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CONFLICT BERESOLVED?



HISTORY AND ROOTS

1991



END OF SOVIET UNION

Ukraine became independent

Russia wants to continue to exert influence over Ukraine

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Ukraine wants closer ties with Europe

2014



ANNEXATION OF CRIMEA

Crimea: strategic territory on the Black Sea coast

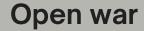
In **Donbass**: tensions with separatists who launched a war against Ukraine

2022



LARGE-SCALE INVASION

Increase in **military attacks** and mutual **violence**



Disrupting the balance in Europe



THE CURRENT SITUATION &

Hundreds of thousands of soldiers and tens of thousands of civilians died.



Intense combat War of attrition



Western sanctions against Russia, restrictions on Russian gas and oil



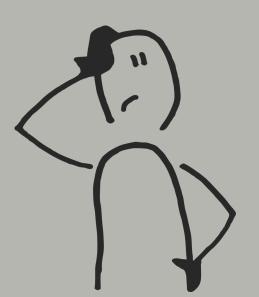


Ukraine: support of the West (US and EU)
Russia is seeking support from China, Iran, and
countries in the Global South.



Millions of Ukrainians have left their country to seek refuge in Europe.

PROBLEMS AND OBSTACLES THAT PREVENT PEACE



DISPUTED TERRITORIES

-Economic impact

-Population and labour impact

-Trade and investments



MUTUAL DISTRUST

-Ukrain doesn't trust russian promises

-Russia fears incerclement by NATO



RISK OF ESCALATION

-War could directly involve NATO

-Possible use of nuclear weapons



INTERNATIONAL POLITIC DIMENSION

-For Vladimir Putin, retreat will be seen as a defeat

-For Ukraine, ceding territories would be seen as betrayal



SCENARIOS CONSIDERED

DIPLOMATIC NEGOTIATIONS (UN, TURKEY, CHINA AS MEDIATORS)

MILITARY VICTORY OF ONE SIDE (UNCERTAIN AND COSTLY)

MILITARY NEUTRALITY OF UKRAINE

SECURITY GUARANTEES FOR UKRAINE

TERRITORIAL AGREEMENTS (SPECIAL STATUS, CRIMEA ISSUE)

FROZEN CONFLICT (NO PEACE TREATY, LIKE KOREA)

SEEVSTHE VOSTREAUSTIC TO YOU, AND WHY?









