



News from Port of Gävle

Continued strong increase during the first quarter

2017 showed the strongest increase ever in volumes, for the container terminal in Port of Gävle. An increase of 25% compared to 2016. The first quarter of 2018 shows a continued strong increase, with all-time high for both January and February.



The capacity of the largest container terminal on the east coast is about to be doubled. Port of Gävle, together with terminal operator Yilport, are investing to meet the increasing demand for container transport.

[Read more and see our film about the container terminal](#)

"We have reached all-time-high at the container terminal both the previous year and the first quarter of this year. By doubling in size, we will be able to meet the increased amount of container goods, as well as create more jobs", says Håkan Bergström, Sales Director, Yilport Nordic.

The new container terminal is expected to be in full operation in 2020.

Efficient flow

Port of Gävle is part of the EU-funded Efficient flow project.

In STM EfficientFlow, the Baltic ports of Rauma and Gävle implement efficient port calls using real-time information. Improved traffic flow converts unsafe waiting times into bunker savings for large ships in the narrow Swedish and Finnish archipelagos.

The key strategic STM enabler Flow Management is implemented and evaluated in real use and the enabler Port Collaborative Decision Making is made operational in two ports, perhaps the first in the world. EfficientFlow has a total budget of 4.5 million euro and runs from 2018-2020.

The project is a joint cooperation venture of Swedish Maritime Administration, Satakunta University of Applied Sciences, Finnish Transportation Agency, Port of Gävle and Port of Rauma.

[Read more about Efficient flow](#)



Increased Storage capacity in Port of Gävle

Svecon Freight AB is one of approximately 40 operators in Port of Gävle. The company owns and leases warehouses in the port, which together adds up to about 11 100 m2 of warehouse space. Svecon Freight AB recently finalized a new magazine and thus increased storage capacity by 2 800 m2, to meet the demand following the increase of import and export goods.

The company has been active in the port since 1979 and the CEO, Daniel Berglind, believes in reinvesting, to maintain a stable foundation. "Magazines and storage capacity is a good resource in the transport industry. I think it's one of the keys to success in this business", he says.

Port of Gävle has approximately 170,000 m2 of magazines and approximately 1000,000 m2 of storage areas and warehouses.

The General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)

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We wish you a sunny spring

*Warmest regards
Fredrik Svanbom and crew*

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