

**Question for written answer E-004668/2021
to the Commission**
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Subject: The EU and AI

While the Commission fervently focuses its efforts on unaffordable climate deals, mass migration that the public doesn't want and gender madness (and thus the sexualisation of children), the EU remains addicted to American and Chinese technology, and European high-tech companies are increasingly being bought by Chinese companies, which are controlled by its communist government. In the field of AI, it is very likely that China's lead will just keep on growing, leaving the US to play catch-up. The EU seems to be lagging hopelessly behind.

1. What initiatives has the Commission already taken in this parliamentary term to take stock the EU's deficit in the field of AI?
2. What initiatives has the Commission already taken in the course of this parliamentary term to address the EU's dependence on the USA and China for AI and cutting-edge technology more generally?
3. What specific steps has the Commission taken during this parliamentary term to coordinate AI-related research in the Member States?