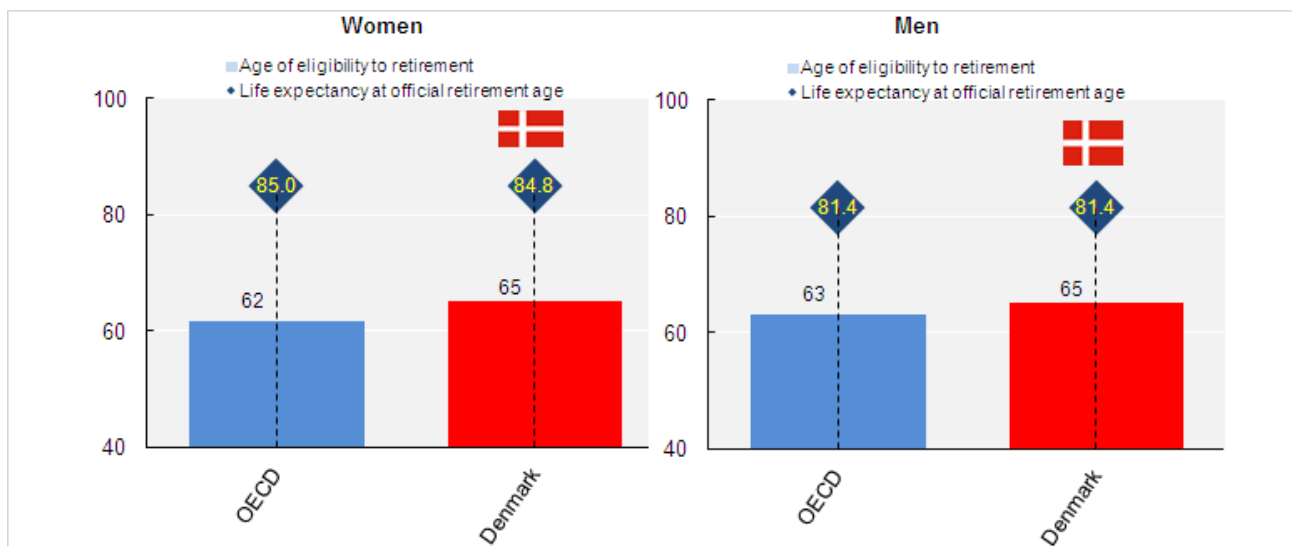


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KEY FINDINGS: DENMARK

- 7.3% of the Danish population was born outside Denmark. This is well below the OECD average of 11.7%. [[GE3.xls](#)]
- 75.7% of Danes are employed, the 5th highest in the OECD and well above the OECD average of 66.1%. [[SS1.xls](#)]
- Denmark has the fourth lowest pensionable years for women in the OECD, 19.8 years, below the OECD average of 23.3 years. Years expected on the pension are also relatively low for men (16.4 years). Low Danish pensionable years are due to a relatively high retirement age in Denmark and a modest life expectancy by OECD standards. [[SS4.xls](#)]



- At only 6.1% of the population, Denmark has the second lowest relative income poverty rate in the OECD, well below the 11.1% OECD average. Furthermore, only 6% of Danes find it difficult or very difficult to live on their current income, well below the OECD average of 24%. [[EQ2.xls](#) & [EQ3.xls](#)]
- 89% of Danes express a high level of trust in others, the highest in the OECD and much more than the 59% OECD average. [[CO1.xls](#)]
- 75% of Danes believe that their communities are tolerant of migrants, ethnic minorities and gays and lesbians, well above the OECD average of 61%, but short of the top figure of 84% in Canada. [[CO5.xls](#)]