

# EU-Turkey relations

Turkey's ruling AKP party won the 7 June parliamentary election, but lost its majority in the house, opening the way for talks on a coalition government and plunging the country into uncertainty. The vote ended more than a decade of single-party rule in the [EU candidate country](#) and dealt a blow to President Tayyip Erdogan's ambitions for a more powerful executive role. It is expected to have many implications, including on EU-Turkey relations.

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