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

**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

**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

**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)

- 2018: 0.8
- 2019: 0.8
- 2020: 1.7
- 2022: 1.9
- 2023: 2.8
- Total: 4.8