



# CIVIC SECTOR OF EUROMAIDAN GRASSROOTS MOVEMENT

## EuroMaidan Newsletter # 273

### Elections in Ukraine were free, competitive – OSCE mission Hackers attack election commission without success

Presidential Elections: [first round summary and comments](#). Live updates.

[CEC processed 87.71% of ballots](#): in the lead Zelenskyi, Poroshenko, Tymoshenko.

[Comic takes lead after first round](#) of Ukrainian presidential election.

Elections in Ukraine were free, competitive – [OSCE mission](#).

[PACE praises holding of democratic](#) presidential elections in Ukraine.

CANADEM observation mission: Ukraine's March 31 [presidential election were free and fair](#).

[Hackers have been attacking the CEC](#) system with no success.

Where Ukraine's presidential candidates [Poroshenko and Zelensky \(don't\) stand on Crimea and Donbas](#).

[Tension on the dividing line between Georgia and s.c. South Ossetia](#). Russian occupiers in the village of Khurvaleti.

Prime-time [news show on Russian state TV](#): One lie per minute.

[StopFake News #228](#) with Marko Suprun. Fake: US and EU open corruption investigation cases against President Petro Poroshenko. Ukraine's new proposed language law prohibits the use of all languages other than Ukrainian. Acting Health Minister bans antiseptics.



### Chronicle of victims of Maidan

#### Kremlin's and Russia's interests are antithetical

[Moscow propaganda tries to hide](#) that Kremlin interests and Russia's are antithetical, Eidman says.

Oksana Zabuzhko: [Ukraine is at the forefront of a huge world battle](#) that will transform humanity.

Ukrainian [elections are four times more expensive than in the US](#), in proportion to GDP, — Taras Shevchenko.

Candidates with compass. [Electoral preferences](#)

[according to the map](#).

[Why a human rights approach to deal with economic affairs](#) in Ukraine? Lessons from a UN Mission.

Chronicle of victims. The Ukrainian Week publishes general [information about the victims and those killed during the Maidan for the entire period of the protests](#).

## OSCE spots heavy weapons in Russia-occupied Donbas

### Three NATO vessels enter Black Sea, Russian guard shadows them

Mar.31. Occupation forces [fire on positions of Ukrainian military in Donbas on election day](#), no casualties.

[Ukrainians living in ORDLO come to vote in presidential elections](#) in Ukraine, despite pressure of LPR/DPR.

Three [NATO vessels enter Black Sea](#). Russian guard shadows them.

NATO [ships to stay in Black Sea during presidential elections](#) in Ukraine.

Securing [new ground: Ukraine Army in Horlivka](#). The volunteer explained how Ukrainian troops have advanced in the area.

Russian [occupation forces planning propaganda offensive](#). Russian troops plan to attack their own positions and civilian buildings and film it for future propaganda uses.

Ukrainian officer posts raw [video of another strike on enemy positions in Donbas](#). Three enemy fighters were killed, another four were wounded.

[OSCE spots clusters of heavy weapons](#) in Russia-occupied areas of Donbas.

[New arrests add 55 children to the victims of Russia's war against Crimean Tatars](#)



## The wooden anniversary of Crimean Annexation

### Russia arrests 23 Crimean Tatars after largest raid ever

The wooden anniversary of [Crimean Annexation: Five years of lies, deception, abuse](#).

[Crimea cost every Russian 10 thousand rubles](#). Economist analyzed the consequences of the annexation of the peninsula for the Russian economy.

[Report of Amnesty International](#) on the situation with the protection of human rights in Crimea presented at UNESCO.

[Ukraine's Orthodox Church faces eviction](#) in Russia-annexed Crimea.

[Russia uses terror to crush Crimean Solidarity](#) & drive Crimean Tatars from their homeland.

23 arrested Crimean [Tatar rights activists secretly moved to Russia](#).

[Russia arrests 23 Crimean Tatars](#) after largest raid ever in occupied Crimea.

[Ukraine in PACE asks to protect rights of Crimean Tatars](#) in occupied Crimea.

International human rights [activists call for pressure on Russia over arrests in Crimea](#).

Crimean journalist [arrested hours after saying that Crimea needs to be saved from Russia](#).

[No school with Ukrainian language left in occupied Crimea](#), - human rights activists.

Volodymyr [Balukh transferred to Torzhok](#).

Betting on zero. How the current and former leadership of the [self-declared republics in occupied Donbas see the upcoming elections for President of Ukraine](#).

## Ukraine's progress in preventing conflicts of interest

### Political explainer: Ukraine's system of government

[Week's balance](#): Easing for businesses, launch of the Energy Efficiency Fund, and pre-election calm in markets.

All [eyes on three front-runners](#) as Ukraine Presidential vote offers wrinkle on familiar challenge.

Report: Ukrainian Presidential [front-runner failed to declare 15-room Italian villa](#).

From Chocolate King to Commander In Chief: [Ukrainian President fights for re-election](#).

Prisoner to President? Ukraine's '[Gas Princess](#)' aims for the pinnacle of power.

[Russian interference in Ukrainian elections](#): separating the wheat from the chaff.

[BBC pays damages to Ukraine's Poroshenko](#) over 'incorrect' report.

Political explainer: [Ukraine's system of](#)

[government](#).

[Law granting fighters for Ukraine's independence in 20th century combatant status](#) comes into force.

Experts note [Ukraine's progress in preventing conflicts of interest](#) – NACP.

Ukraine, [Switzerland to cooperate in medical education](#).

[Inclusive education](#): Poroshenko Foundation, Google Ukraine, Education Ministry sign Memorandum.

Ukraine [to open its largest recycling plant](#). According to the developed project, the plant will recycle about 82,000 tons of solid waste per year.



## Ukraine 46<sup>th</sup> in video game revenue

### Wind Solar Energy to build wind farm of up to 190 MW in Zhytomyr

Manufacturer of professional security systems [Ajax Systems raised \\$10 million](#) from investment company Horizon Capital.

Top 100 countries in terms of [video game revenue](#). Ukraine is in 46th place.

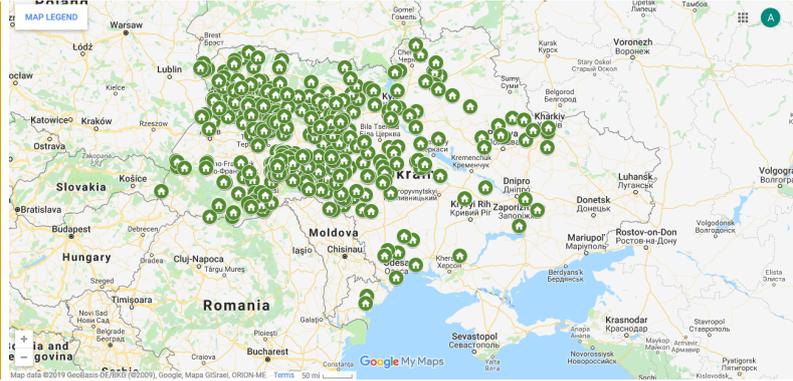
Israeli IT company [Yael Group acquires](#)

[Ukrainian Acceptic](#).

[Uber rolls out electric vehicles](#) in Kyiv.

Wind Solar Energy [to build wind farm of up to 190 MW](#) in Zhytomyr region.

[Kyiv says 506 parishes have shifted from Moscow Church;](#)  
Moscow claims only 61 have



## Docudays Film Festival announces winners.

Volunteer fighter presents first-hand accounts of Battle of Ilovaisk

[Docudays Film Festival announces winners.](#) The festival included 70 films from 38 countries.

Volunteer battalion fighter Roman Zinenko presented his [book "The War That Never Existed."](#) It features first-hand accounts of the [Battle of Ilovaisk.](#)

The [new Chernobyl cleanup:](#) tourist trash.

[KyivNotKiev:](#) biggest Toronto International Airport changes transliteration.

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