



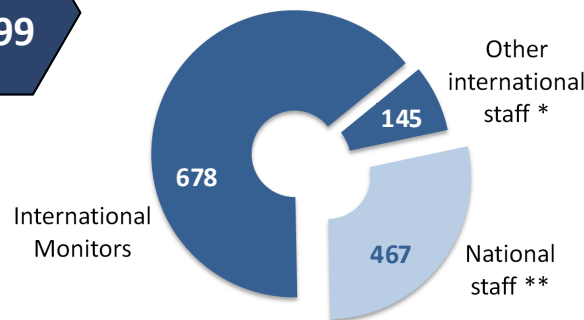
SMM on patrol in Verkhnotoretske, Donetsk region (OSCE SMM)

FACTS MATTER

- Between 29 November and 12 December, the SMM recorded 7,322 ceasefire violations compared with 7,333 in the previous two-week period.
- During the reporting period, the Mission's freedom of movement was restricted 57 times, including 55 instances in non-government-controlled areas. SMM unmanned aerial vehicles (UAVs) were assessed as targeted by small-arms fire four times in government-controlled areas and seven times in non-government-controlled areas. The Mission's UAVs experienced signal interference, assessed as caused by probable jamming, on 92 occasions while flying on both sides of the contact line.
- The Mission continued to monitor the disengagement areas near Stanytsia Luhanska, Zolote and Petrivske. It recorded ceasefire violations inside the disengagement area near Petrivske and, for the first time since April 2020, inside the disengagement area near Stanytsia Luhanska. The Mission also spotted people inside the disengagement areas near Petrivske and Zolote.
- The SMM corroborated reports of a man injured due to the detonation of an explosive object near government-controlled Marinka, Donetsk region, and of two civilian casualties due to shelling in Luhansk region – a man injured in government-controlled Stanytsia Luhanska and a woman injured in non-government-controlled Dovhe. Since the beginning of 2021, the SMM has confirmed 88 civilian casualties (16 fatalities and 72 injured).
- The Mission followed up on reports of damage to nine civilian objects on both sides of the contact line in Luhansk region. Since the beginning of 2021, the SMM has confirmed damage to 206 civilian objects and infrastructure sites in both Donetsk and Luhansk regions.
- The Mission continued to monitor the situation of civilians, including at five entry-exit checkpoints and the corresponding checkpoints of the armed formations, of which two were open (one daily and the other only two days a week).
- The SMM continued to facilitate the operation of the Donetsk Filtration Station and to monitor the security situation near the pumping station near Vasylivka, providing water to 380,000 and 1.2 million civilians, respectively, on both sides of the contact line.
- Since the beginning of the year, the SMM has facilitated exchange of security guarantees to enable repairs and maintenance to 101 public infrastructure sites on both sides of the contact line (66 in Donetsk region and 35 in Luhansk region) providing water, electricity, gas and communication services to over five million civilians.
- The SMM's daily reports are available in three languages (English, Ukrainian and Russian) on the OSCE website: www.osce.org/ukraine-smm/reports.

TOTAL
1,299

MISSION MEMBERS as of 13 December 2021



* Other international staff includes Chief Monitor, two Deputy Chief Monitors, advisors, analysts, etc.

** National staff includes assistants, advisors and administrative personnel.

MISSION MONITORS

Albania	6	Kyrgyzstan	31
Armenia	2	Latvia	5
Austria	6	Lithuania	1
Azerbaijan	1	Moldova	36
Belarus	4	Mongolia	1
Belgium	2	Montenegro	3
Bosnia and Herzegovina	52	Netherlands	7
Bulgaria	41	North Macedonia	23
Canada	27	Norway	9
Croatia	10	Poland	24
Czech Republic	12	Romania	29
Denmark	2	Russian Federation	26
Estonia	2	Serbia	16
Finland	15	Slovakia	13
France	16	Spain	7
Georgia	22	Sweden	13
Germany	33	Switzerland	2
Greece	21	Tajikistan	14
Hungary	14	Turkey	11
Ireland	9	United Kingdom	43
Italy	15	United States	58
Kazakhstan	3		
		TOTAL	687
Male	540	Female	147

SPECIAL MONITORING MISSION TO UKRAINE

Who we are

- Unarmed civilian monitors;
- Around 678 monitors across Ukraine;
- Around 516 based in the east;
- From 43 OSCE participating States.

What we do

- Report the facts as we observe and establish them;
- Gather information and report on the security situation;
- Report on the humanitarian situation and people's needs, and facilitate the delivery of humanitarian aid of other organizations;
- Help to establish dialogue and local ceasefires.

Important to understand:

- It is up to the sides to stop the fighting;
- We do not conduct investigations, but report on facts;
- We do not deliver but facilitate the delivery of humanitarian aid.