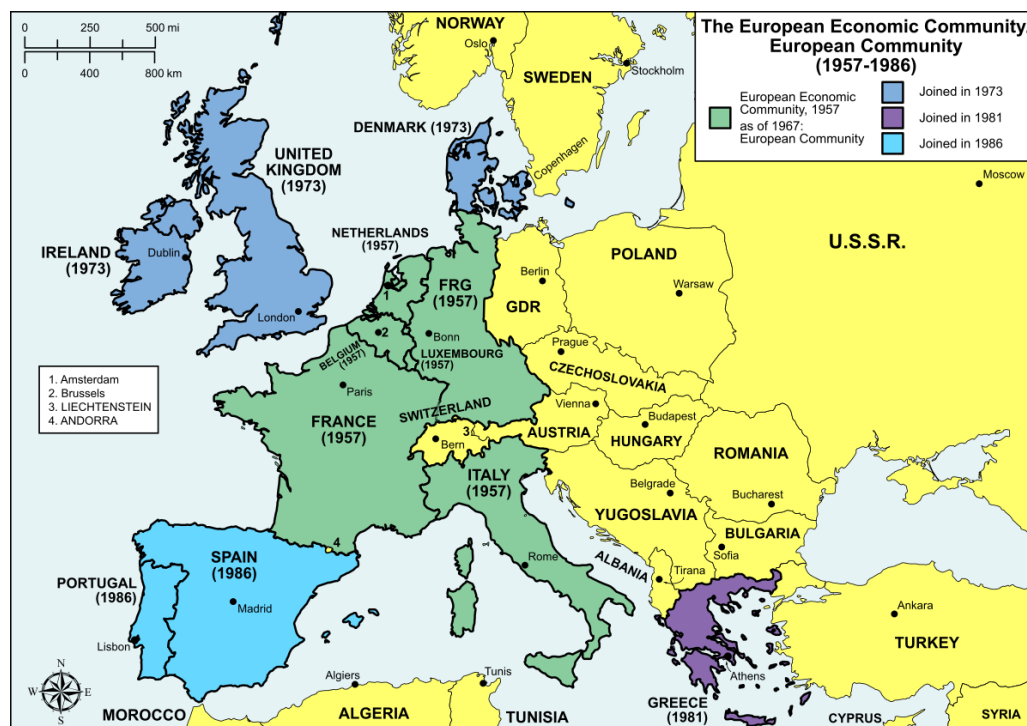


# European Economic Community (1957-1986)

## Abstract

After the signing of the Rome Treaties in March 1957, the European Economic Community was founded on January 1, 1958. The six participating nations were Italy, France, Luxemburg, Belgium, the Netherlands, and the Federal Republic of Germany. The "Europe of Six" signaled the birth of a transnational economic sphere, which continued to grow in subsequent years and helped drive the political unification of Europe. (A. Kunz)

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