



Ministry of Food, Agriculture
and Fisheries of Denmark

THE POST-COVID REALITY & THE THREAT OF HYBRID WARFARE

The need for flexible
preparedness plans





THE WORLD HAS CHANGED

2020 – 2026: A period of constant crisis.

Key Drivers:

- COVID-19
- Ukraine
- Energy Crisis



Just-in-Time
Efficiency & Optimization

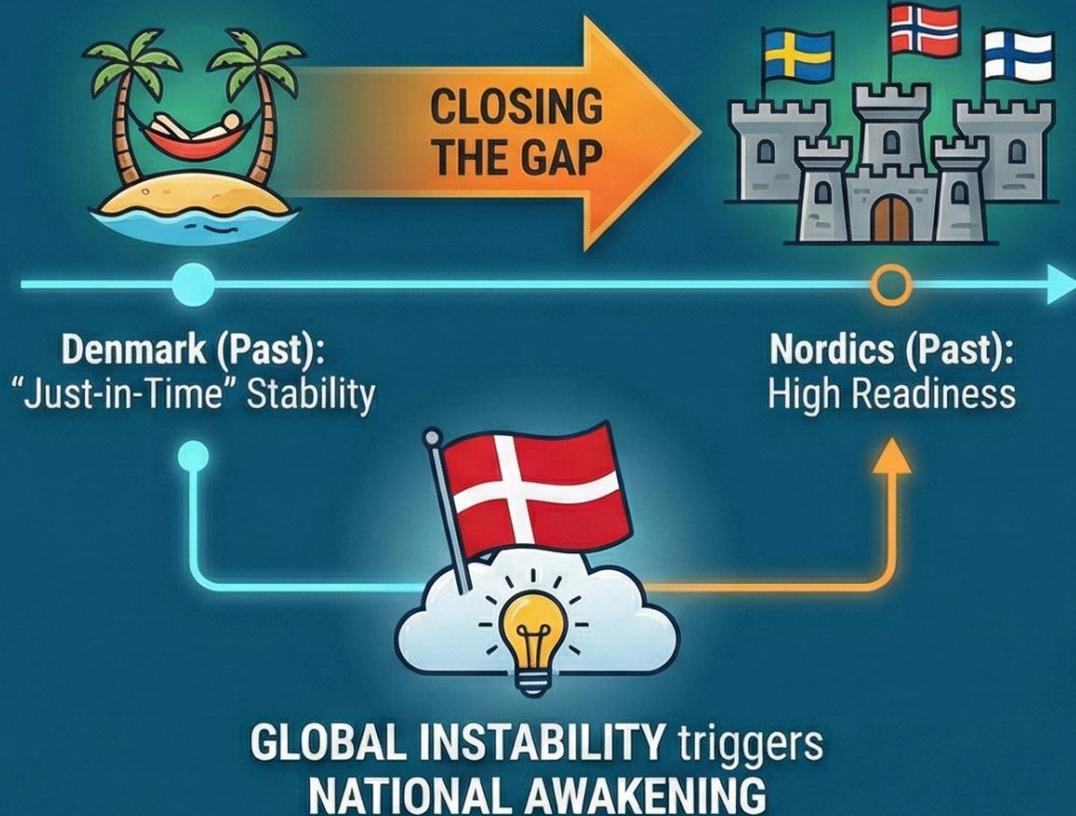


Just-in-Case
Resilience & Security



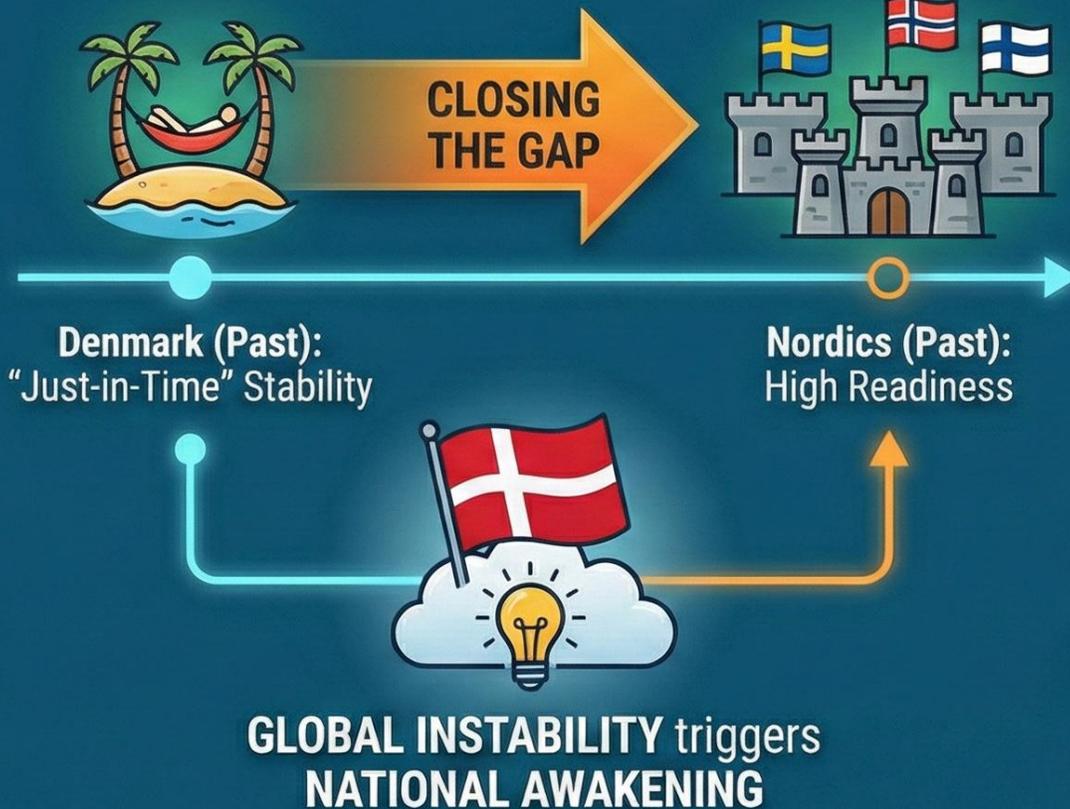
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THE SHIFT: New National Crisis Structure (2024-2025)



RESILIENCE: A TOP NATIONAL PRIORITY
(Aligned with Nordic Total Defense)

Ministry for Societal Security and Preparedness (MSSB)

Danish Agency for Societal Security (Samsik)

PUBLIC MOBILIZATION:
"Prepared for Crises"



Citizen's Action Card
SURVIVE FOR 3 DAYS
(72 Hours)

DID YOU KNOW?

Denmark is a Calorie Fortress



15 MILLION PEOPLE



Population:
~5.9m



Food produced every day
Production:
~3x Population

The Self-Sufficiency Stars



Milk: We produce far more than we drink.



Pork: A global export giant.



Potatoes: High self-sufficiency & storage potential.

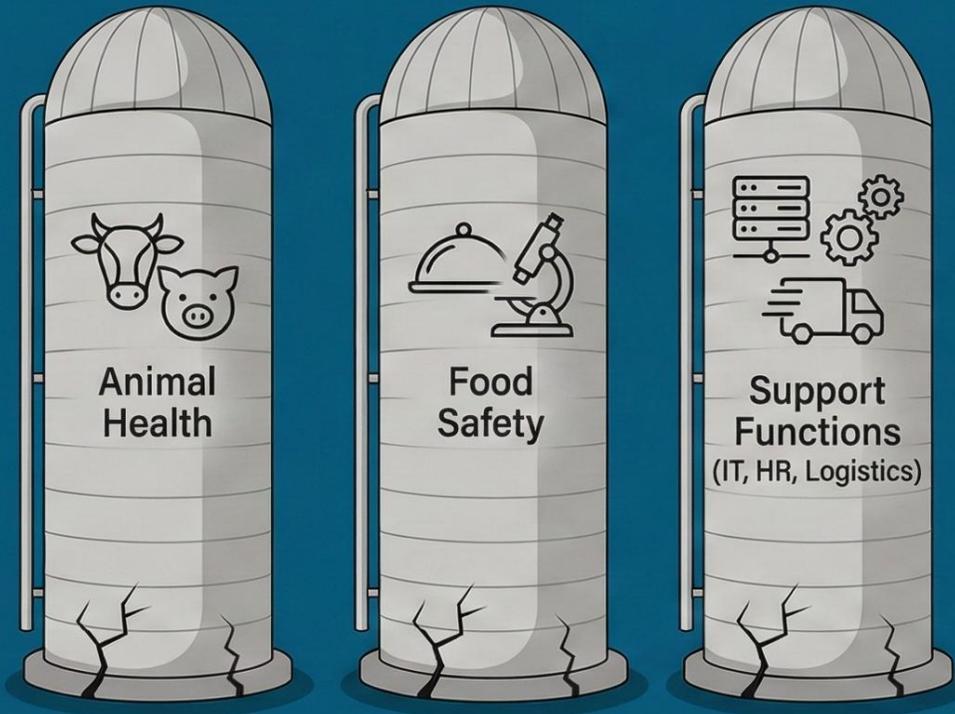


The Strategic Point:

In a Nordic crisis, Denmark is not just a consumer; we are a potential “Nordic Breadbasket.”

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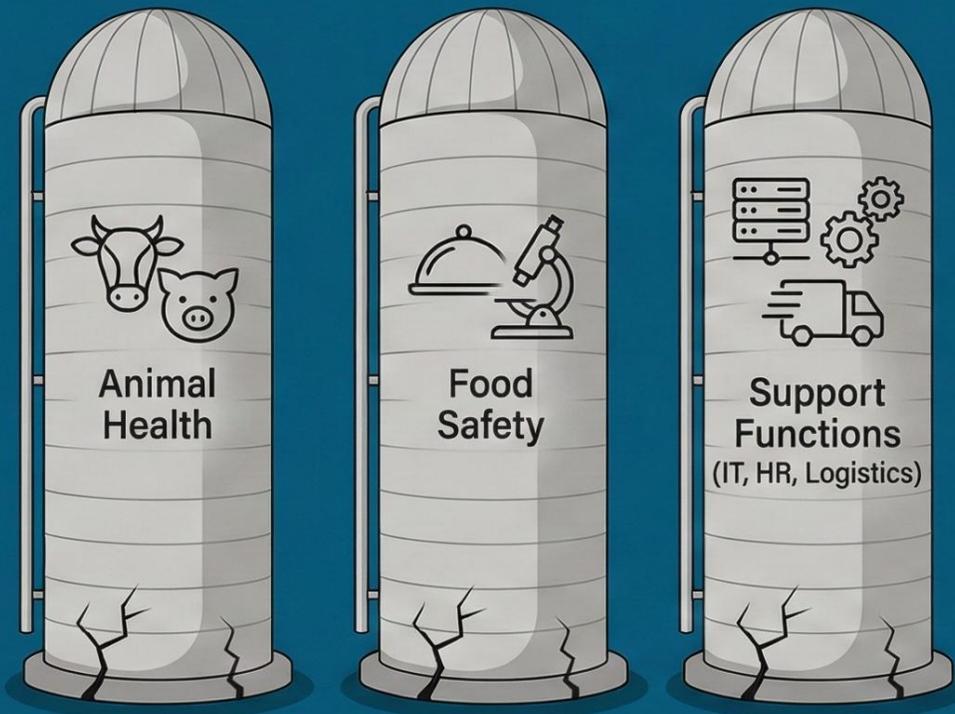
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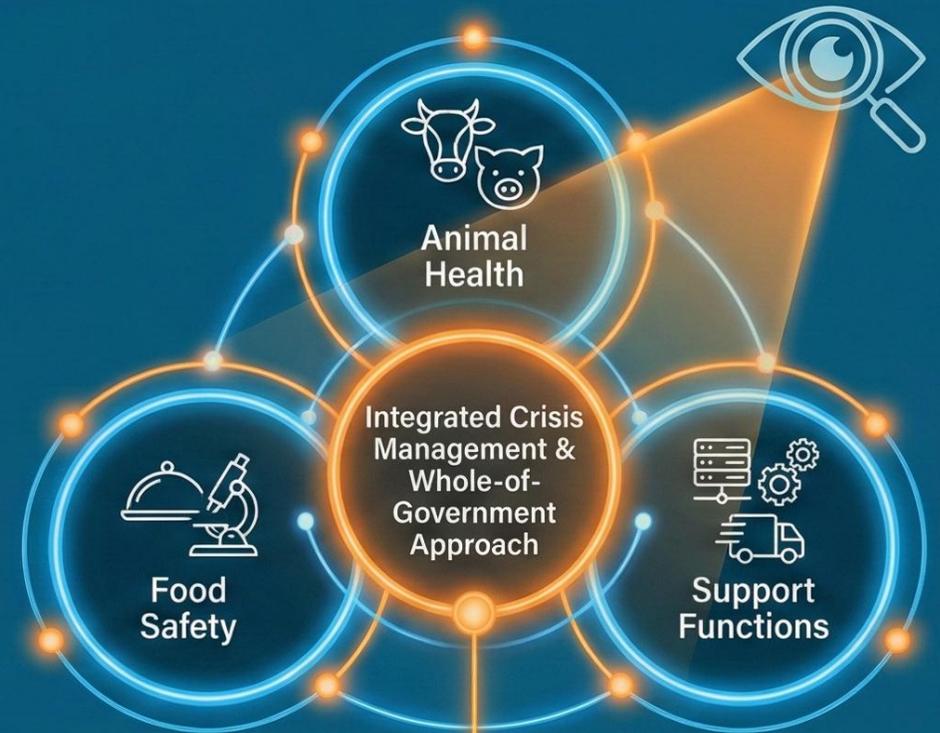
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NOW: Integrated Network Response



The Inspector's Role:
Being the "eyes and ears" for systemic vulnerabilities across the entire chain (digital & physical).

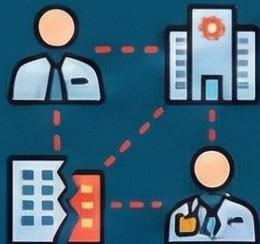
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2020 Crises
(Reactive)

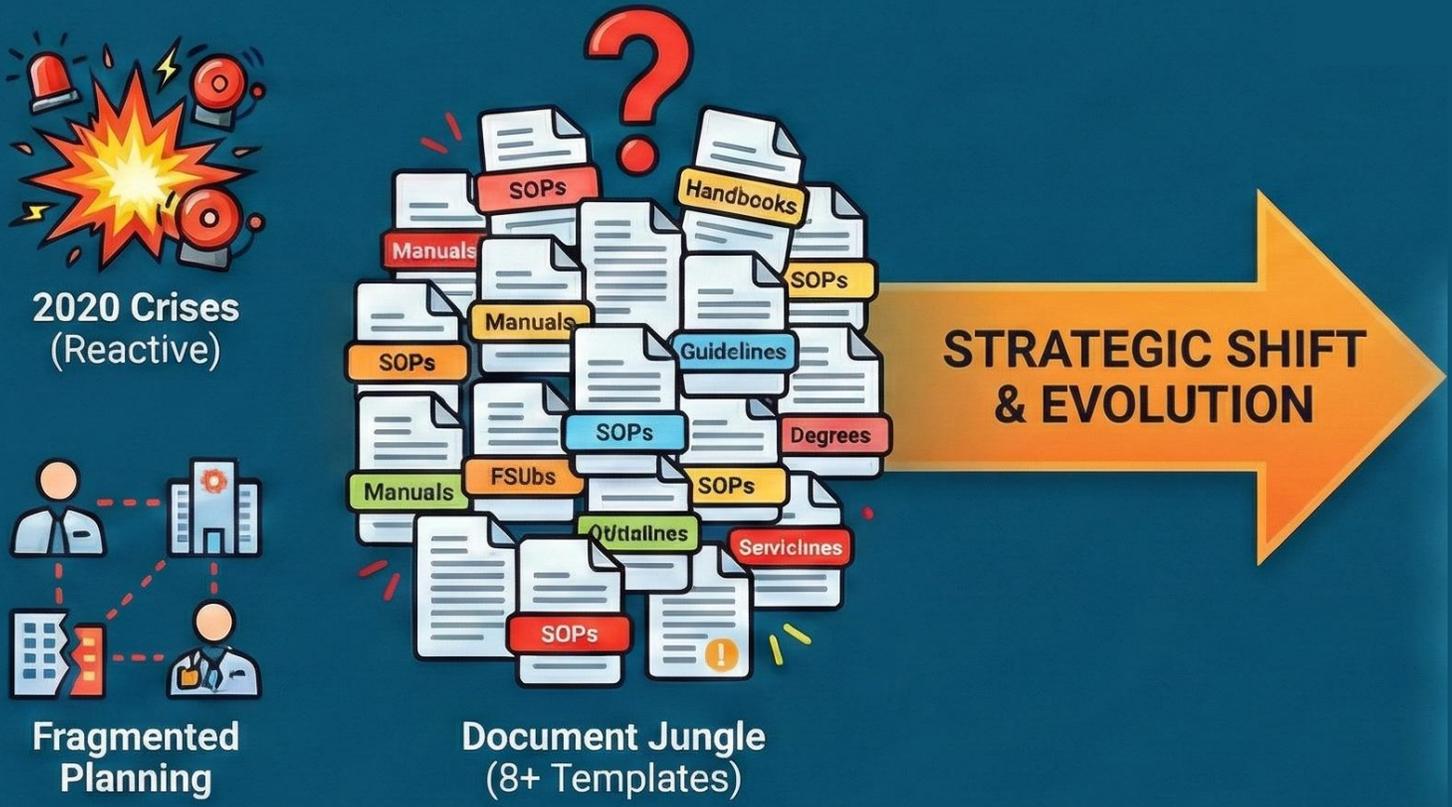


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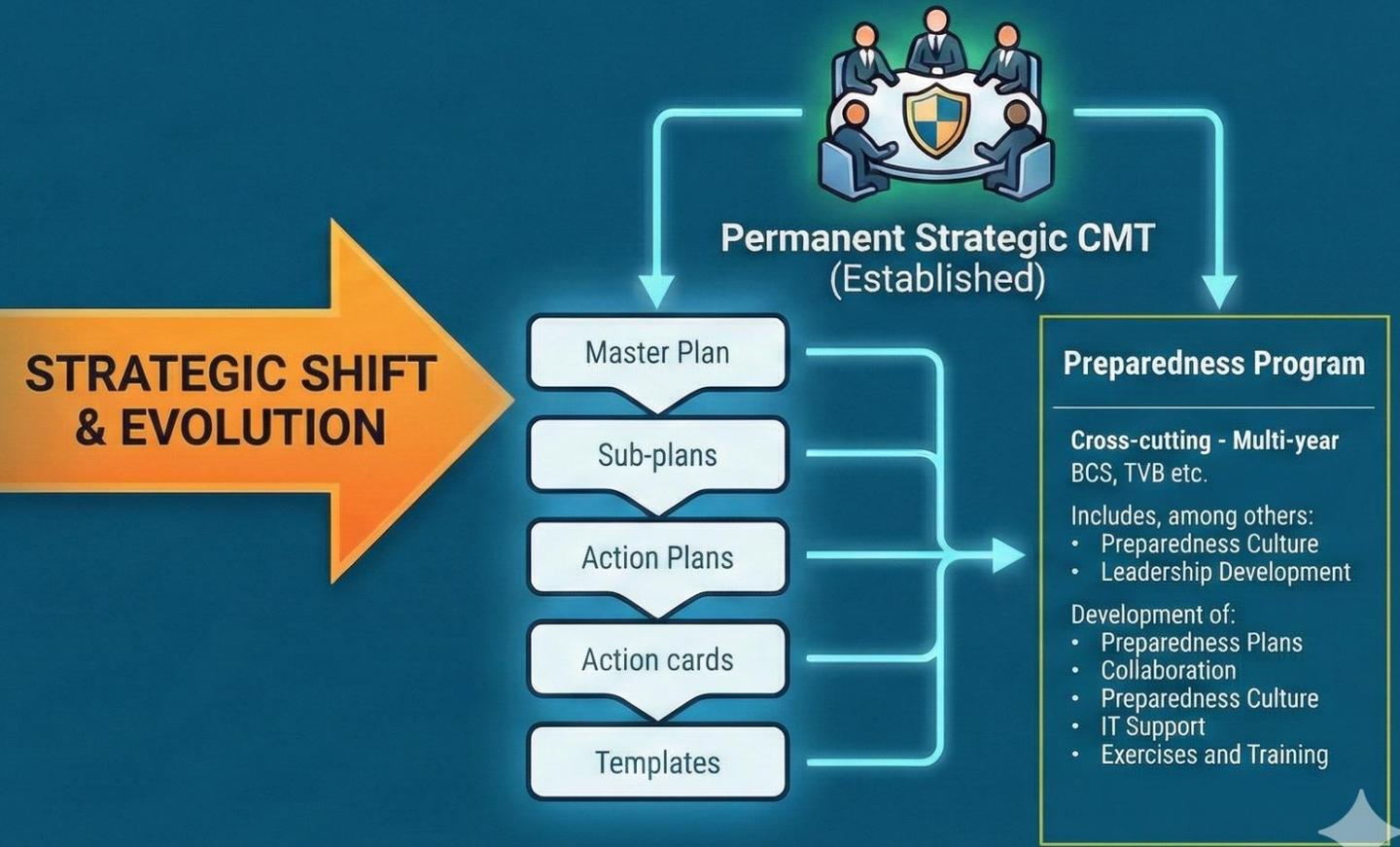
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Regulating Supply Security

- Defining the State’s role in a globalized market.
- **The Big Question:** How do we legislate for availability in a complex, ‘Just-in-Time’ supply chain?

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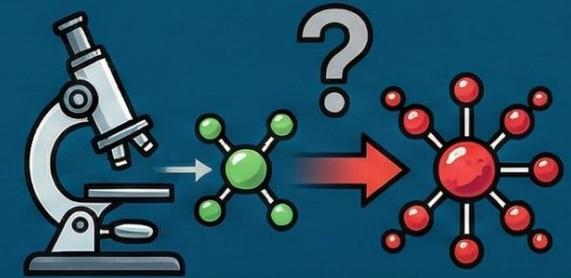
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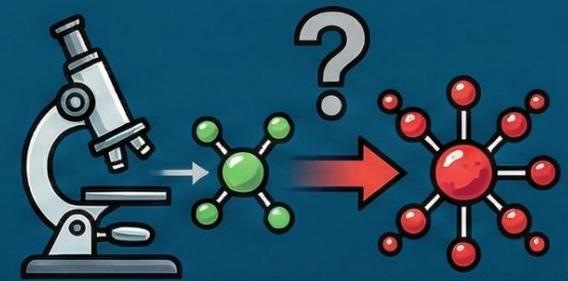
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THE FUTURE INSPECTOR: A GUARDIAN OF SOCIETAL SECURITY?

Beyond the
Microscope



The Gray
Zone



When a hybrid crisis hits, is
your primary job still to find
bacteria—or is it to keep the
nation fed?

Calculated
Risk



Resourcefulness

