



## ECTRI TG Freight & Logistics webinar May 6, 2022

## Sustainable city logistics: recent research from the Logistics City Chair

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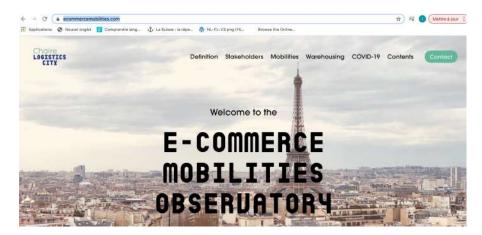


 Warehouses, innovations, new trends in consumption and impacts on city logistics

#### Results available online:

- Observatory of ecommerce mobilities
- Survey reports on gig workers for instant delivery platforms in Paris 2016, 2018, 2020, 2021, 2022
- Logistics real estate and relationships with urban form in 74 large cities around the world

https://www.lvmt.fr/en/chaires/logistics-city/





### Outline

- General trends in city logistics
- Environmental emissions and methodological issues: data!
- Warehousing and impacts
- Clean vehicles and low/zero emission zones



## Since Covid, city logistics closely scrutinized



#### Le Monde

Covid-19: la logistique, un secteur devenu incontournable

La pandémie a mis en exergue le rôle des chauffeurs et livreurs dans la bonne marche de l'économie.

Par Eric Béziat et Julien Bouissou

#### THE **SUSTAINABLE** LAST MILE.

FASTER, CHEAPER, GREENER.











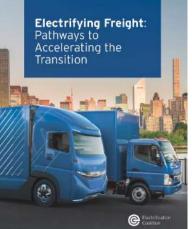


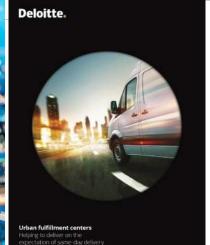














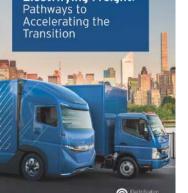












Logistique urbaine dans le **Grand Paris** Vision Roland

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### Pandemic impact on e-commerce

- Visibility of last mile issues (politicians, media, anyone)
- Volumes: France 2020: +32% B2C products sold (growth rate twice as high as usual) however France 2021: +7%
- Omni-channel: traditional retail has changed into omni-channel commerce
- Curb: increased number of deliveries and use of curb

Beijin April 2020



Paris Dec 2021



NYC March 2022



Arte

H. Buldeo Rai

M. Schorung



## Convergence: similar changes and innovations worldwide

- Consumer and societal demands increasing
- Innovative supply of logistics services, converging processes: DHL, Ifood, Prologis... catering for all metropolitan areas
- Start-ups, urban freight tech everywhere, often with food tech
- Local policies remain quite different?







#### **Presentations and Panel Discussions Include:**

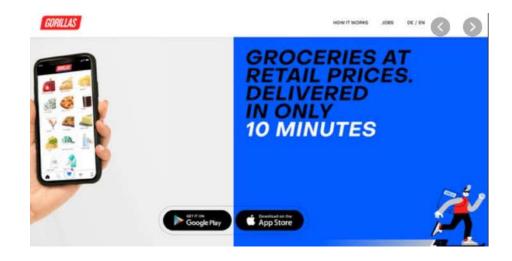
- Delivery Drones
- ♥ Delivery Robots
- **♀** Autonomous Cars
- Autonomous Delivery Vehicle (ADV)
- Autonomous Ground Vehicles (AGVs)
- Autonomous Pods
- **♥** Robotics
- ♥ Droid
- ♥ Van/Drone/Robot Integrated System
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- ▼ Trunk Delivery
- **9** Parcel Box
- **9** Parcel Locker
- Required Support Structure
- ♥ Warehouse Locations
- ♥ Unmanned Warehouses
- Platooning
- ▼ Tracking Technologies
- ♀ Low-Density Cities
- ♥ High-Density Cities
- **⋄** Medium-Density Cities
- Same-day, Instant Delivery or Sunday delivery

- Same-Day delivery
- ♥ On-demand delivery
- ♥ Drones, Remote locations
- ♥ Self-Driving cars, Remote locations
- Robots, Gated communities and closed
- campuses
- ♥ Storing packages for buyers to pick up
- ♥ Not-at-Home & Failed Deliveries
- Buildings and Office Buildings
- ♥ Hospital Campuses, Corporate
- ♥ Campuses, and Universities



## Quick-commerce for grocery

- Cajoo promises to deliver in 15 minutes
- Gorillas promises to deliver in 10 minutes
- Alibaba promises to deliver in 5 minutes

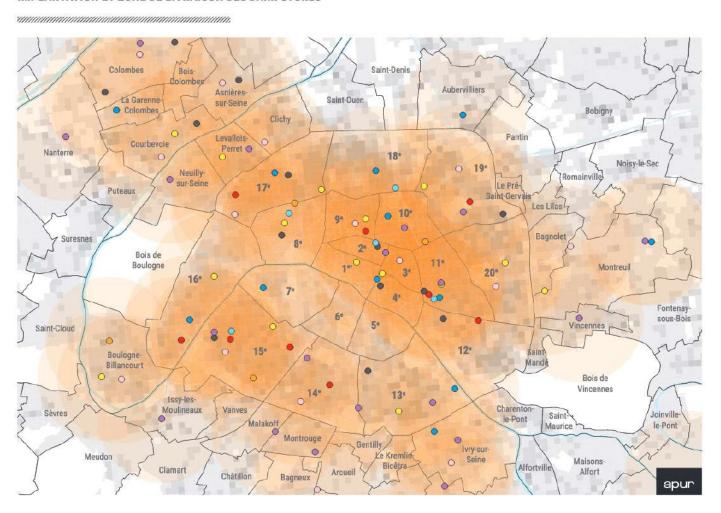


- 'Dark stores": use of vacant stores or underground parking facilities
- In China, with longer experience of q-commerce: 5% market share of all online grocery shopping



### Dark stores in Paris

#### IMPLANTATION ET ZONE DE LIVRAISON DES DARK STORES



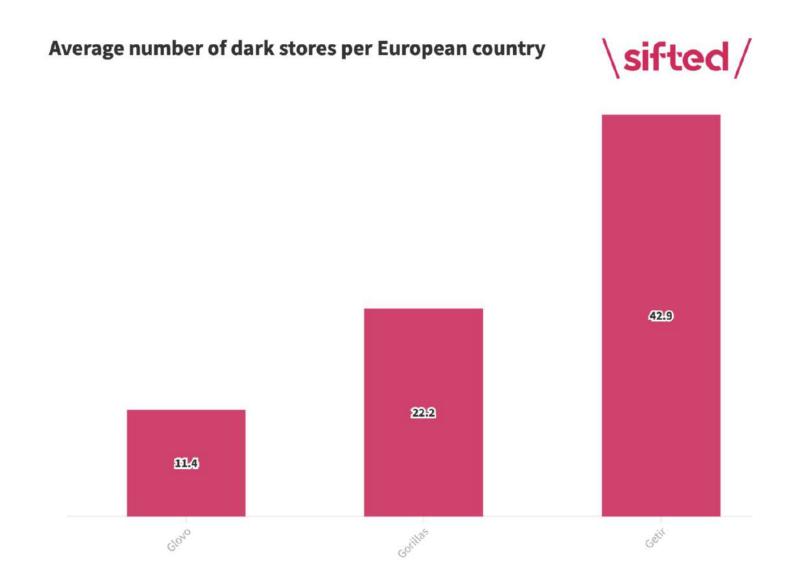
- 80 to 100 by January 2022 (APUR)
- Half of them could be closed by the municipality (March 2022)

#### Enseigne

- Cajoo
- Flink
- Frichti
- Getir
- Gopuff / Godija
- Gorillas
- Yango Deli
- Zapp



## Dark stores from Getir, Gorillas, Glovo in Europe as of March 2022





### Diversification of vehicles for urban deliveries

- Trucks and vans in French cities: 75% of last-mile drivers
- Cars, mopeds, cargo-bikes, bicycles, walking/transit: 25% of last-mile drivers already (much less in volume of deliveries)
- Amazon Flex in US cities
- Labor issues and labor legislation



## Many delivery workers on foot, the return of portering



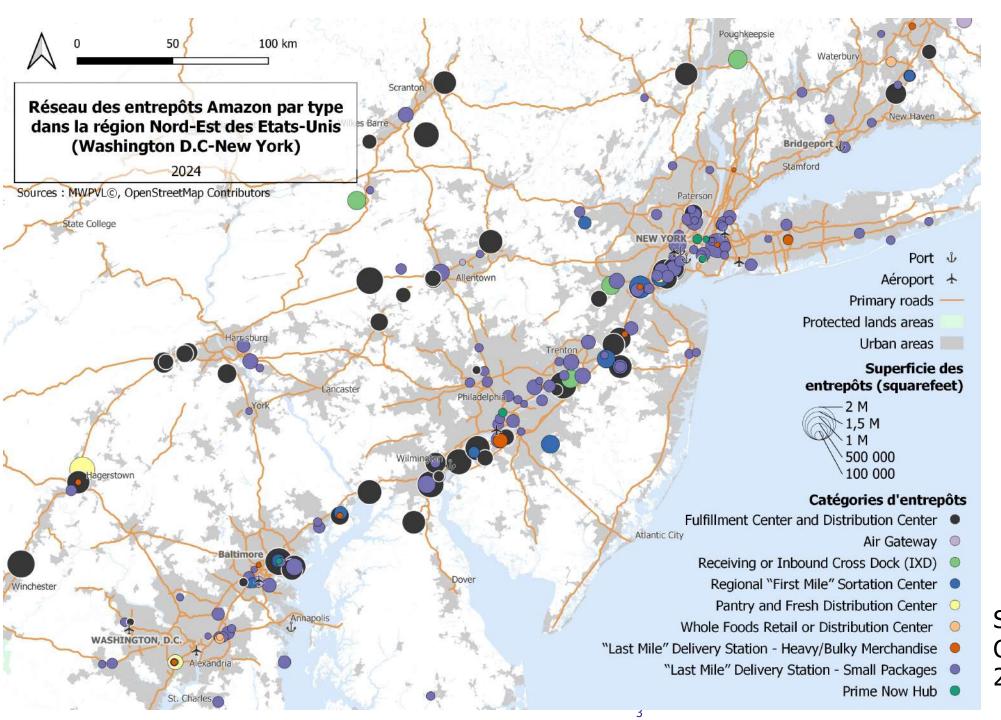












Every day from a 20,000 sq m last mile delivery station:

- 45 lorries
- 250 vans
- 795 private cars
   (Jaller, 2019)

Schorung, Lecourt,
Chaire Logistics City,
2021
Université





# Today's trend: a reduction in logistics facilities' land footprint

- 2021 Amazon fullfilment center in Delaware, US
- 350,000 sq m of operations on 70,000 sq m land area



### On-demand 'instant deliveries'

- Deliveries in less than two hours, smartphones and apps
- Gig workers, self-contractors
- Labor laws, legal complexities
- European Commission Directive project, Dec 2021

Buenos Aires



Stockholm

#### Lagos







#### Mumbai





## Giant companies, a moving market

- Meituan market valuation in May 2022: \$120 bn
- Frichti sold to Gorillas in March 2022
- Postmates sold to Uber for \$2.65 bn in 2021
- JustEatTakeawy may sell GrubHub after just one year acquisition
- Deliveroo IPO in 2021, valuation of \$11bn in May 2022





## Reduction in use of bicycles in Paris (2016-2022) Restrictions to the use of bike-sharing (2022)

2016

87% on

bike

2020

60% on

bike

2022

47% on

bike

Surveys City Logistics Chair







- "Any use for freight transport is forbidden"
- "Forbidden to do more than 300 km per week"
- "Forbidden to do more than 70 trips per week"



## Autonomous deliveries emerging in specific markets



JD deploys 100 autonomous delivery vehicles to aid Shanghai residents under lockdown

Nuro in Texas

Starship in the UK





Flytrex in Iceland and the US



## Paris region, freight share of transportation related emissions

	Total region	Paris	Dense suburbs	Far suburbs
CO <sub>2</sub>	19%	34%	18%	7%
PM10	30%	46%	28%	11%
NOx	29%	51%	26%	9%

(B2B only) (% of total transport emissions) Coulombel, Dablanc, Koning, 2018



### E-commerce mobilities: poorly quantified

- New York Times March 4, 2021 "Roughly 2.4 million packages are delivered in the city every day, nearly half a million more than before the pandemic, and city data shows that 80 percent of deliveries are to residential customers, compared with 40 percent before the outbreak"
  - = 0.23 parcel per day per person
- Le Monde January 21, 2021: "According to head of Colissimo, there were one billion B2C parcels delivered in France in 2020"
  - = 0.04 parcel per day per person (six times less)



### E-commerce carbon assessment

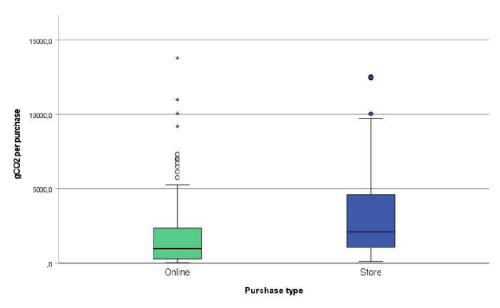
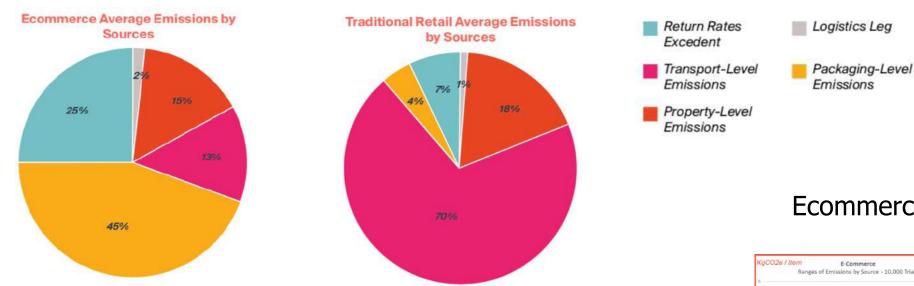


Figure 1. Carbon footprint of online and store purchases (p < .001).

 Meta-analysis of case studies around the world (Buldeo Rai, Touami, Dablanc, submitted 2022)

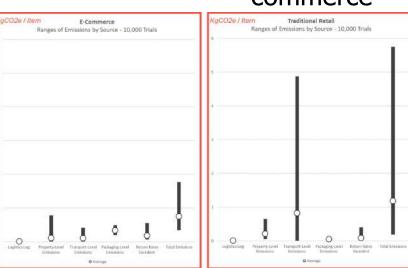


## CO<sub>2</sub> emission sources, Ecommerce v commerce in store (MIT Real Estate Lab, 2021)



A huge share of packaging





## Carbon footprint of freight for city of Paris (2020, with 2018 data)





Bilan des émissions de gaz à effet de serre de Paris

Janvier 2020

- Global CO<sub>2</sub> emissions from freight in 2018 (including imports by Parisians): 5 Mt (21% of all carbon footprint of Paris)
- Local CO<sub>2</sub> emissions from freight in 2018: 1.2 Mt



### Comparing 2004-2014

- CO<sub>2</sub> emissions from urban freight 'decreased by 18% between 2004 and 2014"
- Vans underestimated
- Motorized two-wheelers not included





### Barcelona: data from areaDUM

- Since 2015 all delivery drivers must register on AreaDUM app when stopping for delivery
- 30 minute window allowed
- Provides live data to municipality as well as open access data to research

- Delivery Area ID
- Plate Number
- User ID
- Vehicle Type
- Activity Type
- District ID
- Neighborhood ID
- Coordinate, Weekday, Date, Time

## **Analyzing Last Mile Delivery Operations in Barcelona's Urban Freight Transport Network**

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#### ANPR camera data

- Cameras in 40 Dutch cities soon (zero emission zones by 2025)
  - Data available but restricted by GDPR since 2019, processed by a trusted third party
  - Type, Euro standard, brand, size of vehicles
  - No data for foreign vehicles
  - No information on when where vehicles get out
  - Security cameras not included in data access
- Source: interview with TNO and HAN univ, June 2021, on-going study by Logistics City Chair
- "It is really a pity to not be able to use data that is actually there" (City of Gothenburg, March 2021)



ANPR: Automatic number plate ...

### Privacy statement from Transport for London on use of CCTV data

On a case by case basis we may use and share CCTV images for research and analysis purposes. For example these may be used to improve the management of health and safety incidents, or travel demand management.

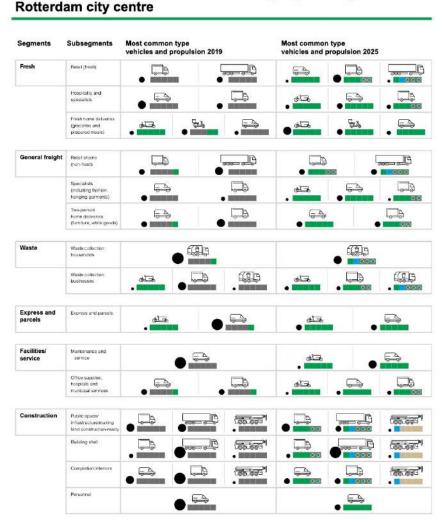
CCTV images from London Underground are to be analysed by Newcastle University in the fight against covid-I9 under an agreement with TfL, which is part of a wider research programme led by the Department for Transport and the SAGE subgroup on Environmental and Modelling. The research will analyse images to quantify the proximity of people and their surface contact whilst using public transport, as part of wider research to understand the transmission of covid-I9. The CCTV data is encrypted and steps are taken to anonymise the footage. This research is subject to a Data Protection Impact Assessment as well as a confidentiality agreement between the University and TfL.

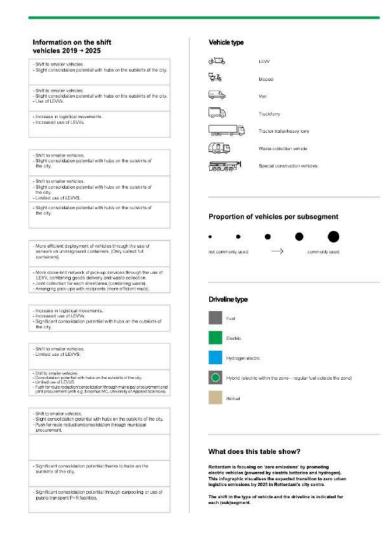
Similar research is being undertaken by University College London to understand how infection risk would vary according to different levels of crowding using encrypted CCTV data alongside data from surface and air sampling. Anonymisation techniques are applied to prevent identification of individuals and this research is also subject to a Data Protection Impact Assessment as well as a confidentiality agreement between the University and TfL.



## Zero emission city logistics roadmap, Rotterdam: an opportunity for data sharing

#### Expected transition to zero emission city logistics by 2025

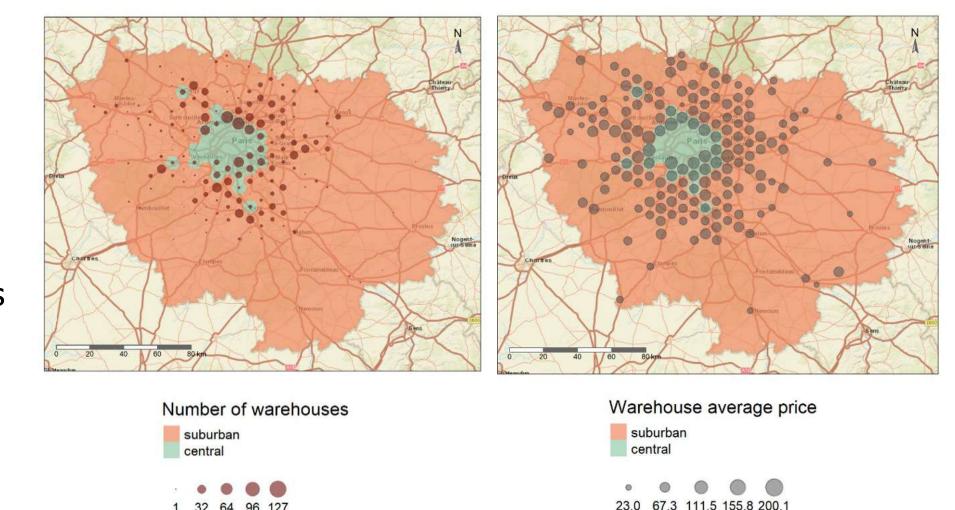


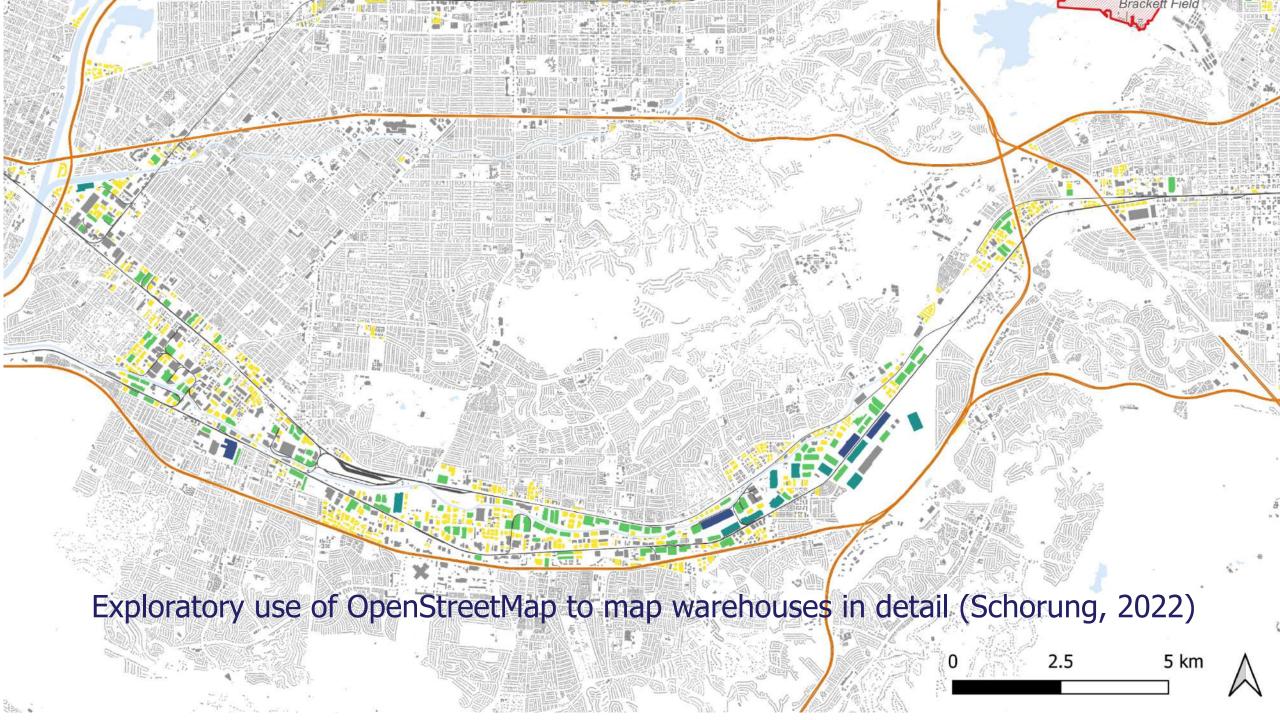




## Exploratory automated data collection (Oliveira, Schorung, Dablanc, 2022)

- Points of interest from OpenStreetMap to identify urban v suburban areas
- Warehouse rental prices from real estate market sites





## Warehouses: disruption of transport 'logic'



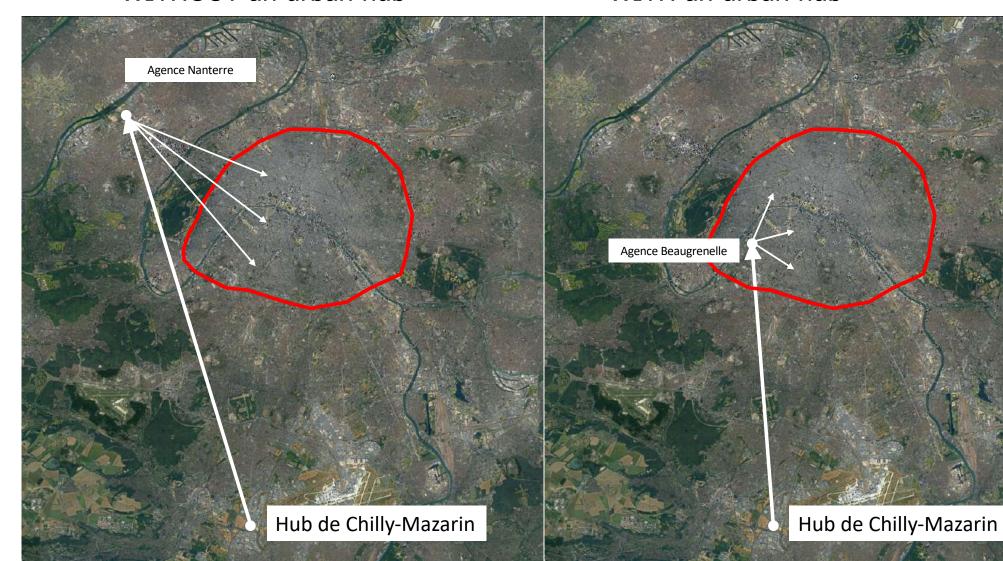


## Consolidating, going as close as possible to final destination saves vehicle-km

WITHOUT an urban hub

WITH an urban hub





Jonction and Dablanc, 2017

## New urban warehouses are based on goods flow consolidation ... and use of trucks

Tokyo

Brooklyn

Paris



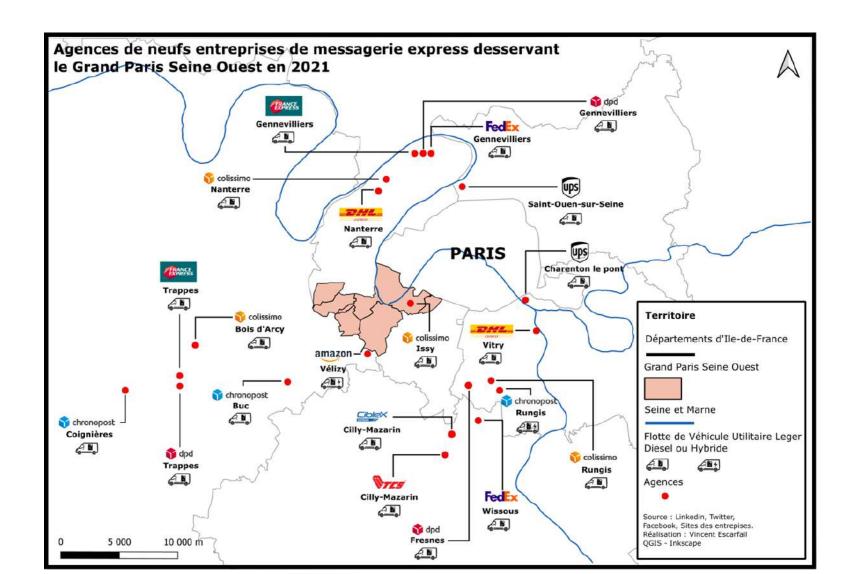




Hôtel logistique de Chapelle international (18e arr.) inauguré en juin 2018. © JGP



## Wealthy areas served by warehouses located elsewhere: example of Issy/Boulogne in the Paris metro area





#### Innovation in urban warehouses

- A dynamic (niche) market
- Innovative architecture on former industrial areas
- Multi-levels (vertical warehouses, underground warehouses)
- Temporary and flexible contracts
- Mixed-use
- => Innovative, useful and... expensive and very regulated



## Hubs in underground municipal car parks

#### Under the Louvre, Paris



#### Under Plaza Mayor, Madrid (FM Logistic Ibérica)





#### CITYLogin opens micro-hub under Madrid's Plaza Mayor

CITYLogin and Madrid's Municipal Transport Company (EMT) have inaugurated a micro-fulfilment centre under Plaza Mayor, the Spanish capital's famous main square. The 200-sqm...

On October 20, 202





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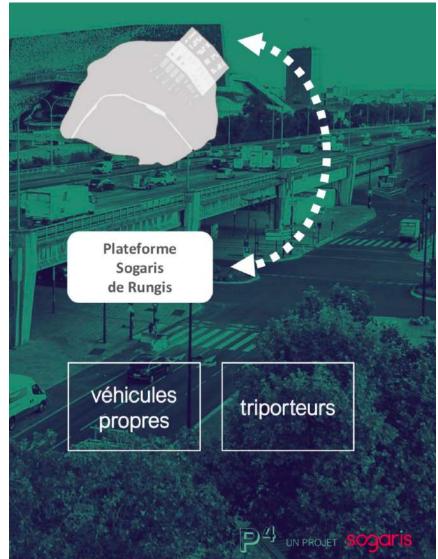
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## Urban logistics hub under Paris ring-road

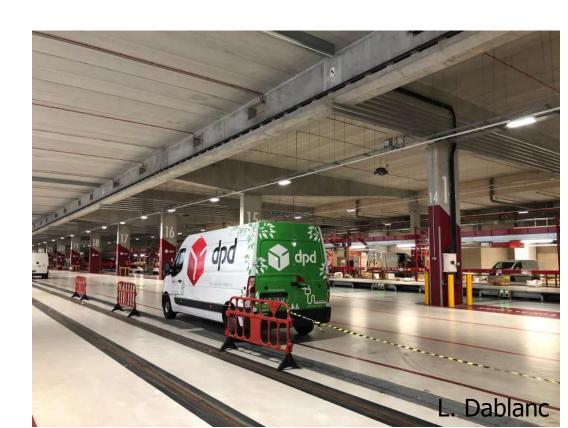




### Chapelle logistics hotel (45,000 sq m)

- Recycling of a former freight rail area
- Four levels
- Multi-use: logistics, offices, data center, sports, urban farm
- Rail infrastructure (unused yet)







### A very discreet Amazon warehouse in Brooklyn/Red Hook







Dablanc, March 2022

- Amazon Flex delivery workers
- Street parking and difficult handling of cart



### New urban formats and architecture for warehouses from mainstream developers



Le projet Size à étages de Prologis sur la Zac des Batignolles marque une nouvelle illustration de sa stratégie en matière de logistique urbaine.

© Prologis / DTACC



Segro, project 'Centre Paris 19', Paris 19th

Prologis, project 'Size' Paris 17th

'Neighborhood uproar against the future logistics facility" Le Parisien, Sept 2021





#### Electric vans: large and small companies

- According to sources:
  - TCO is OK after 4 or 5 years
  - TCO remains +10%
- 4% new vans are electric in March 2022 (AVERE)
- Commitment from large companies, support to small last mile providers





### Sustained interest for cargo-bikes in Europe





International Cargo Bike Festival October 2022

Main advantage: access to bike lanes







# Docks are returned to promenade after transloading







### UPS trial of waterway transport of trailers between Brooklyn to New Jersey



April 2022



### Zero emission trucks are still too expensive





Tesla Semi : PepsiCo annonce les dates de livraison du camion électrique

Emmanuel Touzot / 9 Nov 2021 15:38 / Q 5

Lorries represent a third of deliveries in French cities



### Methane, bio-methane or battery electric?



HOME > NEWS

# Biden officials are trying to stop the Postal Service from spending \$11.3 billion on gas-powered trucks, citing pollution and climate change





### Amazon: CNG and electric

Order of 1 064 CNG trucks for European market in 2021



### Amazon UK adds five DAF CF Electric HGVs to fleet in European first



### Many regional operations by large lorries could fit electric batteries

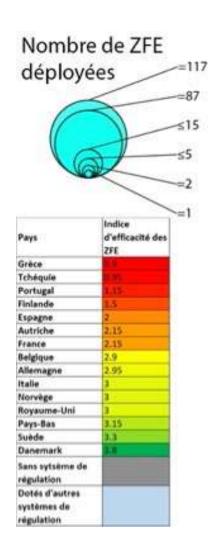
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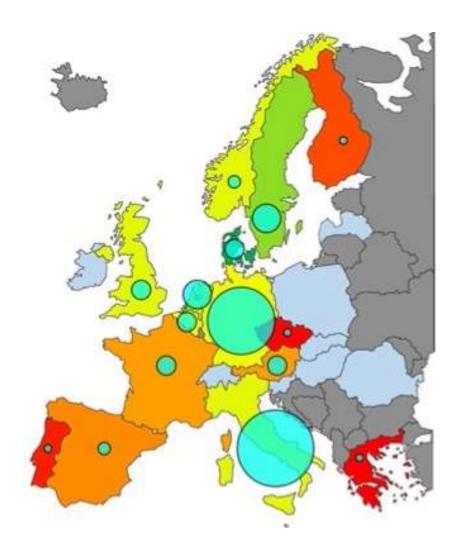


Maersk orders 110 Volvo VNR Electric trucks for North America



### Low and zero emission zones in Europe



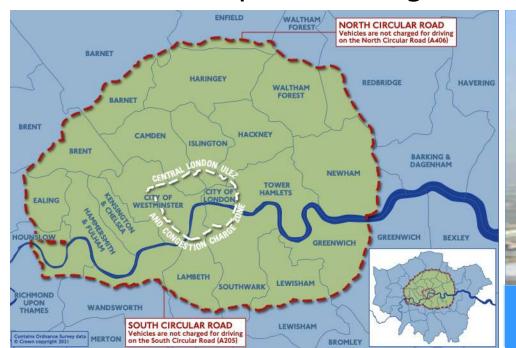


- France is 9th among
   15th countries for
   efficiency of low
   emission zones for city
   logistics
- Ranking by Belliard, Dablanc, 2021

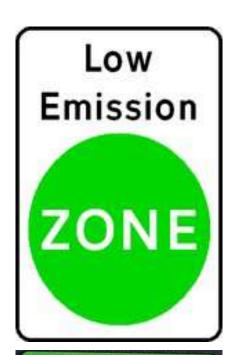


#### London Low Emission Zone

- All the metropolitan area
- Lorries and large vans
- Euro VI for lorries
- *Ultra Low Emission Zone* in a large central area (Euro 6) (for all veh including vans but not lorries)
- Three Zero Emission Zones by 2025
- Automated plate reading cameras (ANPR cameras)





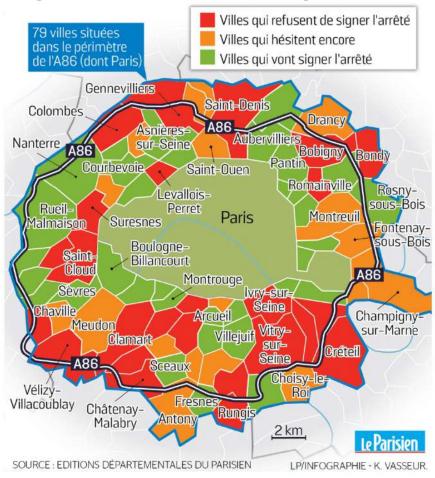


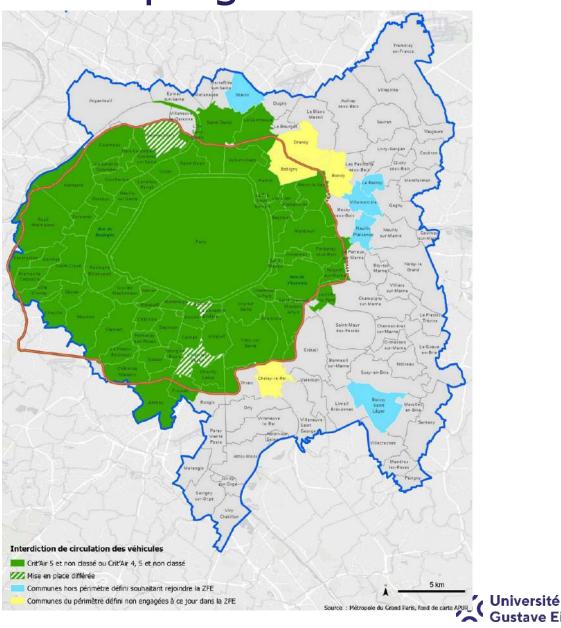


### Low Emission Zone in Grand Paris: progress

2017 2022

#### La position des villes concernées par la ZFE





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LE TRANSPORT DE MARCHANDISES ET LE TERRITOIRE DES GRANDES VILLES



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