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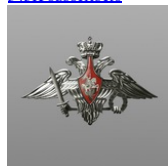
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Servicemen of the engineering troops of the Western Military District continue demining the territory of the liberated settlements of the Kharkov region from unexploded ordnance of the Armed Forces of Ukraine

□Every day, military engineers of the Western Military District detect and remove from the ground about **40 anti-tank mines on roads and agricultural fields** .

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Combat work of crews of self-propelled artillery mounts of high power 2S7M "Malka"

▣ "Malka" has a **203 mm** caliber gun and is designed to solve special tasks - **suppression and elimination of especially protected command and control posts, artillery, mortars, armored vehicles, rear, enemy manpower**

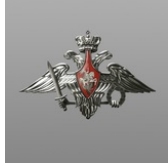
▣ The rate of fire of the gun is up to **2.5 rounds per minute**, the range is **about 50 kilometers**.

▣ For the timely detection of targets, data transmission and fire adjustment, **modern unmanned aerial vehicles "Orlan-10" are used**.

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✂ **Briefing of the Russian Ministry of Defense** (27.05.2022)

□ **The Armed Forces of the Russian Federation continue the special military operation in Ukraine .**

High-precision air-based missiles of the Russian Aerospace Forces in the area of the settlement of **Bakhmut** of the Donetsk People's Republic struck at the positions of the 10th hotel mountain assault brigade of the Armed Forces of Ukraine. Seven command and observation posts and **thirteen** areas of concentration of manpower and military equipment were **hit** .

□ Also, in the **Barvenkovo** area, the **launcher** of the Buk-M1 anti-aircraft missile system and the **radar** for illumination and guidance of the Ukrainian S-300 anti-aircraft missile system were destroyed .

□ In addition, a Ukrainian air defense guidance and target designation **radar was destroyed in the Gusarovka** area of the Kharkiv region .

Operational-tactical and army aviation hit **44** areas of concentration of manpower and Ukrainian military equipment. As a result of air strikes, more than **250 nationalists were destroyed, 84** units of weapons and military equipment were disabled , including **nine** tanks, **five** Grad multiple rocket launchers, **ten** field artillery guns and **22** vehicles for various purposes.

□ **In addition, two** ammunition depots were destroyed near the settlement of **Spornoye** in the Donetsk People's Republic and **Barvenkovo** in the Kharkiv region .

Russian air defense systems shot down **one** MiG-29 aircraft of the Ukrainian Air Force over the village of **Belyary** , Odessa region .

□ **In addition, eight** Ukrainian unmanned aerial vehicles were destroyed in the areas of the settlements of **Liptsy, Balakleya, Malye Prokhody, Glubokoye, Glinskoye**, Kharkiv region, **Yampol, Maslyakovka, Vasilyevka** of the Donetsk People's Republic , and **one** Ukrainian Tochka-U ballistic missile was intercepted in the **Svatovo** area. Lugansk People's Republic.

Rocket forces and artillery hit **77** command posts of units of the Armed Forces of Ukraine, **412** areas of concentration of manpower and military equipment, as well as **53** artillery firing positions. **As a result of a strike on a pontoon company , another attempt to build a pontoon crossing of the Armed Forces of Ukraine across the Seversky Donets River** was thwarted in the area of the settlement of **Zavgorodnee** , Kharkiv Region .

In total , since the beginning of the special military operation, the following have been destroyed: **180** aircraft, **127** helicopters, **1027** unmanned aerial vehicles, **324** anti-aircraft missile systems, **3281** tanks and other armored combat vehicles, **438** multiple rocket launchers, **1693** field artillery and mortar guns, as well as **3218** units of special military vehicles.

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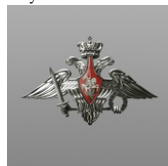
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The fault of the West not only caused the degradation of the arms control system, but also arose the danger of the planet slipping into a conflict unpredictable for humanity.

□ From an interview with a political scientist, leading expert of the Center for Military-Political Studies of the Moscow State Institute of International Relations of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Russia, corresponding member of the Academy of Military Sciences of Russia Vladimir Kozin to the [Krasnaya Zvezda](#) newspaper .

At the end of May, 50 years have passed since the signing of three treaties between Moscow and Washington, which to a certain extent laid the foundation for the creation of an arms control system and at one time contributed to the strengthening of strategic stability in the world. We are talking about the Treaty on the Limitation of Anti-Ballistic Missile Systems signed on May 26, 1972 and the Interim Agreement between the United States and the USSR on Measures to Limit Strategic Offensive Arms, called SALT-1, as well as the bilateral Agreement on the Prevention of Incidents in the high seas and in the airspace above it.

“... **The ABM Treaty** , which, according to the then Soviet and American leaders, became the cornerstone of strategic stability, **limited the anti-missile arms race** . At first, under this treaty, the number of interceptor missiles for each side was limited to **200 units** deployed in two areas of the "anti-missile shield". But later, according to the protocol to it, signed in 1974, Moscow and Washington reduced the number of such regions to one with no more than **100 interceptor missiles for each participant** .

“... **The SALT-1 Agreement** and the subsequent **SALT-2 Agreement suspended the nuclear missile arms race** , and also served as the basis for the development of treaties of a qualitatively new category - already on the physical reduction of strategic offensive weapons ... All of them led to a gradual reduction in the number of strategic nuclear missile weapons of the parties, and in the future to a decrease in their qualitative characteristics, **for example, for a certain period of time, the installation of individually targetable multiple nuclear warheads on one ICBM** , reducing their number of installed warheads to one. In other words, they turned them into monoblocks.”

“... The Pentagon, apparently, will not abandon the further development of the American global “anti-missile shield” ... On the other hand, **Russia now has effective means of overcoming the global American missile defense system from almost any direction** . These funds **neutralize the American infrastructure for intercepting ballistic and cruise missiles** , despite the huge funds allocated by the United States to create a layered system of ground, sea and space-based missile defense.

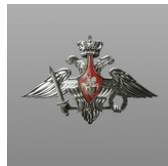
“... In the current situation, **the Russian side has to be very careful in solving the multifaceted problem of ensuring arms control** , given that **Washington is ready** , as it has demonstrated this more than once, **at any moment to abandon an agreement that does not suit it for some reason. or considerations** .

“...Unfortunately, today, when the **US ruling circles have set as their goal the destruction of our country and statements about the permissibility of nuclear war appear in Washington**, it is not even necessary to talk about some new agreement in the arms control system. Although it is quite obvious **that the world, through the fault of the West, turned out to be, figuratively speaking, with a rocket to its head** .”

“... **The situation is developing according to an extremely dangerous scenario, fraught with the most unpredictable consequences for humanity** . The Kiev authorities added **fuel to the fire, talking at the beginning of this year about nuclear weapons** , about their entry into NATO, and their readiness to regain Crimea by military means. It is necessary to resolve the Ukrainian conflict, **laying the basis for the complete denazification of this country** . And for this, **the West should stop all military assistance to the Kiev regime and force it to sit down at the negotiating table** .”

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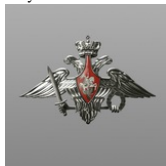
□ [@A](#) The Ukrainian soldier said that his group made a decision in advance to surrender during the offensive of the Russian troops

“ People didn't want to fight... we were sitting in the basement, there was heavy shelling... we made a decision for ourselves not to leave, but simply to surrender, because it's very scary. When we arrived at the rear (Armed Forces of the Russian Federation), the guys immediately untied us, gave us water, gave us food, gave us hot buckwheat, this has not happened for a long time ... Good, cool guys. They have a good commander, you look at him and you understand that if he said that everything will be fine, then everything will be fine .”

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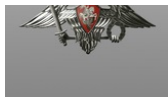
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of the "guardian angels" of the lives of soldiers

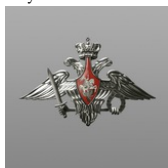
□ In a battle with Ukrainian nationalists, nurse Christina Kim, while under enemy fire, provided first aid to 12 wounded paratroopers, after which she personally took them out from under fire and grouped them in a shelter, which saved their lives. After the end of the battle, she ensured the evacuation of all the wounded to the field medical detachment.

Christina Kim also provided medical assistance to the civilian population. So, she saved the life of a four-year-old boy who was wounded after militants fired at a car with civilians from a heavy machine gun.

■ In 1941, in the fierce battles near Kyiv, the 19-year-old nurse Biba became famous for her fearlessness. From the battlefield, she carried 26 Soviet soldiers and commanders on her shoulders, and provided first aid to 105 soldiers right under enemy fire.

In the unit, the nurse taught the personnel to provide medical care and she herself studied military affairs in her free minutes.

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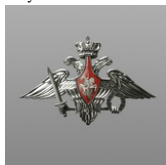
☐ [@A](#) Captured Ukrainian border guard spoke about the deception by the Armed Forces of Ukraine and the unwillingness of people to fight

“ We dug something in the rain, everyone got wet. Then they took me to the positions, maybe the Right Sector, and they told me to dig there. They tried to communicate with us, but it was clear that they were inadequate, most likely drug addicts. Everyone was in a very bad mood, no one wanted to fight, we all wanted to leave there as soon as possible. We did not want to go there, we were brought there by fraudulent means. We were promised that we would stand far away, at checkpoints and check cars and documents, but still they deceived us and took us there .”

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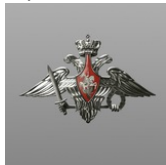
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[The Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation continues to study materials on the implementation of the military biological programs of the United States and its NATO allies on the territory of Ukraine.](#)

□ Under the Biological and Toxin Weapons Convention, **each state party submits an annual report in the form of a Declaration of Compliance with the requirements of the convention** . It is currently the only reporting document on the implementation of the Convention under the Confidence Building Measures.

□ In connection with the investigation of the military biological activities of the United States on the territory of Ukraine, **we have analyzed the documents sent by these states to the UN** .

□ **It should be noted** that in these materials (in the form "A" of part 2 "i") **neither Ukraine nor the United States provided information on joint ongoing biological research, as well as developments in the field of biological protection** . Also, Poland and Germany did not declare interaction with Ukraine in their reports.

□ In addition, in these reports (in the form "F") for the period from 2016 to 2020, Ukraine states that QUOTE: “ **The Government of Ukraine did not and does not conduct any offensive and defensive activities under biological research and development programs. Since January 1, 1946, the Government of Ukraine has no information about such activities of the former USSR on the territory of Ukraine** . END OF QUOTATION.

□ This contradicts a May 20, 2022, statement by U.S. Deputy Permanent Representative to the OSCE Lewis Gitter that assistance to Kiev is aimed at “... **reducing biological and veterinary hazards, as well as securing illegal stockpiles of biological weapons left over from the USSR** ...” .

□ In addition, there are numerous inconsistencies in reporting submitted by Ukraine. **Thus, Form A of the Confidence Building Measures for 2020 declares the complete absence of national biodefense programs** . At the same time, in part 2 "i" of this form, the Research Institute of Biotechnology of Microorganism Strains in Kyiv is indicated as a participant in the biological protection program.

□ In addition, the **characteristics of the object (the area of Laboratory premises, the number of personnel) do not correspond to the information previously submitted by Ukraine** .

□ **The question arises** : why did the reporting documents of the United States and Ukraine sent to the UN not indicate work within the framework of joint military biological projects code-named UP? **Such secrecy is a reason to think about the true goals of the Pentagon in Ukraine** .

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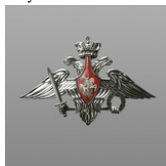
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□ Pay attention to the memorandum prepared by the office of the US Secretary of Defense regarding the UP-2 project for mapping especially dangerous pathogens on the territory of Ukraine.

□ The document notes that the **main task of this project is to collect information on the molecular composition of pathogens characteristic of Ukraine** and transfer samples of strains.

□ Separately, it is emphasized that work in this direction should comply with the main guidelines for the **Program for the Prevention of the Proliferation of Biological Weapons in Ukraine as part of the joint threat reduction of November 29, 2005** .

□ **A similar memorandum was prepared as part of the UP-1 project** , aimed at studying rickettsia and other diseases spread by arthropods. **The document noted the need to transfer all collections of especially dangerous pathogens to the central reference laboratory, which made it possible to facilitate the process of their organized export to the United States** .

□ As part of the **Cooperative Threat Reduction Program**, a large-scale UP-4 project was carried out to investigate the possibility of the spread of especially dangerous infections through migratory birds . The documents received show that only for the period from November 2019 to January 2020, 991 biological samples were collected.

□**In total, we have information about ten such projects** (including UP-3, UP-6, UP-8, UP-10), which included work with pathogens of especially dangerous and economically significant infections - Crimean Congo fever, leptospirosis, tick-borne encephalitis , African swine fever.

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□ We draw attention to the numerous facts of violation of safety requirements in Ukrainian laboratories.

□Thus, **work with dangerous pathogens under the control of the Pentagon in Kharkov, Kiev and a number of other cities was carried out in laboratories with an insufficient level of personnel protection** . At the same time, according to official data, only three laboratories with a BSL-3 biological safety level have the right to conduct such studies. These are the Odessa Anti-Plague Institute, the Lviv Research Institute of Epidemiology and Hygiene, and the Public Health Center in Kyiv.

□**The Security Service of Ukraine noted the prerequisites for the emergence of biological threats due to systematic violations and the poor quality of work during the reconstruction of biological laboratories** .

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[Specialists](#) of the Russian Ministry of Defense confirmed the fact of connecting Ukrainian biological laboratories to the system of global control over the spread of infectious diseases.

□**The basic part of this network, which has been formed by the Pentagon since 1997, is the Walter Reed Army Research Institute** (Maryland). It includes laboratories of the ground forces and naval forces, as well as military bases located in various regions of the world. It should be noted that the deployment of such a network occurs according to a typical scenario.

□At the initial stage , **Americans express concern about the state of the epidemiological situation in the region** . Further, the interest, including material interest, of officials, primarily the ministries of health, in joint work is ensured, intergovernmental agreements are concluded. **As a result, a bio-object is being built and connected to a unified biomonitoring system** . **All the country's developments in the biological field become the property of the United States**. Moreover, restrictions are placed on access to a number of studies, as well as to their results, for local specialists.

□At the same time, **the US Department of Defense Threat Reduction Administration (DTRA) is actively implementing hardware and software systems for automated disease monitoring** , as well as access control systems and the movement of pathogenic biological agents in places of their storage and research.

□Equipping bioobjects with the indicated information systems as part of the Biothreat Reduction Program **enables Americans to ensure the safety of their military contingents in places of deployment, remotely monitor the activities of biolaboratories outside national jurisdiction and influence the biological situation around the world**.

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As part of a special military operation in biolaboratories on the territory of Ukraine, materials by American instructors on training Ukrainian specialists in emergency response to smallpox outbreaks were found.

□The interest of the Pentagon in this infection is far from accidental: **the return of the causative agent of smallpox will be a global catastrophe for all mankind** . So, compared to COVID-19, this pathogen is just as contagious (contagious), but **its lethality is 10 times higher** .

□Back in 2003, the US Department of Defense **developed the Smallpox Vaccination Program, according to which all US military personnel are required to be vaccinated** . Vaccination in the United States is mandatory for diplomatic and medical personnel. This indicates that **the United States considers the smallpox pathogen as a priority pathogenic biological agent for combat use, and ongoing vaccination measures are aimed at protecting its own military contingents** .

□**Lack of proper controls and violations of biosecurity requirements in the US may lead to the use of this pathogen for terrorist purposes** . In the period from 2014 to 2021, unaccounted vials with the virus were repeatedly found in the laboratories of the Federal Drug Agency and the US Army Research Institute of Infectious Diseases (Maryland), the Vaccine Research Center (Pennsylvania).

□**The work in these organizations was carried out in violation of World Health Assembly Resolution 49.10 of 1996**, according to which the causative agent of smallpox can be stored in only one American laboratory - the Center for Infection Control and Prevention in Atlanta.

□It should be noted that **smallpox vaccination, which is currently not available in many countries, provides protection against monkeypox** .

□**The World Health Organization announced the convening of an emergency meeting of the participating States on the emergence of an outbreak of this dangerous infectious disease in May 2022** .

□We know that by now 98% of cases are gay men over 20 years of age. Dr. David Hermann, who previously headed the WHO emergency department, said in an interview with the American press that the main reason for the spread of the disease is sexual transmission of the virus.

□According to the WHO report, **the introduction of the West African strain of monkeypox originated from Nigeria** , another country where the United States has deployed its biological infrastructure.

□According to available information, **there are at least four biological laboratories controlled by Washington in Nigeria** .

□In this regard, we should recall a strange coincidence that needs additional verification by specialists. So, **according to European and American media reports, in the materials of the Munich Security Conference 2021, that is, against the backdrop of the COVID-19 pandemic, a scenario was being worked out to counter an outbreak caused by a new strain of monkeypox virus** .

□Against the backdrop of numerous cases of US violations of biosecurity requirements and facts of careless storage of pathogenic biomaterials , we **call on the leadership of the World Health Organization to investigate the activities of US-funded Nigerian laboratories in Abuja, Zaria, Lagos and inform the world community about its results** .

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