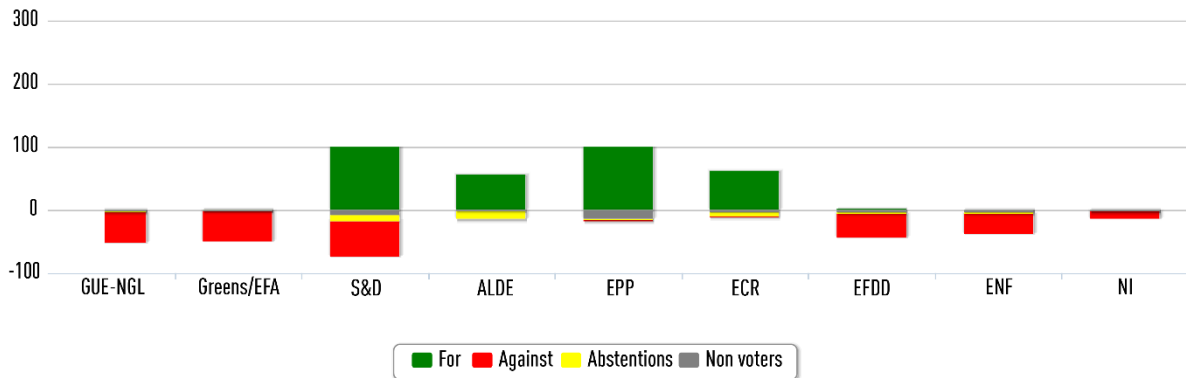


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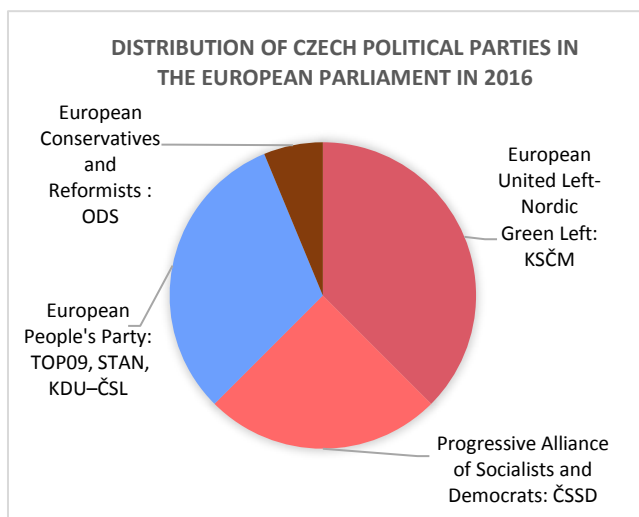
The vote of the MEPs



In 2013, Member States gave to the European Commission the mandate to negotiate on their behalf a Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership (TTIP) with the United States. On the 8 July 2015 the European Parliament voted with a comfortable majority of 61 % MEPs to continue negotiations but with specific red lines.

After 3 years, little progress has been made in some key chapters and the election of Donald Trump will probably lead to suspend negotiations. France is the only Member State having officially expressed in 2016 a negative opinion on the pursuit of negotiations.

















Overall, Czech MEPs showed support for the TTIP as all the members of ANO 2011, Civic Democratic Party, TOP 09 and Christian Democratic Union- Czechoslovak People's Party and even the Czech Social Democrat Party voted in favor of the report.



However, within the latter party, Jan Keller disagreed with the rest of his colleagues and voted against the continuation of TTIP negotiations. In addition to Keller's opposition, also the Czech members of GUE-NGL and EFDD were willing to block the negotiations for the free trade agreement.

## Should TTIP negotiations continue? The vote of MEPs elected in Czech Republic\*

### For

<b>Dita CHARANZOVÁ</b>  ANO 2011 ALDE	<b>Martina DLABAJOVÁ</b>  ANO 2011 ALDE	<b>Petr JEŽEK</b>  ANO 2011 ALDE	<b>Pavel TELIČKA</b>  ANO 2011 ALDE	<b>Evžen TOŠENOVSKÝ</b>  Civic Democratic Party ECR	<b>Jan ZAHRADIL</b>  Civic Democratic Party ECR
<b>Luděk NIEDERMAYER</b>  Top 09 and Mayors EPP	<b>Stanislav POLČÁK</b>  Mayors and Independents EPP	<b>Jiří POSPÍŠIL</b>  Top 09 and Mayors EPP	<b>Michaela ŠOJDROVÁ</b>  Christian and Democratic Union – Czechoslovak People's Party EPP	<b>Jaromír ŠTĚTINA</b>  Top 09 and Mayors EPP	<b>Pavel SVOBODA</b>  Christian and Democratic Union – Czechoslovak People's Party EPP
<b>Tomáš ZDECHOVSKÝ</b>  Christian and Democratic Union – Czechoslovak People's Party EPP	<b>Pavel POC</b>  Czech Social Democratic Party S&D	<b>Miroslav POCHE</b>  Czech Social Democratic Party S&D	<b>Olga SEHNALOVÁ</b>  Czech Social Democratic Party S&D		

### Against

<b>Petr MACH</b>  Party of Free Citizens EFDD	<b>Kateřina KONEČNÁ</b>  Communist Party of Bohemia and Moravia GUE/NGL	<b>Jiří MAŠTÁLKA</b>  Communist Party of Bohemia and Moravia GUE/NGL	<b>Miloslav RANSDORF</b>  Communist Party of Bohemia and Moravia GUE/NGL	<b>Jan KELLER</b>  Czech Social Democratic Party S&D
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