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Thread: [BBC Report on Ukraine](#)

Omniscient - February 25, 2022, 12:53 pm

https://www.bbc.com/news/world-europe-56720589?utm_source=pocket-newtab

So far that's the absolute best story I have read explaining with minimum bias the situation with Putin, NATO, and Ukraine.

It has been hard to get past the noise to understand why this is happening and what's going on.

Passion Fruit - February 25, 2022, 1:15 pm

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Pyro - February 25, 2022, 1:34 pm

I gave it a read, and I can't agree with this statement

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I live in a country that got fucked up by NATO, like hard time, and I can guarantee you with my life, which probably doesnt cost much anyway, that BBC is just a propaganda machinery and it doesnt stop

in this text you only can see basically the aftermath of the war, which is now, and not the last 8 years or so of different political/war crisis which led to exactly this point

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Exactly, the Cyber attacks have already begun too actually. This will definitely be the start of a crazy ass WW3 which involves technology/cyber attacks 100000%

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BBC reporting on the fake news.

<https://www.bbc.com/news/60528276>

That's why I'm having a hard time finding reliable information. I am not trusting most of it.

Uriel Septim - February 25, 2022, 3:11 pm

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Why should they promise that? They are a free nation and NATO is open to anyone that wants to join that meets certain requirements. I stand with capitalism and freedom, not a country that suppresses their peoples freedom of speech and sends their political opponents to prison. Every country has their faults but there is a clear difference between us and the system set up in Russia and China. I have friends in Russia and they all say the same thing, that they are afraid to speak out against the government because they could be beaten up and sent to prison for it.

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Then I guess Russia wants a war. He doesn't get to dictator who joins NATO and who doesn't. Honestly I think he will be removed over all this or he may be assassinated, maybe by people in his own government because there are many in Russia who don't support what he's doing. If Hitler had nuclear weapons should we have just backed down and let him continue with his plans?

"Also NATO has encroached into Eastern EU for decades with concern from RU. Literally only Ukraine and Belarus are the only 2 bordering nations of EU/RU that are not in NATO."

Good! Maybe Russia will change their communist ways and try to join NATO as well and then we can all get along. Putin doesn't want to give up power and that's why he fears democracy so much.

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Thanks for the discussion.