



# Turkey and Lithuania

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# Tatars

About 1399 6000 Tatars from Crimea were brought to Lithuania by Grand duke Vytautas.

- Lithuania Tatars flag
- Forty Tatars mosque



# Tatars nowadays

- Nowadays in Lithuania lives about 200 old Tatars descendants, mostly in Trakai and the surroundings area.



# The battle of Vienna

- The battle took place in 1683 near Vienna. United Polish and Austrian won against Osman's army, stopping Osman's empire expansion. The united army was led by Jonas Sobieskis – the LGD sovereign.



# Diplomacy

- The relationships began in the interwar. On 1991 09 03 restored countries' diplomacy relationships. Both countries have embassies.



# Trading and residents

- In 2021 trading turnover between Turkey and Lithuania was 789 mln. euros.

## To Turkey

Iron  
Steel

## To Lithuania

Iron products  
Machines and mechanisms

Metai	2016 <sup>[23]</sup>	2020 <sup>[24]</sup>	2021 <sup>[25]</sup>	2022 <sup>[4]</sup>
Turkijos piliečių skaičius Lietuvoje	258	492	530	661

Metai	2014 <sup>[26]</sup>	2017 <sup>[27]</sup>	2021 <sup>[28]</sup>	2022 <sup>[4]</sup>
Lietuvos piliečių skaičius Turkijoje	600	425	490	620

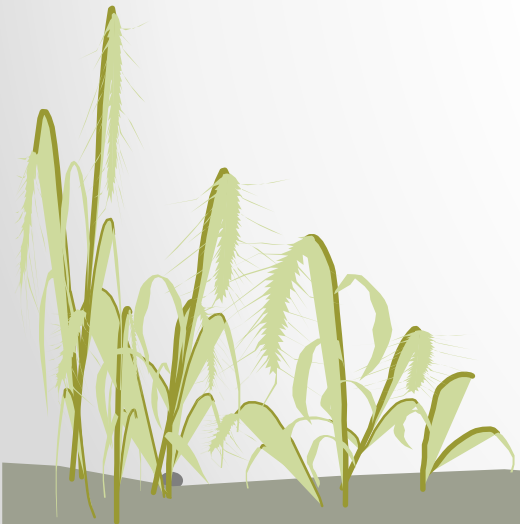
# Tourism

- Turkey is a popular tourist direction. Lithuanians like it because of the good weather, optimal prices, high-quality hotels and nature. Before the pandemic visited Turkey about one-fifth million Lithuanians.
- During eleven months visited Turkey around 227 thousand tourists from Lithuania. It's a 15% increase from 2021. This information was shown by Turkey's culture and tourism ministry.
- Favorite reassorts - Bodrum, Alania.



# Help after earthquake

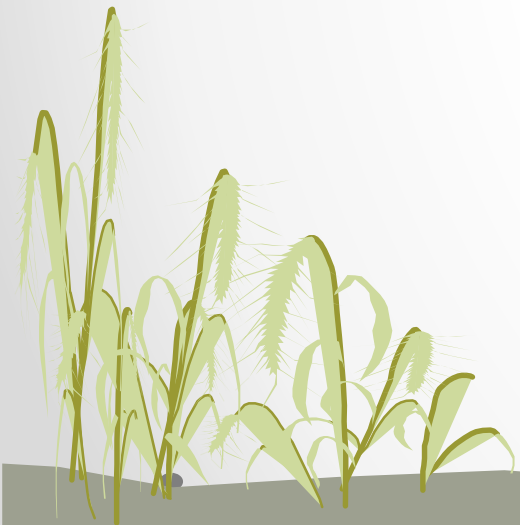
- Lithuania after the Turkey-Syria earthquake sent 42 rescuers: firefighters, cytologists, paramedics and humanitarian aid.





# Adomas Mickevičius

- He was a Lithuanian-Polish poet. This non-sharing arose due to the fact that he studied at Vilnius university and there he started writing but in Polish. Later on due to war, he had left Lithuania and last few years lived in Istanbul



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