

WRITTEN QUESTION E-5361/08
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to the Commission

Subject: Community funding for the high-speed railway (AVE) in Spain

Bearing in mind the large-scale infrastructure work that is planned and already under way in Spain to construct the various sections of the high-speed railway (AVE), co-financed by the European Structural and Cohesion Funds, can the Commission say what amount of Community funding will be available for the following sections of the AVE in the Iberian Peninsula, and under which European fund they will be supported:

1. Vigo-Tuy section; 2. Valença-Braga section; 3. Braga-Oporto section; 4. Zamora-Lubián-Ourense section; 5. Ourense-Santiago section; 6. Antequera-Granada section; 7. Madrid-Alicante section; 8. Madrid-Valencia section; 9. Madrid-Murcia section; 10. Almería-Murcia section; 11. Madrid - Badajoz section; 12. Madrid-León-Pajares-Oviedo-Gijón sections?