# Doing Digital Differently

# Agenda

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- #3 A Danish digital journey
- #4 The Danish digital strategies



**#1** Introduction to Digital Hub Denmark

# In Collaboration with:













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# What we do

Digital Hub Denmark provides **customised matchmaking services for** international stakeholders with an interest in **collaborating** with, **procuring** or **supporting** the **Danish digital tech ecosystem.** 

We're here to attract:

- → Talent
- → Collaboration



### We attract talent

Shortage of tech workers is the biggest barrier for growth for Danish companies.

Digital Hub Denmark works to meet the demand for talents by:

- Exposing talent for our talent attraction campaigns (200 mio. exposed)
- Matching Danish tech jobs with our database of +12.000 tech talents with interest in Denmark
- Sponsoring fast track programs within Danish ecosystem to attract and retain talent



### We attract collaboration

Digital Hub Denmark is the first stop in Denmark, when you engage with the Danish tech scene.

We welcome international delegations and make customised agendas that engages the Danish digital ecosphere.

### Numbers from 2022:

- → 123+ international delegations
- → 2200+ guests
- → 42+ countries
- → 9 Authority Collaborations
- → 5 B2G Collaborations
- → 3 B2B Collaborations



#1 Digital Denmark at a Glance

# A small country with big digital ambitions



Life expectancy
81 years life expectancy



Area 42,933 km²



Population 5,8 million people



Entrepreneurship 10 unicorns



Education level 78% have completed further education



Education level 39% has a Higher education

# Conditions, culture, and efficiency on a global scale

# Corruption Perceptions Index

- 1. Denmark
- 2.Finland
- 3.New Zealand
- 4.Norway
- 5.Singapore
- 6.Sweden
- 7. Switzerland
- 8.Netherlands

# Global Social Mobility Index

- 1. Denmark
- 2. Norway
- 3. Finland
- 4. Sweden
- 5. Iceland
- 6. Netherlands
- 7. Switzerland
- 8. Austria

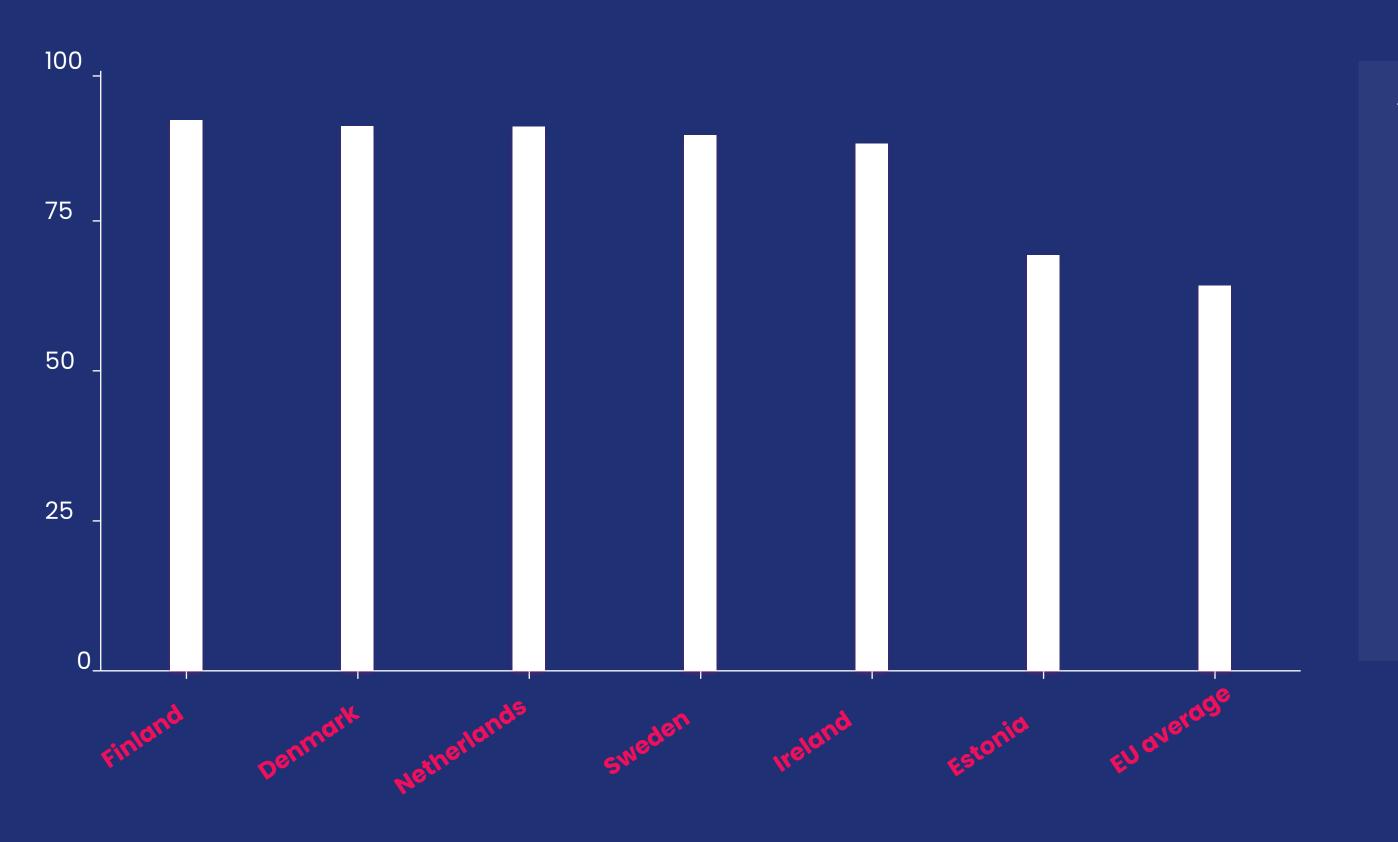
### World Competitiveness Ranking

- 1. Denmark
- 2. Switzerland
- 3. Singapore
- 4. Sweden
- 5. Hong Kong SAR
- 6. Netherlands
- 7. Taiwan, China
- 8. Finland





# Digital Economy and Society Index (DESI)



# The DESI 2022 report looks at:

- connectivity
- integration of digital technology
- digital public services
- human capital.

# A human-centric approach to digitisation



### Connectivity

92% of internet users used digital public services within the last year.



### Connectivity

Application for maternity benefits has a digital take-up rate of 100%



### Education

70% of adults have basic digital skills, significantly above EU average of 56%.



### Government

Even application for state pension has an uptake rate of 95% - digital is not only for the younger generation.



### E-commerce

More than twice as many SMEs sell online in Denmark than the EU average.



### Connectivity

9 out of 10 citizens use Digital Post to communicate with public authorities.

#2 A Danish digital journey

# A short history of Denmark's digital solutions



### **CPR**

The government introduced a central database of every person residing in Denmark.

### **Easy account**

The mandatory easy account tied to your personal bank account gave authorities and employers and easy way to handle payments to citizens.

### Digital signature

Digital signature allows authorities and businesses to communicate digitally with citizens thereby moving away from physical letters. A secure way of authenticating identity online.

### **Digital ID**

Authorities are obliged to use a common ICT infrastructure. A crossgovernment identity verification known as "Easy ID" was created - which became NemID in 2010 and then mitID in 2021.

### Citizen.dk

Borger.dk portal was launched, allowing citizens to access more than 2,000 selfservices. This was the gateway to the public sector.

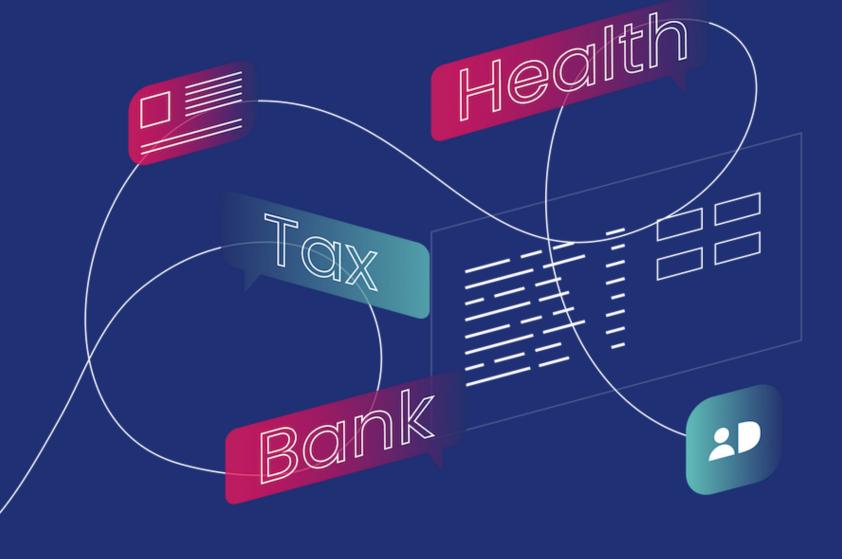
### **Digital Post**

In the following years, digital post and digital self-services were made mandatory for both citizens and businesses alike.

### **Digital Visitor Centre**

An experience center was inaugurated for international delegations visiting Denmark with the aim of promoting Danish digital solutions.

Back in 1968 Denmark introduced the CPR, a central database of every person residing in Denmark. The CPR is basically your gateway into Denmark.





# Four national portals



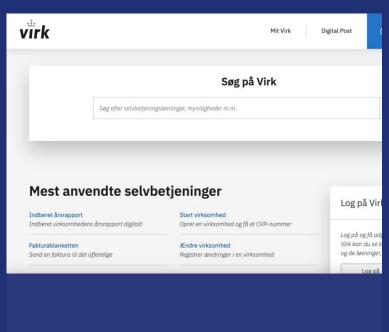
### Borger.dk

A common public-sector portal providing a single point of access to all digital public services.



### **Skat.dk**

Skat.dk gives you access to a self-service system and guides on taxes and duties



### Virk.dk

The digital entrance to the public sector for Danish businesses.



### **Sundhed.dk**

A web portal providing access to medical records and communication with healthcare providers.

Operated by Agency for Digital Government

(part of Ministry for Digital Government and Gender Equality) Operated by The Tax Administration

(part of Ministry of Taxation)

Operated by Danish Business Authority

(part of Ministry of Ministry of Industry, Business, and Financial Affairs)

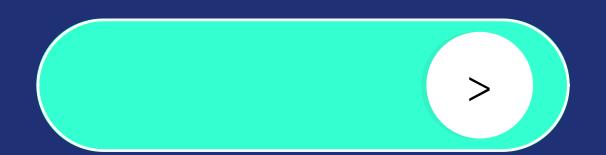
Operated by sundhed.dk

Owned by Danish Regions, Local Government Denmark, and the Ministry of Health and the Elderly

### With your CPR you can

enroll your child on a waiting list for daycare report that you are changing address apply for child benefits choose or change your doctor complete your tax return claim your holiday allowance apply for maternity / paternity benefits apply for a divorce apply for spousal support apply for a Danish tax card and a personal tax number change and access your preliminary income assessment order a new health insurance card apply for home care apply for a driver's license apply for a travel guarantee for the metro get an overview of contributions to your pension logon to your online banking send and receive digital post from public authorities apply for a loan register your company for VAT file your VAT return with the Tax Agency report employee salaries report holiday pay for employees report a company merger / split apply for a students' Grants and Loans Scheme access your medical records get a video consultation with your doctor renew a medical prescription get test results book an appointment with a specialist

...and manage them all with a swipe



#3 The Danish Digital Strategies

## Administrative structure in Denmark

### State

- Defence
- Police and courts
- Universities and high schools
- → Highways

→ Financed by state taxes

### Regions (5)

- → Hospitals and psychiatry
- → Regional public transport
- Regional development

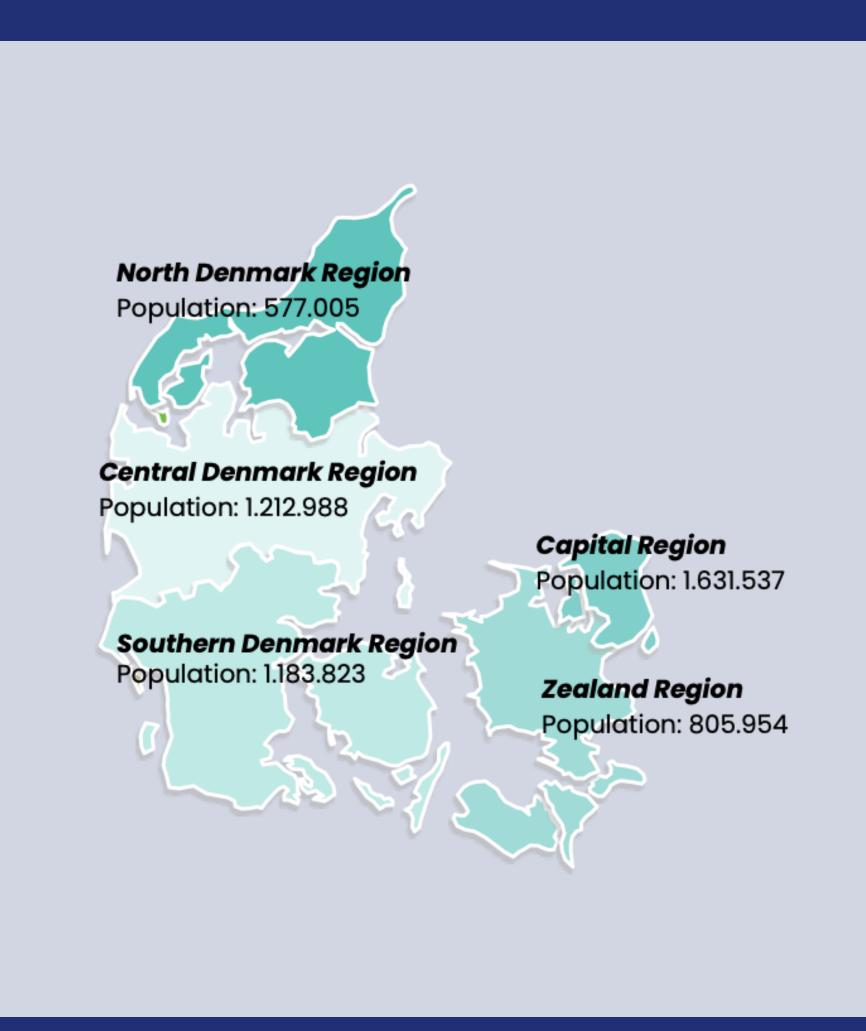
→ Financed by state grants

### Municipalities (98)

- Childcare & elderly care
- → Employment
- → Public schools
- Culture & libraries
- Local public transport
- Passports & driver's license
- → Social area

→ 75 pct. local taxes

→ 25 pct. state grants



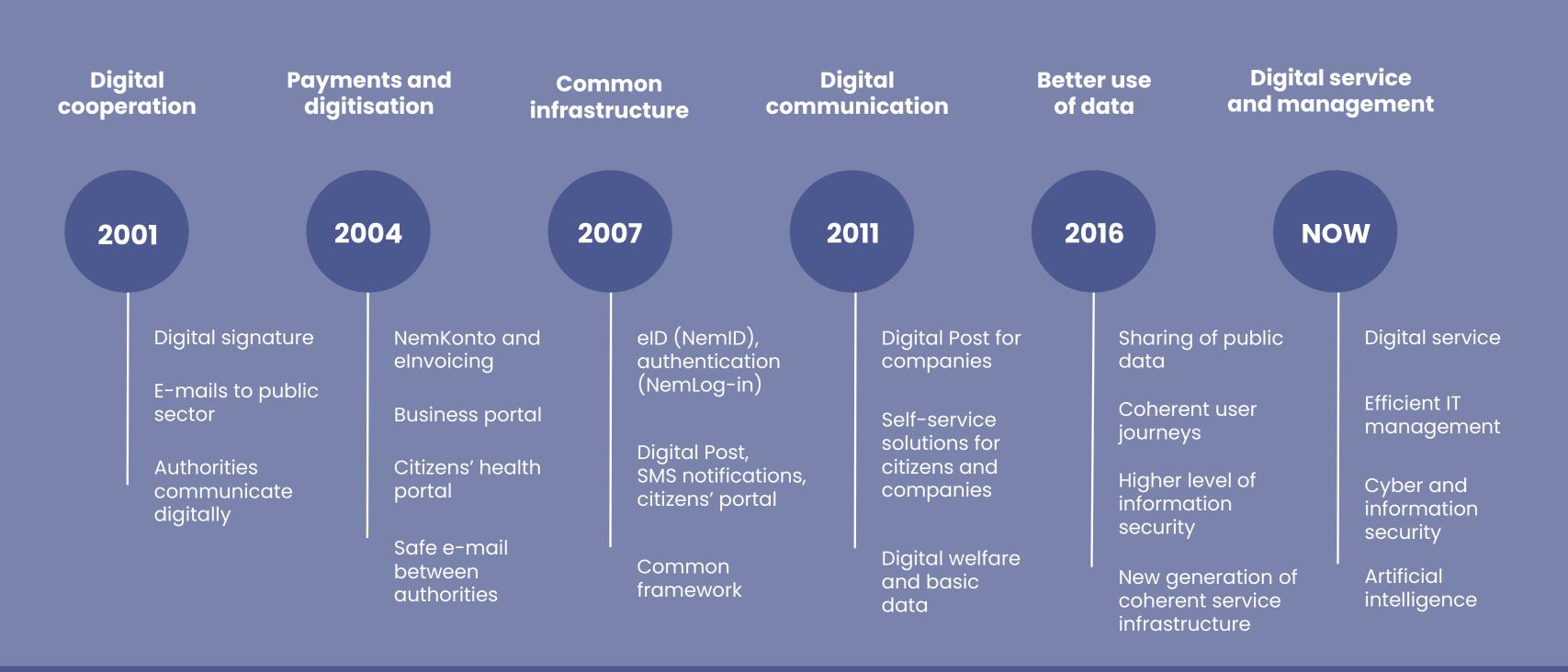
# Success factors in the Danish digitisation journey

Build-up of infrastructure

Clear goals and quick wins

Alignment on all levels of Government

Cooperation with the private sector



Common digital strategy and direction

**#4** The Joint Government Digital Strategy

### Governance of Joint Government Digital Strategy '22 - '25

Committee of Budget and Strategy



Forum of Stakeholders:

Agency for Digital Government

Danish Regions

**Local Government Denmark** 



Committee of Architecture and Standards

Working Group for Strengthened Anchoring of Cybersecurity

## Steering Group for Coherent Services and Communication

Examples:

**Inclusive and Coherent Services** 

A Joint and Personalized overview for citizens

Improved Access for Adults with Responsibilities towards Children

Digitizing the Resort of Drivers Licences

Coherent Citizen Journeys for Vulnerable Youth and Children

### Steering Group for Digital Innovation and Green Transition

**Examples:** 

Data driven Transition for Circular Economy

Digital Platform for Building Materials and Raw Materials

Further Development of Energy and Co2 Accounting

Improved use of Supply Data for Energy Efficient Buildings

A Joint Public Collaboration on Improving Access to Public Data

Strengthened Danish Language Technology

A Responsible Foundation for use of New and Emerging Technologies

## Steering Group for Infrastructure and Digital Solutions

**Examples:** 

Easy and Safe Use of Powers of Attorneys

Easy and Safe Use of Declarations of Consent

Infrastructure Solutions:

MyID / E- ID

Digital Post

Easy LogIn

Citizen.dk

Digital Health Card



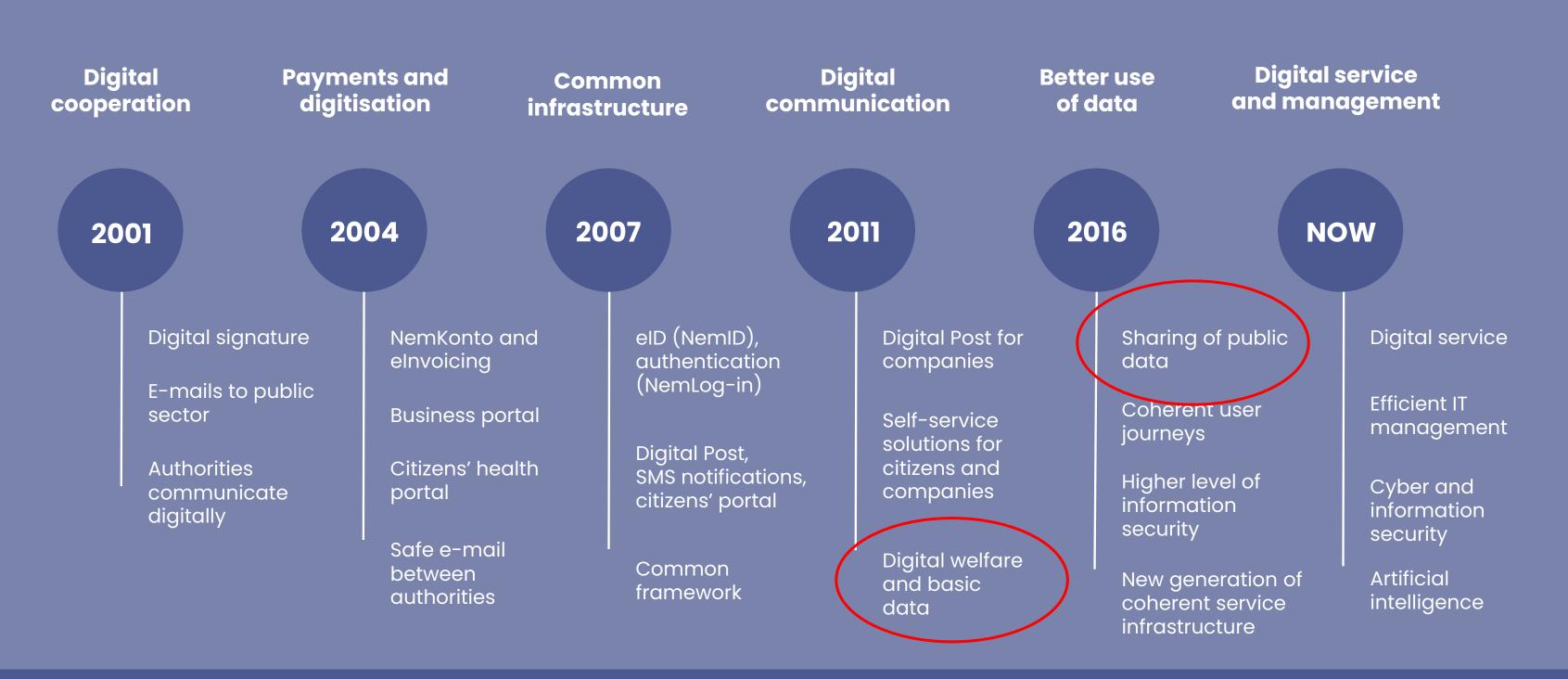
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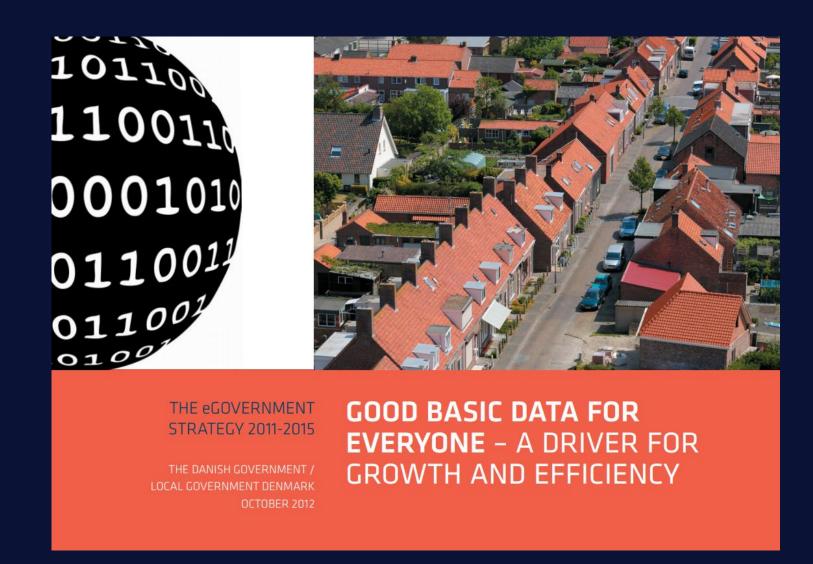
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# Basic Data Program

- Part of eGovernment Strategy from 2011
- Relates to ambition of closer public sector collaboration
  - Legislation in support of digital services
  - Reuse of data
  - Improved governance and benefit realization
- Fully implemented in 2020

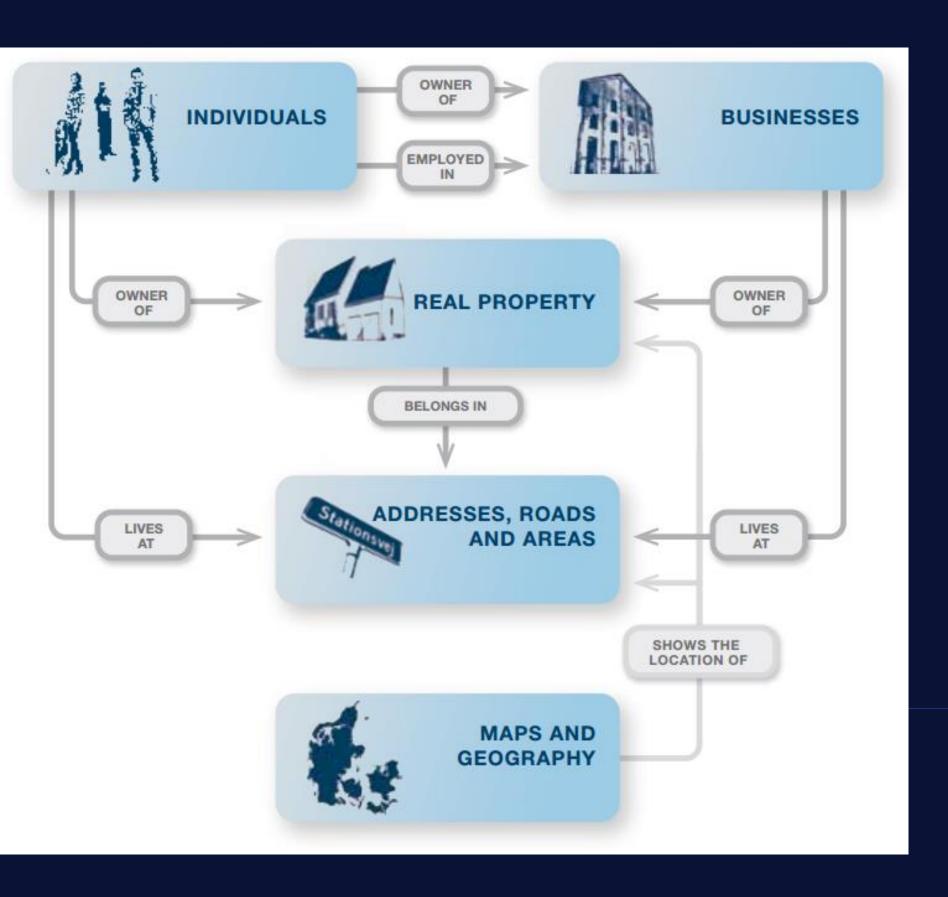
# Main points in Basic Data Agreement

- Free access to public sector basic data for citizens and businesses
- Improved quality for basic data regarding real property, addresses, geography, individuals and businesses
- Effective, joint distribution of basic data
- Business case back then
  - Yearly benefits of approx. €35 million in public sector and €65 million in the private sector
  - Government investments for approx. €125 million up to 2016



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Agency for Data Supply and Effeciency

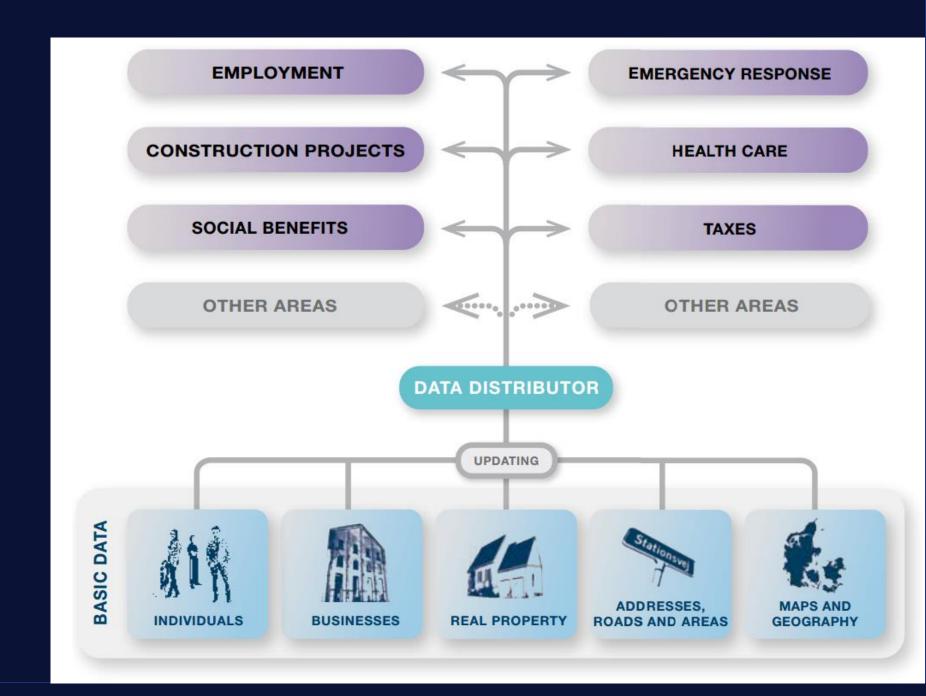


### Basic Data is:

- Core information about
  - individuals
  - businesses
  - real property and buildings
  - addresses
  - maps
  - geography
- Base registers maintained by different public authorities
- Re-use of high-quality data is an essential basis for public authorities to perform their tasks properly and efficiently across units, administrations and sectors.

### The Data Distributer:

- Basic data is distributed through the 'Data Distributor'
- Conveys updated and authentic information from base registers on to the relevant public and private sector users by
  - Data services and event based updates
  - Download services
- Fulfills the requirement for accessing data in an easy, fast, reliable and cost-effective manner
- Saves resources for data responsible authorities



# Urgent always screams



# Important tends to whisper



# Important tends to whisper listen carefully...



# Digitisation is culture - only integrate what resonates...

Be Humancentric

Be **Democratic** 

Be Collaborative

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