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## DG Energy News



In focus

### Towards a just and clean energy transition

Decarbonising the EU economy can only be successful if every EU state is part of it. Read more about the provisions of the Just Transition Mechanism and the coal regions in transition initiative through which the EU commits itself to safeguarding carbon dependent regions - article available in EN, FR, DE, ES, IT and PL

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### State of the energy union: Progress made on the clean energy transition and a basis for green recovery

This annual report, and a range of accompanying documents, provides a snapshot of where the EU stands on the clean energy transition. Delve into energy insights and updates on energy subsidies, prices and costs, clean energy competitiveness, renewables, and the EU assessment on the individual NECPs



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### Commission adopts EU methane strategy

The EU Methane Strategy sets out measures to cut methane emissions in the energy, agriculture and waste sectors, in Europe and internationally.



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### Renovation wave: Doubling the renovation rate to cut emissions, boost recovery and reduce energy poverty

Through this new initiative, the Commission is aiming to at least double renovation rates in the next ten years, thereby reducing emissions, boosting the post-Covid recovery and addressing energy poverty.



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