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# LUHANSK REGION

UKRAINE





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## GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATION



### **MOLDOVA**

Chisinau 901 km



### **ROMANIA**

Bucharest 1382 km



### **POLAND**

Warsaw 1519 km



### **BULGARY**

Sofia 1762 km



### **HUNGARY**

Budapest 1798 km



### **GERMANY**

Berlin 1839 km



### **ITALY**

Rome 2202 km



### **BELGIUM**

Brussels 2490 km



### **FRANCE**

Paris 2668 km

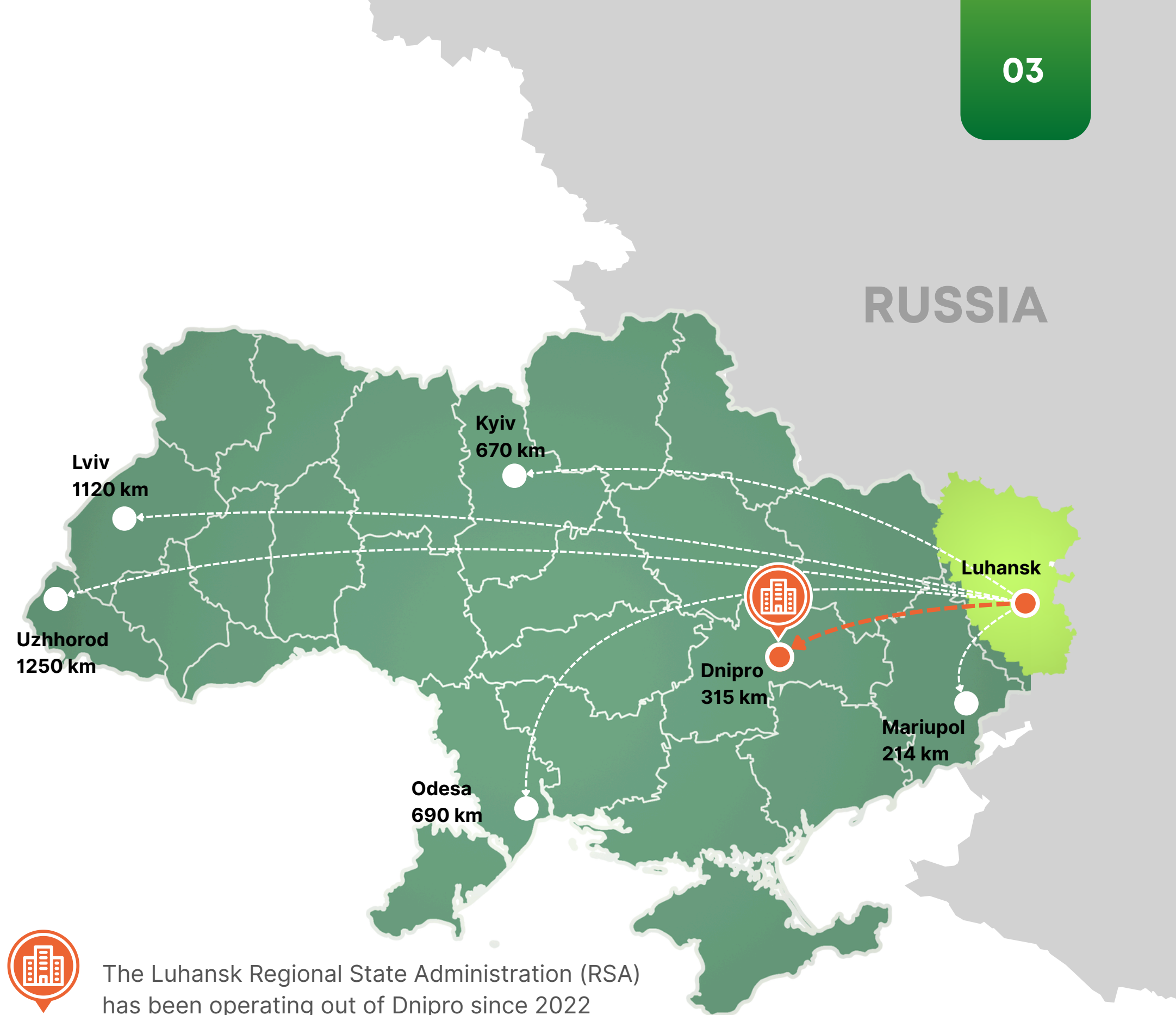






## GEOGRAPHICAL POSITION

- Luhansk region is located in the east of Ukraine.
- The total length of the border with Russia within the Luhansk region is 737 km (39% of the total length of the Ukrainian-Russian border), which is the longest in Ukraine.
- Luhansk region shares its entire border with Russia, without any borders with other countries.
- This geographical arrangement imposes limitations and excludes direct contacts with neighboring nations.







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## ABOUT REGION



8 DISTRICTS



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TERRITORIAL  
COMMUNITIES



750 SETTLEMENTS

AREA



26.7 thousand km<sup>2</sup>  
(4.4% of the area of Ukraine)

POPULATION



2 101.7 thousand (as of February 1, 2022)

THE HYDROLOGICAL  
NETWORK



120 rivers  
60 lakes

FORESTS COVER



13.4% of the region

MINERAL RESOURCES



517 deposits of various minerals

LAND AREA



1,839 thousand ha

CLIMATE



moderately continental with  
distinct drought-dry phenomena





## NATURAL RESOURCES



Within the territory of Luhansk region, reserves of coal and related germanium and methane gas in coal are concentrated in the city of Lysychansk, Mariivka and Starobilsk geological and industrial areas.



**12 OPERATING MINES**



**54 COAL DEPOSITS**



Germanium reserves are in coal from two deposits and 25 mines, including 8 operating mines. As of 01.01.2021, germanium reserves in categories C1 + C2 are over 8 thousand tons, in coal of ranks D, DG, G, and ZH.



As of January 01, 2020 natural gas reserves amounted to **12663 million m<sup>3</sup>**.



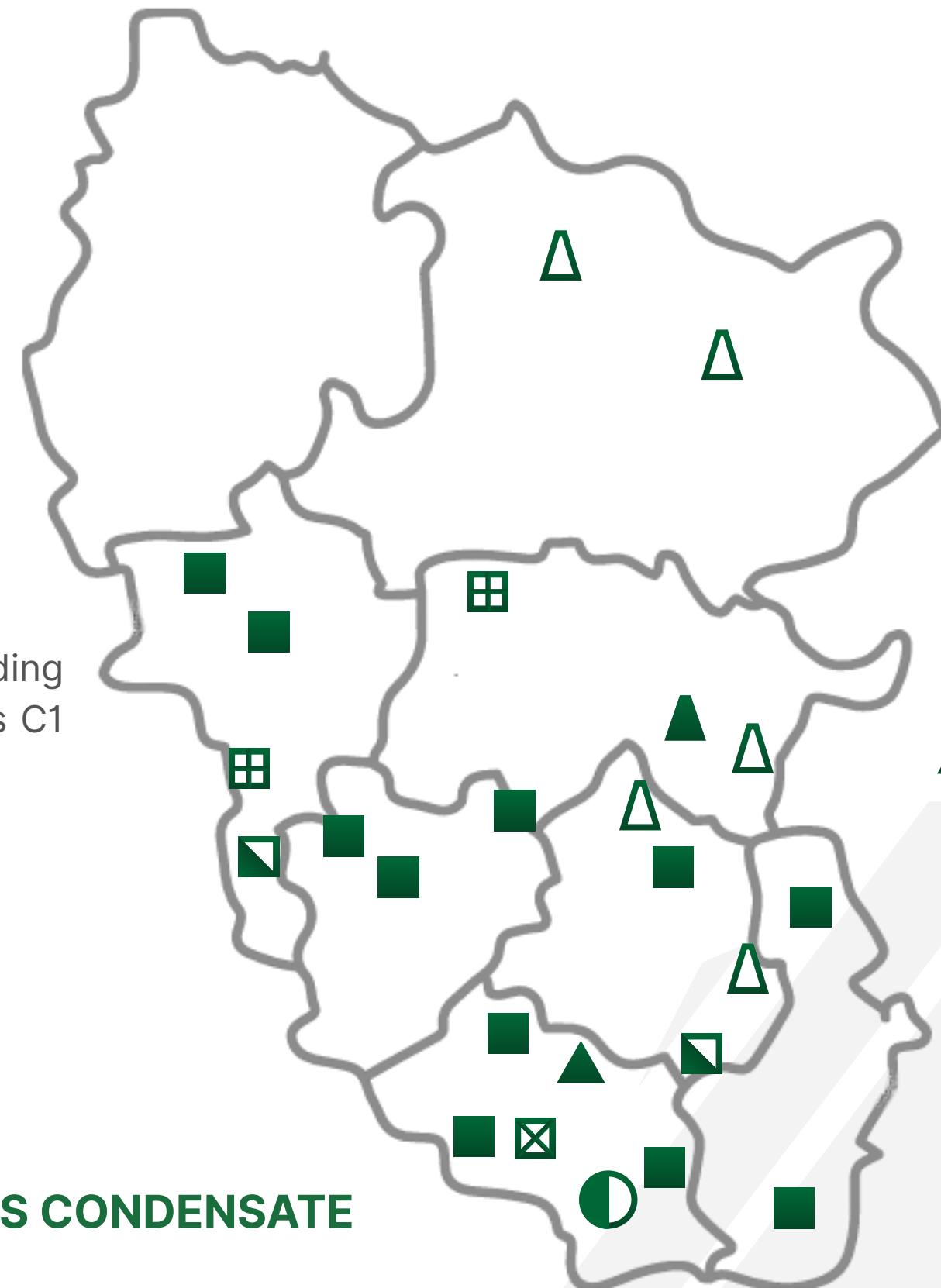
**17 OBJECTS**



As of 01.01.2020, the balance reserves of oil were **55,00 thousand tons**.



**235,00 GAS CONDENSATE**  
thousand tons



- COAL
- △ NATURAL GAS
- ▲ OIL
- ▲ IRON ORES
- GOLD
- ▤ CLAY
- ⊗ LIMESTONE
- ⊞ CHALK

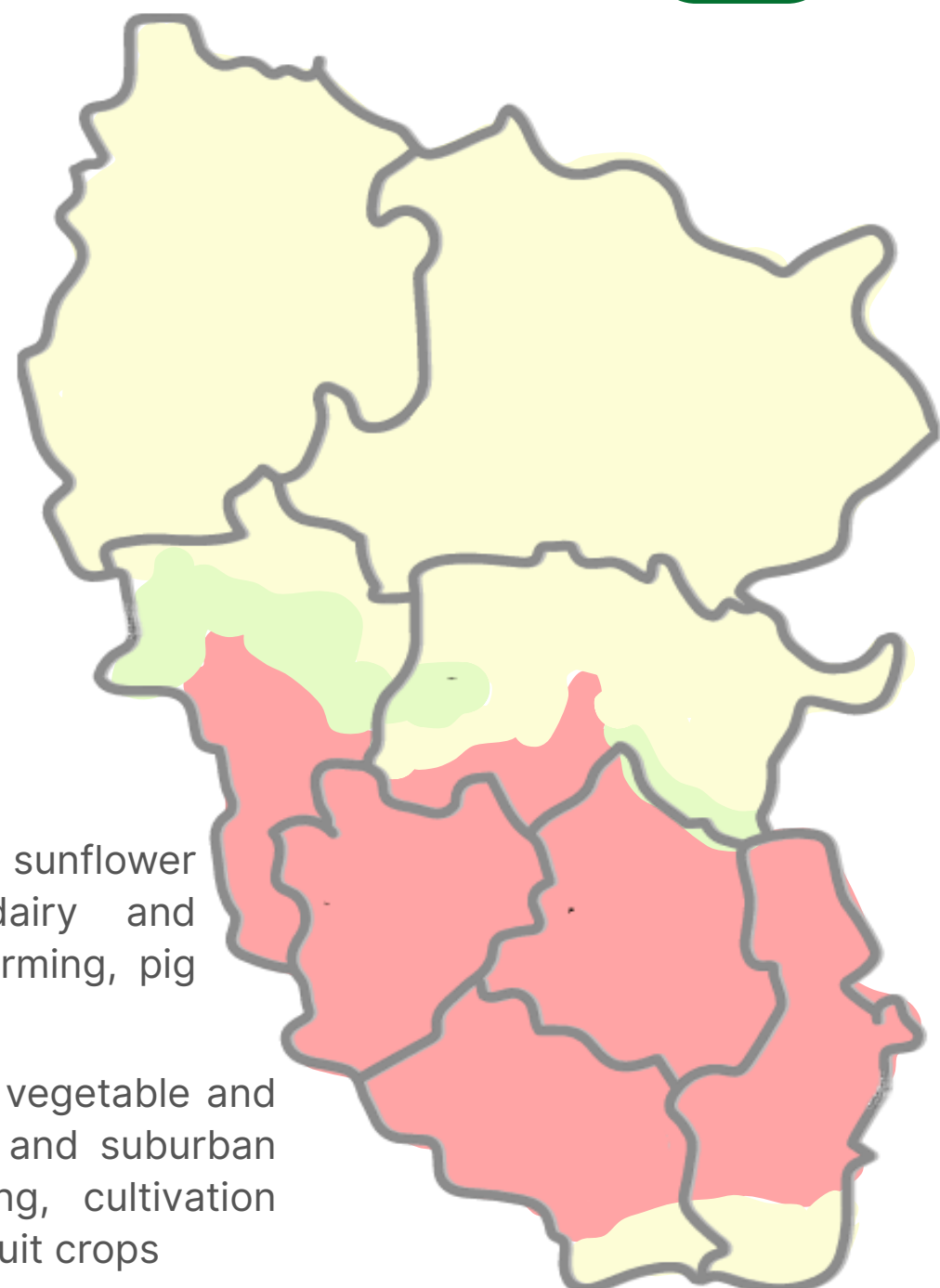




## AGRICULTURE



The region had a developed agricultural sector, producing grains, vegetables, and sunflowers among other crops.



### TOTAL LAND AREA



1 839 thousand ha

### AGRICULTURAL LAND



1 404 thousand ha  
(76.35% of the total area)

### CEREALS AND LEGUMES



up to 1.5–2 Mt annually

**Main crops:** wheat (winter and spring), barley (winter and spring), corn, sunflower.

**Technical crops:** sunflower was one of the most important, occupying significant areas and serving as the basis for the oil and fat industry.

### LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY FARMING



meat and dairy farming, pig farming, and poultry farming

### ELEVATORS AND GRAIN STORAGE



27 with a total storage capacity of 792 thousand tonnes

### BEEKEEPING



bee colonies 1739



# INDUSTRIAL AND ECONOMICAL POTENTIAL



**571** industrial enterprise



**1 116** agro-industrial formations



**45 700** personal peasant farms



**22 405** subjects of small and medium-sized enterprises



**4.5** billion tons deposits of coal and related minerals



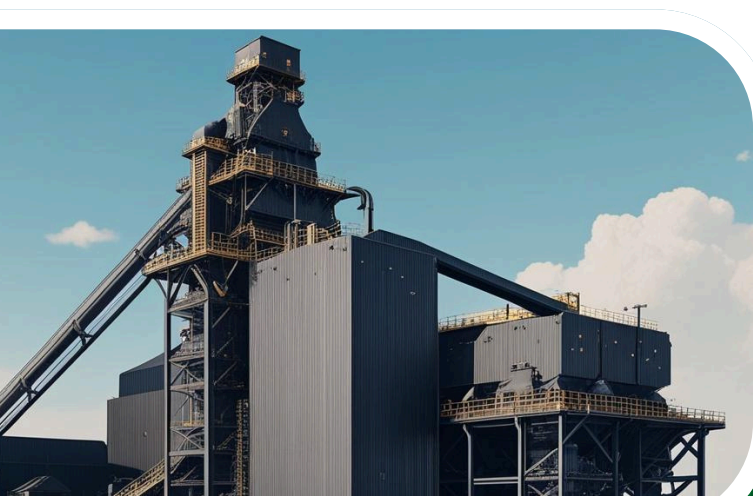
**1 404** thousands of hectares agricultural lands



**86** countries involved in foreign trade operations



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# DESTRUCTIONS

In 2014, the enemy captured and destroyed the industrial south, and in 2022, the agrarian north of the region.

Currently, **99% of the territory of the region is temporarily occupied**. Ongoing hostilities on the territory of Luhansk region, temporary occupation of a large part of Luhansk region pose significant challenges for the region and Ukraine as a whole in humanitarian, economic, social, ecological, and security dimensions.

## DESTROYED



~3 500

ENTERPRISES



~3 000

HIGH-RISE BUILDINGS



~10 000

PRIVATE ESTATE



~1 747

SOCIAL INFRASTRUCTURE  
FACILITIES



~121

ROAD INFRASTRUCTURE  
FACILITIES

Territory controlled  
by Ukraine

Territory occupied by Russia  
since 24 February 2022

Territory occupied by  
Russia since 2014







# NETWORK OF HUMANITIES HUBS



## Extensive support network

**36 centres** in **20 regions** of Ukraine provide assistance to over **110,000 IDPs** from Luhansk region.

Services are provided by **201 IDP specialists** (170 of whom are social workers) from relocated institutions.



## Humanitarian aid

Since the hubs began operating, **~10 600 tonnes** of humanitarian aid have been distributed to residents of Luhansk.



## A wide range of services

Services are provided regardless of the place of registration of IDPs.

### THE MOST POPULAR SERVICES ARE:



#### Medical assistance:

Appointments with family doctors.



#### Legal support:

Restoration of documents, drafting of procedural documents.



#### Social protection:

Consultations on social security issues, support for veterans and their families, pensions, assisted living services, household services, children's health improvement.



## Details by district in Luhansk region

- **Siverskodonetsk district:** 23 centres supporting 81 000 IDPs.
- **Shchastia district:** 5 hubs serving 13 000 IDPs.
- **Svatove district:** 5 hubs serving 11 000 IDPs.
- **Starobilsk district:** 3 hubs serving 5 000 IDPs.



## Administrative and digital services

- **22 Administrative Service Centres** provide administrative services (e.g. damage registration, military data updates, residence certificates).
- The **digital hub 'My Luhansk Region'** in Dnipro offers training in digital literacy and working with 'Diia'.





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# TEMPORARY ACCOMMODATION CENTRES

**9 SHELTERS    32 DORMITORY    2 OUTPATIENT CLINIC**



## SHELTER IN DNIPRO

The shelter received the 'Model Shelter of Dnipro' award from Globa22.

**ESTABLISHED**



2022-2025

**PARTNERS**



- People in Need
- UNHCR
- IOM
- USAID UCBI-III
- NGO 'Light of Culture'
- Dnipro City Council
- LRSA

**COVERAGE**



15 380 people

**SERVICES**



- accommodation
- humanitarian aid
- psychological assistance
- legal assistance
- team-building activities

## MULTIFUNCTIONAL COWORKING SPACE FOR IDPS BASED IN A SHELTER



A modern centre for children, teenagers and people aged 50+.

- GOALS**
- Digital literacy
  - Online learning
  - Creative development



A project by the NGO 'Light of Culture' with the support of the Eastern Europe Foundation (EGAP).





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# PROVISION OF MEDICAL SERVICES

## RELOCATED



38 medical facilities

## MEDICAL PROFESSIONAL



469 doctors  
543 nursing staff

## DECLARATIONS



48 488 have been signed

## E-REFERRALS



103 690 have been issued

## PRESCRIPTIONS



15 621 under the 'Affordable  
Medicines' programme

## SERVICES PROVIDED

2024

01.06.2025

### Outpatient care:

132 224 services

55 093 services

### Inpatient care:

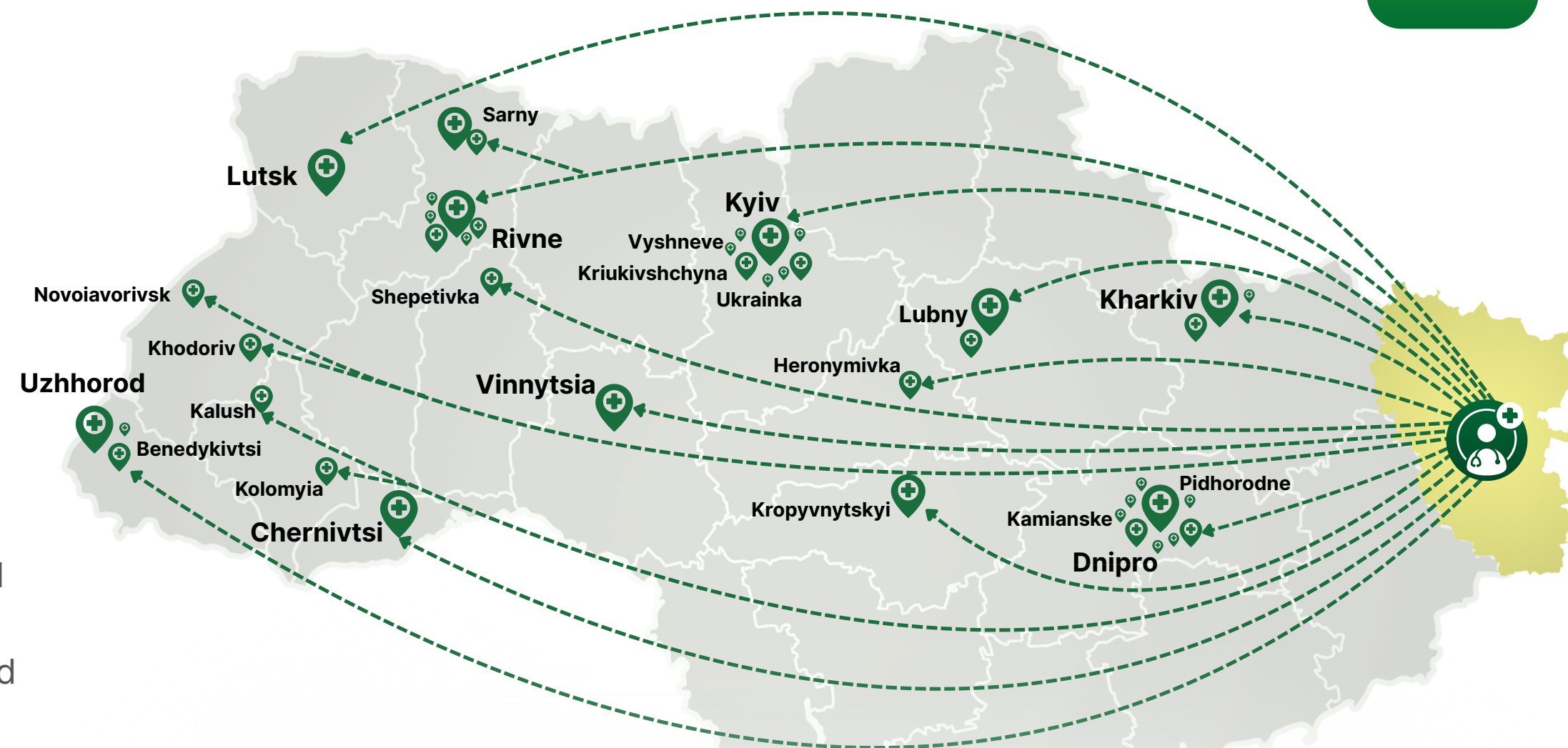
4 292 services

1 788 services

### Humanitarian hubs and shelters:

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45 553 services



## PRIMARY HEALTHCARE

IDPs can consult a family doctor, therapist or paediatrician at their place of residence, even if they have not signed a declaration with that doctor.



## SPECIALISED MEDICAL CARE

IDPs are entitled to consultations with narrow-profile specialists, and for this they do not need to re-sign a declaration; it is sufficient to obtain a referral from a family doctor.



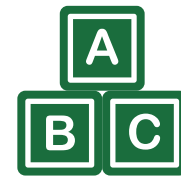
## REHABILITATION ASSISTANCE

IDPs have access to free rehabilitation services, such as consultations, rehabilitation diagnosis, training in the use of assistive devices, and more.

# EDUCATION

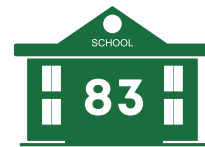
## GENERAL SECONDARY EDUCATION

### PRE-SCHOOL EDUCATION



16 institutions with 360 pupils

### SCHOOLS



82 schools provide remote education  
1 institution relocated to in Berezan, Kyiv Region  
(Luhansk Regional Lyceum with Enhanced Military  
and Physical Training)

### STUDENTS



4 634 internally displaced persons  
7 843 are abroad  
7 751 are in the temporarily occupied territories

### BARRIER-FREE ENVIRONMENT



2 special classes (16 pupils)  
163 inclusive classes (258 pupils)  
32 children receive pedagogical patronage.

### TEACHERS



### E-LEARNING



7026 units of computer equipment  
(laptops, tablets, chromebooks) were  
received, including 4801 for students

### PROFESSIONAL HIGHER EDUCATION



426 are abroad  
1 957 are in Ukraine  
672 are in the temporarily occupied territories

### VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL EDUCATION



213 are abroad  
995 are in Ukraine  
284 are in the temporarily occupied territories







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## HIGHER EDUCATION



### LUHANSK TARAS SHEVCHENKO NATIONAL UNIVERSITY

Despite challenges, the university continues to operate with a dedicated staff and student body, maintaining the spirit of Shevchenko and faith in Ukraine's future. It has quickly adapted to remote work and identified five key areas of activity: defense, organizational management, education, international relations, and information security.



### STATE ESTABLISHMENT "LUHANSK STATE MEDICAL UNIVERSITY"

The University trains both domestic and foreign students, providing training for Masters' Degree in Medicine, Dentistry, Pediatrics, Pharmacy, Medical Psychology and Public Management and Administration in healthcare under accredited programs and specialties.



### LUGANIAN REGIONAL INSTITUTE POST-GRADUATE TEACHER EDUCATION

ONLINE

Provides scientific, methodological and organisational support for the professional development of pedagogical staff, providing social, pedagogical and psychological assistance to participants in the educational process, improving their competence, the quality of inclusive education and the overall quality of education under martial law.



STUDENTS

11 947

1 667 are abroad  
8 952 are in Ukraine  
1 328 are in the temporarily  
occupied territories



### VOLODYMYR DAHL EAST UKRAINIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY

Training areas economics and management, and social technologies; legal studies and international law; philosophy and psychology; computer systems and information technologies; transport and logistics; chemical technologies.

The main priorities are improving education quality, integrating research with the educational process, developing scientific schools, collaborating with global centers, and commercializing research results to enhance its prestige and recognition





# CHALLENGES OF EDUCATION IN TIMES OF WAR



## ACCESSIBILITY AND QUALITY

Ensuring continuous access to quality education, mostly through distance learning, for all students.



## SUPPORT FOR VULNERABLE GROUPS

Particular attention to orphans, children with SEN, IDPs and those living abroad/TOT.



## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF TEACHERS

Ongoing professional development of teachers, including in digital technologies and inclusive education.



## PSYCHOLOGICAL SUPPORT AND HEALTH

Preserving the mental and physical health of all participants in the educational process.



## NATIONAL AND PATRIOTIC EDUCATION

Formation of civic awareness and patriotism, involvement of the military in teaching.



## RESTORATION AND MODERNISATION

Modernising the material and technical base and introducing innovative educational technologies.



## PERSONNEL TRAINING

Focus on training specialists needed to rebuild the region.





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# CULTURE OF LUHANSK REGION

## INDESTRUCTIBILITY AND REVIVAL

RELOCATED



cultural institutions



### KEY AREAS AND ACTIVITIES OF LUHANSK CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS



#### CONCERT ACTIVITIES

Touring Ukraine and participating in national and international festivals maintains contact with audiences and represents Ukrainian art.



#### INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

Developing partnerships with Sweden, France, Poland, and Switzerland through exchanges of conductors and joint projects integrates Ukrainian culture into the world.



#### CONCERTS FOR THE FRONT/REAR

Performances for the military at training grounds and charity concerts in the rear support the morale and mental health of defenders.



#### CHARITY INITIATIVES

Concerts and fundraising for the Armed Forces of Ukraine (drones, equipment, rehabilitation) provide material assistance to the army.



#### SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

Free access to cultural events for internally displaced persons from Luhansk region supports and integrates people affected by the war.





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# INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION



## A WIDE RANGE OF PARTNERS

We work with more than 50 international organizations and more than 30 countries all over the world.



## SUPPORT FOR IDPS AND COMMUNITIES

23 projects aimed at supporting internally displaced persons from the Luhansk region have been implemented. These include the creation of shelters, the provision of humanitarian aid and psychological support, as well as assistance in helping IDPs adapt to their new surroundings.



## STRENGTHENING COOPERATION

During this time, we have concluded 20 memorandums with international partners.



## ATTRACTING FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Over one million US dollars of funds raised as part of international technical assistance projects.



## ESTABLISHMENT OF THE REGIONAL OFFICE FOR INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

The office was established under the Regional State Administration. Its purpose is to develop international relations, establish contacts with foreign partners, coordinate efforts to rebuild the region and support internally displaced persons. This ensures a systematic approach to international partnership.







# POTENTIAL AREAS FOR COOPERATION







The children of Luhansk have lived through war, displacement, and trauma. Families and children lost their homes, schools, and a sense of safety.



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## CHILDREN'S RECOVERY AND RECREATIONAL PROGRAMS

Recovery begins with programs that offer psychological support, recreation and socializing.



**CREATE RECOVERY CAMPS**



**SAFE LEARNING SPACES**



**EXCHANGE PROGRAMS**







# ACADEMIC AND EDUCATIONAL COOPERATION



## Research

Joint research, exchange of scientific results, participation in joint projects and publications.



## Degree programs

Development and implementation of educational programs by two or more institutions.



## Online learning

Use of digital technologies and platforms, creation and delivery of joint courses, webinars, and lectures.



## Academic mobility

Study, teaching or research for a certain period of time at another higher education institution.





# MUTUAL DELEGATION VISITS AND INSTITUTIONAL EXCHANGE



## BUILDING TRUST AND MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING

To build trust, we need to know each other better. That is why we propose organizing mutual study visits



## EXCHANGE OF EXPERIENCE

Your delegations can see firsthand how we operate under crisis, and our teams can learn from your best practices in governance, infrastructure, and social support.







# MEDICAL AND HUMANITARIAN COOPERATION

Healthcare remains one of the most strained sectors in our region. Displacement, destruction of hospitals, and limited access to medicine have created severe gaps.



➤ **Medical supplies**



➤ **Staff training and  
telemedicine  
partnerships**



➤ **Mental health  
interventions**



➤ **Experience exchange  
in relocation  
healthcare**







# SUPPORT FOR LOCAL MUNICIPALITIES AND POST-CRISIS GOVERNANCE



## KEY AREAS OF NEED:

RESTORATION  
OF SERVICES

POST-WAR  
RECOVERY  
EXPERIENCE

PLANNING WITH PUBLIC  
PARTICIPATION

DIGITAL  
GOVERNANCE

COMMUNITY  
RESILIENCE

Local governments in Luhansk are operating under unprecedented pressure. Many were forced to relocate and are rebuilding from scratch.







# HOUSING SOLUTIONS FOR IDPS: A COMPREHENSIVE APPROACH

## GENERAL DIRECTIONS AND PROGRAMMES

### EXPANSION OF TEMPORARY ACCOMMODATION FOR IDPS:

Expansion of existing temporary accommodation for IDPs to meet the priority needs of socially vulnerable persons.

### CONDITIONS FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING:

Creation of conditions for supported and independent living in temporary accommodation, in particular for persons with disabilities and veterans, integrating them into communities.

### STAFF HOUSING FOR RELOCATED WORKERS:

Formation of a staff housing fund for workers of municipal enterprises, institutions and establishments in the Luhansk region who have been relocated in order to preserve human resources until de-occupation.

## INNOVATIVE MODEL: HOUSING + WORKPLACES

### CONCEPT

Comprehensive solution to housing and employment issues for IDPs.

### IMPLEMENTATION

Modular towns in industrial parks.

### ADVANTAGES

Quick housing, access to work, social integration.

### GOAL

Symbiosis of IDP needs and community economic development for long-term integration.







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We are ready.  
We are open and flexible.

**THANK YOU**