



LEADING EUROPE'S PATH TO RESOURCE SOVEREIGNTY.

Strategic Raw Materials and Metals:
The backbone of competitive
industries and Europe's future

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Uniting Voices across Europe

EUMICON is a Europe-wide platform connecting stakeholders from the entire value chain of mineral resources and metals industries. We bring together companies, policymakers, NGOs, academia, and trade unions with a common goal: to build a strong, competitive, and sustainable Europe. By fostering cooperation across diverse perspectives, EUMICON ensures that Europe's raw materials and metals industries continue to serve as the backbone of innovation, prosperity, and industrial resilience.

As the voice of these industries at EU level, we create a space for dialogue and strategic collaboration. Through high-level events, workshops, bilateral meetings, and delegation trips, we bring decision-makers and experts together to discuss solutions for Europe's biggest challenges. Positioned at the intersection of policy, industry, and society, EUMICON acts as a mediator and catalyst, building bridges between stakeholders, fostering cooperation, and ensuring Europe's leadership in innovation, sustainability, and competitiveness.

EUMICON's values



Togetherness

Fostering cooperation between stakeholders to find common solutions.



Skills & education
Coherent EU industrial policies.



Sustainability

Building a European industrial sovereignty in line with the climate goals.



Strategic Autonomy
Investments & funding.



Resilience

Advocating for resilient value chains in Europe.



Access to Raw Materials & Affordable energy.

Securing the future of our industry in Europe

In a rapidly changing world, Europe faces major challenges from geopolitical tensions and trade disruptions to pressing climate goals. A strong, resilient industry is vital, with the raw materials value chain at its core, supporting economic stability, innovation, and the green transition. Emerging sectors like clean tech and digital innovation depend on a sustainable supply of materials, making a competitive, secure industrial base key to a cleaner and more autonomous Europe.

The **Clean Industrial Deal (CID)** is Europe's strategic answer to the dual challenge of climate change and industrial competitiveness through innovation and investment. It drives the shift towards a circular economy by aligning industrial policy with EU climate goals and positioning Europe as a global leader in clean technologies and sustainable manufacturing. **To achieve this vision, the raw materials and metals industry calls on European institutions to:**



Ensure **affordable energy** for key industries to maintain **independence and global competitiveness.**



Support **strategic investments** needed to promote sustainable practices and industrial resilience.



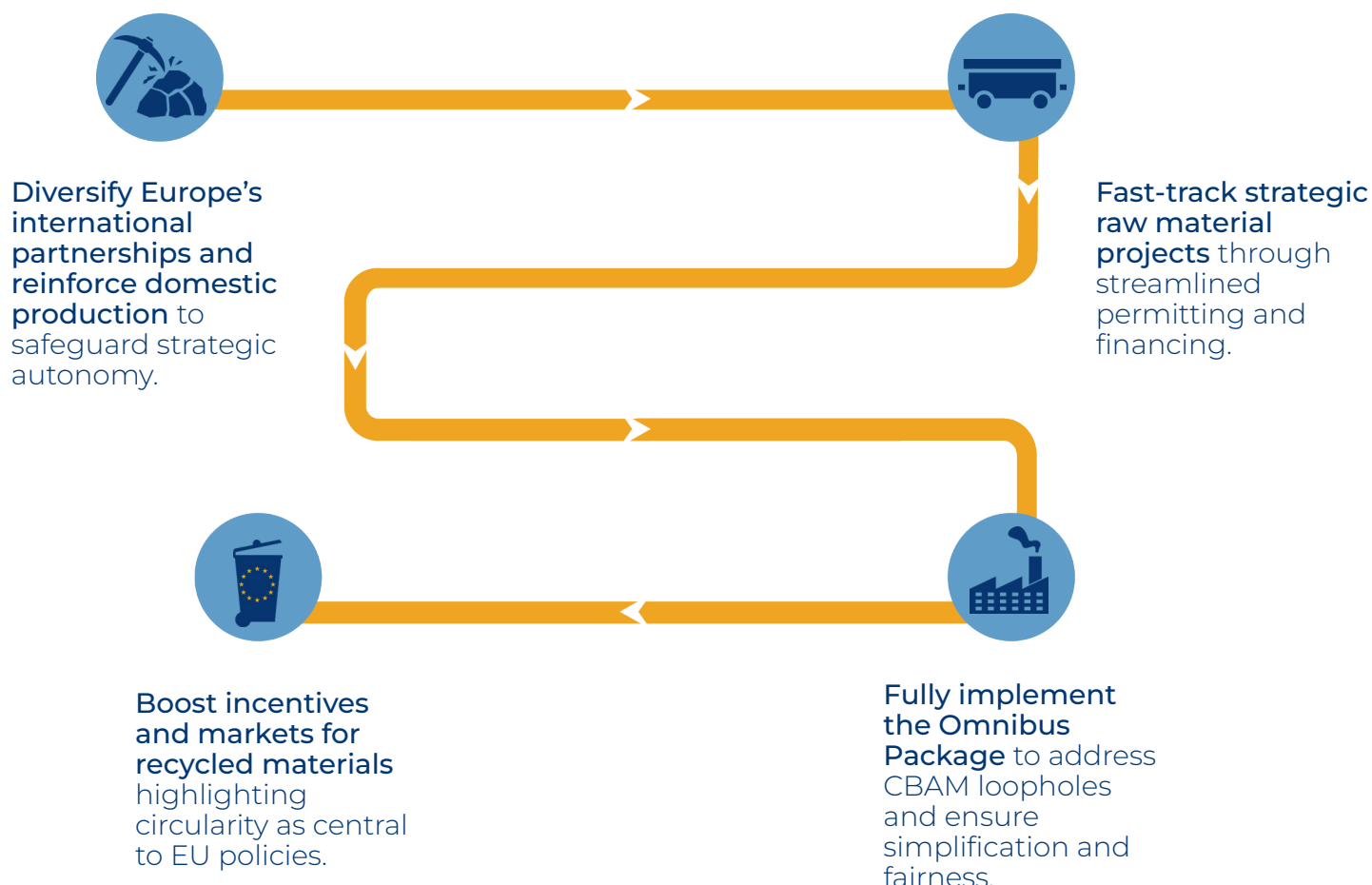
Boost **R&D, digitalisation and skills** to position raw materials at the heart of Europe's future.



Level the playing field through **fair trade and lighter EU regulation** to boost industrial competitiveness.

Strengthening the competitiveness of the raw materials value chain

In close alignment with the Clean Industrial Deal, the Critical Raw Materials Act (CRMA) reinforces the EU's commitment to building secure, sustainable, and diversified supply chains for raw materials. It plays a vital role in ensuring Europe's competitiveness while advancing in both the green and digital transitions. Europe must take decisive actions, including:



Core Actions

Europe's raw materials and metals industry faces major challenges, from geopolitical risks and supply chain disruptions to high energy costs and rising global demand, and is committed to:

- **Achieve competitive and sustainable growth** through a coordinated strategy across the entire value chain.
- **Strengthen Europe's resilience** by securing access to critical resources, reducing external dependencies, and driving innovation and circularity across the value chain.
- **Promote initiatives** like EUMICON's **#MadeinEurope** to boost local industry, enhance sustainability, and advance Europe's strategic autonomy.

We call attention to the need for investment in domestic resources, recycling, and international cooperation. With the right actions, Europe can build a resilient industrial base and lead the transition to a greener, more secure future.

Join us today to:

- **Connect and engage** with a network of European experts and industry stakeholders.
- **Participate in and lead** exclusive high-level events to drive innovation in the raw materials industry.
- **Stay informed and discover** the latest developments in raw material regulations, trends, and technologies through our digital channels.

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