

EU's largest antitrust fines

Google



Mar 20, 2019:

European Commission

fines Google **€1.49bn** for breaching EU antitrust rules and unfairly shielding its AdSense advertising platform from competition

€1.49 billion
(\$1.69bn)*



Jul 2018:

Google hit with record-breaking

€4.3bn fine for

requiring Android handset and tablet manufacturers to pre-install Google Search app and its own Chrome web browser

€4.3 billion
(\$5bn)

€2.4 billion
(\$2.7bn)



Margrethe Vestager:
EU Competition Commissioner

Jul 2017: Google fined €2.4bn for giving illegal advantage to Google Shopping in search results



Qualcomm



Jan 2018:

Qualcomm fined

€977m for paying client Apple not to

use chips of rival Intel in its iPhones and iPads

€977 million
(\$1.2bn)

Intel

May 2009: Intel

fined €1.06bn

for offering clients price rebates to use its own computer chips in preference to those of rival AMD



€1.06 billion
(\$1.26bn)

Microsoft



Mar 2004:

Microsoft fined

€497m (\$613m)

for blocking vital inter-operability codes to rival software firms

€497 million

€899 million

Feb 2008: Microsoft fined further **€899m (\$1.35bn)** for failure to comply with 2004 judgement

Mar 2013: Additional **€561m (\$732m)** fine for breaking commitment to offer all European users of its Windows programme alternative web browsers

€561 million

€427.7 million

Servier



Jul 2014:

French drugs

giant Servier, Israel's Teva and five other drug companies fined €427.7m for colluding to delay cheaper generic medicine

**US\$ conversions at time of fine*