Innovative shipping

A vital international shipping industry with new technology

Bergen is a lead player in international shipping. Shipping companies in Bergen and Norway have focused on developing new and innovative technology in the maritime industry for generations.

The Bergen community has a complete, dynamic and progressive shipping industry with a solid cluster of services, broad knowledge and competence. Shipping is an important part of the ocean industry in the region.

Shipping has played a major role in the business environment in Greater Bergen for generations. The city and Norway has been at the forefront of maritime technological development. Such as LNG-fueled vessels. The region is a leader in developing hybrid technology and other environmentally friendly solutions for transportation at sea.

Solid maritime cluster
Greater Bergen boasts a complete maritime cluster that includes:

- some of the world’s leading ship owner companies
- Norway’s largest port
- Norway’s largest fleet
- strong research institutions and several maritime studies
- headquarters for the Norwegian Naval Academy
- legal service
- shipbrokers
- marine insurance
- ship traders
- ship management
- shipping equipment

Facts and figures (2014)
Shipping in Greater Bergen

19 000 employees

Turnover: 94 billion NOK

Value creation: 32 billion NOK

More than 1 000 ships are managed from Greater Bergen
Please contact us for further information and assistance for finding your location in Greater Bergen.

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