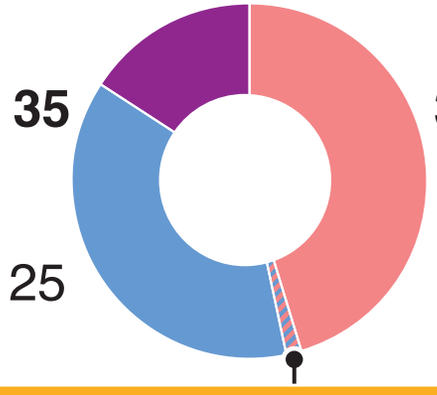
U.S. and China's rival AI technology blocs

The U.S. plans to force 34 countries who signed up to its "AI Opportunity Statement" to choose between the U.S. *Pax Silica* and the Chinese-led *World Artificial Intelligence Cooperation Organisation* (WAICO)

RIVAL AI TECHNOLOGY BLOCS

- AI Opportunity Statement (including all Pax Silica signatories)
- Pax Silica
- Other status

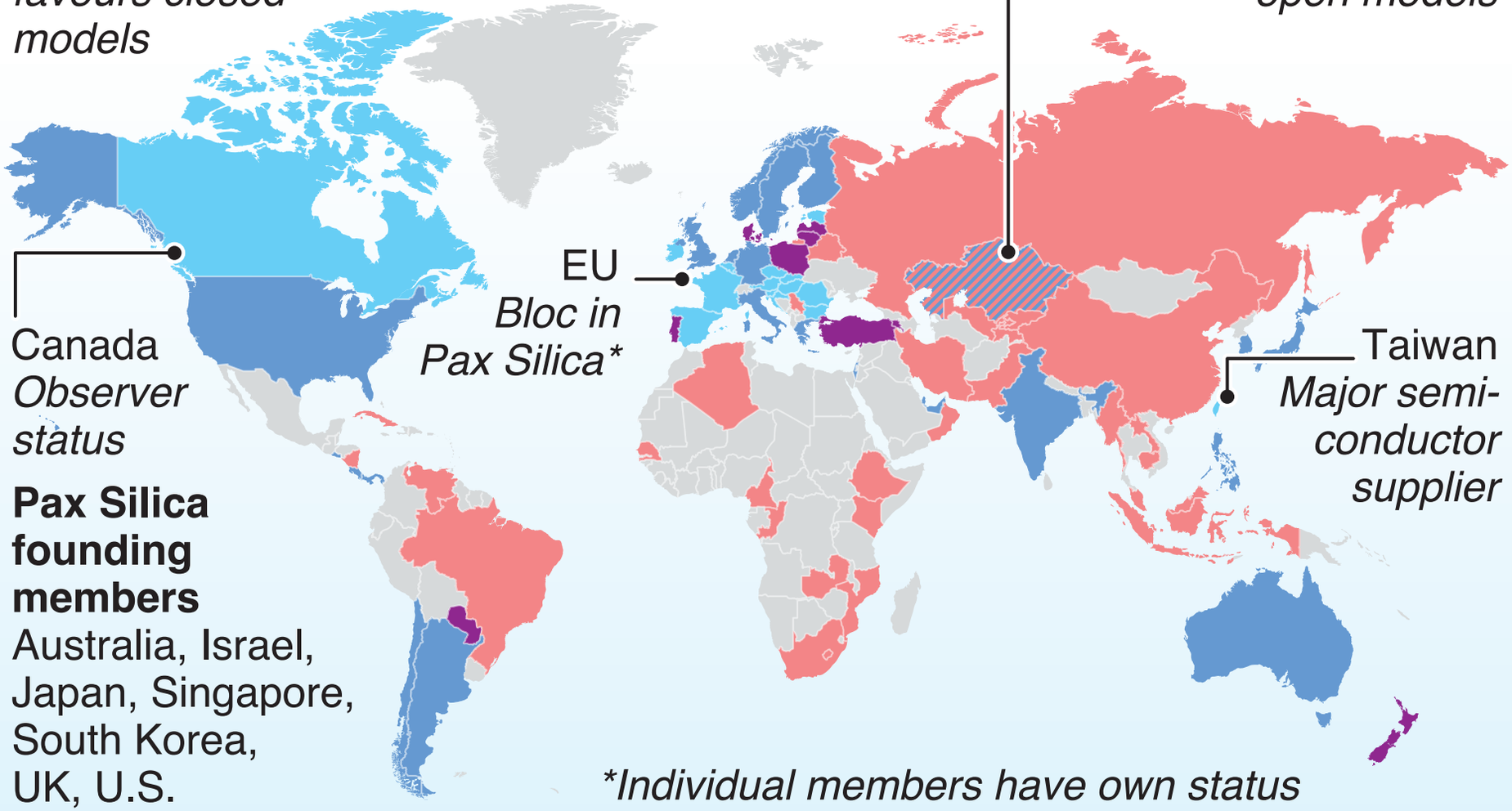


- WAICO

Strengthens supply chains, protects sensitive technology, infrastructure – favours closed models

Kazakhstan: Only country to join both blocs – large reserves of critical minerals

Focuses on safety, global technological divide – promotes open models



Canada
Observer status

EU
*Bloc in Pax Silica**

Taiwan
Major semi-conductor supplier

Pax Silica founding members
Australia, Israel, Japan, Singapore, South Korea, UK, U.S.

**Individual members have own status*

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