



Invitation for financial entities to participate in a DORA dry run exercise

The European Supervisory Authorities (EBA, EIOPA and ESMA – the ESAs) have announced that they will launch in May the **voluntary exercise for the collection of the registers of information of contractual arrangements on the use of ICT third-party service providers** by the financial entities.

Under the Digital Operation Resilience Act (DORA) and starting from 2025, financial entities will have to maintain registers of information regarding their use of ICT third-party providers. This dry run exercise will serve as preparation to fulfil this requirement and to receive feedback on the data quality reported.

Financial entities participating in the dry run will receive support from the ESAs to:

- build their register of information in the format as close as possible to the steady-state reporting from 2025,
- test the reporting process,
- address data quality issues,
- and improve internal processes and quality of their registers of information.

The ad-hoc data collection is expected to be launched in May 2024 with the financial entities expecting to submit their registers of information to the ESAs through their competent authorities between 1 July and 30 August. Financial entities interested in participating in this dry run exercise can enroll by sending an email to ciberseguridad@cnmv.es by **25 May 2024**.

On the other hand, to provide more information regarding the dry run exercise, the ESAs invite financial entities to take part in an introductory workshop on 30 April 2024. Interested parties are invited to register to the [on line introductory workshop](#) by **25 April 2024**.

Further information can be found at:

- [ESAs to run voluntary dry run exercise to prepare industry for the next stage of DORA implementation](#)
- [Factsheet: 'Dry run' to prepare for DORA](#).