

SOROKI



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Location

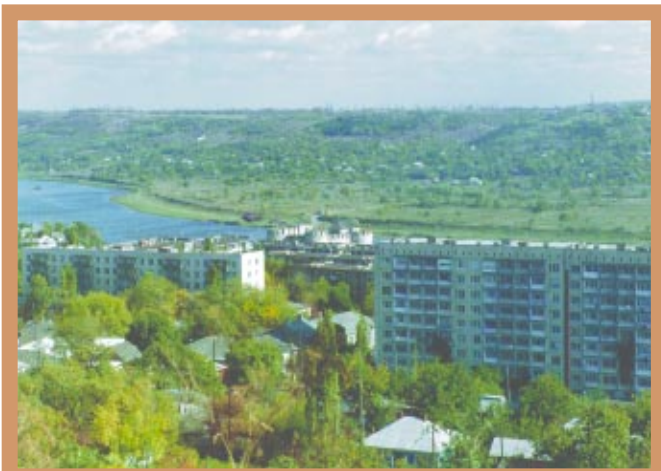
133 km NNW of Kishinev
48° 09' / 28° 18'

Region

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Jewish Population, Pre-Holocaust

5,452 (36.3% of general population in 1930)

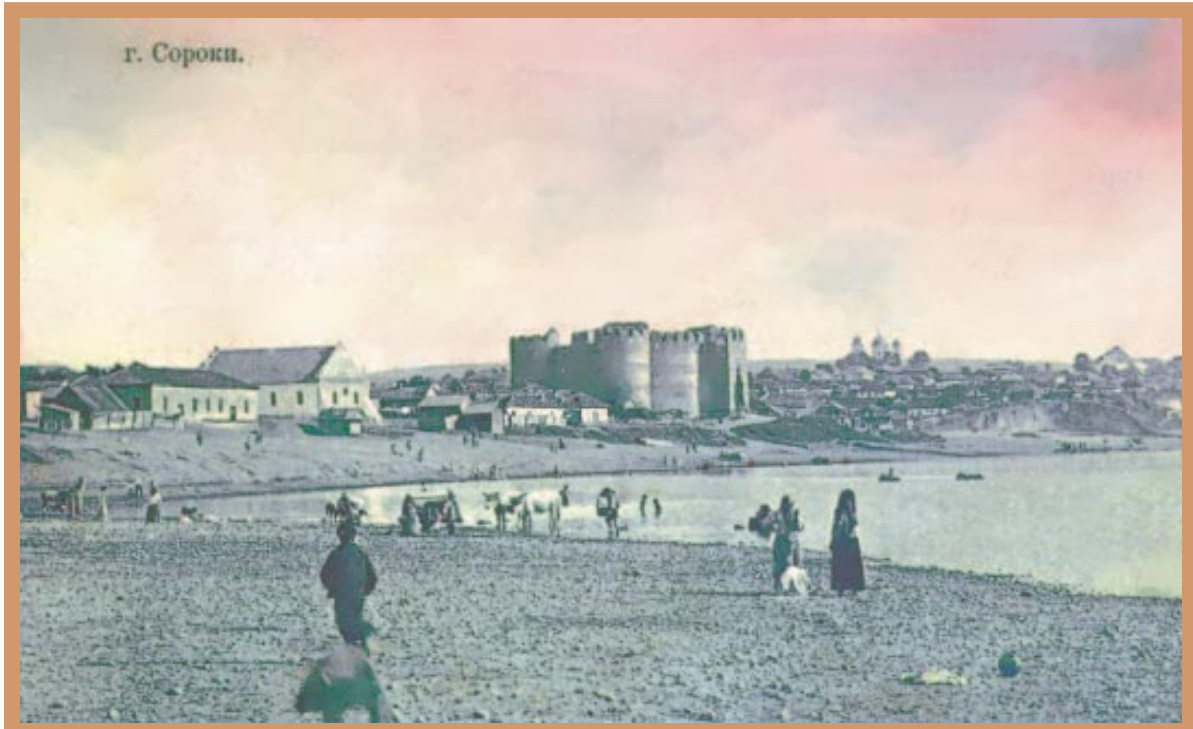


■ The Dniester River separates Soroki, Moldova, from Ukraine, 1992.

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■ Milya Milshtein, 1904–1978, daughter of Nusim (photo, 1995)

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■ Soroki, c. 1920

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■ The old fortress in Soroki, dating from the 16th century, c. 1990

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Jewish cemetery, 1995

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Jewish cemetery, after being cleared of brush, 1997

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■ Holocaust memorial in the Jewish cemetery, 1995

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■ Jewish cemetery, 1995

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■ Entrance to the Jewish cemetery, 1995

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■ Synagogue in Soroki, 1992

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The Jews of Bukovina, like those of Bessarabia, were driven eastward to ghettos in Transnistria. Uprooted from more than 100 communities, they, too, were marched away, interned, and then marched off again. Within a year, more than 120,000 had died.

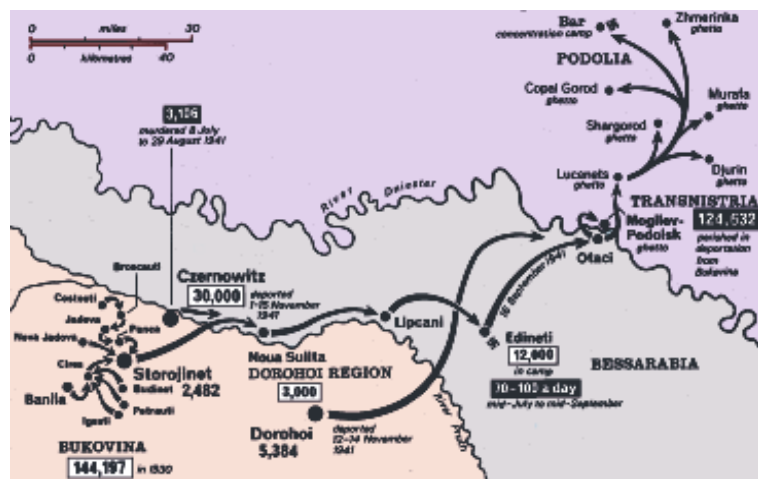
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1,750 number of Jews in a particular country, town or village before the Holocaust, according to the last peace-time census

The Jews of Bukovina on the Eve of the War

Map 15



144,197 number of Jews seeking refuge elsewhere, 124,632 number killed, or deported, or confined to a ghetto

Deportations and Death Marches from Bukovina, June–November 1941

Map 16