

**Question for written answer E-003295/2021
to the Commission**

Rule 138

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Subject: EUROSUR border surveillance in the pre-frontier area

Through EUROSUR Fusion Services (EFS), Frontex monitors the European Union's pre-frontier area by means of satellites, chartered aircraft and drones. Incidents identified in the course of such surveillance are streamed to Frontex in Warsaw and forwarded to Member States and certain neighbouring non-EU countries.

1. How many satellite images (optical and SAR) did the EFS process in 2020, and how many alerts based on the identification of anomalies were generated from these?
2. How many 'vessels of interest' were monitored, and how many reports were produced as a result?
3. Which partners in non-EU countries with the capacity for situation monitoring were supported by the EFS in 2020, and how many products (satellite images, GEOINT, IMINT) and reports were forwarded to them?