

VISUAL GUIDELINES

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INTRO

These visual guidelines have been developed to help implement communication assets around the European Year of Youth.

The visual identity includes a logo (available in 28 languages and 7 formats) and a visual concept for the preparation of communication materials.

It aims to create a coherent campaign across the European Union, speaking with one recognisable voice.

SUMMARY

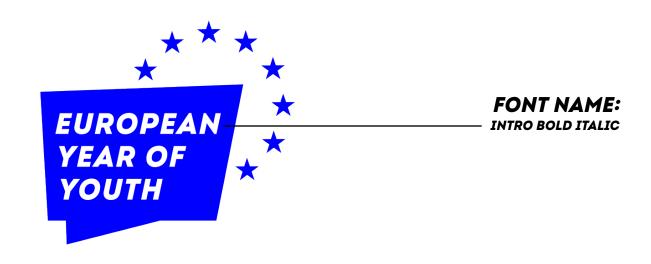
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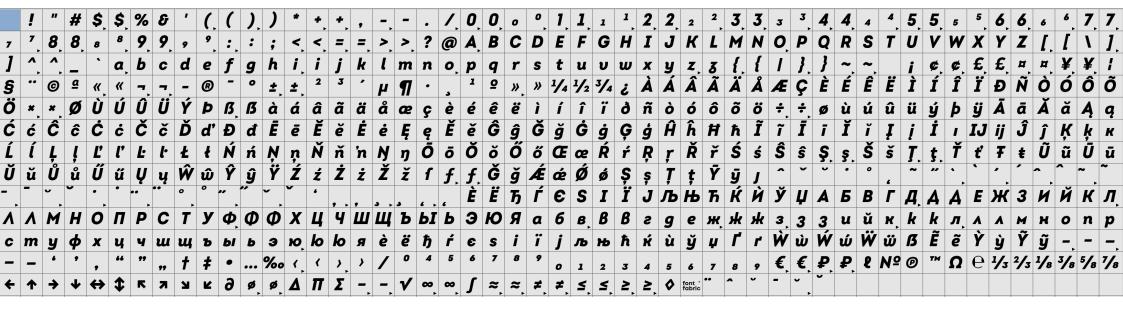


TYPOGRAPHY



Thanks to its wide range of characters,

Intro Bold Italic can be used correctly in any language.



PRIMARY COLOURS

This is a digital colour scheme. There will be a clear colour difference in print as displayed below.

White

R255 G255 B255 C0 M0 Y0 K0 #ffffff



NextGenEU Blue

R0 G0 B255 C95 M75 Y0 K0 #0000ff PANTONE 2728



Black

R0 G0 B0 C20 M30 Y40 K100 C0 M0 Y0 K100 #000000 PANTONE black



SECONDARY COLOURS

This is a digital colour scheme. There will be a clear colour difference in print as displayed below.

Green

R0 G255 B0 C65 M0 Y100 K0 #00ff00 PANTONE 802 C



Pink

R255 G0 B255 C0 M100 Y0 K0 #ff00ff PANTONE Rhod. Red C



Yellow

R255 G237 B0 C5 M0 Y90 K0 #ffed00 PANTONE Process Yellow C



Blue

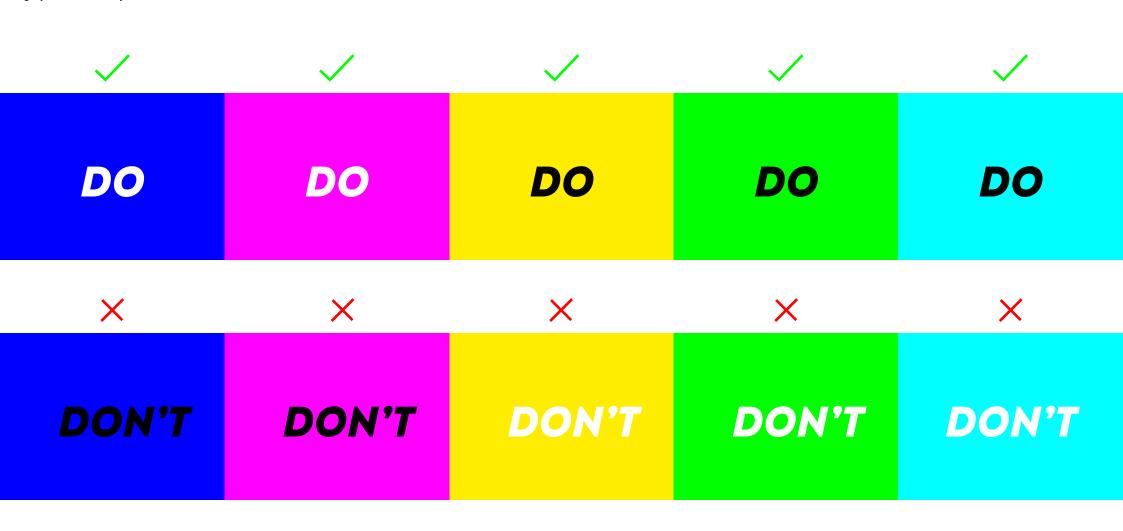
R0 G255 B255 C55 M0 Y15 K0 #00ffff PANTONE 637 C



COLOUR USAGE

The contrast between fore- and background colours must be high enough to ensure readability. Visitors who are colour blind or have difficulty reading, often cannot perceive colours well. A strong colour contrast makes it easier.

You also help other visitors, for example people who print a web page in grayscale or who try to consult a website in the sun.



VISUAL ELEMENTS

EU EMBLEM SIZE

Portrait format:

The width of the EU emblem is equal to 10% of the width of the document.*

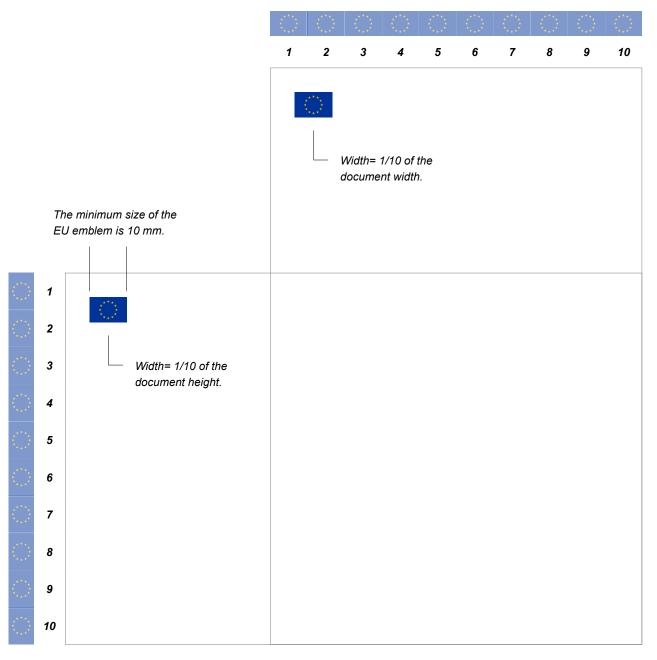
Landscape format:

The width of the EU emblem is equal to 10% of the height of the document.*

When used on a coloured background, put a white border around the rectangle, with the width of this being equal to one twenty-fifth of the height of the rectangle.



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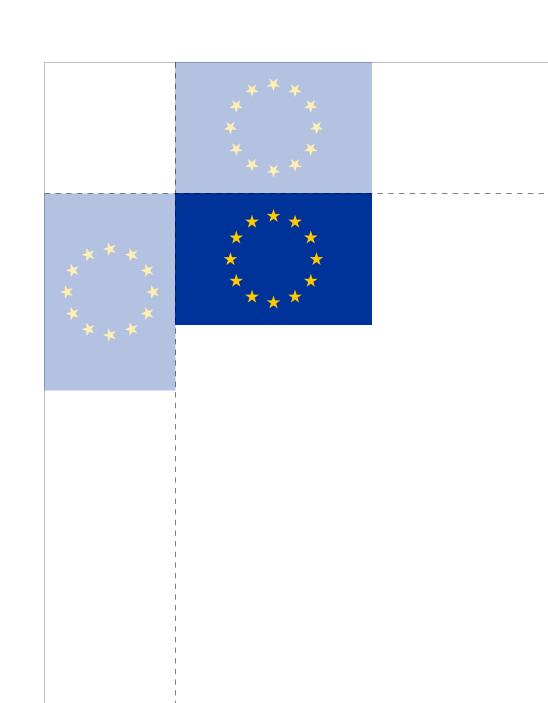
^{*}Exceptions can be made for very narrow formats.

EU EMBLEM MARGINS & POSITION

In order to ensure maximum visibility of the EU emblem, a minimum amount of space around the emblem must be kept free of any text. This space is determined by adding the height of the emblem on each side.

The position of the emblem in print needs to be in the top left corner at all times.

The minimum size of the EU emblem is 10 mm.



EYY LOGO

The logo is available in all EU languages.

Some examples











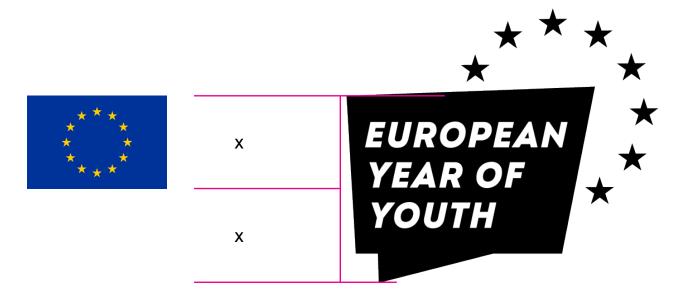


EYY LOGO SIZE

The size of the logo is determined by the EU emblem. The size of the EU emblem and the logo must always remain in proportion.

Height X is measured from the top left edge of the bubble to the bottom tip of the bubble. The logo is equal to 200% of the height of the EU Emblem.

The minimum size of the logo is 20 mm.



EYY LOGO MARGINS

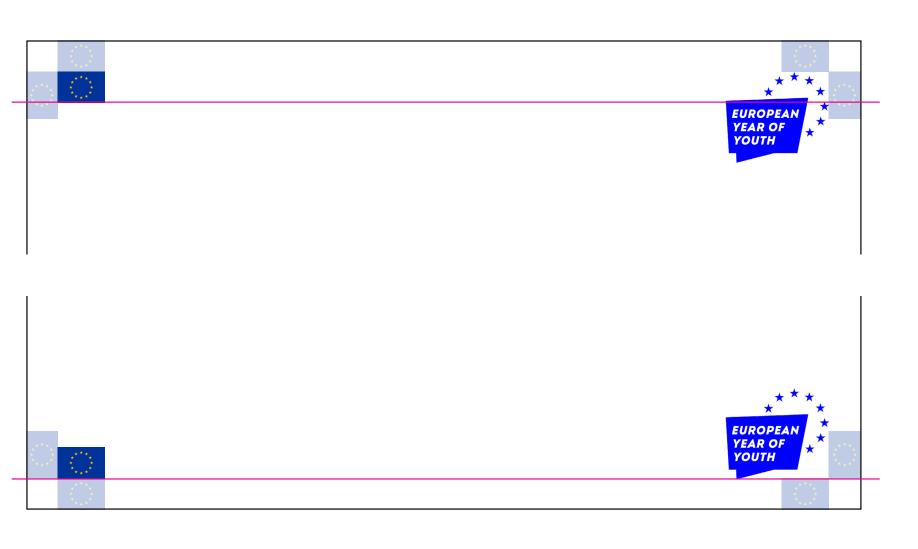
In order to show the logo to its full advantage, a minimum amount of space around the logo must be kept free of any text.

This space is determined by adding the height of the emblem on each side.



EU EMBLEM AND EYY LOGO ALIGNMENT

The logo is generally positioned with the EU emblem in the lower half of the image. However, exceptions make the rule – so, in some cases, the combination of flag and logo may also be positioned in the upper half.



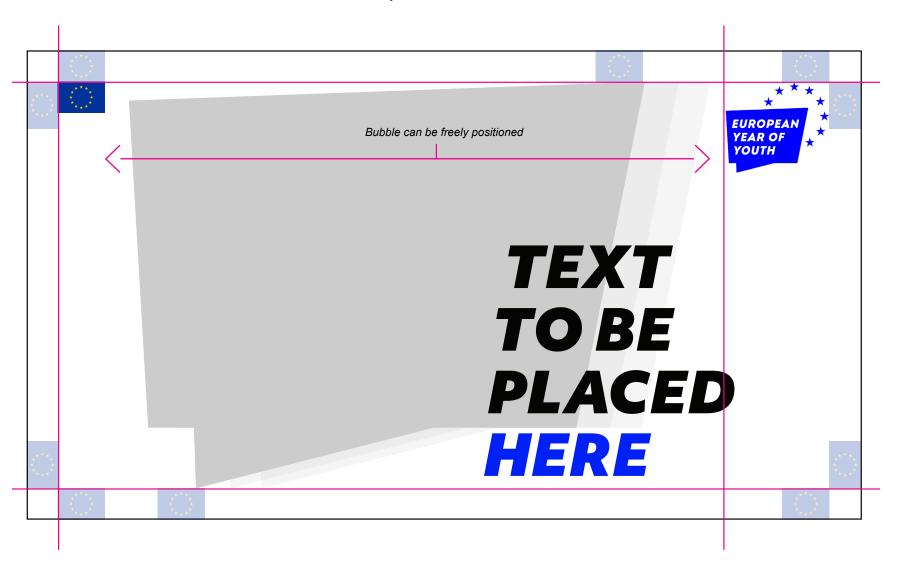
BUBBLE

The visual concept is to replicate the shape of the logo with a bubble-shaped overlay on the photo. The effect is created by taking a bubble-shaped cutaway of the selected image and placing it on top of the original photo (no transparency/changes in colour needed).

The bubble may be placed freely within the format.

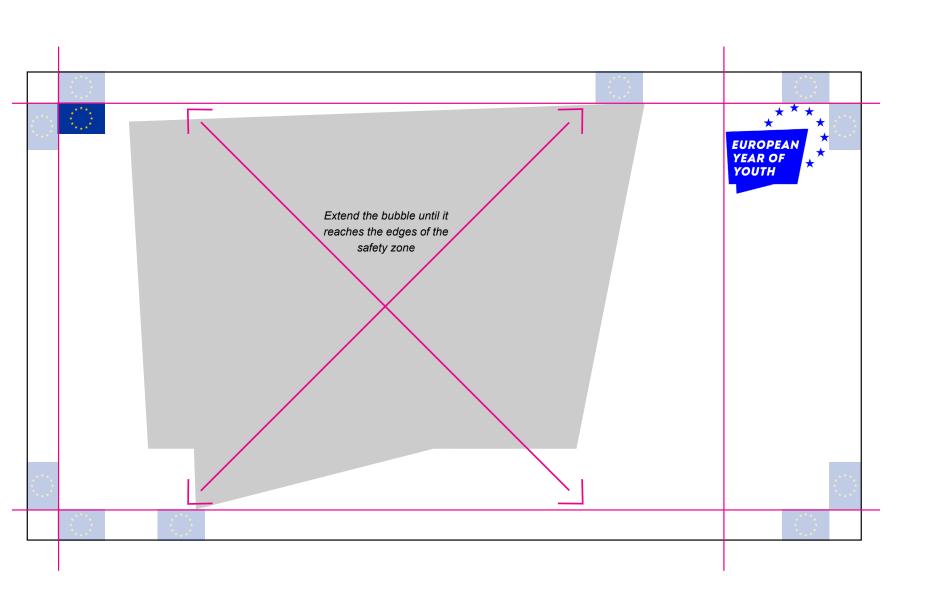
The bubble must have a distance of one flag to the edge.

This applies to both length and width, and is the same for both vertical and horizontal formats. If the formats are too small or too narrow, such as a banner format, the layout can be built without.



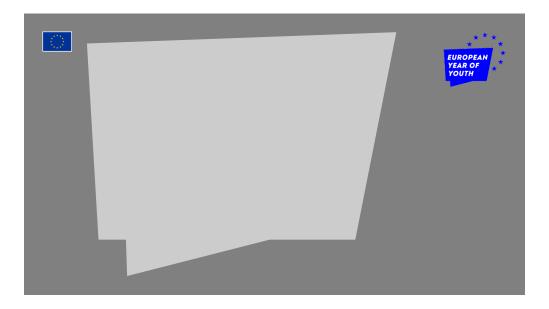
BUBBLE

The bubble should be raised as far as possible to fill the fomat without exceeding the safety distance.



BUBBLE IMAGE

The bubble contains only one image. Opacity is 100% and no effects.





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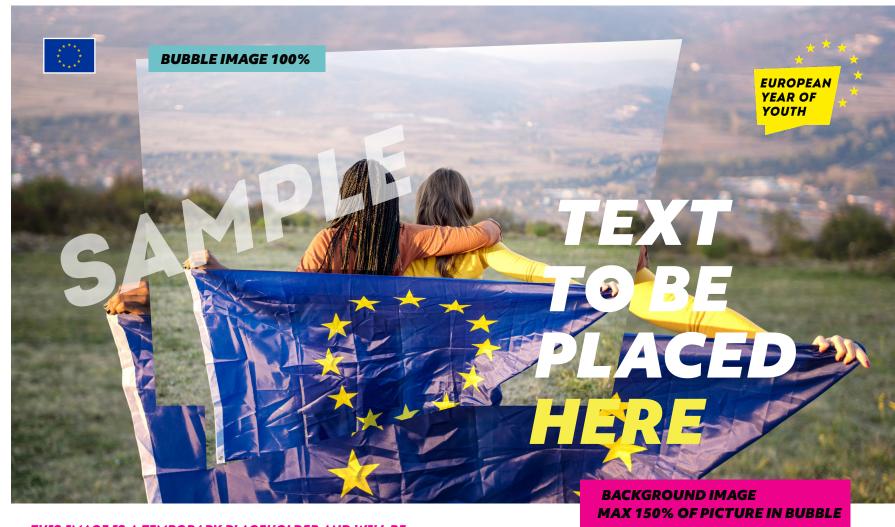
BUBBLE ZOOM FACTOR

It is always necessary to zoom in on the picture in order to achieve the bubble effect and ensure good visibility. The maximum zoom factor for the background image is 150% of the subject in the bubble. The minimum zoom factor is 120%.



ZOOM FACTOR EXAMPLE

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BUBBLE DONT'S



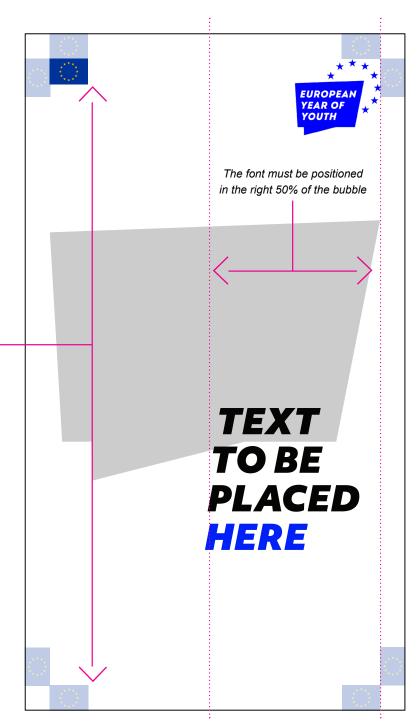
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Not enough contrast between the two images

BUBBLE POSITION - 9:16 FORMAT

The bubble can be freely positioned vertically.
The bubble must have a distance of one flag to the edge.
This applies to both length and width.
If the formats are too small, such as a banner format,
the layout can be built without.

The bubble can be freely positioned vertically



BUBBLE POSITION - 1:1 FORMAT



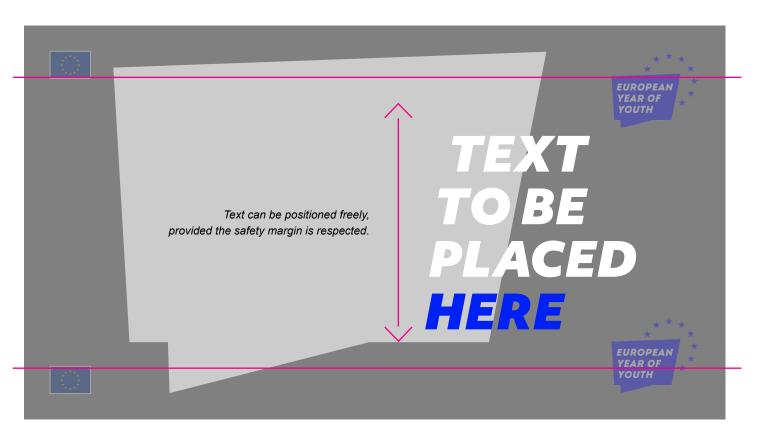
TEXT POSITION

Text may be used as a graphic element.

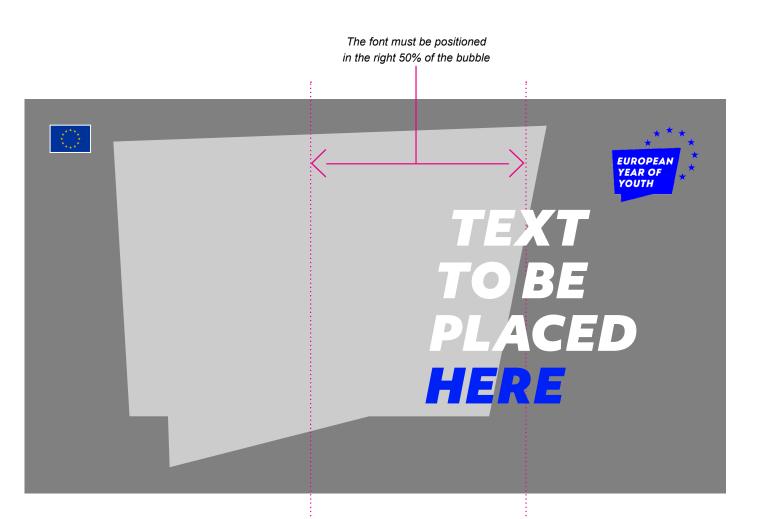
When used, the text should overlap the bubble and be aligned to the shape of the bubble (which cannot be altered).

The text can be positioned freely, provided the safety margin is respected.

The colour of the most important word of the sentence should be the same as the EYY logo.



TEXT POSITION



TEXT SIZE

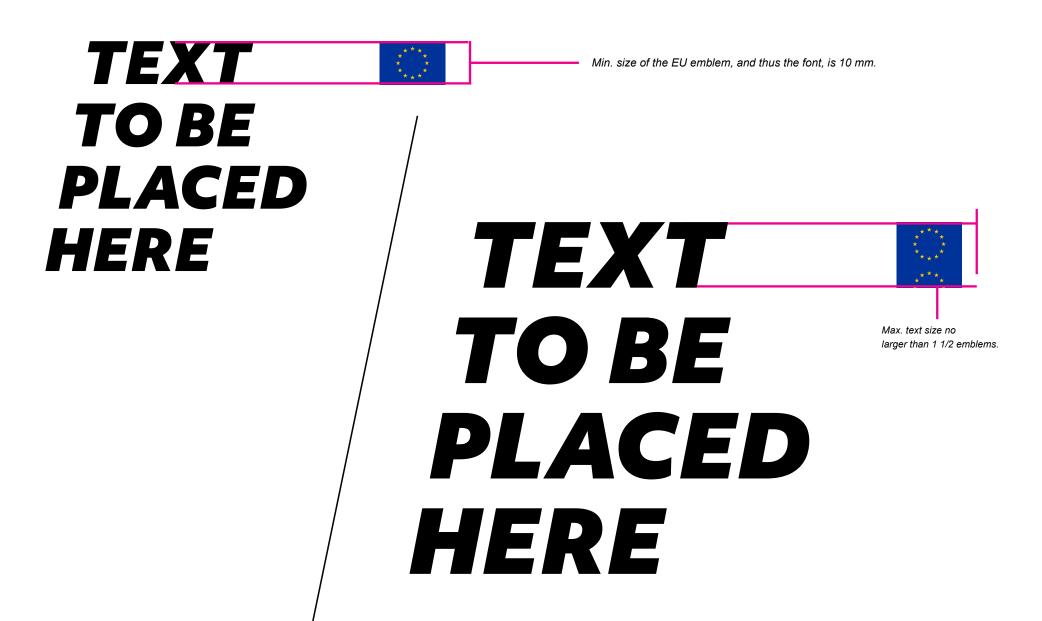
The text size should not be smaller than 1 EU emblem and no larger than 1.5 EU emblem. The text size should not be smaller than one flag.

The line spacing is 45% of the selected font size.

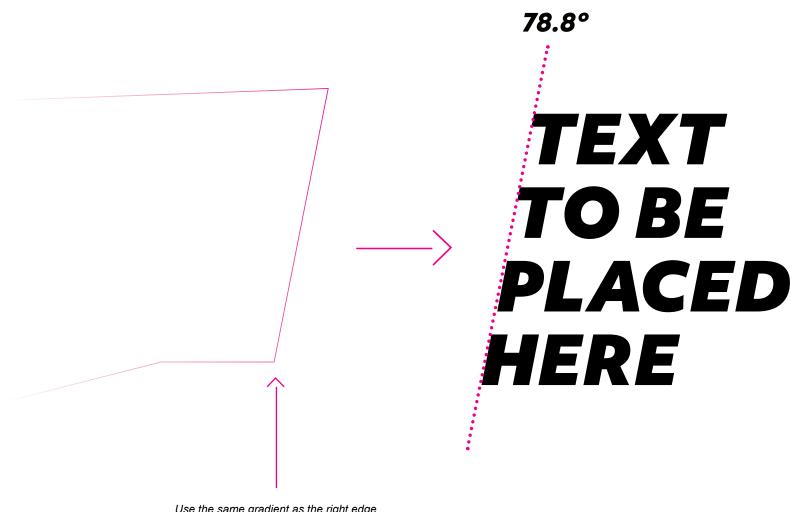
While capital letters are preferred, in instances where there is a lot of body copy, lower case letters may also be used.



TEXT SIZE



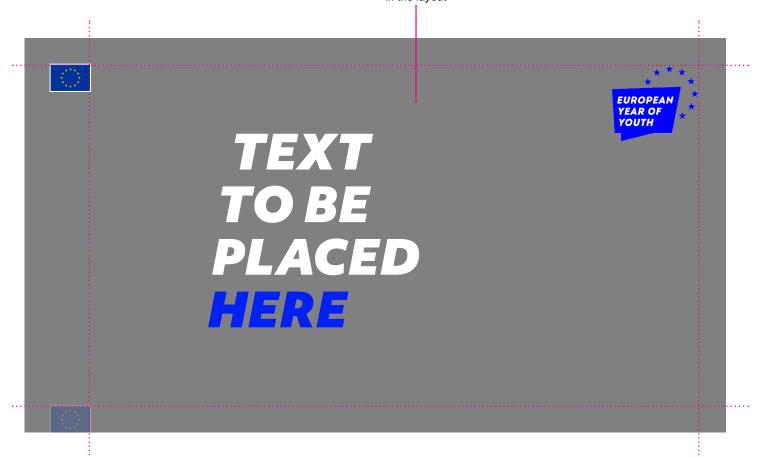
BUBBLE AND TEXT ARRANGEMENT



Use the same gradient as the right edge of the bubble for the text alignment.

TEXT POSITION WITHOUT BUBBLE

Text can be positioned freely in the layout



BUBBLE EXCEPTION

If the formats are too small, such as a banner format, the layout can be built up without the bubble.



Example layout without the bubble.