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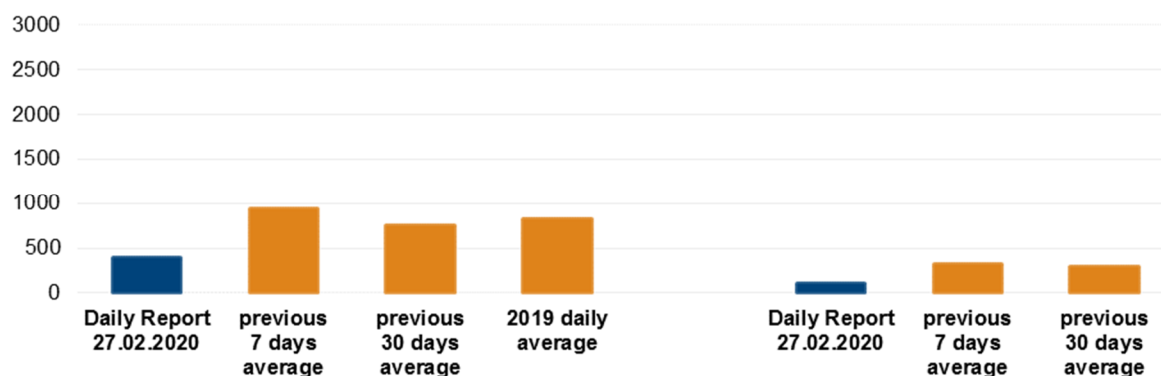
27 February 2020¹

Summary

- Compared with the previous reporting period, the SMM recorded fewer ceasefire violations in Donetsk region and a similar number of ceasefire violations in Luhansk region.
- The SMM continued monitoring the disengagement areas near Stanytsia Luhanska and Zolote, and recorded ceasefire violations inside the disengagement area near Petrivske.
- The SMM facilitated localized ceasefires to enable repairs to and the operation of critical civilian infrastructure. It recorded ceasefire violations while repairs were taking place.
- Members of the armed formations restricted the SMM's freedom of movement at checkpoints near Verkhnoшыrokyvske and Starolaspa, in southern Donetsk region.*

Ceasefire violations²

Number of recorded ceasefire violations³ Number of recorded explosions⁴



¹ Based on information from the Monitoring Teams as of 19:30, 26 February 2020. All times are in Eastern European Time.

² For a complete breakdown of ceasefire violations, please see the annexed table.

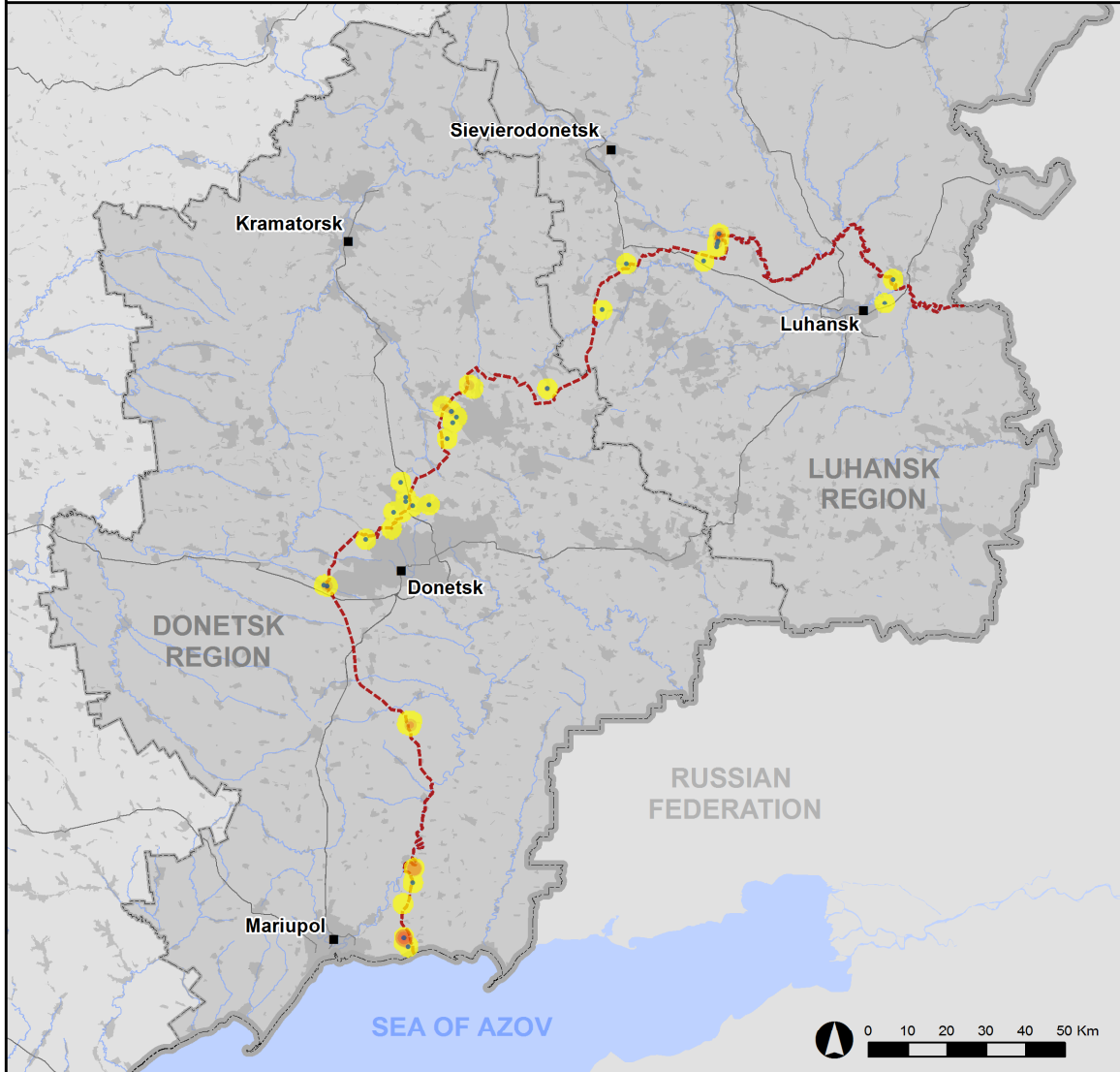
³ Including explosions.

⁴ Including from unidentified weapons.

Map of recorded ceasefire violations

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Ceasefire violations observed by the SMM 26 February 2020



Ceasefire violation concentration

- High
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- Low

- Explosion
- Settlement
- Estimated line of contact

Sources: Administrative Boundaries - OCHA; Roads, Rivers - OpenStreetMap; Sea - VLIZ (2005). IHO Sea Areas; Other - OSCE.

Coordinate System: WGS 1984 UTM Zone 37N

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In Donetsk region, the SMM recorded fewer ceasefire violations, including fewer explosions (about 65), compared with the [previous reporting period](#) (about 130 explosions). About half of the ceasefire violations were recorded in areas north of Shyrokyne (government-controlled, 100km south of Donetsk).

In Luhansk region, the Mission recorded a similar number of ceasefire violations, all of which were explosions (38), compared with the previous reporting period (about 40 explosions). The majority of ceasefire violations, including the majority of explosions, were recorded in areas west-north-west of Krasnyi Lyman (non-government-controlled, 30km north-west of Luhansk) and west-south-west of Trokhizbenka (government-controlled, 32km north-west of Luhansk).

Disengagement areas near Stanytsia Luhanska, Zolote and Petrivske⁵

On the morning of 26 February, while positioned about 270m north of the Stanytsia Luhanska bridge (15km north-east of Luhansk), the SMM heard an undetermined explosion at an assessed range of 5-7km south-west. While on the eastern edge of Stanytsia Luhanska (government-controlled, 16km north-east of Luhansk), the SMM heard an undetermined explosion at an assessed range of 3-5km west-south-west. Both were assessed as outside the **disengagement area near Stanytsia Luhanska**.

On the same day, inside the disengagement area near Stanytsia Luhanska, the SMM saw nine members of the armed formations (wearing armbands with “JCCC” written on them) between the new span of the bridge and their checkpoint south of it.

On the evening of 25 February, the SMM camera in Zolote (government-controlled, 60km west of Luhansk) recorded an undetermined explosion at an assessed range of 2-4km east, assessed as outside the **disengagement area near Zolote** but within 5km of its periphery.

On 26 February, around 450m south of the northern edge of the disengagement area near Zolote and near road T-1316, the SMM [again](#) saw three wooden ammunition boxes and a metal object, assessed as a used smoke grenade tube, lying on the ground. On the same day, the SMM saw a member of the armed formations (wearing an armband with “JCCC” written on it) near the southern edge of the Zolote disengagement area.

On the evening and night between 25 and 26 February, the SMM camera 2km east of Bohdanivka (government-controlled, 41km south-west of Donetsk) recorded 15 projectiles in flight at an assessed range of 1-4km east-south-east, assessed as inside the **disengagement area near Petrivske** (non-government-controlled, 41km south of Donetsk), as well as four projectiles in flight at an assessed range of 1-4km east, which were unable to be assessed as inside or outside the disengagement area.

Withdrawal of weapons

The SMM continued to monitor the withdrawal of weapons in implementation of the Memorandum and the Package of Measures and its Addendum.

⁵ Disengagement is foreseen in the Framework Decision of the Trilateral Contact Group relating to disengagement of forces and hardware of 21 September 2016.

It observed 11 weapons beyond withdrawal lines but outside designated storage sites, all in a training area in a non-government-controlled area of Donetsk region (see the table below for further details).

Indications of military and military-type presence in the security zone⁶

The SMM observed armoured combat vehicles inside the security zone in government-controlled areas of Donetsk region, including within a residential area and near a former school used as a military compound in Pavlopil (government-controlled, 82km south of Donetsk) (see the table below for further details).

In Kalmiuske (formerly Komsomolske, non-government-controlled, 42km south-east of Donetsk), the SMM saw at least 50 members of the armed formations and at least ten military-type trucks with “DPR” plates. On its southern outskirts, in a compound of the armed formations, the SMM also saw several military-type trucks with “DPR” plates being loaded (cargo not visible).

Situations of civilians at checkpoints along the contact line

On 24 February, a doctor from an international organization at the entry-exit checkpoint (EECP) near Marinka (government-controlled, 23km south-west of Donetsk) and a representative of the Marinka police department separately told the SMM that a 80-year-old man had lost consciousness while at the EECP and traveling toward non-government-controlled areas, and had later died.

On 26 February, at the EECP of the Ukrainian Armed Forces north of the Stanytsia Luhanska bridge, at about 08:10, the SMM saw about 400 people queuing to exit government-controlled areas and about 300 people queuing in the opposite direction. About two hours later, at a checkpoint of the armed formations south of the Stanytsia Luhanska bridge, the SMM saw about 150 people queuing to enter government-controlled areas and about 50 queuing in the opposite direction. The Mission saw another 150 people queuing at a nearby bus stop.

Mine hazard signs in Staromykhailivka and Petrivske

The SMM saw for the first time two mine hazard signs on the edge of a local road on the south-western edge of Staromykhailivka (non-government-controlled, 15km west of Donetsk). Both signs read “Stop, Mines” and “Danger, Mines” in Russian and English. The second sign also included the logo of an international humanitarian organization and an inscription (in Russian) with an emergency contact telephone number and a warning about mines being present along the road (for previous observations in the area, see [SMM Daily Report 7 August 2019](#)).

The SMM saw for the first time at least five red triangles (assessed as mine hazard signs) attached to a fence surrounding a compound on the south-western edge of Petrivske (non-government-controlled, 40km south-east of Donetsk).

⁶ The hardware mentioned in this section is not proscribed by the provisions of the Minsk agreements on the withdrawal of weapons.

SMM facilitation of repairs to and operation of critical civilian infrastructure

The Mission facilitated and monitored adherence to localized ceasefires to enable repairs to water infrastructure near Pervomaiske (government-controlled, 17km north-west of Donetsk) and near Krasnyi Lyman (non-government-controlled, 30km north-west of Luhansk). While positioned near Pervomaiske, the SMM heard two undetermined explosions about 2km from the water infrastructure.

It continued to facilitate the operation of the Donetsk Filtration Station (15km north of Donetsk) (DFS) and to monitor the security situation in the area of the pumping station near Vasylivka (non-government-controlled, 20km north of Donetsk). While positioned at three locations near the DFS, the SMM heard ten undetermined explosions, including some less than 1km from the DFS.

The Mission continued monitoring in Kherson, Odessa, Lviv, Ivano-Frankivsk, Kharkiv, Dnipro, Chernivtsi and Kyiv.

***Restrictions of the SMM's freedom of movement or other impediments to fulfilment of its mandate**

The SMM's monitoring and freedom of movement are restricted by security hazards and threats, including risks posed by mines, unexploded ordnance (UXO) and other impediments – which vary from day to day. The SMM's mandate provides for safe and secure access throughout Ukraine. All signatories of the Package of Measures have agreed on the need for this safe and secure access, that restriction of the SMM's freedom of movement constitutes a violation, and on the need for rapid response to these violations. They have also agreed that the Joint Centre for Control and Co-ordination (JCCC) should contribute to such response and co-ordinate mine clearance. Nonetheless, the armed formations in parts of Donetsk and Luhansk regions frequently deny the SMM access to areas adjacent to Ukraine's border outside control of the Government (for example, see [SMM Daily Report 26 February 2020](#).) The SMM's operations in Donetsk and Luhansk regions remain restricted following [the fatal incident of 23 April 2017 near Pryshyb](#); these restrictions continued to limit the Mission's observations.

Denial of access:

- On two occasions at a checkpoint 600m west of Verkhnoшыrokivske (formerly Oktiabr, non-government-controlled, 85km south of Donetsk), armed members of the armed formations [again](#) denied the SMM passage, citing “engineering works in the area”. While at the checkpoint, the SMM saw civilian traffic proceeding in both directions.
- At a checkpoint about 600m east of Starolaspa (non-government-controlled, 51km south of Donetsk), an armed member of the armed formations [again](#) denied the SMM passage, citing “orders from superiors”. While at the checkpoint, the SMM saw cars passing through.

Regular restrictions related to disengagement areas and mines/UXO:

- The sides continued to deny the SMM full access, as well as the ability to travel certain roads previously identified as important for effective monitoring by the Mission and for civilians' movement, through failure to conduct comprehensive clearance of mines, UXO and other obstacles.

Conditional access:

- At a checkpoint about 3km south-east of Kreminets (non-government-controlled, 16km south-west of Donetsk), a member of the armed formations allowed the SMM to proceed only after inspecting its trailer.

Other impediments:

- On 25 February, an SMM long-range UAV experienced GPS signal interference, assessed as caused by probable jamming, while flying over areas between government-controlled Kostiantynivka (60km north of Donetsk) and Andriivka (57km north of Donetsk); Popasna (government-controlled, 69km west of Luhansk) and Debaltseve (non-government-controlled, 58km north-east of Donetsk); government-controlled Talakivka (90km south of Donetsk) and Oleksandro-Kalynove (47km north of Donetsk); and Khreshchatytske (formerly Krasnoarmiiske, non-government-controlled, 86km south of Donetsk) and Trudivske (government-controlled, 47km south of Donetsk). The same UAV also experienced dual GPS signal interference, assessed as caused by jamming, while flying over areas between Andriivka and Debaltseve.⁷

⁷ The interference could have occurred within a radius of several kilometres from the UAV's position.

Table of weapons

Weapons beyond withdrawal lines but outside designated storage sites

Date	No. of weapons	Type of weapon	Location	Source of observation
Non-government-controlled areas				
25/02/2020	9	Tank (T-72)	In a training area near Pokrovka (36km east of Donetsk)	Long-range UAV
	2	Towed howitzer (D-30 <i>Lyagushka</i> , 122mm)		

Table of military and military-type presence in the security zone⁸

Date	No.	Type	Location	Source of observation
Government-controlled areas				
25/02/2020	1	Infantry fighting vehicle (BMP-2)	In a residential area in Pavlopil (84km south of Donetsk) (the BTR-70 was spotted in the yard of a former school used as a military compound)	Long-range UAV
	1	Armoured personnel carrier (BTR-70)		
	1	Armoured combat vehicle	In Pyshevyk (84km south of Donetsk)	
	2	Infantry fighting vehicle (BMP-2)	Near Berezove (31km south-west of Donetsk)	
	1	Armoured combat vehicle	Near Slavne (26km south-west of Donetsk)	
26/02/2020	1	Probable armoured combat vehicle	Near Chernenko (86km south of Donetsk)	Mini-UAV
Non-government-controlled areas				
26/02/2020	-	Members of the armed formations and military-type trucks with "DPR" plates	In Kalmiuske (formerly Komsomolske, 42km south-east of Donetsk), including at a compound of the armed formations	Patrol

⁸ The hardware mentioned in this section is not proscribed by the provisions of the Minsk agreements on the withdrawal of weapons.

Table of ceasefire violations as of 26 February 2020⁹

SMM position	Event location	Means	No.	Observation	Description	Weapon	Date, time
SMM camera in Avdiivka (government-controlled, 17km N of Donetsk)	2-3km SE	Recorded	4	Projectile	NNE to SSW	N/K	26-Feb, 03:37
SMM camera 2km E of Bohdanivka (government-controlled, 41km SW of Donetsk)	2-4km ESE	Recorded	13	Projectile	SSW to NNE (assessed as inside the disengagement area near Petrivske)	N/K	25-Feb, 19:10
	1-3km E	Recorded	1	Projectile	In vertical flight (unable to assess whether inside or outside the disengagement area near Petrivske)	N/K	25-Feb, 23:24
	2-4km E	Recorded	2	Projectile	NNE to SSW (unable to assess whether inside or outside the disengagement area near Petrivske)	N/K	25-Feb, 23:24
	2-4km E	Recorded	1	Projectile	WSW to ENE (unable to assess whether inside or outside the disengagement area near Petrivske)	N/K	26-Feb, 00:33
	1-3km ESE	Recorded	2	Projectile	NNE to SSW (assessed as inside the disengagement area near Petrivske)	N/K	26-Feb, 00:42
SMM camera in Chermalyk (government-controlled, 77km S of Donetsk)	2-4km SE	Recorded	22	Projectile	NNE to SSW	N/K	25-Feb, 21:53
	2-4km SE	Recorded	14	Projectile	NNE to SSW	N/K	25-Feb, 21:54
	2-4km SE	Recorded	10	Projectile	NNE to SSW	N/K	25-Feb, 21:55
	2-4km SE	Recorded	6	Projectile	NNE to SSW	N/K	25-Feb, 21:56
	2-4km SE	Recorded	2	Projectile	W to E	N/K	25-Feb, 23:54
SMM camera 1.5km NE of Hnutove (government-controlled, 90km S of Donetsk)	2-4km SE	Recorded	1	Projectile	NNE to SSW	N/K	26-Feb, 00:50
	2-4km SE	Recorded	2	Projectile	NNE to SSW	N/K	26-Feb, 00:53
	2-4km SE	Recorded	3	Projectile	NNE to SSW	N/K	26-Feb, 01:07

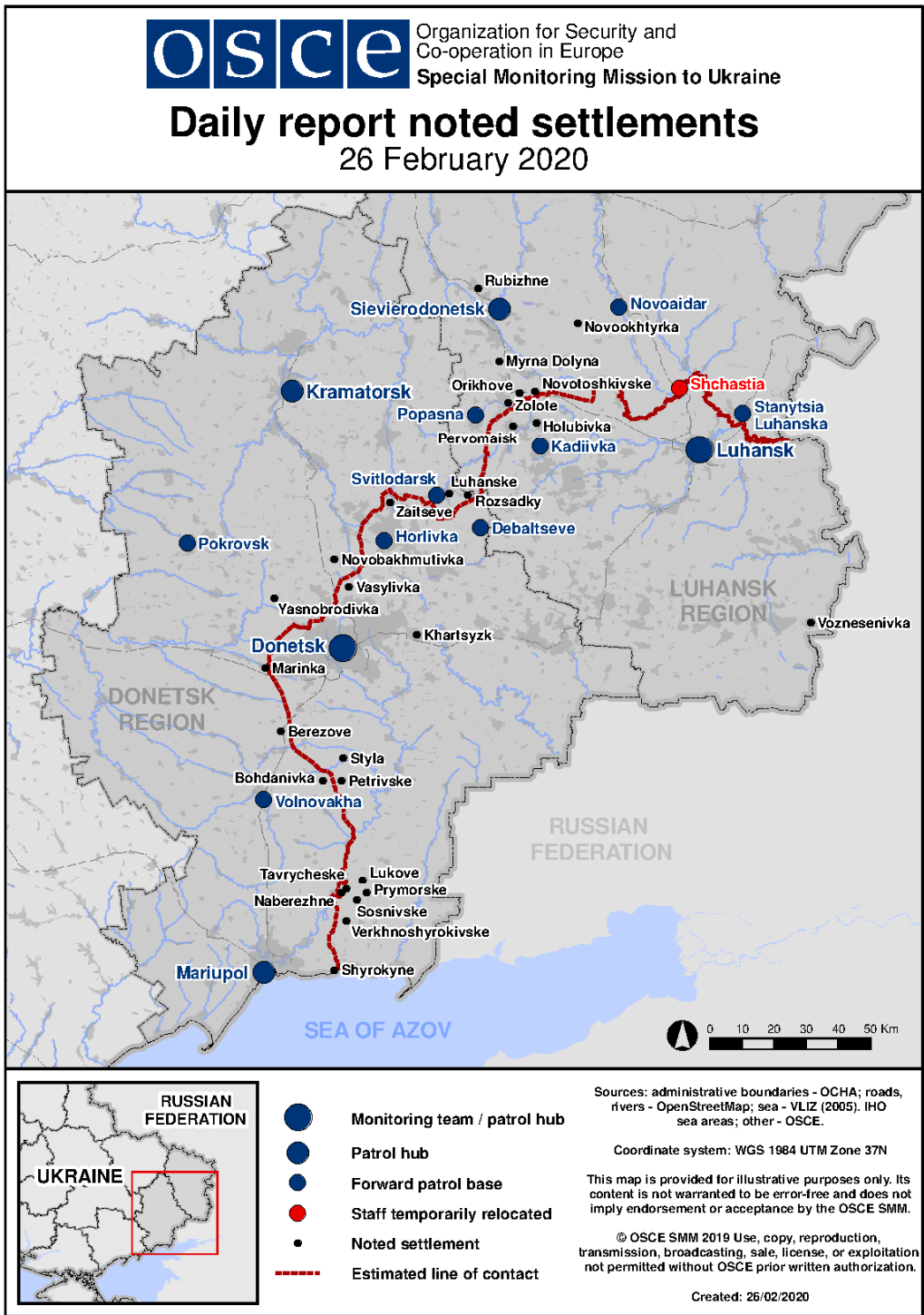
⁹ The table only includes ceasefire violations directly observed by the SMM patrols or recorded by the SMM cameras and it may include those also assessed to be live-fire exercises, controlled detonations, etc. Details provided – in terms of distance, direction, weapons-type, etc. – are based on assessments provided by monitors on the ground and technical monitoring officers, and are not always necessarily precise. When information is not known (indicated with an “N/K”), the SMM was unable to ascertain such information due to distance, weather conditions technical limitations and/or other considerations. Ceasefire violations recorded by more than one patrol/camera and assessed to be the same are entered only once.

SMM camera at entry-exit checkpoint in Hnutove (government-controlled, 84km S of Donetsk)	2-4km ENE	Recorded	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	25-Feb, 20:12
SMM camera at entry-exit checkpoint in Maiorsk (government-controlled, 45km NE of Donetsk)	1-3km ENE	Recorded	6	Projectile	SSW to NNE	N/K	25-Feb, 21:52
	1-3km ENE	Recorded	3	Projectile	SSW to NNE	N/K	25-Feb, 23:47
	1-3km ENE	Recorded	3	Projectile	SSW to NNE	N/K	26-Feb, 00:44
SMM camera at entry-exit checkpoint in Marinka (government-controlled, 23km SW of Donetsk)	2-4km E	Recorded	1	Illumination flare	In vertical flight	N/K	26-Feb, 03:42
	1-3km N	Recorded	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	25-Feb, 22:03
	1-3km NNE	Recorded	2	Explosion	Airburst	N/K	25-Feb, 22:18
	1-3km NNE	Recorded	1	Projectile	In vertical flight	N/K	25-Feb, 22:18
	1-3km NNE	Recorded	1	Projectile	W to E	N/K	25-Feb, 22:18
	1-3km NNE	Recorded	1	Projectile	W to E	N/K	25-Feb, 22:20
	1-3km NNE	Recorded	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	25-Feb, 22:20
	1-3km NNE	Recorded	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	25-Feb, 22:22
	1-3km NNE	Recorded	1	Projectile	In vertical flight	N/K	25-Feb, 22:32
	1-3km NNE	Recorded	1	Explosion	Airburst (subsequent to the previous event)	N/K	25-Feb, 22:32
	1-3km NNE	Recorded	1	Projectile	W to E	N/K	26-Feb, 03:35
1-3km NNE	Recorded	1	Projectile	W to E	N/K	26-Feb, 03:41	
1-3km NNE	Recorded	3	Projectile	W to E	N/K	26-Feb, 03:47	
SMM camera at Oktiabr mine (non-government-controlled, 9km NW of Donetsk city centre)	2-4km NE	Recorded	3	Projectile	SSE to NNW	N/K	26-Feb, 03:31
	2-4km NE	Recorded	4	Projectile	SSE to NNW	N/K	26-Feb, 03:37
SMM camera 1km SW of Shyrokyne (government-controlled, 100km S of Donetsk)	3-5km N	Recorded	3	Projectile	E to W	N/K	25-Feb, 19:02
	4-6km N	Recorded	1	Projectile	SSE to NNW	N/K	25-Feb, 19:59
	4-6km N	Recorded	2	Projectile	ESE to WNW	N/K	25-Feb, 19:59
	4-6km N	Recorded	6	Projectile	ESE to WNW	N/K	25-Feb, 20:02
	4-6km N	Recorded	7	Projectile	ESE to WNW	N/K	25-Feb, 20:03
	4-6km N	Recorded	5	Projectile	SE to NW	N/K	25-Feb, 20:04
	4-6km N	Recorded	13	Projectile	ESE to WNW	N/K	25-Feb, 20:04
	4-6km N	Recorded	2	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	25-Feb, 20:05
	4-6km N	Recorded	2	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	25-Feb, 20:06
	4-6km N	Recorded	7	Projectile	ESE to WNW	N/K	25-Feb, 20:07
	4-6km N	Recorded	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	25-Feb, 20:09
	2-4km NNE	Recorded	2	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	25-Feb, 20:12
	4-6km N	Recorded	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	25-Feb, 20:15
	4-6km N	Recorded	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	25-Feb, 20:45
	4-6km N	Recorded	2	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	25-Feb, 20:50
	4-6km N	Recorded	5	Projectile	W to E	N/K	25-Feb, 22:50
	4-6km N	Recorded	10	Projectile	ESE to WNW	N/K	25-Feb, 23:13
	4-6km N	Recorded	2	Projectile	ESE to WNW	N/K	25-Feb, 23:30
	2-4km NNE	Recorded	5	Projectile	ESE to WNW	N/K	25-Feb, 23:37
	4-6km N	Recorded	8	Projectile	ESE to WNW	N/K	25-Feb, 23:59
	4-6km N	Recorded	5	Projectile	ESE to WNW	N/K	26-Feb, 00:00
	4-6km N	Recorded	35	Projectile	ESE to WNW	N/K	26-Feb, 00:01
	4-6km N	Recorded	1	Projectile	WSW to ENE	N/K	26-Feb, 00:03
	4-6km N	Recorded	2	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 00:03
	4-6km N	Recorded	1	Projectile	WSW to ENE	N/K	26-Feb, 00:05

	4-6km N	Recorded	2	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 00:05
	4-6km N	Recorded	1	Projectile	WSW to ENE	N/K	26-Feb, 00:06
	4-6km N	Recorded	1	Projectile	SSW to NNE	N/K	26-Feb, 00:06
	4-6km N	Recorded	2	Projectile	W to E	N/K	26-Feb, 00:43
	4-6km N	Recorded	1	Projectile	ESE to WNW (also recorded by the SMM cameras near Hnutove and at the entry-exit checkpoint in Hnutove)	N/K	26-Feb, 00:50
	4-6km N	Recorded	4	Projectile	ESE to WNW	N/K	26-Feb, 00:50
	4-6km N	Recorded	1	Projectile	ESE to WNW	N/K	26-Feb, 00:54
	4-6km N	Recorded	1	Projectile	ESE to WNW (also recorded by the SMM cameras near Hnutove and at the entry-exit checkpoint in Hnutove)	N/K	26-Feb, 00:54
	4-6km N	Recorded	12	Projectile	WSW to ENE	N/K	26-Feb, 01:19
	4-6km N	Recorded	2	Projectile	WSW to ENE	N/K	26-Feb, 01:36
	4-6km N	Recorded	10	Projectile	WSW to ENE	N/K	26-Feb, 01:51
	4-6km N	Recorded	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 02:54
	4-6km N	Recorded	3	Projectile	W to E	N/K	26-Feb, 03:17
	4-6km N	Recorded	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 03:17
	4-6km N	Recorded	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 03:38
	4-6km N	Recorded	4	Projectile	ESE to WNW	N/K	26-Feb, 04:11
	4-6km N	Recorded	1	Projectile	ESE to WNW	N/K	26-Feb, 04:12
About 1km NW of Yasynuvata Railway station (non-government-controlled, 16km NE of Donetsk)	2-3km E	Heard	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 13:40
About 700m E of Kruta Balka (non-government-controlled, 16km N of Donetsk)	2-3km SW	Heard	2	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 10:44
E edge of Avdiivka (government-controlled, 17km N of Donetsk)	3-5km SSW	Heard	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 10:39
SE edge of Avdiivka (government-controlled, 17km N of Donetsk)	5-7km N	Heard	5	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 13:35-13:41
About 2km SE of Pervomaiske (government-controlled, 17km NW of Donetsk)	3km SSE	Heard	2	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 15:35
Svitlodarsk (government-	4-5km SW	Heard	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	25-Feb, 21:15
	2-3km SW	Heard	3	Burst		HMG	25-Feb, 21:17

controlled, 57km NE of Donetsk)	4-5km SW	Heard	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	25-Feb, 21:24
	4-6km SE	Heard	2	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 18:21
	4-6km SE	Heard	6	Burst		HMG	26-Feb, 18:21
Horlivka (non-government-controlled, 39km NE of Donetsk)	4-5km WNW	Heard	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	25-Feb, 21:06
	6-7km NW	Heard	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	25-Feb, 21:23
	4-5km WNW	Heard	3	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	25-Feb, 22:07
	6-7km NW	Heard	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	25-Feb, 22:18
	4-5km NW	Heard	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	25-Feb, 23:14
	5-7km WSW	Heard	3	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 14:20-14:27
	6-7km NW	Heard	6	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 17:26-17:37
Zalizne (formerly Artemove, government-controlled, 42km NE of Donetsk)	2-3km S	Heard	8	Burst		Small arms	26-Feb, 10:25
About 500m NE of Kamianka (government-controlled, 20km N of Donetsk)	4-5km S	Heard	2	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 13:20
	3-4km S	Heard	5	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 13:35-13:39
SMM camera in Zolote (government-controlled, 60km W of Luhansk)	2-4km E	Recorded	1	Explosion	Undetermined (assessed as outside the disengagement area)	N/K	25-Feb, 20:19
E edge of Stanytsia Luhanska (government-controlled, 16km NE of Luhansk)	3-5km WSW	Heard	1	Explosion	Undetermined (assessed as outside the disengagement area)	N/K	26-Feb, 06:30
270m N of Stanytsia Luhanska Bridge (15km NE of Luhansk)	5-7km SW	Heard	1	Explosion	Undetermined (assessed as outside the disengagement area)	N/K	26-Feb, 09:40
Krasnyi Lyman (non-government-controlled, 30km NW of Luhansk)	8-10km WNW	Heard	13	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 11:02-11:15
	8-10km WNW	Heard	6	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 11:17-11:22
N edge of Trokhizbenka (government-controlled, 32km NW of Luhansk)	8-10km WSW	Heard	5	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 10:35-10:50
	8-10km WSW	Heard	2	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 12:00-12:04
Trokhizbenka (government-controlled, 32km NW of Luhansk)	8-10km WSW	Heard	5	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 11:35-11:45
W edge of Kriakivka (government-controlled, 38km NW of Luhansk)	8-10km SSW	Heard	2	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 13:05
About 1.5km NNW of Kalynove-Borshchuvate (non-government-controlled, 61km W of Luhansk)	5-7km SSW	Heard	2	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	26-Feb, 13:51

Map of Donetsk and Luhansk regions¹⁰



¹⁰ The SMM is deployed to ten locations throughout Ukraine – Kherson, Odessa, Lviv, Ivano-Frankivsk, Kharkiv, Donetsk, Dnipro, Chernivtsi, Luhansk and Kyiv – as per Permanent Council Decision 1117 of 21 March 2014. This map of eastern Ukraine is meant for illustrative purposes and indicates locations mentioned in the report, as well as those where the SMM has offices (monitoring teams, patrol hubs, and forward patrol bases) in Donetsk and Luhansk regions. (In red: a forward patrol base from which SMM staff has temporarily relocated based on recommendations of security experts from participating States as well as SMM security considerations. The SMM uses the premises during daylight hours and patrols in this settlement during daylight hours, as well).