



Ukrainians Are Certain Of Victory

Description

UKRAINE: The Ukrainian military has reportedly been **making advances over the past week on the Western front, gaining back territory in the regions of Kharkiv and Donetsk** that were taken by the Russian military after its invasion of the country that started in late February.



[As Statista's Katharina Buchholz reports](#), around 3,000 square kilometers were retaken, according to accounts that cannot be independently verified, and many towns liberated. The **Russian side meanwhile spoke of a "regrouping" of its troops** as apparent videos from the front showed abandoned Russian tanks and other vehicles. Russian shelling of infrastructure like power stations intensified with the recent developments, causing blackouts in the affected regions.

[Despite international skepticism](#), the Ukrainian public has been convinced throughout the invasion that a military success against the larger aggressor Russia is possible.



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In surveys carried out in late April and late June [by the International Republican Institute](#), almost all respondents said they believed Ukraine could win the war. The agreement was so overwhelming that **even with the latest developments in favor of the Ukrainian military, numbers could hardly even rise more.**

Other countries had pledged [upwards of \\$36 billion of military aid](#) to Ukraine as of early August, while Russia has been isolated on the international stage, with only a few allies remaining.

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