

**Question for written answer E-015164/2015
to the Commission**
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Subject: A two-speed Europe: with whom?

The European Union ought to rethink its operational frameworks to enable certain countries to cooperate more closely. If the Union is enlarged to include as many as 33 or 35 Member States, it will not be feasible for each individual country to apply EU directives at the same speed and with the same intensity. So the President of the Commission, Jean-Claude Juncker, has said in Brussels.

What specific ideas does the President of the Commission have in this connection?

How would the members of the separate blocs in a two-speed Europe be selected? Would it be a matter of euro zone members against non-euro zone members?

In a reconfigured Europe along these lines, would Hungary be among the core members or would it be relegated to the periphery?