Facts about Danish shipping



Denmark is among the world's 10 largest shipping nations. By transporting goods to and from all corners of the world, shipping companies facilitate trade and thus opportunities for economic growth at home and abroad.

1. Danish shipping companies create value

Shipping is the backbone of globalization, driving growth and development across the globe. Shipping is Denmark's largest export industry and accounted for 18% of total exports in 2023.

TOP-10 SHIPPING NATIONS 2025 (MILL. GT, OPERATED TONNAGE)

1. Greece	197.2
2. China	166.9
3. Singapore	146.2
4. Japan	116.9
5. Hong Kong	87.2
6. Switzerland	75.8
7. South Korea	67.8
8. USA	66.8
9. Denmark	60.5
10. Germany	58.8

Source: S&P Maritime Global

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2. Danish shipping companies take responsibility

Denmark is characterized by quality shipping based on responsibility, high standards and decent working conditions - regardless of nationality. We strive to continuously reduce our climate and environmental footprint and to ensure global regulation that benefits the environment. Working with organizations and governments, we are committed to fighting corruption, fraud, and piracy.

3. Danish shipping companies are global

Danish shipping has the entire world as both workplace and marketplace. More than two-thirds of the shipping companies' activities take place outside Europe. To be successful, Danish shipping companies must be both more skilled and more efficient than their international competitors. Free and equal access to global markets as well as stable and competitive framework conditions are crucial for the success of shipping companies.

DANISH SHIPPING'S
EXPORT (BILL. DKK)

337

237

237

2020

2021

2022

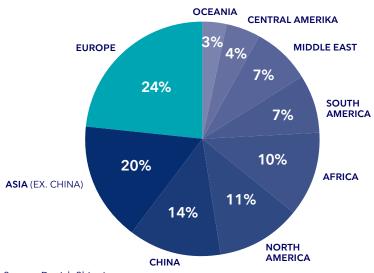
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Source: Statistics Denmark

Danish Shipping has a clear goal of achieving **climate neutrality by 2050** without relying on carbon offsetting.

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