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Bike sharing

Networked mobility



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Mission NMBS-Holding

SNCB-Holding wishes as a public service to play a decisive role in mobility in Belgium

Stations

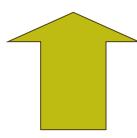
inter-modal crossing points

Networked mobility

Participatie in Carsharing

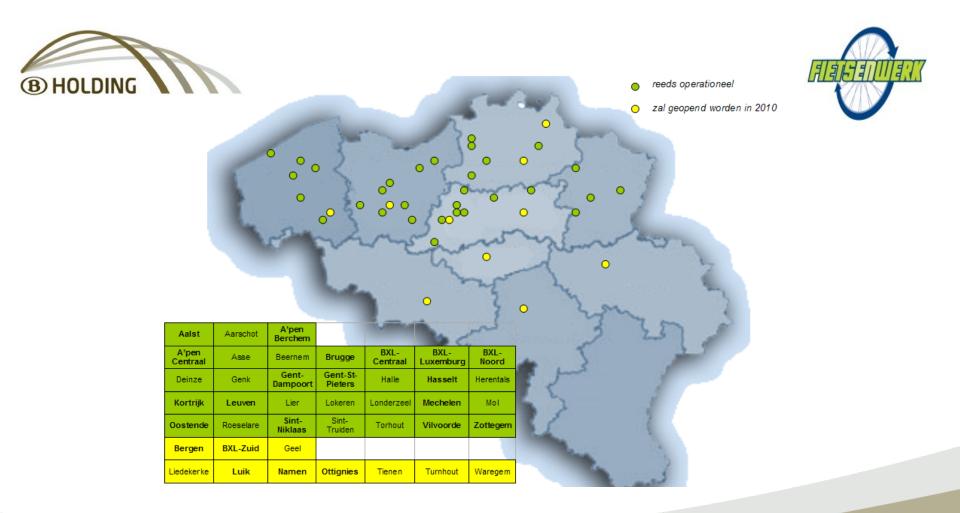
Networked mobility

Startup bikesharing





Who: two partners, 41 bike points in Belgium





What: bike sharing concept

- 1. Become a client
- 2. rent a bike
- 3. Bring it back
- 4. Bill







- 1. one clientnumber
- 2. one card
- 3. one payment agreement
- 1. Scan card
- 2. Take bike
- 3. Direct payment
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- 4. Give bike back
- 1. Monthly billling
- 2. Payment by domiciliation

- 1. Central management;
- 2. Customer on a subscription base;
- 3. The bike is free to use:
- 4. Tariff per (part of a) day;
- 5. Bike return to rental point;
- 6. Market goal= occasional user



How: Create a new company

- Establish operating company "Blue-mobility" with NMBS-Holding and FIETSenWERK because :
 - 1. FIETSenWERK and bike companies should take leading role
 - 2. Bicycle and mobility policy is partly regional matter
 - 3. Light staff structure and commercial market-oriented approach
 - 4. Extension offers bicycle products easily possible
 - 5. Railways are strong but cumbersome. Avoid immobilism.

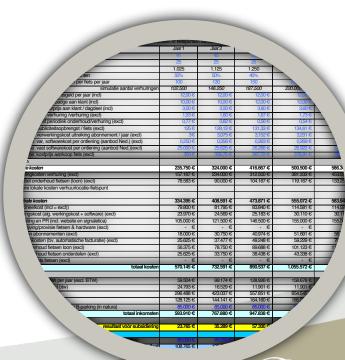


Business case

 NMBS-Holding invests in a one time purchase for bicycles and scanners

 FIETSenWERK brings capital (a bit), cycling expertise, bicycle network and commercial network

- Minimize risk by :
 - Make handling and maintenance cost variable
 - Use "software as a service"
 - Share existing personnel from FIETSenWERK
 - Cover rest of fixed costs on beforehand by
 - Subsidy for minimal two years
 - sponsor/partner for minimal two years
 - Sponsoring NMBS for publicity and website



Added value for Railway company

- Alignment with mission NMBS-Holding
- Contributes to networked mobility
 - Combines public transport with individual freedom on arrival
 - Makes train offering more attractive
- Expands the service offer in the railway stations
- Is an alternative for the folding bike



Major steps: Commercial partner found

- Partner with 3-year contract
- Added value of Railways publicity power in total package





Major steps: automatisation needed

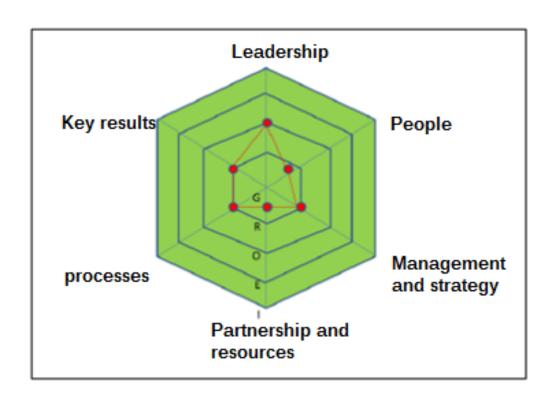
- Manual emissions limited by opening hours
- Key dispenser is a succes





Major steps: FIETSenWERK partner lacks maturity

- FIETSenWERK is an member organisation and lacks maturity
- Blue-mobility has to catch this

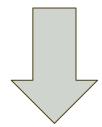




Major steps: city involvment



City pays (part of) rental fee

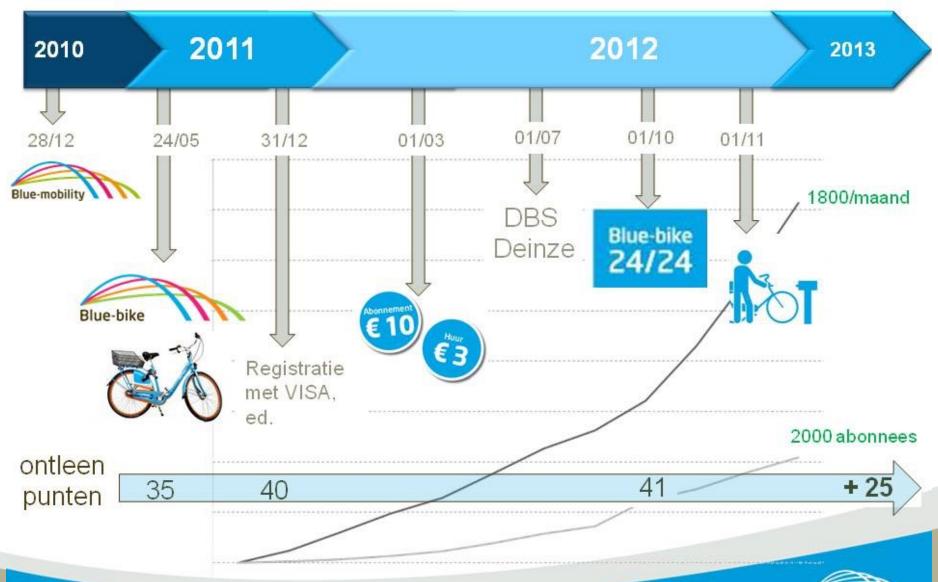


Government pays (part of) rental fee when

City pays (part of) rental fee



Major steps



Conclusion

- Railways and public transport in general are essential partners in bike sharing scheme
- Avoid weaknesses of public governement organisations
- Make partnerships with cities
- Get private partner on board to grow faster and get more professional





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