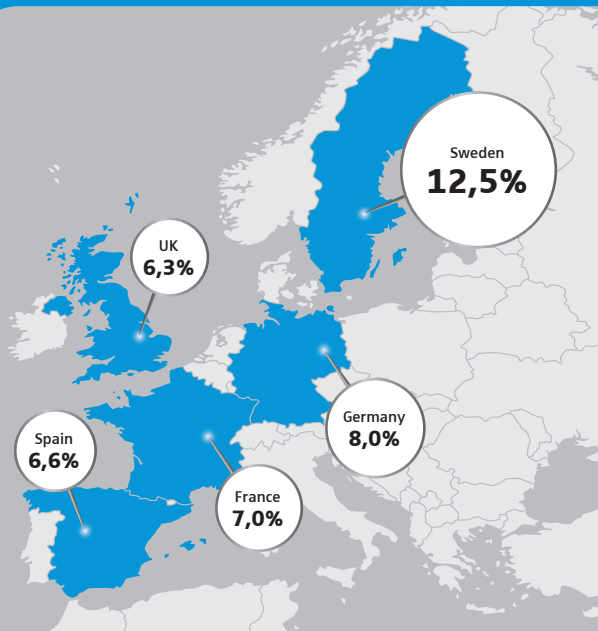


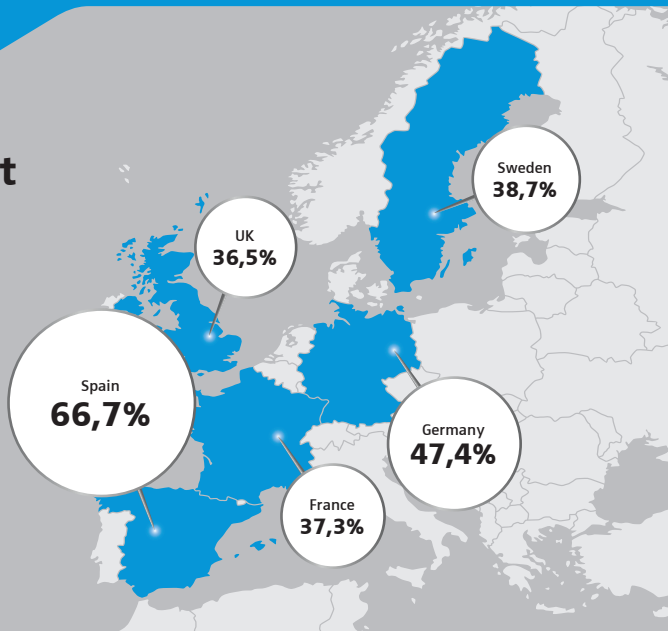
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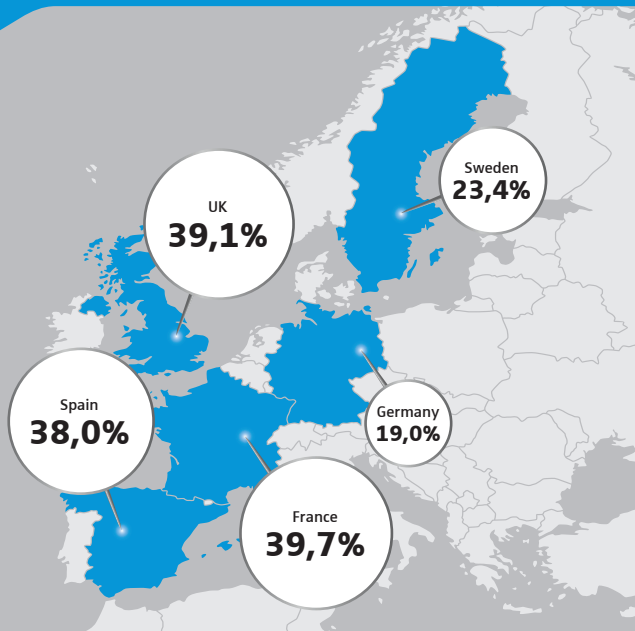
Age distribution of Hearing Impairment in European Countries

In the 5 countries surveyed an average of 44,6 percent of the inhabitants with hearing problems are younger than 60 years.



Hearing Impaired not participating in Cultural Events

In the 5 countries surveyed an average of 32 percent of the inhabitants with hearing problems participate less often in cultural offerings due to their hearing impairment.



Hearing Impaired wishing for more technical assistance to take advantage of cultural offerings

In the 5 countries surveyed an average of 26,9 percent of the inhabitants with hearing problems are not satisfied with technical assistance in their countries.

