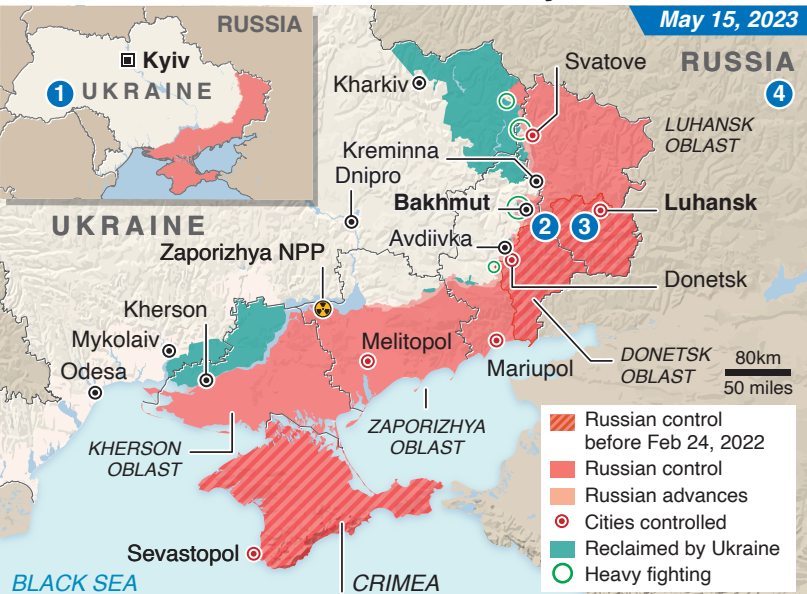


# Ukraine invasion – day 446

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**1 Ukraine:** Will not be invited to join NATO at Vilnius summit in July, with no consensus on Kyiv's membership

France will train and equip several battalions with light tanks and armoured vehicles

**2 Bakhmut:** Two Russian military commanders killed as troops pull back in face of Ukrainian offensive

**3 Luhansk:** UK-supplied long-range **Storm Shadow** cruise missiles used to hit Russian-held targets

**4 Russia:** Plans to formally withdraw from **Treaty on Conventional Armed Forces in Europe**

G7 sets out new sanctions targeting Russia's energy sector and sanctions evasion by third countries