## Helo, we are bpostgroup





## bpost Belgium

### Activities

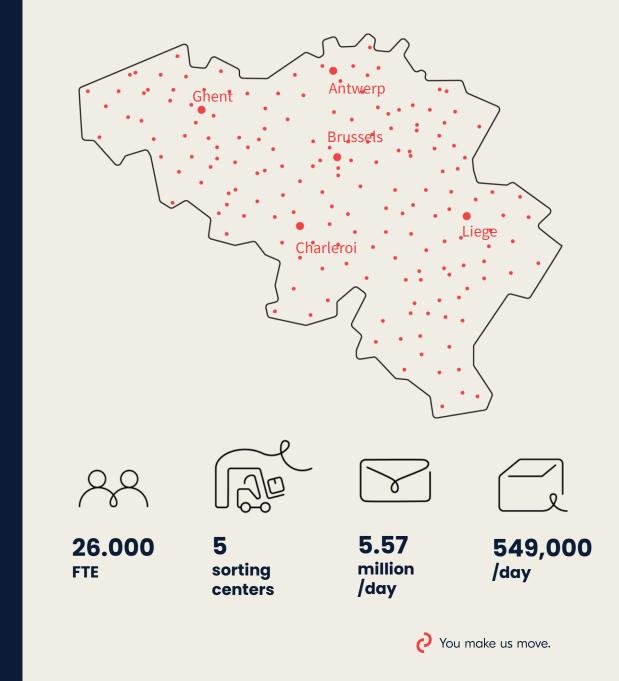
- The commercial and operational management of letter mail, press, periodicals and parcel delivery in Belgium.
- Postal and financial services in a dense network of 657 post offices with 3100 service points in total.

### Strategy TRANSFORM & GROW

- Proximity services (mail, press, retail) to citizens and State remain a core part of our service.
- A more adapted distribution model for mail and parcels combined.
- A partnership model to grow revenues and profit in our service points network.

### Ambition

• Improve operational efficiency and initiate transformation into long-term sustainable business



# Sustainability is in our DNA

Sustainability is at the heart of everything we do. We aspire to be a leader in sustainability and respect for the planet:



Become an **employer of choice** by creating an environment promoting physical safety and mental well-being



Be a career lifter

... especially for short schooled labor by **offering high quality employment** and up- and re-skilling programs, creating career paths within or even outside bpost



Diversity, equity & Inclusion

> Be an employer of inclusion and equal opportunity, where all people of every ethnicity, social background, religion, gender, age or disability - visible or invisible **feel welcomed and valued**

Be one of the greenest logistic players in the countries we operate in. **Reduce emissions with 55%** by 2030 and reach net zero by 2040.

Decarbonize

the supply chain



**Re-use and re-cycle** packaging

Offer **sustainable solution** for the e-commerce value chain through recyclable and re-usable packaging



## Ecozone, sustainable city logistics



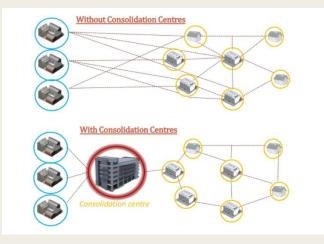
## Identified trends in cities in urban mobility policy

Commercial speed, parking and even access to city centers become complex for (e-)vans

### LEG/REG framework



### Infrastructures





Based on deep dive analysis in Charleroi, Gent and Genk cities and surroundings. Desk research (municipal mobility plan, general information in media,..), interview with local management MO

### **Ecozone pillars**

**Replacing all vehicles with greener alternatives will reduce CO<sub>2</sub> emissions, but will not make cities more viable:** 



### Pick-up points at walkable distance

- ✓ Consolidation of volume
- ✓ First time right
- ✓ <400m from inhabitants

### Soft mobility

- ✓ Bikes and e-trailers
- ✓ Reduce pressure on cities

#### **Electrification of fleet**

 $\checkmark$  e-vans and charging infastructure





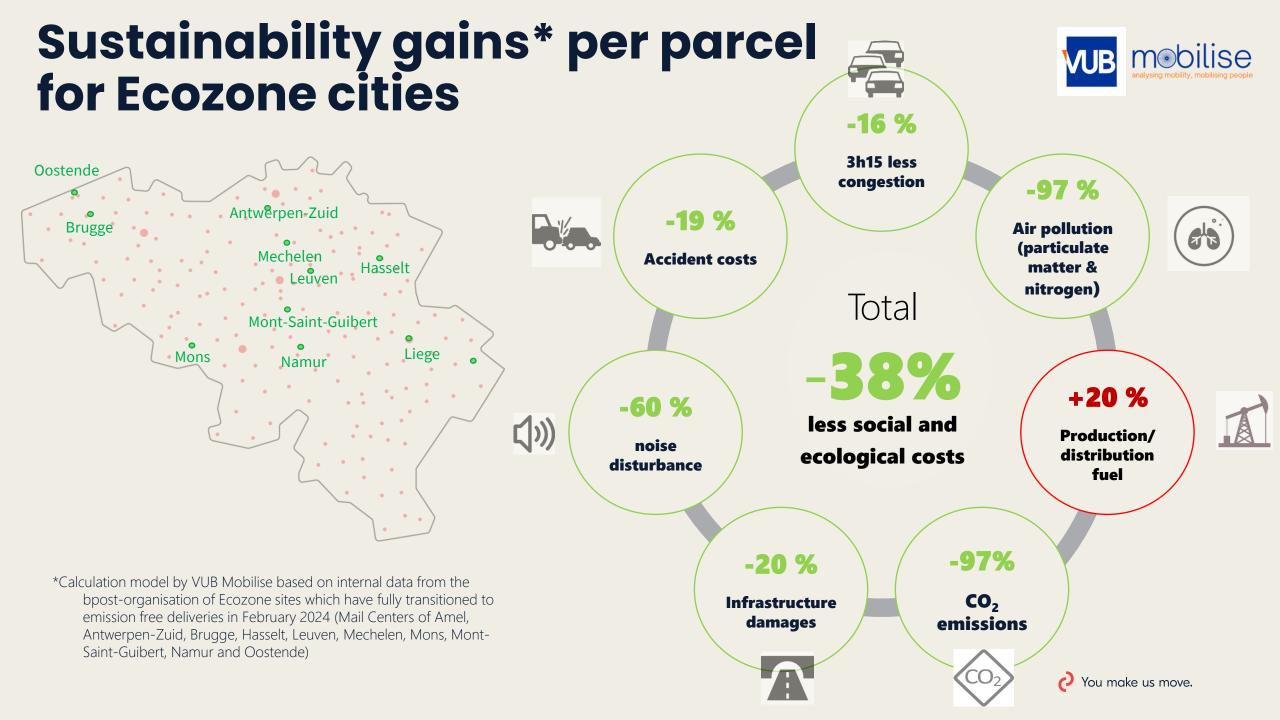
### Ecozone

Sustainable city delivery model based on parcel lockers and PUDO points, bike-trailers, e-vans, micro hubs & integrated rounds

### Purpose

Improving air quality and livability in cities







# Sustainability gains per day

2 233 less vehicle kilometers

1 298 euro less external costs (AVG)

2 830 less vehicle kilometers with **vans (-21%)** 

598 extra vehicle kilometers with **cargobikes (+36%)** 

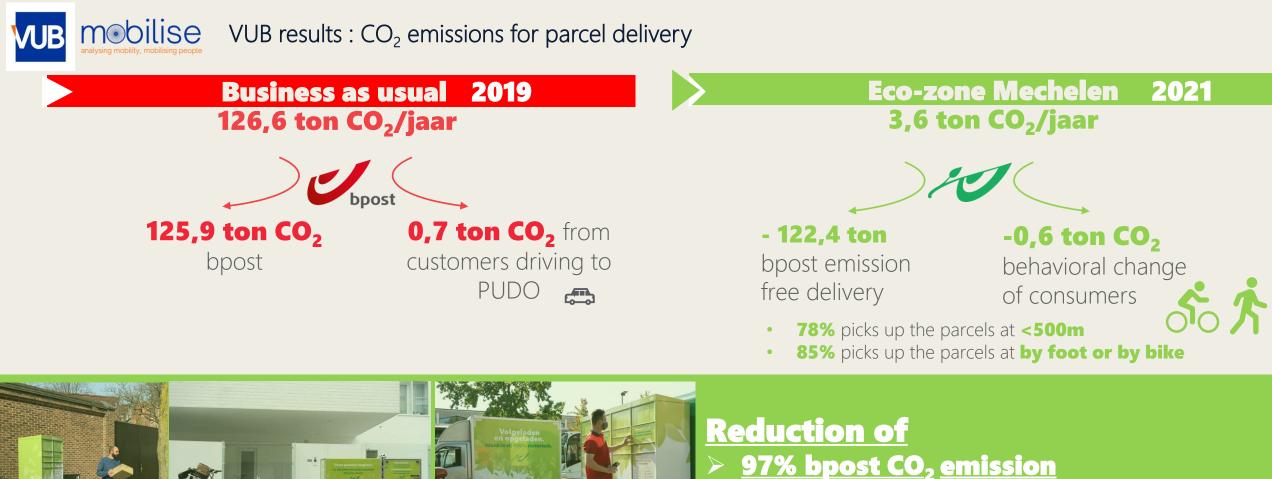
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Savings in external transport costs per parameter

\*Calculation model by VUB Mobilise based on internal data from the bpost-organisation of Ecozone sites which have fully transitioned to emission free deliveries in February 2024 (Mail Centers of Amel, Antwerpen-Zuid, Brugge, Hasselt, Leuven, Mechelen, Mons, Mont-Saint-Guibert, Namur and Oostende)



# Ecozone positive impact on our ecological footprint of 97%

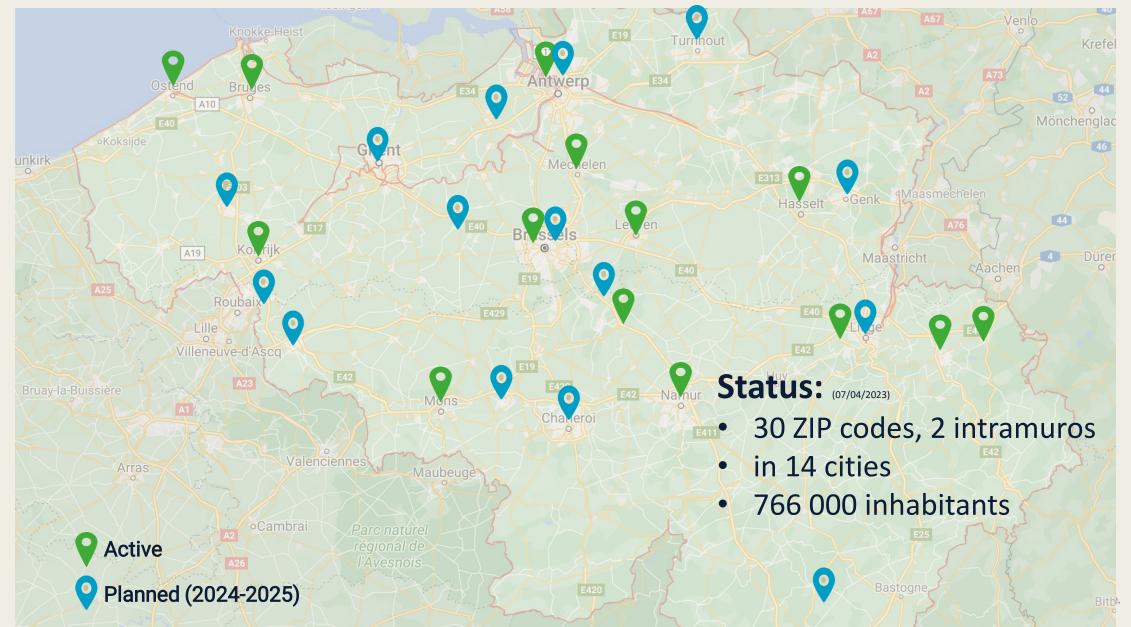


80% customer CO<sub>2</sub> emission

27B April 2024

You make us move.

## Road Ahead: Ecozones in the 25 biggest Belgian cities by 2025 and 50% of the population (11 mio)



## Ecozone Brussels



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# We engage ourselves by 2025 to distribute 100% of people without emissions and provide 80% of the residents with pick-up points within a walkable distance of 500 meters





### To give you an idea...







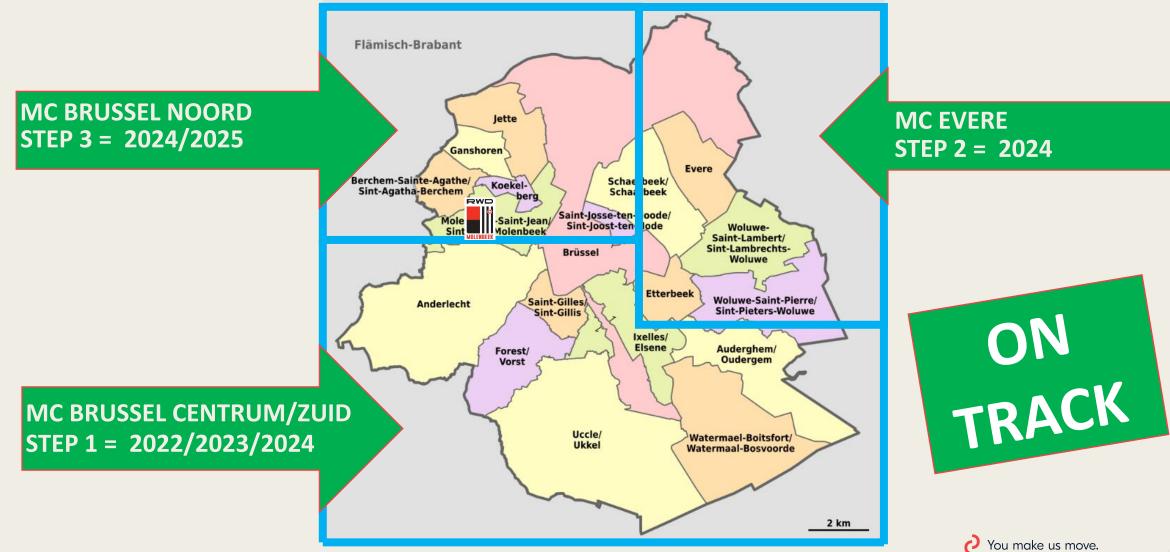




915 km = +/- BRUXELLES - INNSBRUCK

### 5536 km = +/- BRUXELLES - DAKAR

## 3 big phases in electrification



## Carbon Neutral Industrial Buildings

## **Mail Center Evere**





## What is bpostgroup doing to reduce greenhouse gases in its new industrial buildings?

## Global approach to get as close as possible to carbon neutrality



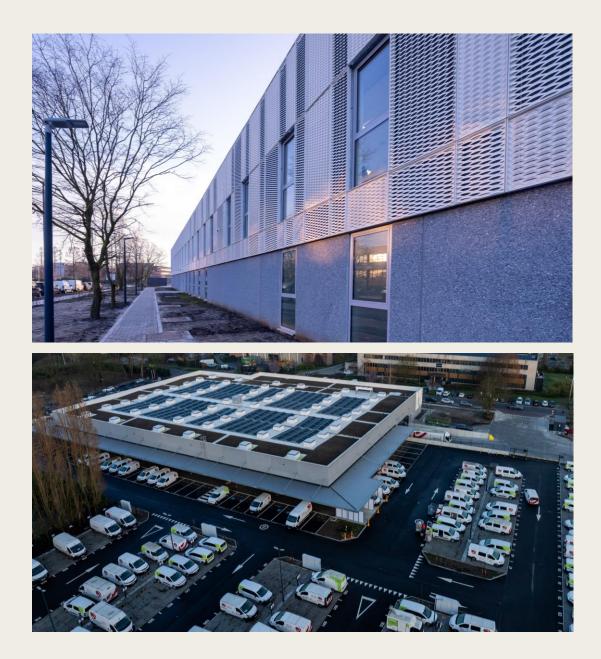
## Improving the energy efficiency of its buildings and reducing consumption



### **Evere New Distribution Center**



Etterbeek & Woluwé Saint-Lambert





## Sutainability: Building Life Cycle

**Improving Building Efficiency:** 

### CONSTRUCTION

### **Concept & Design**

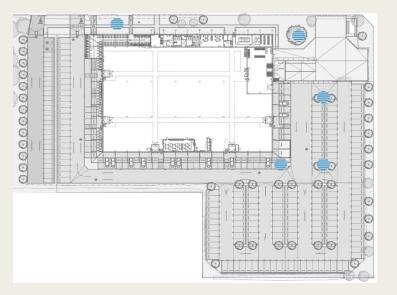
- ✓ Well insulated building
- ✓ Optimization of building geometry & orientation
- ✓ Flexible building (long life span)
- ✓ Design for reuse
- ✓ Integrated rainwater management (water infiltrated)

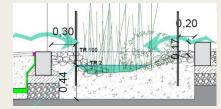
### Transport

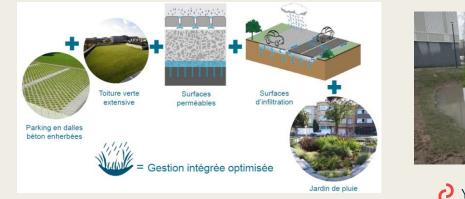
 $\checkmark$  Design to minimize earth displacement

### **Construction site**

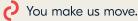
✓ Nature conservation (trees)











## Sutainability: Building Life Cycle

**Improving Energy Efficiency & Reduce Consumption:** 

### **USE OF THE BUILDING**

### **Energy efficient systems**

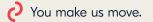
- ✓ Fossil free heating system with heat pump cooling
- ✓ Ventilation with energy recovery
- ✓ Optimized lighting system
- ✓ Regulation system for hvac and lighting

#### Integrate sustainability requirements

- ✓ E-cars loading stations
- ✓ Waste management
- ✓ hydrocarbon separator
- ✓ Green mobility available







### Sutainability: Building Life Cycle

**Balancing CO2 emission by using on & off-site renewable energy:** 

#### **CLIMATE BALANCING STRATEGY**

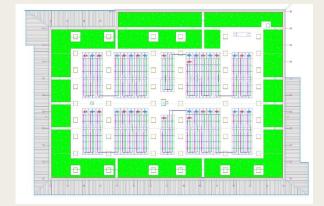
### **On-site renewable energy**

- ✓ Solar Panels
- ✓ Heat recovery
- ✓ Water recovery

#### **Off-site renewable energy**

✓ Green electricity







### **Sutainability: Carbon Neutral Building**

#### **Identify further improvements:**

### Life Cycle Assement

✓ Calculation of CO2 impact of all life cycle stages

### **Circularity Study**

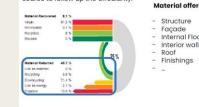
✓ Building circularity quantification

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**EVERE MC STUDY CASE** 



**Future Design** 



OneClick LCA will be used as the

source to follow up the Circularity.



**Future Design** 



#### **Mulitcriteria Analysis of materials**

 Comparaison between material innovative & well established solutions of the same purpose based on measured data



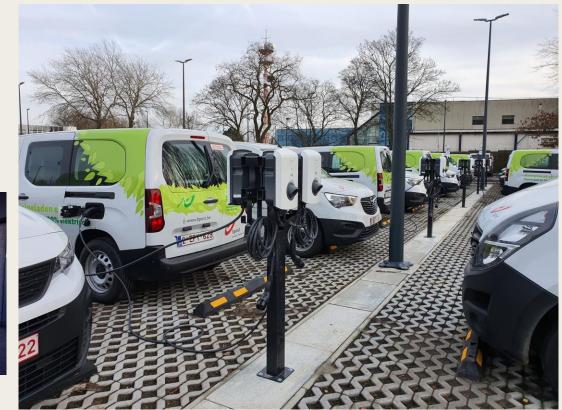
- Embodied carbon emissions over 60 years in kg CO2eq per m<sup>2</sup> of material
- % reused or recycled origin
- 📎 % bio-based, without harmful elements
- % recycled or reused at end-of-life
- Detachability
- Quality and lifespan





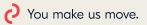












## bpost ambitions





## Our ambition is to be a global e-commerce & logistics service provider, with a sustained Belgian anchor, recognized as a sustainable reference

bpostgroup Ambitions



Develop into a leading international e-commerce and logistics service provider

Reinvent, secure and grow our anchorage services in Belgium to citizens, businesses and government

Be a **reference in sustainability** in all markets we operate in, a.o. be recognized as a "great employer" and decrease CO2 emissions by 55% by 2030 vs 2019.

