EUROPE 2020 - Timeline

2010

**European Commission**
Proposal for *Europe 2020 Strategy*  3 March

**European Council**
Endorsement of overall approach and EU headline targets  25-26 March

**European Council**
- Approval of *Europe 2020 Strategy* and validation of national targets
- Endorsement of Integrated guidelines  June

**European Council**
Discussion on selected thematic issues  October

**Member States**
Submission of Stability/Convergence Programmes and National Reform Programmes

2011

**European Commission**
Annual Progress Report:
- Opinion on Stability/Convergence Programmes
- Proposal for Country Specific Recommendations

**European Parliament**
Plenary debate and adoption of a resolution  February

**European Council**
- Assessment of progress
- Endorsement of Country Specific Recommendations  March

**Member States**
Submission of Stability/Convergence Programmes and National Reform Programmes

2012

Same procedure with specific focus on monitoring of progress and possible *policy warnings* by the European Commission