

INFORMATION DIGEST

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Status of the Ukrainian nuclear power plants and the nuclear industry of Ukraine

- According to Energoatom, as of January 9, 2023, 8 power units of Ukrainian nuclear power plants, which are located on the territory controlled by Ukraine, worked to meet the needs of the population and the country's economy. The russians are blocking the connection of power units of the temporarily occupied Zaporizhzhya nuclear power plant, which continues to consume more than 100 MW of electricity for its own needs from the energy system of Ukraine.

Current situation on Zaporizhzhya NPP

- According to the NNEGC "Energoatom" as of 9 January, 2023, the Zaporizhzhya NPP received power for its in-house needs from the energy system of Ukraine. The radiation situation at the ZNPP site remains normal.

Current situation on Chernobyl NPP and in the Exclusion Zone

- On 9 January, 2023, the radiation situation at the ChNPP site was without changes. The monitored parameters of the equipment were within the boundaries set by the technological regulations. Operating personnel continues to ensure nuclear and radiation safety.
- Chernobyl NPP presents the next part of the film about russian occupation. For more than a month the Chernobyl NPP site was being occupied by troops of the russian federation. This video tells the stories of the witnesses of those events, in particular about the resistance of workers and local residents. Watch the Chernobyl NPP's video on YouTube: youtu.be/ZJkS1UUZUIk [English subtitles].
- On 9 December another exchange of prisoners took place between Ukraine and russia. Another 50 Ukrainian defenders have been released. Among the released Defenders are 11 prisoners from the Chernobyl nuclear power plant.

War in Ukraine

- The 320 day of the resistance of Ukraine to the russian military invasion has ended.
- According to the General Staff of the Armed Forces of Ukraine, russians resume heavy assault on Soledar [Donetsk region, eastern Ukraine], fierce battles ongoing. After an unsuccessful attempt to capture the city of Soledar, the russians regrouped, changed tactics and launched a new powerful assault. "Currently, the enemy has deployed a large number of assault groups formed from the best reserves of PMC Wagner. The enemy is advancing literally over the corpses of their own soldiers, massively using



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artillery, multiple-launch missile systems and mortars, and shelling their own soldiers with artillery fire", - Hanna Maliar, Deputy Minister of Defence of Ukraine.

- According to the State Border Guard Service of Ukraine, russia and belarus escalate tensions, but no provocations near border. On 8 January, a trainload of russian Armed Forces military equipment and personnel arrived in the belarusian city of Baranavichy from russia's Voronezh Oblast. In total, the train had about 30 platform cars loaded with hardware, 2 freight cars containing ammunition and equipment, and 2 passenger cars carrying personnel - about 100 people. The train set off from the Zaitsevka railway station in Voronezh Oblast of russia on 4 January. This station is located near the border of the occupied part of Luhansk Oblast. Earlier: Another trainload of Russian soldiers (approximately 700-800 people) was moved to belarus on the night of 6-7 January.
- On 9 December the russian occupiers have attacked the city of Ochakiv, Mykolaiv Oblast [southern Ukraine]. As a result, 15 people had been wounded, including a 2-year-old child.
- russian forces also hit market in Shevchenkove in Kharkiv Oblast. Two people killed, seven civilians, including a 13-year-old girl, were injured, according to Kharkiv Oblast's Centre for Emergency Medical Care.
- On 8 January, the russians killed two civilians in Donetsk Oblast: in Bakhmut and Soledar. Two more people in the oblast sustained injuries.
- One person was killed and another was injured as a result of the russian strike on Kherson on the afternoon of 9 January.
- Lars Danielsson, Swedish Ambassador to the EU, has stated the Ukraine-EU summit will take place on 3 February in Kyiv.

Sources: t.me/V_Zelenskiy_official, t.me/energoatom_ua, Centre for Strategic Communication, Ministry of Defense of Ukraine, the National Police of Ukraine censor.net, Ukrainska Pravda, radiosvoboda.org, eurointegration.com.ua



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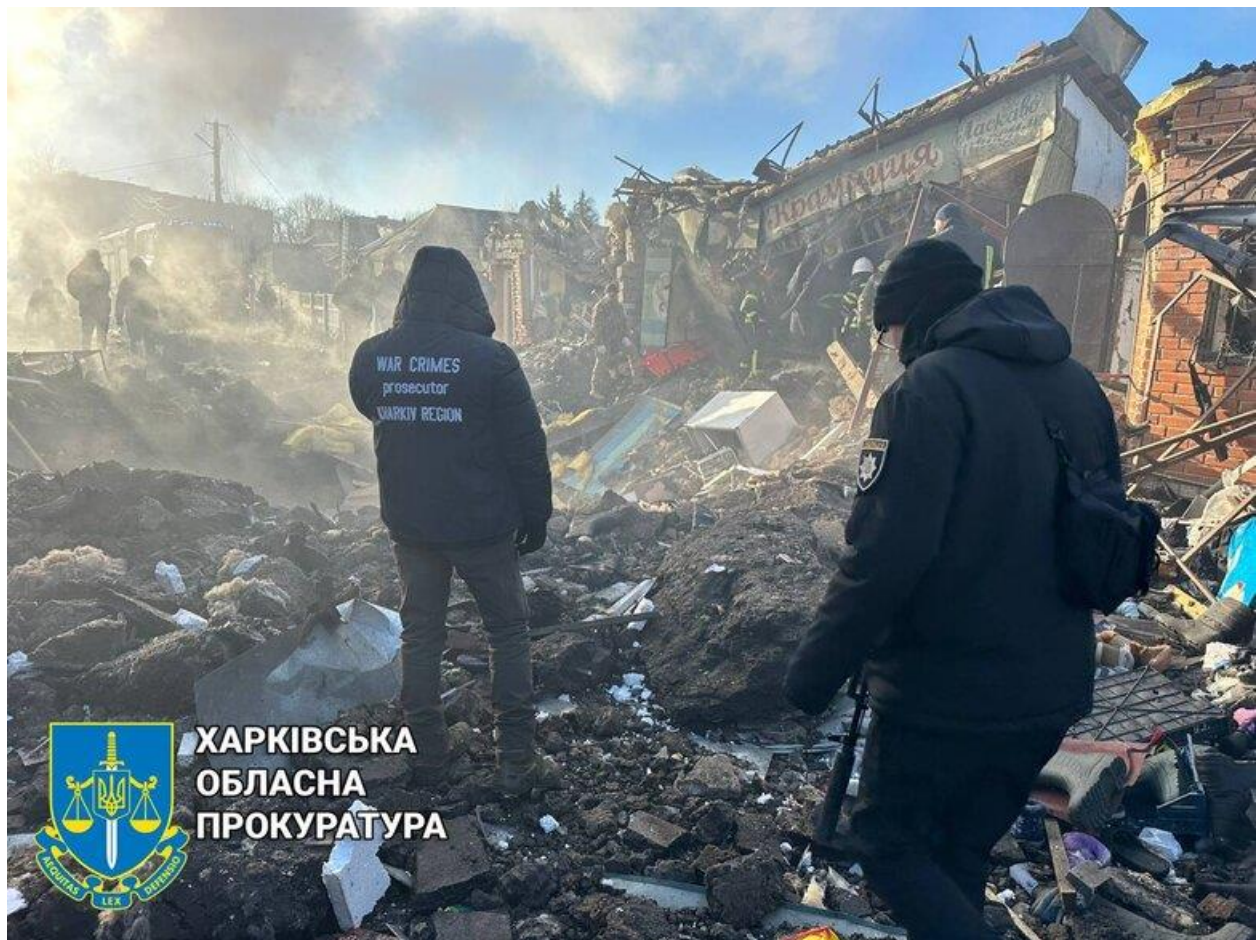


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Russians hit the city of Kherson: one person killed, one injured



Two women were killed as result of shelling of market in Shevchenkove. 7 people were injured, including 13-year-old child.



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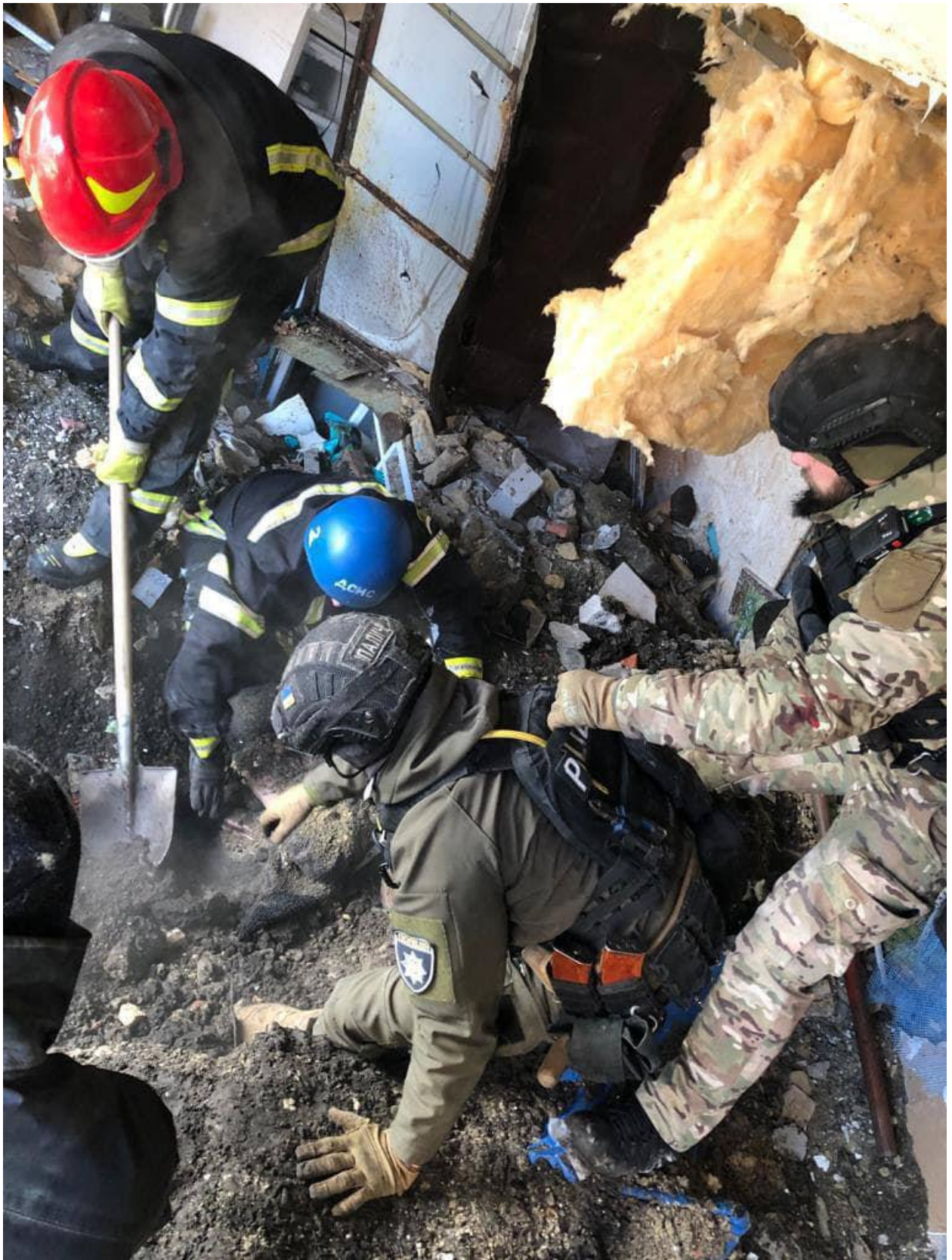


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Rescuers remove people from the rubble after the Russian attack in the Kharkiv region

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THE UKRAINIAN NUCLEAR SOCIETY IS ACTIVELY ENGAGED IN VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES, HELPING OUR COLLEAGUES FROM NUCLEAR POWER PLANTS, REFUGEES FROM THE ZAPOROZHYE NPP, AS WELL AS OUR MEMBERS WHO JOINED THE ARMED FORCES TO DEFENDED OUR COUNTRY.

WE CONSTANTLY NEED MEDICINES, WARM AND THERMAL CLOTHING, HEATERS, BATTERIES AND POWER BANKS, GENERATORS, AS WELL AS PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND OTHER ASSISTANCE.

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