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DG Energy News



REPowerEU: Joint European action for more affordable, secure and sustainable energy

The European Commission proposed on 8 March an outline of a plan to make Europe independent from Russian fossil fuels well before 2030, starting with gas, in light of Russia's invasion of Ukraine. The short video below illustrates in 1.5 minutes what the new REPowerEU Communication contains.



See also

[REPowerEU video](#)

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Ukraine: EU agrees fourth package of restrictive measures against Russia

The new sanctions will further contribute to ramping up economic pressure on the Kremlin and cripple its ability to finance its invasion of Ukraine.

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EU and U.S. Department of Energy support collaboration between the European Battery Alliance and U.S. Li-Bridge Alliance to strengthen supply chain

Batteries are critical to a clean energy economy. They help decarbonise the transport and energy sectors, by electrifying vehicles and providing stationary storage for the renewable-powered grid.

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The Commission is launching the Investors Dialogue on Energy

The objective of this new initiative is to facilitate investments in energy projects that can contribute to achieving the ambitious climate and energy goals of the European Green Deal.

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Commissioner Simson in Sweden to promote clean technologies and discuss energy policy

Commissioner for Energy Kadri Simson will be in Sweden for a two-day visit focused on the promotion of clean technologies, which are a key pillar of the European Green Deal, and on discussions regarding energy policy.

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CEF Energy: new call for cross-border renewable energy projects to obtain the status

The Connecting Europe Facility (CEF) Energy programme for the 2021-2027 period has been extended with a cross-border renewable energy window that will contribute to meet EU decarbonisation targets by optimising national efforts for deployment of renewable energy.

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The Clean energy for EU islands secretariat launches its new website

The Clean energy for EU islands secretariat – an initiative of the European Commission - has launched its new website with the aim of becoming the central platform for the clean energy transition of the more than 2,200 inhabited European islands.

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Energy inflation rate continues upward hike and hits 27%

Energy annual inflation in the EU hit 27% in January 2022, continuing the upward trend, according to data recently published by Eurostat.

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Speeches




REPowerEU: how to increase EU energy independence (remarks by Executive Vice-President Timmermans and Commissioner Simson)

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Upcoming events

Towards an EU solar energy strategy





	date	29/03/2022
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Renewable energy projects: permit-granting processes and Power Purchase Agreements



	date	29/03/2022
	venue	Online
	Registration	Register

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The Nordic ITER Business Forum



	date	29/03/2022 - 30/03/2022
	venue	Copenhagen, Denmark
	Registration	Register

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Smart Cities Marketplace Forum - Towards a just and clean urban transition



	date	26/04/2022 - 27/04/2022
	venue	Belgium



Registration

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U.S.-EU high-level B2B forum on offshore wind



date

27/04/2022



venue

Atlantic City, United States

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EUSEW: Going green and digital for Europe's energy transition



date

26/09/2022 - 30/09/2022



venue

Hybrid (online and onsite in Brussels)

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Latest studies and publications

The Smart Readiness Indicator – Factsheet

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ETIP SNET, R&I implementation plan 2022-2025

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Public consultations

Consultation on the revision of the Capacity Allocation and Congestion Management Regulation



Deadline

27/04/2022

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EU solar energy strategy



Deadline

12/04/2022

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Renewable energy projects – permit-granting processes & power-purchase agreements



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