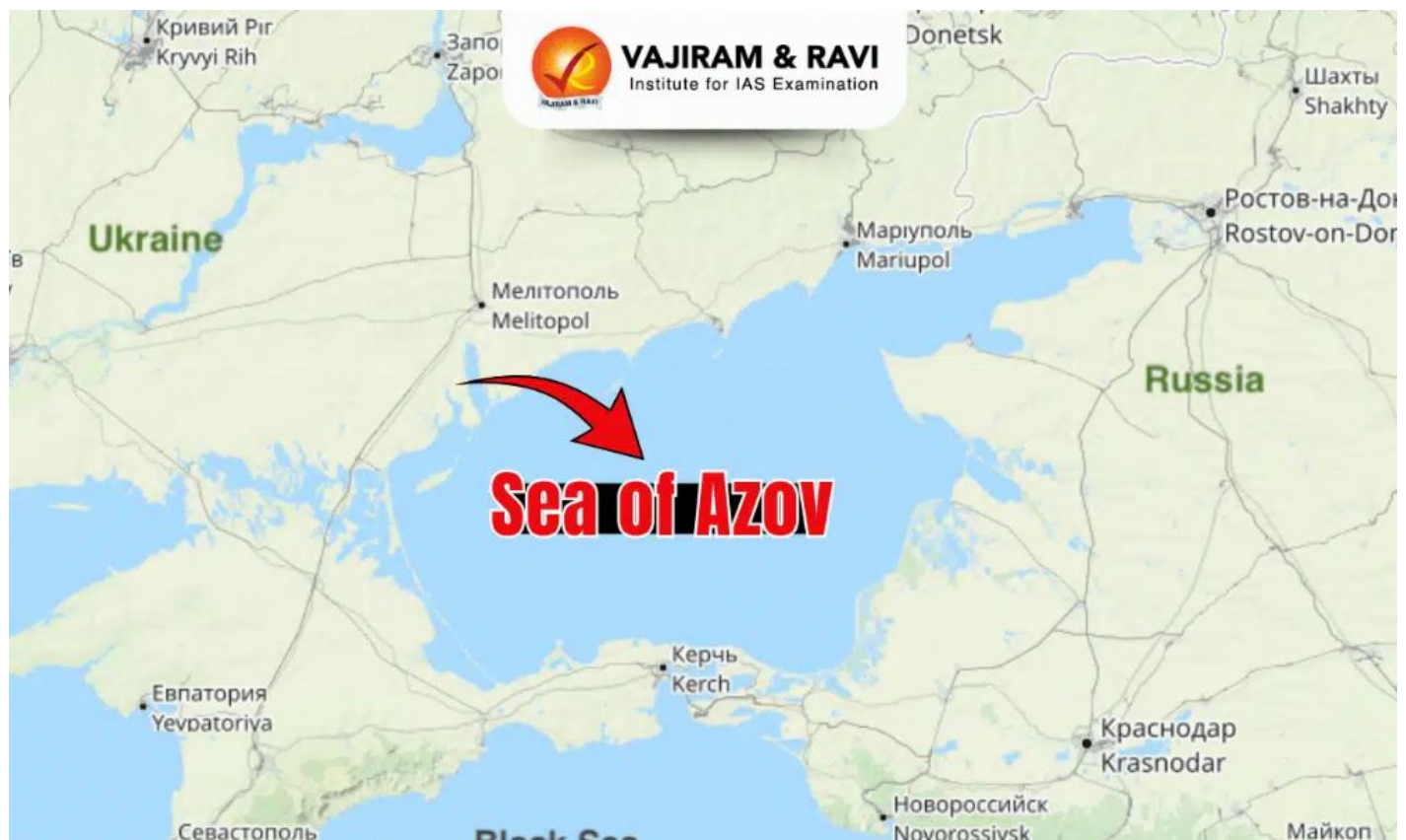


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Recently, Ukraine said it has struck five ships carrying illegal cargo in the Sea of Azov.

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- **Location:** It is bordered by **Ukraine** in the northwest and by **Russia** in the southeast.
- It is **connected to the Black Sea** in the south via the **Strait of Kerch**.
- The Kerch Strait is located between the **Crimean Peninsula** in the west and the **Taman Peninsula in the east**.
- It is **linked with the Atlantic Ocean** via the Black Sea, the Sea of Marmara, the Aegean Sea, and the Mediterranean Sea.
- **Rivers:** The **Don and Kuban rivers** contribute over 90% of freshwater inflow, reducing salinity and bringing nutrients.
- **Chief Ports:** Taganrog in Russia, and Mariupol and Berdyans'k in Ukraine.

- **Coastal Features:** The coastline is low and flat with extensive vegetation, lagoons like Syvash and long sand spits including Arabat, Fedotov and Berdyansk.
- **Climate Conditions:** It has a **continental climate** with cold winters (-1 to -5°C, sometimes -30°C) and warm summers (23-25°C), with frequent storms and seasonal ice formation.

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