Defence Agreement 2018-2023

The Defence Agreement 2018-2023 provides a substantial increase for Danish Defence as a response to a changed security situation.



NATO's collective deterrence

- Deployable brigade
- Area air defence missiles for the frigates (SM-2/SM-6)
- Increased Special Operations Patrol Units
- Capacity for anti-submarine warfare



National security

- Assistance to the police with guarding tasks and a permanent helicopter response
- Additional guard unit at the Royal Life Guards
- High readiness units to assist in the event of terror attacks or crises



Cyber security

- Increased capacity to provide advisory support for public and private actors
- Enhancement of the sensor network
- Strengthened research and education
- Establishment of a cyber situation centre
- Strengthened analytical and technological competencies
- Allocation of DKK 500 million for future cyber challenges



International operations

- Transport aircraft capacity will increase by 20 per cent
- Funding for international operations will increase 50 per cent in the period
- Funding for the Danish Peace and Stabilisation
 Fund will increase 75 per cent
- Establishment of a light infantry battalion



Conscription and mobilisation

- Increased intake of 500 more conscripts
- National service to focus on mobilisation and crisis tasks
- Strengthened Total Defence
- Mobilisation companies for the brigade
- Strengthened recruitment efforts

Distribution of fiscal margin - the increase 2018-2023 (in billion DKK)

2020 0,8 0,8 1,7

2019

1,9 2,8

