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## Options for an EU Financing reform

This paper presents a reflection on the future of the EU budget, with a particular focus on EU financing. The debate on a reform of the EU financing system encompasses two main dimensions: on the one hand, the structure of EU financing and, in particular, whether the Union should be financed via «genuine own resources» or not; on the other hand, the correction mechanisms and the way to either eliminate or adapt them. These dimensions are analysed in depth in the paper. This allows presenting three main medium- to long-term scenarios for a financing reform.

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