# **Electromobility in Berlin**

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## I. Traffic objectives and the potential for electric vehicles

Goals and objectives	Electric bikes	Electric cars	Electric trucks
As a substitute for	Combustion engine vehicles	Combustion engine vehicles	Diesel-powered trucks
Reduce the space needed for car parking to allow for other uses			
2. Reduce air pollution			
3. Reduce traffic noise			
4. Reduce greenhouse gases			
5. Increase traffic safety			<u> </u>
6. Reduce dependence on oil			
7. Reduce infrastructure costs			$\circ$

Positive effect OClarification needed Negative effect

No effect

## I. Traffic objectives and the potential for electric vehicles

Relevant criteria	Electric bikes	Electric cars	Electric trucks
As a substitute for	Combustion engine vehicles	Combustion engine vehicles	Diesel-powered trucks
Potential availability, time			
Cost efficiency (e.g. cost avoidance)			
Regulatory requirement incentives			
Users pay transport costs			

Positive effect
 Clarification needed
 Negative effect

## II. Priority areas, goals, advantages and requirements

Electric bikes

Goal:

 Shift commuter traffic from cars to e-bikes and e-scooters, particularly between the city center and surrounding areas

Advantages: - Significant extension of cyclable distances

- Extended range of public-transport and

regional-rail stops

Requirements: - Storage infrastructure near residential areas,

destinations (e.g. workplaces) and at public-

transport and regional-rail stops

- High-speed bike paths

Electric logistical transport

Goal:

- Regulate inner-city traffic by displacing

logistical transport to off-peak hours

Advantages: - Higher logistical efficiency

Requirements: - Customizable or adaptable logistics processes

- Exemptions: based on individual assessments

of noise projections

## II. Priority areas, goals, advantages and requirements

Electric cars in carsharing programs

Goal:

Reduce parking demands by cutting the inventory of parked cars

- Make the process of choosing a transport mode more rational

- Shift modal split toward walking, bicycling and public transport

- Capture environmental and climate benefits

Requirements:

- Availability of parking spaces and the ability to reserve them

- Determination of traffic and environmental effects

- Public acceptance

- Integration with public transport



## III. Building EV charging infrastructure

- 1. Approach to building EV charging infrastructure
- 2. EU-wide expansion of EV charging infrastructure



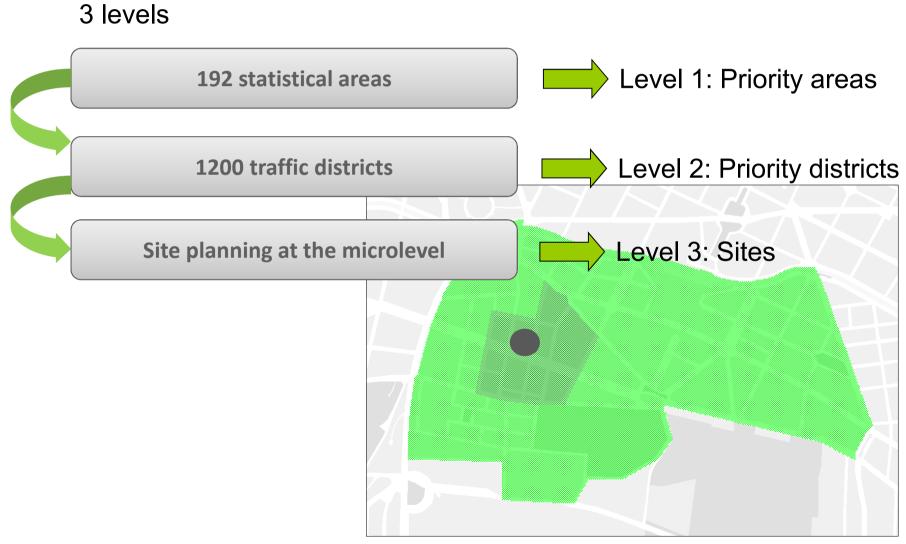
## III. Approach to building EV charging infrastructure (1)

- ➢ Goals
  - To guarantee electric transport in Berlin through rational and systemic construction of EV charging infrastructure
  - Ensure the lowest costs for public authorities
- > Demand for charging infrastructure in public and semi-public spaces
  - Flexible car-sharing programs Providers plan to increase the volume of new electric vehicles (i.e. Berlin has approximately 130 EVs on the streets today, but this number will grow to approximately 2,500 by 2015)
  - Private electric vehicle sales are expected to remain low in the coming years; the charging needs of private and commercial users in public spaces will also remain low



Focus initially on the needs of electric car-sharing programs

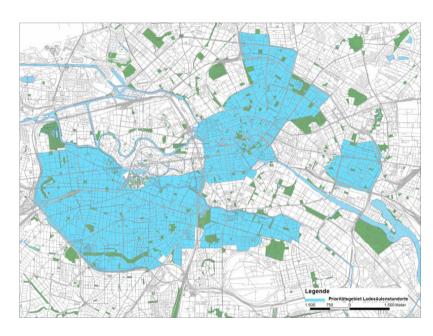
## III. Approach to building EV charging infrastructure (2)





## III. Approach to building EV charging infrastructure (3)

**Level 1:** Identifying priority areas for infrastructure expansion



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Analysis of routes (i.e. point of origin and destination) used by potential carsharing customers based on empirical data

(SrV Berlin 2008, using data from approximately 39,000 individuals and 110,000 recorded routes)

- Selection of groups most likely to use electric vehicles
- Selection of routes, for which an electric vehicle can be used
- Identification of spatial mobility patterns
- Identification of substitutable private car routes

## III. Approach to building EV charging infrastructure (4)

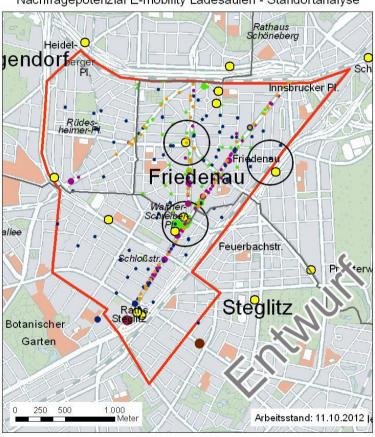




Freizeitaktivitäten

**Level 2:** Identifying a priority district

Nachfragepotenzial E-mobility Ladesäulen - Standortanalyse



Goal: Ensuring the utilization of charging stations through longer service life and more frequent use

#### Method 1 (all EV users)

- Analyze field use
- Analyze the frequency of use and trip purposes throughout the day
- Link to different types of use
- Measure the amount of time that cars are in use for various purposes

### **Method 2** (car-sharing oriented)

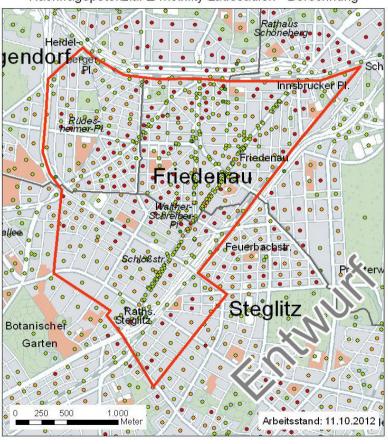
- Traffic demand simulation
- Simulation of use patterns
- Determination of charging station utilization

Vorhandene Ladesäule

## III. Approach to building EV charging infrastructure (5)



Nachfragepotenzial E-mobility Ladesäulen - Berechnung



#### Level 2: Identifying a priority district

- Locations (e.g. retail shops, activity providers) are classified according to their importance
- Residential areas are also classified from low to very high importance
- Areas with the highest potential for use are determined using a density calculation

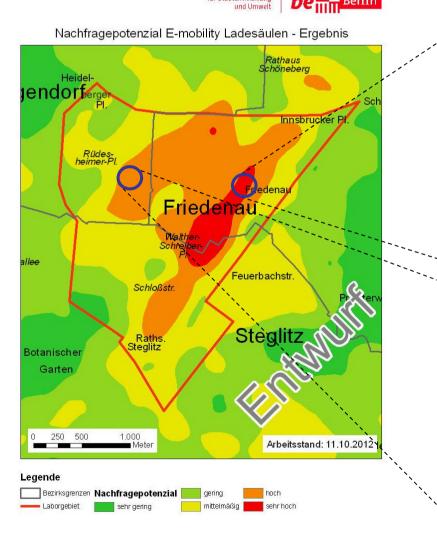
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## III. Approach to building EV charging infrastructure (6)

Senatsverwaltung
für Stadtentwicklung
und Umwelt

**Level 2:** Priority districts → potential sites







## III. Approach to building EV charging infrastructure (7)

#### **Level 3: Sites**

- Availability of semi-public spaces
- Review of various options (e.g. charging stations, street lamp outlets, wallboxes)
- Determining if proposed sites match existing electricity grid infrastructure
- Costs and implementation time
- Planned above- and under-ground construction
- Participation process (e.g. traffic authorities, police, conservationists, parks commission)



## IV. EU-wide tender of EV charging infrastructure

#### Goals

- Install 300 EV charging stations (all type, private/public) by the end of 2013
- Install 800 EV charging stations (all type, private/public) by the end of 2015
- Ensure the lowest costs to public authorities

#### Dialogue process

- Applications from interested participants accepted until 23 November 2012
- Selection of participants (mid-December 2012)
- Dialogue with selected participants / consortium
- Definition of services and solutions
- Tendering of defined services and solutions (end of first quarter 2013)
- Allocation of EV charging infrastructure (mid-2013)

# Thanks for your attention!

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