

# News From Ukraine



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## From Bohdan

The appearance of intervals between rocket and drone attacks is increasing in duration. I think it's pretty clear that the rashists either have a shortage or planning attacks is taking more time than before. However, given that the rashists continue to primarily target civilians and civilian infrastructure its probable they are running out of rockets.

Republican Plan for Victory in Ukraine (Courtesy of Hans Petter Midttun, Non-Resident Fellow, Centre of Defense Strategies)

"The plan was published on 15 November less than a month after Biden requested \$105 Billion Aid Package for Israel, Ukraine and other crises. The plan intended to address critical issues in relation to the US and its allies' support for UKR and to set out a victory plan in which UKR wins and RUS loses."

"Biden's mantra of supporting UKR 'for as long as it takes' is a losing strategy, the report said. "Instead, President Biden should present a credible plan for victory and arm UKR with the weapons it needs to win as soon as possible". "Since the first day of the war, Biden's debilitating hesitation to provide critical weapons to Ukraine has delayed a Ukrainian victory". UKR needs the longest-range variant of ATACMS (not the 160 km it was given), F-16, and sufficient quantities of cluster munitions, artillery, air defences, and armour to make a difference on the battlefield. "This delay is costing UKR lives and the American taxpayer," the report stresses."

“The authors believe that UKR path to victory requires "(1) providing critical weapons to Ukraine at the speed of relevance, (2) tightening sanctions on the Putin regime, and (3) transferring frozen RUS sovereign assets to UKR." "Defeating Putin in UKR now will prevent a RUS invasion of a NATO ally, which would be immeasurably more costly in terms of American blood and treasure," the report says.”

“As a percentage of GDP, the US ranks just 30th in total assistance to UKR, with Poland, the Baltic states, the UK, Norway, and others contributing more in terms of this metric. In terms of security assistance by GDP, the US ranks 14th." Support for UKR is not "charity", the press release added.”

“All good .... except for the fact that the Republicans are still blocking the \$105 billion aid package as Ukraine is running low on air defence systems and artillery shells. And except for them turning what could have become a bipartisan strategy into an internal political fight. What they see as "Biden's failings" the world sees as a failed US strategy. Their handling of facts is questionable at the best as the US under both Obama, Trump and Biden has failed to help rebuild UKR deterrence. Biden has mended the transatlantic link that Trump tore down.”

“The Trump administration in Feb 2020 negotiated an agreement with the Taliban that excluded the Afghan government, freed 5,000 imprisoned Taliban soldiers and set a date of May 1, 2021, for the final withdrawal. Biden was left to sort out the mess. The withdrawal did not - as the Republicans claim - motivate RUS to invade UKR.”

“That motivation arrived as a consequence of a failed US and European strategy since 2007. Years of US infighting. Discord within the EU. Brexit. A historical weak NATO. And not least, a collective failure to support UKR during the first 8 years of the war.”

<https://lnkd.in/d22FyhAU> (link to the report)

There are Republicans in both Houses of Congress who support Ukraine's victory, a word that we haven't heard to any great degree from the Biden Administration. Yet, as Midttun points out, these Republicans are being held hostage by a wing of their Party that does not support any assistance to Ukraine. Until the authors of this report force their colleagues to effectively "go sit in a corner," the entire Republican Party will be seen as isolationist and wanting to walk away from Ukraine.

### Sen. J.D. Vance (R-Ohio) and Kim Jong Un

There have been increasingly credible reports that North Korea is testing their short-range, nuclear capable, ballistic missiles in Ukraine. Is this evidence going to be enough to wake up Sen. J.D. Vance and House Speaker Mike Johnson, and agree to divorce funding for Ukraine and Israel from policy issues that apply to our border with Mexico? One is largely a domestic issue; the other is, increasingly, a national security issue. Until such an agreement is reached, Sen. J.D. Vance and Kim Jong Un are fellow travelers, our national security is compromised as a result, and Ukrainians are the victims.

["Tax Dollars Tossed into the Sky"](#)/Peter Fedynsky, "The Hill"

"Fedynsky is a retired 34-year veteran of the Voice of America. He served in various capacities, including VOA Moscow Bureau Chief and host of "Window on America," a weekly Ukrainian Service TV news magazine that has aired nationwide in Ukraine since January 1993."

Some excerpts:

- "Twelve miles south of Sen. JD Vance's (R-Ohio) birthplace of Middletown, Ohio, is a place where billions of taxpayer dollars sailed virtually into the clear blue sky for more than 50 years. That place is the Voice of America's Bethany Relay Station, an array of short-wave antennas that beamed radio signals to overseas listeners, first to Nazi Germany and then to captive nations behind the Iron Curtain."

- “The Cold War continued to divert American resources to the tune of an estimated \$25 trillion (in 2023 dollars) over 50 years for the military, arms, intelligence, foreign aid, proxy wars, diplomacy and soft power to contain Moscow. Over the years, billions were spent on the Voice even as the USSR spent even more on antennas across 11 time zones to jam its signals.”
- “Vance’s immediate predecessor, retired GOP Sen. [Rob Portman](#), put it more succinctly at the [Cleveland City Club](#) on Nov. 17, 2023: “Remember — during World War II, we almost didn’t join. What if we hadn’t? The world would be a very different place. Everybody in Europe would be speaking German.””
- “Putin has called the demise of the Soviet Union “the greatest catastrophe of the 20th century.” Significantly, he does not lament the collapse of communism, but of the Russian Empire. In another irony, all but state media in Russia are blocked and **the Kremlin uses modern technology and American press freedoms to spread disinformation in the United States.**” (my emphasis)
- “Vance, as an [outspoken critic of aid to Ukraine](#), should care enough about America to inquire why he should care about that nation. If America is to be great again, he must weigh past precedents against future prospects — demographic, financial, strategic and moral. **But how can he, who has yet to meet with his constituents in one of America’s largest Ukrainian communities**, much less to visit Ukraine with a CODEL? **Has he spoken with his predecessor, Portman, who was co-chair of the Senate Ukraine Caucus and visited that country 13 times as senator?** Bethany might be a good place for Vance to ponder the long-term cost of not funding Ukraine. Portman hails from Cincinnati. (my emphasis)

### [Russian Propaganda Film](#)

Russian children ready to die for “Uncle Vova.” (that would be Putin)

When I watched this, I couldn’t help thinking of an exchange between Daria Kaleniuk, a Ukrainian anti-corruption activist, and American National Security Adviser Jake Sullivan, [at an event on the sidelines of last year’s](#)

[NATO meeting in Vilnius](#). Kaleniuk asked Sullivan what she should tell her 11-year-old son, about the reluctance of the Biden Administration to provide Ukraine with the weapons it was asking for, when Ukraine was asking for them, and the resulting increasing possibility of Daria's son one day having to fight for his country. Sullivan's facial expression when Daria was asking her question speaks volumes. Sullivan gave a very defensive answer, where he even indirectly criticized Daria for bring up the subject of her son. Perhaps Jake Sullivan, the rest of the Biden Administration, and Sen. J.D. Vance and his ilk can do both the young Russians in the video and Daria's son, by providing Ukraine with the weapons it needs to achieve victory over Russia, and at the same time put the expression "for as long as it takes" where it belongs.

### News From the Battlefield

The "[Latest Denys](#)" covers the fighting in the north, where Ukraine took back some territory. At 6 minutes into his video, he also mentions a recent article in the New York Times, entitled "[U.S. Military Aid to Ukraine Was Poorly Tracked, Pentagon Report Says](#)." The article focuses on equipment, such as anti-tank missiles, and night-vision equipment that, because of their size and quantity, are inherently difficult to track. The article also states "the number of weapons reviewed in the report represents only a small fraction of about \$50 billion in military equipment that the United States has sent Ukraine since 201," and "It (the report) did not investigate whether any weapons had been diverted for illicit use, which "was beyond the scope of our evaluation to determine," it noted." The report also stated that the weapons covered in the report represents only a very small fraction of the total U.S. military assistance to Ukraine. No matter. I assume that Sen. J.D. Vance will be on the case.

This article reminds me of the famous letter that the Duke of Wellington wrote to the British Foreign Office during the Peninsular Campaign –

Gentlemen,

Whilst marching from Portugal to a position which commands the approach to Madrid and the French forces, my officers have been diligently complying with your requests which have been sent by H.M. ship from London to Lisbon and thence by dispatch to our headquarters.

We have enumerated our saddles, bridles, tents and tent poles, and all manner of sundry items for which His Majesty's Government holds me accountable. I have dispatched reports on the character, wit, and spleen of every officer. Each item and every farthing has been accounted for, with two regrettable exceptions for which I beg your indulgence.

Unfortunately the sum of one shilling and ninepence remains unaccounted for in one infantry battalion's petty cash and there has been a hideous confusion as the number of jars of raspberry jam issued to one cavalry regiment during a sandstorm in western Spain. This reprehensible carelessness may be related to the pressure of circumstance, since we are war with France, a fact which may come as a bit of a surprise to you gentlemen in Whitehall.

This brings me to my present purpose, which is to request elucidation of my instructions from His Majesty's Government so that I may better understand why I am dragging an army over these barren plains. I construe that perforce it must be one of two alternative duties, as given below. I shall pursue either one with the best of my ability, but I cannot do both:

1. To train an army of uniformed British clerks in Spain for the benefit of the accountants and copy-boys in London or perchance.
2. To see to it that the forces of Napoleon are driven out of Spain.

Your most obedient servant,

Wellington

1/12/2024 Sitrep

**SITUATION UPDATE OF THE GENERAL STAFF OF UKRAINIAN ARMED FORCES JANUARY 11, 2024**

During the day of January 11, there were 64x combat engagements. The enemy launched a total of 3x air strikes and 16x MLRS attacks at the positions of Ukrainian troops and various settlements.

More than 130x settlements in Chernihiv, Sumy, Kharkiv, Luhansk, Donetsk, Zaporizhzhia, Dnipropetrovsk, Kherson, and Mykolaiv oblasts came under artillery fire.

**Sivershchyna and Slobozhanshchyna axes:** the adversary maintains its military presence in the areas of Russia bordering Ukraine. The enemy troops conduct active subversive activities in order to prevent the deployment of Ukrainian troops to threatened axes. The adversary increases the density of minefields along the state border in Belgorod oblast (Russia).

**Khortytsia operational-strategic group, Kupyansk axis:** Ukrainian defenders repelled 2x enemy attacks near Synkivka (Kharkiv oblast).

**Lyman axis:** the Ukrainian defenders repelled 6x attacks of the occupiers in the vicinities of Makiivka (Luhansk oblast) and east of Terny (Donetsk oblast).

**Bakhmut axis:** the Ukrainian troops repelled 1x attack of the adversary near Klishchiivka (Donetsk oblast).

**Tavria operational-strategic group, Avdiivka axis:** the Ukrainian defenders continue to hold back the enemy who keeps trying to encircle Avdiivka. The Ukrainian soldiers are standing their ground and inflicting major losses on the invaders. For instance, the Ukrainian Defense Forces repelled 10x enemy attacks near Novobakhmutivka, Stepove, Avdiivka, and 17x more attacks near Pervomaiske and Nevelske (Donetsk oblast).

**Maryinka axis:** the Ukrainian Defense Forces continue to hold back the occupiers in the vicinities of Heorhiivka, Maryinka, and Novomykhailivka (Donetsk oblast). The Ukrainian troops repelled 13x attacks in that area.

**Zaporizhzhia axis:** the Ukrainian Defense Forces repelled 3x attacks of the adversary west of Verbove (Zaporizhzhia oblast).

**Odesa operational-strategic group, Kherson axis:** During the day of January 11, the adversary made 3x unsuccessful assaults on the positions of the Ukrainian Defense Forces.

During the day of January 11, the Ukrainian Air Force launched air strikes on 2x concentrations of enemy troops.

The Ukrainian missile troops hit 2x concentrations of troops, weapons, and military equipment, 1x command post, and 1x ammunition depot of the Russian invaders.

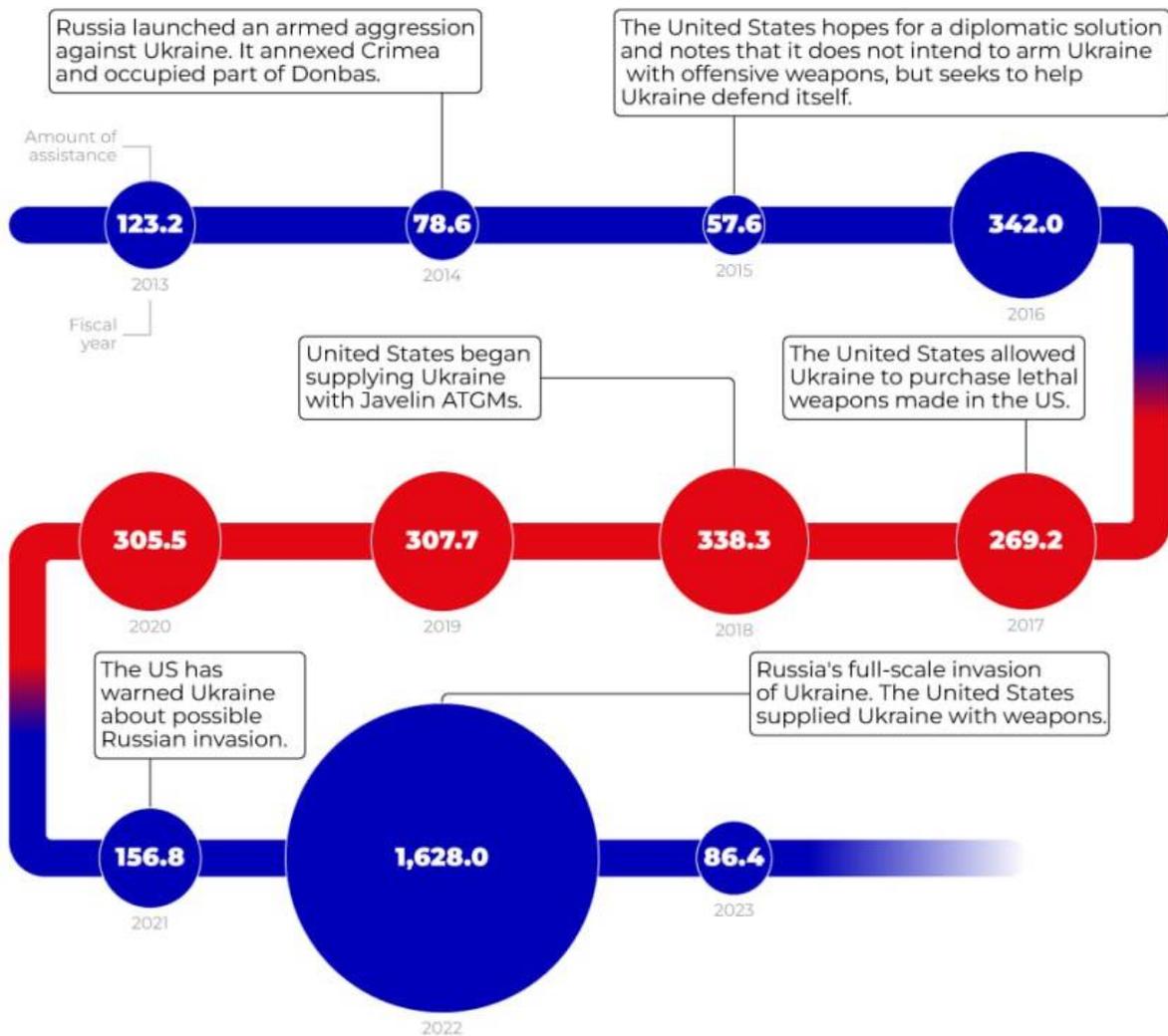
# ASSISTANCE TO UKRAINE: DEMOCRATS VS REPUBLICANS

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Many Ukrainians are worried about the possibility of the Republicans coming to power in the United States, but the Republicans have supported Ukraine for a long time and provided military assistance.

## US assistance to Ukraine in the sector of "Conflict, Peace, and Security", USD mln

US presidents: ■ Democratic Party ■ Republican Party



Source: ForeignAssistance.gov. Data as of January 2024.

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INTERNATIONAL

8:00 AM: Parliament of Italy approved resolution about military support of Ukraine.

8:00 AM: 29 Ukrainians were denied evacuation from the Gaza Strip due to cooperation with Hamas.

8:00 AM: The Finnish government confirmed its intention to keep the border with the Russian Federation closed.

8:20 AM: Volodymyr Zelensky arrived in Estonia.

- The head of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Estonia, Margus Tsahkna, announced this on X (Twitter).

10:10 AM: NATO members Turkey, Romania and Bulgaria join forces to search for mines in the Black Sea, Bloomberg.

- These efforts are aimed at increasing the safety of shipping and supporting the vital export of Ukrainian grain.

10:39 AM: The President of Estonia published a photo from the meeting with Volodymyr Zelenskyi.

- "Today is a very special day, we welcome the President of Ukraine Volodymyr Zelenskyi to Estonia. Our strong friendship is based on common values, the ideals we strive for are always democracy and freedom", wrote Alar Karis on his Twitter page (X).

11:13 AM Bloomberg: The administration of US President Joe Biden has supported a bill that would allow the confiscation of nearly \$300 billion in frozen Russian assets and send these funds to the reconstruction of Ukraine.

- It is noted that the White House wants to coordinate this step with allies from the "Big Seven" (G7), in particular in Europe, where about \$200 billion of frozen assets of the Russian Federation are kept.

11:44 AM: Estonia will provide Ukraine with €1.2 billion in aid until 2027, the Estonian president said at a press conference in Tallinn.

- "We will call on the whole world to help Ukraine in freedom and democracy", added Alar Karsi.

2:35 PM: Estonia opposes restrictions on strikes against Russia with weapons given to Ukraine by Western partners, Estonian President Alar Karis said.

2:59 PM: Minister of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine Dmytro Kuleba will meet with his Hungarian counterpart Peter Siyarto in Uzhgorod on January 29, said the spokesman of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs Oleg Nikolenko.

- Among the key topics will be the discussion of the organization of the meeting between Volodymyr Zelenskyi and Hungarian Prime Minister Viktor Orban.

4:33 PM: Volodymyr Zelenskyi arrived on an official visit to Latvia, — Delfi.

- The president's plane has already landed at the local Riga airport.

5:04 PM: With the support of the Japanese government, 25 hospitals in the Mykolaiv, Kyiv, Sumy, Dnipropetrovsk, Kirovohrad and Cherkasy regions will receive medical equipment during January, — Ministry of Health.

- " \_This is equipment of various types of purpose, including: portable ultrasound devices, defibrillators, syringe pumps, patient monitors, generators, etc. In total, the equipment was purchased for UAH 14 million, and it is currently being transported to the hospital\_," the message says.

6:24 PM: Latvia will hand over a new package of military aid to Ukraine, the country's president, Edgars Rinkevičs, announced.

- The package will contain howitzers, ammunition, anti-tank weapons, missiles, all-terrain vehicles, grenades, helicopters, drones, communication devices, generators and equipment.
- An agreement on military cooperation between the countries was also signed, in particular, regarding the production of drones.

6:29 PM: Funds from the House of Moscow in Riga will be transferred to Ukraine.

- This was announced by Latvian President Edgars Rinkevičs at a press conference in Riga after a meeting with the President of Ukraine.

7:13 PM: Volodymyr Zelenskyi answered at a press conference in Latvia whether the war could end this year.

- The President emphasizes that fulfilling the conditions for joining the EU takes a lot of energy and resources. Although Ukraine could not do this, because by fighting, it protects the entire European Union as well.

8:41 PM: Pentagon says officials in Washington and Europe failed to provide prompt report on 40,000 weapons given to Ukraine - The New York Times

- The agency failed to report on the shipment of almost 40,000 units of military goods: night vision drones, MANPADS and night vision devices. Now officials fear that the weapons could have been stolen or given to smugglers before they arrived in Ukraine.
- However, the Pentagon's inspector general does not have any evidence of improper use of the transferred weapons in Ukraine.

8:57 PM: 12 planes and 26 helicopters were destroyed by the Ukrainian Air Defense Forces in a day with the means provided by the partners.

- This was announced by Volodymyr Zelenskyi at a meeting with representatives of the Baltic mass media.

9:20 PM: By the words "26 helicopters per day", the president most likely meant the strikes on Luhansk and Berdyansk airfields by ATACMS missiles on October 18.

- As for the destruction of 12 planes at a time, it is probably about the strike on the airfield in Saki, but Ukraine did not name the weapon with which it was hit there.

10:08 PM: The World Bank mobilizes \$1 billion for Ukraine, Reuters reports.

- International Finance Corp (IFC) Managing Director Makhtar Diop said that approximately \$620 million of the funds raised for Ukraine are part of a \$2 billion package announced in December 2022. They come from the investment division's own balance sheet.
- And another 360 million dollars will be attracted thanks to external financing.

11:06 PM: A 2.4-magnitude earthquake was recorded in North Korea near its nuclear test site, Yonhap News Agency reports.

11:06 PM: The Iranian military seized the St Nikolas oil tanker in the Gulf of Oman yesterday morning. The vessel under the flag of the Marshall Islands was transporting Iraqi crude oil to Turkey, Reuters reports.

11:06 PM: Israeli intelligence agencies foiled terrorist attacks planned by two suspected supporters of the Islamic State (ISIS) from East Jerusalem. This is reported by the Times of Israel.

## NATIONAL

7:37 AM: People's Deputy Maryana Bezugla wrote a statement to leave the Servant of the People faction and party, she announced on Facebook.

- At the same time, Bezugla remains the majority deputy of Obolon district.

12:13 PM: The SBI seized the property of the Hrynkevich family and controlled campaigns, Ukrainian Internet blogger Ihor Lachenkov.

- Law enforcement agencies reported that they seized real estate, premium cars, and accounts of companies controlled by him.
- According to the experts' conclusions, all products supplied by Hrynkevich's companies in 2023 do not meet the quality characteristics and are not possible for use by the Armed Forces.

1:19 PM: The bill on mobilization is returned for revision.

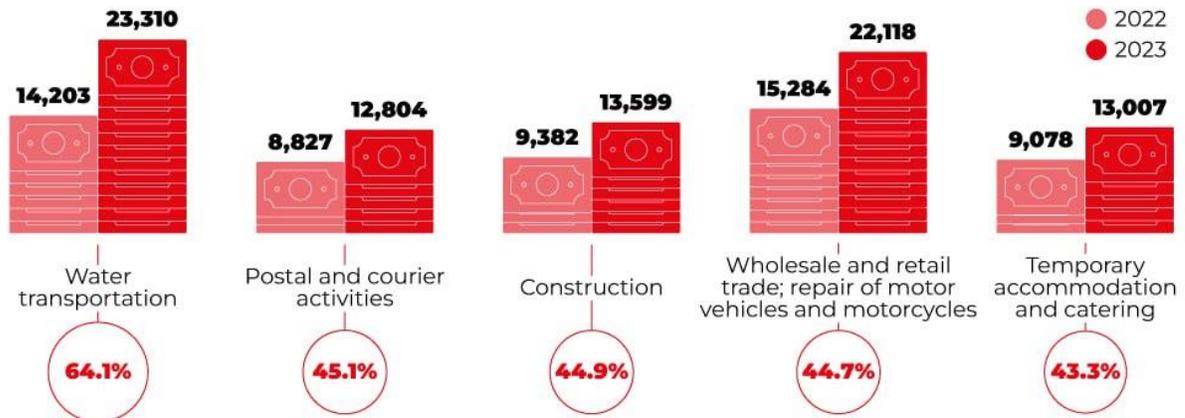
- This was announced by the head of the "Servant of the People" faction, David Arahamia.
- \_"There were many discussions. We understand the request of the military command and are ready to meet it. But not all norms can be supported. Some provisions directly violate human rights, some are not optimally formulated. This was openly told to the military command. According to the results of the meeting, the draft law is returned to the initiator. At the same time, we are passing on the proposals developed at the committee and in the working groups," said Arahamiya.

# SALARIES IN UKRAINE INCREASED BY 23% IN 2023

Although salaries grew across the economy last year, and there was not a single industry that saw a drop, it should be understood that this was possible only thanks to the support of our partners.



## Industries with the highest salary growth and salaries in these industries, UAH



Source: State Statistics Service of Ukraine.

The latest data is available for the third quarter of 2023.

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2:02 PM: A collection of signatures for the resignation of Speaker Ruslan Stefanchuk has been initiated in the Verkhovna Rada, — media.

- 10 deputies have already signed up.

3:10 PM: More than 10,200 civilians have been killed and more than 19,300 injured since the start of the full-scale Russian invasion of Ukraine.

- This is stated in the report of the director of the UN Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs, Edem Vosorunu.

3:26 PM: "Grain Corridor" reached its pre-war capacity, Dmytro Pletenchuk, spokesman for the Navy of the Armed Forces of Ukraine, said.

- Ukraine has already crossed the limit of 500 ships and more than 10 million tons of cargo.

3:44 PM: Ukraine has increased the production of drones, including FPV drones, Ukrainian Foreign Minister Dmytro Kuleba said.

- In particular, he is working on increasing production with allies.

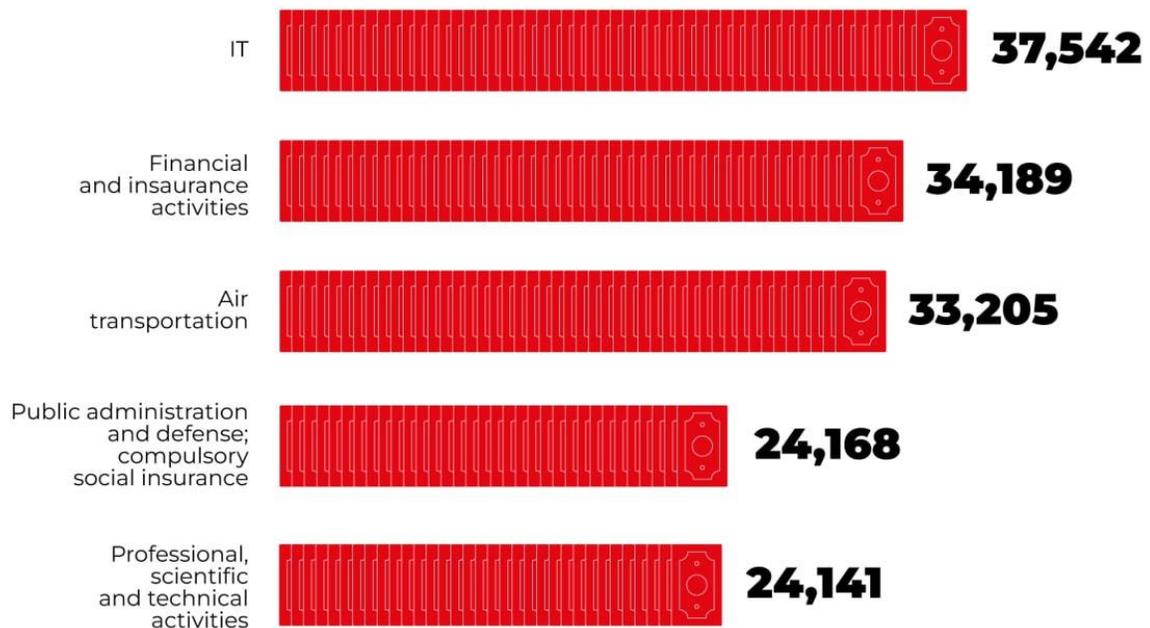
4:01 PM: The government voted to withdraw the bill on mobilization, People's Deputy Yaroslav Zhelezniak said.

# THE HIGHEST SALARIES IN UKRAINE IN 2023

RESULTS OF  
2023

Statistics show that, on average, the highest salaries in Ukraine are paid not to government officials or military personnel, but to IT industry professionals.

## Average salary, Q3 2023, UAH



Source: State Statistics Service of Ukraine.

The latest data is available for the third quarter of 2023.

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4:12 PM: The head of the NAZK, Oleksandr Novikov, drew up a protocol regarding the Prime Minister of Ukraine, Denys Shmyhal.

- He illegally disclosed information about the whistleblower, which became known to him in connection with the performance of official duties.

5:47 PM: CS "Vidsich" trains Ukrainian defenders with the support of Favbet

- The participants of "Vidsich" undergo regular educational and training courses and in a few weeks learn the rules of personal safety of a

serviceman, as well as the technical characteristics and features of the use of various types of weapons, the rules of handling weapons, the practical use of firearms from different positions and in different conditions, hand-to-hand combat and self-defense, etc.

6:07 PM: NABU and SAP exposed a scheme of embezzlement of state electricity by a company related to Kolomoiskyi — press service of NABU.

- According to the investigation, in March 2022 "United Energy" LLC purchased electricity worth more than UAH 716 million from PJSC "NEC" Ukrenergo. The funds in the accounts of the companies involved in the scheme were seized.

6:47 PM: The Ministry of Defense has already prepared a new version of the bill on mobilization, taking into account all recommendations, Defense Minister Rustem Umyerov said.

- He added that the document is ready to be submitted to the Cabinet of Ministers for approval.

7:00 PM: A unified video surveillance platform for people's safety is being created in Ukraine, Prime Minister Denys Shmyhal announced at a government meeting.

- "Out of more than 50,000 available video cameras, more than 8,000 have already been integrated, and this work is constantly ongoing," the prime minister emphasized.

7:25 PM: Summary of the General Staff of the Armed Forces of Ukraine as of 18:00 on January 11:

- During the day, 56 combat clashes took place. In total, during the day, the enemy carried out 3 airstrikes and carried out 16 attacks from the anti-aircraft guns on the positions of our troops and populated areas.
- Aviation of the Defense Forces struck 2 areas of concentration of enemy personnel.
- Units of the missile forces struck 2 areas of concentration of personnel, weapons and military equipment, 1 command post and 1 ammunition warehouse of the enemy.

7:45 PM: The Prosecutor General's Office received the first evidence that Russia launched North Korean-made missiles at Ukraine.

- This was announced by the Prosecutor General of Ukraine Andriy Kostin.
- Currently, a comprehensive examination is underway, which should finally confirm this fact.

11:30 PM: The Air Force reports a threat of enemy attack UAVs from the south.

- Repulse the threat.

11:51 PM: Scout Roman Kashpur from Vinnytsia, who lost a leg in the war, showed how he is preparing for the Tokyo marathon.

- As a result of an anti-personnel mine explosion in Donbas, a man lost parts of his leg. Roman has already run three big marathons on a prosthetic right leg. And now he plans to run a 42 km marathon in Tokyo in support of prosthetics and rehabilitation of wounded soldiers with severe injuries and amputations.

## **MORDOR – ruZZia**

7:46 AM: U near Moscow'eat at night was burning polymeric institution: area fire exceeded 8000 sq.m.

- The plant is part of a holding that is under Ukrainian sanctions due to the production of materials for special footwear, helmets, body armor, etc.

8:00 AM: The share of Russian-origin aluminum stocks on hand in UK warehouses rose to 90.4% in December from 78.8% in November.

9:35 PM: In the Russian city of Belgorod, public transport stops have begun to be reinforced with concrete blocks and sandbags.

10:52 PM: Explosions are heard in Belgorod, local social networks report.

## **REGIONS**

### **KYIV**



12:47 PM: The blue branch of the metro in Kyiv may be opened in 2, 3, or even 5 years, — the head of the Transformation Office

- Maksym Bakhmatov stated that the tunnel is an emergency, it cannot be repaired, and a new one must be built.

10:26 PM: Bad weather is raging in Kyiv. The explosions that Kyivites could hear are thunder.

## CHERNIHIV



2:20 PM: Russian DRG in Chernihiv region shot a civilian car. A man died as a result of the attack - "Suspilne".

- As Serhii Serhienko, head of the Novgorod-Siverska RVA, reported, the incident occurred between the villages of Gremyachka and Leonivka of the Semenivska hromad.

## KHARKIV



12:14 AM: the Russians hit two missiles near the Park Hotel in the center of Kharkiv, RMA head Oleg Sinegubov said.

- It is known about 10 victims. Among them are journalists of a Turkish publication who lived in the hotel.

7:38 AM: Russians inflicted blow by Kyivskiyi district Kharkiv rockets systems S-300. It is known about 11 victims, — RMA.

- As a result of the shelling, the building of the hotel complex, where more than 30 civilians were at the time of the attack, was damaged. Several cars also caught fire.

8:34 AM: The number of victims in the center of Kharkiv has increased to 12, reported Kharkiv Region Police Chief Volodymyr Tymoshko.

- According to updated information, as of now, 13 people have been injured, — the State Emergency Service.

5:29 PM: The Russian army continues its offensive in the Kupyan, Lyman and Bakhmut directions, the commander of the Ground Forces of the Armed Forces of Ukraine Oleksandr Syrskyi said.

- According to him, Ukrainian soldiers are firmly holding the defensive lines and inflicting significant losses on the Russians.

10:35 PM: The Air Force reports that there is a threat of ballistic weapons being used in Kharkiv.

- And there is also activity of enemy tactical aviation in the eastern and south-eastern directions.

## DONETSK



6:41 PM: Explosions rang out in temporarily occupied Donetsk, - local channels.

## DONETSK



11:26 PM: A group of people who kept 50 people in labor slavery were detained in Dnipro, Prosecutor General's Office.

- Under the guise of a rehabilitation center, four Dnipro people fraudulently recruited displaced persons and socially vulnerable citizens who did not have a home.
- Documents and means of communication were taken from people and they were moved to a house with inadequate conditions, where they were forced to work without pay in the most difficult agricultural and construction work.

## KHERSON



12:59 PM: the Russians killed a resident of Ivanovka, the head of the Kherson RMA Oleksandr Prokudin said.

- As a result of Russian shelling, one of the residential buildings in the settlement was destroyed.

3:53 PM: RMA Chairman Oleksandr Prokudin published the consequences of today's Russian shelling of residential buildings in Kherson.

- The injured 87-year-old Kherson woman was taken to the hospital. The condition of the victim is moderate.

## VISUAL CHRONOLOGY OF REGIONAL ROCKET, DRONE, ARTILLERY, MORTAR AND BOMB ALARMS



1:42 AM



10:35 PM

Comparing Soviet invasion of Afghanistan to Russian invasion of Ukraine using Wikipedia and Ukraine Ministry of Defense Daily Bulletins. Soviet and Russian military losses not including captured equipment.

	Soviet Afghanistan	Jan 6	Jan 8	Jan 9	Jan 10	Jan 11
Duration	9 years and 9 months	After 672 days	After 674 days	After 675 days	After 676 days	After 677 days
Military Personnel Liquidated	14,453	364,730	365,990	366,790	367,620	368,460

Material Losses

Tanks	147	6022	6036	6038	6050	6060
Armored Personnel Carriers	1,314	11,180	11,203	11,216	11,238	11,254
Artillery, Mortars, and Ballistic Rocket launchers	433	9,604	9,626	9640	9656	9667
Cruise Missiles		1786	1805	1805	1806	1806

Fighters Bombers	118	329	329	329	329	329
Helicopters	333	324	324	324	324	324
Drones		6811	6823	6834	6834	6836
Anti Aircraft Missile Batteries		637	638	639	642	642
Cargo/Fuel/ other transport	11,36 9	11,523	11,552	11575	11,596	11,612
Naval Vessels		23+(1 submar ine)	23+(1 submar ine)	23+(1 submar ine)	23+(1 submar ine)	23+(1 submar ine)
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