


# HISTORICAL AND MODERN GARDENS

109 Heritage and modern gardens  
7 tour routes  
Transport in Latvia and Lithuania



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This map features 109 gardens that are open to visitors. This symbol denotes 53 historical gardens which emphasise their values , as well as botanic gardens and collections of plants where you will learn about gardening traditions and history and see traditional types of fruits, vegetables, herbs, decorative trees, bushes and flowers in Latvia (Latgale, Kurzeme, Zemgale) and Lithuania (Aukštaitija, Žemaitija). Specialised gardens will offer information about various types of products and their use, as well as the achievements of local breeders. The historical gardens reflect the influence of various eras and cultures, and they are often alongside estates, museums or farms and

## WHAT CAN WE FIND IN HISTORICAL GARDENS?

- Estate gardens were usually established by the early 20th century, and they have old species of plants, as well as, in some cases, historical planning. Many estates have parks or orchards where unusual species of plants can be seen.
- Farms often have historical types of roses and lilacs, as well as ancient perennial plants such as phloxes and peonies.
- The gardens and museums which feature fruit production usually have a wide range of types, with stories about selectors, the history of the garden and special types of fruit.

Information about the destinations and routes:

[www.atostogoskaime.lt/marsrutai-1/](http://www.atostogoskaime.lt/marsrutai-1/)

[www.celotajs.lv/heritagegardens](http://www.celotajs.lv/heritagegardens)

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