



COMPETITION & ANTITRUST

Knowing markets,
creating room
to manoeuvre.



Competition & Antitrust

German and European competition laws are designed to ensure companies compete on the market under fair and equal conditions. Hence competition and antitrust laws play an essential role when drafting contracts. Nonetheless, it is not rare for companies to find themselves confronted by the German Federal Cartel Office or the European Commission's Directorate-General for Competition (DG COMP) when corporate transactions are planned or in the case of antitrust proceedings. In both cases, competent legal support is imperative.

Our team at GSK Stockmann combines considerable expertise with many years of experience practising in competition and antitrust law. With precision and purpose, we develop solutions to manage all the risks and challenges in competition and antitrust law – solutions which are not only legally watertight, but which are also practical and commercially-focused. We advise our clients on all aspects of German and European antitrust law – whether this involves drafting complex contracts, representing your interests with the authorities or in court proceedings and out-of-court settlements. We have particular expertise in the following areas:

- Merger control
- Antitrust and abuse proceedings
- Antitrust distribution law and drafting contracts
- Antitrust damage claims
- Antitrust compliance
- Market/sector investigations

➤ Violating competition law can have severe consequences; heavy fines may be imposed, and contracts may be ruled invalid. To avoid such consequences, we involve our colleagues from Corporate, Public Procurement, M&A and Commercial at an early stage to ensure your project can proceed as planned and is legally binding.



Find the right experts.



Scan the QR code and get to know the lawyers of our "Competition & Antitrust" team.

BERLIN | FRANKFURT/M. | HAMBURG
HEIDELBERG | MUNICH | LUXEMBOURG

[GSK.DE](https://www.gsk.de) | [GSK-LUX.COM](https://www.gsk-lux.com)