Appendix 10: Experts' likely rationale for the prioritization and ranking exercise (Results of Round 3 of the Delphi study)

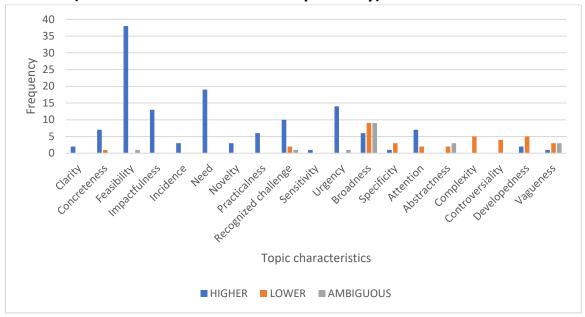


Figure 1 Factors that likely influenced experts' ranking

The factors mentioned are derived from results of Round 3 of the Delphi study. The x-axis represents the topic characteristics that experts in Round 3 mentioned influenced the rankings. The y-axis represents the number of times that experts in Round 3 identified the topic characteristic as influencing the topic to be ranked higher (blue), lower (orange), or in an ambiguous way (i.e. influenced some experts to rate the topic higher and others low; in gray).

Evaluation of ranking results

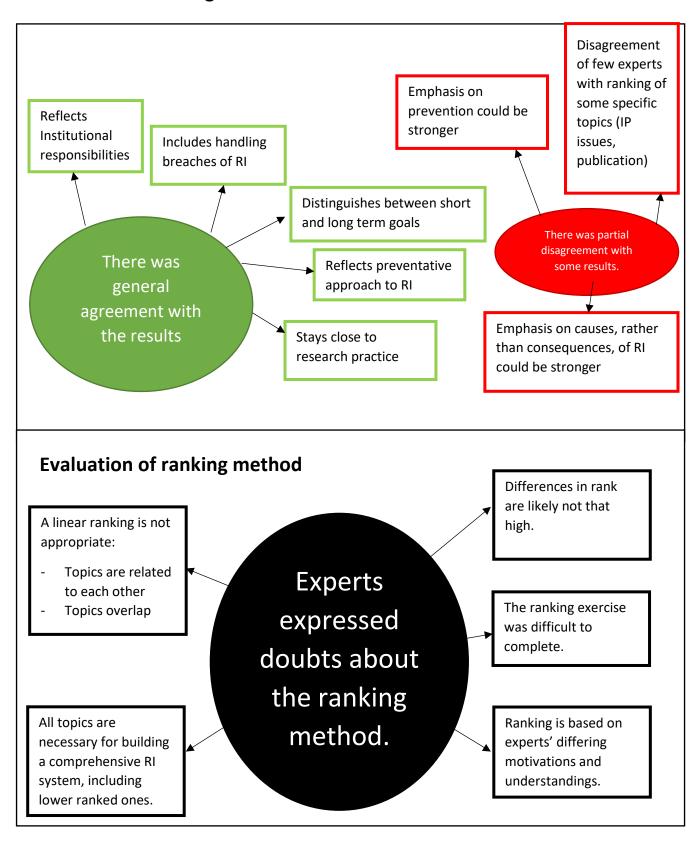


Figure 2 Experts' evaluations of the ranking. This figure provides a summary of experts' views on the results of the ranking exercise (top box) and the ranking exercise method itself (bottom box).