, 26.176840
 - 4 Access to the Daugava in the village of Vandāni at the recreation area nearby 56.334430, 26.164070
 - 5 at the Dignāja- Līvāni ferry 56.342540, 26.161520
 - 6 at the Līvāni Glass and Crafts Center 56.355692, 26.162179
 - 7 Well-maintained Dubna inlet in the Daugava 56.363300, 26.161664
 - 8 recreation area “Daugmales” 56.433320, 26.070708
 - 9 Access point horse riding, Association “Ūsiņš”, +371 26334749, 56.445630, 26.055039
 - 10 Veselība 56.466855, 25.990225
 - 11 Landing place (Rogali ravine, Rogali rock) 56.471375, 25.943806
 - 12 Ābeļi school 56.477954, 25.920509
 - 13 near Jēkabpils city 56.492460, 25.908873
 - 14 Beach (“Mežrūpnieki”) 56.496748, 25.895092
 - 15 Access to the Daugava (“Kayak mafia”) +371 26779624, 56.500173, 25.891650
 - 16 Dam before the bridge 56.498935, 25.883991
 - 17 dam behind the bridge 56.498877, 25.877818
 - 18 Krustpils side. Accessible by car, nearby 56.500868, 25.873788
 - 19 Beginning of Krasta Street 56.500800, 25.871980
 - 20 former pier of the steamboat “Gulbis” 56.500890, 25.870810
 - 21 Old Town Square 56.498788, 25.867542
 - 22 Krustpils Open Air Stage 56.505594, 25.858959
 - 23 Krustpils Open Air Stage 56.507712, 25.857579
 - 24 Daugavsala 56.51132, 25.855249
 - 25 Daugavsala 56.514749, 25.843597



- 26 Landing place (resting place in Priži). Stopping and resting place for boaters. No embarkation / disembarkation point for boats (road sign “no entry”). 56.526247, 25.815278
- 27 Putnukalni 56.540656, 25.759404
- 28 From Meždārzi 56.556130, 25.755110
- 29 From Melderī Cemetery 56.574000, 25.738170
- 30 Sēlpils parish 56.611710, 25.724771
- 31 Plaviņas, Daugava promenade boat dock. 56.615919, 25.722006
- 32 Oliņkalns swimming area. A naturally formed embankment of the Daugava river, there is an access road and a recreation area with benches. 56.594593, 25.639506
- 33 Zvejnieklicis. WC 56.584665, 25.642728
- 34 at the campsite “Annas Klints”, boat rental “Mežmalas laivas”. +371 29269232, 56.5885, 25.63350
- 35 Access point to the Daugava (easement, Sēlpils parish) 56.580077, 25.612195
- 36 Pontoon in Vigante Park, Staburags parish. Near the pontoon there are 6 wooden gazebos with a roof, a table, chairs, a well-maintained resting place (fee) 56.57493, 25.49700
- 37 Boat pier “Likteņdārzs” in Koknese, from which a boat runs daily. 56.63907, 25.43648
- 38 Boat pier “Gundegas” in Koknese. 56.6389302, 25.4242071
- 39 Boat pier “Koknese castle ruins” in Koknese. The pontoon at the Koknese castle ruins, where boats run daily, boat and SUP board rentals. 56.637989, 25.417003
- 40 Recreation area “Pērses” in Sece parish. Recreation area with 4 wooden gazebos with a roof. 56.632099, 25.4154
- 41 Pontoon platform downstream of the Aizkraukle Cultural Center. 56.595752, 25.247031 after launching the boat into the river, the car must be parked in the free parking lot at the Aizkraukle Cultural Center 56.596731, 25.244996.
- 42 Pier at the Aizkraukle Castle Hill. 56.620381, 25.130983
- 43 Pier at Jaunjelgava. The pier can only be used by contacting the owner - water tourism center “Balta kaza”. +371 29442587, 56.621033, 25.0868854
- 44 Pier “Balta Kaza” in Skrīveri with a boat launch (slipway). The pier can only be used by contacting the owner - water tourism center “Balta Kaza”. +371 29442587, 56.624037, 25.086975
- 45 Mooring place at the Skrīveri Dendrological Park. 56.615607, 25.059183



Daugava Water Tourism Route in Jēkabpils and Aizkraukle Municipalities

Useful information for boaters, paddlers, anglers

1: 100 000



Legend:

- Accommodation in the immediate vicinity of the river
- Tent sites
- Camping
- Swimming place
- Catering
- Campsite (incl. grill, picnic area)
- Shed
- Sauna
- Outdoor hot tub
- Ferry
- Fishing opportunities
- Smokehouse
- Sports fields
- Master classes
- Free public toilet
- Pontoon
- Rapids
- Obstacles
- Boat launching
- Boat lifting
- Boat launching and lifting

C Kanoë rental
K Kayak rental
SUP SUP board rental
MB Motorboat rental
P Raft
T Catamaran
UM Jet ski
BT Boat
M Rowing boats rental
I Inflatable boats
V Windsurfing
W Wake surfing
WB Wakeboard
WS Water ski
TT Water tubing

Tourist services on the Daugava in Jēkabpils and Aizkraukle counties

1

Raft "Dunavas ūdenroze"
+371 26326881, 56.217972, 26.213379

2

Wellness complex "Avotiņš"
+371 25522499, 56.285097, 26.188942

3

Rest area "Grantsbedres"
+371 26208125, 56.275467, 26.191697

4

Holiday house "Laimītes"
+371 28827581, 56.303347, 26.173630

5

Ferry "Dignāja - Līvāni"
+371 26808760 (Dignāja), +371 28889045 (Līvāni), 56.342612, 26.161927

6

Boat rental, recreation area "Daugmales"
+371 26413188, www.daugmales.lv, 56.433697, 26.071600

7

Horse stable "Usiņš"
+371 26334749, 27734835 (plots), 56.444900, 26.051072

8

Recreation area "Hercogi"
+371 26714185, 56.484971, 25.913705

9

Hotel "Daugavkrasti"
+371 65231232, 29480662, www.daugavkrasti.lv, 56.496972, 25.893083

10

"Kayak Mafia"
+371 26779624, 56.500690, 25.892112

11

Central Riverside Apartments
+371 29484369, 56.501448, 25.875576

12

Free public toilet
56.501355, 25.874106

13

Cafe "Lauku šķis"
+371 29992393, www.avotinizs.lv, 56.502056, 25.875139

14

Free public toilet
56.498111, 25.868333

15

Fast food restaurant "Domino WOK KEBAB"
+371 26114747, 56.498026, 25.866664

16

Pizzeria "Studio pizza"
+371 20606000, 56.497134, 25.865706

17

Bistro "Vecpilsēta"
+371 22242225, 56.497045, 25.866118

18

Cafe - bar "Jumprava"
+371 27303222, 56.496409, 25.866648

19

Cafe "Kēķis"
+371 26424543, 56.495701, 25.868799

20

Cafe "Lūšu krogs"
+371 29133388, 56.494875, 25.865934

21

Pizzeria and bar "Picīņa"
+371 20035128, 56.502089, 25.870295

22

RŪMĪ Hotel
+371 25610000, 56.499230, 25.863440

23

Hotel "Hercogs Jēkabs" and "Luīze"
+371 27705777, 56.499648, 25.862905

24

Free public toilet
56.502566, 25.866974

25

Motel "Sapnis"
+371 65234944, 56.534650, 25.818584

26

Holiday home "Sprīdiši"
+371 26344495, 56.588730, 25.659420

27

Cafe "Pie upes"
+371 27799035, 56.617517, 25.732139

28

Guest house "Jumiezis"
+371 27303222, 56.616249, 25.720919

29

Guest house "Arita"
+371 26757742, 56.615959, 25.721359

30

Cafe "Kafevego&Shop"
+371 29115396, 56.612296, 25.7121865

31

Gift shop "Latvis dara"
+371 25696363, 56.600342, 25.655918

32

Cafe - bakery "Liepalkalni"
+371 26134952, 28301838, 56.600006, 25.654915

33

Recreation complex "Daugavas Avoti"
+371 26368248, 56.597797, 25.651552

34

Camping "Annas Klints"
+371 26161131, 56.628672, 25.632202

35

Recreation area "Pūpiņi"
+371 26618701, 56.575981, 25.554497

36

Holiday house "Pie Zandarta"
+371 26161131, 56.575981, 25.554497

37

Holiday house "Piešupīte"
+371 29216067, 56.569447, 25.551697

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Tent recreation area on the banks of the Daugava in Vigantes Park
+371 29892925, 56.57415, 25.50026

39

Camping "Daugavas radzes"
+371 26524446, 29284622, 56.606788, 25.499882

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Holiday house "Sidrabi"
+371 26593210, 56.11562, 25.497367

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Camping "Kārķļu osta"
+371 26165322, www.karkluosta.com, 56.61608, 25.47808

42

Recreation complex "Lapsu ciems"
+371 29326827, 56.615509, 25.406168

43

Recreation complex "Kalnavoti"
+371 29357420, www.kalnavoti.lv, 56.621448, 25.462894

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Tent site "Senči"
+371 25227262, 56.625495, 25.457871

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Holiday home "Rijnieku upes namiņš"
+371 28105055, 56.62888, 25.45337

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Guest house "Kūpiņsala"
+371 27553304, 26555030, www.kupinsala.lv, 56.63270, 25.44945

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Cafe "Baltais gulbis" in the Garden of Destiny
+371 29999436, www.kugitisgulbis.lv, 56.638863, 25.436663

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Bar-cafe "Jumprava" in Koknese
+371 27877032, 56.645004, 25.426903

49

Tavern "Rūdolfo" +371 26514096, 56.643196, 25.42683

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Free public toilet
Working hours from 9:00 to 19:00. 56.63935, 25.42309

51

Camping "Laimeskalni"
+371 26119479, 56.632545, 25.418703

52

Guest house "Divas upes" and "Ragnar Glamp Koknese" on the banks of the Pērse
+371 29578899, www.divasupes.com, 56.640088, 25.410089

53

Recreation complex "Rančo Randevu" on the banks of the Pērse
+371 25606707, 29295900, www.ranchorandevu.lv, 56.642273, 25.406168

54

Camping "Pērses notis" +371 29286592, 56.622562, 25.120003

55

Glamping "Janavas" +371 26369843, www.janavas.lv, 56.629208, 25.357718

56

Farm "Gundegas" +371 20233637, 25580244, 56.611435, 25.360537

57

Guest house "Valteri" +371 26182772, 26555030, www.atputavalteros.lv, 56.595318, 25.290527

58

Cafe "Betija" +371 26317562, www.betija.lv, 56.599823, 25.259945

59

Cafe "Solo" +371 20039758, 56.599819, 25.252123

60

KWB Street Food Restaurant +371 22444455, www.kwb.lv, 56.599377, 25.250486

61

Confectionery "Melānija" +371 26193793, 24203292, www.melanija.lv, 56.599686, 25.247231

62

Pizzeria "Lokals" +371 22103034, www.lokals.lv, 56.598804, 25.246801

63

Cafe "Panna" +371 26471840, 26398193, 56.597565, 25.246426

64

Cafe "Krasta krogs" +371 28216244, 56.596678, 25.246401

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Guest house "Ceplī" +371 29777863, 56.593445, 25.213957

66

Holiday house "Pakalni" +371 26584304, 56.607059, 25.178045

67

Guest house "Zilais zirgs" +371 29286592, 56.622562, 25.120003

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Camping by the Daugava "Ceriņi" +371 25678898, www.kempingspiedaugavas.com, 56.618771, 25.107086

69

Holiday house "Daugavas vitoli" +371 29592009, 56.620045, 25.092875

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Recreation complex "Skriveru ūdensdzirnavas" +371 29469983, 22309383, 56.624039, 25.093309

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Water tourism center "Balta kaza" +371 29442587, 56.620848, 25.087154

72

Complex "Klīdzina" +371 20242588, 29180386, www.klīdzina.lv, 56.625164, 25.086712

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Luxury vacation homes "Seven Mirrors" +371 22103034, www.7mirrors.lv, 56.623589, 25.078640

Sightseeing Objects

1

Memorial Stone to the Daugava Rafters.
56.217031, 26.216890

2

Dunava St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church.
56.216296, 26.203950

3

Dignāja Hillfort.
56.275018, 26.187654

4

Dignāja Evangelical Lutheran Church.
56.301187, 26.172394

5

Vaiķi Stone.
56.425474, 26.075886

6

Rogali Great Stone and Nature Trail.
56.472018, 25.944142

7

Kaupre Hillfort.
56.478880, 25.923050

8

Asote Castle Hillfort.
56.492965, 25.918804

9

Daugava Protective Dam.
56.498513, 25.870479

10

Bridge over the Daugava.
56.499371, 25.878478

Boat trips

IV-X

Trips available from April to October

☑

Prior registration

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By agreement with the service provider, trips on other routes are possible.

Boat "Visvaldis". 20 places, audio guide, +371 25522499. Routes from the wellness complex "Avotiņš", 56.285097, 26.188942 and Jēkabpils region Dignāja, Dunava bank.

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Viking barge "Nameisis". 19 places, captain's narration, +371 26161131, www.mezmalasvikings.lv. Routes: At the camping "Annas Klints", 56.586727, 25.632202

Boat "Visvaldis". 20 places, audio guide, +371 25522499. Routes from the wellness complex "Avotiņš", 56.285097, 26.188942 and Jēkabpils region Dignāja, Dunava bank.

Boat "Balta kaza" (25 seats), trimaran-type boat with a roof, captain's narration, +371 29442587, www.daugavaskugi.lv

Boats "Vigante" (26 seats) and "Sēlis" (36 seats), trimaran-type boats with a roof, captain's narration, +371 28490667, www.daugavaskugi.lv

Routes from the Vigante Park pier in Staburags Parish, 56.57493, 25.49700, and the Koknese Castle Ruins pier, 56.637989, 25.417003

Boat "Gulbis" (20 seats), audio guide narration, +371 29999436, www.kugitisgulbis.lv.

Regular route from the Garden of Destiny (Likteņdarzs) pier, 56.63907, 25.43648, (Likteņdarzs)

Delivery of boats and other equipment to the river:

Kajaku maģija
+371 26779624

Sēlijas laivas
+371 20034392

Boat rental, recreation area "Daugmales"
+371 26413188

SUP Jēkabpils
+371 26862244

Raft "Hercogs Jēkabs 2"
+371 27734835

Holiday house "Sprīdiši"
+371 26344495

"2airi"
+371 22066443

Aiviekstes laivas
+371 25434346

Mežmalas laivas
+371 26161131, 29269232

Daugavas kuģi
+371 28490667, www.daugavaskugi.lv

WakeSurf Latvia
+371 22030132

Boat rental "LivLaiv"
+371 26604064

Daily offer for relaxation on the water:

"Ūdenspriekī Koknesē"
+371 26434520

Water tourism center "Balta kaza"
+371 29442587, www.karkluosta.com. Routs from the camping "Kārķļu osta" pier, 56.61608, 25.47808

Green tips:

• Leave your vehicle where it does not damage nature or disturb other road users. Start boating in a place where you can easily access the river without going over or off the banks.

• Do not leave litter on the river bank or on the road. Take it with you.

• Be considerate of settlements, lookout points, etc. on the river banks, as others will be coming behind you.

• Buy farm produce from local farmers.

• Read the fishing regulations again and find out what fishing is allowed in the area.

• Respect the local people and their way of life!

Tourist information:

Jēkabpils Municipality Tourist Information Centre
3 Vecpilsētas iaukums, Jēkabpils Municipality, Jēkabpils, LV-5201
visitjekabpils.lv, +371 29555950, tic@jekabpils.lv
VisitJekabpils, @visitjekabpils, @visitjekabpils

Plaviņas Tourist Information Point
49 Daugavas Street, Plaviņas, Aizkraukle Municipality, Latvia, LV-5120
+371 22000981; 56.616554, 25.722126

Aizkraukle Municipality and Koknese Tourist Information Centre
7 1905. gada Street, Koknese, Aizkraukle Municipality, Latvia, LV-5101
+371 29275412; 56.644623, 25.432297

Aizkraukle Tourist Information Point
4 Lāčplēša Street, Aizkraukle, Aizkraukle Municipality, Latvia, LV-5101
+371 25727419; 56.600475, 25.253853

Skriveri Tourist Information Point
85 Daugavas Street, Skriveri, Skriveri Parish, Aizkraukle Municipality, Latvia, LV-5125, +371 25661983; 56.647186, 25.117535

Jaunjelgava Tourist Information Point
33 Jelgavas Street, Jaunjelgava, Aizkraukle Municipality, Latvia, LV-5134
+371 27366222; 56.616924, 25.082409

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