

#TheImplementers

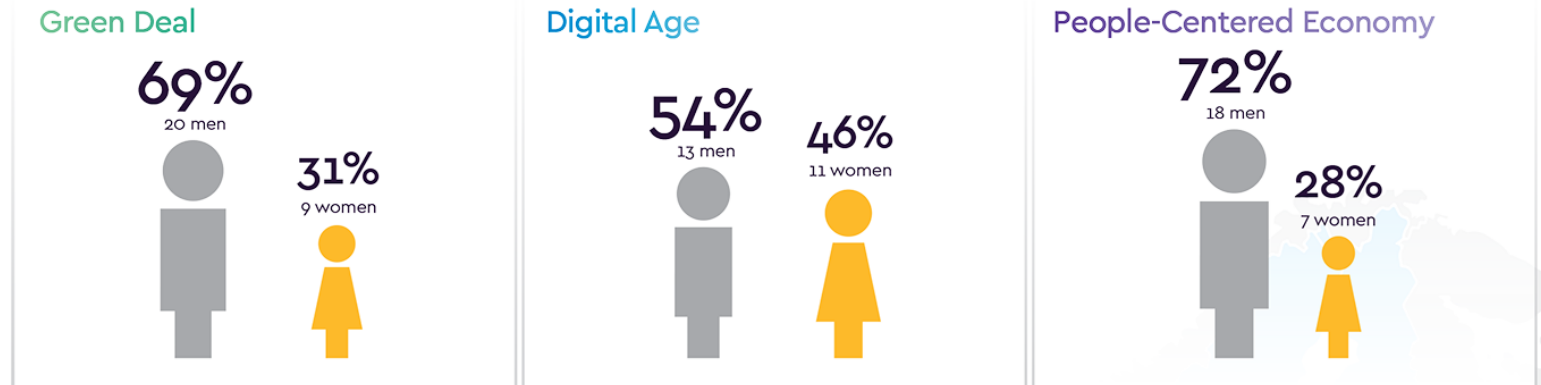
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Who are the **#TheImplementers** of the Green Deal, Digital Age and People-Centre Economy priorities of the European Union? [Download them here.](#)

The graphs show the statistics on the gender, geographic and political distribution of **#TheImplementers** from the Commission and the Parliament only. They will be updated every six months with each Presidency. Stay tuned on Twitter for future updates [@logos_pa!](#)

Gender

European institutions are failing to reach a gender-balanced leadership. Meanwhile, the Parliament and the Commission are close to a gender balance among **#TheImplementers** working on the Digital Age priority. The gender imbalance among **#TheImplementers** working on the Green Deal and People-Centre Economy priorities calls for action.



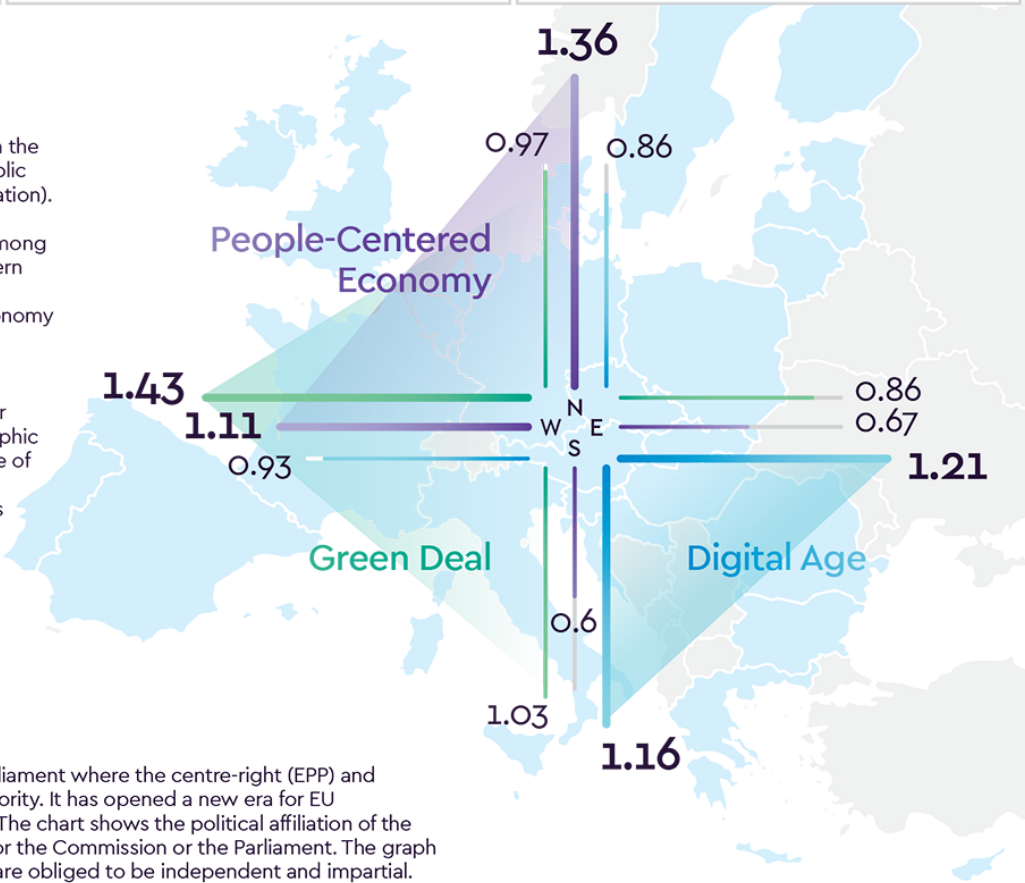
Geography

Geographical divides often shape the policy debate in the EU, whether on economic matters (protectionism, public spending) or value-based issues (e.g. rule of law, migration).

As shown, Western Europeans are overrepresented among **#TheImplementers** working on the Green Deal; Northern and Western Europeans are overrepresented among **#TheImplementers** working on the People-Centre Economy priority, whereas they are underrepresented among **#TheImplementers** working on the Digital Age one.

The map shows the extent to which each area is either under- or overrepresented, compared to their geographic distribution. Each figure indicates the ratio of the share of **#TheImplementers** coming from the East (vs. West) on the relative demographic size of Eastern Europeans (compared to Western Europeans).

In a nutshell, a figure below 1 means that the region is underrepresented. And vice versa.



Politics

In May 2019, the European elections led to a hung parliament where the centre-right (EPP) and centre-left (S&D) parties no longer jointly hold the majority. It has opened a new era for EU policymaking after decades of two-party dominance. The chart shows the political affiliation of the decision makers among **#TheImplementers** working for the Commission or the Parliament. The graph does not take Commission staff into account as they are obliged to be independent and impartial.

