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FACT SHEET - FIRST EUROPEAN ELECTIONS, IN PORTUGAL GENERAL INFORMATION

Elections Date	19th July 1987
Total of eligible MEP's	24
Number of Registered Voters	7 787 603
Number of Effective Voters	5 639 650
Total Lists	12
Participation Fee	72.42%

NATIONAL RESULTS

Mandatory Vote	No
Preferential Vote	No
Postal Vote	No
Minimum Age	18
Average Age	Not Available

PRINCIPAL PARTIES AND CANDIDATES

Party	Delegation Head	European Affiliation
Social Democratic Party	Santana Lopes	Alliance of Democrats and Liberals for Europe
Socialist Party	Maria de Lourdes Pintassilgo	European Socialist Party
CDS – People's Party	Francisco Lucas Pires	European Popular Party
United Democratic Coalition	Ângelo Veloso	Communists and Allies
Democratic Renewal Party	José Medeiros Ferreira	European Democratic Alliance





NATIONAL RESULTS

Political Parties	Number of Votes	Percentage	Number of MEP's
Social Democratic Party	2 111 828	37.45%	10 / 24
Socialist Party	1 267 672	22.48%	6 / 24
CDS – People's Party	868 718	15.40%	3 / 24
United Democratic Coalition	648 700	11.50%	3 / 24
Democratic Renewal Party	250 158	4.44%	1 / 24
Monarchical Popular Party	155 990	2.77%	0 / 24
Popular Democratic Union	52 835	0.94%	0 / 24
Christian Democracy Party	40 812	0.72%	0 / 24
Revolutionary Socialist Party	29 009	0.51%	0 / 24
Portuguese Democratic Movement	27 678	0.49%	0 / 24
Communist Party (Reconstructed)	24 060	0.43%	0 / 24
Communist Party of Portuguese Workers	19 475	0.35%	0 / 24
Invalid Votes	142 715	2.53%	—
Total	5 639 650	100.00%	24 / 24
Electoral Participation	7 787 603	72.42%	