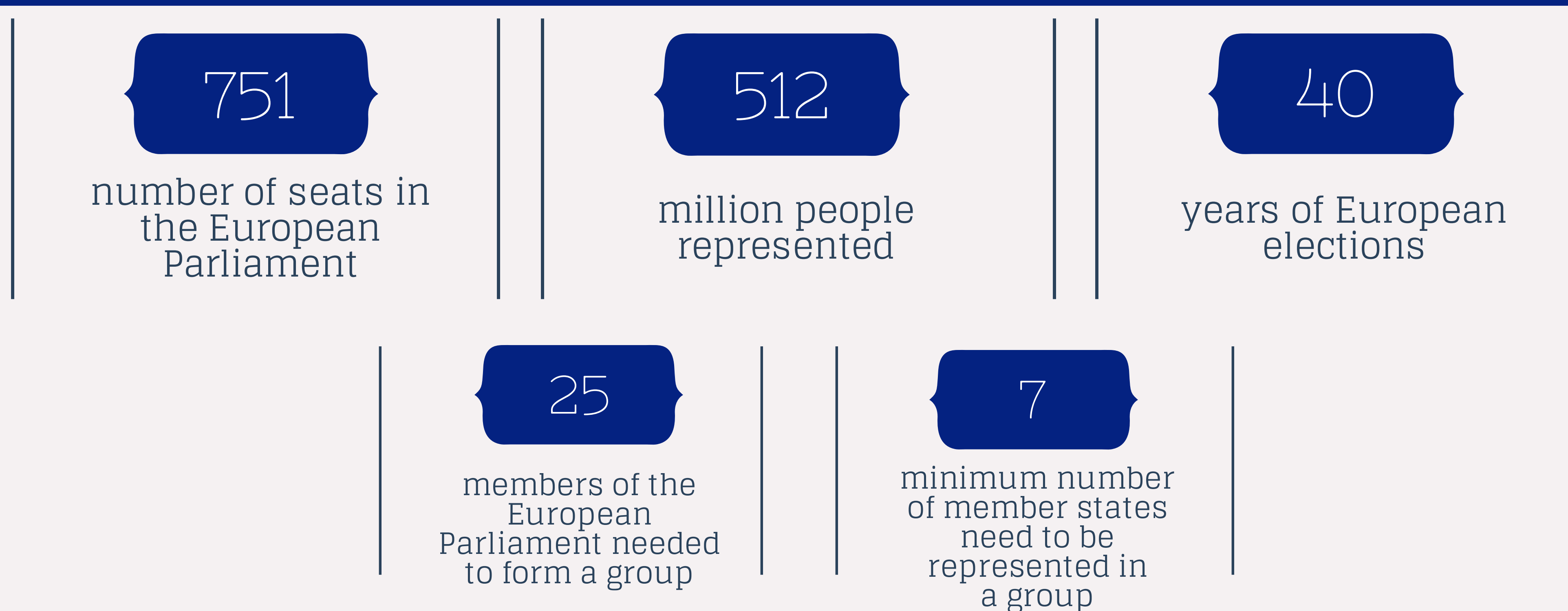




2019 ELECTIONS

FOR THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT

23-26 May



MAIN POLITICAL GROUPS

SPITZENKANDIDATEN / LEADING FIGURES	KEY PLAYERS	2014 RESULTS	2019 PROJECTION ¹
		52	51 ▼ -1
		52	55 ▲ +3
		186	147 ▼ -39
		68	105 ▲ +37
		216	168 ▼ -48
		77	57 ▼ -13
		36	74 ▲ +38
		42	49 ▲ +7

WHAT WILL THESE ELECTIONS BRING?

The rise of **Eurosceptics** is expected. Yet they are likely to remain diversified and internally divided.

The European Parliament will be more **fragmented** and majorities will be more difficult to create.

Macron's partnership with ALDE might give this political group a role of a **kingmaker**.

It remains uncertain whether the European Council will automatically follow-up on the **Spitzenkandidaten** process.

1. This is POLITICO's estimate for the next European Parliament based on an aggregation of all available national polls. Projection available here: <https://www.politico.eu/2019-european-elections/>

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