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# CONTEMPORARY EUROPE:

The foundations of European civilization are Greek culture, Roman politics and Christianity. The beginning of the 21st century has brought Europe closer than ever to the realization of an old political project: European unity.

The EU will be able to meet the challenges of the 21st century if it manages to cross the threshold of political unity, a goal set by its founding fathers.

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Currently, the basic element of European diversity  
is: DEMOCRACY

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Democracy was implemented with exceptional speed in Europe after the collapse of communism. For example, the issue of minorities, which has so often destabilized Central Europe, has been resolved without drama. At the same time, the values of pluralism, tolerance, solidarity, justice and non-discrimination, all embodied in the Charter of Citizens' Rights, become the letter of the law. The dignity of the person is thus placed at the center of political and social organization.



# U.E. SYMBOLS



## THE FLAG:

Since May 26, 1986, the flag twelve star blue, adopted in 1955 by the Council of Europe, officially becomes the flag European Community.

## HYMN

: "Ode to Joy", the prelude to that the fourth part of the Ninth Symphony by Ludwig van Bethoven, was adopted as a European anthem meeting at the European Council in June 1985, laMilano



## Motto

As of May 4, 2002, the European Union also has a currency "Unity in diversity"



## CURRENCY (€)

With effect from 1 January 1999, the euro has become the European currency unique.

Euro banknotes and coins have been distributed since 2 January 2002.



## UNITY IN DIVERSITY

In order to promote peace and prosperity, Europeans came together, while accepting the individuality of each people, the diverse cultures, traditions and languages of the old continent.

Unity in diversity can represent how people around the world should relate to each other through the perspective of cultural diversity.

Thus, through uniqueness, regardless of origin, ethnicity, sex, religion, color, etc., each individual participates in European and world cultural diversity.

People are a tree of diversity

