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# Spam in selected non OECD countries

Survey by OECD

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- **Spam is growing problem and needs international cooperation**
- **similar survey among OECD members**
- **mainly to get overview of antispam legislation**

- **Internet penetration - (internet - main source of spam), mobile penetration**
- **Antispam Legislation**
- **Availability of antispam information in native language on Internet**

- **countries**
  - **EU accession - directives 2002/58/EC, 2000/31/EC – implementation by accession (May 2004)**
  - **EU candidate**
  - **other - Russia, Ukraine**

Country	Opt-in	Opt-out	EC law implemented
Bulgaria	Partially		NO
Cyprus			
Estonia	In the process		In the process
Latvia	Y		Y
Lithuania	Y		In the process
Malta	Y		Y
Romania	Y		Y
Russia		In the process	
Slovenia	Y		In the process
Ukraine			

- **Russia - according to [www.spamhaus.org](http://www.spamhaus.org) - 8th problematic country around the world**
- **federal level - no special antispam legislation in force, opt-out in the process**
- **[www.antispam.ru](http://www.antispam.ru)**