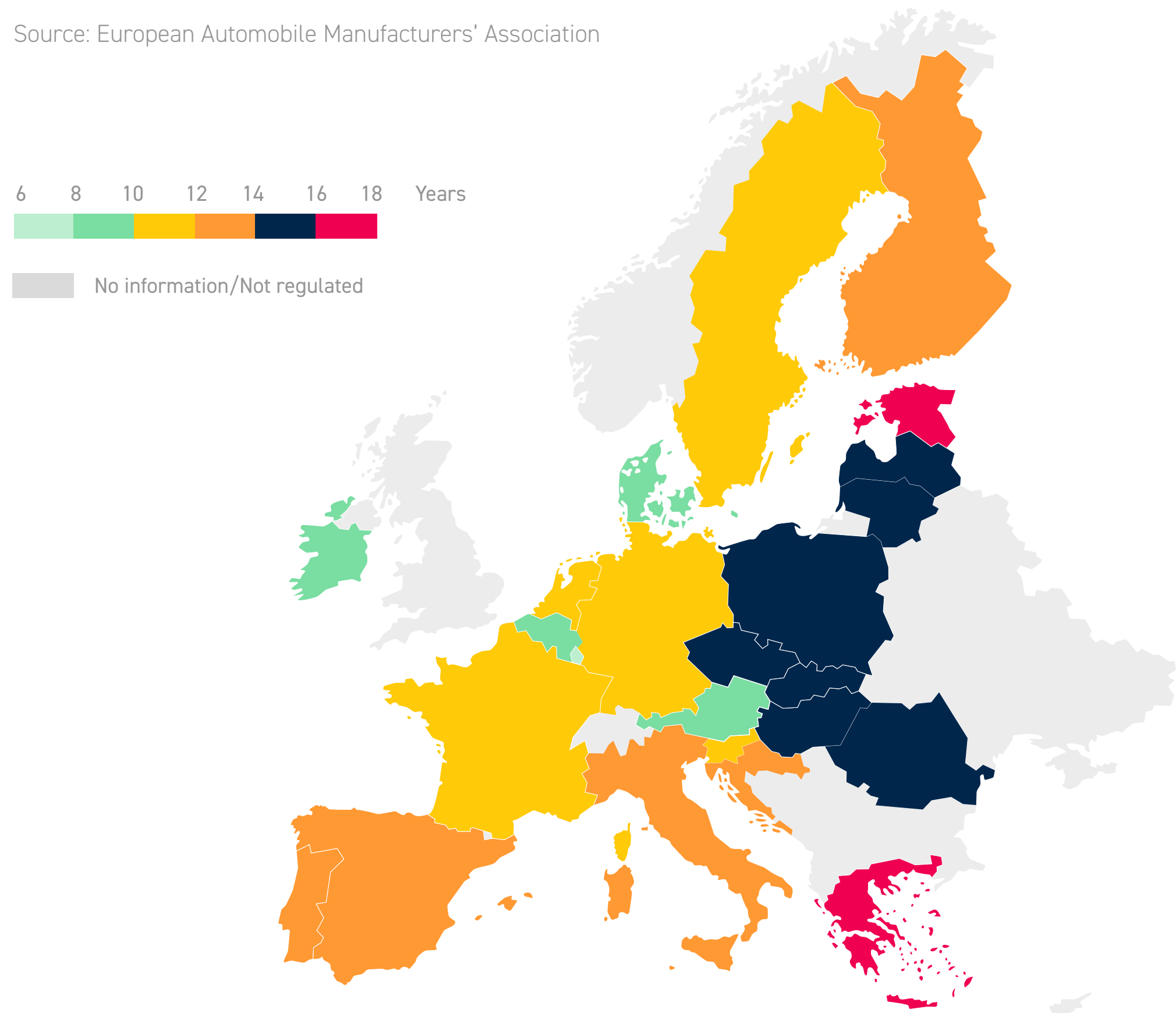


FIG.51

## AVERAGE AGE OF THE EUROPEAN VEHICLE FLEET IN 2021

Source: European Automobile Manufacturers' Association



The average age of the vehicle fleet varies across European countries from 7.6 years in Luxembourg to 17 years in Greece, with an average leaning towards the older scale at 12.9 years.

The average age of cars in Lithuania has decreased from 17 to 14.6 years, suggesting a surge in new car purchases. In Eastern and Southern Europe, where citizens cannot necessarily afford to buy new vehicles and depend on the second-hand car market, passenger cars will stay on the road longer and will need solutions for decarbonisation.