

Neighbourhood Investment Facility (NIF)

Sources of funding

The NIF combines two sources of funding: the EU Budget and Member States' direct contributions.

Regarding the EU Budget, the Commission took the commitment to contribute a total amount of € 745 million for the NIF for the period 2007-2013.

Member States complement NIF resources with voluntary direct contributions; by the end of 2010, Member States have pledged € 62.5 million of contributions. A Trust Fund, opened in 2009 and managed by the European Investment Bank, receives these direct bilateral contributions.

Signature of the NIF Trust Fund Agreement (26/01/2009)



From right to left:
Commissioner Benita FERRERO-WALDNER,
Mr Karel SCHWARZENBERG, Czech Minister for Foreign
Affairs, President of the meeting,

Mr Philippe de FONTAINE, EIB (European Investment Bank) Vice-President

Member State	Pledges (M €) (2008-2010)
Germany	27.5
France	15
Austria	3
Poland	3
Czech Republic	2
Spain	2
Finland	2
Bulgaria	1
Estonia	1
Greece	1
Italy	1
Luxembourg	1
Portugal	1
Romania	1
Sweden	1
Total Amount (as at 31.12.10)	62.5