



Project Fact Sheet



Good practise of Multi-Level Governance

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Summary

Samsø – the energy island in the middle of Denmark - has a vision for the Fossil Free Island by 2030. One objective is 50% EVs by 2020. There is an excellent cooperation on Samsø between the Municipality, the Energy Academy, local voluntary action groups and the local community in general. The project also receives attention and support from the Region, the State as well as internationally partners and is one of good examples of Multilevel Governance.

So far we have 16 EVs out of 1600 cars on the island. The Municipality and the Postal Service have purchased 8 and 5 EVs respectively. The last 3 EVs are owned by local inhabitants.



One of the keys to success is and has been the active involvement and participation of the local community as much as possible. Economy is an important factor. Samsø has a tradition of working out RE and EE projects of good economy that are not relying solely on national or EU funding to succeed. With the involvement of all stakeholders the key is to find win-win solutions.

Project's results

Result 1	Electric cars in the eldercare department of the Samsø Municipality, May 2012
Result 2	Electric cars in the postal service on Samsø, May 2013.
Result 3	Day of the Electric Car – exhibition at the Energy Academy, 11 th May 2013.
Result 4	“Samsø – a Model Society for the Distribution of Electric Cars” project at the Energy Academy financed by the Danish Energy Agency, Jan.-Dec. 2013.
Result 5	Target: 50% EVs on Samsø in 2020.

Lessons learnt

Lesson 1	Networking with EV stakeholders both local and national has been important for success. Inviting the local community into the project as much as possible.
Lesson 2	Finding a reasonable economy for the purchase of EVs is crucial.
Lesson 3	

