

Interdependencies with other Balance of Competences reports

Semester ¹	Report	Lead Department	Areas of overlap
1	Foreign Policy	Foreign and Commonwealth Office	The Foreign Policy Report will set out the broad issues of EU status in international organisations. Specific issues relating to EU status in international transport bodies (e.g. ICAO and IMO) will be explored in the Transport Report.
2	Internal Market: Free Movement of Goods	HM Revenue & Customs	The Free Movement of Goods Report will consider intra-EU trade in goods within the Internal Market, as well as the way in which this trade is regulated; including through standardisation. Customs security and the impact this has on the transport industry will also be covered in the Free Movement of Goods report.
2	Asylum and Immigration	Home Office	The Asylum and Immigration Report will cover the competences that affect the control of the UK's borders. Transport security, including aviation security, will be covered in the Transport Report.
2	Environment and Climate Change	Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs	The Environment and Climate Change Report will examine the principal policy areas and legislation relating to the environment and climate change; including the EU Emissions Trading Scheme, noise pollution, air quality, climate change adaptation and greenhouse gas emissions. The transport-related impacts on the environment will be covered in the Transport Report.
3	Cohesion	Department for Business, Innovation and Skills	The scope of the Cohesion Report will include Trans-European Networks, including the Trans-European Network for Transport (TEN-T).
3	Social and Employment	Department for Business, Innovation and Skills	Working time and other related employment issues will be dealt with in the Social and Employment Report.
3	Energy	Department of Energy and Climate Change	The transportation of radioactive materials will feature in the Energy Report. The transportation of other dangerous goods will be covered in the Transport Report.
4	Police and Criminal Justice	Home Office	Critical infrastructure will be considered as part of the counter terrorism section of the Police and Criminal Justice Report.
4	Cross-cutting areas of EU competence	Cabinet Office, Foreign and Commonwealth Office and Ministry of Justice	The collection and publication of statistics will be covered under the Cross-cutting areas of EU competence Report.

¹ The Call for Evidence period for those reports in semester one has now closed. The final reports will be published in the summer. The full semester timetable can be found on the Foreign Office website: <https://www.gov.uk/review-of-the-balance-of-competences>.