

European Union Revision Questions



1. Name all four main European Union institutions?
2. How many Member States are there in the European Union?
3. What is the role of the Council of Ministers?
4. The Commission is said to be the ‘guardian of the treaties’ – what does that mean?
5. What does the abbreviation ‘MEP’ stand for?
6. What is the role of the EU Parliament/Assembly?
7. What does an Advocate General do?
8. Name a case which demonstrates that the EU Treaty can be directly relied upon by an individual from a Member State in the EU?
9. Name a secondary source of European legislation?
10. Can a Member State ignore a regulation passed down from the EU?

- 11.** Who sits on the Council of Ministers?
- 12.** What is the role of the Economic and Social Committee?
- 13.** What is the role of the European Court of Justice?
- 14.** Name a primary source of European legislation?
- 15.** How many judges sit in the European Court of Justice?