

TEST AREAS AUTONOMOUS VESSELS

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Why autonomous shipping in Norway

- Background
- Current Norwegian status
- Digitalization
- Conclusions



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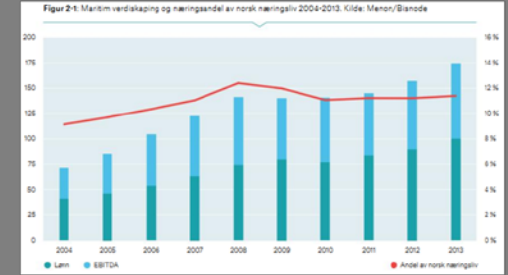
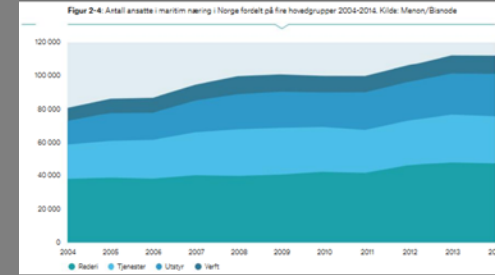
- More logistics and control Centre focus
- The salmon price has dropped with about 30% since 1.1.17.
 - 45-65 NOK per kilo (4 - 6.5 Euro)
 - Still very optimistic regards the future
 - Exposed and land based farms
- New vessels for transport of fish
 - More **automation** and bigger
- The fishery sector is going well and the sector are optimistic for the future
- Environmental monitoring
- New contracts regards new vessels

The aquaculture and fishery market

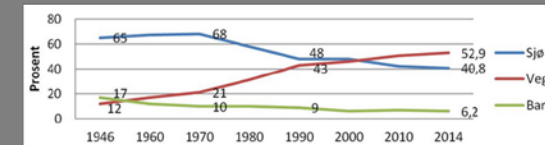


Why autonomous shipping in Norway

- Economy
- Industry
- Future industry



14% of value creation from businesses
38 % of export (ex HC)



Still a big role in inland cargo transport –
that needs to be increased

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Yards and equipment




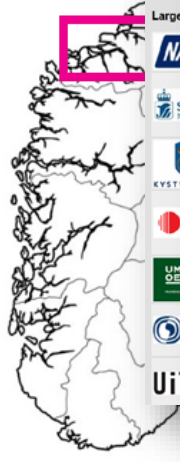
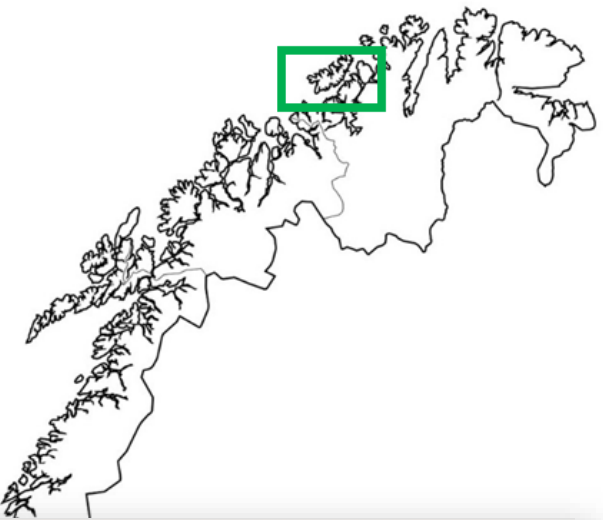
Shipping & services



New transport systems

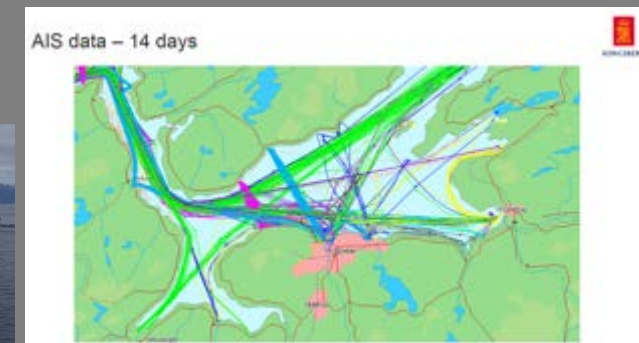
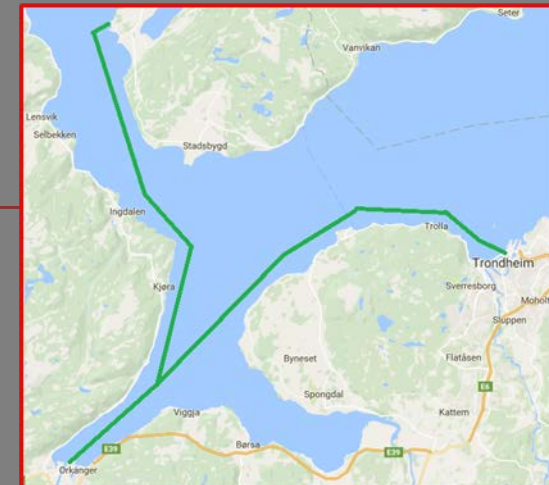
Test areas - Status

- Trondheimfjorden
- Storfjorden
- Horten and Grenland
- Tromsø possibly next
- NFAS and INAS



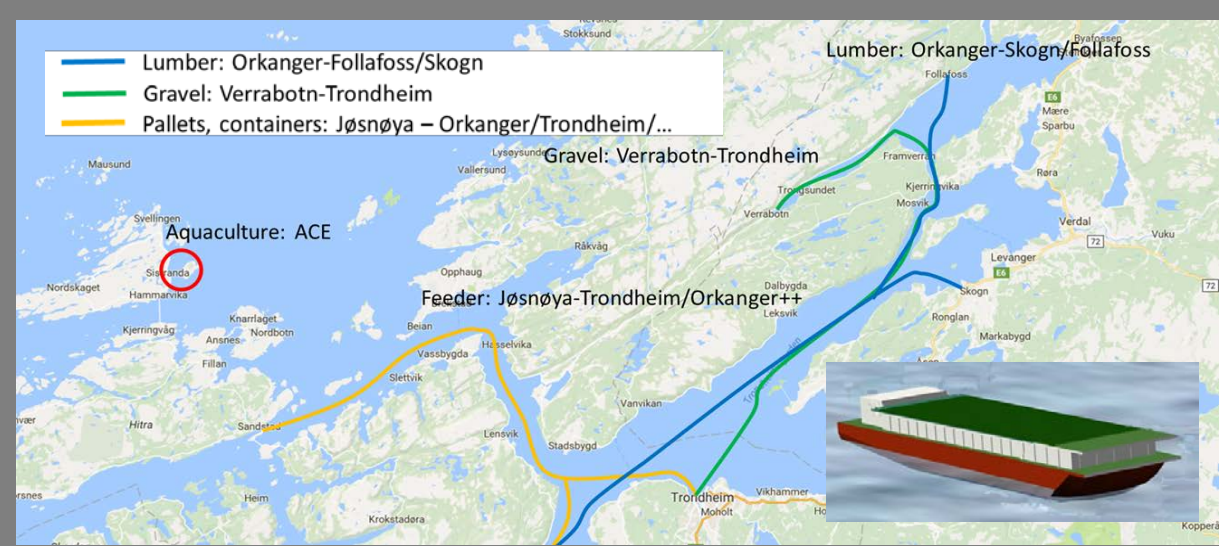
Test area - Trondheimsfjorden

- Established September 30th 2016
 - Industry, university, research
 - Port of Trondheim
 - Norwegian Maritime Administration
 - Norwegian Coastal Administration
- Area covers Trondheimsfjorden
 - Permits
 - Instrumentation and communication
 - Navigation
 - Safety
 - Exchange of experience



Test area - Trondheimsfjorden

- ASTAT
 - Short voyages
 - 12-50 TEU
 - Inland, fjords/sheltered
 - Low cost: Wait in port
 - Legs 4-12 hours
 - Port cranes
 - Automated berthing
 - Batteries
- Highway car ferries
- Hrönn: Unmanned offshore vessel



AMOS - NTNU

- Milliampere

- On-demand passenger ferry
- Max 12 persons + bicycles
- Electrical propulsion, battery
- Inductive charging at quay


NTNU AMOS



- Supported by Norwegian Research Council
- Norwegian "Centre of Excellence"
- Established 2013
- Planned for 10 years
- Total budget approx. EUR 80 million

<https://www.ntnu.edu/amos>

- Sensortypes
 - Requirements are high update rate, < 1 sec
 - Navigation types: GNSS, GNSS Compas, INS/MRU
 - Anti collision types: Radar, Camera, LIDAR)
 - Instruments types: Propulsion, technical monitoring
 - Augmented AIS
- LIDAR and RADAR
 - Must detect small and high-speed objects/targets
 - Direction sensitive
 - Need input such as wind and wave hight
 - Radar network
- ICT Network
 - Vessel
 - Navigation
 - Dokking
- Successes
 - Risk analysis and preparedness plans, high degree of monitoring
 - Automatic control on vessels and passengers
 - Access control
 - Anti-collision control
 - Redundancy
 - Easy to use, operation year around, efficient and robust



I am an ocean farming installation. Please respect my position and safety zone

I am on my way to Trondheim. Please provide me instructions for navigation

I am about to dock in Verdal. Please give me navigation - proximity data

I am a small vessel. Have you seen me? Can you tell me your navigation plans?

I am an autonomous vessel doing bay metric measurements. Give me navigation instructions

I am a autonomous ferry serving an island. The locals can call me on demand.

We are two autonomous drones to be used for test and demonstrations

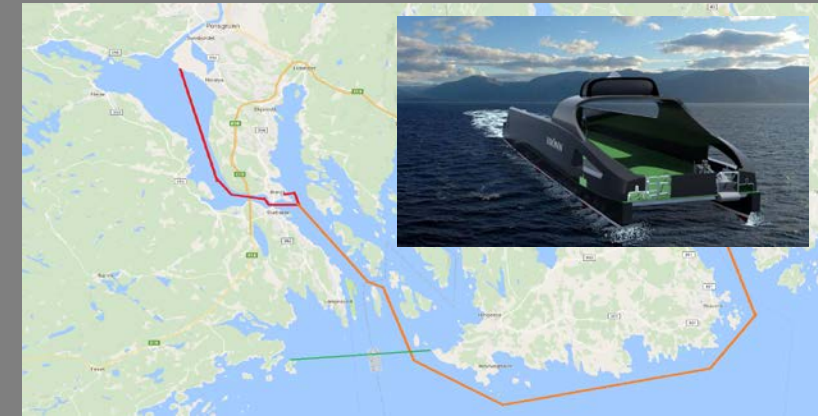
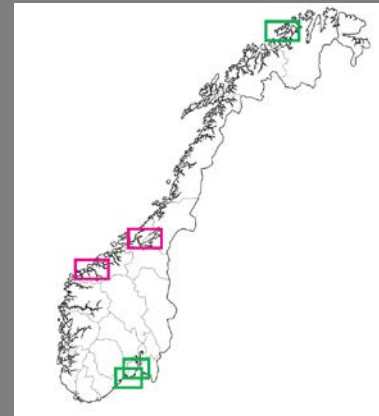
We are the local monitoring centre for autonomous shipping in Trondheimsfjorden

We are doing underwater research. Inform mariners and keep distance

I am the autonomous bicycle ferry operating in the channel of Trondheim

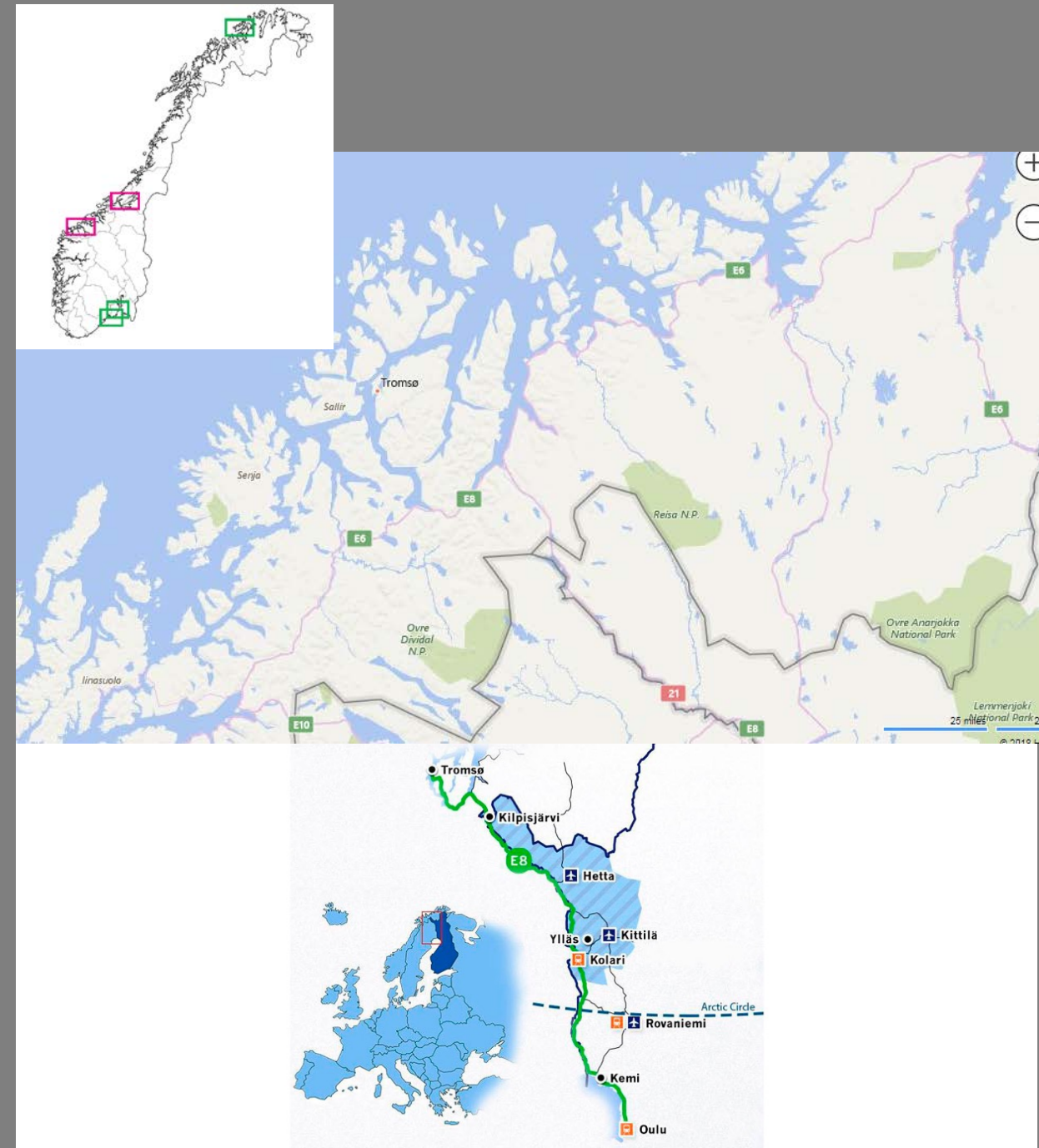
Test area – Horten / Grenland

- Yara Birkeland
 - Yara fertilizer
 - Fully electric, 100-150 TEU, 70 m x 15 m
 - Replaces 40 000 truck trips a year
- Staged implementation
 - Manned after 1 year, Remote after 2 year, Autonomous after 3 year
- Operational area
 - Herøya-Brevik – 7 nm, Herøya-Larvik – 30 nm, Within Brevik VTS area



Test area – Tromsø

- Aurora
 - The Aurora test ecosystem is designed for verifying and validating new ITS solutions and innovations in real extreme weather conditions..
- Ocean test area
 - 69,5 degrees north
 - Arctic



Test area – Storfjorden

- GCE Blue Maritime and Rolls-Royce are drivers
- A test area connecting deep ocean with fjords
- In the area you find 14 yards, 20 ship owners, ferries and commercial shipping

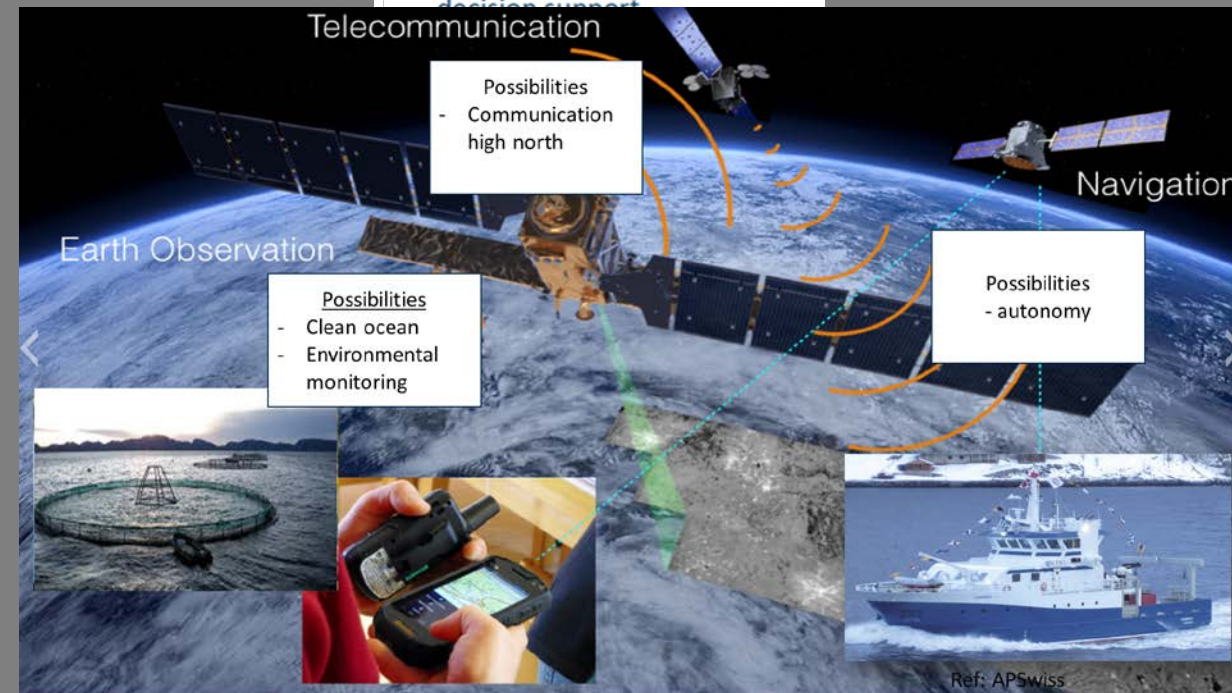


Digitalization

- Huge investment in digitalization within the maritime segment
- Maersk invests up to 100 million dollar in digitalization
- Internet of things, clouds, security and communication is of high importance.
- The Norwegian shipping association

Technology areas

- Autonomy
- Communication
- Sensors
- Navigation
- Integrated monitoring and decision support



Summary

- Norway has autonomy prioritized
 - Collaboration between Government, Industry and Academia
 - Collaboration between sectors
 - Collaboration with other countries
- NFAS and INAS
 - Standardization and taxonomy
 - Environmental profile is one of the drivers
- The test areas will be important for the development of autonomy



Autonomy gives possibilities for a more efficient and safer maritime sector



Technology for a better society