

# WFC Feedback and CSD Global Issues

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# Today's Topics

# 2023 WFC Feedback

# Global Issues Facing CSDs

- Settlement Efficiency & Shortening the Settlement Cycle
- DLT Technological Innovation

# WFC Feedback

# **CSDs Engagement for a Sustainable Market**

#### **Outward Perspective:**

• CSDs' role with stakeholders to support a more **ESG/sustainable friendly market** 

#### **Inward Perspective:**

- A sustainable market needs a sustainable CSD that acts when possible to contain risks
- Avoids solutions made in isolation

#### **DLT Pilots and lessons learned**

Monetary Policy and CSD infrastructure's articulation through technology iterations Main themes:

- Central bank Money vs Commercial bank Money
- Balancing innovation while securing operations that never fail

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# Decommissioning ISO 15022 in place of ISO 20022

Presented ECSDA ISO TF work: migration to ISO 200222:

	Current situation	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	Later?
Corporate actions	Mainly ISO15022	ECMS: ISO2022 mainly for NCBs	SCORE wave 2 (to be confirmed)					Discontinue ISO15022	
Market claims	ISO15022							Discontinue ISO15022	
General meetings	ISO20022 for SDRII scope	ECMS: ISO2022 mainly for NCBs	SCORE wave 2 (to be confirmed)	Discontinue ISO15022					
Shareholder id	Mainly ISO20022								
Settlement & reco.	ISO15022 & ISO20022								No end date planned yet for ISO15022

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# **Facilitating Flows to Emerging Markets**

#### WFC showed us:

- An Increase of capital flows to emerging markets in past 10 years
- CSD links bring in capital and lowers debt financing cost
- Ways to support reconstruction projects and attract foreign investors

#### **Global Issues with significant changes to CSDs environment**

## Settlement Efficiency & Settlement Cyle

U.S. & Canada moving to T+1 – May 2024 catalysed a global question with a unique European answer

The big question for Europe: **Higher settlement efficiency before a shorter cycle** Each market should assess:

- 1. The effects of a misaligned cycle globally
  - Can Europe and other markets learn from the U.S. move?
  - What material affect will there be on securities traded and settled in Europe?
- 2. A cost-benefit analysis for CSDs:
  - Technology is not an impediment
- Where do we stand?
  - ESMA Settlement Efficiency Workshop
  - European T+1 Taskforce

# **Global Issues**

## Innovation – Distributed Ledger Technology (DLT)

Exploring the role of DLT in CSD related services in pilot projects Recent developments in the private and public sectors (FTX, CHESSS etc)

#### Some Upsides and Downsides

DLT's possible role in emerging markets Legal and Regulatory challenges

## **DLT Going Forward**

Public and Private applications of DLT Role of international bodies as standard setters

