

ESMA Data Day 2025 - Burden reduction in the digitalisation era

Agenda

Date: 02 December 2025

Time: 09:30 – 17:00 (Paris time)

Location: ESMA, 201-203 rue de Bercy, 75012 Paris + Online (MS Teams)

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Objective

ESMA organises this event to engage with stakeholders and discuss strategic initiatives related to supervisory reporting, and to place these initiatives in the broader context of simplification and burden reduction. This event is intended to be the first in a series of annual Data Days – an initiative that will form an important part of ESMA's ongoing dialogue with stakeholders from industry and the regulatory community, helping it to develop and refine its strategic priorities in the coming years.

9:30 – 9:40	Welcome/opening remarks
9:40 – 10:40	Strategies for simplification and burden reduction – EU regulators' perspective
	Senior representatives of European authorities will discuss key developments related to simplification and burden reduction.
10:40	Burden Reduction: Reassessing Regulatory Requirements
11:20	Market participants will share their views regarding how existing reporting obligations can be simplified and better aligned with practical needs



11:20	Simplification in practice – a closer look at the national level
12:30	The discussion will focus on how existing reporting obligations can be simplified and better aligned with practical needs
12:30 - 14:00	Lunch break
14:00	The Role of Al: Opportunities and Challenges
_ 14:45	Participants will share their perspectives regarding opportunities offered by AI for improving efficiency and challenges for regulators and market participants when implementing AI solutions
14:45	How Can Technology Support Burden Reduction?
_ 15:45	The panel will share practical experiences and insights on, e.g., how technology, such as AI, DLT and similar, can support data reporting and use.
15:45 - 16:00	Coffee break
	Strategic priorities for the coming years
16:00 - 16:50	The panel will discuss future priorities and perspectives on regulatory and supervisory reporting, including priorities for the forthcoming years; lessons learned and best practices to guide future initiatives; key initiatives to improve reporting efficiency, reduce burden, and improve the use of data by all stakeholders; and goals and outcomes to be achieved by the next ESMA Data Day in 2026
16:50 - 17:00	Closing remarks