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to the Commission
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Subject: Digitalisation of traditional industries

The digital revolution affects the economy as a whole – not just new IT and communications companies, but also traditional industries such as textiles, the motor industry, food and agriculture, and energy. The digitalisation of products and services poses challenges but also presents major opportunities for those industries.

What resources did the Commission set aside under the previous MFF, and what resources does it plan to set aside under the current MFF, to fund projects designed to help traditional industries such as those mentioned above move towards digitalisation? Could the Commission state which projects it has funded with a view to improving the competitiveness of products and services in those areas?