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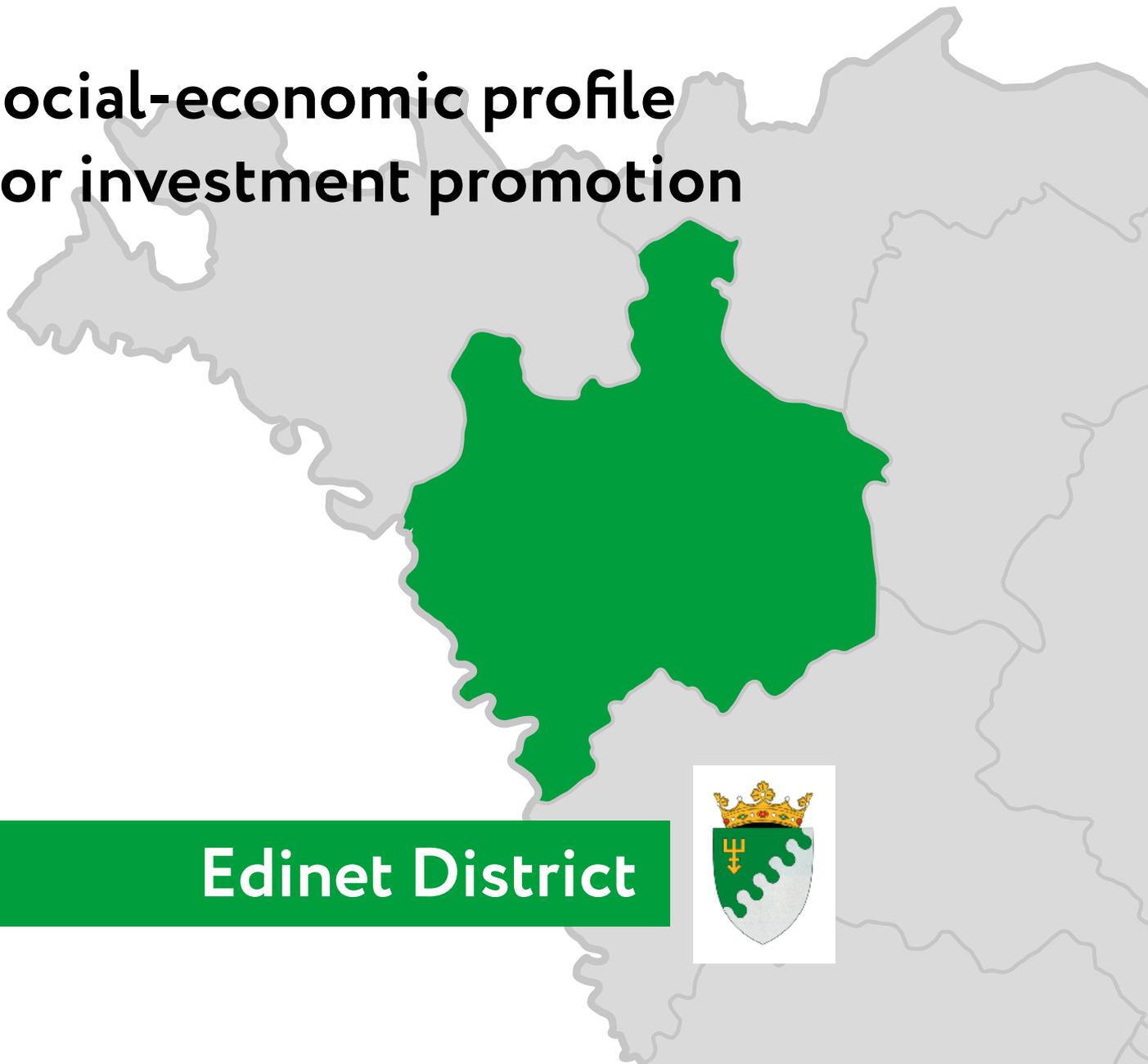
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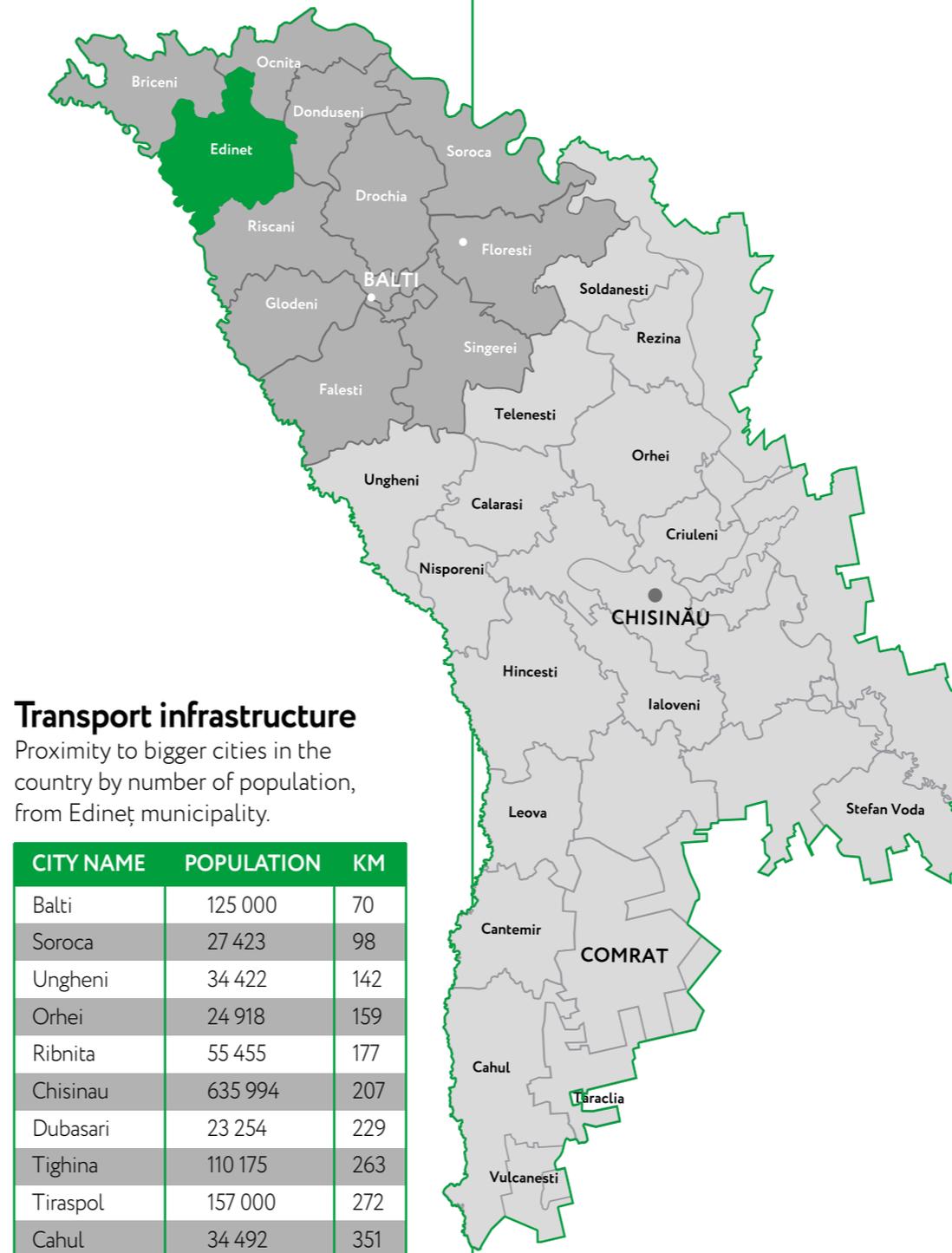
Social-economic profile For investment promotion



Edinet District



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| Coordinates (City Hall) | 48°10 23.6 N, 27°18 04.4 E |
| Bordering districts | North-East – Ocnița; East – Donușeni; South – Râșcani; West - România (county Botoșani); North-West – Briceni. |
| Administrative Units | 49 settlements, divided into 32 administrative-territorial units of level I: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 municipality Edineț with 2 localities in composition-Alexăndreni and Gordineștii Noi; • 1 city Cupcini with 2 localities in composition - Chetroșica Veche and Chiurt; • 11 communes with 13 villages in composition; • 19 villages that do not belong to any commune |
| Resident population, 2018, regional share % | 79 160 (8,12 %) |
| Present population, 1 January 2021, inhabitants | 76 546 |
| Land area total: area in km ² , regional share % | 932,91 (9,32 % of the total area of NDR) |
| Agricultural land | 712,7 |
| Localities lands | 95,45 |
| Forest Reserves (Forest lands and intended for environmental protection) | 81,55 |
| Industrial settlements and other uses (Land for industry, transport, communications and other special purposes) | 14,95 |
| Area covered by water | 28,25 |
| Rezerve fund | 0 |
| Natural resources | Aquatic resources: Rivers: The Prut River crosses the Edineț district (40 km) with tributaries Racovăț, Draghiște, Ciugur, Bogda, Sarata and Lopatnic; Aquatic basins: Almost all the localities of the district have anthropic lakes or ponds, in total there are 101 ponds with an area of 918,21 ha. The largest aquatic basin is "Heredeuca" with an total area of 117 ha located in Badragii Vechi village; "Cupcini" - 73 ha (Brătușeni commune); "Bercu" - 24 ha (Edineț municipality); Solid mineral resources: Low potential of natural resources: complex of Silurian shales and disaggregated sandstones (North-West), compact sector of brown clay shales, siliceous limestones, extracting clay quarry for the production of bricks.; Soils: two main categories: zonal (two types of chernozem: leached and agro-alluvial, the gray soil formed) and azonal (alluvial ones). |
| Google map link | Map |



Transport infrastructure

Proximity to bigger cities in the country by number of population, from Edineț municipality.

| CITY NAME | POPULATION | KM |
|-----------|------------|-----|
| Balti | 125 000 | 70 |
| Soroca | 27 423 | 98 |
| Ungheni | 34 422 | 142 |
| Orhei | 24 918 | 159 |
| Ribnita | 55 455 | 177 |
| Chisinau | 635 994 | 207 |
| Dubasari | 23 254 | 229 |
| Tighina | 110 175 | 263 |
| Tiraspol | 157 000 | 272 |
| Cahul | 34 492 | 351 |

Proximity to key transport routes, airports, and ports (distance from Edineț municipality, km)

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| Airport | 1 56 km- Bălții-Leadoveni International Airport, Râșcani (commercial cargo and chartered services); 2 99 km- Free International Airport Mărculești, Florești (cargo); 3 219 km - Chișinău International Airport (passenger/cargo); |
| Railway | Cargo and passengers railway route: Donușeni-Ocnița-Lipcani exit to Cernivci/Cernăuți (Ukraine) and Brest (Belarus) Railway station Brătușeni is situated North of Cupcini and 8 km form Edineț municipality |
| European Road | E583 – European Route România (Sculeni)-Moldova-Ukraine (Moghiliov); Moldova: • R 16: Sculeni (End of concurrency with E58) – Răuțel • M5 (M14): Răuțel – Bălți – Edineț • R 8: Edineț – Otaci In Edineț district crossing localities- Cupcini, Edineț, Ruseni, Goleni |
| Express road (international) | M5 - Border Ukraine - Criva - Balti - Chisinau - Tiraspol – border Ukraine (M14 international route - Brest/Belarus-Odessa/Ukraine). The magistral is crossing Cupcini, Edineț, Hlinaia; Between Bălți and Edineț M5 is part of the European road E583. |
| National roads | 1 R8: Edineț – Otaci – Ukraine border, (crossing Goleni, Ruseni, Slobodca, Edineț, Hlinaia); 2 R45 (Brătușeni – Zaicani – Pîrjota). |
| Port | 404 km Free International Giurgiulești Port |
| Utilities | |
| Gas | YES |
| Electricity | YES |
| Water Supply | YES |
| Sewerage system | YES |
| Telecommunication | YES |

Distance to border crossing points, km

| Type of BCP | Location | Distance, km | Border Crossing Point |
|-------------------------|------------|----------------------------|--|
| Railway Crossing Points | North | 40 | Ocnița - Sokireanî (Ukraine) |
| | North | 49 | Larga (Briceni) - Kelmenți (Ukraine) |
| | North-East | 59 | Vălcineț - Mohyliv - Podilskyi (Ukraine) |
| | South | 409 | Giurgiulești - Reni (Ukraine) |
| | South | 405 | Giurgiulești - Galați (România) |
| | West | 143 | Ungheni - Iași (România) |
| | North-West | 60 | Criva - Mamaliga (Ukraine) |
| Road Crossing Points | North | 59 | Otaci - Mohyliv - Podilskyi (Ukraine) |
| | North | 40 | Ocnița - Sokireanî (Ukraine) |
| | North | 49 | Larga (Briceni) - Kelmenți (Ukraine) |
| | North | 32 | Briceni-Rossoșanî (Ukraine) |
| | South-East | 301 | Pervomaisc - Kuciurgan (Ukraine) |
| | South-East | 334 | Tudora - Starokazacie (Ukraine) |
| | South | 409 | Giurgiulești - Reni (Ukraine) |
| | South | 405 | Giurgiulești - Galați (România) |
| | West | 53 | Costești - Stâncă (Romania) |
| | West | 128 | Sculeni - Sculeni (Romania) |
| | West | 231 | Leușeni - Albița (Romania) |
| North-East | 60 | Criva - Mamaliga (Ukraine) | |



Greenfield and brownfield locations. Short descriptions.

Free Economic Zones

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| Free Economic Zones | <p>No Free Economic Zones in the district. The closest ones:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 62 km - The free economic zone "Otaci-Business" from Otaci (Ocnița) was established in 1999 for a period of 25 years, on a 32,17 ha area, consisting of 2 subzones, with 12 residents. The production potential is currently used only at the level of 10-30%. Possible use (Destination): production of plastic packaging and the manufacture of garments, furniture manufacturing, foreign trade, wood and sand processing, biofuel production, etc. Residents: ISC Steel Suct Structuri (manufacture of metal structures and carpentry for construction), Aik Petroleum (wholesale of solid, liquid and gaseous fuels and derived products), Trade Log (storage activities), SRL ZERATUS PRIM (Manufacture |
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of crude oil products), UZINA EXPERIMENTALA SA REZONANTA (manufacture of builders' carpentry and joinery), BP RAFINARIE (wholesale of solid, liquid and gaseous fuels and derived products), SRL TERMOLEMN (sawmills and planing of wood), SRL ECOCHIM-GRUP (manufacture of other basic organic chemicals).

- 71 km - Free Economic Zone Bălți** (www.zelb.md) was established in 2010 for a period of 25 years. It hosts **78 residents** in **18 subzones with a total area of circa 286,42 ha**, namely:
 - Bălți Municipality (3 subzones – 104,9 ha);
 - Strășeni Municipality (5 subzones – 56,5 ha);
 - Căușeni City (8,5 ha);
 - Orhei Municipality (8,0 ha);
 - Cahul Municipality (2 subzones – 40,4 ha);
 - Ștefan-Vodă City (8,9 ha);
 - Cimișlia City (20,0 ha);
 - Albinețul Vechi the Village (1,5 ha);
 - Rezina City (8,7 ha);
 - Chișinău Municipality (2 subzones – 18,0 ha);
 - Pârâta village, Dubăsari district (11,02 ha).

Residents: Drăxlmaier Automotive, Gebauer & Griller, SEBN Sumitomo Electric Bordnetze, Sammy Cablaggi/ Kablem, and Coroplast Harness Technology.

- 99 km - The Mărculești Free International Airport Special Status Area (MFIA)** - airport with a dual-purpose airfield (military and civil) passenger and freight international transportation, is situated in Florești having a total area of 265 ha. The status of FEZ was established in 2008 for a period of 25 years.

Possible use (Destination): Providing ground handling services and air transport; wholesale trade, except for goods excluded from the civil circuit; industrial production of goods; processing agri-food production; sorting, packaging, marking and other similar operations with goods transited through the Free Airport.

Residents: State Enterprise "Mărculești International Airport", "Malaga Maintenance Centre", "Aim Air", "Valan International Cargo Charter" Joint Venture LLC, "Aim Helicopter Plant", "Aim Handling", "Tehavia", "Aeroport Service", "Alanar-Grup".

- 140 km - Free Economic Zone Ungheni** – was created in 2002 for a 42 years period, consists 12 subzones with a total area of 145,2 ha (public and private owned) in:

- Ungheni Municipality (4 subzones – 49,57 ha);
- Zagarancea village (2 subzones – 14,60 ha);
- Soroca Municipality (2 subzones – 20,62 ha);
- Hîncești Municipality (1,99 ha);
- Nisporeni city (2 subzones – 26,11 ha);
- Călărași City, Tuzara village (32,27 ha).

Possible use (Destination): industrial production; sorting, packing, marking and other similar operations with goods in transit; foreign trade; other auxiliary activities, such as utilities, warehousing, construction, catering, etc.

Residents: Lear Corporation (production of covers for cars, Netherlands), Cabling Integration System (manufacture of electronic cables, France), Euro Yarns LTD (manufacture of synthetic fibers, Belgium), Sarco Engineering (services on construction and repair), local companies from textile industry (Covoare-Ungheni, Filatura Ungheni, Alpha Omega Confexim, Carpeta MD, Covoare-Lux, Moldabela Trade etc).

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| Industrial Parks | <p>“Edineț” Industrial Park is an industrial platform situated on the outskirts of the Edineț city (1,9 km away from city center). Destination (possible use): Production and storage Infrastructure and Accessibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Electrical Networks: 1 point, voltage 10kV, maximum power 630 KW; • Water and sewage. Water pipe: 1 water pumping station and sewage system; • Natural gas: 1 connection point; • Illumination of the territory; • Telecommunication Infrastructure. <p>Industrial park “Edineț” Address: Str. Nicolae Moroșanu 6, Edineț municipality Total Area of the Subzone: 17,8989 ha (with a possible extension of 40 ha) Free available land: 5 ha Investment Type: Greenfield Legal status: Public property Main Resident: “TB FRUIT”, CÎ “ECO-FRUCT”, “ASPECT FRUCT”, “AGRODEDIDAN” (fruit processing companies), “CREATIVSEVEN” (architectural, and design services), “CORNELIUS ELECTRONICS”, production of electronic components; SRL ANTEO BV; SRL BALANCETRADE; SRL EXIMBROKERSERVICE; SRL CHIMPLANTCONSULTING; SRL DARGRUP; LUXINVEST SRL.</p> <p>Activities to be conducted: Agri-food industry; textiles and clothing industries; leather processing and shoe manufacturing; production of furniture; manufacture of machinery and equipment; production of electrical and electrotechnical equipment; automotive industry; transport and communications (storage, processing, packaging).</p> <p>Other closest one: 1. 54 km - Industrial park “Bioenergagro” is situated in Tarigrad, Drochia District. 2. 69 km - Industrial park „Răut” is located in Bălți Destination (possible use): gas production from biomass; machinery and equipment production, electrical and electronic equipment manufacture.</p> |
| Business incubators | <p>No Business Incubators in the district. The closest ones:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 95 km - Business incubator Sângerei; 2. 98 km - Business incubator Soroca. |
| Multifunctional Platforms | No |
| Other relevant locations | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The hospital building, Corpaci village, no. cadastral 41241080001.01; 2. The building of the Social Service House, Zabriceni village, no. cadastral 4152109003 1.01; 3. The building of the shopping center, Brinzeni village, no. cadastral 41161160156.01; 4. ASECOOP building, Brinzeni village, no. cadastral 41161 160057.02; 5. Youth Center building. s. Terebna. no. cadastral 41461130078.0. |

Why to invest, investment incentives

Edineț is one of the three main economic growth poles of NDR by **total turnover (2nd)**, by **no. of employees (3rd)**, by **no. of exporters (3rd)** and by **total exported value (2nd)**;

The district has **almost 80K resident population, 59% being of working age**;

Key transport infrastructure in place (good road connectivity with almost all the Northern district centers and has at least one railway connection), the district is placed **2nd** by quantity of transported goods.

The district hosts the **largest well-equipped Industrial Park** with an area of about 18ha to accommodate foreign and local private investors in agri-food industry, TAFI, production of furniture, automotive and related industry, transport and communications (storage, processing, packaging).

Is the **undisputed NDR leader** in the agri-food industry production of juices and canned vegetables & fruits, hosting **2 major Moldovan processors**;

Key utilities available all around the district;

The soils in Edineț district have the highest fertility (74 points) in the national ranking, contributing to development of agri-business, leading the NDR by maize cultivation (1st), potatoes production (2nd), field vegetables and soy cultivation (3rd), etc.

Edineț is recording a **high level of investment in fixed assets** within the NDR, **3rd** position in the regional ranking with **13M+ EUR investments**.

Is home district for **1 college, 1 vocational school**;

Business environment

Review of major business actors within the district (both private and public), by turnover and employment

Economic activity in the District

| Year | Total enterprises | Total number of employees | Turnover (M EUR) | Profit (M EUR) | Total export (M EUR) | Investments fixed assets (M EUR) | Remuneration fund (M EUR) | Monthly average salary (EUR) |
|------|-------------------|---------------------------|------------------|----------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| 2016 | 300 | 6 367 | 189,3 | 5,3 | 0,4 | - | 11,9 | 181,5 |
| 2017 | 336 | 6 429 | 241,1 | 11,4 | 5,3 | 10,4 | 14,7 | 204,8 |
| 2018 | 375 | 6 597 | 226,8 | 9,2 | 76,9 | 15,5 | 15,3 | 237,6 |
| 2019 | 385 | 6 949 | 261,6 | 11,7 | 90,6 | 13,9 | 18,6 | 282,1 |
| 2020 | 440 | 7 099 | 237,9 | 13,4 | 76 | 13,4 | - | 281,7 |

Top 10 major local private business actors by turnover, 2020

| Company Name | Location | Turnover (M EUR) | Field of activity |
|---------------|--|------------------|--|
| RUSAGRO-PRIM | Gării str., 3, city Cupcini | 41,3 | Wholesale of grain, unmanufactured tobacco, seeds and animal feeds |
| GLORIA-QVARC | Șoseaua Bucovina str., 37/A, Edineț municipality | 13,8 | Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialized locations |
| CORSAG | Parcova, Edineț municipality | 10,7 | Construction of roads and motorways |
| CROWN | Cupcini, Chișinăului str., 47, Edineț municipality | 10,6 | Wholesale of grain, unmanufactured tobacco, seeds and animal feeds |
| BIZ-AGRO | Cupcini, Chișinăului str., 47, Edineț municipality | 6,2 | Whole sale of grain, unmanufactured tobacco, seeds and animal feeds |
| DIMIGOR-OPG | Staroobreadcescaia str., 8, Edineț municipality | 5,5 | Retail sale of other food in specialized stores/Grocery Stores |
| INLAC | Cupcini, Chișinăulu str., 45, Edineț municipality | 4,6 | Milk and dairy producer |
| EDINET-GAZ | Testemitanu str., 28, Edineț municipality | 3,9 | Distribution of gaseous fuels through mains |
| AGROREAL-COM | Bleşteni, Edineț | 3,1 | Intermediation in trade in agricultural raw materials and semi - finished products |
| ETALONUS-GRUP | Bleşteni, Edineț | 3,1 | Wholesale of dairy products, eggs, edible oils and fats |

Top major foreign private business actors by turnover, 2020

| Company Name | Location | Turnover (M EUR) | Field of activity |
|-------------------|---|------------------|--|
| T.B. FRUIT | str. Moroşanu Nicolae str., 6, Edineţ municipality | 14,7 | Manufacture of fruit and vegetable juices |
| NATUR BRAVO | Cupcini, Chişinău str., 43, Edineţ municipality | 9,7 | Processing and preserving of fruit and vegetables, except potatoes |
| PB-NORD | Bleşteni, Edineţ | 2,7 | Raising of poultry |
| OPTI AGRO | Independentei str, 23, Edineţ municipality | 0,4 | Growing of cereals (except rice), leguminous crops and oil seeds |
| AGRICOL GRUP | Cupcini, Renaşterii str., 3, Edineţ municipality | 0,3 | Growing of cereals (except rice), leguminous crops and oil seeds |
| TODINI PRODUCTION | Hincăuţi, Edineţ | 0,2 | Growing of cereals (except rice), leguminous crops and oil seeds |
| CREATIVSEVEN | Lopatnic, Edineţ | 0,1 | Data processing, web page administration and related activities |
| WINDMD-JT | Alexandru cel Bun str., 126, ap. (of.) 1, Edineţ municipality | 0,1 | Electricity production |

Top 10 major public institutions by turnover, 2020

| Company Name | Location | Turnover (M EUR) | Field of activity |
|---|--|------------------|--|
| SPITALUL RAIONAL EDINEŢ | Şoseaua Bucovina, str., 1, Edineţ municipality | 3,3 | Hospital care activities |
| CENTRUL DE SANATATE EDINEŢ | Independentei str., 81, Edineţ municipality | 2,0 | General hospital care activities |
| INTREPRINDEREA PENTRU SILVICULTURA EDINEŢ | Şoseaua Bucovina str., 24, Edineţ municipality | 1,2 | Forestry and other forestry activities |
| COLEGIUL DE MEDICINA VETERINARA SI ECONOMIE | Brătuşeni, Edineţ | 0,9 | Secondary, vocational education |
| AGRARA DIN BRĂTUŞENI APA-CANAL | Cirimpei Octavian str., 30, Edineţ municipality | 0,8 | Water capture, treatment and distribution |
| ŞCOALA PROFESIONALĂ, OR. CUPCINI | Cupcini, Chişinăului str., 5, Edineţ district | 0,5 | Secondary, technical vocational education |
| DIRECŢIA DE PRODUCŢIE GOSPODĂRIEI LOCATIV-COMUNALA EDINEŢ | Asachi Gh. str., 15, Edineţ municipality | 0,2 | Non-hazardous waste collection |
| GOSPODĂRIA LOCATIV COMUNALĂ CUPCINI | Cupcini, Ştefan cel Mare str., 72, Edineţ District | 0,06 | Non-hazardous waste collection |
| GOSPODĂRIA COMUNALĂ ŞI DE LOCUINŢE A SATULUI BRĂTUŞENI | Bratuşeni, Komsomolskaia str., 59, Edineţ district | 0,05 | Water capture, treatment and distribution |
| PIAŢA ORĂŞENEASCĂ | Gorkii str., 3, Edineţ municipality | 0,03 | Renting and operating of own or leased real estate |

Top 10 major business actors by export, 2020

| Company Name | Location | Type of property | Total export value (M EUR) | Field of activity |
|--------------|--|------------------|----------------------------|--|
| RUSAGRO-PRIM | Cupcini, Gării str., 3, Edineţ district | Private local | 28,5 | Wholesale of grain, unmanufactured tobacco, seeds and animal feeds |
| BIZ-AGRO | Cupcini, Chişinăului str., 47, Edineţ district | Private local | 14,9 | Wholesale of grain, unmanufactured tobacco, seeds and animal feeds |
| T.B. FRUIT | Moroşanu Nicolae str., 6, Edineţ municipality | Foreign private | 14,8 | Manufacture of fruit and vegetable juices |
| NATUR BRAVO | Cupcini, Chişinău str., 43, Edineţ district | Foreign private | 8,0 | Processing and preserving of fruit and vegetables, except potatoes |
| CROWN | Cupcini, Chişinăului str., 47, Edineţ district | Private local | 6,1 | Wholesale of grain, unmanufactured tobacco, seeds and animal feeds |
| MIRA-FAUR | Cuconeştii Noi, Edineţ district | Private local | 1,0 | Growing of cereals (except rice), leguminous crops and oil seeds |
| AGROREAL-COM | Bleşteni, Edineţ district | Private local | 0,8 | Intermediation in trade in agricultural raw materials and semi-finished products |
| UNIFRUCT | Cibotari Maria str., 24, Edineţ municipality | Private local | 0,5 | Cultivation of seeds and stone fruits |
| SV-FRUCT | Terebna, Edineţ district | Private local | 0,4 | Wholesale of fruit and vegetables |
| ORCHARDTRUCS | Gagarin Iu. str., 45, Edineţ municipality | Private local | 0,2 | Cultivation of seeds and stone fruits |

Dominant branches of industry by total revenues, 2020

| Industry branch name | Revenues (M EUR) | No of companies | No of employees |
|--|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Wholesale of grain, unmanufactured tobacco, seeds and animal feeds | 58,6 | 7 | 163 |
| Growing of cereals (except rice), leguminous crops and oil seeds | 24,6 | 106 | 1 063 |
| Manufacture of fruit and vegetable juice | 14,7 | 1 | 90 |
| Retail sale of automotive fuel in specialised stores | 14,6 | 2 | 78 |
| Construction of roads and motorways | 13,2 | 3 | 365 |
| Processing and preserving of fruit and vegetables, except potatoes | 9,7 | 1 | 222 |
| Retail sale in non-specialised stores with food, beverages or tobacco predominating | 7,8 | 43 | 299 |
| Retail sale of other food in specialized stores/Grocery Stores | 5,7 | 2 | 56 |
| Wholesale of wood, construction materials and sanitary equipment | 5,1 | 5 | 107 |
| Milk and dairy producer | 4,6 | 1 | 194 |
| Cultivation of seeds and stone fruits | 4,5 | 24 | 190 |
| Agents involved in the sale of agricultural raw materials, live animals, textile raw materials and semi-finished goods | 4,2 | 5 | 34 |
| Distribution of gaseous fuels through mains | 3,9 | 1 | 331 |
| Wholesale of dairy products, eggs and edible oils and fats | 3,3 | 2 | 64 |
| Hospital care activities | 3,3 | 1 | 507 |
| Manufacture of bread; manufacture of fresh pastry goods and cakes | 3,1 | 5 | 296 |
| Operation of gravel and sand pits; mining of clays and kaolin | 3,0 | 1 | 108 |
| Raising of poultry | 3,0 | 2 | 129 |
| General medical care activities | 2,0 | 1 | 326 |
| Road freight service | 1,9 | 16 | 83 |

Dominant branches of industry by number of companies, 2020

| Industry branch name | No of companies | Turnover (M EUR) |
|--|-----------------|------------------|
| Growing of cereals (except rice), leguminous crops and oil seeds | 106 | 24,6 |
| Retail sale in non-specialised stores with food, beverages or tobacco predominating | 43 | 7,8 |
| Cultivation of seeds and stone fruits | 24 | 4,5 |
| Road freight service | 16 | 1,9 |
| Rental and operation of own or leased real estate | 13 | 0,4 |
| General cleaning of buildings | 12 | 0,5 |
| Construction work for residential and non - residential buildings | 10 | 1,2 |
| Maintenance and repair of motor vehicles | 10 | 0,3 |
| Other retail sale in non-specialised stores | 9 | 0,8 |
| Wholesale of grain, unmanufactured tobacco, seeds and animal feeds | 7 | 58,6 |
| Wholesale of wood, construction materials and sanitary equipment | 6 | 1 |
| Wholesale of wood, construction materials and sanitary equipment | 5 | 5,1 |
| Agents involved in the sale of agricultural raw materials, live animals, textile raw materials and semi-finished goods | 5 | 4,2 |
| Manufacture of bread; manufacture of fresh pastry goods and cakes | 5 | 3,1 |
| Retail trade of motor vehicle parts and accessories | 5 | 0,2 |
| Retail sale of furniture, lighting equipment and other household articles in specialised stores | 4 | 1,3 |
| Water capture, treatment and distribution | 4 | 0,9 |
| Wholesale of fruit and vegetables | 4 | 0,7 |
| Electricity production | 4 | 0,6 |
| Retail sale of electrical household appliances in specialised stores | 4 | 0,5 |

Number of employed persons by type of entities (public / private)

| Year | No of companies | | No of employees | |
|------|-----------------|---------|-----------------|---------|
| | PUBLIC | PRIVATE | PUBLIC | PRIVATE |
| 2016 | 12 | 281 | 1 343 | 4 731 |
| 2017 | 12 | 317 | 1 340 | 4 798 |
| 2018 | 13 | 358 | 1 332 | 5 046 |
| 2019 | 14 | 367 | 1 463 | 5 343 |
| 2020 | 17 | 420 | 1 523 | 5 165 |

Information on the economical historical background, lost or almost lost industries but with potential to be rehabilitated, past specializations etc. After the Second World War, several enterprises were opened, including the plant for the construction of woodworking machines, wineries, canneries, butter factory, etc.

Production of main industrial products

| Industrial products | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
|---|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Vegetable and fruit juices, thousand liters | 12 170,6 | 22 401,1 | 20 240,5 | 35 208,6 | 14 909,9 |
| Canned vegetables and fruits, tons | 3 694,2 | 4 580,7 | 12 960,5 | 3 262,2 | 5 911,5 |
| Bread and bakery products, tons | 5 505,8 | 5 796,7 | 6 068,3 | 5 202,8 | 5 676,1 |
| Feed ready for animal feed, tons | 28,6 | 95,4 | 6 115,4 | 4 287,7 | 4 656,3 |
| Flour, tons | 3 747,6 | 2 605,2 | 3061 | 3 696,1 | 3 572,5 |
| Caught milk, yogurt, kefir, sour cream and other fermented products, tons | 491 | 565 | 775 | 954 | 903 |
| Milk and cream with a fat content of up to 6%, tons | 950 | 945 | 1 098 | 1 158 | 875 |
| Gravel, pebbles, boulders and flint, thousands of tons | 194,4 | 335 | 542,3 | 437,4 | 491,5 |
| Meat, including poultry, tons | - | - | 61,9 | 296,3 | 466,4 |
| Fresh cheeses, tons | 204 | 438 | 470 | 495 | 425 |
| Butter, tons | 73 | 193 | 137 | 206 | 349 |
| Confectionery, tons | 216,3 | 349,1 | 392,1 | 435,3 | 89 |

TOP 10 employers, 2020

| Company Name | Location | Type of property | No of employees | Field of activity |
|--|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------|--|
| SPITALUL RAIONAL EDINEȚ | Șoseaua Bucovina, str 1 Edinet municipality | Public | 507 | Hospital care activities |
| EDINEȚ-GAZ | Testemitanu N., str 28 Edinet municipality | Privat local | 331 | Distribution of gaseous fuels through mains |
| CENTRUL DE SĂNĂTATE EDINEȚ | Independentei, str 81 Edinet municipality | Public | 326 | General hospital care activities |
| ÎNTRERINDERE PENTRU SILVICULTURĂ EDINEȚ | Șoseaua Bucovina, str 24, Edinet municipality | Public | 232 | Forestry and other forestry activities |
| NATUR BRAVO | Cupcini, Chisinau, str.43 Edine district | Foreign private | 222 | Processing and preserving of fruit and vegetables, except potatoes |
| DRUMURI-EDINEȚ | Independentei, str 179 Edinet municipality | Mixed property (public and private) | 199 | Construction of roads and motorways |
| INLAC | Cupcini, Chișinăului, str.45 Edinet district | Privat local | 194 | Milk and dairy producer |
| CORSAG | Parcova, Edineț district | Privat local | 163 | Construction of roads and motorways |
| COLEGIUL DE MEDICINĂ VETERINARĂ ȘI ECONOMIE AGRARĂ DIN BRĂTUȘENI | Bratuseni, Edineț district | Public | 140 | Secondary, vocational education |
| ASTRA | Cupcini, Eminescu Mihai str., 4 Edinet district | Privat local | 136 | Manufacture of bakery and flour products |

Available resources of agricultural production (yearly harvest in tons)

| Agricultural crops | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
|-------------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Sugar beet | 33 546,8 | 66 519,6 | 38 238,5 | 46 185,6 | 39 028,5 |
| Grain maize | 12 847,6 | 29 915,6 | 47 171,8 | 47 735 | 35 659,5 |
| Sunflower | 19 675,8 | 26 944,9 | 27 459,9 | 28 106,9 | 20 515,9 |
| Wheat - total (winter and spring) | 20 456,6 | 29 798,8 | 26 502,8 | 35 677,9 | 17 156,4 |
| Corn for silage, green mass and hay | 4 603,9 | 5 210,5 | 6 794,1 | 2 699,6 | 4 282,7 |
| Field vegetables | 2 906,3 | 5 662,2 | 4 855 | 4 553,9 | 3 700,5 |
| Potatoes | 8 677,4 | 5 167,3 | 4 115,2 | 3 465,6 | 3 120 |
| Rape - total (winter and spring) | 181 | 3 092,8 | 3 892,5 | 3 160,5 | 2 828,6 |
| Soy | 5 329,2 | 6 270,1 | 7 600,8 | 7 511,4 | 2 796,1 |
| Barley - total (winter and spring) | 4 645,7 | 5 428,4 | 3 864,2 | 4 342,8 | 2 293,5 |
| Leguminous crops - total | 43,5 | 933,4 | 1 429 | 964 | 1 148,7 |
| Oats | 97,8 | 291,3 | 7,9 | 13,7 | 54,2 |
| Food melons and gourds crops | 55,4 | 60 | 15 | 10 | 27,2 |



Animal livestock, capita at 1st January

| Species of animals | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 |
|------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Sheep and goats | 20 327 | 18 633 | 16 404 | 14 610 | 14 463 |
| Rabbits | 7 038 | 7 067 | 7 000 | 6 901 | 7 477 |
| Families of bee-pieces | 5 918 | 5 903 | 6 225 | 6 105 | 7 123 |
| Cattle | 9 847 | 8 799 | 7 772 | 6 610 | 5 789 |
| ..cows | 7 626 | 6 703 | 5 574 | 5 034 | 4 399 |
| Swine | 7 375 | 5 535 | 4 723 | 4 859 | 4 757 |
| Cabaline | 977 | 881 | 807 | 701 | 649 |

Transport of good and passengers

| Transport type | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|-------|
| Transport of goods, thousand tons | 1 399,2 | 1 871,9 | 2 103,7 | 1 924,4 | 1 934 |
| Transport of passengers, thousand passengers | 1 575,3 | 1 613,5 | 1 474 | 1 603,9 | 776,4 |



Investment in long term assets, M EUR

| Year | Investments in long term tangible and intangible assets, total | Intangible assets | Tangible assets | ..dwellingsx residential buildings) | ..non-residential buildings | ..engineering structures | ..machinery and equipment | ..transport means | ..other tangible assets |
|-------|--|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|
| 22017 | 10,4 | 0,2 | 10,2 | 0,04 | 2,7 | 0,5 | 5,9 | 0,5 | 0,6 |
| 2018 | 15,5 | 0,0 | 15,5 | 0,04 | 3,5 | 1 | 9,6 | 0,8 | 0,5 |
| 2019 | 13,9 | 0,04 | 13,9 | 0,1 | 2,7 | 1,9 | 7,2 | 1,1 | 0,9 |
| 2020 | 13,4 | 0,02 | 13,4 | 0,3 | 2,7 | 0,9 | 7,5 | 1,7 | 0,3 |

Total district population by age and gender, inhabitants

| District population | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | Share in total district population, 2018 (%) |
|----------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--|
| TOTAL | 80 290 | 79 721 | 79 160 | |
| Males | 38 109 | 37 850 | 37 658 | 40,6% |
| Females | 42 181 | 41 871 | 41 502 | 44,7% |
| Under working age (0-15) | | | | 14,7% |
| Males | 6 797 | 6 749 | 6 688 | 7,2% |
| Females | 6 950 | 6 934 | 6 930 | 7,5% |
| Of working age (16-56/61) | | | | 50,0% |
| Males | 25 130 | 24 843 | 24 642 | 26,6% |
| Females | 22 525 | 22 08 | 21 709 | 23,4% |
| Over working age (57/62+) | | | | 21,4% |
| Males | 6 182 | 6 258 | 6 328 | 6,8% |
| Females | 13 246 | 13 429 | 13 566 | 14,6% |

Qualification structure, total NDR, thousand persons

| | | 2019 | 2020 |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|-------|-------|
| Active | Level of education - total | 271,7 | 261,5 |
| | Higher | 48,4 | 54,7 |
| | Secondary specialized | 45,0 | 42,0 |
| | Secondary professional | 63,4 | 58,2 |
| | Secondary school | 55,8 | 50,2 |
| | Gymnasium | 56,6 | 54,6 |
| Employed | Primary or no education | 2,5 | 1,8 |
| | Level of education - total | 260,1 | 251,1 |
| | Higher | 47,7 | 53,9 |
| | Secondary specialized | 44,3 | 40,6 |
| | Secondary professional | 59,6 | 55,1 |
| | Secondary school | 53,3 | 48,4 |
| Unemployed | Gymnasium | 53,0 | 51,7 |
| | Primary or no education | 2,2 | 1,4 |
| | Level of education - total | 11,6 | 0,3 |
| | Higher | 0,7 | 0,8 |
| | Secondary specialized | 0,7 | 1,3 |
| | Secondary professional | 3,7 | 3,2 |
| Secondary school | 2,5 | 1,8 | |
| Gymnasium | 3,6 | 3,0 | |
| Primary or no education | 0,4 | 0,4 | |

Number of employed persons

Employed population by economic activities, 2019-2020

| | 2019 | 2020 |
|--|---------|-------|
| Economic activities – Total | 6 949 7 | 099 |
| A Agriculture, forestry and fishing | 1 708 | 1 668 |
| G Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles | 1 288 | 1 247 |
| C Manufacturing | 1 183 | 1 203 |
| Q Human health and social work activities | 834 | 844 |
| F Construction | 502 | 542 |
| H Transportation and storage | 268 | 366 |
| D Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply | 345 | 348 |
| E Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities | 213 | 223 |
| P Education | 141 | 206 |
| B Mining and quarrying | 168 | 171 |
| I Accommodation and food service activities | 104 | 73 |
| L Real estate activities | 66 | 60 |
| N Administrative and support service activities | 44 | 56 |
| J Information and communication | 33 | 36 |
| S Other service activities | 18 | 21 |
| K Financial and insurance activities | 13 | 14 |
| M Professional, scientific and technical activities | 9 | 12 |
| R Arts, entertainment and recreation | 12 | 9 |

Education and number of students by specialties

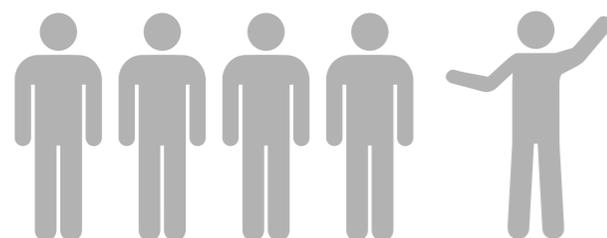
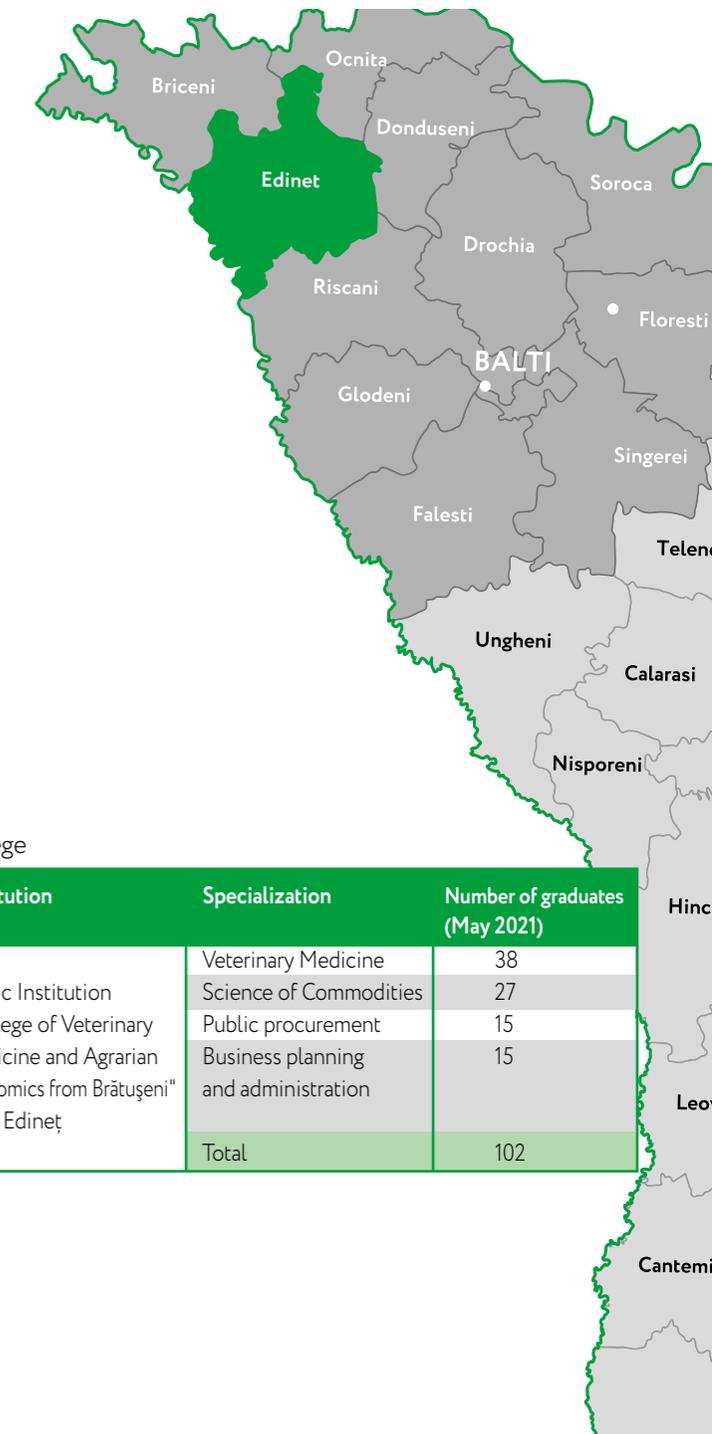
Vocational School

| Institution | Specialization | Number of graduates (May 2021) |
|----------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Vocational School, Cupcini | Confectioner | 22 |
| | Computer Support Operator | 20 |
| | Automotive Mechanic | 24 |
| | Cook – Waiter | 24 |
| | Electric and Gas welding workers | 12 |
| | Bodywork recovering locksmith | 18 |
| | Total | 120 |

College

| Institution | Specialization | Number of graduates (May 2021) |
|---|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Public Institution "College of Veterinary Medicine and Agrarian Economics from Brătușeni" form Edineț | Veterinary Medicine | 38 |
| | Science of Commodities | 27 |
| | Public procurement and administration | 15 |
| | Business planning and administration | 15 |
| | Total | 102 |

There are no Universities in Edinet District.



Cost of utilities in district center

| Utility | Unit value | Cost per unit value (EUR) |
|--------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| Electricity | Kw/h | · 6; 10 kV - 0,09 · 0,4 kV- 0,13 |
| Water & sewerage | m3 | · 2,36 · 2,23 |
| Gas | 1000 m3 | · high pressure 616,4 · medium pressure 632,6 · low pressure 714,4 |
| Telephone landline | Monthly fee/local unlimited | 7,6 |
| Internet | | 14,71 (20 Mbps)- 353,07 (1Gbps) |



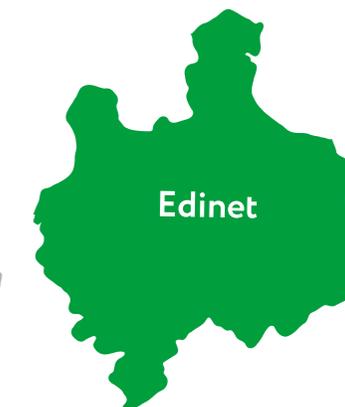
Major cultural events

| Cultural event | Date | Location | Description | Public holiday, yes/no |
|---|-------------|--------------|--|------------------------|
| New Year | 1 January | city/village | | yes |
| Christmas | 7-8 January | city/village | | yes |
| City Day | January | city | A public and religious holiday celebrating the patron saint of the city. | yes |
| International Women's Day | 8 March | city/village | | yes |
| Easter | April-May | city/village | | yes |
| Parent's Day | April-May | city/village | | yes |
| Labor Day | 1 May | city/village | | yes |
| Victory Day | 9 May | city/village | | yes |
| Folklore Festival for educational institutions in Edineț district | May | village | The festival promotes Moldovan traditions and folklore. | no |
| Independence Day | 27 August | city | Independence Day is a national holiday in the Republic of Moldova commemorating the Declaration of Independence of the country, on August 27, 1991. | yes |
| National Language Day | 31 August | city | The National Language Day is a national holiday celebrating the proclamation of the Romanian Language as the official language of the state, on August 31, 1989. | yes |
| Made by Edineț "Augustiniada" | August | city | An exhibition where farmers, craftsmen and clothing designers promote their products. | no |
| The "Golden Basket" Agricultural Fair | September | city | The festival brings together local agricultural producers, who have the opportunity to present their products. | no |
| Exhibition "The last leaf" | October | city | An exhibition where local companies present and promote their products. | no |
| Christmas | 25 December | city/village | | yes |

Tourism, leisure and cultural infrastructure

The main tourist attractions:

1. Fetești Gorge;
2. "La Castel" landscape reservation, Gordinești village;
3. Burlănești Gorge;
4. Brânzeni Caves;
5. Prutului, Trinca village;
6. The Monastery dedicated to the "Birth of the Lord", Zăbriceni village;
7. The park and the residence of the Romanian Bessarabian boyar Vasile Stroiescu.



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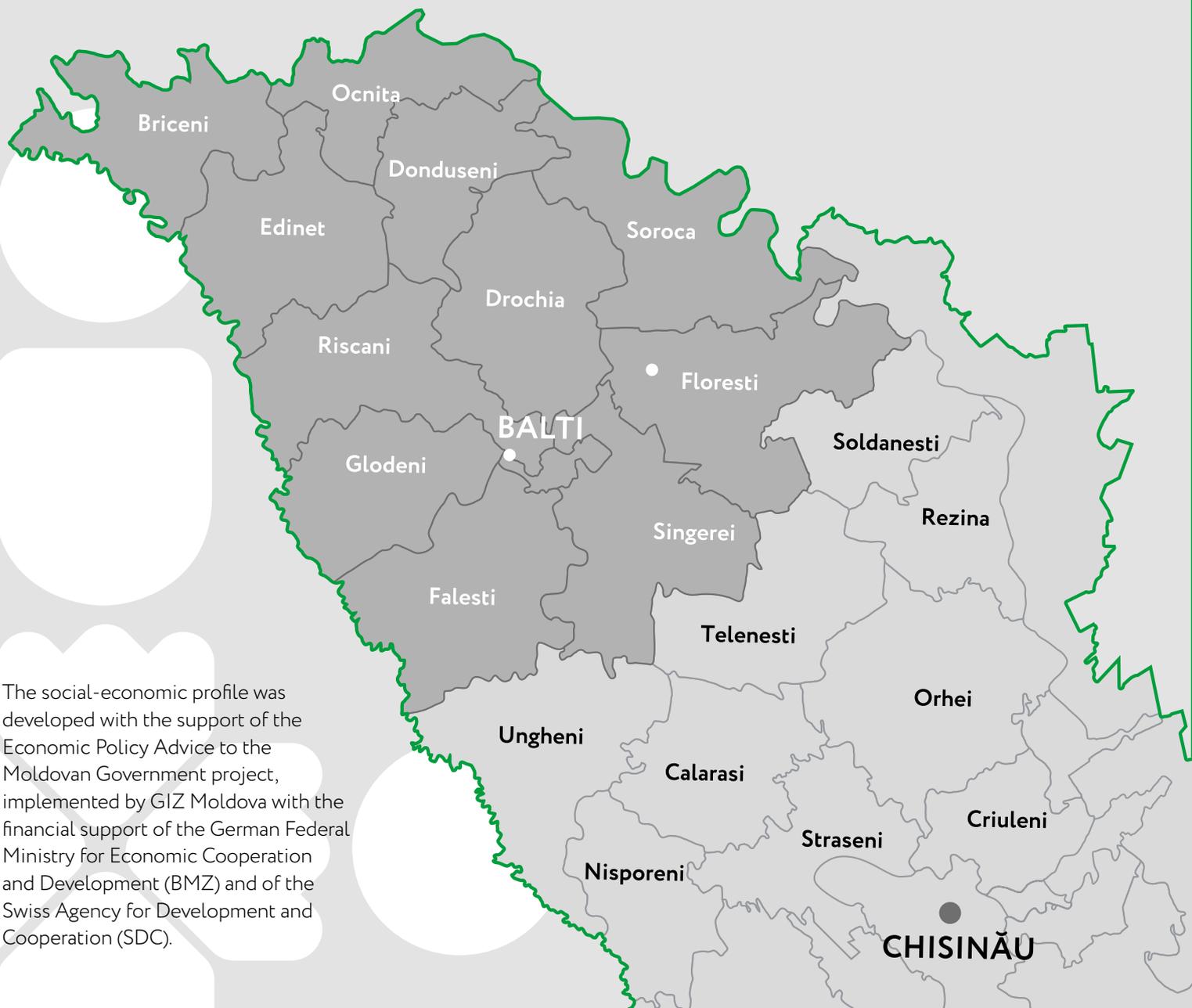
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