

# Citizens' perceptions about European integration and the process of Montenegro's accession to the EU

Results of the quantitative survey



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# Method and data

- Quantitative research
- Representative sample
- Fieldwork: 3rd June – 22nd June 2021
- 1004 respondents
- Measurement error: +/-3,1% for 95% confidence interval and 50% incidence
- CAPI, computer assisted personal interviewing
- *Face-to-face technique*
- Verification

# Attitudes towards membership



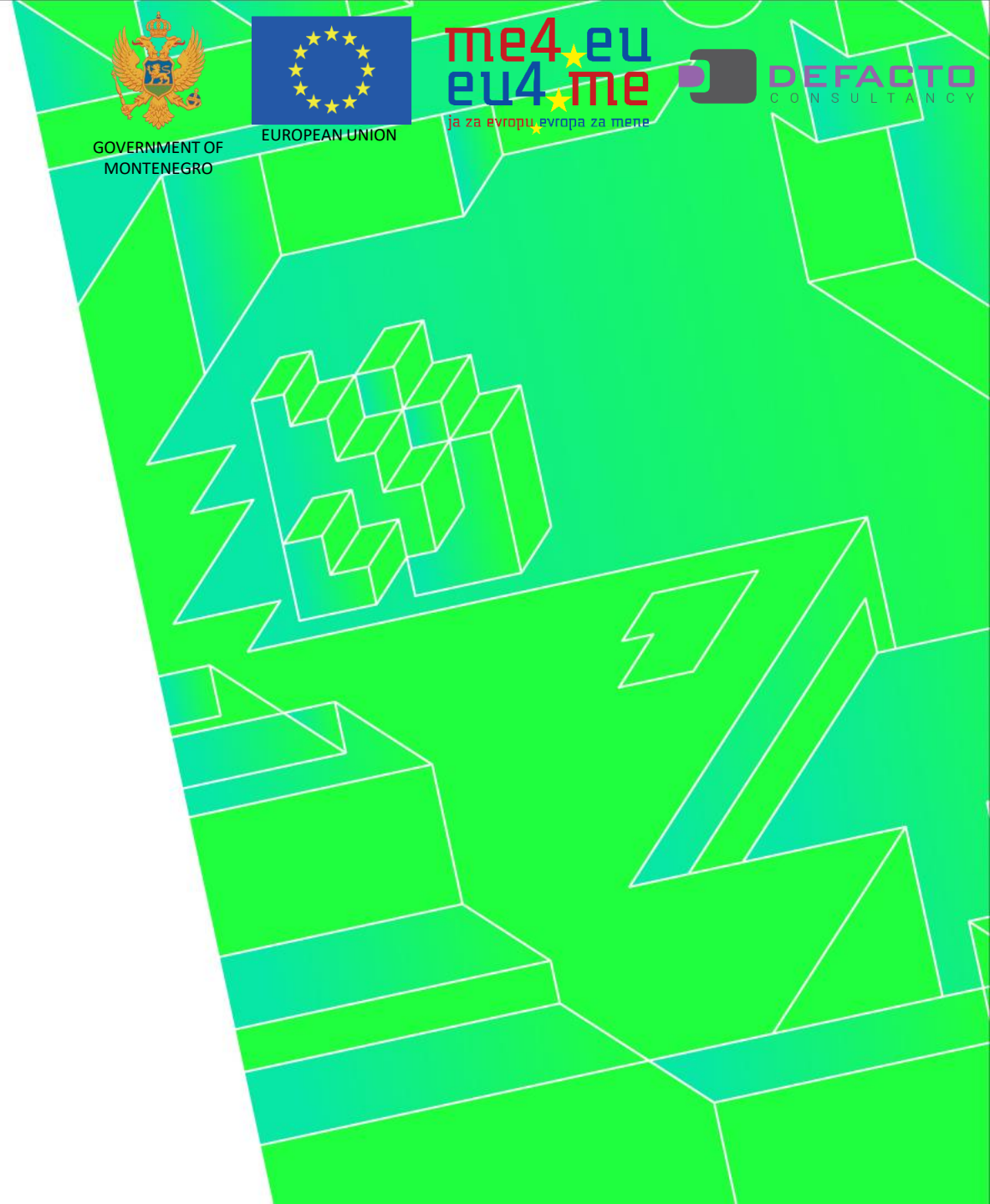
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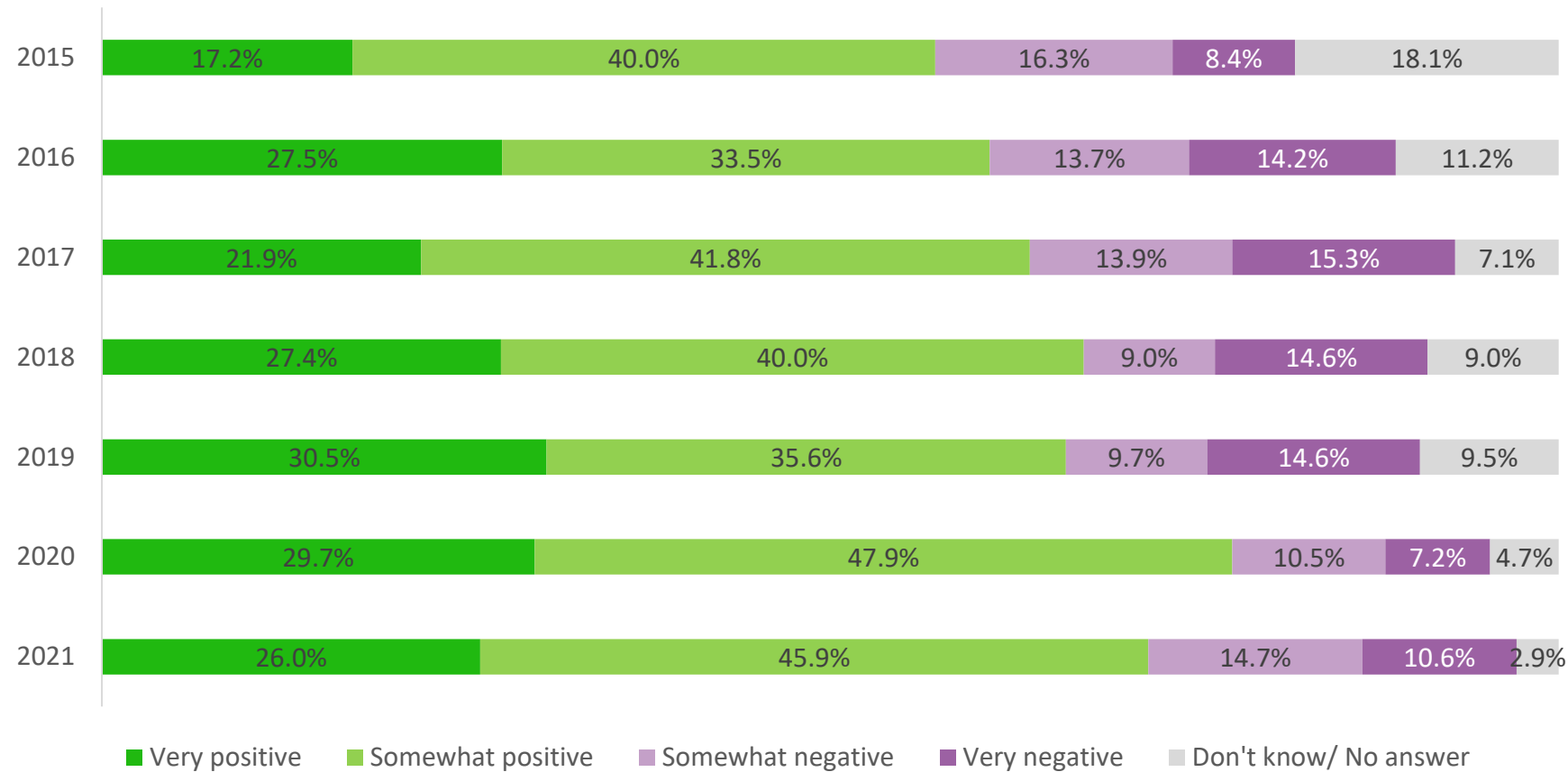
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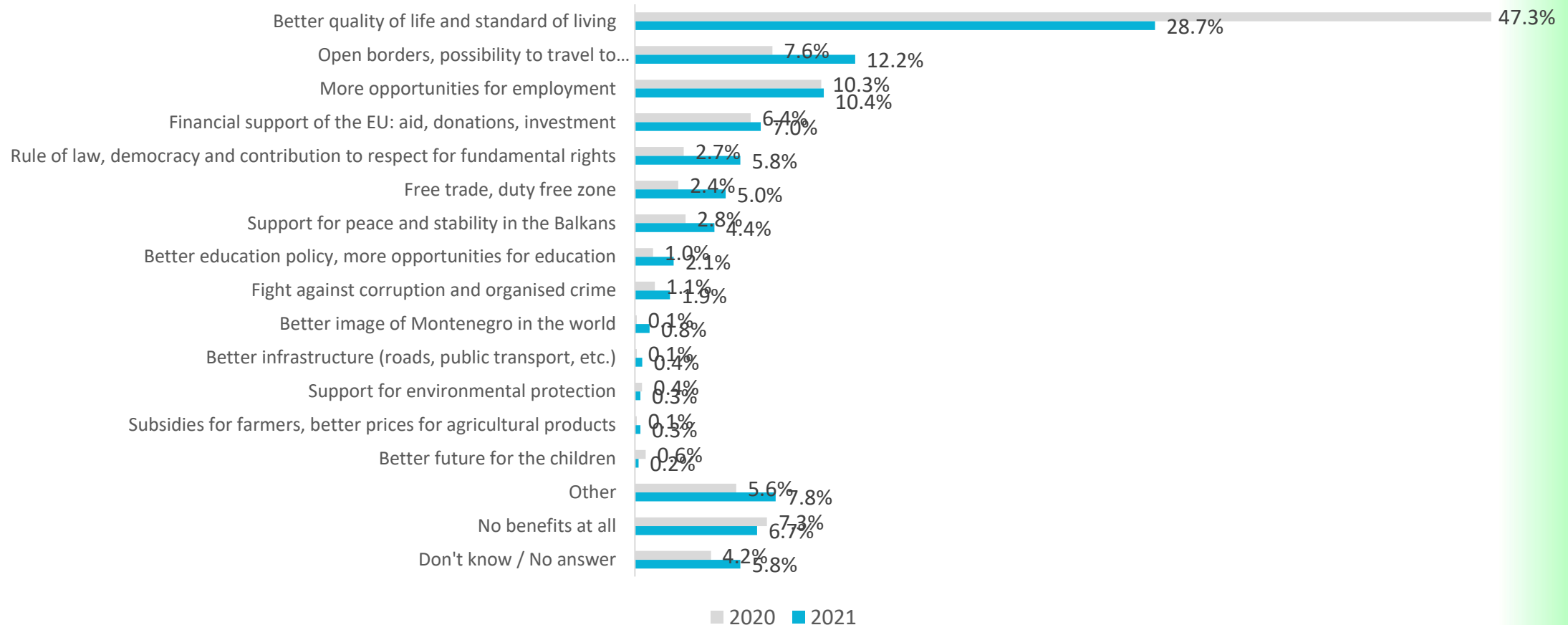


# What is your general attitude towards the EU?

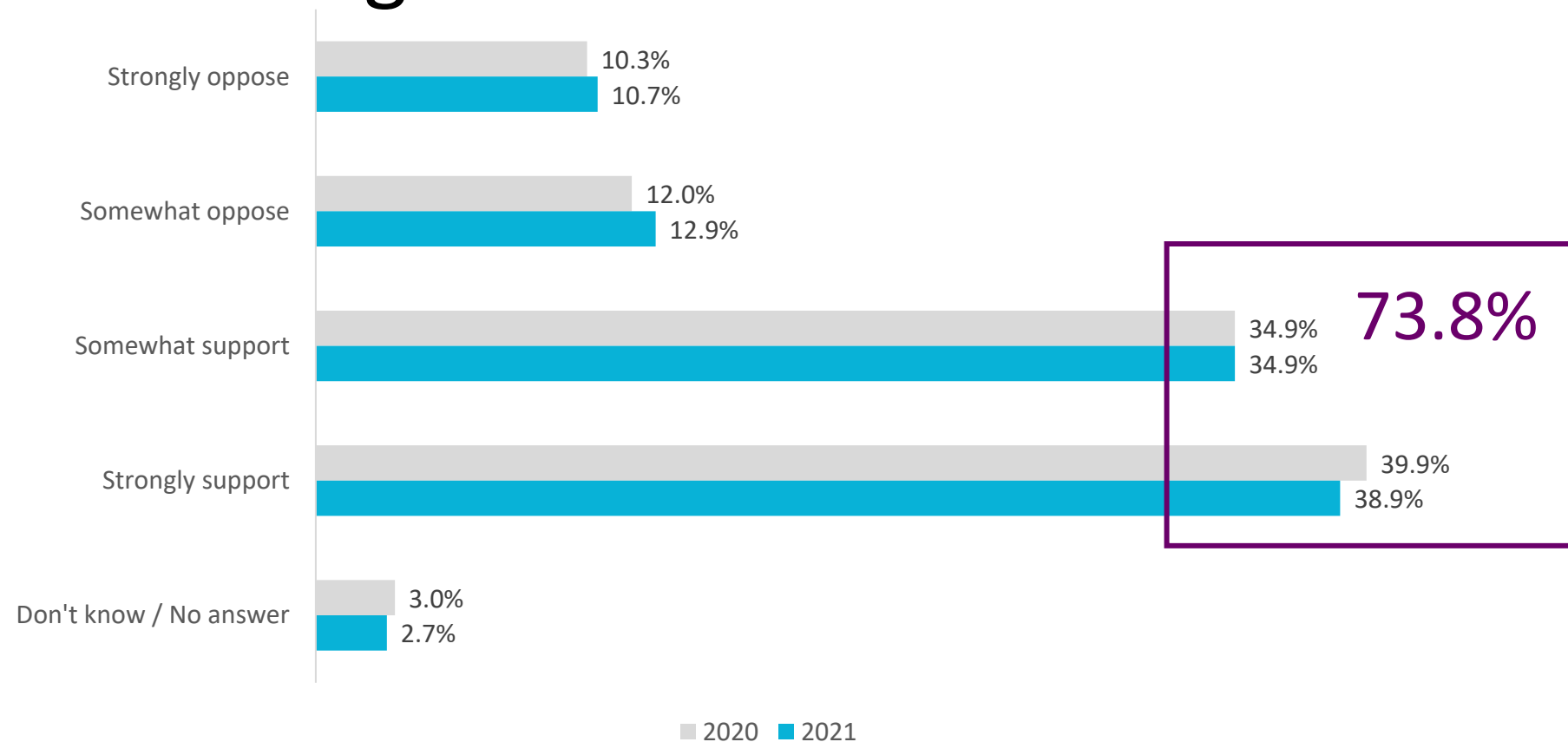


Very or  
somewhat  
positive - 71.9%

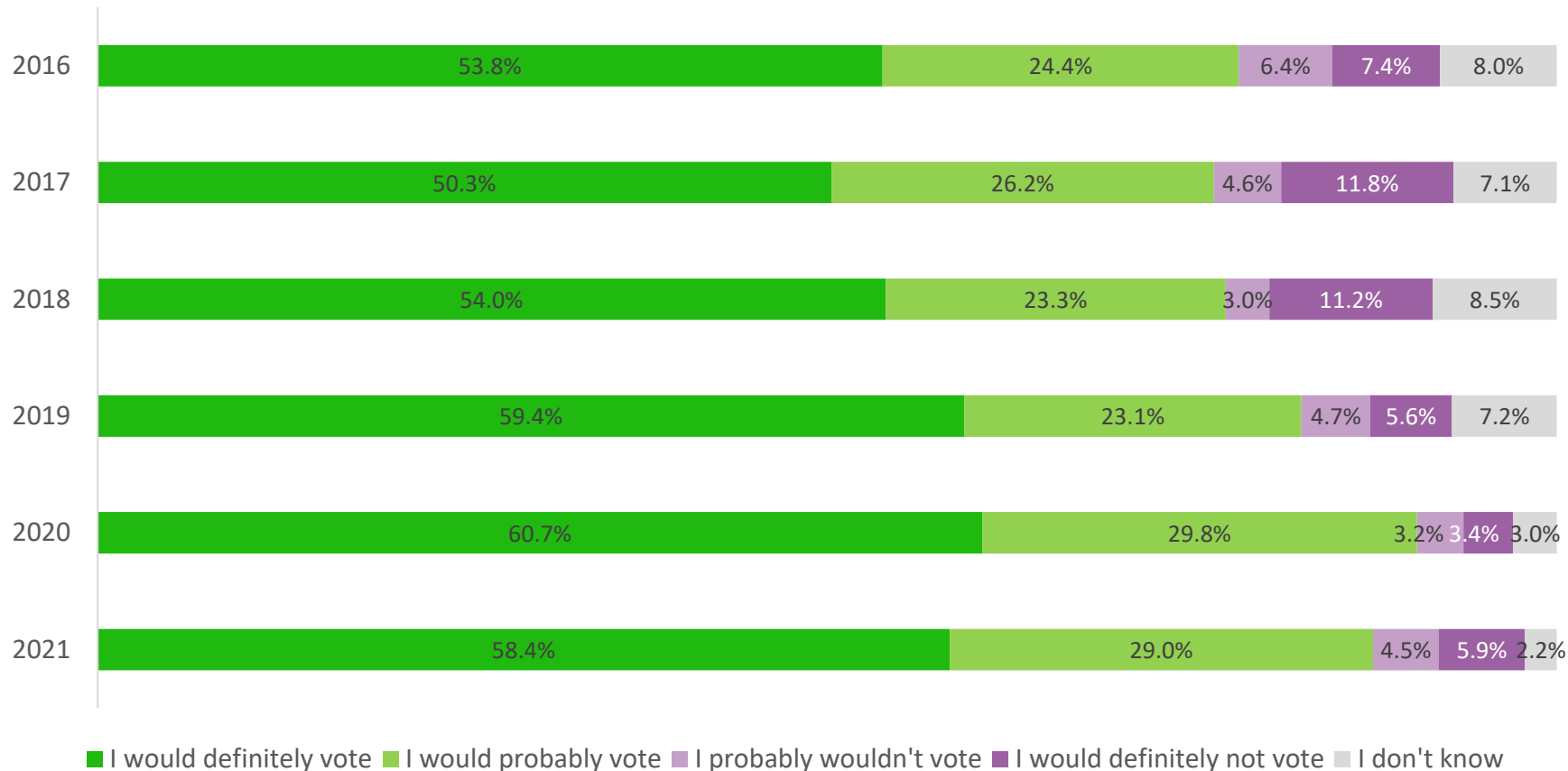
No matter whether you are overall in favour or against Montenegro joining the EU, what do you think would be the **main benefits** of becoming a member of the EU? (open-ended question, pre-coding applied)



# Overall, do you personally support Montenegro's accession to the EU?



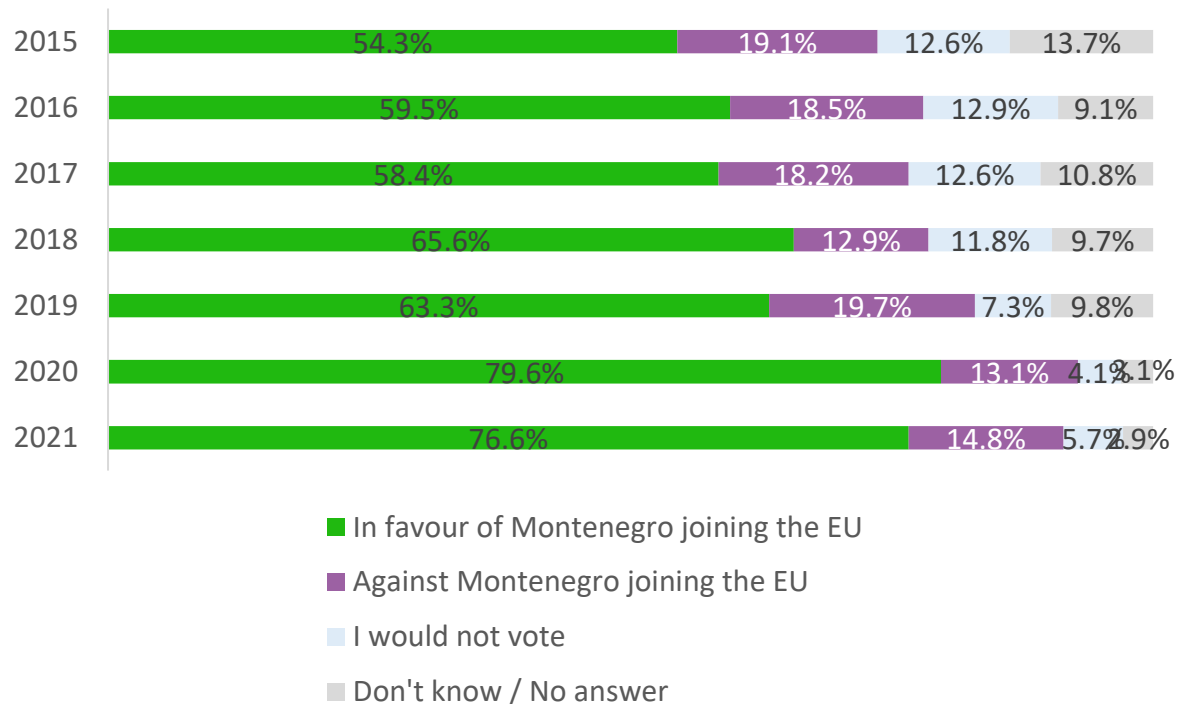
# How likely would you turn out to vote in an referendum on MNE's accession to EU?



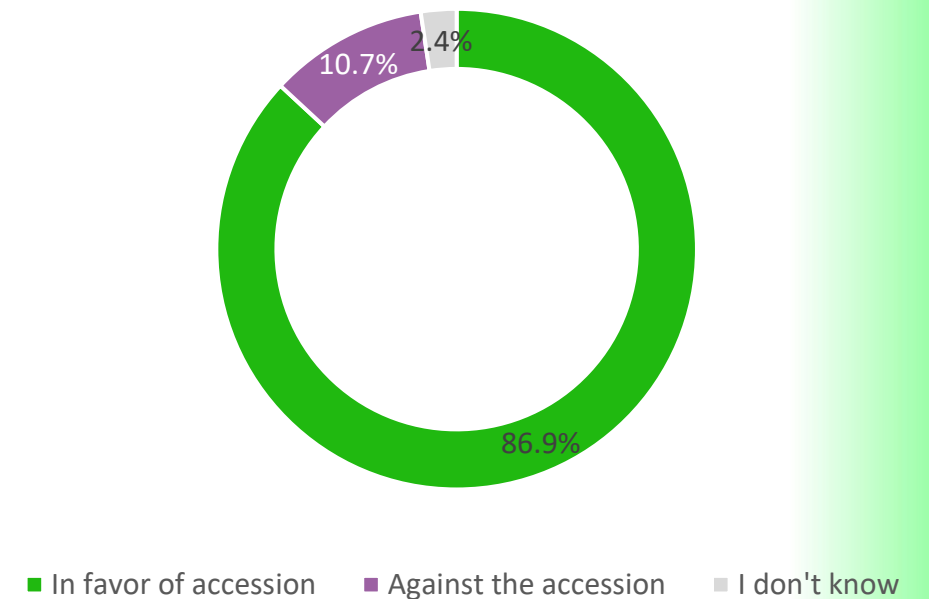
Would definitely  
or probably vote  
- 87.4%

# Hypothetical referendum on MNE accession to the EU:

If a referendum about Montenegro's membership in the EU was held this week, how would you vote?

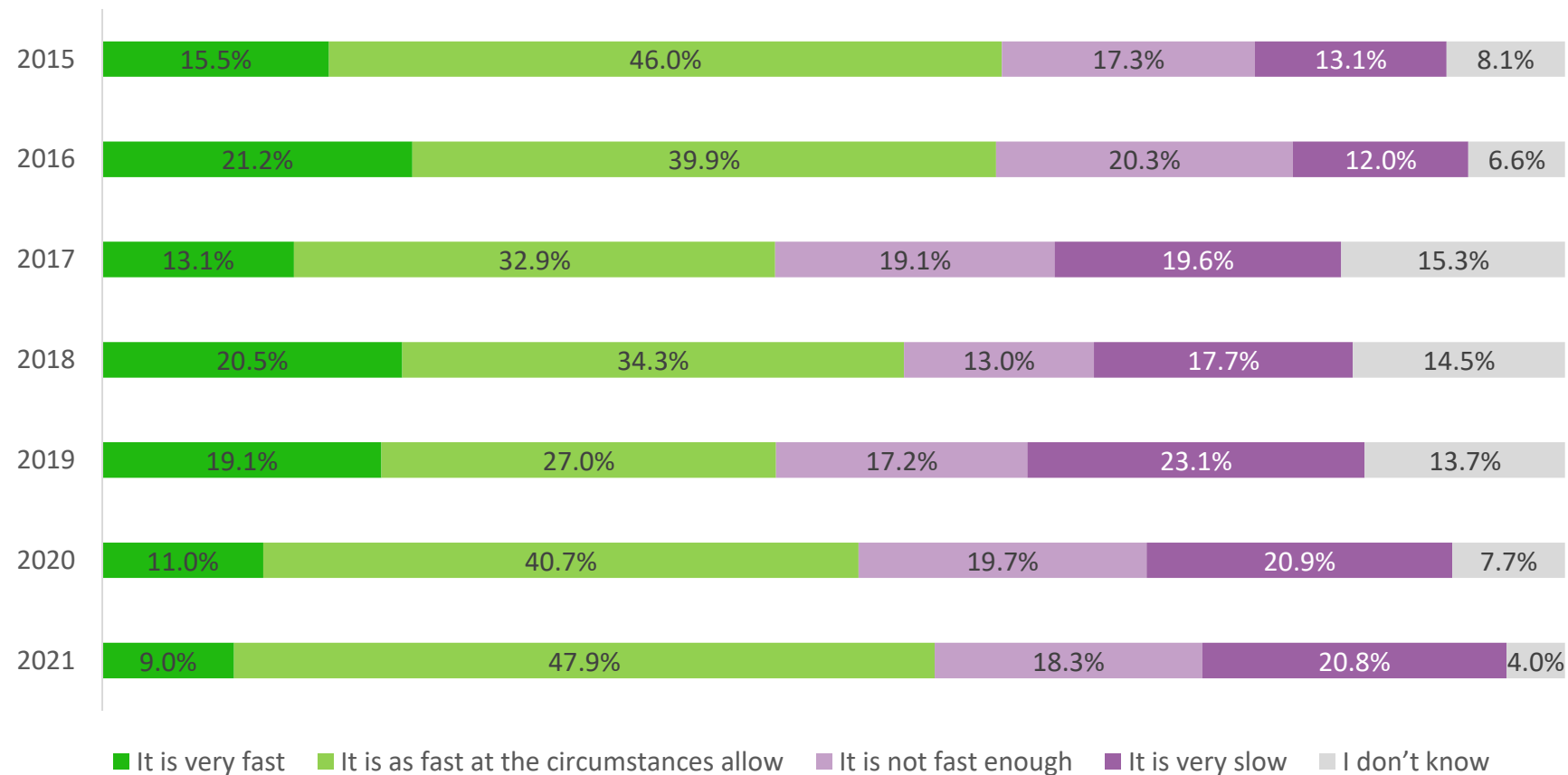


Only those which would turn out to vote

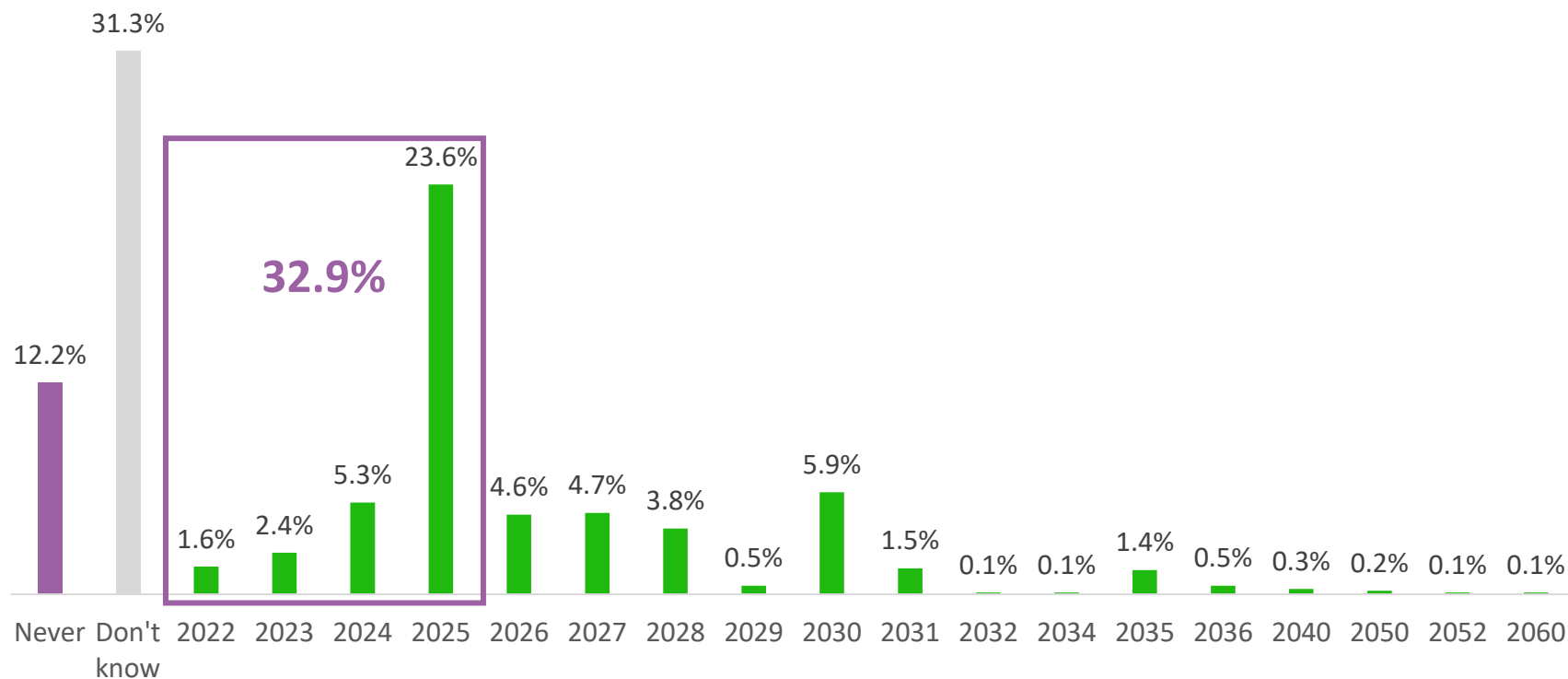




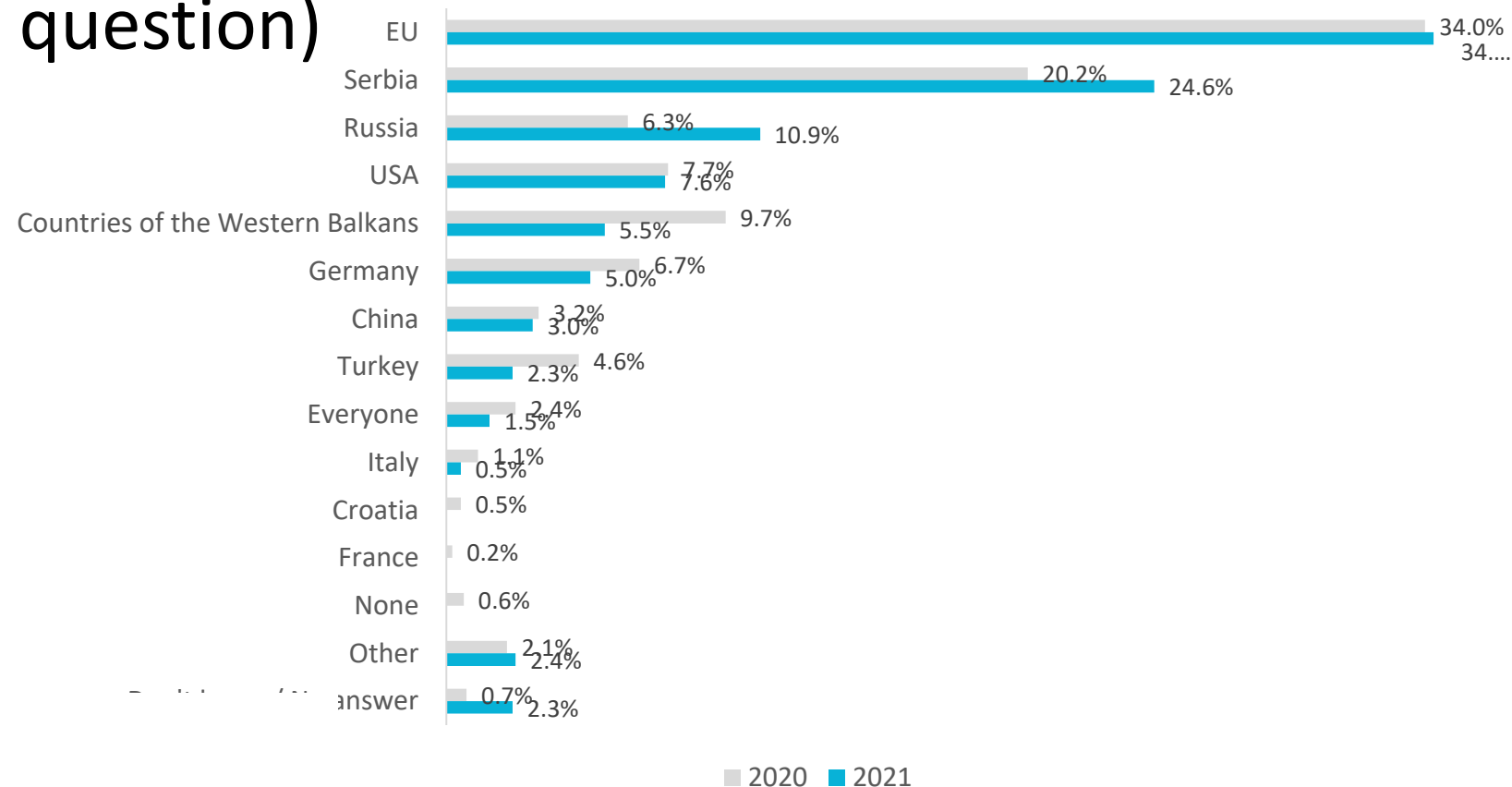
# What do you think about the pace of Montenegrin accession to EU?



# When do you personally think that Montenegro will fulfil the accession criteria and become an EU Member State?



In your opinion, with which country, state or union should Montenegro have the strongest political, economic and commercial connections in the future? (open-ended question)



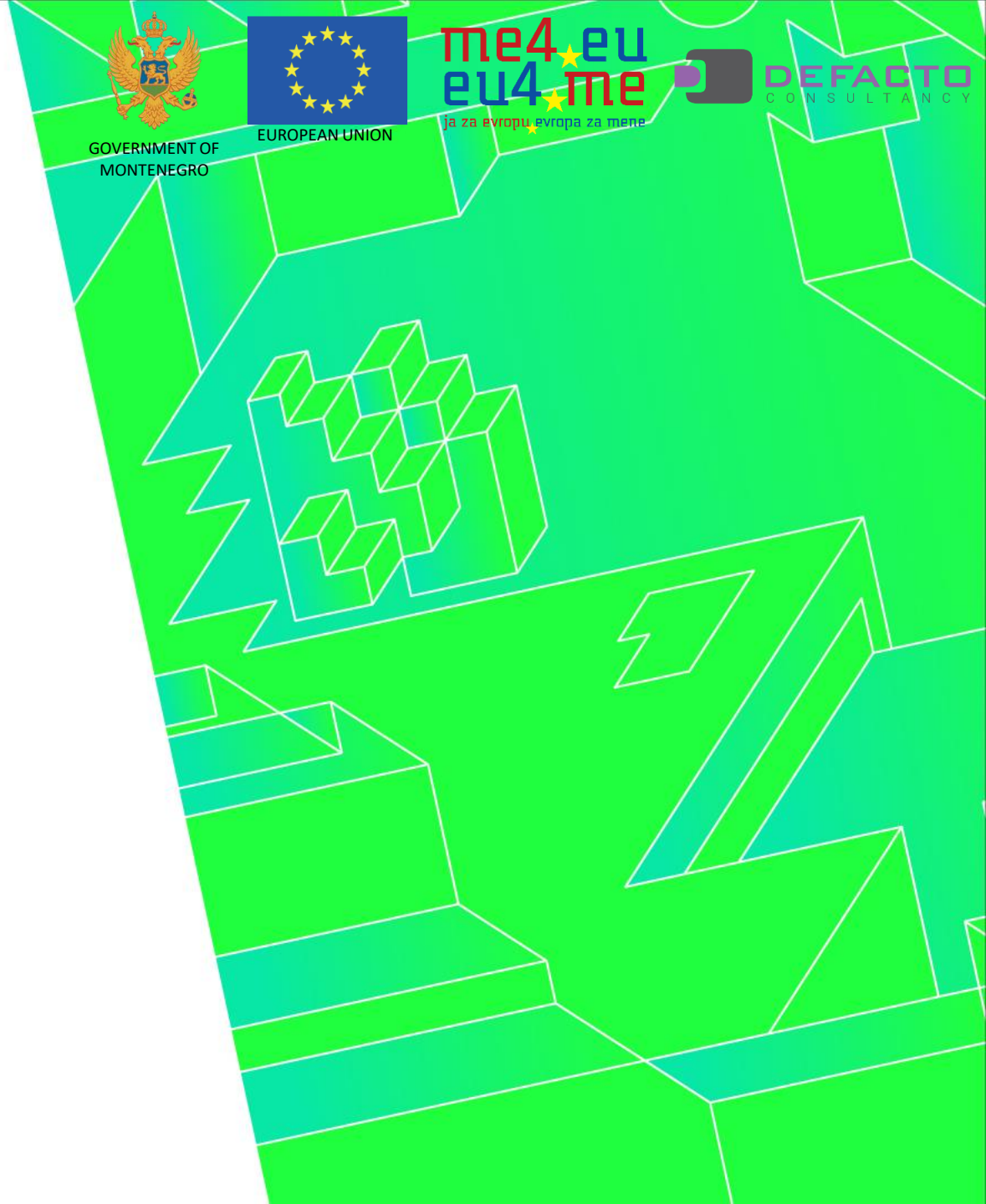
# EU funds



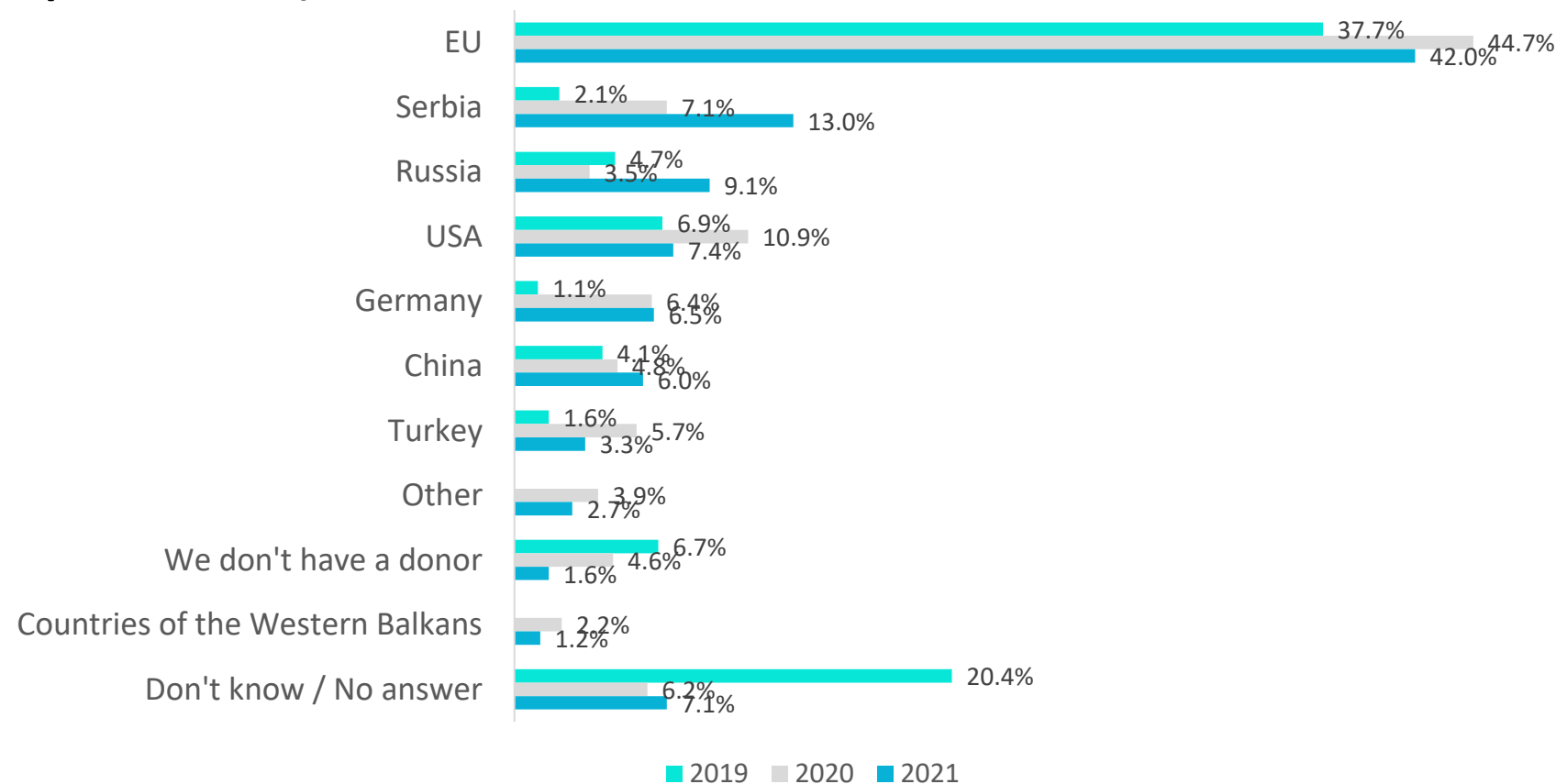
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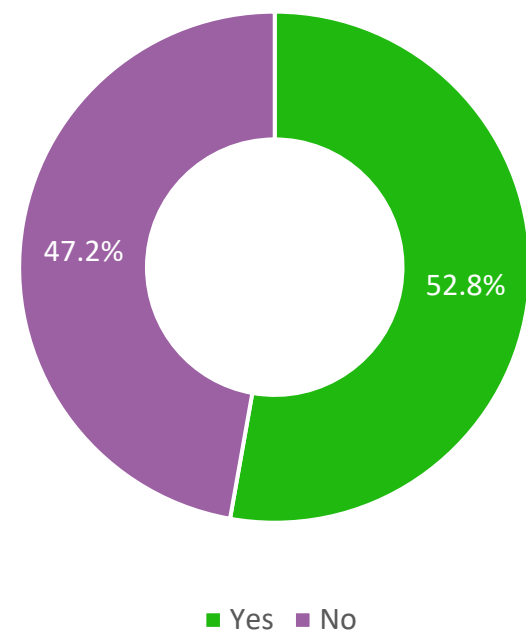
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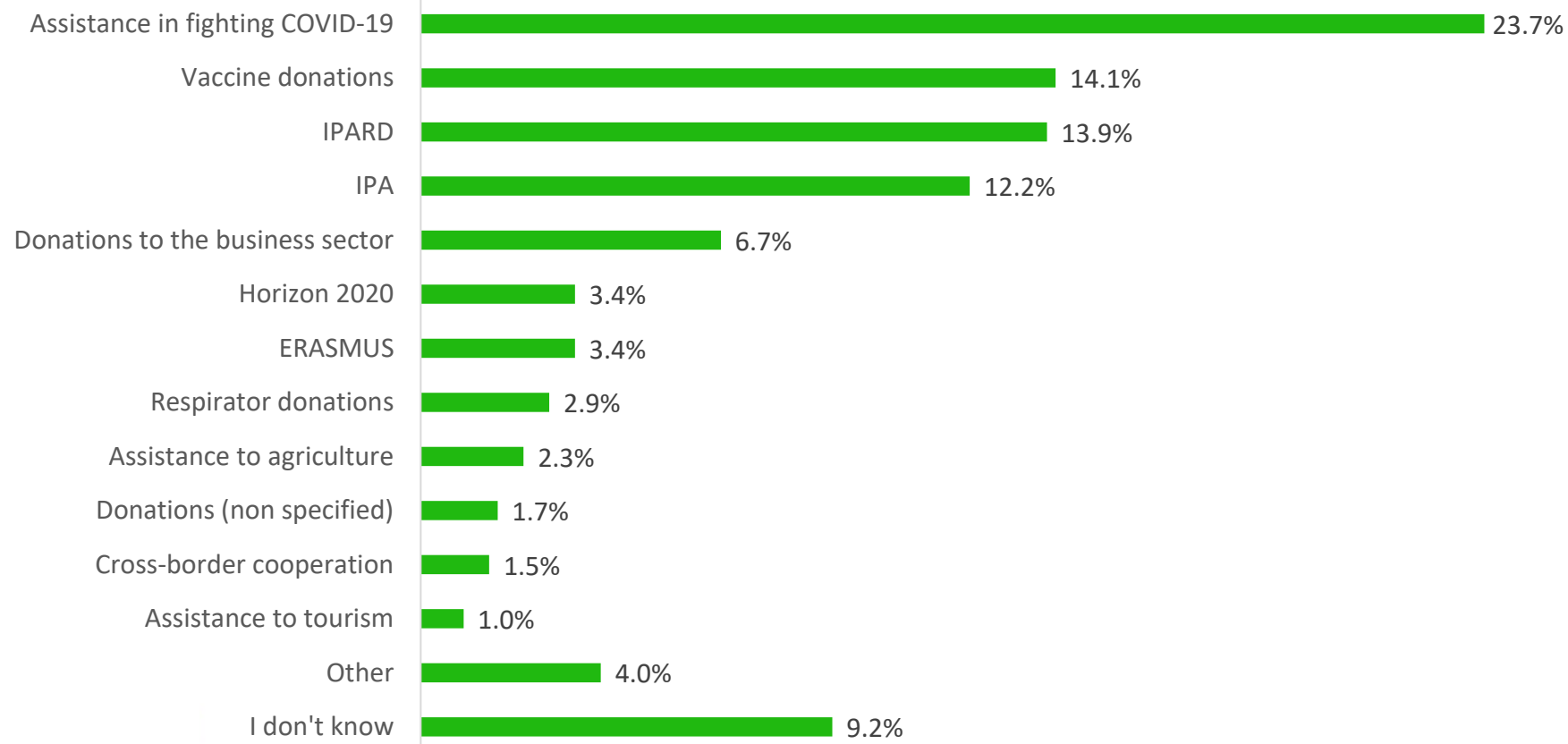
In your opinion, which country, state or union is the largest foreign financial donor to Montenegro? (open-ended question)



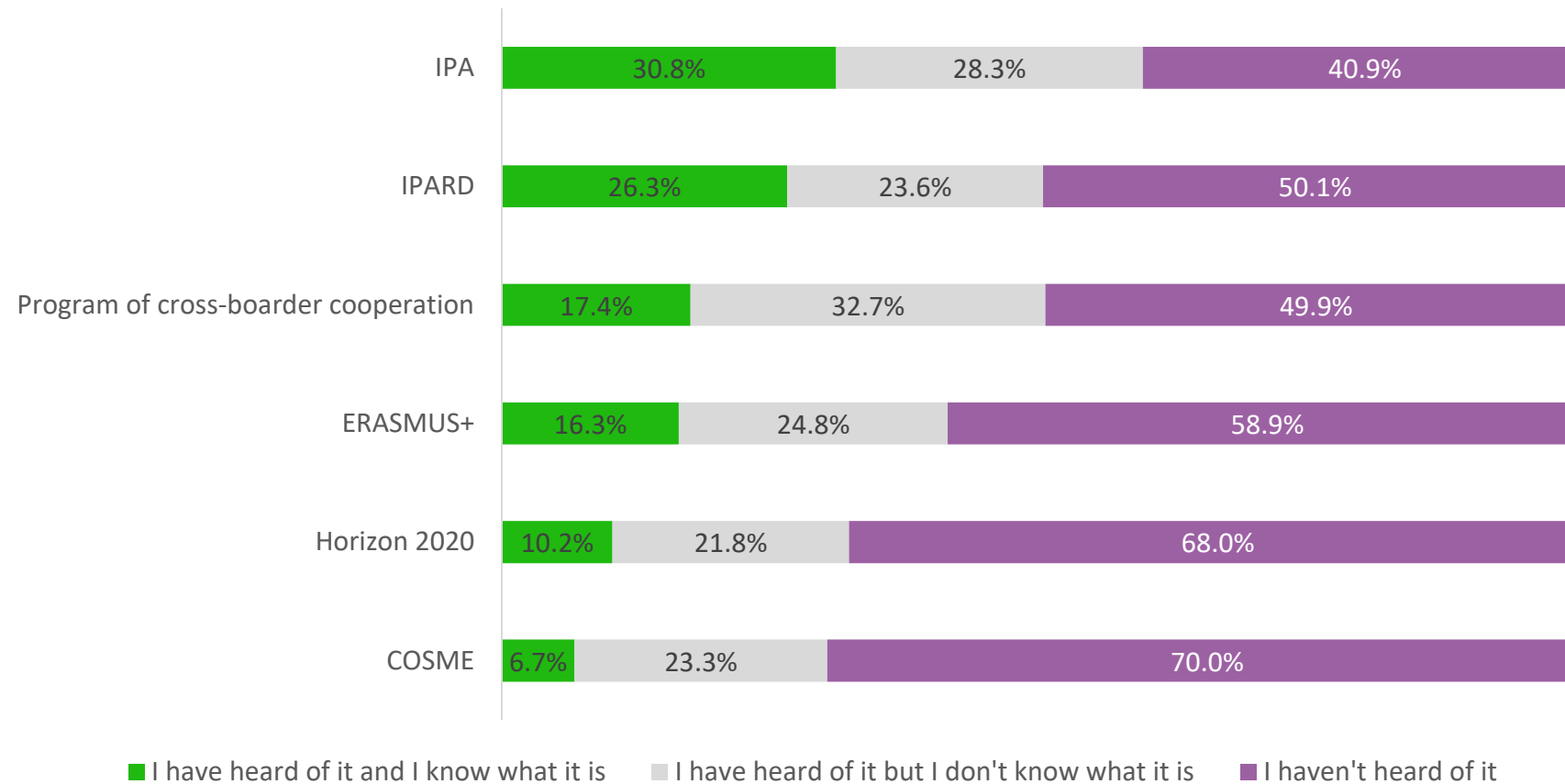
# Have you lately heard of any financial assistance to Montenegro?



# Which European Union donations to Montenegro have you heard of? Please write the name of the support programs (open-ended question)



# Have you heard of the following EU funds?





# Information about the European Union



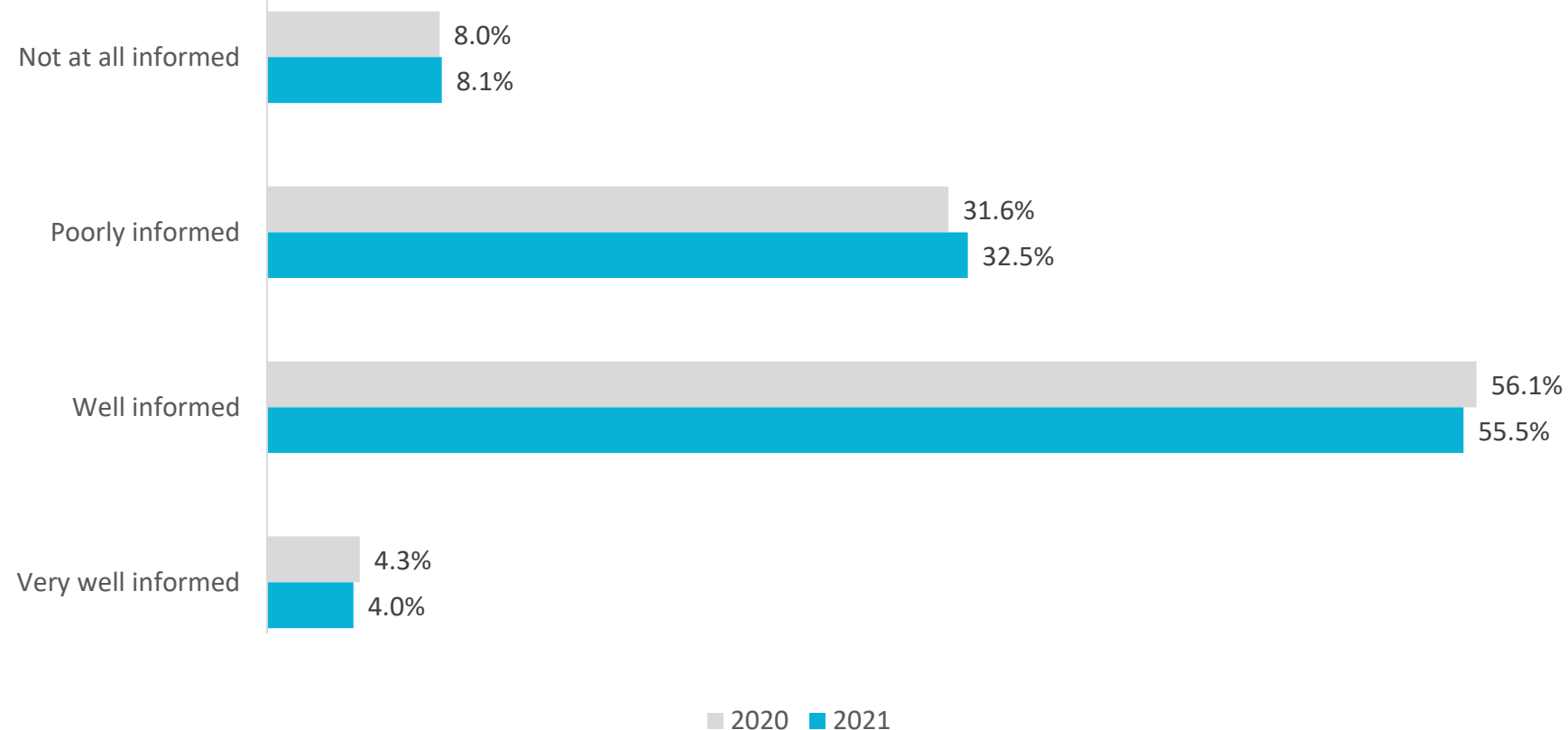
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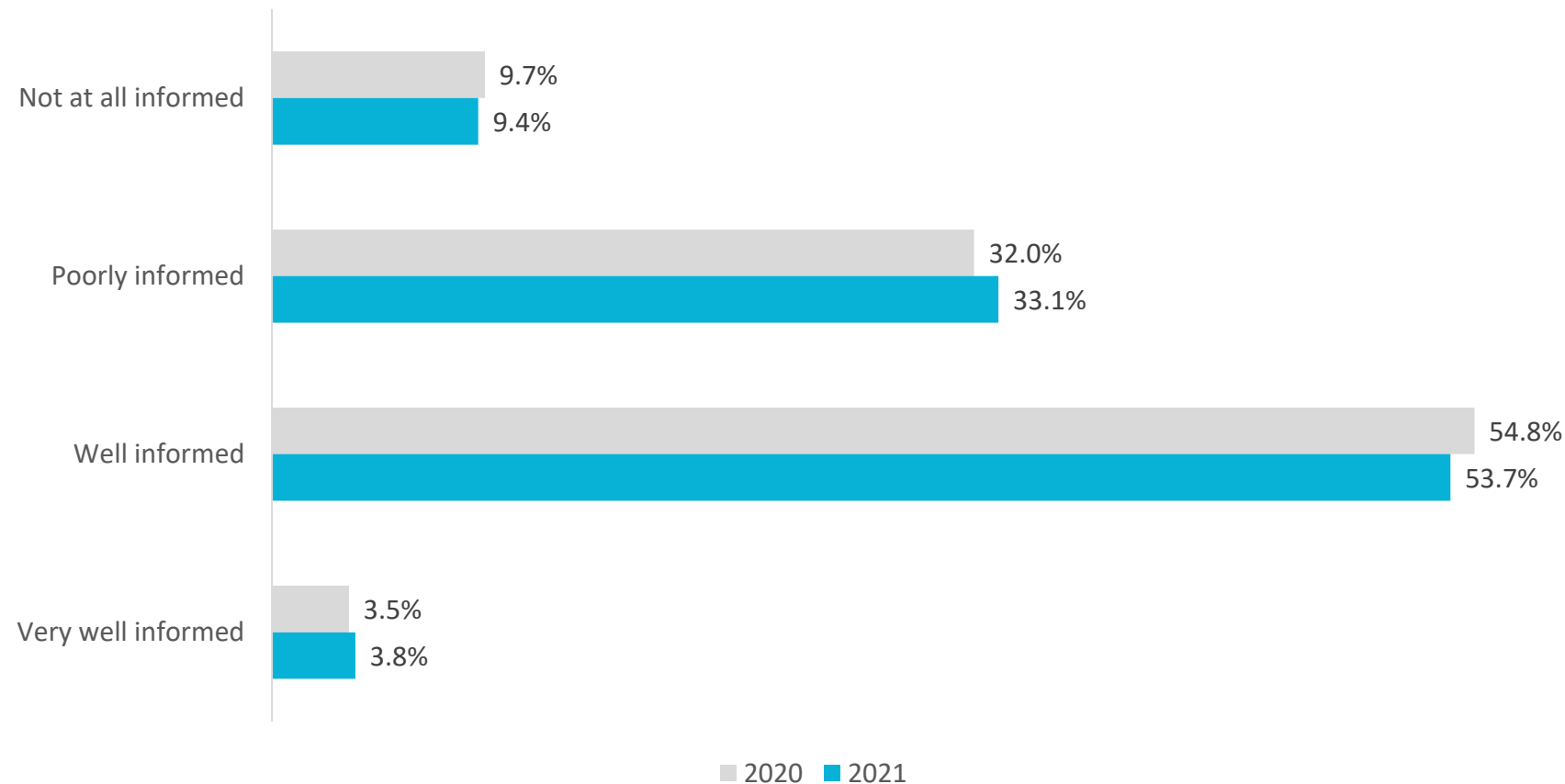
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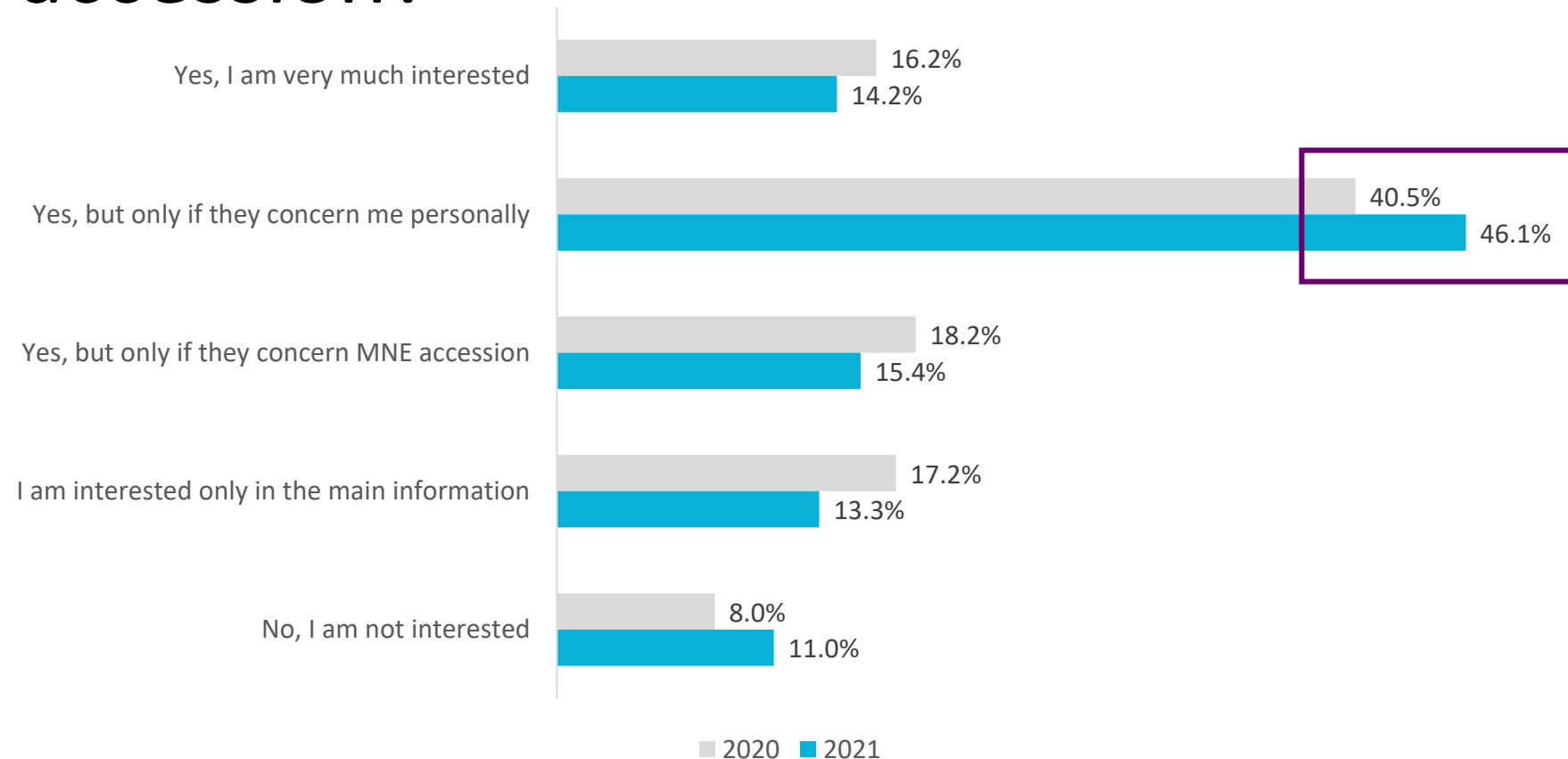
# To what extent do you consider yourself well informed about the EU, its policies and institutions?



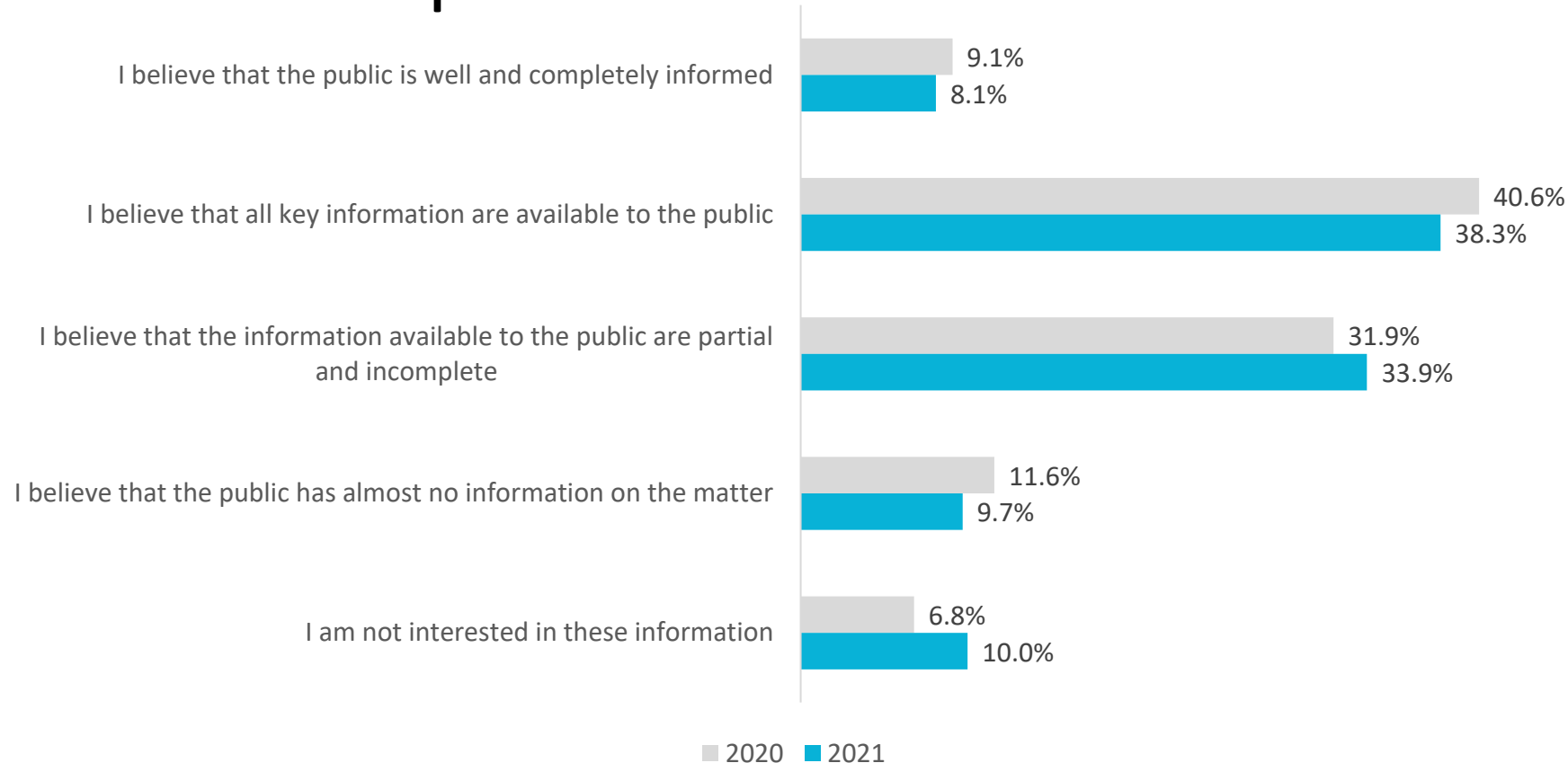
# To what extent do you consider yourself well informed about Montenegro's process of integration into the EU?



# Are you interested in information about EU accession?



# How would you evaluate the quantity and quality of information about MNE accession to EU that is available in public?



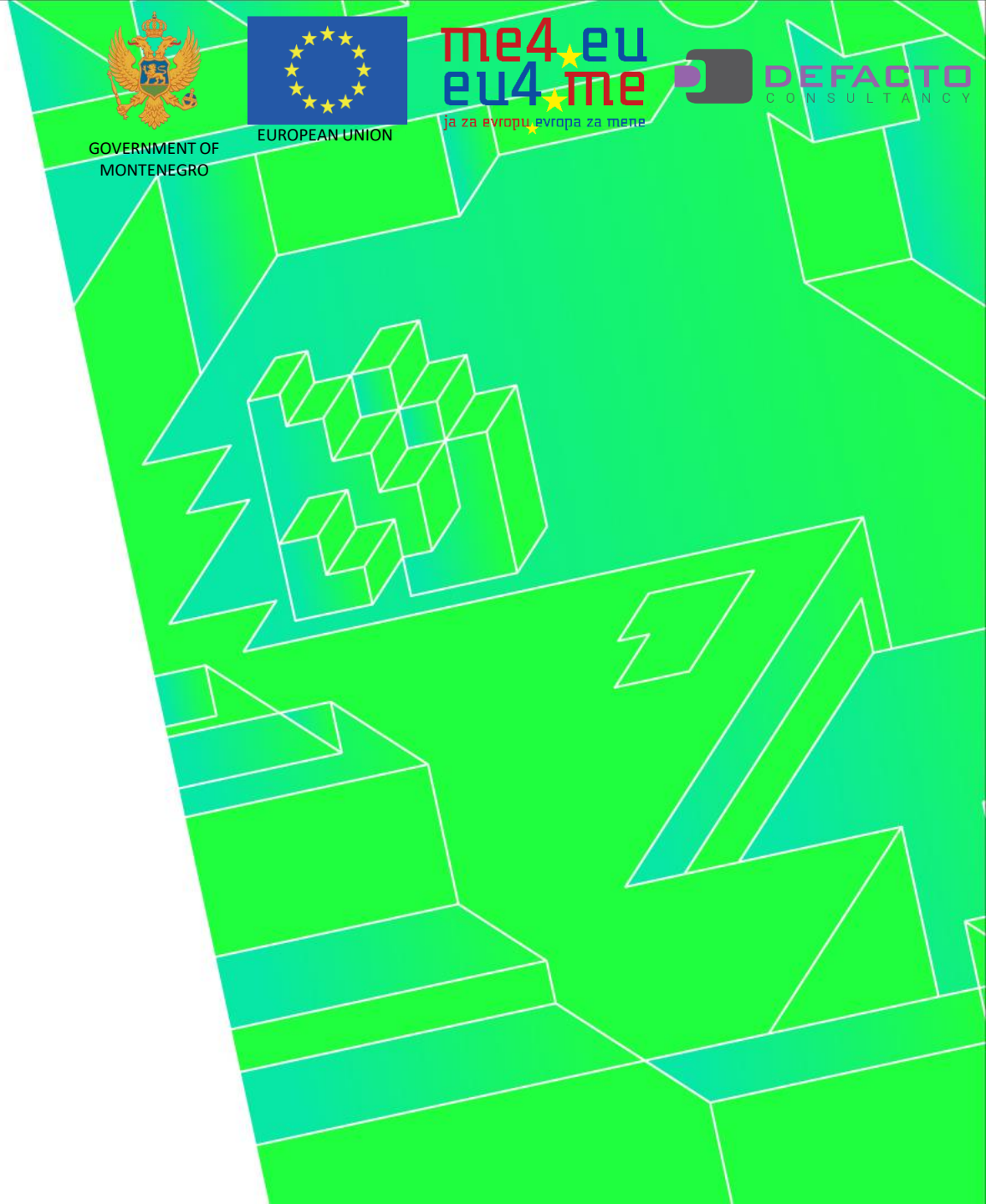
# EU and COVID-19



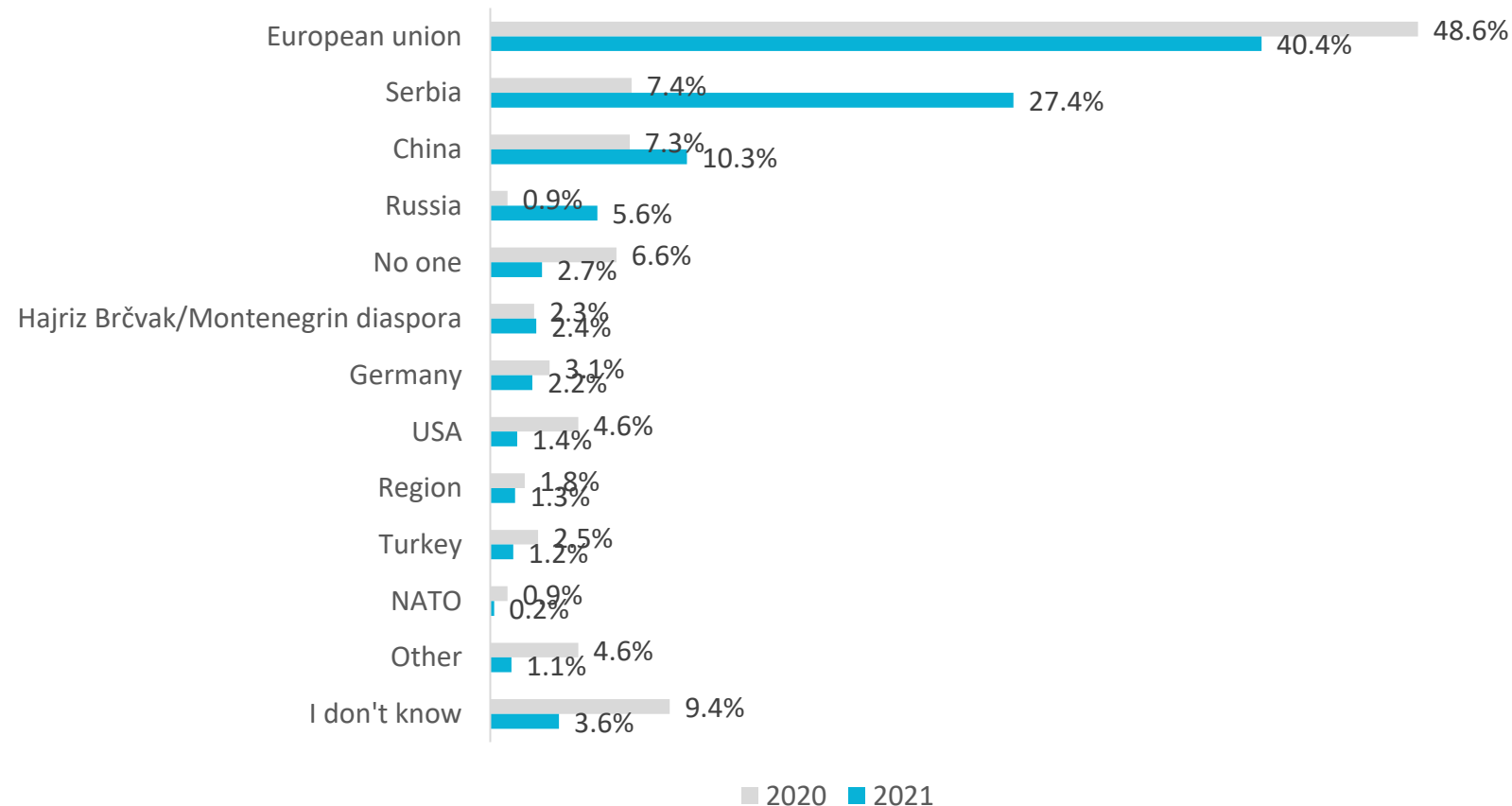
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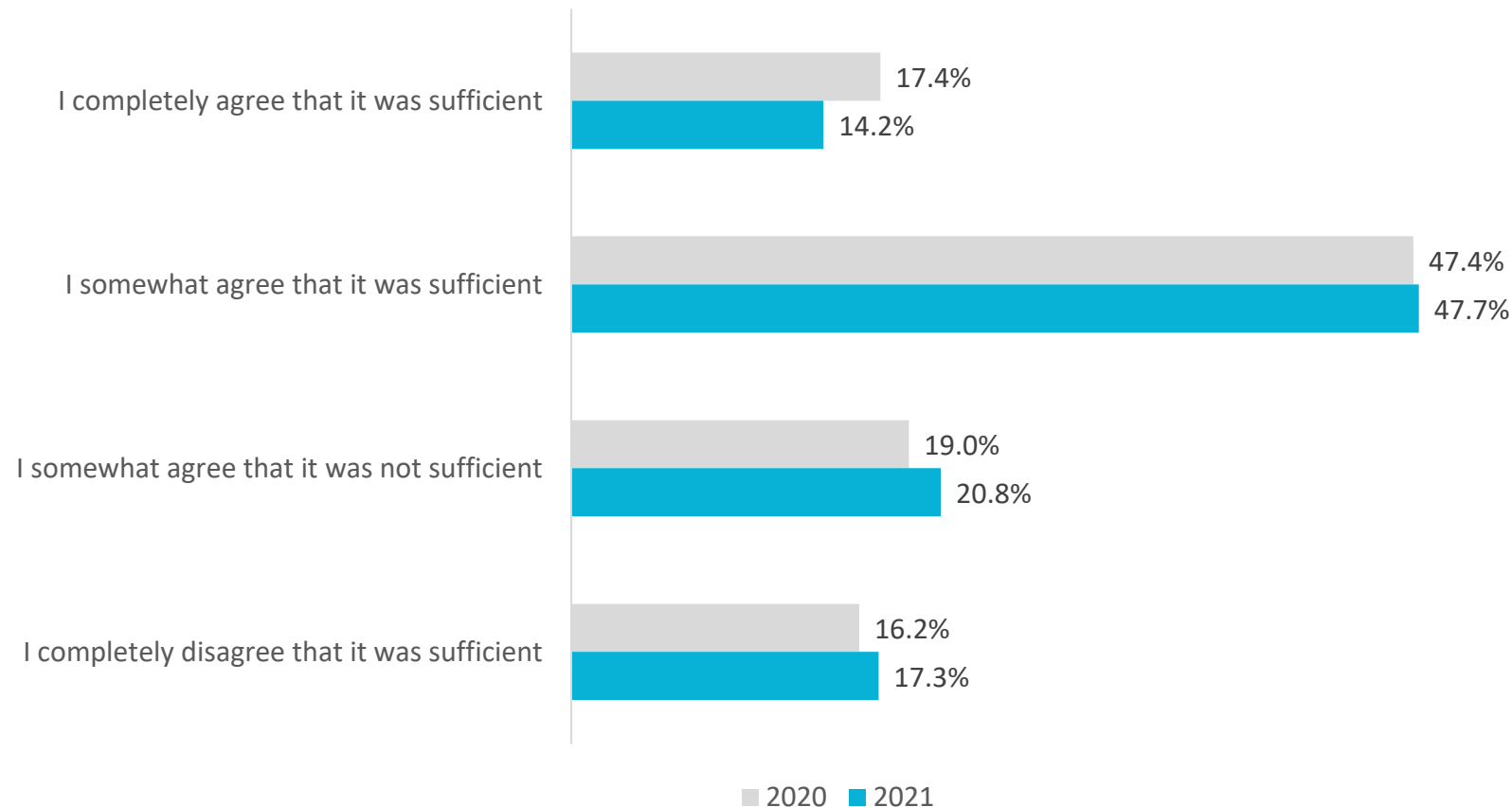
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# Which regional or international entity do you think has expressed the most solidarity towards Montenegro in its fight with COVID-19 epidemic? (open-ended question)



# To what extent do you think that the response of the EU to COVID-19 epidemic in Montenegro was swift and sufficient?





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