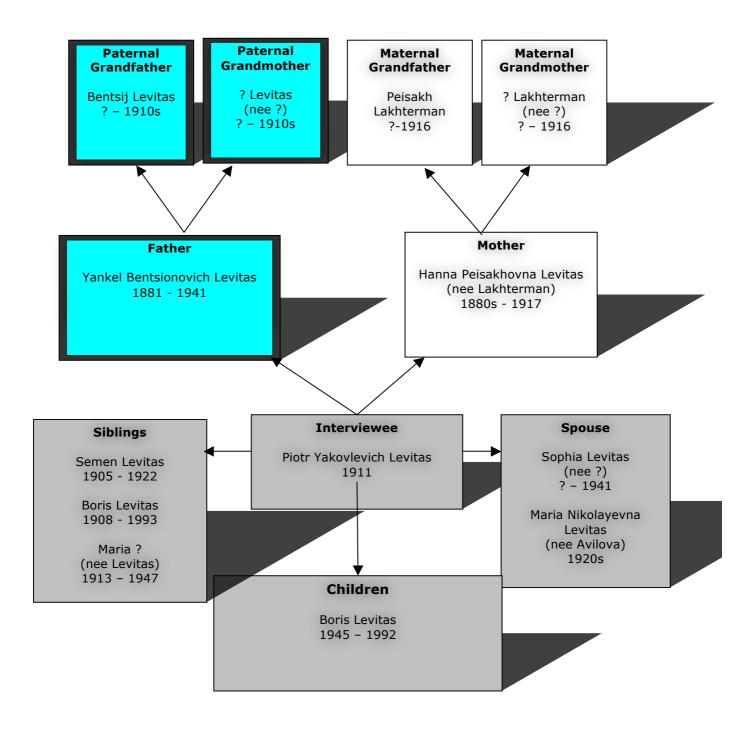
### **Family tree**



## Interviewee and his family

Your full name
Piotr Yakovlevich Levitas
Where and when were you born?
Brusilovo, Zhytomir region (today Ukraine), 1911
Where else did you live?
1925 - 1941: Mariupol (today Ukraine)
since 1945: Leningrad (today St. Petersburg)
Your educational level?
Cheder, Ukrainian elementary school
What sort of work do/did you do?  1925 – 1941: Tin worker, stove-maker, construction worker  1945 – 1971: house painter
1943 - 1971. House painter
What was the level of religiosity in your parents' home? How were you raised?  Orthodox family, followed all the traditions and holidays
What is your mother tongue? Yiddish
How many languages do you speak? Russian, Ukrainian
If you were in an army, tell us which army and the dates 1926 - 1929; 1941 - 1944: Soviet Army, soldier

### Your siblings

Their names Semen (Syoma) Levitas **Boris Levitas** Maria ? (nee Levitas) Where and when were they born? Semen: Brusilovo, Zhytomir region (today Ukraine), 1905 Boris: Brusilovo, Zhytomir region, 1908 Maria: Brusilovo, Zhytomir region, 1913 What is their mother tongue? Yiddish Their educational level? Semen: Cheder Boris: Cheder, Russian gymnasium, courses in tailoring Maria: Cheder, Ukrainian elementary school Their occupations? Semen: died at age 17 Boris: Military officer, Captain of the first rank in the naval fleet Maria: Housewife Where do/did they live? Semen: Brusilovo, Zhytomir region Boris: Brusilovo, Zhytomir region Maria: Brusilovo, Zhytomir region Where else did they live? Boris: 1908 - 1925: Brusilovo, Zhytomir region, 1925 - ?: Mariupol (today Ukraine) Maria: 1913 - 1925: Brusilovo, Zhytomir region, 1925 - 1947: Mariupol

Do they have children?

Semen: none

Boris: none

Maria: one son

Where and when did they die?

Semen: Brusilovo, Zhytomir region, 1922

Boris: Vitebsk (today Belarus), 1993

Maria: Mariupol (today Ukraine), 1947

# **Spouse** Name? Sophia Levitas (nee ?) Maria Levitas (nee Avilova) Where and when was he/she born? Sophia: No information Maria: Place unknown, 1920s Where else did he live? Sophia: ? - 1940s: Mariupol (today Ukraine) Maria: Leningrad (today St. Petersburg) Is he/she Jewish? Sophia: yes Maria: no What is his/her mother tongue? Sophia: No information Maria: Russian His/her educational level? Sophia: No information Maria: Medical Institute, Leningrad Occupation? Sophia: No information Maria: Doctor, therapist Where and when did he/she die? Sophia: Mariupol, Ukraine, 1941, executed by the Germans

#### **Children**

Two children, born in the 1930s, executed by the Germans in 1941 in Mariupol (today Ukraine) along with their mother, the interviewee's first wife Boris Levitas, born in second marriage Were they raised Jewish/do they identify themselves as Jews? Boris was circumcised, and he is listed as Jewish in his passport, but he never knew Yiddish or Jewish traditions and didn't think of himself as a Jew. Where and when were they born? Leningrad (today St. Petersburg), 1945 Where else did they live? No information Their educational level? High School Their occupations? Worker

Boris has four daughters and one son, as well as grandchildren

How many grandchildren do you have?

His name?
Yankel Bentsionovich Levitas
Where and when was he was born?
Brusilovo, Zhytomir region (today Ukraine), 1881
Where else did he live?
1925 - 1941: Mariupol (today Ukraine)
Where and when did he die?
Mariupol, 1941
What sort of education did he have?
Cheder
What sort of work did he do?
Hat-maker, tailor
What was his level of religiosity?
Orthodox, followed all the traditions and celebrated all the holidays
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What was his mother tongue?
Yiddish
Army service: Which army and what years?
1914 - 1916: Russian Imperial Army

Tell me about his brothers and sisters. (name, date of birth and death,
occupation, place of residence, family, etc.)
Four brothers and two or three sisters; the brothers left for America and Canada
(no further information)
Where was he during the Holocaust?
Mariupol (today Ukraine), executed by the Germans in 1941

Your father's father name?
Bentsij Levitas
Where and when was he born?
Brusilovo, Zhytomir region (today Ukraine), date unknown
Where else did he live?
No information
Where and when did he die?
Brusilovo, Zhytomir region, 1910s
What sort of education did he have?
No information
What sort of work did he do?
<u>Hat-maker</u>
What was his level of religiosity?
Orthodox, closely observed all the traditions
What was his mother tongue?
Yiddish
Army service: Which army and what years?
No information

Tell me about his brothers and sisters. (name, date of birth and death,
occupation, place of residence, family, etc.)
No information
Where was he during the Holocaust?  Died before
Died before

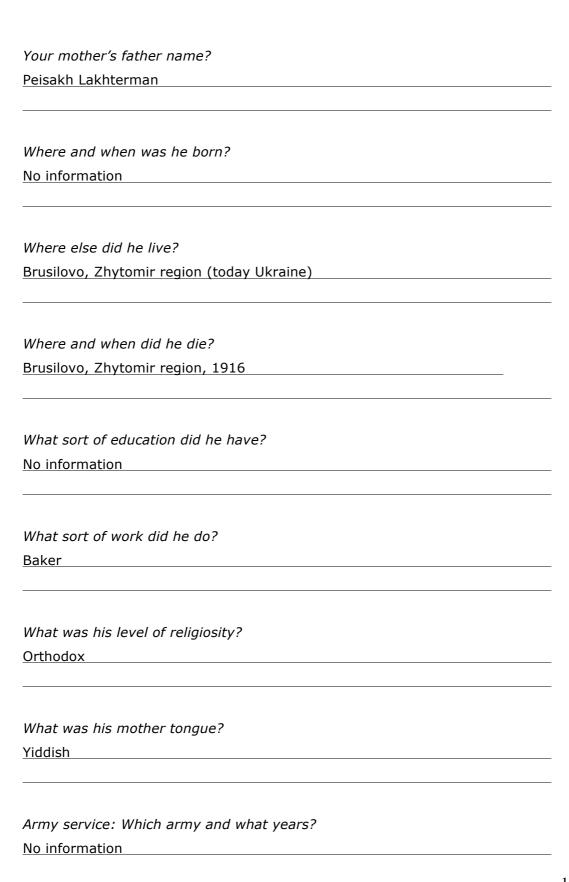
Your father's mother's name?
? Levitas (nee ?)
Where and when was she born?
Brusilovo, Zhytomir region (today Ukraine), date unknown
Where else did she live?
No information
Where and when did she die?
Brusilovo, Zhytomir region, 1910s
What sort of education did she have?
No information
What sort of work did she do?
Housewife
What was her level of religiosity?
Orthodox
What was her mother tongue?
Yiddish

Tell me about her brothers and sisters. (name, date of birth and death,
occupation, place of residence, family, etc.)
No information
Where was she during the Holocaust?
Died before

Her name? Hanna Peisakhovna Levitas (nee Lakhterman)
Where and when was she was born?
Place unknown, 1880s
Where else did she live?
Brusilovo, Zhytomir region (today Ukraine)
Where and when did she die?
Brusilovo, Zhytomir region, 1917
Brushovo, Zhytonin region, 1917
What sort of education did she have?
Cheder
What sort of work did she do?
Dressmaker
What was her level of religiosity?
Orthodox
What was her mether tengue?
What was her mother tongue?
Yiddish
Tell me about her brothers and sisters. (name, date of birth and death,
occupation, place of residence, family, etc.)
No information

Where was she during the Holocaust?
Died before

### **Maternal Grandfather**



Tell me about his brothers and sisters. (name, date of birth and death,
occupation, place of residence, family, etc.)
No information
Where was he during the Holocaust?
Died before

Your mother's mother's name?
? Lakhterman (nee ?)
Where and when was she born?
No information
Where else did she live?
Brusilovo, Zhytomir region (today Ukraine)
Where and when did she die?
Brusilovo, Zhytomir region, 1916
What sort of education did she have?
No information
What sort of work did she do?
<u>Baker</u>
What was her level of religiosity?
Orthodox
What was her mother tongue?
Yiddish
Tell me about her brothers and sisters. (name, date of birth and death,
occupation, place of residence, family, etc.)
No information

Where was she during the Holocaust?	
Died before	