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Q1

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Q2

Question 1:What supply chain disruptions and trends are you worried about? Drag issues you find most important to the top

Shipping and transport infrastructure bottlenecks	2
Climate change induced events such as floods, bushfires, and major storms	6
Dramatic price increases in crucial inputs	4
Total loss of access to crucial inputs or markets	1
Geopolitics events resulting in loss of access to some markets	5
Pandemic continuing to disrupt supply chains	3
Major players monopolising access to markets	7
Other (please specify)	8

Q3 Respondent skipped this question

Other (please specify).

Q4

Please explain why you ranked the options in the order above (optional)

The majority of our member products are imported, hence the need for a reliable and efficient supply chain. This includes quick release once arrived at a NZ port. Some of the products imported are perishable, e.g. biologicals or have a short-term life. In addition, growers and farmers rely on crop protection and animal medicine products at certain times of the year. If delays happen due to poor infrastructure this could lead to lost markets and disease/pest control treatments due to product shortages.

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Anything else you would like to say on this question? (optional)

Main concern is the delays experienced to release products once reaching NZ ports. A lot more could be done by government and ports in making this process a lot more efficient.

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Q6

Question 2:What is your industry/community currently doing or planning to do to address supply chain concerns? Select all relevant answers

We are waiting for more information on supply chain risks before we decide next steps: no actions yet but we are gathering information

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We are working to improving supply chain resilience through our external relationships: eg. diversifying markets, switching to long-term contracts and/or more resilient suppliers/customers

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We have taken all the steps we can to improve resilience.

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Respondent skipped this question

Any further details you would like to provide regarding the above (optional)

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Anything else you would like to say on this question? (optional)

We can only do so much, with clearance of goods, for example, a government-controlled function.

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Q9

Question 3a: How can the government help to enhance the resilience of your industry/community to supply chain disruptions? Select the option closest to your view

The government should set up a dedicated agency focused on supply chain resilience or consider other active tools to reduce supply chain risks: eg. support onshoring.

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Any further details you would like to provide regarding the above (optional)

Respondent skipped this question

Q11

Question 3b: What government actions (here or overseas) are you aware of that have helped improve supply chain resilience?

Quicker biosecurity and customs clearance.

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Question 3c: Some government actions have downsides or require trade-offs. Can you give examples of occasions where government action to build resilience has come at a high cost or led to unintended consequences or trade-offs?

No

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Anything else you would like to say on these questions? (optional)

Respondent skipped this question

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Q14

Question 4: What should the Commission study to learn more about the economic resilience of industries and communities? Select all relevant answers

Respondent skipped this question

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Anything else you would like to say on this question? (optional)

Respondent skipped this question
