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The EU is irrelevant on the global stage and will soon collapse. Its demise is a slow extinction and no policy can save it or its Member States.

Source: This narrative is often pushed by pro-Kremlin disinformation campaigns to undermine Europe's position in the world.

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The EU has faced challenges and pressures from **populism** and **global economic competitors**, like **China** and the **U.S.**, but it has always adapted.

The EU remains one of the largest economies and trading partners in **the world**.



Every day, the EU

exports

hundreds of millions

of euros worth of goods, and imports hundreds of millions more.

Through international initiatives, such as the **Global Gateway**, and participation in **diplomatic processes**, the EU continues to be a standard-setter and play a crucial role in addressing global challenges.



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