

Registrar Meeting

November 2026

Agenda

1. Welcome
2. Transition to new administration model
3. New registrar portal
4. Technical topics
5. Security & Compliance
6. Other news from Punktum dk
7. What are your thoughts?
8. Any other business and wrap-up



Welcome



Transition to pure registrar management



Status

Total Domain Portfolio - November 17, 2026

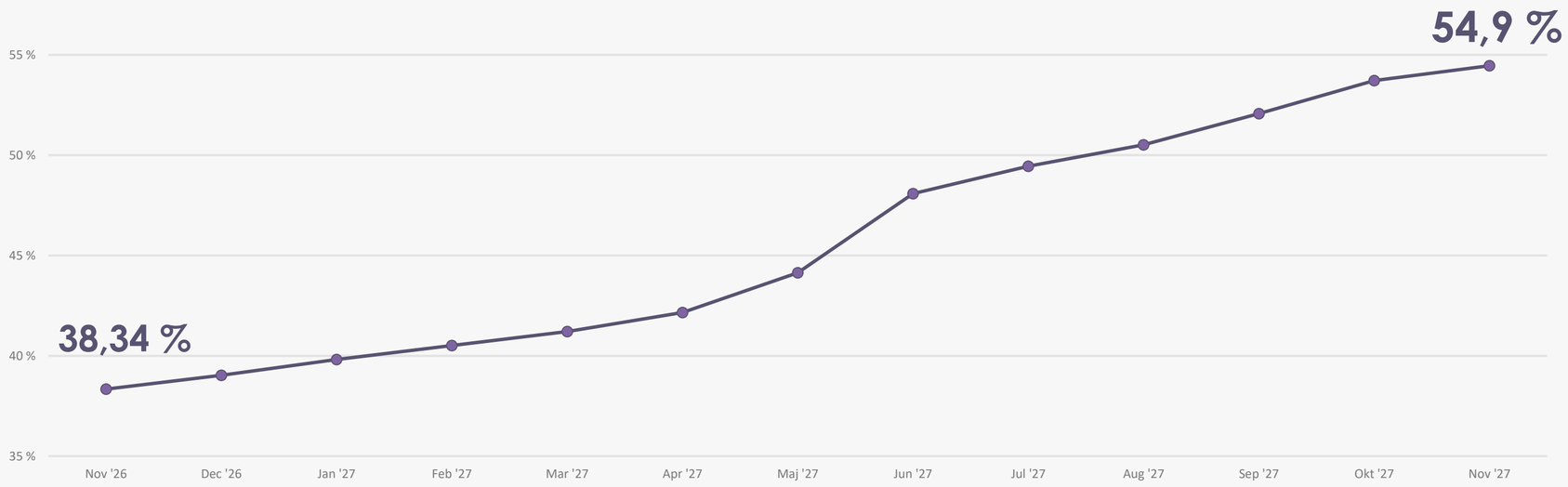
54,9%

of .dk domain names are managed by registrars



Share of registrar managed domains

Development in the total portfolio: November 2026 – November 2027



Includes both newly registered and existing .dk domains that have been transferred.

Constant adaptation

How we support the transition to registrar management

A SIMPLER TRANSITION FOR REGISTRANTS

We are continuously making it easier to move .dk domains to registrar management.

Communication

Registrants are kept informed on an ongoing basis via e-Boks and email. The message contains an auth code that is valid for 14 days.

Cooperation

We are in ongoing dialogue with you regarding experiences and needs.

Follow-up

We monitor developments and adjust our efforts along the way.

What we hear from the registrants

Transition to registrar management

THE PROBLEM

For the registrants

- The transition is not always easy
- There is a need for more guidance
- Help is not always easy to obtain

WHAT WE DO

Punktum dk

- Fast Track with authorization code
- Step-by-step guide

HERE IS WHAT YOU CAN DO

As registrars

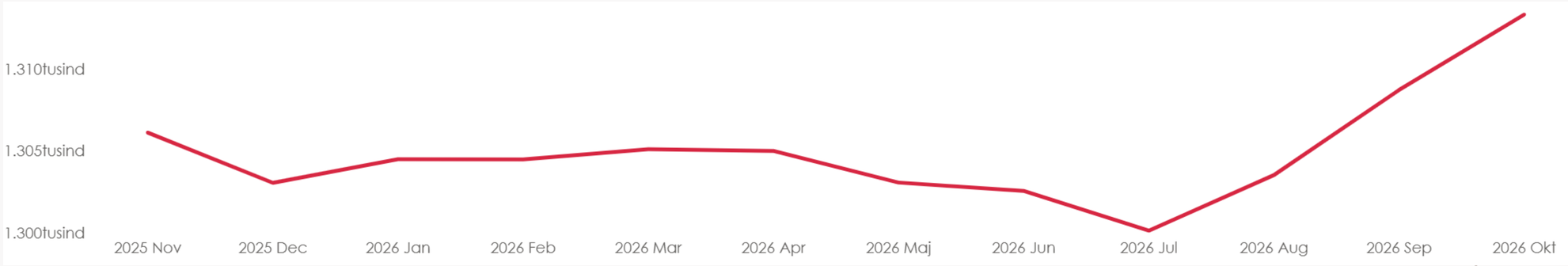
- Make it easy to contact you
- Be precise and provide guidance in your communication with the registrant

Domain Overview

Are we losing or gaining?

Domains registered over the last 12 months

1.312.615



Domain Overview and DNSSEC

1,312,615	873,593	66.55%	720,161	54.86%
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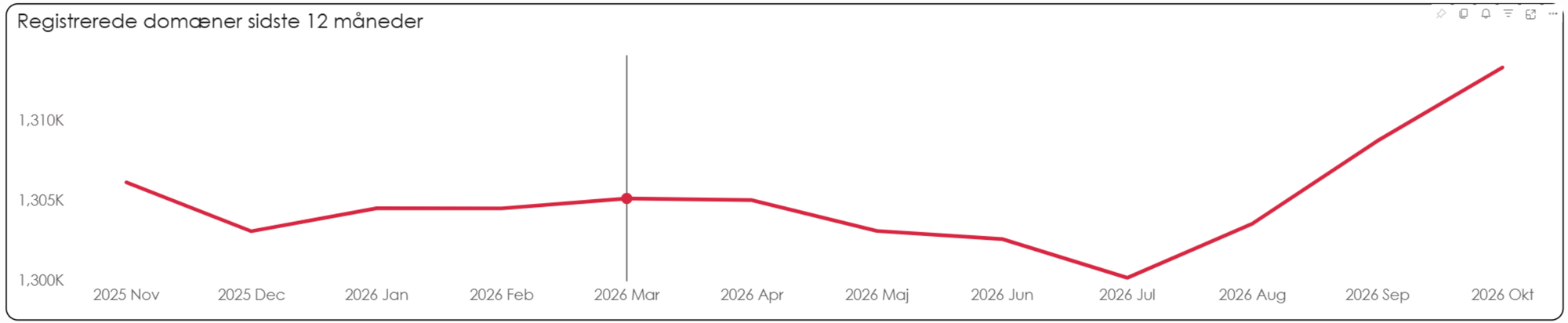
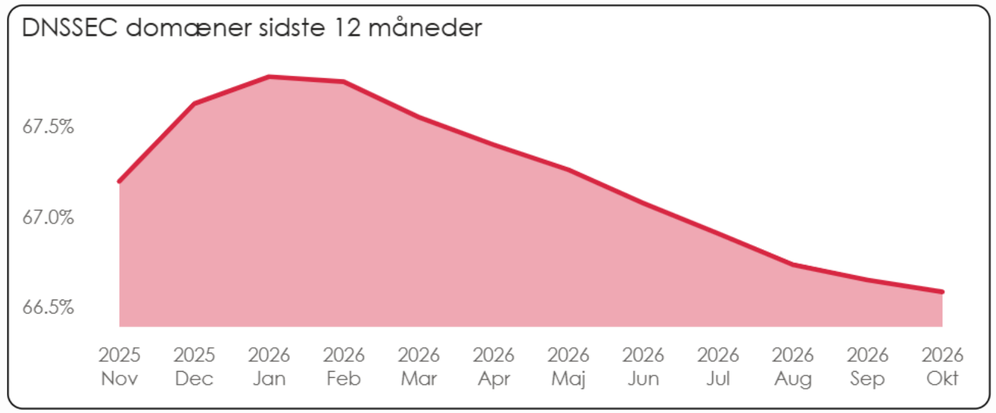
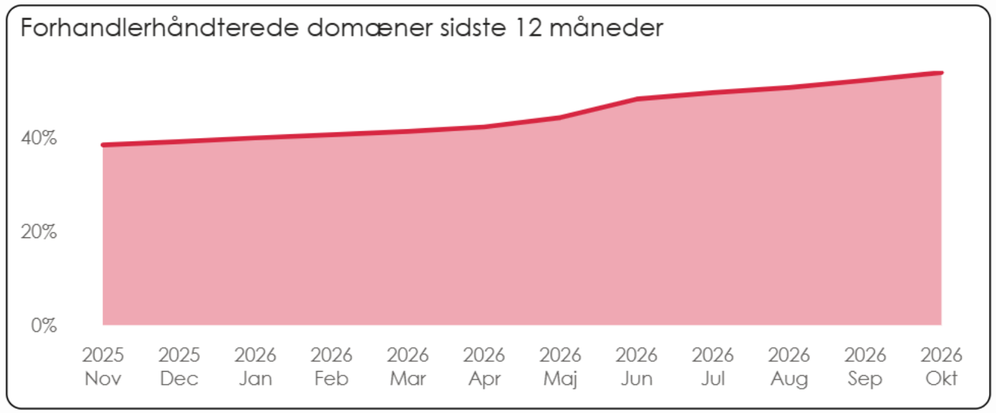
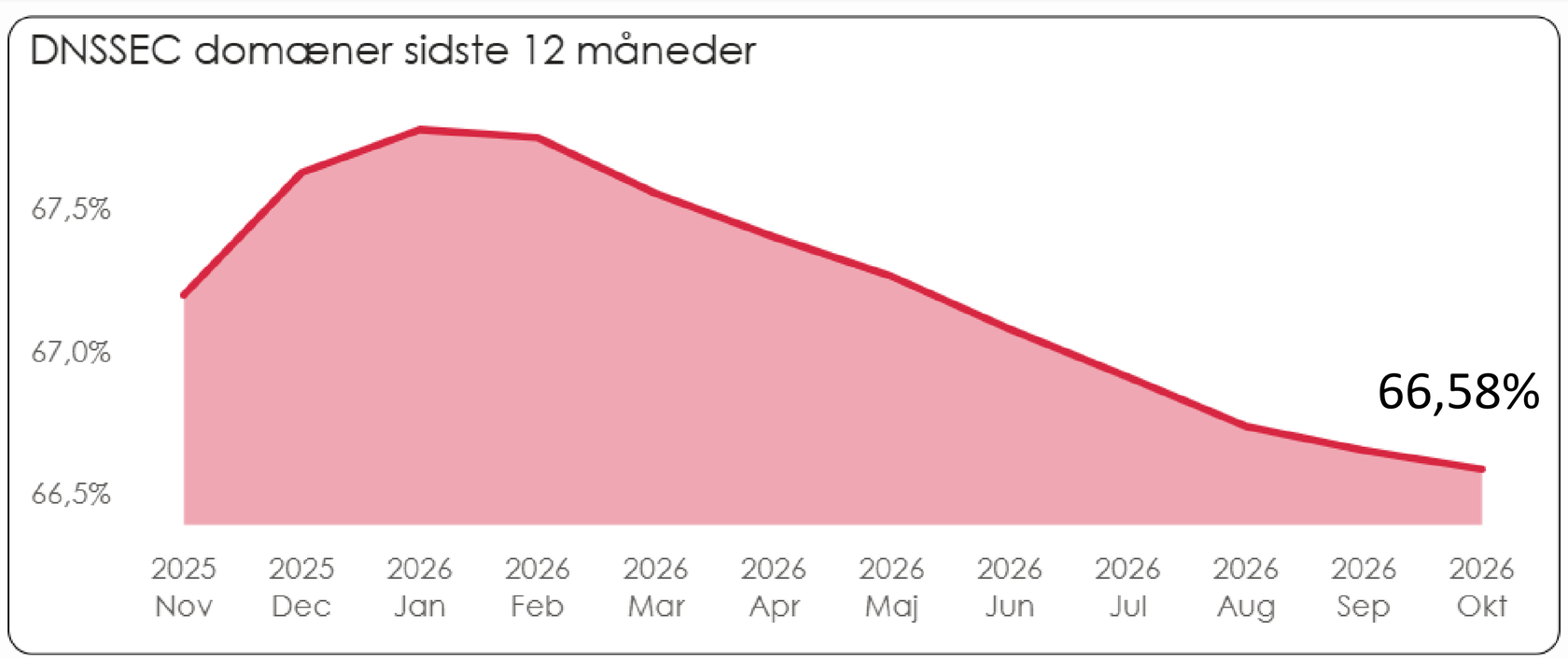






DNSSEC


DNSSEC domæner sidste 12 måneder
67,5%
67,0%
66,5%
66,58%
2025 Nov
2025 Dec
2026 Jan
2026 Feb
2026 Mar
2026 Apr
2026 Maj
2026 Jun
2026 Jul
2026 Aug
2026 Sep
2026 Okt

Registrars over the past year

Registrars onboarded and terminated over the past 12 months

38

New registrars
onboarded

6

Discontinued registrars

+32

Net growth
of registrars

Distribution

How many registrars do we have

152

Registrars

93

Danish

59

Foreign

What do we do with the rest?

- We give them away (to the party responsible for the nameserver, if they want them)
- We sell the portfolio
- We suspend them and remove them from the zone
- We retain them, but effectively transfer them to “Punktum dk registrar” and significantly increase the price (the Swedish model)

DIFO’s Board of Directors will begin discussing this in March 2027.

New requirements for registrars



Four requirements from July 1. 2027

1. **Digital and automated operations (EPP)**
   All administration of name servers, contacts, and domains takes place via EPP.
   What this means for you: EPP must be ready no later than July 1, 2027.

2. **Secure systems and solutions**
   Comply with Punktum dk's security requirements and offer multi-factor authentication.
   What this means for you: You must be able to document compliance with applicable security requirements.

3. **Professional Customer Service**
   Make it easy for customers to find your contact details and provide them with the service they expect.
   What this means for you: Clearly state how you can be contacted and handle registrants' inquiries professionally.

4. **Sell domains to parties other than yourselves**
   Sell domain names and have knowledge of DNS and good domain name practice.
   What this means for you: You must have customers and be able to document your knowledge of DNS if required.

Enforcement of the contract…

Timeline

The Transition to Registrar Contract II

SEPT-OKT	**Review of RC II**	2 sessions held for registered registrars
NOV	**Written consultation of RC II**	Consultation on changes to Registrar Contract II Closes 4 December
6. JAN	**Distribution of RC II**	New Registrar Contract sent out for signature First formal milestone in 2027.
1. JULI	**RC II enters into force**	New contract applies. Registrars without a signed contract will be terminated.

New Registrar Portal



Why a new portal?

More information and insight for the registrars

Better overview

Easier access to information about your domain portfolio, finances, and registrar account.

Find, sort, and export faster

Find, sort, and export faster.

Display of safety initiatives

Added a specific focus on security technologies for the registrar's domain portfolio, including SPN and DNSSEC.

What can you use the portal for?

Seven areas gathered in one place

Overview

Portfolio, market share, renewals, DNSSEC, and SPN score

Domains

Search, filter, sort, and export. Event log per domain

Transactions

Transaction history, invoices, balance, and export

Contacts

Validation, responsible party, and associated domains

Help & News

News, documentation, FAQ, and support

Registrar account

Users, API access, permissions, and settings

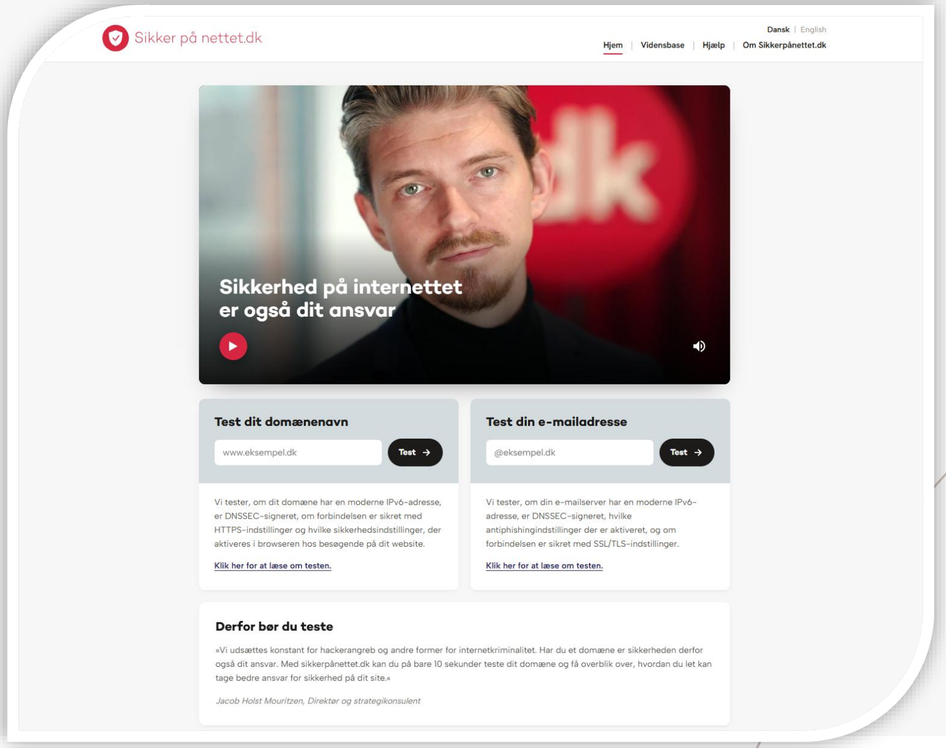
Files

Download your exported files in one place

Keep in mind!

Administration of domains, contacts, and name servers takes place via EPP.

The use of security technologies makes using the internet more secure.



Domain score

DNSSEC

IPV6

Secure connection (HTTPS)

Email server score

DNSSEC

IPV6

DMARC, DKIM and SPF

STARTTLS and DANE


.dk
A secure .dk
Use of security technologies
on .dk domains
An analysis of the use of security technologies on websites and email servers associated with .dk domains.
The study compares SMEs and large enterprises, and assesses the security of domain portfolios held by
municipalities and regions.
Based on these findings, specific security recommendations are provided.

Numbers

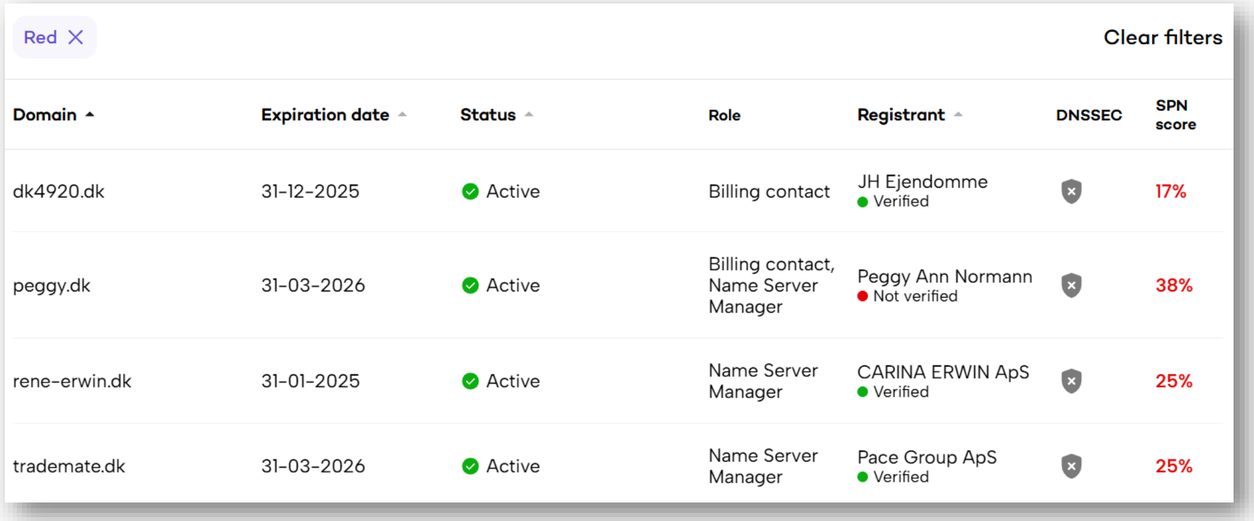
- For all domains, the average for both web servers and email servers is **64.9**.
- DNSSEC scores impressively high, boosting the overall score: **66.55**.
- Usage of DMARC, DKIM, and SPF is low: **12.9**.
- STARTTLS and DANE score high on email servers: **68.6**.

SPN score: 3 places in the new portal

*SPN-score = sikkerpånettet.dk - score

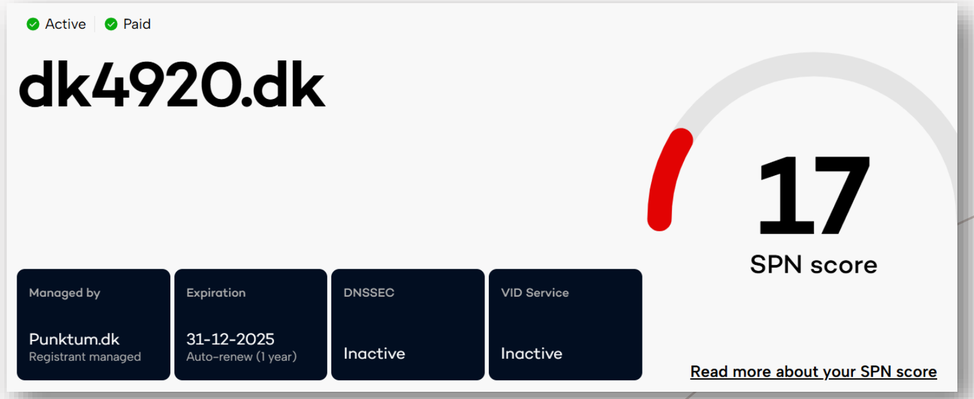
The Domain List

Score as a percentage per domain



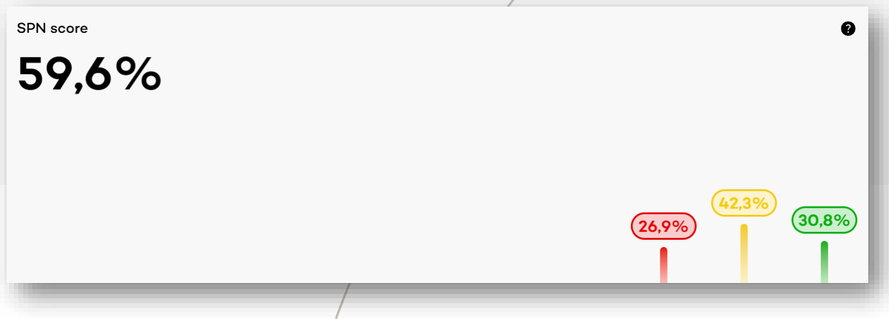
The individual domain

Score displayed as a gauge next to the domain



Contact Statistics

Total score and distribution



Live demo

Take a look at the new po



Presentation of the new portal

Registrars have seen it before its launch

Pre-viewing completed

The portal is presented to the registrars working group on November 11, 2026.

Positive feedback

The event log and transaction overview, in particular, were well received.

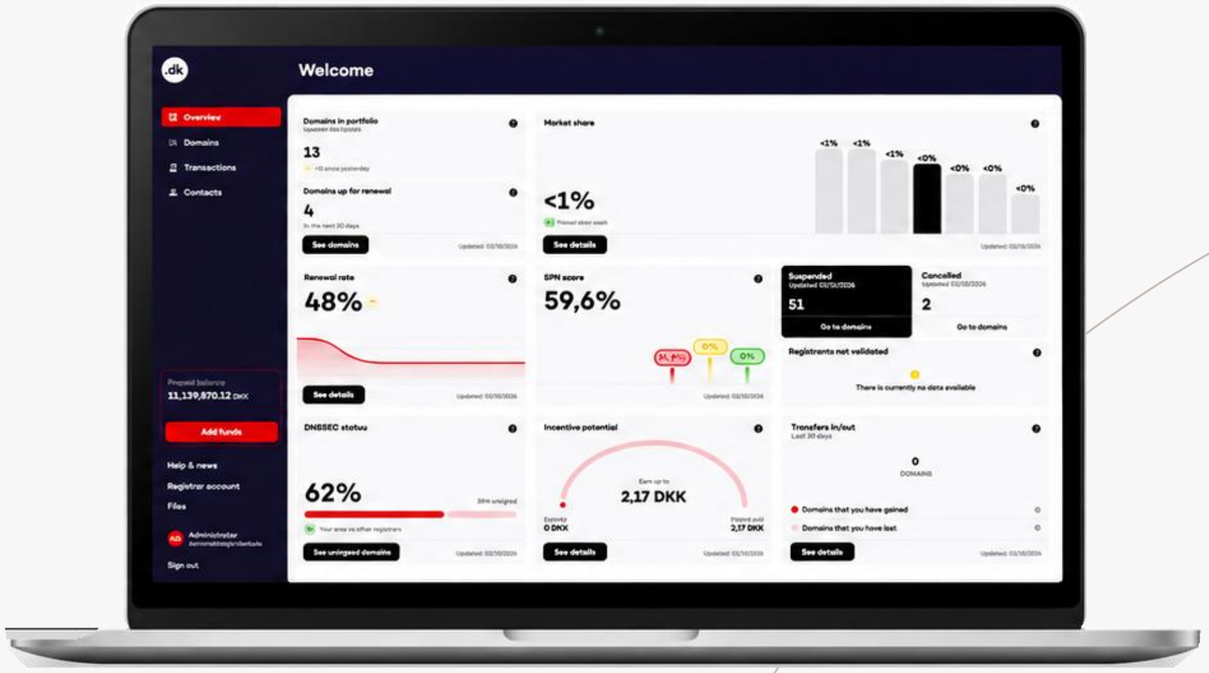
New version to follow

We intend to launch a new version subsequently. Feedback will be incorporated into the ongoing work.

Discover the new portal

Now we will take a look at the registrar Portal. We will log in to the portal and go through the key features.

Open the registrar portal



Technical topics



Name servers after all registrants have been moved to a registrar

The name server role is being removed
All .dk name servers are managed by the registrars.
No major technical changes.

EPP: We are working on XSD 5.0

A draft with a simpler structure: three extensions

`dotdk:contact`
Contacts

`dotdk:domain`
Domain names

`dotdk:host`
Name server

Under each extension lie the individual elements, which are currently spread across many extensions.

Your input
We will send the draft out to you in **December** so that you can share your views on it before anything is finalized.

XSD 4.5 is still live
XSD 4.4 will be retired at some point, so if you are still using 4.4, you should plan an upgrade.

Security & Compliance



.DK MUST BE THE SAFEST PLACE ON THE INTERNET

The safest place on the web

1. Trusted flaggers



2. ID check of everyone



3. Abuse management



Trusted flaggers



- The Danish Gambling Authority
- The Danish Environmental Protection Agency
- The Danish Veterinary and Food Administration
- The Consumer Ombudsman
- The Danish Medicines Agency
- The Danish Business Authority (formerly the Danish Safety Technology Authority)

ID check of everyone

Problem: .dk domain names are now more susceptible to abuse, as the documentation process for foreign registrants can be circumvented using materials from “KYC factories.”

1

Maximum use of eID

10.3% of new registrations are foreign.

3.1 percentage points of these are Norwegian and Swedish.

eID can, to some extent, be used here.

2

Passport and, if applicable, live check of individuals

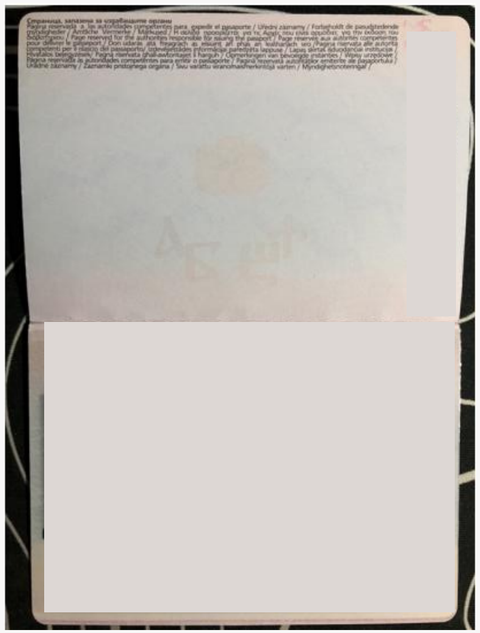
A scan of the passport and a live check: A short selfie video shows that it is a real person who matches the passport.

3

Key personnel at companies?

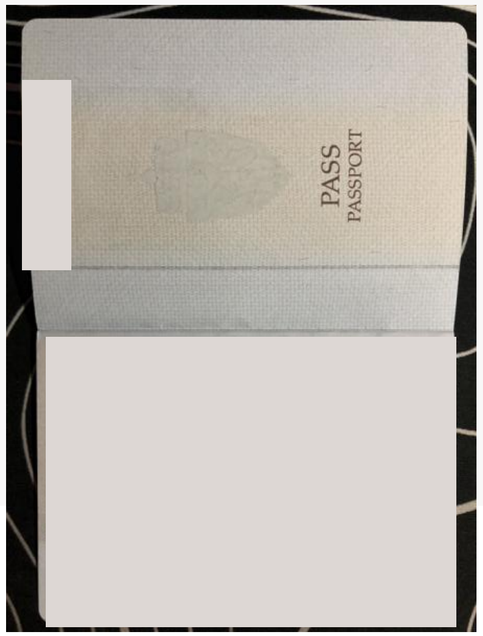
Considerations regarding how to best validate a company.
Should we verify the identity of an individual within the company, or...?

Did they get the same tablecloth on sale at IKEA?



Bulgaria

Norway





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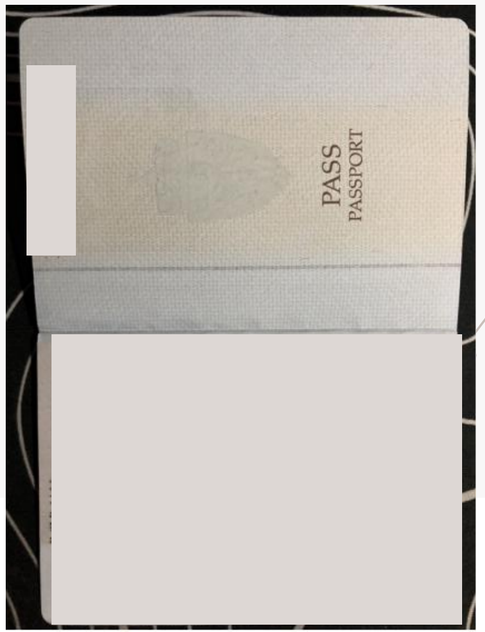
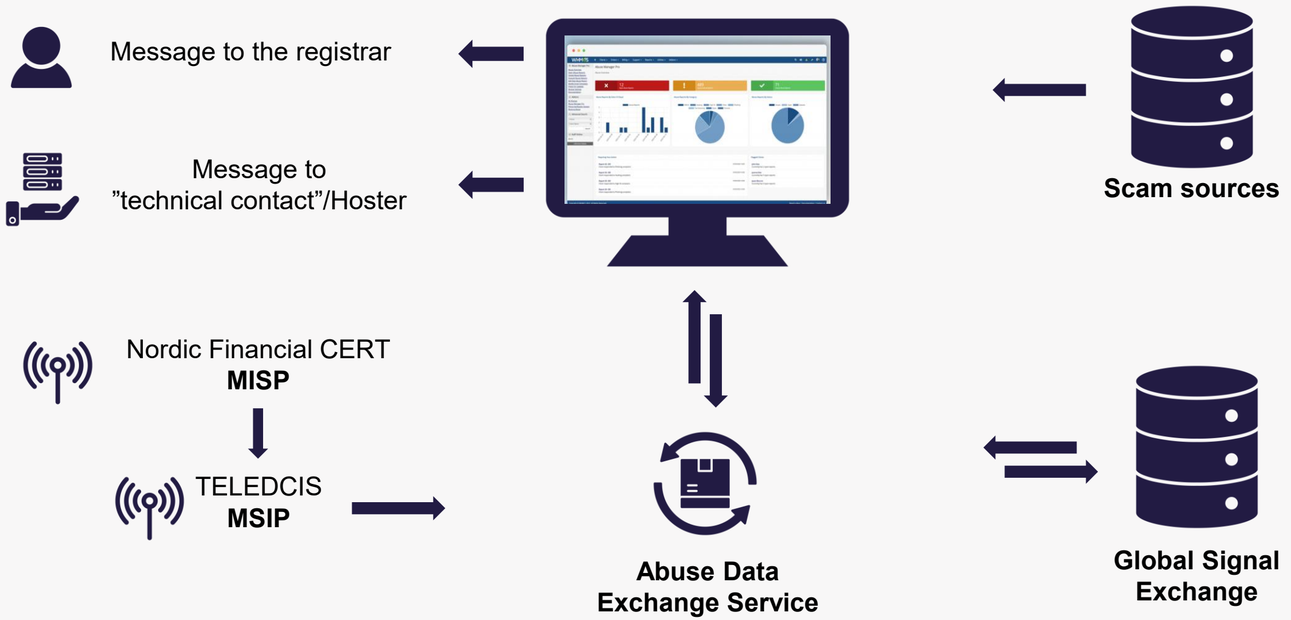




Romania

Abuse Manager



Yeah, we know!

- This is why outgoing communications from Abuse Manager are currently paused
- This is why the emails being sent out are being changed
- This is why more documentation is being included
- This is why we are changing the threshold for what is forwarded to registrants and registrars.

Example of an email

to the registrar regarding abuse



Kære forhandler

Vi har modtaget en abuse-indberetning i kategorien [KATEGORI] vedrørende .dk-domænenavnet [DOMÆNE], som I er forhandler for.

Oplysningerne nedenfor er til jeres videre håndtering. Beskeden er en service-meddelelse fra Punktum dk.

Domænenavn:	**[DOMÆNE]**
Kategori:	**[KATEGORI]**
Kilde:	**[KILDE]**
Først observeret:	**[ÅÅÅÅ-MM-DD TT:MM]**
Senest verificeret:	**[ÅÅÅÅ-MM-DD TT:MM]**
Berørt adresse:	**https://[FULD-URL] (defanged)**

Venlig hilsen
Punktum dk

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Bemærk at denne e-mail er sendt til xx@xx.dk fra en notifikationsadresse, der

Besvar venligst ikke denne

Dette er en e-mail fra Punktum dk A/S. Denne

beregnet til den tilsigtede modt

og slette d

Other news from Punktum dk



Fast Track Transfer BULK

With BULK, the registrant can move up to 50 domain names to the same registrar in one single transfer.

For the registrant
One unified flow instead of one process per domain name.

For registrars
Easier to move multiple domains

For Punktum dk
We can start contacting registrants with multiple domains.

Notifications to registrants with multiple domain names
With BULK, we are beginning to send e-Boks and email notifications to registrants with more than one domain name.

Remaining registrant-managed domains

Broken down by number of domains per registrant

1 domain	2–50 domains	51–100 domains	101+ domains
245.070 domains	**253.202** domains	**23.478** domains	**69.794** domains
41%	**84%**	**88%**	**100%**
245.070 registrants	**59.874** registrants	**341** registrants	**217** registrants

ITotal: 591.544 domains · 305.502 registrants

Suspensions

Automatically expired .dk domain names are suspended only on weekdays (Monday – Thursday).

No suspension over the weekend

Domain names that expire automatically are not suspended on Friday, Saturday, or Sunday.

Danish public holidays

No suspension on Danish public holidays.

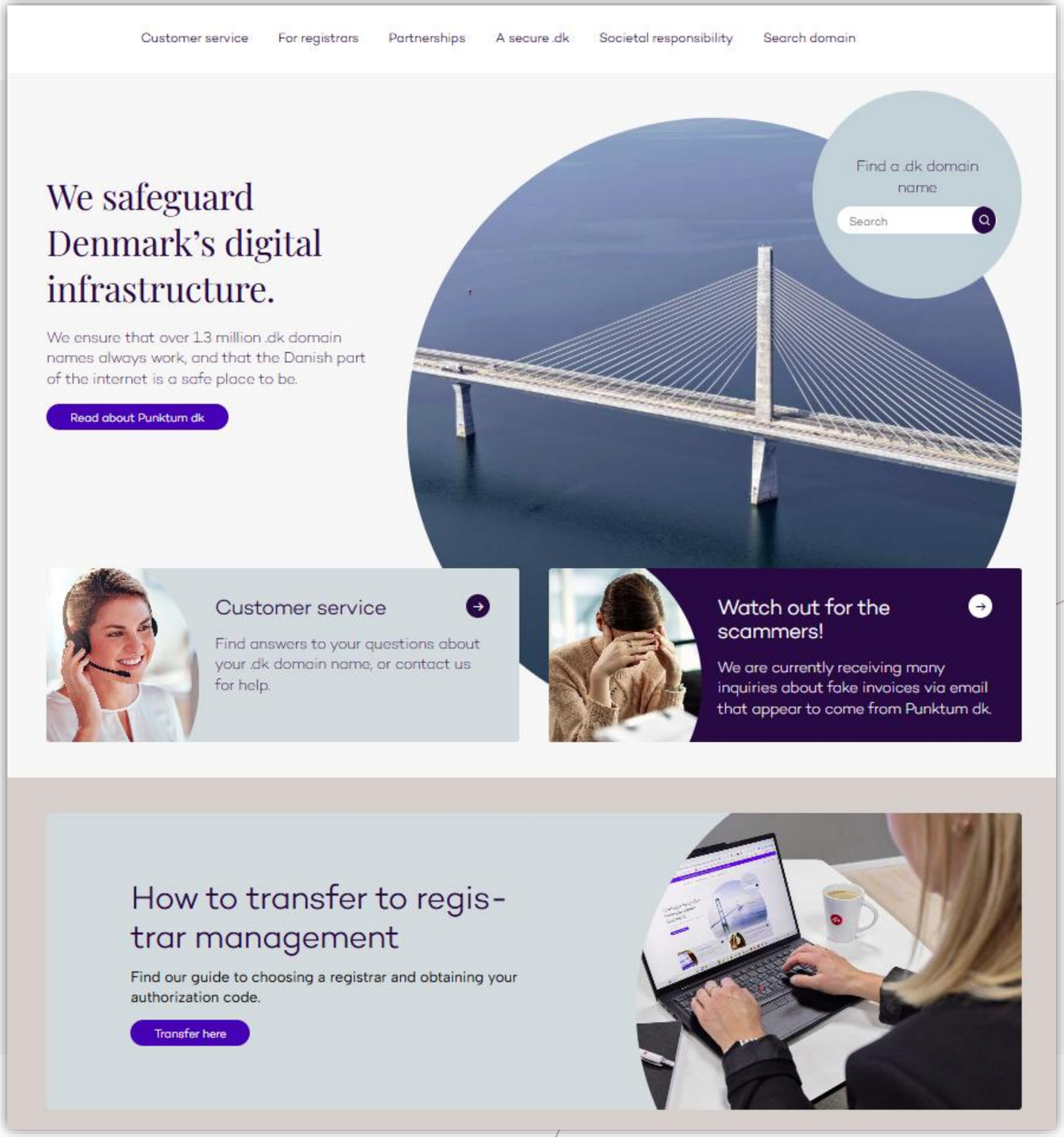
Protection of the registrant

The domain is always suspended on a weekday, so the registrant can reach their registrar or us and get immediate assistance.

Which Danish public holidays?

The Danish public holidays are listed on our website.

New website


Customer service
For registrars
Partnerships
A secure .dk
Societal responsibility
Search domain
We safeguard Denmark's digital infrastructure.
We ensure that over 1.3 million .dk domain names always work, and that the Danish part of the internet is a safe place to be.
Read about Punktum dk
Find a .dk domain name
Search
Customer service
Find answers to your questions about your .dk domain name, or contact us for help.
Watch out for the scammers!
We are currently receiving many inquiries about fake invoices via email that appear to come from Punktum dk.
How to transfer to registrar management
Find our guide to choosing a registrar and obtaining your authorization code.
Transfer here

Collaboration with Punktum dk

Find registrar news, agreements, and campaign material, as well as information about Punktum dk's work on security.

Registrar news →

Agreements and contracts →

Security on Danish domains →

Campaigns and material →

Registrar agreement

Read about the terms for the collaboration between resellers and Punktum dk.

Find the registrar agreement →

Using the registrar account

Find guidance on using the registrar account at Punktum dk.

Read more →

Marketing material

Find material for marketing .dk domain names.

See marketing material →

Newsletter for registrars

Find newsletters with information about the collaboration with Punktum dk.

View newsletters →

The collaboration with Punktum dk

We provide systems and services for the management of .dk domain names. These systems are continuously developed in collaboration with our registrars.

The reseller agreement sets out the terms of the partnership, and billing is handled via the registrar account at Punktum dk.

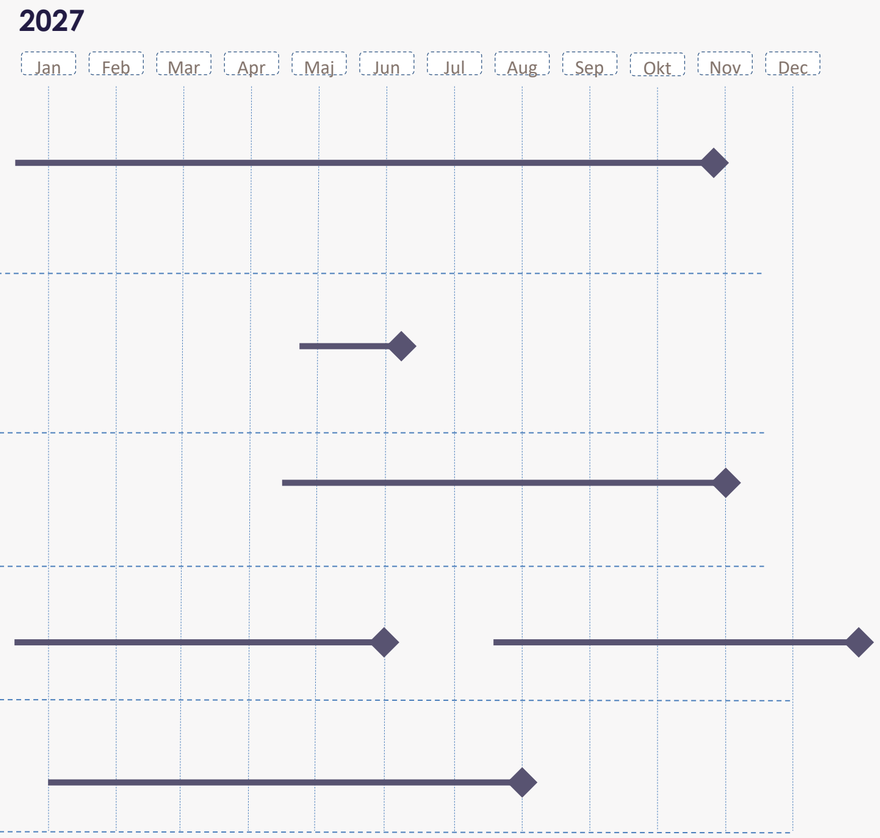
We provide regular updates regarding changes and new initiatives through newsletters. Our registrar team is the point of contact for any questions concerning the partnership or the use of our services.



Incentive agreement with Punktum dk


Customer service
For registrars
Partnerships
A secure .dk
Societal responsibility
Search domain
GitHub
Punktum dk's Github
Find information and links for EPP, DAS, Fast Track, Sandbox, and more.
Technical documentation on GitHub
Punktum dk's GitHub repository contains technical specifications and documentation for the services that resellers can integrate with. This includes information about EPP, DAS, Fast Track Transfer, and Punktum dk's sandbox environment.
The documentation can be used when developing, integrating, and testing solutions for managing .dk domain names. Select a service below for a brief introduction and access to the full technical documentation on GitHub.
EPP
Find EPP specifications and related links on GitHub.
DAS
Check .dk domain availability in real time.
Poll-beskeder
Receive event notifications for the portfolio.
Sandbox-environment
Test integrations before production.
RESTful WHOIS
Get structured WHOIS data in JSON format.
Fast Track Transfer
Simplify transfers to registrar management.

Roadmap 2027



Go Live

Ongoing improvements
Improvements to various parts of Punktum dk's systems. Details are updated regularly on the Punktum dk website. Particular focus on EPP, billing overviews, and other key metrics**.**

New administration model
Changes to EPP. Removal of features in the self-service portal. Communication to end customers and the option to select a registrar.

Klogpånettet
Portal for developing skills related to DNS, the Internet, and security technologies.

New registrar portal
Modernization and further development of an existing portal for dealers. Presentation of data for the registrars.

Unikpånettet
Update to version 2.0. AI generation of domain name suggestions. Facelift.

CDS
RDAP

Short deadline for data and ID checks

As of 1 July 2026
The deadline is 10 days instead of 30 days in cases involving aggravating circumstances.

Aggravating circumstances
Suspicion of abuse of a .dk domain name - for example, when there is reasonable suspicion of a false identity or incorrect contact information.

Next steps
In the new year, we will launch a public consultation on whether the deadline should be 10 days in all cases.

Considerations regarding incentives...

Timeline 2027

6. JAN

Contract distribution

Issuance of registrar contract II.

JAN

JAN

Consultation on ID checks

Consultation with registrars regarding ID checks.

MAR

User survey

Conducting a satisfaction survey among the registrars.

MAR | JUN

30. JUNI

Contract is signed

A new contract is being signed.

1. JUL

The current registrar portal is closing

JUL

1. JUL

New contract comes into effect

The new contract enters into force, and the old contract terminates.

OCT/NOV

Registrar meeting

Status, as well as a discussion regarding experiences and future collaboration.

OCT-NOV

Registrar input



Any other business & wrap-up

