

# Expectations of the market surveillance framework – the industry perspective

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# Key points that should drive the development of market surveillance systems

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- Responsible industry players, and market surveillance authorities, have a shared objective in effective market surveillance:
  - An effective, and efficient market surveillance regime will support the objectives of key industry players, who will in turn support such a system
  - Conversely, an ineffective, or unbalanced market surveillance system will undermine the market and will naturally meet with resistance from industry

# Priorities for industry in the context of market surveillance in the EU

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1. Predictability
  - arguably, this is the most important priority of all
2. Consistency
  - both nationally, and across Member States
3. Level playing field
  - the system needs to be perceived as being fair, and even-handed
7. Responsiveness and effectiveness
  - the system needs to be capable of producing meaningful results in appropriate time-frames
9. Reliability
  - the system needs to build confidence of all stakeholders

# Some ongoing issues for industry

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- The need for systems to develop and support EU-wide consistency
  - within an imperfect system what can be done to encourage consistency?
- Risk assessments
  - need to recognised that current methodology not well suited to many types of risks
- Confidentiality
  - businesses need to be confident of an appropriate level of respect for commercially confidential information



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