



Working together on Food Safety

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EFSA'S STRATEGY 2020: VISION

Trusted science for safe food

Protecting consumers by providing independent scientific advice on risks in the food chain

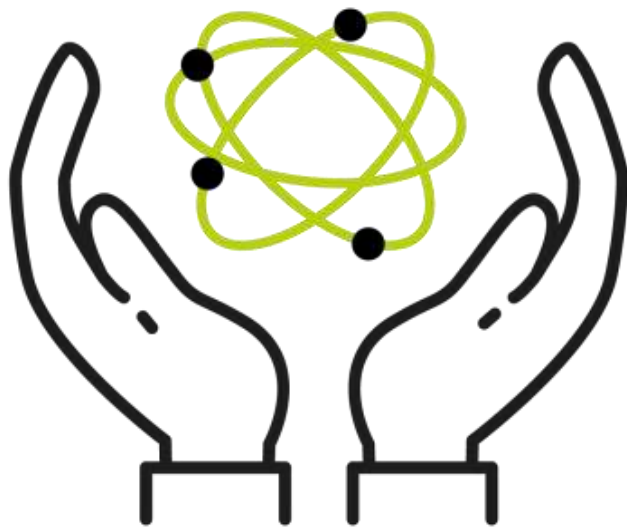
Mission



FUTURE CHALLENGES FOR RISK ASSESSMENT



SCIENTIFIC COMPLEXITY



SCIENTIFIC EXCELLENCE

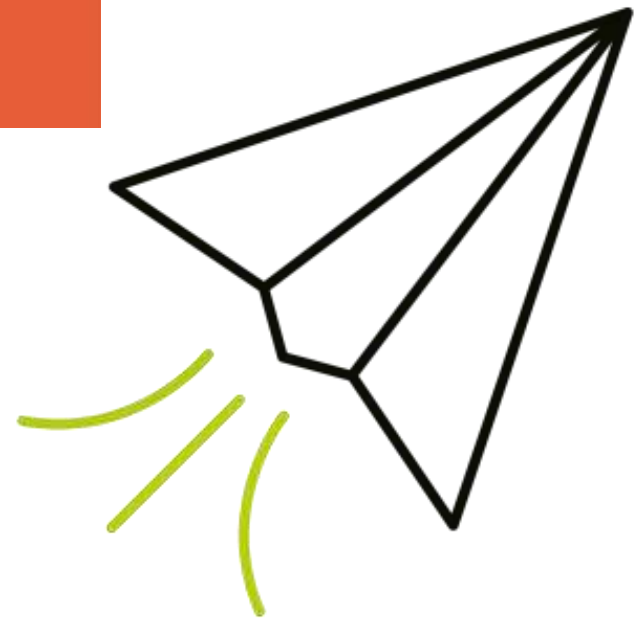


INNOVATION

FUTURE CHALLENGES FOR RISK ASSESSMENT

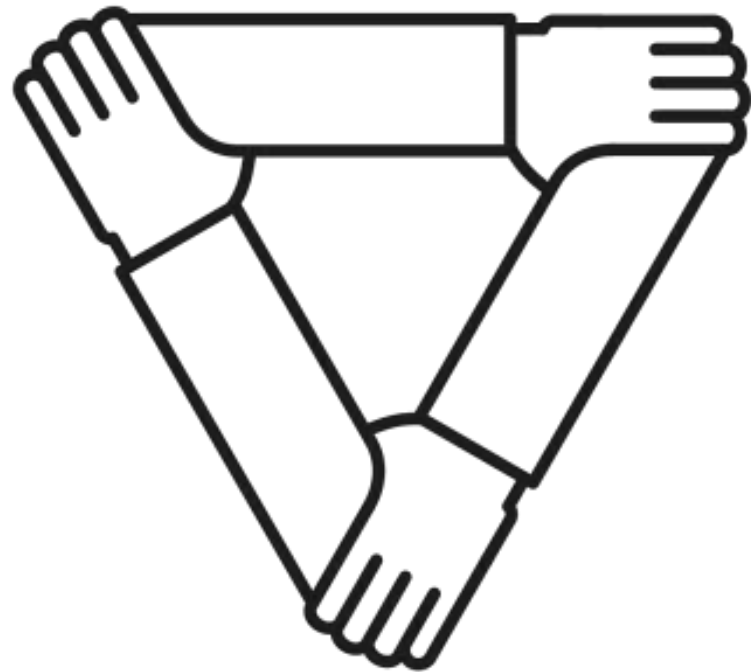


OPENNESS



INDEPENDENCE

FUTURE CHALLENGES FOR RISK ASSESSMENT



COOPERATION

EFSA'S STRATEGY 2020: STRATEGIC OBJECTIVE 3

Build the EU's scientific assessment capacity and knowledge community



EU Risk Assessment Agenda

through

Partnership

Joint projects

Sharing expertise



EU RISK ASSESSMENT AGENDA-THE WAY AHEAD

Priorities are defined and attained collaboratively - MS together with EFSA

Delphi study completed



Compendium of project ideas



Interested partners



EU Services & Agencies



EU RAA PROJECT CATALOGUE



23 MS
117 proposals



**Evidence based
risk ranking of
chemical and
microbiological
hazards in food**

**2017
Workshop on
Plant Health
Crisis
Preparedness**

**Development and
implementation of
Risk-Benefit
Assessment in
foods**

**Campylobacter VirulomeE
and Resistome in a farm
to fork approach**

**Molecular
surveillance with
Next Generation
Sequencing (NGS)**