

Russian election result

Vladimir Putin scored a decisive victory in Russia's presidential election, returning to the Kremlin for six more years – opposition groups claimed widespread fraud

**Vladimir
Putin**

Percentage of vote
Ballots counted: **99%**

63.7%

Gennady
Zyuganov

17.9%

Mikhail
Prokhorov
7.9%

Vladimir
Zhirinovsky
6.2%

Sergei
Mironov
3.9%