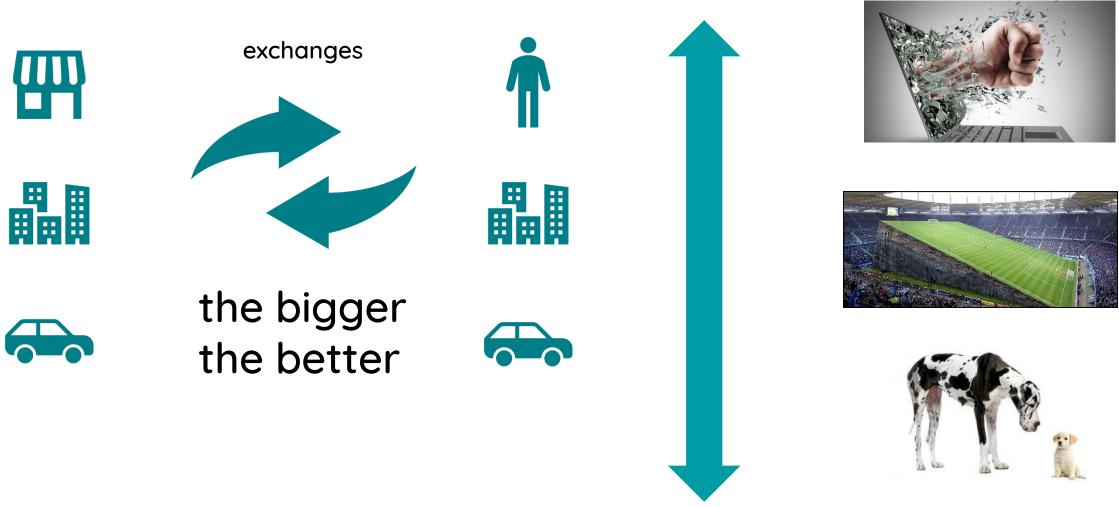


Platforms

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Platforms in the postal sector



multiple integrated services



Scope of regulation



Platform to business regulation (unfair practices – transparency)

Digital markets act (market power – gatekeepers)

Digital services act (illegal information)

Rules on platform work (employee rights)



Authorisation
Competition
Harmonisation
Quality of service
Consumer protection
NRA financing
Employment
Monitoring
(Universal service)



Regulatory questions and gaps

Market power

DMA should fix (but how effective will enforcement be?)

Level playing field

Dependent on NRA interpretation (are platforms providing postal services?)

Harmonised approach

Unlikely - no appetite from Commission? (could ERGP do more?)

Remaining gaps?

What are potential areas of concern? (user protection, employment, other ...)





thank you!

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