

# German election – official results

Olaf Scholz's centre-left Social Democratic Party (SPD) could reclaim Germany's chancellery for the first time since 2005, according to preliminary official results



Olaf Scholz



**CDU/CSU**

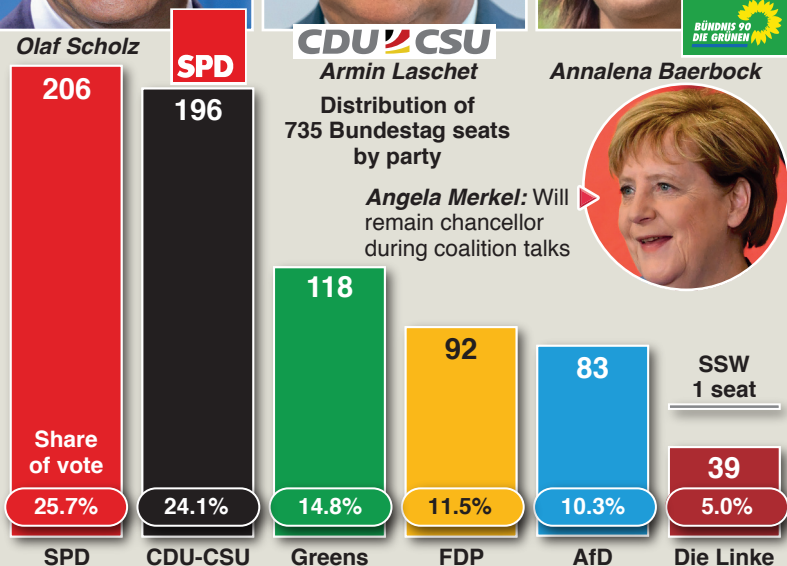
Armin Laschet



Annalena Baerbock

Distribution of  
735 Bundestag seats  
by party

**Angela Merkel:** Will  
remain chancellor  
during coalition talks



Possible coalitions

**Traffic light:** SPD, Greens, FDP

368 seats needed  
for majority



**Jamaica:** CDU/CSU, Greens, FDP