

Daily Report 9/2020

13 January 2020¹

Summary

- Compared with the previous reporting period, between the evenings of 10 and 11 January, the SMM recorded fewer ceasefire violations in both Donetsk and Luhansk regions.
- Between the evenings of 11 and 12 January, the Mission recorded fewer ceasefire violations in Donetsk region and more in Luhansk region, compared with the previous 24 hours.
- A man was injured and civilian properties were damaged by shelling in non-government-controlled Holubivka, in Luhansk region.
- Small-arms fire was assessed as directed at SMM mini-unmanned aerial vehicle near government-controlled Novoluhanske, in Donetsk region.
- The SMM continued monitoring the situation in the disengagement areas near Stanytsia Luhanska, Zolote and Petrivske.
- The Mission again saw the presence of anti-tank mines near Vodiane and Pikuzy.
- The Mission saw long queues at checkpoints along the contact line.
- Freedom of movement for the SMM continued to be restricted, including near Verkhnoшыrokyvske, Markyne, Novoazovsk and Zaichenko, all in non-government-controlled areas of Donetsk region.*

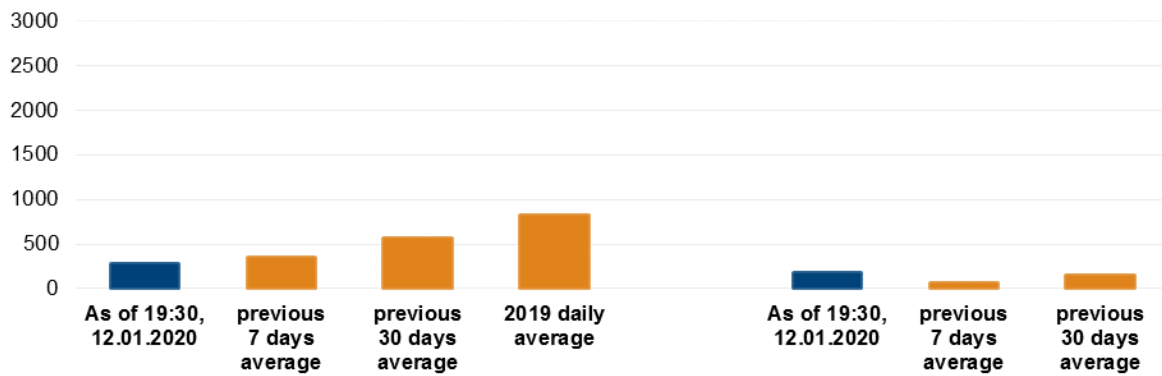
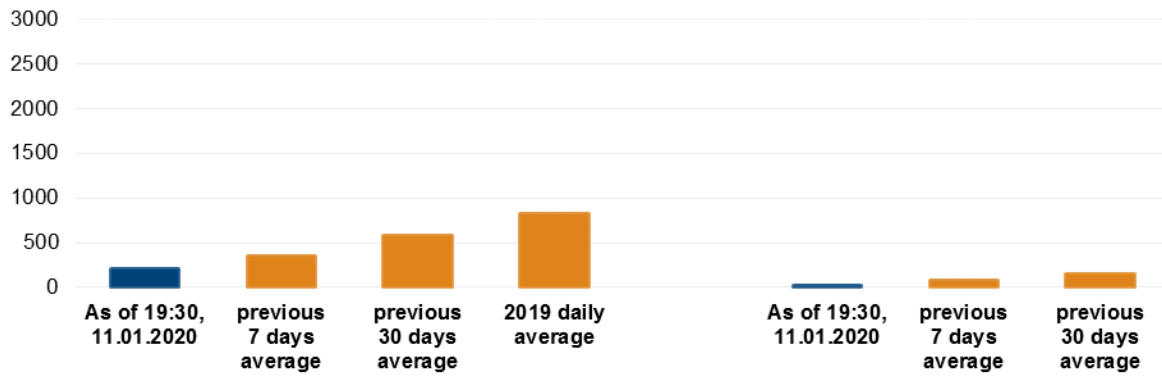
Ceasefire violations²

¹ Based on information from the Monitoring Teams as of 19:30, 12 January 2020. All times are in Eastern European Time.

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

Number of recorded ceasefire violations³

Number of recorded explosions⁴

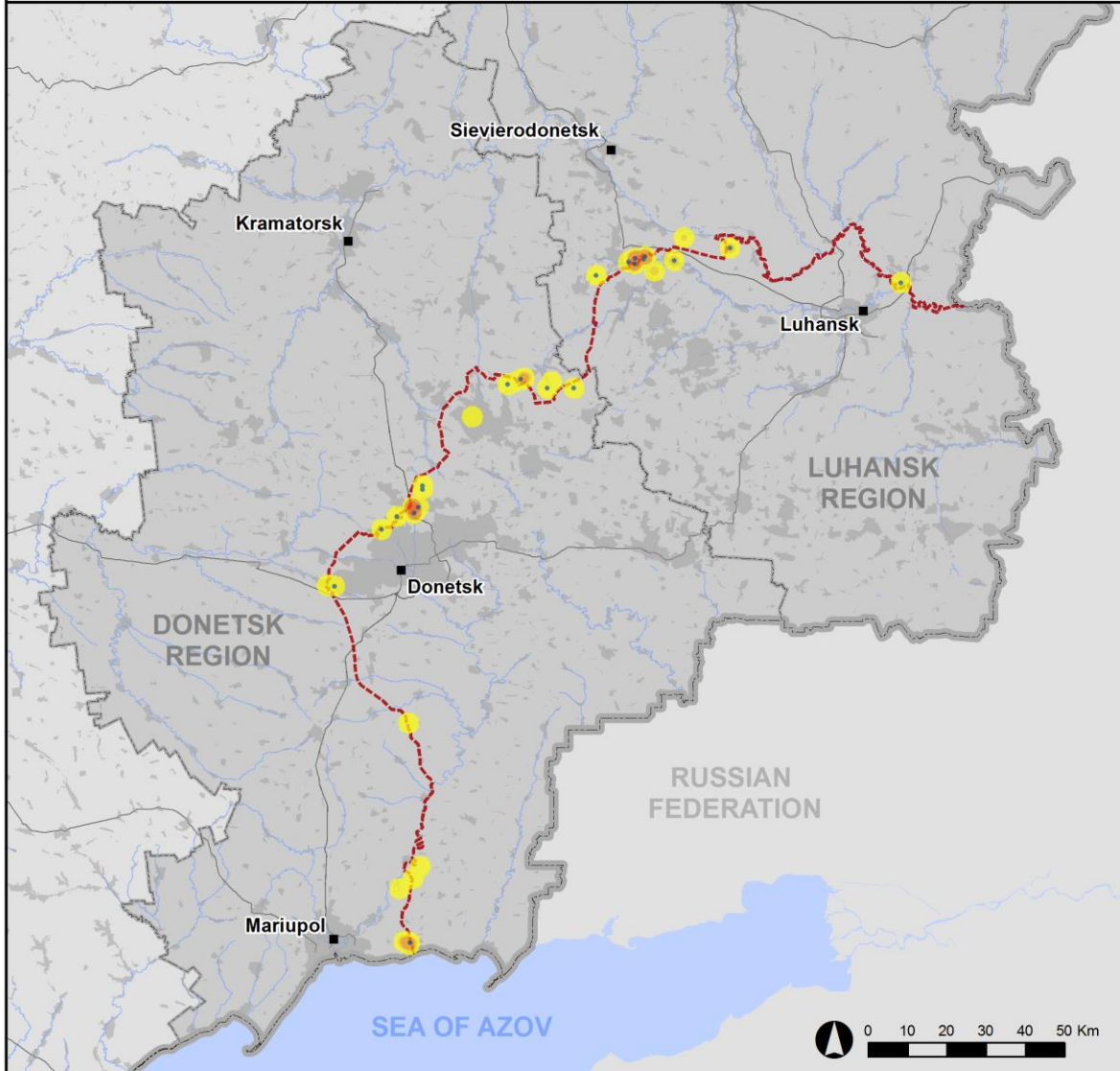


Map of recorded ceasefire violations

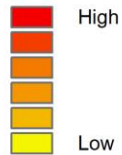
³ Including explosions.

⁴ Including from unidentified weapons.

Ceasefire violations observed by the SMM 11-12 January 2020



Ceasefire violation concentration



- 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, between the evenings of 10 and 11 January, the SMM recorded fewer ceasefire violations, including fewer explosions (seven), compared with the [previous reporting period](#) (about 80 explosions). More than two thirds of the ceasefire violations, including the highest number of explosions, were recorded at northerly and westerly directions of the railway station in Yasynuvata (non-government-controlled, 16km north-east of Donetsk).

Between the evenings of 11 and 12 January, the Mission recorded fewer ceasefire violations, including fewer explosions (five), compared with the previous 24 hours. Almost all ceasefire violations were recorded in areas south-east and west-south-west of Svitlodarsk (government-controlled, 57km north-east of Donetsk) and in northerly directions of Shyrokyne (government-controlled, 100km south of Donetsk).

In Luhansk region, between the evenings of 10 and 11 January, the Mission recorded fewer ceasefire violations, including seven explosions, compared with the [previous reporting period](#) (eight explosions). The majority of ceasefire violations were recorded in areas north-north-east of Holubivka (formerly Kirovsk, non-government-controlled, 51km west of Luhansk) and in areas south-west of Trokhizbenka (government-controlled, 32km north-west of Luhansk), where almost all explosions occurred.

Between the evenings of 11 and 12 January, the SMM recorded more ceasefire violations, including more explosions (about 140), compared with the previous 24 hours. The majority of ceasefire violations, including the majority of explosions, were recorded at north-north-easterly directions of Pervomaisk (non-government-controlled, 58km west of Luhansk) and northerly directions of Berezivske (non-government-controlled, 53km north-west of Luhansk).

Man injured and civilian properties damaged by shelling in non-government-controlled Holubivka

On 12 January, at a hospital in Holubivka, medical staff told the SMM that on the evening of 10 January a 58-year-old man was admitted with shrapnel injuries to the soft tissue of both his lower legs. On 11 January, a 53-year-old woman, who introduced herself as his spouse, told the Mission that he had been injured during shelling on 10 January. On the same day, at their address at 3 Zaliznychna Street in Holubivka, the SMM saw a crater in the garden, about 5m west of the house and about 2m east of the entrance gate. It saw shrapnel damage to the gate and to the south-west and north-east facing sides of the house, including seven shattered windows. The SMM also saw shrapnel damage to the south-east facing wall, and two shattered windows of a summer kitchen and damage to a wooden roof on the northern side of a chicken coop located 8m west and 12m north-west of the house, respectively. The SMM assessed the damage as fresh and caused by artillery shelling; however, it could not assess the direction of fire.

About 15m south-west of the aforesaid house, at 12 Zaliznychna Street, the SMM saw a house with three shattered windows and shrapnel damage to its north-east-facing side, as well as about 30 holes and scratches on its plasterboard ceiling and a plastered inner wall. A resident (woman in her seventies) told the Mission that on 10 January she had been inside the house when she heard at least four explosions. The SMM assessed the damage as fresh and caused by artillery shelling; however, it could not assess the direction of fire. About 5m west of the house, the Mission saw six workers replacing damaged overhead power lines.

About 1km south of the aforesaid street, at 23 Lva Tolstoho Street, the SMM saw a completely destroyed summer kitchen (with its roof and walls collapsed) attached to the southern wall of a one-storey inhabited house. It saw that the south-east-facing side of the house, including two windows and the south-western part of its roof had sustained shrapnel damage. The SMM assessed the damage as fresh and caused by artillery shelling; however, it could not assess the direction of fire. A resident of the house (man in his eighties) told the SMM that he had been inside the house on 10 January afternoon when he heard a loud explosion. He added that he lived alone and was blind and half-deaf, and that, after the explosion, he had not left the house out of fear, but neighbors had come to help him.

About 7m south-east of the aforesaid house, at 25 Lva Tolstoho Street, the SMM saw two windows covered with plastic sheets and shattered glass laying on the ground near the south-west facing side of a one-storey inhabited house. The SMM assessed the damage as fresh and caused by artillery shelling.

Small-arms fire assessed as directed at SMM mini-unmanned aerial vehicle

On 11 January, while conducting an SMM mini-unmanned aerial vehicle (UAV) flight over the southern outskirts of Novoluhanske (government-controlled, 53km north-east of Donetsk), the SMM heard four bursts of small-arms fire about 1.5km south-west, assessed as directed at the UAV, which was also flying about 1.5km south-west of its position. The SMM landed its UAV safely and left the area.*

Disengagement areas near Stanytsia Luhanska, Zolote and Petrivske⁵

On 11 January, inside the **disengagement area near Stanytsia Luhanska** (government-controlled, 16km north-east of Luhansk), the SMM saw at least three workers from non-government-controlled areas installing metal panels on the eastern and western side of the checkpoint booth of the armed formations south of the Stanytsia Luhanska bridge (15km north-east of Luhansk).

On the evening of 11 January, the SMM camera at the Prince Ihor monument (outside the disengagement area, south-east of the Stanytsia Luhanska bridge) recorded an undetermined explosion at an assessed range of 1.5-3km north-north-west, which the SMM could not assess as inside or outside the disengagement area.

On 11 and 12 January, the Mission continued seeing members of the armed formations (wearing armbands with “JCCC” written on them) between the new span of the bridge and the checkpoint of the armed formations south of the bridge.

On 12 January, positioned in four different locations near the **disengagement area near Zolote** (government-controlled, 60km west of Luhansk), the Mission heard about 100 undetermined explosions, two bursts of heavy-machine-gun fire and eight shots of undetermined weapons. All ceasefire violations were assessed as outside the disengagement area but within 5km of its periphery.

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

On 9 January, inside the south-eastern corner of the **disengagement area near Petrivske** (non-government-controlled, 41km south of Donetsk), an SMM mini-UAV spotted two persons in dark-coloured clothing standing close to former positions of the armed formations. About 250m further north, the UAV spotted two persons (one in dark-coloured clothing and one in white camouflage clothing) standing near trenches. Outside the disengagement area, about 10m north of its northern edge and about 400m west of its eastern edge, the UAV spotted a light machine gun (RPK-74M) standing on ammunition crates in trenches, assessed as belonging to the armed formations.

Outside the reporting period, in the evening hours of 7 January, the SMM camera in Petrivske recorded three projectiles in flight at an assessed range of 1-2km west-south-west, assessed as inside the disengagement area.⁶

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 (for further details, see the table below).

Indications of military and military-type presence inside the security zone⁷

The SMM saw infantry fighting vehicles and armoured personnel carriers inside the security zone on both sides of the contact line (for further details, see the table below).

Presence of anti-tank mines near Vodiane and Pikuzy and mine hazard signs near Makiivka and Mykolaivka

On 10 January, an SMM mid-range UAV spotted 14 anti-tank mines (of previously seen about 50 anti-tank mines) in fields south-east of Vodiane (government-controlled, 94km south of Donetsk). About 150m north of these mines, the UAV again spotted 28 anti-tank mines, part of a larger minefield, all assessed as belonging to the Ukrainian Armed Forces (for previous observations in the area, see [SMM Daily Report 3 January 2020](#)).

On the northern and north-western edges of Pikuzy (formerly Kominternove, non-government-controlled, 92km south of Donetsk), the same UAV spotted about 50 and 25 anti-tank mines respectively, as well as about 120 anti-tank mines in areas south of Pikuzy. About 2.5km further south and about 2.2km east of Vodiane, the UAV spotted about 60 anti-tank mines. All aforesaid mines were assessed as belonging to the armed formations (for previous observations see [SMM Daily Reports of 9 December 2019](#) and [3 January 2020](#)).

On 12 January, the SMM saw for the first time about 50 mine hazard signs with “mines” written in Russian, placed around a barbed wire surrounding an abandoned building in Makiivka (non-government-controlled, 12km north-east of Donetsk).

On 12 January, on the south-eastern edge of Mykolaivka (non-government-controlled, 15km east of Luhansk), the SMM saw for the first time eight mine hazard signs on a local road leading

⁶ The delay in reporting is due to manual downloading of data from the SMM camera in Petrivske.

⁷ The hardware mentioned in this section is not proscribed by the provisions of the Minsk agreements on the withdrawal of weapons.

to Pionerske (non-government-controlled, 19km east of Luhansk) with “Stop mines” written in Russian.

SMM facilitation of operation of critical civilian infrastructure

On 11 and 12 January, the SMM continued to facilitate the operation of the Donetsk Filtration Station (15km north of Donetsk) and monitor the security situation in the area of the pumping station near Vasylivka (non-government-controlled, 20km north of Donetsk).

Long queues at checkpoints along the contact line

On 11 January, the SMM saw long queues at checkpoints of the armed formations along the contact line in Donetsk region. At a checkpoint near Kremynets (non-government-controlled, 16km south-west of Donetsk), the SMM saw about 300 vehicles and 15 buses queuing to travel towards government-controlled areas and about 100 vehicles queuing in the opposite direction.

On 11 and 12 January, at a checkpoint west of Verkhnohyrokiivske (formerly Oktiabr, non-government-controlled, 85km south of Donetsk), the Mission saw a queue of at least 50 vehicles travelling towards government-controlled areas. On 12 January, a member of the armed formations told the Mission that the long queues were a result of technical issues related to malfunctioning of computers at the checkpoint.

Border areas outside government control

On 11 January, while at a border crossing point near Ulianiivske (61km south-east of Donetsk) for 45 minutes, the SMM saw a man, a woman and two children entering Ukraine and a woman exiting Ukraine. On 12 January, while at the same border crossing for 30 minutes the SMM saw a woman and a man entering Ukraine.

On 11 January, while at a border crossing point near Uspenka (73km south-east of Donetsk) for an hour, the Mission saw 28 cars (including ten with “DPR” plates), 13 covered cargo trucks (one with Ukrainian and 12 with Russian Federation licence plates), a flatbed truck carrying logs, four trucks carrying cisterns (all with Russian Federation licence plates), and a bus with Russian Federation licence plates entering Ukraine. It also saw 28 cars (including nine with “DPR” plates) and three buses with “DPR” plates exiting Ukraine.

While at a border crossing point near Voznesenivka (formerly Chervonopartyzansk, 65km south-east of Luhansk) for about 30 minutes, the Mission saw 18 cars (including one with “LPR” plates) queuing to exit Ukraine.

At the railway station in Voznesenivka for about 20 minutes, the SMM saw at least 20 stationary train cars.

On 12 January, while at a border crossing point near Uspenka for 30 minutes, the Mission saw 43 cars (including 25 with “DPR” plates), a covered cargo truck with “LPR” plates and a bus with “DPR” plates entering Ukraine. It also saw nine cars (including five with “DPR” plates), three covered cargo trucks with Ukrainian licence plates, and a bus with “DPR” plates exiting Ukraine.

While at a border crossing point near Novoazovsk (102km south-east of Donetsk) for 35 minutes, the Mission saw ten cars (including seven with “DPR” plates), and two covered cargo trucks with Ukrainian licence plates entering Ukraine. It also saw nine cars (including six with “DPR” plates) and two empty flatbed trucks with “DPR” plates exiting Ukraine.

SMM monitored the security situation in south-east Kherson region

On 12 January, the SMM observed a calm situation at the checkpoint between Chonhar (163km south-east of Kherson) and Crimea.

The Mission continued monitoring in 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 Coordination 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 [Daily Report 4 January 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.

Denials of access:

- On 11 January, at a checkpoint west of Verkhnohyrokiivske (formerly Oktiabr, non-government-controlled, 85km south of Donetsk), an armed member of the armed formations [again](#) denied the SMM access, citing “orders from superiors”.
- On 12 January, at a mobile checkpoint near Markyne (non-government-controlled, 94km south of Donetsk), a member of the armed formations denied the SMM passage, citing an “ongoing exercise in the area”. While at the checkpoint, the Mission saw a car passing through the checkpoint.
- On 12 January, at a checkpoint north of Novoazovsk (non-government-controlled 102km south-east of Donetsk), an armed member of the armed formations denied the SMM passage, citing an “ongoing operation in the area”.
- On 12 January, at a checkpoint north of Zaichenko (non-government-controlled, 93km south of Donetsk), two armed members of the armed formations [again](#) denied the SMM passage towards Pikuzy (formerly Kominternove, non-government-controlled, 92km south of Donetsk) and Sakhanka (non-government-controlled, 97km south of Donetsk), citing “ongoing demining activities in the area”. While at the checkpoint, the Mission saw a car passing through the checkpoint.

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.

Delay:

- On 12 January, at a checkpoint in Nevelske (government-controlled, 18km north-west of Donetsk), an armed soldier of the Ukrainian Armed Forces allowed the SMM to proceed only after about 20 minutes of waiting.

Other impediments:

- On 11 January, while conducting a mini-UAV flight over the southern outskirts of Novoluhanske (government-controlled, 53km north-east of Donetsk), the SMM heard four bursts of small-arms fire, assessed as directed at its UAV (see above).
- On 12 January, on two occasions, an SMM mini-UAV experienced GPS signal interference, assessed as caused by probable jamming, while flying over Petrivske (non-government-controlled, 41km south of Donetsk).⁸

⁸ The interference could have originated from anywhere within the radius of kilometres from the UAV's position.

Table of weapons

Beyond withdrawal lines but outside of designated storage sites

Date	No. of weapons	Type of weapon	Location	Source of observation
Government-controlled areas				
10/01/2020	7	Tank (T-64)	Near Spirne (96km north of Donetsk)	Mini UAV
	1	Surface-to-air missile system (9K35 Strela-10)		

Table of indications of military and military-type presence inside the security zone⁹

Date	No.	Type	Location	Source of observation
Government-controlled areas				
12/01/2020	3	Infantry fighting vehicle (two BMP variant and one undetermined)	In Bohdanivka (41km south-west of Donetsk)	Patrol
	1	Armoured personnel carrier (BTR variant)		
	1	Infantry fighting vehicle (BMP variant)	On the western edge of Popasna (69km west of Luhansk)	
Non-government-controlled areas				
10/01/2020	2	Infantry fighting vehicle (BMP-1)	Near Vesela Hora (16km north of Luhansk)	Mini UAV
	2	Armoured personnel carrier (probable BTR-80)	Near Pryvitne (11km north of Luhansk)	

⁹ 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 12 January 2020¹⁰

SMM position	Event location	Means	No.	Observation	Description	Weapon	Date, time
SMM camera in Petrivske (non-government-controlled, 41km S of Donetsk)	1-2km WSW	Recorded	3	Projectile	W to E (assessed as inside the disengagement area)		7-Jan, 19:33
SMM camera at Donetsk Filtration Station (15km N of Donetsk)	4-6km SW	Recorded	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	10-Jan, 19:38
	4-6km SW	Recorded	1	Projectile	NE to SW	N/K	10-Jan, 19:44
SMM camera at entry-exit checkpoint in Marinka (government-controlled, 23km SW of Donetsk)	1-3km NNE	Recorded	2	Projectile	SW to NE	N/K	10-Jan, 17:49
SMM camera 1km SW of Shyrokyne (government-controlled, 100km S of Donetsk)	2-5km NNE	Recorded	16	Projectile	ESE to WNW	N/K	10-Jan, 18:42
	2-5km NNE	Recorded	2	Projectile	WSW to ENE	N/K	10-Jan, 18:42
	3-5km NNE	Recorded	6	Projectile	ESE to WNW	N/K	10-Jan, 20:39
	3-5km NNE	Recorded	4	Projectile	ESE to WNW	N/K	10-Jan, 20:40
	3-5km NNE	Recorded	4	Projectile	ESE to WNW	N/K	10-Jan, 20:42
	3-5km NNE	Recorded	1	Explosion	Impact	N/K	10-Jan, 20:42
2.6km SSE of Lohvynove (non-government-controlled, 59km NE of Donetsk)	4-5km N	Heard	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	11-Jan, 10:41
Railway station in Yasynuvata (non-government-controlled, 16km NE of Donetsk)	2-3km W	Heard	30	Shot		HMG	11-Jan, 12:20
	2-3km W	Heard	1	Burst		HMG	11-Jan, 12:30
	2-3km W	Heard	4	Shot		HMG	11-Jan, 12:30
	2-3km W	Heard	45	Shot		Small arms	11-Jan, 12:35-12:45
	1km W	Heard	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	11-Jan, 12:40
	2-3km W	Heard	10	Shot		HMG	11-Jan, 12:46
	5-6km N	Heard	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	11-Jan, 12:48
	2-3km W	Heard	25	Shot		Small arms	11-Jan, 12:50
	2-3km W	Heard	27	Shot		Small arms	11-Jan, 12:54
	4-5km N	Heard	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	11-Jan, 13:34
Central railway station in Donetsk (non-government-controlled, 6km NW of Donetsk city centre)	3-5km NW	Heard	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	11-Jan, 13:45
Pavlopil (government-controlled, 84km S of Donetsk)	2km S	Heard	5	Burst		HMG	11-Jan, 12:05
Novoluhanske (government-	1-2km SW	Heard	4	Burst		Small arms	11-Jan, 11:24

¹⁰ 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.

controlled, 53km NE of Donetsk)							
Horlivka (non-government-controlled, 39km NE of Donetsk)	3-4km SSW	Heard	3	Burst		HMG	11-Jan, 12:40
SMM camera at Prince Ihor Monument SE of Stanytsia Luhanska bridge (15km NE of Luhansk)	1.5-3km NNW	Recorded	1	Explosion	Unable to assess whether inside or outside the disengagement area	N/K	11-Jan, 17:51
E edge of Holubivka (formerly Kirovsk, non-government-controlled, 51km W of Luhansk)	4-6km NNE	Heard	11	Burst		HMG	11-Jan, 10:46-10:51
N edge of Trokhizbenka (government-controlled, 32km NW of Luhansk)	5-10km SW	Heard	6	Burst		HMG	11-Jan, 10:50-11:00
	5-10km SW	Heard	6	Explosion	Undetermined		11-Jan, 10:50-11:00
2.4km S of Muratove (government-controlled, 51km NW of Luhansk)	3-5km S	Heard	5	Shot		Small arms	11-Jan, 12:50
	3-5km S	Heard	3	Burst		HMG	11-Jan, 12:50
SMM camera in Avdiivka (government-controlled, 17km N of Donetsk)	4-7km ESE	Recorded	Uncountable	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	12-Jan, 05:15
	4-7km ESE	Recorded	Uncountable	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	12-Jan, 05:16
SMM camera in Chermalyk (government-controlled, 77km S of Donetsk)	3-5km ESE	Recorded	1	Illumination flare		N/K	12-Jan, 00:20
	4-6km SSE	Recorded	4	Projectile	NE to SW	N/K	12-Jan, 17:07
SMM camera 1km SW of Shyrokyne (government-controlled, 100km S of Donetsk)	3-5km N	Recorded	16	Muzzle flash		N/K	12-Jan, 17:27
SMM camera in Svitlodarsk (government-controlled, 57km NE of Donetsk)	4-6km ESE	Recorded	1	Illumination flare		N/K	12-Jan, 17:37
	4-6km ESE	Recorded	1	Projectile	S to N		12-Jan, 17:54
Oleksandrivka (non-government-controlled, 20km SW of Donetsk)	2-3km NW	Heard	1	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	12-Jan, 09:05
Svitlodarsk (government-controlled, 57km NE of Donetsk)	2-3km WSW	Heard	5	burst		HMG	11-Jan, 22:38
	2-3km WSW	Heard	3	Burst		HMG	11-Jan, 22:39
	2-3km WSW	Heard	3	Burst		HMG	11-Jan, 23:06
	2-3km WSW	Heard	7	Burst		HMG	11-Jan, 23:38-23:40
	6-8km WSW	Heard	1	Explosion		N/K	11-Jan, 23:38
	3-4km WSW	Heard	1	Explosion		N/K	11-Jan, 23:41
	2-3km WSW	Heard	3	Burst		HMG	11-Jan, 23:47
	4-6km SE	Heard	2	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	12-Jan, 17:04
SMM camera on N edge of Popasna (government-	3-5km E	Recorded	6	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	12-Jan, 04:51

controlled, 69km W of Luhansk)							
S edge of the disengagement area near Zolote (60km W of Luhansk)	3-5km NNE	Heard	3	Explosion	Undetermined (assessed as outside the disengagement area)	N/K	12-Jan, 10:55
S edge of Berezivske (non-government-controlled, 53km NW of Luhansk)	3-5km N	Heard	18	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	12-Jan, 11:27-11:32
	3-5km N	Heard	15	Burst		HMG	12-Jan, 11:27-11:32
	3-5km N	Heard	20	Shot		HMG	12-Jan, 11:27-11:32
	6-10km ENE	Heard	12	Explosion	Undetermined	N/K	12-Jan, 11:27-11:32
S edge of Zolote-4/Rodina (government-controlled, 59km W of Luhansk)	2-3km ENE	Heard	30	Explosion	Assessed as outside the Zolote disengagement area	N/K	12-Jan, 11:34-11:40
	2-3km ENE	Heard	8	Shot and burst	Assessed as outside the Zolote disengagement area	N/K	12-Jan, 11:34-11:40
1.5km SE of Zolote-5/Mykhailivka (non-government-controlled, 58km W of Luhansk)	3-5km NNE	Heard	4	Explosion	Undetermined (assessed as outside the Zolote disengagement area)	N/K	12-Jan, 11:40-11:45
	3-5km NNE	Heard	2	Shot	Assessed as outside the Zolote disengagement area	HMG	12-Jan, 11:40-11:45
Pervomaisk (non-government-controlled, 58km W of Luhansk)	6-10km NNE	Heard	64	Explosion	Undetermined (assessed as outside the Zolote disengagement area)	N/K	12-Jan, 13:15-13:22

Map of Donetsk and Luhansk regions¹¹



¹¹ 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).