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Ukraine to enshrine Euro-integration into constitution

Extra British troops sent to Ukraine in order to stop Russia

[US Senate passes bill envisaging \\$250M](#) in assistance for Ukraine's defense.

[NSDC decision terminating Ukraine-Russia friendship treaty](#) comes into force.

Volker names [countries ready to send peacekeepers to Donbas](#). The UN peacekeeping mission could include soldiers from Sweden, Finland, Austria, Belarus, Serbia and Turkey.

Gavin [Williamson commits extra British troops in Ukraine to stop Russia](#) 'reversing Cold War outcome'.

Ukraine to enshrine [European, Euro-Atlantic integration in constitution](#).

[Virtual Maidan](#): Ukraine's Revolution comes to life.

[Ukrainian church will receive autocephaly](#), because this is its right - Patriarch Bartholomew.

[Russia Church warns of violence](#) as it 'cuts ties' with Bartholomew.

[Fake: Russian language banned](#) in Lviv.

[Russia ignores PACE resolutions to end aggression](#) against Ukraine. So PACE prepares to lift sanctions.

Russia and PACE resolutions checklist

How is Russia fulfilling the calls of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe?

(After Russia annexed Crimea) - declares Russia's actions are "in clear contradiction with the Statute of the Council of Europe," adopts sanctions.

"Only significant and measurable progress"

RESOLUTION 1990 (2014)

- ◆ Ensure that the rights of minorities in Crimea, in particular of Crimean Tatars and Ukrainians, are not violated.

RESOLUTION 2034 (2015)

- ◆ Reverse the closure of the Crimean Tatar television channel, ATR.

RESOLUTION 2063 (2015)

- ◆ Release all hostages, prisoners of war and illegally held persons.

RESOLUTION 2112 (2016)

- ◆ Fully implement the Minsk Agreements.

RESOLUTION 2132 (2016)

- ◆ Release all Ukrainian prisoners in Russia and occupied Crimea on politically motivated charges.

- ◆ Allow full access to Crimea for all human rights bodies of the Council

yes no

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How Russia will meddle in Ukraine's 2019 elections

Fighting for the freedom of speech in Ukraine

Five common [notions about Russia's disintegration all defective](#), Shtepa says.

How [Russia will meddle in Ukraine's 2019 elections](#).

[Elections 2019: beware](#) of Ukrainian media manipulating polls and ratings.

Fighting for the freedom of speech in Ukraine: [who and why is tapping the journalists' phones?](#)

The new [agricultural support system in Ukraine](#): who really benefits?

[Crimean Chemical Disaster will happen again](#) while Ukraine helps oligarch Firtash bypass sanctions.

How the [UNR Army liberated the Donbas in 1918](#).

Ukraine creating naval base in Sea of Azov

Donbas becomes one of most densely mined areas in world

Sep 24. Militants launched [35 attacks on Ukrainian troops in Donbas in last day](#).

Russia resorts to [provocations as Ukrainian warships enter Sea of Azov](#), - Navy. Photos

[Ukraine creating naval base in Sea of Azov](#).

OSCE: [Donbas becomes one of most densely mined areas in world](#).

The first [results of the Joint Forces Operation in the Donbas](#) with its commander, Lieutenant-General Serhiy Navev.

More Russian [military trucks caught entering Ukraine by night](#).

"Russian naval base will no longer be in Sevastopol

after we return Crimea!" - [Poroshenko initiates removal of provision on Russian Black Sea Fleet from Ukraine's Constitution](#).

Lutsenko admits [asylum seeker who defended Ukraine in Donbas was handed over to Russia "by mistake"](#).

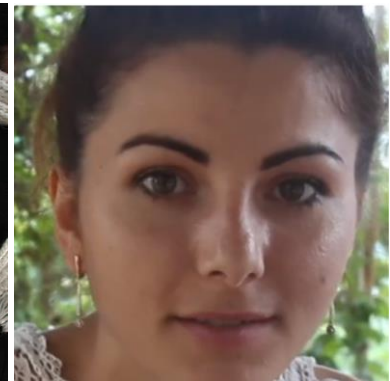
[Russian-led forces ban military-age males from leaving "LPR/DPR" to Russia](#).

Officers and personnel of the 1472nd Naval Clinical Hospital of the Russian Ministry of Defense [rewarded for the occupation of Crimea](#).

[Kharkiv metro commemorates](#) Donbas war Ukrainian heroes.

Left: Russia [deports Ukrainians in Crimea for refusing Russian citizenship](#).

Right: Crimean Tatar added to Russia's [List of Terrorists and Extremists' for 2014 'anti-Russian' social media reposts](#).



Oleg Sentsov has lost hope

Who should protect the cultural heritage of Crimea?

Sentsov's sister: "[Oleh's lost hope. He feels really sick](#)", does not know how long he'll last".

Simultaneous protest action for liberation of [Sentsov and Balukh held in Chicago and Moscow](#). Photos.

Hunger-striking [Crimean jailed for Ukrainian flag ready to write last will](#) – Ukraine's ombudsperson. "[After beating, Balukh still is not examined by doctors](#)," Denisova.

Crimean Tatar political prisoner [on hunger strike after getting no medical treatment](#) for life-threatening condition.

"Vedzhie Kashka died 20 minutes after being hit

by an automatic rifle stock". Facts confirm that [death of the Crimean Tatar activist occurred as a result of the Russian security forces actions](#).

Ukraine's Ministry for Temporarily Occupied Territories initiates [sanctions against chemical producers in Crimea](#).

What caused the [environmental disaster in occupied Crimea? A chemist explains](#).

[Crimea residents still suffer from chemical leaks](#), report death of animals.

The occupied legacy. Who [should protect the cultural heritage of Crimea?](#)

Ukraine's main achievements over the past year

Public activist survives assassination attempt in Odesa

The [standoff in the Azov Sea, Poroshenko summarizing the presidency and more](#) – Weekly update on Ukraine #72, September 17 – 23.

Ukraine ranks [17th in Open Data Barometer](#) rating.

In annual address to Parliament, [Poroshenko lists main achievements over past year](#). He emphasized that the sovereignty and territorial integrity of Ukraine will not be a subject of compromise.

Ukraine [increases trade with EU 15.8 percent](#).

Tensions flare after [Hungarian consul caught secretly issuing passports in western Ukraine](#).

European Rights Court orders Ukraine [to refrain from accessing RFE/RL journalist's cell-phone data](#).

Ukraine switches to [European water quality](#)

[monitoring system](#).

Court [arrests part of Ukrainian infrastructure minister's property](#).

Public [activist survives assassination attempt in Odesa](#).

[Shooting of Odesa civic activist prompts warnings](#) of danger to Ukraine's national security.

Ukrainian [legislators plan 'foreign agent' bill](#) analogous to repressive law in Russia.

Ukraine [issues 10 millionth biometric passport](#) on Sept 21

Left: Sirocco Energy develops [linear wind turbines to make cities greener](#)

Right: Sewing up the [future in Khmelnytskyi](#)



Ukraine climbs 61 places in World Bank's Doing Business

Investment projects worth \$625 million signed

Over the past five years, Ukraine has [climbed 61 places in World Bank's Doing Business ranking](#).

[Investment projects worth \\$625 million signed](#) at Economic Forum in Kyiv.

Open source software startup [GitLab with Ukrainian roots](#) raises \$100 million in California, becomes unicorn.

Left: "Historical truth campaign": Belarusians remind Russia of [Red Army - Wehrmacht joint parade held by in 1939](#).
Right: Bilodid becomes [youngest world champion in judo history](#)



Inclusive books for children with special needs released

18 Ukrainian films will be released by the end of 2018

Philip Illienko: [18 Ukrainian films will be released](#) by the end of 2018.

Ukrainian [culture facts](#). All you want to know, from cuisine to art, culture, and customs.

Inclusive [books for children with special needs](#)

released, allowing the blind and dyslexic to read.

[Hemp Cultivation for Medical Purposes](#): The small Ukrainian city of Hlukhiv, in the country's Sumy Region, hopes to gain worldwide notoriety with their talent in hemp farming and to capitalize it on the medicinal purposes.

Left: Kharkivites join [World Cleanup Day](#).
Right: Life in the Galician village of Bila: [food](#)



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