

What would a Georgist European Union look like?

- Member countries raise the bulk of their public revenue from an *ad valorem* tax on the rental value of land.
- Contributions to the EU central fund in proportion to each country's aggregate land rental value.
- No tariffs charged on imports to or within the Single Market area.
- No restrictions on imports to the Single Market area, subject only to the country of origin, and contents being clearly marked, unless there is a major issue of public safety.
- No sales taxes within the Single Market area (with the possible exceptions of alcohol and tobacco).
- CAP scrapped.
- VAT scrapped.

I would settle for a ten year transition period.