

# The coverage of the US presidential election was intense in Denmark during the fall

At the end of the summer people in Denmark began to think about the US presidential election.

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The danish media exploded with so many things to tell the people about the election and the two candidates in particular. The danish people followed closely as the two candidates began to debate about what they were going to do with the United States. Trump promised to win and do his best in the future but he did not have the best reputation in Denmark compared to Biden. Biden was the one who could

## “Make America great again”

if You were to ask the Danish media. Denmark as a society is very interested in the election because the US is one of the biggest countries in the world and a great companion. Denmark and the rest of Europe ship many commodities to the US. The US is also the country who discharges the most CO2 in the world, so when Trump decided to pull the USA from the Paris agreement, the danish people were shocked.

### On TV and in the papers

Corona was the only thing that was more exposed in the media than the presidential election. People talked about what a big idiot Trump was and why, because You could almost not go anywhere on the flow TV without the media mentioning something about Trump and his latest outbursts. Even when reading the papers You would find articles on scandals about



the candidates, Trump in particular. The two parties' politics were not mentioned which should have been the focus in an election.

### In 2016

Most of the civilisation thought that Trump would win because of the last election. Many thought it was a clear win to Hillary Clinton because it was going well with the US when the democrats steered the country. But they thought wrong. It was Trump with 304 of the 538 electors. Trump made many promises like building a wall between the US and Mexico. Because of that promise Trump got very unpopular in Denmark. Some joked with it but after a while they realized that it was serious.

### Why is Denmark on Biden's side?

The democrats in the US have an ideology similar to the danish politics. Denmark and the US want almost the same things. Like doing something about climate change thereby we are in the Paris agreement.

