



Information and analytical system

«Geostatistics»

User guide

<https://gis.belstat.gov.by/>

Information and analytical system «Geostatistics» (further - the System) is designed for:

- establishing the relationship of official statistical information (further – the OSI) with the corresponding geographic objects;
- spatial analysis and cartographic representation of the OSI, including the final data of the population census;
- providing users with access to spatial data and the OSI.

The user's work in the System takes place interactively.

The User guide is intended for users of the System who view, analyse and export the OSI.

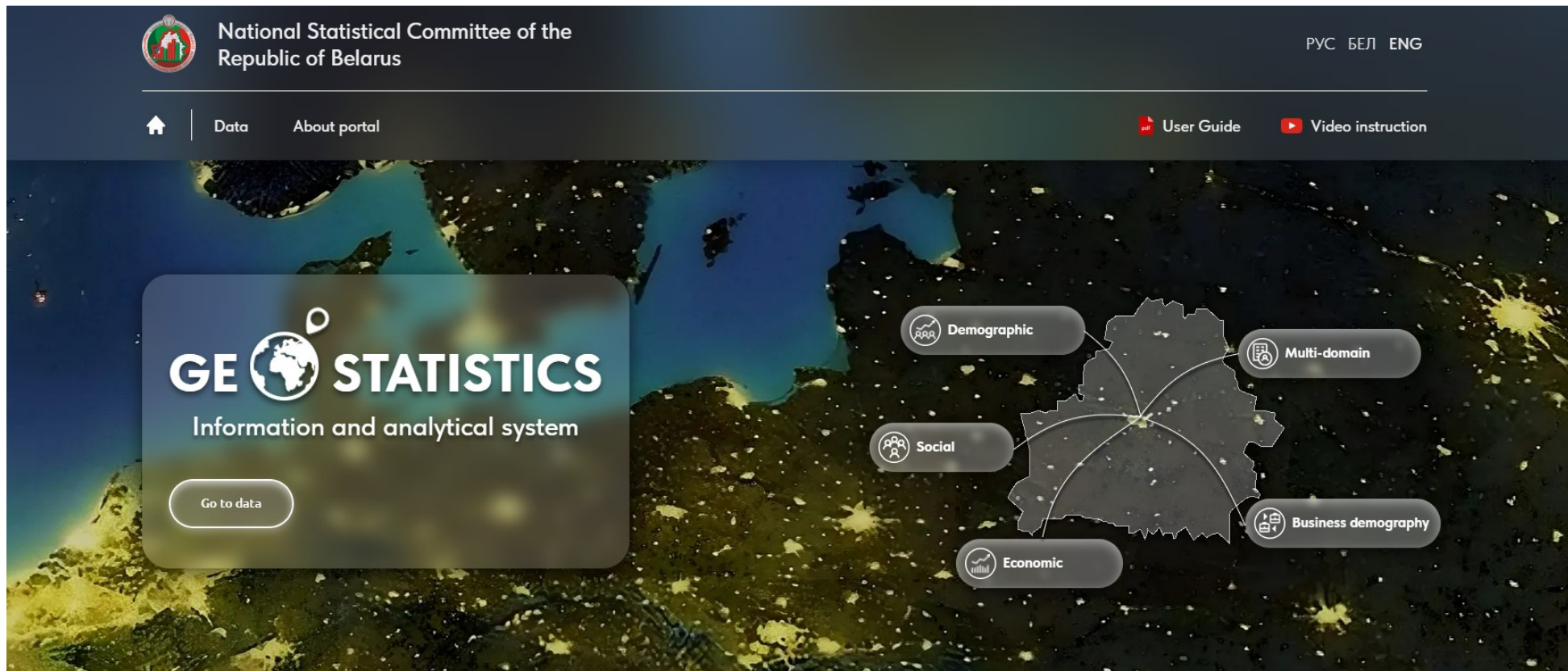
In order to learn how to work in the System, it is necessary to perform step by step all the actions described in the User guide. Pay attention to the numbering in the information windows, where it is present.

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1. Main page

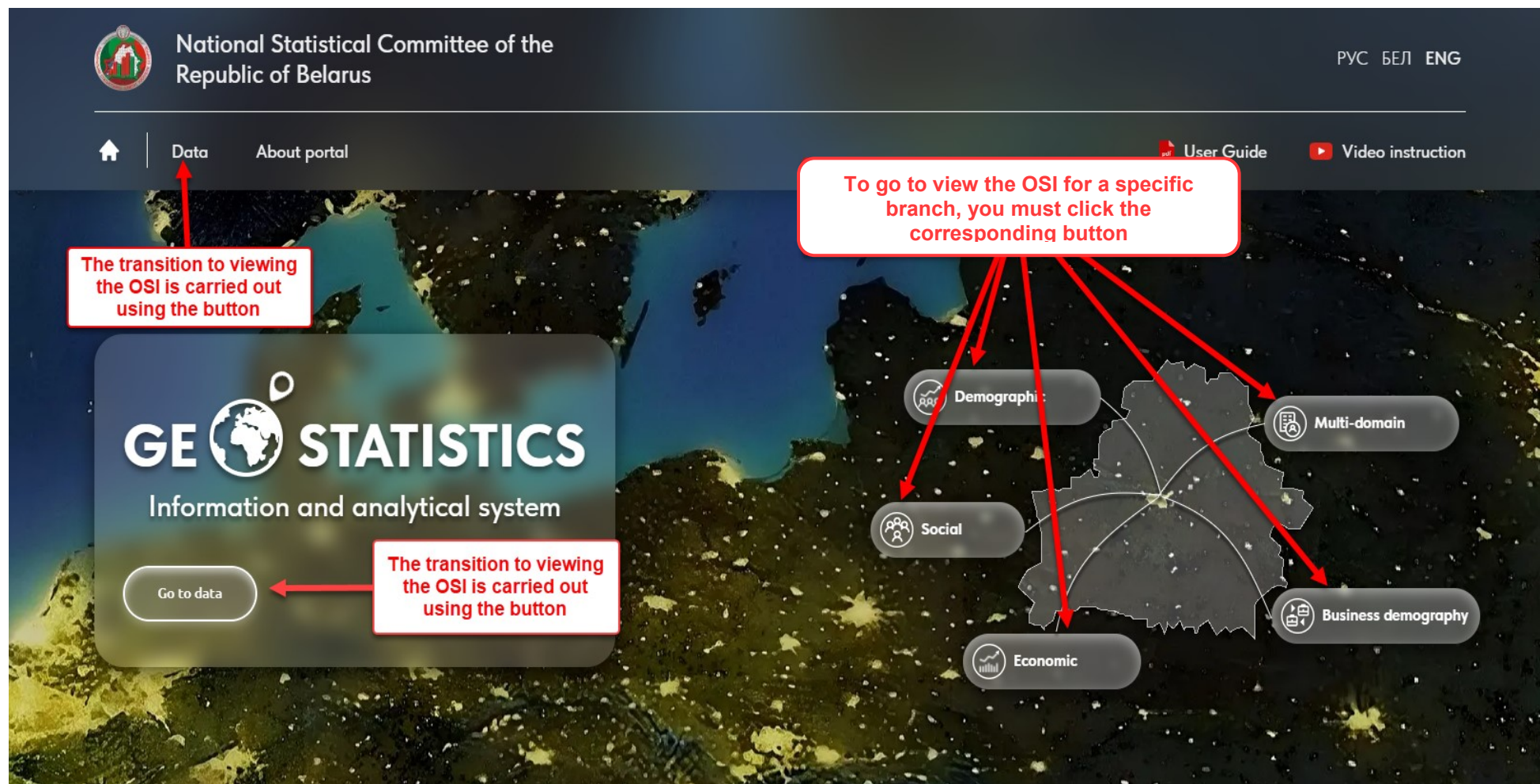
To go to the main page of the System, you must enter the System address <https://gis.belstat.gov.by/> in the browser line and press Enter.

The user will be shown the home page.



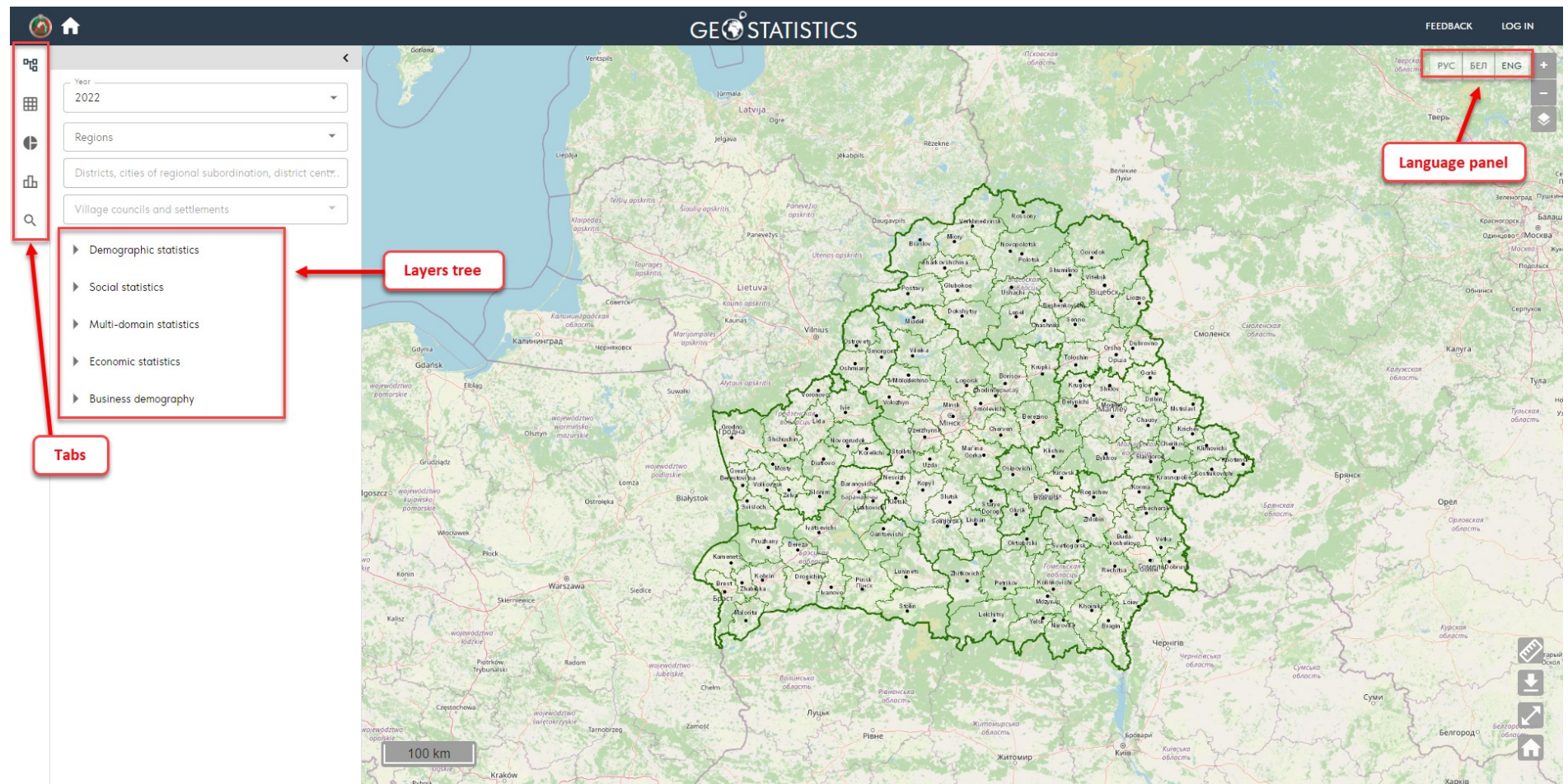
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To go to viewing the OSI, click on the «Data» button. To go to view the OSI for a specific branch, click the corresponding button.



1.1. Main data view page

Clicking on the «Data» button takes you to view of the OSI, where the main page is displayed. Spatial data and the OSI are available to users.

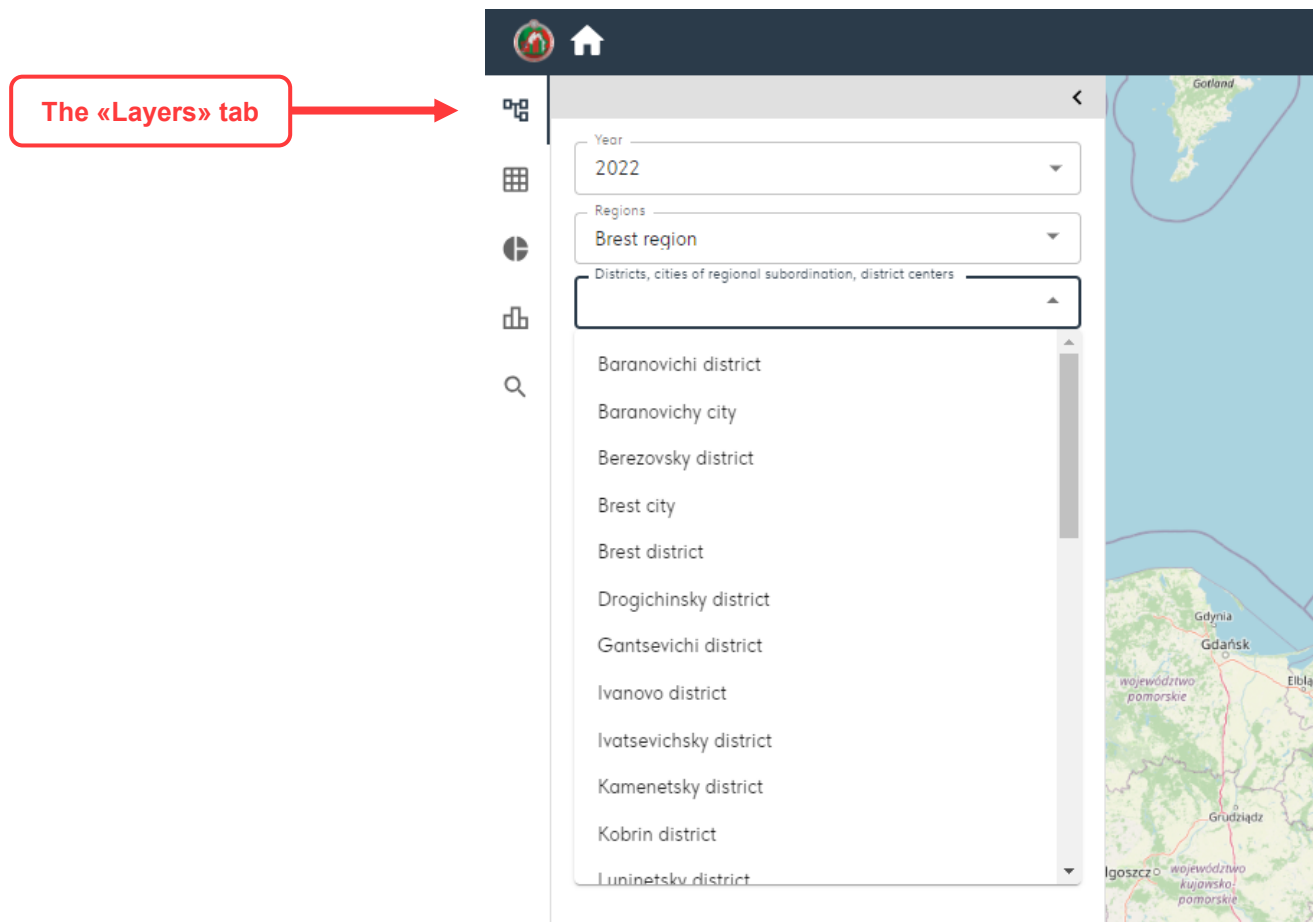


2. The tabs

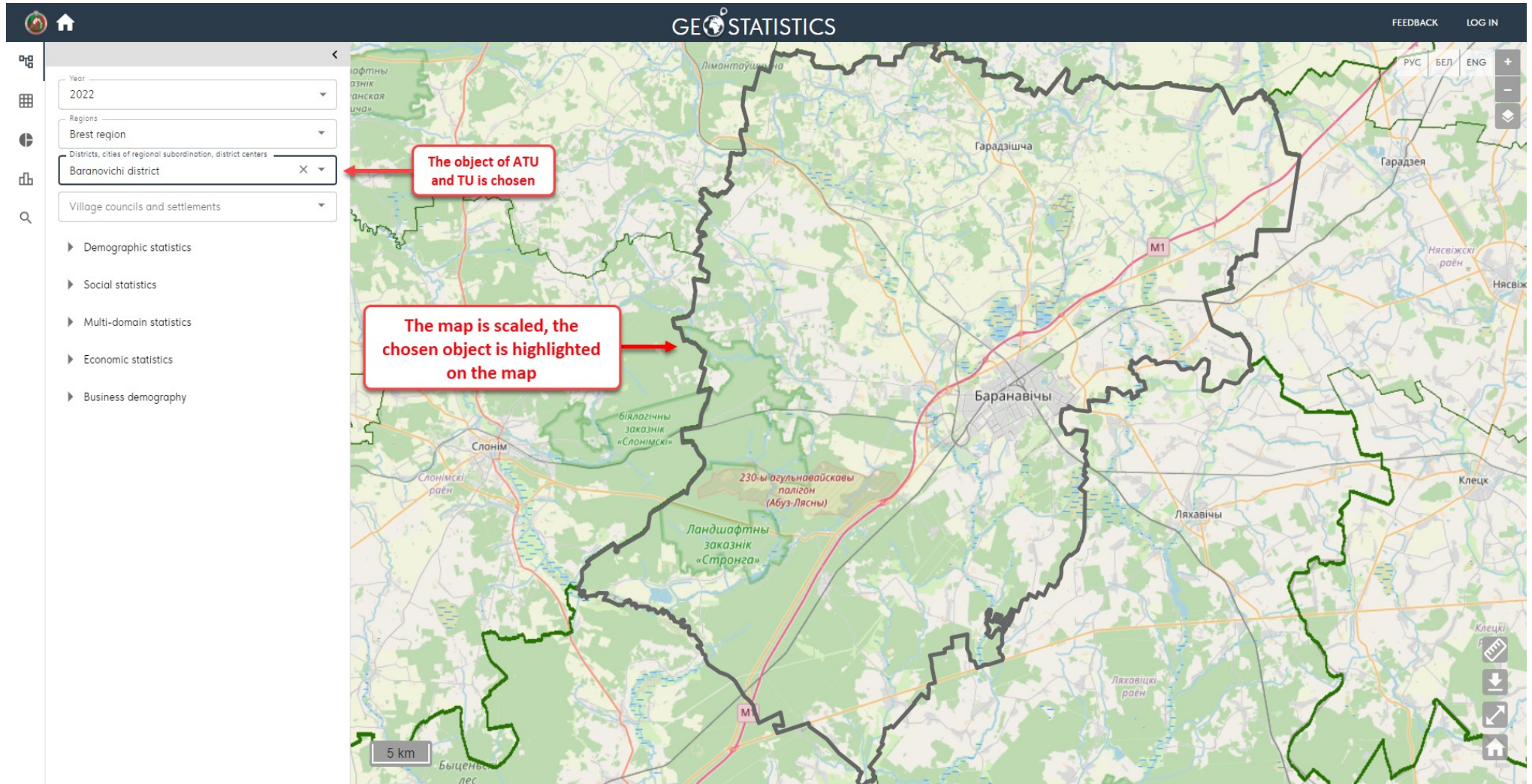
2.1. The «Layers» tab

On the «Layers» tab the user can select the year for the dataset, zoom in on the map to a specific object of the ATU and TU. To zoom in, you need to select an object from the drop-down list.

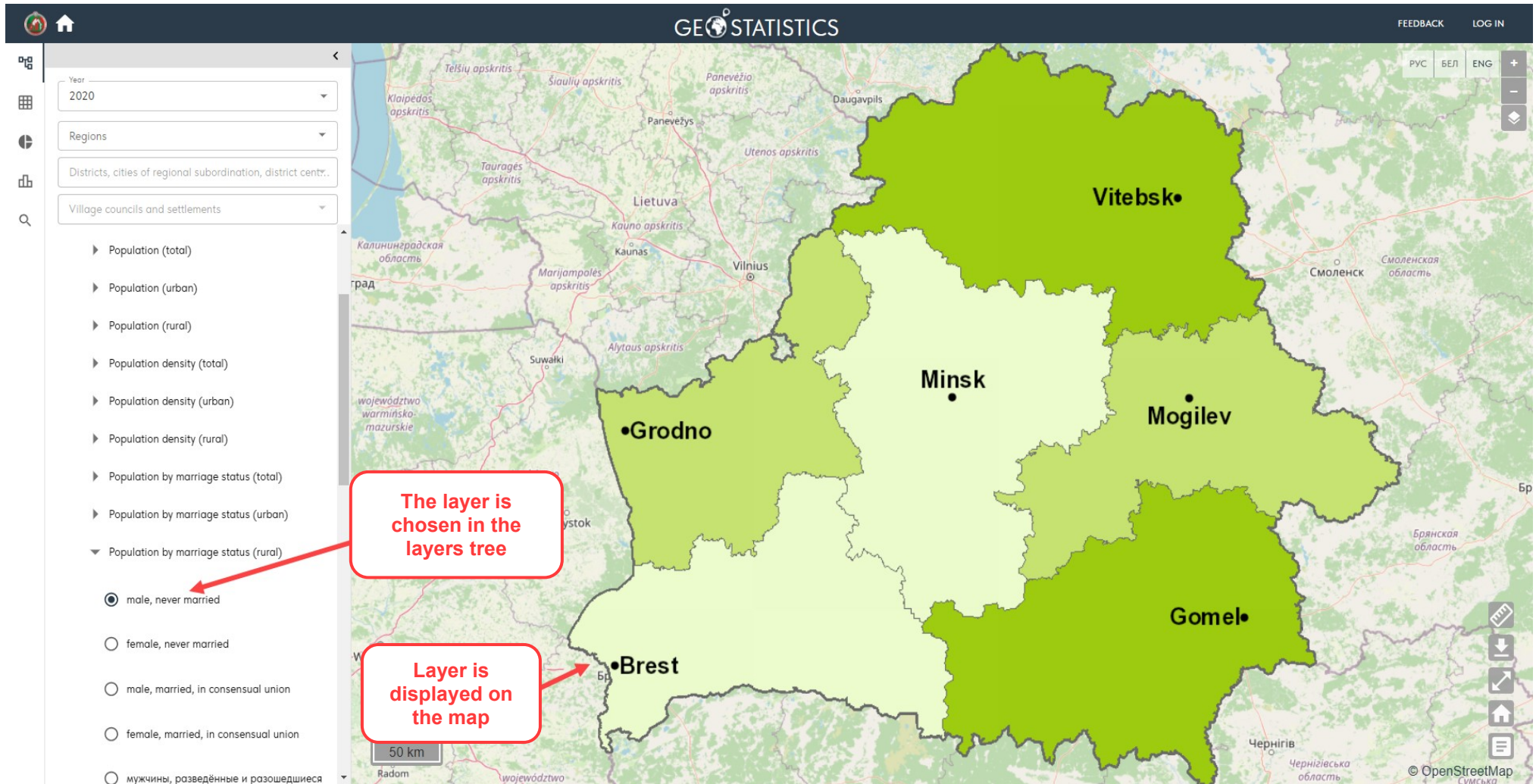
The selection of the ATU is carried out according to the hierarchy: Region/Minsk City – District/City of regional subordination/District centers – Village Council/Settlement.



When you select the desired ATU and TU object, the map is scaled to that object.



To enable display of a layer with the OSI on the map, you must select it from the layers tree.



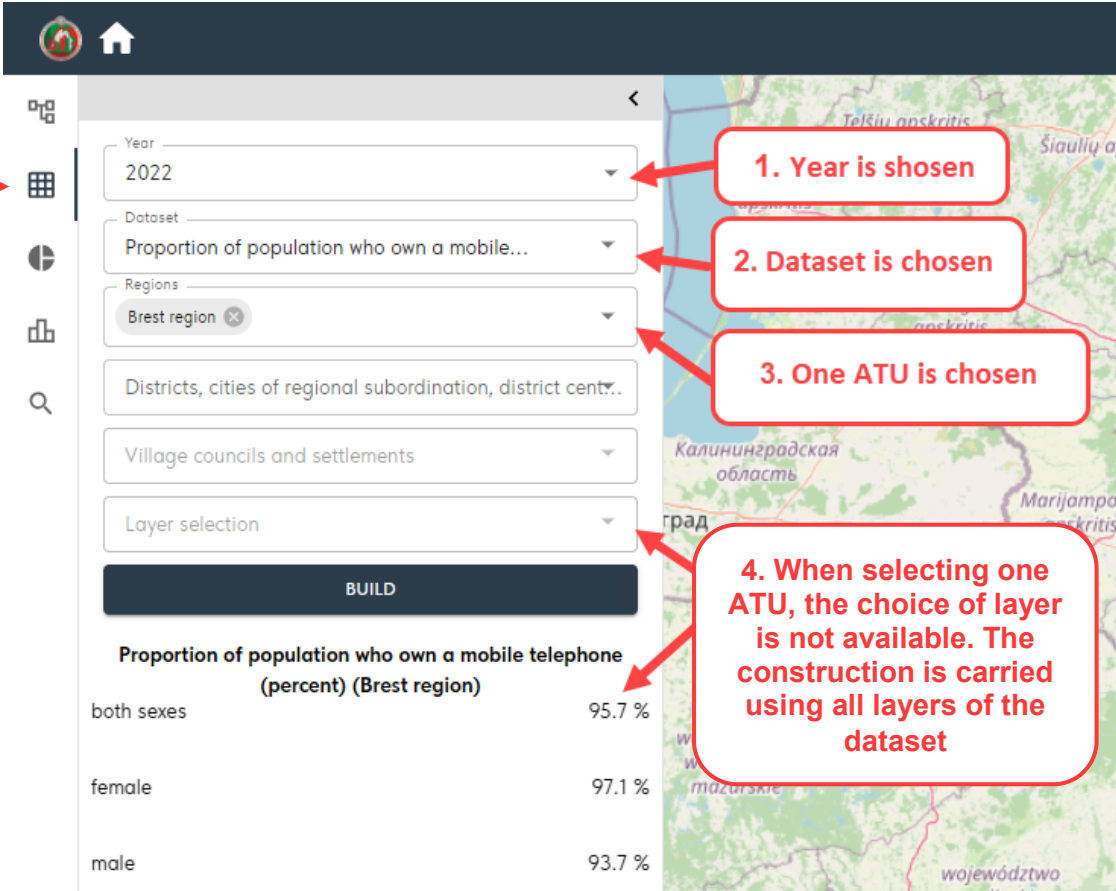
2.2. The «Tables» tab

On the «Tables» tab choice, display and export of the OSI are available to the user.

To view data you must select a year, a dataset and one or more ATUs.

If you select one ATU, the table will be generated based on all layers of the dataset and the selected ATU.

When you select multiple ATUs, the selection of layer (indicator) is mandatory.



The screenshot shows the «Tables» tab interface. A red box on the left points to the «Tables» tab icon in the sidebar. Four red callout boxes with arrows point to specific elements in the interface:

- 1. Year is chosen (points to the Year dropdown menu showing 2022)
- 2. Dataset is chosen (points to the Dataset dropdown menu showing "Proportion of population who own a mobile...")
- 3. One ATU is chosen (points to the Regions dropdown menu showing "Brest region")
- 4. When selecting one ATU, the choice of layer is not available. The construction is carried using all layers of the dataset (points to the Layer selection dropdown menu, which is disabled)

The main content area displays a table titled "Proportion of population who own a mobile telephone (percent) (Brest region)".

Proportion of population who own a mobile telephone (percent) (Brest region)	
both sexes	95.7 %
female	97.1 %
male	93.7 %

1. Year is shosen

2. Dataset is chosen

3. Multiple ATUs are chosen

4. When you select multiple ATUs, the choice of layer is necessary. The construction is carried out using multiple chosen ATUs

Proportion of population who own a mobile telephone (percent) (female)	
Brest region	97.1 %
Vitebsk region	98.3 %
Gomel region	97.1 %

The data for the selected layers and for the corresponding ATUs are displayed in the table.

The built table can be exported to PDF, PNG, XSLX formats.

It is necessary to use the «Export data»  button and select the file type.

Year: 2022

Dataset: Proportion of population who own a mobile...

Regions: Brest region +2

Districts, cities of regional subordination, district centr..

Village councils and settlements

Layer selection: female

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Proportion of population who own a mobile telephone (percent) (female)

Brest region	97.1 %
Vitebsk region	98.3 %
Gomel region	97.1 %

Export Data

Export current extent

PNG

PDF

XLSX

Download button

50 km

1. The export button is pressed

2. It is necessary to choose file format for export

By clicking on the «Export data» button and selecting the appropriate file format, the data are exported to the selected format and saved by the user.

2.3. The «Pie chart» tab

On the «Pie chart» tab choice, display and export of the OSI are available to the user.

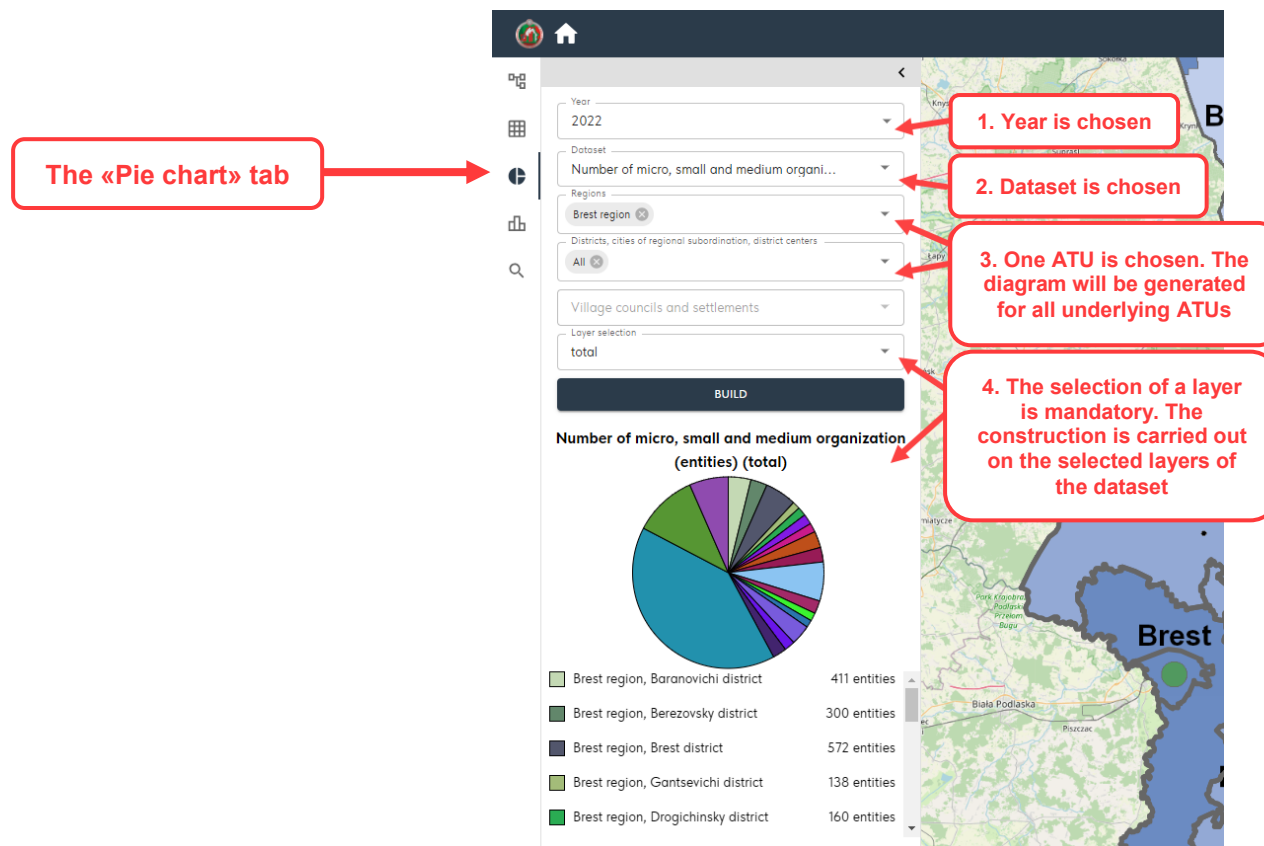
To view data, you must select a year, a dataset, as well ATU.

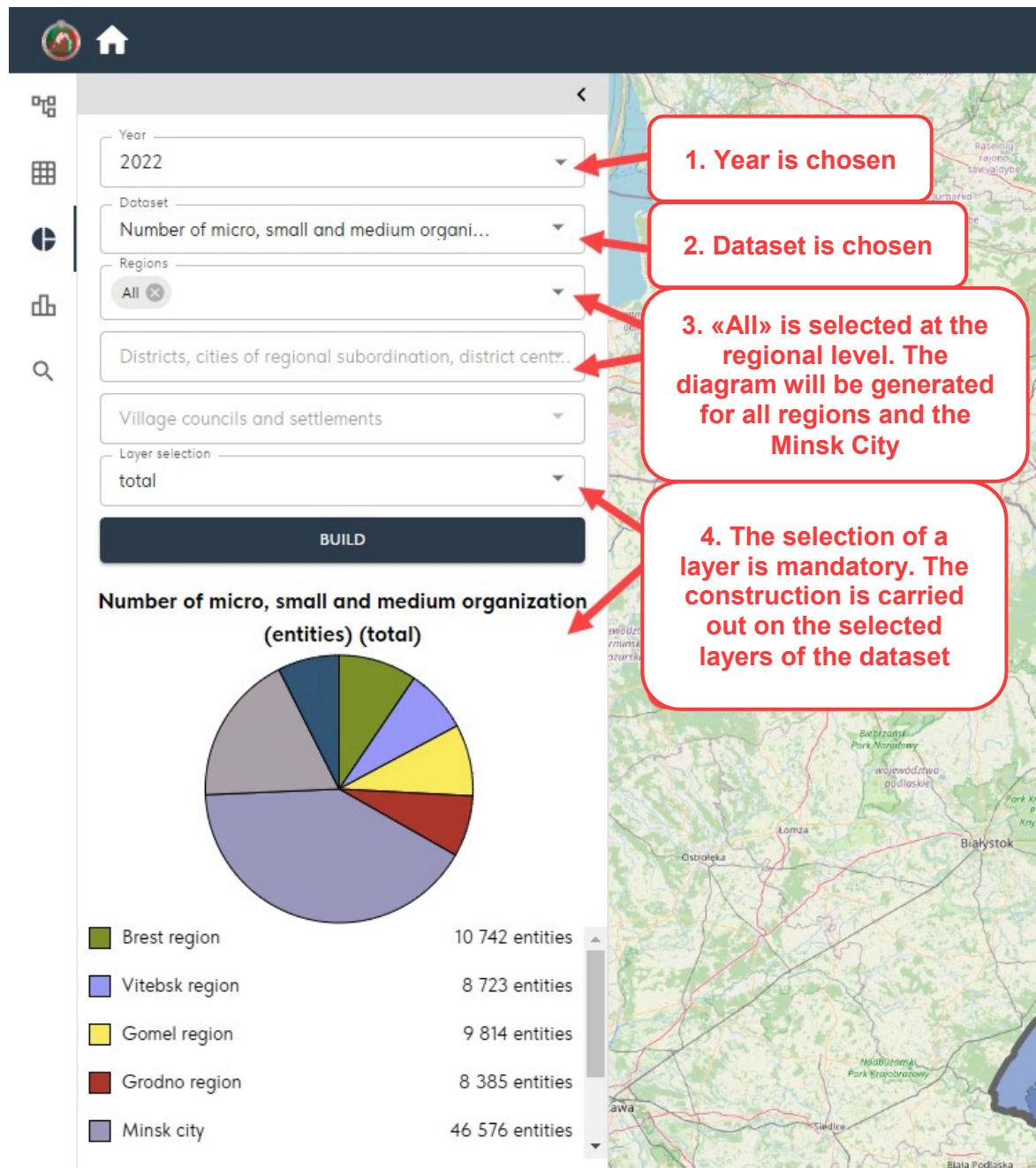
If you select a dataset that contains relative values, charting is not available.

Multiple ATU selection is not available. The selection of a layer (parameter) is mandatory.

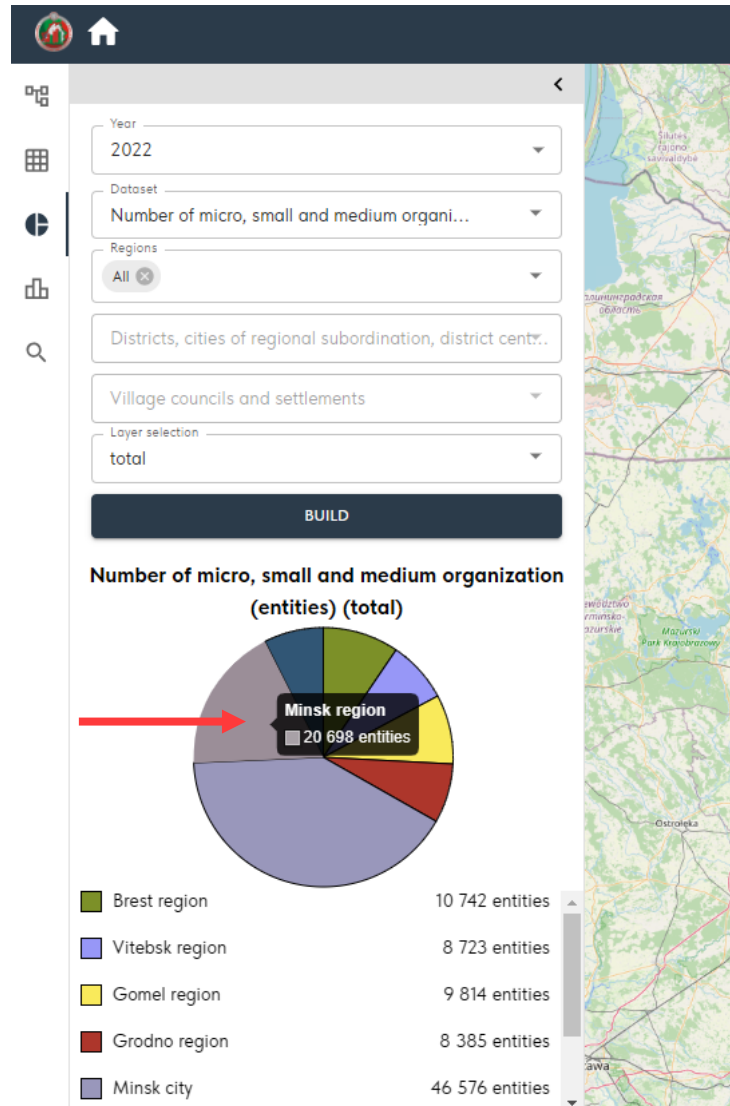
When you select one ATU, the diagram will be generated for all underlying ATUs.


When you select «All» at the regional level, the diagram will be generated for all regions and the Minsk City.

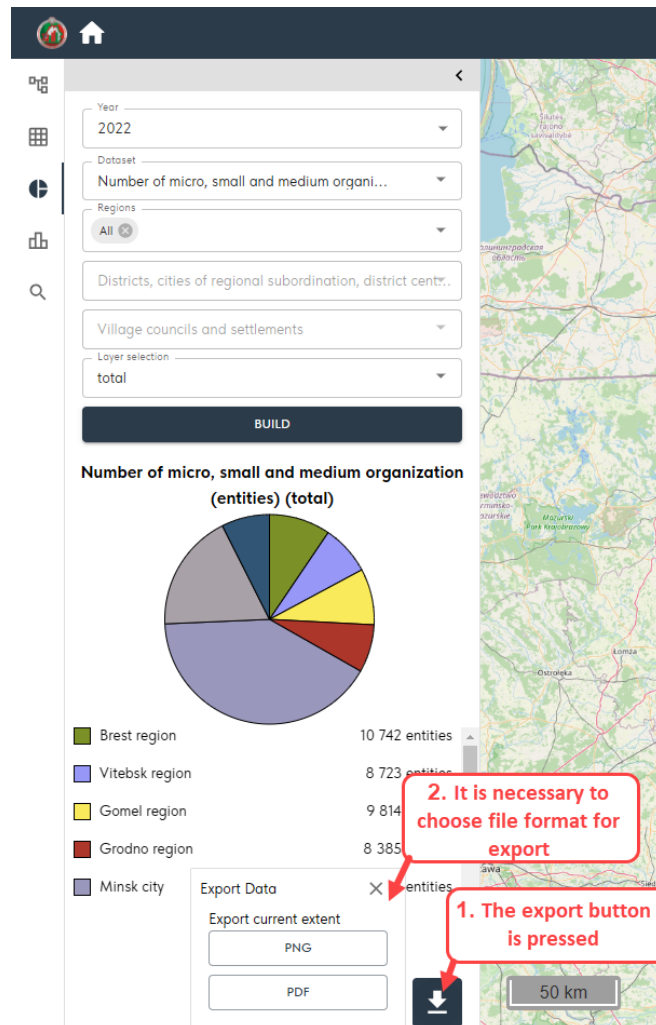




When your mouse is over a parameter, information about it is displayed in diagrams.



The built diagram can be exported to PDF, PNG formats. If you click on the «Export data»  button and the appropriate file format, the data are exported to the selected format and saved by the user.



2.4. The «Histogram» tab

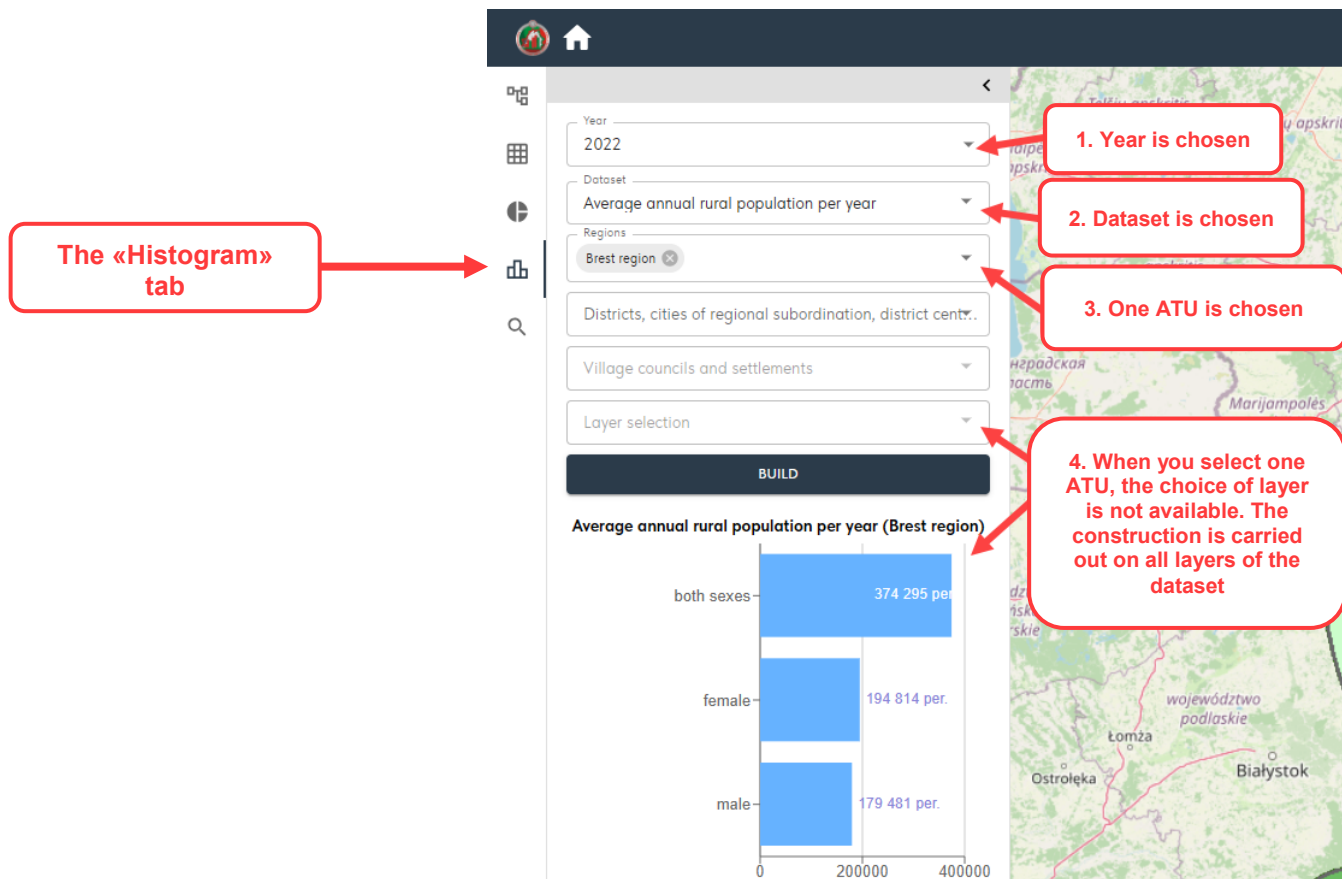
On the «Histogram» tab choice, display and export of the OSI are available to the user.

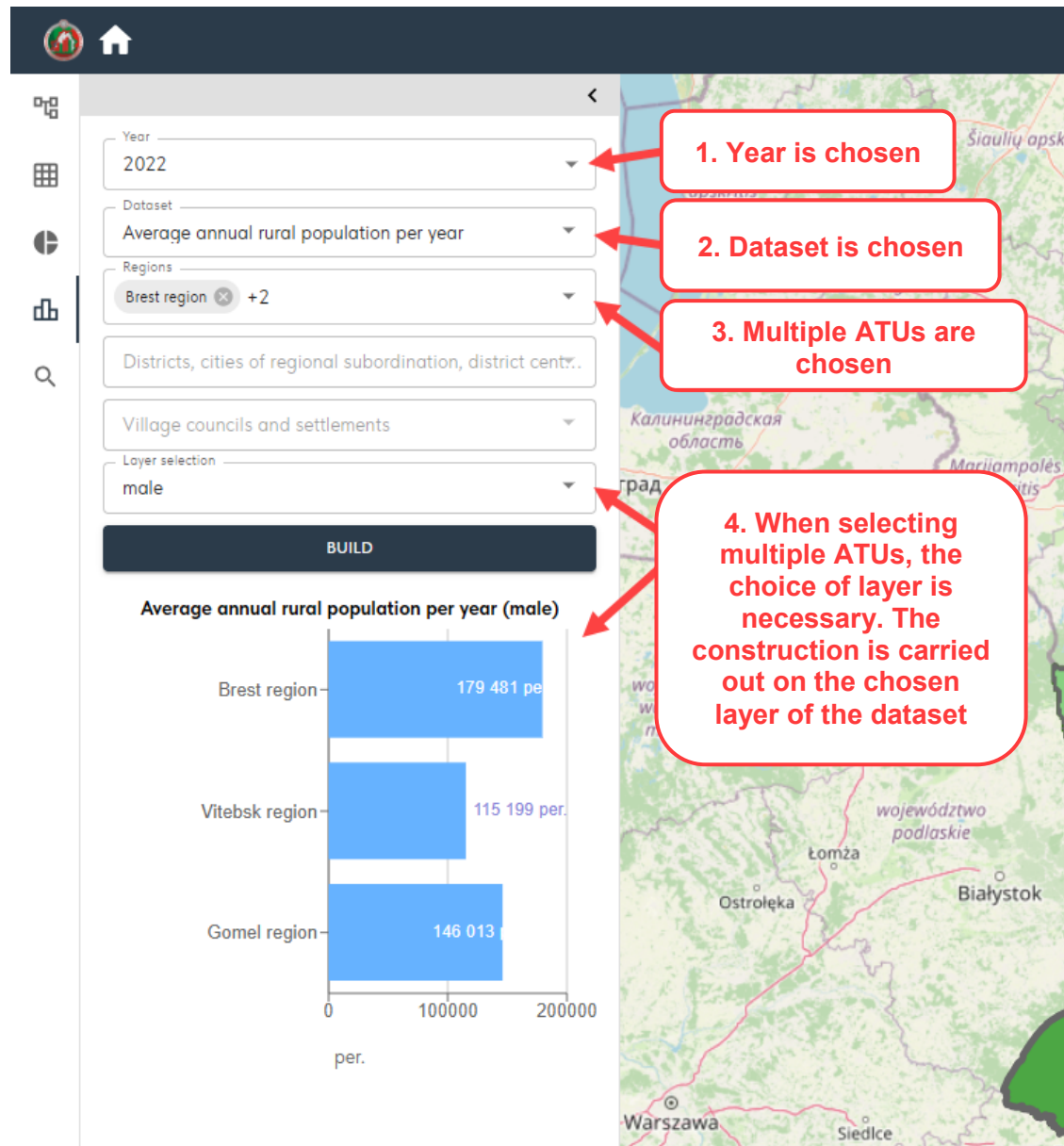
To view data you must select a year, a dataset, as well as one or more ATUs.

When you select one ATU, a histogram will be generated based on all layers in the dataset for the selected ATU.

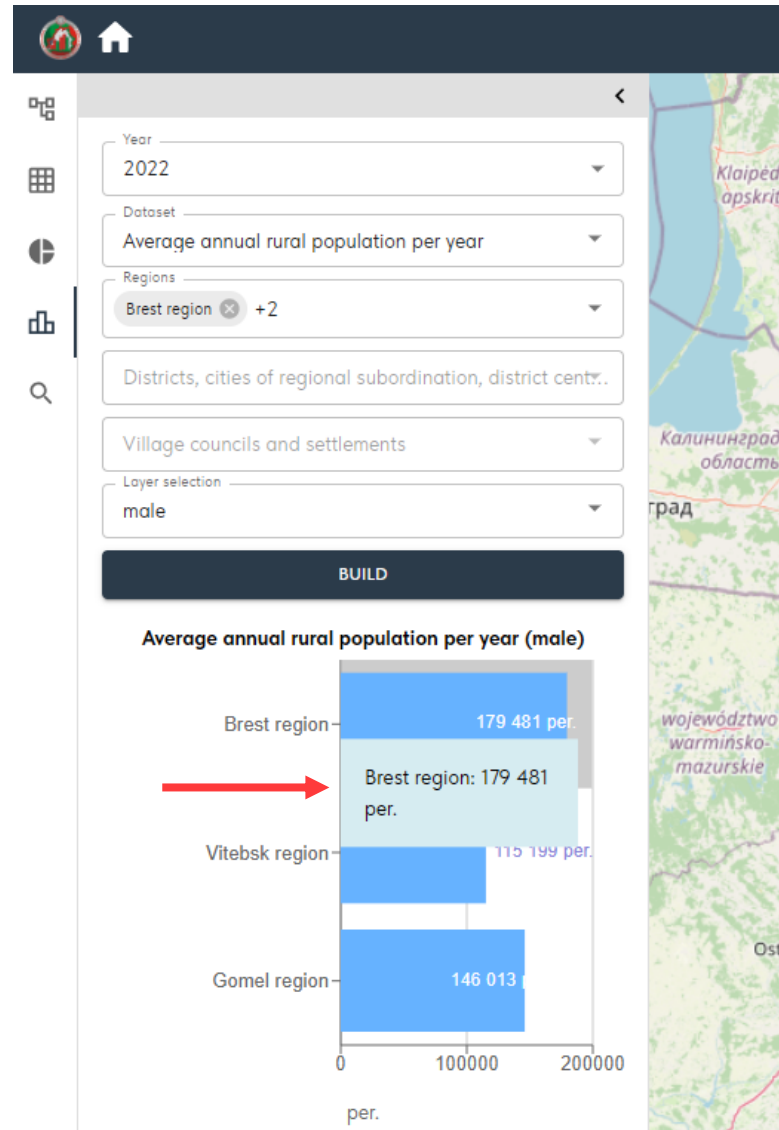
The data on the selected layer for the corresponding ATU will display in the histogram.


When you select several ATUs, the choice of layer (parameter) is mandatory.

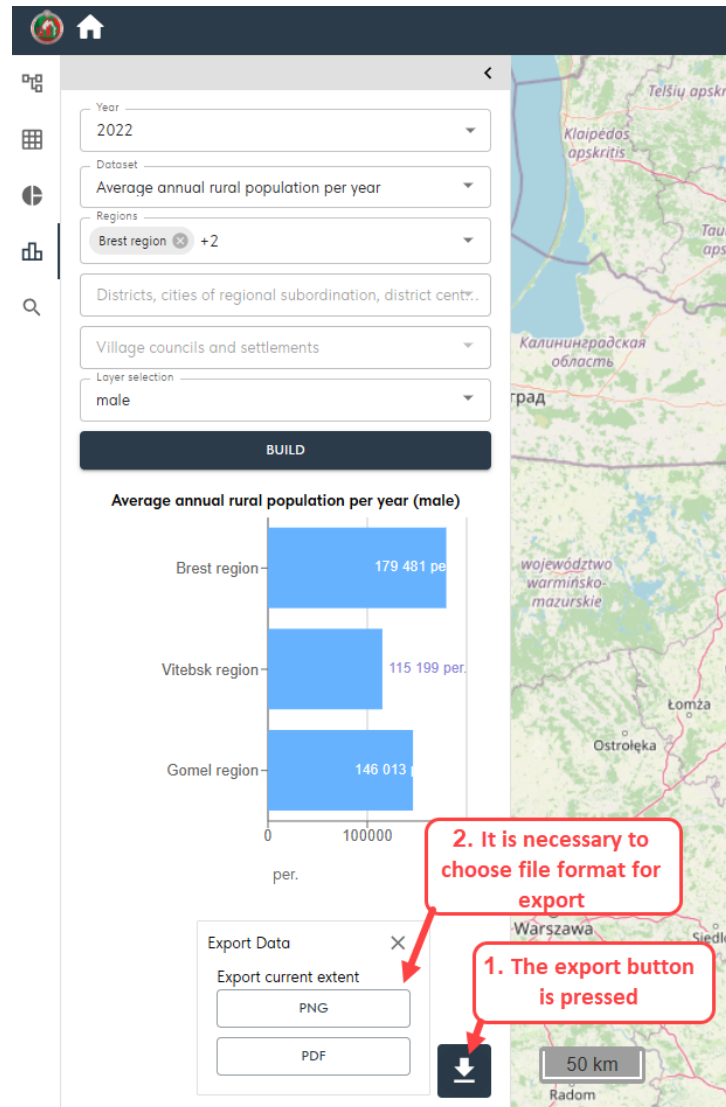




When your mouse is over a parameter, information about it is displayed in histogram.



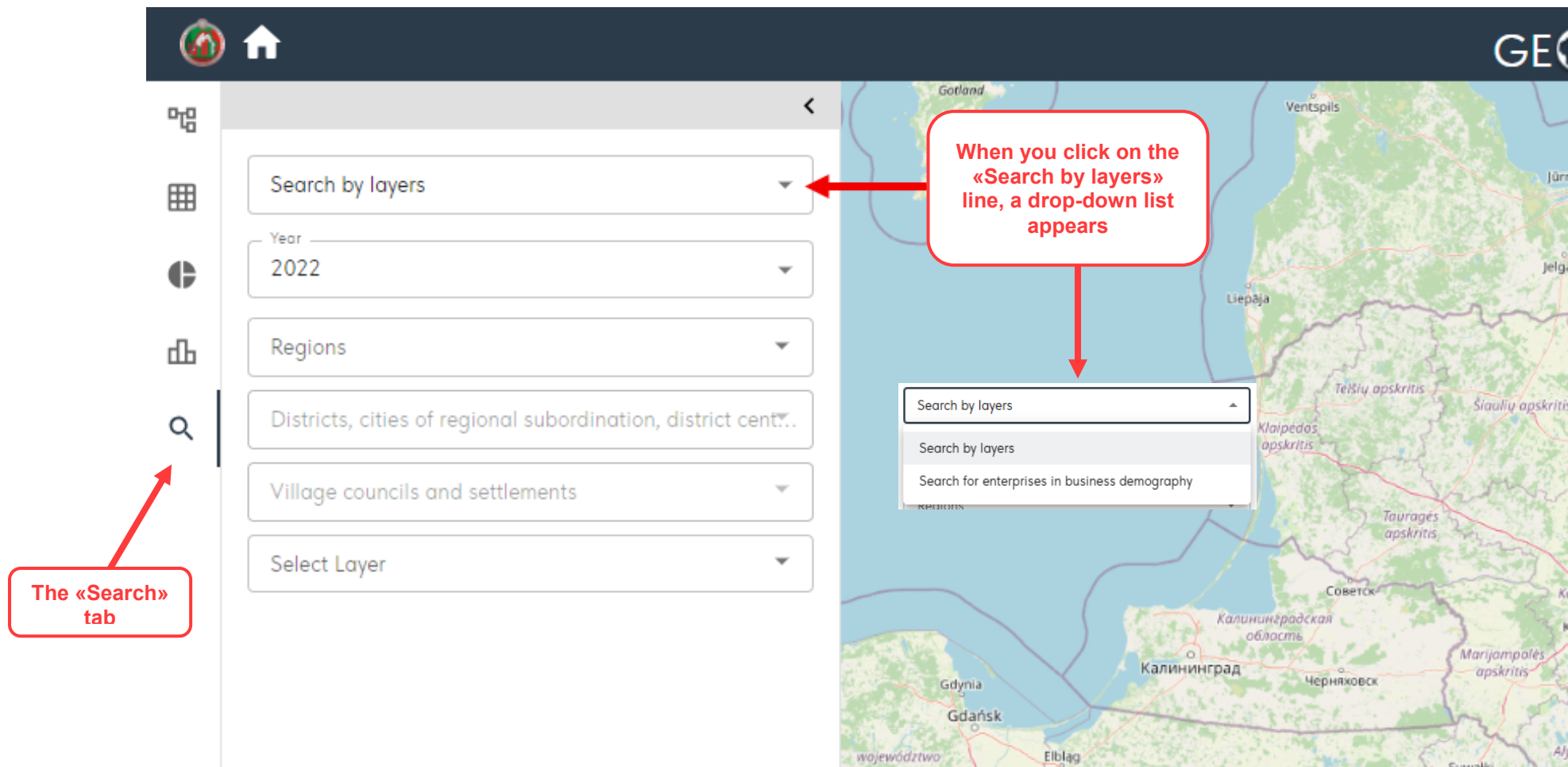
The built histogram can be exported to PDF, PNG formats. If you click on the «Export data»  button and the appropriate file format, the data are exported to the selected format and saved by the user.



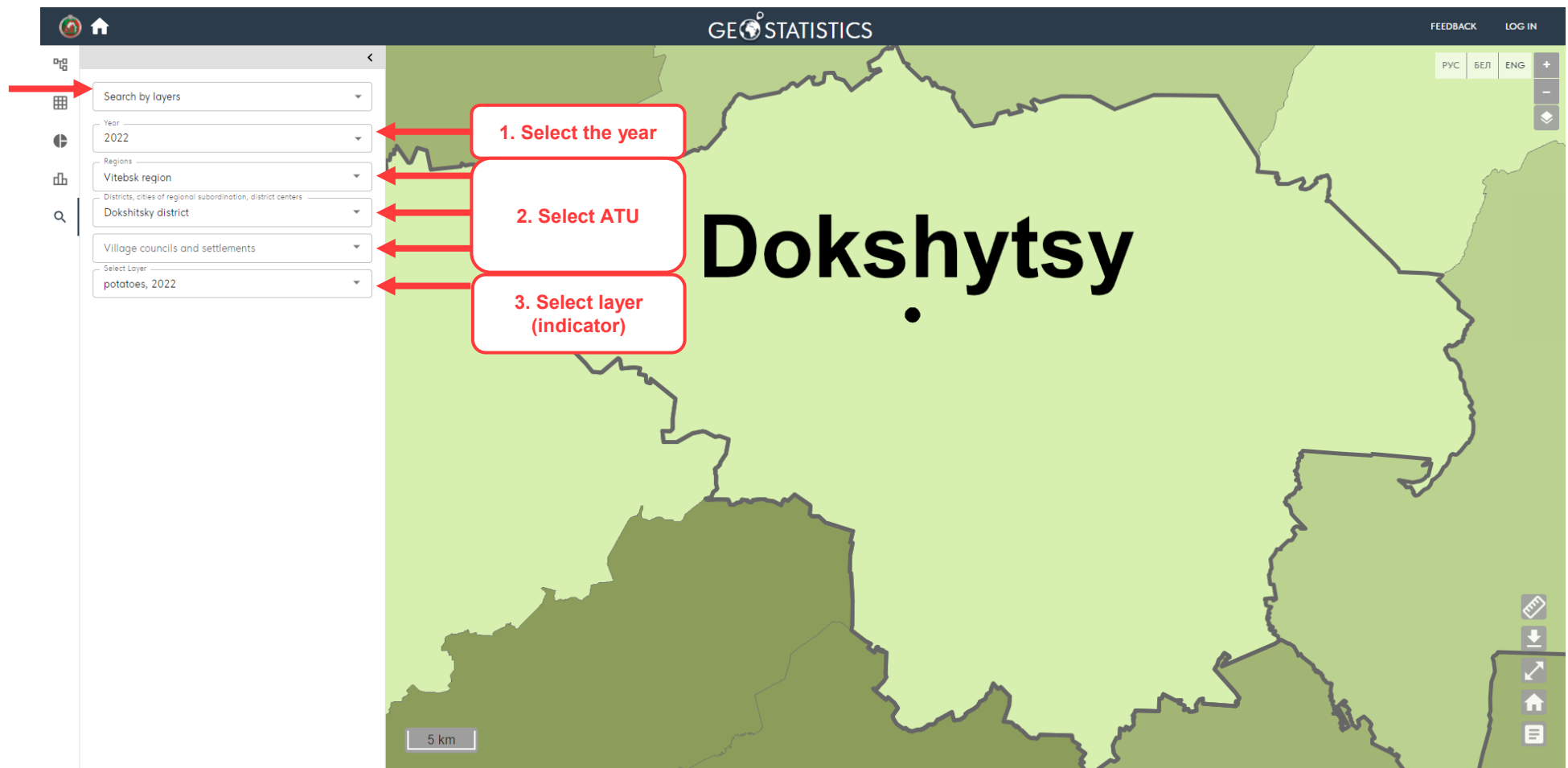
2.5. The «Search» tab

2.5.1. Search by layers

To select a search type, use the drop-down list.



For «Search by layers» you can select a year, ATU, in this case the map will be approximated to the selected ATU. It is necessary to enable the display of the layer (indicator) on the map by selecting from the drop-down list.



2.5.2. Search for enterprises in business demography

The searching by economic entity filtering is available by legal form, type of economic activity and ATU. Only economic entities that match the entered search query will be displayed on the map.

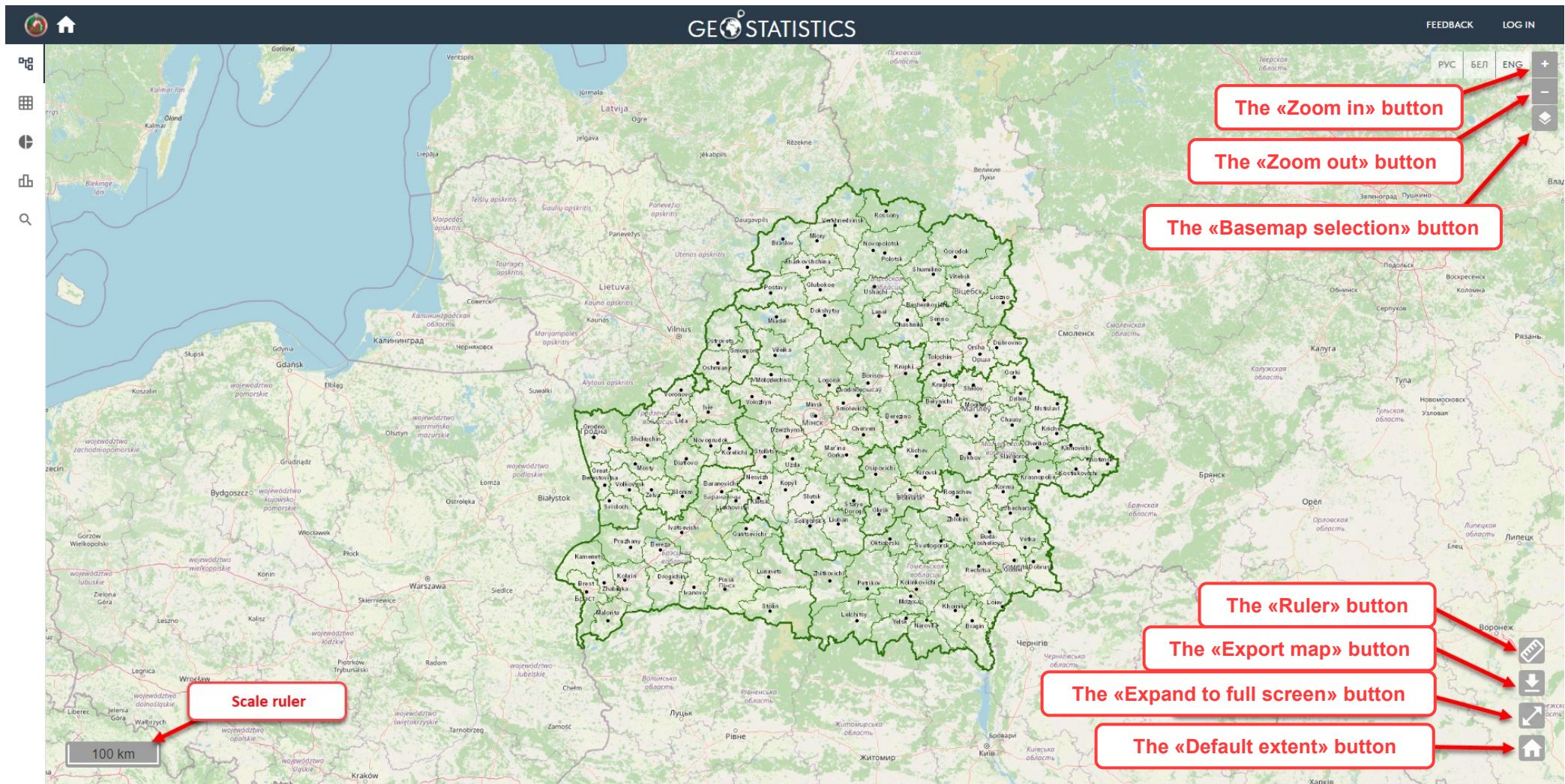






When you click on the icon «  » of a business entity found on the map, information about it is displayed.



3. Map area

There are groups of buttons on the map that can be used to carry out operations with the map.

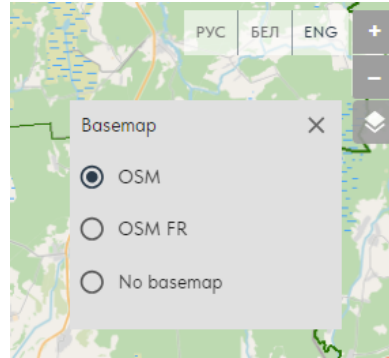


By pressing the buttons «», «» the map is zoomed in and out. By pressing the button «» the map will expand to full screen. Similarly, pressing «» button will minimise the map to its original position.


3.1. The «Basemap selection» button

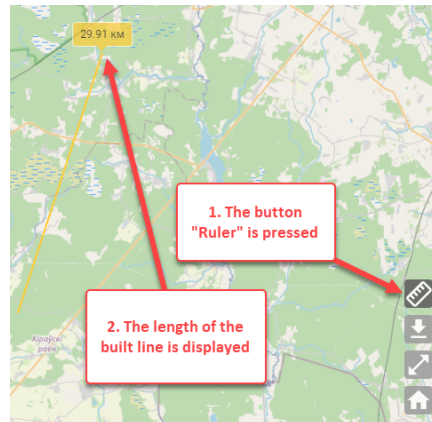
When you click on the «  » button, a window with three options for the map basemap is displayed:

- OpenStreetMap (OSM);
- OSM FR
- No basemap.



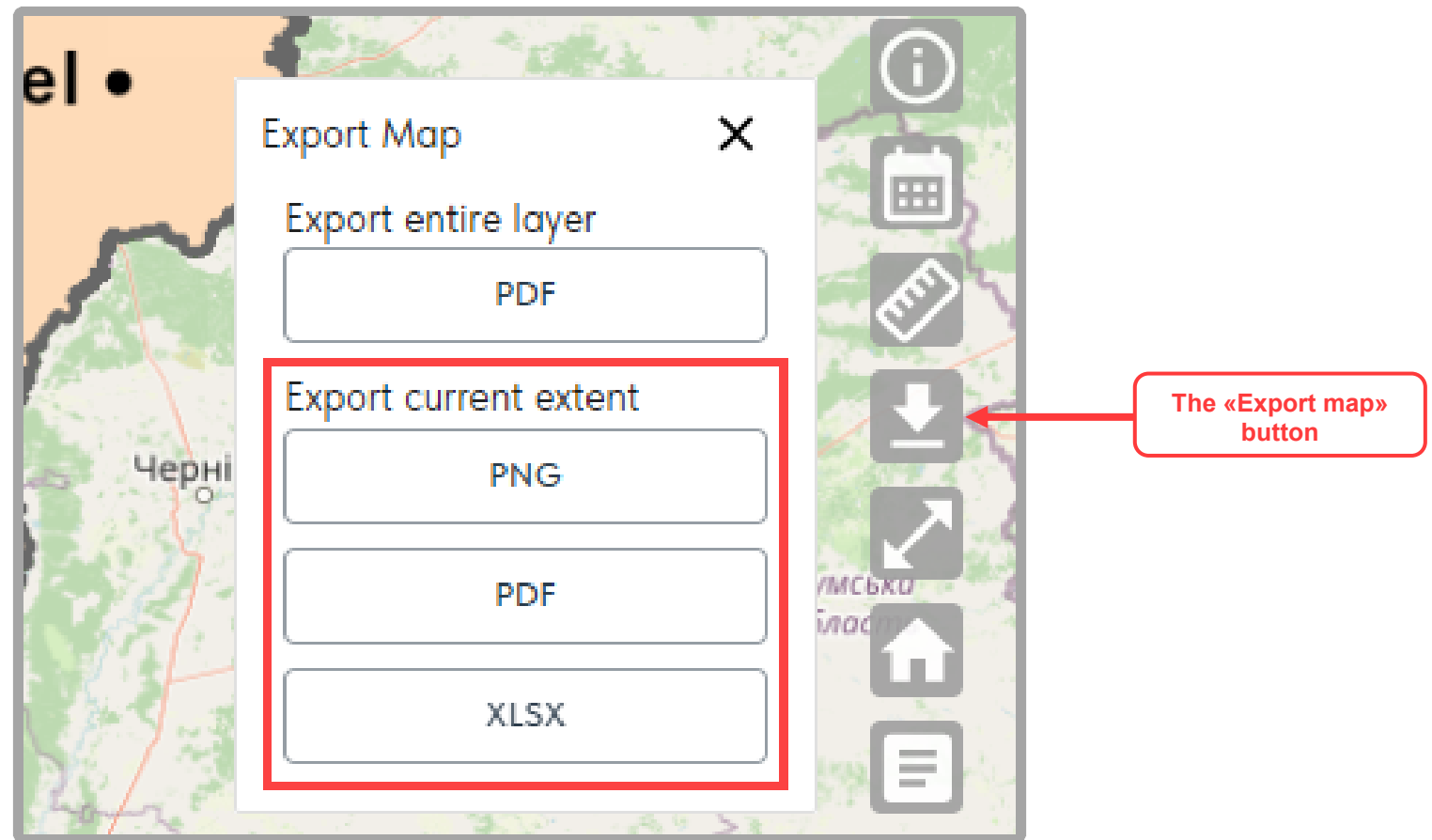
3.2. The «Ruler» button

When you press the «  » button, the cursor appears, allowing you to measure the length of a line (including a broken line) on the map.



3.3. The « Export Map» button

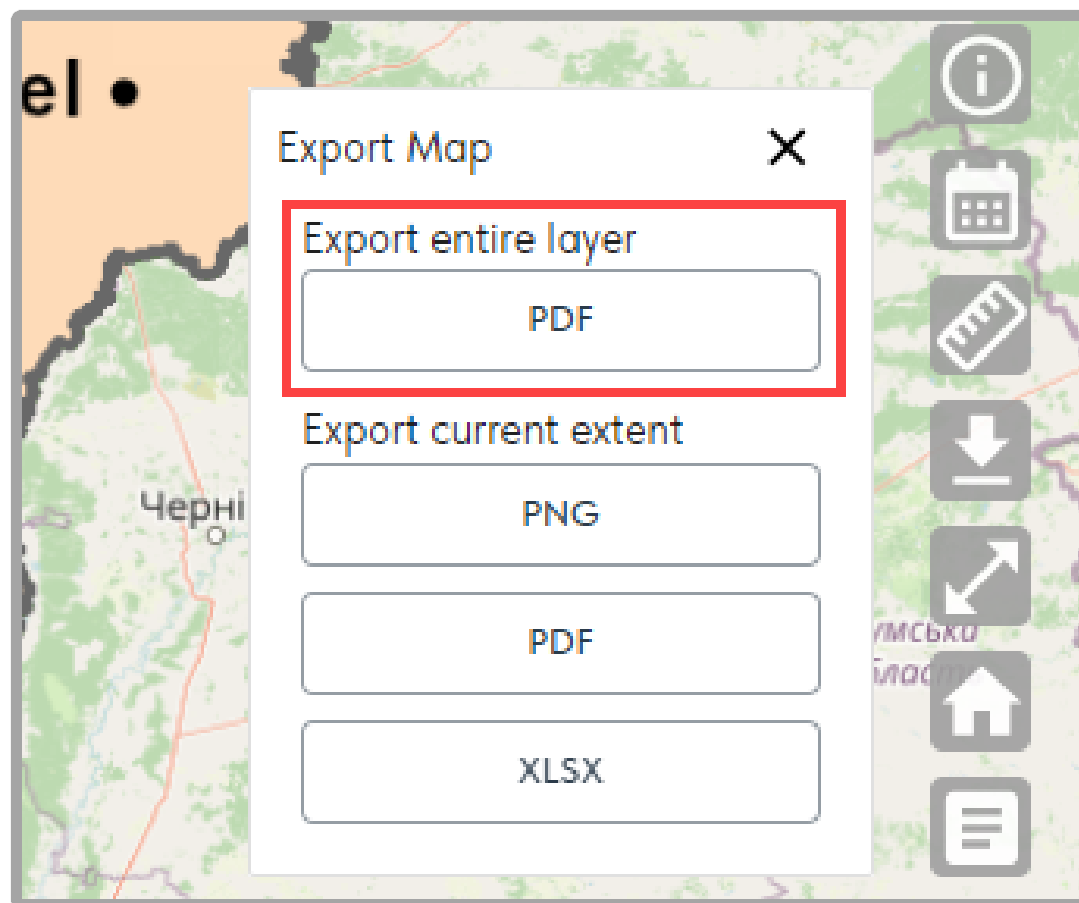
3.3.1. Export current extent




To export the visible part of the map, select «Export current extent» and the appropriate file format. File formats for download are PNG, PDF and XLSX.

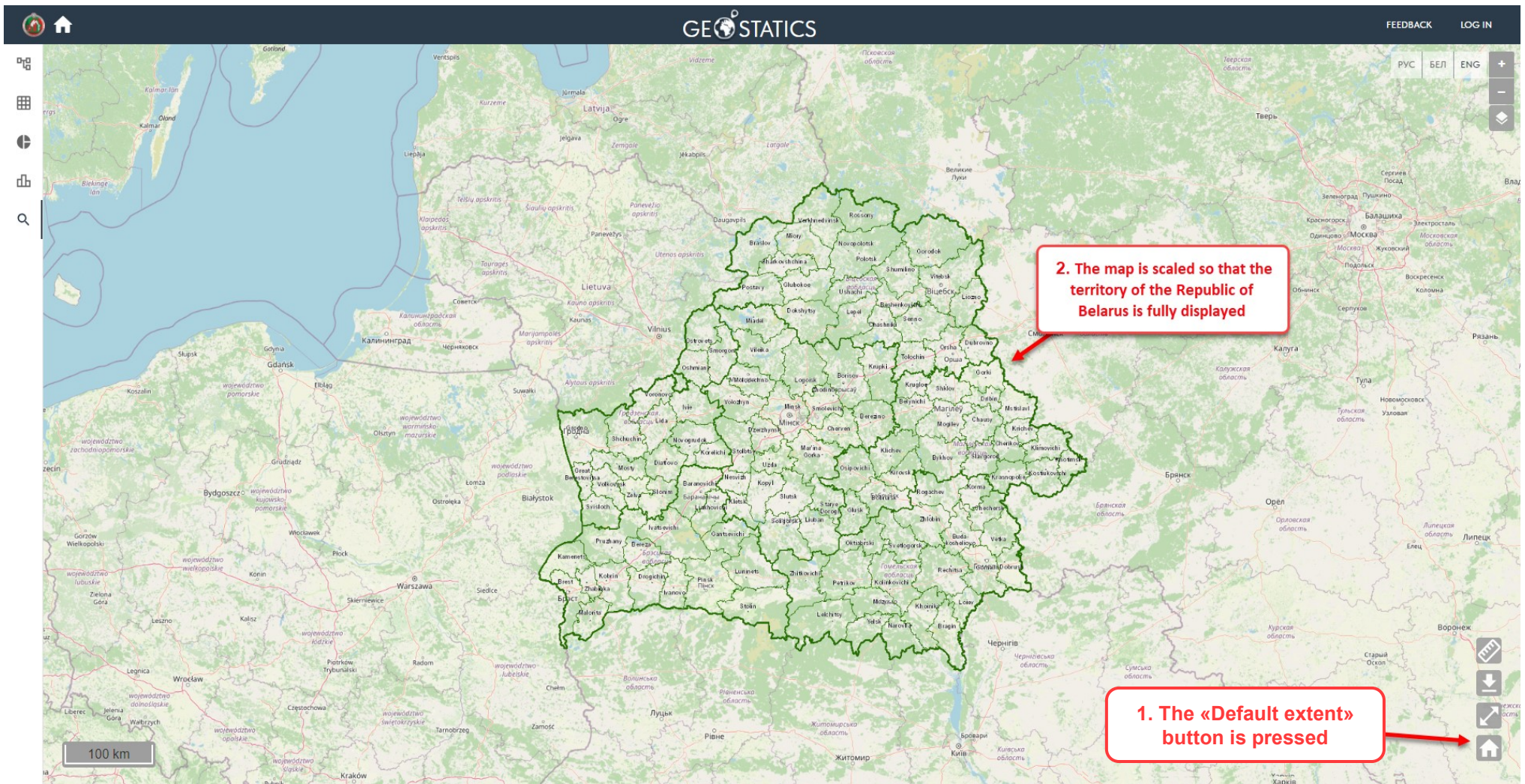
3.3.2. Export entire layer

To export the map of the entire layer, click the «Export entire layer» button. A PDF-file with a map and an attached layer will be downloaded.



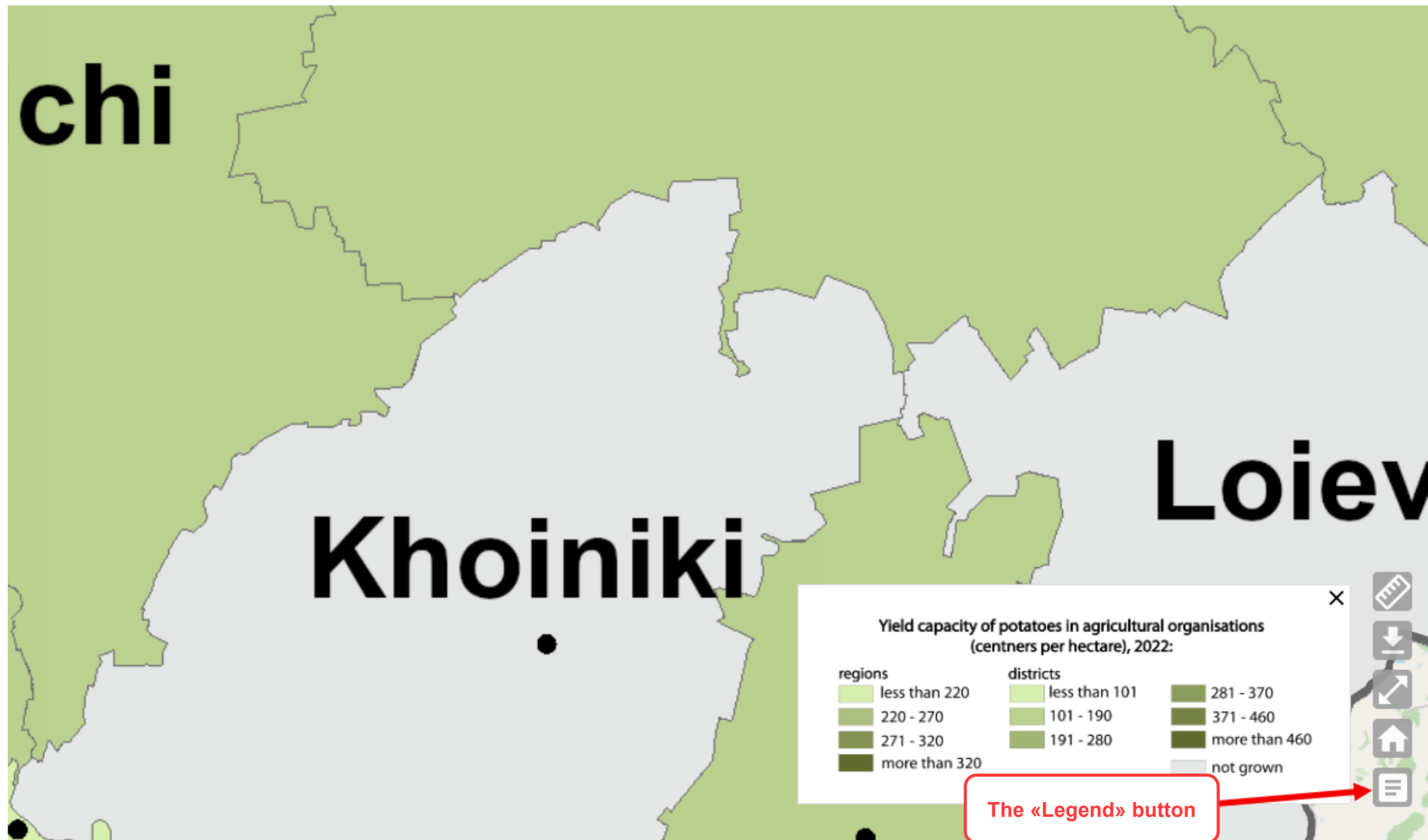
3.4. The «Default extent» button

When you click on the «» button, the map is scaled to the territory of the Republic of Belarus.



3.5. The «Legend» button

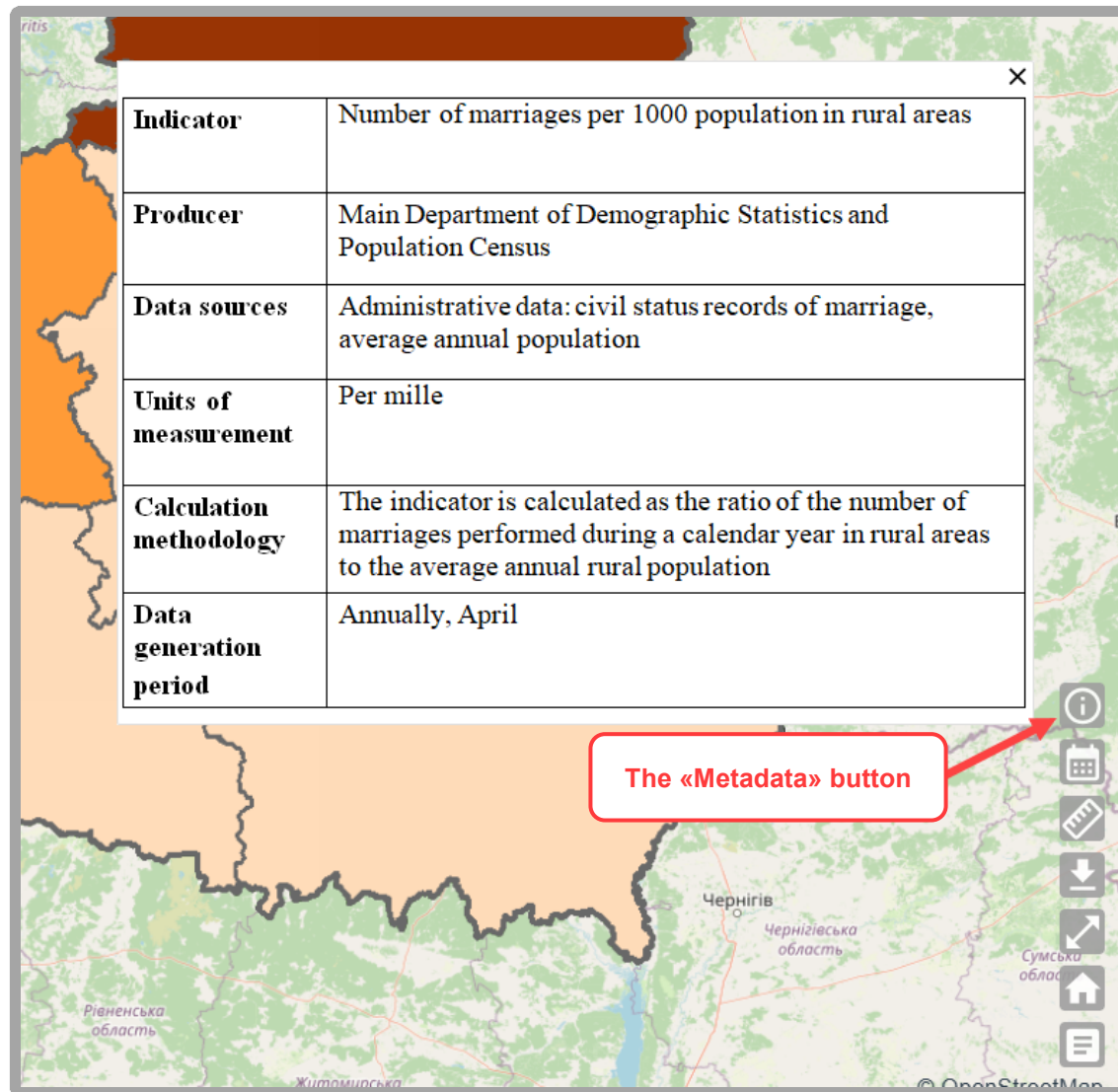
When a layer is turned on, the «» button is displayed, through which you can turn the legend on/off.



The legend is also exported with the map when it is enabled.

3.6. The «Metadata» button

If the layer is enabled, the «» button is displayed, the layer's metadata is used to enable/disable.




The screenshot shows a map interface with a popup window displaying metadata for a layer. The popup window has a close button (X) in the top right corner. The metadata is organized into a table with the following rows:




Indicator	Number of marriages per 1000 population in rural areas
Producer	Main Department of Demographic Statistics and Population Census
Data sources	Administrative data: civil status records of marriage, average annual population
Units of measurement	Per mille
Calculation methodology	The indicator is calculated as the ratio of the number of marriages performed during a calendar year in rural areas to the average annual rural population
Data generation period	Annually, April

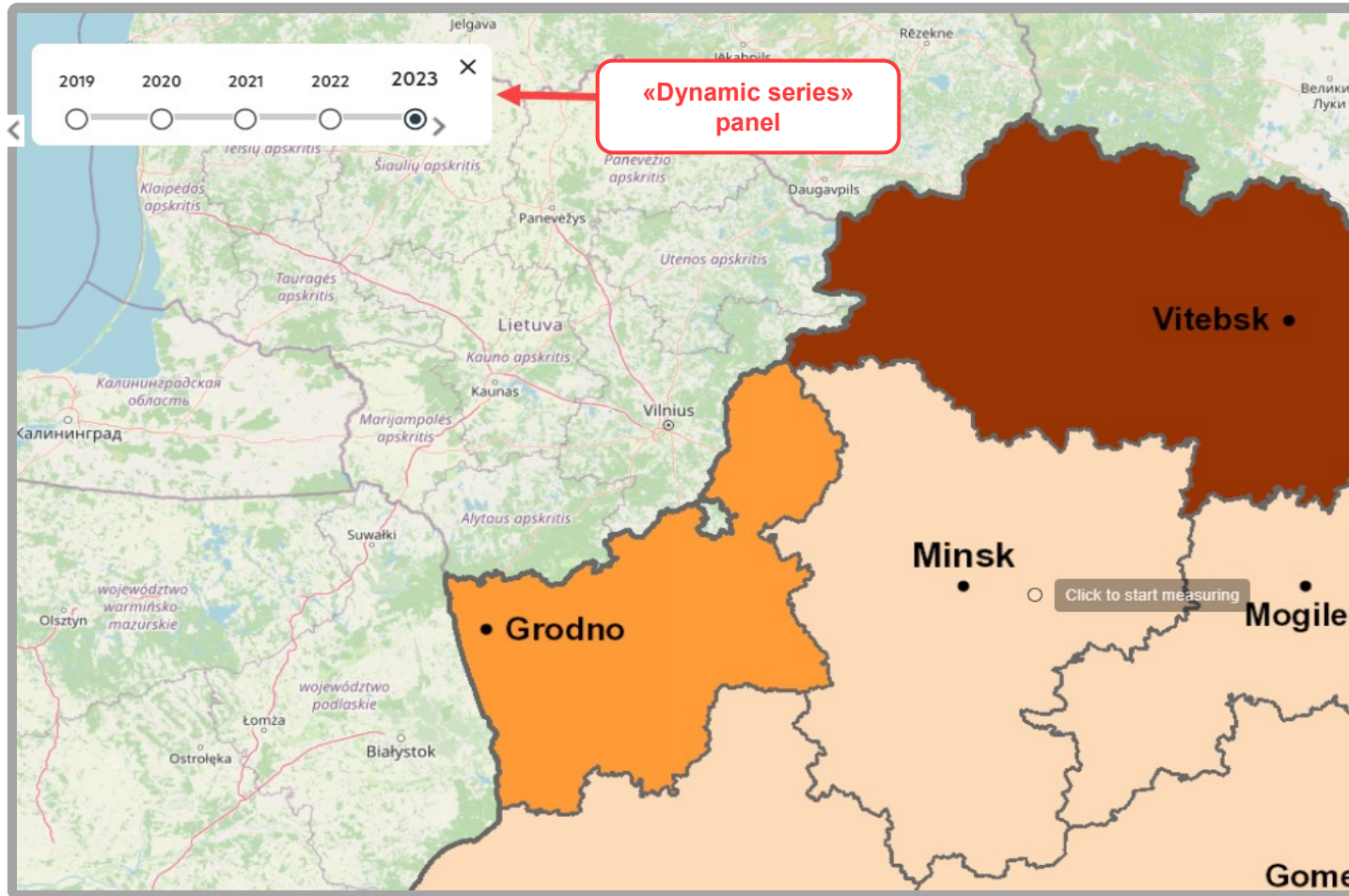
Below the popup window, a red arrow points to the «Metadata» button (info icon) in the toolbar. A red box highlights the button with the text "The «Metadata» button". The toolbar also includes buttons for layers, scale, download, share, home, and a menu.

3.7. The «Dynamic series» button

When displaying a layer included in a dynamic series, which includes layers with the same indicator but related to different years, the «» button is displayed.



When the «  » button is pressed, a panel is displayed that allows quick switching by one indicator for different years. The time period of 5 years is displayed to the user at one time. To switch between years, you can use the slider with the round button «  » or use the arrow «  » when searching for the desired year in the panel of the dynamic series. Switching opposite each year corresponds to displaying the layer for that year.



Simultaneous display of multiple layers of different years is not available.