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# EU Council approves so-called Azov package of sanctions

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EC President <u>Tusk to visit Ukraine on fifth</u> <u>anniversary of Revolution of Dignity</u>.

EU Council approves so-called Azov package of sanctions against Russia.

<u>Neutral status of Ukraine in 2014</u> did not protect it from Russian aggression – Poroshenko.

Poroshenko & Merkel discuss countering Russian aggression.

Trump signs package of <u>laws to provide USD 700</u> <u>mln in aid</u> to Ukraine.

Laura Cooper: "<u>The United States is steady in its</u> <u>assistance to Ukraine</u>, and we have been before the elections, we are during this period of time, and we will be after".

NATO plans summit in Ukraine.

Stoltenberg: <u>NATO helps Ukraine move towards</u> <u>Euro-Atlantic integration</u>.

PrivatBank wins lawsuit in The Hague against Russia over Crimean assets.

<u>Google showing Ukraine's Crimea</u> as 'Russian' in Russian territory. Google has been censoring 70 percent of the websites blacklisted by Russia.

StopFake #222 with Marko Suprun. Fake: UN calls Ukraine the most dangerous country in the world. Moldova renounces Transnistria for NATO. The Strategic Cultural Foundation unmasked, not too cultural, but very strategic.



### Russian war with Ukraine a clash of civilizations

Russian Ministry of Defense: TOP-200 most expensive contracts

<u>Russian war with Ukraine a clash of civilizations</u>, Ikhlov says.

Secrets of public procurement by <u>Russian Ministry</u> of Defense: TOP-200 most expensive contracts.

<u>Putinism is a genuinely new threat</u> and not simply a revival of earlier ones, Yakovenko says.

Do <u>alternative new political forces</u> have a chance in Ukraine?

<u>The Facts about Anti-Semitism in Ukraine</u> that Russia doesn't want known.

#### 10 attacks against Ukraine army

Russia has been violating the Minsk agreements for four years, Volker

Feb.18. <u>10 attacks against Ukraine army</u> yesterday: enemy used proscribed 120-mm mortars, wounded one JFO soldier.

Russia has been violating the Minsk agreements for four years, U.S. Special Representative for Ukraine Negotiations Kurt Volker said.

Moscow court rejects appeals against arrest of Ukrainian sailors.

U.S. senators to <u>try again with tougher Russia</u> sanctions bill.

<u>The hard fate of foreign Russia-lovers</u>: Ksenia Kirillova on the Paul Whelan case.

Left: Serhiy Zakharov, an artist from Donetsk: "Donetsk has let go of me, yet it keeps haunting me" Right: Generation "D". How children in occupied Donbas are being worked on psychologically and informationally



### **Explosions hit occupied Donetsk Monday morning**

Russia brings terror to more Crimean Tatar families

Russia's <u>deportation of Ukrainians and Crimean</u> <u>Tatars from occupied Crimea</u> a "neo-imperial policy tool" – report.

Russia <u>moves to crush Orthodox Church of</u> <u>Ukraine</u> in occupied Crimea.

Despite official harassment, <u>OCU's only church</u> in Russia holds on.

Inciting hatred: <u>Human rights group condemns</u> <u>history textbook</u> published in Russian-annexed peninsula.

<u>Columns of ancient city Panticapaeum collapse</u> in Russia-occupied Kerch (Photo, video).

Russia brings terror to more Crimean Tatar

#### families.

Russian security forces <u>detained 3 Crimean</u> <u>Tatars in annexed Crimea</u>. Their houses were raided before their detention.

Crimea's <u>Russians who backed Anschluss now</u> <u>turning against Moscow</u>, Vasiliyev says.

Explosions hit occupied Donetsk Monday morning.

Almost half of <u>Donbas residents oppose pardon</u> for militants.

<u>Hryb case hearing in Russia disrupted</u>: Neither prosecutor, nor interpreter appears in courtroom.

## Ukraine at the Munich Security Conference

Suprun is back in office

<u>Ukraine at the Munich Security Conference,</u> <u>Suprun is back in office</u> and more – uacrisis weekly update on Ukraine #6, 11 – 17 February.

<u>Week's balance</u>: Ukraine stats agency reports on accelerated economic growth, government speaks of 2019 priorities, while president urges foreign businesses to invest in Ukraine.

Work of Ukraine's Health Ministry unblocked, but Suprun still under threat of dismissal.

Zelenskyi, Poroshenko, Tymoshenko <u>lead</u> <u>presidential race</u>, - KIIS survey.

<u>Renewable energy</u> in Ukraine on the verge of change.

A high-ranking regional official <u>suspected of</u> organizing the killing of Ukrainian anticorruption activist Kateryna Handzyuk last year has been arrested.

UAH <u>2.5 mln bail posted</u> for Kherson Regional Council chairman.

KHPG: Top Kherson official suspected of ordering fatal attack on civic activist.

Ukraine has taken the extraordinary step of <u>deporting a senior cleric of the Moscow-aligned</u> <u>Orthodox Church and stripping him of his</u> <u>citizenship</u>, marking a political escalation in the historic rift that has shaken the Eastern Orthodox world and further raised tensions between Kyiv and Moscow.

Ukraine security chief: <u>Attacks on pro-Russian</u> <u>churches coordinated by FSB</u>. Russia is playing a "religious card" to destabilize Ukraine and sow discord.

Memory of the Maidan: Oleksandr Kapinos.

Series honoring the Heavenly Hundred Heroes of the Euromaidan Revolution. Oleksandr Kapinos dreamed of restoring Ukrainian culture and fought for the strength of the nation. Five years ago, he was wounded by government security forces in the center of Kyiv. The very next day, he died. 29-year-old Oleksandr managed to do much during his life. Now his dreams continue to be carried by his friends and family



# Ukraine's trade with EU up 60 percent

DTEK builds largest solar power plant in Europe with 246 MW capacity

Ukraine to repair and service Boeing aircraft.

DTEK builds <u>largest solar power plant in Europe</u> with 246 MW capacity in Nikopol.

The green tariff was approved for Nikopol SPP, it will be <u>connected to the power system in March</u>. This is one of the largest SPP in Europe.

Three pioneers: <u>New breed of Ukrainian tech</u> <u>entrepreneurs</u> seek success in global markets (part 2)

Ukrainian <u>poultry meat exports hit record high</u> in 2018.

Ukrainian grain exports hit record of \$7.2 bln last year.

Ukraine's trade with EU up 60 percent in 3 years.

How the <u>IT industry of Ukraine and Eastern</u> <u>Europe works</u>: a report.

"<u>A goldmine of tech talent</u>:" Two reports highlight growing software export capacities in four Eastern European countries.

Ukraine is the <u>leader in increasing Facebook</u> <u>popularity and 6 more indicators</u> of the Ukrainian social network audience.

Ukraine became the <u>third country in the region in</u> <u>terms of the number of companies in the field of</u> <u>artificial intelligence</u>.

<u>Top-50 Ukrainian IT-companies</u>. Two companies have crossed the mark of 6,000 specialists.

Left: <u>Icon of</u> <u>Remembrance</u> for perished defenders studio in Kharkiv Right: <u>Brody as</u> <u>depicted on</u> <u>Władysław</u> <u>Kocyan's postcards</u> in the early 1900s



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