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The new Road Safety Policy of the European Union

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1.35 million

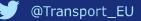










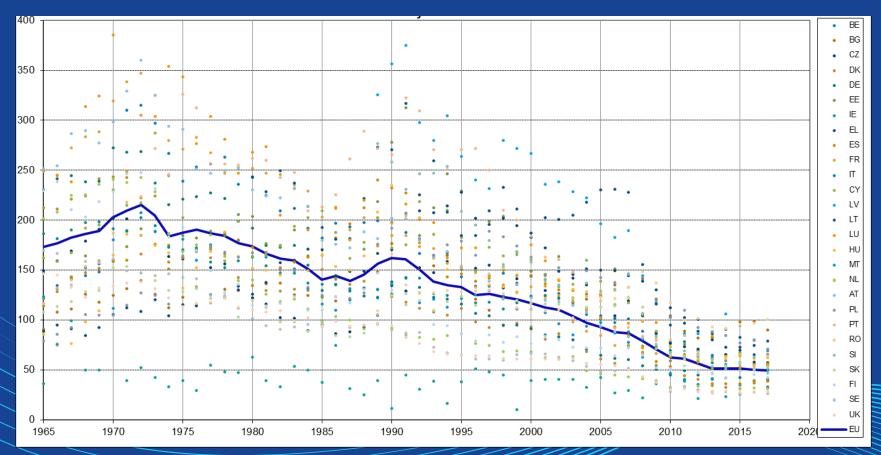








Long-term development



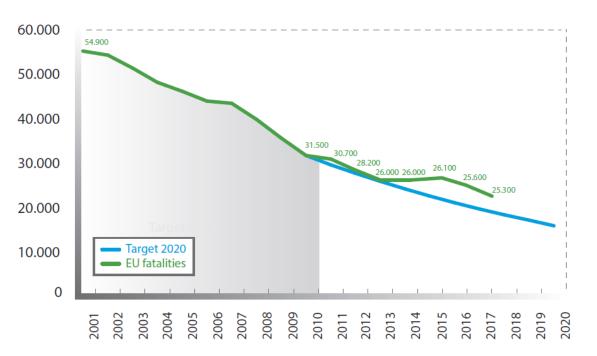
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Road fatalities in the EU and current target



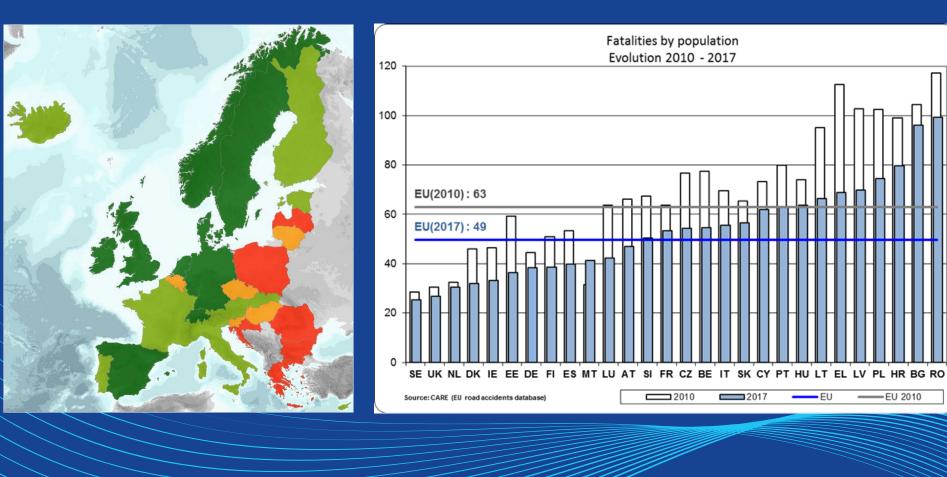
Source – CARE (EU road accidents database)



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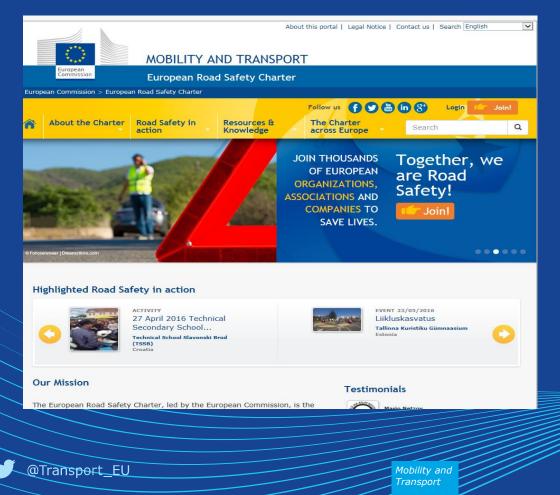
EU instruments for road safety

- Road accident data collection and analysis
- Legislation eg Vehicle Safety, Infrastructure
- Funding/financing support for investment e.g. in safe infrastructure, research, studies
- Best practice guidelines
- European Road Safety Charter





The European Road Safety Charter



- Civil society platform
- More than 3500 members

http://www.erscharter.eu/





Excellence in Road Safety Awards





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Existing EU policy framework

Valletta Declaration of EU transport ministers (March 2017)

- Renewed commitment to road safety
- Confirmation of « Vision Zero »
- Reduction target for deaths and serious injuries





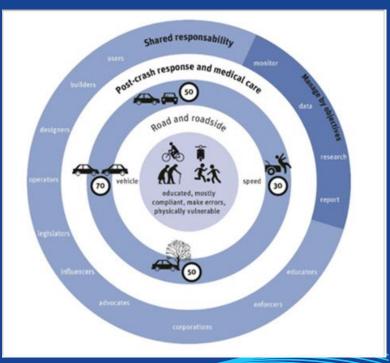


Road safety policy framework 2021-2030

• Principles:

- Safe System/Vision Zero (2050)
- New interim targets (50% reduction in fatalities and serious injuries)
- **Legislation** where necessary
- Key performance indicators
- Reinforced coordination / exchanges
- **Funding** support one stop shop
- Voluntary Commitments

= NEW WAY OF WORKING TOGETHER







Thank you!





