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Green Deal - Commission Initiatives 2020 calendar – Deadlines

Initiatives are posted into the calendar whenever the Commission opens a new roadmap/feedback period.

-The calendar only shows the deadline date for each initiative.

-Each box has a link (*in blue letters*) to the Commission Initiative website

- Colour code according to the issue: Sustainability/Climate/Biodiversity; **Animal welfare/Animal Health**; **Trade** ; Public health; Budget/Financing/industrial strategy, **Social, Future of Europe**, black: Other for information

-Information box of the Policy Objective for each colour box → in the last page*

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Main NEW Initiatives released still opened

	Deadlines
- Fitness Check of the EU legislation on animal welfare	29th July
- Waste shipments – revision of EU rules	30 th July
- Reducing packaging waste – review of rules	6 th August
- Food safety, allergies & food waste – new EU rules	6th August
- Sustainable use of pesticides – revision of the EU rules	7 th August
- Veterinary medicine – list of permitted changes to marketing authorisations	7th August
- EU veterinary medicines database – measures and specifications	7th August
- Consumer policy – the EU’s new ‘consumer agenda’ (roadmap)	11th August
- Revision of Trichinella detection method and import requirements	14 August
- EU Strategy - Adaptation to Climate Change - Questionnaire	20 th August
- Animal health – notifying/reporting diseases, surveillance and visits by vets	20 August
- Food safety – traditional foods from outside the EU (clearer information)	20 August
- Sewage sludge use in farming – evaluation	25 th August
- Consumer policy – strengthening the role of consumers in the green transition (roadmap)	1st September
- Review of EU rules on fluorinated greenhouse gases	7 th September
- Evaluation of the EU agricultural promotion policy	11th September
- A renewed trade policy for a stronger Europe	15th September
- Consumer policy – the EU’s new ‘consumer agenda’	6th October
- Consumer policy – strengthening the role of consumers in the green transition	6th October

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			JANUARY 1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
		<p>European Green Deal Investment Plan - Press Release</p> <p>A Strong Social Europe for Just Transition - Press Release</p> <p>Fair minimum wages for workers in the EU - Press Release</p>				

19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	<p>New Circular Economy Action Plan</p> <p>Roadmap (closed)</p>		<p>Shaping the Conference on the Future of Europe</p> <p>- Press Release</p>			
	<p>EU Biodiversity Strategy for 2030</p> <p>Roadmap (closed)</p>					
26	27	28	29	30	31	FEBRUARY 1
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				<p>European Climate Law enshrining the 2050 climate neutrality objective</p> <p>Roadmap (closed) COM Feedback (until 1st May)</p>		
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MARCH 1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		<p>Europe's Beating Cancer Plan</p> <p>Roadmap (closed)</p>	<p>Deforestation and forest degradation – reducing the impact of products placed on the EU market</p> <p>Roadmap (closed)</p>			
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	<p>Towards a Comprehensive Strategy with Africa - Press Release</p>	<p>Making Europe's businesses future-ready: A new Industrial Strategy for a globally competitive, green and digital Europe</p> <p>- Press Release</p>	<p>New Circular Economy Action Plan – Press Release</p>	<p>Just Transition Fund</p> <p>Commission Adoption Feedback (closed)</p>		

15	16	17	18 <p>Eastern Partnership post 2020 - Commission proposes new policy objectives for beyond 2020</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Press Release - Q&A 	19	20 <p>Farm to Fork Strategy</p> <p>Roadmap (closed)</p>	21
22	23 <p>Coronavirus: Commission presents practical guidance to ensure continuous flow of goods across EU via green lanes</p> <p>- Press Release</p>	24	25	26	27	28



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29	30	31	APRIL 1	2	3	4
			<p>EU Green Deal (carbon border adjustment mechanism) Roadmap (closed)</p>		<p>EU environmental law – better access to justice Roadmap (closed)</p>	
			<p>Greenhouse gases-national totals ('inventories') and their potential (new values, reporting guidelines) Feedback (closed)</p>		<p>EU-China Customs Agreement Roadmap (closed)</p>	
			<p>EU Green Deal – Revision of the Energy Taxation Directive Roadmap (closed)</p>		<p>Gender equality & women's rights worldwide – 2021-25 action plan Roadmap (closed)</p>	



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5	6	7	8	9	10	11
			Waste shipments –review and assessment of revision of EU rules Roadmap (closed)	EU business statistics (FRIBS) - technical specifications Feedback (closed)	Farming statistics – agricultural inputs and outputs (updated rules) Roadmap (closed)	
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
			2030 Climate Target Plan Roadmap (closed)			
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	Climate change mitigation and adaptation taxonomy Roadmap (closed)	EU rules on industrial emissions – revision Roadmap (closed)				
		Action Plan on the Customs Union Roadmap (closed)				



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26	27	28	29	30	MAY 1	2
					<p>European Climate Law enshrining the 2050 climate neutrality objective</p> <p>Commission Adoption Feedback (closed)</p>	
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	<p>Low-emission vehicles – improving the EU’s refuelling/recharging infrastructure</p> <p>Roadmap (closed)</p>	<p>Fish & seafood products - review of marketing standards</p> <p>Roadmap (closed)</p>	<p>Sustainable finance – minimum standards for climate benchmarks</p> <p>Roadmap (closed)</p>	<p>Europe’s Beating Cancer Plan</p> <p>Feedback (closed)</p>		
			<p>Sustainable finance – environmental, social and governance criteria (benchmarks)</p> <p>Roadmap (closed)</p>			

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	<p>Corona Response Investment Initiative Roadmap (closed)</p> <p>Proposal for a Regulation - Regional and urban Policy Commission Adoption Feedback (closed)</p> <p>Amendment to Regulation 95/93 (slots) Commission Adoption Feedback (closed)</p>					
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
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	<p>Chemicals regulation (REACH) – updated list of restricted substances Roadmap</p>		<p>The European Climate Pact Roadmap</p>			



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31	JUNE 1	2	3	4	5	6
			European vehicle emissions standards – Euro 7 for cars, vans, lorries and buses Roadmap			
			Union renewable Financing mechanism Feedback			

7	8 Food & feed imports -“first-come, first-served” tariff quotas (delegated rules) Feedback	9	10	11	12	13
14	15 EU animal welfare strategy (2012-15) – evaluation Feedback	16 Amending Delegated Reg. (EU) 2019)2035 and 2016/429 on registration, approval of establishments & identification of terrestrial animals Feedback	17 European Climate Pact Respond to the questionnaire	18	19	20 Chemicals – strategy for sustainability (toxic-free EU environment) Roadmap

21	22	23	24	25	26	27
		<p>2030 Climate Target Plan</p> <p>Feedback</p>				
28	29	30	JULY 1	2	3	4
		<p>EU Strategy on Adaptation to Climate Change Roadmap</p> <p>Roadmap</p>				
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	<p>Sustainable finance – obligation for mutual funds to advise clients on social & environmental aspects</p> <p>Feedback</p>					

12	13	14 Trade policy review, including WTO reform initiative Roadmap Feedback	15 Trade - preferential tariff scheme between the EU and developing countries (update) Feedback	16	17 Union Customs Code – mid-term evaluation Feedback	18
19	20	21	22	23	24 EU emissions trading system – updated rules on accreditation and verification (2021-30) and on updated rules on monitoring and reporting (2021-30) Draft implementing Regulation and HERE	25

26	27	28	29	30	31	AUGUST 1
			Fitness Check of the EU legislation on animal welfare Feedback	Waste shipments – revision of EU rules Feedback		
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				Reducing packaging waste – review of rules Roadmap	Sustainable use of pesticides – revision of the EU rules Inception impact assessment	
				Food safety, allergies & food waste – new EU rules Feedback	EU veterinary medicines database – measures and specification Feedback	
					Veterinary medicine – list of permitted changes to marketing authorisations Feedback	
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		Consumer policy – the EU’s new ‘consumer agenda’ Roadmap			Revision of Trichinella detection method and import requirements Feedback	



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				<p>Adapting to climate change – EU strategy Questionnaire</p> <p>Animal health – notifying/reporting diseases, surveillance and visits by vets Feedback</p> <p>Food safety – traditional foods from outside the EU (clearer information) Feedback</p>		
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		<p>Sewage sludge use in farming – evaluation Roadmap</p>				
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		<p>SEPTEMBER Consumer policy – strengthening the role of consumers in the green transition Roadmap</p>				

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	Review of EU rules on fluorinated greenhouse gases REFIT Feedback				Evaluation of the EU agricultural promotion policy Feedback	
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		A renewed trade policy for a stronger Europe Survey				
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27	28	29	30	OCTOBER 1	2	3

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Policy Objectives *

-A European Green Deal

-A European Fit for the Digital

-An Economy that Works for People

-A Stronger Europe in the World

-A New Push for European