



QUESTIONS FOR THE FINAL EXAM IN EUROPEAN (EUROPEAN UNION) LAW ACADEMIC YEAR 2022/2023

European Union, European Union Law

- 1) The EU and its basic characteristics. History of its establishment, its legal predecessors, reasons of their establishment. Relationship of the EU and the European Atomic Energy Community.
- 2) Competence of the EU. Principle of conferral of powers. Types of competence and division of competence between the EU and the Member States.
- 3) Limits of adoption of EU law. Principles of subsidiarity and proportionality.
- 4) Sources of EU law, basic characteristics and hierarchy.
- 5) Primary law of the EU. History and reforms of the founding treaties.
- 6) Charter of Fundamental Rights of the EU, scope of application.
- 7) Secondary law of the EU, its relationship to primary law, types.
- 8) Regulation. Directive, Decision, Recommendation, Opinion: their legal effects.
- 9) General principles of EU law. Principle of supremacy and direct effect.
- 10) EU law making, co-decision procedure. International agreements.
- 11) Enforcement of EU law, its transposition and implementation of EU law. Publication of EU law.
- 12) Transposition and implementation of EU law in the Slovak Republic.
- 13) Four freedoms, EU Single Market.
- 14) Identify the type of source of EU law and explain your statement:
 - subsidiarity
 - Treaty on Functioning of the European Union
 - Interinstitutional Agreement between the European Parliament, the Council of the European Union and the European Commission on Better Law-Making
 - Treaty of Nice
 - Council Decision (EU) 2021/877 of 26 May 2021 appointing a member and an alternate member, proposed by the Italian Republic, of the Committee of the Regions
 - Regulation (EC) No 593/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 June 2008 on the law applicable to contractual obligations (Rome I)
 - Treaty of Accession of Austria, Finland and Sweden
 - European Parliament resolution of 26 November 2020 on the EU Trade Policy Review
 - Rules of Procedure of the European Commission
 - 26/62 *NV Algemene Transport- en Expeditie Onderneming van Gend & Loos v Netherlands Inland Revenue Administration*
 - non-discrimination on the ground of nationality





Institutional system of the European Union

- 15) The institutional of the EU, its structure and division of powers.
- 16) European Council. Council of the EU. European Commission. European Parliament. Court of Justice of the EU. Basic characteristics and their role regarding the adoption/interpretation/establishment of validity of EU law.
- 17) European Council – its role and composition.
- 18) Council of the EU – its role, structure, competences.
- 19) European Commission – its role, structure, competences.
- 20) European Parliament – its role, structure, competences.
- 21) Court of Justice of the EU – its role, structure, competences.
- 22) Role of the Commission and the Court of Justice in enforcing EU law.
- 23) Rule of law mechanisms of the EU.
- 24) Institutions, bodies and agencies of the EU, division, examples.
- 25) EU law making, co-decision procedure, ordinary legislative procedure.
- 26) Protection of fundamental rights in the EU.
- 27) EU citizenship, rights of EU citizens, European citizens' initiatives
- 28) Identify mistakes in the following statements, explain them and state their corrections:

Eurocommission introduced proposal for European Magnitsky act.

German EU presidency reduces meetings over Covid-19 fears.

Europarlament rejects petition for protection of insects in Europe.

EU summit adopted legally binding acts on solution of corona crisis.

European states claimed that the transposition of regulation was correct and on time.

European citizens wish that the Court of Justice was replaced to Brussels.

