



# European e-Justice

« Justice at a click »

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# Introduction



<b>bg</b>	Европейски портал за електронно правосъдие
<b>cs</b>	Portál evropské e-Justice
<b>da</b>	Europæisk e-Justice Portal
<b>de</b>	Europäisches Justizportal
<b>et</b>	Euroopa e-õiguskeskkonna portaal
<b>el</b>	Διαδικτυακή πύλη της ευρωπαϊκής ηλεκτρονικής δικαιοσύνης
<b>en</b>	European e-Justice Portal
<b>es</b>	Portal Europeo de e-Justicia
<b>fr</b>	Portail e-Justice européen
<b>it</b>	Portale europeo della giustizia elettronica
<b>lv</b>	Eiropas e-tiesiskuma portāls
<b>lt</b>	Europos e. teisingumo portalas
<b>hu</b>	Európai igazságügyi portál
<b>mt</b>	Portal Ewropew e-Justice
<b>nl</b>	Europees e-justitieportaal
<b>pl</b>	Europejski portal e-sprawiedliwość
<b>pt</b>	Portal Europeu da Justiça
<b>ro</b>	Portalul european e-justiție
<b>sk</b>	Portál európskej elektronickej justície
<b>sl</b>	Evropski portal e-pravosodje
<b>fi</b>	Euroopan e-Justice-portaali
<b>sv</b>	Europeisk e-juridikportal





# European e-Justice

- **Use of ICT at the service of judicial systems**
- **Simplify procedures**
- **Improve access to justice**
- **Reduce costs**

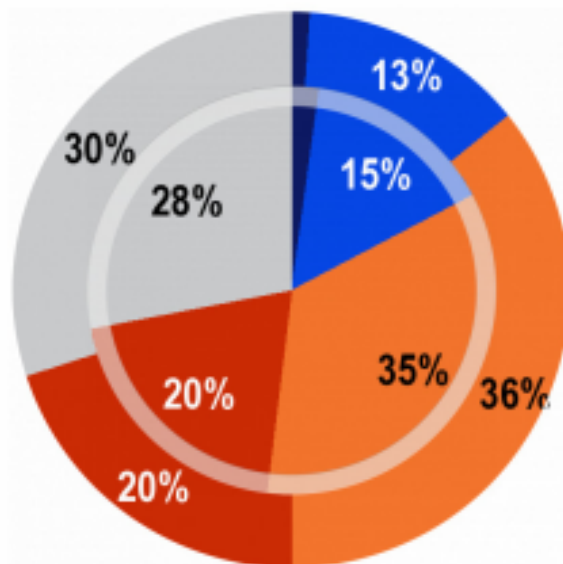




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# European e-Justice

QC2. In your opinion, how easy or difficult do you think it is to access civil justice in another EU Member State?



Very easy   Fairly easy   Fairly difficult   Very difficult   Don't know

Inner pie : EB68.2 (Nov.-Dec. 2007)  
Outer pie : EB73.5 (June 2010)

EU27



## The European e-Justice Portal aims at...

- **Being a one stop shop for justice matters**
- **Interconnecting existing national justice applications**
- **Re-using and linking to existing information**
- **Serving diverse stakeholders at EU level**





## But does not aim at...

- **Replacing existing national solutions**
- **Centralising more than necessary**
- **Replacing or modifying existing offline procedures and practices**





## General Philosophy

- **Single point for Justice e-Services**
- **Step by step approach**
- **Multilingual from day one**
- **Decentralised as much as possible**
- **Ambitious!**







## Release 1 – 16th of July 2010

- **Information pages on 27 Member States**
  - Available in 22 languages
- **Dynamic forms for civil instruments**
- **Content Management System**
  - Update of content
  - Notifications to registered users





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### News

- New in the Portal: Wills / Neu im Portal: Testamente / Nouveau sur le Portail: les testaments
- The Introduction of Divorce Law into the Maltese Legal System
- Public Consultation on Directive 2006/114/EC concerning Misleading and Comparative Advertising and on unfair commercial practices affecting businesses

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## Release 2 – November 2011

- Redesigned homepage & user interface
- New online forms
- Victims' and Defendants' rights factsheets
- IDOL 7 search engine integrated





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The European e-Justice Portal is conceived as a future electronic one-stop-shop in the area of justice.

As a first step it strives to make your life easier by providing information on justice systems and improving access to justice throughout the EU, in 22 languages.



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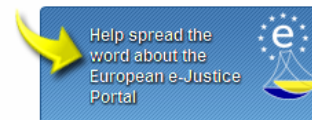
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- ▶ test news 24082011
- ▶ test 18/08/2011
- ▶ El expediente judicial electrónico arranca en la Sala de lo Social de la Audiencia Nacional de España y se inicia en León



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# Interconnection Projects

- **Insolvency Registers**
- **Find a Lawyer**
- **Find a Notary**
- **European Case Law Identifier (ECLI)**
- **Business Registers**
- **Land Registers**
- **Registers of Translators/Interpreters**





# Challenges

- **Harmonised data set**
- **Data protection**
- **Interoperability**
- **Translation**
- **Different national approaches**
- **E-Authentication, e-Identification**





## **E-CODEX**

- **Project 14 MS - Commission support**
- **Overall budget: 14 Million Euro**
- **E-Authentication, e-Identification**
- **Electronic filing, electronic transfer, electronic payment of court fees**
- **Large scale pilot project e-Justice:**
  - European Small Claims Procedure
  - European Order for Payment Procedure





# Future Legislative proposal

- **Governance – decision making**
- **Purpose**
- **Scope**
- **Responsibilities**
- **Data Protection**
- **Data Security**
- **Costs**







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