



AN INTERNATIONAL DIGITAL STRATEGY FOR THE EUROPEAN UNION

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Key objectives of the International Digital Strategy for the European Union:

Expanding
international
partnerships

Deploying
an EU Tech
Business
Offer

Strengthening
security and
global digital
governance

1. EXPANDING INTERNATIONAL PARTNERSHIPS

Countries and companies globally are showing increasing interest in digital cooperation with the EU.

We will:

1.

DEEPEN

existing partnerships
and dialogues
in key areas

2.

AGREE ON

new digital
partnerships
and dialogues

3.

LEAD

a global network of
partners via the Digital
Partnerships Network

4.

STRENGTHEN

our tech competitiveness
and security as well as
that of our partners

The EU is collaborating with international partners through:

DIGITAL
PARTNERSHIPS

DIGITAL
DIALOGUES

CYBERSECURITY
DIALOGUES

SECURITY
AND DEFENCE
PARTNERSHIPS

TRADE AND
TECHNOLOGY
COUNCILS

REGIONAL
PARTNERSHIPS

DIGITAL
ECONOMY
PACKAGES

2. DEPLOYING THE EU TECH BUSINESS OFFER

- A public-private effort to expand Europe's global tech footprint
- Tailor-made packages for mutual benefit
- Managed by the EU and Member States through a Team Europe approach

Priority areas:



AI



Digital
Infrastructure



Quantum



Cybersecurity



Semiconductors



Digital Identity
and Public
Infrastructure



5G/6G



Online
Platforms

3. STRENGTHENING GLOBAL DIGITAL GOVERNANCE

- **Promote** a rules-based global digital order, in line with our fundamental values
- **Advance** EU interests by setting the standards for key digital technologies
- **Ensure** internet governance evolves with technological developments
- **Update** global governance for Web 4.0
- **Protect** the global availability and integrity of the Internet
- **Promote** digital agenda founded in security for the EU and for its partners

Existing partnerships:

EU DIGITAL TRADE

€3 trillion

EU trade in digital
services in 2024

CONNECTIVITY

7100 km

length of Medusa cable
across the Mediterranean

PARTNERSHIPS

30+

Digital + regional partnerships,
trade and technology councils
and thematic dialogues