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Priority? Autonomy! European Energy Autonomy



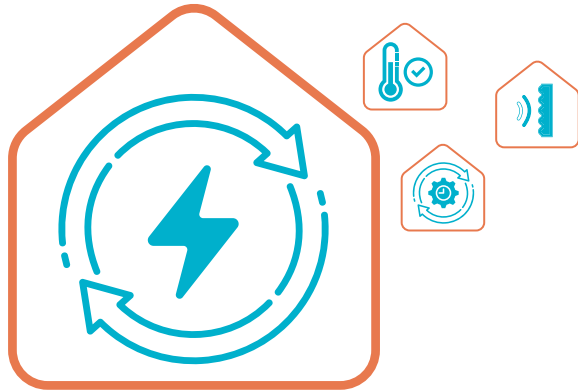
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Proper insulation enhances Europe's energy resilience by reducing dependency on energy imports.

The EU currently imports 53% of its energy, costing around €1 billion per day.

By improving energy efficiency through insulation, Europe decreases the need for imported energy, making it less vulnerable to supply disruptions and price fluctuations.



1% Improvement in Energy Efficiency = 2.6% Reduction in Gas Imports

- ▶ Renovating an energy class F building to as little as class E can reduce dependence on Russian energy imports by 13%
- ▶ Reducing gas imports mitigates supply risks and directly aligns with EU climate goals of decreasing fossil fuel use
- ▶ The recovered resources can be allocated to other essential sectors like industry and transportation



53% of Energy Imported, Costing €1 Billion Per Day

- ▶ Europe imports over half (53%) of its energy
- ▶ Associated costs of approximately €1 billion every day
- ▶ Energy imports primarily come from geopolitically volatile regions
- ▶ Reducing this dependence strengthens the EU's strategic autonomy and economic stability



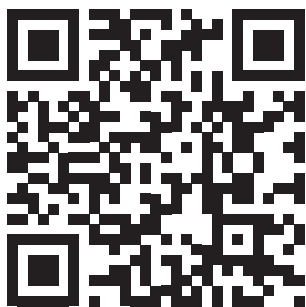
Lowering Energy Consumption for Greater Energy Independence

- ▶ Insulation cuts energy consumption in buildings, which account for 40% of Europe's total energy use
- ▶ Decreased demand for heating and cooling reduce Europe's overall energy imports
- ▶ Lowered EU reliance on other countries for natural gas
- ▶ Current building stock is 75% out of date. Insulating existing buildings is one of the fastest ways to remedy that

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