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# Language Exams in Latvia

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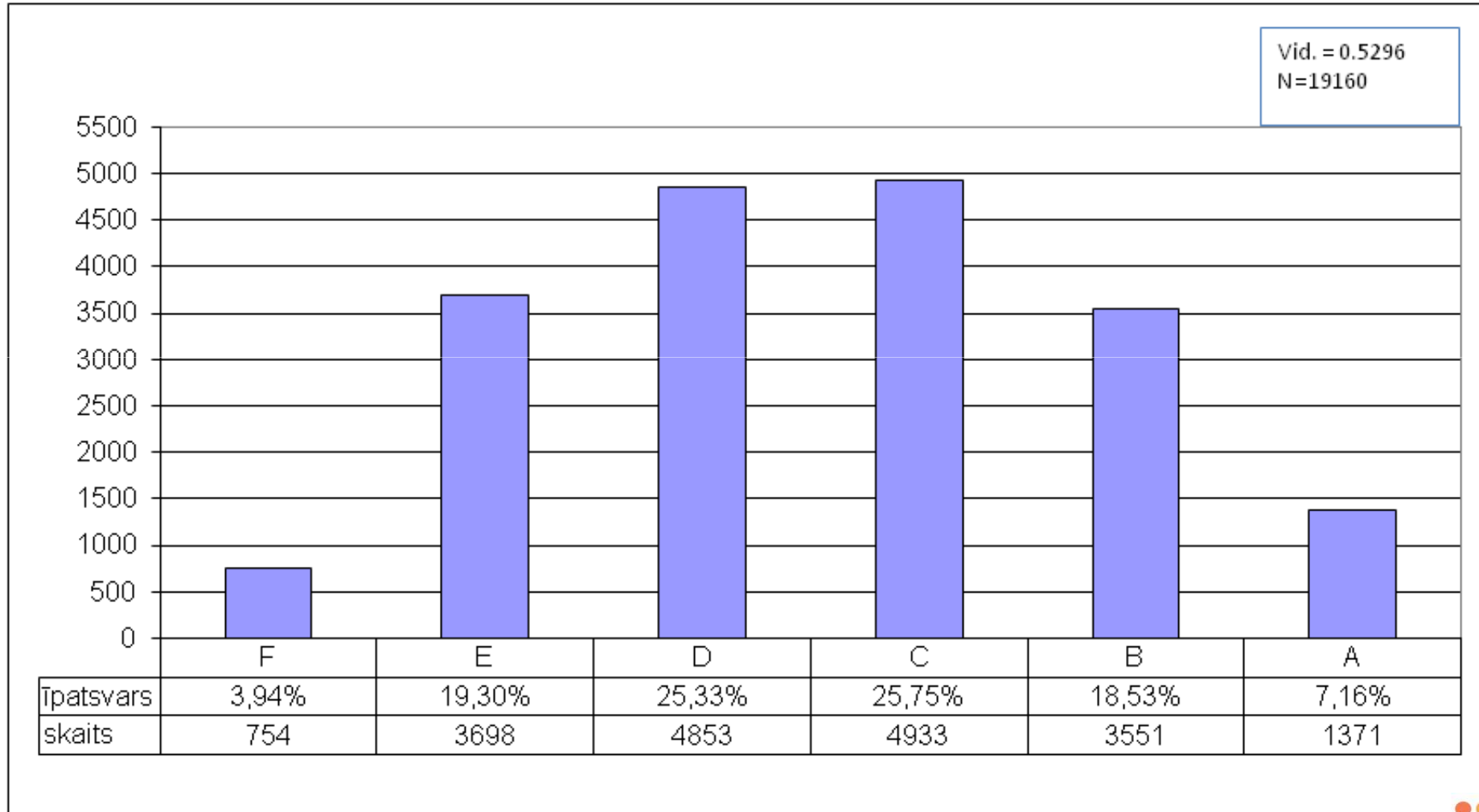
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# Language Exams in Formal Education



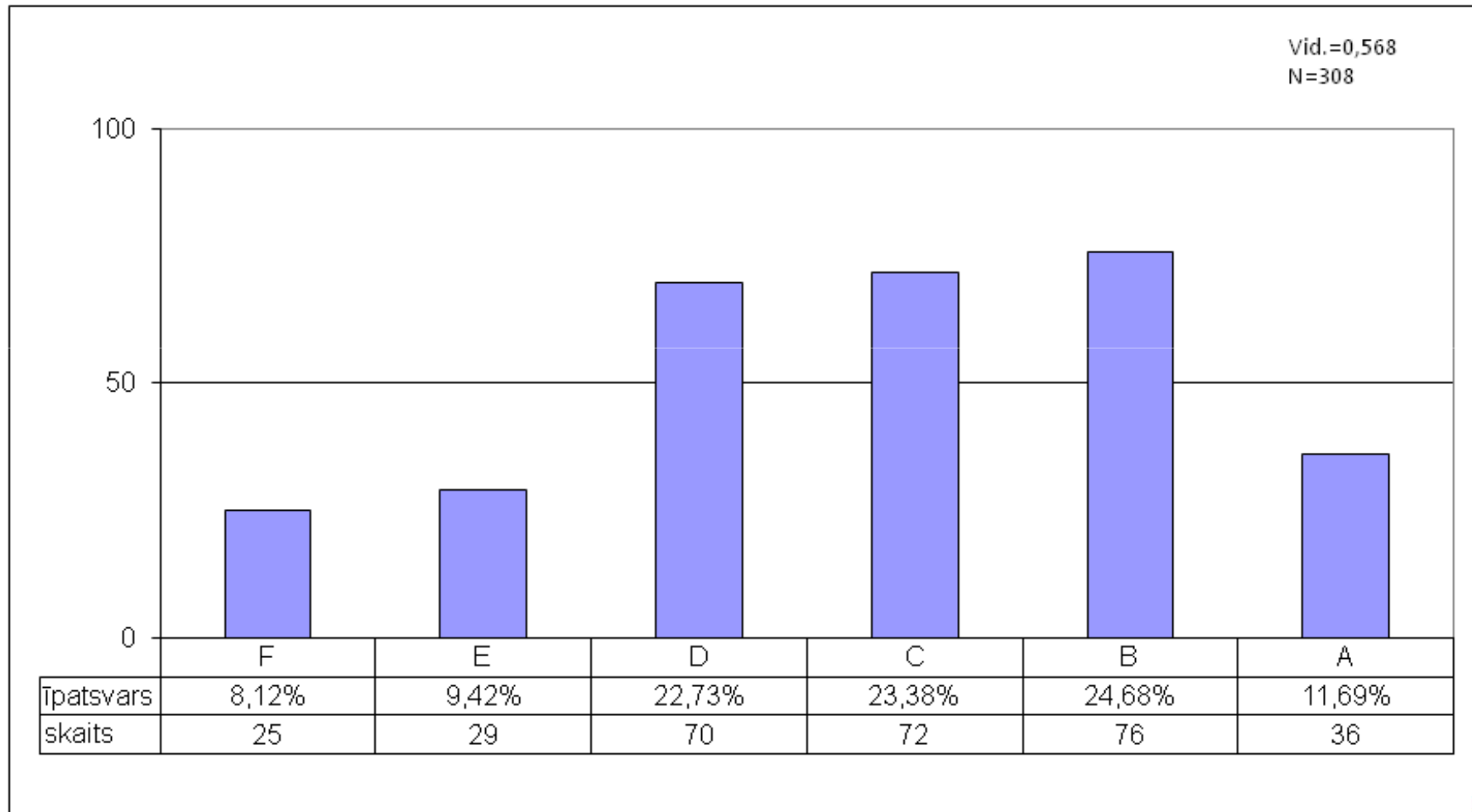
- Grade 12 (secondary school) English compulsory exam;
- Grade 12 second language (German, French, Russian) optional exam.
- Content:
  - Reading – T/F, gap filling, matching task;
  - Listening – 2 multiple choice tasks, filling in missing information;
  - Language use – filling in the appropriate phrase from 4 options, filling in the appropriate word form, word formation, gap filling where no options are provided;
  - Writing – informal letter, advertisement;
  - Speaking – interview with the examiner, role play with another student in pairs, expressing opinion on the text read.

# Students' English Language Levels in 2012



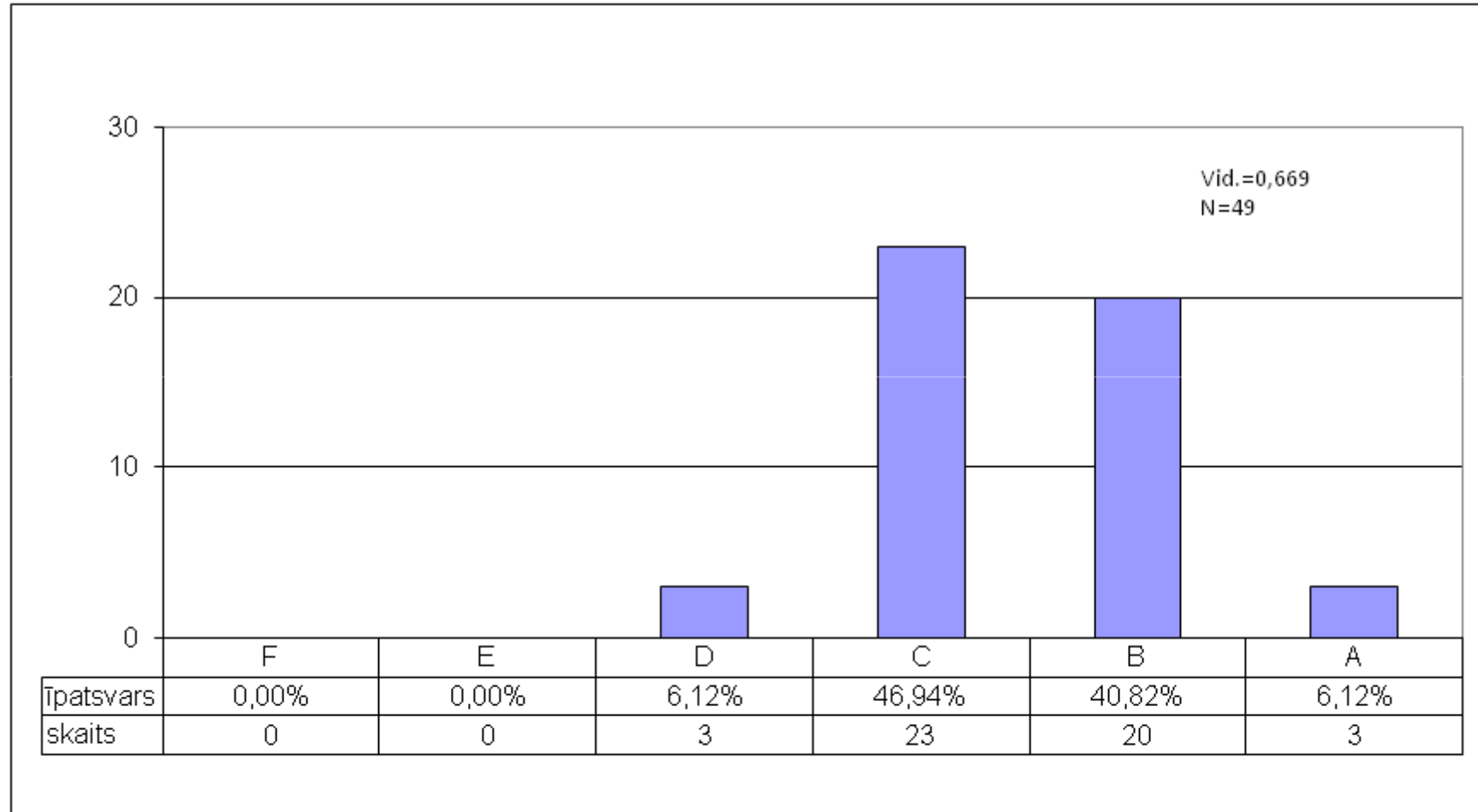
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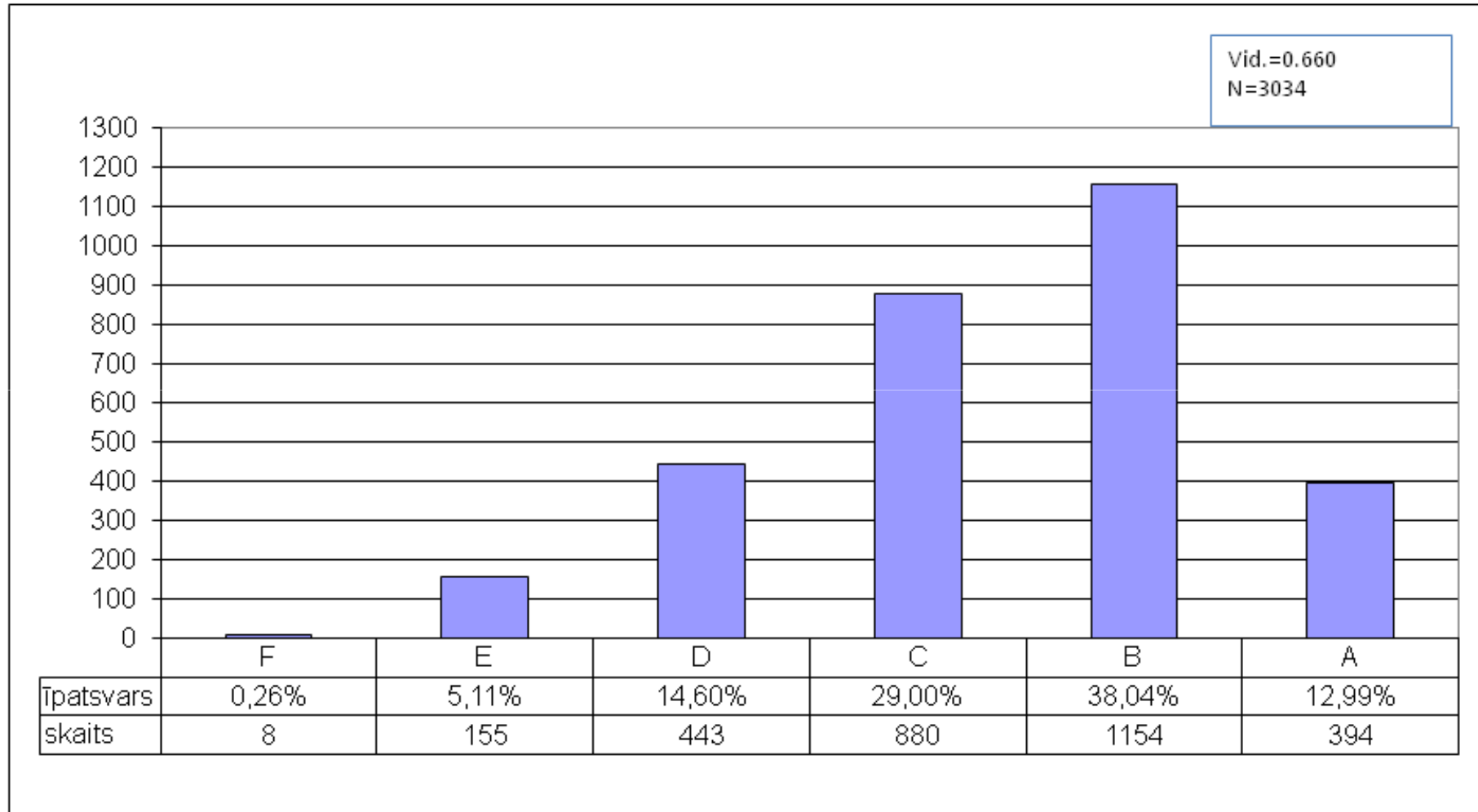
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# Students' French Language Levels in 2012



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# Students' Russian Language Levels in 2012



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# Language Exams in Latvia in Non-formal Education: Latvian



- Latvian language examinations for other nationalities in Latvia are organized by:
  - the Office of Citizenship and Migration Affairs;
  - the national centre for Education.
- Content:
  - Listening, Reading, Writing, Speaking parts;
  - <http://www.pmlp.gov.lv/lv/pakalpojumi/Naturalizacija/parbaudes.html>
  - <http://visc.gov.lv/valval/prasmeparb.shtml>





# Language Exams in Latvia in Non-formal Education: English

- The most popular international exams:
  - Test of English for International Communication (TOEIC);
  - Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL);
  - International English Language Testing System (IELTS);
  - American College Testing (ACT);
  - Standardized Admission Test (SAT I);
  - SAT Subject tests (SAT II);
  - Graduate Record Examination (GRE);
  - Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT);
  - CAMBRIDGE CERTIFICATE tests – ESOL, KET, PET, FCE, CAE, CPE, BEC.

# Language Exams in Latvia in Non-formal Education: German

A 1.1 A 1.2	A 1	Fit in Deutsch 1, Start Deutsch 1
A 2.1 A 2.2	A2	Fit in Deutsch 2, Start Deutsch 2
B 1.1 B 1.2	B1	Zertifikat Deutsch für Jugendliche ,Zertifikat Deutsch
B 2.1 B 2.2 B 2.3	B2	Zertifikat Deutsch für den Beruf ,Goethe-Zertifikat B2 , Test Deutsch als Fremdsprache
C 1.1 C 1.2	C1	Prüfung Wirtschaftsdeutsch, Goethe-Zertifikat C1, Test Deutsch als Fremdsprache
C 2	C 2	Goethe-Zertifikat C2, Großes Deutsches Sprachdiplom

# Language Exams in Latvia in Non-formal Education: Russian

- ECL certification:
  - Oral part – participation in a dialogue, monologue on the chosen topic, listening;
  - Written part – reading test, writing test.
  - A2, B1, B2, C1 levels.
  - A trial test on: <http://www.ecl-test.com/pages/template2.aspx?id=7126>
- Test of Russian as Foreign Language (TORFL):
  - Elementary level (ТЭУ) – minimum skills for everyday conversation;
  - Basic level (ТБУ) – for professional, social and cultural communication;
  - Level 1 (ТРКИ-1) – intermediate level;
  - Level 2 (ТРКИ-2) – a high level of competence in Russian in all spheres of communication.

# Language Exams in Latvia in Non-formal Education: French

- International French language examinations:
  - Test de connaissance du français (TCF) – 3 compulsory and 2 optional tests (written and oral), 6 competence levels;
  - Diplôme d'études en langue française (DELFF) – writing, reading, listening and speaking, 6 competence levels;
  - Diplôme approfondi de langue française (DALF) – validates fluent and spontaneous communication skills at highest level;
  - ELF Prim – A1.1, A1 and A2 levels.
- Samples:
  - [www.fda.ccip.fr](http://www.fda.ccip.fr)
  - [www.ciep.fr](http://www.ciep.fr)



# Language Exams in Latvia in Non-formal Education: Spanish

- Diplomas de Español como Lengua Extranjera (DELE) :
  - diploma awarded by Cervantes Institute on behalf of the Ministry for Education, Science and Sports of Spain;
  - 6 competence levels: A1, A2, B1/B2 – Escolar, B2 , C1 or C2;
  - the only officially recognised document that testifies the relevant level of knowledge and skills of Spanish as a foreign language.
- Content: speaking, writing, reading and listening comprehension.
- Samples:

[http://diplomas.cervantes.es/informacion/modelos\\_examen\\_audios.html](http://diplomas.cervantes.es/informacion/modelos_examen_audios.html)



For more information see the CD prepared by  
Turība University specially for LLO project.

Thank you for your attention!

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