

SEPTEMBER 2022

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Bosnia and Herzegovina joins the EU Civil Protection Mechanism.



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The Commission proposes to prohibit products made with forced labour from being available on the EU market.



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The Commission presents a proposal for a new Cyber Resilience Act to protect consumers and businesses from products with inadequate security features.



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The European Commission puts forward the European Care Strategy to ensure high-quality, affordable and accessible care services and improve the situation for both care receivers and the people caring for them.



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14.9

The Commission makes the proposal for an emergency intervention in Europe's energy markets to tackle dramatic price rises.



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16.9

European Media Freedom Act: The Commission outlines rules to protect media pluralism and independence in the EU.



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20.9

As part of the European Health Union, the Commission proposes a new EU approach to cancer detection – screening more and screening better.



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21.9

Under EU State aid rules, the Commission approves an important project of common European interest to support research and innovation, initial industrial deployment and the construction of relevant infrastructure in the hydrogen value chain.



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21.9

The EU announces EUR 715 million in financing for the Global Fund to save millions of lives from AIDS, tuberculosis and malaria.



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28.9

The Commission presents a comprehensive approach to better protect people and the environment from asbestos and ensure an asbestos-free future.



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28.9

The Commission calls on Member States to modernise their minimum-income schemes as part of the ongoing pledge to reduce poverty and social exclusion in the EU.



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29.9

The Commission adopts guidelines on the application of EU competition law to collective agreements regarding the working conditions of solo self-employed people.



OCTOBER 2022

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4.10

The EU adopts the first Youth Action Plan in EU External Action to strengthen engagement with young people worldwide.



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The EU deploys its first quantum technology at six sites across the EU.



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The European Parliament and the Council of the European Union adopt the Directive on adequate minimum wages to promote collective bargaining and enhance minimum-wage protection for workers in the EU.



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6.10

In relation to the unprovoked and unjustified military aggression against Ukraine, the EU agrees on the eighth package of sanctions against Russia.



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10.10

Ukraine: The Commission launches an EU Talent Pool pilot scheme to identify the skills of Ukrainian people fleeing the war, help match them with EU employers and help them find jobs.



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12.10

2022 enlargement package: The Commission assesses reforms in the Western Balkans and Türkiye and recommends EU candidate status for Bosnia and Herzegovina.



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14.10

At the World Bank–International Monetary Fund annual meetings, the EU contributes EUR 100 million to the Fund’s Poverty Reduction and Growth Trust to support vulnerable African, Caribbean and Pacific countries.



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17.10

Aviation: A landmark EU–Association of South-East Asian Nations (ASEAN) agreement on aviation is signed, which will connect 1.1 billion people.



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18.10

The Commission makes additional proposals to fight high energy prices and ensure security of supply.



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18.10

Green Deal: The Commission signs its first Green Partnership, with Morocco, as part of the European Green Deal.



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19.10

The Commission adopts a revised State aid framework for research, development and innovation.



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24.10

Health Union: The Council adopts the final building blocks of the European Health Union.



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25.10

The International Expert Conference hosted by the Commission and the G7 presidency reaffirms unwavering commitment to support Ukraine's recovery.



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26.10

European Green Deal: The Commission proposes rules for cleaner air and water.



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28.10

Zero emission vehicles: The first 'Fit for 55' deal will end the sale of new CO₂-emitting cars in the EU by 2035.

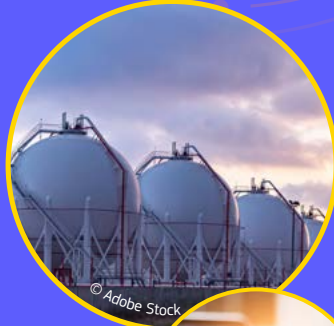


NOVEMBER 2022

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Under the REPowerEU plan, the EU Member States have filled their gas storage facilities to 95 % of capacity ahead of winter, surpassing the 80 % target.



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Digital Markets Act: Rules for digital gatekeepers to ensure open markets enter into force.

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3.11

The Commission invests EUR 3 billion in innovative clean-technology projects to deliver on the REPowerEU plan and accelerate Europe's energy independence from Russian fossil fuels.



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3.11

Berlin Process Summit: The EU announces a EUR 1 billion energy support package for the Western Balkans.

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7.11

At the 2022 United Nations Climate Change Conference (COP27), the EU concludes a strategic partnership with Kazakhstan on raw materials, batteries and renewable hydrogen.



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The Commission acts to promote transparency in the short-term rental sector to the benefit of all players.

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8.11

At COP27, the EU concludes a strategic partnership with Namibia on sustainable raw materials and renewable hydrogen. It also launches forest partnerships with five partner countries.



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8.11

The EU reaches agreement on national emission reductions from transport, buildings, waste and agriculture.



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9.11

REPowerEU: The Commission steps up the green transition away from Russian gas by accelerating the granting of permits for renewables.



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The Commission proposes a stable and predictable support package for Ukraine for 2023 of up to EUR 18 billion.



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10.11

The Commission proposes new Euro 7 standards to reduce pollutant emissions from vehicles and improve air quality.



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Cyberdefence: The Commission presents an EU Cyber Defence policy and an Action Plan on Military Mobility 2.0 to boost the EU's capacity to protect its citizens and infrastructure.



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11.11

As part of the European Green Deal, the EU agrees to increase carbon removal through land use, forestry and agriculture.



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16.11

The EU and Egypt agree to step up cooperation on the clean energy transition.



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15.11

The EU and international partners launch a groundbreaking Just Energy Transition Partnership with Indonesia.

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16.11

At COP27, as part of the Global Gateway strategy, Team Europe announces a EUR 1 billion package for climate-change adaptation and resilience in Africa.



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16.11

The Digital Services Act, a new set of EU rules for a safer and more accountable online environment, enters into force.



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18.11

Global Gateway: Team Europe launches two initiatives in Central Asia on energy and on digital connectivity.

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18.11

Albania joins the EU Civil Protection Mechanism.



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18.11

The Commission adopts the proposal for the interoperable Europe act to strengthen cross-border interoperability and cooperation in the public sector across the EU.



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21.11

At COP27, the EU shows ambition to keep the goal of limiting global warming to 1.5 °C within reach and helps to put in place a balanced new funding arrangement.



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22.11

Economic policy coordination: The Commission sets out guidance to help tackle the energy crisis and make Europe greener and more digital.



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28.11

The EU and South Korea launch a new digital partnership.



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The Commission presents revised rules that will make the protection of industrial designs across the EU cheaper, quicker and more predictable.



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European Green Deal: The Commission proposes new EU-wide rules to reduce packaging and packaging waste, along with rules on the certification of carbon removals to help reach net-zero emissions.

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Global Health: The Commission adopts a new EU Global Health Strategy to improve global health security and deliver better health for all in a changing world.



DECEMBER 2022

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The EU and Japan sign a memorandum of cooperation to spur innovation and develop an international hydrogen market.



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Ukraine: The Commission proposes to criminalise the violation of EU sanctions relating to Russia's invasion of Ukraine.



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3.12

The G7 agrees an oil price cap, reducing Russia's revenues while keeping global energy markets stable.



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6.12

European Green Deal: The EU agrees a law to fight global deforestation and forest degradation driven by production and consumption in the EU.



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6.12

The EU–Western Balkans Summit in Tirana, Albania, reaffirms the region's focus on EU membership and its strategic partnership with the EU.



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7.12

Equality package:
The Commission proposes new rules for the recognition of parenthood between Member States.



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6.12

European Green Deal:
The Parliament and the Council agree new rules on applying the EU emissions trading system in the aviation sector.

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7.12

The Commission proposes to strengthen equality bodies – in particular their independence, resources and powers – so they can combat discrimination in the EU more effectively.

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8.12

The Commission proposes a series of measures to modernise the EU's value added tax system, make it work better for businesses and improve its resilience against fraud by embracing and promoting digitalisation.



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9.12

The Commission and its partners in the sector launch a new industry alliance to boost the EU's solar power and energy security.

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European Green Deal:
The EU agrees a new law on more sustainable and circular batteries to support the energy transition and competition in the industry.



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The EU and Chile conclude negotiations on the Advanced Framework Agreement.



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The first meeting of the Global Gateway board takes place.



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13.12

Security Union: The Commission proposes new rules on advance passenger information to facilitate external border management and increase internal security.



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9.12

European Health Union: Following the Commission's proposal to strengthen cancer prevention through early detection, the Council adopts a new approach on cancer screening.



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12.12

The EU and its African partners launch two Team Europe initiatives on migration, focusing on the Atlantic and central Mediterranean migratory routes.



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13.12

European Green Deal: The Parliament and the Council reach an agreement on the Carbon Border Adjustment Mechanism.



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14.12

The EU–ASEAN Summit takes place. The EU and its Member States announce the mobilisation of EUR 10 billion as part of the Global Gateway to accelerate infrastructure investment in ASEAN countries.



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14.12

The Commission adopts new State aid rules for the agriculture, forestry, and fishery and aquaculture sectors.

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15.12

The Parliament and the Council reach a political agreement on new rules on measures that will enable more transparency and effective enforcement of the principle of equal pay for women and men.



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16.12

Following up on the Conference on the Future of Europe, the Commission hosts the first European Citizens' Panel on Food Waste Reduction.

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16.12

Ukraine: The EU agrees the ninth package of sanctions against Russia in relation to its invasion of Ukraine.



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16.12

The EU and Ukraine sign a EUR 100 million support package for the rehabilitation of war-damaged schools.

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18.12

European Green Deal: The Parliament and the Council reach an agreement on strengthening the emissions trading system and creating a Social Climate Fund to support people in the transition to cleaner energy.



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19.12

At the UN Biodiversity Conference (COP15), the EU joins 195 countries in the historic Kunming–Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework, which contains global goals and targets aiming to protect and restore nature for current and future generations.

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19.12

The Commission proposes stronger rules to fight the evolving crime of trafficking in human beings.



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31.12

The SURE instrument, designed to protect jobs and incomes affected by the COVID-19 pandemic, comes to an end after playing a crucial role in mitigating the impact of the pandemic and supporting economic recovery. 9 million people and over 900,000 firms were covered by SURE in 2021 in 15 Member States, with a clear phasing out in 2022 when 350,000 people and 40,000 firms were covered in 4 Member States.



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21.12

The Modernisation Fund invests EUR 4.11 billion in energy-transition projects in eight Member States to reduce dependency on Russian fossil fuels and speed up the roll-out of renewable energy.

JANUARY 2023

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Croatia joins the euro and Schengen areas.



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In 2023, the EU celebrates the 30th anniversary of its single market – one of the major achievements of European integration.

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The EU and NATO sign a new joint declaration on cooperation. They agree to intensify their work on countering hybrid and cyber threats and terrorism, step up cooperation on emerging and disruptive technologies and space, address the looming security implications of the climate crisis and strengthen the resilience of critical infrastructure.



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12.1

The foreign subsidies regulation enters into force. This new set of rules will allow the EU to remain open to trade and investment while ensuring a level playing field for all companies operating in the single market.

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17.1

The Commission launches the Talent Booster Mechanism to support EU regions affected by the accelerated decline in their working-age population.



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23.1

European Health Union: The Commission launches the European Cancer Imaging Initiative to support healthcare providers, research institutes and innovators in making the best use of innovative data-driven solutions for cancer treatment and care.



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17.1

The Commission creates its first rescEU chemical, biological, radiological and nuclear strategic reserve, hosted in Finland.



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24.1

The Commission presents 'A New Deal for Pollinators' to tackle the alarming decline in wild pollinating insects in Europe.

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25.1

The Commission presents an initiative to further strengthen and promote social dialogue with specific measures at the national and EU levels.



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26.1

The Commission launches Team Europe's regional teachers' initiative for sub-Saharan Africa in Pretoria, South Africa, as part of the Global Gateway and with a contribution of EUR 100 million from the EU.



FEBRUARY 2023

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The EU and Singapore launch a digital partnership.



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The Commission presents a Green Deal Industrial Plan to enhance the competitiveness of Europe's net-zero industry and support the fast transition to climate neutrality.



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2.2

President of the Commission Ursula von der Leyen and 15 Commissioners travel to Kyiv for the first ever College-to-government meeting, to deepen EU-Ukraine cooperation in a number of sectors.



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3.2

The EU-Ukraine summit takes place in Kyiv.



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4.2

Ukraine: The EU and G7 partners agree a price cap on Russian petroleum products.



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6.2

The EU and India set up a Trade and Technology Council to tackle the challenges at the nexus of trade, trusted technology and security.



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8.2

The Commission adopts EU disaster resilience goals, with recommendations for Member States to help them better anticipate, prepare, respond and secure in order to strengthen their resilience against future disasters across Europe.



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6.2

Immediately after the devastating earthquakes strike Türkiye and Syria, the Commission begins what would become its largest search-and-rescue operation through the EU Civil Protection Mechanism, helping save lives in Türkiye while supporting the delivery of humanitarian aid to the Syrian people across the country.

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10.2

Through the EU Civil Protection Mechanism, the EU deploys more than 250 emergency responders from Spain, France and Portugal to Chile to assist national responders in combating extreme wildfires.



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13.2

The Commission sets out rules on renewable hydrogen.

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14.2

The Commission proposes a 2030 zero-emissions target for new city buses, along with emissions reductions of 90 % for new trucks by 2040.



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23.2

The Commission presents a set of actions aiming to make gigabit connectivity available to all citizens and businesses across the EU by 2030.

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25.2

The EU agrees the 10th package of sanctions against Russia.



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27.2

The Commission and the government of the United Kingdom reach a political agreement in principle on the Windsor Framework, a comprehensive set of solutions aimed at addressing the practical challenges faced by citizens and businesses in Northern Ireland.

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28.2

Global Gateway: The Commission signs agreements with the European Investment Bank worth EUR 4 billion – consisting of a guarantee agreement that will mobilise up to EUR 3.5 billion in lending and a EUR 500 million Trust Fund contribution – to support businesses in African, Caribbean and Pacific countries until 2027.



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MARCH 2023

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Road safety:
The Commission proposes updated requirements for driving licences and better cross-border enforcement of road traffic rules.



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7.3

Security Union:
The renewed Schengen Information System enters into operation.

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9.3

The Commission adopts a new State aid Temporary Crisis and Transition Framework to foster support measures in sectors that are key for the transition to a net-zero economy. It also endorses an amendment to the State aid general block exemption regulation to further facilitate, simplify and speed up support for the EU's green and digital transitions.



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10.3

The Commission presents the EU Space Strategy for Security and Defence, to ensure a stronger and more resilient EU.

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10.3

The EU updates its maritime security strategy to ensure the peaceful use of the seas and safeguard the maritime domain against new threats.



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10.3

European Green Deal:
The EU agrees stronger rules to boost energy efficiency.

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14.3

The EU–Latin America and Caribbean Digital Alliance, a joint initiative to champion a human-centric approach to digital transformation, is launched in Bogotá, Colombia.



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14.3

The Commission proposes a reform of the way the EU electricity market is designed, which is intended to boost renewables, better protect consumers and enhance industrial competitiveness.

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16.3

The Commission proposes the net-zero industry act to scale up the manufacturing of clean technologies in the European Union and make sure the EU is well equipped for the clean-energy transition.



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16.3

The Commission proposes a comprehensive set of measures to ensure the EU has access to a secure, diversified, affordable and sustainable supply of critical raw materials.

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16.3

On the 30th anniversary of the single market, the Commission sets out how it will ensure the long-term competitiveness of the EU beyond 2030.



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16.3

As part of the New European Bauhaus initiative, the Commission launches a capacity-building programme to begin the reconstruction of Ukraine.

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17.3

During the 2023 International Solidarity Conference on the Venezuelan crisis, the Commission releases EUR 75 million in humanitarian funding for the country.



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20.3

At the donors' conference in Brussels, the EU and international donors raise EUR 7 billion for the people of Türkiye and Syria following the devastating earthquakes in February 2023.



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22.3

The Commission introduces new consumer rights that will make repairing goods easier and more attractive. It also proposes common criteria to combat greenwashing and misleading environmental claims.



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23.3

European Green Deal: The Parliament and the Council reach an agreement on cutting maritime transport emissions by promoting sustainable fuels for shipping.



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28.3

European Green Deal: The EU agrees an ambitious new law to deploy sufficient alternative fuels infrastructure.



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29.3

The Commission proposes more transparency and less red tape for companies to improve the business environment in the EU.



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European Green Deal:
 The EU agrees stronger
 legislation to accelerate
 the roll-out of renewable
 energy.



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30.3

President von der Leyen
 pronounces her speech
 on EU-China relations.

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31.3

NextGenerationEU:
 Disbursements under
 the Recovery and
 Resilience Facility pass
 the EUR 150 billion mark.



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31.3

REPowerEU: The EU
 meets its voluntary gas-
 demand-reduction target
 of 15 % compared to the
 previous five winters and
 comes out of winter with
 60 % of its gas storage
 capacity still full.

APRIL 2023

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3.4

The Commission marks
 the 30th anniversary of
 the cohesion fund. Since
 its establishment, the
 cohesion fund has invested
 nearly EUR 179 billion
 in the economic, social
 and territorial cohesion
 of the EU.



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4.4

The EU starts developing
 its own rescEU shelter
 reserves, which can be
 deployed during crises or
 disasters that overwhelm
 national response
 capacities, to be set up by
 Croatia, Poland, Slovenia,
 Spain, Sweden and Türkiye.

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5.4

In the field of judicial cooperation, the Commission proposes rules on the transfer of criminal proceedings between Member States.

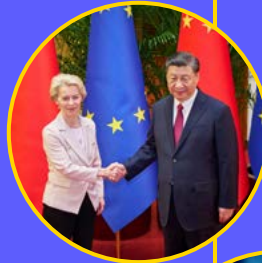


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5.4

The Commission responds to the seventh European citizens' initiative to pass the 1 million-signature mark: 'Save bees and farmers! Towards a bee-friendly agriculture for a healthy environment'.

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6.4

President von der Leyen visits China.



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17.4

The Commission launches the European Centre for Algorithmic Transparency to help enforce the Digital Services Act.



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18.4

Political agreement is reached on the European Chips Act, aiming to strengthen the competitiveness and resilience of the EU in this strategic sector.



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18.4

The Commission adopts a proposal for the EU Cyber Solidarity Act, to strengthen cybersecurity capacities in the EU, and presents the future Cybersecurity Skills Academy.



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18.4

Banking Union: The Commission proposes a reform of bank crisis management and the deposit insurance framework.



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20.4

Ukraine joins the EU Civil Protection Mechanism.



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23.4

The Citizens' Panel on Virtual Worlds presents 23 recommendations for fair and people-centred virtual worlds in the EU.



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24.4

European Green Deal: The EU and Norway establish a Green Alliance to deepen cooperation on the climate, the environment, energy and clean industry.



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25.4

EU Energy Platform: The Commission launches the first call for companies to jointly buy gas.



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25.4

Digital Services Act: The Commission designates the first set of very large online platforms and search engines under the Digital Services Act.



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26.4

The Commission presents legislative proposals to implement the most comprehensive reform of the EU's economic governance rules since the aftermath of the economic and financial crisis.



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26.4

European Health Union: The Commission proposes a reform of pharmaceuticals legislation to make medicines more accessible, affordable and innovative.

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26.4

European Green Deal: The Parliament and the Council reach an agreement on a new law to cut aviation emissions by promoting sustainable aviation fuels.



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27.4

Global Gateway: The Commission and the European Investment Bank announce funds worth EUR 18 billion to boost investment in climate action and sustainable economies.



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27.4

The Commission proposes new rules to help companies make the most of their inventions, leverage new technologies and contribute to the EU's competitiveness and technological sovereignty.



MAY 2023

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The Commission adopts a proposal for an Act in Support of Ammunition Production, a EUR 500 million plan to urgently boost EU defence industry capacities to aid Ukraine.



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3.5

The Commission proposes stronger rules to fight corruption in the EU and worldwide.

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4.5

The Commission recommends measures to combat the online piracy of sports and other live events.



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9.5

The European Year of Skills kicks off with a skills festival.

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10.5

In view of the rising humanitarian needs due to the conflict in Sudan, the EU launches a humanitarian air bridge transporting critical supplies to its humanitarian partners in Port Sudan.



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16.5

The EU and India hold the first ministerial meeting of the Trade and Technology Council in Brussels. The meeting focuses on deepening strategic engagement on trade and technology.

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17.5

The EU–US Health Task Force is launched.



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17.5

The Commission puts forward proposals for the most ambitious and comprehensive reform of the EU's customs union since its establishment in 1968.



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18.5

The Commission presents the first 'European media industry outlook', a report exploring demand and supply trends in the audiovisual, video game and news media sectors.



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21.5

In response to Italy's request for assistance with the catastrophic floods that had hit the north of country, the Commission immediately mobilises emergency assistance provided by Belgium, France, Slovenia and Slovakia through the EU Civil Protection Mechanism.



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19-21.5

President von der Leyen participates in the G7 summit in Hiroshima, Japan.



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22.5

The EU–South Korea Summit takes place in Seoul, with a green partnership being announced to deepen cooperation on climate action, clean energy and environmental protection.



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22.5

In the face of an unprecedented level of humanitarian need around the world, the Council adopts a voluntary target of 10 % of official development aid to be devoted to humanitarian action.



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24.5

Capital Markets Union: The Commission proposes new rules to protect and empower retail investors in the EU.

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30.5

The Commission, in cooperation with the Member States, doubles the rescEU firefighting air fleet for the coming wildfire season in Europe.



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30.5

The Emergency Response and Coordination Centre, the backbone of the EU's emergency response capacities and the engine of the EU Civil Protection Mechanism, celebrates its 10th anniversary.

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31.5

The fourth ministerial meeting of the EU–US Trade and Technology Council takes place in Luleå, Sweden. The EU and the United States reach an agreement to mutually recognise the results of inspections on pharmaceutical good manufacturing practices for veterinary products.



JUNE 2023

1.6

The Commission adopts revised rules to provide businesses with clearer and up-to-date guidance to help them assess the compatibility of their horizontal cooperation agreements with EU competition rules.



1.6

President von der Leyen announces new package of support for Moldova.

7.6

The EU sets out a new agenda to strengthen its partnership with Latin America and the Caribbean.



7.6

European Health Union: The Commission puts forward a proposal for a comprehensive approach to mental health.

8.6

EU Ethics Body: The Commission proposes the creation of common ethics standards for all EU institutions.



8.6

The Commission approves, under EU State aid rules, an important project of common European interest to support research, innovation and the first industrial deployment of microelectronics and communication technologies.



8.6

The EU deploys almost 300 firefighters from Spain, France and Portugal to help fight extreme wildfires in Canada.

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12-16.6

President von der Leyen travels to Brazil, Argentina, Chile and Mexico, and announces EUR 10 billion of EU investment in Latin America and the Caribbean through Global Gateway.



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13.6

Social economy: The Commission proposes ways to harness its full potential for jobs, innovation and social inclusion.

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14.6

The EU moves forward with Critical Minerals Agreement negotiations with the US.



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15.6

During the 7th Brussels Conference on 'Supporting the future of Syria and the Region', the international community pledges EUR 5.6 billion for 2023 and beyond.



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19.6

The EU and Kenya conclude negotiations for an ambitious Economic Partnership Agreement with strong sustainability provisions.



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20.6

EU budget: The Commission proposes to reinforce long-term EU budget to face most urgent challenges. It also puts forward an adjusted package for the next generation of own resources.



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20.6

The Commission and the High Representative present a European Economic Security Strategy. The strategy focuses on minimising risks arising from economic interdependencies, while preserving maximum levels of EU's economic openness and dynamism.



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20.6

Ukraine: The Commission proposes to set up a dedicated Facility to support Ukraine's recovery, reconstruction and modernisation.

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23.6

The EU adopts 11th package of sanctions against Russia for its continued illegal war against Ukraine.



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28.6

The Commission puts forward proposals to ensure that citizens and businesses can continue to access and pay with euro banknotes and coins across the euro area, and to set out a framework for a possible new digital form of the euro that the European Central Bank may issue in the future, as a complement to cash.



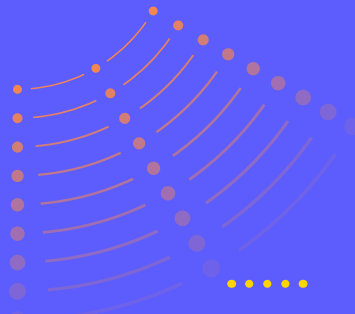
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28.6

The EU proposes comprehensive new outlook on threats of climate change and environmental degradation to peace, security and defence.



JULY 2023



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3.7

Ukraine: The International Centre for the prosecution of Russia's crime of aggression against Ukraine starts operations.



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The Commission adopts measures for a sustainable use of key natural resources, which will also strengthen the resilience of EU food systems and farming.



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The Commission publishes the fourth annual rule-of-law report, assessing last year's recommendations and providing specific recommendations to Member States.



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9.7

The EU and New Zealand sign ambitious free trade agreement.



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The Commission presents EU strategy to lead on Web 4.0 and virtual worlds.



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The Commission proposes measures to make freight transport more efficient and more sustainable, by improving rail infrastructure management, and better information on freight transport greenhouse gas emissions.



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12.7

The Commission proposes to strengthen the rights of victims of crime across the EU so that they receive support, access information, seek justice and obtain compensation.



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13.7

29th EU-Japan summit takes place in Brussels.



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16.7

Tunisia: Political agreement is reached on a comprehensive partnership package.



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17-18.7

The third EU-CELAC summit brings EU leaders and leaders from the Community of Latin American and Caribbean States (CELAC) together in Brussels. The Commission presents the EU-LAC Global Gateway Investment Agenda.



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19.7

The EU presents its first voluntary review of progress towards the sustainable development goals at the UN High-Level Political Forum on Sustainable Development.



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31.7

Global Gateway: President von der Leyen launches Team Europe initiative on green economy in the Philippines.



AUGUST 2023

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9.8

In the wake of devastating floods in Slovenia, the EU channels emergency assistance and mobilises mid- and long-term support.



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18.8

EU reaches 90% gas storage target more than 2 months ahead of the November 1 deadline.