



Balance between rural and urban areas



OUR VALUES

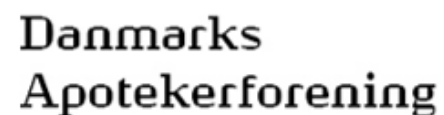
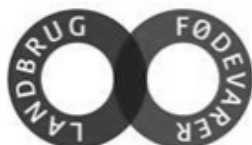
Independent, proper, dedicated, committed, participatory

OUR VISION

Growth and development all over Denmark with good possibilities for settlement and business development



OUR MEMBERS



Aabenraa Kommune
Aalborg Kommune
Assens Kommune
Billund Kommune
Brønderslev Kommune
Esbjerg Kommune
Faaborg-Midtfyn Kommune
Fanø Kommune
Favrskov Kommune
Faxe Kommune
Frederikshavn Kommune
Guldborgsund Kommune
Haderslev Kommune
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Holbæk Kommune
Holstebro Kommune
Ikast-Brande Kommune
Jammerbugt Kommune

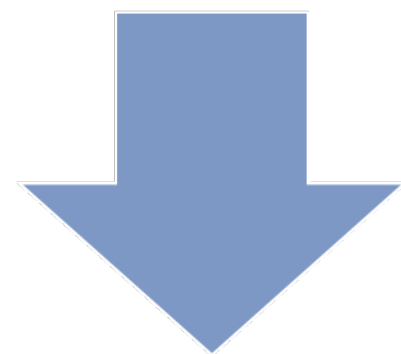
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Læsø Kommune
Mariagerfjord Kommune
Morsø Kommune
Norddjurs Kommune
Nordfyns Kommune
Nyborg Kommune
Næstved Kommune
Odder Kommune
Odsherred Kommune
Randers Kommune
Rebild Kommune
Ringkøbing-Skjern Kommune
Ringsted Kommune
Samsø Kommune

Silkeborg Kommune
Skive Kommune
Slagelse Kommune
Struer Kommune
Svendborg Kommune
Sønderborg Kommune
Thisted Kommune
Tønder Kommune
Varde Kommune
Vejle Kommune
Vesthimmerlands Kommune
Viborg Kommune
Vordingborg Kommune
Ærø Kommune

Fynsland
Landsbyforum Ringsted
Landsbygruppen Thy
Sønderborg Landsbyforum
Viborg Landsbysammenslutning

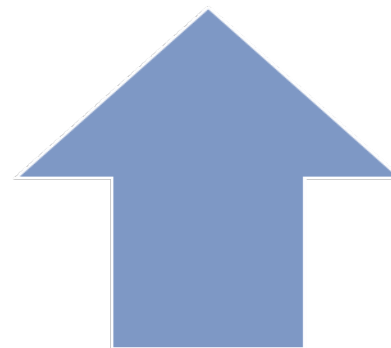
100 village associations





**Framework
conditions**

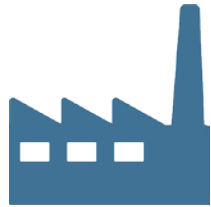
**Civil society -
take action**



The Framework Plan for the Rural Areas



Good possibilities for living
all over Denmark



Better conditions for
business and industry



Better infrastructure,
digital as well as physical



Possibilities for education
in all regions



Equal medical treatment
throughout the country



In 2015 the government presented a plan "Growth and development throughout Denmark" with concrete proposals for more than 100 different initiatives. The purpose was to create a positive economic development, also in the Danish rural areas.

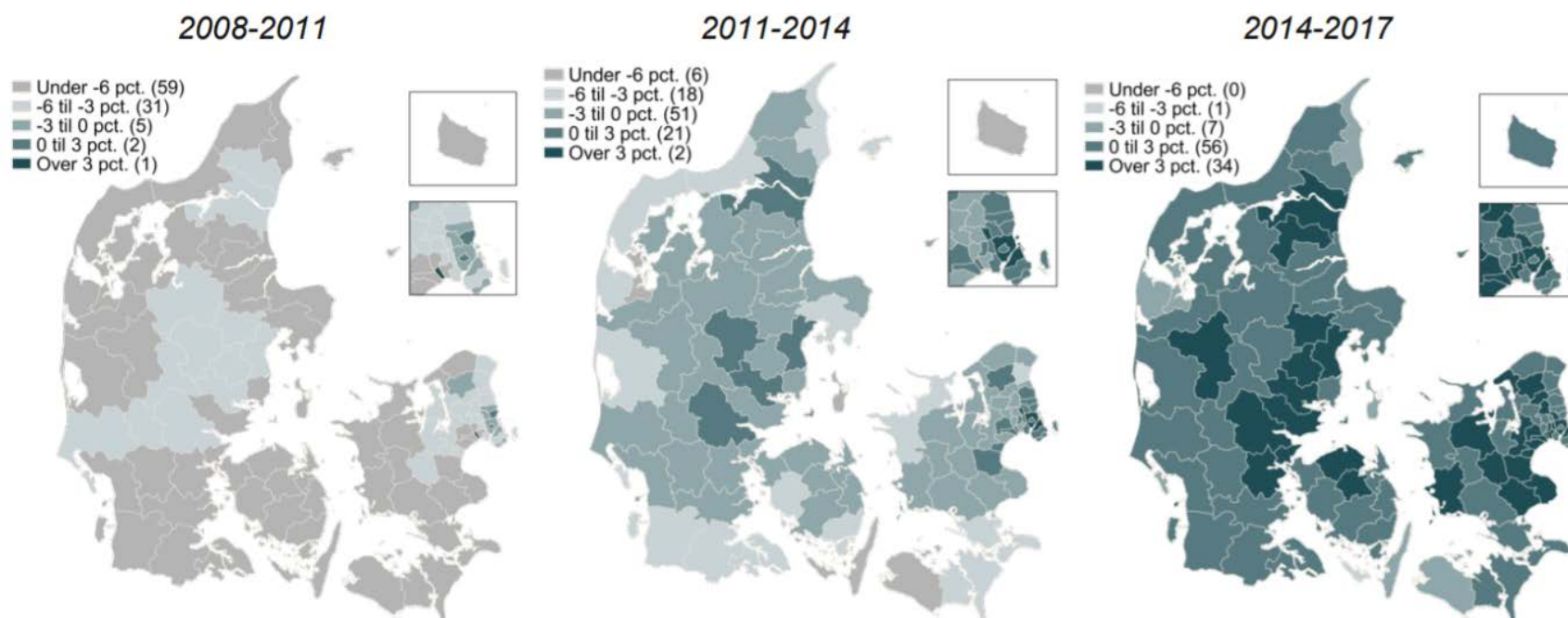


INITIATIVES



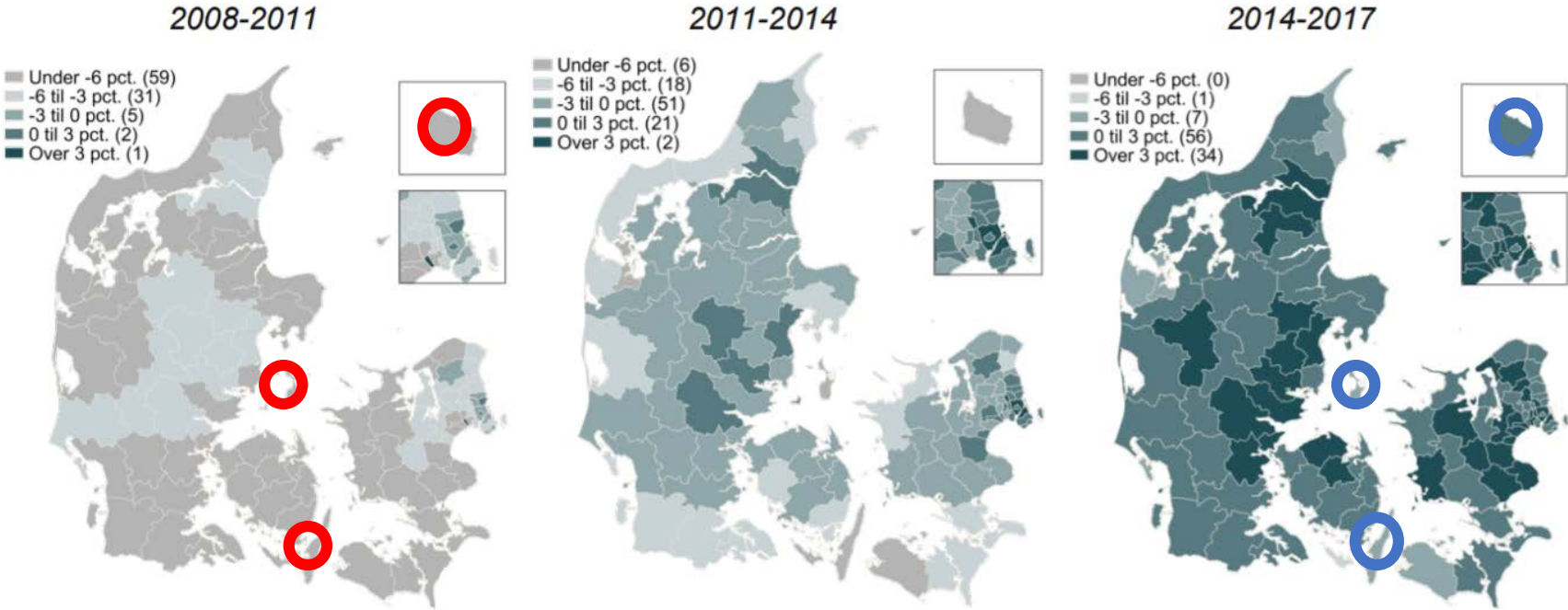
- Relocation of state institutions
- Reduction of ferry rates to islands
- Better possibilities for financing properties
- Adjustment of the Planning Act and Protection of Nature Act
- National fund for broadband
- Better framework conditions for the agricultural sector and food industry

EMPLOYMENT RATE



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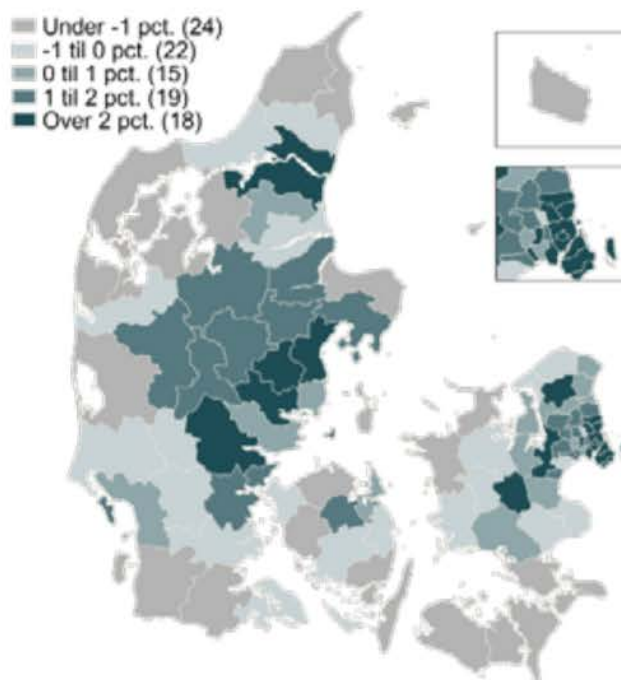
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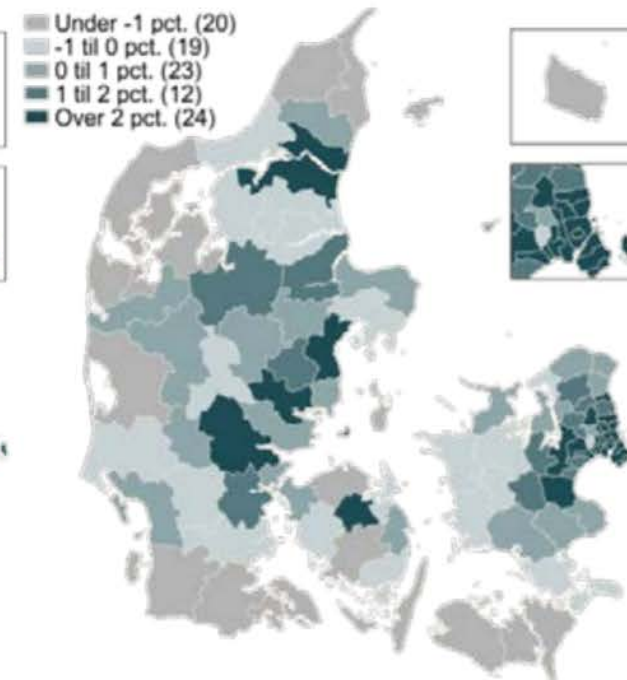
POPULATION GROWTH



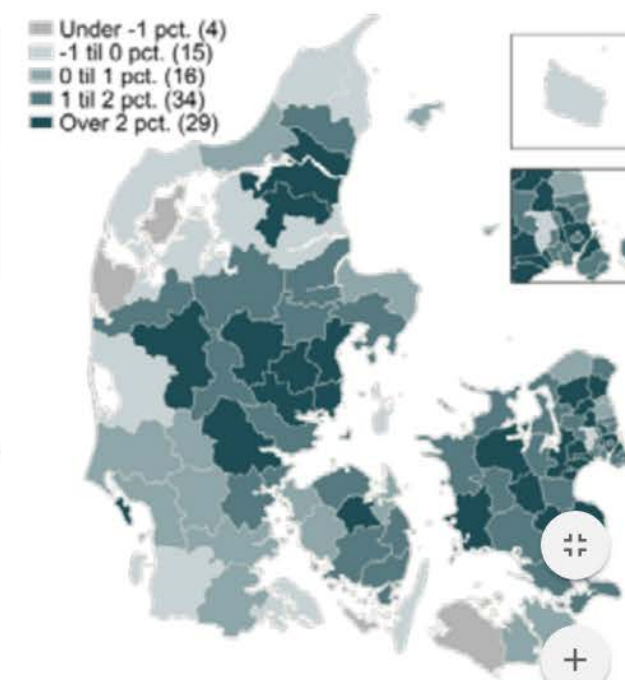
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2012-2015



2015-2018



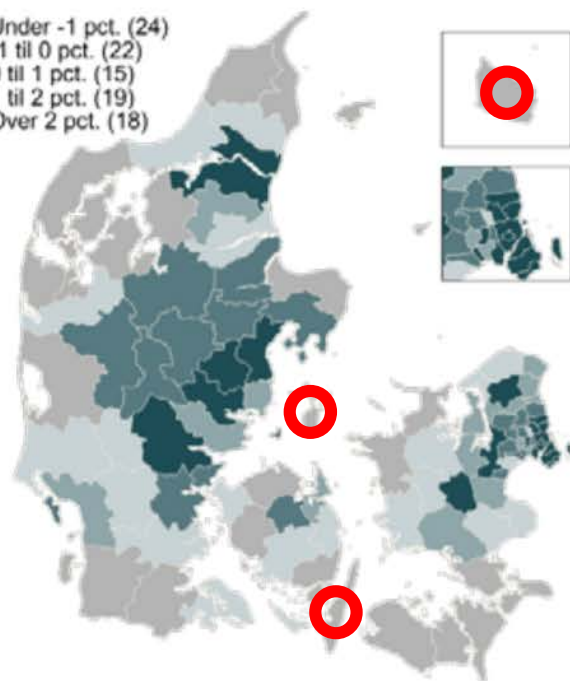
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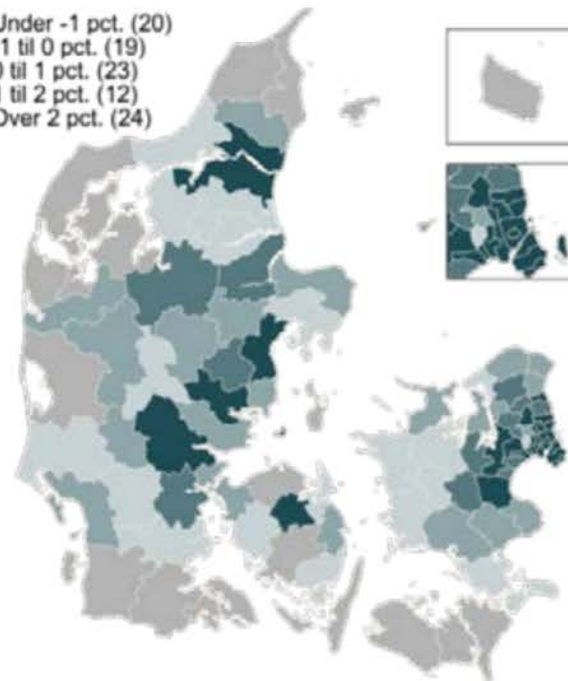
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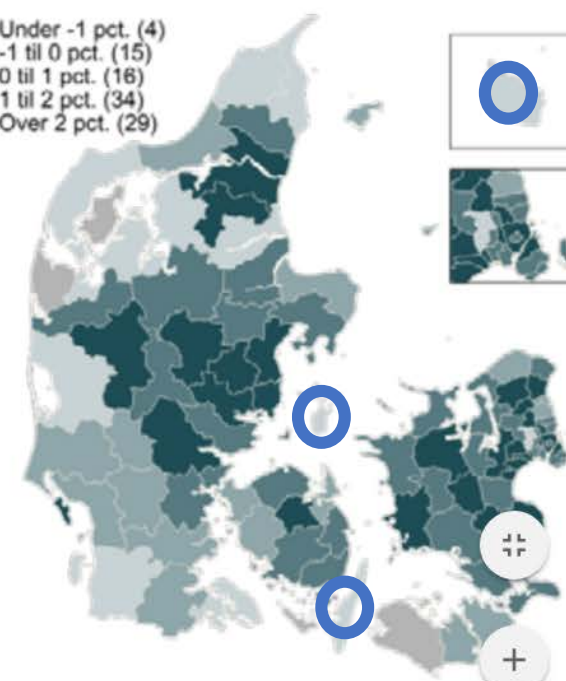
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2015-2018

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Over 2 pct. (29)



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There are still challenges



CHALLENGES



- It is still very difficult to get financing for properties
- 80 % of the educational institution is placed in the five largest cities. Young people are moving away, and many are not coming back – brain drain
- A majority of state institutions are still placed in the Capital Region
- Ferry rates are still too high and in several places we need more departures every day
- The Planning Act needs more adjustments – especially on islands
- National fund for broadband is too small – over 200.000 citizens don't have a high speed internet connection
- The reform of the countervailing scheme – which aims to reduce the economic differences between Danish municipalities – has not yet been reached





Thank you

