



Les enjeux actuels des relations Suisse-UE:

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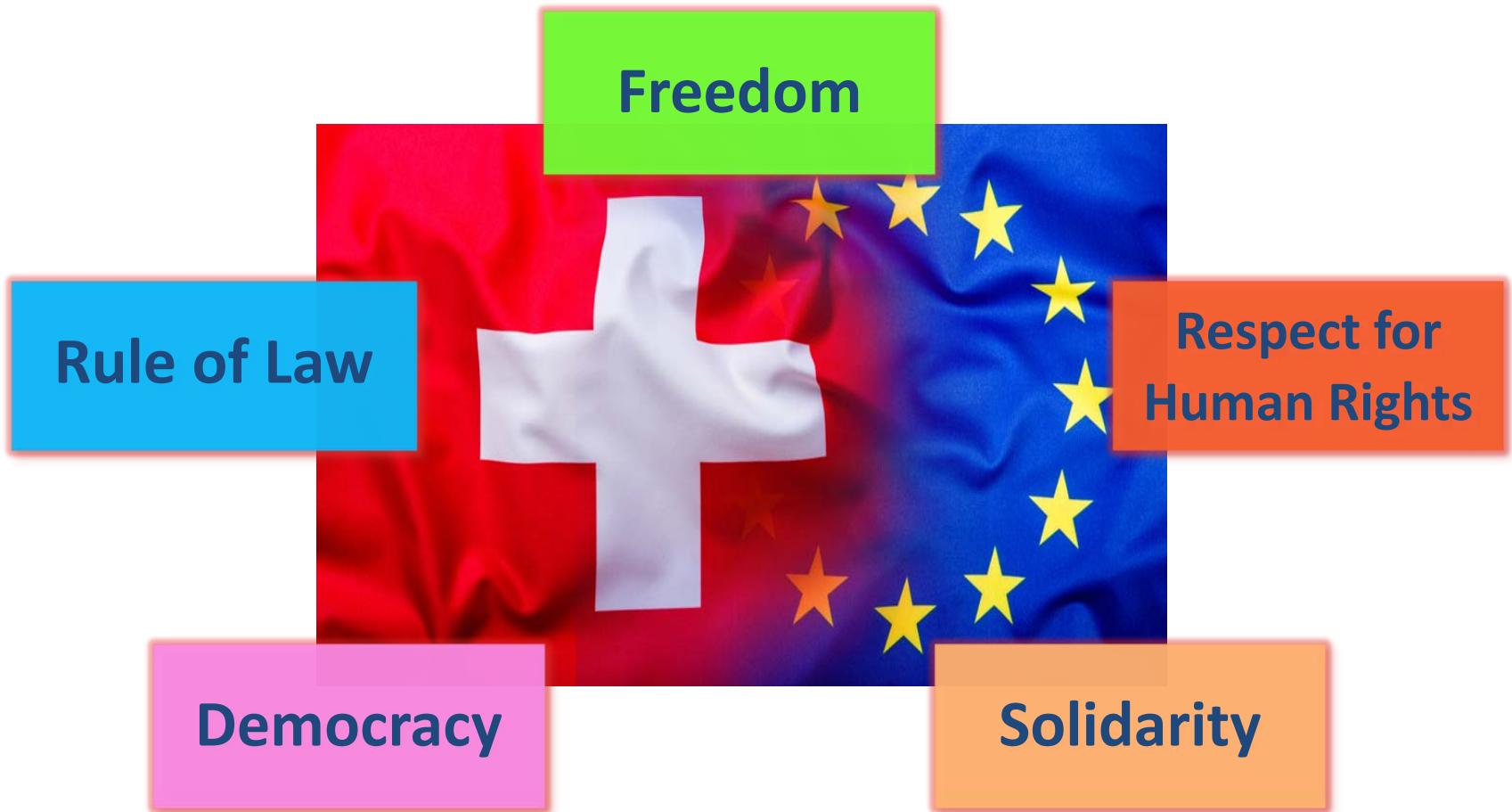
1. Fondements



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Shared Values



The EU and Switzerland are allies in promoting these values at world stage



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Similar political culture

- Consensus oriented
- Seeking the compromise
- Protection of minorities
- Subsidiarity



Interwoven societies

- Shared history, culture and languages
- 1.4 million EU citizens live in Switzerland
- 430 000 Swiss live in the EU
- Almost 40% of marriages in Switzerland are binational



1 500 000

emplois dépendent de nos exportations vers l'UE.

TOP 3

La Suisse est l'un des trois principaux partenaires commerciaux de l'UE, avec les USA et la Chine.



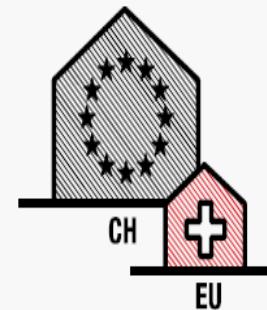
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Un franc suisse sur trois gagné en Suisse est lié aux échanges avec l'UE



MOBILITÉ

430 000 Suisses vivent dans l'UE et environ 1,4 millions de citoyens européens en Suisse



Plus de 320 000 frontaliers et frontaliers européens viennent chaque jour travailler en Suisse

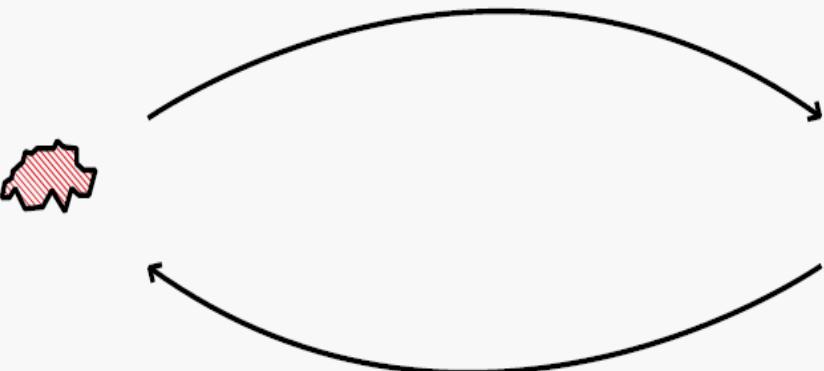


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EXTERNAL ACTION

Intense exchanges



Every day

- more than 1.3 million people
- 20,000 trucks

cross the EU-Swiss borders (both directions)

(71% of the transalpine transit freight traffic is on rail)



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2. Switzerland's integration in the internal market and the difficult road towards an Institutional Agreement



Quo vadis ?



**Free Trade
Agreement 1972**



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**Consolidated
Bilateralism**



**European
Economic Area**

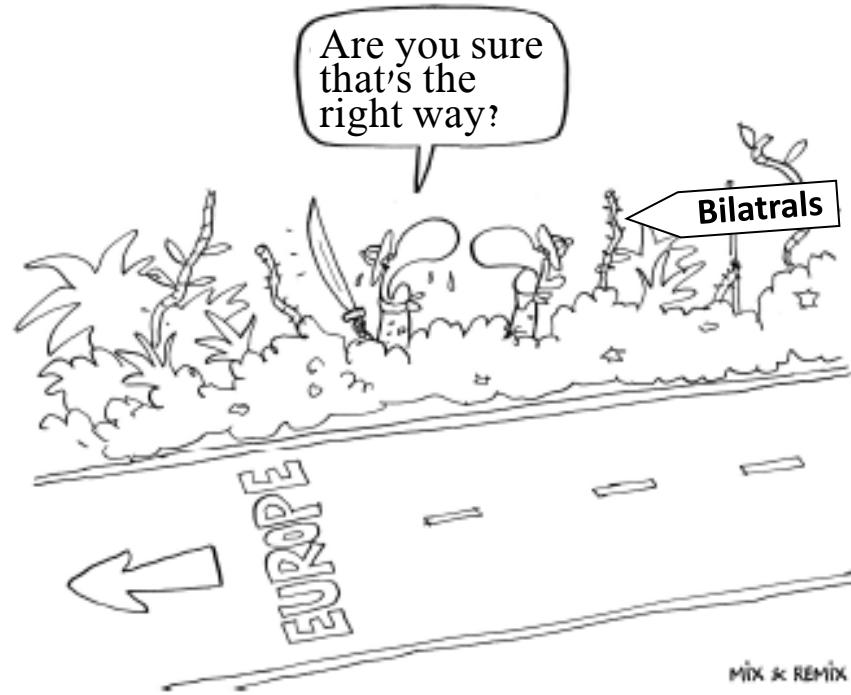


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Union**



The "Bilateral Way"

- "No" of Swiss people to EEA in 1992
- On Swiss request, access to EU Single Market via sectorial agreements
- More than 120 agreements, each one following its own rules
- Delays in harmonization of standards & regulations
- No dispute resolution mechanism



Institutional Framework Agreement

"condition préalable pour l'UE afin de conclure de futurs accords sur la participation de la Suisse au marché intérieur de l'UE et critère essentiel pour décider des nouveaux progrès à réaliser sur la voie d'une ouverture des marchés mutuellement avantageuse."

Conclusions du Conseil sur les relations avec la Suisse – 19 février 2019



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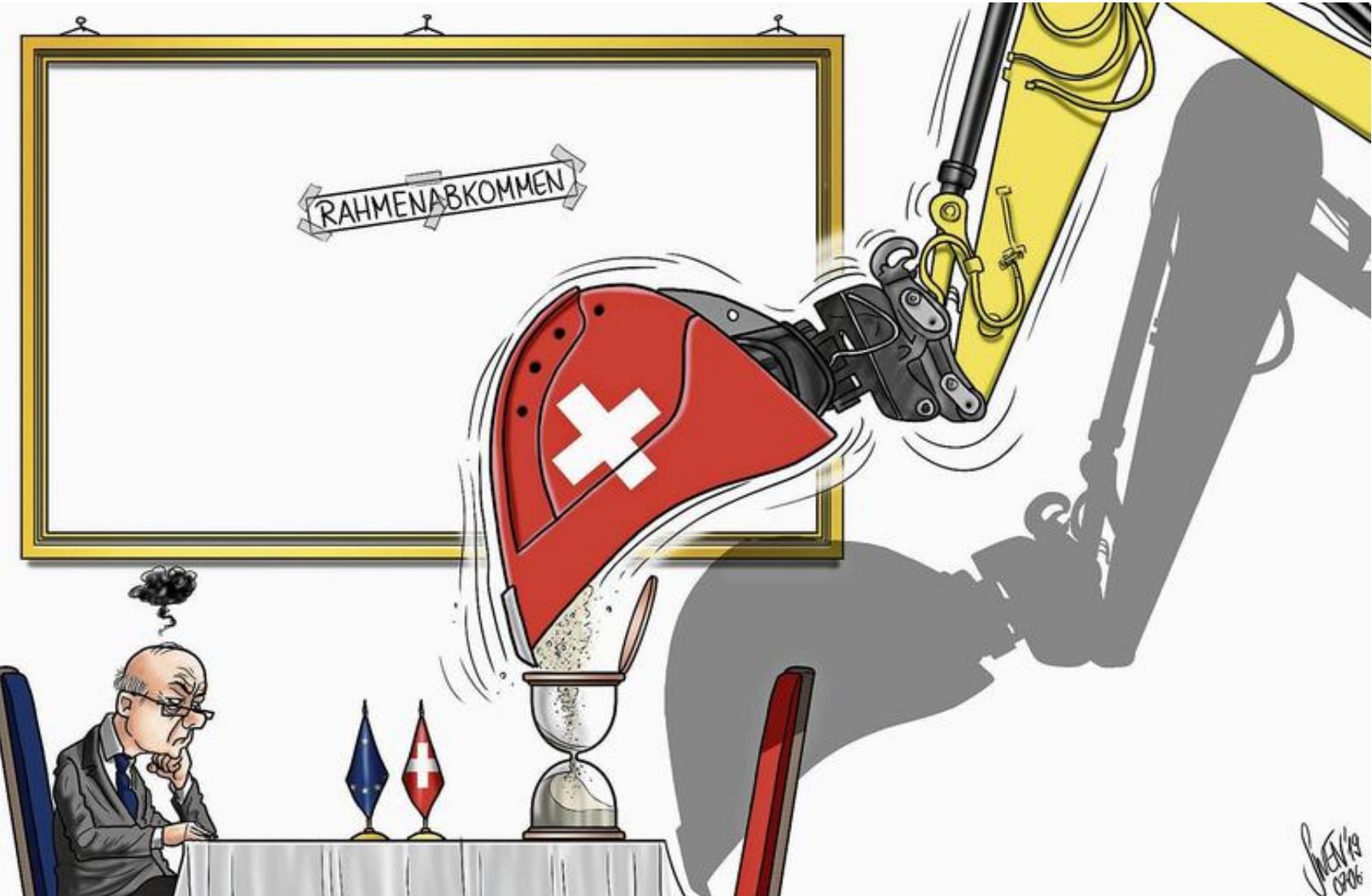
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Trois sujets sensibles

- Droits des citoyens
 - Exemples: Aides sociales, Expulsion
- Mesures d'accompagnement (FLAM)
 - Consultations avec les partenaires sociaux
 - L'impact du cycle électoral
- Aides publiques
 - La question du partage des compétences (cantons/Fédération





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3. La participation de la Suisse à Schengen et Dublin



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4. Une coopération sectorielle foisonnante

Recherche, transport, climat,
politique étrangère...



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Research & Education

- Since Jan. 2017 Switzerland is again fully associated to Horizon 2020, Europe's largest R&I programme worth 80 bio EUR
- 2150 Swiss project participations (by April 2018), Switzerland ranked 4th among all participating countries and 1st amongst non-EU countries
- 40'000 Swiss students participated in an Erasmus mobility programme since 1987; 41'000 students from other European spent parts of their studies in Switzerland



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Eléments de risque

- Thème des relations avec l'UE dans la campagne électorale
 - Elections générales du 20 Octobre 2019
- Initiative de limitation
 - Vote en Mai ou Septembre 2020





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