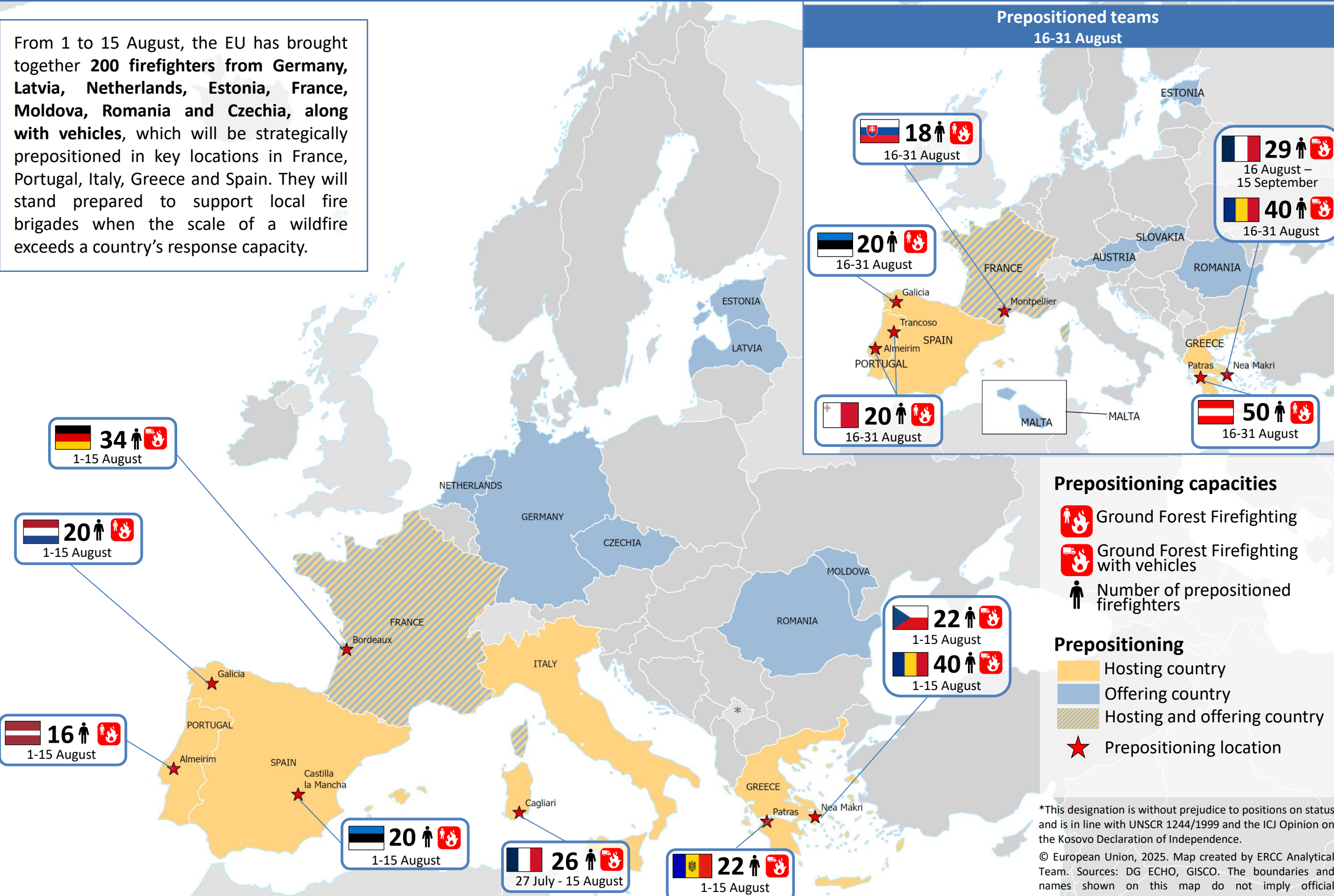


Prepositioned Ground Forest Firefighting teams through UCPM (1-15 August)

From 1 to 15 August, the EU has brought together **200 firefighters from Germany, Latvia, Netherlands, Estonia, France, Moldova, Romania and Czechia, along with vehicles**, which will be strategically prepositioned in key locations in France, Portugal, Italy, Greece and Spain. They will stand prepared to support local fire brigades when the scale of a wildfire exceeds a country’s response capacity.



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