

**Question for written answer E-003688/2026/rev.1
to the Commission**
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Subject: Ineffectiveness of EU sanctions: European components and technologies continue to flow into the Russian arms industry

Despite successive sanctions packages, the latest information from Ukrainian intelligence reveals that the problem of components, technologies and production equipment from EU companies in Russian weapons systems¹ remains unresolved. Of particular concern is the fact that foreign components manufactured in 2026² have been identified in Russian weaponry, indicating that the issue cannot be explained solely by the use of stocks dating from before the sanctions were imposed. The problem remains relevant despite the EU's further tightening of restrictions on dual-use goods and technology, including under the 20th and 21st sanctions packages.

In light of the above:

1. How many actors in such supply chains are subject to export sanctions or restrictions in general, and how many under the 20th and 21st sanctions packages?
2. What further measures does the Commission intend to take to monitor end-users more effectively and prevent the re-export to Russia of dual-use components that are of particular importance to the Russian arms industry?

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¹ <https://war-sanctions.gur.gov.ua/en/components>.

² <https://www.president.gov.ua/en/news/yevropejskim-poslam-prodemonstruvali-inozemni-komponenti-z-r-104637?utm>.