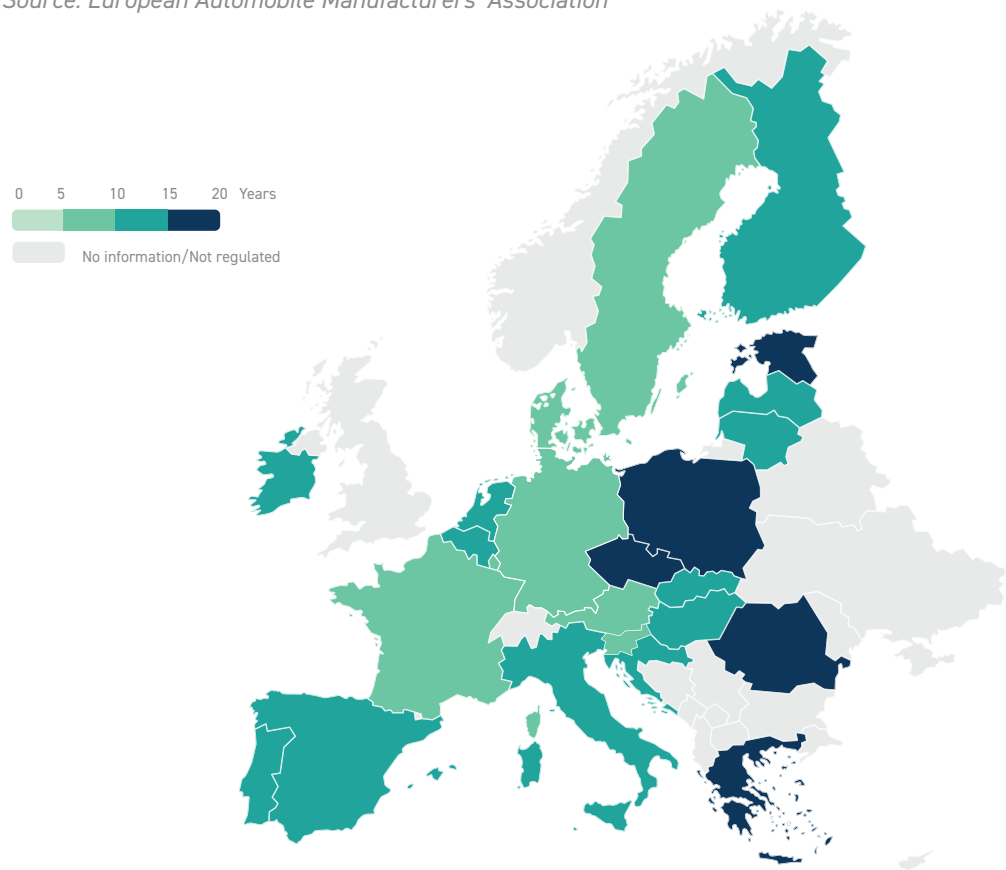


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AVERAGE AGE OF THE EU-27 BUS FLEETS IN 2023

Source: European Automobile Manufacturers' Association



The average bus fleet age across Europe is 12.2 years, with Greek (17.6) and Romanian (17.5) buses being the oldest in the region. Furthermore, only seven countries maintain an average bus age below 10 years. In Eastern and Southern Europe, where companies and cities cannot necessarily afford to buy new vehicles, buses will stay on the road longer and will need solutions for decarbonisation.