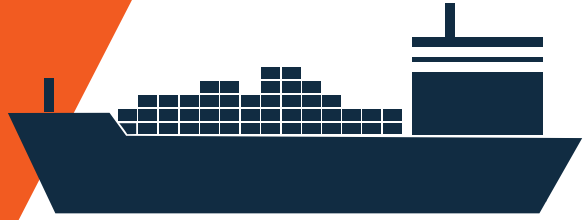


DIGITAL ROUTE SERVICE



A new digital route service for ships arriving and departing Norwegian ports will be tested in Oslofjorden in 2018.

The digital service will provide quality-assured routes and waypoints to commercial vessels, free of charge.

Important route-related information is included, such as local regulations for the voyage, ports and quays, and sailing distances.

In 2018, the service will be tested in Oslofjorden. The aim is to make the service available along the entire coast in 2020.

The digital route service facilitates automatic and seamless distribution of

important and useful voyage information to support safe and efficient navigation.

Recommended routes from the digital route service can be downloaded free of charge from <http://routeinfo.kystverket.no>.

Benefits for commercial vessels

Automatic and seamless exchange of route information will:

- Improve Bridge Resource Management (BRM).
- Increase navigational safety.
- Facilitate more efficient and timesaving voyage planning.
- Facilitate just-in-time arrival.

