

News From Ukraine

Russian Invasion of Ukraine

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From Bohdan (my comment in **bold face**)

It would be unimaginable to know where and when this war will end. In 2022 I couldn't believe that the Rashists with 120,000 soldiers planned to overrun Ukraine. Nobody could be so stupid as to believe that 40 million would surrender. Some people thought I was clairvoyant when I predicted that they would give up within two or three weeks.

I mean Cortes beat the Aztecs because every other nation in the Yucatan other than the Aztecs was with him when he attacked Mexico City. No great feat when you have superior numbers and more lethal technology - canons, guns and steel armor.

As 2022 progressed I also predicted the retaking of Kharkiv and the south. Again not clairvoyant, weapons and munitions arrived to give Ukraine the means to clobber the Rashists which is what they had been doing for half a year with much less.

So. I completely missed 2023 because I didn't take into consideration that the rashists would adapt.

With my clairvoyant reputation sinking fast in a bog of quicksand I am making one last grasp of the future. Ukraine makes it to the Azov Sea and into the Crimean Peninsula, the rashist dream that Trump retakes the presidency does not happen, and the Crimean bridge goes under water.

Looking back, I think Ukraine gave up on its Orikhiiv counteroffensive not long after they got their nose bloodied soon after the counteroffensive started, when they lost several Leopard tanks and Bradley fighting vehicles. They advanced to within 12 miles of Tokmak, and they breached some of the Russian defense lines, but last October they also re-deployed the 47th Mechanized Brigade, that was given most of the Western equipment, and received training in the UK and Germany, to the East, mostly around Avdiivka. The result was the loss of much of Ukraine's offensive firepower around Orikhiv. As some of the recent reports from Denys has shown, Ukraine is still making some inroads in the south, around Verbove but, without much offensive firepower, nothing of consequence.

As Gen. Hodges and others point out, a counteroffensive is much more than simply one advance in one sector. This is exactly what is happening in Ukraine. At the same time the Greek Chorus*, made up of reporters from the newspapers of record, the Biden Administration and others are telling us that Ukraine's counteroffensive has "failed" and the war has become a "stalemate," Ukraine has driven the Russian Black Sea Fleet out of the western part of the Black Sea, they are making Crimea an increasingly untenable platform for Russia to support attacks in the south and east, they've maintained a lodgment on the Left Bank of the Dnipro River, and they've continued to deny Russia air superiority over Ukraine. The "[Latest Denys](#)" spends the first part of his report of the fighting around Krinky, the largest of the Dnipro Crossings.

Denys also talks about an attack against the Saky airbase in Crimea, where the targets were administrative buildings and barracks, but not aircraft of fuel tanks. This may have been an attempted hit against Gen. Valery Garasimov, Chief of the Russian General Staff, who was reported to be in the area. Denys doesn't think it was successful, but it may have succeeded in killing and wounding several senior Russian general officers.

* Early in my emails, after the end of Euromaidan in 2014, I used the term "Greek Chorus" to refer to commentators who like to use the word "corruption," without much understanding of the word, at least in the Ukrainian context. It now seems appropriate to use it to describe those who use terms like "failed offensive" and "stalemate," without much understanding of the meaning of those terms, in the context of this war.

Ukraine may be holding back much of their offensive firepower, perhaps to use crossing the Dnipro. Who knows? Apparently, Ukraine hasn't committed any of its Abrams tanks. There are reports that Ukraine is holding approximately 40,000 troops in reserve, perhaps to use in a Dnipro crossing once F-16s arrive. Who knows?

Russia may be doing the same, holding back equipment for an attack in the Kharkiv Region. From looking at the daily report, included below, comparing Russian personnel losses with Russian equipment losses, lately Russia seems to be sending infantry into the fight without much armor support. Russian personnel losses continue to be elevated, but not equipment losses.

The Greek Chorus and the newspapers of record need to find a better description for what is now happening in Ukraine, than "failed offensive" and "stalemate."

[Interview With Giuliano da Empoli, Author of "The Wizard of the Kremlin"/Financial Times](#)

"The Wizard of the Kremlin" is a novel, partly based on the author's experience as an adviser to former Italian Prime Minister, Matteo Renzi. It was first published in French and, according to the FT article, it has sold 300,000 copies, in France alone. It is now available in English. The article states that the book is being "devoured" by Western politicians to gain insight into the mindset of the Kremlin.

As for Putin, the article quotes da Empoli as saying, "I think he knows he's made a strategic mistake [the invasion]. But one rule of that kind of power is to never go back, never show any crease in the absolute will and certainty. He wasn't strong enough to impose his order on Ukraine. But he might be strong enough to impose chaos on Ukraine. And he did take the opportunity to consolidate his order internally, and to make it much more ruthless. This is working, for now." Putin's "mistake" might be "playing out not so bad", he concludes."

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**SITUATION UPDATE OF THE GENERAL STAFF OF UKRAINIAN ARMED
FORCES JANUARY 6, 2024**

During the day of January 6, there were 45x combat engagements. The enemy launched a total of 9x missile and 84x air strikes, 50x MLRS attacks at the positions of Ukrainian troops and various settlements.

During the day of January 6, the Russian occupiers attacked Ukraine yet again, using 22x Shahed-136/131 UAVs. The Ukrainian air defense destroyed 19x attack UAVs.

Air strikes hit Oleksandrivka, Vovchans'k, Prykolotne, Chuhunivka, Syn'kivka, Petropavlivka, Ivanivka, Tabaivka (Kharkiv blast), Serebrians'ke forestry (Luhansk oblast), Terny, Yampolivka, Spirne, New York, Oleksandropil', Novobakhmutivka, Avdiivka, Novomykhailivka, Staromaiors'ke (Donetsk oblast), Novodarivka, Mala Tokmachka, Robotyne, Novodanylivka, Orikhiv, P'yatykhatky (Zaporizhzhia oblast), and Zmiivka (Kherson oblast).

More than 100x settlements in Chernihiv, Sumy, Kharkiv, Luhansk, Donetsk, Zaporizhzhia, Dnipropetrovsk, Kherson, and Mykolaiv oblasts came under artillery fire.

Khortytsia operational-strategic group, Kup'yans'k axis: Ukrainian defenders repelled 3x enemy attacks in the vicinities of settlements of Syn'kivka, Petropavlivka, and Ivanivka (Kharkiv oblast).

Bakhmut axis: the Ukrainian troops repelled 2x attacks of the adversary near Orikhovo-Vasylivka and 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 8x attacks of the adversary in the vicinities of Novobakhmutivka, Stepove, Avdiivka,

and 16x more attacks near Pervomais'ke and Nevel's'ke (Donetsk oblast) during the day of January 6.

Mar'inka axis: the Ukrainian defenders continue to hold back the enemy near Mar'inka and Novomykhailivka (Donetsk oblast). The Ukrainian troops repelled 9x attacks in that area.

Shakhtars'ke axis: the occupiers did not conduct any offensive (assault) operations.

Zaporizhzhia axis: the Ukrainian Defense Forces repelled 5x adversary attacks west of Verbove, Robotyne, and south of Novodarivka (Zaporizhzhia oblast).

Odesa operational-strategic group, Kherson axis: Despite significant losses, the adversary made 18x unsuccessful attempts to assault the positions of the Ukrainian Defense Forces during the day of January 6.

During the day of January 6, Ukrainian Air Force launched air strikes on 19x concentrations of troops and 1x anti-aircraft missile system of the adversary.

The Ukrainian missile troops hit 4x concentrations of troops, 2x command posts, 1x ammunition depot, 3x artillery systems, 1x air defense radar station, and 4x air defense systems of the Russian invaders.

INTERNATIONAL

6:11 AM: Russia's war in Ukraine affected the world economy, especially in Europe, - UN

The war waged by Russia against Ukraine has a tangible effect on the world economy, by slowing down the growth of the European Union's GDP

- "It's a very, very modest growth rate for the region... So we're seeing the impact, the direct impact of the war," the annual report on economic growth and prospects said.

8:00 AM: The European Commission is preparing an alternative aid package for Ukraine in case the EU countries fail to approve a four-year support

program worth 50 billion euros during the summit on February 1, — President of the European Commission Ursula von der Leyen.

8:00 AM: China launched the new year's first batch of satellites into space.

8:00 AM: Bulgaria, Romania and Turkey will sign an agreement on demining the Black Sea next week.

10:38 AM: The Polish government will sign an agreement with farmers to end the blockade of Sheghini-Medyka PE with Ukraine.

- This is reported by Rzeczpospolita.

2:58 PM: Denmark's delivery of F-16 fighter jets to Ukraine is delayed for about six months, Berlingske.

- The publication with reference to the Ministry of Defense of Denmark notes that a number of conditions have not been met for Ukraine to be able to use the transferred combat aircraft.

4:19 PM: A temporary center for receiving refugees from Ukraine has stopped working in Moldova

- The center for assistance to refugees from Ukraine in Palanka was closed on January 4. Currently, the employees of the inspectorate are dismantling the temporary camp and removing all the infrastructure - tents, technical equipment, hygiene modules.
- The center was opened on February 24, 2022, since then more than 9,200 refugees have passed through it, and more than 6,200 Ukrainians have temporarily lived there, the inspectorate reported. The work and safety of the camp was ensured by employees of the migration inspection, carabinieri and rescuers.

7:40 PM: The Polish government signed an agreement with farmers to end the blockade of Medyka-Sheghini with Ukraine, — Polsat News.

- According to the agreement, the blocking of the checkpoint in Medyka should be suspended.

10:11 PM: The movement of trucks has been restored: Polish farmers have completed the blockade in front of the "Medyka - Sheghini" checkpoint, the DPSU reported.

- Registration and border crossing of cargo vehicles in the direction of entry into Ukraine is carried out as usual.

11:31 PM: North Korea fires 60 projectiles at South Korean coast again, Yonhap.

11:31 PM: Bulgaria announced the start of a Black Sea demining mission with Romania and Turkey.

11:31 PM: There has been a significant increase in the number of cases of COVID in the world. The WHO called on governments to ensure access to tests, treatment, and vaccines.

11:31 PM: US imposes sanctions on Tambov bakery that produces UAVs for the military, Financial Times. It is stated that the bakery produces 250 drones per month.

11:31 PM: Global shipping prices rise significantly after 6 weeks of disruption in the Red Sea.

11:31 PM: Germany's farmers plan to block traffic across the country over cut benefits, — Bild

NATIONAL

8:27 AM: As of today, there are 4 Russian ships in the Black Sea — the Navy of the Armed Forces.

- 1 ship in the Sea of Azov; in the Mediterranean Sea, 3 ships, including 2 carriers of "Caliber" cruise missiles, a total salvo of up to 16 missiles.

8:43 AM: Air Defense forces destroyed 2 "shahedis" in the Mykolaiv and Khmelnytskyi regions, the Air Forces of the ZSU.

9:28 AM: All of Ukraine - missile danger. The takeoff of the MiG-31K was recorded, — the Air Force of the Armed Forces of Ukraine.

10:06 AM: Since the beginning of Russia's full-scale invasion of Ukraine, investigators of the National Police of Ukraine have initiated 111,021 criminal proceedings on the facts of crimes committed on the territory of Ukraine by Russian servicemen and their accomplices.

10:41 AM: Responsibility for mobilization is a joint matter of the entire state, not only the military, — expert and military officer Kyrylo Sazonov.

- _"In the issue of mobilization, politicians and officials should do their own thing, and not shift all responsibility to the military alone. The boys in the trenches are exhausted - both mentally and physically. Mobilization is an objective need for the country to survive the war. The Committee of the Council shifts responsibility to the Ministry of Defense, the Ministry of Defense, in response, shifts it to the deputies," said Kyrylo Sazonov.

1:22 PM: Frozen Russian assets abroad amount to approximately \$300 billion. They should be used to support Ukraine.

- This was stated by Volodymyr Zelenskyi.
- _"This is a historic opportunity to make a terrorist state pay for its terror. Russian elites and leadership don't care about human lives, but above all they don't care about money," he added.

1:46 PM: The Verkhovna Rada registered a resolution on the recall of Maryana Bezugla from the post of deputy head of the National Security Committee.

2:37 PM: The Air Force reports a missile threat in the Sumy, Poltava, and Kharkiv regions.

- Kharkiv, Dnipropetrovsk, and Donetsk regions — the threat of using ballistic weapons.

3:40 PM: In 2023, there were 43 road accidents at roadblocks, Minister of Internal Affairs Ihor Klymenko said.

- As a result of these accidents, 10 people died, 39 were injured.

- "The reason for this is mostly the driver's state of alcohol or drug intoxication, speeding," Klymenko noted.

4:13 PM: There are significant changes that will allow speeding up the exchange of prisoners, said Andrii Yusov, a representative of the Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications.

- Yusov assured that Ukrainian diplomacy, including closed diplomacy, in the context of the exchange process and the return of our prisoners, works effectively and in our interests.

4:46 PM: First of all, this is the responsibility of President Zelensky as the Supreme Commander: Armed Forces officer Lapin on mobilization.

- Ihor Lapin, a special officer, officer of the Armed Forces, People's Deputy of the 8th convocation, believes that President Zelenskyy has removed himself from fulfilling his constitutional duties in accordance with the law and the Constitution in the context of state management and directly this thesis - mobilization.
- "Will we reach the borders of 1991 on the shoulders of those who broke into the military commissars in 2022? We will not reach, and we will not crawl, because our shoulders will end before we get there. Why is there now more talk about mobilization than about a counteroffensive? Therefore, that the counteroffensive was promoted by the state in the United Marathon, the president and everyone who is not lazy.
- And when something went wrong, they kept quiet about it. At the same time, they are beginning to shift the blame to the military that we didn't attack like that, didn't counterattack like that, and didn't fight like that. And the second point - the emotion of fear is absent in our media spaces, we have Bukovel, concerts, restaurants. The emotion of fear of being destroyed is gone. This is how the situation was created," the SSU officer noted.

6:46 PM: On Vodokhreshche, the British ambassador dived into the Dnipro together with the people of Kyiv

- Harris published the corresponding video on his page in the social network X. First, he congratulated Ukrainians with the Epiphany.
- "Today is the Epiphany, which Ukrainians celebrate here, on the Dnieper in Kyiv. This is the place where Ukrainians were baptized for the first time a thousand years ago and where Kyivan Rus became a Christian state.
- Today, Ukrainians pray for victory, peace and freedom of their land. I join them," he said.

7:05 PM: Summary of the General Staff of the Armed Forces of Ukraine as of 18:00 on January 6:

- During the day, 27 combat clashes took place. In total, the enemy launched 8 missile and 55 air strikes, carried out 23 attacks from anti-aircraft missiles on the positions of our troops and populated areas.
- The aviation of the defense forces struck _19 areas of concentration of personnel_ of the enemy.
- Units of the missile forces inflicted damage on the enemy's _control post, ammunition warehouse, artillery, Air Defense radar and "Tor" air defense system_.

7:23 PM: Volodymyr Zelenskyy has promoted SBU head Vasyl Malyuk and his deputy Oleksandr Poklad to military ranks.

- This is stated in the relevant presidential decrees No. 3 and 4 of January 6.
- The kid was given the rank of lieutenant general, and Poklad was given the rank of major general.

7:55 PM: A decision on the draft law on mobilization will be made next week, approximately on January 8-9.

- This was stated by the secretary of the Committee on National Security, Defense and Intelligence Roman Kostenko.

8:04 PM: The Air Force reports that the launch of an attack UAV of the "Shahed" type from Primorsko-Akhtarsk has been recorded.

9:48 PM: The Air Force reports that there is a missile threat in the Kherson, Mykolaiv, and Kharkiv regions.

- Odesa region - threat of enemy use of attack UAVs.
- Kirovohrad region movement of attack UAVs in your direction.

11:00 PM: the Russians are now keeping up to 40 Calibers on standby, Nataliya Humenyuk reported.

- The General Staff currently assesses the general level of danger as high

11:19 PM: The Air Force reports that a group of UAVs is moving in Mykolaiv Oblast to Odesa, there is a threat to Vinnytsia Oblast.

- Movement of strike UAVs in the direction of Cherkasy region.

MORDOR – ruZZia

12:13 AM: Air Defense is operating in Crimea. The mass media report on the temporary closure of the Crimean bridge.

8:00 AM: Explosions rang out in the area of temporarily occupied Yevpatoria.

8:49 AM: Saki airfield was hit in temporarily occupied Crimea.

- This was reported by Air Force Commander Mykola Oleschuk.

5:17 PM: On January 4, a special operation was carried out on the territory of the temporarily occupied Crimea, because of which the Russians lost BC warehouses and "blinded" several radars, GUR MOU.

- Space intelligence data confirm the successful fire damage to the BC compound of the Russian invaders in Hryshyn.

9:17 PM: On the territory of the Belgorod region, the operators of the Ukrainian military intelligence put out of order two ZRGK "Pantsir-S1"

11:12 PM: Following the shortage of eggs in Russia, the shortage of chicken began, - mass media

- Residents of Yekaterinburg, Samara, Chelyabinsk, and Ulyanovsk were faced with empty shelves where there was usually chicken. Stores are out of chicken thighs, wings and breasts, while beef and pork remain available. According to local residents, there was no such shortage before.
- "In our store, you can usually buy everything. And if there are no thighs or drumsticks, then breast and fillet are always available," said a resident of Samara.

REGIONS

KHARKIV



10:05 AM Social Networks: Explosions are heard in Kharkiv.

11:11 AM: Russians struck between settlements in the Kharkiv district. Previously - with S-300 missiles, said the head of the Regional Military Administration Oleg Sinegubov.

2:17 PM: In the Kupyansk direction, the intensity of Russia's offensive actions has dropped, despite the declaration of preparations for an offensive, the head of the Kharkiv Regional Military Administration Oleg Synegubov said.

- "Currently, we note that their offensive has slowed down a bit. This is due to the fact that our military is inflicting great damage on them, due to which they have to withdraw and restore their losses in terms of manpower and equipment," Sinegubov said.

3:37 PM: Today, the enemy does not have the strength to attack Kharkiv, - military observer Popovych

- Denis Popovych, a military observer, noted that the enemy group of troops from Belgorod has about 12,000 personnel, less than 100 tanks, more than 300 different artillery systems - all this is absolutely not enough to storm the million-strong city of Kharkiv.

- "The enemy's offensive on Kupyansk has actually been going on for six months, there were attempts by the enemy back in the summer. In general, the occupiers planned to go to Kupyansk as part of the offensive last year on Bakhmut, carried out by the "Wagner" PMC. And now we see it every day, that the Lymano-Kupian direction is one of the hottest spots on the front.

11:34 PM: The Air Force reports a missile threat in the Kharkiv region.

DONETSK



8:00 AM: Pokrovsk in Donetsk region is under fire again: the administration building was hit, there are casualties, Regional Military Administration.

10:45 AM: Occupants in Mariupol transfer trucks with ammunition in the direction of Berdyansk, - Andryushchenko

- In the temporarily occupied Mariupol in Donetsk region, the occupiers recorded a renewal of trucks with ammunition and manpower in the direction of Berdyansk
- Deputy Mayor of Mariupol Petro Andryushchenko informs about this.
- It is noted that during the last day, the occupiers overturned no less than 15 trucks, not counting the columns of refueling stations.

12:22 PM: 1 person was killed as a result of an airstrike in the North of Toretsk community, Donetsk Regional Military Administration.

- In the morning, the Russians carried out 2 airstrikes on the village, targeting residential buildings.

2:47 PM: The occupiers are constantly changing directions while trying to surround Avdiivka, - Tarnavskiy

- Russian occupying forces do not stop trying to surround Avdiivka, Donetsk region.

- At the tactical level, they constantly change the directions of concentration of efforts
- According to Oleksandr Tarnavskyy, commander of the "Tavria" air defense system, the number of enemy airstrikes is not decreasing here. In total, during the day, the Russians carried out 15 air strikes and one missile strike, conducted 37 combat engagements and launched 778 artillery barrages.

4:34 PM: At least six people were injured as a result of shelling in Pokrovsk.

- According to Vadym Filashkin, head of the Donetsk Regional Military Administration, three people may be under the rubble.

5:36 PM: The Russians dropped two aerial bombs on the village of Severny in Donetsk region: one person was killed and one injured

- On the morning of January 6, the Russian occupation army carried out two airstrikes on the territory of the village of Severnye in the Donetsk region, as a result of which one woman was killed and another was injured. This was announced by the head of the Donetsk regional military administration, Vadym Filashkin.

6:18 PM: 11 people, including five children, were previously killed as a result of a Russian attack on the Pokrovsky district of the Donetsk region.

- This was stated by the head of the Donetsk Regional Military Administration, Vadym Filashkin.
- the Russians hit the area with S-300 missiles. The main blow came to Pokrovsk and Rivne of the Myrnograd community.

6:46 PM: A rescue operation is currently underway in Pokrovsk of the Donetsk region and in the Pokrovsk district after a Russian missile strike, — Volodymyr Zelenskyi.

- The blow of the Russians was on ordinary residential buildings, on private houses.

8:48 PM: Explosions rang out in temporarily occupied Donetsk, local channels.

10:54 PM: In Pokrovsk, Donetsk region, the body of one person who died as a result of a Russian attack was recovered from the rubble, the State Emergency Service reported.

DNIPRO



11:18 AM: In the morning in Nikopol, Russians killed a 45-year-old man. They injured a 16-year-old girl and a 66-year-old man.

- This was announced by the head of the Dnipropetrovsk Regional Military Administration Serhii Lysak.
- 13 private houses and 6 commercial buildings were damaged in the city. Several cars, power lines, and gas lines were affected.

8:26 PM: The Air Force reports that there is an enemy UAV in the area of the city of Dnipro.

- Kirovohrad region - the threat of enemy use of attack UAVs.

8:53 PM Social Networks: Explosions are heard in Dnipro.

10:22 PM: The Air Force reports that there is a missile threat in the Dnipropetrovsk region.

- A group of attack UAVs on the border of Kirovohrad and Mykolaiv regions is moving westward.

10:38 PM: Russians attacked Dnipro with drones. There is destruction, but there were no human losses.

- This was announced by the head of the Dnipropetrovsk Regional Military Administration Serhii Lysak.

11:38 PM: the Russians attacked the Dnipro with drones - a residential building where 22 families live was hit.

- Firefighters rescued 6 people from the rubble, two of them children. This was announced by the head of the Dnipropetrovsk Regional Military Administration Serhii Lysak.

KHERSON



10:48 AM: Explosions are heard in Kherson. The central part of the city is under fire from the Russian occupation forces.

3:52 PM: The defense forces on the left bank of the Kherson region destroyed two Russian UAV control points and the Murom-M video surveillance complex within a day.

- In addition, Ukrainian defenders eliminated 10 occupiers, the Grad rocket launcher, a mortar and a boat. This is reported by the Defense Forces of Southern Ukraine.

4:23 PM: Social Networks Explosions are heard in Kherson.

- This was reported by the head of the Kherson Municipal Military Administration, Roman Mrochko.

5:27 PM: Two children were injured in Kherson Oblast due to Russian shelling, the head of the Regional Military Administration Oleksandr Prokudin said.

- The 9-year-old twins were driving with their parents in a car between Daryevka and Fedorivka when the enemy opened fire. The boys were taken to the hospital. Their condition has been stabilized.
- A 58-year-old man was also injured in the Kherson region. He has a shrapnel wound to the chest.

5:50 PM: The National Police showed footage from Kherson, where the explosions do not stop for a moment.

- " _Every day and every night, our patrol officers are on duty under enemy fire, risking their own lives_," the police officers emphasize.

POLTAVA



6:29 PM: The Air Force reports a missile in the direction of Myrhorod, Poltava region.

KHMELNITSKY



1:21 AM Social Networks: Explosions are heard in Khmelnytskyi region.

- The Deputy Head of the Regional Military Administration, Serhiy Tyurin, noted that the Air Defense Forces were operating in the region.

5:13 PM: The head of one of the Khmelnytskyi communities received a summons and went to serve in the Armed Forces.

- The village head of the Vovkovynets community in Khmelnytskyi region joined the ranks of the ZSU, although as head of the OTG he had the right to reservation. This is reported by the Third Department of the Khmelnytskyi RTCC and SP.

IVANO FRANKIVSK



1:33 PM: An official of the State Geocadastre is suspected of selling land near Bukovel

- Investigators suspect that the first deputy head of the State Geocadastre in Ivano-Frankivsk region illegally transferred land near Bukovel to private ownership.
- According to them, the suspect, not having the authority to do so, signed and issued an illegal order, as a result of which plots of land near the Bukovel ski complex were removed from the forestry lands that were in permanent use by the State Enterprise "Nadvirnyas Forestry".
- Later, these lands worth 17 million hryvnias were transferred to private ownership.

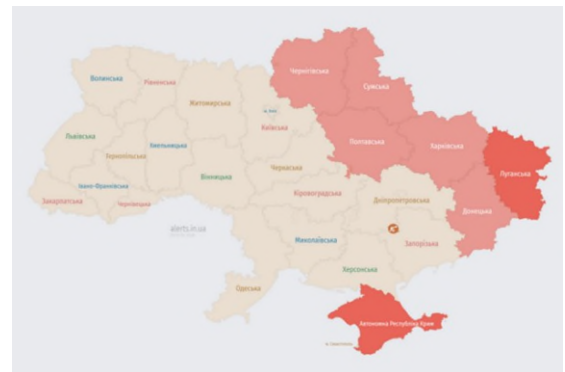
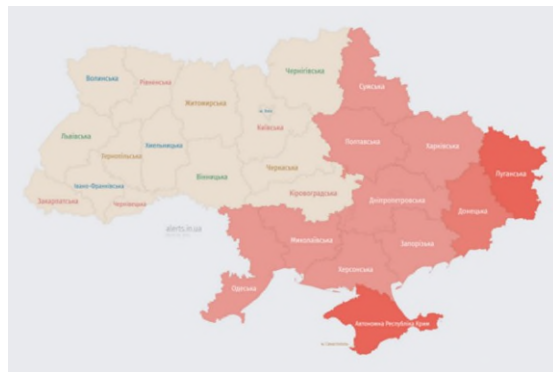
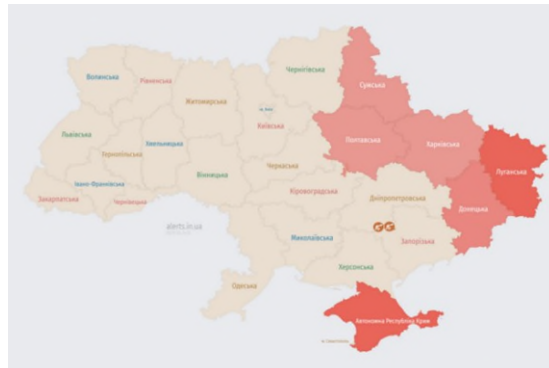
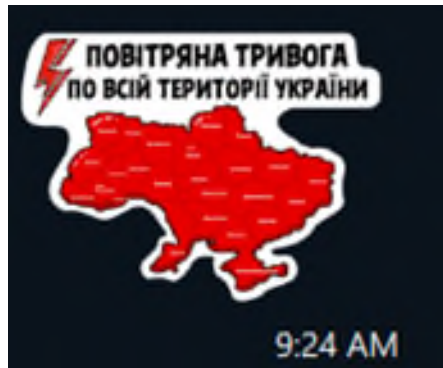
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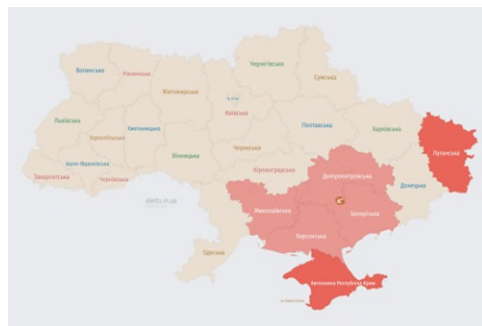
5:59 PM: The Lviv Archives put half a million copies of unique historical documents on the Internet:

- This was reported by the head of the Lviv Regional State Administration Maksym Kozytskyi.
- "The Lviv Historical Archive has uploaded to the Internet 500,000 digitized copies of unique documents from the history of the western regions of Ukraine, in particular the Lviv Region. Among them are a collection of documents on parchment, cases from the funds of judicial institutions of the Russian Voivodeship of the XV-XVIII centuries, baptismal certificates, diplomatic passports and others personal documents of Andrey Sheptytskyi," said Maksym Kozytskyi.

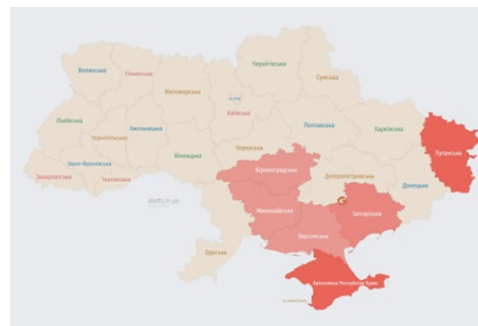
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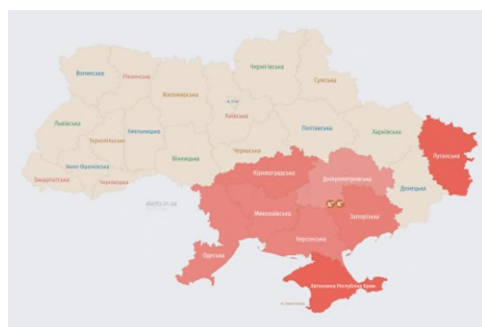
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Comparing Soviet invasion of Afghanistan to Russian invasion of Ukraine using Wikipedia and Ukraine Ministry of Defense Daily Bulletins. Soviet and Russian military losses not including captured equipment.

	Soviet Afghanistan	Dec 31	Jan 3	Jan 4	Jan 5	Jan 6
Duration	9 years and 9 months	After 676 days	After 679 days	After 670 days	After 671 days	After 672 days
Military Personnel Liquidated	14,453	360,010	362,280	363,070	363,870	364,730

Material Losses

Tanks	147	5983	6002	6011	6018	6022
Armored Personnel Carriers	1,314	11,087	11,128	11,142	11,158	11,180
Artillery, Mortars, and Ballistic Rocket launchers	433	9,435	9,521	9,553	9,567	9,604
Cruise Missiles		1709	1785	1,786	1786	1786

Fighters Bombers	118	329	329	329	329	329
Helicopters	333	324	324	324	324	324
Drones		6657	6753	6,771	6787	6811
Anti Aircraft Missile Batteries		625	630	631	633	637
Cargo/Fuel/ other transport	11,369	11,330	11,423	11,463	11,478	11,523
Naval Vessels		23+(1 submar ine)	23+(1 submar ine)	23+(1 submar ine)	23+(1 submar ine)	23+(1 submar ine)
Special Equipment		1277	1304	1313	1317	1327

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