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List of Acronyms for the Political Parties Included in the Analysis

Country	Acronym	Original name	English name
Bulgaria	BSP	Bulgarska Sotsialisticheska Partiya	Bulgarian Socialist Party
	DPS	Dvizhenie za Prava i Svobodi	Movement for Rights and Freedoms
	SDS	Sayuz na Demokratichnite Sili	Union of Democratic Forces
Czech Republic	CSSD	Ceska Strana Socialne Demokraticka	Czech Social Democratic Party
	KDU-CSL	Krest'ansko a Demokraticka Unie –Ceskoslovenska Strana Lidova	Christian Democratic Union – Czechoslovak People's Party
	KSCM	Komunisticka Strana Cech a Moravy	Communist Party of Bohemia and Moravia
	ODS	Obcanska Demokraticka Strana	Civic Democratic Party
Hungary	FKGP	Fuggetlen Kisgazda Part	Independent Smallholders' Party
	FIDESZ	Fiatal Demokraták Szovetsege	Alliance of Young Democrats
	KDNP	Kereszténydemokrata Neppart	Christian Democratic People's Party
	MDF	Magyar Demokrata Forum	Hungarian Democratic Forum
	MSZP	Magyar Szocialista Part	Hungarian Socialist Party
	SZDSZ	Szabad Demokratak Szövetsege	Alliance of Free Democrats
Poland	PD	Partia Demokratyczna	Democratic Party
	PIS	Prawo i Sprawiedliwosc	Law and Justice
	PO	Platforma Obywatelska	Civic Platform
	PSL	Polskie Stronnictwo Ludowe	Polish People's Party
	SLD	Sojusz Lewicy Demokratycznej	Alliance of the Democratic Left
Romania	PDL	Partidul Democrat-Liberal	Democratic-Liberal Party
	PNL	Partidul National Liberal	National Liberal Party

Slovakia	PRM	Partidul Romania Mare	Greater Romania Party
	PSD	Partidul Social Democrat	Social Democratic Party
	UDMR	Uniunea Democratica Maghiara din Romania	Democratic Alliance of Hungarians in Romania
	HZDS	Hnutie Za Demokraticke Slovensko	Movement for a Democratic Slovakia
	KDH	Krest'anskodemokraticke Hnutie	Christian Democratic Movement
	MKP	Magyar Koalicio Partja	Party of the Hungarian Coalition
	SDKU	Slovenska Demokraticka a Krest'anska Unia	Slovak Democratic and Christian Union
	SNS	Slovenska Narodna Strana	Slovak National Party
	SDL	Strana Demokratickej L'avice	Party of the Democratic Left

List of Acronyms for Other Political Parties, Coalitions, or Alliances in the Book

Country	Acronym	Original name	English name
Bulgaria	Ataka	Natsionalen sayuz "Ataka"	National Union Attack
	BBB	Bulgarski Business Bloc	Bulgarian Business Bloc
	NDSV	Nacionalno dvizenie Simeon II	National Movement Simeon II
	NS ODS	Naroden Sajuz Obedineni Demokratichni Sili	People's Union United Democratic Forces
Czech Republic	DEU	Demokraticka Unie	Democratic Union
	KDS	Krestanska Demokraticka Strana	Christian Democratic Party
	LSU	Liberalne Socialni Unie	Liberal Social Union
	ODA	Obcanska Demokraticka Aliance	Civic Democratic Alliance
	OF	Obcanske Forum	Civic Forum
	SZ	Strana Zelenych	Green Party
	US	Unie Svobodi	Freedom Union
Hungary	EKGP	Egyesult Kisgazdapart	United Smallholders Party
	KGPKGS P	Kisgazdapart a Kisgazda Szovetseg Partja	Smallholders Party - The Party of the Smallholder Alliance
	KFKGP	Kiegyezes Fuggetlen Kisgazdapart	Compromise Independent Smallholders Party
	KOP	Konzervatív Part, Gazdak es Polgarok Szovetsege	Conservative Party
	JOBBIK	Jobbik Magyarorszagert Mozgalom	The Movement for a Better Hungary
	MIEP	Magyar Igazsag es Elet Partja	Justice and Life Party
	MPP	Magyar Polgari Part	Hungarian Civic Party
	MPSZ	Magyar Polgari Szovetseg	Hungarian Civic Union
	RKGP	Reform Kisgazdapart	Reform Party of

	USZM	Új Szovetseg	Smallholders New Alliance for Hungary
Poland	AWS	Akcja Wyborcza Solidarnosc	Solidarity Electoral Action
	KLD	Kongres Liberalno- Demokratyczny	Liberal Democratic Congress
	LID	Lewica i Demokraci	Left and Democrats
	LPR	Liga Polskich Rodzin	League of Polish Families
	PZPR	Polska Zjednoczona Partia Robotnicza	Polish United Workers' Party
	SDRP	Socjaldemokracja Rzeczypospolitej Polskiej	Social Democracy of the Republic of Poland
	SDPL	Socjaldemokracja Polska	Social Democracy of Poland
	SRP	Samoobrona Rzeczypospolitej Polskiej	Self-Defense of the Republic of Poland
	UD	Unia Demokratyczna	Democratic Union
	UP	Unia Pracy	Labor Union
	UW	Unia Wolnosci	Freedom Union
	ZSL	Zjednoczone Stronnictwo Ludowe	United Peasant Party
Romania	APR	Alianta pentru Romania	Alliance for Romania
	CDR	Conventia Democrata Romana	Romanian Democratic Convention
	DA	Alianta Dreptate si Adevar	Truth and Justice Alliance
	FDSN	Frontul Democrat al Salvării Nationale	Democratic National Salvation Front
	FSN	Frontul Salvării Nationale	National Salvation Front
	PAC	Partidul Aliantei Civice	Party of Civic Alliance
	PDSR	Partidul Democratiei Sociale din Romania	Party of Social Democracy in Romania
	PL	Partidul Liberal	Liberal Party
	PLD	Partidul Liberal Democrat	Liberal Democratic Party
	PNL-AT	Partidul National Liberal Aripa Tanara	National Liberal Party Young Wing
	PNL Campeanu nu	Partidul National Liberal Campeanu	National Liberal Party Campeanu
	PNL-CD	Partidul National Liberal	Christian Democratic

Slovakia	PNL- Traditional	Crestin Democrat Partidul National Liberal Traditional	National Liberal Party Traditional National Liberal Party
	PNTCD	Partidul National Taranesc Crestin Democrat	Christian Democratic National Peasants Party
	PSDR	Partidul Social Democrat din Romania	Romanian Social- Democratic Party
	PSL	Partidul Social Liberal	Liberal Socialist Party
	PUNR	Partidul Unitatii Nationale Romane	Party for Romanian National Unity
	NPL	Noul Partid Liberal	New Liberal Party
	UFD	Uniunea Fortelor de Dreapta	Union of Right Forces
	HPS	Hnutie Poľnohospodarov Slovenskej Republiky	Farmers Movement of the Slovak Republic
	KSS	Komunisticka Strana Slovenska	Communist Party of Slovakia
	SDA	Socialnodemokraticka Alternativa	Social Democratic Alternative
	SDK	Slovenska Demokraticka Koalicia	Slovak Democratic Coalition
	SDSS	Socialnodemokraticka Strana Slovenska	Social Democratic Party of Slovakia
	SMER	Smer – Socialna Demokracia	Direction – Social Democracy
	SV	Spolocna Volba	Common Choice
	SZ	Strana Zelenych	Green Party
	DUS	Demokraticka Unie Slovenska	Democratic Union of Slovakia
	MKDH	Mad'arske Krest'ansko Demokraticke Hnutie	Hungarian Christian Democratic Movement
	ZRS	Zdruzenie Robotníkov Slovenska	Workers' Association of Slovakia

