

Upside down, inside out...
 "Nothing can be taken for granted", "no longer about simplification, synergies, thematic focus or €"

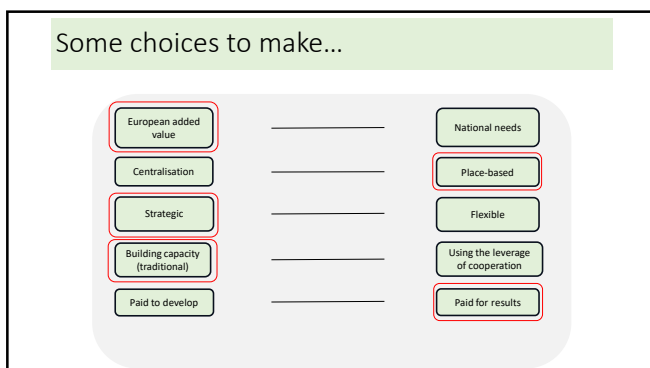
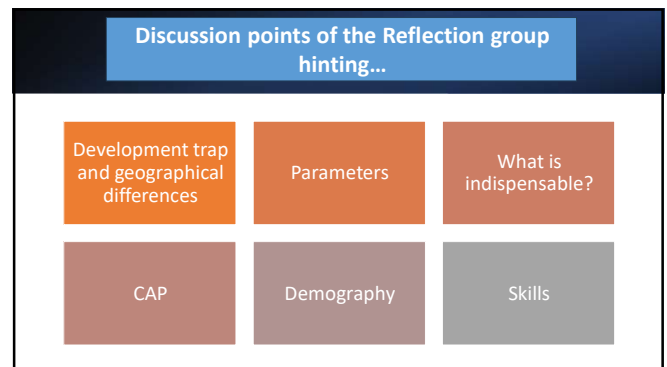
→ What challenges/needs should CP solve?

Consensus that the inner market is the *crown jewel* in the EU construction and a key in global competition, but different views on how regions should contribute!

- Building capacity to equalise (and possibly competitiveness)
- Coordination of actors and resources for increased innovation capacity and competitiveness
- Green and digital transition
- Building strategic autonomy to protect us against external threats (defence, raw materials, production, labour market)
- Free trade and protectionism, and where is the limit for increased state interference?
- Social stability

← Our choices influence

- Regional development capital
- Regional development assignment
- How we work: Strategic work vs handling crises
- Our role: Multi-level governance (MLG)



Happening, not happening

Swedish regions act, but where is the government?

Who's active at the European arena?