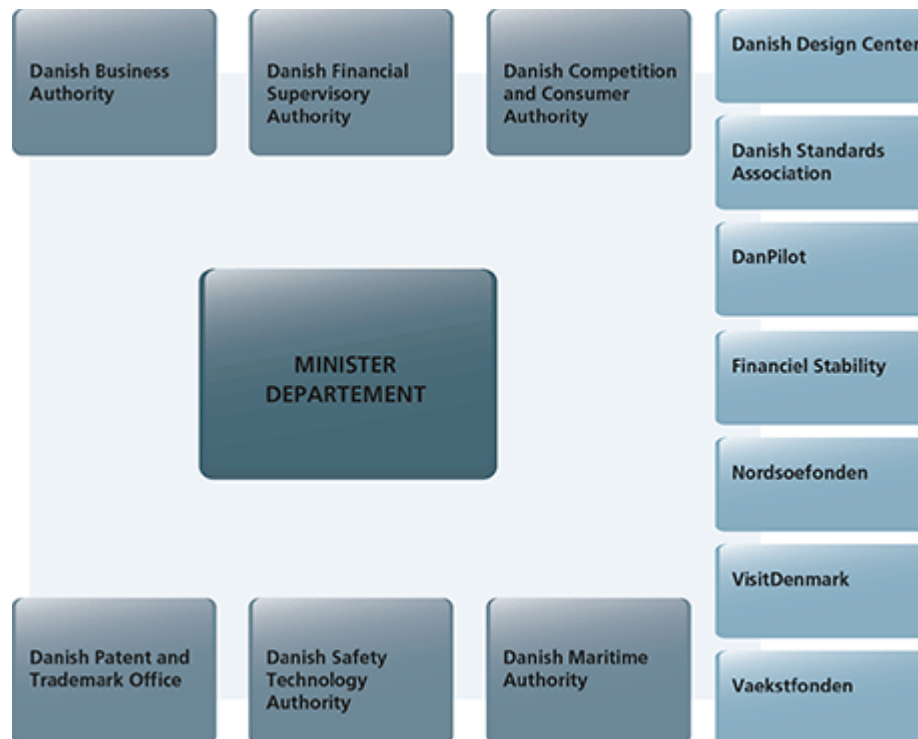


DANISH-GERMAN COOPERATION ON GROWTH

AGENDA

- 1) The Danish Ministry of Business and Growth
- and our focus for growth policies
- 2) Potential for deeper cross-border integration
- 3) How to strengthen our collaboration?

1) THE DANISH MINISTRY OF BUSINESS AND GROWTH

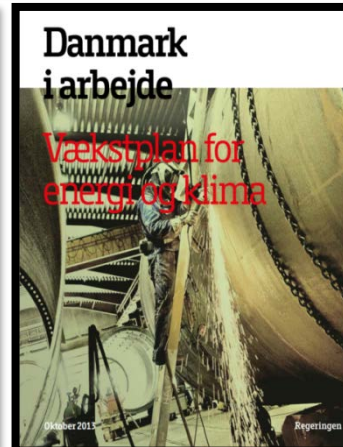
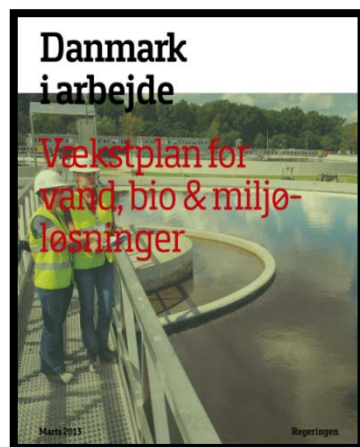


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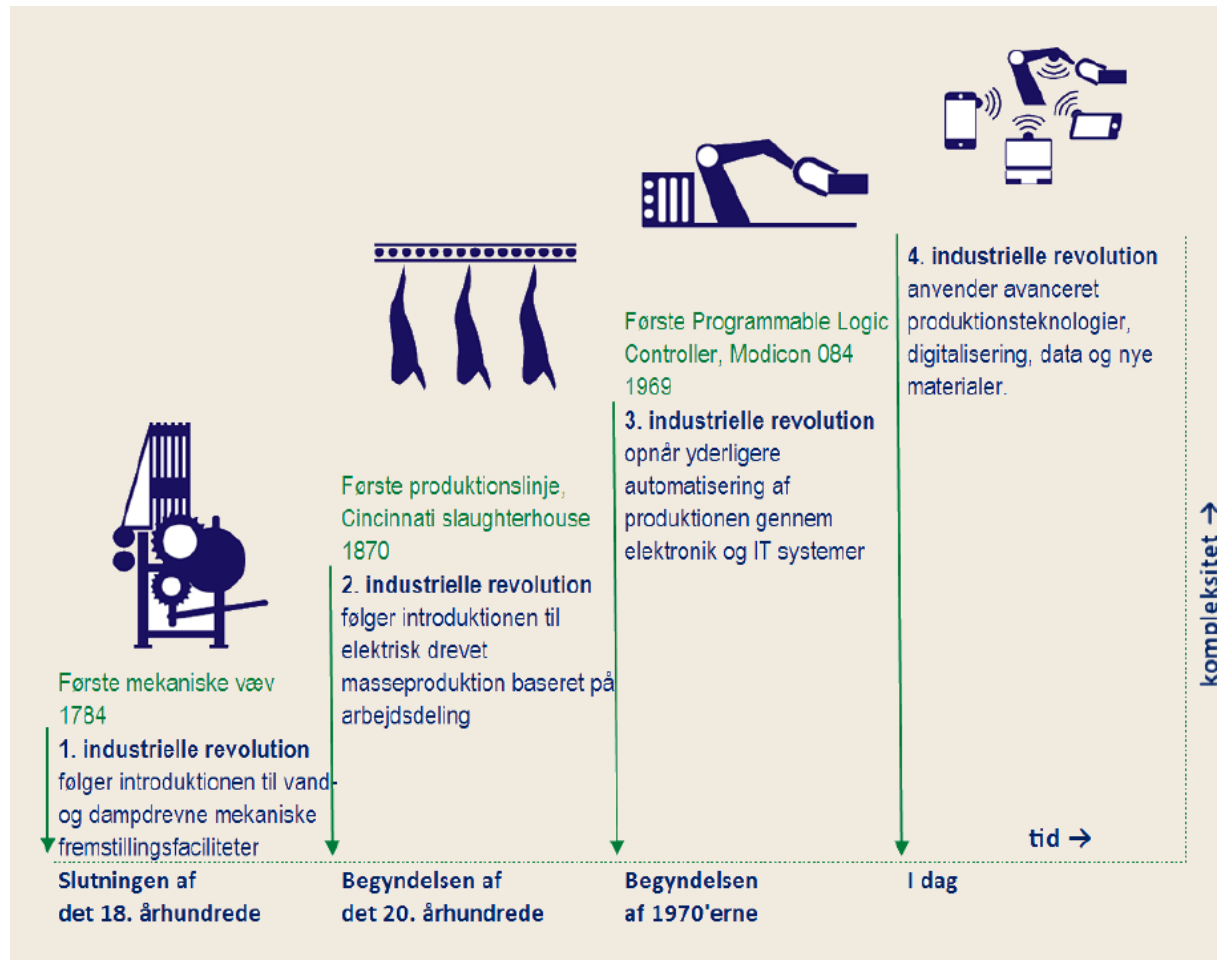
- Strengthening growth conditions, especially in areas where Danish business has international competitive power and potential.
- Strengthening competition and efficient markets, not least in relation to the domestic-oriented business.
- Doing business in Denmark should be made less bureaucratic.
- Ensuring a healthy financial sector and good access to funding and capital.
- Modern infrastructure and a well-functioning utilities sector.



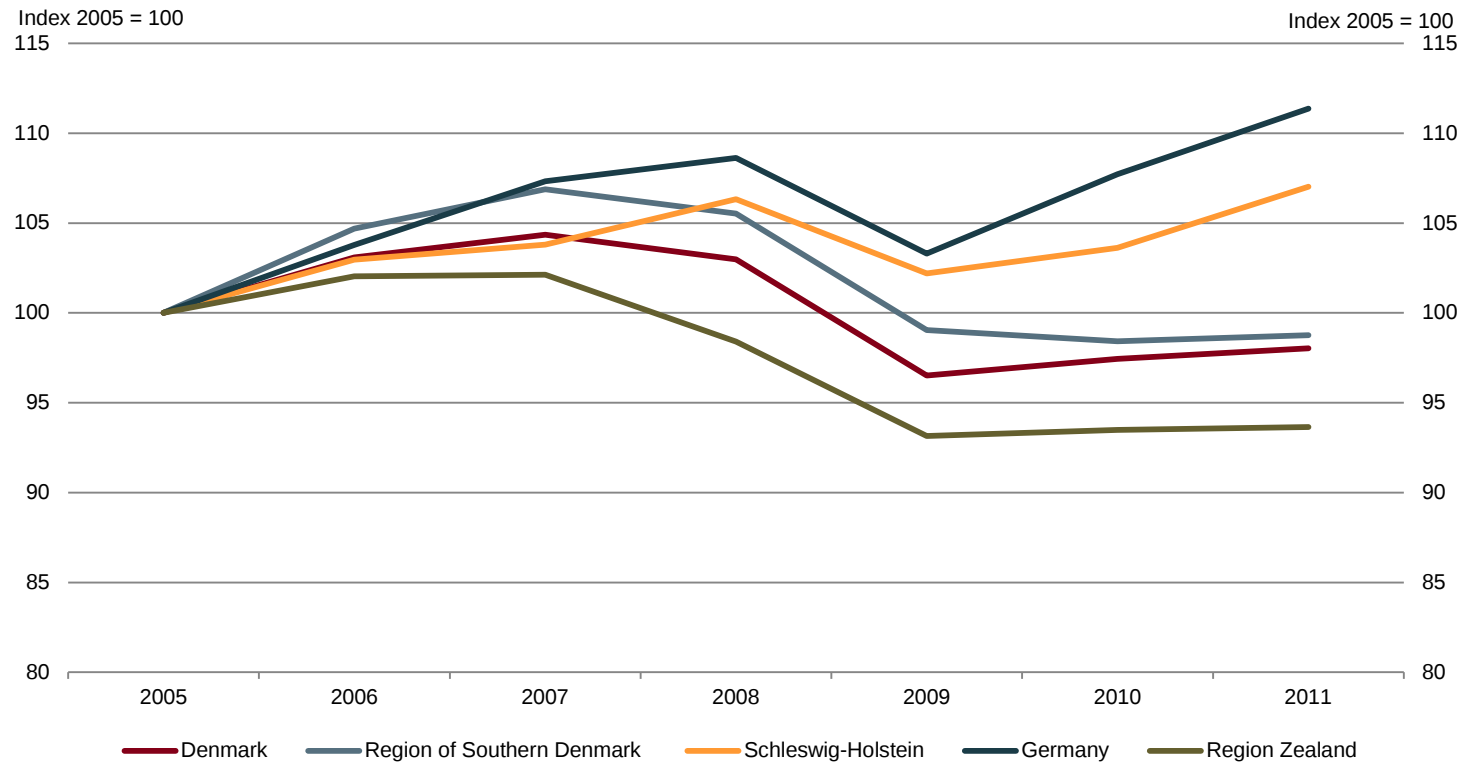
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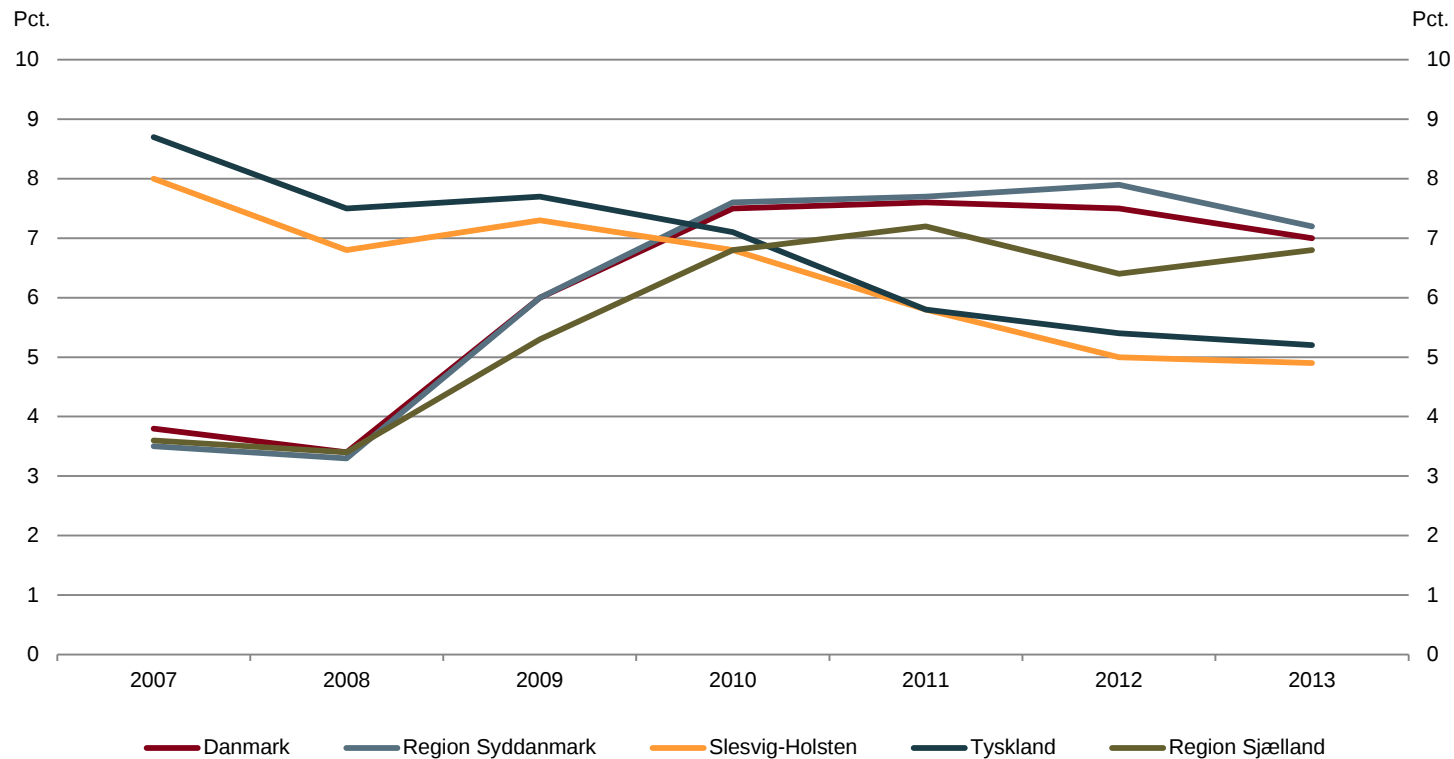
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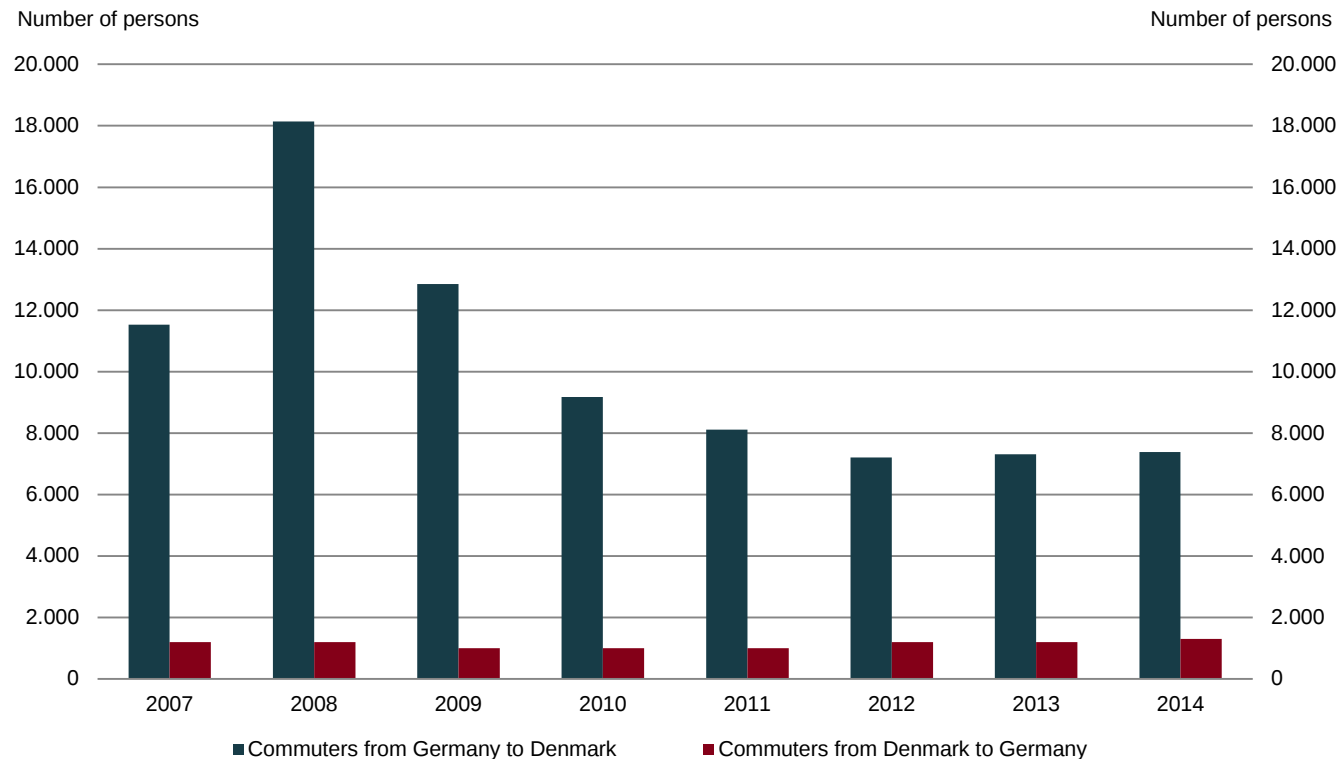
DEVELOPMENT IN GDP PER CAPITA, 2005-2011



UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 2007-2013



DEVELOPMENT IN THE BORDER COMMUTING, 2007-2014



2) POTENTIAL FOR CROSS-BORDER COOPERATION

- Labour mobility and access to qualified labour
- An integrated market for services will strengthen productivity
- Strong ties may strengthen trade and direct investments
- Cooperation on common strengths – shipbuilding and food ?

3) HOW TO STRENGTHEN COOPERATION

- Make cross-border labour mobility easier. Experience from Southern Jylland / Slesvig can benefit the Fehmarn Belt Region.
- Collaboration on education is important to develop a common labour market
- Data is important to develop effective strategies.

