



## Supporting social science data archiving in Ukraine

Co-operation between Czech Social Science Data Archive and Ukraine National Data Bank of Sociological data “Kyiv Archive”

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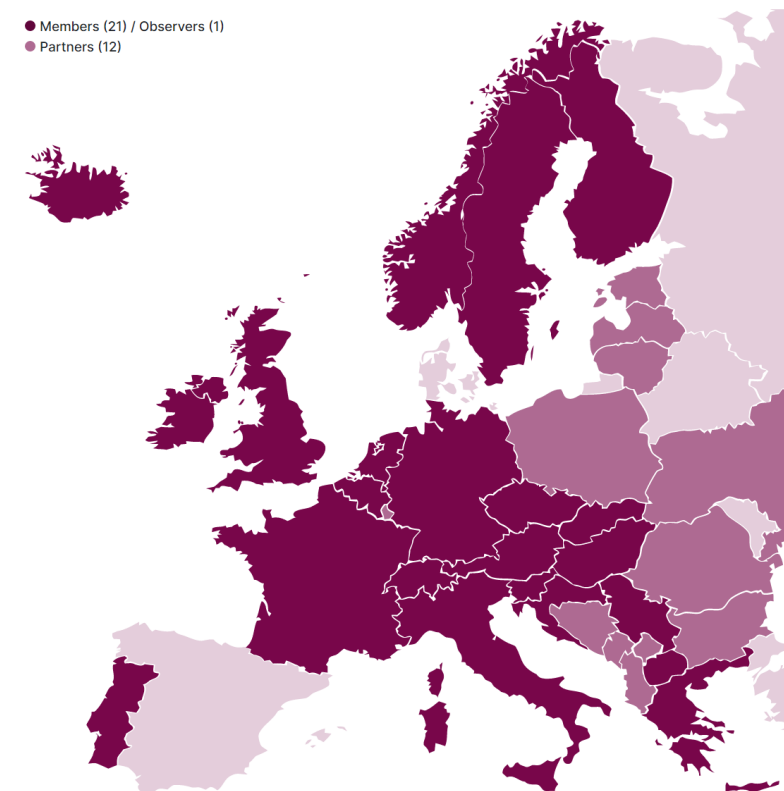
# CSDA is national node of European data infrastructure

## Consortium of European Social Science Data Archives

- CESSDA was founded in 1976 as an informal platform for the cooperation of European data archives
- Since 2017, it has acquired the legal form of the European Research Infrastructure Consortium (ERIC), while the Czech Republic was one of the founding members of this consortium
- The aim of CESSDA is to support and organize social science data archives, to promote research results in the field of social sciences and to support social science research at the international level.
- CESSDA emphasizes the entire process leading to data publication i. e. long term archiving and making data available together with accompanying description and materials. Currently, CESSDA has 21 members (+1 observer) countries and is constantly working on its widening



● Members (21) / Observers (1)  
● Partners (12)



# CESSDA Data Catalogue - <https://datacatalogue.cessda.eu/>



environmental attitudes

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189 studies found in English from a total of 42408

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Topic

Environment and conservation (189)

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## [Environmental Attitudes and Behaviour of South-Western Finns 1999](#)

*Kouvo, Antti (University of Turku. Department of Sociology)*

The survey is part of local Agenda 21 programme for southwestern Finland. The programme is a global plan of action for sustainable development. The study charted environmental behaviour of southwestern Finns and different forms of, preconditions for and obstacles to environmentally friendly action. The respondents' actions and habits that affected the environment were studied with questions about traffic, consumption, nutrition, energy, garbage disposal and hobbies in nature. The respondents...

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Study description available in:

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Access data

## [Attitudes to Questions of Environmental Protection \(1992\)](#)

*Institut für praxisorientierte Sozialforschung (IPOS), Mannheim*

Attitude to environmental protection and waste disposal. Topics: 1. General judgement on environmental protection

# Ukrainian National Data Bank “Kyiv Archive”

- **Ukraine National Data Bank of Sociological data “Kyiv Archive”** is a Ukrainian data service, which was created in 2015 by the Kyiv International Institute of Sociology (KIIS) and the Social indicators Center, together with the National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy, thanks to financing by the International Renaissance Foundation.
- The mission is to make the data from sociological surveys conducted in Ukraine easily and freely accessible to all interested people or entities both in Ukraine and outside the country.



# The scope of activities of “Kyiv Archive” - I

**Kyiv Archive” collects, preserves and provides open access to primary sociological data for a wide range of users.**

The main services are:

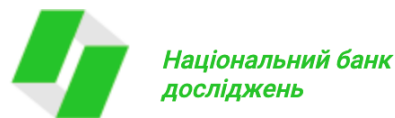
- acquisition of data from data producers;
- data recovery and long-term preservation;
- online cataloguing and classification of archived data, creating thematic compilations and tags to ease data search;
- registering users and providing access to data for secondary analysis;
- user support for data search and use.



## The scope of activities of “Kyiv Archive” - II

“Additional services and activities include support, assistance, and advice for data depositors, translation of survey materials into English (on a routine basis and upon request), promotional activities and outreach for users.

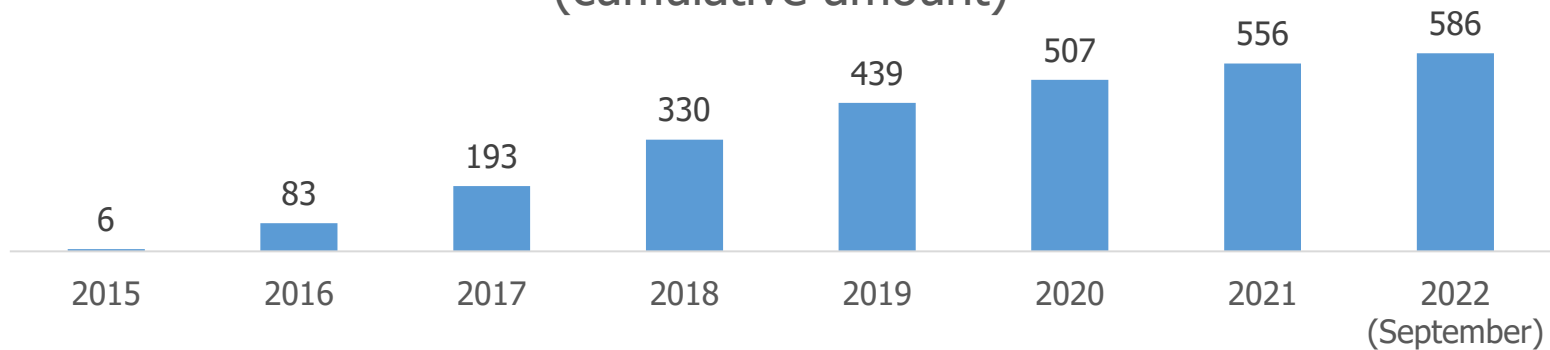
- “Kyiv archive” stores data from sociological surveys conducted in Ukraine by professional research organizations (those accredited by the Sociological Association of Ukraine).
- **Currently the collection includes more than 200 surveys / polls** on a wide range of issues, including electoral, socio-political, socio-economic surveys, surveys on values, health, corruption, exit polls and others.
- Our main depositors are Kyiv International Institute of Sociology, SOCIS, Ilko Kucheriv Democratic Initiatives Foundation.
- **Collected studies cover the period from the 90s to the present day**, therefore, it allows to track social changes and changes in public opinion over time.



# Users of the services

The primary data of sociological surveys are in high demand by various categories of users. Overall, almost 600 people used the data bank services since creation.

Users by year of registration  
(cumulative amount)



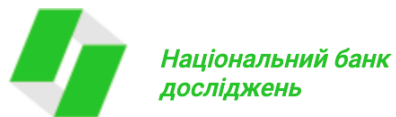
## Users by occupation

- 79%** Students
- 17%** Scholar, teaching, research, analytics
- 2%** Journalists
- 2%** Representatives from governmental and non-governmental organizations
- 1%** Other



# Situation after the 2022 Russian invasion

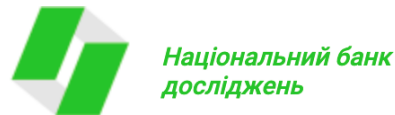
1. 2022 Russian invasion significantly affected the work of Ukrainian sociological research organizations.
2. KIIS, which is the main source of funding for the "Kyiv Archive" data bank, was forced to temporarily stop its work, and partially resumed research from May 2022.
3. The work of the data bank was partially limited, but we continued to store the collected data and provided the data to users.
4. Since February 24 the Kyiv Archive had fewer requests from students, but received more requests from researchers from different countries. This shows that sociological research data are valuable for understanding the situation in the country.





# Cooperation with CSDA/CESSDA

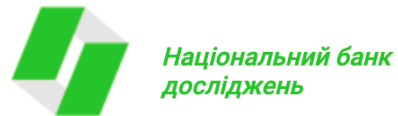
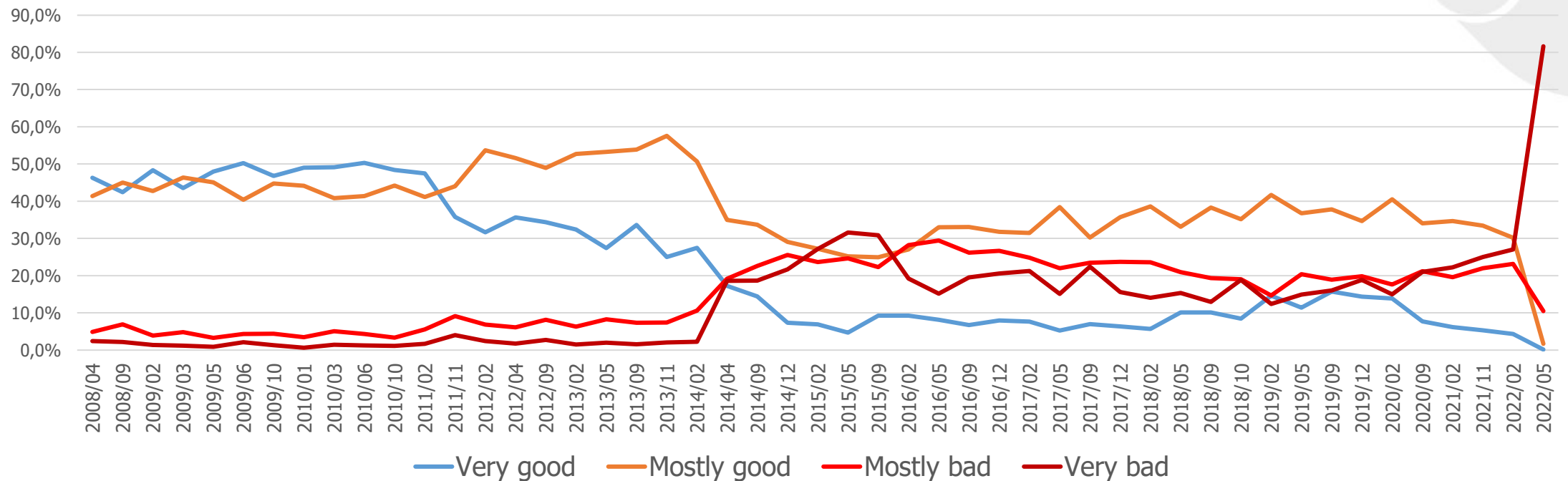
- At this time the data bank is still operating in a limited mode. We have retained our core services, that is storing existing data and providing data to users. Besides, we proceed with creating data collections on some of the most relevant topics.
- In April 2022 “Kyiv Archive” launched a cooperation with the Czech Social Data Archive (ČSDA) on transferring, backup and storage of the current data sets as well as mentorship support on the institutional capacity development.
- Within the collaboration the ČSDA provides support to the Data Bank on the development of support documentation and facilitates the cooperation and scholarship support of CESSDA to the National Data Bank (which will be launched in 2023).
- **The purpose of creating this merged data set is to facilitate the analysis of Ukrainians’ opinions regarding key social topics**



# Kyiv Archive data-collection (2008 – 2022)

## ATTITUDE OF THE POPULATION OF UKRAINE TOWARDS RUSSIA

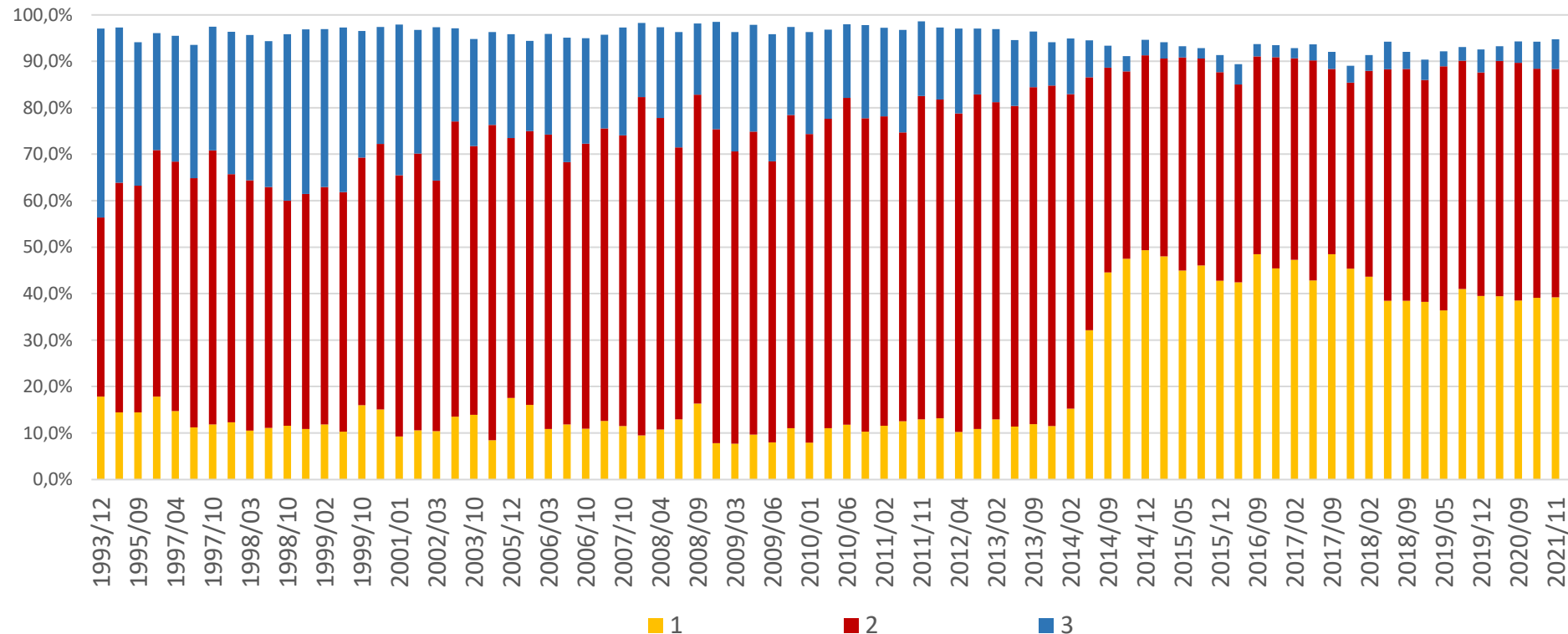
### How do you generally feel about Russia?



# Kyiv Archive data-collection (1993 – 2021)

## UKRAINIAN-RUSSIAN RELATIONS

How would you like to see Ukraine's relations with Russia?



1 "Ukraine's relations with Russia should be the same as with other states – with closed borders, visas, customs"

2 "Ukraine and Russia should be independent, but friendly states -- with open borders, without visas and customs"

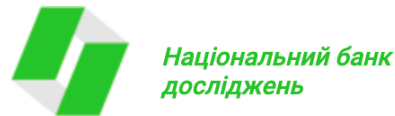
3 "Ukraine and Russia should unite into one state"



# EXPECTED COLLECTION TO BE STORED AT ČSDA

## The list of the topics:

1. Monitoring of attitudes towards Russia (from 2008 to 2022) + towards Russians, the leadership of Russia
2. Relations with Russia ("How would you like to see Ukraine's relations with Russia?", from 1993 to 2022)
3. Geopolitical orientations (EU, CIS, NATO, since 2005)
4. Support for the independence of Ukraine (If the referendum were held today, how would you vote?)
5. Euromaidan (survey of Maidan participants, perception of Euromaidan by the population)
6. The Russian-Ukrainian war, since 2014 (attitude towards the annexation of Crimea to Russia, ATO). It is also possible to add new topical questions from the May omnibus
7. Willingness to resist (In the event of an armed intervention by Russia in your town or village, would you take any action, and if so, what action would you take?), 2021, 2022
8. Trust in social institutions
9. Happiness, satisfaction with life
10. Self-assessment of health (How would you rate your health?)
11. Interethnic tolerance

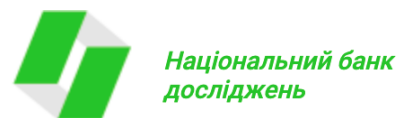


# CURRENT AND PROSPECTIVE COOPERATION

## The need of joint support

1. Maintain the current activities;
2. To restore full-fledged work, in particular to proceed collecting data;
3. Expand the amount of data stored and the number of organizations that provide them.
4. Update the software and modernize our site, and create fully-fledged English-language version.
5. Develop the data collection process within accordance of the European standards;
6. Popularize Ukrainian social data internationally and make it available for the international scientific community;
7. Continue and spread international partnership for development, sharing and learning;
8. Together with the partners to advocate the State support to the Kyiv Archive.
9. Under the support of the scholarship and in cooperation with ČSDA the Kyiv Archive had develop the list of the topics of collections of the datasets, which would be prepared and published in English for the international users at the ČSDA's storage sources.





## Thanks you for your attention!

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