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Determination of net short position

Subject Matter

Calculation of net short positions held through derivatives on sovereign debt

Question

For the purpose of calculating the net short position in the sovereign debt of a sovereign issuer, is a duration adjustment required to be applied to derivative positions referenced in that sovereign debt?

ESMA Answer

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For the purpose of calculating the net short position in a sovereign debt, ESMA considers that the text of Part 2 of Annex II of the DR only suggests that the positions held through derivative instruments in the sovereign debt of a sovereign issuer (e.g. options, futures, CDS...) should be delta adjusted.