Abstract: The article will review the opinions of Bulgarian scholars from the first half of the 20th to the beginning of the 21th century on the Bulgarian-Khazar relations in the period 7th – first half of the 9th century. The aim of the article is to show the achievements of the Bulgarian historical science on this issue, and to contribute to the study of the relations between the proto-Bulgarians in the Old Great Bulgaria and Danube Bulgaria, and the Khazar Khaganate.

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