Eco-cycle-based waste management system in Oslo



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Green goals for Oslo

- "We will hand over the city in a better environmental condition than we inherited it" Oslo's sustainability vision
- 50 % material recycling within 2018
- 50 % reduction in CO₂-emissions within 2020
- 95% reduction in CO₂-emissions within 2030
- 60% reduction in NO_x-emissions within 2022



Waste management in Oslo

- 1897: Agency for Waste Management established
- 1932: The municipality become responsible for the collection of all household waste
- 1967: First Waste-to-Energy Plant
- 1986: Second Waste-to-Energy Plant
- 1990: Source separation of glass packaging, paper and hazardous waste starts, first recycling station established
- 2007: Closing of last landfill in Oslo
- 2009: Landfill ban of burnable waste in Norway
- 2009: Starting source sorting of food waste and plastic packaging, optical sorting plant
- 2012: Biological treatment plant producing biogas and biofertilizer
- 2016: Test of carbon capture from Waste-to-Energy

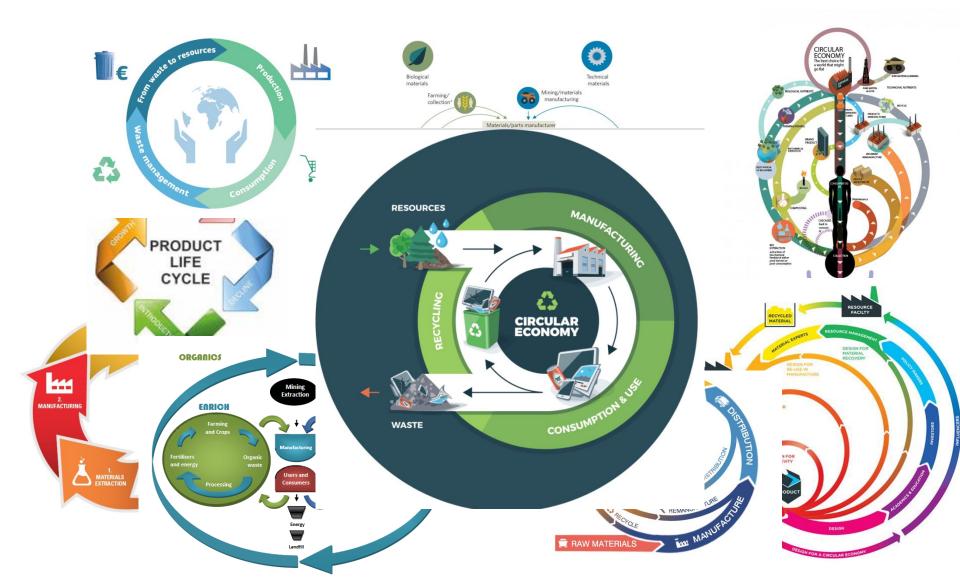


Living by the waste hierarchy

EU'S WASTE HIERARCHY



Circular economy: waste is resources



2 billion tons of household waste – every year waste

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EU - goals 2030

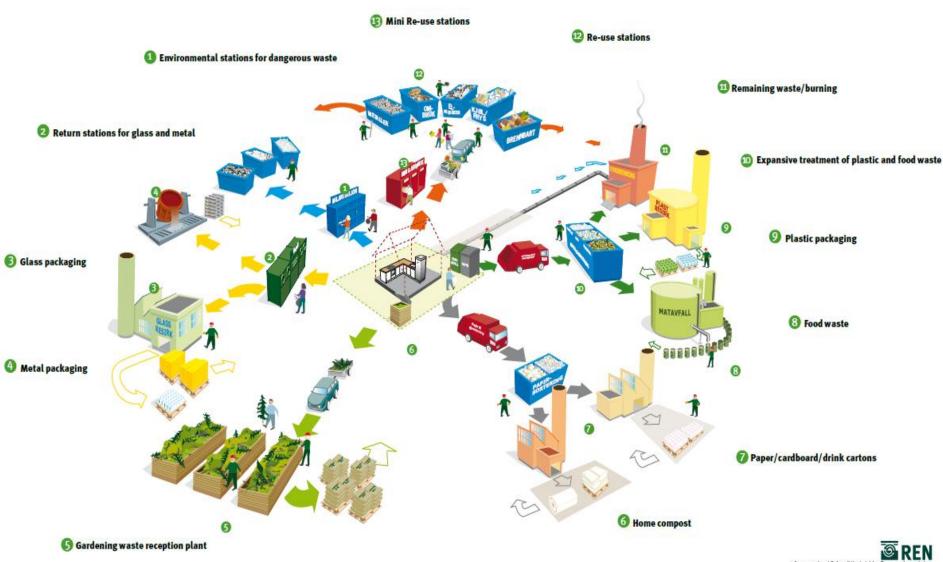


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How do we treat waste in Oslo?

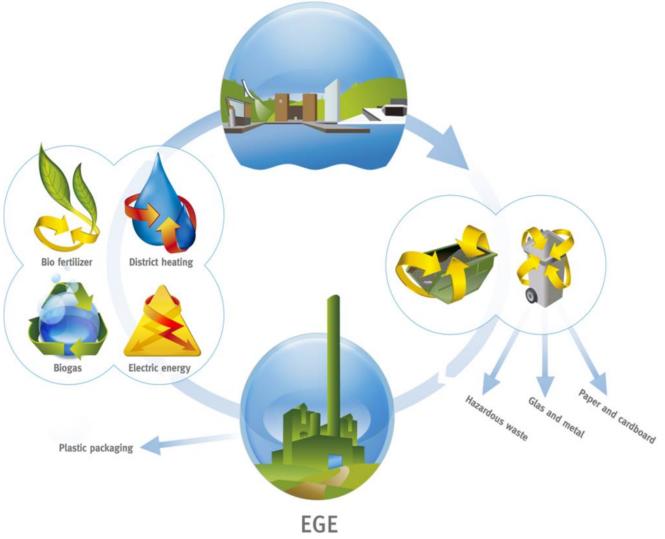


Finance system

- Mandatory fee based on produced waste
- We are a self-financing organization
- What does it cost?
 - Annual budget 2015: 750 mill. NOK, 80 mill. €
 - Cost per citizens 2015: 991 NOK, 104 €
- Included: All costs related to the services provided
 - Collection of residual waste and paper at the household
 - Use of recycling stations, local recycling stations, local collection sites, hazardous waste stations.



Circular system of waste management; circular economy in practice







Optical sorting

- Worlds largest of its kind, runs without human touching of waste.
- High regularity, high quality, >95% of all coulored bags sorted, and purity of fractions > 97%



Source separation

To day pr citizen:

- 6 kg/year plastic packaging
- 33 kg/year foodwaste Possible goal:
- 10 kg/year plastic packaging
- 50 kg/year foodwaste.

- 9/10 say they source separate
- Good intention, but a wish is not the same as action, so allow 10 years for the city to adopt best sorting practice!



Romerike biological treatment plant

- Finished december 2012, technology by Cambi (Norway)
- Capacity: 50 000 t/year, Termic hydrolysis (THP)

Biogass-fueled buses

 Only food waste, 6 mill Nm³ CH₄ year (99%, liquid and compressed), Biofertilizer of all foodwaste



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Waste-to-Energy



Waste-to-Energy

Two plants, located in the north and south perimeter of the city

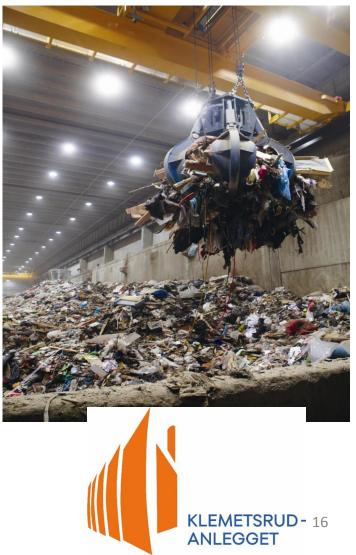
- A total of 5 lines, different technical suppliers
- Capacity: 450 000 t./year, 52 t./hour, approx 175 MW
- First operation 1967, continuously investments and capacity increases since then
- Electricity: 175 GWh/year
- Heat production: 1000 GWh/year



Carbon capture from non-recyclable waste

Reduced emissions of GHG in the complete valuechain

- 1. Waste avoided from landfill saves methane production and -slip
- 2. Sorted waste saves CO₂ by replacing fossil products
- Energy recovered rest waste saves
 CO₂ in district heating and electricity
- 4. CO_2 post incineration capture saves CO_2 for either reuse or storage
- Carbon criteria in waste tenders will push carbon further up the waste hierarchy
- 6. Last, but not least bioCCS



Energy recovery from waste

- Compete to treat waste at lowest possible cost, and maximizing the value of the waste
- Climate benefit a indirect competition advantage – energy efficiency releases energy revenue
- Producing heat and electricity displacing fossil energy
- Approx. 90 mill. tons incinerated in Europe every year
- 98 mill. tons landfilled (EU) every year, of a total 320 mill. tons.
- Many public stakeholders strict regulations



- 450 energy recovery plants in Europe, ca. 700 in the world
- Not a part of ETS
- 60% bio-CO₂



Carbon capture at Klemetsrud

- Pilot plant showed CO₂-capture stable and reliable at 90%
- Removing fossil CO₂ (plastics etc.) and biological CO₂ bioCCS
- Creating and building competence in Norway large global transferability
- Heat delivery maintained internal usage of electricity increases
- Business opportunities; CO₂-to the market increased tipping fees
- CO₂ transportation to port showcase zero emission vehicles
- Realization well within timeframe of the project
- Realization possible with different tech suppliers
- Can catch 315 000 tons CO₂ pr. yr approx. 60% carbon negative
- Additional future potential in Oslo alone 450' 600' tons CO₂/yr

Broad political support in Oslo

Products from Waste to Energy

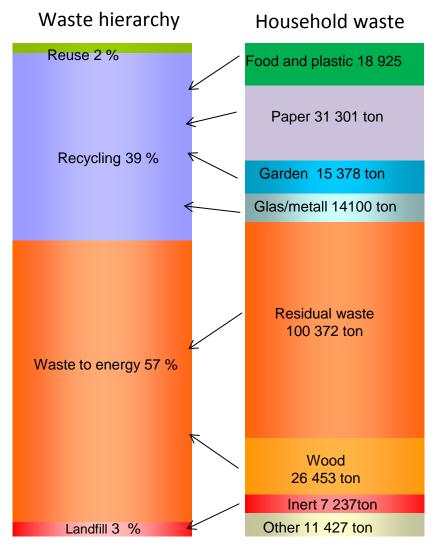
- Heat delivers almost 1 TWh/year to the city (90.000 apartments)
- Delivers electricity to the grid all the schools in Oslo
- 6000 tons of metal recycled pr year

Results



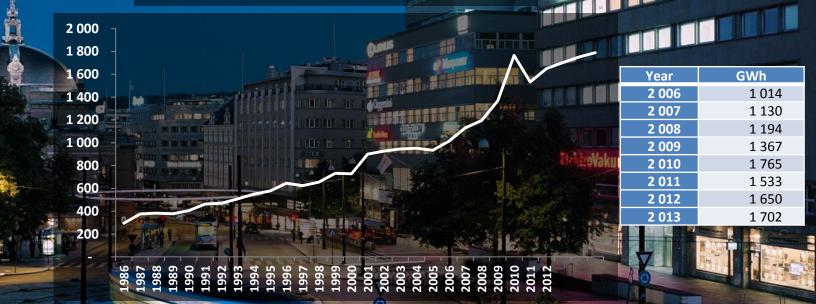
- 2 % to reuse
- 39 % to recycling
- 56 % to energy recovery
- 3 % to landfill

Target: 50 % recycling



District heating in Oslo 2006 – 2013

Heatproduction: 2006: 1014 GWh 2013: 1702 GWh



District heating covers 20% of the heating need in Oslo



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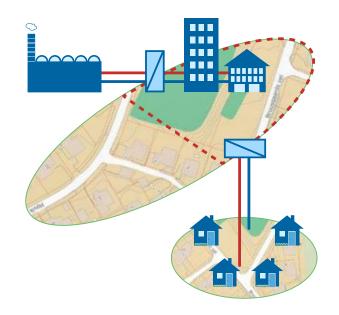
Local and central districtheating networks



Low temperature districtheating networks can use heat from:

- Ice-rink
- Computerhalls
- Cooling systems
- Shops
- Solarheatingsystems

Local and central nets integrated Heat is transferred from the central system when needed, during winter and cold days



Thank you for your attention!

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