Security situation in the Central Europe after 1989

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What is Security?

- Security
- sécurité
- Sicherheit
- seguridad
- Bezpečnost
- Безопасность
- 安全
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Security is...

• \rightarrow the *condition/state of affairs* of...

 ...the absence of threats to acquired values (Wolfers)

…a low probability of damage to acquired values (Baldwin)

Security dimensions (Baldwin)

- Security for whom?
- Security for which values?
- How much security?
- From what threats?
- By what means?
- At what cost?
- In what time period?

What security studies?

- Political Science
- International Relations
- Security Studies
- Strategic Studies
- Military Studies

Security studies: driving forces

- Events
- Distribution of power
- Technology
- Academic debate

Post Cold War

- Lost of credit of the whole discipline...
- International relations relative rise of importance for IPE
- Strategic Studies = useless?
- Security Studies
 - Leave as it is (i.e. = strategic studies)
 - Small reform
 - Large reform
- Richard Betts' circles

Broadening and deepening of security studies

Reference object / type of threat	Military	Military/Non-military	
States	National security	Comprehensive security (Environmental, economic, health, food threats)	
Societies, Groups, and Individuals	Intrastate security (civil wars, ethnic conflicts)	Human security	

Realism: "Bad people in anarchical world"

- Human nature = bad, international system = anarchy
- State = the (internal and external) protector of the values (i.e. provider of security)
- Struggle for security + international anarchy → power of the state → security dilemma
- Security = state security = state power
- Thucydides, Machiavelli, Richelieu, Carr, Morgenthau, Kissinger, Waltz...
- How to solve the security dilemma
 - Balance of power (deterrence)
 - Hegemony

Liberalism: Ability to conquer the war

- Human nature = good
- International system = anarchy, but cooperation possible
- War = the failure
 - Power to people, security for people
- To prevent security dilemma
 - Liberal internationalism (Kant)
 - Idealism (Wilson)
 - liberal institutionalism (Mitrany, Haas, Keohane)
- Neoliberal variants (neoliberal institutionalism)
 - Absolute gains
 - Complex interdependence
 - International regimes

(neo)Marxist approaches

- Economy at the basic of the conflicts
- Classes not states are the main actors
 - International system based on (imperial) states will always cause conflicts → proletariat revolution
- Hegemony and exploitation
- Examples:
 - Dependency theories, core v. periphery models (Wallerstein's world-systems approach)

Constructivism: What is a threat and how it becomes one?

- Wendt: "Anarchy is what states make out of it"
- Security studies:
 - Rational approaches there are objective threats to security
- Constructivism we don't know what the threats are until they become so → perception of threat is crucial
- Copenhagen school securitization
 - Philosophical approach discourse
 - Sociological approach practical action



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Central Europe: Now what?

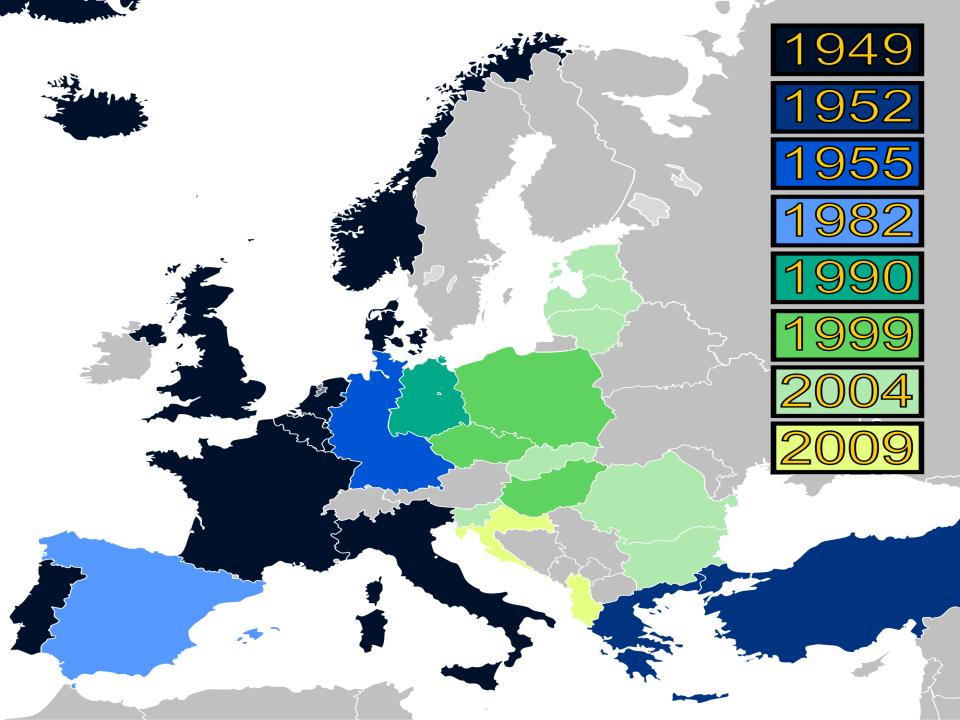
- Neutral area, security guaranteed mutually by West (NATO) and East (Russia)
- Separate Central European organizations "NATO-bis", "EU-bis", enhanced CSCE
- Integration with the West (NATO & EU) → 1991

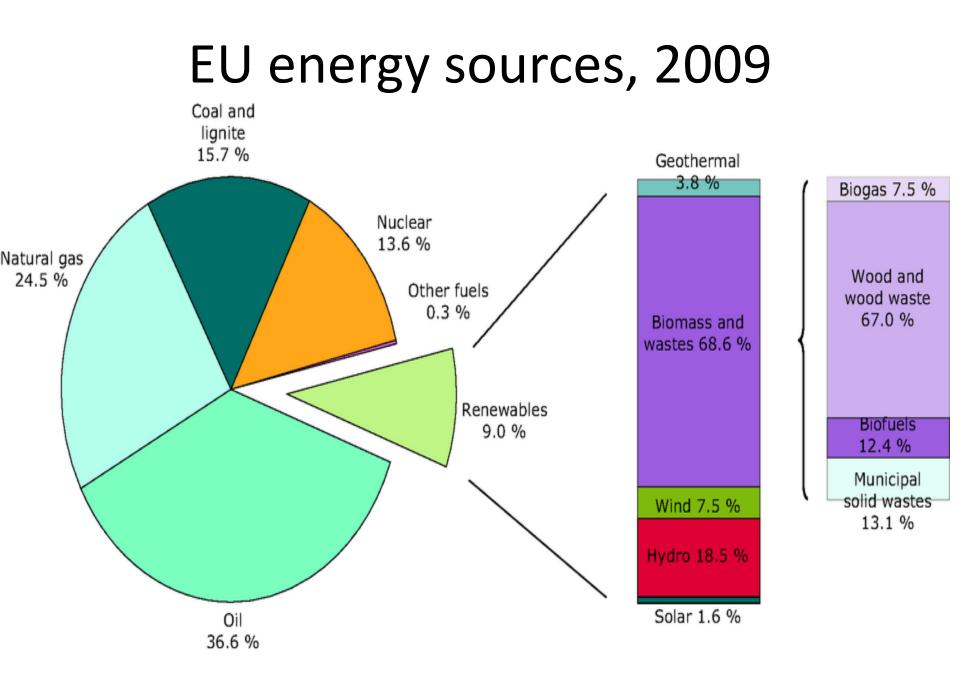
NATO: Now what?

- NATO = useless?
 - M. Thatcher "you don't cancel your insurance policy just because there have been fewer burglaries on your street in the last twelve months."
- Doctrinal shift: containment \rightarrow enlargement
- Key player the USA
- 1993: Bill Clinton "it's economy, stupid"
 - Development of the position that security of Central Europe is absolutely vital for security of Europe and NATO
 - Problem: Russia (and Congress)

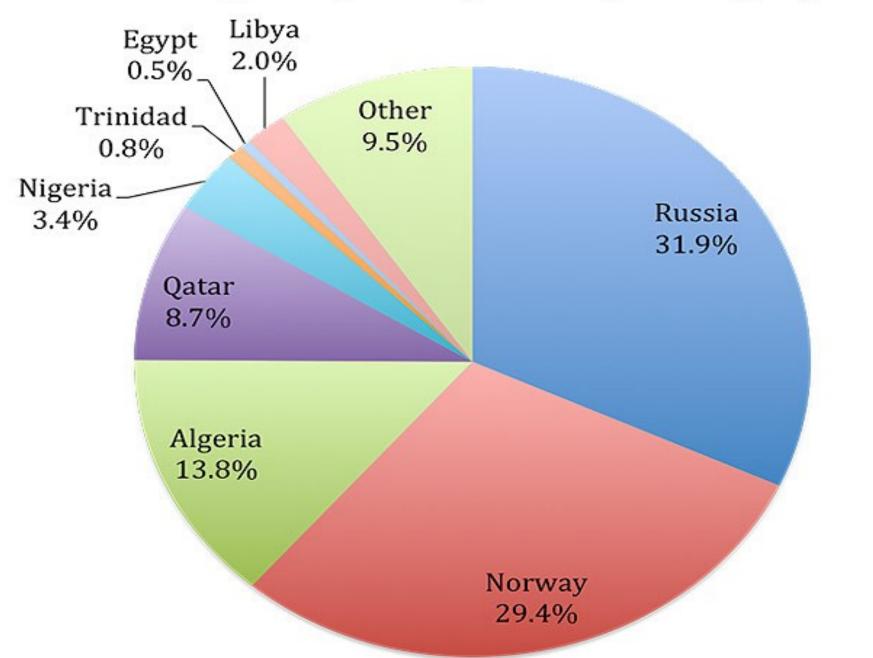
NATO enlargement

- 1991 NACC (North Atlantic Cooperation Council)
- 1994 Partnership for Peace
- 1997 NACC → EAPC (Euro-Atlantic Partnership Council)
- 1997 Madrid summit invitation to join NATO (CZ, PL, HU)
- 1997 NATO-Russia Permanent Joint Council
- 1999 First enlargement
- 2002 NATO Russia Council
- 2004 Second enlargement
- 2009 Third enlargement



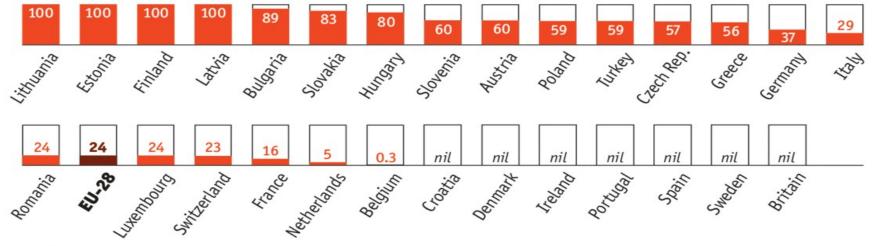


EU Natural gas imports by country of origin (2012)





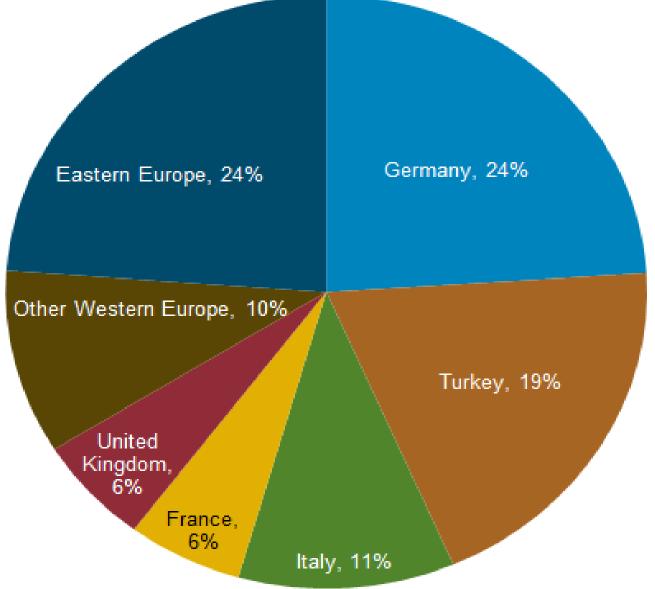
Gas supplied by Russia, % of total, 2012



Source: Eurogas

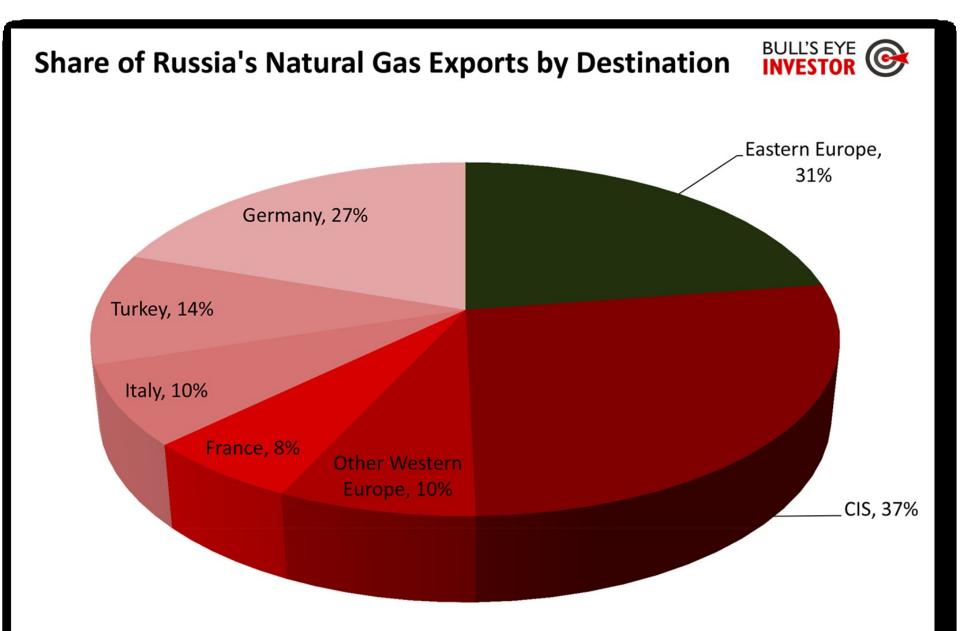
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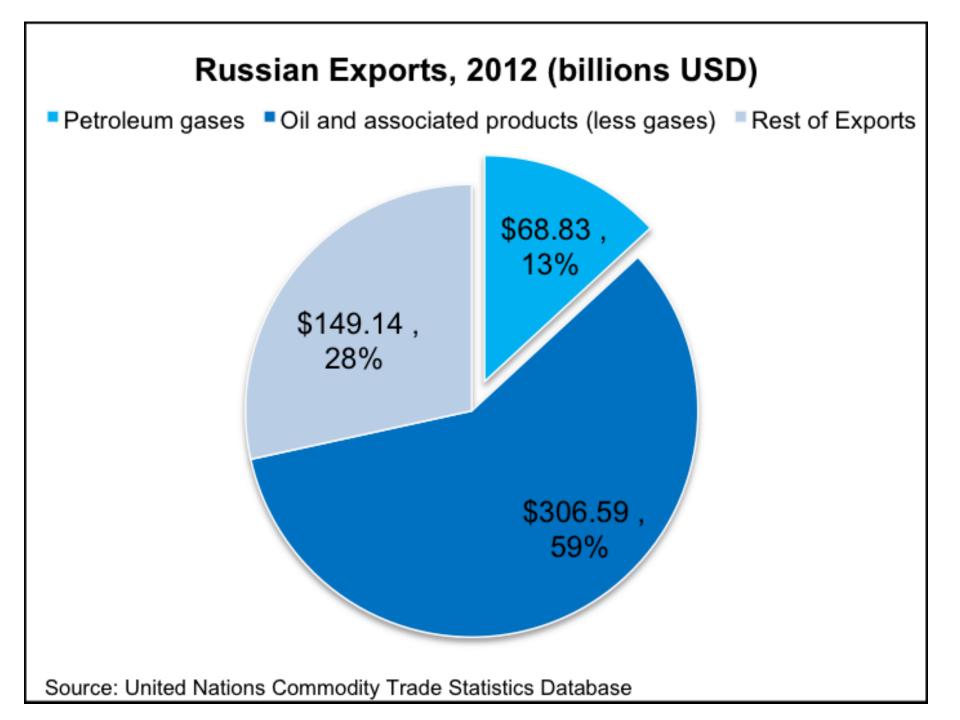
Share of Russia's natural gas exports by destination, 2012

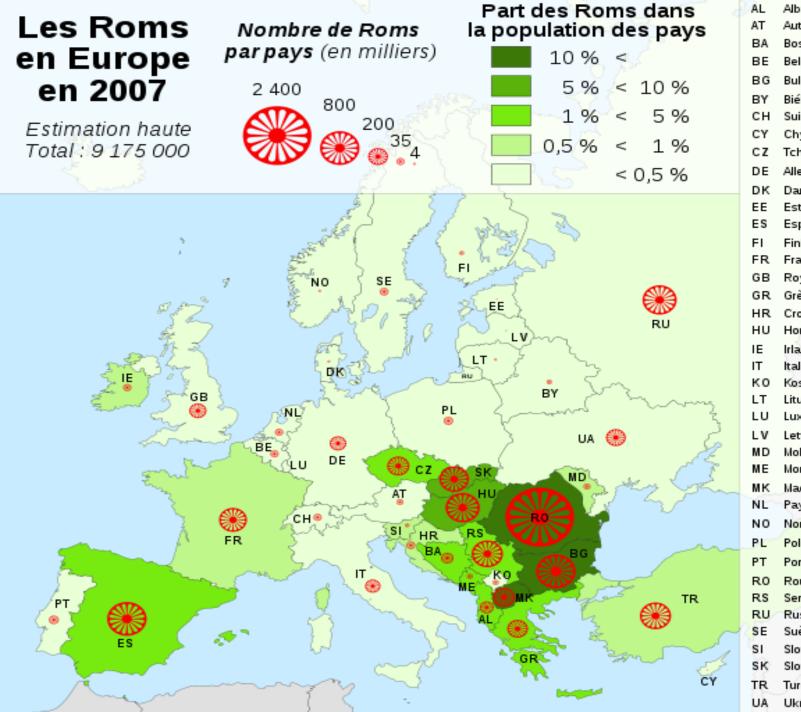




Source: Eastern Block Energy, U.S. Energy Information Administration







AL	Albanie	100	000
AT	Autriche	25	000
BA	Bosnie-Herzégo∨in	e 80	000
BE	Belgique	35	000
ВG	Bulgarie	800	000
BY	Biélorussie	15	000
сн	Suisse	35	000
СΥ	Chypre	1	500
сz	Tchéquie	250	000
DE	Allemagne	140	000
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EE	Estonie	1	500
ES	Espagne 🥍	800	000
FI	Finlande	12	000
FR	France	400	000
GВ	Royaume-Uni 🦯	150	000
GR	Grèce	220	000
HR	Croatie	40	000
нu	Hongrie	600	000
IE	Irlande	35	000
IT	Italie	120	000
ко	Kosovo	20	000
LT	Lituanie	4	000
LU	Luxembourg		150
LV	Lettonie	8	000
MD	Moldavie	25	000
ME	Monténégro	20	000
МК	Macédoine	250	000
NL	Pays-Bas	35	000
NO	Norvège	24	000
PL	Pologne	45	000
РТ	Portugal	50	000
RO	Roumanie 2	400	000
RS	Serbie	500	000
RU	Russie	600	000
SE	Suède	40	000
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TR	Turquie	500	000
UA	Ukraine	200	000