

# Safe hydrogen bunkering in the Port of Oslo

Hydrogen pilot study

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# Green Shipping Corridor: Oslo – Rotterdam on liquefied hydrogen



### The Cities of Rotterdam and Oslo Sign MoU Aimed Towards New Green Corridor Provided By Samskip

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This week, a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) has been signed by the City of Rotterdam and the City of Oslo. The two partners have a long history, having worked together for many years. The new corridor project will not only strengthen their relationship but will also accelerate "the green transition" to the maritime sector. Having a strong presence in both regions and being a pioneer in greener logistics, Samskip will facilitate the corridor service with what will be the debut of their anticipated *Next Generation Zero-Emissions SeaShuttle*.



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- Samskip's two container feeder vessels will operate weekly using LH2 between Rotterdam and Oslo with several stops on the way
  - Savings of about 25,000 tons of CO2 emissions each year per vessel
  - Ambition: Start operation in Q2 2026
- The port of Rotterdam aims to become a green hydrogen hub
- The Port of Oslo's vision is to become the world's most efficient and environmentally friendly urban port

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# Safe bunkering of liquefied hydrogen in the Port of Oslo

**Overall objective:** To identify the key barriers and port readiness for safe hydrogen bunkering of Samskip container feeder vessels in the Port of Oslo.

Current status on  
safety and  
regulations

Bunkering  
location and  
concept (Task 1)

Key barrier study  
(Task 2)

Port Readiness  
level (Task 3)

Feasibility of  
bunkering LH2 in  
the Port of Oslo



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### Pilot participants:



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Norwegian  
Hydrogen

**samskip**



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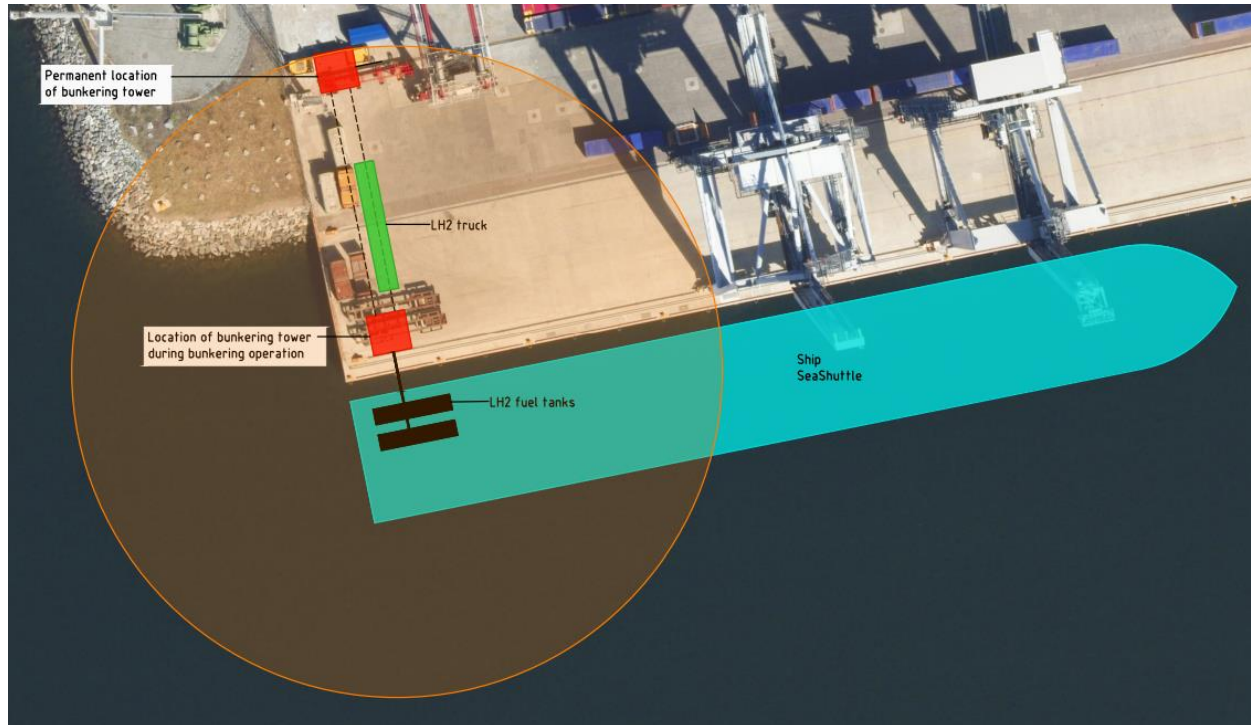


Sjøfartsdirektoratet  
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# Task 1 – Bunkering, locations and safety considerations

**Task objective:** Identify bunkering needs for Samskip's hydrogen powered container feeder vessels and inspect potential locations for safe hydrogen bunkering in the Port of Oslo.



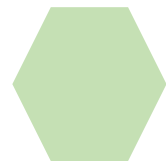
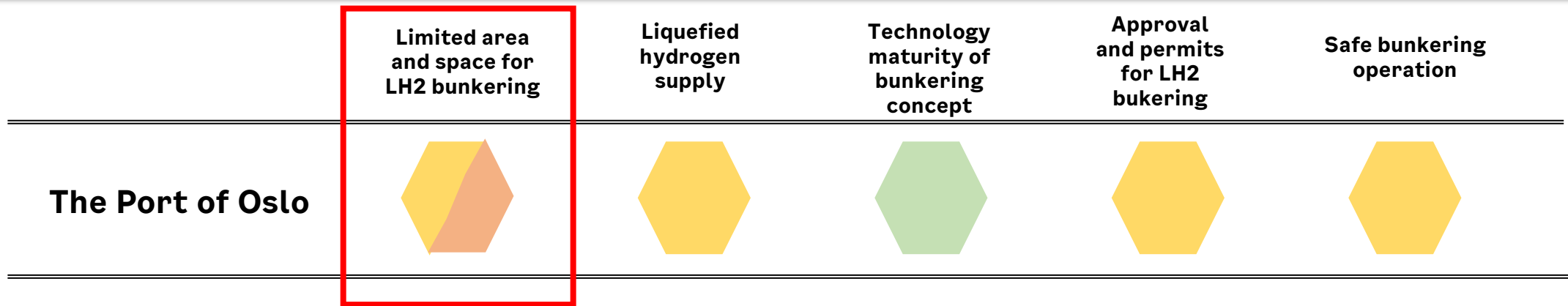
- **Truck-to-Ship (TTS)** bunkering, proven concept for MF Hydra
- Two potential locations in the port are evaluated based safety and operational feasibility



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# Task 2 – Investigating key barriers

**Task objective:** Investigate the key barriers for hydrogen bunkering of container feeder vessels in the port of Oslo.



Ready as is, or minor/easy moderations



Barrier to be aware of, and need a strategy to solve

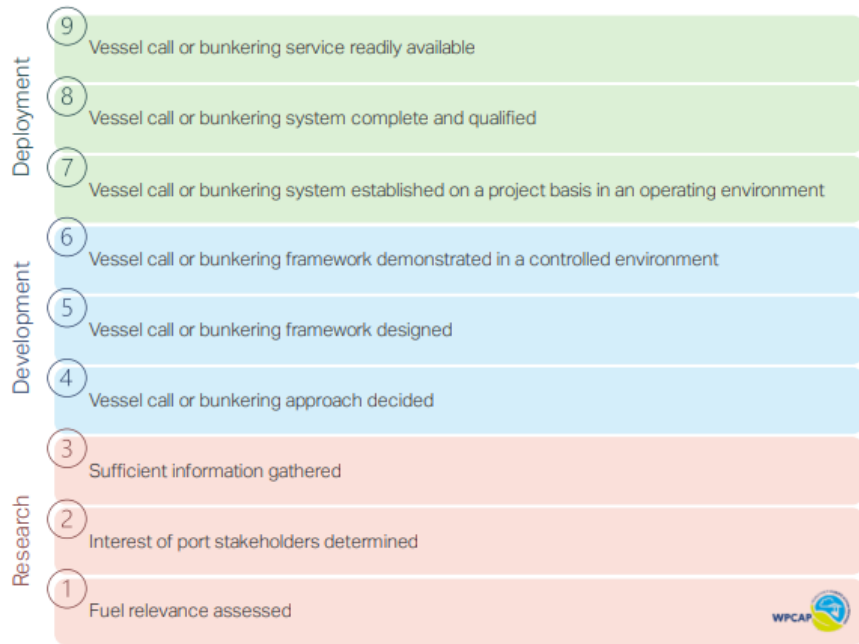


A barrier that could potential be a showstopper for the whole pilot



# Task 3 – Port readiness level for hydrogen bunkering

**Task objective:** Assess the port readiness level for bunkering of hydrogen for the Port of Oslo. Ongoing.



**Figure 8** Port readiness levels.  
Source: World Ports Climate Action Program (WPCAP).



Port readiness level – 2025

	LNG	Bio-methane	E-Methane	Methanol	Bio-Methanol	Ammonia	Hydrogen – pressure	Hydrogen – liquid
Port of Rotterdam	9	8	7	9	8	7	7	6

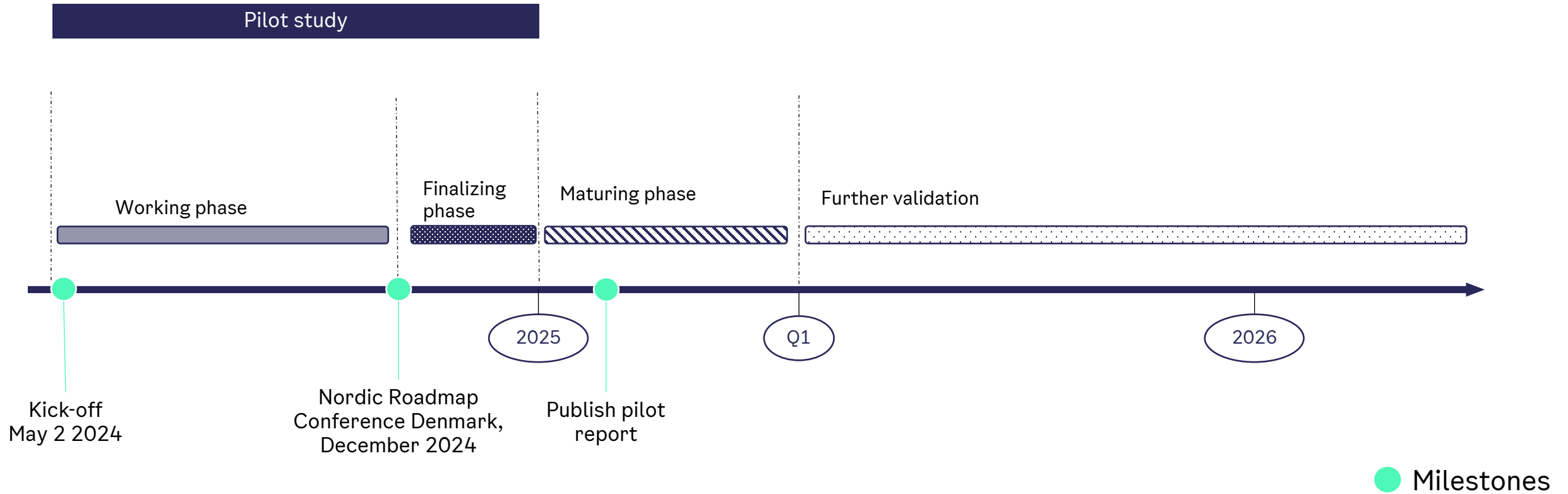
Port readiness level – 2030

	LNG	Bio-methane	E-Methane	Methanol	Bio-Methanol	Ammonia	Hydrogen – pressure	Hydrogen – liquid
Port of Rotterdam	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9

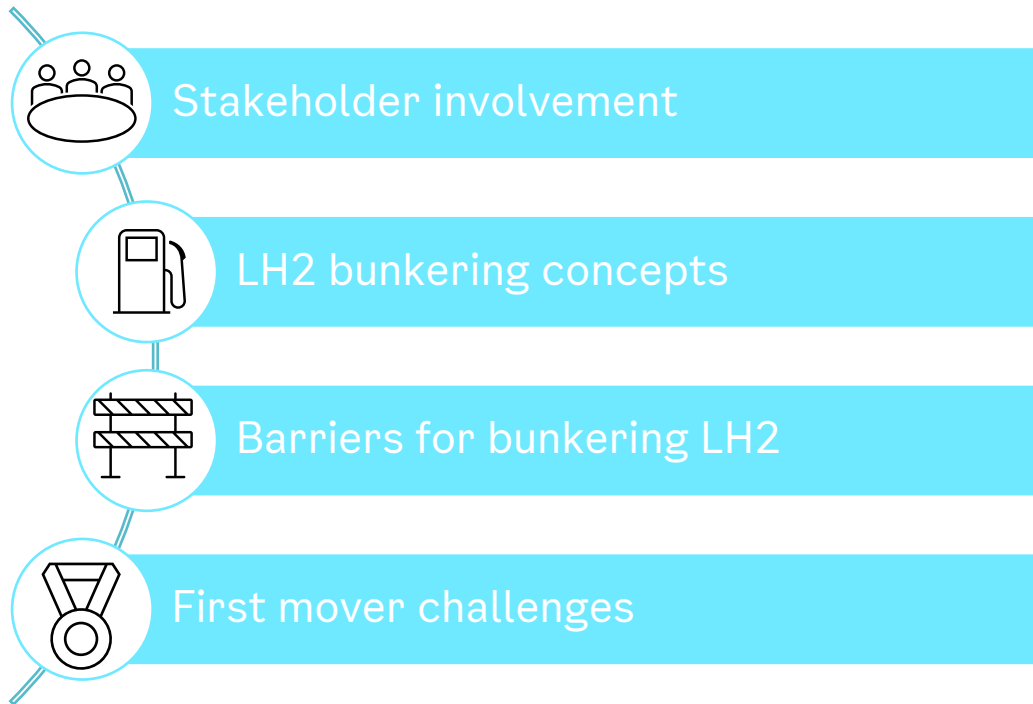
Example from the Port of Rotterdam

Source: Northern European & Baltic Green Corridor Prefeasibility Study

# Timeline of bunkering hydrogen in the Port of Oslo



# Key Learnings





# Thank you!

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