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Stakeholders react to EU green product strategy

EU stakeholders have reacted to a major green product strategy launched by the European commission on Wednesday. Employers' body BusinessEurope called for new product standards to undergo rigorous impact assessments, small-business group Ueapme warned the new rules could "price them out of the EU market" and engineering group Orgalime "fundamentally endorsed" the plan. But green groups EEB and Friends of the Earth said it "lacks vision or ambition" and should be broadened. The German environment ministry called the plan "logical". See reaction from [BusinessEurope](#), [Ueapme](#), [Friends of the Earth](#), [EEB](#) and [German environment ministry](#) , plus [Orgalime](#).

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