

5. Considering the risk profile, size, scale, and complexity of the activities of the various financial entities, competent authorities are prepared to supervise the DORA requirements in a risk-based manner and taking into account the EBA's, ESMA's and EIOPA's Union Strategic Supervisory Priorities (USSPs)⁷ and the EBA's 2025 European Supervisory Examination Programme (ESEP)⁸, which highlight cyber and digital operational resilience.
6. The ESAs continue to work with competent authorities to deliver a pragmatic, outcomes-focused and timely approach to implementation.
7. The ESAs also invite ICT third-party service providers, which consider they may meet the criticality criteria published in May 2024⁹, to assess their operational setup against DORA requirements. The first designation of CTPPs is expected to take place in H2 2025.

⁷EIOPA: [0d45dc78-d9ad-4641-a7f7-9e9d20ad8518_en](#).

ESMA: [ESMA to put cyber risk as a new Union Strategic Supervisory Priority \(europa.eu\)](#)

⁸ <https://www.eba.europa.eu/sites/default/files/2024-07/ef6cf1ab-94fe-453f-9e4d-37231153cfac/2025%20EBA%20ESEP.pdf>

⁹ https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=OJ:L_202401502