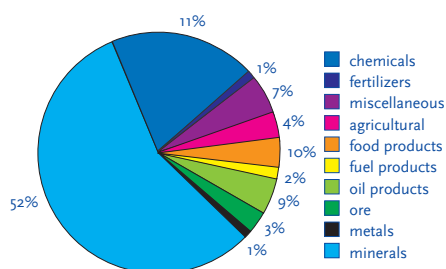
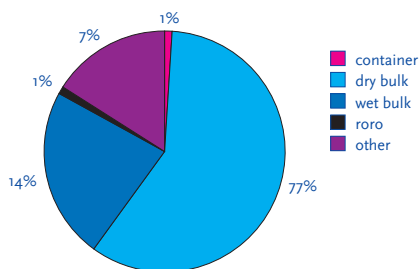


Groningen Seaports manages and maintains two seaports, several inland shipping ports and the industrial grounds around the ports of Delfzijl and Eemshaven.

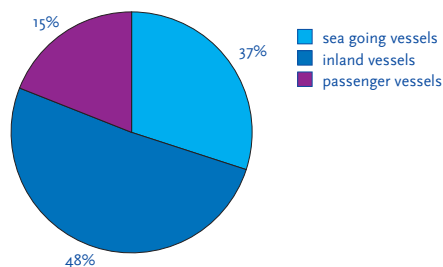
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Vessel Movements 2008



A year in figures

Cargo throughput	7,980,000 tonnes
Sea-going vessels	3,816
Inland vessels	4,884
Passenger vessels	1,553
Passenger movements	354,000
Gross turnover	€ 37,000,000,-
Net result	€ 21,000,000,-
Newly established businesses	Kok Voegwerken, Nuon, Tennet, Jan Snel Group, Conline, 2Rent, RWE Power AG
Newly extended businesses	Zeolyst, Gebr. Borg, North Refinery, Wijnne & Barends', AG Ems, BoogTools, Kollo Special Grains, Eemshaven Properties & Facilities, Schipper Recycling, Holland Malt

The ports

Total area	2,598 hectares
Available industrial area	Delfzijl: 377 hectares Eemshaven: 155 hectares
Draught seaports	Delfzijl: 9.0 m Eemshaven: 11.0 m
Draught inland ports	5.0 m
Mooring facilities Delfzijl:	Handelshaven: 850 m (quay) Zeehavenkanaal: 986 m (jetties)
Mooring facilities Eemshaven:	Julianahaven (southern part): 1,200 m (quay) Julianahaven (northern part): 750 m (bulk quay) Beatrixhaven (southern part): 375 m (quay)

Business & employment

- 160 companies
- Main industries: energy, recycling, chemicals, metals, logistics
- Bulk terminal
- RoRo terminal
- Direct employment: 5,420 people
- Indirect employment: 9,756 people
- Chemical Park Delfzijl generates approx. 15% of the total annual chemical production of the Netherlands



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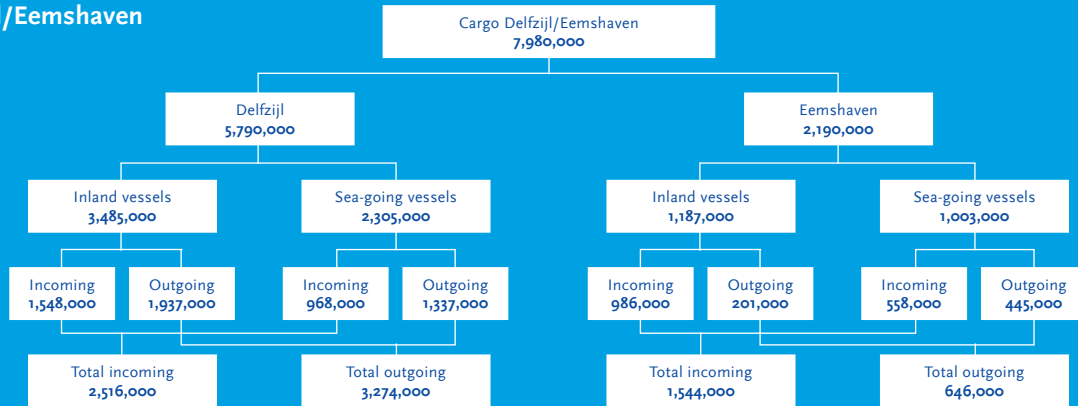
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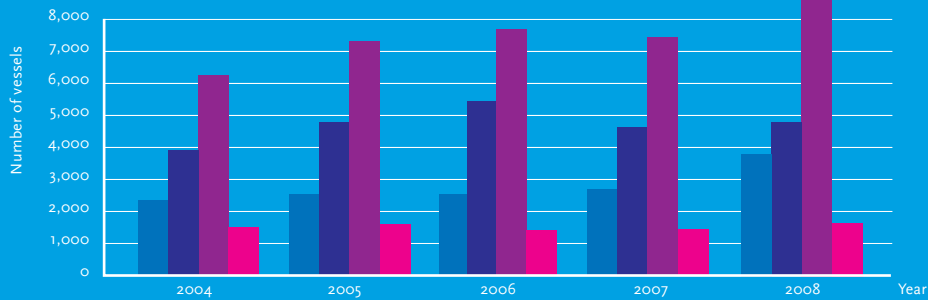


“Not only new businesses are investing in Delfzijl and Eemshaven, but also existing companies. That marks the excellent entrepreneurial climate of this area.”

Cargo Delfzijl/Eemshaven

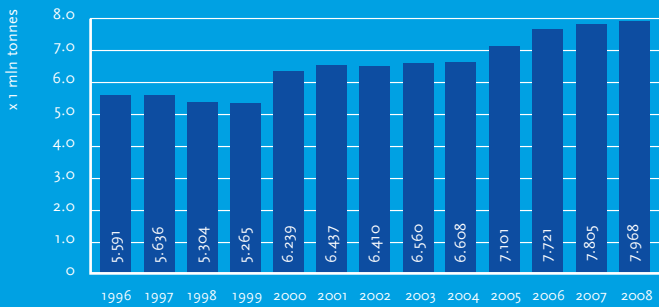


Port Traffic



Year	Passengers
2004	317,460
2005	327,137
2006	352,104
2007	351,386
2008	354,175

Incoming/Outgoing Cargo



Grounds Granted

