

Title: AM-18-2 to R3: Shifting Europe's Transport

Infrastructure Towards Sustainability and Justice:

The European Rail Network at the Centre

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and socially equitable mode of transport — remain underfunded and underdeveloped, leading to decreased quality and safety. According to a 2023 Greenpeace report, Europe's rail network shrunk by 6.5% over the past 30 years, while motorways grew by over 60%.

This does not only generate a vicious circle of reduced attractiveness for passengers, financial losses, lack of further investment and maintenance ending up in lines being shut down, but also an increase in incidents and major accidents, like the recent one in Tempi. According to a 2023 Greenpeace report, Europe's rail network shrunk by 6.5% over the past 30 years, while motorways grew by over 60%.