

How APHIS, EPA, and FDA may Use Study Findings

Findings of report will be helpful to inform ongoing and future agency activities, incl. development of long-term strategy (Ref: 2015 EOP memo). USDA/ APHIS, EPA, and FDA may use the report to:

- Gain a better understanding of future products and how they fit within U.S. regulatory system
- Consider any necessary updates to scientific assessments
- Consider any necessary updates to regulatory processes or procedures
- Help enhance communication with stakeholders



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- Gain a better understanding of future products (incl. those potentially developed in other countries), and consider how products fit within:
 - individual agency regulatory frameworks; and
 - broader U.S. Coordinated Framework
- Consider any necessary updates to scientific assessments
 - Any refinements to current risk/safety assessment frameworks, considering risk to humans, animals, plants, or environment due to new or different:
 - Properties
 - Routes of exposure
 - Hazards
 - Other risk-related characteristics
 - Plan regulatory science activities



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- Consider any necessary updates to regulatory processes or procedures
 - Any new or revised safety testing methods or data needed in regulatory submissions
 - Any need for new/updated recommendations or guidance for industry
 - Any additional expertise (hiring) needed for regulatory review of future products
- Help enhance communication with stakeholders
 - Identify any additional relevant stakeholders
 - Plan public engagement and outreach activities

