Explosions Leave 2 Dead, 15 Injured in Ukraine's Zhytomyr Oblast

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At least two people were killed and 15 others injured after large explosions were reported along a highway east of the city of Zhytomyr in northwest Ukraine, according to [local authorities](#).

The blasts occurred around 6 pm local time near the M-06 highway in Berezyna, [police said](#).

Ukrainian energy company JSC Zhytomyroblenergo [reported](#) that three power lines were damaged, leaving 750 homes in the area without electricity.

Initial reports indicated the explosion occurred at a gas station, but officials later [clarified](#) it occurred at a nearby facility.

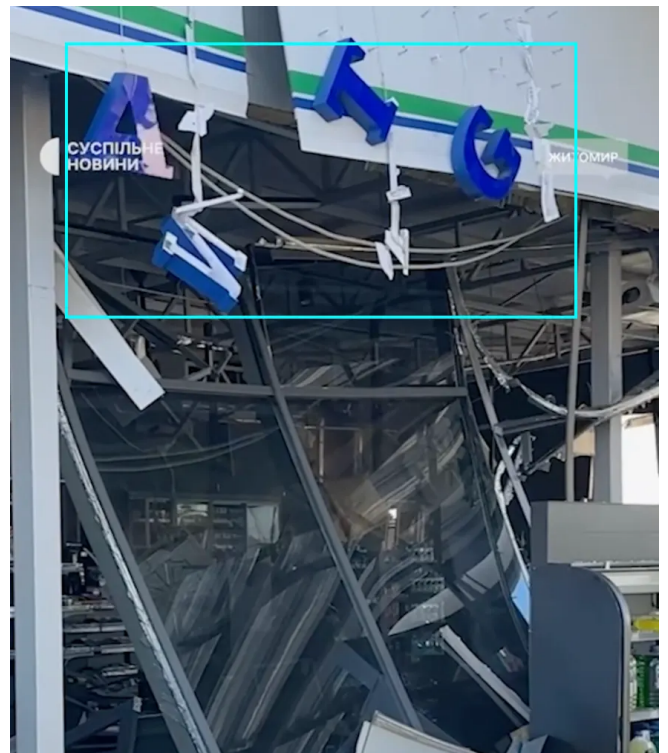The cause of the explosion remained under [investigation](#).

Footage published by Suspilne, Ukraine's national public broadcaster, show a plume of smoke towering over damaged gas station and a McDonald's restaurant, both located along the M-06 road.
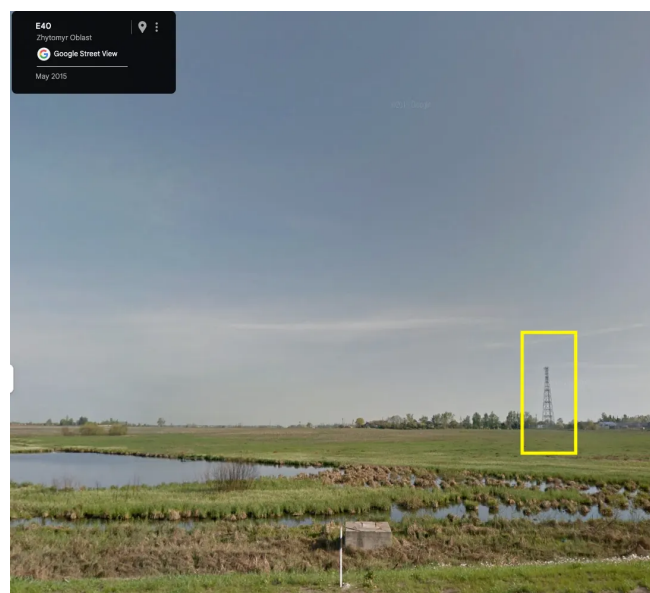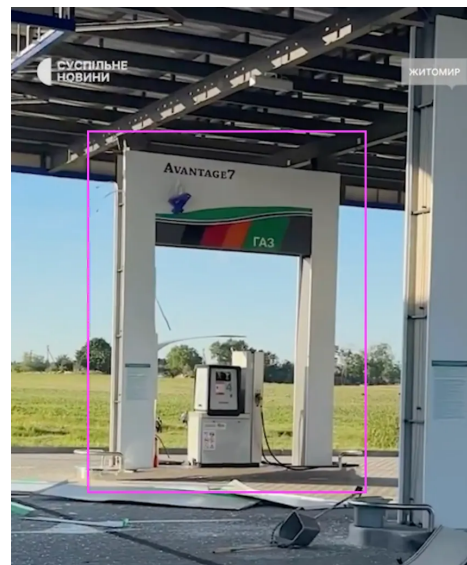
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Date - *Corroborated* - July 02 2025

Suspilne said the footage was captured on Wednesday, July 2. This is consistent with official statements - see here, here, and here.

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Location - *Confirmed* - Berezyna, Zhytomyr Oblast

This footage was filmed in Berezyna, Zhytomyr Oblast. This is confirmed using geotagged images on Google Maps - see here, here, and here.

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Source - *Confirmed* - Suspilne

This footage was filmed by Suspilne News, the Public Broadcasting Company of Ukraine.