

Develop environmentally friendly and efficient solutions for freight distribution in the center of Oslo.













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Green Urban Distribution (2012-2014)

Vision: Zero emissions in urban goods distribution

Main objective:

To develop environmentally friendly and efficient solutions for urban freight distribution in Oslo.

Secondary objectives:

- M1 Develop solutions for better use of road spaces
- M2 Develop solutions for better use of day and week time

M3 Demonstrate usage of environmentally friendly and energy efficient vehicles in unmanned deliveries.

Green Urban Distribution



- What: research project aimed at identifying and demonstrating green and efficient solutions for urban freight distribution through
 - Improved organization
 - Service innovation
 - Technology
- Who: SINTEF Technology and society, the Municipality of Oslo, Institute of Transport Economics, the Norwegian Public Roads Administration, and several industry partners (goods owners, transport organizations, carriers, vehicle and technology suppliers)
- How: funded by The Regional Research Fund in Norway



Oslo

- Capital of Norway
- 650 000 inhabitants, increase by 30 % by 2030
- Freight distribution increase by 50 % by 2030
- Pollution and local emissions – especially wintertime





Urban freight transport



- Crucial for living cities and the economic system
- Characterized by
 - Lack of coordination
 - Inaccessible and unavailable loading bays
 - Ineffective stock receipts
 - Improvized solutions



• These challenges result in inefficient distribution and increased emissions



Stakeholders in urban distribution



Stakeholder survey



- 67 responses from carriers, receivers and authorities
- Invited by e-mail with link to web survey
- Asked to assess consequences of 7 selected measures
- Scale from -2 to 2 (from very negative consequences to very positive consequences)
- Could also comment on every measure

Finding effective measures



- Successful measures must be
 - adapted to the local context of the city center of Oslo
 - in accordance with stakeholder concerns
 - economically viable
 - effective in terms of reducing emissions



Overall survey results





Demonstration (d1) – pilots 2012





- Environmentally friendly vehicles tested in Bring Express' logistics system in the centre of Oslo
- Focus on optimization of route, battery capacity and load factor
- Development of evaluation method using measurements to assess the effect / impact of the measures (good data quality is important)







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Evaluation framework



- Survey results serve as an input to demonstration 2 (d2) in the project – which measures to demonstrate
- The demonstrator will be carried out the coming winter/ spring
- The demonstrator will be evaluated with a universal framework design
- Four impact areas transport, economics, environment and society
- 20 indicators



Evaluation of demonstration 1 (d1)

• (d1) tested 5 environmentally friendly distribution vehicles

Transport	Economics	Environ- ment	Society
 Battery for one day Save 4.8 I diesel/ day 	 No differences 	 - 0,17 kg CO₂ per km - 0.49 kg NO_x per km 	 High acceptance High employee satisfaction





Demonstration (d2), spring 2014

- Urban consolidation centre
 - Consolidated shipments to end-receivers in designated area inside or outside the city centre
- Distribution
 - Last mile distribution by electric bicycle or electric van
 - Limited access to designated area for a selection of vehicles
- Security measures limiting access for larger vehicles
- Vital questions:
 - Where should such a centre be located?
 - Who should responsible for operating the centre?
 - Who should be responsible for last mile distribution?

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Conclusion

- Finding successful measures requires identifying common ground
- Win-win vs. suboptimal outcomes
- Knowledge on effects of different
 measures
- Cooperation between commercial actors and public authorities

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Sustainable distribution of goods requires cooperation between public authorities, transporters, goods owner, customers, technology and vehicle suppliers and research institutions.

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