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The Governance of Dryport Integration

- Case Studies on the Implementation and
Operation of Dryports



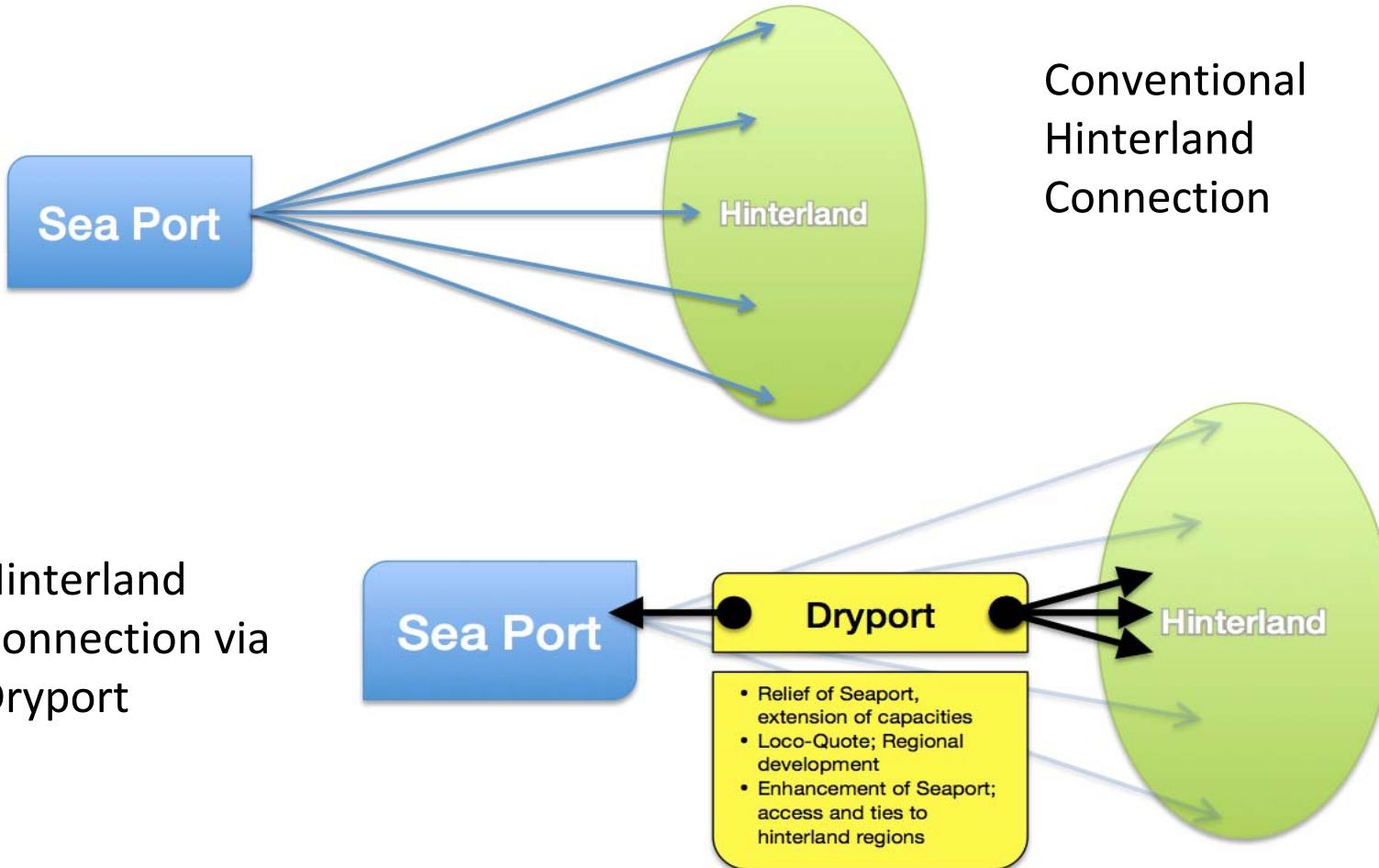
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- **Introduction: Why Dryports?**
- Overview Cases
- Conclusions: The Potential of Dryports
- Recommendations: Clearing Bureau or Expert Network?





Sea Port – Hinterland Connections



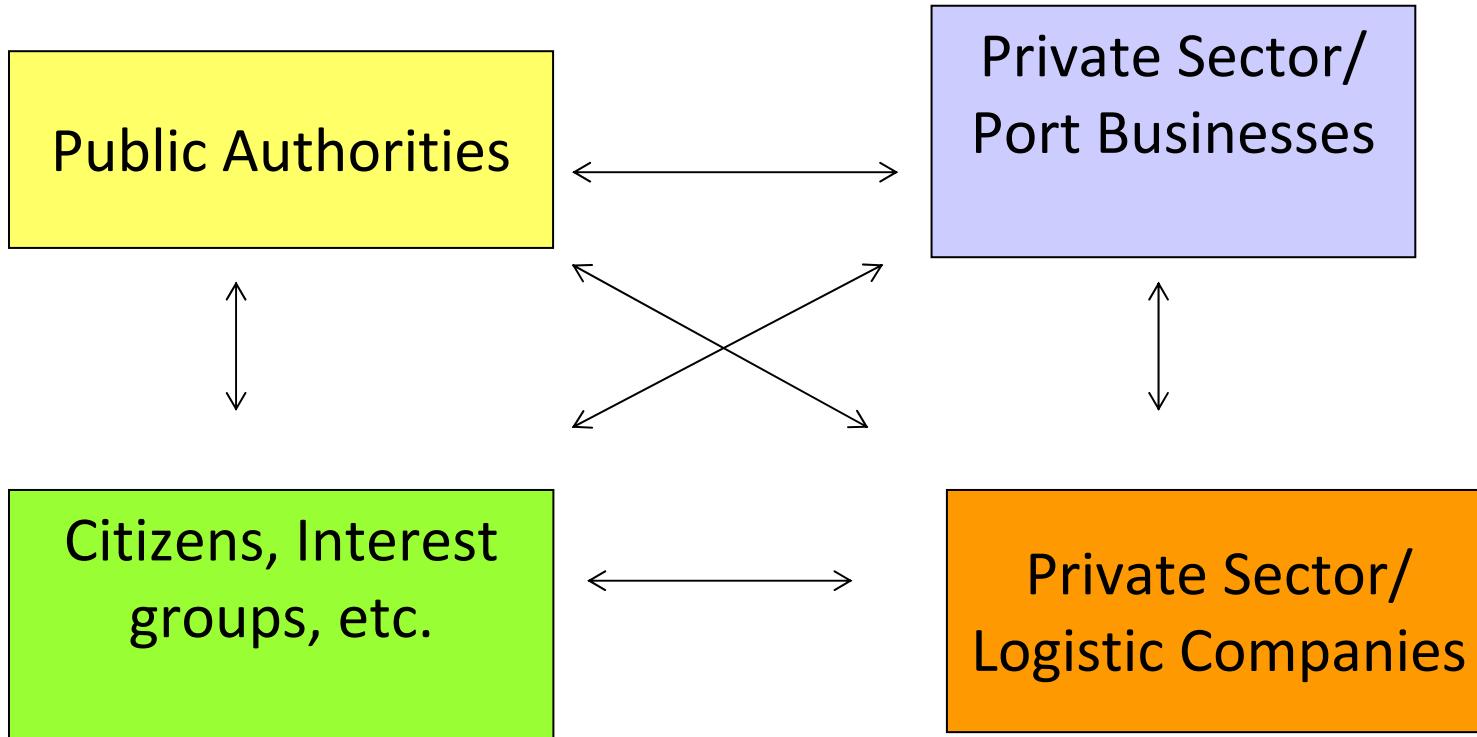


Guiding Questions

- Differences: What are the regional, economical, political etc. specifications of each case?
- Conditions: Which conditions lead to what kind of dryports?
- Benefits: Which benefit can a dryport provide for a sea port?
- Potentials: Suggestions for efficient integration of hinterland connections and dryports into logistic chains, regional structures and business strategies.



Stakeholders and Relations





Research Areas

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| Governance/Policy | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Regulations (environment etc.)• Political differences• Ownership structures• Co-operations with institutions, associations etc.• Involvement of citizens and other actors• Conflicts of land use,• Cost-benefit relations |
| Business Models/ Economic Interests | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Corporate strategies• Site-related factors• Co-operations (allocation of tasks)• Competition• Political connections (PPP-models)• Ownership-structures |



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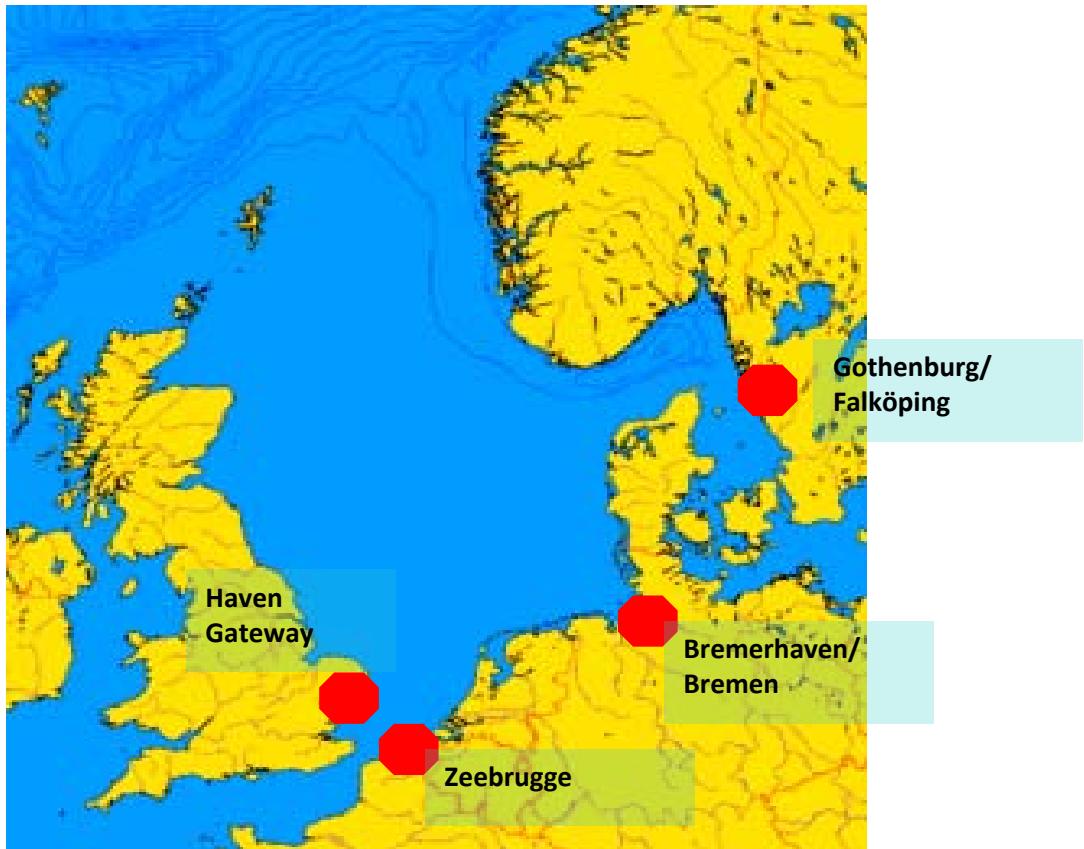
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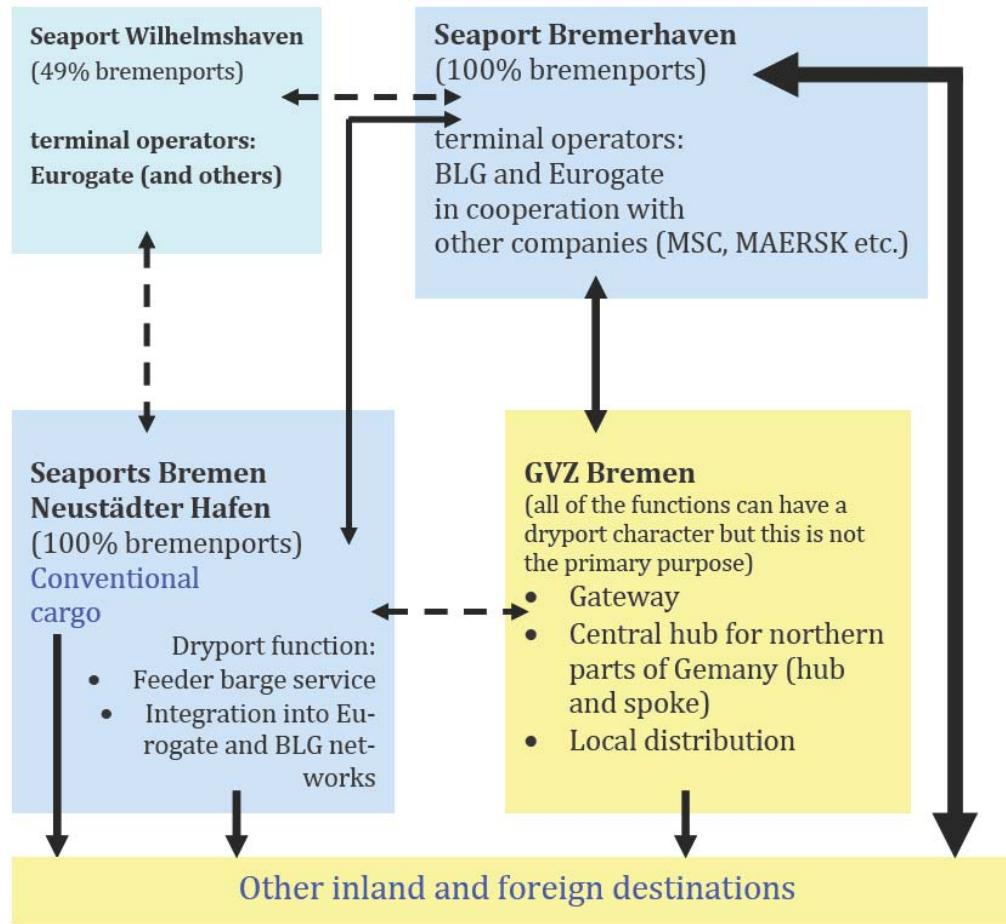
Four Cases in the North Sea Region

- Bremen/Bremerhaven
- Gothenburg/Falköping
- Haven Gateway
- Zeebrugge



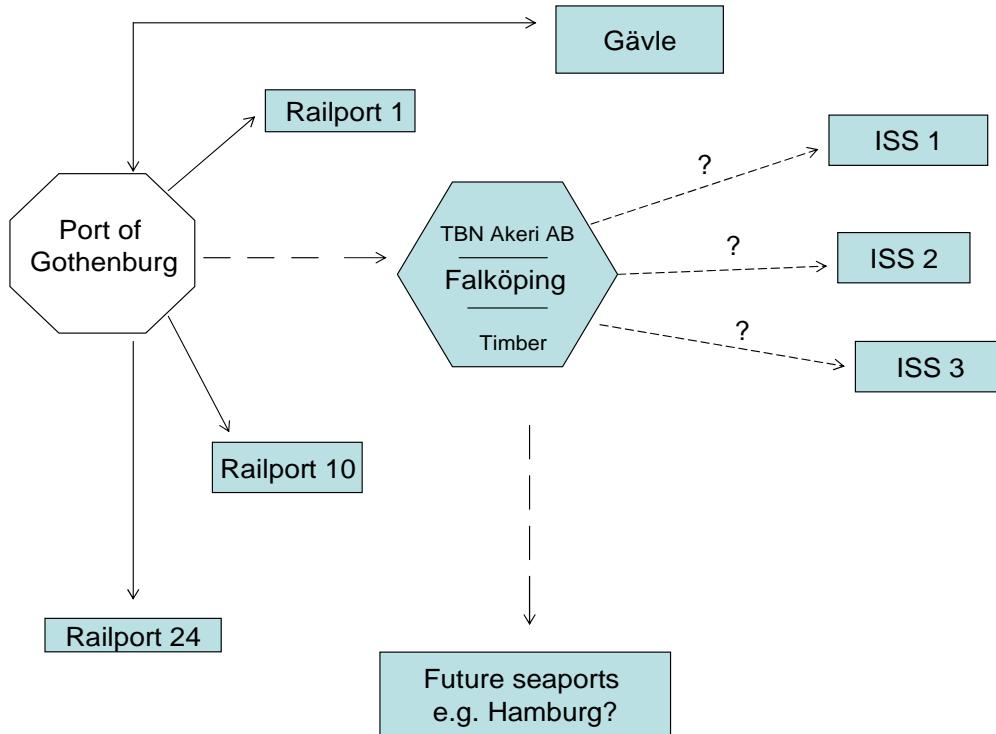


Bremen/ Bremerhaven



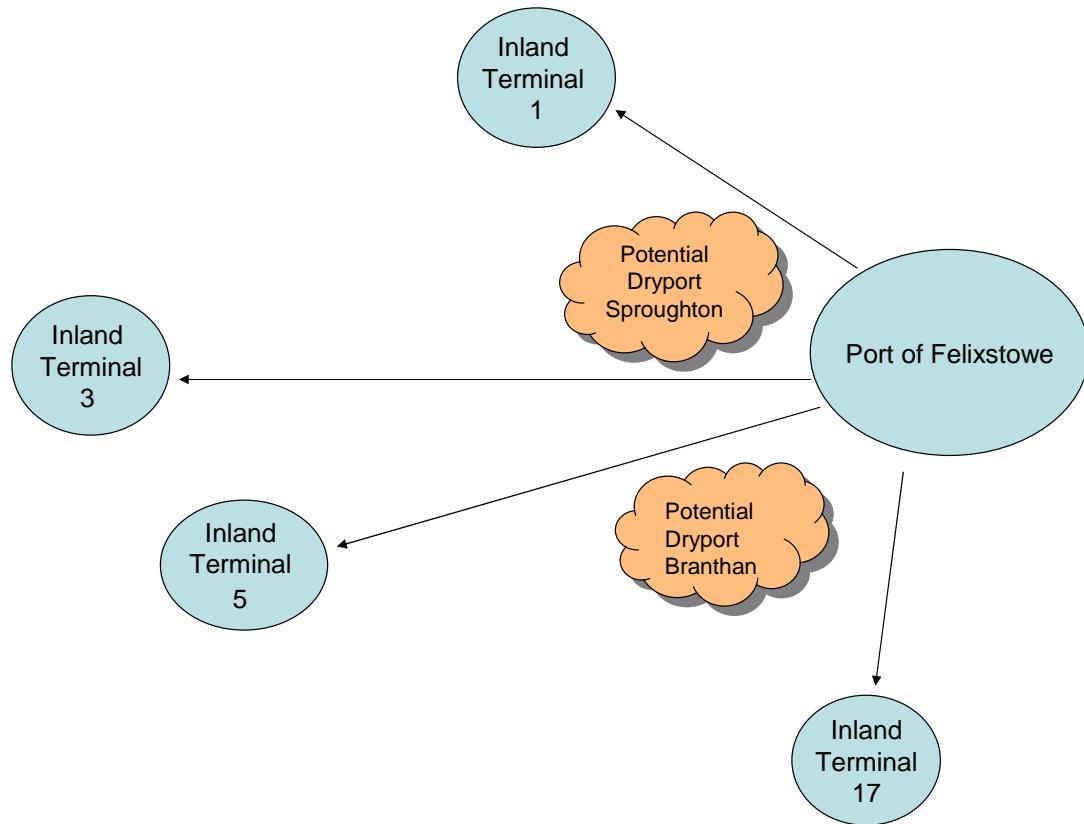


Gothenburg/Falköping



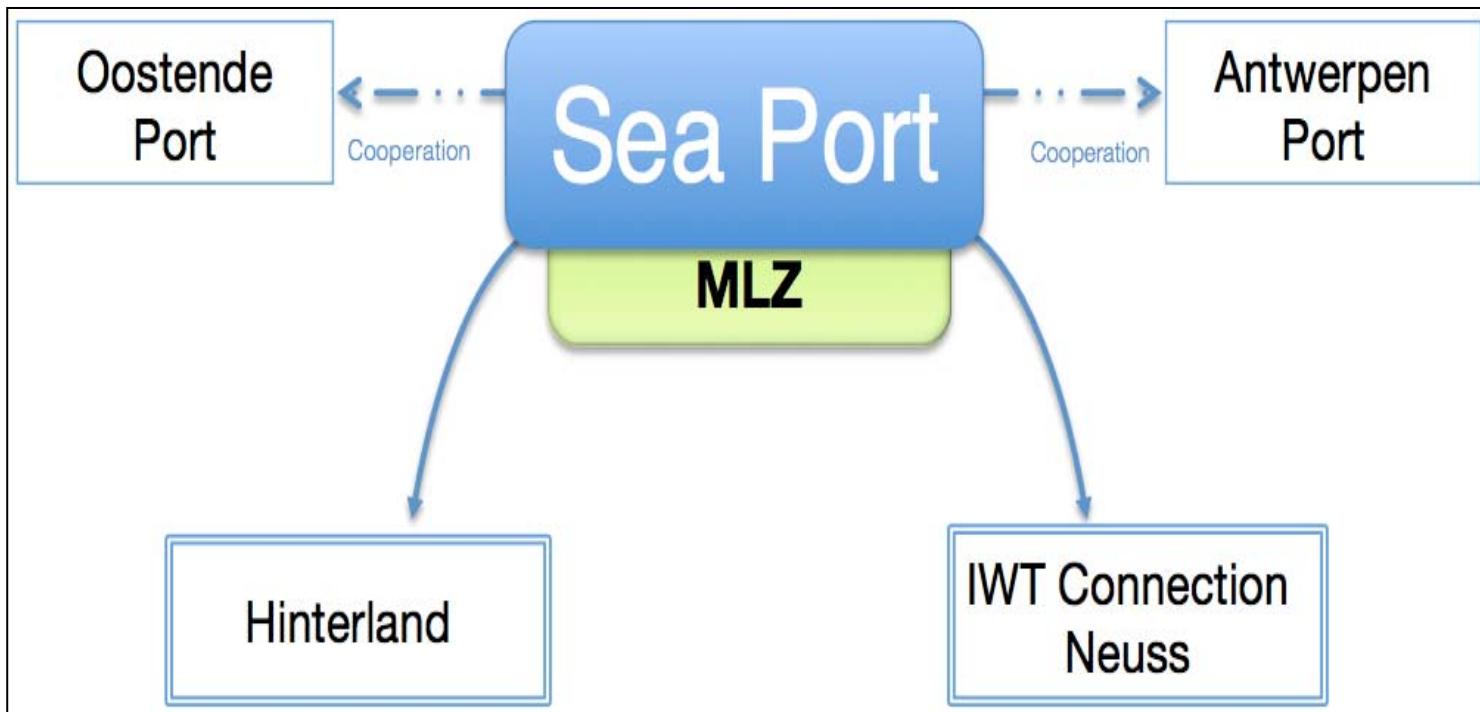


Haven Gateway



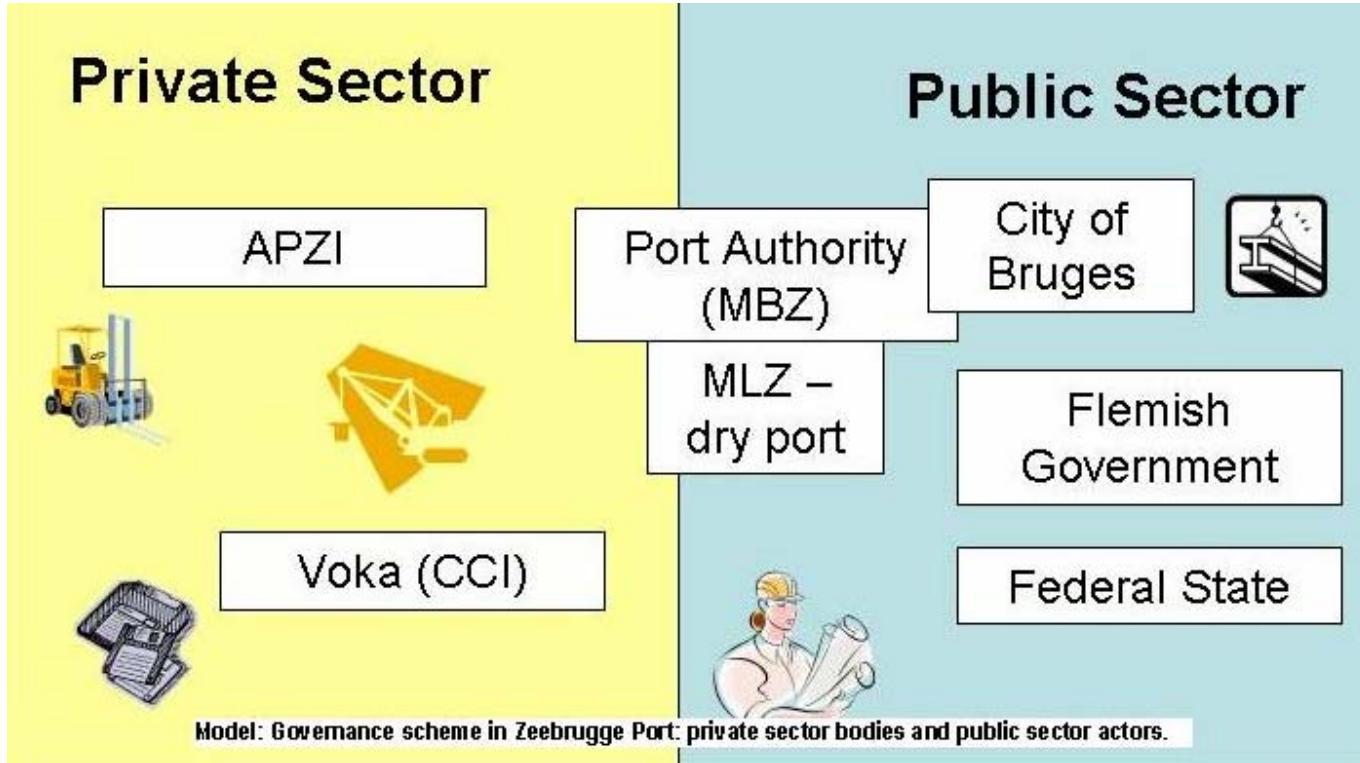


Zeebrugge





Governance Scheme Port of Zeebrugge





Dryports as Logistic Nodes

Extended Gateway: Zeebrugge, Bremen/Bremerhaven

Gateway: Felixstowe

Inland Hub/Bi-Modal Terminal: Falköping



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Dryports as multiplication of options:

Integration in logistic chains (macro-level)

- Infrastructure (multimodal etc.)
- Spatial structure (freight village etc.)
- Connection to sea port (shuttle – rail or barge)

Additional features

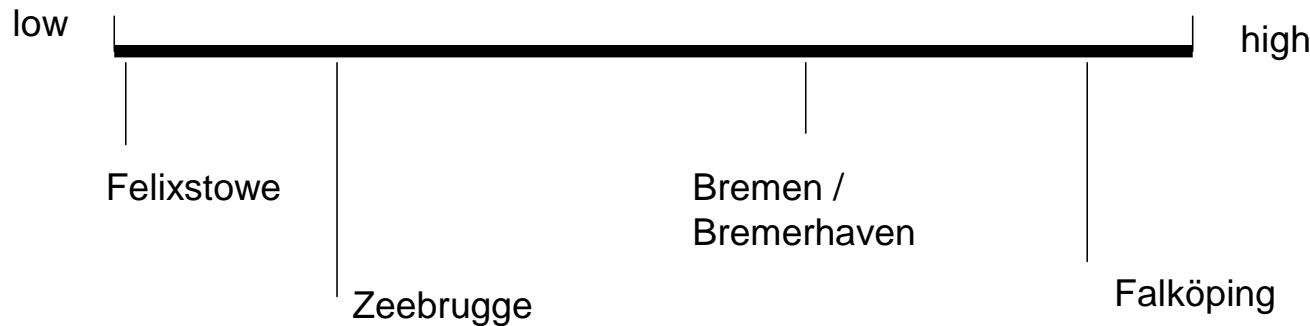
- Integration in regional structures (local content; meso-level)
- Integration in stakeholder strategies (business models; micro-level/enterprises)



Function of Public Administration

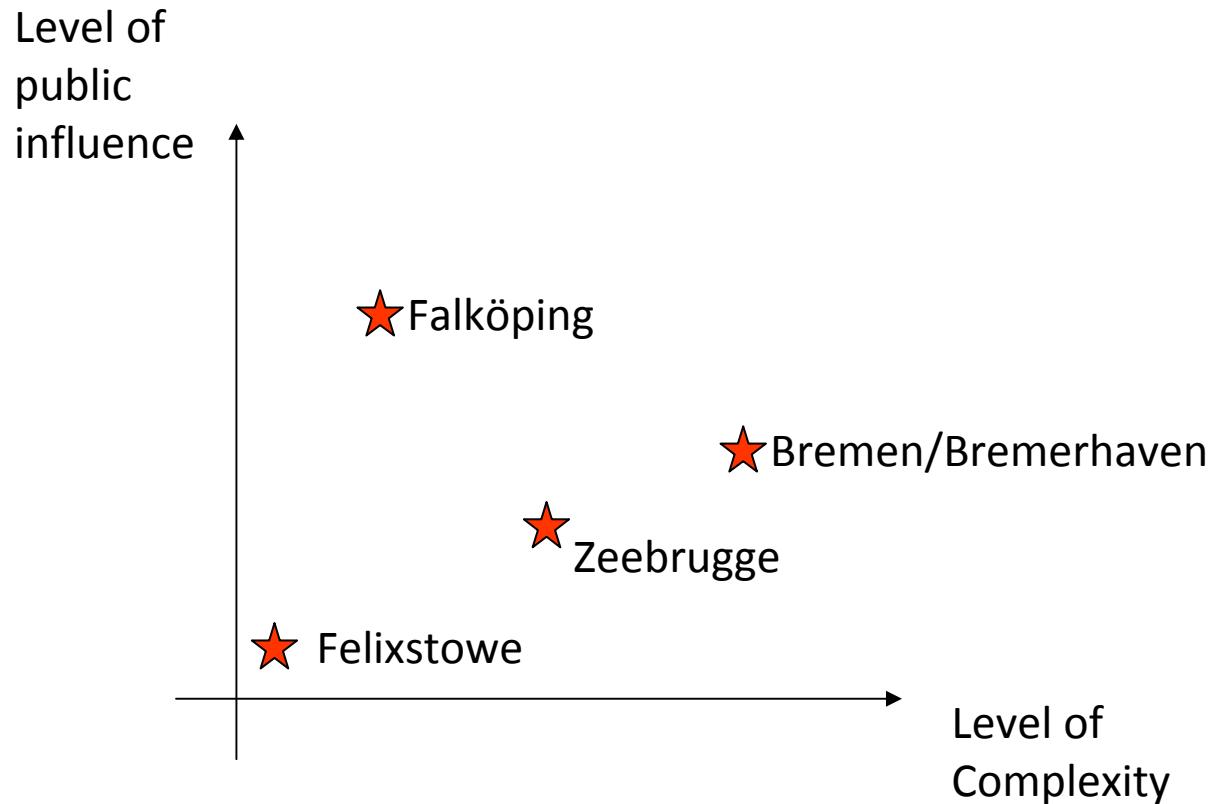
Level of public influence

- Initiation
- Implementation
- Operation





Public Influence and Complexity



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Governance Solutions: different conditions (stakeholders, logistic chains, business interests, cooperation etc.) require different solutions

- Transfer of responsibilities for common interest to one of the involved partners (example Zeebrugge)
- Establishment of new institution („roof“ organisation; example Bremen)
- Personal/Public authority to pull the strings (example Falköping)
- Market oriented solution for coordination (charging a lawyer's office; example Suffolk)



Recommendation

- Clearing bureau

or

- **Dryport consulting network
(practitioners, academics, public
authorities etc.)**

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