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- European Union Primary Materials
  Treaties
    Founding Treaties (from Europa)
    http://europa.eu/abc/treaties/index_en.htm

  EurLex (from Europa)


LexisNexis and Westlaw below.

**Legislative Materials** (regulations and directives)

- **EurLex** (from Europa)
  Legislation
  

  Legislation in Force
  

- **SCADplus** Summary of legislation and policies, from Europa.
  
  [http://europa.eu.int/scadplus/scad_en.htm](http://europa.eu.int/scadplus/scad_en.htm)

**Official Journal of the European Communities. L and C Series. Level 2 Microforms**

- **KJE908.O37, .O36**
  - L series: Regulations, directives, binding acts.
  - C series: Information and notices.

LexisNexis and Westlaw also.


Most recent in Level 1 Reference.

LexisNexis and Westlaw below.

**Case Law**

- **Recent Case Law**
  

- **EurLex** (from Europa)
  

- **European Court of Justice**
  

**Reports of Cases Before the Court.** Luxembourg: Court of Justice of the European Communities, 1959-1989.

**Level 1 KJE924.8 .C732.**

**Common Market Reporter.** Court Decisions, Court of Justice.


**Level 1 KJE2045.C6423.**

**European Community Cases.** Looseleaf.

Biceste: CCH Editions, c1989-

**Level 1 KJE924.5 .E89**


**Level 1 KJE945.E937 2000.**

A treatise on EU case law.

LexisNexis and Westlaw below.
• European Union Institutions

**European Commission**
General Information
http://www.europa.eu.int/comm/index_en.htm

Commission’s “Press Room”

**Key Directorates General:**

- Competition
  http://www.europa.eu.int/comm/competition/index_en.html

- Energy and Transport
  http://www.europa.eu.int/comm/dgs/energy_transport/index_en.html

- Enlargement
  http://www.europa.eu.int/comm/enlargement/index.htm

- Environment
  http://www.europa.eu.int/comm/environment/index_en.htm

**Council of the European Union (a/k/a Council of Ministers)**
General Information
http://ue.eu.int/en/Info/index.htm

- Presidency

- Press Room
  http://ue.eu.int/newsroom/newmain.asp?lang=1

**European Court of Justice**
General Information
http://curia.eu.int/en/

- Press Releases: Cases
European Council (Heads of State and Government)
General Information

Presidency Conclusions
http://europa.eu.int/european_council/conclusions/index_en.htm

European Parliament
General Information

Parliamentary Committees

News/Press Service

- Reference Resources
  Dictionaries, Encyclopedias, Directories, Catalogue
  A to Z Index of European Union Websites
  http://www.eurunion.org/infores/euindex.htm

  Covers European Union terms

  IDEA  Electronic Directory of the European Institutions (from Europa).

  http://europa.eu.int/eclas/ Free bibliographic reference for European publications,
  including those formerly in the SCAD database.

  Elsevier’s Dictionary of European Community Company/Business/
  Financial Law: in English, Danish, and German. Compiled by Hanne Bock, etc.


  Eurodicautom,  http://europa.eu.int/eurodicautom/login.jsp
  European Commissions multilingual term bank.

  Pubs. For the EC, 1995.
  Level 1 Reference HC241.2.158 1995.
Eurostat  [http://europa.eu.int/comm/eurostat/]
Some free statistics here, generally fee-based database.

Glossary  [http://europa.eu.int/scadplus/leg/en/cig/g4000.htm] [70 pages]

Guides

The ABC of Community Law. Klaus-Dieter Borchart.  [http://europa.eu.int/comm/publications/booklets/eu_documentation/02/index_en.htm] [125 pages]

Chapter 8. “European Union: Basic Legal Sources.”


Volume II covers the European Community.

Chapter 2, on the European Union, gives a brief description of the E. U. institutions and research resources.
“Researching the European Union”, from the Georgetown Law Library.

•  http://www.ll.georgetown.edu/intl/guides/eu/ Citation Form


• Journals, Yearbooks, Papers


  EU Focus. CCH Editions, c1996-. Level 1 KJE949.E963 and Level 2 Current Journals

  European Foreign Policy Bulletin online. Academy of European Law, European University Institute, Florence http://www.iue.it/EFPB/Welcome.html


  European Research Papers Archive http://eiop.or.at/erpa/ Online working papers in European integration research.


  RAVE (Decisions and articles in public international law and European law.)
  http://www.jura.uni-duesseldorf.de/rave/e/englhome.htm Covers current legal literature, mainly citations to articles and documents.
• Treatises
  Search words or subjects in the Westminster Law Library Catalog for specific subject treatises.
  Some examples of subject searches are:
  European Union
  Law – European Union countries
  Europe Economic Integration

  Specific word, subject searches: (examples)
  european union
  human rights Europe*
  european communities

Selected treatises:


• Keep up-to-date
  BBC New Europe. Monthly
  http://www.bbc.co.uk/worldservice/europe/neweurope/


  Delegation of the European Commission to the U.S.
  http://www.eurunion.org/

  Press releases of the EU institutions and other materials.

  EU Law Bog
  http://eulaw.typepad.com/eulawblog/
  An independent website.

  EUobserver.com  http://www.euobserver.com/
  An independent website.

  European Court of Justice Blog
  http://courtofjustice.blogspot.com/

  Today in Europe, The Week in Europe  (under Press Office)
  http://www.cec.org.uk/

• Selected Online Resources
  Free service with information on EU research and innovative development activities.

  The portal to European Union Law.

  EuroInternet  http://eiop.or.at/euroint/
  Information Resources Related to European Integration on the Internet

  Europa, the European Union On-line  http://europa.eu.int/

  Contains a large quantity of practical information about the Member States, Community law,
  European law and various aspects of civil and commercial law. Includes legal aid, enforcement of
  judgments, jurisdiction, divorce.

  European Union in the United States
  http://www.eurunion.org
History of the European Union
http://europa.eu.int/abc/history/index_en.htm

- Discussion Groups
  Euro-Lex All European Legal Information Exchange List
  http://www.listserv.dfn.de/cgi-bin/wa?SUBED1=euro-lex&A=1&F=P&T=0

- LexisNexis, Westlaw
  Refer to the Lexis Find A Source and the on-line Westlaw Database Directory (IDEN) for up-to-date listings.

  LexisNexis (selected)
  Legal, excluding U. S. > European Union
  Treaties, Cases, Legislation, Commentary
  News > Country and Region, excluding the U. S.
  Same as above, also News
  Legal > Secondary Legal
  Law Reviews, Combined
  News & Business > News

  Westlaw (selected)
  Directory > International/Worldwide Materials > European Union >
  All European Union Materials EU-ALL
  Treaties, Cases, Legislation, other.
  Directory > Law Reviews TP-ALL
  Directory > International, EU > Legal Journals Index LJI
  Directory > Westnews