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## FIRES ON THE TERRITORY OF UKRAINE

(in ecosystems, agricultural lands and in cities <sup>2</sup>)

For the period of <u>01.10.2022 to 31.10.2022</u>

## 1. Map of active fires on the territory of Ukraine <u>for the period of 01.10.2022 to</u> <u>31.10.2022</u>



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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Methodology for fire monitoring is presented on the last page of this bulletin

	Numbers of fires	Area of fires, ha	Distribution of fire area by types of landscapes, ha					Area of fires	
Oblast			forests	including coniferous	agriculture lands	other natural landscapes	settlements	in nature conservation zones <sup>1</sup>	
Crimea	3	1511	0	0	548	963	0	476	
Vinnytsia	8	936	102	0	688	59	87	26	
Dnipropetrovsk	10	5899	98	7	1873	1759	2169	464	
Donetsk	5	988	2	0	589	125	272	19	
Zhytomyr	18	2621	2107	1705	48	454	12	735	
Zaporizhzhia	4	2508	44	0	476	280	1708	30	
Kyiv	7	765	204	163	64	127	370	59	
Kirovograd	5	1609	4	0	1304	56	245	0	
Luhansk	3	1967	20	0	355	288	1304	71	
Lviv	1	190	0	0	11	28	151	0	
Mykolaiv	5	779	0	0	255	524	0	352	
Kyiv	1	209	101	84	0	71	37	0	
Odesa	24	19598	96	0	6048	13107	347	5304	
Poltava	5	1097	363	291	594	134	6	195	
Rivne	3	133	0	0	35	26	72	1	
Kharkiv	2	318	10	0	246	60	2	0	
Kherson	19	5605	10	0	4117	1454	24	225	
Khmelnytskyi	3	181	105	38	59	15	2	22	
Cherkasy	3	1219	374	196	555	269	21	0	
Chernihiv	5	1331	448	152	482	401	0	107	
Total, ha	134	49464	4088	2636	18347	20200	6829	8086	
Including on dangerous and occupied territories									
Crimea <sup>2</sup>	3	1511	0	0	548	963	0	476	
Donetsk <sup>2</sup>	5	988	2	0	589	125	272	19	
Zaporizhzhia <sup>2</sup>	1	119	0	0	119	0	0	0	
Luhansk <sup>2</sup>	3	1967	20	0	355	288	1304	71	
Mykolaiv <sup>2</sup>	2	539	0	0	191	348	0	266	
Kharkiv <sup>2</sup>	1	294	10	0	225	57	2	0	
Kherson <sup>2</sup>	17	5605	10	0	4117	1454	24	225	
Total, ha	32	11023	42	0	6144	3235	1602	1057	
%	23,9	22,3	1,0	0,0	33,5	16,0	23,5	13,1	

## Table 1. Statistics of fires on the territory of Ukraine for the period of 01.10.2022 to 31.10.2022

Note:

<sup>1</sup> In the research, we have used the network of nature conservation areas of European importance, which was created to implement the provisions of the Berne Convention on the Protection of Wild Flora and Fauna and Natural Habitats in Europe (Emerald Network) (<u>http://emerald.net.ua/</u>).

<sup>2</sup> The zone of military operations and occupied territories obtained according to the official information of the State Emergency Service of Ukraine - Interactive map of territories that could potentially be contaminated by explosive objects (<u>https://mine.dsns.gov.ua/</u>).

2. Map of fires in the areas of nature conservation (Emerald network) for the period of 01.10.2022 to 31.10.2022



Table 2. Statistics of fires in the areas of nature conservation (Emerald network) for the<br/>period of 01.10.2022 to 31.10.2022

		Distribution of fire area by types of landscapes, ha				
Oblast	Area of fires, ha	forests	including coniferous	agriculture lands	other natural landscapes	settlements
Crimea	476	0	0	34	442	0
Vinnytsia	26	26	0	0	0	0
Dnipropetrovsk	464	0	0	369	83	12
Donetsk	19	0	0	18	1	0
Zhytomyr	735	649	532	0	86	0
Zaporizhzhia	30	5	0	0	23	2
Kyiv	59	55	55	0	4	0
Luhansk	71	0	0	39	32	0
Mykolaiv	352	0	0	92	260	0
Odesa	5304	12	0	13	5279	0
Poltava	195	178	145	0	17	0
Rivne	1	0	0	0	1	0
Kherson	225	0	0	32	193	0
Khmelnytskyi	22	20	19	0	2	0
Chernihiv	107	103	0	0	4	0
Total, ha	8086	1048	751	597	6427	14

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Oblast	Area of fires, ha	forests	including coniferous	agriculture lands	other natural landscapes	settlements	
Including on dangerous							
Crimea <sup>2</sup>	476	0	0	34	442	0	
Donetsk <sup>2</sup>	19	0	0	18	1	0	
Luhansk <sup>2</sup>	71	0	0	39	32	0	
Mykolaiv <sup>2</sup>	266	0	0	92	174	0	
Kherson <sup>2</sup>	225	0	0	32	193	0	
Total, ha	1057	0	0	215	842	0	
%	13.1	0.0	0.0	36.0	13.1	0.0	

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## 3. Methodology for fire monitoring

Spatial-temporal analysis of fires in Ukraine was performed using the information service <u>OroraTech</u>, which, based on data aggregated from 20 satellites, allows to obtain information about fires in a particular area (detailed information about the resource - <u>https://ororatech.com/static/OroraTech\_Service\_Description.pdf</u>).

To analyze the area affected by fires by type of landscape, we used information on the land cover of <u>Copernicus Global Land Operations "Vegetation and Energy"</u>, which provides a detailed description of land cover as of 2019 with a resolution of 100 m. Detailed information about the product - <u>https://land.copernicus.eu/global/sites/cgls.vito.be/files/products/CGLOPS1\_ATBD\_LC100m-V2.0\_I2.00.pdf</u>.

The network of nature conservation areas of European importance, which was created to implement the provisions of the Berne Convention on the Protection of Wild Flora and Fauna and Natural Habitats in Europe (Emerald Network) (<u>http://emerald.net.ua/</u>), was used for the analysis of areas of nature conservation value that were affected by fires.

The analysis was performed using a free geographic information system. QGIS (3.2.1), which is one of the most functional and convenient desktop geographic information systems.