



Directive on Network and Information Security

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... a practical guide ...

Why intervene @ EU level?

NIS Directive => what is it?

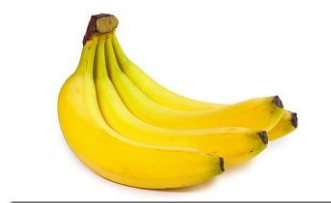
What's in it for you?



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Why not?

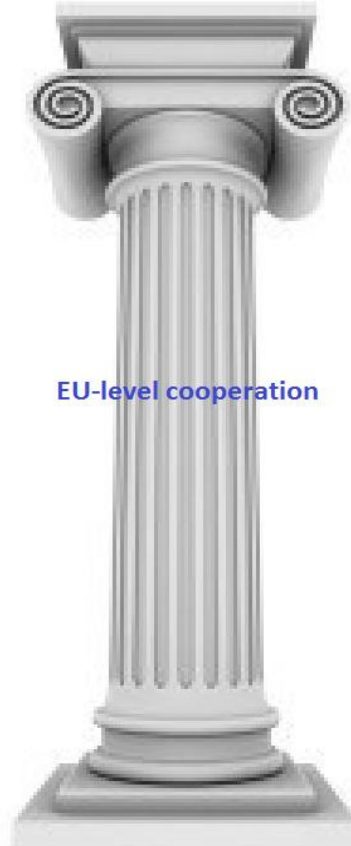
increased dependence on ICT
increased impact of incidents

preparedness disparities across EU
no functioning digital single market



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what government needs to do...

appoint competent authority
networking & information sharing
coordination
national NIS strategy
establish well-functioning national CERT
...



what for?

bring your house in order
build trust

prevent EU disaster !



what companies need to do...

risk management approach
information sharing



what for?

cybersecurity = corporate responsibility

cybersecurity = societal responsibility

level playing field

trust

no trade discrimination

no competitive disadvantage

telco's => article 13





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What's in it for you?



society

make EU the safest place in the world
security = everyone's responsibility
reputation & trust
due diligence



NIS Platform



bring together all stakeholders
recommendations – best practice
support the transposition of legal requirements
industry policy
innovation
R&D
education, training

for you – not for us

business !



increased demand for secure ICT
product differentiator
security => positive business case
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Thank you for your attention