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## **The role of non-scientific data in risk analysis**

### **The case of botanical health claims**

1. Consumenten worden misleid als niet alle informatie over een product wordt gegeven. (dit proefschrift)
2. Onderbouwing van gezondheidsclaims met bewijs van traditioneel gebruik vereist een gestandaardiseerde productiemethode. (dit proefschrift)
3. Verkrijgen van bewijs middels traditioneel gebruik valt niet onder de levenswetenschappen maar valt binnen de geschiedkunde. (dit proefschrift)
4. Onduidelijkheden in de voorwaarden voor de wetenschappelijke onderbouwing van gezondheidsclaims veroorzaakt onzekerheid, wat innovatie in de voedingsindustrie hindert. (dit proefschrift)
5. Een verandering in de risicobeoordeling leidt automatisch tot veranderingen in risicomanagement en risicocommunicatie.
6. Kwalitatief onderzoek leent zich bij uitstek om wetenschappelijke 'waarom-vragen' te beantwoorden.
7. Goed onderzoek naar de risicoanalyse binnen levensmiddelenwetgeving vereist een interdisciplinaire aanpak.
8. Net als koken en bakken, is ook wetenschapsbeoefening een ambacht.
9. Krimp leidt in sommige gevallen tot groei.