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Foreword

The Worksheets **Cohesion Policy of the European Union**, which is offered to the attention of the readers, are conceived as educational material and a tool for disseminating information on the European Union's Cohesion Policy.

Cohesion policy is one of the most important policies of the European Union and is also one of the most significant investment policies. Under the cohesion policy, Member States have available financial resources which they can use to promote cohesion - economic, social and territorial. In addition, the European Union offers a number of other tools to facilitate and support cohesion.

The aim of the Worksheets is to support analytical and practical skills of students in the application of theoretical knowledge on the European integration, European Union and in particular, cohesion policy of the European Union. The Worksheets build on the book **Cohesion Policy of the European Union**.

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Tomáš Malatíneć
for the team of authors

State your current knowledge on European Union:

State your current knowledge on Cohesion Policy of the European Union:

EUROPEAN INTEGRATION AND EUROPEAN UNION

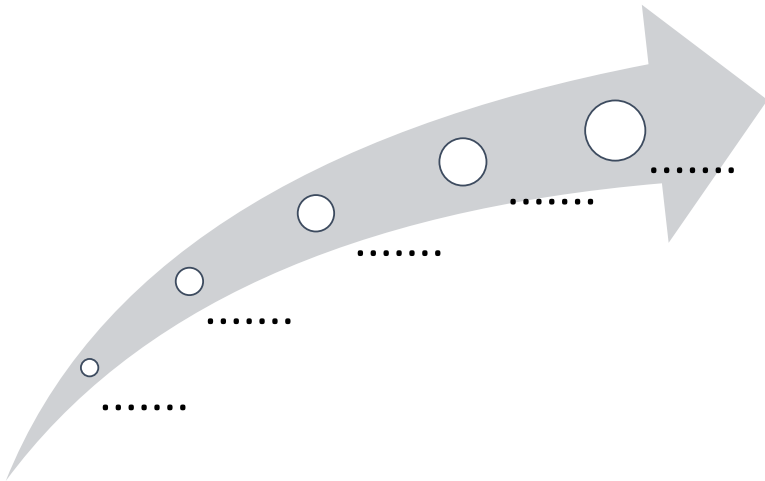
Describe the start of European integration and formation of the European Union:

Mark the founding countries of the European Union on the map:



Describe the legal order of the European Union:

State the amendments and changes to the founding treaties of the European Union and the years in which they were effective:



Indicate the organizations that were precursors of the European Union:

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Describe the roles and competences of the selected European Union institutions in shaping the cohesion policy:

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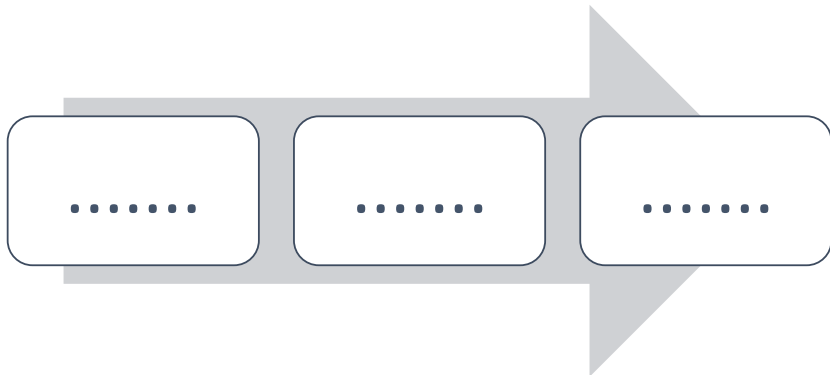
Mark the Member States of the European Union and the year of their entry on the map:



State the most significant representatives of European integration:

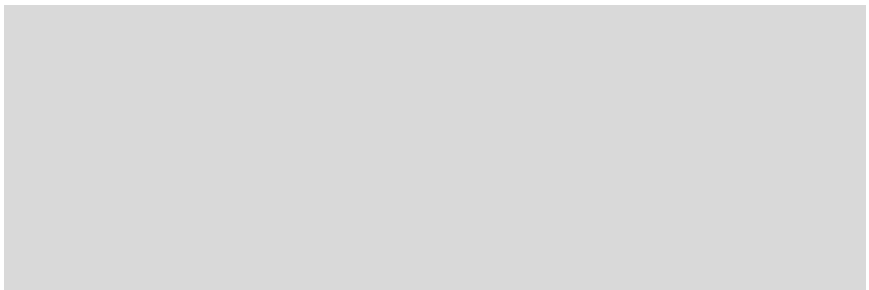
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State the basic objectives of European integration:

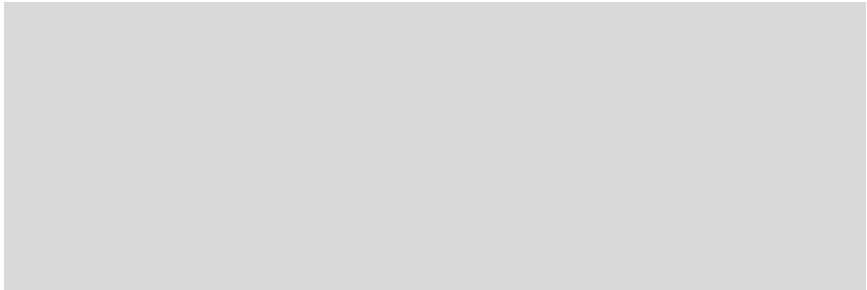


State the most important changes in the European integration brought about by the Treaty of Lisbon:

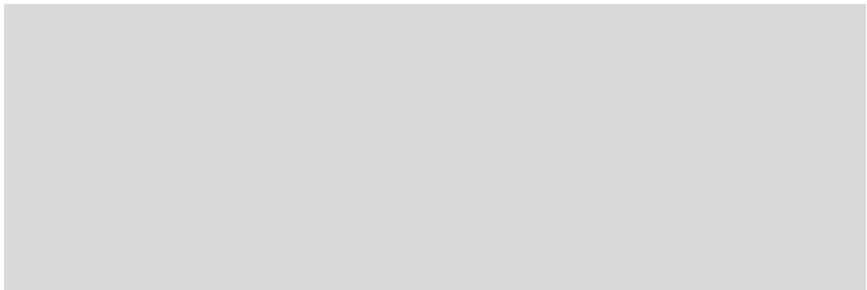
Describe the EU regulations as sources of the European law:



Describe the EU directives as sources of the European law:



Describe EU decisions as sources of the European law:



Describe the Eurozone and the benefits of the Euro currency:



On the map, mark the member countries of the Eurozone:



COHESION POLICY OF THE EUROPEAN UNION

Explain the concept - cohesion:

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Explain the importance of economic, social and territorial cohesion in EU:

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Describe the legal framework of the cohesion policy of the European Union:

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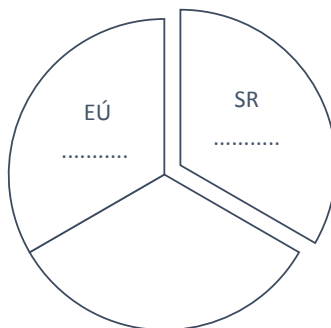
Describe the multiannual financial framework of the European Union

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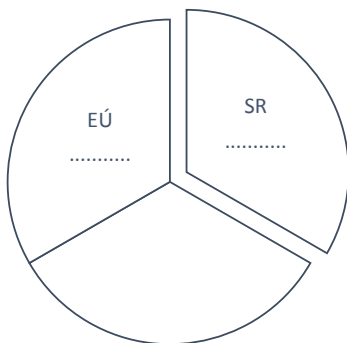
On the map, show the allocation of EU resources for individual Member countries in the programming period 2014-2020:



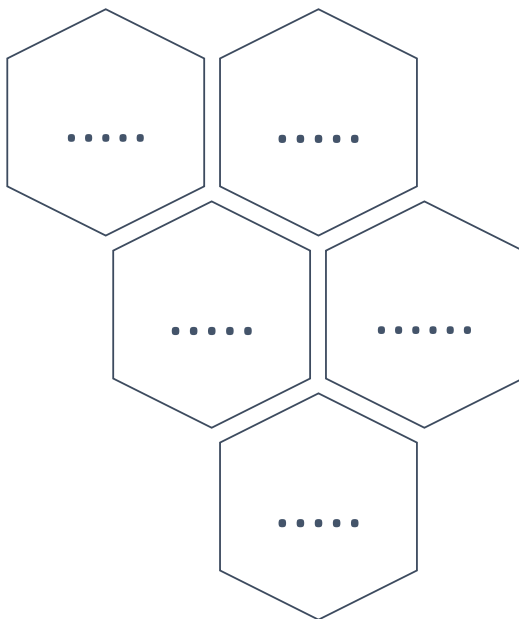
Indicate the amount of financial resources allocated to the Cohesion Policy in the 2007 – 2013 programming period:



Indicate the amount of financial resources allocated to the Cohesion Policy in the 2014 – 2020 programming period:



Indicate the financial tools (funds) that contribute to the Member States for implementation:



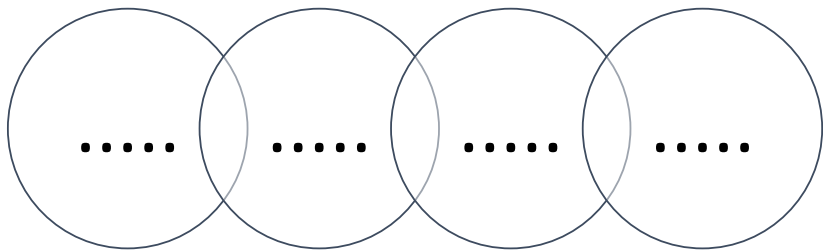
State the objectives of the Cohesion Fund (CF):

State the objectives of the European Social Fund (ESF):

State the objectives of the European Regional Development Fund (ERDF):

Describe the development of the Cohesion Policy of the European Union:

State and describe the objectives of the Cohesion Policy of the European Union in the 2007-2013 programming period:



Explain the concept – Europeanization:

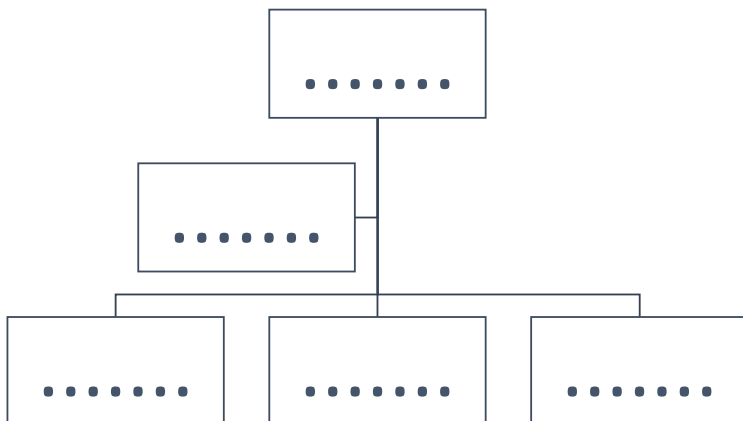
Explain the concept – multilevel governance:

Describe the relationship between cohesion policy and regional policy:

State specific expressions of Europeanization in the national regional policy:

Explain the fact that cohesion policy belongs among the common competences of the European Union and the Member States:

Describe multilevel governance within the Cohesion Policy and state an example:



State the most significant simplifications of administration that the EU has adopted and is planning to adopt in the following programming periods:

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EUROPEAN TERRITORIAL COHESION

Describe the importance of the new legal form – European Grouping of Territorial Cooperation:

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Describe the process of establishing the European Grouping of Territorial Cooperation:

The diagram consists of six horizontal bars stacked vertically. Each bar is light gray with a dark gray outline. On the left side of each bar is a white arrowhead pointing to the right. Inside each arrowhead are two small black dots, one above the other, and the text "....." below them. The bars are of equal length and are separated by small gaps.

On the map, mark the number of formed EGTCs on the basis of the Member State:



Work out an analysis of EGTCs founded in your country:

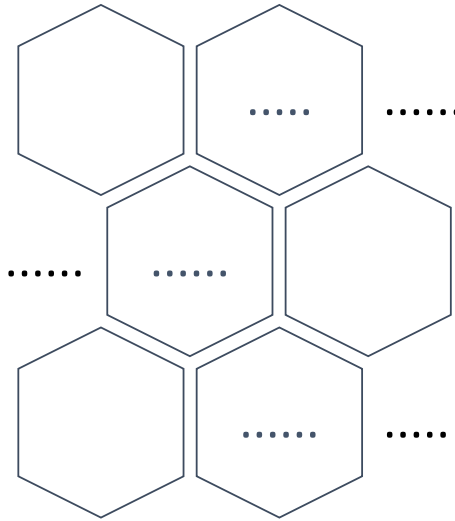
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Why is solidarity – cohesion important in the European Union?

State the most significant problems of border areas (regions) in the European Union:

Describe cross-border cooperation in the European Union:

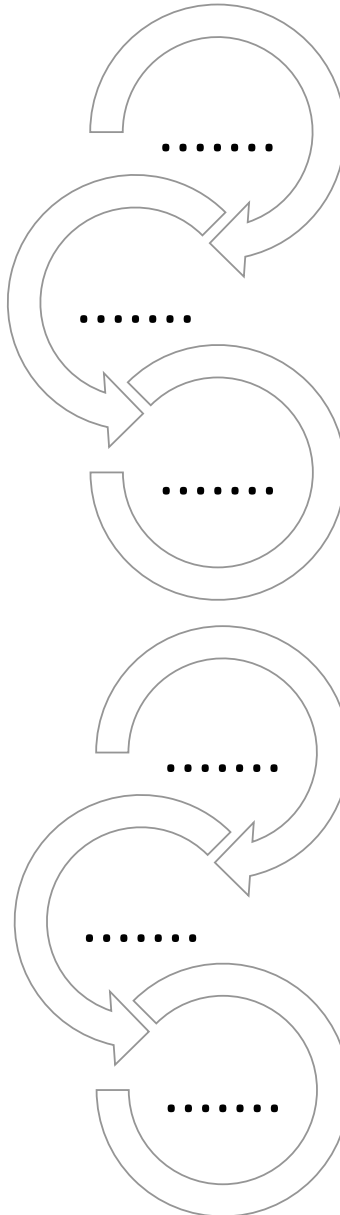
Provide examples of programs to support cross-border cooperation in the European Union:



Provide examples of national operational programs:

COHESION POLICY ON A NATIONAL LEVEL

Describe the process of creating a Partnership Agreement:



EXAMPLES OF PRACTICE

Provide examples of national projects co-financed from the European Union programs aimed at support of economic, social and territorial cohesion:

Process a foreign international case study of the project co-financed from the European Union programs to promote economic, social and territorial cohesion that has focused on promoting employment or increasing the quality of life of citizens:

Name of project:

Coordinator:

Partners:

Main objectives:

Amount of co-financing:

Fund from which the support was granted:

Description:

Process a foreign case study of a project co-financed from the European Union programs to promote economic, social and territorial cohesion that has focused on creating working places:

Name of project:

Coordinator:

Partners:

Main objectives:

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Description:

Process a foreign case study of a project co-financed from the European Union programs to promote economic, social and territorial cohesion that has focused on protecting and improving the environment:

Name of project:

Coordinator:

Partners:

Main objectives:

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Fund from which the support was granted:

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Process a foreign case study of a project co-financed from the European Union programs to promote economic, social and territorial cohesion that has focused on promoting economic, social and territorial cohesion aimed at reducing regional disparities and the support of territorial cohesion:

Name of project:

Coordinator:

Partners:

Main objectives:

Amount of co-financing:

Fund from which the support was granted:

Description:

Process a foreign case study of a project co-financed from the European Union programs to promote economic, social and territorial cohesion that has focused on promoting economic, social and territorial cohesion that has focused on the support of disadvantaged areas in the European Union:

Name of project:

Coordinator:

Partners:

Main objectives:

Amount of co-financing:

Fund from which the support was granted:

Description:

Process a foreign case study of a project co-financed from the European Union programs to promote economic, social and territorial cohesion that has focused on support for “smart” technologies

Name of project:

Coordinator:

Partners:

Main objectives:

Amount of co-financing:

Fund from which the support was granted:

Description:

Process a foreign case study of a project co-financed from the European Union programs to promote economic, social and territorial cohesion that has focused on promoting economic, social and territorial cohesion aimed at promoting education:

Name of project:

Coordinator:

Partners:

Main objectives:

Amount of co-financing:

Fund from which the support was granted:

Description:

Process a foreign case study of a project co-financed from the European Union programs to promote economic, social and territorial cohesion that has focused on promoting effective mobility:

Name of project:

Coordinator:

Partners:

Main objectives:

Amount of co-financing:

Fund from which the support was granted:

Description:

State your acquired knowledge about the European Union:

State the knowledge on the Cohesion Policy of the European Union you have acquired:

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