Gothenburg
Sustainable city – open to the world
Great strengths and opportunities

Green
Port
Creativity
Entrepreneurship
Innovation
Good food
Close
Together
Water
Industry
Events
Entertainment
A city open to the world

18th century
Built by Dutch and Germans Developed into a shipping and trading city, partly thanks to the Swedish East India Company

19th century
The industrial city evolves thanks to expertise from England and Scotland

20th century
The economy grows with workers from countries like Italy, Greece, the former Yugoslavia and Finland
Gothenburg – an evolving city of the future

- 533,300 residents
- 10 districts, Majorna-Linné the largest
- 1,1 million residents in the Gothenburg labour market region today
- 23% born outside of Sweden
- 1.75 million residents in the Gothenburg region in 2030

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A close city – Gothenburg 2035

680,000 residents of Gothenburg in 2035

70–80,000 new homes, including 50,000 in the existing city, of which 25,000 in Älvstaden (River city)

80,000 more jobs of which 50,000 in Älvstaden

Source: Expansion planning 2013
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