

## Chapter 33 – Financial and Budgetary Provisions

The financial and budgetary provisions chapter outlines the rules regarding the financial resources necessary for funding the EU budget, often referred to as "own resources." These resources consist of several components:

1. **Traditional Own Resources:** Primarily customs duties, which are levied by Member States on behalf of the EU.
2. **Value Added Tax (VAT)-based Resources:** Contributions based on the VAT revenues collected by each Member State.
3. **Gross National Income (GNI)-based Resources:** Contributions calculated from the gross national income of each Member State.
4. **Plastic Packaging Waste-based Resources:** Starting from January 1, 2021, an additional resource based on the weight of plastic packaging waste generated by each Member State.

Member States are required to have sufficient administrative capacity to coordinate and ensure the accurate calculation, collection, payment, and control of these own resources, ensuring compliance with EU rules and regulations.