

Germany re-evaluates nuclear energy

Germany's plan to phase out all nuclear power by the end of 2022, instigated after the 2011 Fukushima disaster in Japan, is coming under pressure in the wake of reduced gas supplies from Russia

CLOSURES

Germany has closed down 14 of its 17 nuclear reactors since 2011

Reactor (year closed)

Biblis A (2011)
 Biblis B (2011)
 Brunsbüttel (2011)
 Isar 1 (2011)
 Krümmel (2011)
 Neckarwestheim 1 (2011)
 Phillipsburgh 1 (2011)
 Unterweser (2011)
 Grafenrheinfeld (2015)
 Phillipsburg 2 (2019)
 Brokdorf (2021)
 Grohnde (2021)
 Gundremmingen B (2021)
 Gundremmingen C (2021)
Emsland (2022)*
Isar 2 (2022)*
Neckarwestheim 2 (2022)*



Isar 2: One of three remaining nuclear power stations in Germany

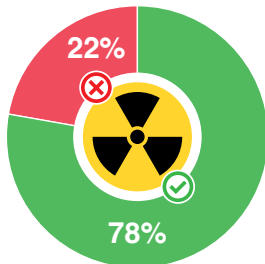


German Chancellor **Olaf Scholz** says extending lifespan of remaining nuclear plants could **"make sense"**

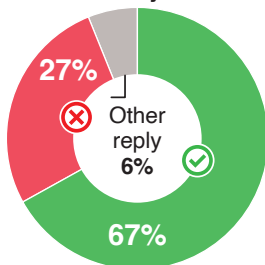


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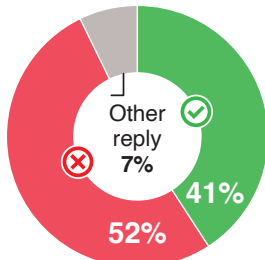
Run remaining three nuclear power plants until summer 2023?



Run nuclear plants for another five years?



Build new nuclear power plants?



*Pending review. †Aug 2-3: Civey institute online poll of 5,000 people for Der Spiegel. Pictures: Getty Images

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