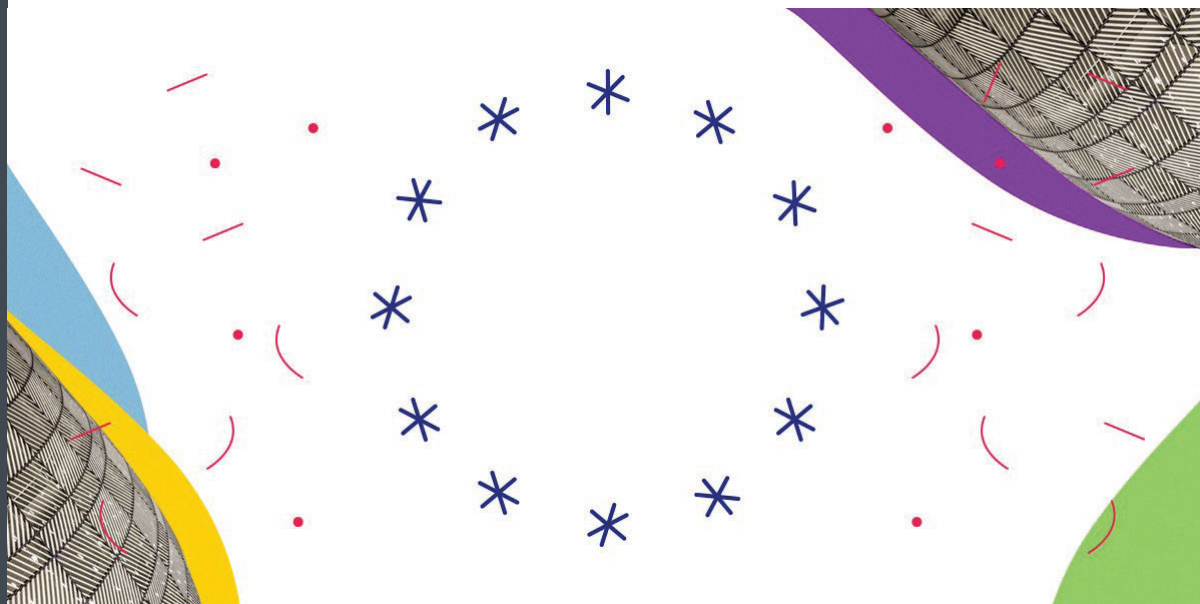


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For this edition, we have picked some of the main topics on their agenda: pushing the EU's climate neutrality goal, managing the coronavirus pandemic and preparing for the future relationship with the United Kingdom. We also take an exclusive behind the scenes look at how our interpreters and translators work during a European summit.

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Five facts about the EU's climate neutrality goal

Nearly a year ago, EU leaders pledged to make our continent climate neutral by 2050. Here are the facts you need to know when following their debate in Brussels this week.

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