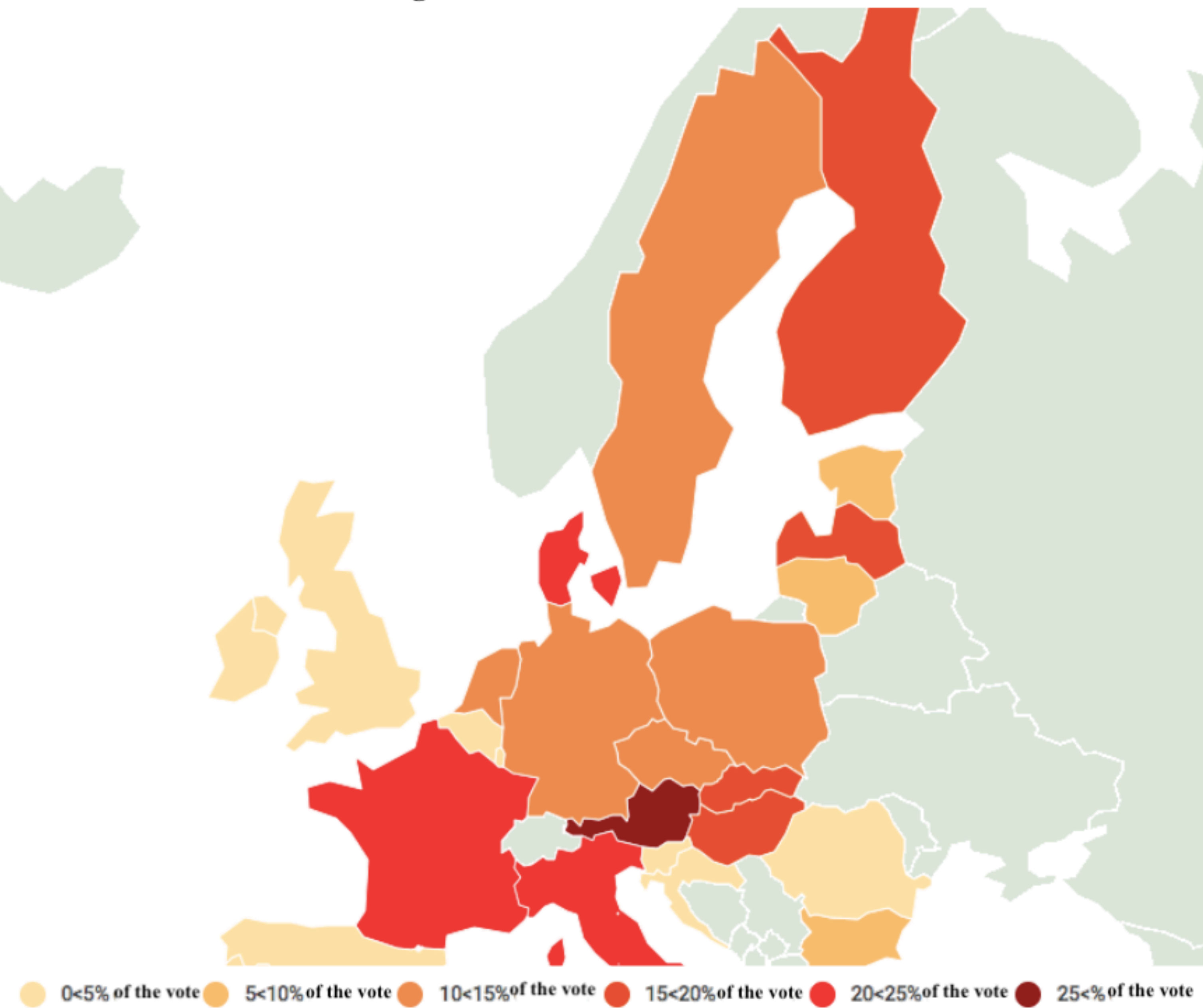


The rise of radical right in Europe

How and why did the radical rights parties rise in Europe and in the European Institutions in the last years ? What are the consequences of this new establishment ?

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ABSTRACT

This poster will explain the causes of the rise of the radical right parties in Europe and how they became part of the decision making process inside the European Union institutions. Several causes can be highlighted like the economic crisis, the immigration crisis, or environment issues etc...

This poster also shows the consequences of the rise of the radical right in Europe and what can be done to prevent the effects.

What can explain the rise of the radical right parties in the recent years in Europe ?

Memories of the interwar period.

The progression of these parties is similar to the progression seen during the interwar period with the rise of Hitler in Germany, Mussolini in Italy or the radical right leagues in France. At this time the rise of these parties is due to the global economical crisis of 1929 that created a spectacular rise of employment.

Economic crisis and rise of unemployment.

Before 2008 and the economic crisis the radical right parties are merely inexistent in more than half of the European countries. In 2018, the radical right parties have seen an impressive rise in a majority of countries.

New issues : environment & social.

The radical right parties build their argument on fear, the fear of change, the fear of the new, the fear of the others...

The spread of radical right in all of Europe.

In France, during the presidential election of 2017, the radical right party finished second, with more than 30% of the vote. The same party arrived in first position at the European election in May 2019.

In Holland, the PVV became the second political force of the country in 2017...

In France, between 2001 and 2019 the radical right party arrived twice in the second round of the presidential elections : something never seen in the history of the fifth republic.

In Germany, the weight of history prevented radical right movement but this absence let place for new parties to grow and take the space.

New conflicts : immigration

The immigrant share of the population has risen substantially in most European countries since the beginning of the century. While the rapid increase in the immigrant share of the population has posed major policy challenges for European countries, involving assimilation, education, and employment, inter alia; for many observers the more fundamental challenge has been the coincident rise of far-right wing political.

The consequences of the rise of the radical right parties.

In European institutions.

The European institutions struggle to solve conflicts because of the rise of radical right parties in all of Europe.

In the European Union : a threat for democracy ?

Due to a deep disillusionment and crisis of trust in the political establishment, which derived from the long neglect of deteriorating distributional justice and fairness in European integration, which became acute after the euro crisis mismanagement, explains the 2014 EP election results.

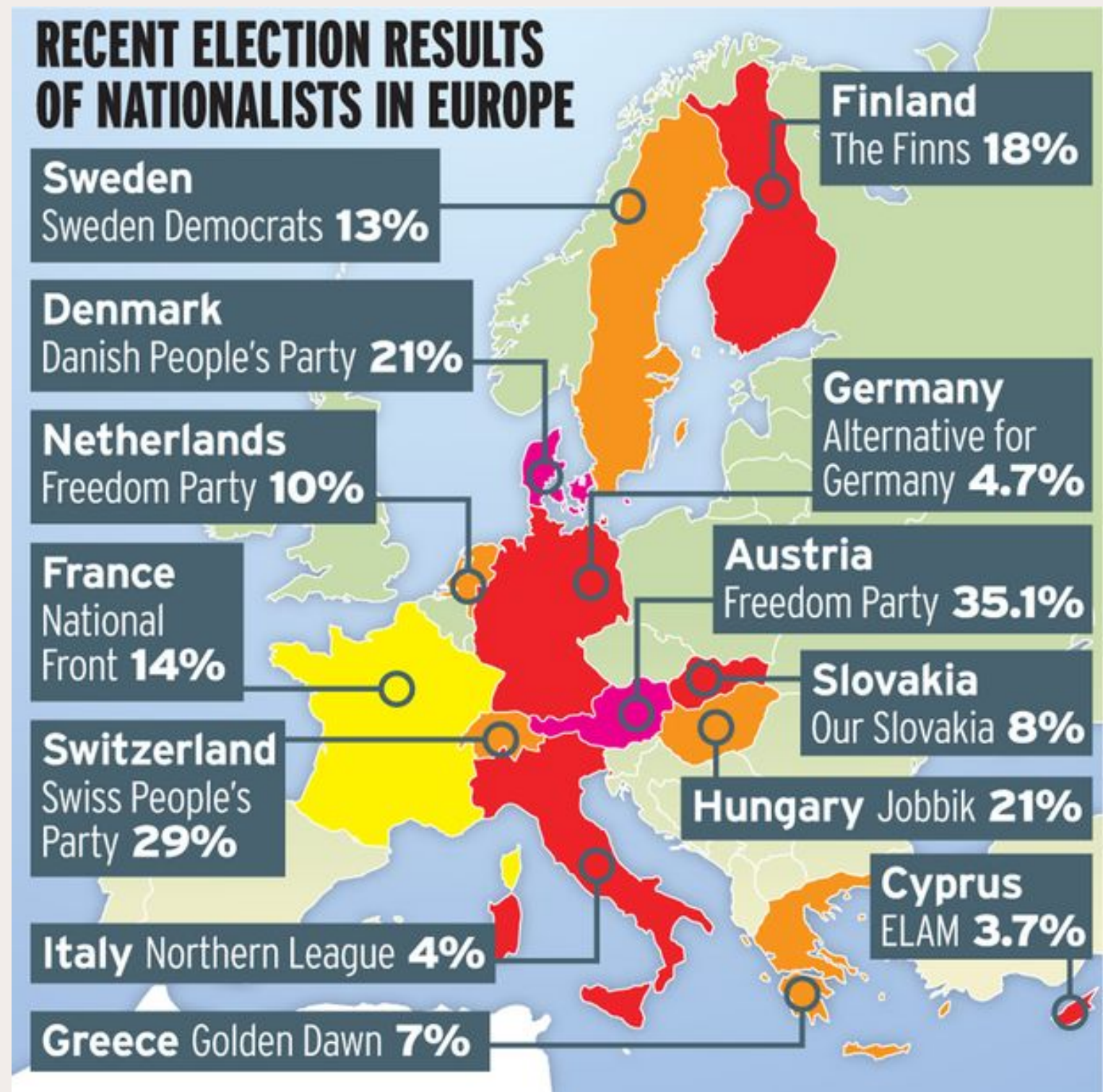
What solutions ?

A policy redirection of EU economic governance and the addressing of a 'social Europe' are required to regain political trust. After assessing the policy responses taken by the EU, an economic Europe is expected to revive, but the required social Europe will still remain absent.



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