

# Trondheim city experience

Implementation path and process undertaken

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- Norway Post Group
- «CO2-free post distribution in Trondheim city centre»
  - the project
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## Trondheim



176 348 inhabitans 31.12.2011

Founded in 997 a.c.

3 trd biggest town i Norway







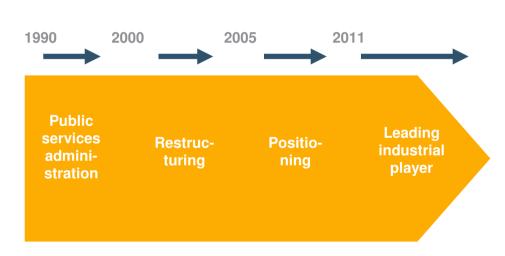


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## Norway Post in short











- Group revenue: 22.5 bill. NOK (2.9 bill. Euro)
- EBIT: 943 MNOK (120 MEURO)
- 20.000 employees
- 2 main business areas:
  - Mail
  - Logistics
- Nordic Region as home market
- 26.5% of total revenue from subsidiaries outside Norway
- Subsidiaries in: Sweden, Denmark, Finland, Estonia, United Kingdom, Holland, France, Greece, US, Hong Kong





# The group is a significant post and logistics provider – environment is one of the group's two CSR areas

The group has established ambitious goals where carbon management is the key

#### **Parameter**

Goal

CO2 emissions from transport

Reduce by 30 % within 2015 (2008 baseline)



Enery use in buildings

Energy consumption reduced by 15 % within 2015

Waste

91 % of waste recycled by 2015



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## Background of the project

- Clear goals on reduction of CO2 emissions in Norway Post Group
- Ambitious goal of cuts in carbon dioxide emissions in Trondheim municipality
- Reduced availability for goods delivery in Trondheim city centre
- Reduced incomes and cost cuts







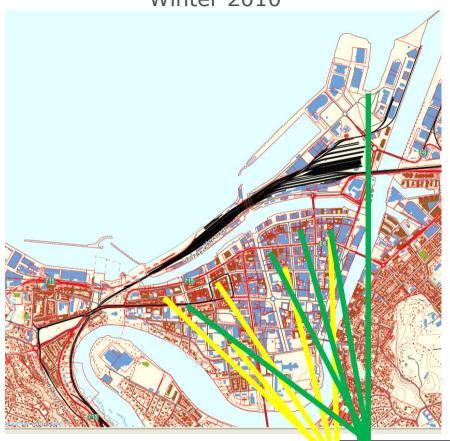
## Trondheim city center





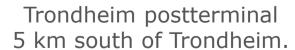
# Logistics solutions

Winter 2010 Scheduled for autumn 2011



Mail delivery

Parcel distribution



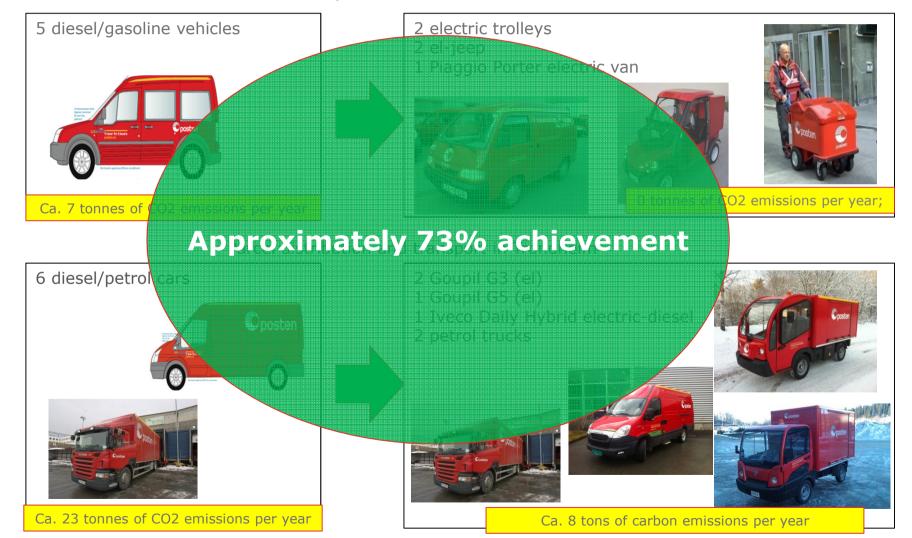


## New eco-friendly equipment

Winter/spring 2010

Delivery of snail mail

May 2012





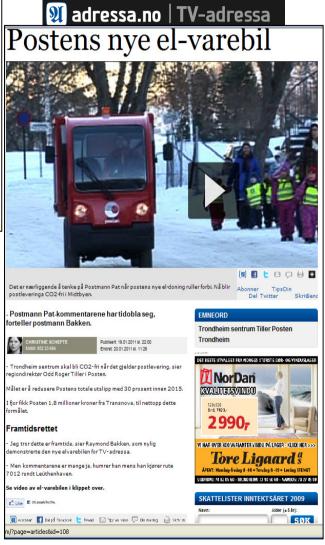
### Attention in media





Norwegian transport minister on visit







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## More eco-friendly vehicles

#### Volvo FE Hybrid Diesel/Electric

#### Hybridlastebil gir enda mer miljøvennlig levering i Trondheim

AV SIGNE STEINNES | 28, NOVEMBER 2012 |

Posten i Trondheim har nå tatt i bruk landets første hybridlastebil. Det gjør distribusjonen i bykjernen helt CO2-fri.

Testing biogas vehicles November 2012 Norges første hybrid lastebil

Den nye hybridlastebilen distribuerer paller i sentrumskjernen ved hjelp av elektrisitet. Så snart den er ute av byen, kobles en vanlig dieselmotor inn. Her med transportleder Arve Fjærli. Foto: Thor Nielsen

I midten av oktober fikk Posten i Trondheim overlevert landets første hybriddrevne lastebil, en Volvo FE. Lastebilen skal brukes til palledistribusjon i Trondheim sentrum. Siste tilskudd til Postens miljøvennlige bilpark gjør at Hjertepromenaden, sentrumskjernen i Trondheim, nå har CO2-fri distribusion.

4 electric Mercedes Vito el ordered for delivery spring 2013



New mail-distribution structure in Norway post



#### Specially designed el-vehicle for Norway Post

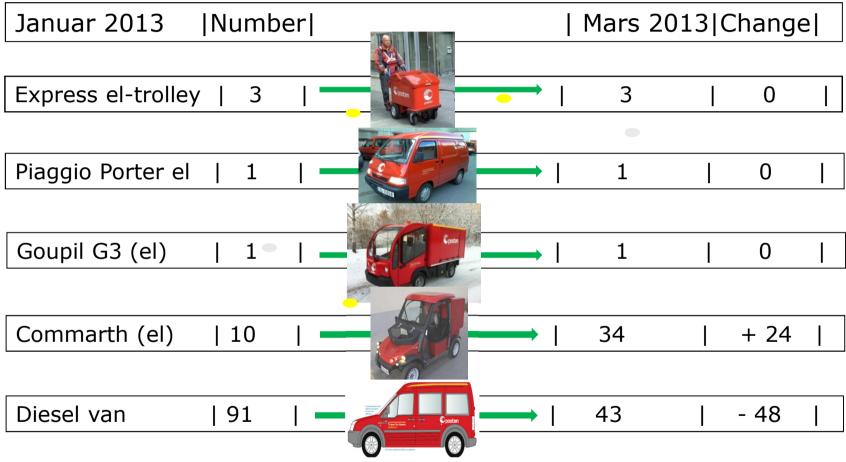






# New mail distribution structure in Trondheim municipality from March 11th





- 594 000 km. pr. år.

- 174 tonn CO2 pr. år



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## Learning points

- Everyone supports positive effects on environment
  - Although there is a threshold for employees who are used to ordinary good standard cars to change to more simple vehicles like electric mopeds and trolleys
- Less access for big vans and trucks in the city centre means small vehicles
  - Truck drivers prefer trucks instead of electric vans.
- Economic support from Transnova was extremely important for the project
- There is a small selection of electric-driven vehicles and trucks
  - Electric vans and trucks are expensive
  - Small electric vehicles is cheaper than diesel/petrol cars
  - The best way for eco-friendly solutions for vans and trucks seems to be biogas
- Vehicles developed as electric vehicles seems to be less solid than cars equipped with electricity
- Study visits with representatives from management, employees and union was very useful





# Eco-friendly vehicles used in Trondheim

#### Expresso Electric Trolley

Electric trolley for distributing mail in downtown areas. Truck pushes curbs up to 25 cm.

Speed 8 km/h and 4 km/h ahead reverse.

Load capacity is 150 kg.



El-jeep intended for execution in block buildings and downtown districts (Park and loop).

Speed up to 40 km/h. Range 50 km.

Load capacity 200 kg and 100 kg behind the front.

http://www.comarth.com/en/

#### Goupil G3 and G5

Electric cars intended for distribution of parcels.

#### G3:

Load capacity from 2.2 to 3.4 m3. Speed up to 40 km/h. Range from 60 to 100 km. Charging time 8 - 10 hours

#### G5:

Load capacity up to 6 m3. Speed up 40 km/h electric, 70 km/h hybrid. Range Electric 80 km, Hybrid 400 km. Charging time 8 hours.

http://www.goupil-industrie.eu/













## Eco-friendly vehicles used in Trondheim

#### Iveco Daily Bi-fuel (Iveco)

Hybrid diesel - electric. Switches with switch from 30 - 90 km. pr.

Charging (recharged by diesel operation). Speed 50 km/h. el. Load capacity 7 – 17 km3

http://www.micro-vett.it/veicoli en.php?C=8&V=14



Volvo FE with I-SAM (Integrated Starter **Alternator Motor)** Power 120 kW 7-litre diesel engine Volvo I-Shift gearbox

http://www.volvotrucks.com/trucks/uk-market/engb/aboutus/environment-new/volvohybridconcept/volvo-fehybrid/Pages/default.aspx



