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#### **OVERVIEW**

The Registered IDP Area Baseline Assessment provides granular data on the number and geographic location of officially registered internally displaced people (IDPs) who have displaced since February 2022, as recorded and reported by local authorities across Ukraine. This report assesses registered IDP presence at the raion level, also mapping the recorded change since the previous round. Round 29 presents the data of the recorded registered IDP population disaggregated by sex, age and state-recognised disability status.

The data collected for the Area Baseline Assessment Round 29 reflects the up-to-date local administrative register of the IDP population as of 31 October 2023, equivalent to a total of 3,527,731 registered IDPs recorded. Registered IDP figures were collected for 1,039 hromadas (78% of all hromadas covered in Ukrainian government-controlled areas). Data disaggregated by age, sex and disability status were provided for around 78 per cent of the administrative units covered.

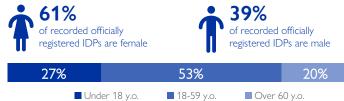
For this assessment, IOM define IDPs as persons who are officially registered as having fled their habitual place of residence due to the current war in Ukraine.

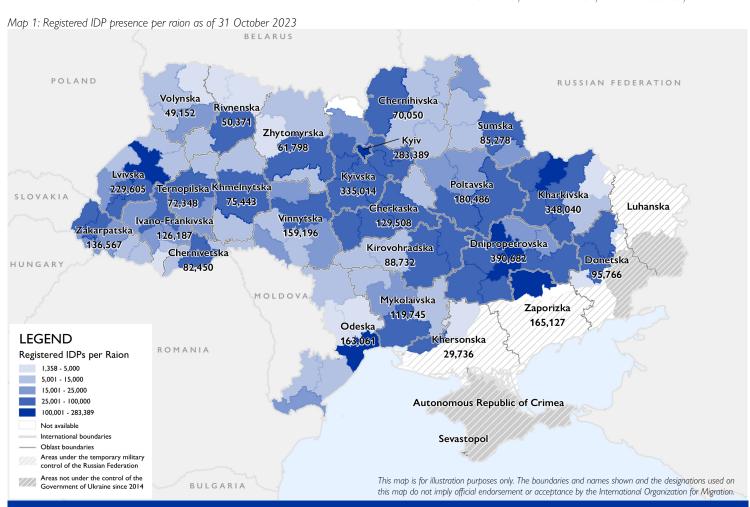
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Oblasts (and Kyiv City) Raions Hromadas

#### **KEY FINDINGS**

- Among oblasts, Dnipropetrovska (390,682), Kharkivska (348,040) and Kyivska (335,014) have the highest numbers of recorded officially registered IDPs.
- At the raion level, Kyivska (283,389), Kharkivskyi (180,506), and Dniprovskyi (167,899) host the highest numbers of registered IDPs.
- Kharkivska (29%) and Donetska (28%) Oblasts have the highest shares of recorded officially registered IDPs aged 60 and over.
- The total number of recorded officially registered IDPs in conflict-affected areas has increased in Kharkivska, Donetska and Zaporizka Oblasts, along the frontlines.
- Across the country, around 4 per cent of recorded officially registered IDPs have a state-recognised disability status.

Figure 1: Sex and age distribution of the assessed population





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#### CHANGES IN REGISTERED IDP FIGURES

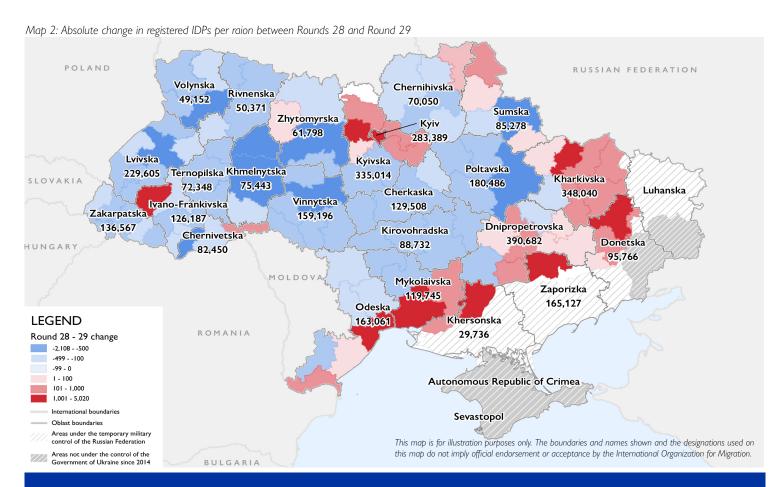
Changes in the caseload of recorded officially registered IDPs are measured controlling for variations in the area covered compared to the previous round. Map 2 below shows the changes in raions assessed between Rounds 28 and 29.

Consistent with previous trends, the number of recorded officially registered IDPs in the eastern and southern oblasts continues to grow. Significant increases were observed in Kharkivska (+5,401), Donetska (+2,759), Odeska (+2,126), and Khersonska (+1,942) Oblasts. Kyiv City (+5,020) and Kyivska (+4,394) Oblast also recorded large increases in registered IDPs.

For Round 29, Kharkivska Oblast (+5,401) experienced the greatest increase in recorded officially registered IDP numbers. Notably, a high proportion of intra-oblast displacement movements were noted across Kharkivska, as IDPs moved from frontline areas towards safer regions following the destruction of housing. This increase might partly reflect the evacuation of civilians from heavily conflictaffected areas in Kupianskyi Raion, which was ordered by oblast authorities starting from 27 October. Among those displaced from evacuation locations, the vast majority (90%) seem to remain within Kharkivska Oblast, despite ongoing risks and exposure to conflict, including over three-quarters (78%) evacuated to Kharkiv City. Similarly, in Khersonska Oblast, displacement has increased as a result of the mandatory evacuations from 23 heavily conflictaffected locations in Khersonska Oblast, from 23 October. Despite the mandatory nature of the evacuations, relatively few households are evacuating: as of October 31, the date of the initial assessment,

IOM estimates that around 800 people had left their residence following the evacuation notice. Reportedly, many households are choosing to remain in their places of residence due to a combined fear of looting and family separation. Among those displaced from evacuation locations, over a quarter (27%) decided to remain in Khersonska Oblast, despite ongoing risks and exposure to hostilities, while a similar share of evacuees left for Dnipropetrovska (27%) and Mykolaivska (20%) Oblasts. Along the frontline in Donestska Oblast, the local population continued to be displaced, with IDPs moving from settlements under the threat of nearing hostilities to safer areas located near IDPs' places of permanent residence. The decision to move to locations close to their place of origin, despite the high safety risks, suggests these movements might represent short-term displacement pending the improvement of safety conditions.

For the fourth month in a row, there was an outflow of displaced people from the central city of Kriviy Rih in Dnipropetrovska Oblast. This outflow was likely triggered by continued shelling in the region, alongside remaining limitations to the water supply, resulting from the Kakhovka dam destruction. At the same time, in the Nikopol region close to the frontline, there was a noted increase in the number of recorded officially registered IDPs. This increase can likely be attributed to the inflow of IDPs from the surrounding rural areas. Contrary to the previous round, a significant drop in the number of recorded officially registered IDPs was noted in Khmelnytska Oblast (-3,207). According to authorities, the primary driver can be attributed to the increase in rocket attacks over the past two months, believed to be targeting Khmelnytskyi nuclear power plant.



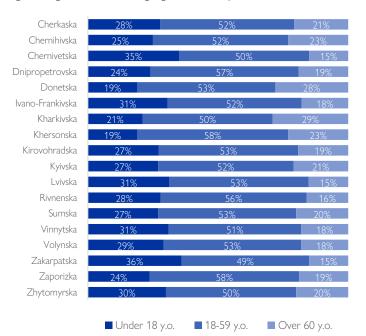
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#### POPULATION DEMOGRAPHICS

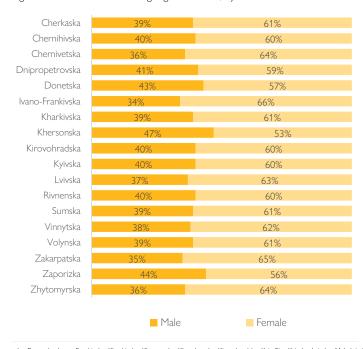
Central and western oblasts have a higher proportion of recorded officially registered IDPs that are under 18 years of age in comparison to oblasts in the North and East. For example, in Zakarpatska (36%), Chernivetska (35%), Lvivska (31%), Vinnytska (31%), and Ivano-Frankivska (31%) Oblasts located in te West, the share of minors among registered IDPs is above the national average. In contrast, Kharkivska (29%) and Donetska (28%) Oblasts in the East observe a relatively high proportion of recorded officially registered IDPs aged 60 and over. Moreover, the proportion

Figure 2: Age distribution among registered IDPs, by oblast\*



of female IDPs in all western oblasts is significantly higher than the rest of the country, with Ivano-Frankivska (66%) and Zakarpatska (65%) Oblasts having the highest shares. Conversely, in southern and eastern oblasts, the proportion of male IDPs is higher than in the rest of the country, and are highest in Khersonska (47%) and Zaporizka (44%) Oblasts. Overall, these trends seem to indicate that displaced women and children tend to register as IDPs further away from the areas affected by the war, while male and older IDPs tend to remain closer to their habitual place of residence.

Figure 3: Sex distribution among registered IDPs, by oblast\*



<sup>\*</sup> Data on the age, sex and disability status of registered IDPs is not available for Cherkaska, Chernihivska, Chernihivska, Dnipropetrovska, Donetska, Ivano-Frankivska, Kharkivska, Khersonska, Khrmelnytska, Kirovohradska, Kyiv City, Kyivska, Lvivska, Mykolaivska, Odeska, Poltavska, Rivnenska, Sumska, Ternopilska, Vinnytska, Volynska, Zakarpatska, Zaporizka, and Zhytomyrska Oblasts.

#### **METHODOLOGY**

Data for the Area Baseline Assessment is collected through a network of Key Informants within the local oblast administration bodies across the country. Every month, IOM collects the recorded figures on registered displacement directly from the regional authorities, as well as sex, age and disability disaggregated estimates among the registered IDP population. In addition, IOM collects feedback from local authorities to explain changes across rounds and to provide interpretation for the trends observed.

In line with the established Displacement Tracking Matrix (DTM approach, IOM endeavors to regularly collect data on the recorded officially registered IDP population in all territories under the control of the Government of Ukraine. While data collection capacity grows, geographical coverage can change across rounds.

The figures provided in this report reflect the recorded registered IDP population, and as such do not include displaced individuals who have not officially registered with the local authorities. For further information on broader displacement figures and trends, see the IOM General Population Survey.

#### **DISCLAIMERS**

Information on disability status as conveyed in this report does not reflect international standards guidelines for the inclusion of persons with disabilities but does reflect disability status as recognized by the Government of Ukraine.

The data in this report was sourced locally from oblast authorities and their official IDP registration data per oblast, raion, and hromada, where available. As such, it likely represents an undercount of those who have been de facto forced to flee their homes.

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#### REGISTERED IDP POPULATION













ADMINI	STRATIVE UNIT										
Oblast	Raion	R20	R21	R22	R23	R24	R25	R26	R27	R28	R29
Oblast	Raion	16-31 Jan.	25 - 28 Feb.	26 - 31 March	24 - 30 April	25-31 May	26-30 June	24-31 July	24-31 August	24-30 September	25-31 October
в	Cherkaskyi	64,084	60,444	59,837	59,167	59,234	58,945	58,636	58,391	58,009	57,745
Cherkaska	Umanskyi	38,163	34,255	34,419	34,095	34,018	33,852	33,648	33,368	33,073	32,841
	Zolotoniskyi	15,526	14,675	14,569	14,395	14,320	14,240	14,206	14,045	13,949	13,850
	Zvenyhorodskyi	28,413	26,692	26,466	26,239	26,145	25,896	25,770	25,482	25,249	25,072
Chernihivska	Chernihivskyi	33,788	32,480	31,980	31,789	32,301	32,488	31,929	31,828	31,775	31,726
	Koriukivskyi	8,236	8,115	7,950	7,903	8,069	8,091	8,089	8,073	8,017	8,004
	Nizhynskyi	16,209	15,439	14,843	14,656	14,541	14,282	14,141	13,959	13,741	13,618
	Novhorod-Siverskyi	6,059	6,055	6,057	6,123	6,505	6,640	6,908	7,038	7,144	7,203
	Prylutskyi	10,534	10,253	10,071	9,954	9,839	9,794	9,691	9,646	9,554	9,499
Chernivetska	Chernivetskyi	56,685	66,951	66,045	65,910	65,516	64,595	64,388	64,109	63,711	63,635
	Dnistrovskyi	7,293	11,838	11,760	11,427	11,339	11,321	11,321	11,315	10,843	11,280
	Vyzhnytskyi	3,473	9,148	9,019	8,789	8,672	8,527	8,509	8,212	8,272	7,535
	Bakhmutskyi	6,641	4,730	4,545	3,011	2,940	2,800	2,760	2,695	2,767	2,891
<u> 8</u>	Kramatorskyi	18,301	31,135	32,647	35,250	37,390	39,615	41,689	43,707	45,609	47,254
Donetska	Mariupolskyi										
Ŏ	Pokrovskyi	20,281	30,810	33,636	35,778	37,482	39,329	40,879	42,346	43,323	44,263
	Volnovaskyi		327	422	543	626	761	924	1,125	1,308	1,358
	Dniprovskyi	160,255	161,172	162,041	163,198	164,424	165,657	166,874	167,655	167,703	167,899
Ø	Kamianskyi	37,625	37,725	38,004	38,324	38,474	38,783	38,964	39,195	39,184	39,207
Svor	Kryvorizkyi	67,242	67,694	68,129	68,353	72,596	72,843	72,841	72,555	72,296	72,084
opet	Nikopolskyi	37,053	40,037	41,823	43,114	44,382	45,501	46,043	46,698	46,975	47,238
Dnipropetrovska	Novomoskovskyi	16,997	16,960	16,952	16,968	17,011	17,045	17,061	17,099	16,970	16,937
	Pavlohradskyi	22,327	22,762	23,047	23,182	19,105	19,225	19,354	19,428	19,436	19,483
	Synelnykivskyi	25,590	25,929	26,311	26,718	27,120	27,499	27,708	27,790	27,743	27,834
	Ivano-Frankivskyi	57,082	58,729	58,296	56,430	57,869	57,641	57,723	57,780	57,810	57,735
Ivano-Frankivska	Kaluskyi	24,196	17,288	18,722	16,787	18,181	17,707	17,295	17,552	15,073	16,220
	Kolomyiskyi	28,613	22,007	21,477	21,179	20,872	20,677	20,522	20,345	20,066	19,870
	Kosivskyi	10,828	8,766	8,592	8,442	8,356	8,209	8,158	8,095	8,050	8,050
	Nadvirnianskyi	19,681	23,010	22,533	22,097	21,778	21,607	21,281	21,217	20,534	20,223
	Verkhovynskyi	1,084	4,652	4,554	4,439	4,389	4,319	4,287	4,235	4,164	4,089
	Bohodukhivskyi	62,282	63,588	62,570	62,823	63,263	63,664	64,081	48,727	48,672	48,743
	Chuhuivskyi	47,661	49,648	49,799	51,656	54,867	54,272	54,565	40,328	40,716	41,273
ska	Iziumskyi	29,404	23,655	30,856	30,867	31,226	31,968	32,286	12,487	12,908	13,369
Kharkivska	Kharkivskyi	249,297	259,086	262,129	267,006	271,028	278,286	286,574	172,172	176,599	180,506
줃	Krasnohradskyi	34,990	36,869	35,619	35,730	35,475	35,792	36,154	33,531	33,300	33,237
	Kupianskyi	3,647	3,629	4,390	4,633	4,876	5,132	5,611	2,593	2,871	3,111
	Lozivskyi	29,665	30,679	30,109	30,471	30,674	30,945	31,504	27,605	27,573	27,801
Khersonska	Beryslavskyi	1,032	1,229	1,229	1,229	2,512	2,768	3,111	3,328	2,473	3,881
	Khersonskyi		9,732	9,732	9,732	20,043	23,175	23,641	24,676	25,321	25,855
Khmelnytska	Kamianets-Podilskyi	11,916	10,545	10,446	10,424	10,198	13,076	13,534	13,538	13,286	13,234
	Khmelnytskyi	59,259	56,925	54,171	53,344	52,808	50,970	50,616	50,322	50,249	48,141
	Shepetivskyi	19,338	18,331	16,954	16,434	16,147	16,116	15,433	15,351	15,115	14,068
Kirovohradska	Holovanivskyi	13,148	12,929	12,682	12,532	12,345	12,186	12,175	11,943	11,696	11,585
	Kropyvnytskyi	43,682	43,336	43,063	42,897	42,633	42,620	42,530	42,262	41,912	41,682
	Novoukrainskyi	11,330	11,117	11,006	10,923	10,825	10,751	10,642	10,636	10,468	10,363
	Oleksandriiskyi	26,324	26,122	25,954	25,804	25,614	25,532	25,479	25,433	25,234	25,102
Kyiv City	Kyivska	225,074	230,689	236,031	246,089	253,475	258,875	264,490	271,789	278,369	283,389
	Bilotserkivskyi	71,425	69,440	69,193	68,577	67,988	67,639	67,535	67,212	66,754	66,459
	Boryspilskyi	41,830	40,794	39,976	39,784	39,707	39,776	39,984	39,812	39,500	39,912
	Brovarskyi	37,810	37,496	36,965	37,169	37,390	37,491	38,083	38,165	37,800	38,328
	Buchanskyi	80,172	82,767	82,931	83,794	84,982	85,609	85,939	87,013	85,512	88,757
	Fastivskyi	30,330	29,759	30,604	30,240	30,126	30,098	30,158	30,089	29,970	29,994
	Obukhivskyi	58,940	57,391	57,011	56,604	56,257	56,008	55,941	55,563	55,182	55,005
	Vyshhorodskyi	16,307	16,390	14,982	15,518	15,766	15,836	16,508	16,500	15,902	16,559

NB. The lack of a value in the cells signifies that the information is unavailable (either because official data is inaccessible in occupied areas or due to the non-receipt of data in non-occupied areas). Conversely, a value of 0 indicates that the authorities have provided the data, but no IDPs have been recorded.

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#### REGISTERED IDP POPULATION













0	10,001 - 20,000	20,001 - 35,000	35,001 - 50,000	50,001 - 70,000	70,001 - 286,574

ADMINIS <sup>-</sup>	TRATIVE UNIT										
Oblast	Raion	R20	R21	R22	R23	R24	R25	R26	R27	R28	R29
		16-31 Jan.	<b>25 - 28 Feb.</b> 17,131	<b>26 - 31 March</b> 14,302	<b>24 - 30 April</b> 14,024	25-31 May 13,950	<b>26-30 June</b> 13,876	<b>24-31 July</b> 13,746	<b>24-31 August</b> 13,498	<b>24-30 September</b> 13,329	<b>25-31 October</b> 13,085
Lvivska	Chervonohradskyi	17,355									
	Drohobytskyi	32,206	31,790	33,179	32,104	31,725	31,470	31,149	31,007	30,880	30,587
	Lvivskyi	129,020	127,354	126,133	125,821	125,712	125,568	125,494	125,386	124,916	124,224
	Sambirskyi	16,562	16,348	16,316	20,111	16,071	15,939	15,807	15,716	15,568	15,361
	Stryiskyi	33,474	33,042	32,115	27,730	31,443	31,278	31,071	30,873	30,510	30,124
	Yavorivskyi	8,809	8,695	8,536	8,382	8,290	8,184	8,095	8,046	7,982	7,886
	Zolochivskyi	9,641	9,517	9,071	8,890	8,782	8,630	8,571	8,526	8,433	8,338
2	Bashtanskyi	14,027	14,342	14,428	14,320	14,461	14,296	14,485	14,473	14,548	14,680
Mykolaivska	Mykolaivskyi	66,237	66,753	71,098	77,384	79,650	69,506	71,876	73,358	74,036	75,577
	Pervomaiskyi	14,411	14,734	13,693	7,859	7,387	12,797	12,740	12,680	12,435	12,150
_	Voznesenskyi	21,046	21,518	20,268	19,832	19,619	18,588	18,374	17,985	17,617	17,338
	Berezivskyi	4,872	4,691	4,488	4,376	4,320	4,286	4,252	4,138	4,063	3,974
	Bilhorod-	5,788	5,871	5,960	5,880	5,920	5,932	6,004	6,032	6,077	6,085
_	Dnistrovskyi	8,265	8,193	8,029	7,653	7,454	7,449	7,415	7,345	7,269	7,022
Odeska	Bolhradskyi	14,229	14,422		14,672	14,817	14,647		14,997	15,082	15,184
ŏ	Izmailskyi			14,536				14,814			
	Odeskyi	93,524	97,163	99,742	102,521	105,787	108,657	111,707	114,492	117,017	119,427
	Podilskyi	10,563	10,572	10,521	10,362	10,372	10,226	9,898	9,900	9,890	9,879
	Rozdilnianskyi	2,315	2,301	2,289	1,864 49,909	1,755	1,766	1,584	1,571	1,537	1,490
Ed.	Kremenchutskyi	50,061	49,898	50,099		49,733	49,410	49,253	48,849	48,354	48,059
Poltavska	Lubenskyi	22,219	22,147	21,784	21,553	21,327	21,007	20,800	20,626	20,365	20,179
Po	Myrhorodskyi	25,419	25,336	24,887	24,645	24,473	24,142	23,959	23,717	23,464	23,236
	Poltavskyi	96,034	95,721	95,334	94,669	93,825	92,753	92,030	90,937	89,881	89,012
'cd	Dubenskyi	9,551	8,537	7,933	7,765	7,607	7,499	7,430	7,339	7,174	7,111
Rivnenska	Rivnenskyi	37,268	37,571	36,329	35,879	35,593	35,261	34,381	34,880	34,500	34,222
Riv	Sarnenskyi	6,335	6,170	5,889	5,185	5,095	4,923	4,770	4,693	4,688	4,527
	Varaskyi	5,490	5,372	5,307	5,217	5,101	5,024	4,823	4,778	4,676	4,511
	Konotopskyi	7,170	7,059	7,038	7,151	7,034	7,116	7,189	7,270	7,322	7,360
B	Okhtyrskyi	14,666	14,861	14,756	14,831	14,468	14,741	14,865	14,941	14,982	15,074
Sumska	Romenskyi	7,572	7,314	7,207	7,129	7,083	7,093	7,112	7,391	7,037	6,996
S	Shostkynskyi	11,207	13,895	14,271	14,601	15,349	15,987	16,505	16,984	17,419	17,925
	Sumskyi	28,511	34,100	34,449	35,523	36,134	36,178	37,483	38,217	38,430	37,923
ska	Chortkivskyi	18,002	17,440	17,116	16,923	16,638	16,309	16,067	15,827	15,579	15,335
Ternopilska	Kremenetskyi	10,787	10,448	10,224	10,048	9,878	9,707	9,641	9,559	9,447	9,341
Ter	Ternopilskyi	51,982	50,979	50,334	49,782	49,268	48,772	48,560	48,288	47,980	47,672
	Haisynskyi	29,612	26,210	26,374	25,994	25,714	24,749	25,155	24,925	24,694	24,488
	Khmilnytskyi	20,701	26,091	20,233	19,784	19,504	19,062	18,589	18,331	18,079	17,929
rtska Tr	Mohyliv-Podilskyi	16,450	13,318	16,875	16,630	16,505	16,154	16,209	16,051	15,856	15,748
Vinnytska	Tulchynskyi	15,925	15,593	14,081	13,918	13,779	14,612	13,563	13,420	13,220	13,096
	Vinnytskyi	79,156	74,907	77,250	76,630	76,224	76,040	74,939	74,680	74,070	73,438
	Zhmerynskyi	16,728	11,869	15,368	15,167	14,998	14,390	14,840	14,749	14,614	14,497
	Kamin-Kashyrskyi	4,867	4,851	4,629	4,563	4,394	4,306	4,270	4,175	4,094	4,009
Volynska	Kovelskyi	13,462	13,209	12,861	12,625	12,491	12,404	12,272	12,019	11,778	11,619
	Lutskyi	19,948	26,976	26,295	25,974	25,697	25,528	25,442	25,217	24,946	24,445
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	Volynskyi	11,724	12,706	10,731	10,531	10,295	9,970	9,834	9,495	9,237	9,079
Zakarpatska	Berehivskyi	13,359	13,006	17,582	17,364	16,818	17,075	16,952	16,821	16,691	16,544
	Khustskyi	15,923	15,502	25,174	24,784	24,784	24,317	24,049	23,786	23,484	23,289
	Mukachivskyi	40,040	38,981	37,438	36,896	36,461	36,295	36,104	35,777	35,406	35,210
	Rakhivskyi	10,694	10,411	9,122	8,972	8,955	8,772	8,611	8,529	8,393	8,258
	Tiachivskyi	19,405	18,892	12,125	12,041	12,041	11,773	11,632	11,551	11,407	11,332
	Uzhhorodskyi	50,365	49,033	42,354	42,141	42,111	41,928	42,029	42,048	41,937	41,934
	Berdianskyi										
Zaporizka	Melitopolskyi										
	Polohivskyi	1,939	577	533							
	Vasylivskyi										
	Zaporizkyi	154,195	165,501	168,164	171,718	149,458	152,812	158,586	161,381	163,509	165,127
Zhytomyrska	Berdychivskyi	8,089	7,884	7,806	7,462	7,109	7,133	6,989	6,845	6,800	6,625
	Korostenskyi	12,052	11,792	11,731	11,322	11,122	11,129	11,102	10,996	10,676	10,626
tom)	Novohrad-										
Zhy	Volynskyi	6,282	5,805	5,682	5,374	5,374	5,292	5,234	5,015	4,973	4,994
	Zhytomyrskyi	42,529	42,081	41,531	41,254	41,176	41,106	41,077	40,577	40,257	39,553



















