

# Ukraine renews appeal for F-16 jets

President Volodymyr Zelensky has said the delivery of F-16 fighter jets to Ukraine would be a sure signal from the world that Russia's invasion would end in defeat

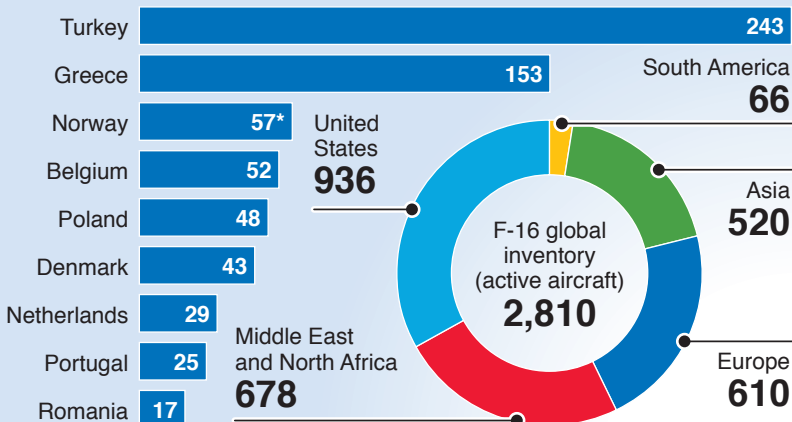
## LOCKHEED MARTIN F-16 FIGHTING FALCON

U.S. backing efforts by Western allies to supply Ukraine with advanced jets and train Ukrainian pilots to fly them



Engine thrust: <b>129kN</b>	Wingspan: <b>9.8m</b>	Max take-off weight: <b>16,875kg</b>
Max speed: <b>2,400km/h</b>	Length: <b>14.8m</b>	Weapons payload: <b>7,700kg</b>

## F-16 FIGHTER JET STOCKS: European inventories



\*Norway retired its F-16 fleet in 2022 and agreed to sell 32 used aircraft to Romania