

# Presidencies of the Council of the European Union (1958-2020)


**Caption:** List of the Presidencies of the Council from a historical perspective (EEC Council, EAEC Council, Council of the European Communities and Council of the European Union).

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Presidencies of the Council of the European Union (1958-2020)  
Presidencies of the Six

Presidencies of the Six	
1 January - 30 June 1958	Belgium
1 July - 31 December 1958	Germany
1 January - 30 June 1959	France
1 July - 31 December 1959	Italy
1 January - 30 June 1960	Luxembourg
1 July - 31 December 1960	Netherlands
1 January - 30 June 1961	Belgium
1 July - 31 December 1961	Germany
1 January - 30 June 1962	France
1 July - 31 December 1962	Italy
1 January - 30 June 1963	Luxembourg
1 July - 31 December 1963	Netherlands
1 January - 30 June 1964	Belgium
1 July - 31 December 1964	Germany
1 January - 30 June 1965	France
1 July - 31 December 1965	Italy
1 January - 30 June 1966	Luxembourg
1 July - 31 December 1966	Netherlands
1 January - 30 June 1967	Belgium
1 July - 31 December 1967	Germany
1 January - 30 June 1968	France
1 July - 31 December 1968	Italy
1 January - 30 June 1969	Luxembourg
1 July - 31 December 1969	Netherlands
1 January - 30 June 1970	Belgium
1 July - 31 December 1970	Germany
1 January - 30 June 1971	France
1 July - 31 December 1971	Italy
1 January - 30 June 1972	Luxembourg
1 July - 31 December 1972	Netherlands

Presidencies of the Nine

Presidencies of the Nine	
1 January - 30 June 1973	Belgium
1 July - 31 December 1973	Denmark
1 January - 30 June 1974	Germany
1 July - 31 December 1974	France
1 January - 30 June 1975	Ireland
1 July - 31 December 1975	Italy
1 January - 30 June 1976	Luxembourg
1 July - 31 December 1976	Netherlands
1 January - 30 June 1977	United Kingdom
1 July - 31 December 1977	Belgium
1 January - 30 June 1978	Denmark
1 July - 31 December 1978	Germany
1 January - 30 June 1979	France
1 July - 31 December 1979	Ireland
1 January - 30 June 1980	Italy
1 July - 31 December 1980	Luxembourg
1 January - 30 June 1981	Netherlands
1 July - 31 December 1981	United Kingdom

Presidencies of the Ten

Presidencies of the Ten	
1 January - 30 June 1982	Belgium
1 July - 31 December 1982	Denmark
1 January - 30 June 1983	Germany
1 July - 31 December 1983	Greece
1 January - 30 June 1984	France
1 July - 31 December 1984	Ireland
1 January - 30 June 1985	Italy
1 July - 31 December 1985	Luxembourg
1 January - 30 June 1986	Netherlands
1 July - 31 December 1986	United Kingdom

Presidencies of the Twelve

Presidencies of the Twelve	
1 January - 30 June 1987	Belgium
1 July - 31 December 1987	Denmark
1 January - 30 June 1988	Germany
1 July - 31 December 1988	United Kingdom
1 January - 30 June 1989	Spain
1 July - 31 December 1989	France
1 January - 30 June 1990	Ireland
1 July - 31 December 1990	Italy
1 January - 30 June 1991	Luxembourg
1 July - 31 December 1991	Netherlands
1 January - 30 June 1992	Portugal
1 July - 31 December 1992	United Kingdom
1 January - 30 June 1993	Denmark
1 July - 31 December 1993	Belgium
1 January - 30 June 1994	Greece
1 July - 31 December 1994	Germany
1 January - 30 June 1995	France
1 July - 31 December 1995	Spain
1 January - 30 June 1996	Italy
1 July - 31 December 1996	Ireland
1 January - 30 June 1997	Netherlands
1 July - 31 December 1997	Luxembourg
1 January - 30 June 1998	United Kingdom

Presidencies of the Fifteen

Presidencies of the Fifteen	
1 July - 31 December 1998	Austria
1 January - 30 June 1999	Germany
1 July - 31 December 1999	Finland
1 January - 30 June 2000	Portugal
1 July - 31 December 2000	France
1 January - 30 June 2001	Sweden
1 July - 31 December 2001	Belgium
1 January - 30 June 2002	Spain
1 July - 31 December 2002	Denmark
1 January - 30 June 2003	Greece
1 July - 31 December 2003	Italy
1 January - 30 June 2004	Ireland
1 July - 31 December 2004	Netherlands
1 January - 30 June 2005	Luxembourg
1 July - 31 December 2005	United Kingdom

Presidencies of the Twenty-five

Presidencies of the Twenty-five	
1 January - 30 June 2006	Austria
1 July - 31 December 2006	Finland
1 January - 30 June 2007	Germany
1 July - 31 December 2007	Portugal
1 January - 30 June 2008	Slovenia
1 July - 31 December 2008	France
1 January - 30 June 2009	Czech Republic
1 July - 31 December 2009	Sweden
1 January - 30 June 2010	Spain
1 July - 31 December 2010	Belgium
1 January - 30 June 2011	Hungary
1 July - 31 December 2011	Poland
1 January - 30 June 2012	Denmark
1 July - 31 December 2012	Cyprus
1 January - 30 June 2013	Ireland
1 July - 31 December 2013	Lithuania
1 January - 30 June 2014	Greece
1 July - 31 December 2014	Italy
1 January - 30 June 2015	Latvia
1 July - 31 December 2015	Luxembourg
1 January - 30 June 2016	Netherlands
1 July - 31 December 2016	Slovakia
1 January - 30 June 2017	Malta
1 July - 31 December 2017	United Kingdom
1 January - 30 June 2018	Estonia

## Presidencies of the Twenty-seven

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