



Recovery opportunities for the Blue Economy in EU OUTERMOST REGIONS

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Principles of #EUSolidarity

protecting communities from **economic impact**



funding research for **vaccines and treatments**



coordinating **emergency resources** to fight the virus



helping people be **safe and responsible**



offering help to **EU neighbours and communities**





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These investments will not only preserve the outstanding achievements of the last 70 years, but will also ensure that our Union is climate-neutral, digital, social and a strong global player. This is Europe's moment.

Ursula von der Leyen
President of the European Commission

Policy drivers for the recovery

- **European Green Deal** at the heart of the EU's recovery strategy
- Strengthening the **Single Market** and adapting it to the **digital** age
- **Fair and inclusive** recovery for all

➔ Build a **more resilient EU**

➔ **EU as global driver**

Elements of Response

1. Health and emergency response
2. Economic response
3. Research and funding
4. Coordinated exit



1. Health and emergency response



Getting equipment where it's needed.



Investing in top quality research.



Direct funding to EU health systems.



Buying supplies together – making it faster and cheaper.



Facilitating and promoting expert advice.

2. Economic response

State aid rules

- liquidity to economy
- support SMEs, jobs, etc.

SURE program

- €100 billion
- support for unemployed

Complements ECB measures

- €750 bn new measures
- €120 bn earlier

Recovery Plan for Europe

- €750 bn Next Generation EU
- €1100 bn long-term EU budget

Budget flexibility

- 'Escape Clause'
- maximum flexibility

Coronavirus Response Investment Initiative

- unspent cohesion funds
- transfers between funds, regions and priorities

Principles of economic response



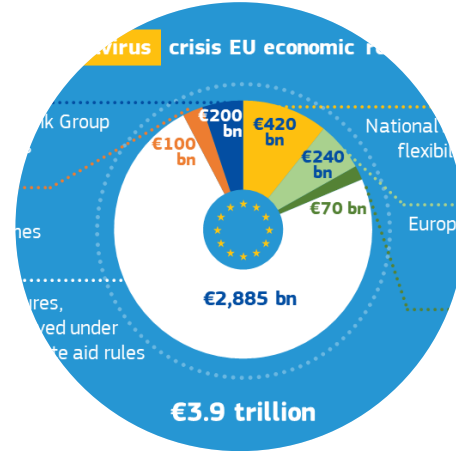
Keeping economy going

Infrastructure, goods, funds, etc.



Supporting workers and business

Trillions from countries, EC, ECB, EIB.



Adapting funding for crisis

From long term EU budget to Next Generation EU



All available resources

Every instrument explored.

Recovery Plan for Europe



Supporting Member States to recover, repair and emerge stronger from the crisis



Kick starting the economy and helping private investment to get moving again

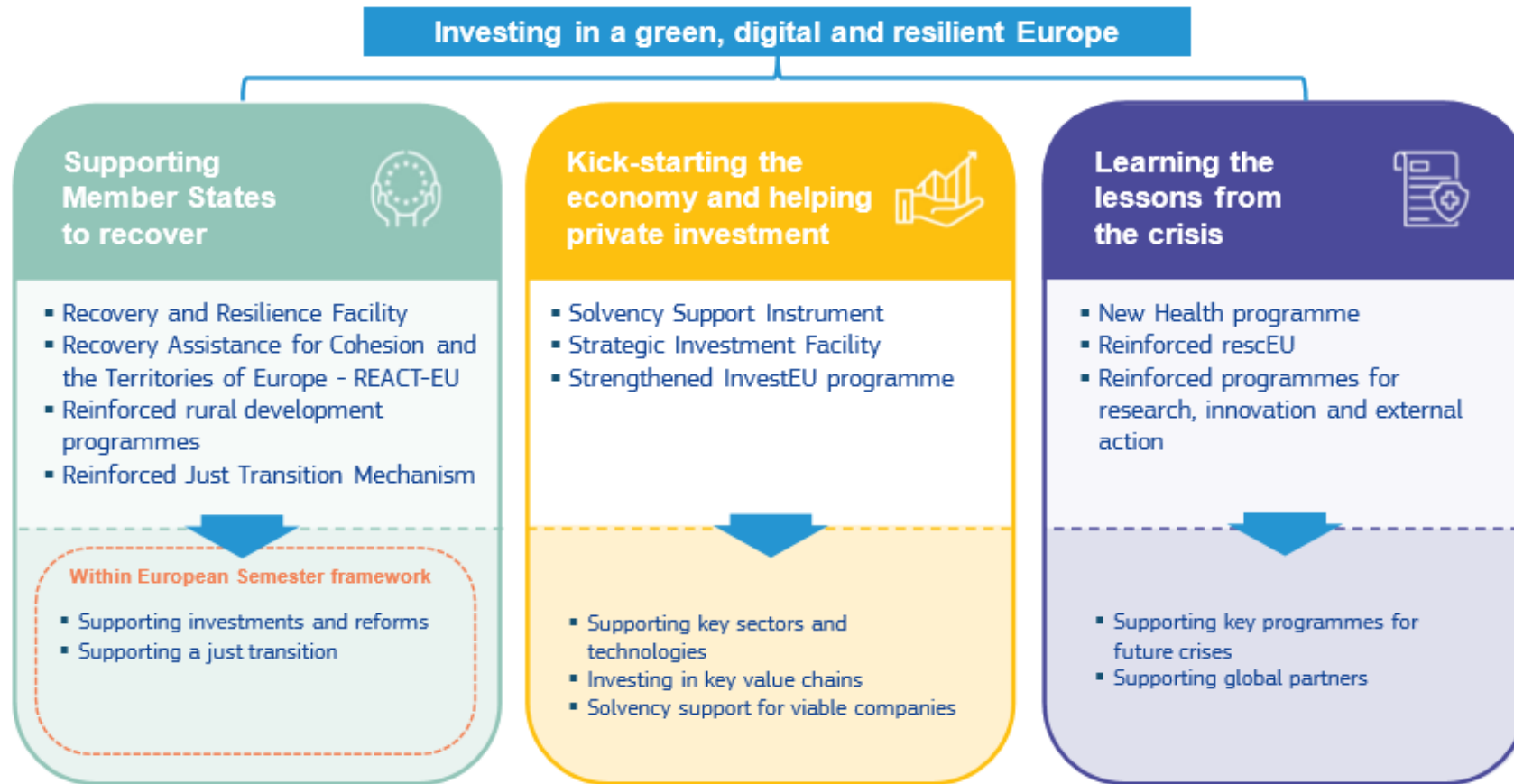


Learning the lessons of the crisis and addressing Europe's strategic challenges



SURE / ESM / EIB Guarantee	€540 billion
Next Generation EU	€750 billion
Long-term EU budget	€1100 billion

The money raised for Next Generation EU will be invested in **three pillars**:



Source: European Commission

Green transition driving economic recovery

- Europe's growth strategy
- Hundreds of thousands of new green jobs
- Just Transition Fund to assist Member States and ensure support to those most affected
- Green transition will make Europe more resilient and strategically autonomous



**CLIMATE PACT AND
CLIMATE LAW**

**PROMOTING
CLEAN
ENERGY**



**INVESTING IN
SMARTER, MORE
SUSTAINABLE
TRANSPORT**

**PROTECTING
NATURE**



**STRIVING
FOR GREENER
INDUSTRY**

**The European
Green Deal**

**FROM FARM
TO FORK**



**ELIMINATING
POLLUTION**

**LEADING THE
GREEN CHANGE GLOBALLY**



**MAKING
HOMES ENERGY EFFICIENT**



**FINANCING GREEN
PROJECTS**



**ENSURING A JUST
TRANSITION FOR ALL**

EU Biodiversity Strategy 2030

**PROTECTING
NATURE**



**ENABLE
TRANSFORMATIVE
CHANGE**

**RESTORING
NATURE**



**INTERNATIONAL
DIMENSION**

From farm to fork – most sustainable and healthy food to become most affordable food

Actions to ensure **sustainable farming practices**



Actions to stimulate **sustainable** practices by **food industry and retail, hospitality and food service**



Actions for **sustainable fisheries and aquaculture**

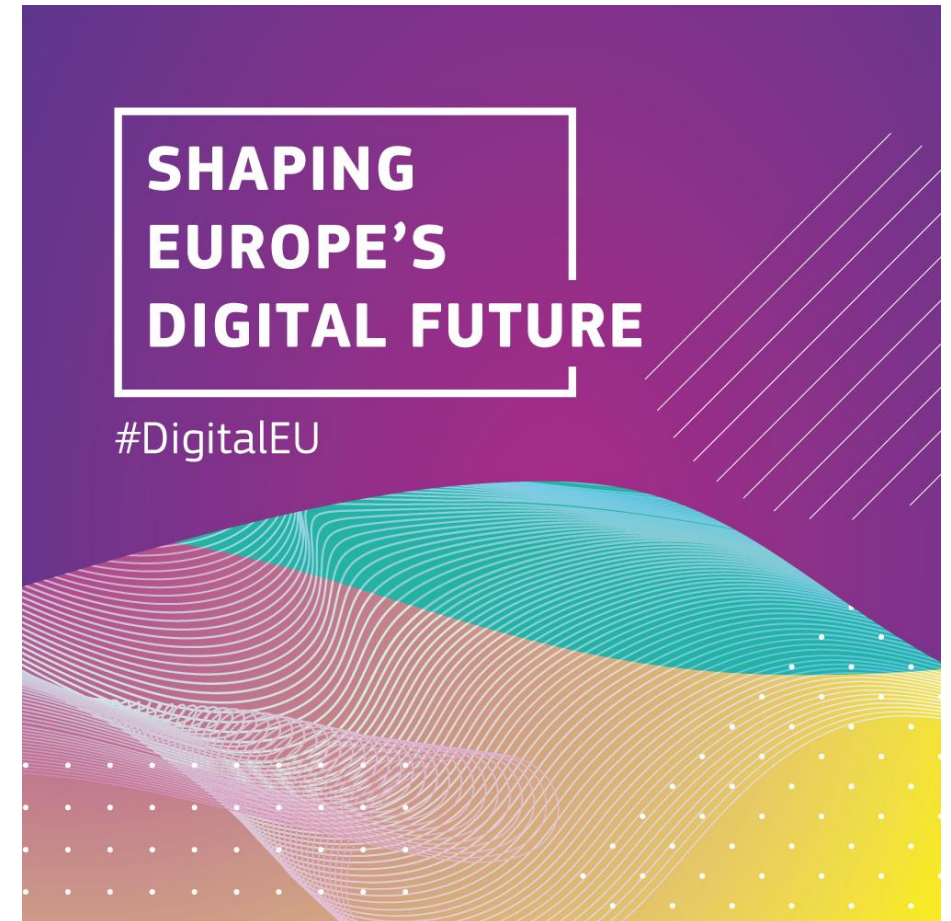


Actions to promote shift towards **healthy, sustainable diets**



The Digital transformation

- Connectivity (5G and broadband)
- Data economy (including data spaces)
- Technology (High Performance Computing, Quantum, AI and blockchain)
- Fair business environment
- Skills Agenda for Europe
- Cybersecurity





3. Research and Funding

- €9.8 billion raised for fair and universal access to vaccines
- Funding research projects and teams across Europe and beyond
- €1 billion for vaccines, treatments, tests

4. Coordinated exit strategy



- Phase-out confinement
- Coordination on timing
- Common principles
- Tracing Apps

Tourism and travel in 2020 and beyond

SUPPORTING THE EU TOURISM INDUSTRY



#CORONAVIRUS



- Restore free movement
- Reboot tourism
- Support transportation
- Travel voucher

Merci – obrigada – gracias

#NextGenerationEU *#StrongerTogether*