



ReArm Europe: 800 Billion for European Defense

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Ursula von der Leyen, President of the European Commission, has sent a clear message: Europe must arm itself. The [ReArm Europe](#) plan, presented two days before the extraordinary defense summit, aims to strengthen the EU's security with a colossal budget of **800 billion euros**. "European security is threatened, we live in dangerous times," von der Leyen declared, emphasizing the need for a rapid and coordinated response.

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President Macron in talks with French soldiers

ReArm Europe: 5 Pillars for [Defense and Security](#)

The **ReArm Europe** plan is based on five fundamental pillars:

1. **Increase in defense spending** with the possibility for member states to exceed the deficit cap.

2. **150 billion euros in European loans** allocated to military investments.
3. **Greater budget flexibility** to allow states to allocate Cohesion policy funds to defense.
4. **Involvement of private capital** to accelerate the development of the European arms industry.
5. **Mobilization of the European Investment Bank** to support the EU's rearmament.

"If member states increased military spending by 1.5% of GDP, we could generate a fiscal space of about **650 billion euros** in four years," stated the President of the Commission.

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German soldiers in training

The Countdown to 2027: War in Sight?

According to Russian analysts, the risk of a conflict between **Russia and Europe** could materialize in the **Black Sea in 2027**. Putin continues his offensive, while the United States **will reduce military presence in Europe by 20,000 soldiers**. The arms race has already begun: by 2027, the EU must be ready to face a large-scale war.

Forecasts indicate that, in the event of a total blockade of Western military supplies, **Ukraine could resist for only six months**. However, the United States has transferred the responsibility of support to Europe, continuing to sell arms but leaving the management of the conflict to European allies.

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Italian soldier in training

Macron Warns: Romania and Moldova at Risk

Russian offensives are increasingly focusing on the **Black Sea ports**, with targeted attacks on strategic Ukrainian infrastructure. French President **Emmanuel Macron** has sounded the alarm on Romania and Moldova, which could be the next targets of Russian expansion. Moscow accuses Kiev of attacking energy infrastructure and strategic points, while the Kremlin intensifies monitoring operations with drones and advanced surveillance systems.

Towards an Autonomous European Defense

German Chancellor candidate **Friedrich Merz** has stated that Europe must be ready to **defend itself without US support**. NATO heavily relies on US intelligence, but the potential disconnection of Ukraine from Western satellite systems, such as **Elon Musk's Starlink**, could have devastating consequences.

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