



CANAL BOATS

TELEMARK



EXPLORE NORWAY IN MINIATURE:

**YOUR ELECTRIC BAREBOAT
ADVENTURE AWAITS IN TELEMAR'S
COASTLINE, FJORDS, AND CANAL!**

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THE TELEMAR CANAL

Experience a Greenline yacht in Telemark Canal: A Norwegian Fairytale.

Very few boaters have heard of the Telemark Canal in southern Norway. When envisioning a dream holiday, you may imagine swaying palm trees and white sand, but there is more to Telemark than just beautiful scenery.

Canal Boats Telemark has launched emission-free cruises along the historic canals of Telemark

through eight locks. The canal comprises two waterways: Skien-Dalen and Skien-Notodden, linking several long lakes along the way. Visitors can depart from Skien and cruise all the way up to Dalen, stretching over 108 km.

Using Greenline's E-Drive technology through the Telemark Canal is a culturally rich pursuit. An abundance of local organic produce is available from local farm shops. The canal was built in 1854 and remains relatively unchanged.



THE TELEMAR COASTLINE

Canal Boats Telemark's itinerary satisfies boaters' appetite for inland waterways and the sea, offering their guests the opportunity to traverse two starkly different landscapes. Expeditions can be modified to suit client wishes.

Drawing from experience, we highly recommend combining the Telemark's waterways with the coast. We started our tour in Skien and ended


in the North Sea for some island hopping near Langesund, a small seaside town renowned for hosting outdoor concerts in Wrightegaarden. Kragerø is also worth visiting. Known as the 'pearl' of the coastal villages, known for its vibrant atmosphere.

Visit our website for more information and inspiration: canalboats.no



HOW TO GET TO PORSGRUNN

The Telemark area is located between Oslo and Kristiansand, in the southern part of Norway. Canal Boats Telemark is based in a city called Porsgrunn which is well-connected with other major cities in Norway as well as with airports.

 Our base is located in **Porsgrunn** between Skien and Larvik.



AIRPORTS

From Oslo airport (OSL) there's a direct train to Porsgrunn, the train trip only takes 2 hours. Our closest airport is called Torp airport (TRF). From Torp it's only 45 minutes by train to Porsgrunn. From the train station there's a 5 minute walk to our main base.



FERRY

You can also reach our area with the ferry. Color Line sails from Denmark (Hirtshals) to Kristiansand and Larvik. Holland Norway Lines sails from the Netherlands (Eemshaven) to Kristiansand. It only takes 2 hours to drive from Kristiansand to Porsgrunn.



CAR

The Telemark area is located a 2-hour drive by car from Oslo. To reach Porsgrunn you just follow the E18 road, that connects capital city with Telemark area. There are plenty of parking spaces waiting in Porsgrunn, also for electric cars.



RENTALS

DO YOU HAVE TO HAVE A BOAT DRIVER'S LICENSE TO RENT THE BOATS?

If you are born after 1980, the tenant and any other drivers of the boat must have a boating licence. Canal Boats Telemark, on the other hand, requires all riders of the boat to have at least 2 seasons of experience with boats.

In addition to the Norwegian boating licence, the International Certificates of Operator of Pleasure Craft (ICC) is also approved as valid boating license. Visit unece.org to see if your country are member of ICC Resolution No.40

DO YOU GET ANY TRAINING?

As part of our safety routine, everyone who rents a boat from Canal Boats Telemark will receive up to 1 hour of training on arrival. Here you go through all safety routines, you get an introduction to the boat's equipment and navigation system and you go through other practical information that is necessary before the holiday starts.

Want to feel extra safe before you go on vacation? We offer 2 hours of training with the captain for an additional fee. This can be added under "optional extras" in the booking process. The captain accompanies the first 2 hours of the trip.

Direction: Telemark coastline: Porsgrunn to Brevik Telemark canal: Porsgrunn to Skotfoss (into the first lock chamber in Løveid lock). You will receive all training along the way and can therefore sail from Porsgrunn immediately after check-in..

WHAT IS THE AGE LIMIT FOR RENTING A BOAT?

The age limit is 25 years



WHAT IS INCLUDED IN THE RENTAL PRICE?

The rental price includes:

- Boat rental
- Equipment in the boat (fully equipped kitchen with kitchen utensils)
- Bed linen and towels for all persons on board are included.
- Consumables: Washing equipment and soap products, hand soap, hand cream, coffee filter, salt and pepper
- Coffee maker
- 1 table and 2 chairs (Teak)

ITINERARY 1

Porsgrunn - Ulefoss - Lunde - Dalen - Lårdal - Lunde - Gvarv - Porsgrunn

DAY 1

Porsgrunn-Ulefoss

Start: 13:00

Time: about 5 hours

Locks: Skien-Løveid sluse

Charging: Fast charger

Recommendations:

Visit Ulefoss Hovedgaard. Make dinner in the boat or eat at the asian cafe down at the harbor. Sometimes there are concerts at Ulefoss harbor in the summertime.

DAY 2

Ulefoss-Lunde

Time: about 3 hours

Locks: Ulefoss, Eidsfoss, Vrangfoss, Lunde

Charging: Fast charger

Recommendations:

- Guided tour at Ulefoss Hovedgaard
- Ulefoss lock

DAY 3

Lunde-Dalen

Time: about 7 hours

Locks: Hogga sluse-Kjeldal

Charging: Fast charger

Recommendations:

Dinner at Dalen Hotel

DAY 4

Dalen-Lårdal

Time: about 2 hours

Locks: Hogga sluse-Kjeldal

Charging: Fast charger

Recommendations:

- Trip to Rui. guided tour around, to learn more about the story of that scenic place.
- Soria Moria sauna
- Drive to Lårdal
- Dinner at Lårdal Marina



Crossing Skotfoss Lock

DAY 5

Lårdal-Lunde

Time: about 6 hours

Locks: Kjeldal-Hogga

Charging: Fast charger

Recommendations:

- Relax and enjoy your free time in beautiful lunde.
- Dinner at Lunde Slusekro or Heksas Kitchen.

DAY 6

Lunde-Norsjø ferieland

Time: 4-5 hours

Locks: 4

Charging: No

Harbour fee: Yes

Recommendations: Take a taxi to Lindheim beer

company (about 10 minutes by car) and also visit Lerkekåsa winery (6 minutes by car between Lerkekåsa and Lindheim)

DAY 7

Norsjø ferieland-Porsgrunn

Time: about 5,5 hours

Locks: Løveid-Skien

Charging: Fast charger

Recommendations:

- Sauna Boats Telemark
- Dinner at Becks Brasserie & Bar Osebro

DAY 8

Check out

The Telemark canal: While driving the Telemark canal, we recommend being at the first lock as early as possible (especially in Ulefoss and Lunde) so that you don't have to wait a long time for the scheduled boats.

ITINERARY 2

Porsgrunn - Ulefoss - Lunde - Norsjø ferieland - Skien - Langesund - Kragerø - Porsgrunn

DAY 1

Porsgrunn-Ulefoss

Time: 4-5 hours

Locks: 2

Charging: Fast charger

Harbour fee: Yes

Recommendations:

Visit Ulefoss Hovedgaard. Make dinner in the boat or eat at the asian cafe down at the harbor. Sometimes there are concerts at Ulefoss harbor in the summertime

DAY 2

Ulefoss-Lunde

Time: 3-4 hours

Locks: 4

Charging: Fast charger

Harbour fee: Yes

Recommendations:

Lunde is a beautiful harbor with shower and toilet facilities. It's also a restaurant down at the harbor (Lunde slusekro).

DAY 3

Lunde-Norsjø ferieland

Time: 4-5 hours

Locks: 4

Charging: No

Harbour fee: Yes

Recommendations: Take a taxi to Lindheim beer company (about 10 minutes by car) and also visit Lerkekåsa winery (6 minutes by car between Lerkekåsa and Lindheim)

DAY 4

Norsjø ferieland-Skien

Time: 4-5 hours

Locks: 2

Charging: 16A

Harbour fee: Yes

Recommendations: Walk up the road "snipetorp" and visit Brekkeparken and eat lunch there while looking at the beautiful view.

Lunch recommendation:

Lykke

Dinner recommendations:

Jacob & Gabriel or Strøm Mat & Bar

DAY 5

Skien-Langesund

Time: 3 hours

Charging: 16A

Harbour fee: Yes

Food recommendation:

Stop at Langøya and eat lunch. Eat dinner at Wrightegaarden.

Activity: Go swimming at Krogshavn if the weather is good.

DAY 6

Langesund-Kragerø

Time: 2-3 hours

Charging: Fast charger at Rørvik. 16A at Gunnarsholmen.

Harbour fee: Yes

Recommendations:

We recommend visiting Kragerø beach club

beachclubkragero.no

We recommend sailing to Gunnarsholmen which lies in the center of Kragerø in the evening

DAY 7

Kragerø-Porsgrunn

Time: 4-5 hours

Charging: Fast charger

Harbour fee: NO

Recommendations:

Take a sauna at Porsgrunn guest harbor. Eat lunch at Ælvespeilet, Jonas B.Gundersen or Øya spiseri, and dinner at Becks Brasserie & Bar Osebro or Mercì

DAY 8

Check out



Please have in mind: On Sundays all the stores in Norway are closed (except restaurants and gas stations)

OUR BOATS

GREENLINE



GREENLINE 39

Greenline 39 is 100% electric and can accommodate up to 6 people. The boat has 2 large double cabins where the beds can be set up as double beds or single beds, in addition you can sleep up to 2 people in the lounge. The boat is perfect for 2 to 3 couples or a family up to 6 people who want to spend their holiday along the canal or the sea.

Greenline 39 has everything on one level, which makes it easy to move around on board safe and easy. Greenline 39 has a tasteful and clean interior which gives fantastic light and plenty of space to move comfortably around the boat.

Year of construction: 2021





GREENLINE 33

Greenline 33 is 100% electric and is a perfect family boat for up to 7 people or for one or two couples who want to spend their holiday along the canal or the sea.

Greenline 33 has a practically furnished interior with good visibility and fantastic light.

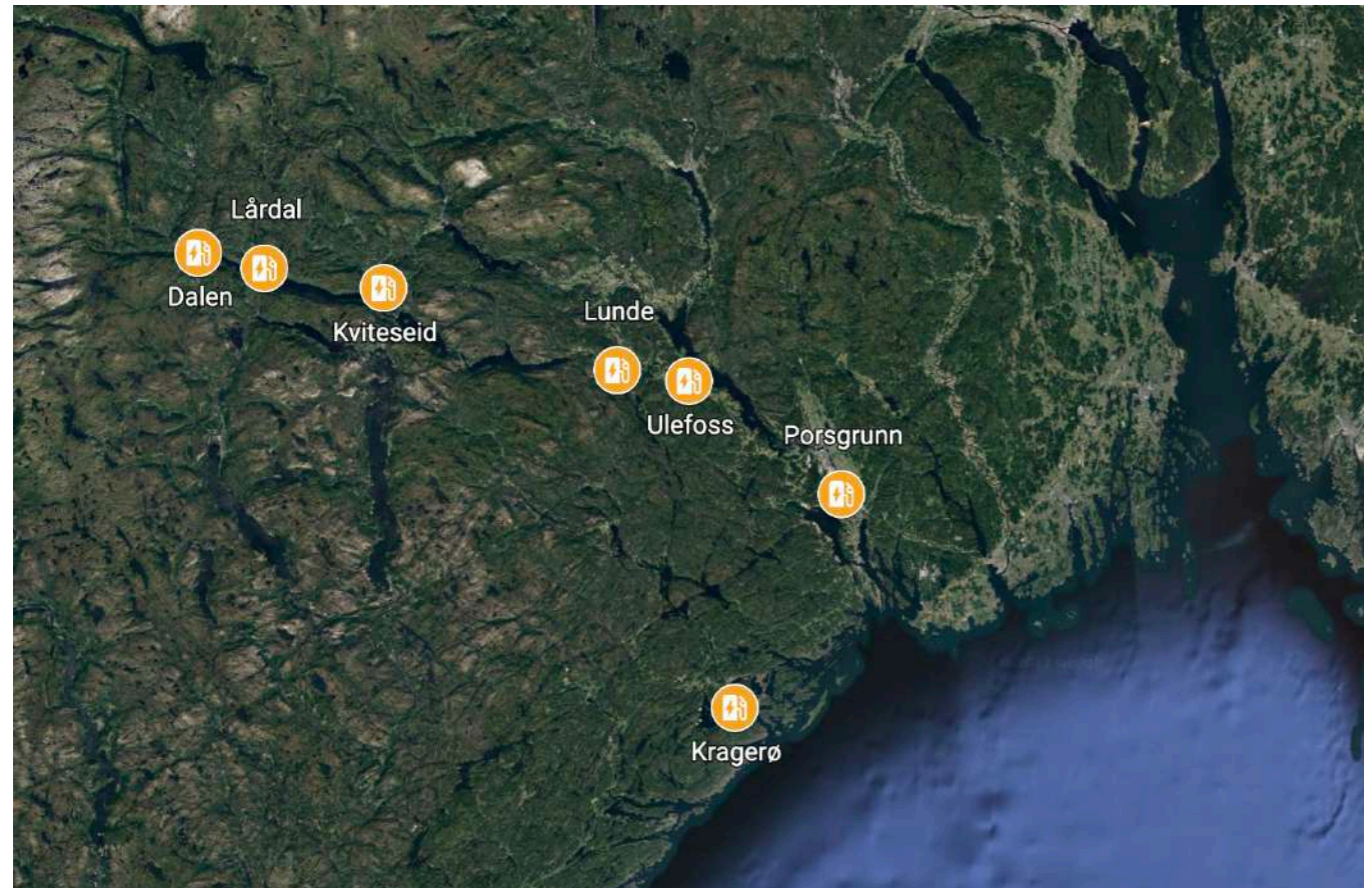
A total of 7 beds. 1 large double sleeping cabin where the beds can either be assembled as 1 double bed or converted into 2 single beds. The second sleeping cabin has 2 180cm beds and is therefore intended for children. You can also get up to 3 people in the lounge (Please note that if you are 7 people in the boat the space will be tight).

360-degree panoramic view in the lounge which, in addition to a full overview, provides lots of natural light. The solar panels on the roof, which allow you to produce enough 230V AC so that you can use the refrigerator, the freezer, the hotplates, the oven, the TVset, etc. on board the boat, just like at home, without being connected to shore power (which is very practical and which gives you an incredibly good comfort when you are in ports, among other places)

Year of construction: 2021



CHARGING NETWORK



WHERE CAN I CHARGE THE BOAT?

There are 7 fast chargers established at the Telemark canal and Telemark coastline. In addition to established fast chargers, you can charge the boat on all piers that have 16A charging current (this is available on most piers).

HOW MUCH DOES IT COST TO CHARGE THE BOAT?

Just like renting an electric car, the boat you rent will be fully charged when you pick it up and you will also pay for the electricity you use. You have to expect between NOK 500-1000 in charging current per week. (The equivalent boat with diesel power would cost about NOK 3500 per week.)

HOW LONG WILL IT TAKE TO CHARGE THE BOAT?

It takes about 3 hours to charge 80% of the battery.

WHAT IS THE RANGE OF THE BOATS?

In the same way as with an electric car, small adjustments in speed give large effects on range. The range of the boats, on the other hand, is very long if you keep a calm pace. You will at all times have an overview of how much power is left on a display on the boat. If you'll drive 5.0 knots, which is the maximum allowed speed at the Telemark Canal, you will be able to drive around 100 km.

Examples of range in headwind:

4.9 knots = 57.6 nm
5.6 knots = 43.9 nm,
6.2 knots = 33.5 nm
7.5 = 20.9 nm

HOW LONG IS THE LONGEST DISTANCE BETWEEN TWO CHARGING POINTS?

The longest distance between two charging points will be between Kviteseid and Lunde, this distance is 23.7 nm (nautical mile) or about 43 km.

PRICELIST SEASON 2024

BOAT RENTAL

High season 15.06-17.08 Check in and check out, Wednesday and Saturday

Greenline 39	59 900,- per week
Greenline 33	39 900 per week
Greenline 39 ▶ Price for Wednesday to Saturday	34 229
Greenline 33 ▶ Price for Wednesday to Saturday	22 800
Greenline 39 ▶ Price for Saturday to Wednesday	25 672
Greenline 33 ▶ Price for Saturday to Wednesday	17 100

Mid season 15.05-13.06 and 19.08-14.09 (minimum 2 nights)

Greenline 39	39 900 per week
Greenline 33	29 898 per week
Greenline 39 ▶ Price for 2 nights:	11 400 + 5 700 for each extra night
Greenline 33 ▶ Price for 2 nights:	8 543 + 4 271 for each extra night

Low season: 01.04-14.05 and 15.09-01.11 (minimum 2 nights)

Greenline 39	23 907 per week
Greenline 33	15 905 per week
Greenline 39 ▶ Price for 2 nights:	6 831 + 3 415 for each extra night
Greenline 33 ▶ Price for 2 nights:	4 545 + 2 272 for each extra night



STARTER KIT

NOK 600

Starter kit contains the following:

- 4 pcs of toiletpaper (it is mandatory with toilet rolls adapted to boat toilet)
- 2 pair of lock gloves (contributes to a good grip around the ropes in the locks and prevents sore hands)
- 2 Canal Boats Telemark caps

LIABILITY REDUCTION AND SECURITY DEPOSIT

NOK

Liability reduction	4 900
Security deposit**	30 0000

**If liability of reduction is not selected*

***This is refunded when the boat is returned undamaged*

CAPTAINS KIT

NOK 90 RENT PER DAY

This package contains the most necessary for the captain to be satisfied. Contains the following:

- Rental of binoculars
- Rental of paper map
- 2 free Canal Boats Telemark caps included

LOCK TICKETS

Lock tickets for the Telemark canal is not included.

High season: 21st of June to 15th of August	Out of season: (on request)
Skien-Hogga-Skien: 4000 NOK	6000 NOK
Skien-Lunde-Skien: 3600 NOK	5600 NOK
Skien-Løveid-Skien: 1300	4000 NOK

The lock ticket will be paid directly to Canal Boats Telemark.

EXTRAS

NOK

Cleaning fee*	2490
Paddleboard	124 per day
Early check-in	1250
Late check-out	1250
Extra bedding	100
Extra bath towel	75
Indoor parking	240 per day
Bring a dog	150 per day
20 GB Wifi	400
Training for 2 hours	2500

**It's important to note that cleaning fee are mandatory.*

CHECK-IN:

Check in: 16:00
Early check in: 13:00

CHECK-OUT:

Check out: 08:00
Late check out: 11:00





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