



# Transnistria climate change



## Overview

Transnistria, a breakaway region from Moldova, faces significant risks from future climate change. Rising temperatures can lead to frequent heatwaves, affecting agriculture and human health. But over the last year, the conflict has unfrozen, and over the next three years, there is a chance to accelerate. The country's breakaway Transnistria region is complicating Moldova's attempts to set up a carbon pricing scheme. Moldova wants to introduce its own carbon tax to keep pace with the European Union's climate legislation — but the effort is creating tensions with its Russian-backed breakaway region. As temperatures dropped across the left bank of the Dniester River in Moldova, thousands of people found themselves caught in a crisis they had long feared but never fully prepared for. The sudden halt in gas supplies left entire communities without heat, forcing families to endure freezing. Is Russia using precarious gas supplies as a tool of political and social pressure against Moldova?

Analysts warn that the ongoing energy interruptions in Moldova's breakaway region of Transnistria – particularly painful in the midst of a freezing winter – are being exploited by Russia as another. The climate in Transnistria is cold and temperate. The Köppen-Geiger system of climate classification is recognized as the standard method for categorizing climates worldwide.



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