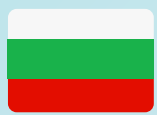


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Bulgaria Fact Sheet



COVID-19

Are you planning to get vaccinated against COVID-19?



41% would prefer Pfizer or Moderna vaccine

(Out of those who want to get vaccinated and who answered definitely yes or rather yes.)

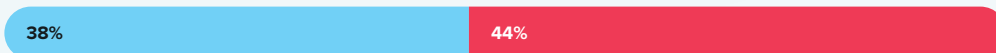
To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

● Agree
 ● Disagree

Our country's government should deal with the negotiations on buying the vaccines by itself instead of the EU.



EU should deal with the negotiation on buying the vaccines for us instead of our country's government.



Official number of COVID-19 cases is lower than my country's public authorities (institutions) tell us.



COVID-19 is fake and does not exist.



I do not trust COVID-19 vaccines because the pharmaceutical companies are only driven by profit.



I trust the opinion of the leading medical and scientific authorities in telling us truth about the COVID-19.



The measures taken during the pandemic will have long-term negative impact on my rights and freedoms.

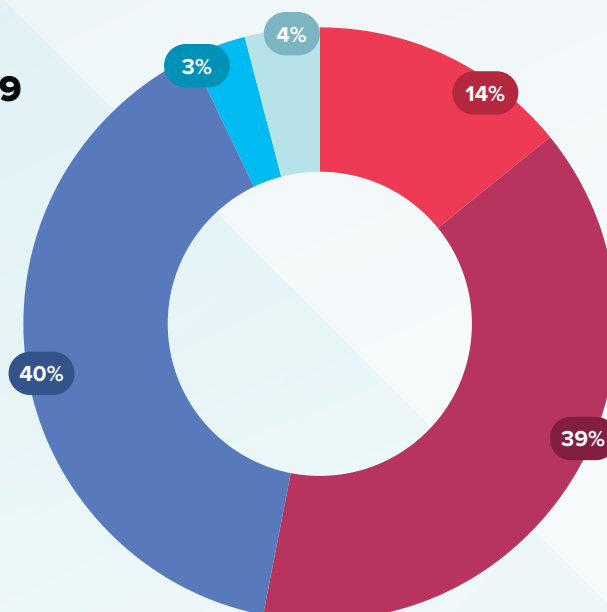


The COVID-19 pandemic is a planned operation by the hidden forces/elites to control the population.



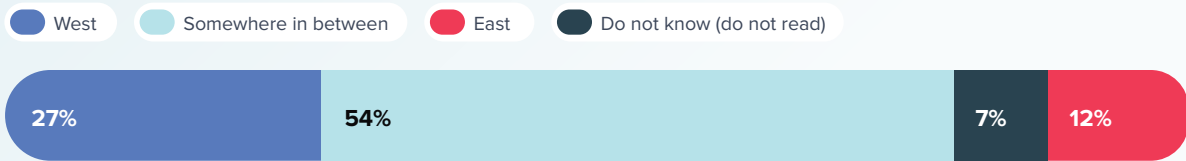
How has government of Bulgaria handled the COVID-19 crisis so far?

● Very badly
 ● Not so well
 ● Fairly well
 ● Very well
 ● Do not know (do not read)



Geopolitics

Bulgaria should be part of:



69%

Agree liberal democracy as a system based on equality, human rights and freedoms and rule of law is good for Bulgaria.

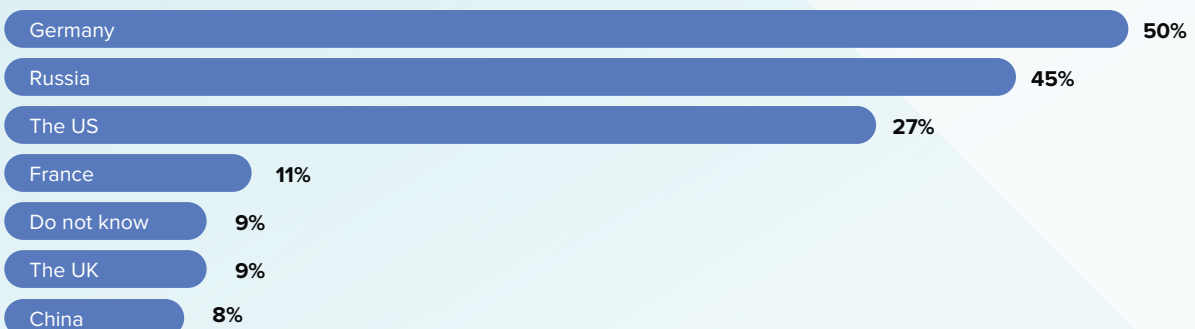
NATO Membership



EU Membership



Which of the following countries are most important strategic partners of your country today? (pick max.2)



With each name of political leader, please tell me, whether you perceive them positively or negatively.

Positively
Negatively
Never heard of him or her
Don't know

Boris Johnson (Prime Minister of the United Kingdom)



Xi Jinping (President of China)



Emmanuel Macron (President of France)



Joe Biden (President of the US)



Ursula von der Leyen (President of the European Commission)



Angela Merkel (Federal Chancellor of Germany)

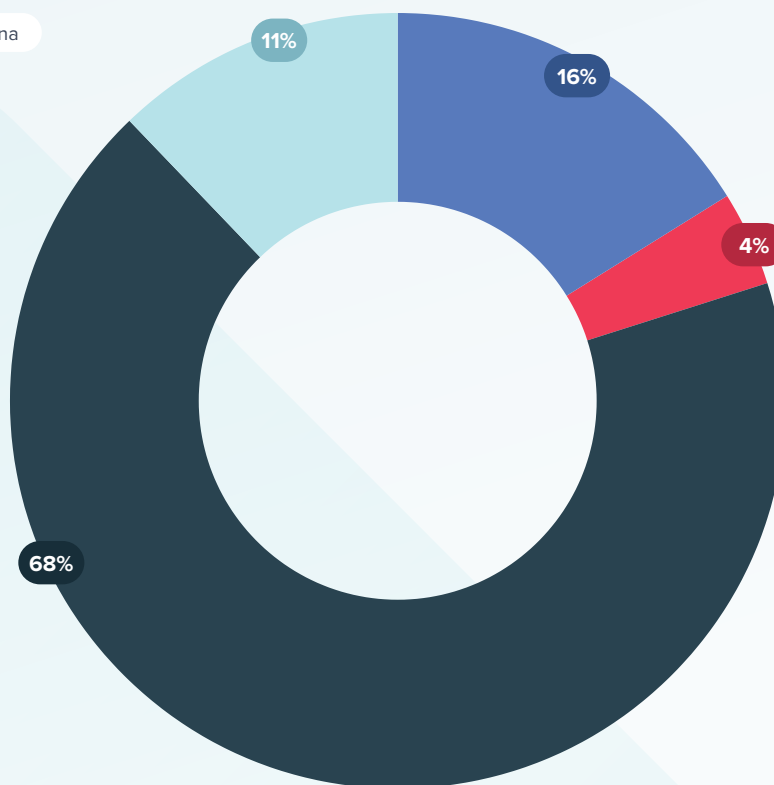


Vladimir Putin (President of Russia)



If there is an increased confrontation between US and China where should the EU position itself?

Closer to the US
Closer to China
Stay neutral
Do not know (do not read)



Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Agree Alexei Navalny should have not been sent to jail by Russian authorities after being poisoned.

43%

Agree Chinese regime could be an inspiration for Bulgaria.

25%

Agree human rights and freedoms in China are being systematically violated.

35%

Worried about rising Chinese economic power.

32%

Agree the EU should act as one on the world scene.

85%

Agree having a strong and decisive leader who does not have to bother with parliament or elections is good for Bulgaria.

62%

Agree democracy as a system based on equality, human rights and freedoms and rule of law is good for Bulgaria.

82%

How much do you personally trust or distrust the following institutions in your country?

Trust Distrust No opinion

Armed forces

58%

31%

11%

Police

60%

38%

2%

Political parties

23%

73%

4%

Standard mainstream media

48%

46%

6%

Courts and judiciary in Bulgaria

38%

55%

7%

President

54%

40%

6%

Government

33%

64%

3%

48% of all respondents trust

standard mainstream media.

37% of all respondents agree

social media companies (Facebook, Instagram, YouTube) should be more strictly regulated by laws and rules.