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# European Union

**basic**  
level

# 1º ACTIVITY

Do you know how many countries are  
**European Union** members?  
Are you able to list them?

# European Union members

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|-----------|------------|------------|-------------|
| <b>1.</b> | <b>8.</b>  | <b>15.</b> | <b>22.</b>  |
| <b>2.</b> | <b>9.</b>  | <b>16.</b> | <b>23.</b>  |
| <b>3.</b> | <b>10.</b> | <b>17.</b> | <b>24.</b>  |
| <b>4.</b> | <b>11.</b> | <b>18.</b> | <b>25.</b>  |
| <b>5.</b> | <b>12.</b> | <b>19.</b> | <b>26.</b>  |
| <b>6.</b> | <b>13.</b> | <b>20.</b> | <b>27.</b>  |
| <b>7.</b> | <b>14.</b> | <b>21.</b> | <b>28*.</b> |

¿In which year the **EU** was founded?

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Which were the founding **countries**?

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## 2º ACTIVITY

¿Do you know in which year each country entered the **European Union**?

# Year of entry of the **EU members**

**1957**

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**1973**

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**1981**

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**1986**

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**1995**

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**2004**

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**2007**

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**2013**

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## 3° ACTIVITY

Copy or print the political map of the  
**European Union.**



**Write down the capital of each of the countries of the European Union.**

*If it doesn't fit because the country is too small you can put a number on it and write it off the map or make an arrow.*

Once you are done with all the capitals, **choose 8 color markers**. Choose light colors if possible.

Now go back to the page with the years of entrance of each country and **underline** each year with a different color.

Now go back to the map.

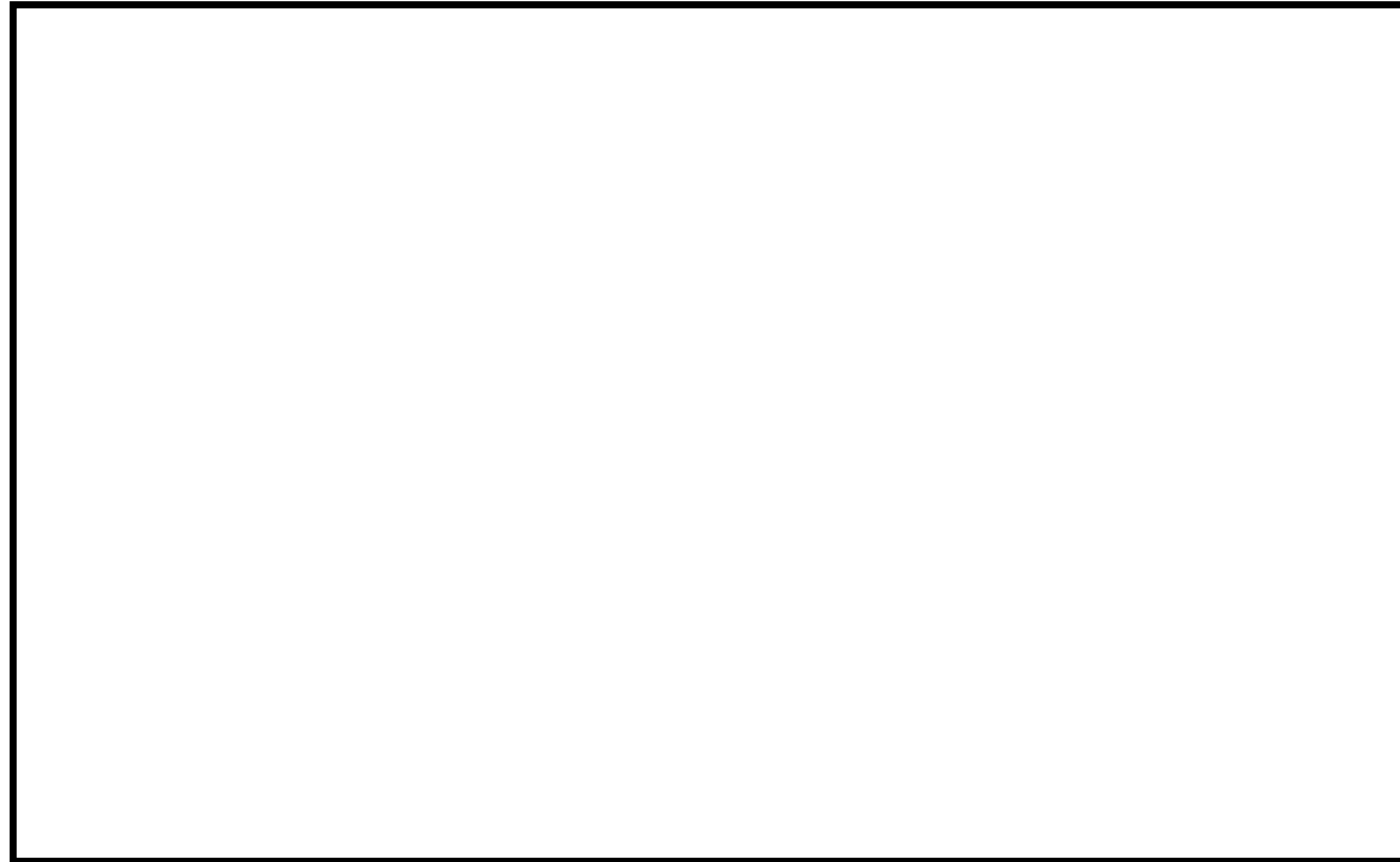
**Can you paint each country with the color corresponding to its year of entry into the EU?**

If you don't feel like coloring, you can leave it for later, or maybe you have a sister or brother who likes to paint!

**What is the EU anthem and who  
composed it?**

\_\_\_\_\_ written by \_\_\_\_\_

**And the **flag**? Paint it.**



# 4° ACTIVITY

Size of the **European Union** countries.

Which is the **biggest country** of  
the **European Union**?

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And the **smallest**?

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Which is the **most populated** country  
of the **European Union**?

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And the **least** populated?

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**Which country has the biggest  
lake in the EU?**

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**And the highest mountain?**

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# 5° ACTIVITY

Fun facts of the  
**European Union.**

**How many countries of the European Union are monarchies?**

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**Can you list them?**

\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_,  
\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

**How many official languages are there  
in the European Union?**

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**¿How many languages are spoken in the  
European Union?**

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**Which** language each country  
contributes to the **European Union**?

# Official **EU** languages

**1.**

**8.**

**15.**

**22.**

**2.**

**9.**

**16.**

**23.**

**3.**

**10.**

**17.**

**24.**

**4.**

**11.**

**18.**

**5.**

**12.**

**19.**

**6.**

**13.**

**20.**

**7.**

**14.**

**21.**



# European Union

**advanced**  
level



**Where are the **headquarters** of the  
European Parliament?**

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**Who is currently the **President** of the  
European Commission?**

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What are the **main values** of **the EU** according to the **Lisbon Treaty**?

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What is **the purpose** of the **Union**?

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# 1º ACTIVITY

Which Rights does the **European Union** defend?

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## 2º ACTIVITY

**NON-MEMBER countries of the  
European Union.**

# Official **candidates** to join the European Union

*The so called official candidates are those that have already started their negotiation process.*



## Option 1

Turkey  
Montenegro  
Serbia  
North Macedonia  
Albania



## Option 2

Montenegro  
Turkey  
Moldova  
Ukraine  
Serbia



## Option 3

Serbia  
Albania  
North Macedonia  
Kosovo  
Bosnia and Herzegovina

# Potential **candidates** to join the European Union

*Both those that have presented the application and those who haven't apply*



## Option 1

Submitted application:  
Azerbaijan  
Armenia

Without application:  
None



## Option 2

Submitted application:  
Ukraine

Without application:  
Bosnia & Herzegovina



## Option 3

Without application:  
Bosnia & Herzegovina

Without application:  
Kosovo

# Which non member(s) European **micro** **state(s)** use euros?

Andorra

Monaco

San Marino

Vatican City



# Members of the **Oriental Association** or are associates

**Option 1**

Azerbaijan  
Belarus  
Armenia

Associates:  
Moldova  
Ukraine  
Georgia

**Option 2**

Georgia  
Azerbaijan  
Armenia

Associates:  
Russia  
Ukraine  
Israel

**Option 3**

Belarus  
Ukraine  
Georgia

Israel  
Kazakhstan  
Russia



***Well done!***

You have some **links** in the following pages that may be of interest

## FOR THE YOUNGEST

- ❖ **What is the European Union?** Review all about the European project through this colorful document and be ready to be surprised!: [https://europa.eu/european-union/about-eu/easy-to-read\\_en](https://europa.eu/european-union/about-eu/easy-to-read_en)
- ❖ **Explore Europe!** A learning book about the continent that all of us Europeans call home. Printing version: <https://op.europa.eu/webpub/com/lets-explore-europe/en/index.html#chapter6>
- ❖ **Activities for the youngest ones**, includes different sets of games and videos: [https://europa.eu/learning-corner/learning-materials\\_en?age\\_group%5B0%5D=81](https://europa.eu/learning-corner/learning-materials_en?age_group%5B0%5D=81)
- ❖ **For 9 to 12 years olds**, includes games, vides and a fun questionnaire about climate change: [https://europa.eu/learning-corner/learning-materials\\_en?age\\_group%5B0%5D=82](https://europa.eu/learning-corner/learning-materials_en?age_group%5B0%5D=82)
- ❖ **For 12 to 15 year olds**, history, games and a handful of interesting videos: [https://europa.eu/learning-corner/learning-materials\\_en?age\\_group%5B0%5D=83](https://europa.eu/learning-corner/learning-materials_en?age_group%5B0%5D=83)
- ❖ **For 15 or older**, deepen your knowledge on the EU in feminism, employment, single market and PLAY!: [https://europa.eu/learning-corner/learning-materials\\_en?age\\_group%5B0%5D=84](https://europa.eu/learning-corner/learning-materials_en?age_group%5B0%5D=84)

## WEBSITE WITH USEFUL AND INTERESTING INFORMATION

- ❖ **Did you know that most of the EU budget goes towards the CAP?** Learn more on the Common Agricultural Policy by clicking in the following link: [https://ec.europa.eu/info/food-farming-fisheries/key-policies/common-agricultural-policy/cap-glance\\_es](https://ec.europa.eu/info/food-farming-fisheries/key-policies/common-agricultural-policy/cap-glance_es)
- ❖ **140 delegations worldwide represent the European Union**, discover them and learn more in the link below: [https://eeas.europa.eu/headquarters/headquarters-homepage/area/geo\\_en](https://eeas.europa.eu/headquarters/headquarters-homepage/area/geo_en)
- ❖ **Military and civil missions**, the EU uses classic defense instruments in its Common Defense and Security Policy, IRINI is the most recent one: [https://eeas.europa.eu/headquarters/headquarters-homepage/430/military-and-civilian-missions-and-operations\\_en](https://eeas.europa.eu/headquarters/headquarters-homepage/430/military-and-civilian-missions-and-operations_en)
- ❖ **European Green Deal**, an ambitious bet by the European Commission to fight the Climate Crisis: [https://ec.europa.eu/info/strategy/priorities-2019-2024/european-green-deal\\_es](https://ec.europa.eu/info/strategy/priorities-2019-2024/european-green-deal_es)

## THE EU AND YOU

- ❖ **Work in Europe hand on hand with EURES, the European portal for professional mobility:** <https://ec.europa.eu/eures/public/es/homepage>
- ❖ **If you are between 18 and 30 years old and have a strong social commitment, you will surely find this link interesting, you can participate in different project throughout Europe:** [https://europa.eu/youth/solidarity\\_es](https://europa.eu/youth/solidarity_es)
- ❖ **Looking at developing your career within the EU? Maybe then, you are interested on an internship in on of its agencies or institutions. This link can take you to some of the main calls for applications:** [https://epso.europa.eu/job-opportunities/traineeships\\_en](https://epso.europa.eu/job-opportunities/traineeships_en)
- ❖ **ERASMUS +: Education, Training, Sports and Youth. Discover everything this program can offer:** [https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/programme-guide/part-a\\_es](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/programme-guide/part-a_es)

# *Answers*

*Don't cheat and watch them only after  
you're done!*

## EUROPEAN UNION | BASIC LEVEL

### Page 5:

#### **Member states**

Germany, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Croatia, Denmark, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Estonia, Finland, France, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Czech Republic, Romania, Sweden

### Page 6:

1957

Germany, Belgium, France, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands

### Page 8:

**1957:** Germany, Belgium, France, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands

**1973:** Denmark, Ireland

**1981:** Greece

**1986:** Spain, Portugal

**1995:** Austria, Finland, Sweden

**2004:** Cyprus, Slovakia, Slovenia, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Poland, Czech Republic

**2007:** Bulgaria, Romania

**2013:** Croatia

**Page 10:**

1957

1973

1981

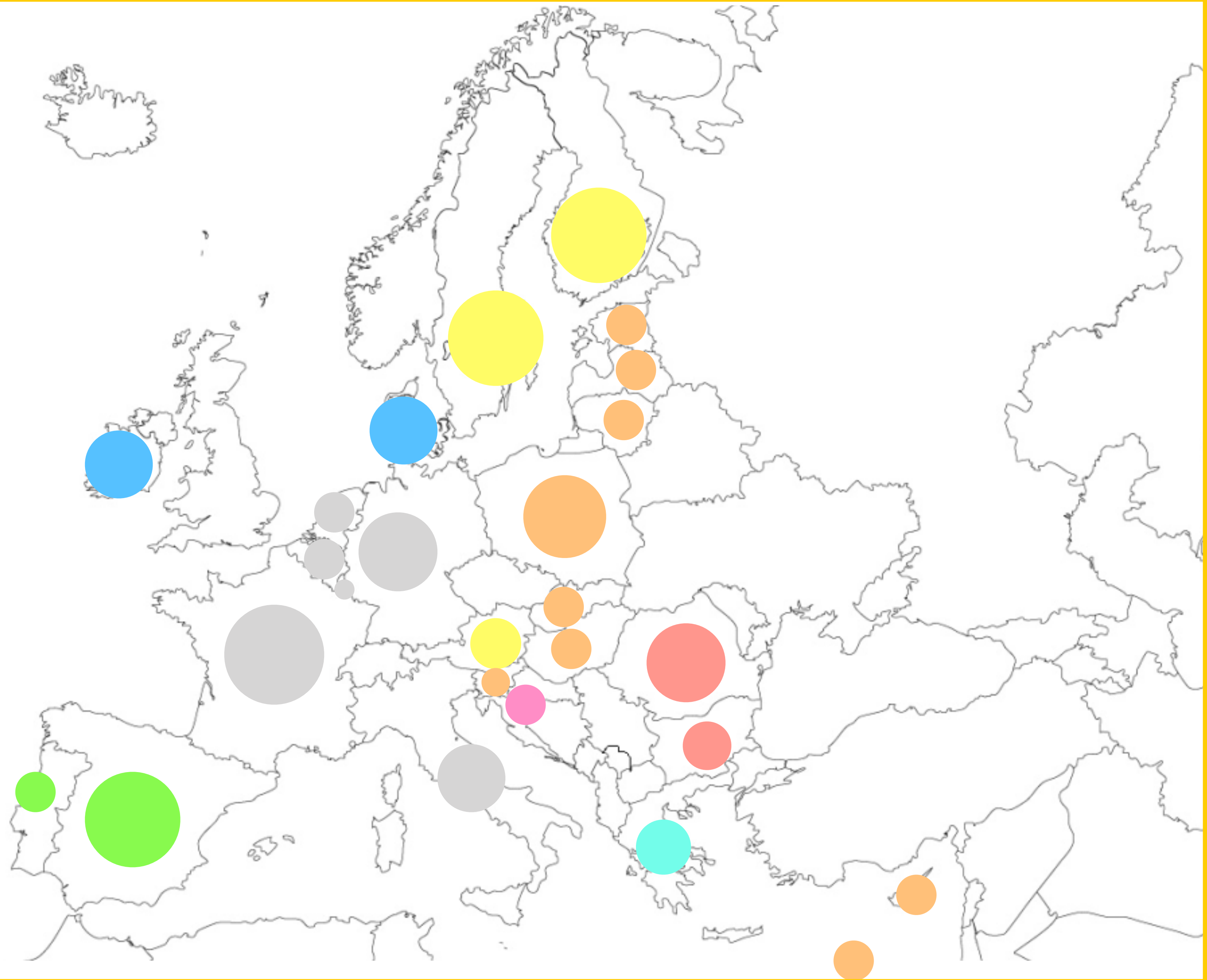
1986

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## Page 11:

### **Capitals:**

Germany - Berlin, Austria - Vienna, Belgium - Brussels, Bulgaria - Sofia, Cyprus Nicosia, Croatia - Zagreb, Denmark - Copenhagen, Slovakia - Bratislava, Slovenia - Ljubljana, Spain - Madrid, Estonia - Tallin, Finland - Helsinki, France - Paris, Greece - Athens, Hungary - Budapest, Ireland - Dublin, Italy - Rome, Latvia - Riga, Lithuania - Vilna, Luxembourg - Luxembourg, Malta - Valletta, Netherlands - Amsterdam, Poland - Warsaw, Portugal - Lisbon, Czech Republic - Prague, Romania - Bucharest, Sweden - Stockholm

## Page 13:

Ode to Joy  
Ludwing van Beethoven

The EU flag features a circle of 12 gold stars on a blue background. They stand for the ideals of unity, solidarity and harmony among the peoples of Europe.

## Page 16:

**Biggest EU country:** France

**Smallest EU country:** Malta

## Page 17:

**Most Populous EU:** Germany (2018: 83.832.481)

**Least Populous EU:** Malta (2018: 441.273)

## Page 18:

**Biggest Lake:** Lake Vanern Sweden - Although the biggest is in Russia, Lake Ladoga (17,700km<sup>2</sup>) and over 660 islands.

**Highest Mountain:** Mont Blanc (4810m) Italy/France - Although the highest is in Russia, Mont Elbrus (5642m)

**Page 20:**

6 countries

Belgium, Denmark, Spain, Netherlands, Luxembourg,  
Sweden

**Page 21:**

**Official languages: 24**

**Spoken languages in Europe: 200+**

**Page 23:**

German, French, Italian, Dutch, Danish, English, Greek,  
Spanish, Portuguese, Finnish, Swedish, Czech, Slovak,  
Slovenian, Estonian, Hungarian, Latvian, Lithuanian,  
Maltese, Polish, Bulgarian, Irish, Romanian, and  
Croatian.

## EUROPEAN UNION | ADVANCED LEVEL

### Page 25:

Strasbourg  
Brussels

**European Commission President:** Úrsula von der Leyden

### Page 26:

#### **Main values according to the Lisbon Treaty:**

Respect for human dignity, freedom, equality and human rights

#### **Goal of the EU:**

Promote peace and wellbeing of its members

### Page 28:

Article 2 of the Treaty on European Union:

- respect for human dignity,

- freedom,
- democracy,
- equality,
- the rule of law and
- respect for fundamental rights, including the rights of persons belonging to minorities..

### Page 30:

**Option 1:** Turkey, Montenegro, Serbia, North Macedonia, Albania

### Page 31:

**Option 3:** Bosnia & Herzegovina and Kosovo

### Page 32:

All

### Page 33:

**Option 1:** Azerbaijan, Belarus, Armenia + Moldova, Ukraine, Georgia